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January 16 The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass and Confessions

Church open for Adoration:

Wednesday 3:00 pm-7:30 pm Sunday 3:00 pm-4:45 pm

Confession: Sunday 3:00 pm-4:45 pm.

Church open for prayer: Monday-Friday 9am-12pm.

Mass Times for the second week of Ordinary Time:

Sunday, January 16: 9:00 am, 11:00 am, 5:00 pm

Wednesday, January 19: 9:30 am

Mass Intentions:

The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 AM: For the repose of the soul of MaryLou Matthews req. by Mary Poole

11:00 AM: For family intentions, and in thanksgiving req. by Theresa Okpala

5:00 PM: For the intentions of our parish family

Wednesday, January 19

9:30 AM: For the repose of the soul of Michael Hemker req. by the Cella Family

Friday, January 21

(Prv.) For the repose of the souls of Irene and Albert Horvath req. by Ron and Barb Horvath

Our Ministries:

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Youth Group News!

I'm happy to announce that youth group is re-starting! Our first meeting of the year will be **TUESDAY, JANUARY 18 FROM 6:30-8:30 PM** in the Holy Family Center. Tuesdays from 6:30-8:30 pm will be our new regular meeting time!
Please contact me if you would like more information!

-God Bless!
Kate Ramsay, Youth Minister

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Wednesday, January 19th, 6:00 - 7:00pm for parents of those children grades 4-8th preparing for FIRST Sacraments.

Contact Anna Nowaczewski if you have any questions annan@stjosephysilanti.com



Our Weekly Offering:

January 9, 2022

Budget: **\$5,096.00**
Cash and Checks: **\$3,323.47**
of envelopes used: 42
Online Giving: **\$1,670.00**
TOTAL OFFERING: **\$4,993.47**

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From Fr. Pieter

Greetings! Today we see Jesus at the Wedding Feast at Cana. Jesus shows us that he is the true “master of the feast”! Jesus fulfills our hearts deepest longings as the true “Bridegroom” of our hearts—He promises to bring us into intimacy with God that earthly relationships can only echo. Jesus makes possible this “Wedding Feast” at the hour of His passion and death, and it is perfected when we join God in Heaven, but we begin this intimacy with Him now through faith, prayer, and our Eucharistic union with Him. Pray to Him and adore Him to whom you are joined in the Eucharist. Truly *“blessed are those who are called to the wedding supper of the Lamb.”*

What’s Happening at St. Joseph? A new semester begins for religious ed, SJC (St. Joseph Classical homeschool program) and for me at the seminary. Thanks to the volunteers, catechists, lunch aides, and and teachers. At the seminary, this semester I am teaching a course on the sacraments and a course on the Trinity (I learn by teaching, so I thank God for this opportunity to know Him more deeply through study). This week I met with the other priests (Fr. Ed Fride and Fr. Dan Westermann) of our “Eastern Washtenaw” group of parishes (CTK and SJB). We discussed ways in which we can collaborate and work together in Christ’s mission in our diocese. Please pray for us! I will pray for you!



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