

### **Services**

### **Weekend Liturgy**

Saturday Vigil 4:00 pm Sunday 8:30 am & 11:00 am

### **Daily Services**

Monday 7:00 am Communion Service Tuesday-Thursday 7:00 am Mass Friday & Saturday 8:30 am Mass

### **Eucharistic Adoration**

Tuesday 1:00 pm-6:00 pm First Friday after 8:30am Mass

Tuesday 6:30-7:30 pm

### Sacramental Life

### Reconciliation

After 8:30 a.m. Mass Saturday & 3 p.m. on Saturday; from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Tuesdays during adoration; First Friday or by appointment.

### **Baptism**

The first and third Sundays of the month at 12:30 pm or during the Liturgy. Parents must reserve and attend a baptism class.

### **Weddings**

Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. At least one of the engaged persons (or their parents) must be a registered parishioner.

### **Communion to Homebound**

Call Deacon Leon Fritz 815-932-6909.

### Registration

Newcomers are welcome to register online or stop by the parish office.

### **Pastoral Staff**

### **Pastor**

Rev. Marcin Michalak

### Deacon

Leon Fritz

### **Music Director**

**Brad Benoit** 

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Anita Lovell Coordinator

Phone: 815-937-9340

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### **Praver Line**

Sharon Monty: 815-954-4922 parishadmin@stjosphbradley.org

### **Parish Office**

Monday-Thursday 9am-4pm Friday 9am-1 pm Office Phone: (815) 939-3573

### **Parish Website**

www.stjosephbradley.org

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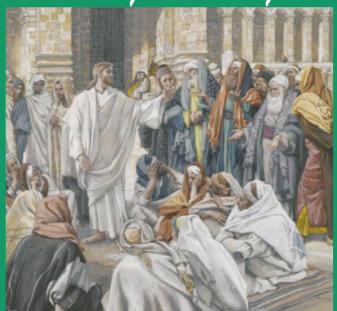
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# First Friday Devotion at St. Joseph Church August 5th

Our monthly Holy Hour is coming up next Friday, August 5, after the 8:30 a.m. Mass with Eucharistic Adoration and opportunity for Reconciliation. The devotion concludes with Benediction. Join us for this prayer time.



Do you remember that awesome basket you took home after wining at Bingo during our Parish Picnic last year?

Our plan is hand out prize baskets again this year for Bingo at the picnic. Can you help us? Feel free to create your own basket or simply get some items that would make good prizes in a basket.

Please bring these to the parish office in the next few weeks or contact us at the parish website to arrange pick-up.

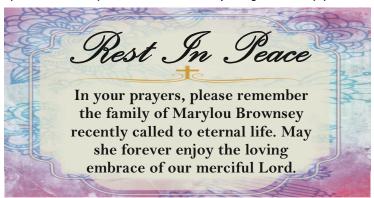
This was such a popular event, especially because of the spirit of the volunteers and the prizes. Help us make the baskets even better this year! (Picnic is Sept. 10.)



Members of St. Joseph's Council of Catholic Women will be taking orders for Mums starting next weekend, August 6-7, after Masses. (They will be back to take your order after Masses August 13-14 and August 20-21.)

The plants, which will be coming from Benoit Greenhouse, will be in 9-inch pots with color choices of orange, red, yellow, and purple. The cost is \$10 at the time of ordering and the ladies will be accepting cash and checks made out to: St. Joseph CCW. You can also order during the week at the parish office.

All orders must be in by Tuesday, August 22. Pick up will be Monday, Sept. 19, from 4-7 p.m. at the parish. Thanks for your support!



# Parish Religious Education Registration Opens Soon!

Watch for RE Registration Information coming the week of August 1. Our program will begin on Wednesday, Sept. 14, at 4:30 p.m. with a Parent-Student Session. We will be meeting monthly on the Second Wednesday of each Month. (Students preparing for sacraments will meet for additional sessions). We are looking for volunteers to make a monthly commitment. Please contact Anita Lovell in the RE Office for more details. We're excited about the possibilities.

