



St. Joseph Catholic Church

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**August 22, 2021
Twenty-First Sunday
In Ordinary Time**

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To Schedule a Baptism or Wedding call
Parish Office

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St. Martin's Soup Kitchen

H: Monday and Thursday 4 p.m. -6 p.m.

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St. Martin's Clothes Closet:

Tuesday 9a.m.-noon,

Thursday 4 p.m.-6 p.m.

Mary Lou DeWitt-P: (260)357-0382

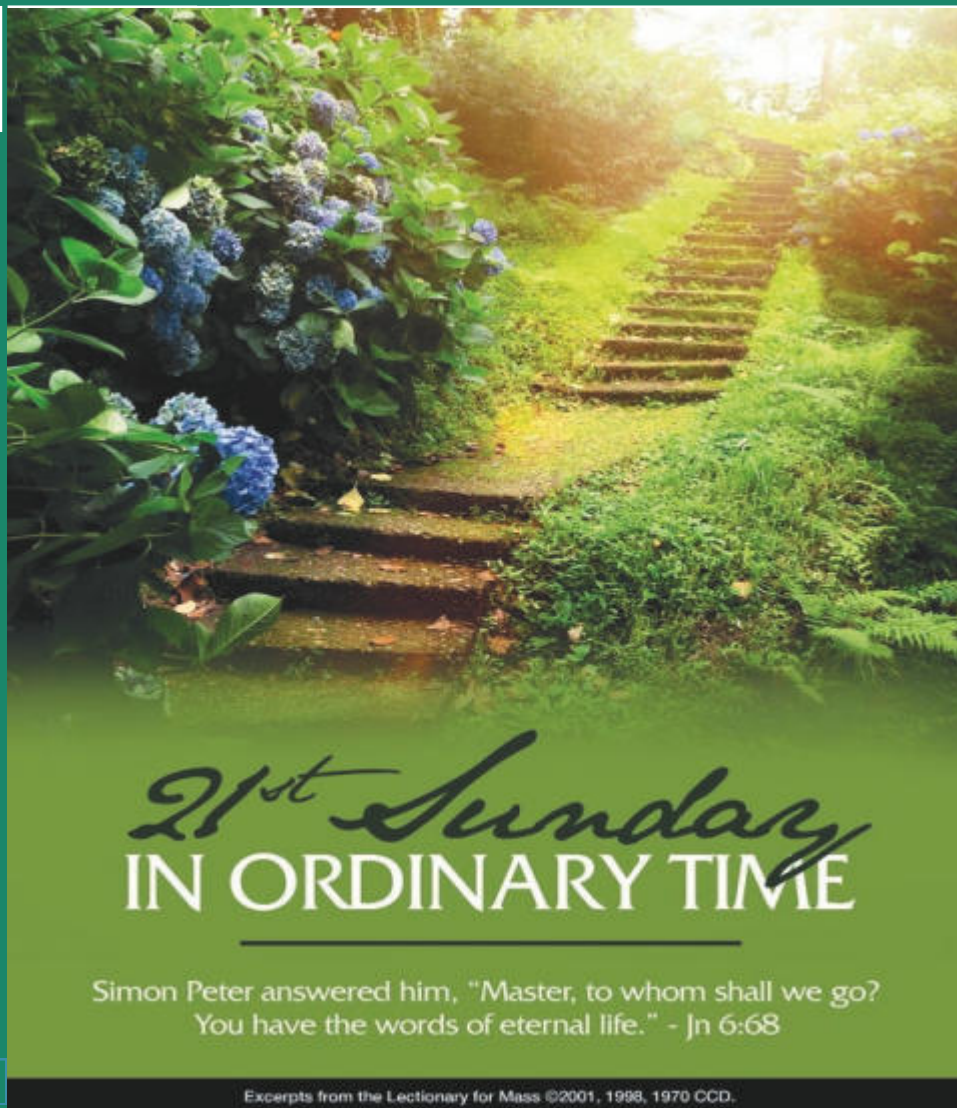
Mass Schedule

Daily: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,
Friday: 8:30 a.m.
Thursday: 6:00 p.m.

