



October 21, 2018



MISSION STATEMENT

We are the Body of Christ, the people of Saint Joseph Church and School. Led by our pastor, we strive to joyfully model the person Jesus Christ through warm invitation, inspiring liturgy, engaging ministries and inclusive parish activities. We strive to know, love and serve God, and to welcome all who come to our doors.

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

*Pray that I will be given the message to speak
and that I may fearlessly explain the
mystery about the good news.*

EPHESIANS 6:19 CEV



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~Liturgy Schedule~

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00pm - English

Sunday Masses:

9am & 7:30pm - English

11:30am - Español

Weekday Masses:

(T, TH, F, S) ~ 8:00am - English

(T, TH, F) ~ 6:30pm - Español

Wed. Evening Mass ~ 6:30pm - English

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Rectory: Priest's Residence, 1910 Hale Avenue

Parish Autumn Picnic and Festival - A Success! Many, many thanks to all those who helped to make the Autumn Picnic/Festival a fun family event last Saturday! Grateful to the planning committee, those who helped set up and tear down, who donated the auction prizes, who manned the children's games, the bouncy house, the face painting, cake walk, Chili Cook-off, Silent Auction, Bingo and more! There were new volunteers and those who always help with everything! The food was great, weather brisk but beautiful, and the day seemed to be enjoyed by all. It was great to see our community enjoying being together. If you missed it, try to join in next year! Watch for more fellowship opportunities yet to come in November!

SAINT JOSEPH PARISH AND DIOCESAN EVENTS

ST. JOSEPH PARISH STEWARDSHIP REPORT CONTRIBUTIONS FOR WEEK ENDING OCT. 14, 2018

REGULAR ADULT AND LOOSE	\$ 4,468.85
ONLINE GIVING	\$ 400.00
SECOND COLLECTION	\$ 309.89

Total envelopes used this week = 144 out of 561 families
26% of our families are using their envelopes.
Using our envelopes is a great example of Stewardship,
and giving back to God for all He has given to us!



Congratulations to our newest little members of the Catholic Faith, who were baptized last Saturday morning:
brothers, Alexander Abdel Carrera,
Luis Manuel Moreno;
and Alejandro Romero, Jr.

Please pray for these little ones and their families as they begin their faith journeys!

Annual Bishops Appeal

It is not too late to submit your **Annual Bishop's Appeal** pledge drive donation but it should be in soon. Help us reach our goal, and **remember that any amount given over the goal amount is returned to our St. Joseph Parish!**

Fr. Evaristo has asked that all parish families take part in the appeal, so let's surprise him and show him that we've reached goal by the time he returns from vacation!

6th Annual Community Thanksgiving Dinner

The free Annual St. Joseph Community Thanksgiving Dinner is Saturday, November 17th, from 12-3pm, and the committee is in the planning process and as always, they are in need of many willing and committed volunteers to make the dinner a huge success!



It is not too late to volunteer your help for this very special outreach to our neighbors, many of whom look forward to this event every year! **THIS IS THE EVENT THAT WE GET THE MOST VOLUNTEERS ...** hopefully it will be the same this year!

Bake Sale - Calling All Bakers!

Get out your cookbooks, ladies and gentleman, pick a great recipe that you can bake for the upcoming St. Joseph Rosary Society Annual Bake Sale coming up on Sunday, November 18. St. Joseph bakers are some of the very best ever, so mark your calendars and check out the goodies in several weeks at the Bake Sale. More to come!



Please keep Father Evaristo in your prayers that he has safe travels while he is away on a much needed, well deserved vacation!

On the weekdays, during his absence, Deacon José will provide Liturgy of the Word, Eucharist and Benediction instead of the morning and evening Masses until after Fr. Evaristo's return on October 31st. For the weekend Masses of October 20-21 and October 27-28, the celebrants will be the following priests:

Fr. Robert D'Souza for 5p Sat. and 9a Sun. Masses,
Fr. Jack Overmeyer for 11:30a Sun. Masses and
Fr. Tim Wrozek for 7:30p Sun. Masses.

