

JOSEPH THE WORKER CATHOLIC CHURCH

First gathering: Sept. 16, 1992 Blessing of Building: May 25, 2001

Consecration of Altar & Church January 12, 2003

Canonically erected Parish May 1, 2006 -Feast of St.

Joseph the Worker

St. Joseph the Worker, as a happy faith community, welcomes you and your family with joyful hearts to our

church. If you are not registered and want to belong to this happy family of worshippers, please see an ushers or Fr.

Julius. Or call the office at (423) 442-7273.

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Church (423) 442-7273

Rectory (423) 420-1856- (for sacramental emergencies only)

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Pastoral Staff

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Parish Council & Women's Group	Barbara Callan

MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil Mass	4 pm
Sunday (English)	8 am and 10 am
Sunday (Spanish)	12:30 pm
Daily Mass (Tue -Fri)	9 am

Holy Days of Obligation: Mass at 9 am and 7 pm (Bilingual)

OFFICE HOURS: Monday – Friday 9:30 am – 1 pm

Bulletin items due Tuesday before 12:30 pm

SACRAMENTAL NEEDS

Sacrament of Baptism: Baptismal preparation is required for parents who desire their baby / child to be baptized. Parents must be registered with the church. Forms and information are available in the office.

Sacrament of Penance: Saturday 3:15 pm Sunday 9:15–9:45 am or upon request Domingo 12:00 pm Spanish

Sacrament of the Sick: If one is seriously ill or having surgery, call the parish office or the rectory for Anointing of the Sick/Last Rites by Fr. Julius. Funerals: When planning funerals, contact the office before finalizing arrangements.

Pastoral Care of the Sick: Notify the office for the homebound or hospitalized to request a visit from Fr. Julius, either for communion or for anointing of the sick.

Sacrament of Marriage: Couples should contact the Pastor a minimum of six (6) months in advance. Dates may not be set prior to the second meeting with the priest. The Diocese requires that couples attend an Engaged Encounter or Picture of Love Weekend.

Mass Intentions and Schedule

Monday, May 27-	No Mass- Office Closed, Memorial Day
Tuesday, May 28-	9 am Mass Don Brazeau (Health) By: Brazeau Family
Wed., May 29-	9 am Mass Dustin Brazeau (Birthday) By: Brazeau Family
Thursday, May 30-	9 am Mass † Phyllis A. McGrath (5 year anniversary of her passing) By: Mike McGrath
Friday, May 31-	9 am Mass Ed Heinemann By: Friends
	Adoration: 9:30 am-noon
Sat, Jun 1-	4:00 pm Mass † Paul R. Griego By: Griego Family
Sun, Jun 2-	The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ
8:00 am Mass	Claire Stortstrom & Bruce Logan (Newly Married) By: Eric & Carolyn Chase
10:00 am Mass	<i>People of the Parish</i> By:
12:30 Mass (Spanish)	† Dayra Nunez By: Irina Conde & Hernan Maranon

If you wish to have a Mass said for a special occasion or in memory of a loved one, contact the office. Thank you.

Saturday/Sunday	June 1-2		
	4:00 pm	8:00 am	10:00 am
Ushers	Steve Pat	Frank/Cami Mike	Ken Hay K Schluter
Server	Conrad K Mary K	Katie E Patrick B	Andrew H Millie N Shelby A
Readers	R Burris M Evans	Vanessa B R Dickson	Art S C Iasi
EMHC	J Hugel Carrie K M Olako *	M Beavers E Chase D Hodnicki *	K Swars D Walter R Stakes *
Person does the host *			
Church Cleaning: Tues, May 28 –J & M Croker			
Counters:	Marlene	Jan	

ONLINE GIVING

Visit our website at www.sjtwrcc.org

Click on the "DONATE NOW" button.

WEEKLY FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP:

May 18-19, 2024

Week 47

Attendance: 406

Weekly Need: \$ 5,365

Offering	Online	Week +/-	YTD
\$ 4078	\$ 2070	+\$783	+\$40,515

Capital Exp \$ 90	Capital Bldg Fund \$ 180
Good Shepherd \$ 126	Feed My Sheep \$ 140

As a parish of intentional disciples, we are grateful and thank all who give so generously. God Bless you!
Please continue to give your pledged amounts.

Methods of Donating to our Ministries and Upkeep of St. Joseph the Worker Church:

- Through weekly, biweekly & monthly donations
- Through online donations - Go to our website, www.sjtwrcc.org, choose HOME, go down to HELP US TO SPREAD OUR LOVE & FAITH, click on Donate Now, fill out the information form
- You may call the parish office if you want to make a specific donation to a specific project

All donations are to be made to: ***“St. Joseph the Worker Church, Madisonville, TN.”***

Let Us Pray for Our Sick Parishioners

Mary Cornejo	Madeline Albach	Karen Burris
John Reiner	Jeanne Huffor	Bruce Mackenzie
Karen Ruggiero	James Hill	Hugo Schielke
Patty Swatzell	Dennis Wilson	Phil Misko
Barbara Hill	Bill Swars	Howard Clarke



And Also Pray for Those in the Military

Nicholas Dickson	Liam Adams
Matthew Fioravanti	Quinn Mackenzie
Aiden Weber	Seth Turpeinen
Jacob Hill	Christopher St. Pierre
Ian Perdue	

To add/remove from list, please contact the office. Any parishioner who is sick or having surgery, notify Fr. Julius or the office (privacy extended to those who request it).