Weekend: Saturday 4:30 p.m.
Sunday 8 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Confessions: Saturday 9-9:30 a.m.

Please remember: Face masks may be worn
by attendees. Social distancing is still available



21st Sunday
IN ORDINARY TIME

Simon Peter answered him, "Master, to whom shall we go?
You have the words of eternal life." - Jn 6:68

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

Mission Statement

St. Joseph Parish, in the Roman Catholic Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend, is a community of God's people. We, as a faith-filled community, through the guidance of the Holy Spirit, worship the Father by imitating the Son.

We reach out to all people by evangelizing through the spiritual and corporal works of mercy for the dignity of all human life. By our daily proclamation of the Gospel and celebration of the sacraments, addressing our spiritual, social and educational needs, we shine with the love of Christ.

Mass Schedule

Monday, August 23, 2021

Weekday

8:30 a.m. NO MASS

Tuesday, August 24, 2021

Saint Bartholomew, Apostle

8:30 a.m. NO MASS

Wednesday, August 25, 2021

Weekday

8:30 a.m. NO MASS

Thursday, August 26, 2021

Weekday

6:00 NO MASS

Friday, August 27, 2021

St. Monica

8:30 NO MASS

Saturday, August 28, 2021

Saint Augustine, Bishop

4:30 p.m. John and Dorothy Shafer

Sunday, August 29, 2021

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Eugene and Doris Beber

10:30 a.m. Our Parish Family

Thank you for sharing your time and talent with us!

Saturday, August 28, 4:30 p.m.

EMHC: Nick Miller and Kim Heisler

Hospitality Ministers: Scott and Candace Bishop

Lector: Jeanne Porter

Musicians: Kitty Miller and Pat Wiant

Sunday, August 29, 8:00 a.m.

EMHC: Steve Urbine and Kathy Guthrie

Hospitality Minister: Paul and Bridget Beber

Lector: Sandi Wilcox

Musicians: Tom Novy and Care Urbine

Sunday, August 29, 10:30

EMHC: Chrissy Depew and Tracy Joseph

Hospitality Minister: Sarah and Jill Lay

Lector: Chuck Ostman

Musicians: Kitty Miller and Holly Joseph

Contributions
August 15, 2021 \$6,123.00

Thank you for your continued support of St. Joseph Church. If you are unable to attend Mass, please consider mailing your envelopes to the parish office.

Parish Contacts

Finance Council: Sandi Wilcox, swilcox@co.dekalb.in.us

Liturgical Music: Kit Miller, (260) 402-1643

Communion for the Homebound: (260) 357-3122

Building & Grounds: Dave DeKoninck, 570-6802

Prayer Line: Mary Rose Kimmel, (260) 357-0360 to activate.



Our gospel for this weekend is the conclusion of St John's 6th chapter on the Bread of Life. The people have murmured about the statement Jesus is making concerning the bread He will give them, "my flesh for the life of the world." How can this be? What does He mean? They doubt, they cannot accept it...and now even some of His early followers have joined in the murmuring. John's whole gospel is about faith, about the struggle between believing and unbelieving...and it now reaches those closest to Him. The last paragraph is gut wrenching...as a result of this, many of His disciples returned to their former way of life and no longer accompanied Him...Jesus turns to the Twelve, "Do you also want to leave?"

Before we go any further, picture Jesus asking you that question...do you believe? Are you already one of those disciples who left, who does not take Him at His word? He is the Bread of Life, He is the bread and wine that have become His Body and Blood. True Body and true Blood, soul and divinity...Jesus, fully God and fully Man...present in the Holy Eucharist... not just a symbol, but a sign containing the reality it signifies. It is the Real Presence. Do you believe? Or do you also want to leave?

