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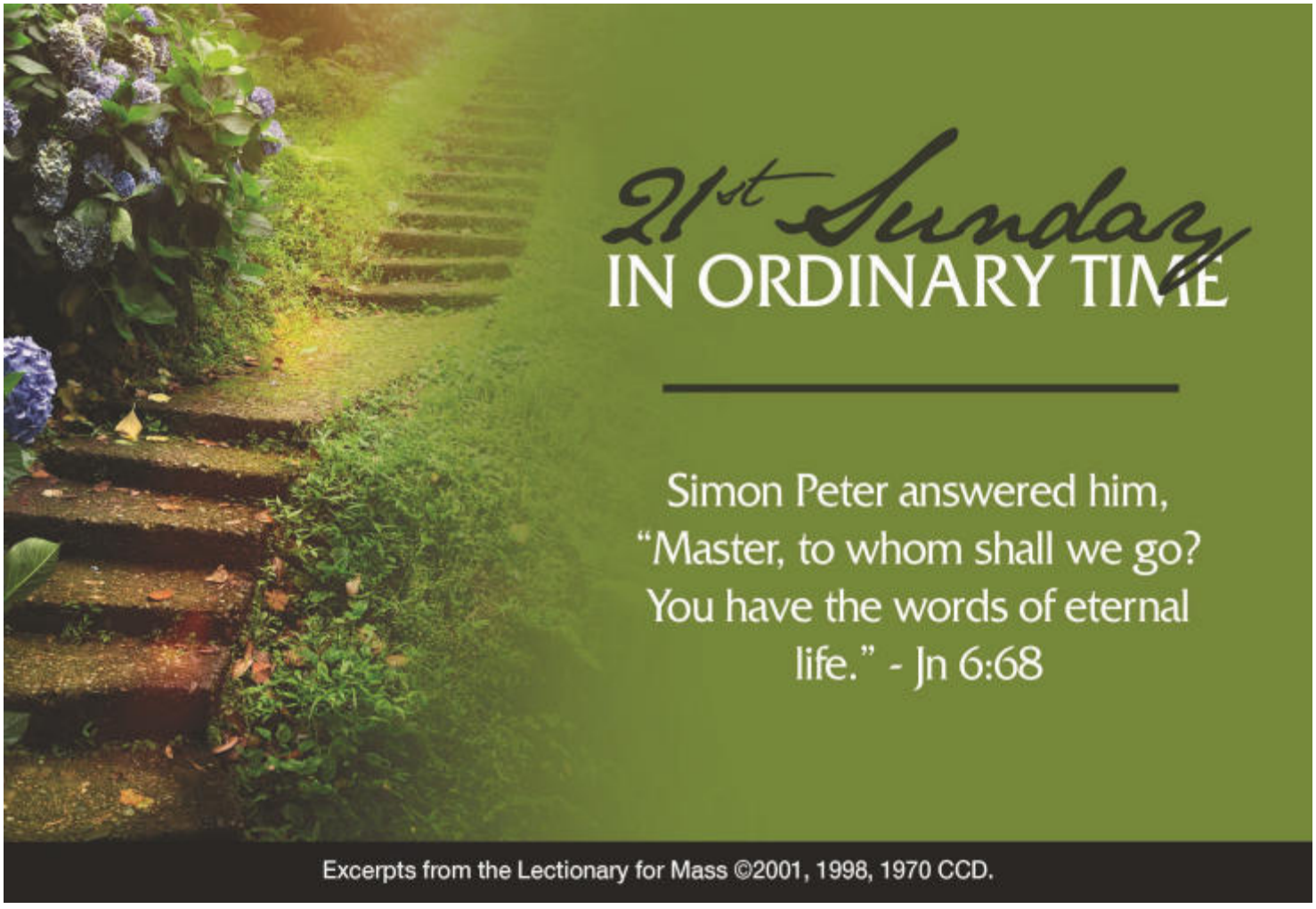

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Beginning September 9th for 12 weeks

A few of the topics covered in Alpha:

- Is There More to Life Than This?
- Who is Jesus?
- How can I have faith?
- How does God Guide Us?
- How Can I Be Filled With The Holy Spirit?
- ...And many more topics!

