



# Saint Joseph

CATHOLIC CHURCH

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2020**

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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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# LISTEN



“If your brother sins against you, go  
and tell him his fault between you  
and him alone. If he listens to you,  
you have won over your brother.”

MATTHEW 18:15

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**PRAYER FOR A COMMUNION OF DESIRE**

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, renew my heart now with the power of Your Spirit. I embrace You and unite myself wholly to You. Unite me more closely to Your Body, the Church and never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

**SACRAMENT PREPARATION**

**Marriage:** Contact Deacon Robert Leake or 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 Robert Leake or 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 INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER**

For children deprived of a safe and healthy home, that they experience the love of God through the care and concern shown by Catholics.

**HOLY FATHER'S INTENTION SEPTEMBER**

We pray that the planet's resources will not be plundered, but shared in a just and respectful manner.

## PARISH SCHEDULE

**September 7th**-Labor Day

Office Closed

**September 8th**- K of C meeting  
7:30 p.m.

**September 10th**-Holy Hour at  
St. Joseph from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.  
Adoration, Benediction &  
Reconciliation.

## MASS INTENTIONS & MASS SCHEDULES

**Tuesday, September 8th@ 6 p.m.**

Rev. Frank Westhoff+

**Wednesday, September 9th@ 6 p.m.**

Rev. Krsto Jelenic+

**Thursday, September 10th@ 8 a.m.**

Jean Harrison+

**Friday, September 11th@ 8 a.m.**

Judith Heimerman+

**Saturday, September 12th @5:30 p.m.**

Lawrence & Mary Schroeder+

**Sunday, September 13th@ 7:30 a.m.**

Parishioners of St. Joseph

**Sunday, September 13th 10:30 a.m.**

Maurice Buckman+



**Please pray for our parishioners and our extended family and friends:** Jeanette Rupp, Donna Rupp, Michelle White, Joe Rothweiler, Robert Dodd, Richard Krekemeyer, Drake Hill, Rafe Jones, Craig Bent, Ferd Dames, Florence Fohey, Don Krekemeyer, Brenda Dodd, Zach Abell, Tom Lillard, Donna Braden, Roger Strauss, Alma Schwartz, Tim Barnes, Ruth Hettinger, Axel Brown, John Ragar, Dee Gottman, Linda Steffen and Marina Garcia.

**Please pray for our church members who are currently in nursing homes or homebound:** Virginia Buckman, Elizabeth Roth, Janet Schwartz, Janet Barnes, Gloria Baggett, Mary Kempf, Arlene Veit, Gerry Foust, Mary Ann Miller, Elizabeth King and Phyllis Kroeger.

**GOSPEL MEDITATION** Jesus clearly wants to avoid shame because it has no purpose in achieving reconciliation and conversion. All broken relationships deserve a chance at reconciliation. Every person has room for growth and a need for conversion. We must learn to be okay with honesty and not be afraid to hear and process what someone needs to say, even if it is difficult for us to hear. Severing a relationship, both personally or with the church community, ought to definitely be a last resort and only pursued when all else has failed.

## BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

**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 9**

Axel Brown, Leah Pontius

**September 11th**

Rose Marie Mudd, Sierra Hudson

## PARISH FINANCES

August 31st

Weekly Envelopes	\$4,165.00
Loose Cash	\$126.00
Priest Retirement	\$50.00
Assumption Collection	\$20.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$4,361.00</b>

## Catholic Stewardship Appeal

**2020/2021:** Sisters and Brothers, the annual CSA will kick off the weekend of October 16-17, 2020. We all know we are living through historic and difficult times, but we will get through this together. The CSA campaign this year is inspired by a verse from Jeremiah 29:11: "For I know the plan I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."

*Let us Trust in the Lord with all of our Hearts and strive to be good stewards of all those tremendous gifts our generous God has given to us.* Fr. Matt

\*Parish Council Minutes from Wednesday, August 26th are available at the office of St. Joseph.

## MINISTRIES AT ST. JOSEPH

**5:30 p.m. Mass**

**Ushers & Greeters for September**

Dale & Cindy Gervais

**Lectors:**

September 5th Jon Wellman

September 12th Elizabeth Bradley

September 19th Altar Society

**Servers:**

September 5th R. Barnes, Krekemeyers

September 12th Krekemeyers

September 19th Mahsmans

**7:30 a.m. Mass**

**Ushers & Greeters for September**

Derek O'Brien & Paul Quinn

**Lectors:**

September 6th Mary Lou Hawthorne

September 12th Ross Dames

September 20th Knights of Columbus

**Servers:**

September 6th M. Jones, T. Jones

September 12th Mahsmans

September 20th D.Dames, C.O'Brien

**10:30 a.m. Mass**

**Ushers & Greeters for September**

Randy Dodd & Jim Lowe

**Lectors:**

September 6th Denise Dodd

September 12th Harla Friesz

September 20th Kevin DeHaan

**Servers:**

September 6th W. Jones, Coggeshalls

September 12th W. Summers, W. Jones

September 20th A. Illa, W. Jones

## The St. Joseph Catholic Church COVID response policy:

\* Everyone must wear a mask to enter/ exit the church or parish hall. (There is no entry to parish property buildings without a mask.)

