



St. Joseph Church

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MAY 14TH, 2023

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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.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



“If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate to be with you always, the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot accept, because it neither sees nor knows him.” Jn 14: 15-17

TO PROTECT OUR CHILDREN: REPORT ABUSE

Diocesan OMBUDSMAN: 816.812.2500

DIOCESAN VICTIM ADVOCATE: Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011 or

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Mass  for the
Intentions *for the Week*

Sunday May 14th
9:15a.m. Dick Roth+
By The Roth Family
Ed McPhee+
By Mary McPhee

Sunday May 21st
9:15a.m. Our Parishioners

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

THANK YOU

Thank you so much for your support to the PRC thru the Baby Bottles. Jan Pottier and I delivered \$1,132.00 to Jennifer Morris of the St. Joseph PRC. She was very excited because this was the most they have received from a parish. Congratulations to everyone for your generous participation in the Lenton Bottle Campaign.

You should be very proud!

A Mother's Day Blessing



*Blessed is the Mother,
Who lets the
Lord be her
guiding hand,
Whose faith brings
her family courage,
Whose wisdom
comes from God,
And whose children
still stand and
honor her.*

Mark Your Calendars

Donut Sunday- June 4th, 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

May 7th, 2023

Envelopes:	\$	3,625.00
Plate:	\$	75.00
Total Parish:	\$	3,700.00

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

May-to-Date:	\$	3,700.00
May Budget	\$	7,000.00
Year-to-Date:	\$	82,389.35
Year Budget	\$	84,006.43
YTD Fundraiser	\$	54,419.00

Thank You for your continued support



ATTENTION ALL WOMEN OF THE CHURCH

The Easton Alumni Banquet will be held on Saturday, June 3rd. The Altar Society will be serving the food again this year. This is a great money maker for the Altar Society. In the back of church there is a sign up sheet for your choice of salad or desert to bring and to help serve. We are expecting 55 people and need all to help provide the food and to help serve.



WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

May 14th 9:15a.m.

Greeters Wayne Weipert
Lectors Bonnie Gregory
Counters: Richard & Mary Ann LaFollette

May 21st 9:15a.m.

Greeters: Richard LaFollette
Lectors: Jordon Roth
Counters: Paul & Jackie Pottier

May 21st, 9:15a.m.

Greeters: Wayne Weipert
Lectors: Jim Ingle
Counters: Richard & Mary Ann LaFollette



MAY BIRTHDAYS

Regina Grier	May 17th
Andy Mink	May 19th

**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. . .”

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 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.

Silent Women’s Ignatian Retreat by Sharon Doran: Women of Hope who Find God in All Things

Get away from the hectic pace of life and take time to deepen your relationship with God by engaging your heart, mind, body and eternal soul. Hear God speak to your heart in the community of silence. There will be 11 preached conferences by Sharon Doran who combines her love of Sacred Scripture with the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius. August 24-27, 2023 At Creighton University Retreat Center in Griswold, IA, 1 hour east of Omaha and 1.5 hours west of Des Moines. Cost for lodging, meals and retreat: \$425. Check-in between 4:30-5:30pm on Thursday & concludes Sunday at 2:30 p.m. Register at creighton.edu/curc

Solemnity of the Ascension

MAY 18th



Celebration

The feast is always observed with an All-night vigil. The day before is the Apodosis (leave-taking) of Easter (i.e., the last day of the Feast of Easter).

Before the Vigil, the Paschal Hours are said for the last time and the Paschal greeting is exchanged.

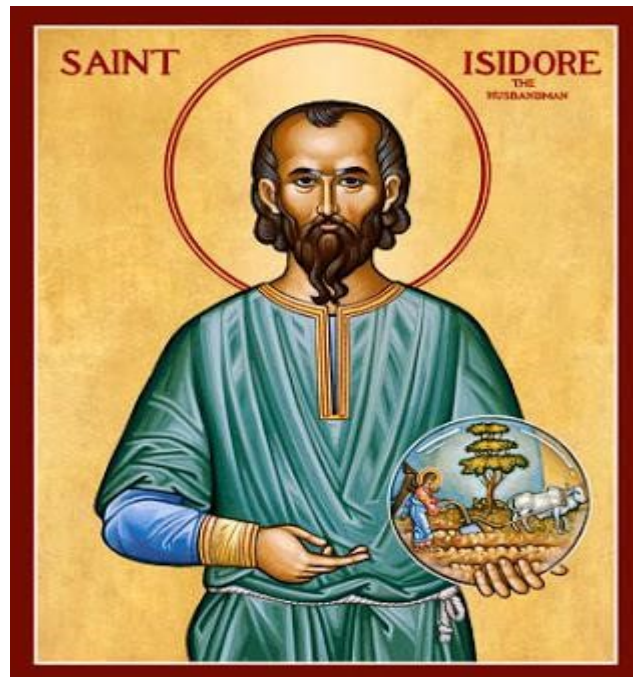
The *Paroemia* (Old Testament readings) at Vespers on the eve of the Feast are [Isaiah 2:2-3](#); [Isaiah 62:10-63:3](#), [63:7-9](#); and [Zechariah 14:1-4](#), [14:8-11](#).

The [Troparion](#) (short hymn) of the day is sung, which says

O Christ God, You have ascended in Glory,
Granting joy to Your disciples by the promise
of the Holy Spirit.

Through the blessing they were assured
That You are the Son of God,
The Redeemer of the world!

MAY 15TH



Who is Saint Isidore?

Saint Isidore is the patron saint of farmers and rural communities. Born in Madrid, Spain, in the year 1110, he came from a poor family and spent many years working as a farm hand on the De Vargas estate beginning from his childhood. Isidore was very prayerful and devoted to attending Mass and receiving the Holy Eucharist.

Isidore married Maria, a sweet and pious maid servant and together they had a son who died in his youth. Their deeds and devotion are an inspiration for couples everywhere. Isidore died on May 15, 1170, a day declared as his feast day. He was canonized on March 22, 1622, the old Roman Rite American feast day. The remains of Isidore and his wife are buried in the main altar of the cathedral of Madrid.



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