Come join us in the Fr. Glenn O'Connor Parish Center on Thursday nights beginning September 9th at 6:30 p.m.

Register now for Alpha at:
https://catholicforms.com/forms/view.php?id=1027621

Learn more at: www.saintsusannachurch.com/alpha

Have Questions? Email the Alpha Team:
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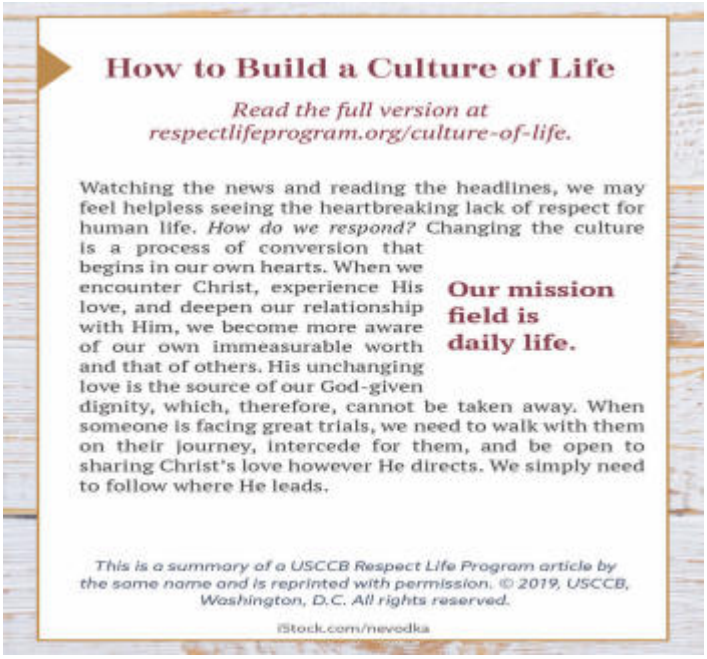

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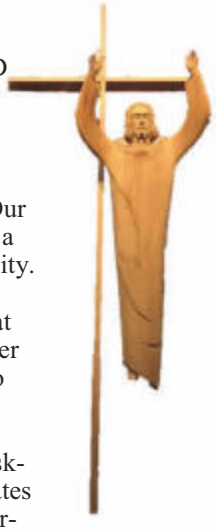
STEWARDSHIP



EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

Submission as Stewardship.

We aren't comfortable with the idea of submission. Our society champions equality, and rightly so — but it's a mistake to think that submission is at odds with equality. To submit ourselves fully, we must first be free. We must first be our own masters. God has granted us that freedom with the salvation He offers. We are no longer the slaves of sin. Now He asks us to be subordinate to one another, in the name of Christ.

What a completely uncomfortable task! What He's asking is for us to be subordinate to the person who irritates us the most. The person we really can't stand. The person who doesn't respect us or appreciate what we have to offer. The person we think we're smarter than, more talented than. The person we envy.

That's the real challenge of stewardship, isn't it? Subordination. Inconveniencing myself by giving of time, of money, of relationship. Putting the needs or wants of another above my own when they haven't done anything special to earn it.

I invite you to consider the cross — the most radical expression of submission, and of stewardship, that ever existed. If there was ever someone who deserved superiority, isn't it the God who let Himself be nailed to a tree, who gave so freely of His life, His body, His blood, His everything?