\* Everyone must wear a mask to receive communion.

\* Once the faithful are inside and at their seat and are able to socially distance, they may remove their mask.

\* Please wash and or sanitize your hands often.

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St. Joseph website  
stjoseph.diojeffcity.org



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

## Knights of Columbus

**Local Knights of Columbus:** For more information on joining the Knights of Columbus contact local Membership Director: Jeff Massman at 217-779-1725 or jmass24@gmail.com

**The next Knights of Columbus meeting will be on September 8th at St. Joseph.**



Knights of Columbus Breakfast at Farischon Hall

**September 19th, 2020:** 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

**Cost:** Free Will Donation

## St. Joseph Altar Society

The next meeting for Altar Society will be held on September 13th @ 8:30 a.m. in the Knights of Columbus room. All women of the parish are welcome.

## 11<sup>th</sup> Step Open AA Mediation Meeting

Join us every Thursday,  
from 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. at the Holy Family Parish Pastoral Center in Hannibal 218 S. Maple Ave. (In the Lower Level Conference Room.) Call Troy E @ 573-248-7948 or Matt F @ 573-202-3590 if you would like to know more. Join us!

## St. Joseph RCIA

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS... Are you or someone you know interested in learning more about the Catholic faith or becoming Catholic? Everyone knows someone they can invite. Maybe it is your spouse, a neighbor, a co-worker or a child who has not yet received Confirmation. Prayerfully consider inviting those you know to begin the RCIA process.  
Please contact Deacon Bob Leake @ 573-248-7640 or raleake@charter.net

## Religious Education

### High School Youth Group for teens 9th thru 12th grade

H.S. youth group will meet on Monday, September 7th @ 1p.m. to 3:30 p.m. for a swim party and barbecue (Ellen Goodwin's house) **Meet at the hall at 12:30.**

We will leave at 1 p.m. for Ellen's house. Contact Cathy if you have questions.

H.S. youth group will meet Wednesday nights in September from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00p.m. This will begin on Wednesday, September 9th. Snacks and drinks will be provided. Come early, come late...we would love to see you and help you during the week.

H.S. youth group will meet on Sunday, September 13th, September 20th and September 27th from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

### Middle School Youth Group for teens 6th-8th grade

will meet on Sunday, September 13th, September 20th and September 27th from 5:30p.m. to 6:45p.m. Snacks and drinks will be provided.

**CCD/PSR classes for Pre-K thru 12th grade** will begin on Sunday, September 13th, from 9:00a.m. to 10:15a.m. **Registration:** If you haven't registered, please contact Cathy Fohey for assistance before classes start on Sunday, September 13th.

## St. Joseph News

### A Message from Fr. Matt and Finance Council Members of Holy Family & St Joseph

#### God Bless Your Generous Hearts

Sisters and Brothers, during these challenging times, we ask you to remember your commitment to support our beautiful parishes. Living through these extraordinary times presents many challenges to us, but like any "crisis" there are both dangers and opportunities. I have heard countless families express gratitude that during this pandemic, they have spent more time together, sharing meals and playing games. I have heard countless folks who are homebound who are thrilled that we have our Masses live-streamed. They feel part of the community again! Let us strive to see some of the silver linings.

In this same light, this might be an excellent time to switch to on-line giving with your tithe to the parish. We realize that some of the more senior members of our community may not be as familiar with this as the younger members. The truth is that electronic banking transactions are very commonplace and they are safe and secure. Please drop your offer of support in the basket at the entrance to the church, or you can drop it by the office, or if you would like to explore switching to on-line giving ... please follow these instructions from our Parish Bookkeepers.

### From Cheryl Hirner at St Joseph:

In a couple of weeks we will have an online giving button set up on our website at:

<https://sjpalmyra.diojeffcity.org/>

The funds that are donated through the website will go directly into our bank account. When this option is available, we will have instruction in the bulletin on how to use it. The other option is to set us up on your banks Bill Pay website and have the checks automatically sent to us from the bank. Thank you and God bless you.



**This month's needs for the Palmyra food pantry is toilet paper , canned vegetables, and shampoo**  
Thanks for your generous donations and supporting your local food pantry.