

# St. Joseph Church

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## MARCH 12TH, 2023

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#### PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

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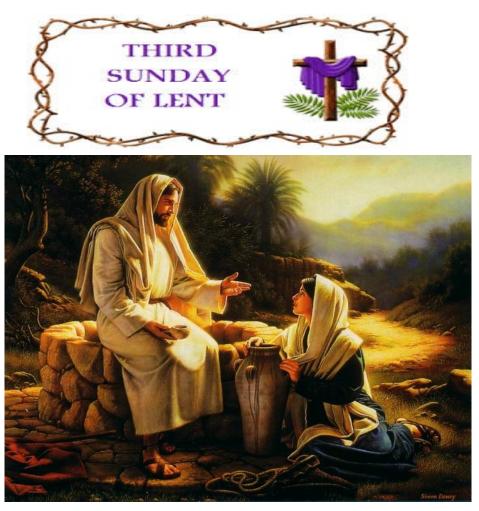
Mike Roth Steve White Michael Fisher

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.



Jesus answered to the woman "Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again; but whoever drinks the water I shall give will never thirst; the water I shall give will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life."

To PROTECT OUR CHILDREN: REPORT ABUSE Diocesan OMBUDSMAN: 816.812.2500 DIOCESAN VICTIM ADVOCATE: Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011 or chastain@diocesekcsj.org



Sunday March 12th 9:15a.m. Alberta Runnebohm+ By Joan Mitchell

Sunday March 19th 9:15a.m. Leo Gordon By Gordon Family

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



### PROTECT THE MIRACLE OF LIFE LENTEN PARISH CHALLENGE

What can you do in the fight for life? It doesn't take much to give hope! You are invited to protect the miracle of life by supporting St. Joseph PRC. Lent is here and we are challenging you to fill a bottle with a contribution. We are called during Lent to fast and give alms. We are asking you to pray over what you will "give up" (fast) and put that money (almsgiving) in the baby bottle. 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. lust pick up a bottle from the back table after Mass this weekend. Fill it with change, bills or checks and bring it back to church the weekend after Easter.

Mark Your Calendars Donut Sunday- April 2nd, 2023 Knights of Columbus Council #5067 Richard LaFollette, Grand Knight Hubert Gregory, Deputy Grand Knight Meetings 1st & 3rd Thursday, 7 p.m.

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

## Weekend Collection March 5th, 2023

Envelopes:	\$ 1,769.00
Plate:	\$ 144.00
Total Parish:	\$ 1,913.00

*Fiscal Year Budg	get July 1, 2	2022 - June 30, 202	3
March-to-Date:	\$	7,890.00	
March Budget	\$	7,000.00	
Year-to-Date:	\$	62,804.35	
Year Budget	\$	84,006.43	
YTD Fundraiser	\$	54,419.00	

Thank You for your continued support

#### ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Thanks to the 15 families who have contributed to the Annual Catholic Appeal. So far our contributions have totaled \$7,620, which is 125% of our goal of \$6,100. If you would like to contribute you may still do so, as this helps our parish. There are envelops on the back table to mail.

#### Thank you for your contributions

#### PARISH REGISTRATION

If you are new to our parish we encourage you to register. Please introduce yourself to Fr. Bartulica after Mass or come to the Parish office on Tuesday. If your not new but have not registered please do so in order to update our records Thank You

Thank you for your support



## March 12th, 9:15a.m.

**Richard LaFollette** Greeters Lectors Jim Ingle Richard & Mary Ann Counters: LaFollette

#### March 19th 9:15a.m.

Greeters: Wayne Weipert Lectors: Scott Antle Counters: Paul & Jan Pottier

#### March 26th, 9:15a.m.

Greeters: **Richard LaFollette** Lectors: Jan Pottier Counters: Richard & Mary Ann LaFollette



#### MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Wayne Weipert lack Klein

March 17th March 19th

## **CONGRATULATIONS & BEST WISHES TO EVERYONE**

**Bishop Johnston's March Prayer Intention** For those tragically impacted by gun violence, and for the wisdom and grace to reduce it in our local communities and nation.

**Prayer Corner** "To everything there is a season and time... for every purpose under heaven." *—Ecc. 3-11* 

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

Carol Shaffer, Ellis LaFollette, Andrea Griffin, Jerry Ingle, Irene Schlup, Sister Elaine Gregory, Mary Fisher, RonKretzer, 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 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS. MEMBER-

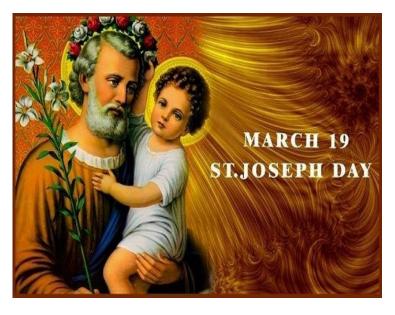
SHIP IN THIS FRATERNAL ORGANIZA-TION. IT WILL GIVE YOU THE OPPORTUNITY TO GIVE BACK TO YOUR COMMUNITY AND TO GROW IN YOUR FAITH. WE BELIEVE EACH MAN CAN BENEFIT FROM THIS MEMBERSHIP. IF INTERESTED YOU CAN GET INFORMATION FROM ANY OF THE FELLOW KNIGHTS IN THE CHURCH. THEY WOULD LOVE TO HAVE YOU BECOME A MEMBER OF THEIR COUNCIL.



## FRIDAY EVENINGS AT 6P.M **CONFESSIONS AT 5:30PM**

WHY PRAY THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS FROM POPE FRANCIS Reason Number 2 from our Holy Father on why we should

pray the Stations of the Cross, They put us into the story. "And you, who do you want to be? Like Pilate? Like Simon? Like Mary? Jesus is looking at you now and is asking you: do you want to help me carry the Cross? Brothers and sisters, with all the strength of your youth, how will you respond to him?



#### THE FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH

March 19th we will be having a brunch after Mass to celebrate The Feast of St. Joseph., 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 to bring a breakfast casserole, quiche, fruit dish or pastries to share and The Knights will serve biscuits and gravy. Also, please bring something special for the St. Joseph Table, as the proceeds will be going to the poor. Examples of items for the table are pastries, breads, jams, plants, herbs.

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

