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The Assumption OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



August 15, 2021

Masses in Church

Sunday Vigil

5pm

Sunday Morning

8am, 10am, Noon

Holy Day Vigil

6pm

Feast Day

8:45am & 6pm

National Holidays

8am in Church

Weekday

Monday - Friday at 8:45am

Check the bulletin for any weekly variations

Confessions in Church

Saturday: 3:30 - 4:30pm
or by appointment

Rectory/Office

215 Falls Avenue
Phone: 330-928-2173
Fax: 330-928-3082
Hours: 8:30am - 4pm
Monday through Friday

Prayer Line

For a request call 330-923-3831

ST. JOSEPH PARISH MISSION

Believing in the universal call to holiness, we, the Roman Catholic community of Saint Joseph, will bring all to Christ through celebration of Word and Eucharist, reception of the sacraments, education, service, and community activities. Relying on God's grace and sharing our time, talent, and treasure; we live our faith by serving God, the Church, our school, and our community.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 14 / St. Maximilian Kolbe

10am Funeral

2pm Wedding ~ *Stanley Sadon & Ashley Jones*

3:30-4:30pm **Confessions**

5pm Mass *In honor of The Blessed
Virgin Mary*

Sunday, August 15

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8am Mass *Louis Ciraldo Sr.*

10am Mass *Lorraine Cody*

12pm Mass *People of St. Joseph*

1pm Baptism ~ *Charlotte Wigley*

Monday, August 16 / Weekday

8:45am Mass *Antoinette Ronca*

Tuesday, August 17 / Weekday

8:45am Mass *Stan Filon*

Wednesday, August 18 / Weekday

8:45am Mass *Harry & Helen Koegle*

Thursday, August 19 / Weekday

8:45am Mass *Emma Rini Jenovai*

Friday, August 20 / St. Bernard

8:45am Mass *Dorothy Obrst*

Saturday, August 21 / St. Pius X

3:30-4:30pm **Confessions**

5pm Mass *Clients of St. Vincent dePaul*

Sunday, August 22

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

8am Mass *Lawrence Rudy*

10am Mass *Carol Kline*

12pm Mass *People of St. Joseph*

Offertory Giving: August 8, 2021

Regular Collection.....	\$11,621.00
Utilities	\$157.00
Parish Improvement	\$835.00
Music	\$25.00
Faith Formation	\$15.00
Education/Help a Child	\$250.00
Raise the Roof	\$350.00
Parish Coronavirus Aid	\$35.00
Children's	\$7.00
Candles.....	\$0.00
School.....	\$90.00
Altar & Rosary	\$185.00
TOTAL	\$13,570.00

FAMILY PERSPECTIVES

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Our bodies are meant for immortality. That's what we believe when we profess in the Creed "We believe in...the resurrection of the body and life everlasting." Mary already shares in the resurrection of her Son and Our Lord Jesus as we will, too, at the end of the world. Our bodies are temples of the Holy Spirit and should be cared for and treated with respect. We strive to fill our bodies with good things and to live a life that proclaims or magnifies the greatness of the Lord. The virtues of chastity, modesty, and moderation are learned by children as they are taught how to care for and talk about their bodies. Families promote positive body image and holiness in these daily actions.



The two "**Sanctus Lamps**" will burn next week for **Michelle Holby**



Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet



Join us to pray the Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet Monday thru Friday at 8:08 am and stay for 8:45 am Mass.



Wedding Banns

II. Andrew Willis & Sarah Brown

II. Ian Watson & Kayleigh Gilbow

I. Gabriel Pelak & Abigail Friedl



Parish Contacts

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Donut Sunday ~ August 22



Sunday, August 22 after ALL masses we will have Donut Sunday hosted by our St. Vincent de Paul Society. All

are welcome to share in fellowship and enjoy donuts, coffee and juice. Take the opportunity to talk to SVDP volunteers about the good works they do for people in our community and in our own Parish.

Adult Funeral Altar Servers Needed

Are you an adult with a couple of hours of spare time during the day and looking to serve the Lord in a very special way? Being an altar server for a funeral mass at St. Joseph Parish may be the ministry for you! If you are interested, please call the rectory at 330-928-2173.

St. Joseph Parish Raffle

Buy tickets early to watch the jackpot grow!

\$5 donation per ticket

Purchase tickets by September 17

Winners will be announced at September 19 Parish Picnic. Winner need not be present.



