

Saints Mary & Joseph Parish

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Diocese Victim Assistance Coordinator and liaison between the Diocese & anyone with an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor-- (217) 321-1155.

Weekend Mass Times:

Saturday (Vigil) 5:30pm -- Sunday 9:30am
Daily Mass: Thursday: 8:00am
Communion Service: Mon., Tues., Wed., & Fri.: 8:00am
Confessions: Thurs 8:30-9:15am, Sun 9-9:25am or by Appt.
Chaplet of Divine Mercy: Monday 8:30am
Scriptural Rosary: Mondays 8:30am
Choir Practice: Tuesdays 7:00pm
Eucharistic Adoration: Thursday 8:30am - Noon

Weekly Parish Offering

Weekend Envelopes	\$7,270.00
Weekend Loose Cash	\$541.00
Building Fund	\$880.00
Holy Day: All Saints, All Souls	\$124.00
Special: Military Services, Christmas Flowers	\$1,005.00
Other: PSR, Votive Candles, B. Kates Memorials	\$676.26
Total	\$10,496.26

**THANK
YOU!**

November 08-09, 2025

Sat. 5:30pm	Sun. 9:30am	Total
124	208	332

November 09-10, 2024

Sat. 5:30pm	Sun. 9:30am	Total
115	180	295

Parish Liturgical Ministry Schedule November 22-23, 2025

Saturday at 5:30pm

Ushers	Roger Rosentreter Family
Lector	Susan Millard
Eucharistic Ministers	Elaine Flowers, Susan Millard, Volunteer Needed
Gift Bearers	LeVora Family
Altar Servers	Bredel, Henry Frericks, Zoey Killam

Sunday 9:30am

Ushers	Brad & Jessica Barkley
Lector	Vaughn Whiteman
Eucharistic Ministers	Vaughn Whiteman, Kara Harris, Scott Harris
Gift Bearers	C. Behme Family
Altar Servers	Annagrace White, Charlie Behme, Addisyn Swan
Children's Liturgy	Marisha Eilerman, 2 Student Volunteers Needed

In charity, please remember in your prayers:

... our military personnel, especially: Matthew Gazda, Stefan Gazda, Broc Horn, Bryan Murphy Jr., Gary Wilson

... the sick and those in need: Tonya Koller, Garrett Wehking, John Stankoven, Deacon Denny & Kathy Baker, Peggy Geurin, Josh Carter, Joyce Crum Ross, Wally Dyer, Jeff Link, Michelle Destatte, Whitney Dworzynski, Kristen Smith, John Reid, Bill Groves, Karen Dworzynski, Karen Joiner, Matthew Alepra, John O'Brien, Jackie Malt

Mass Intentions:

Sat.	11/15	5:30 pm	Dan Millard ☩
Sun.	11/16	9:30 am	John Harry Formea ☩ John Burger ☩
Mon.	11/17	8:00 am	Communion Service
Tues.	11/18	8:00 am	Communion Service
Wed.	11/19	5:30 pm	Janet Regan Burghart ☩
Thurs.	11/20	8:00 am	Dustin Hainsfurther ☩
Fri.	11/21	8:00 am	Communion Service
		10:00am	Mass at Lakeside in C'ville For the wellbeing of the residents
Sat.	11/22	5:30 pm	Howard & Rita Fishburn ☩ Charlie Boyett ☩
Sun.	11/23	9:30 am	Bob Kates ☩

Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday: 8:30am-2:30pm Wednesday: 8:30am-2:30pm & 3:30pm-5:30pm; Closed for Lunch each day: 12:30pm-1:00pm

There will be a fifth Sunday Collection for the Saint Vincent DePaul Society November 29/30.



PSR CORNER

PSR Time: Wednesdays from 3:45pm - 5:00pm

Upcoming PSR Classes:

Nov 19, Nov 26 (No PSR), Dec 3, Dec 10

2nd & 3rd Grade students must attend PSR & Mass in order to be eligible for their sacraments.

Attention 3rd Grade Parents: First Reconciliation will be during PSR on Wednesday, November 19.

Youth Group Time: Sundays from 6:00pm - 8:00pm

Upcoming Youth Group Classes:

Sunday, November 30

Jodi Rowe, DRE

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Mon, Nov 17: KC Aux Mtg 6:30pm

Tues, Nov 18: KC Mtg 7:00pm

Sun, Nov 23: SVDP Mtg 9:00am

Interested in becoming a Eucharistic Minister?

