

# St. Joseph Catholic Church

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**Welcome! We extend our hearts and hands to all who celebrate with us at St. Josephs. We would like to invite any guest to fill out the form below, if interested in becoming a registered member of this Parish.**

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☐ New Parishioners, please send a Parish Registration Form    ☐ We've Moved, here is our new information

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, June 6

#### No Morning Mass today

4:00 p.m. Confessions

4:35 p.m. Rosary

5:00 p.m. Jim Mueller +

### Sunday, June 7

#### - The Most Holy Trinity Sunday -

7:10 a.m. Rosary

7:30 a.m. Evelyn Morrissey +

9:40 a.m. Rosary

10:00 a.m. Parish Family

12:10 p.m. Rosary

12:30 p.m. Special Intention

### Monday, June 8 - No Morning Mass

### Tuesday, June 9

10:30-11:30 a.m. Adoration

11:30 a.m. Hildegard Schaefer +

Noon Rosary

### Wednesday, June 10

6:00-7:00 p.m. Adoration

6:00-6:45 p.m. Confessions

7:00 p.m. Chris Gayday +

### Thursday, June 11

11:30 a.m. Stephen Hickert +

Noon Rosary

### Friday, June 12

11:30 a.m. Diane Humphrey Family

Noon Rosary

### Saturday, June 13

11:30 a.m. No Mass Intention

Noon Rosary

4:00 p.m. Confessions

4:35 p.m. Rosary

5:00 p.m. Deceased members of Corey & Stacey Coulardot Family

### Sunday, June 14

#### - Corpus Christi Sunday -

7:10 a.m. Rosary

7:30 a.m. Parish Family

9:40 a.m. Rosary

10:00 a.m. Deceased members of Lori Bender Family

12:10 p.m. Rosary

12:30 p.m. Special Intention

## MOST HOLY TRINITY — June 6, 2020

With the close of the Easter Season, this weekend (June 6th/7th) brings back into the liturgical season of Ordinary Time. This weekend and the next, however, have two special solemnities that will keep us from wearing the liturgical color of Ordinary Time: Green. This weekend, we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity and, next weekend, the Solemnity of *Corpus Christi*, or the *Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ*. These two solemnities put our focus on the love of God as we return to Ordinary Time.

This weekend, the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity reveals to us that the eternal love of God is the uncreated first foundation and final goal of all creation, ourselves included. To quote St. Augustine from the 4th Century: "You have made us for yourself, O Lord, and our hearts are restless until they rest in you." Or, as many parishioners might remember from their Catechism lessons, "God made us to show forth His goodness and to share with us His everlasting happiness in heaven."

Next weekend, the Solemnity of *Corpus Christi* celebrates the love of God given to us in the great gift of the Most Holy Eucharist. In this gift, Jesus Christ gives Himself to us in the most unique and real of ways. In the mid-19th Century, St. Therese of Lisieux contemplated this wondrous gift as she wrote: "Do you realize that Jesus is there in the tabernacle expressly for you - for you alone? He burns with the desire to come into your heart." God loves us; He wants us to be with Him; and He has given Himself to us at the altar so that we might be in union (communion) with Him.

As our Lord comes to us, we must desire to bring Him to every person. Following our 10 AM Mass on *Corpus Christi* (June 14th; Incense will be used at this Mass), we will have a period of adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and a Eucharistic Procession around our parish campus. In this way, we proclaim our belief of Jesus' Real Presence in the Eucharist and bring salvation Himself out into the world. In a procession, He leads us into the world and, as His disciples, we follow behind Him (keeping an appropriate social distance as we do so). With Jesus Himself leading us, we have nothing to fear.

Congratulations Fr. Stephen Felicichia!

This Saturday (June 6th), Bishop Rhoades ordained six young men to the diaconate and one deacon to the priesthood. We congratulate Father Stephen Felicichia, as he joins our priestly fraternity and begins his priestly ministry in our Diocese. We also congratulate our six new Deacons: Logan Parrish, Augustine Onuoha, Michael Ammer, Benjamin Landrigan, Keeton Lockwood, and Paolo Degasper. Over the years, God has granted our diocese with the blessing of many priestly vocations. Let us continue to pray for vocations throughout our diocese and from our own parish.

Fr. Felicichia has been with us these many past months since returning from the seminary and will remain in residence at St. Joseph's until he begins his first priestly assignment. Bp. Rhoades has appointed him as the new associate pastor of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton in Fort Wayne effective June 23rd. After ordination, Fr. Felicichia celebrated his first Mass at his home parish of St. Therese in Fort Wayne. This coming weekend, he will be with us to celebrate Mass for the Solemnity of Corpus Christi and to join in our Eucharistic Procession after the 10 AM Mass.

It has been a true joy to have Fr. Felicichia in residence at St. Joseph's. He has been a tremendous ministerial help in our parish response and outreach throughout the suspension of public Masses. I've also personally enjoyed our priestly and spiritual fraternity within the rectory, forming a communal prayer routine similar to that found in the seminary. St. Joseph's wishes Fr. Felicichia the best as he prepares for his first assignment and ask that God bless him in his priestly ministry.