To look at him in his agony is to truly understand the beauty of submission — of laying down what you have for the good of the other.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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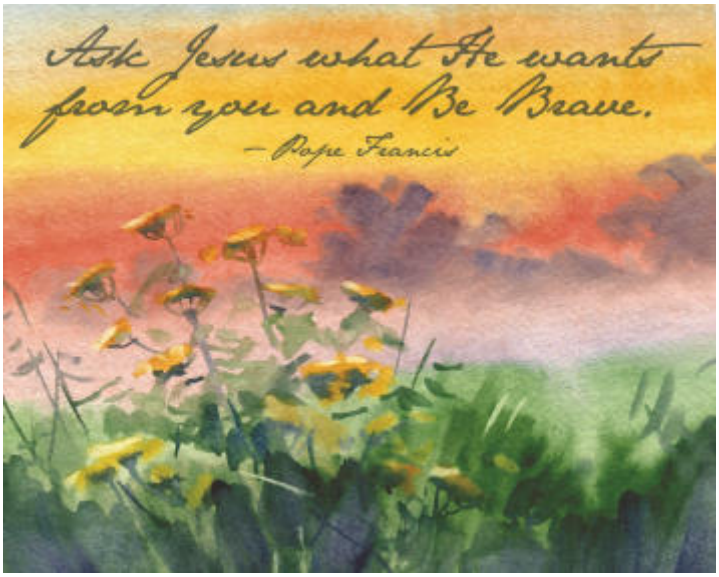

9-Aug-21			
Sunday Offering			Actual Compared to Budgeted Average
Envelopes & Loose	$ 18,794.50		
Electronic Giving	$ 12,316.50		
Holy Day	$ 30.00		
Weekly Total	$ 31,141.00		$ 31,141.00
Weekly Budget	$ 24,000.00		$ 23,808.00
Difference	$ 7,141.00		$ 7,333.00
Year to Date Actual	$ 141,999.00		$ 141,999.00
Year to Date Budget	$ 144,000.00		$ 142,846.00
Year to Date Difference	$ (2,001.00)		$ (847.00)

16-Aug-21			
Sunday Offering			Actual Compared to Budgeted Average
Envelopes & Loose	$ 13,293.50		
Electronic Giving	$ 7,206.50		
Holy Day	$ 657.00		
Weekly Total	$ 21,157.00		$ 21,157.00
Weekly Budget	$ 24,000.00		$ 23,808.00
Difference	$ (2,843.00)		$ (2,651.00)
Year to Date Actual	$ 163,155.71		$ 163,155.71
Year to Date Budget	$ 168,000.00		$ 166,654.00
Year to Date Difference	$ (4,844.29)		$ (3,498.29)

Please note: Budgets vary by month.

Fr Glenn 50/50

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August 8th 50/50: #8126
Jackpot rolls to $136

August 15th 50/50: #261 did not play
Jackpot rolls to $210

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 08/21/21	4:30pm	**James Cook**—by Alma Cook
Sunday 08/22/21	7:30am	**Dorothy Crampton—**by Carol & Tony Gentry
	9:15am	**Dodie Herdey—**by Charles Deck
	11:30am	**People of St. Susanna**
Monday 08/23/21	—	—
Tuesday 08/24/21	7:30am	**Jackie McCart**—by John Carlson
Wednesday 08/25/21	6:00pm	**Jim Obrien**—by the O'Brien Family
Thursday 08/26/21	8:45am	**Paul Belle**—by Thomas Belle
Friday 08/27/21	7:30am	**Frederick & Kathleen O'Herron**—by Kathy McGillem
Saturday 08/28/21	5:30pm	**Patricia Fajt**—by John Fajt
Sunday 08/29/21	7:30am	**People of St. Susanna**
		Audrey Baker—by Jan Cozart
	9:15am	
		Charles & Charlene Roach Family
	11:30am	

Request a Mass Intention

MASS INTENTIONS

Those wishing to honor a loved one during the celebration of Mass may pick up Mass cards in the parish office. Mass cards are available for the living and deceased and provide opportunities for prayerful remembrance of anniversaries, birthdays, and other special intentions.

