



# St. Joseph Church

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## JANUARY 29TH

### PARISH PRIEST

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### PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Jim Ingle

Rosalie Ingle

Tony Kauzlarich

Julie Moran

Mike Roth

Michael Fisher

### CEMETERY BOARD

Mike Roth

Steve White

Michael Fisher

### MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday 9:15 a.m.

### CONFESSIONS

Sunday 8:55 a.m.

### MISSION STATEMENT

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

## 4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



**When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up to the mountains and after he had sat down, his disciples came to him. He began to teach them, saying: “Blessed are the poor in spirit for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.”**

**TO PROTECT OUR CHILDREN: REPORT ABUSE**

**Diocesan OMBUDSMAN:** 816.812.2500

**DIOCESAN VICTIM ADVOCATE:** Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011 or

[chastain@diocesekcsj.org](mailto:chastain@diocesekcsj.org)

Mass  for the  
Intentions  Week

**Sunday January 29th**

**9:15a.m.** Ronald LaFollette+  
By Richard & Mary Ann  
LaFollette

**Sunday February 5th**

**9:15a.m.** Leo & Elizabeth Gregory+  
By Hubert & Bonnie Gregory  
Ermagene LaFollette+  
By Richard & Mary Ann  
LaFollette

Please remember in prayer those who have died.  
Grant them eternal rest and peace, O Lord!  
† Denotes Deceased

**Mark Your Calendars**

**Donut Sunday-** March 5th, 2023

**Knights of Columbus Council #5067**

Richard LaFollette, Grand Knight

Hubert Gregory, Deputy Grand Knight

Meetings 1st & 3rd Thursday, 7 p.m.

Parish Council meeting-February 9th. 6pm

**Recitation of the Rosary- 2nd Sunday of the  
month**

***Weekend Collection  
January 22nd, 2023***

Envelopes:	\$	1,130.00
Plate:	\$	142.00
<b>Total Parish:</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1,272.00</b>

**\*Fiscal Year Budget July 1, 2022 - June 30, 2023**

January-to-Date:	\$	6,864.15
January Budget	\$	7,000.00
Year-to-Date:	\$	51,829.35
Year Budget	\$	84,006.43
YTD Fundraiser	\$	54,419.00

**Thank You** for your continued support

**CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS**

If you would like a copy of your contributions  
for the year of 2022, they are now available.

You can email your request to  
stjosepheaston@gmail.com or let me know in  
church.

Thank you



**PRC THANKS YOU FOR  
MAKING LIFE AFFIRMING  
ASSISTANCE A PRIORITY  
FOR PREGNANT WOMEN**

In 2022 your generous donations to the PRC  
Baby Bottle drive helped provide 503 mothers  
and families with necessary resources in their  
time of need. PRC celebrates the birth of 175  
babies born to women who participated in  
classes or received crisis pregnancy services!  
February 2, they will be giving a tour of their  
center and will provide lunch at 12p.m. for an-  
yone wishing to attend. **RSVP** is required

**MIR HOUSE OF PRAYER IS IN  
NEED OF ADORERS**

**CURRENT OPEN HOURS:**

**4:00am and 10:00pm Sunday,  
4:00pm Monday, 10:00am Friday**

If interested or if you have questions,  
call 816-233-8359.

**The New 2023 Donut Sunday Sign  
Up Sheet Is In the back Of Church.  
Please sign up to be a host.**

# **WEEKEND** MINISTRY SCHEDULE

**January 29th, 9:15a.m.**

## **Knights of Columbus Sunday**

**Greeters** Richard LaFollette

**Lectors** Jay Pflugradt

**Counters:** Paul & Jan Pottier

**February 5th 9:15a.m.**

**Greeters:** Wayne Weipert

**Lectors:** Jim Ingle

**Counters:** Paul & Jan Pottier

**February 12th, 9:15a.m.**

**Greeters:** Richard LaFollette

**Lectors:** Bonnie Gregory

**Counters:** Paul & Jan Pottier



## **FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS**

**Mary McPhee** February 3rd

**Lindee Corkins** February 4th

**CONGRATULATIONS & BEST WISHES  
TO EVERYONE**

## **Prayer Corner**

*"To everything there is a season and time . .  
for every purpose under heaven."*

—Ecc. 3-11

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

Michael Kempf, Andrea Griffin, Jerry Ingle, Irene Schlup, Sister Elaine Gregory, Mary Fisher, Ron Kretzer, Jeanel Adkins, Velma O'Brian, the elderly, and the chronically ill and their caregivers.



