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Sunday Mass

Saturday 5pm,
Sunday 9am,
11:30am, & 7pm

Daily Mass

Monday—Friday
5:15pm

Confessions

Thursday 7-8pm
Saturday 3:30-4:30pm

DMC/Rosary

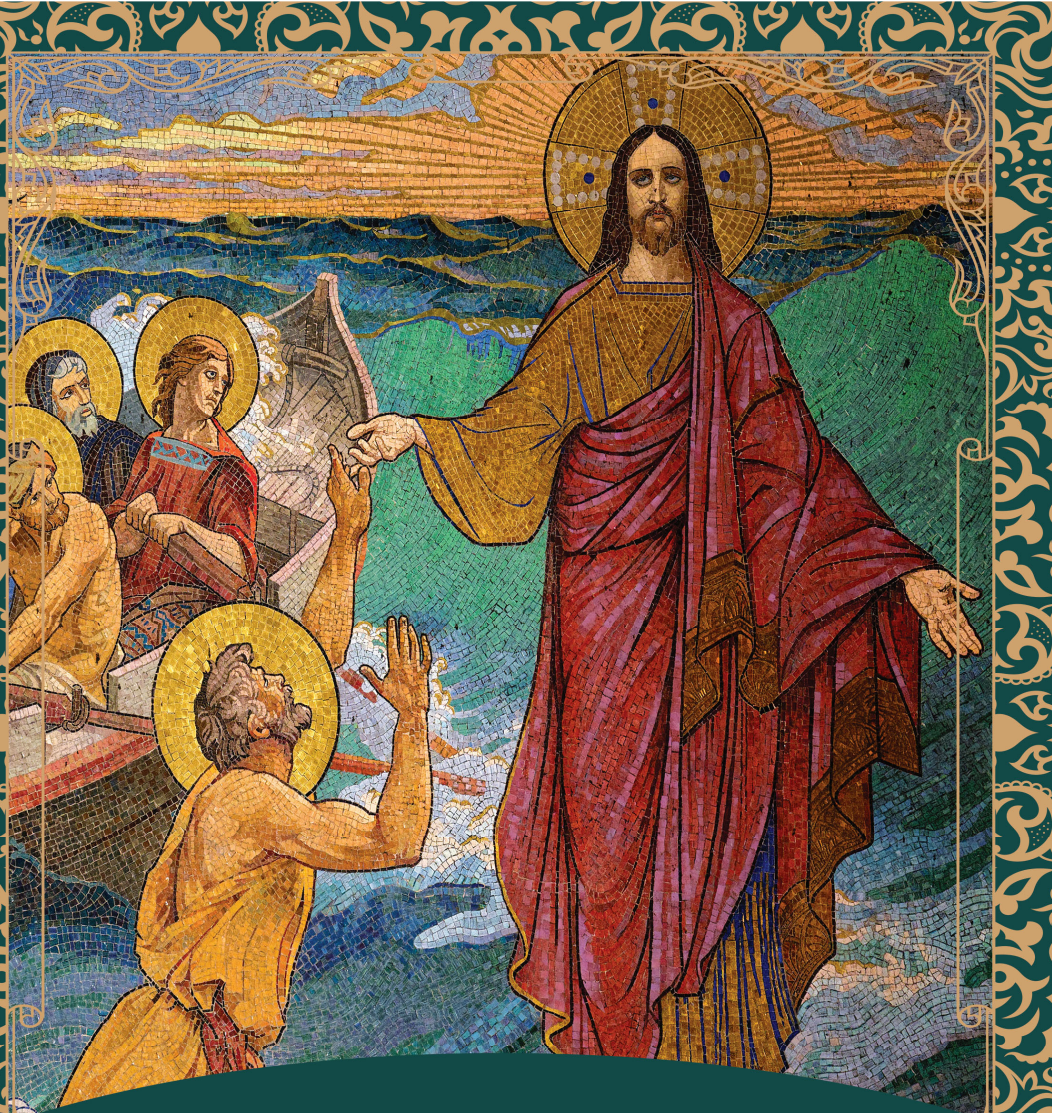
Wednesday 5pm/
Saturday 8am

Adoration

Thursday 6-8pm

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WHY DID YOU DOUBT?

