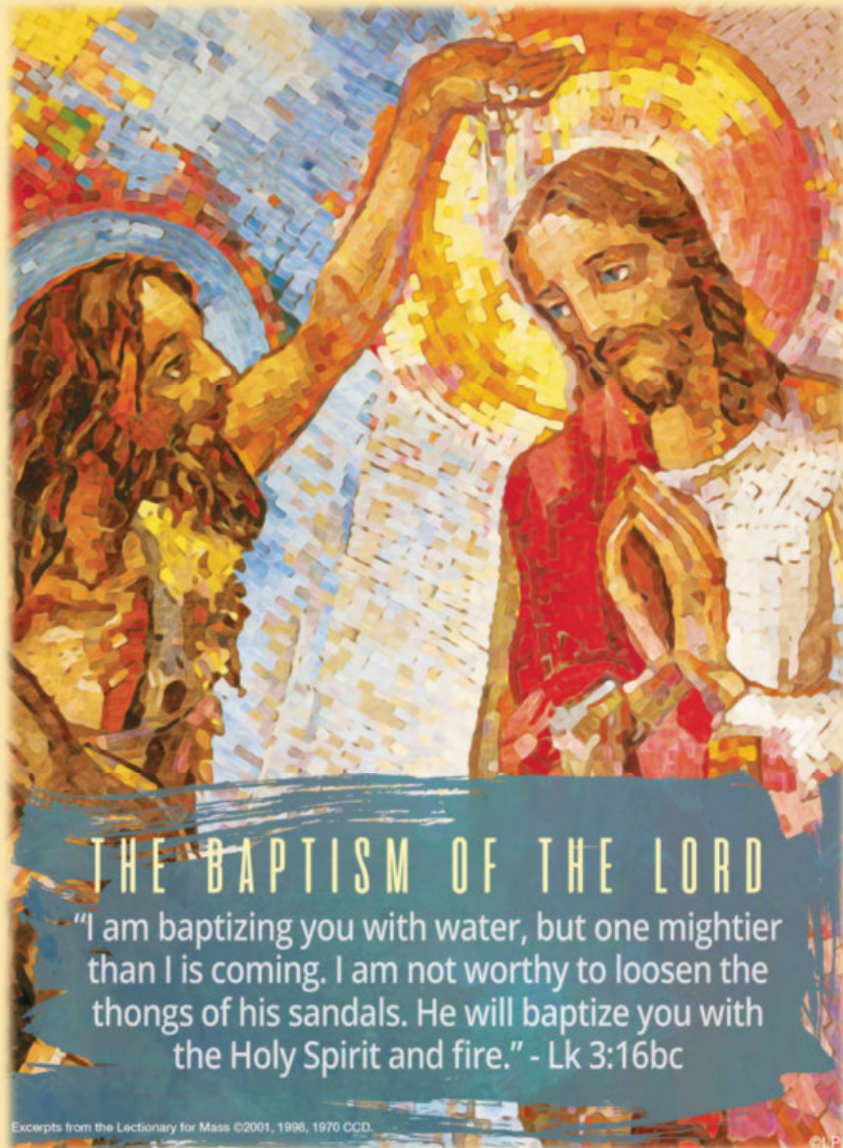


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THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

"I am baptizing you with water, but one mightier than I is coming. I am not worthy to loosen the thongs of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire." - Lk 3:16bc

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CLP

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

ST JOSEPH DAYCARE

310 S Ellwood Phone: 608-930-3392

Email: sjdaycare@stjoedodge.org

Director— **Peggy O'Flaherty**

January 9th, 2022
The Baptism of the Lord

Weekly Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 8th	5:00PM
† Eileen, Gene and Larry Nelson	
Sunday, January 9th	
8:00 AM	10:00AM
People of the Parish † Dan & Margaret Lawinger	
Monday, January 10th	No Mass
Tuesday, January 11th	5:15PM
† Patricia Blotz	
Wednesday, January 12th	8:00AM
† John & Maxine Herman	
Thursday, January 13th	8:00AM
† Phyllis & Eugene Hying	
Friday, January 14th	5:00PM
† Luverne Rosenbaum	
Saturday, January 15th	5:00PM
† Eileen, Gene & Larry Nelson	
Sunday, January 16th	
8:00 AM	10:00AM
† Ed Gilkes	People of the Parish



Prayer to the Holy Name of Jesus

How good is your name, O Lord!
Grant that its goodness may make
me capable of loving and praising you
with all my heart.

I want to begin and end all my works
by invoking Your Name,
and to mark all my affections,
desires, and undertakings, joys,
and sorrows with this sacred seal.

But O Lord, I beg You, above all,
imprint Your Name on my heart and mind,
so that I may always love You
and think of You.

Amen.



Pastor Father Bill's Weekly Column

Dear Parish Family,

This Sunday we celebrate the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, commemorating the event in which Our Lord is baptized by John the Baptist in the Jordan River. On this day, it is a good opportunity to reflect on the significance of our own baptism. Though it is unlikely that many of us would recall that day, it is nonetheless one of the most important days of our lives. It is through baptism that we are claimed for God in Christ and welcomed into the life of grace.

The Sacrament of Baptism has three principal effects, each related to one of the persons of the Most Holy Trinity. First, Baptism makes us sons and daughters of the Father. Through the work of Christ who is Son of the Father by nature, we are now called sons and daughters by adoption. If we are sons and daughters of the Father, then we are also heirs to his inheritance. Thus having received the spirit of adoption in Christ, we can call out to God as Father and receive the riches of his grace.

The Sacrament of Baptism also makes us members of the Body of Christ. That is, by baptism we are joined to Christ as members of a body of which He is the head. Therefore we can say, as St. Paul says, "it is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me". Initiated into the Church, the Body of Christ on earth, we are made coworkers with God in the mission of Salvation.

Finally, through Baptism we are made to be temples of the Holy Spirit. The Spirit of God dwells now in our souls as in a sacred temple. In this way, we can have constant communion with God who makes his dwelling not only with us but in us. We should call to mind regularly that we have a Divine Guest who lives in our souls to be a constant source of inspiration and peace.

God Bless,
Fr. Bill



New Interactive Smart Boards

Thank you to all who contributed to the Technology Fund! Your donations along with an anonymous grant we were able to pay for the new smart boards and put a little bit of money away to purchase some new technology for next year.



Dates To Remember

January 13th

Blood Drive -Please use the following link to sign up for the blood drive.

https://login.bloodcenter.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/112736

January 14th

Fish Fry

4th Grade Family Mass

Pasty Orders Due

Order Forms Are Available in the Narthex of the Church.

January 19th

Report Cards Home

January 21st

No School

January 30th

Catholic Schools Week Begins!

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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.



An Opportunity to Serve Our Lord

Perhaps you feel called to do something more for God in 2022. Will you consider volunteering in a quiet and hidden way by cleaning the Church the 5th Sunday of the month for a total of 4 times each year? Please call or email the parish office if you are interested. All the supplies and equipment are provided. *We just need you.*

Mass Intention Requests

We have many openings during the week 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

Readings for the Week of January 09, 2022

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, 21-22 or, 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 3:15-16, 21-22

Monday: 1 Sm 1:1-8/Ps 116:12-13, 14-17, 18-19/Mk 1:14-20

Tuesday: 1 Sm 1:9-20/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd/Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20/Ps 40:2 and 5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10/Mk 1:29-39

Thursday: 1 Sm 4:1-11/Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25/Mk 1:40-45

Friday: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a/Ps 89:16-17, 18-19/Mk 2:1-12

Saturday: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mk 2:13-17

Next Sunday: Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 [3]/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11

Offertory Income

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