

St. Joseph Church

November 25, 2018

Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

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Rev. Mr. Gary Blue, Deacon



Vision

Enthusiasm and Love of God and Neighbor to inspire and encourage interpersonal relationships in the St. Joseph Faith Community in order that an atmosphere of sharing our faith, time, talent, treasure and hospitality will expand the Kingdom of God.

Prayer

God of all peoples, how blessed we are to gather in faith at Eucharist, for it is in Your Word and Sacrament that we discover that we are the Community called the Body of Christ.

Our St. Joseph Parish Vision is filled with enthusiasm for loving God and neighbor because Your Kingdom expands, Creator Father, in an atmosphere of interpersonal relationships.

May we the members of St. Joseph Parish continue to grow in faith during our Pastoral Planning Process, so that our Parish Vision will be fulfilled as we discover that as parish we are Community in Christ.
Amen.

Welcome, New Parishioners

Please register by calling or stopping in the parish office.

Office Hours

Monday-Friday, 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Parish Telephones

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Staff Directory

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Mass Schedule

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4:30 PM

Sunday: 8:00AM, 10:00AM, 6:00PM

Weekday Masses

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri: 9:00 AM

Holy Day Masses

Please see schedule inside bulletin.

Sacramental Life

Sacrament of Reconciliation (*Confession*)

Saturday 3:30 to 4:00 PM

Sacrament of Baptism

12:00 Noon.

Arrangements must be made previously.

Instruction class for parents required.

Sacrament of Marriage

Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Call the office any time.

Knights of Columbus

Grand Knight: Steve Costa 219-365-4204

Bulletin Deadline

Monday 12:00 Noon, *in writing*.



Monday, November 26, Weekday

9:00 AM Mary Germek

Tuesday, November 27, Weekday

9:00 AM Joseph Beiriger

Wednesday, November 28, Weekday

No 9:00 AM Mass

Thursday, November 29, Weekday

9:00 AM Paul Lesniewski

6:30 PM Family Rosary

Friday, November 30, St. Andrew

9:00 AM Bernard & Myrtle Thiel

Weekend Mass Intentions

Saturday, December 1, Vigil: 1st Sunday of Advent

4:30 PM Bernard Paulson

Sunday, December 2, 1st Sunday of Advent

8:00 AM The People of the Parish

10:00 AM Mike Klausman

6:00 PM Andrew Kevin Garza

Immaculate Conception

This year the Feast of the Immaculate Conception (a holyday of obligation) is on **Saturday, December 8th**. The following is the schedule for the celebration of this Feast.

Friday, December 7—7:00pm Vigil Mass for Immaculate Conception.

We still will have the devotions as we have previously starting with 9am mass. The mass at 7pm will be Ordinary Form in Latin celebrating the Vigil Mass for Immaculate Conception.

Saturday, December 8—Masses for the Feastday will be at 8am & 10am.

Saturday, December 8—4:30pm mass will be for Sunday obligations as well as **Sunday, December 8th** at 8am, 10am & 6pm.

ORIGINALITY

Remember that God prefers the poverty of our hearts to the most sublime thoughts borrowed from others.

—St. Peter Julian Eymard



First Friday's at St. Joseph Parish

You are invited Friday, December 7th, to be part of our First Friday devotions. This will be every First Friday, each month. In all (3) vestibules there is a sign-up sheet asking for your name and phone number to be an adorer of the Blessed Sacrament.

First Friday Schedule

9AM—Holy Mass (Ordinary Form)

9:45AM-6:45PM—Eucharistic Adoration (10 Hours of Adoration)

Noon Angelus + Midday Prayer

5PM—Evening Prayer

6:30PM—Benediction

7PM—Holy Mass (Ordinary Form)

Note: Ordinary Form = English

Ordinary Form = Latin Mass

Commission Night

Monday, December 3rd at 7:00pm in Gym

Monday, December 3rd will be our second Commission Night. Everyone is welcome to attend including those who were at our first night.

We would like to build on what was discussed and also have new discussions and ideas.

There are sign-up sheets in the main vestibule asking you to choose a commission.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call the parish office, 865-2271.



St. Joseph Angel Tree 2018

Angel Trees are set up in the church foyer this weekend. Please take a gift request if you wish and wrap with the original card **firmly** affixed. Please ***wrap any gift card substantially*** to eliminate loss. Return the gifts to the back of St. Joseph Church no later than the weekend of December 15th & 16th. The gifts will be distributed at our food pantry on Wednesday, December 19th. If you have any questions, please call Phyllis Howard at 219-688-2185.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6; Lk 21:1-4
Tuesday: Rv 14:14-19; Ps 96:10-13; Lk 21:5-11
Wednesday: Rv 15:1-4; Ps 98:1-3ab, 7-9; Lk 21:12-19
Thursday: Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 21:20-28
Friday: Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22
Saturday: Rv 22:1-7; Ps 95:1-7ab; Lk 21:34-36
Sunday: Jer 33:14-16; Ps 25:4-5, 8-10, 14; 1 Thes 3:12 — 4:2; Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe November 25, 2018

What have you done? That question of Pilate to Jesus is a key? What have you done? On the last Sunday of this liturgical year, it becomes our final exam. It is an essay question—with each of us filling it out in different but specific ways.

- What have I done this past year to bring on the Reign and Kingdom of God?
- How have I acted with loving-kindness, with God-like-mercy?
- Since my end has not come, what will I do now?

