

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2021

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Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:30 p.m.
Sunday: 7:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
Tuesday: 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 6:00 p.m.
Thursday: 8:00 a.m.
Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Confession: Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 7:00 am. & 10:00 a.m. or
by appointment.

Office Hours- Monday, Wednesday
and Thursday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Tuesday 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

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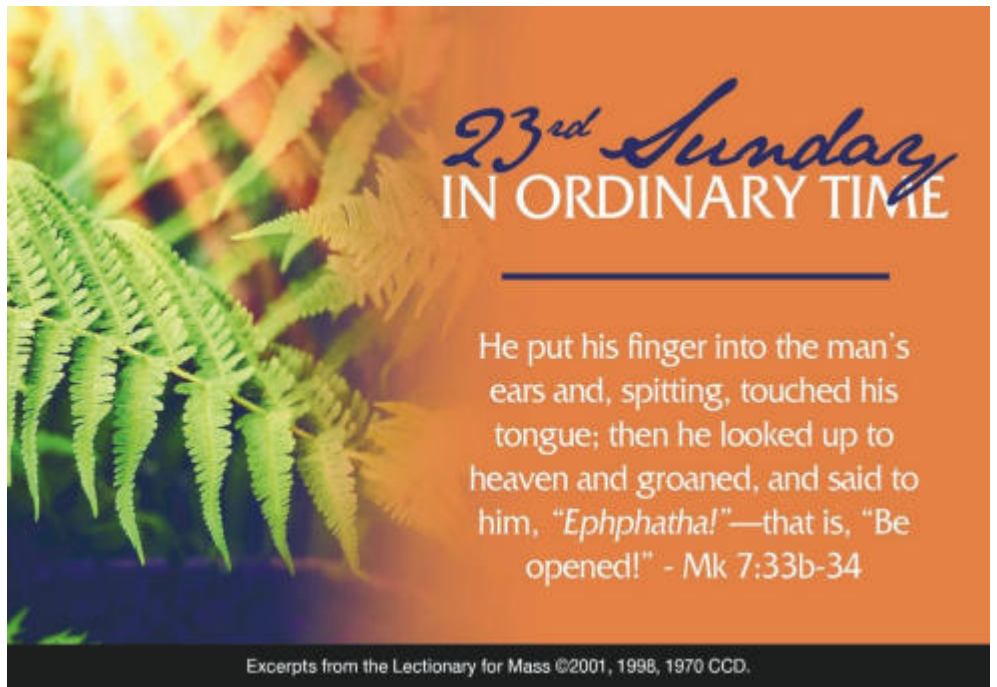
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WHY DO WE DO THAT? - CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED

Question: As we celebrate Labor Day, can you tell me about Catholic teaching regarding labor?
Answer: One of the most important principles of Catholic social teaching is the dignity of work and the rights of workers. Four encyclicals address this foundational social teaching: Rerum Novarum (1891) by Leo XIII, Quadragesimo Anno (1931) by Pius XI, Laborem Exercens (1981), and Centesimus Annus (1991) by John Paul II. They address both the theology and dignity of work. In Genesis, God takes the initiative in creating the world, calling forth human beings to be faithful stewards of creation. We are thus formed to share in God's continuing creative activity by partnering with God in finishing the world and helping bring it to completion and fulfillment. From this perspective, work can be spiritually understood in terms of sharing in God's ongoing activity to build, create, and transform the world. Human beings are co-creators with God. This vocation demands self-discipline.

Besides an exercise in self-discipline, work is also the means by which we develop and fulfill ourselves. In work, we shape the world and our environment. Through work, we also shape ourselves. Pope John Paul II summarized this point in Laborem Exercens #6, "the value of work is not primarily the kind of work being done, but the fact that the one who is doing it is a person."

Labor Day offers an excellent opportunity to reflect on how we view work in light of our Catholic social teaching.



SACRAMENT PREPERATION

Marriage: Contact Deacon Luke Mahsman at least six months in advance to schedule a wedding.

Baptism: If you are expecting or need information about Baptism, please contact Deacon Luke Mahsman for a meeting.

MISSION

St. Joseph Catholic Church is a faith community, guided by the scriptures and traditions of the church, whose mission is to share the Good News of Jesus Christ through celebration of the liturgy, sacraments, prayer, faith fellowship, and service to others.

**Bishop McKnight's
September prayer intention
for our Local Church**

For a greater appreciation for the gift of friendship;
that bonds of friendship may strengthen our resolve
to be a people of communion in divisive times.



Mass Intentions & Schedules

Saturday, September 4th @ 5:30 p.m.

Gary Million+

Sunday, September 5th @ 7:30 a.m.