There will be a meeting for parishioners who are interested in serving as a Eucharistic Minister during the celebration of the mass on Thursday, November 20th in church at 1:30 p.m. The meeting should take 30-40 minutes. Please contact Terri Reid (217) 415-4512 with any questions.

Bulletin Submissions: To ensure bulletins items are included each week please have your items to the office by Wednesdays by 9:00am.

Important Dates & Information

Sunday, Nov 16: SVDP Appreciation Breakfast after Mass

Once again, the St. Vincent de Paul Members would like to thank all the parishioners for their continuous generosity & support of our 5th Sunday Collections! *We appreciate each & every one of you so very much!*

Thanksgiving Family Masses

- Wed, November 19 at 5:30pm at Ss. Mary & Joseph
- Tues, November 25 at 6pm at Ss. Simon & Jude
- Wed, November 26 at 8am at St. Joseph

Saturday, Dec 6: Parish Appreciation Dinner after Mass

Please plan to join us for food, fun & fellowship. We will be recognizing all the councils, committees, groups & volunteers as well as all the Centennial Campaign Donors so far. The highlight of the evening will be the much-anticipated unveiling of our Centennial Campaign tree, a visual testament to our community's generosity & the current progress of our Campaign. Please sign up by Mon, Dec 1 by using the signup sheets in the narthex or by calling the office.

Mon, Dec 8: Immaculate Conception-Holy Day of Obligation

8:00am: Ss. Simon & Jude

6:00pm: Ss. Mary & Joseph

Series on the Mass – Week 6

Communion: Becoming One in Christ

As we reach the final part of our series on the Mass, we reflect on the Communion Rite and Concluding Rites — moments that prepare us to live what we have celebrated.

Communion – Becoming One in Christ: Holy Communion is not only a personal encounter with Jesus; it is also deeply communal. The very word “Communion” means union with — with Christ and with one another. When we receive the Body of Christ, we become more fully the Body of Christ — the Church. In that line for Communion, no one is higher or lower; all are equal before the Lord who gives Himself to all. Heaven truly touches earth as Christ dwells within His people.

Silence After Communion – The Lord in Our Hearts: After receiving Communion, the Church invites us into sacred silence — not just a pause, but a time to speak to Jesus in our hearts. It is a precious moment to thank Him, adore Him, and ask for His strength. Let your heart whisper: “Lord Jesus, thank You for coming to me. Stay with me. Help me carry You into the world.”

Prayer After Communion: The priest's Prayer After Communion gathers all our silent prayers, asking that what we have received may bear fruit in our daily lives. It reminds us that Communion is not the end of the Mass — but the beginning of our mission.

Sent Forth to Live What We Celebrate

The Concluding Rites – Blessed and Sent: At the end of Mass, the priest blesses us — strengthening us for the journey ahead. The words “Go forth, the Mass is ended” or “Go and announce the Gospel of the Lord” are not dismissals but commissions. The word “Mass” comes from “Missa,” meaning sent. We are sent forth to live what we have received — to bring Christ's peace and presence into our homes, workplaces, and communities.

Living the Mass Daily: The real measure of our participation at Mass is not only how we pray inside the church but how we live outside of it — in kindness, forgiveness, and love. Each good deed continues the Eucharist we celebrated. As St. Augustine reminds us: “Be what you see, and receive what you are — the Body of Christ.” We receive Christ to bring Christ to others.

A Final Word – The Mass Never Ends: The Mass is heaven on earth — Christ among us, God's love poured out anew. We are not spectators but participants in this sacred mystery. When we hear, “Go in peace,” it is Christ Himself sending us forth: “Take My love into the world. Be My hands, My voice, My heart”. The Mass never really ends- It lives on in us. Amen!!!!

This is the conclusion of the Series on the Mass!

Blessings of Peace and Joy Always! *Fr. Joe*

New Weekly Giving Envelopes: We are planning to start Jan 1, 2026 with new weekly contribution envelopes. What we need from each of you by Nov 30: If you currently receive envelopes & do not want them anymore please let the office know. If you currently do not receive envelope & you do want to start receiving envelopes, please let the office know. If you have recently moved, please let the office know your new mailing address. If you don't have any changes, then you are all set! If you have any questions please call 217-854-7151 or email secretaryssmjtc@gmail.com. Thanks!