



SAINT JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH



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Parish Activity Center and Parish Office

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Closed Mon, Tues, and Friday

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MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Vigil 4:30 pm at the Church

Sunday 8:30 am at the Church

Sunday 11:00 am at the Parish Activity Center

Daily Mass Schedule inside

ADORATION:

Mon – Thurs: 6 am – 11 am and 6 pm – 9 pm

Fri: 6 am – 8 am, 9 am – 11 am and 4:30 pm – 6:30 pm

CONFESSIONS: 3:30 pm Saturdays and by appointment

WELCOME VISITORS & NEW PARISHIONERS

ARE YOU NEW TO SAINT JOSEPH PARISH? We invite you to introduce yourself before or after Mass, or stop by the parish office to register, meet Father Trapp and become part of our parish family. Registration forms are available on the bulletin board at the Church, PAC and online.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Preparation is required for the reception of the sacrament. Parents are encouraged to contact the office for an appointment *prior* to the birth of their child.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY: Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance of intended date. A marriage preparation program is required. Please contact Father Trapp.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK: Please call the office for emergencies and notify the office for calls to the sick or visits to the hospital. Email please media@stjosephpc.org to have a name added to the bulletin prayer list.

EUCHARIST FOR THE HOMEBOUND: Please call the office to be added to the weekly Communion list.

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (OCIA): Are you thinking about becoming Catholic? OCIA is a process that provides time for inquiry, instruction, prayer and discernment. Please contact the parish office for more information. We welcome you!

OFFERTORY: Your offertory gift can be made weekly or monthly. Visit our website stjosephpc.org and register with Online Giving.

MASS READINGS & INTENTIONS

LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE

Sunday, October 20

IS 53:10-11; PS 33; HEB 4:14-16; MK 10:35-45
8:30 am*: Kramer-Hamlin Families (G & F Hamlin)
11:00 am: Confirmandi Class

Monday, October 21

EPH 2:1-10; PS 100; LK 12:13-21
5:30 pm: Dcn Melvin "Mickey" Hawkins

Tuesday, October 22

EPH 2:12-22; PS 85; LK 12:35-38
5:30 pm*: Thomas K. Seeman

Wednesday, October 23

EPH 3:2-12; IS 12:2-6; LK 12:39-48
5:30 pm*: Donna Marie Grubb

Thursday, October 24

EPH 3:14-21; PS 33; LK 12:49-53

Friday, October 25

EPH 4:1-6; PS 24; LK 12:54-59
8:00 am*: Joanne E. McGuire

Saturday, October 26

EPH 4:7-16; PS 122; LK 13:1-9
9:00 am*: Kramer & Hamlin Families (G & F Hamlin)
4:30 pm*: People of the Parish

Sunday, October 27

JER 31:7-9; PS 126; HEB 5:1-6; MK 10:46-52
8:30 am*: Kramer - Bihn Families (G & F Hamlin)
11:00 am: Larry Juchnowski (K. Quinn)

**Denotes Mass at the Church. Please contact the office to offer a Mass for your special intention or the soul of a dearly departed family member or friend. Customary donation is \$10. Online mass requests can be made on our website: stjosephpc.org/mass-intentions*

"Go and Invite Everyone to the Banquet"

Always celebrated on the second to last Sunday of October, World Mission Sunday Second Collection is a special day that unites Catholics worldwide in prayer, solidarity, and support for the Church's mission efforts.

This year's theme, chosen by Pope Francis, is rooted in the Gospel of Matthew: "Go and Invite Everyone to the Banquet," reflecting the inclusive and urgent call to bring God's love to everyone. Join us in this universal mission to spread the Gospel and invite all to experience the joy of Christ's message!

Instituted in 1926 by Pope Pius XI as a mandatory, global second collection, the banquet that is World Mission Sunday has since then been hosted by the Pope, and the table set by those who answer Christ's call to "Go and make disciples of all nations" (Mt 28:19), extending an inclusive invitation to all corners of the Earth. Meant to be held in every parish in the world, the proceeds benefit 1,150 territories where the Gospel has not yet been received, has been only recently embraced, or is courageously upheld in the face of persecution.

OCTOBER 26 - 27

Saturday, 4:30 pm at the Church

Ushers: Mike & Terri Schurman
 Lector: Dan Fugazzi
 Eucharistic Minister: Jeff Fisher



Sunday, 8:30 am at the Church

Ushers: Joe & Debbie Foster
 Lector: Mike Balmert
 Eucharistic Minister: Deacon Tony Bonacci

Sunday, 11:00 am at the PAC

Ushers: Barb Seciliot, Michael Peck
 Lector: John Ciuca
 Eucharistic Minister: Wendy Brown

Volunteers for Liturgical Ministers are needed for All Saints Day & All Souls Day Masses on November 1 & 2.

