

SAINT JOSEPH PARISH

Celebrating 175 Years!

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The Fourth Sunday of Lent
March 14, 2021

Mass Schedule

Sunday Mass: 5 PM (Saturday), 8 AM, and 10 AM

Daily Mass: 8 AM Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday; 7 PM Wednesday

Holy Day of Obligation Mass: See bulletin

Eucharistic Adoration begins at 6 PM on Wednesday and concludes with **Benediction** at 6:50 PM.

Confession Schedule

Sunday 7:45 AM and 9:45 AM

Wednesday 6:00-6:45 PM

Saturday 4:30 PM

Mass Intentions

13-Sat., 5 PM	Jan Schabell
14-Sun., 8 AM	Margaret Zink-Fritsch
14-Sun., 10 AM	People of the Parish
15-Mon., 8 AM	Those who struggle with mental illness
16-Tues., 8 AM	Richard Heck
17-Wed., 7 PM	Edward Castellini
18-Thurs., 8 AM	Stella Franzen
19-Fri., 8 AM	Mary Lou Brady
20-Sat., 5 PM	Captain & Mark DeMarrero
21-Sun., 8 AM	Victoria Heeb
21-Sun., 10 AM	People of the Parish

To schedule a Mass intention for a person, living or deceased, or for some other particular intention, contact the parish office.

Administration and Staff

Pastor

Very Rev. Ryan L. Stenger, J.C.L., J.V.

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Parish Office Hours

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday
8:30 AM – 4:00 PM

Sunday Collection

March 7 & 8	\$3,639.00
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Virtus: The March bulletin will be sent out March 7 and is due April 6.

Parish News

This coming Friday, March 19, the Church celebrates the Solemnity of St. Joseph, Husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This is, of course, also the patronal feast of our parish. Mass will be at the normal time (8 a.m.) on the feast day and you're certainly encouraged to join us in prayer on that special day. St. Joseph's example of faith and humility is one that we should all strive to emulate in our own lives. Whenever God called Joseph, he rose and went. He set aside his own plans, his own safety, and even his own understanding in order to follow unreservedly the path that the Lord had traced out for him. The Lord calls to all of us too to follow him in our own way, to walk with Him in faith and humility within the particular circumstances of our own lives. Let's ask St. Joseph to help us to follow his example by welcoming Christ into our lives with undivided hearts and allowing Him to guide and direct us in all that we do.

Since this solemnity falls on a Friday of Lent, we are **not** required to abstain from meat this coming Friday, March 19. If you're interested in canon law (and who isn't?!), the Code of Canon Law specifies that abstinence from meat is to be observed on Fridays "unless a solemnity should fall on a Friday" (c. 1251). So, have a steak or something to celebrate St. Joseph this Friday and know that you can do so with a clear conscience.

In his apostolic letter *Patris corde*, Pope Francis shared a prayer to St. Joseph, which the Holy Father had composed. Let's make it our own as we approach his feast day:

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
To you God entrusted His only Son;
in you Mary placed her trust;
with you Christ became man.

Blessed Joseph, to us too,
show yourself a father
and guide us in the path of life.
Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage,
and defend us from every evil. Amen.

Fr. Stenger

Church Cleaning

Team Three: Mar. 1 – Mar. 14

Team One: Mar. 15 – Mar. 28

Team Two: Mar. 29 – Apr. 11

Pray for Those Who Protect Us

PFC Jared Allender, Staff Sgt. Dave Evans, E5 Staff Sgt. Nicholas Glossner, SRA Emily Wagner, Staff Sgt. Nicholas Wagner, I CL Petty Office T.J. Waters. Please pray for those who put themselves in harm's way each day to protect us, including armed service personnel, police, and firefighters.

Pray for the Sick and Homebound

Chris Arlinghaus, Janet Arlinghaus, Kim Brun, Roy Carl, Doug and Ella Carmack, Kent Enzweiler, Henry Glossner, Billy Guthier, Blake Hegner, Nathan Hessman, Flo Kaffenberger, Garry Kaffenberger, Mary Kettenacker, Earl Koeninger, Bernie Kohls, Kelli Kramer, Ed Kremer, Jim Kremer, Iva Leick, Dick Mader, Jerome Makin, Kairi Marie Mullins, Dominic Ramler, April Schack, Casen Schrock, Jill Shaner, Ella Stieby, Steve Tischner, Pauline Wade, Alisha Waters

Thank You

Thank you for the prayers and donations. We appreciate all of thoughts and prayers, and everyone who has reached out in any way. Your love and support are helping us in through this difficult time. Thank you. –Family of Elizabeth Schack

Buddy Cards

Thanks to all who purchased LaRosa's Buddy Cards through our Pre-K! We raised \$1615 for our school and donated 36 cards to the Diocesan Catholic Children's Home. Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

If you ordered any cards and haven't picked them up yet, they are in the vestibule of the church with your name on them.

International Needs Collection

This week the International Mission Needs Collection will be conducted to help our suffering brothers and sisters throughout the world. Five Catholic agencies benefit from this Collection. More than 100 million lives around the world are touched through people like you that give to this Collection. These agencies provide food to the hungry, support to displaced refugees, and promotes Christ's love and respect to all people. Your donation helps to train catechists in parishes, provides access to Bible study groups, so parishioners can live their faith amid challenging circumstances. The donations help with pastoral care, help build structures where the faithful can worship and also help to preserve holy places where Jesus walked and taught thousands of people. Your support helps missions throughout the world and gives hope to *Jesus in Disguise*.

