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Mass Schedule

Saturday Evening: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 12:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.
Tuesday: 8:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday: 6:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. and by request.

Parish Registration

Kindly call the rectory and register at your earliest possible convenience. If moving, please notify the rectory office.



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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 26

8:00 a.m. Special Intention
4:00-4:45 p.m. Confession
4:35 p.m. Rosary
5:00 p.m. Lloyd & Viola Smith Family

Sunday, June 27

- Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time -

7:10 a.m. Rosary
7:30 a.m. Ronnie Burns +
9:40 a.m. Rosary
10:00 a.m. Parish Family
12:05 p.m. Rosary
12:30 p.m. Special Intention

Monday, June 28

No Morning Mass

Tuesday, June 29

11:30 a.m. Gloria Gordon +

Wednesday, June 30

6:00-7:00 p.m. Adoration
6:00-6:45 p.m. Confessions
7:00 p.m. Tom Courtney +

Thursday, July 1

5:30 p.m. Maurice Harvey + & Bill Lautzenheiser +

Friday, July 2

12:30 p.m. Gertie Wyss +
6:00 p.m. (Latin Mass) Special Intention

Saturday, July 3

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

Sunday, July 4 - Independence Day

- 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 +
12:05 p.m. Rosary
12:30 p.m. Special Intention

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - JUNE 27, 2021

This weekend (June 26th/27th), the Church celebrates the **Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**. Our local Church, however, is also celebrating the **fifty-fifth anniversary of the dedication of our church-building**. To mark this celebration, our bulletin features a *retro-cover*. This cover, designed by parishioner Nancy Wagner, served as one of our primary bulletin covers during the 1980s.

This celebration reminds us both of our past and our future. It is our story: the vibrant epic of the way in which the life of God is nourished in our souls. It begins in the church-building as the expectant mother prays for a blessing upon her newly conceived child. It ends in the church-building as the mourning family gathers to pray for their departed loved one. During all the years in between, filled with work and rest, joy and sorrow, pleasure and pain—we gather together to pray as one in the church-building.

JULY DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

This week, I received my class information for our July Semester at the Catholic University of America. Due to a change in my class schedule, we will once again have a change in our daily Mass schedule throughout July. On **Thursday, July 1st**, daily Mass will be at 5:30 PM. On **Friday, July 2nd**, daily Mass will be at 12:30 PM, with adoration from 1:00-6:00 PM, and our First Friday Votive Mass at 6:00 PM.

Starting on **July 6th**, our schedule throughout July will be: **Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays: Daily Mass at 5:30 PM; Wednesdays: Daily Mass at 7:00 PM; Saturdays: Daily Mass at 8:00 AM. Adoration and Confession will be on Wednesdays from 6:00-7:00 PM**, prior to the 7:00 PM Mass. As always, thank you for your understanding and flexibility.

DIOCESAN MISSION SPEAKER - FR. JOSE

We will welcome Fr. Jose Panamattathil, VC, as the celebrant at all of our liturgies next weekend. Many may know Fr. Jose as the associate pastor of St. Mary's, Decatur. He is also a religious priest, being a missionary of the Vincentian Congregation. This congregation, founded November 20, 1904 in Kerala, South India, draws its spirit and distinctive character from the life, works and the "Common Rules" of their patron, St. Vincent De Paul.

Fr. Jose will be our diocesan mission speaker this year. Next weekend, he will have the opportunity to share with us the good work that his community is doing, including evangelization in parish missions, providing education through local schools, creating local publications, and founding various rehabilitation centers throughout North India and East Africa. These good works could not continue without our prayers and our financial support.

With the adverse effects of the coronavirus, the Vincentians in India are also facing many additional challenges in their ministry. The second wave of the pandemic within India has left many hospitalized, including many Vincentian priests in Fr. Jose's own congregation. Our financial support of Fr. Jose's mission will not only aide the good work that the Vincentians have been doing over the past many years, but will also be put towards relief work for those families suffering from the coronavirus in North India.

A special "second collection" basket will be set aside our normal offertory basket when entering the Church next weekend. Donations placed in this second basket will be put towards the missionary work of the Vincentians. I know that our parish will generously respond to supporting the work of the Vincentians in North India as they preach the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Faithfully in Christ, Fr. David

MASS READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon., June 28 - Thirteenth Week in Ordinary Time - St. Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr

- Gn 18:16-33/ Mt 8:18-22

Tues., June 29 - Sts. Peter & Paul, Apostles -

Acts 12:1-11/ 2 Tm 4:6-8,17-18/ Mt 16:13-19

Wed., June 30 - The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church - Gn 21:5,8-20a/ Mt 8:28-34

Thurs., July 1 - St. Junipero Serra, Priest - Gn 22:1b-19/ Mt 9:1-8

Fri., July 2 - Gn 23:1-4,19; 24:1-8,62-67/ Mt 9:9-13

Sat., July 3 - St. Thomas, Apostle - Eph 2:19-22/ Jn 20:24-29

Sun., July 4 - Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Independence Day - Ez 2:2-5/ 2 Cor 12:7-10/ Mk 6:1-6a



Sharon Miller, Becky Biberstein, Michael Green, Rick Cotterman, Frances Carr, Tom Richhart, Carol Leitner, Pat Pfeifer, Troy Cook, Cheryl Jackson, Sandy Arnold, Andrea Holte, Tom Williams, Jen Coyne, Bonnie Burns, John Houlihan, Nora LaVine, and Kimberly Abney.