Masses are usually booked at least several months in advance so if you have a particular date or time on which you want the Mass, it is very important that you call the parish office well ahead of time.

The Archdiocese of Indianapolis suggested Mass Stipend is $10. Contact Jackie Arnett in the Parish Office at St.Susanna to schedule Masses. Please call 317-839-3333 or stop by during Office Hours:
Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 10AM-4PM
Wednesday 10AM—6PM

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

If you would like to become a registered parishioner of St. Susanna Church, please fill out our registration form and return it to the church office.

Parish Registration Forms are available on our website.

In addition to our Prayer phone lines, St. Susanna's has an e-mail address for prayer requests if you prefer to send an e-mail instead: prayerline@saintsusanna.com

Bulletin Announcement Deadline
For publication in next weekend's bulletin submit items by Tuesday at 9:00 A.M. to
jarnett@saintsusanna.com

Respect Life Ministry

Each of us has a mission, each of us is called to change the world, to work for a culture of life, a culture forged by love and respect for the dignity of each human person.

FAITHFUL CITIZENS ROSARY WALK AUGUST 28, 2021

Join faithful Catholic citizens from around the Archdiocese on Saturday, August 28, following the 10 a.m. Mass at Holy Rosary Church, 520 Stephens St., Indianapolis. We meet in front of Holy Rosary Church at 10:45 am, and peacefully walk through the Fletcher Place/Holy Rosary neighborhood. Bring your rosary to pray especially for the intentions of the sanctity of marriage, life, family, and religious freedom! The walk takes about 45 minutes. The photo on left shows participants in July. Contact Judy, St. Susanna parishioner, if you need a ride at 317-507-4249.

RIGHT TO LIFE OF INDIANAPOLIS ANNUAL DINNER, SEPTEMBER 28, 2021

The annual *Celebrate Life Dinner* will be Tuesday, September 28, 2021, with registration at 6 p.m., dinner and awards at 6:45 p.m., and speaker Gianna Jessen at 8 p.m. Ms. Jessen will inspire you with her grit and determination to speak out about the devastation of abortion on her life and on other survivors. She was born in 1977 despite an attempted abortion on her life. Join other St. Susanna parishioners at a table of 10 on Sept. 28 for a outstanding evening of food, friends, and great speakers! Cost is $75 per person which includes the event, dinner, and a donation. Program ends at 9 p.m. Please contact Judy York by **Tuesday, Sept. 21**, at 317-507-4249 to join us at St. Susanna's table for the Right to Life of Indianapolis's Celebrate Life event at Marriott Downtown Indianapolis. Thank you!

RCIA & Adult Confirmation

Are you or someone you know interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith or becoming Catholic?

What is RCIA and who is it for? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process established for the universal Church for individuals to become Catholic and receive the Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation and the Eucharist.

RCIA meets from early-September 2021 - April 2022 and is for:

- Persons (Adults) in need of Baptism
- Persons (Adults) baptized in another Christian tradition who desire to become Catholic
- Persons (Adults) baptized Catholic in need of First Communion and/or Confirmation

Adults who simply need the Sacrament of Confirmation or who have been attending Mass for years with a spouse may be eligible for the short track.

If you or someone you know has thought about becoming Catholic or would like to be confirmed, please e-mail Jackie VandenBergh at jvandenbergh@saintsusanna.com.

The first RCIA meeting is scheduled to take place Via Zoom on Wednesday, September 8, 2021. E-mail Jackie for the Zoom meeting link so that you can join us from your computer, smartphone or tablet. The full 2021-2022 RCIA meeting schedule is coming soon!

Family Promise of Hendricks County

Mark Your Calendars — St. Susanna's remaining 2021 Family Promise Host Weeks begin Aug 22, and Oct 24, 2021. Our August 22 Host Week meals will be delivered to WoodSprings Suites in Plainfield.

To learn how to donate funds for take away breakfasts/lunches, contact Patty Butwin at pbutwin@indy.rr.com or 908-432-2633.