FLU SHOTS



Katie Paladino, a parishioner, and Kroger Pharmacist, will be offering no cost flu shots for those over 65 years old with Medicare. She will be offering shots after the 5pm Mass on Saturday, October 27th, after the 9am and 11am Masses on Sunday, October 28th, as well as starting at 6:45pm before that Sunday 7:30 evening Mass.. This is perfect timing to ensure your immunity is built up before the holiday season. We would like to do as much as we can to protect our parish from the flu this year!

Those interested, please bring your NEW red, white, and blue Medicare card so your insurance can be billed. Spanish and English forms are available in the back of church to fill out ahead of time. If you have questions, particularly related to getting a shot, if you do not have Medicare, or if you are under 65, please email Katie at kpaladino11@gmail.com.

REMINDER:

Parishioners Tim & Nada Osborne, owners of **Rainbow Furniture,** 3206 Covington Rd, would like you to know that their business will be an official Safe Halloween Site Trick or Treaters, from 5:30pm to 7pm on Halloween, Wednesday, October 31st.



All children are welcome.

Mondays- Adoration, Liturgy of the Word, Communion and Benediction - 8am in English, 6:30pm in Spanish Rosary at Tues., Thurs., Fri., Sat., 7:35am, all in the Chapel

MASS INTENTIONS

- Mon. 10/22** 8am Lit. of Word, Eucharist, Benediction
6:30p Lit. de la Palabra, Comunion
- Tues. 10/23** 8am Lit. of Word, Eucharist, Benediction
6:30p Lit. de la Palabra, Comunion
- Wed. 10/24** 8am Lit. of Word, Eucharist, Benediction
6:30p Lit. de la Palabra, Comunion
- Thurs. 10/25** No Morning or Evening Liturgies Today
No Habrán Celebraciones Litúrgicas Hoy
- Fri. 10/26** 8am Lit. of Word, Eucharist, Benediction
6:30p Lit. de la Palabra, Comunion
- Sat. 10/27** 8am Lit. of Word, Eucharist, Benediction
6:30p Lit. de la Palabra, Comunion
5:00pm - E - Pat Dunn †
- Sun. 10/28** 9:00am - E - Carmen & Raul Guerrero †
11:30am - S - For Our Parish Community
7:30pm - E - Kelly Collins †

LITURGICAL MINISTERS Oct. 27-28, 2018

Proclaimers:

- 5:00 pm Lynn Clough, Theresa Driscoll
- 9:00 am Jim Morrell, Bob Keen
- 11:30 am Angelita Mata, Maria Palma
- 7:30 pm Denise Smith, Volunteer

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

- 5:00 pm Benjamin Forte, Elaine Johnston, Katie Ware,
Kelly Wickerham, Gina Wyatt
- 9:00 am Mandi Flores, Jim Hensel, Dave Hill, Mickey Hill,
Janelle Schlup
- 11:30 am Jaime Arambula, Yesenia Arambula, Orlando
Miranda, Adalys Reyes
- 7:30 pm Theresa Bobay, Patti Hobbs, Sandy Stettler

Servers:

- 5:00 pm Dennise Galicia, Lillian Vasquez
- 9:00 am Nolan Cook, Kadence Vasquez
- 11:30 am Volunteer, Volunteer, Volunteer, Volunteer
- 7:30 pm Volunteers

Ushers:

- 5:00 pm Greg Butler, Bonnie Speelman
- 9:00 am Chip Schlup, Sue Stalter
- 11:30 am Fausto Gonzalez, Efrain Rivera, Domingo Hernandez,
Genaro Rodriguez
- 7:30 pm Volunteers