Robert Serbin+

Sunday, September 5th @ 10:30 a.m.

Parishioners of St. Joseph

Tuesday, September 7th @ 6 p.m.

Merle & Jeanette Snaveley+

Wednesday, September 8th @ 6 p.m.

Edward & Theresa Born+

Thursday, September 9th @ 8 a.m.

Marion & Bonnie Slates+

Friday, September 10th @ 8 a.m.

James & Arlene Veit+

Saturday, September 11th @ 5:30 p.m.

Parishioners of St. Joseph

Sunday, September 12th @ 7:30 a.m.

Robert & Pauline Goodwin+

Sunday, September 12th @ 10:30 a.m.

Grant Hess+

Prayer Requests

Please pray for our parishioners and our extended family and friends:

Donna Rupp	Zac Abell
Dee Gottman	Pat Foster
Wes Raney	Pam Hess
Jane Church	Ellen Goodwin
Cheryl Hirner	Mary Krekemyer
Evan Mencer	Lakian Lehenbauer
Sandi Campbell	Mark Carpenter
Susan Berti	Beth Jones Bigelow
Don Mudd	John Gottman
Bill Gottman	Michelle Richardson
Ken Schroeder	Troy Rager
Mary Cait VanDeWiele	

Please pray for our church members who are currently in nursing homes or homebound:

Elizabeth Roth	Mary Ann Miller
Elizabeth King	Phyllis Kroeger
Ferd Dames	Janet Barnes
Florence Fohey	Frank Schwartz
Virginia Buckman	Janet Schwartz
Richard Krekemyer	Marie Thorington



If you would like someone on the prayer list please contact Cathy at the office.

When someone goes into the Hospital, the family must contact us (the parish) and let us know about the situation so that we can help assist your family member.

Beth Anderson is the parish nurse for Holy Family and St. Joseph. If she can help you or a loved one. Call: # 573-795-5828 or email nursebethhfsj@gmail.com

Parish Schedule

Sunday, September 5th

Memorial Mass -Tom Meade at 10:30 a.m.

Monday, September 6th

Office Closed-Happy Labor Day

Wednesday, September 8th

Town Hall Meeting @ 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, September 11th

Benefit for Hess family @ Farischon Hall

Sunday, September 12th

Altar Society Meeting @ 8:30 a.m.

Religious Education Teacher/Staff Meeting and Breakfast 9 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.

H.S. youth group 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Monday, September 13th

Red Cross Bloodmobile noon-6 p.m.

Tuesday, September 14th

Knights of Columbus @ 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, September 15th

RCIA gathering for anyone interested in the RCIA program at 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, September 19th

CCD/PSR Classes from 9 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.

Youth Mass @ 10:30 a.m.

M.S. youth group 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

H. S. youth group 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Parish Finances August 29th

Loose Cash	\$20.00
Weekly Envelopes	\$5,397.00
Catholic Missourian	\$20.00
Assumption	\$20.00
5th Sunday Collection	\$880.00
Total	\$6,337.00



Ministries for Weekend Masses

5:30 p.m. Mass

Ministers of Hospitality for September

Dale & Cindy Gervais

Lectors

Sept. 4th	Jon Wellman
Sept. 11th	Ella Goldinger
Sept. 18th	Knights of Columbus
Sept. 25th	Judy Trower

Servers

Sept. 4th	Mahsman's
Sept. 11th	Barnes, Krekemeyers
Sept. 18th	Knights of Columbus
Sept. 25th	Barnes, Timbrooks

Live Streaming & Technology

Sept. 4th	Herb Schwartz
Sept. 11th	Jacob Barnes
Sept. 18th	Knights of Columbus
Sept. 25th	Andrea Barnes

Eucharistic Ministers/Sacristan

Sept. 4th	Linda Reeves
Sept. 11th	David Hastings
Sept. 18th	Knights of Columbus
Sept. 25th	Elizabeth Bradley

7:30 a.m. Mass

Ministers of Hospitality for September

Rich & Susie Wolfmeyer

Lectors:

Sept. 5th	Phil Mudd
Sept. 12th	Mary Lou Hawthorne
Sept. 19th	Altar Society
Sept. 26th	Ross Dames

Servers:

Sept. 5th	Dames, T. Jones, M. Jones
Sept. 12th	O'Briens, T. Jones
Sept. 19th	Mahsman
Sept. 26th	Dames, T. Jones, M. Jones

Eucharistic Ministers/Sacristan for

Sept. 5th	David Hastings
Sept. 12th	Nick Mudd
Sept. 19th	Altar Society
Sept. 26th	Mary Lou Hawthorne

