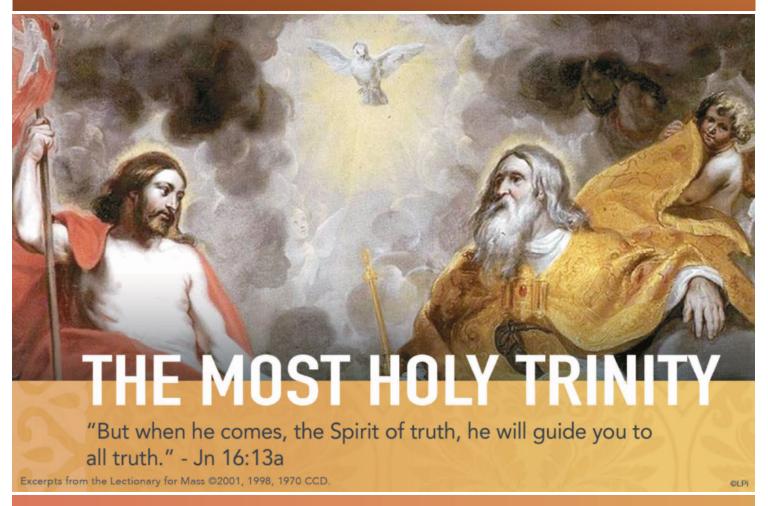


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# June 12, 2022

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#### **MASS TIMES**

Saturday - 4:00 pm

Sunday - 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 6:30 pm

Weekend Mass may be viewed online: www.saintjosephparish.org

Monday, Tuesday, Friday - 12:05 pm

OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Thursday: 9:00 am-3:00 pm,

Friday: 9:00 am-2:00 pm

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#### **CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENTS**

**Marriage:** Active parish membership of 6 months is required before a wedding date may be set.

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**Reconciliation:** Saturdays from 9 until approximately 9:30 am or call for an appointment.

**Baptism:** Please call the Parish Office 2 months in advance. **Anointing of the Sick:** Please call the Parish Office anytime.

## REACHING IN, REACHING OUT, REACHING GOD

## Father Gerry's "CAP"-TIONS

These past weeks across the United States we have seen the violent impact of what guns can do to destroy lives which tears at the heart and fabric of human society where every life is sacred in the image and likeness of God. In the face of the latest tragedies Catholic-Christians are called to support Gun Control. Gun Control is a Pro-Life Issue.

Father James Martin, S.J. wrote back in 2012: "Gun control is about the defense of life. Those who consider themselves religious or pro-life must be invited to see that the desire to prevent gun-related deaths is part of the religious defense of the dignity of all life. To put the matter bluntly, if one is in favor of protecting the unborn—and advocate for them, march in protest on their behalf, donate money to pro-life groups and encourage voting for legislators who protect the unborn—one should be equally in favor of protecting those lives out of the womb, throughout life, at every walk and stage of life (partial paraphrased sentence).

"Many of my political opinions, then are formed by my religious ideals: for example, a commitment to help the poor and marginalized, a desire for a peaceful world, and a respect for the sanctity of life from natural conception to natural death. That is why I believe that gun control is a religious issue. It is just as much what many religious people call a "life issue" or a "pro-life issue," as is abortion, euthanasia or the death penalty (all of which I oppose), and programs that provide the poor with the same access to basic human needs as the wealthy (which I am for). There is a "consistent ethic of life" that views all these issues as linked, because they are. No matter who the person is, no matter at what stage of life the person is passing through, and no matter whether or not we think that the person is "deserving" of life, God gives life to every person, and that life is holy."

God is good, all the time! May God's love and grace abide with you this week! Fr. Gerry

#### Marriage Anniversary Mass - June 26

We will be celebrating the special marriage anniversaries of our parishioners *on June 26 at our 10:00 am Mass.* If you're celebrating 25, 40, 50, 60 or more years of marriage, would you let us know? We hope you and your family will join us for that Mass.

Also, we would like to put an insert in our bulletin that weekend with your wedding picture in it. We did this successfully for the past few years and hope to do the same this year. Please drop off your photo at the Parish Office or email: dschmidt@stjoesparish.org by *June 19*. Non-emailed photos will be returned to you.

#### **Baptism**



We welcome into the St. Joseph Community through Baptism... *Michael Vicent Piazza* 

#### **New Staff Emails**

Our St. Joseph Parish Staff has new email addresses. Please see the bulletin cover for our new emails to update your contact information for our staff.