SAINT JOSEPH PARISH CALENDAR

- Mon. 10/22** Parish Office Closed Each Monday-Reopens **Tues**
- Tues. 10/23** 6:00pm FIN Voter Project PH
- Wed. 10/24** 7:15pm Course on Sacraments (English) GR
- Thur. 10/25** 6:00pm Rosary Sodality Mtg GR
7:00pm RCIA Inquiry/Catechumenate/Adults PAC
- Fri. 10/26** 6:00pm AA Meeting PH
- Sat. 10/27** 9:00am Women's Emaus Team Mtg GR

ST. JOSEPH PRAYER LINE

Please call the Prayer Line to request prayers for a special intention. Call Debbie Greene at 260-747-9595 with your prayer request. Anyone who would like to help pray for these intentions can let her know. There is always use more prayer warriors!

PLEASE PRAY FOR... Robert Binder, Judy Butler, Cliff, Rise Cogswell, Richard Corwin, Larry Craighead, Patric Driscoll, Megan Ewell, Chris Fischer, William Freiburger, Linda Handlin, Hilde Hofacker, Elisa & Cristobal Jordan, Patricia Lindsay, Barbara Martin, Dave Martin, Rowan McClain, Aaron McKeeman, Margaret Miller, Joe Millington, Enrique Monterroso, Jonathan Monterroso, Erisila Mowery, Phyllis Murphy, Nico, Morris Nobles, Jesus Orantes, Marisel Orantes, Faustina Rader, John & Jan Reid, Riley, Sam Rizzo, Maria G. Robles, Betty Rodriguez, Danny Rodriguez, Leticia Rodriguez, Leonor Rodriguez, Veronica Rodriguez, Elaine Schafer, Susan Schenkel, Denise Smith, Deb Sorg, Miles Tippman, Armandina Trevino, Maria Judith Vega, John Zollinger...

... and for those who have no one to pray for them, Amen.

SCHEDULE A MASS INTENTION....

There are **many spots available** to parishioners for WEEKDAY mass intentions at the 8am (Eng) and 6:30pm (Span) masses on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, 8am Saturdays (Eng) and 6:30pm Wednesdays (Eng). **The weekend masses do book up in advance much quicker than the weekday masses.**

Schedule anniversaries of deaths of loved ones, birthdays, wedding anniversaries or special intentions. Feel free to come to the Parish Office to schedule your mass(es) on Tues., Thurs. or Fri., from 9:00am - 4:00 pm. Suggested donation for a mass intention is \$10 per mass.

BISHOP LUERS NEWS

Bishop Luers High School will host an Open House on Thursday, November 8, from 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. Prospective new students and their families are invited to join the Bishop Luers teachers, staff and students to learn more about our school including financial aid, sports and clubs, curriculum and much more. Enter through the main gym doors.

Visit the website at www.bishopluers.org for additional information.
Catch our Luers Spirit!

DID YOU KNOW....

The Saint Joseph Parish Office is NOT open for business on Mondays, and does not except phone calls on Mondays. This information is so that you will not make an unnecessary trip to the office or phone call. Monday is also Fr. Evaristo's official day off. Thanks in advance for your cooperation!

CELEBRATION OF SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM Prior to celebrating a baptism for your child, parents and chosen godparents must attend a class about baptism. Baptism classes will take place on the 1st Sunday of each month. (This might occasionally vary.) **Baptisms in Spanish will usually be celebrated in church on the 2nd Saturday of each month at 10:00am. Please note: Children older than 7 years of age must be interviewed by the RCIA Coordinator.**

Las Clases en español para los bautismos se llevarán a cabo cada primer domingo del mes a la 1:30 pm (de haber algún cambio se le avisará). Por favor llame y deje un nombre y número de contacto al teléfono (260) 432-5113, ext. 340.

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays - 9am until all are heard, or by Appointment. Call the parish office for an appointment for a mutual time with our priest.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Education is for children who attend public schools in grades 1-8. To fully prepare for sacraments, students need to begin classes no later than the beginning of 1st grade and remain enrolled through 8th grade. Please contact **our Religious Education Director, Ana Ponce, in the Parish Office** for further details, 260-432-5113, ext. 319.

