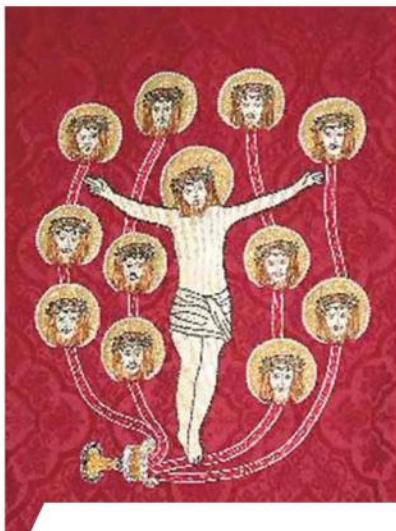


Eucharistic Miracle of WALLDÜRN

Germany, AD 1330



One of the most well known Eucharistic Miracles is that of the Eucharistic Miracle of Walldurn, Germany in A.D. 1330. The best account remaining was written by a monk, known as Hoffius in A.D. 1589. During Mass, the priest accidentally overturned the chalice, which contained the Blood of Christ, onto the corporal. Upon spilling onto the corporal, the accidents (*which is the physical material*) of the consecrated species was transformed into visible blood and formed an image of the Crucified Christ. The corporal with this image has been preserved to this day, located on a side altar in the Minor Basilica of Saint George in Walldurn. Every year, several thousands of pilgrims visit Walldurn to venerate this sacred relic.



Fr. Heinrich Otta was celebrating Mass when he mistakenly overturned the chalice containing the Blood of Christ. Immediately upon spilling on the corporal, it took the form of physical blood and formed the image of the Crucified Christ, surrounded by eleven equal images of the head of Christ crowned with thorns. The priest didn't have the courage to reveal the miracle and, for many years, kept the corporal hidden under the altar. It was only near the end of his life that he shared the event and revealed the corporal. The corporal quickly became an image of popular devotion with many pilgrims attributing conversions and miraculous recoveries before its presence. Pope Eugene IV confirmed the miracle in 1445. Quickly gaining popularity across Europe, the corporal is now kept of the Augustian Order in the Minor Basilica of St. George in Walldurn, Germany.



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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 2

8:00 a.m. Special Intention
4:00-4:45 p.m. Confession
4:35 p.m. Rosary
5:00 p.m. Jerry Loshe +

Sunday, July 3

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:10 a.m. Rosary
7:30 a.m. Parish Family
9:40 a.m. Rosary
10:00 a.m. Mary Ann & Terry Flowers +

Monday, July 4

Independence Day

9:00 a.m. Doug Lilley +

Tuesday, July 5

8:00 a.m. Jane Case +
8:30 a.m. Confession

Wednesday, July 6

6:00-7:00 p.m. Adoration
6:00-6:45 p.m. Confessions
7:00 p.m. Dorothy Booth +

Thursday, July 7

8:00 a.m. Living & Deceased of the Paxton and Marshall Families

Friday, July 8

8:30 a.m. Doug Huss +

Saturday, July 9

8:00 a.m. Special Intention
4:00-4:45 p.m. Confession
4:35 p.m. Rosary
5:00 p.m. Dale Morrissey +

Sunday, July 10

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:10 a.m. Rosary
7:30 a.m. Parish Family
9:40 a.m. Rosary
10:00 a.m. Mary Ann & Terry Flowers +



MASS READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, July 4 - Fourteenth Week in Ordinary Time - Independence Day - Hos

2:16, 17c-18, 21-22/ Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday, July 5 - St. Anthony Zaccaria, Priest; St. Elizabeth of Portugal - Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/ Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday, July 6 - St. Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr - Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/ Mt 10:1-7

Thursday, July 7 - Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/ Mt 10:7-15

Friday, July 8 - Hos 14:2-10/ Mt 10:16-23

Saturday, July 9 - St. Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest and Companions, Martyrs - Is 6:1-8/ Mt 10:24-33

Sunday, July 10 - Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Dt 30:10-14/ Col 1:15-20/ Lk 10:25-37

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - JULY 3, 2022

Join us **Monday, July 4th, at 9 AM for Mass** to begin our Independence Day celebrations by first giving thanks to God for the great freedoms that we enjoy.

