

St. Joseph Catholic Church

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January 9, 2022 THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

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Parish Office

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St. Martin's Soup Kitchen

H: Monday and Thursday 4pm.-6 pm

Jerry Murphy ph (260)226-5471 or (260)
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St. Martin's Clothes Closet:

Tuesday 9:00-noon, Thursday 4pm-6 pm

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

Mass Schedule

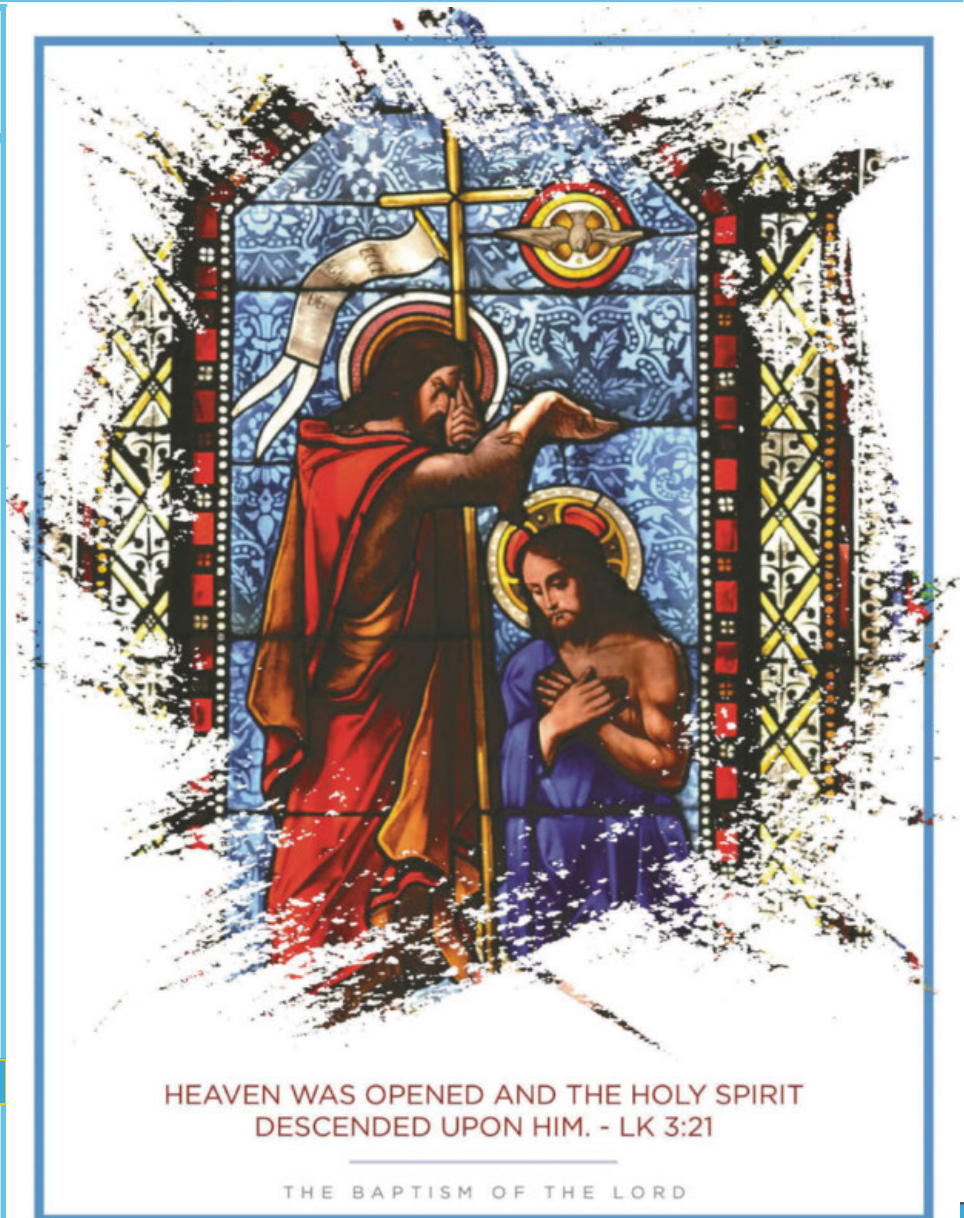
Daily: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,
Friday: 8:30 a.m. and Thursday: 6:00 p.m.