#### **Attn: Bus Riders**



St. Joe's will be providing Saturday evening busing starting on July 2nd, for those

not able to drive to our 4:00 pm Masses. Are you a person who needs a ride to Mass and are not on our busing list? If interested, please contact Dana Schmidt in the Parish Office at: 920-734-7195 by June 20.

#### **Congratulations Calendar Raffle Winners**

May 29—Donna Behnke—\$25
May 30—Chris Sauter & Christina King—\$25
May 31—Ann Peters—\$25
June 1—Carol Farrell—\$25
June 2—Brian Severa—\$25
June 3—Katie Lillge—\$25
June 4—Scott Zdrazil—\$25

#### 7th, 8th, & 9th Grade Boys!

Here's a terrific summer opportunity for you! Bring yourself and a friend Monday, June 13 – Wednesday, June 15 to St Lawrence Seminary High School in Mt Calvary, WI for three days of field olympics, games, team building, and prayer. You're sure to have a blast living in our dorms, eating lots of food, and making new friends! Cost is \$50 and includes housing and food. Transportation is available from select cities throughout the state. Register at: <a href="https://www.stlawrence.edu/retreats">www.stlawrence.edu/retreats</a>

#### Please Pray For...

Please pray for all our parishioners who are ill.

Remember also our nursing home residents and shut-ins, and pray for the intentions recorded in our Prayer Book of Intentions.

Please pray for our parishioners or family members of parishioners who have died.

# JUNE 12, 2022 / THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

#### **Summer Scripture Nourishment**

We invite you to join us to be nourished by scripture this summer.

- 1. Every day you will be given a simple scripture passage to pray with.
- 2. You will receive four reflection questions based on a monthly theme.
- 3. We will gather once a month (Tuesday afternoon at 1 PM or Wednesday evening at 6:30 PM at St. Joseph Parish Center -watch for the room sign on the parish center Doors) for one hour to share our reflections and insights.

To join us, please pre-register by calling the Parish Office at: 920-734-7195 so that we have enough handouts and information for each participant.

Our first gatherings to pick up your materials will be held on **Tuesday**, **June 14 at 1 PM and Wednesday**, **June 15 at 6:30 PM**. **Please pick one of these times to attend**. June scripture passages as well as dates for sharing sessions will be distributed at these meetings.

#### Parish Update and Volunteer Survey

In the back of church is an envelope for each family with a survey that will not only update our parish records, but also seeks your interest in volunteer opportunities. Volunteers are the lifeblood of a parish and make so many services available here. Please take your envelope, make any corrections to the information already filled in, and indicate any volunteer interests you have. Picking up your survey will cut down on the cost of mailing them. Return these surveys as soon as possible to one of the survey boxes in the back of church, the Great Hall or Parish Office. Thank you!

# Job Opening - Full Time Facilities/Maintenance Manager Position Summary

This position assumes responsibility for the maintenance of St. Joseph's multi-building site to ensure the facilities, equipment, and grounds are fully operational, clean, and safe for all parish-related activities. Duties include, but are not limited to, the following:

#### **Key Responsibilities**

- Identifies, monitors, oversees, and performs the correction of problems in every phase of general maintenance including areas of carpentry, electrical work, HVAC, plumbing, etc.
- Receives and evaluates bids and estimates for various service, repair, and construction projects.
- Manages all building custodial service as well as an inventory of custodial, maintenance and operational supplies.

#### Qualifications

- Previous ( 3-5 years ) property management and maintenance experience required.
- Knowledge of general carpentry, electrical work, plumbing, and HVAC maintenance upkeep and repair along with ability to recommend efficiency improvements for these systems.
- Excellent interpersonal skills and the ability to collaborate with the Pastor, parish staff, and parishioners.
- Excellent time management skills.
- Proficient in Microsoft Office; able to understand, learn, and use technology-based systems.
- On-call availability for emergencies.
- Please contact Father Gerry at 920-734-7195 if interested.

#### **Financial News**

Tithing Needed	\$18,750.00
Last Week's Tithing	\$6,597.49
Auto Withdrawal	\$1,255.00
Children's Collection	\$2.00

Thank you for your financial support!

