

# One Parish Family



**August 28th & 29th, 2021**  
**23rd Sunday In Ordinary Time**

## Welcome to Our Parish!

**Fr. Urban Osuji, C.M.**

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**Bishop Michael G. McGovern**

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## St. Joseph Church

506 W. Main St.  
Benton, IL 62812

### Mass Times

Saturday 4:30 pm & Sunday 10:00 am

Ellen Neikes, Secretary

(618) 438-9941 or (618) 218-1685

Office Hours: Mon 10:00 am-2:00 pm

Tuesday thru Thurs 8:00 am-2:00 pm, Fri. 8:00 am-11:00 pm

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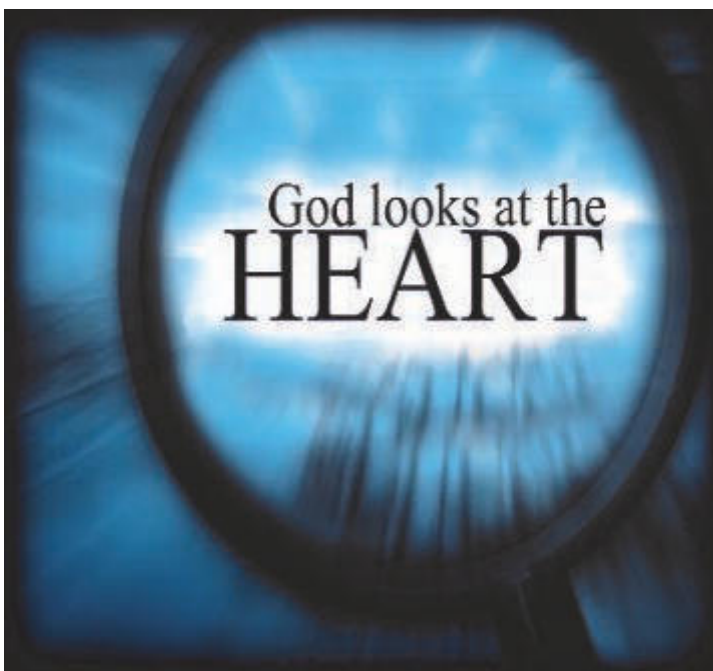
Sr. Laura Reynolds & Rebekah Dunavan

### St. Mary Chapel

100 N. Poplar St.  
Sesser, IL 62884

### St Andrew Chapel

412 E. Washington St.  
Christopher, IL 62822



## OFFERING COLLECTED

### St. Joseph August 15th

Weekly Budget Goal	\$3,064.21
17% Assessment Tax	\$525.77
Income, Envelopes, Votive, & Loose	\$3,092.75

Outreach	\$5.00
CSMA	\$100.00

### St. Andrew August 15th

Chapel Trust	\$175.00
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During the month of September  
St. Joseph Parishioners are asked to  
donate Sugar to the Benton/West City  
Ministerial Alliance Food Pantry.

The donated items can be left at the  
entrances to the church.

Aluminum cans can be deposited in the bins on  
the east side of the Parish.

## FUTURE DATES OF IMPORTANCE AUGUST

St. Joseph Quilt Club, Parish Center, August 30

## SEPTEMBER

St. Joseph Quilt Club, Parish Center  
September 6, 13, 20, & 27 Noon to 5:00 pm

Christopher Columbian Club Meeting,  
Columbia Club Hall, September 1st, 6:30 pm

Parish Office Closed, Labor Day, Sept. 6th

St. Andrew Altar Society Meeting,  
St. Andrew Parish Hall, Thursday, Sept 9, 5:30 pm

Christopher Knights of Columbus Fish Fry  
September 10, 4:00 pm-7:00pm. All you can eat  
Fish, Fries, Bake Beans, Slaw, Tea, or Coffee  
ONLY \$10.00

Benton Knights of Columbus Meeting,  
Monday, Sept 13, 6:30 pm, Fr. Trapp Room

Flea Market Meeting, Parish Center,  
Tuesday, Sept. 21st, 6:00 pm

Benton Knights of Columbus Blood Drive  
Friday, September 24th, 1:00 pm-5:00 pm

## OCTOBER

St. Joseph Quilt Club, Parish Center  
October 4, 11, 18, & 25 Noon to 5:00 pm

## ST. JOSEPH

Susan Babbett, Janet Baker, Martin  
Basolo Jr, Ryan Batts, Delores Boyd, Bob  
Buscher, Jeanette Buscher, Jerome  
& Virginia Colonne, Addi Darnell, Michele  
Daughenbaugh, Judy Davidson, Gene Giacomo,  
Valier Gibson, Daniel Gouge, Ray Gluss, Mavis  
Harris, Nathan Hodson, Eleanor Louise  
Hoffsuemmer, Matt Hoffsuemmer, Aileen Ice,  
Rosemary Johnson, Mary Kohlhaas, Harley  
Kohlhaas, Scott Lucas, Marie Martin, Mary Mayeski,  
Simone McCarty, Patricia J. Miller, Russell Miller Jr.,  
Lexy Neal, Judy Overturf, Gerry Pettit, Becky Purdie,  
Sharon Riley, Susie Skidmore, Nathan Sloan, Garry  
Spotanski, Joanne Summers, Bill Tasky, Jack  
Valente, Holly Wyant, Sherry Webb, & Braxton  
Wininger,



## PRAY FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY

Marco Alvarez, Anthony Clark, Andy  
Wolf, DJ DuBravec, Jeremy Knight,  
Shane Murray, Aaron Sisk, Landon Wolf,  
Tyson Kinkade, Christopher Prather,  
Jami Tedrow, Dustin Richard, & Bryson  
Wilson. Pray for Our Veterans!



## SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Martin Basolo, Loretta Basolo, Sarah Blades, David  
Blood, Brett Blondi, Charley Borta, Anita Brockett,  
Susie Doty, Francie Fourez, Jerry Garrett, Judy  
Giacomo, Rosemary Hallis, David Kesler, Sandy  
Laur, Lisa Miller, Mark Miller, Harry Orlandini,  
Phyllis Orlandini, Don Owens, Marlene Richardson,  
Dorothy Ruzich, Rowland Santor, Frannie Shapkoff,  
Caroline Simpson, Dr. Kelly Stewart, Jake Styve,  
John David Sweet, Evan Thomas, Cyndy Turner, Ben  
Valette, David Valette, Robert Valette, Bonnie  
Willmore, Clark Witges, Willie Wolf,  
Michael Young, & Debbie Yucus

## SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

John & Pam Bennett, Kenneth & Elva Hungate,  
Pat & Jill Sanders, Rowland & Joyce Santor,  
Allen & Kathy Wolsing, & Jim & Dorothy Yancik

Christopher KC's Queen of Hearts  
Raffle Jackpot is at \$5,000  
Mon., August 23rd, 7:00 pm.  
Open to the public

## ONE CALL

If anyone would like to be added to  
St. Joseph One Call please call Ellen at the  
office at 618-438-9941.

## ST. JOSEPH WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, August 28th

Mass will be celebrated at 4:30 pm  
Repose of the Souls of  
Eugene & Marie Shew & Don & Phyllis Drone

### Sunday, August 29th

Mass will be celebrated at 10:00 am  
Repose of the Souls of  
Sue Sloan, & Chester & Nellie Moore

### Monday, August 30th

No Mass at St. Joseph

Quilt Club, Noon to 5, Parish Center  
Queen of Hearts, Christopher KC Hall, 7:00 pm,  
\$4,600. All are welcome!

### Tuesday, August 31st

Mass will be celebrated at 5:30 pm  
Repose of the Soul of Special Intentions

### Wednesday, September 1st

Mass will be celebrated 5:30 pm  
Repose of the Soul of Sam Morani

### Thursday, September 2nd

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 7:00 am

Mass will be celebrated at 8:00 am  
Repose of the Soul of Jim Richard

### Friday, September 3rd

Mass will be celebrated at 8:00 am  
Repose of the Soul of Fr. Joseph Trapp

### Saturday, September 4th

Mass will be celebrated at 4:30 pm  
Repose of the Souls of Felix & Irene Eurgil

### Sunday, September 5th

Mass will be celebrated at 10:00 am  
Repose of the Souls of Sybil Davison,  
Arlene Micheletto, & Donnie Childers

### Monday, September 7th, Labor Day

No Mass at St. Joseph  
Office Closed

#### CHURCH WEBSITE

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happenings in our parish visit the  
church website at



## ST. ANDREW TURKEY RAFFLE



St. Andrew's Altar are selling Raffle  
Tickets for their Annual Turkey Raffle  
held on November 15, at 7:00 pm at the  
Christopher Columbia Club Hall.  
These tickets will be available for purchase starting now  
thru Nov. 15th from any St. Andrew Altar Society  
Lady. Thank you for all the donations!



### ST. JOSEPH HOLIDAY & HOME DECOR SALE

St. Joseph will hold a Fall  
Christmas & Holiday Décor Sale  
on Saturday, October 16th, from  
8 am to 3 pm. This sale will consist ONLY of  
Christmas Items, Home Décor Items, Christmas  
Toys, & Christmas Jewelry.

Bishop McGovern visiting St. Joseph  
Sunday, Nov. 28, at 10:00 am mass

Bishop Michael McGovern will be  
visiting St. Joseph on Sunday, November  
28, to celebrate mass at 10:00 am.  
Your Excellency is looking forward to  
meeting with parishioners after mass.  
Please plan accordingly.



St. Andrew Chapel, St. Mary Chapel, &  
St. Joseph Church send their prayers &  
condolences to the Family & Friends of

Norma Jo Williams  
Grave Side Services were held at  
Harrison Cemetery on  
Wednesday, August 13th.

"We pray God heals your heart through love & memories.  
And he guides you to a place of peace at this difficult time.

St. Joseph Church, St. Andrew Chapel, &  
St. Mary Chapel would like to extend our  
prayers and sympathy to the  
family & friends of  
Joann Sosnowski,

whose Funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Joseph on  
Friday, August 20th.

"As you travel this difficult road remember God is beside  
you always. Amen"



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