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
in the front rows of the church.



HEAVEN WAS OPENED AND THE HOLY SPIRIT
DESCENDED UPON HIM. - LK 3:21

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

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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

From the Pastor's Desk

And so we bring the Christmas season to an end...on Monday we begin the short part of Ordinary time...which will focus on the call to discipleship. This feast of the Baptism of the Lord makes a huge jump in years...Jesus is about thirty years old. This event, His baptism by John the Baptist, will mark the beginning of His ministry of preaching the Good News of His Father.

Listen to the prophet Isaiah preaching the Word of God some 700 years before Jesus. "Here is my servant whom I uphold, my chosen one with whom I am pleased, upon whom I have placed my spirit." This servant will be "a light for the nations, to open the eyes of the blind, to bring out prisoners from confinement, from the dungeon those who live in darkness." 700 years before the Messiah came.

After John had baptized many "and Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, heaven was opened and the Holy Spirit descended upon Him in bodily form like a dove." But wait, there was more...a voice came from heaven, "You are my beloved son; with you I am well pleased." This event is an affirmation for Jesus that His Father and the Spirit are with Him...He can do the mission before Him...He can save us no matter what or how...and He would.

Well, my friends, through our Baptism, the Father calls us His beloved daughters and sons. Just as Jesus drew confidence to do His mission, so we can draw confidence for ours...our mission to be disciples, to let Jesus form us and reform us, to announce Good News, even to suffer with Him as we follow Him. Beloved daughters and sons, we are. St Joseph, pray we believe in our belovedness.
Fr Jim

SAVE THE DATE!

ST. JOSEPH PARISH MISSION THERE'S MORE

**February 27-March 1
6:30pm-8:00pm**

Guest Speaker Fr. Richard Kaley, OFM Conv.

If at the end of the day, you find that your schedule was overflowing but you feel something is still missing...You won't want to miss this parish mission.

ST. MARTIN'S CLOTHES CLOSET 4th Quarter and Year End Summary

	October	November	December	2021
Total Clients	38	34	41	327
New Clients	4	2	4	16
Clothing	378	396	663	4087
Miscellaneous	90	103	254	2247
Basic Items	106	104	128	6677

Thank you to all those who donated their time, talent, and the items that made the clothes closet possible.

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.

INSTRUCTIONAL MASS TALK

On Wednesday, January 12,
6:00 - 7:30 pm
St. Vincent

Fr. Jay Horning will have a step-by-step instruction on the Mass. Learn (or be reminded) why Catholics do what we do during Mass, learn the proper names for the items used during Mass and find out whose relics are embedded in the altar. This will only be instructional, it is not a celebration of the Mass.

Did you hear something during Fr. Jim's homily, you would like to hear again? Visit our all new website scroll until you see the facebook page. Go to stjosephgarrett.com

Life Defenders Workshop- Albion

Learn how to make the Case for Life!

**Saturday, January 15th, 2022, 9am to Noon,
\$5 Registration**

Rehoboth Church, 1236 N 275 E, Albion, IN 46701
Visit www.ichooselife.org/albion

This workshop is open to students 7th grade and older and adults.

March for Life Pilgrimage

The 2022 Diocesan March for Life Pilgrimage is scheduled for Thursday, January 20 - Sunday, January 23. We expect hundreds of high school pilgrims, adult leaders, priests and religious to join Bishop Rhoades from our diocese as we pray and march for the protection of human life!

Mass Schedule

Monday, January 10, 2022

Weekday

8:30 a.m. Ruthann Gingery

Tuesday, January 11, 2022

Weekday

8:30 a.m.. Evelyn Lennart

Wednesday, January 12, 2022

Weekday

8:30 a.m. Leonard Karr

Thursday, January 13, 2022

Weekday

6:00 p.m. Eldon and Donna Hile

Friday, January 14, 2022

Weekday

8:30 a.m. Nathan and Donna Wilondek

Saturday, January 15, 2022

Weekday

4:30 p.m. Our Parish Family

Sunday, January 16, 2022

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00: Special Intention of Phil and Fay Kleber

10:30: John and Dorothy Shafer

Thank you for sharing your time and talent with

Saturday: January 15, 2022 4:30 p.m.

