

FROM FATHER TOTTON'S DESK

If you would like to drop me a line, my address is as follows:

Naval Chaplaincy School & Center
ATTN: PNC-BLC PHASE 1
LT Joseph William Totton
10098 Benning Road
Ft Jackson, SC 29207

Weekend Collection - February 18th - March 11th

February 18th

Envelopes: \$1045 Plate: \$101 2nd Collection - CCEAA: \$308 Ash Wednesday: \$223

Total Parish: \$1677

February 25th

Envelopes: \$1045 Plate: \$172

Total Parish: \$1217

March 4th

Envelopes: \$1611 Plate: \$198 Mass Stipend: \$10

Total Parish: \$1819

March 11th

Envelopes: \$1711 Plate: \$108 Mass Stipends: \$155 Catholic Relief Services: \$225

Total Parish: \$2229

Collections:

Feb to Date: \$6,279.00

March to Date: \$3,793.00

Year-To-Date: \$ 75,804.82

Feb Budget: \$7,491.66

March Budget: \$7,491.66

Yearly Budget: \$101,800.00

Thank you for supporting St. Joseph's Parish

ATTENTION ALL FIRST RESPONDERS

St Francis Xavier Parish and Knights of Columbus Council 15126 will host a Catholic Blue Mass for all First Responders on **Sunday, April 8th at the 11:30 am Mass.**

The purpose of this Blue Mass is to honor, pray for, and bless all Police men and women, Firefighters, EMS Responders and 911 Dispatchers in our community.

The Mass is open to all active law enforcement, safety officers and emergency personnel in the greater St Joseph area.

Those of all faiths are invited to attend.

Families and those in the community who support these police, fire and emergency officials are also invited.

This will mark the first ever event of this type conducted in St Joseph.

Following the Mass, a reception will be held in the St Francis Xavier Parish Center at which the First Responders will be individually recognized and presented with Certificates of Recognition and Appreciation.

Please call Pam or Connie in the St Francis Xavier Parish Office at 816-232- 8449 with the name and contact information of any first responder who wishes to participate.



ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Fr. Joseph Totton - Administrator

Fr. Paul Richardson - Substitute Clergy

P.O. Box 197

107 North Shortridge

Easton, MO 64443

816-294-9841 - Fr. Joe's cell

Mass Time
Sunday: 8 am
Confessions: 1/2 hr before Mass
Office 816-473-2011

Mission Statement

We the members of Saint Joseph Catholic parish, will strive to be the reflection of Jesus in this particular time and place.

Cemetery Board

Ed Fisher

Mike Roth

Steve White



5th Sunday of Lent

Parish & Finance Councils

Jim Adams

Stacy Brown

Jim Ingle

Rosalie Ingle

Tony Kauzlarich

Marge Kinney

Julie Moran

Dennis Ottinger

Jordan Roth

Mike Roth

Wayne Weipert

Email: stjosephchurch@centurytel.net

Website: stjosepheaston.org

Fr. Joe's email: fathertotton@gmail.com

Office Manager: Marge Kinney

Hall Rental: Marge Kinney

To Protect our Children:

To Report Abuse - Jenifer Valenti 816-812-2500

Victims' Advocate - Kathleen Chastain 816-392-0011

chastain@diocesekcsj.org

March 18, 2018



Ministry Schedule

March 18- 8 am Mass

Greeter: Hubert Gregory
Lectors: Jim Ingle & Bonnie Gregory
Ministers: Hubert Gregory
Counters: Richard & Mary Ann LaFollette

March 25- 8 am Mass

Greeter: Wayne Weipert
Lectors: Scott Antle & Jan Pottier
Ministers: Wayne Weipert
Counters: Paul & Jan Pottier

Mass Intentions



Sunday, March 18 + Carl & Irene Kemmer
By: Roth Family

Sunday, March 25 + Mary Pottier
By: Pottier Family



BIRTHDAY

Charlotte Edwards March 18th
Jack Klein March 19th
David Barton March 23rd
Steven McClurg March 24th
Ron Kretzer March 24th

Congratulations and Best Wishes Everyone!



TODAY'S THE DAY!
The Altar Society will be having a Biscuit and Gravy Breakfast today after 8 am Mass. Eddie Fisher along with other Knights will be preparing the food along with the Altar Society.

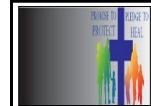
There will be a free will offering as a fund raiser for the Altar Society to help defray the costs of altar linens and liturgical supplies.

Come and support the Altar Society!



Mark your Calendars!

