



Mission Statement

St. Joseph Catholic
Church strives to be a
living, growing
community of prayer,
support and service
formed by the Gospel.
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.

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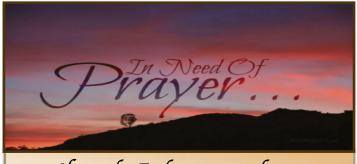
January 23

Arline & Vincent Fohne For the Parish Partnership

January 30

Larry Mueller

Nicholas & Clara Hohrein



Heavenly Father we pray for...

Virginia Hogg Theresa Keepper Phyllis Krump Jerry Ohanian Father Jim Margason

We also pray for their loved ones and caregivers.

May they never lose sight of the love of God.

For those serving in the Military
May God protect those who protect us!

Prayer for the Sick

All praise and glory is yours, Lord our God, for you have called us to serve you in love. Bless our sick., so they may bear this illness in union with your Son's obedient suffering. Restore them to health, and lead them to glory. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Weekly Readings Week of January 23, 2022

Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

Monday: 2 Sm 5:1-7, 10/Ps 89:20-22, 25-26/Mk 3:22-30 Tuesday: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117: 1bc, 2/Mk 16:15-18

Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-8 /Ps 89:4-5, 27-30/Mk 4:1-20 Thursday: 2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29/Ps 132:1-5, 11/Mk 4:21-25 Friday: 2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6a, 6bcd-7, 10-11/Mk 4:26-34

Saturday: 2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/Mk 4:35-4

Tithe & Offering January 16, 2022 - 69 Attendees

 Weekly Collection
 \$ 1,605.00

 Loose Cash
 \$ 89.00

 First Offering
 \$ 5.00

 Matthew Ministries
 \$ 200.00

 Total
 \$ 1,899.00





Third Sunday in Ordinary Time 23 January 2022 We devote this day to the celebration, study, and spread of the Word of God. Neh 8:2-4a,5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8-10, 15./ 1 Cor 12:12-30/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21.

Believing the Word of God. We are the Body of Christ (Corinthians) assembling as the graced community of believers (Nehemiah) each week to give thanks and praise, to share in Communion, and then sent to serve. We are part of the great Communion of Saints to whom is handed down the living Word of God – both the Scriptures and the Tradition as well as the very person of Christ who is the spoken Word of God (Luke). During the first Mass in a brandnew church building, the bishop shows the *Lectionary* to the assembly and says:

"May the word of God resound always in this building, to open for you the mystery of Christ and to bring about your salvation in the Church."

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The Word of God is central to faith.

- How will I set aside a few minutes each day to read/ reread Scripture? What is a good time?
- ♦ How will I look for the unfolding mystery of Christ in little and big ways today?
- How will I be "good news" this week by what I say and do?

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REOPENING DELAYED~

Our Monday Evening Fellowship is being delayed out of caution and protection of our students. We hope to begin again in February. If you wish to be involved with your time or

cooking, please contact the office. St. Joseph's & Corpus Christi switch off weeks in preparing the meals and hosting!

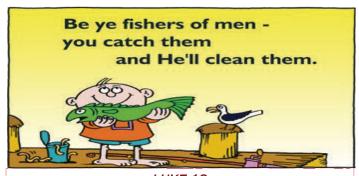
Thank you for your continued Support of joseph House!

To the Parishioners of St. Joseph & Corpus Christi Parishes,

Griffin Center of East St. Louis thanks all who provided gifts for our children this past Christmas. The gifts were wonderful and meant so much to each child who received them. Thank you for your connecting with our children in this way. Your caring and sharing speaks volumes! As we continue to grapple with the challenges of this pandemic, please pray that we can keep our children and staff safe. Blessings on your good health and safety during 2022.

Gratefully,

The Children, Families and Staff of Griffin Center East St. Louis



LUKE 18 Bringing fun and faith together for an awesome weekend retreat.

New date: Feb. 26-27, 2022: Saturday at St. Nicholas and Sunday at St. Clare Church;

all eighth-grade students attend both sessions Eighth-graders:

We have re-opened registration due to the date change. If you didn't register yet and now can attend, please register by Jan. 25 on your parish website. No need to register again if you have already registered. https://docs.google.com/forms/d/

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January 24 January 25 January 29

Terese Hauer Elizabeth Christ Stephanie Sax

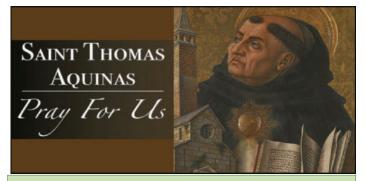


January 23:

My parents gave me and my siblings a joyful and loving childhood where the beauty of the Catholic faith shone brightly. They sent us to a school in Madrid operated by the sisters of the Company of the Savior, whose charism is to cooperate with parents by providing

a strong education in a faithful catholic environment. The joy, devotion and dedication of the sisters immediately attracted me. During my last years of high school and my first year of college, I was tempted by new experiences and friendships based on different ideals than those of my youth. It was Mary who opened my eyes to see deeper. She brought me back to the heart of Jesus. Eventually, I embraced His loving call to be only his and joined the Sisters of the Company of the Savior.

Sr. Maria Alguacil; Sisters of the Company of the Savior; Columbia, Sept. 2021



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