SERVICE INFORMATION & MASS INTENTIONS					
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
August 1	August 2	August 3	August 4	August 5	August 6
St.	St. Eusebius of	Ordinary	St. John	Dedication of	The
Alphonsus	Vercelli &	Time	Vianney	St. Mary Major	Transfiguration
Liguori,	St. Peter Julian	Weekday	7 a.m. Mass	Basilica	of the
Doctor of the	Eymard	7 a.m. Mass	† Charles	8:30 a.m.	Lord
Church	7 a.m. Mass	† Elmer	Ponikvar	Mass	8:30 a.m. Mass
7:00 a.m.	† Richard Dunn	Fries by	(Anniversary	† Carol Johnson	† Edmund
Communion	by Al & Pat	Family &	Memorial) by	by Mike & Kathy	Pudlo by Ron
Service	Knittel	Friends	Gifford Family	Storer	Kusz & Sisters
Saturday			Sunday		
August 6			August 7		

4:00 p.m. Vigil Mass † Len Burgener (Wedding Anniversary) by Vicki, Wife † Robert White by Matt & Venus Toohill † Ed Burr (Birthday Memorial) by Pat & Cheryl Burr

### **EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP**

I knew a woman who truly knew pain, sacrifice and loss, including the death of a child. She worked each day, waiting to retire to devote herself to her grandchildren. Ninety-eight days before she was set to retire, she died suddenly. But I'll let you in on a secret: this isn't a sad story. I've only told you part of it. This woman heard, daily, the voice of God, and against it she never hardened her heart, whatever news it brought her. This woman loved as hard as she worked. Every action was a form of evangelization. To talk to her was Mt 16:13-23 to feel the embrace of Christ. As much as she waited for that Friday: Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7/Dt 32:35cd-36ab, retirement that never came, it was never the harvest in her barn. This is what it means to be a true steward: to seek what is above.-Tracy Earl Welliver

Offerings for the weekend of July 16/17, 2022

\$5,816.00

4:00 pm: \$3,252.00 8:30 am: \$1,464.00 11:00 am: \$990.00

Offerings Mailed to St. Joseph Parish: \$110.00

Food Donations: 214.3 Pounds

Offerings for the weekend of July 23/24, 2022

\$7,188.00 4:00 pm: \$3,915.00 8:30 am: \$1,636.00 11:00 am: \$1,377.00

Offerings Mailed to St. Joseph Parish: \$260.00

**Food Donations: 47 Pounds** 

### 11:00 a.m. Mass † Elmer Fries by Loved Ones Readings for the Week of July 31, 2022

8:30 a.m. Mass † Neil Lockwood (Anniversary

Memorial) by Margaret Bullock & Family † Bruce

Redenius (Birthday Memorial) by Marie Davis

Sunday: Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17 [1]/Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21

**Monday:** Jer 28:1-17/Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102/

Mt 14:13-21

**Tuesday:** Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22/Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29 and 22-23/Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14 **Wednesday:** Jer 31:1-7/Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13/Mt 15:21-28

**Thursday:** Jer 31:31-34/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19/

39abcd, 41/Mt 16:24-28

**Saturday:** Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9/2 Pt

1:16-19/Lk 9:28b-36

**Next Sunday:** Wis 18:6-9/Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22 [12b]/Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12/Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40

Mass Readings: www.stjosephbradley.org

# Shank you for being part of Our Parish, Our Family



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Many thanks to all who have signed up for electronic giving. These options are the most convenient ways for giving and staying consistent with your offerings. You can make automated ACH Offerings from your savings or checking accounts. Please clip the form for Auto Deduct on page 6 or download it at the parish website; print; complete; follow the directions and put in collection basket or mail or to the parish. Or stop by the parish office to sign-up for Auto Deduct. Or look for the PayPal Button at our website to set-up contributions through this online payment method. Thanks for your support!

# Parishioners and friends helped out at the Back to School Fair



Once again, St. Joseph's Mobile Food Pantry Team accepted the challenge to recruit volunteers and help at the Back to School Fair on July 26 in Kankakee. Each summer, Catholic Charities coordinates these events at locations



Many thanks to everyone who participated at last Sunday's Blood Drive at St. Joseph's. In the end, we collected 23 units, surpassing our goal of 22. During this uncertain time, you stepped up and did something to save lives! This gesture of love means the world to patients and their families. This ministry is incredibly important to our parish. We couldn't continue it without our wonderful donors! Thank you, sincerely, for taking the valuable time to save lives! (Our next Blood Drive is scheduled Sept. 18, 2022, at St. Joseph's Parish Hall.)

throughout the Joliet Diocese to provide backpacks and school supplies to students from low-income households as well as food and other necessities to these families.



A total of 27 volunteers from our Mobile Food Pantry Team and their friends and family members assisted at the fair!

They certainly did their part to help prepare the students for a successful new school year! Many thanks to our Mobile Food Pantry coordinators and all the helpers for giving some time and making a difference in our community!

