



Saint Joseph CATHOLIC CHURCH

SUNDAY, MAY 8, 2022

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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, Tuesday,
Wednesday and Thursday
8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

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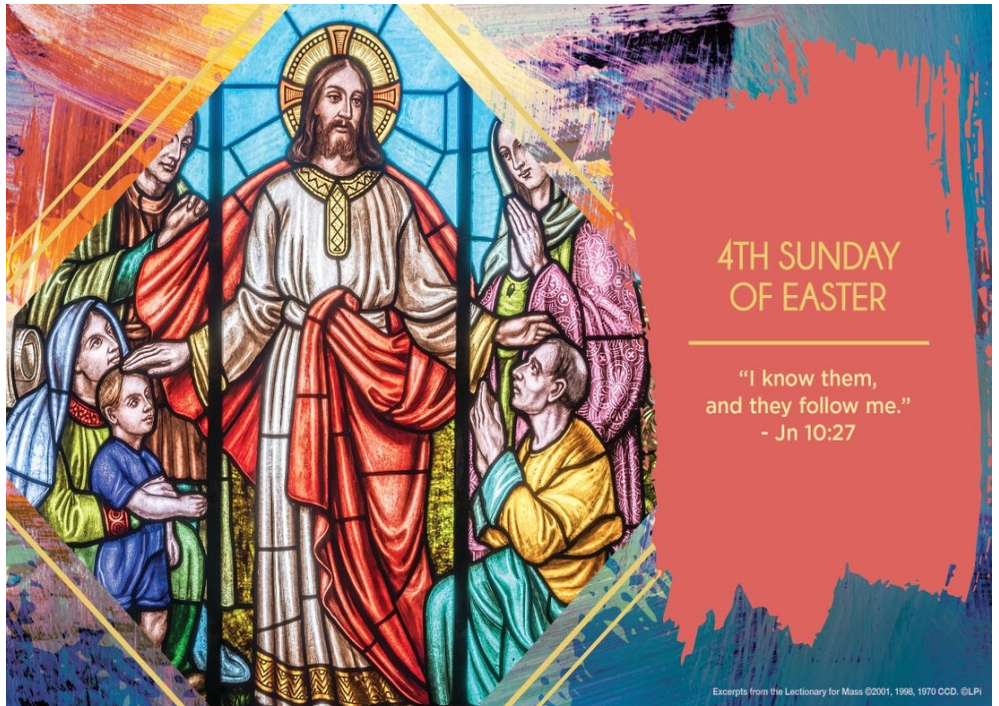
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4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"I know them,
and they follow me."
- Jn 10:27

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PRAYER FOR MOTHERS

Heavenly Father, from the beginning you have chosen to entrust the human person to mothers in a special way. We thank and praise you for the gift of mothers; for their tenderness, care, and compassion, for their intuition and encouragement, for commitment and sacrifice. Bless all mothers this day. Keep, strengthen, and refresh them in your loving care. May they be blessed by our open-hearted love and gratitude. Amen.



SACRAMENT PREPARATION/ CELEBRATION

Marriage Prep-Contact the office 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 the office or Deacon Luke Mahsman for a meeting.

RCIA-Contact the church office for more information.

Ministry to the Sick-Notify the Church office if you are aware of someone who is homebound. If someone is in the hospital and would like to see a priest contact a parish staff member.

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.

Readings for May 8th

First Reading- For so the Lord has commanded us, "I have made you a light to the Gentiles, that you may be an instrument of salvation to the ends of the earth." (Act 13:47)

Psalms- We are his people, the sheep of his flock. (Ps 100)

Second Reading- For the Lamb who is in the center of the throne will shepherd them and lead them to springs of life-giving water. (Rev 7:17)

Gospel- "My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish." (Jn 10:27-28)

Mass Intentions & Schedules

Saturday, May 7th @ 5:30 p.m.
Bud & Mary Jane Rothweiler +
Sunday, May 8th @ 7:30 a.m.
Parishioners of St. Joseph
Sunday, May 8th @ 10:30 a.m.
Florence Fohey+
Tuesday, May 10th @ 6 p.m.
Christine Gail+
Wednesday, May 11th @ 6 p.m.
Westin & Lolo Buell+
Thursday, May 12th @ 8 a.m.
Franklin Tuley+
Friday, May 13th @ 8 a.m.
Mike & Cecilia Mayer+
Saturday, May 14th @ 5:30 p.m.
Lawrence & Mary Schroeder+
Sunday, May 15th @ 7:30 a.m.
Parishioners of St. Joseph
Sunday, May 15th @ 10:30 a.m.
Grant Hess+