Parish & Finance Council: May 10th - 6 pm Rectory
Altar Society: Parish Hall after Donut Sunday
Hand Linens: March/April:
Donut Sunday: May -
Knights of Columbus: 5067-1st & 3rd Thursday 7 pm
Rosary on 3rd Thursday 6:30 pm
Dan Morey, Grand Knight
Recitation of Rosary - 2nd weekend of the month
20 minutes before Mass



The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combating sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect sexual abuse:

1. Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.392.3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and
2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and
3. After reporting to these civil and law enforcement authorities, report suspected sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult to the Diocesan Ombudsman, Jenifer Valenti, at 816.812.2500 or JeniferValenti@att.net, if the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph.

The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact Victim Advocate, Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011 or chastain@diocesekcsj.org for more info.

Divine Mercy Novena

The Chapel of the Holy Rosary (Mir House) at 3 pm starting on Good Friday March 30 through April 8, 3 pm everyday.

St. Joseph Day Dinner and Table

Monday March 19th 4:00-8:00PM - St. Joseph's Cathedral Gym.

All are welcome to attend.

This year Bishop James Johnston will be celebrating Mass at 6:00PM. Then join us for our delicious traditional spaghetti and meatballs.

Dinner includes salad and breadsticks. Freewill offering.

Wine is available for purchase. Goodies for sale at the St. Joseph Table. All proceeds benefit the Cathedral Food Pantry.



"What do you know?"

Bishop LeBlond Trivia Night,
Saturday, March 24, 2018.

Doors open at 6:30, first question drops at 7. Gather a team of up to eight, or come as an individual or couple, and we will find you a team.

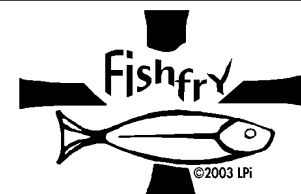
\$25 per player.

Beer, water and soda provided.

Bring your own snacks/food for your table.

Sign up online at www.bishopleblond.com (click on the donate button, and then indicate trivia in the memo space), or pay at the door.

Prizes, fun and fellowship.



LENTEN FISH FRY

Knights of Columbus Council 5067 in St Joseph will be having their Annual Fish Fry.

The fish fry will be held on all Fridays during Lent except Good Friday.

The Knights will start serving at 5 PM to 7:30 PM at their Council Hall, 1205 North 49th Terrace.

They will be serving a choice of:

Seafood Fettuccine Alfredo; Fried Catfish Filets.

Their fabulous Cheesy potatoes, Cole Slaw and rolls.

Tea and water will be provide with the meal.

Adult meal will be \$10 and children under 12 years old \$5.

For your convenience we are still offering drive thru pick up!!!! Proceeds support **St. Joseph Catholic Schools, Bishop LeBlond High School, Special Olympics, United Cerebral Palsy, Catholic Committee on Scouting, Wounded Warrior Project, and Allied Arts Council.**

St. Francis Xavier School is hosting

Falcon 5,

a fund-raiser for its scholarship fund,

on Sunday, April 8.

The event includes a 5 mile chip timed and measured run, a 5K chip timed run/walk and a kids Star Wars fun run.

It will be at Bartlett Park in St. Joseph.

Register at

<https://runsignup.com/Race/MO/SaintJoseph/Falcon5?remMeAtt=empt>.

For more information, go to

www.facebook.com/events/144358636282971



Prayer Corner

"To everything there is a season and a time...for every purpose under Heaven." Ecc. 3-11

"...a time to heal..."

Mildred Ottinger, Lori Redmond

"a time to die...."

Jan Everett

(Feb. 11, 2018)

"...a time of war and a time of peace..."

We pray for the safety of all our service men and women who serve our country,.



PROTECT THE MIRACLE OF LIFE

LENTEN PARISH CHALLENGE

If you need another baby bottle they are in a container in the back of church.

We would like to have 100% participation!

Every time you add money to this little bottle, ask God how He would have you be a part of our outreach to bring hope and help to women and babies.

Thank you for helping St. Joseph Pregnancy Resource Center (PRC) protect the miracle of life.

If you need another bottle or didn't pick one up they are in the back of the church.

Fill it with change, bills or checks and bring it back to church the weekend after Easter, April 7 & 8.

Holy Week Schedule



Season of Lent

During this Lenten season **St. Ann's - Plattsburg** will be having **Stations of the Cross on Friday evenings at 6 pm.**

Holy Thursday - St. Ann's Plattsburg - 7 pm

Good Friday - St Joseph's Easton - 7 pm

Easter Vigil - St. Ann's - 8 pm

Easter - St. Joseph's - 8 am

St. Ann's - 10 am