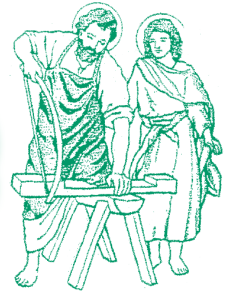
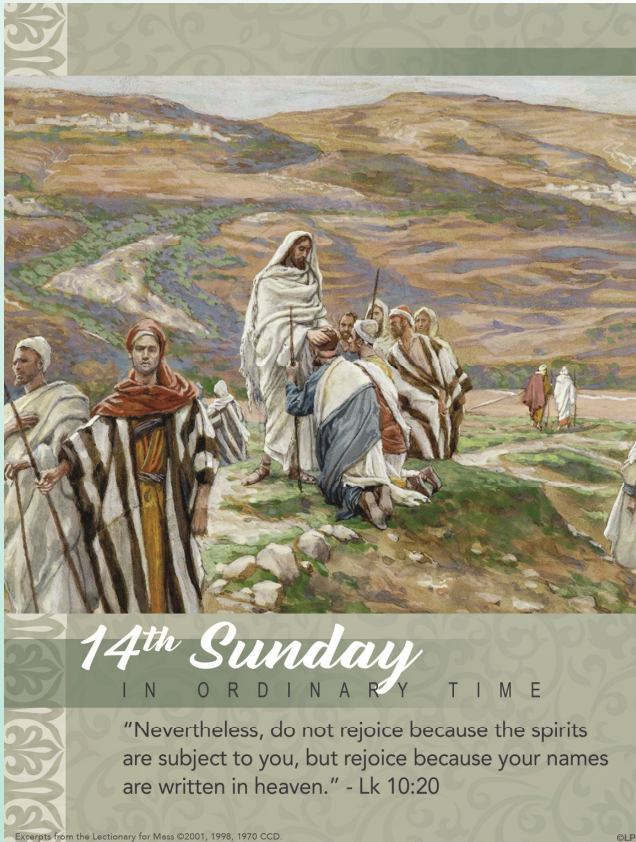


The Carpenter's Bench

The Weekly Bulletin of Saint Joseph Catholic Church



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Sacraments

Reconciliation: Monday 8:30 a.m. and Saturday at 3:30 or by 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

Administrator — Rev. Minh Dũng
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Emergency317-760-7664

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Patty Arthur..... 317-339-6503
SVDP Helpline..... 317-687-0169
(Spanish) 317-687-0167
(Donations)..... 317-687-1006

Hurting from Abortion?
Call 317-452-0054

Pregnant? Need Help?
Call 833-937-4968

Donations for 1st Choice for Women
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.
Tues., Thurs., & Fri.....5:45 p.m.
Communion Service Wed..... 5:45 p.m.
Confession

Mon. 8:30 a.m. and Sat. 3:30 p.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

Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

Next Weekend's Ministry Schedule

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Altar Servers	Cantors	Donations through the Archdiocese:
July 12 4:00 PM	Sebastian, Nate, Julie & Jimena		March \$240.00
July 13 11:00 AM	Isack & Ashley	Maria Beth	



Saint Joseph's Church Cleaners

July 7—Marilyn Howard, Cozette Lowder
 July 14—Andrea Maxson, Terry Maxson, Bev Silnes
 July 21—Doris Akalusi, Faith Chukwuma
 July 28—Magaly Preciado, Ana Cobain
 Aug 4—Theresa Farrell
 Aug 11—Diane Whitis



Collection Report

Budget is \$3240 per week.

June 29, 2025 - will be in next week's bulletin



Saint Joseph's Lawn Crew

July 6—Jose Pena, Walt Davis, Francis Akalusi
 July 13—Ed Carson
 July 20—Vietnamese Community
 July 27—Jim Jones, Ron Maxson, Jeremiah Maxson
 Aug 3—Tim McDowell & son
 Aug 10—John Rosner



Mass Intentions

SAT	July 5	4:00 PM	+Rose Mary Augsburg
SUN	July 6	11:00 AM	+Erin Lynch McNulty
MON	July 7	9:00 AM	+Sophie B. Engels
TUES	July 8	5:45 PM	Vietnamese Community
WED	July 9	5:45 PM	Communion Service
THUR	July 10	5:45 PM	St. Joseph Parish
FRI	July 11	5:45 PM	Vietnamese Community
SAT	July 12	4:00 PM	+Kevin Arthur
SUN	July 13	11:00 AM	+Justine Koeberlein

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 Shirley and the chain will begin immediately.

Shirley Verhonik
317-241-8979

+ Denotes person is deceased

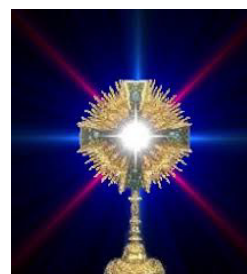
OFFICE HOURS

Sunday: 12 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 Tuesday: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 Wednesday: 10 a.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.