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August 16, 2026

ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon, August 17

1:30-3:30pm Samaritan Pantry

Tues, August 18

No activities

Wed, August 19

5pm Divine Mercy Chaplet
5:30pm Finance Council
6:30pm Choir Rehearsal
6:30pm OCIA

Thurs, August 20

5:30pm Finance Council
6-8pm Adoration
7-8pm Confessions

Fri, August 21

1:30-3:30pm Samaritan Pantry
7pm Game Night

Sat, August 22

8am Rosary
3:30 Confessions

Sun, August 23

10:15am Religious Ed-first class

Mon, August 17

5:15pm +Daniel, +Phillip, &
+Jeananne Scott

Tues, August 18

5:15pm +Sue Rafter

Wed, August 19

5:15pm *Presider's Intention

Thurs, August 20—St Bernard

5:15pm +Travis Smith

Friday, August 21—St Pius X

5:15pm Ecumenism

Sat, August 22

5pm +Daniel Kane

Sun, August 23

9am +Daniel, +Phillip, &
+Jeananne Scott

11:30am +Sue Rafter

7pm Our Parishioners

* Indicates a Mass that may be requested for a personal intention. Contact the office to make arrangements.



COLLECTION

The budget anticipates a weekly offering of \$8942.00.

Due to an early bulletin deadline, collection totals will be shared next week.

Use the QR code to give online or visit StJoeUp.org



Contact the office if you would like to receive contribution envelopes. Do you want to officially register with the parish? We're glad to have you! You can find the registration form at StJoeUp.org or look for the green registration form in the back of church.

PRAYER CHAIN

For immediate prayer for a personal, family, or community need, contact Judy Barad at pibarad@aol.com or (812) 514-5272.

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please hold the following individuals in your ongoing prayers.

Jim & Mary Helen Clayton	Janet McCullough
Conrad Daniels	Fred Nation
Kohen Daniels	Peg Ogden
Abby Desboro	Alanya Orman
Jeff Fisher	Kevin Pohlar
Stephen Gibson	Cathie Reynolds
Pam Grimes	Megan Senseman
Linda Gropp	Stacey Senseman
Letitia Gross	Sanabelle
Starla Hargrave	Sheldon
Chris Hugar	Simmons-
Wilma Jean	Southard Family
Ruby Kester	Peggy Smith
Carol Kulow	Abby Smith
Thomas Langham	Rebekah Southard
Andrew	Yvonne Spittler
Leonberger	Colleen Sullivan
Mark Leonberger	Patty Thoms
Trey Linzanich	Larysa Tudorica
Carolyn McBroom	Mary Veenhuis
Michael McBroom	Paul & Shirley
Patrick McBroom	Wenzel

Contact the office with any Prayer Intention updates. Intentions will remain for 3 months unless you ask for them to stay on longer.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Ed classes begin on August 23rd for PreK-8th grade. Register your child(ren) at StJoeUP.org. We also still need several catechists and aides. If you might be interested, contact Ryan to learn more.

PARISH COUNCIL

This year's Parish Pastoral Council members will be formally installed at the 9am Mass on August 23rd. Please say a prayer for our parish council members as they begin a new year of providing guidance for the parish. If you would like to contact the Parish Council, you can email them at PPCouncil@StJoeUP.org. They want to hear from you!

SHEEN BEATIFICATION

Thursday, Sept. 24
In Saint Louis

If you RSVP'd for the bus trip, please turn in your \$70 fee ASAP. Please make checks out to *Sacred Heart of Jesus*. You are welcome to drop off payment at the St. Joe's office or call Sacred Heart to make arrangements..



OCIA began last Wednesday, August 12. It is not too late to join, but please contact Ryan ASAP if you have questions. OCIA is open to anyone who needs to complete their sacraments of initiation, wants to join the church, or who needs a refresher on the Catholic faith. You can find the registration form at StJoeUP.org.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The next meeting of the Knights of Columbus is Monday, September 1st at 7pm in the lower level of the school building at St. Margaret Mary Parish. Not a member and interested in joining? Contact Grand Knight Bret Ridgway at info@THKofC541.com

SAMARITAN MINISTRY

July 2026

Pantry

Income	\$ 3150.95
Expenses	\$ 3485.56
Ending Balance	\$ 51,970.60

Utility Assistance

Income	\$ 1048.11
Assistance Given	\$ 0
Donations Balance	\$ 23,614.86

*3 households were assisted in July, but the payments were made in August. This assistance will be included in August's totals.