EMHC: Nick Miller and John Blomeke
Hospitality Minister: John and Jan Blomeke
Lector: Nick Miller
Musicians: Kitty Miller and Wally Mattes

Sunday, January 16, 2022 8:00 a.m.

EMHC: Denise Sewelin and Ann Lewis
Hospitality Kathy Guthrie
Lector Amy McAlary
Musicians: Tom Novy and Sophia Ruble

Sunday January 16, 2022 10:30 a.m.

EMHC: Brook VandeZande and Chris Depew
Hospitality Minister: Butch and Angie Johnson
Lector :Nick Miller
Musicians: Kitty Miller and Geri Boyden

Contributions Includes Christmas

December 26, 2021 \$10,435.62

Your continued support of St. Joseph Church, is appreciated. If you are unable to attend Mass, please consider mailing your envelopes to the parish office. January 2, 2022 \$9,738.73

Bible in a Year!

Is one of your New Year's resolutions to grow deeper in your faith? To spend more time in the Word? To grow in your relationship with the Father, Son and the Holy Spirit?

I invite you to join a growing number of people who have downloaded apps that have many great features including Bible in a Year. Check out the "Amen" app by Augustan Institute or "Hallow" by Ascension.

St. Michael's Casino Night

SAVE THE DATE! Fri., Feb. 25th, 2022

Please join us for a night of casino-style games, delicious food, raffles, a silent auction, and more!
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Little Flower Holy Hour

Join us Monthly As we pray for vocations

7 p.m. first Tuesday or the Month
At St. Mother Theodore Guerin Chapel,
1139 S. Calhoun Street, Fort Wayne

Tuesday, February 1 will be lead
by Bishop Kevin Rhoades



THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

JANUARY 2022

For true human fraternity We pray for all those suffering from religious discrimination and persecution; may their own rights and dignity be recognized, which originate from being brothers and sisters in the human family.

OUT OF DARKNESS RETREAT

With Mary Kloska

Reflections of the Passion of our Lord

Saturday, February 5 at 3:30 through Sunday, February 6 at 4 p.m. at the St. Felix Catholic Center, Huntington, IN

Registration Deadline January 10.
Contact Vicki Kalil at kalilvicki@gmail.com
or 574-596-9077

BE A TOTUS TUUS SUMMER MISSIONARY

Totus Tuus is a Catholic summer youth program dedicated to sharing the Gospel and promoting the Catholic Faith through catechesis, evangelization, Christian witness and Eucharistic worship.

If you are a college student or young adult looking to deepen your own spiritual life through serving young people, join the 2022 Totus Tuus Summer Missionary Team. You will receive complete training and travel to six parish sites for week-long summer formation programs with children and youth. You will receive a stipend and free lodging. For more information and to apply, go to diocesef-wsb.org/totus-tuus

Summer 2022 missionary applications are now being ac-

Upcoming Events: Week of January 10,—January 16, 2022

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
8:30a.m.MASS	8:30a.m MASS	8:30a.m. MASS	6:00p.m. MASS	8:30a.m.MASS	4:30p.m. MASS	8:00 a.m. MASS 10:30 a.m. MASS

<p>Garrett State Bank <small>SINCE 1893</small></p> <p>120 W. King St., Garrett, IN 46738 (260) 357-3133</p> <p>1341 S. Randolph St., Garrett, IN 46738 (260) 357-6680</p> <p>Member FDIC</p>		<p>Father August Young Council #1790</p> <p>Knights of Columbus</p> <p>PO Box 115 Garrett, IN 46738</p> <p><i>A Catholic Family Organization</i></p>	<p>Countryside Tax Service</p> <p>Sandra S. Wilcox Individual-Business-Farm Electronic Filing Bookkeeping Services (260) 925-4199 2177 CR 60 • Auburn, IN 46706</p>	<p>Thomas Funeral Home <i>Family Owned and Operated</i></p> <p>Tom & Tina Drzewiecki Parishioners</p> <p>1277 CR 56 • Garrett (Corner SR 327 & SR 205) Phone: 357-0444 www.thomasfuneralhome.org</p>
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