OFFICE HOURS MAY VARY



Third Thursday Adoration

Monthly from
11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Flame of Love devotion
begins at 4:30

Around Saint Joseph's

Happening This Week

July 5	4 p.m. Mass
July 6	11 a.m. Mass
July 7	8:30 Confession or by appointment 9 a.m. Mass
July 9	5:45 Communion Service
July 10	6 p.m. Free Meal
July 12	3:30 Confession or by appointment 4 p.m. Mass
July 13	11 a.m. Mass

Daily Mass - Mon. 9 a.m., Tues., Thurs., and Fri. 5:45

Communion Service - Wed. 5:45

Visit our online calendar for more activities:

www.stjosephindy.org/Calendar

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



PLEASE NOTE IMPORTANT CHANGES:

- No Mass on Wednesdays—we will have a
- communion service on Wednesdays at 5:45.
This will be Father's day off.
- We now have Confession on Monday at 8:30 and
on Saturday at 3:30.



We need Readers for our Saturday 4 p.m.
Mass. If you like to read and are interest in
volunteering, please contact Linda Hinsley at
317-201-8187.

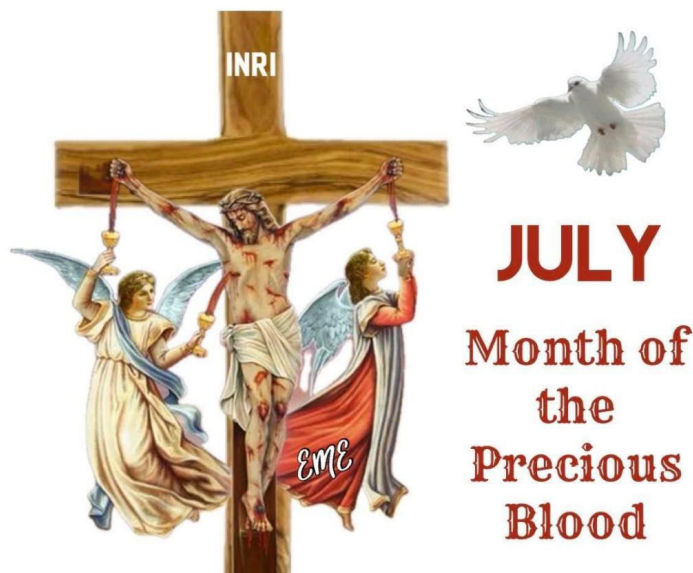
Thank you for all of the wonderful donations to the barn for
this year's festival. We have begun collecting donations
again. NO CLOTHES or FURNITURE. Please call Bob Palmer
at 317- 222-1073 after 1 p.m. or Larry Long at
317-658-2953 (no voice mail).

The Barn will be open Sat. at 4 p.m. and Sun. at 10 a.m. until
after Mass each day—until the festival weekend.

The Festival and Food Fair are quickly approaching, and we need your
help! We will be setting up for the festival on Thursday August 21 at 8:30 am and
tear down will be Sunday August 25 at 7 pm, There will be sign-up sheets for all
booths in the Narthex in August. Please take a minute to review the sign-up sheets
and volunteer for a booth. Many hands make light work! Our St. Joseph family
needs your help.

We also need items for the Silent Auction! If you have new items to donate, please
leave them upstairs in the meeting room and mark them for the Silent Auction.

Questions—call Judy: 317-502-3020.



The month of July traditionally honors the Most Precious Blood of Jesus. It is the blood of Christ, the Lamb of God, which cleanses us from sin—therefore the Church developed a devotion to Jesus' physical blood and its mystical power, just as it did for His Sacred Heart from which His blood poured out on the Cross. The Precious Blood of Jesus courses through the Church spiritually, giving eternal life to the Body of Christ through the sacraments. Many saints had a devotion to the Precious Blood of Jesus, especially St. Catherine of Siena. Devotion to the Precious Blood spread widely through the preaching of Saint Gaspar del Bufalo, who was a 19th-century priest and the founder of the Missionaries of the Precious Blood. This devotion was later approved and recommended by the Holy See. The feast day of the Most Precious Blood of Jesus is July 1st.

Rita is at her daughter's and will be there for at least 6 months or more. If you would like to send notes or cards the address is:

**Rita Lang
1370 East County Road 800 North
Brazil, IN 47834**

A Parents Prayer for Their Children

O Heavenly Father,
I commend my children unto Thee.
Be Thou their God and Father;
and mercifully supply whatever is wanting in
Me through frailty or negligence.
Strengthen them to overcome the corruptions
of the world,
to resist all solicitations to evil,
whether from within or without;
and deliver them from the secret snares of the enemy.
Pour Thy grace into their hearts,
and confirm and multiply in them the gifts of
Thy Holy Spirit,
that they may daily grow in grace
and in the knowledge of Our Lord Jesus Christ;
and so, faithfully serving Thee here,
may come to rejoice in Thy presence hereafter.
Amen.

A prayer for those who live alone:

I live alone, dear Lord, stay by my side.
In all my daily needs be my guide.
Grant me good health, for that I pray
To carry on my work from day to day.
Keep pure my mind, my thoughts,
my every deed,
Let me be kind and unselfish
in my neighbor's need.
Spare me from fire, from flood and
Malicious tongues,
From thieves, from fear, and evil ones.
If sickness or an accident befall,
Then humbly, Lord, I pray hear my call.
And when I'm feeling low, or in despair,
Lift up my heart, and help me in my prayer.
I live alone, dear Lord, yet have no fear,
Because I feel Your presence ever near.
Amen

United
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United Catholic Appeal

	Date: June 19, 2025
Parish Name:	St. Joseph Parish
Parish Goal:	\$14,167
Amount Pledged:	\$12,784
Percentage to Goal:	90.24 %
Number of Donors:	55