Stewardship of Treasure Report

November 17th & 18th

Due to the Holiday printing schedule, the above Stewardship of Treasure Report will be in next week's bulletin.

Advent Reflections

Session I: Thur. Dec. 6, 10:00 -11:30 A.M.
 Session 1: Repeated: Dec. 6, 7:00 – 8:30P.M.

Session 2: Thur. Dec. 13, 10:00 -11:30 A.M.
 Session 2: Repeated: Thur. Dec. 13, 7:00 – 8:30P.M.

In Gathering Room

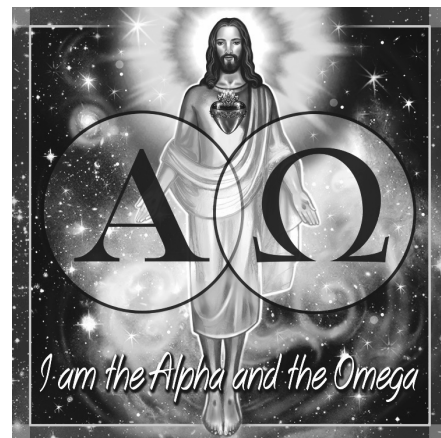
DVD/Discussion

Bishop Robert Barron presents
"The Pivotal Players"

Session I: St. Augustine The Teacher
 Session 2: St. Benedict The Monk

All Are Welcome

Come discover that these men are not just people to be admired, but an invitation to the universal call to holiness.



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THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Tuesday, November 27

9:45am—50/50 Raffle drawing

5:30-7:00pm—RE Generations of Faith
in Gym

Thursday, November 29

6:30pm—Family Rosary

7:00pm—Choir Practice

Sunday, December 2

Hospitality Sunday after the 8am &
10am Masses in the Gathering Room

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Although our Puritan forebears at Plymouth Rock were almost a hundred years removed from their Catholic roots, the old liturgical calendar still had an unconscious claim on their hearts. We've already seen how on Saint Martin's Day, November 11, medieval continental Europe observed a great harvest day of Thanksgiving, with games, dances, parades, and a festive dinner of roast goose. With the goose went ample draughts of "Saint Martin's Wine," the first wine of the new harvest. Martinmas celebrated full barns and larders stocked for the winter. Even after the Reformation, the tradition of eating goose on Saint Martin's Day was retained in Holland, and it was there that our Pilgrims encountered this tradition. When Governor Bradford sent four hunters out into the Massachusetts wilderness in the autumn of 1621, they did indeed find some geese and ducks, and were persuaded by the indigenous people to try turkey, too.

Just as the liturgical calendar has been tweaked over the years, President Roosevelt moved Thanksgiving to the third Thursday in November in 1939, probably to extend the Christmas shopping season. The protest was so great that in 1941 the day established by President Lincoln, the last Thursday in November, was restored. If the Pilgrims had known of the Martinmas connection, they might never have celebrated at all!

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Weekly 50/50 Raffle

The Number Drawn on November 13th
Was # 376

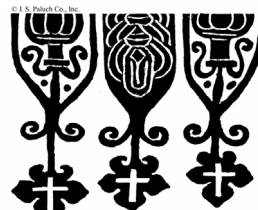
The Winner Would Have Won \$900.00
(This amount will be added to next week)

Drawings will be held every
Tuesday at 9:45am
in the Gathering Room

All registered members of St. Joseph Parish are eligible for the 50/50 raffle. **YOU MUST USE 2 SEPARATE ENVELOPES FOR THE CURRENT WEEK EVEN IF YOU ARE A MONTHLY, ELECTRONIC, HOMEBOUND OR WEEKLY CONTRIBUTOR. ALL CONTRIBUTORS MENTIONED PREVIOUSLY MUST MAKE THEIR SACRIFICIAL CONTRIBUTION BY THE FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH AND INDICATING ON EACH SUBSEQUENT WEEKLY ENVELOPE THAT IS PLACED IN THE COLLECTION BASKET THAT YOU ARE EITHER A MONTHLY, ELECTRONIC OR HOMEBOUND CONTRIBUTOR.**

You must use your current weekly treasure envelope with your sacrificial amount and the preprinted 50/50 envelope found in the pews with EXACTLY \$5.00. If you are paying by check, you must use **2 checks**, one for the weekly treasure made out to St. Joseph Church and the other check for \$5.00 for the 50/50 raffle made out to St. Joseph Church—50/50 Raffle.

The 50/50 raffle envelope is to be put in the collection along with your sacrificial weekly treasure envelope.



Whoever hears
my voice
hears the truth

Ministry Schedule
December 1st & 2nd

Extraordinary Ministers

4:30pm—Emma Gallenberger, Kathy Lebryk,
Judy Nowacki
8:00am—Rick Dernulc, Frank Ziolkowski,
Karen Ziolkowski
10:00am—Jessica Abangan, Barb Graegin,
Volunteer Needed
6:00pm—Mark Gabrione, Yvonne Weaver,
Brad or Paula Zielke

Lectors

4:30pm—Wayne Gallenberger
8:00am—Noel & Kathy Cusick
10:00am—Sandy Riley
6:00pm—Ralph Semyck

PROPER ROLE

Money is a terrible master but an excellent servant.

—P T. Barnum



**Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe**

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Jesus Christ is the faithful witness,
the firstborn of the dead
and ruler of the kings of the earth.

— *Revelation 1:5*

GRATITUDE

What is gladness without gratitude, and where
is gratitude without a God?

—Coventry Patmore

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