Tickets Sold	Grand	2nd	3rd
500-1500	\$1,000	\$500	\$250
1501-3000	\$2,000	\$1,000	\$500
3001-4500	\$3,000	\$1,500	\$750
4501-6000	\$4,000	\$2,000	\$1,000
6001-7500	\$5,000	\$2,500	\$1,250
7501+	\$10,000	\$5,000	\$2,500

More info or request more tickets - visit www.saintjoe.org/raffle or call 330-928-2173

Liturgical Ministers ~ August 21/22, 2021

Sign up saintjoe.org/emhc

		Eucharistic Ministers	Lector
Saturday	5pm	Chuck Watt, <i>open, open</i>	Mary Watt
Sunday	8am	Veronica Lynch, <i>open, open</i>	Cecilia Bailey
	10am	Denise Leipold, Vicki, Hoenigman, Nick Frank	Vicki O.
	Noon	Donna Bungo, Chuck Watt, Mary Watt	Steve Armour

From the Pastor's Desk

The word steward means someone who looks after or someone who takes care of something. From restaurants or hotels, to airplanes or ships, a steward has the responsibility of taking care of others and items in their charge. We as Catholics are also called to be stewards, as God calls each of us to relationship with him and with our Church Community. We should see everything good in the world as gifts from God and respond in gratitude with the gift of self. Christian Stewardship is the response of the disciple to God's unconditional love for us.

In late 2019, as part of the "Count Me In!" program we asked parishioners to complete a Gifts and Talents inventory that would tally their areas of strength and interest. The goal and hope was to assist parishioners in becoming an active and engaged member of the parish by helping them discover their strengths and gifts and see the ministries that match. We had planned a second phase of "Count Me In!" to continue this call to participation and service in 2020, but we all know how that turned out!

But now we can move forward! We have returned to Mass fully and brought Liturgical ministries back. We are starting new organizations (like our Men's Groups) and "seasoned" ones are hosting events (like Altar & Rosary). It seems like a perfect time to reboot our plans to increase Stewardship in our Parish.

Working with the Saint Joseph Parish Council, we are starting a Stewardship initiative, titled P.R.A.Y., which stands for:

- P- Pause
- R - Reflect
- A - Act
- Y - YOU!



Pause - Whenever making a decision or commitment to something it is always good to first stop and pause. One needs to take the time to gather information and see the needs around you. Christian Stewardship begins with opening our hearts, hands, and availability to others. It means taking the time to listen to our families, our neighbors, and our fellow parishioners. When we pause, we can take note of what we see around us and if there is just one thing that we can all pitch in with.

Reflect - As stewards, God is calling us to a very specific and important mission. We can sometimes think that when it comes to helping the Church, God can only use us if we're already perfect, or have degrees in theology or extensive training in ministry. But that is far from the truth. God wants us to bring all of our experiences, even our personal and professional backgrounds to serve Him. We need to take some time to reflect on the gifts and talents we have been given and see where they might fit. Do you have a background in finance or accounting? Do you enjoy writing letters? Do you have experience in event planning? Does ironing relax you? The Church is in need of your expertise. This is the heart of stewardship. To recognize that we all bring our own particular gifts that can be used to serve Christ. We need to reflect on our own gifts, our own blessings from God, and understand those gifts are meant to be shared with others.

Act - St. Teresa of Avila said to “teach by works more than by words. We must all try to be preachers through our deeds.” Once we see the needs around us, and recognize how we can be of service, action must follow. We have all heard the phrase, actions speak louder than words. Stewardship is what we do with our lives after we say, “I believe.” Our faith is fulfilled when we act on it. No act is too small if it builds up the Body of Christ. If we can all find one extra item to act on, we can make a huge difference in our parish and the world!

YOU! - P.R.A.Y. and the activities and information that goes along with it, will be present all year long, with many opportunities to learn more about your own gifts and talents and discover different ministries and groups in the Parish. Keep checking the bulletin and newsletters for more information about our Gifts and Talents Inventory 2.0, the Participation drives, and the call to increase time in prayer and service. But in the end, we cannot do anything with YOU (yes you) answering the call. We need you to pause, reflect, and act.

As St. Paul said in his letter to the Corinthians, “There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; there are different forms of service but the same Lord; there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone.”

Each baptized person is called to give of the gifts they have been blessed with to strengthen and support the parish community. This will then help our parish become a place of hospitality, prayer, formation, and service. We are all called, will you answer?

Mary Shall Reign!

Please join us to say the Rosary at Mary's shrine on the corner of Broad Blvd and 2nd Street on the following Marian feast days:

August 15 @ 3pm ~ Feast of the Assumption

September 8 @ 5:15pm ~ Nativity of the Blessed Mother

September 12 @ 1pm ~ Feast of the Holy Name of Mary

September 24 @ 5:30pm ~ Our Lady of Ransom

(after 5pm Benediction)

Everyday in October ~ Month of the Rosary

M-F @ 5:15pm

(exception- October 29 @5:30pm after 5pm Benediction)

Saturdays after 5pm Mass

Sundays after 12pm Mass





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- Technology Coordinator

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Reserve a Sanctus Lamp

We burn two Sanctus Lamps per week ~ you may reserve just one or both. There are many 2021 weeks available, even as soon as September. There is a minimum \$10 offering per candle. Please call the Rectory at 330-928-2173 to reserve lamps for your loved one.



Queen of Angels

Stop down in Nolan Hall and check out our Year of St. Joseph items and other new products! We are open on Sundays from 9am-noon or by appointment. Please call Lisa Joyce at 330-352-7043.

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