## MASS READINGS FOR THE WEEK

### Mon., June 8 - Tenth Week in Ordinary Time

- 1 Kgs 17:1-6/ Mt 5:1-12

Tues., June 9 - St. Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church - 1 Kgs 17:7-16/ Mt 5:13-16

Wed., June 10 - 1 Kgs 18:20-39/ Mt 5:17-19

Thurs., June 11 - St. Barnabas, Apostle - Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/ Mt 5:20-26

Fri., June 12 - 1 Kgs 19:9a,11-16/ Mt 5:27-32

Sat., June 13 - St. Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church - 1 Kgs 19:19-21/ Mt 5:33-37

Sun., June 14 - The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) Sunday - Dt 8:2-3,14b-16a/ 1 Cor 10:16-17/ Jn 6:51-58



Sharon Miller, Genevieve Lohmuller, Becky Biberstein, Betty Meyer, David Carr, Ronnie & Bonnie Burns, Michael Green, Rick Cotterman, Frances Carr, Tom Richhart, Carol Leitner, Pat Pfeifer, Troy Cook, Cheryl Jackson, Mary Ann Flowers, Sandy Arnold, Lynn Rickord, Jimmy Robbins, Jean Steele, Bob Line, Charlotte Sawyers and Andrea Holte.





give blood, give life

### From Death To New Life

In your charity, please pray for the repose of the soul of M. Gertrude 'Gertie' Wyss, mother of Diana Cole, who passed away Monday, June 1, 2020.



May God welcome Gertie home, fill her with peace and bless those who will miss her.

Eternal Rest Grant unto her O Lord, and let Perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in Peace. Amen.

### PARISH CALENDAR

- Tues., June 9 - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 10:30-11:30 a.m./ Mass 11:30 a.m./ Confessions after Mass (Noon)
- Wed., June 10 - Adoration 6:00-7:00 p.m. / Confessions 6:00-6:45 p.m. / Mass 7:00 p.m.
- Thurs., June 11 - Mass 11:30 a.m. / Rosary Noon
- Fri., June 12 - Mass 11:30 a.m. / Rosary Noon
- Sat., June 13 - Mass 11:30 a.m. / Rosary Noon
- Sat., June 13 - Confession 4-4:45 p.m. / Mass 5:00 p.m.
- Sun., June 14 - Mass 7:30 a.m. / 10:00 a.m. / 12:30 p.m.
- Mon., June 15 - Mass 11:30 a.m. / Rosary Noon
- Tues., June 16 - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 10:30-11:30 a.m./ Mass 11:30 a.m./ Confessions after Mass (Noon)
- Wed., June 17 - Adoration 6:00-7:00 p.m. / Confessions 6:00-6:45 p.m. / Mass 7:00 p.m.
- Thurs., June 18 - Mass 11:30 a.m. / Rosary Noon
- Fri., June 19 - Mass 11:30 a.m. / Rosary Noon
- Sat., June 20 - Mass 11:30 a.m. / Rosary Noon
- Sat., June 20 - Confession 4-4:45 p.m. / Mass 5:00 p.m.
- Sun., June 21 - Mass 7:30 a.m. / 10:00 a.m. / 12:30 p.m.
- Mon., June 22 - Mass 11:30 a.m. / Rosary Noon
- Tues., June 23 - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 10:30-11:30 a.m./ Mass 11:30 a.m./ Confessions after Mass (Noon)
- Wed., June 24 - Adoration 6:00-7:00 p.m. / Confessions 6:00-6:45 p.m. / Mass 7:00 p.m.
- Thurs., June 25 - Mass 11:30 a.m. / Rosary Noon
- Fri., June 26 - Mass 11:30 a.m. / Rosary Noon
- Sat., June 27 - Mass 11:30 a.m. / Rosary Noon
- Sat., June 27 - Confession 4-4:45 p.m. / Mass 5:00 p.m.
- Sun., June 28 - Mass 7:30 a.m. / 10:00 a.m. / 12:30 p.m.
- Sun., June 28 - Red Cross Blood Drive - 7:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. in the parish gym.



### St. Joseph Parish Finance Report

#### Collections May 30/31 weekend

Adult Envelopes- \$

Child Envelopes- \$

Loose- \$

Repair/Rainy Day Fund- \$

Religious Ed. Fund- \$

Votive Candles- \$

Ascension- \$

**Total- \$**

**Our weekly budget is \$5,116.40**

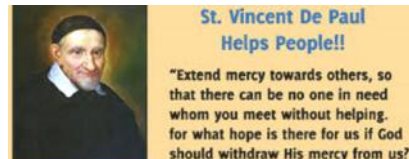
We are \$1,593.48 behind budget.

#### Other Collections within our Parish-

St. Vincent de Paul Fund- \$

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### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FUND REPORT

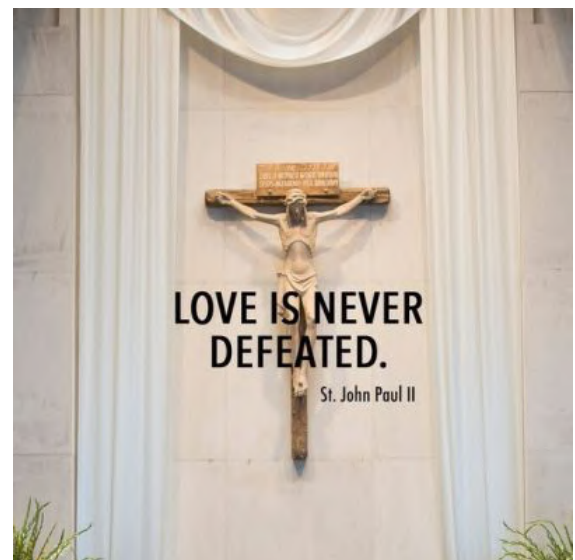
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i - is it inspiring?  
n - is it necessary?  
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