Family Promise is hosting a Taste of Family Promise Community Event on Sunday August 15th from 2-5pm on the Plainfield Friends Front Lawn. Bounce House, Food, Face Painting, Raffles and More. Everyone is invited.

Family Promise Ministry is now on Flocknote. If you are on Flocknote, join our ministry to stay up-to-date with important developments and volunteer opportunities. If you are not currently on Flocknote: Text ***SUSANNA*** to 84576 or connect online at: https://saintsusanna.flocknote.com .

Stay up-to-date with what's happening at Family Promise, by checking the linked weekly Friday Flash.

Cursillo

Cursillo Weekends Are Coming!

The Fall Cursillo Weekends are scheduled. **The Men's Weekend will take place September 30- October 3, and the Women's Weekend will be held October 14-17.** Weekends are sponsored by the Archdiocese of Indianapolis and the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana and take place at the Saint Joseph Retreat Center in Tipton, Indiana. 'Cursillo' stands for 'A Short Course in Christianity' and is a wonderful way to fan the flames of faith.

For more information pick up a brochure on the bulletin boards or visit the Cursillo website at https://cursillo-cicc.org/

or Call Bob Klueg (317-839-2678)
or Amy Strasburger (317-840-0647)

Luncheons at the Park

For a year now a small group of parishioners from St. Susanna have been meeting at Hummel Park in Plainfield usually every other week on a Friday at 11:30 a.m. for lunch. Everyone brings their own lunch and just gets together to socialize with their fellow parishioners. They take turns making a birthday cake once a month to celebrate birthdays that month. They started this out because COVID was keeping them apart and they wanted to still be able to socialize at a distance outdoors with their fellow parishioners. They would like to open this up to even more parishioners (including St. Joe parishioners) who just want to spend some time outdoors and visit with fellow parishioners. Right now it's a group of ladies in the 50 and over crowd, but they are welcoming anyone to join them. Please call Michelle Sprinkle for more details. 317-437-9991. The next lunch is on August 13th, 2021.

ACTIVITIES OF THE WEEK AT ST. SUSANNA

Sunday, August 22
7:30 AM—Mass
9:15 AM—Mass
11:30 AM—Mass

Monday, August 23

Tuesday, August 24
7:30 AM—Mass

Wednesday, August 25
6:00 PM—Mass
6:30 PM—Cursillo Group—Gathering Space
7:00 PM—Choir practice—Church

Thursday, August 26
8:45 AM—Mass

Friday, August 27
7:30 AM—Mass
8:00 AM to 6:00 PM — Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday, August 28
10:00 AM to 10:30 AM —Reconciliation—Church
5:30 PM—Mass

Sisters to host Alcohol Inks 101, 102

Join the Sisters of Providence of Saint Mary-of-the-Woods, Indiana, for the upcoming workshop "Alcohol Inks 101," from 9:30 a.m.-noon, on Saturday, Sept. 11, and stick around for "Alcohol Inks 102," from 1:30-3 p.m., on the same day. Alcohol inks are fast-drying, highly pigmented and great to use on hard, nonporous surfaces. Learn how these colors move, mix and resist. Cost for the first workshop is $50, and the cost for the second workshop is $25. During the second workshop, expand your new skills by using different materials, including foil, tile and plastic. Both workshops include all materials. The registration deadline is Sept. 7. Register online at Events.SistersofProvidence.org or by calling 812-535-2952 or emailing provctr@spsmw.org.

Gabriel Project News

Do you or anyone else you may know need help with a pregnancy? Please contact **Michelle Sprinkle, St. Susanna Gabriel Project Coordinator, at 317-437-9991,** if help is needed or if you are interested in joining the team. Also, confidential free services are available by calling **833-937-4968.**

It's Back to School Time

Back to School season is an excellent opportunity to donate to the Indiana State Tax Credit Scholarship Program and make a Catholic education possible for a deserving student.

