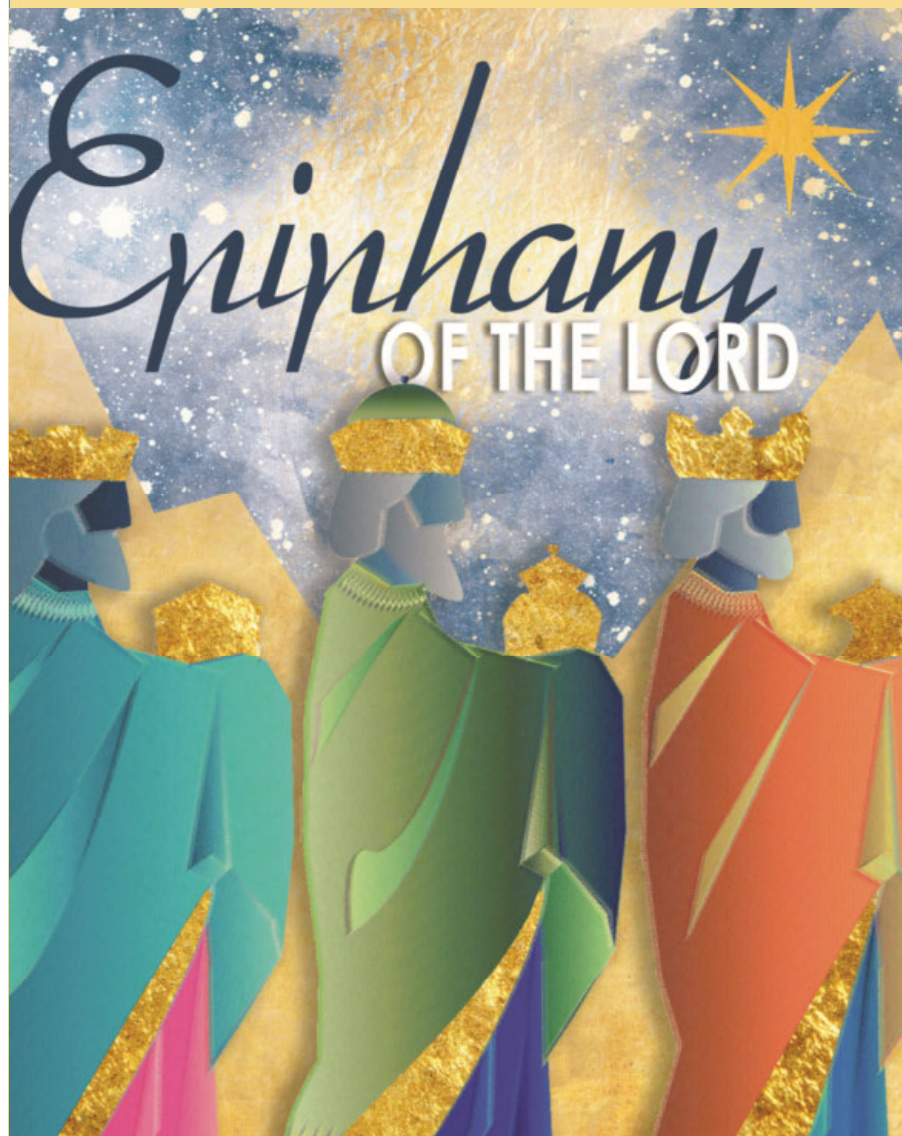


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At St. Joseph Catholic Parish in Dodgeville, Wisconsin, we unite with the faithful throughout the world, and strive to grow in the love and knowledge of Christ through worship, education, evangelization, stewardship, fellowship and service to others. With St. Joseph as our patron, we intend to follow his life of devotion and holiness.

~ Parish Mission Statement

MASS SCHEDULE

Tues. 5:15 PM, Wed—Fri. 8:00 AM

Saturday 5:00 PM

Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

(confession)

Saturday: 4:00PM - 4:45PM.

Other times by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parishioners seeking to have a child baptized are asked to contact the Parish Office for information about Baptismal Preparation and scheduling. Baptisms will be held after the 5 PM Mass on Saturday and the 10:00 AM Mass on Sunday, or during any Mass.

SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION

Anyone seeking full membership in the Catholic Church through the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Communion please contact RCIA Coordinator Linda Schoenmann.

Phone 608-574-7937

Email: linda.schoenmann@stjoedodge.org

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY (Marriage)

Parishioners preparing for marriage should contact the priest at least **ten months** in advance of celebrating the sacrament.

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING DATES/TIMES

Pastoral Council—2nd Tuesday each month 6:00 PM

Chair: Dan Oleson—553-1803

Finance Council—3rd Tuesday of each month 6:00PM

Chair: Larry Nelson—608-630-6532

Both meetings take place in the church gathering area

DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Written announcements for the bulletin are to be submitted to the Parish Office no later than Tuesday of each week.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

All Catholic adults 21 years or older, who regularly participate in the liturgy at St. Joseph should consider becoming registered members. We would be happy to have you join our parish family. To register and for more information call the Parish Office (930-3392).