#### Readings for the Week of June 12

**Sunday:** Prv 8:22-31 Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2a] Rom 5:1-5

Jn 16:12-15

**Monday:** 1 Kgs 21:1-16 Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7

Mt 5:38-42

**Tuesday:** 1 Kgs 21:17-29 Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16

Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14

Ps 31:20, 21, 24 Mt 6:1-6, 16-18 **Thursday:** Sir 48:1-14 Ps 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7

Mt 6:7-15

**Friday:** 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20 Ps 132:11, 12, 13-14, 17-18

Mt 6:19-23

**Saturday:** 2 Chr 24:17-25 Ps 89:4-5, 29-30, 31-32, 33-34

Mt 6:24-34

Next Sunday: Gn 14:18-20 Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b] 1 Cor 11:23-26 Lk 9:11b-17 ©LPi

#### **Church Chuckle**

Laura invited some people to dinner.

At the table, she turned to her six-yearold daughter, Hannah, and said "Would you like to say the blessing?"

"I wouldn't know what to say," Hannah replied.

"Just say what you hear Mommy say."

Hannah bowed her head and said, "Lord, why on earth did I invite all these people to dinner?"

## **JUNE 12, 2022**

#### SCHEDULED MASS INTENTIONS



# Blessed Solanus Casey Pray for Us

Monday, June 13

12:05 pm Dec. Mary Nelson

Tuesday, June 14

12:05 pm Anna Tooke

12:30 pm St. Anthony Devotions

Friday, June 17

12:05 pm Jacob Reed

Saturday, June 18

4:00 pm Members of St. Joseph Parish

Sunday, June 19

8:00 am Dec. Phat Filz

10:00 am Dec. Eugene Freimuth 6:30 pm Dec. Joe Zimmer

#### THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Tuesday, June 14

9:30 am OFS Council Meeting, LL111:00 pm Summer Scripture Nourishment,

Rms., 209-211

Wednesday, June 15

6:30 pm Summer Scripture Nourishment,

Rms., 209-211

Saturday, June 18

9:00 am Private Reconciliation

#### **Book Club**



The next St. Mary/St. Joseph book club discussion will take place on **Tuesday, June 14, at 6 pm** in Room L4 at St. Mary on State Street. The book selected for June is *Extreme* 

Measures: Finding a Better Path to the End of Life by Jessica Nutik Zitter. An ICU and Palliative Care specialist, Nutik Zitter, is offering a framework for a better way to exit life that will change our medical culture at the deepest level.

**Looking ahead:** The July 12 read will be: *The Stranger in the Life Boat: a Novel by Mitch Albom, and the August 9 book selected is <i>The Delight of Being Ordinary* by Rolland Merullo.

For more information, please contact Mary Schulz at: 920-809-4474. New members are welcome to join anytime.

#### ST JOSEPH PARISH

## **Growing into the Christ Story**

Take some time to let the Spirit
of Christ shape your story
A mini-retreat by Brother Jerome Schroeder, Cap.
Saturday, July 9, 2022
1 - 3 PM
St. Joseph Parish
404 W Lawrence St., Appleton
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#### Live The Liturgy—Inspiration For The Week

Life can leave us feeling very distracted and detached. Perhaps this is why many people seek things that make them "feel good," wrongly believing those things actually provide a sense of meaning and purpose. In truth, they are simply more distractions. When we discover real silence, we can realize that the stirrings and impulses in our hearts desiring connection, meaning, and purpose are really God desperately trying to pull us toward His Divine Heart. Once we submit to God's pull, we are led to the beauty of God's presence. This holy presence carries us to the heights of mountains, the vastness of ocean depths, the beginning of things and their end, and the majesty of universal wonder. We meet the Father. Then, gently carried to the tenderness of compassion, love, mercy, and forgiveness we touch the innocence and vulnerability of life. We see the poor and those who are broken. We meet the Son. Finally, we are directed toward the seasons that change, the ebb and flow of life, the inspirations that surprise, and the wonder, awe, and joy of life. We embrace the Holy Spirit. ©LPi

#### **Catholic Women Discernment Events**

Single Catholic Women 20-35 Discernment Events Designed for You! Franciscan Sisters of Christian Charity invite you to discern how the Holy Spirit speaks to you, with both in-person and on-line opportunities. Info and register at: <a href="https://fscc-calledtobe.org">https://fscc-calledtobe.org</a> or call or text Sr. Julie Ann at: 920-323-9632.



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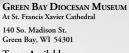
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