Donate through the Institute for Quality Education (IQE) to take advantage of a 50% Indiana state tax credit.

For more information, please contact Ellen Sanders at esanders@archindy.org or (317) 236-1501

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Readings for the week of August 22, 2021

Sunday: Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b/Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23 [9a]/Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32/Jn 6:60-69

Monday: 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b [cf. 4a]/Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday: Rv 21:9b-14/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18 [12]/Jn 1:45-51

Wednesday: 1 Thes 2:9-13/Ps 139:7-8, 9-10, 11-12ab [1]/Mt 23:27-32

Thursday: 1 Thes 3:7-13/Ps 90:3-5a, 12-13, 14 and 17 [14]/Mt 24:42-51

Friday: 1 Thes 4:1-8/Ps 97:1 and 2b, 5-6, 10, 11-12 [12a]/Mt 25:1-13

Saturday: 1 Thes 4:9-11/Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9 [9]/Mt 25:14-30

Next Sunday: Dt 4:1-2, 6-8/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5 [1a]/Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27/Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Observances for the week of August 22, 2021

Sunday: 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: St. Rose of Lima, Virgin
Tuesday: St. Bartholomew, Apostle
Wednesday: St. Louis; St. Joseph Calasanz, Priest
Thursday:
Friday: St. Monica
Saturday: St. Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Next Sunday: 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Watch Sunday Mass with Fr. Rob on Saint Susanna Church and School YouTube Channel.

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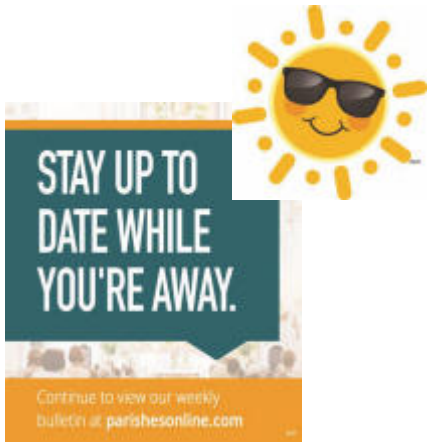
Hurting from Abortion?
Call 317-452-0054
Pregnant? Need Help?
Call .....833-937-4968 or 833-WER-4YOU

Devotions
Rosary
Prayed before Masses on the weekend.
Third Thursday Adoration
11:00 A.M.–7:00 P.M.



Saint Susanna Regular Mass Schedule
Weekend
Saturday 5:30 P.M.
Sunday 7:30 A.M., 9:15 A.M., 11:30 A.M.

Weekday
Tuesday 7:30 A.M.
Wednesday 6:00 P.M.
Thursday 8:45 A.M.
Friday 7:30 A.M.

PLEASE CHECK THE MASS INTENTION SECTION OF THE BULLETIN FOR ANY TEMPORARY CHANGES TO THE MASS SCHEDULE.

Saint Joseph Mass Schedule
Weekend
Saturday 4:00 P.M.
Sunday 11:30 A.M.
Weekday Monday-Friday 5:45 P.M.

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St. Susanna has two prayer lines.
For prayer requests call one of the following:
Nita Aldridge 317-839-5256
Clara Batchelor 317-918-6326
OR E-mail: prayerline@saintsusanna.com

Sacrament of Reconciliation
St. Susanna - Saturday……..10A.M.
St. Joseph - Monday ….....5:20-5:40 P.M.
or call your Parish Office for an appointment.

Sacramental Preparation
Infant Baptism *(both parishes)*
Required preparation class scheduled by appointment. Please call your Parish Office to enroll in the parent's class and schedule a time for baptism.
Sacrament of Penance, Holy Communion and Confirmation - call your Parish Office.
Sacrament of Matrimony - Pre-Marriage counseling is required. Please call your Parish Office at least 6 months in advance to schedule an appointment with the Pastor.

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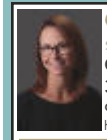

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