**SJUP
parish
picnic**

**September 20,
11:30am
Deming Park**

**Lions 1 & 2
shelters (just
past the pool)**

Immediately following Mass we will share a meal. Mains and drinks will be provided. Last names A-M bring a fruit or dessert, N-Z bring a side.

There is no 7pm Mass or RelEd on the 20th.

BINGO
w/ Fr. Antony



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Aug. 22 & 23 we want to fill the church with flowers from your home. Drop off your flowers at the office on Aug 19 (8:30-4:30) or Aug 20 (8:30-12) to be made into arrangements.

VENEZUELA EARTHQUAKE

Catholic Relief Services is directly collecting funds to assist with the ongoing recovery efforts in Venezuela. If you would like to donate, go to CRS.org and follow the banner at the top of the page for earthquake relief.

A note from Friar Antony

I have been visiting the parish's homebound and it has been a blessing to get to know them. Now, I would like to visit with YOU at your home! Just an informal visit for conversation and a chance to get to know each other in a comfortable setting. If you would like, I would also love to offer a home blessing. I look forward to your invitation. Please call the parish office or email me at Pastor@StJoeUP.org



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Parish Vision Statement

Our Saint Joseph University Parish community shares a vision to remain a welcoming and caring Franciscan family that grows in our Catholic faith, charity and acceptance.

Parish Mission Statement

We are a Franciscan Catholic family nourished by the Eucharist who proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ, share the faith, and are called to serve God through our ministry to the poor, the local colleges, and the people of the Wabash Valley.

Parish Pastoral Council

Charles Lawrence, Chair
Harold Weber, Vice-Chair
Anita Cheek, Secretary

Anita Cheek

Charles Lawrence

Mary Ennen

Marty Storey

Linda Ferguson

Harold Weber

Mark Kester

Parish Finance Council

Kathy Canup	Mary Umphries, Chair	Dave Friedrich
Jon Scherle	Steve Junker	Brian Ross
Jean McCleary		

GETTING TO KNOW THE READINGS

First Reading – [Isaiah 56:1, 6-7](#): The LORD calls for righteousness and justice. Foreigners who love and serve Him, keeping the covenant and observing the Sabbath, will find acceptance in His house—a house of prayer for all nations.

Responsorial Psalm – [Psalm 67](#): May God's compassion and blessings shine upon us, revealing His ways to all nations, leading to salvation. Let all praise Him, rejoicing in His just rule and guidance.

Second Reading – [Romans 11:13-15, 29-32](#): Brothers and sisters, as the apostle to the Gentiles, I glorify my ministry, making my race envious for salvation. Rejection brings reconciliation, and God's gifts and call endure. Mercy awaits all.

Gospel – [Matthew 15:21-28](#): A Canaanite woman pleads for Jesus' help, seeking healing for her possessed daughter. Though initially hesitant, Jesus praises her great faith. Her daughter is healed instantly.

GETTING TO KNOW THE THEMES

- **God welcomes all people:** Isaiah speaks of foreigners being accepted if they follow God's ways. Jesus helps a Gentile woman, showing that God's love is for everyone.
- **Faith moves Jesus:** The Canaanite woman does not give up. Her strong faith leads Jesus to heal her daughter.
- **God's mercy is for all:** Paul explains that God's mercy is not just for one group. He shows kindness to everyone, even when they fail.
- **Persistence in prayer:** The woman keeps asking Jesus for help. Her persistence shows the power of not giving up in prayer.
- **Obedience to God matters:** Isaiah says those who keep God's covenant will be accepted. Following God's ways leads to blessings.
- **God's promises never change:** Paul says God's gifts and call last forever. His love and plan stay the same.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday & Friday

8:30am-1pm

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

8:30am-12pm and 1-4:30pm

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