RCIA

The Rites of Christian Initiation of Adults is a year around ongoing process preparing adults for full membership in the Catholic Church through the Sacraments of Initiation. Call the Pastor or the Parish Office for more information, **260-432-5113, ext 323**. Now (**anytime**) is the time to begin the process.

MARRIAGE

Arrangements must be made with the Pastor at least 6 months in advance. **Important: Please call the Parish Office before you book the reception hall or set a date.**

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call the Parish Office to reach a priest and arrange for the anointing when someone is ill or in the hospital. Remember that we pray for recuperation and healing.

QUINCEAÑERAS

Classes are required of girls wishing to celebrate a quinceañera. Please call the Parish Office 6 months in advance of date and/or call Ana 260-432-5113, ext. 319 to schedule the quinceañera and to sign up for classes.

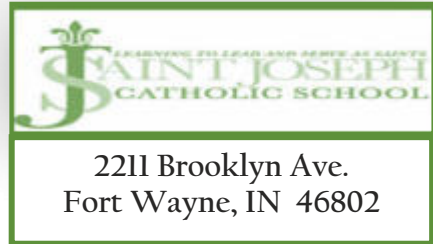
Redeemer Radio will host Write A Will

Please join us the week of October 22nd for Write A Will through the [Charitable Gift Planners of Northeast Indiana](#).

Write A Will is a chance for you to get your questions answered about planned giving and charitable gifts to nonprofits like Redeemer Radio. A volunteer, Attorney Zach Lang, from Bonahoom & Bobilya, LLC will be available **by appointment** to help you create a 'simple will' with a charitable gift free of charge!

Reserve your time to visit Redeemer Radio on Monday (10/22), Wednesday (10/24) or Thursday (10/25) from 3:30-5:30pm to meet with Attorney Zach Lang.

To schedule, please call Redeemer Radio at 260-436-9598.



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Our mission is to create a spiritual community of learning that educates and inspires students to reach their God-given potential.

MOTTO - Learning to lead and serve as Saints.

Ms. Jordán's 2018-19 News to Know / Week 10

Reading Rangers Program



Members of the Christ Child Society of Fort Wayne come once a month read to our preschoolers in small groups, the Reading Rangers. They discuss the stories, do crafts about the story, and give the children a copy of their own book to take home. Saint Joseph was the pilot school 2 years ago and now the program has expanded to other schools in the

diocese. Our preschoolers look forward to the Reading Rangers and everyone seems to enjoy their time together. Our thanks to all the volunteers for their time and compassion to help young children!!!

Book Fair Thank you for all of the families and parishioners that supported our school book fair. We met our GOAL!

Thank you to Ms. Mia Gray and Ms. Amanda Alvizures for helping put on this year's book fair.



Save the Date: Nov. 3rd

The *Saint Joseph Catholic School Fall Cultural Festival* will be held on Saturday November 3, 2018 from 1-3 pm in the school gym. Come out and support Student Council, HASA, and the 8th grade trip. **Entrance tickets are \$5.00 per family and go on sale October 22nd.** We have lots of fun games and activities planned for everyone to enjoy!!!

- ◆ Game tickets 10 for \$5.00
- ◆ Tie dye or buy a school shirt \$10.00 each
- ◆ Concession stand will be available for purchase
- ◆ 8th grade is presenting different aspects of Central and South American countries

Dios te bendiga | God bless you, Cristy Jordán



Pre-School teacher Mary Ann Waikel is asking for any old children's rakes or adult rakes

(those will be cut down to a smaller size) for the pre-schoolers to use in the

courtyard so they can have fun raking the leaves!

The rakes can be brought to the school during the week or left in the back of church on the weekends.

Thanks in advance for the kids!

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