Prayer Requests

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

David Bradley	Ted Hudson
Monica Bross	Jerry Bunten
Joe Jones	Fran Joliffie
Dalton Gray	Nina Lain
Annette Clark	Greg Schutte
Meredith Illa	Wanda Madden
Rodney Gottman	Bobby Dodd
Kaitlyn Shivley	Julianne DeHaan
Donna Rupp	Zac Abell
Dee Gottman	Pat Foster
Don Mudd	Guido Merkel
Dan Gard	Tim Schroeder
Michelle Richardson	Jerry Hagan Jr.
Bill Andresen	
Maxine Devlin Wavering	

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

Mary Ann Miller	Elizabeth Roth
Phyllis Kroeger	Elizabeth King
Janet Barnes	Ferd Dames
Janet Schwartz	Virginia Buckman
	Marie Thorington

Parish Finances for May 1st

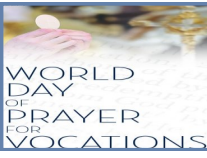
Loose Cash	\$230.50
Weekly Envelopes	\$5,740.00
Children's Collection	\$28.00
Catholic Home Missions	\$270.00
Ukraine Collections	\$200.00
Total	\$6,468.50

Men's Grateful Living Group

Jim Lowe and Paul Quinn are having a grateful living study on Fridays after the 8 a.m. mass from 8:30 a.m.-9 a.m. at Farischon Hall. All men of the parish are invited to attend. This meeting will start on Friday, May 6th and will continue on Friday's thru June 10th. Please consider joining them for coffee and fellowship after Mass on Friday's.

Vocations

Sunday, May 8, 2022
Good Shepherd Sunday
& World Day of Prayer
for Vocations.



Today the Church throughout the world prays for Vocations. Will you make a special effort to ask the Lord for Vocations to the priesthood and religious life?

- Pray for the priests who have ministered to you throughout your life, both living and dead.
- Encourage your children, grandchildren, or other young people to consider a Vocation as a priest or religious brother or sister.
- Pray a rosary for more young men and women in our diocese to respond to God's call.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL FOR VOCATIONS



On this World Day of Prayer for Vocations, we pray for an increase of Vocations to the priesthood, especially in our own diocese.

For the mothers of priests, that God richly bless them for the great gift they have given the Church.

That young people in our parish will not be afraid to make vows of poverty, chastity, and obedience if the Lord calls them.

For those who are having difficulty discerning their Vocations, that the Holy Spirit give them wisdom and peace.

That Christian parents will happily encourage their children to remain open to the priesthood or consecrated life.

For deceased priests and religious from our parish and diocese, that the Good Shepherd will welcome them with open arms.

Birthdays at St. Joseph

May 7th
Henry Keppner
May 8th
James Lowe, Ted Lantz,
Jeremy Griesbaum
May 9th
John Hess, Jeff Merkel, Ella Goldinger
May 10th
Westin Jones
May 11th
Marie Disselhorst, Kaitlyn McElvain
May 12th
Cassiddee Wigle, Addie Hess
Aubrey Hess, Austee Barnes,
Bailey Abell, Jackson Coggeshall
May 13th
Amara Grisham

Parish Upcoming events

Friday, May 6th
Men's Grateful living group after the 8 a.m. Mass to 9 a.m. at Farischon Hall
Saturday, May 7th
Spanish Mass in Hannibal @ 8 a.m.
Sunday, May 8th
Mother's Day
Women's Chrp meeting 3p.m.-5 p.m.
Tuesday, May 10th
Knights of Columbus meeting @ 7:30 p.m.
Friday, May 13th
Men's Grateful living group after the 8 a.m. Mass to 9 a.m. at Farischon Hall
Sunday, May 15th
Altar Society Ladies' Spring banquet
Breakfast @ 8:45 a.m.
Tuesday, May 17th
Parish Council @ 6:30 p.m.
Friday, May 20th
Men's Grateful living group after the 8 a.m. Mass to 9 a.m. at Farischon Hall
Sunday, May 22nd
Class of 2022 Senior Breakfast from 9:15 a.m.-10 a.m.
Women's Chrp meeting 3p.m.-5 p.m.
Wednesday, May 25th
Women's Social Group 7 p.m.-?
Friday, May 27th
Men's Grateful living group after the 8 a.m. Mass to 9 a.m. at Farischon Hall
Cookies needed for Maple Lawn Nursing Home
Saturday, May 28th
Spanish Mass in Palmyra @ 8 a.m.