This weekend (July 2nd/3rd), the Church celebrates the **Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**. Today is our first “green Sunday” in quite a while. Having celebrated many beautiful mysteries of our faith, both universally and locally, now is the time when we “get to work” and put into practice all that we have celebrated. We will now remain in **Ordinary Time** until our liturgical year once again begins anew this coming **Advent** in November.

In a Papal Encyclical, or letter, released earlier this week on liturgy, Pope Francis called us “to rediscover the meaning of the *liturgical year and of the Lord’s Day*.” In the liturgical year, we are to see “the possibility of growing in our knowledge of the mystery of Christ, immersing our life in the mystery of His Death and Resurrection, awaiting his return in glory. This is a true ongoing formation.” This is why we are called to fully walk through and live out the liturgical year each year.

Pope Francis continues, showing us how the liturgical year, lived anew each year, serves as a reminder that “our life is not a random chaotic series of events, one following the other. It is rather a precise itinerary which, from one annual celebration of His Death and Resurrection to the next, conforms us to Him, *as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ*.” This year is meant to guide our year, our lives, so that we might walk along each day following alongside the Savior Himself.

The liturgical year, of course, goes hand-in-hand with the Lord’s Day, or Sunday. Every Sunday, “the Church celebrates in the Lord’s day the event of our salvation,” calling to mind the joy of the Resurrection. Every Sunday has an initiate connection to Easter Sunday. Our Sunday worship “is a gift that God makes for his people; and for this reason the Church safeguards it with a precept,” which is our Sunday obligation to gather together for Mass (*unless legitimately impeded from doing so*).

Why does Pope Francis say that is this obligation important? Because “the Sunday celebration offers to the Christian community the possibility of being formed by the Eucharist. From Sunday to Sunday the word of the Risen Lord illuminates our existence, wanting to achieve in us the end for which it was sent (Cf. Is 55:10-11). From Sunday to Sunday communion in the Body and Blood of Christ wants to make also of our lives a sacrifice pleasing to the Father, in the fraternal communion of sharing, of hospitality, of service.” In this worship, we encounter and receive the risen Christ.

Starting next weekend, we will discontinue the use of our individual leaflets at weekend Masses. These leaflets were initially created two years ago to provide the weekend readings when the hymnals were removed from the pews. With the return of the hymnals, the leaflets were shortened, only containing the Entrance and Communion Antiphons. As we had not yet resumed singing, these Antiphons were recited, as we are instructed to do so in the *General Instruction of the Roman Missal (GIRM)*.

Though we had resumed singing, we continued to recite these antiphons, primarily due to their biblical content. As Catholics, we are called to have an intimate knowledge of God’s Word. So often, we overlook that one way we grow in this intimate knowledge is found in the liturgy. Not only do we hear the Word proclaimed in the Liturgy of the Word at Mass, but the entirety of the Mass itself, whether or not we know it, is so grounded in the Word.

Why then, move away from our leaflets? Primarily, to save on resources each weekend. Though we will no longer recite the Entrance Antiphon at the beginning of Mass, the priest will continue to recite the Communion Antiphon each weekend prior to the distribution of Holy Communion, as permitted by the GIRM.

~Faithfully in Christ, Fr. David



Becky Biberstein, Michael Green, Frances Carr, Tom Richhart, Carol Leitner, Pat Pfeifer, Troy Cook, Bobbie and Cheryl Jackson, Sandy Arnold, Andrea Holte, Jen Coyne, Bonnie Burns, John Houlihan, Nora LaVine, Kimberly Abney, Sydnee Bradburn, Leanne Lee, Matt McFarren, Ryan Feeback, Dr. Doug Phillips, Jeff Tillman, Marj Pogue and Matt Marshall.

St. Joseph Catholic Church

INDEPENDENCE DAY MASS

Monday
July 4th - 9 a.m.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING

Tuesday, July 5, 2022

Recitation of the Holy Rosary 6:40 p.m. in Church,
meeting in Parish Social Hall at 7:00 p.m.