SOLEMNITY OF STS. PETER AND PAUL

June 29th



"Both apostles share the same feast day, for these two were one; and even though they suffered on different days, they were as one. Peter went first, and Paul followed. And so we celebrate this day made holy for us by the apostles' blood. Let us embrace what they believed, their life, their labors, their sufferings, their preaching, and their confession of faith."

~ St. Augustine ~

4th Century Bishop of Hippo

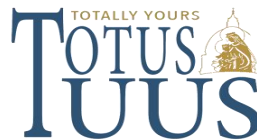
PARISH CALENDAR

- **Sun., June 27:** Red Cross Blood Drive in Parish Gym from 7:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Register at americanredcross.org.
- **Tues., June 29:** Mass at 11:30 a.m. / Confession at Noon.
- **Wed., June 30:** Adoration at 6-7:00 p.m. / Confession at 6-6:45 p.m. / Mass at 7:00 p.m.
- **Thurs., July 1:** Mass at 5:30 p.m.
- **Thurs., July 1:** Summer Bible Study, *Beginning with the End* at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Social Hall.
- **Fri., July 2:** First Friday Mass at 12:30 p.m. / Adoration from 12:00-6:00 p.m. / Low (*Latin*) Mass at 6:00 p.m.
- **Sat., July 3:** Mass at 8:00 a.m.
- **Sat., & Sun., July 3 & 4:** Mission Appeal Speaker at all Masses from the Diocesan Missionary Co-operative Program.
- **Sat., July 3:** Confession 4-4:45 p.m. / Mass 5:00 p.m.
- **Sun., July 4:** Mass at 7:30 a.m. / 10:00 a.m. / 12:30 p.m.
- **Mon., July 5:** Parish Office Closed for the July 4th Holiday.
- **Tues., July 6:** Mass at 5:30 p.m. / Confession 6:00 p.m.
- **Tues., July 6:** Knights of Columbus - Recitation of the Holy Rosary at 6:40 p.m. / Meeting at 7:00 p.m.
- **Wed., July 7:** Adoration from 6-7:00 p.m. / Confession from 6-6:45 p.m. / Mass at 7:00 p.m.
- **Thurs., July 8:** Summer Bible Study, *Beginning with the End* at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Social Hall.
- **Sun., July 11 - Thurs., July 15:** *Totus Tuus* Summer Program begins. **Middle School & High School** meet from 7-9:00 p.m.
- **Mon., July 12 - Fri., July 16:** *Totus Tuus* Summer Program, **Grades 1-6** meet from 9:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
- **Sun., July 18:** Discussion Forum following the 7:30 a.m. Mass in Parish Social Hall. The July topic is Angels / Demons.
- **Wed., July 21:** Discussion Forum following the 7:00 p.m. Mass in Parish Social Hall. The July topic is Angels / Demons.

TOTUS TUUS REGISTRATION PACKETS!

Registration is open for *Totus Tuus*, running the week of **July 11th-16th**.

Registration and Volunteer Forms are available in the narthex!



Totus Tuus is a catechetical program for 1st - 12th Grade.

The "**Evening Program**" for Middle and High School (7th - 12th Grade) runs Sunday, July 11th, through Thursday, July 15th, from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

The "**Day Program**" for 1st - 6th Grade runs Monday, July 12th, through Friday, July 16th, from 9:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.*

*Lunch and Snacks will be provided for the Day Program.

All are welcome to join us for *Totus Tuus*!

Questions? Please call the Parish Office (824-1380)



FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION- Friday, July 2

Daily Mass at 12:30 p.m.

Adoration from 1:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

Low (*Latin*) Mass at 6:00 p.m.

"Could you not watch one hour with me?"

(Sign up sheet is in the narthex.)

St. Joseph Parish Finance Report

June 19/20 Weekend

Adult Envelopes- \$2,774.57

Child Envelopes- \$0

Loose- \$244.00

Repair/Rainy Day Fund- \$110.00

Religious Ed. Fund- \$321.00

Total- \$3,449.57

Our weekly budget is \$5,116.40

We are \$1,398.29 behind our budget for the month of June.

St. Vincent de Paul Fund- \$563.00

Thank you for your gifts to St. Joseph's!

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From Death To New Life

In your charity, please pray for the repose of the soul of Andrea Grover, wife of Marty Grover, who died Sunday, June 20, 2021.



May God welcome Andrea 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.

ST. JOSEPH'S CORNER

"HE WAS CHOSEN BY THE ETERNAL FATHER AS THE TRUSTWORTHY GUARDIAN AND PROTECTOR OF HIS GREATEST TREASURES, NAMELY, HIS DIVINE SON AND MARY, JOSEPH'S WIFE. **HE CARRIED OUT THIS VOCATION WITH COMPLETE FIDELITY** UNTIL AT LAST GOD CALLED HIM SAYING: 'GOOD AND FAITHFUL SERVANT, ENTER INTO THE JOY OF YOUR LORD.'" ST. BERNADINE OF SIENA



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