Or can you pray with Simon Peter, "We have come to believe and are convinced that you are the Holy One of God!" That, my friends, is an act of faith. His Father's love for us is to give us His Son, His Son's love for us is to die on the cross for us...but before He does, He gives us His Body and Blood to love us and remain with us until the end of all time, to nourish us on our journey of life home to the Father. O Body of Christ, O Blood of the Lord! We believe.
St Joseph, pray for us. *Fr Jim*

REGISTER FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Do you have children in Grades 1-8?

Registration is now open for the 2021-2022 school year. Grades 1-6 will have monthly student/parent meetings beginning September 26 thru April 20 and Grades 1-2 & 7-8 will have weekly class meeting times from September thru April. Contact Eileen Sarrazine at sarrazine@stjosephgarrett.org to register.



Don't Miss

World Youth Day

Saturday, August 28
Diocesefwsb.org/youth-conference

Bishop Kevin C. Rhoades LeeAllen Fortin to the diaconate

Sept. 4 at 11 a.m. at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Fort Wayne. This event is open to the public.

Central Catholic High School Alumni Reunion

Wednesday, September 15
Laura at 260-486-1000

Jubilee Anniversary Mass

Sunday, September 26, at 11:30
Watch for more details

Apostolate of Fatima Mass and Breakfast

Saturday, October 2
Fatimafwsb.org

Rosary Coast to Coast

Sunday, October 10 at 1:00
3500 Lake Avenue, Fort Wayne, IN

“Bloom” Women’s Conference

Saturday, October 16
Buildingthroughhim.com

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process whereby those desiring to enter the Church, or complete their Initiation into the Catholic Church, are prepared for the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist.

RCIA is for:

- Non-baptized persons
- Those baptized in other Christian traditions
- Catholics who never completed their Sacraments of Initiation.

RCIA is a process of study, exploration, faith-sharing, and faith formation with specific liturgical rites for seekers and inquirers. Seekers and inquirers are non-baptized adults who desire to be fully initiated into the Roman Catholic Church and/or baptized adult Christians who desire full communion in the Roman Catholic Church.

Adults or older children who have not been baptized and desire to join the Church are invited into the ancient celebration of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. During this process, which is marked by regular ritual acts, participants are introduced to the liturgy, the teachings, and the life of the Catholic Church.

Adults or older children who were baptized in another Christian denomination prepare in a similar way for the sacraments of Confirmation and the Eucharist during their reception into the Catholic Church.

St. Joseph School offers on-going enrollment for the 2018-2019 school year, meaning students can register at any time throughout the year to attend our school. Eligible students are in Pre-school through the 6th grade. Our preschool program accepts students who are 3 years old and our PreK program accepts students who are 4 years old by August 1, 2021.

Saint Joseph parishioners are eligible for a significant parishioner discount and practicing Catholics are eligible for scholarships and grants through our Scholarship Granting Organization. Some students will qualify for state funded Choice Scholarships based on household size and income.

We would love to work with you to make Catholic Education possible for your family. Please contact us for more information.

Please see our school’s website for further information at www.stjosephgarrett.org or contact Alice: P:(260)357-5137

The Power of A prayer Line

A prayer line is a list of people who agree to pray for a loved one during a troubled time. Prayer is among the most ancient of human practices, and to this day billions of people believe in its power.

to join or activate

Contact Mary Rose Kimmel (260)357-0360



Upcoming Events: Week of August 23—August 29, 2021

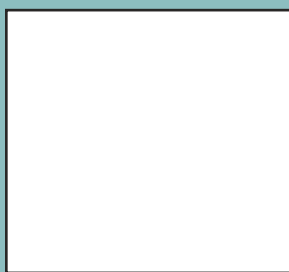
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	4:30 p.m. MASS 9:00-9:30a.m. Confessions	8:00 a.m. MASS 10:30 a.m. MASS

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