WILLS AND BEQUESTS

Please consider the needs of our parish and school. The Corporate title is: **St. Joseph Congregation Dodgeville, WI**

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305 E Walnut Phone 608-930-3392

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Principal—**Dana Graber**

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Phone 608-930-3392

Email: parishsecretary@stjoedodge.org

Parish Secretary — **Mrs. Elizabeth Shepler**

Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
9:00am-12:00pm

ST JOSEPH DAYCARE

310 S Ellwood Phone: 608-930-3392

January 2nd, 2022
Epiphany of the Lord

Weekly Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 1st	The Solemnity of Mary Mother of God
9:00AM	5:00PM
People of the Parish	†Thomas & Dolores Heibel
Sunday, January 2nd	
8:00 AM	10:00AM
People of the Parish	†Lorraine Hennessey
Monday, January 3rd	No Mass
Tuesday, January 4th	5:15PM
†Cathie Sabin	
Wednesday, January 5th	8:00AM
†Larry Brokish	
Thursday, January 6th	8:00AM
Special Intention	
Friday, January 7th	5:00PM
†Jackie Neirich	
Saturday, January 8th	5:00PM
†Eileen, Gene & Larry Nelson	
Sunday, January 9th	
8:00 AM	10:00AM
People of the Parish	†Dan & Margaret Lawinger

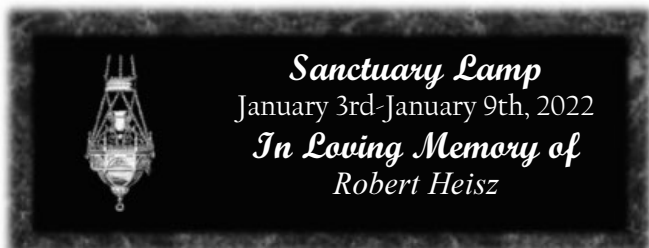


Prayer for the Feast of the Epiphany

O God,
Who by a star
guided the wise men to the
worship of your Son,
we pray you to lead to yourself
the wise and great of every land
that unto you every knee may bow,
and every thought be brought into captivity
Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

January 7th-First Friday Mass & Adoration



Pastor Father Bill's Weekly Column

Dear Parish Family:

This weekend we celebrate two great feasts — first, the Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God, then the Epiphany of the Lord. In the first place, it is fitting that shortly after we observe the feast of Christmas, we should honor the Virgin Mother of the Lord.

In some ways, Our Lady is the protagonist of the Christmas story. It is she who plays an active role in welcoming the Son of God into the world. Her faith and her obedience to the will of God is the catalyst of our salvation. In giving human life to the Word of God, she readies the way for Christ to begin His saving work.

Next, this Sunday we celebrate the Epiphany of the Lord. The word epiphany means "manifestation" or "revelation". On this day, we commemorate the arrival of the Magi from the East, through whom the Lord reveals himself not only to the Jews, but to the Gentiles as well. In essence, this feast day is an acknowledgment that Christ the Lord comes to be the Savior of the whole human race.

The gifts of the Magi presented to the child Jesus are symbolic of His Divine identity and mission. Gold fit for a king, for He is the King and Lord of all. Incense offered in prayer, because through Him all our prayers are presented before the Father in Heaven. Myrrh, an oil used to anoint a body after death, because, born to die, He will give new life to the world.

God Bless.

Father Bill

Many Thanks!

Thank you to all of the Ushers, Altar Servers, Accompanists, Cantors, Lectors, Money Counters, Decorators and all those who worked behind the scenes (you know who you are!) to assist at the Christmas Masses! What a beautiful gift you all are!!

A special thank you to Father Bill!
and most especially to Jesus!

He sees all of your efforts!



Mass Intention Requests

We have many openings for Mass Intentions in the new year. There is no more powerful prayer that can be said for your loved ones, both living and deceased. If you would prefer that your intention remain anonymous, we are able to list it in the bulletin simply as a "Special Intention". There are Mass Intention Request forms available in the Narthex of the Church, in the parish office or for download on the St. Joseph's Parish website. When it seems there is nothing you can do to help someone, let the power of prayer work in a special way, through the Mass.

Dates To Remember

January 3rd

School Resumes

January 13th

Blood Drive -Contact the Office to Sign Up

January 14th

Fish Fry

4th Grade Family Mass

Pasty Orders Due

January 19th

Report Cards Home

January 21st

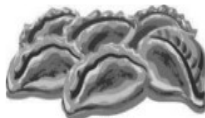
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January 30th

Catholic Schools Week Begins!

Remember to Order your pasties For Our January 22nd Sale. We Are Bringing Back the Ham & Cheese Pasty and Adding Something New - the Cherry Pasty.

Order Forms Are Available in the Narthex of the Church.



Readings for the week of January 02, 2022

Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [cf.11]/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12

Monday: 1 Jn 3:22—4:6/Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a/Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

Tuesday: 1 Jn 4:7-10/Ps 72:1-2, 3-4, 7-8/Mk 6:34-44

Wednesday: 1 Jn 4:11-18/Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13/Mk 6:45-52

Thursday: 1 Jn 4:19—5:4/Ps 72:1-2, 14 and 15bc, 17/Lk 4:14-22a

Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Lk 5:12-16

Saturday: 1 Jn 5:14-21/Ps 149:1-2, 3-4, 5 and 6a and 9b/Jn 3:22-30

Next Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7/Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 [11b]/ Acts 10:34-38/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22or, Is 40:1-5, 9-11/Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30 [1]/Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7/Lk

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Grand Knight: Tom Simmons

Telephone: 563-590-2680

Meetings held 2nd Thursday of the month

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Knight of the Month: Dan Oleson

Family of the Month: Dan & Gloria Schmid

If you want to schedule a virtual meeting

via Zoom, please call Tom Simmons.

Offertory Income

Parish Support December 20th —26th, 2021

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