

saint Joseph church

901 North Alton
Lebanon, IL 62254



*Third Sunday of Lent
March 15th, 2020*

LENT



CREATE IN ME A CLEAN HEART, O GOD;
AND RENEW A RIGHT SPIRIT WITHIN ME.

PSALM 51:10

Mission Statement

St. Joseph Catholic Church strives to be a living and growing community of prayer, support and service formed by the Gospel. In our lives we try to live out these Gospel values in our Catholic heritage and pass them onto the upcoming generations. In the spirit of Jesus we try to reach out to those among us who are in need of our support and care within our parish and beyond.

Parish Information

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Facebook:

Lebanon St. Joseph's Catholic Church

The St. Joseph Parish welcomes new residents, visitors and McKendree students. We are glad to celebrate Eucharist with you. If you are new to the parish, please call the office to register.

Liturgical Ministers

Sunday, March 22, 2020

Readers	Glenda Norris, Bill Gagen
Greeters	Brenda & Jim Pehle
Communion	Vonderharr Team
Servers	Lynn Shirley, Mason Shirley

Taking a preventive approach, St. Joseph has suspended administering communion at Lebanon Care & Cedar Ridge Facilities until further notice.

Mass Intentions

Sunday	March 15	Justin Thacker Gera Thacker
Tuesday	March 17	Vince Hogg
Wednesday	March 18	Henry & Betty Christ
Sunday	March 22	Blake Wood

Prayer Request



Please pray for all the sick and homebound of our parish family, especially. . .

Thurm Carver, Bob Rowan,
Skip Bennett

Those serving in our military, the loved ones of our parishioners; all deployed military personnel and DOD civilians, First Responders and all in harms way.

March 8, 2020 Mass Attendance 100

Envelopes	\$	1,370.00
Loose Cash	\$	102.00
Building	\$	55.00
First Offering	\$	5.00
Black & Indian Mission	\$	5.00
Catholic Relief	\$	300.00
Easter Lilies	\$	25.00
Cemetery	\$	1,475.00
TOTAL	\$	3,337.00
CSMA Pledge to Date	\$	1,205.00

Liturgy Schedule

St. Joseph and Corpus Christi Mass Schedule

Saturday	5:00pm	Corpus Christi
Sunday	9:00am	Corpus Christi
Sunday	10:30am	St. Joseph
Sunday	6:00pm	Corpus Christi
Tuesday	8:30am	St. Joseph
Wednesday	8:30am	St. Joseph

Faith Formation

PSR - 9:15AM - 10:15AM

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Children, ages 4 through 2nd grade are invited to hear and engage in the readings in age appropriate activities during Mass. Fr. Jim will invite the children forward prior to the readings and they will return for the Eucharistic Prayers.

RCIA - If you know someone, or you are interested yourself, in joining the Catholic community we are here to help.

Questions? Contact Deb at the Parish Office 537-2575

EVENTS CANCELLED

Feast of St. Joseph *Partnership* Breakfast ~
March 22

Mass will be at regular time ~ 10:30AM
There will be NO PSR .

Mouse Races Corpus Christi Cancelled.

Readings of the Week

Readings for the week of March 15, 2020

Sunday:	Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/ Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42
Monday:	2 Kgs 5:1-15b/Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4 [cf. Ps 42:3]/Lk 4:24-30
Tuesday:	Dn 3:25, 34-43/Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9 [6a]/Mt 18:21-35
Wednesday:	Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20 [12a]/Mt 5:17-19
Thursday:	2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a
Friday:	Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17 [cf. 11 and 9a]/Mk 12:28-34
Saturday:	Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab [cf. Hos 6:6]/Lk 18:9-14



LUNCHEON ~ Thursday, March 19 ~ Parish Hall
Call in order 537-8475 or stop by for Lunch & Pie!

FISH FRY FRIDAY! Come mingle with friends ~ OR
Carry outs available ~ Friday's 5-7PM

Holy Thursday Soup & Salad ~ April 9 ~
5:00-6:30PM Corpus Christi Parish Hall

PARTNERSHIP TRIDUUM SERVICES

@ Corpus Christi
April 9—Holy Thursday Mass, 7:00 PM
April 10—Good Friday Service, 3:00 PM
April 11—Easter Vigil, 8:00 PM

EASTER SUNDAY MASS ~ April 12
St. Joseph 10:30 AM
Followed by Easter Egg Hunt & Cookie Reception
in Parish Hall ~ All are invited!

27TH ANNUAL DRAWDOWN & SILENT AUCTION
April 25 ~ ~ KC Hall, Doors open @ 6:00 PM
Contact bcopelin@charter.net for tickets and
information!

Clothing Drive



What's in your closet?

LMM CLOTHING DRIVE

Saturday, April 18
City Hall Parking Lot
8am-NOON

Bags are available in the
vestibule indicating what
donations can be

accepted. Please grab a bag and fill while you
are doing your SPRING CLEANING! ~ Yet another
way to benefit others this Lenten Season!

Penance Services Around The Area

Monday, March 30
St. Joseph 7:00 PM
Corpus Christi 7:00 PM

Wednesday, April 1 ~
St. Nicholas 7:00 PM

Thursday, April 2nd ~ St. Clare 7:00 PM



**East Egg Hunt & Cookie
Reception**

We are asking for donations of
egg fillers (candy & such).
Please drop any "goodies"
you wish to share
with the St. Joseph's Children in the basket
located in the vestibule.

**St. Joseph is taking these precautionary
measures during Mass:**

- A. Suspending distribution of Communion Cup
- B. Suspension of holding hands during the Our Father
- C. Reception of Holy Communion should be in the hand
- D. Draining of Holy Water
- E. Exchange "sign of peace" with a Smile

Modifying Collection

We will not be passing the Collection basket ~ we
instead will be placing the Collection basket at
the entrance to the church. Please feel free to
drop your donations in the basket before or after
mass.

Thank you for your patronage

McKendree Bunny Hop!



McKendree Students will be collect-
ing non-perishable items for Matthew
Ministries ~Sunday, March 22
3-5PM

You may leave the items on your
doorstep.

The Students Thank you for your continued
generosity in supporting LMM!

Special Collection This Week

Sunday, March 15 ~ Catholic Relief Service

*This week we take up The Catholic Relief Services
Collection to help Jesus in disguise. This collection helps
six Catholic agencies to provide struggling communities
with relief and support and to work for peace and
reconciliation among our marginalized brothers and sisters
here and around the world. Please prayerfully consider
how you can support the collection.*

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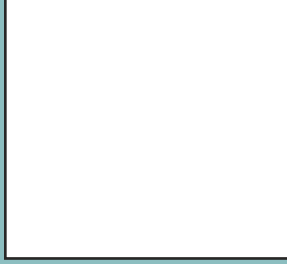
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