Sat, July 30 Daily Mass 8:30 a.m. Vigil Mass 4:00 p.m. Sun, July 31 Mass 8:30 a.m.	Mon, August 1 Communion Service 7:00 a.m. Tues, August 2 Daily Mass 7:00 a.m. Adoration	Tues, August 2 (continued) Rosary 6:30 p.m. Church Parish Picnic Meeting 7:00 p.m.	Wednesday, August 3 Daily Mass 7:00 a.m. Church Catholic Charities Class 10:00 a.m. Ministry Center	Daily Mass 7:00 a.m. Church Men's AA Group 7:00-9:00 p.m. St. Joseph Ministry Center
Mass 11:00 a.m.	1:00-6:00 p.m. Church	St. Joseph Ministry Center	Watch for more programs soon	We have several opportunities for
Fri, August 5 Daily Mass 8:30 a.m. Church First Friday Devotion after 8:30 a.m. Mass Church	Sat, August 6 Daily Mass 8:30 a.m. Vigil Mass 4:00 p.m. Church CCW Selling Mums after 4 p.m. Mass	Sun, August 7 Mass 8:30 a.m. Holy Name Meeting 9:30 a.m. Ministry Center Mass 11:00 a.m.	Sunday, August 7 (continued) CCW Selling Mums after both Masses Please support this effort Parish Baptisms 12:15 p.m. Church	Reconciliation throughout the week. The schedule is on Page 1. Appointments can also be made by calling the parish office.

LITURGICAL ROLES	August 6 4:00 PM	August 7 8:30 AM	August 7 11:00 AM	Are you interested in any of
Hospitality Ministers	Michael Ely Mike Worby David Berg Bev Emme	Michael Storer Kathy Storer Dick Jenkins Aliess Bedford	Paul Storer Julie Gindy Emily Sue Storer Katelyn Storer	these ministries? Contact the parish. Ministers
Lectors	Chuck Carnes (both readings)	Marian Worby (both readings)	Emily Rose Storer (1) Zaida Garcia (2)	can go online to
Eucharistic	Diane Ely Michael Ely	Mary Kay Pittman Daniel Trivino	Paul Storer Jonathon Storer	see when they are scheduled,
Altar Servers	Vicki Burgener	Adelaide Bedford	Sean Storer Jesse Babiaka	request <sup>*</sup> subs and
Deacons	Deacon Leon	Deacon Greg Clodi	Deacon Greg Clodi	input when not to be
Presiders	Fr. Marcin	Fr. Marcin Michalak	Fr. Marcin Michalak	scheduled.

Drive-Thru at St. Joseph's

Thanks so much to the Holy Name for holding a Drive-Thru Dinner event last Saturday preceding Movie Night. The members are raising funds to continue efforts to make our church entrances more acceptable for parishioners and guests.

Mark your calendars for Sunday, Sept. 25, when the Holy Name will once again be grilling and selling their Famous Porkchop Sandwiches!

# Smiles, snacks and The Sandlot at Movie Night!



While the weather made a movie outdoors impossible last Saturday night, our Party Planners worked hard to create a fun evening at the show inside our Parish Hall! While the turnout was not exactly what we were hoping for, the spirit of friendship and community was certainly there!



The Knights of Columbus are selling \$10 tickets for their month-long Raffle happening in October 2022. Please get tickets from a knight or at the parish office. Proceeds help them do some great things at St. Joseph's and beyond.

# **Farmers Market Nutrition Program**

Sponsored by Catholic Charities, this program provides qualifying low-income seniors with coupons to use at the Kankakee Farmers Market to promote healthy habits and provide access to fresh fruits and vegetables. Participants of the program must be over the age of 60 (or if Native American, over the age of 55) and be at or below the income guidelines that will be shared upon registration. Applications are available at the Kankakee Catholic Charities Office located at 249 S Schuyler Ave Suite 300, Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. or 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. For questions, please contact Catholic Charities at 815-523-9918 or ccu@cc-doj.org.

### **Electronic Giving**

Please realize, that although you are not here a given week, your parish still needs your support.

Below is the authorization form enabling you to have your Sunday contribution electronically provided to St. Joseph's via ACH Auto-Deduct. If you choose to sign up, you will continue to receive your Sunday/Special Collection envelopes in the mail. Your contribution envelopes have a box that can be checked stating "I give electronically". You can continue to use your offertory envelopes and simply check this box.

All that is required is to fill out the form below, attach a Voided check, and return by mailing to the parish office or putting in collection. Your banking information is kept secure and confidential.

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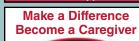
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