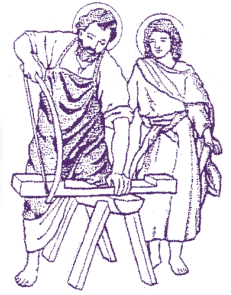


The Carpenter's Bench

The Weekly Bulletin Insert of Saint Joseph Catholic Church



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Sacraments

Reconciliation: Monday 8:40 a.m. or call Parish Office 317-244-9002 for an appointment.

Marriage: Pre-marriage counseling required at least six months in advance of proposed wedding date. Call the Parish Office 317-244-9002 to schedule an appointment.

Infant Baptism: Preparation classes are required; please call the Parish Office 317-244-9002 to register.

Order of Christian Initiation for

Adults (OCIA): Call the Parish Office 317-244-9002 to learn more about becoming Catholic.

Bulletin Insert Deadline

For publication in next weekend's bulletin insert email items to stjosephschurch@hotmail.com by noon on Monday.

Suggestions

Please leave your suggestions for fostering fellowship at St. Joseph's in the box on the Narthex literature rack.

Hospital Ministry

Please notify the Parish Office 317-244-9002 of hospital admissions, so that Pastoral Care may be provided.

Communion for Shut-ins

Please call the Parish Office 317-244-9002 if you would like to receive Holy Communion.

Parish Council Meeting

Held monthly at 7 P.M. in the Meeting Room September through May.

Mass is Celebrated

at 10:00 A.M. at Neighbor Care every Wednesday, in the Ballroom.

Vietnamese Mass Schedule

Sun. 9:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.

Parish Staff

Pastor — Rev. Robert T. Hausladen
Emergency — Call 317-319-5138

Associate Pastor — Rev. Minh Dũng

Parish Secretary — Patty Arthur

E-mail.....patty.arthur@aol.com

Accountant

Mike McKay 317-445-9720

Music Coordinator

Mike McKay 317-445-9720

Director of Faith Formation

Janet Abdoulaye ...317-839-3333 ext 160

E-mail.....Jabdoulaye@saintsusanna.com

Funeral Contact

Patty Arthur..... 317-339-6503

SVDP Helpline..... 317-687-0169

(Spanish) 317-687-0167

(Donations)..... 317-687-1006

St. Joe SVDP..... 317-981-5613

Hurting from Abortion?

Call 317-452-0054

Pregnant? Need Help?

Call 833-937-4968

St. Joe's Pregnancy Resource Center

Call 317-213-4778

New Parishioners

If you are new in the parish, please call the parish office and speak with the Parish Secretary about Parish Registration.

Children's Religious Education

Pre-school—grade 12, Sept. to May

Sun.—9:30 to 10:50 a.m.

Children's Sacraments

Call the Parish Office 317-244-9004 for information to register your child.

Mass Schedule

Weekend

Saturday 4:00 p.m.

Sunday 11:00 a.m.

Weekday

Monday 9:00 a.m.

Tuesday-Friday 5:45 p.m.

Confession Monday 8:40 a.m.

Devotions

Rosary

Prayed before Masses on the weekend.

First Friday Devotion and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

4:00 p.m.

5:45 p.m. Mass

Third Thursday Adoration

11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Next Weekend's Ministry Schedule

2nd Sunday of Lent	Lectors	Cantors
Mar 15 4:00 PM		
Mar 16 11:00 AM		Shirley Verhonic Rachel McKay

Donations through the Archdiocese:

January
\$240.00



Saint Joseph's Church Cleaners

Mar 17—Marilyn Howard, Cozette Lowder
Mar 24—Andrea Maxson, Terry Maxson, Bev Silnes
Mar 31—Doris Akalusi, Faith Chukwuma
Apr 7—Megaly Preciado, Ana Cobain



Collection Report

Budget is \$3846 per week.

Mar 2, 2025 - \$3161 – 67 envelopes
Was \$685 UNDER budget

Building Fund - \$1370 – 20 envelopes



Saint Joseph's Lawn Crew

Thank you Lawn Crew for all your loyalty and hard work! We will see you next Spring



Mass Intentions

SAT	Mar 8	4:00 PM	Matt Metzger
SUN	Mar 9	11 AM	Patricia Taylor
MON	Mar 10	9:00 AM	St. Joseph Parish
TUES	Mar 11	5:45 PM	St. Joseph Parish
WED	Mar 12	5:45 PM	St. Joseph Parish
THUR	Mar 13	5:45 PM	+Trudy Davis
FRI	Mar 14	5:45 PM	Thad Andrews
SAT	Mar 15	4:00 PM	+Kevin Arthur
SUN	Mar 16	11 AM	+George Rushton

Please Pray For...