St. Joseph Parish Building and Grounds Projects

Project	Completion Estimate	PC/FC Approved
New Church Entrance Doors	Holy Week of 2022	Yes
Small Parking Lot Paved		
Large Parking Lot Paved		
New Gutters on Farischon Hall		
Water Issues Corrected in LL of Church		
Repairs to Rectory Back Porch		
Repairs to the Front Stairs of the Church Entrance		

Altar Society News



Cookies are needed for Maple Lawn Nursing Home on Friday, May 27th. Please have cookies at the hall by Thursday, May 26th. Thank you!

Religious Items

On Sunday, May 15th from 8:30 a.m. to 10 a.m. at Farischon Hall there will be various religious items from the estate of Alma Schwartz at no cost. Thanks.

Knights of Columbus

The next Knights of Columbus meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 10th at 7:30 p.m. Contact Brad Wigle to sign up for ministries during Mass on Saturday, May 14th.

Parish Council News

Parish Council will meet on Tuesday, May 17th @ 6:30 p.m. Contact Kevin DeHaan, Parish Council President if you have any agenda items for the meeting.

Religious Education News



Save the date for VBS Sunday, July 17th thru Thursday, July 21st from 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. Dinner Served and lots of fun for kids entering Pre-K thru 6th Grade. Sign up sheets for Volunteers and kids are available at the church office. Contact Cathy if you have questions.

Community News

Blessing Box-St. Joseph needs for the blessing box is currently needed. Please help fill the blessing box at St. Joseph. A donation box is located at the office and in the vestibule of the church. This month's needs are Chicken noodle soup or Chicken rice soup, canned fruit, canned vegetables, small tubes of toothpaste and toothbrushes.

Thank you for your generous donations. If you would like to help with this ministry please contact Rose Hudson @ 573-719-0616.

Food Pantry: Needs for the food pantry; Shampoo, conditioner and deodorant.

A donation box is located in the vestibule of the church and at Farischon Hall.

Options for Women : Options is a pregnancy resource center for those who are coping with an unplanned pregnancy. 8th annual walk and barbecue will be held on Saturday, May 7th at 10:30 am in Bowling Green. Call 573-213-5115 for more information.

Palmyra Nutrition Center: If you are interested in volunteering. Contact the nutrition center for more information 573-769-3358.

Altar Society Ladies' Spring Breakfast

May 15
8:45 am
Farischon Hall

All ladies of the parish are invited to attend and bring your special guests!

A sign-up sheet is located in the vestibule of the church.



Ministries for Weekend Masses

5:30 p.m. Mass

Ministers of Hospitality for May

Steve & Joanne Conoyer

Lectors

May 7th Ella Goldinger

May 14th Knights of Columbus

May 21st Judy Trower

May 28th Jon Wellman

Servers

May 7th R. Barnes, Timbrooks

May 14th Knights of Columbus

May 21st Krekemeyer's, Timbrooks

May 28th R. Barnes, Krekemeyer's

Live Streaming & Technology

May 7th Cindy Gervais

May 14th Knights of Columbus

May 21st Lisa Lake

May 28th Jacob Barnes

Eucharistic Ministers/Sacristan

May 7th Jerry Trower, Elizabeth Bradley

May 14th Knights of Columbus

May 21st Jerry Trower, Linda Reeves

May 28th Joe & Terry Barnes

7:30 a.m. Mass

Ministers of Hospitality for May

Paul Quinn, Jim Lowe

Lectors:

May 8th Roth McElvain

May 15th Phil Mudd

May 22nd Justin Massman

May 29th Mary Lou Hawthorne

Servers:

May 8th D. Dames, Mahsman's

May 15th M. Jones, Krekemeyer's

May 22nd Mahsman's

May 29th Mahsman's

Eucharistic Ministers/Sacristan for

May 8th Darin Goodwin, Joelle Goodwin

May 15th M. Woflmeyer, Ross Dames

May 22nd Karen & Ross Dames

May 29th David Hastings, Ellen Goodwin

10:30 a.m. Mass

Ministers of Hospitality for May

Randy Dodd, Tom Dodd

John & Sue Thomas

Lectors:

May 8th Dwayne Goodwin

May 15th Audrey Summers

May 22nd Senior Class

May 29th Harla Friesz

Servers:

May 8th Coggeshall's, Jones

May 15th Jones, L. Pointius, A. Illa

May 22nd J. & W. Summers, L. Pontius

May 29th Coggeshalls, Jones

Eucharistic Ministers/Sacristan

May 8th Audrey Summers, Tim Serbin,

Craig Illa, Rick Jones

May 15th Kevin & Diane DeHaan

Dwayne & Becky Goodwin

May 22nd C. Fohey, C. Illa, DeHaans

May 29th C. Fohey, Blands, Goodwins



"Every vocation to the priesthood comes from the heart of God, but it passes through the heart of a mother" (St. Pius X)