PRAY FOR ALL WHO ARE ILL AND HEALING

Kelsey Chapman Karen Klump
 Lou Ciminello Roberta Benner-Scott
 Oralia Duran Bob Timmons
 Sharon Elias

Almighty and merciful Father, by the power of your command, drive away from them all forms of sickness and disease. Amen

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

CPT Denis R. Aurelius USAF
 SGTFC, Justin Edwards, USA
 CPT Buck "Indy" Horn, USAF
 PVT Daniel O'Neill, USAF
 COL Patrick B. Parsons, USAF
 MASN Todd Thieken Jr., USN
 CDR Matt Wood, USN

God Bless our troops & their families.

Lord, please hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless act they perform for us in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen

Join the Knights of Columbus #12772

October is recruitment month for the Knights of Columbus Council #12772 and October 19-20 weekend we are recruiting after masses. The Knights of Columbus is a brotherhood in service to the Catholic church, bound together by our principals of Charity, Unity and Fraternity. If you want to help our council support St. Joseph parish and Father Trapp, talk to a Knight after one of the masses during our recruitment. Or you can simply scan the QR Code to join, enter Council #12772 as preferred Council Number and Member Referral # 3666474. For more information, contact our local recruitment coordinator, Todd Thobe at 614-506-5016 or tthobe1964@gmail.com



UPCOMING EVENTS



OCTOBER

- 19-20th World Mission Sunday Second Collection
- 20th Confirmation Commitment Mass at 11:00am at PAC
- 31st Happy Halloween! No evening Adoration at Church

NOVEMBER

- 1st All Saints Day Holy Day of Obligation Masses at 12 Noon and 6:30pm at the PAC
- 2nd All Souls Day Mass at 9:00am at the PAC
- 4th-23rd No Weekday or Saturday morning Masses
- 8th "Babes in Toyland" Corks and Caps ticketed event from 6:30-10:00pm at the PAC
- 23rd First Reconciliation Retreat at the PAC for the Second Graders & parent from 8:30am-12 Noon
- 24th First Reconciliation at the PAC at 4:00pm
- 28th Thanksgiving Day Mass at 9:00am at Church
- 29th No 8:00am Mass
- 30th No 9:00am Mass

Support Our Seminarians – October 19-20

The Knights of Columbus collects donations to support seminarians. We collect donations at each of our Knights of Columbus meetings and twice a year from the parish. This collection specifically helps support the seminarians with miscellaneous expenses they incur. They don't have the opportunity to work to earn cash for things like car expenses, movies, hair cuts or even just an occasional dinner out.

To increase our donations, we have added the following QR code which will allow everyone the ability to simply scan the code and make a quick and easy donation to the Knights that will 100% go to supporting seminarians.

Please consider donating to support this cause either by using this QR Code or after one of the masses on the weekend of October 19-20. After masses, we will collect both cash donations and donations via credit cards for those who choose to not carry cash. Thank you for your generosity!



STEWARDSHIP

Offertory Collection for October 6, 2024

Envelopes	\$ 3,389
Loose (Unknown)	\$ 387
Diocesan Tax (9%)	\$ (340)
*does not include Online Giving	\$ *3,436



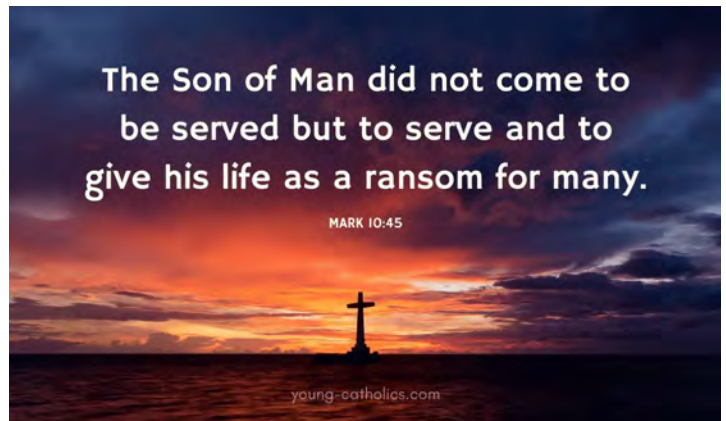
Online Giving

To set-up your account for online giving please scan this QR code with your smart phone or text-to-give at 614-858-8850. You can also visit stjosephpc.org/giving for more information.

Weekly Bible Reflections

"For the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many."
(MARK 10:45)

If you held a mirror up to your life, would it reflect God's love and mercy? If you are struggling with this, try changing your attitude from "I want more" to "thank you God for everything you have given me, I have enough to share". This change in perspective will bring you joy through service to others. Pray daily to become less self-centered and to become more God-centered.



JOIN US

Babes in Toyland

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8

Enjoy the merry evening our Corks & Caps team has planned!

Friday, Nov. 8th – Babes in Toyland – at the PAC from 6:30–10:00 pm

Signature cocktails will be served while you peruse our Silent Auction tables, Christmas-themed raffles, and sample the savory & sweet petite buffet tables. We will offer Christmas trivia the 2nd half of the evening with a \$200 1st prize.