Prayer Chain — Offering prayer for anyone who asks or needs the loving support of caring members of the parish. All information is confidential. Call your request for prayer to one of the following and the chain will begin immediately.

Shirley Verhonic
317-241-8979

Trudy Davis
317-243-7226

To reach Sue Brady
call: Trudy or Shirley

+ Denotes person is deceased

OFFICE HOURS

Sunday: 12 p.m. to 4 p.m.
Tuesday: 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.
Thursday: 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Our Parish Secretary Patty Arthur is also available
Monday through Friday at 317-244-9002
from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

You may also leave a voice message
other times and your call
will be returned as soon as possible.

View Mass Online

Sunday Mass is online at stjosephindy.org.

Did you miss a Mass? Go to the archives at
stjosephindy.org/online-mass.

Want to view the Vietnamese Mass? Go to youtube.com and
search for VietCatholicIndy Church,
Or visit our website stjosephindy.org.

Around Saint Joseph's

Happening This Week

Mar 8	4 p.m. Mass
Mar 9	11:00 Mass
Mar 10	8:40 Confession or by appointment with Fr. Minh 9 a.m. Mass
Mar 12	10 a.m. Mass at Neighbor Care
Mar 13	6 p.m. Free Meal
Mar 14	Stations of the Cross following 5:45 Mass
Mar 15	4 p.m. Mass
Mar 16	11:00 Mass

Daily Mass - Monday 9 a.m., Tuesday - Friday 5:45

RECONCILIATION TIMES

During Lent at St. Joseph

30 minutes prior to daily Mass
Monday through Friday

at St. Susanna

Wednesday—5:00 to 5:45 p.m.
Friday—5:30 to 6:30 p.m.
Saturday—10:00 to 11:00 a.m.

Important Winter Office Info

If the roads or sidewalks are icy or snowy,
the office will be closed.

**Our Director of Faith Formation,
Janet Abdoulaye is available
in her office every Sunday
from 9:45 to 10:45**



Sponsored by the Men's Club
Friday, March 14
5:00 to 7:30 p.m.

Fish
Fries
Slaw
Mac 'n Cheese
All the usual

We are inviting parishioners to
Join in praying the Rosary before
Sunday Mass at St. Joseph's. The Rosary begins at
10:39 a.m. to ask Mary to intercede for
Unborn babies and their mothers and fathers.
If you are at home, please join us also.

SCRIP CARD SALES Support St. Joseph's Altar Society

Scrip cards are available in the
Narthex before and after Mass
the second Sunday of the month.

We purchase the cards at a discount, so
that when you make your purchase
from us you're supporting our fundraiser
for free!

For special orders call or text:

Maria Fredrick: 317-287-4485

Diane Whitis: 317-241-3842



Thank you for all of the wonderful donations to the barn for
this year's festival. We have begun collecting donations
again. **NO CLOTHES or FURNITURE.** Please call Bob Palmer
at 317-222-1073 after 1 p.m. or Larry Long at
317-658-2953 (no voice mail).

United
in the Eucharist

United Catholic Appeal

	Date: March 6, 2025
Parish Name:	St. Joseph Parish
Parish Goal:	\$14,167
Amount Pledged:	\$12,684
Percentage to Goal:	90%
Number of Donors:	51

How is God calling you to be a **PILGRIM of HOPE?**

Join ***Felix Navarrete*** and ***Ken Ogorek***

as they guide us through

Hope and the Healing Sacraments at the

Parish Lenten Mission.

Their approach will be filled with humor and clear ideas,
helping you to navigate a world so much in need of ***HOPE!***



FELIX NAVARRETE



KEN OGOREK

When: March 27th

5:30pm Light Dinner will be served

6:00pm—7:30pm Talks in English and Spanish

March 28th

5:30pm Light Dinner

6:00pm—7:30pm Talks in English and Spanish

March 29th

3:00pm Reconciliation available

4:00pm Mass

5:00pm Q and A with Speakers Snacks will be served

Where: St. Ann Catholic Church

6350 S. Mooresville Rd

Indianapolis, IN 46221

Sponsored By: St. Ann and St. Thomas More Catholic Churches

Call **317-821-2909**, if you have questions.

Feel free to join us one night or three...we look forward to seeing you!

IMPORTANT - St. Joseph Saint Vincent DePaul Society 2025 Is seeking a new Coordinator volunteer to head the ministry. We help those in need with food, furniture, and household items. When available we help with utility bills, gas money and other things on a case-by-case basis.

The present officers have been in their positions for longer than the society allows and are all ageing out of continuing service. **We would hate to see SVDP shut down at St. Joe's and hope someone will step forward to keep the society going.**

If you are interested in stepping into this position or know of someone who would be, please call us at 317-981-5613. We will be glad to share and answer any questions you have.

God Bless and thank you for your support.