10:30 a.m. Mass

Ministers of Hospitality for September

Chuck Wigle family & Brad Wigle family

Lectors:

Sept. 5th	Monica Bross
Sept. 12th	Audrey Summers
Sept. 19th	Denise Dodd
Sept. 26th	Kevin DeHaan

Servers:

Sept. 5th	Coggeshalls, A. Wisheart
Sept. 12th	Summers, A. Illa
Sept. 19th	L. Pontius, A. Wisheart
Sept. 26th	Jones, Coggeshalls

Eucharistic Ministers/Sacristan

Sept. 5th	Joe Jones
Sept. 12th	Craig Illa
Sept. 19th	Kevin DeHaan
Sept. 26	Diane DeHaan

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sjpalmyra.diojeffcity.org



Contact the office if
you want to receive
parish news and
updates.

Knights of Columbus

Save the Dates:

Red Cross Bloodmobile: Monday, September 13th from noon-6 p.m.

Knights of Columbus Meeting: Tuesday, September 14th @ 7:30 p.m.

Knights of Columbus Barbecue at Farischon Hall: Saturday, September 25th Times TBA

Altar Society News

Altar Society Meeting will take place on Sunday, September 12th @ 8:30 a.m. All ladies of the parish are welcome to attend these meeting. Contact Elizabeth Bradley, Altar Society President if you have any questions.

Blessing Box News

Blessing Box: Take what you need, leave what you can. Please visit our mini-food pantry outside of Farischon Hall. The mini-food pantry purpose is to fill emergency food needs.

September donation needs: single serving boxes of cereal, individual packages of crackers with cheese or peanut butter and fruit cups.

Please Label **Blessing Box** and leave in the Hall or food pantry box in church.

Volunteer Contact Information: If you would like to volunteer your time to help stock the blessing box please call or text Rose Hudson (573)719-0616 who is organizing this St. Joseph community project. **We are Better Together!**

Religious Education News



High School youth group 9th-12th will take place on September 12th & 19th from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Dinner Served

Middle School youth group 5th-6th grade and 7th-8th grade will have their first meeting on Sunday, September 19th from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Please join us for lunch, fellowship and fun.



Registration for CCD/PSR/ Middle & High school youth groups are by appointment only after September 1st.

Please contact Cathy if you would like to register your child at St. Joseph. Classes start Sept. 19th from 9 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. Youth Mass will take place at the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

Teacher/Staff Meeting will take place on Sunday, Sept. 12th 9 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. Breakfast will be served.



RCIA Information



Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults will meet on Wednesday, September 15th @ 6:30 p.m. If you are interested in the RCIA program or know of someone that is interested in the Catholic Church have them attend this meeting or contact Harla Friesz @\573-248-7969 or the church office.

Birthday's

September 5th

Betty Bross, Megan Lake, Wendall Quick

September 6th

Lisa Leake, Diane DeHaan, Rafe Jones

September 7th

Dwayne Goodwin, Greg Tierney

September 8th

Tim Serbin

September 9th

Axel Brown, Leah Pontius



Parish News & Local News



Wednesday, September 8th @ 6:30 p.m.

All parishioners are invited to a town hall meeting to **vote** on the front doors at St. Joseph

All parishioners are asked to attend at Farischon Hall if they would like to participate in the decision of the front doors.



Hess Family Benefit

When: Saturday, September 11th

Where: St. Joseph, Farischon Hall

Cost for Dinner: Free Will Donation (Carry Outs available. Meal will begin at 4 p.m.)

Menu: Pork Loin, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Roll, Dessert Prepared and Served by Knights of Columbus

Silent Auction: 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Live Auction Starts and Drawing for 50/50 Raffle winner: 7 p.m. until ?

On December 25, 2019 Kasey Hess's life was cut short by a tragic accident. She leaves behind her husband, Mackenzy Hess and three beautiful daughters Addie, Aubrey and Hazel Hess. Kasey was a long life member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church where she enjoyed sharing her love for Jesus with the youth. She was dedicated to her church community. Please join us on September 11th for the Hess Benefit.

If you would like to donate a dessert or item for the auction/dinner. Have your donations at the church hall by Friday, September 10th at noon. Thank you!



The family of Thomas Meade will have a memorial Mass on Sunday, September 5th at 10:30 a.m. All are welcome to attend.

Father Pachomius Meade will preside at the Mass. The three icons near the Altar were painted by Father Pachomius and donated to St. Joseph Church several years ago. Please take time to admire his artwork that we have at our parish.



This month's Palmyra food pantry needs are back to school supplies, color crayons and pencils, glue, Kleenex boxes. A basket for these items are located in the vestibule of the church. Thanks for your continued support to the Palmyra food pantry.

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