Tickets go on sale after each Mass starting October 19th.

Tickets are \$10 each plus a \$25 child's unwrapped gift per ticket to be collected at the door.

We will be supporting the children in need of our community by donating these gifts to the DNA Christmas Store. The \$25 unwrapped child's gift will be necessary to enter.

Come and enjoy a festive evening of Christmas cheer and hopefully meet some of our many new parishioners!

Schedule Your Mass Intentions

St. Joseph is currently accepting Mass Intentions for All Soul's Day and the remainder of 2024. Please fill out this form and bring it to the Church Office or drop it into the offertory basket. There is a \$10.00 stipend for each Mass requested. You may also schedule and pay for your Mass Intention on our website anytime at: stjosephpc.org/mass-intentions

Intention: _____

Offered by: _____

Date requested: _____

Mass time requested: _____

Mass card: Yes or No Number of Masses: _____

Your Phone Number: _____

If you would like a mass card sent to the family, please include their name and mailing address with this slip and your payment.

Every attempt will be made to schedule per your request; however, funerals and prior requests may prevent this.

MUSIC *on the* HILL

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CATHOLIC CHURCH
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Bachtoberfest on October 20

Join us at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church in Marysville for our annual Bachtoberfest! Starting at 1:00pm on Sunday, October 20, A Cut Above food truck will be selling German street food such as brats, schnitzel, and pretzels, and Dalton Union will serve festive beer to enjoy. All food and beverages will be available for purchase in our Parish Life Center. At 3:00pm, Duo Cintemani (comprised of flutist Rachel Ciraldo and guitarist Nicholas Ciraldo) will perform a concert of music spanning the time of Bach through present day. Duo Cintemani is noted for its adventurous and dynamic programming of music from any era and has performed internationally and across the United States. The concert is free! This event takes place at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church, 1033 W. 5th St., Marysville, Ohio 43040. We hope to see you there! Prosit!



NEWS FROM NEIGHBORING PARISHES AND AROUND THE DIOCESE

Union County Care Train Applications Due Nov. 1

The Care Train serves low-income qualified households in Union County that have family member(s) who are:

- Children up to 18 years old and still in school
• Seniors that are 60+ years old
• Disabled Adults



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PRESCRIPTION DRUG 'TAKE-BACK' DAY Saturday, October 26, 2024 10 am - 2 pm at Pleasant Valley Fire Station

Madison County March for Life - October 24

The 11th annual Madison County March for Life will take place on Thursday, October 24th. The march will leave from St. Patrick's School at 5:15p, gather at the County courthouse for prayer and a group picture, and process back to the school for light refreshments and some pro-life speakers. Please join us for the event as we walk and pray to support a culture of life during this Respect Life Month!

Fall Vocal Training Workshop - November 2

The Fall Vocal Training Workshop will be held at St. Joan of Arc in Powell, Ohio! This vocal training will be geared toward those who are cantors, but anyone wishing to grow their musical skill is welcome to attend! Come join us to gain confidence in your singing and leadership abilities on November 2 from 1-3 pm at St. Joan of Arc. Register by email Dawn Beckman at rtbddb@aol.com. A \$10 donation is suggested.

Learn how to donate CatholicCharitiesUSA.org SUPPORT Hurricane Helene

In Mark 10:35-45, James and John ask Jesus for positions of honor. Jesus teaches them that true greatness comes from serving others. He came not to be served but to serve and give His life for many. Jesus's response turns worldly ideas of power and authority upside down. True leadership in the Kingdom of God is about humility and service, not seeking honor for oneself. He calls us to follow His example. This lesson challenges us to examine our desires and ambitions. Are we seeking personal glory, or are we willing to serve others selflessly? True greatness is found in humility and service, as shown by Jesus. Reflecting on this reading reminds us of our call to serve others humbly. Jesus's example of suffering, priesthood, and service guides us in our journey of faith. May we embrace these lessons and strive to follow Him more closely each day. Lord Jesus, help us to follow Your example of humble service. Teach us to love others as You love us. Give us the strength to serve selflessly and seek Your Kingdom above all. Amen.

Reflection Questions for the Week

- What are our true motivations behind seeking positions of authority or honor?
How can we practice humility in our daily lives?
In what ways can we serve others selflessly, following Jesus's example?



Be the Hero with Game Day Subs! November 2-3 Knights of Columbus Sub Sale

9" Ham, Salami, Cheese & Lettuce sub for only \$6 each.

Pre-sale orders MUST be placed by Wednesday, October 30 before pickup weekend of November 2-3 by calling / texting Ed Stransky at 614-565-7888 or via email at edstransky25@gmail.com. Orders can be placed online at StJosephPC.org/sub-sale or scanning the QR code.



Number of Subs: _____ @ \$6.00 Each for a Total of: _____

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