Event of Death: notify the office if you would like the Parish to share your grief if a family member dies. Mass can be offered immediately or at a date convenient to the family.

Thoughts for the Week:

"For to have the fruits of God the Trinity, after whose image we are made, is indeed the fullness of our joy, that which there is no greater."

~ **St Augustine of Hippo**

"A great mystery, a mystery of love, an ineffable mystery, before which words must give way to the silence of wonder and worship."

~ **Pope St John Paul II**

Happy Birthday: Angelica Calderon, Maria Corona-Gonzalez, Vanessa Espinosa, Christine Ferguson, Armando Fernandez, Maria Gonzalez, Iris Guzman, Judith Hogan, Andrew Huffor, John Kemble, Magdalena Magos, Grigs Swartz, Alexander Zavala
Happy Anniversary: Joe & Joanie Gaspar, Manuel & Guadalupe Quintino



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Friday mornings from 9:30 am to noon: "The time you spend with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is the best time you will

\ spend on Earth. For each moment you spend with Him deepens your union with Him." ~St. Teresa of Calcutta



If you wish to donate Altar Flowers in "honor of" or "in memory of" a loved one, please call the office.

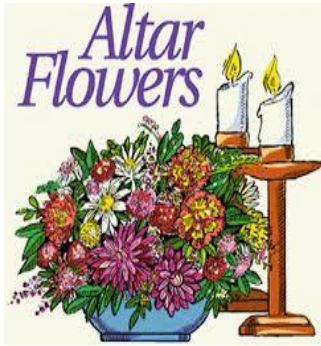


Coffee & Donuts are served after the 8 AM and the 10 AM Masses. Join us in the parish hall.

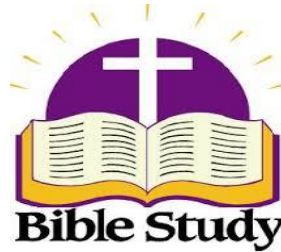


Our Blessed Mother asks us to pray the rosary for world peace. Join us to say the rosary at 7:00 PM, on Thursdays at the grotto or in the church.

The Church Office will be closed on Monday, May 27, for the Memorial Day Holiday.



Altar Flowers this weekend are given to celebrate the 93rd Birthday of Grace Jacobson. Congratulations & Happy Birthday! Flowers donated by Chris & Chris Cotler



Scripture Study by Rod Bennett, author, national speaker, and our very own parishioner, is offering a Scripture study on "The Acts of the Apostles." This is the sequel to the program

he led on "The Gospel of Luke." The sessions will be on Thursdays, at 7:00 pm, downstairs in the parish hall and began on May 9th. Please join us for this enlightening and inspiring study.



We will have an Adult Bingo Night on Friday, June 7th at 7 PM. BYOB and an appetizer to share. Prizes will be awarded. Bring a friend and have fun! Please confirm your attendance

by phone or text to Cathy at 516 582-2172.



The Knight of Columbus will once again conduct their **Annual Yard Sale** with proceeds going to the many Monroe County charities that they support.

Please consider donating any items that you no longer need to this worthy event. Any and all items of value that are clean and in working order are welcomed. They will be happy to make arrangements to pick up your donations at your convenience.



Do you have any old Magnificat issues? We are collecting them to be recycled and reused. There is a box in the Narthex, just drop them in there. Thank you!



**F.L.A.M.E. Program
A = Adoration**

“Of all devotions, that of adoring Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is the greatest after the sacraments, the one dearest to God and the one most helpful to us.”
~ **St. Alphonsus Liguori**

“Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is an important daily practice and becomes an inexhaustible source of holiness...It is pleasant to spend time with (Christ), to lie close to His breast like the Beloved Disciple and to feel the infinite love present in His heart.”
~ **St. Pope John Paul II**

Family Life Center Update:

1. As Father mentioned on Sunday, the Diocese has approved the contract for the Architect to begin the design of our FLC. The initial meeting with George Armour Ewart, the Architect will be this week.
2. This past week began our Fundraising Campaign. The Campaign will be conducted over the next few months. The Steering Committee asks each of us to reflect and pray as to how we can support this campaign to build our multipurpose Family Life Center.

St. Joseph the Worker Parish

Request a New Parishioner Packet

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, Zip Code: _____

New Parishioner /or Changes

_____ Moving _____ Information has changed

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Please place in collection basket or mail to:

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