2021 DPAA

In preparation for Commitment Weekend, please take time to read the DPAA newsletter that is included in the bulletin today. The 2021 Diocesan Parish Annual Appeal will begin next weekend. This year's theme is "For God did not send His son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through Him" (John 3:17). In preparation for Commitment Weekend, reflect upon all the good that has been accomplished throughout the history of the Appeal because of the sacrifices and generosity of our Diocesan family. A sacrificial gift to the Appeal assures the ministries and services that no parish could ever provide on its own. Some of these ministries benefit you and your fellow parishioners. Some of them serve those you may never meet. A pledge to the Appeal makes you an ambassador for Christ in love, sacrifice, and service. March 20-21, during Mass, we will complete our DPAA pledge forms together. Everything we do as members of the faith community reminds us that we know when we serve others, we serve the Lord, performing good works in His name. When asked to

help advance God's Kingdom on earth by sharing your material blessings through the 2021 DPAA, please be as generous as you can.

Lenten Reflection Books

There are Lenten reflection books available in the vestibule of the Church. Please take one and make use of it as a part of your prayer this Lent.

Stations of the Cross and Confessions

The Stations of the Cross will be prayed in the church on every Monday of Lent beginning at 7:00 PM. Confessions will be heard afterwards for as long as there is a line.

"Along your own Way of the Cross you also carried my cross. Nor did you carry it just at one distant moment in the past, for your love continues to accompany every moment of my life. Today you carry that cross with me and for me, and, amazingly, you want me, like Simon of Cyrene, to join you in carrying your Cross; you want me to walk at your side and place myself with you at the service of the world's redemption."—Pope Benedict XVI

Pre-K News

2021-2022 Registration is now OPEN! If you know anyone who will have a 3 or 4 year old that might be looking for Pre-K, have them call or text Lisa at 859-409-9185 or email at LRoetting@saint-joseph-school.org.

Thank You!

Thank you for participating in our Coca-Cola Program! We received \$172.05!

Pre-K Awarded Grant

Our Tree Planting application for the Outdoor Learning Center was approved for the requested \$1,000.00. By planting native shade trees in the Center, we will provide additional shelter from the sun for the kids. The children will actively participate in the project from the digging of the hole to watering the planted trees, which will transform this into a learning experience from beginning to end. The funding is sponsored by the Campbell County Conservation District through the Mary Kathryn Dickerson Education Grant.

St. Joseph & St. Philip Promote Catholic Education

February winners:

\$100.00	-	Beverly Ketron
\$ 50.00	-	Don Heeb
\$ 25.00	-	Teresa Ritter

Safety Protocols

As you know, we are still observing several health and safety directives mandated by the bishop in response to concerns about the coronavirus. As time goes on, we all could benefit from some reminders:

- Masks must be worn inside church when attending liturgies. The mask must cover the mouth and nose. There are exceptions for people with medical conditions and children under the age of 5.
- Every other pew is closed. Do not move the ropes in order to sit in a closed pew. If the pews are filled, there is seating available in the choir loft.
- Maintain distance from other families when seated and when moving around the church.
- Please dispose of music sheets and do not leave them in the pews or attempt to return them.
- All nonessential meetings remain suspended.

Thank you for your continued cooperation and patience with all the diocesan guidelines

Looking Back at Over 175 Years!

To commemorate over 175 years of being a parish, we will continue the weekly column from Chuck Taylor to “look back” at the rich history of our church community.

1858: Catherine Nöltner, daughter Joseph & Rosina Nöltner, died from sepsis at age 2.

1878: Dominicus Dietrich & Elizabeth Blenke married. Witnesses-Peter Enzweiler & Cecilus Wagner

1919: Frank Kohne, son of George Kohne & Mary Kremer, was baptized. Godparents-Frank Kremer & Rosa Kremer.

1862 First Communion Class

Victoria Ripp, Wilhelm Lutz, Dorothea Walter, Ludwig Unger, Angelica Enzweiler, Joseph Heck,

Elizabeth Martz, Heinrich Fehr, Louisa Fender, Maria Wagner

1854 Confirmation Class

Susaina Amberger, George Rolf, Peterus Trauth, Magdelina Trauth, Aloysius Blau, Philomenia Wagner, Elizabeth Martz, Elizabeth Kremer, Joseph Speier, Philip Schreiber

Out of Parish News

Aid to Beattyville

Many in our community leave donations in the trailer that is parked behind St. Joh Lutheran on Lower Tug Fork. We are currently collecting cleaning supplies and clothing for people in Lee County who lost so much in the recent flooding. We are also accepting financial donations with which we will buy needed items. Those donations will be accepted through March 17th by check mailed to the church (5977 Lower Tug Fork Rd.) or through the website (www.tugforklutheran.com).

Stimulus Help

Did you receive your stimulus package for 2020 and 2021? First round would have come in March and April of 2021 for \$1,200.00 per adult and \$500.00 per child. Married couples should have received \$2,400.00. The second round would have been January 2021 for \$600.00 per adult and \$600.00 per child. If you did not receive either or only received partial payments, please reach out to me and I will help get you your money for free! Please contact our fellow parishioner Donna Witte, who is the owner of Mad About Taxes, for more information at 859-635-1367.



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