Wedding Banns III

Jacob S. Collins and
Isabel C. Crawfis



We pray for those preparing for Holy Matrimony.

G.I.R.L.'s night out

(Growing, Inspiring, Rejoicing, Loving)

Will hold their monthly meeting Tuesday, July 12 at 6:30 p.m.
We will be watching the movie, Father Stu. All women of the
Parish are invited and welcome to attend! If you are in need of a
ride, please call the Parish office at 260-824-1380.

PARISH CALENDAR

- Sat., July 2 - Confession 4-4:45 p.m. / Mass 5:00 p.m.
- Sun., July 3 - Mass 7:30 a.m. / Mass 10:00 a.m.
- Mon., July 4 - Independence Day Mass 9:00 a.m.
- Mon., July 4 - Parish Office closed today in observance of Independence Day.
- Tues., July 5 - 7-8:00 a.m. Adoration / Mass 8:00 a.m. / Confessions 8:30 a.m.
- Tuesday, July 5, 2022 - Knights of Columbus - Recitation of the Holy Rosary 6:40 p.m. in Church, meeting in Parish Social Hall at 7:00 p.m.
- Wed., July 6 - Adoration - 6-7 p.m. / Confessions 6:00-6:45 p.m. / Mass 7:00 p.m.
- Thurs., July 7 - Ask Fr. John - 7:00 p.m. Bring your questions!
- Sat., July 9 - Confession 4-4:45 p.m. / Mass 5:00 p.m.
- Sat., July 9 - Jacob Collins and Isabel Crawfis will be joined together in Holy Matrimony - 2:30 p.m.
- Sun., July 10 - Mass 7:30 a.m. / Mass 10:00 a.m.
- Tues., July 12 - Adoration 7-8:00 a.m. / Mass 8:00 a.m. / Confessions 8:30 a.m.
- Tues., July 12 - G.I.R.L.'s Night Out -
- Wed., July 13 - Adoration - 6-7 p.m. / Confessions 6:00-6:45 p.m. / Mass 7:00 p.m.
- Thurs., July 14 - Ask Fr. John - 7:00 p.m. Bring your questions!
- Sat., July 16 - Confession 4-4:45 p.m. / Mass 5:00 p.m.
- Sun., July 17 - Mass 7:30 a.m. / Mass 10:00 a.m.

Weekend of July 9/10



5:00 Bruce Holland
7:30 Teresa Smith
10:00 Volunteer



5:00 Glenn Ryan
7:30 Steve Wagner
10:00 Patti Clark-Johnson



5:00 Volunteers
7:30 Volunteers
10:00 Volunteers



5:00 Volunteers, Kari or Isiah Bedwell
7:30 Beth Geisel, Volunteers
10:00 Ellie Coyne, Gabby Hoffacker, Gracie Haiflich

St. Joseph Parish Finance Report for the Weekends of June 18/19 & 25/26

Adult Envelopes- \$4,186.00

Child Envelopes- \$4.00

Loose- \$314.00

Repair/Rainy Day Fund- \$461.55

Religious Ed. Fund- \$25.00

Ascension- \$500.00

Votive Candles- \$179.29

Bulletin Ad- \$75.00

Totus Tuus Donation- \$20.00

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Our weekly budget is \$5,116.40

We are \$2,322.62 ahead of our
budget for the month of June.

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EASTER GIFT- CRUCIFIX

We still have crucifixes that need to be picked up. If you
were signed up to have Fr. David deliver your crucifix
and bless your home before he left for his studies, please
go ahead and pick up your crucifix and he will make ar-
rangements with you when he returns. They will be avail-
able in the narthex. Please look for the one with your
name on it. Thank you!

ASK FATHER

Every Thursday evening at 7 P.M. through the month of
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Bring your questions! **All are welcome!**

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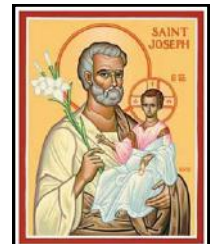
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