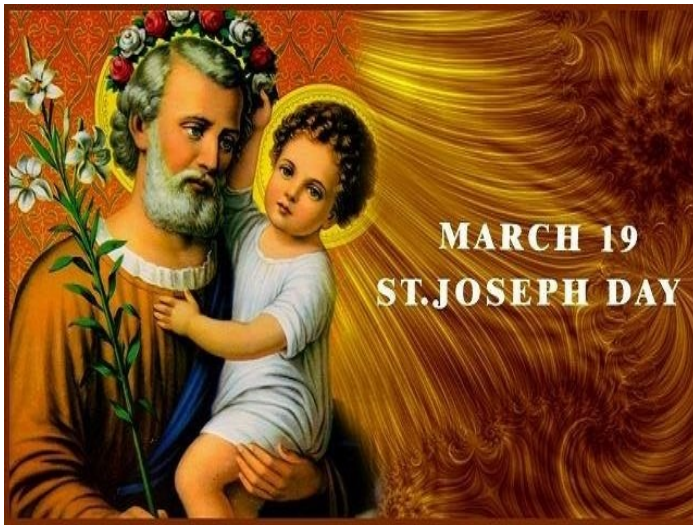
## **ATTENTION MEN OF OUR CHURCH**

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 5067 WOULD LIKE TO ENCOURAGE THE MEN OF OUR PARISH TO CONSIDER JOINING THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS. MEMBERSHIP IN THIS FRATERNAL ORGANIZATION. IT WILL GIVE YOU THE OPPORTUNITY TO GIVE BACK TO YOUR COMMUNITY AND TO GROW IN YOUR FAITH. WE BELIEVE EACH MAN CAN BENEFIT FROM THIS MEMBERSHIP. IF INTERESTED YOU CAN GET INFORMATION FROM ANY OF THE FELLOW KNIGHTS IN THE CHURCH. THEY WOULD LOVE TO HAVE YOU BECOME A MEMBER OF THEIR COUNCIL.



## **CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK AT SAINT JOSEPH CATHOLIC ACADEMY**

It's here! This week we are celebrating the wonderful blessings we receive through our Catholic Schools. We encourage each of you to say a prayer, join in a holy hour with the Blessed Sacrament, take an extra moment to thank a teacher or staff member or even plan to take part in an open event at one of the schools this week! The impact of our Catholic faith and our commitment to education reaches far past the last bell of the day. Our parishes benefit and our community benefits! Strong schools make strong communities...so what can we do together? Please check out our website [stjoecatholicacademy.com](http://stjoecatholicacademy.com) and our Twitter profile, @SJCA\_home, to see the activities, videos and photos of the week! We thank you for your prayers and support and if you feel you want to be a part in a new way or increase your current commitment, reach out! Feb. 1 marks the opening day of applications for the MoScholars scholarship and tours can be scheduled now! Continue to be advocates for the students and teachers. St. Benedict and St. Scholastica, Pray for us!



## THE FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH

March 19th we will be having a brunch after Mass to celebrate St. Joseph Day, with a table for the feast. This feast will be particularly special for the people of our parish, as it is the annual celebration of our patron saint. As usual we ask you bring a breakfast casserole, quiche, fruit dish or pastries to share. Also, please bring something special for the St. Joseph Table, as all proceeds will be going to the poor.

Monday, March 20th, there will be a special Mass at 6p.m. in honor of St. Joseph.

## Mark Your Calendars:

**The Annual Blessing of seeds is coming soon!**



Our diocesan day of prayer occurs soon— Bishop Johnston will bless seeds at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception on Saturday, Feb. 4 at 10:00 a.m. mass. Seeds can be brought in person, or sent with someone ahead of time. Especially invited are gardeners, farmers, greenhouse growers, and all who work with plants or seeds.

*Community  
Prayer Breakfast*

**February 1, 2023  
8 a.m.**

SFX Parish Center  
27th & Penn St.

*Forward Together*  
*with Faith, Excellence and Service*

Strong schools make Strong communities.

**Guest Speakers**  
The Rev. James V. Johnston Jr., Bishop of KCSJ Diocese  
Dr. Ed Kammerer, CMO Mosaic

To register: [social@stjoecatholicacademy.com](mailto:social@stjoecatholicacademy.com)