

# ST. JOSEPH'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

## **OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE MISSION**



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#### GIVING

#### **Offertory Collection**

St. Joseph's Our Lady of Guadalupe 01/26 01/26 Budgeted: \$1250.00 Budgeted: \$983.34 Received: \$.00 Received: \$.00 Totals for 12/2019 Totals for 12/2019 Budgeted: \$5000.00 Budgeted: \$3998.00 Received: \$7025.50 Received: \$3736.00

God bless & keep all our patrons & volunteers!

#### 2020 Diocesan Support Appeal

St. Joseph's Our Lady of Guadalupe Goal: TBA Goal: TBA

Help us reach our goals by donating at: charlottediocese.thankyou4caring.org/DSADonations

## Solemnity of the Presentation of Our Lord February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2020

Dear Parish Family,

Another devotion that we should become familiar with during this year to St. Joseph is the "Litany of St. Joseph". Currently, we pray this litany at the conclusion of adoration on most Fridays at St. Joseph's. In the litany, various titles for St. Joseph are used and we seek his powerful intercession by calling upon these different facets of who he is and different patronages that have been entrusted to his paternal care. While praying the litany, it is an opportunity to discover areas or situations in our life that we can ask the intercession of St. Joseph. For example, one of the more intriguing titles he has is "Terror of Demons". Why does he have this title? It is due to his strong resolve to always cooperate with the will of the Father and his perfect dedication to carry out his mission from God. One who faithful in their service to God and has given over their heart to Him is always a terror to demons because they are unable to seduce them into sin, but are put on the defensive by those Holy Souls!

By asking St. Joseph to stand at our side in our battle against the forces of evil, we acknowledge God's desire to care for us, especially through the angels & saints, our need for help against evil, and the love that the Saints have for each of us! ~Fr. Shaw



#### Upcoming Year of St. Joseph Activities & Events

After each Daily Mass – Prayers for obtaining the Plenary Indulgence 02/16: 33-Day Consecration - Group will have 1st meeting after 11:15am Sunday Mass 03/19: Solemnity of St. Joseph – Masses: 12pm & 6pm at St. Joseph's, Dinner to follow 6pm Mass



#### PRAYERS

Our Lady of Sorrows, intercede for all the Sick & Suffering, especially: Bob Burns, Nancy Thomason, Carol Badalucco, Pressie Raby, Barbara Hart, Bill & Joan Sutherland, Doris Kearns, Mary Brogan, & Donna Nelson.

St. Joseph, Patron of a Happy Death, intercede for the Souls of all the Faithful Departed, especially: John Arch, Everett Wilmot, Christina Tucker, Chuck Brogan, Donald Samson, Ted Raby, Phil Webb, Kristy Schumann, Steven Cramer, Kathryn Trull, Louis Gantnier, Angela DiLillo, Douglas Baker, Kim Samson, John Suttle, Dee Burns, Phil Anderson, Dan Pulte, Walter Powers, Rev. Fr. George Kloster, & Rev. Fr. Matthew Leonard.

St. Michael the Archangel, protect & intercede for our Armed Forces Personnel, especially: Ryan Carr, Richard Fischer III, Gunnar Hale, Christopher Jones, David Spalding, Larry Studer, Peter Young, Gabriel LeBron, & Rev. Fr. Jason Burchell.

Sunday Year: A	DAILY MASS READINGS			WEEKDAY YEAR: 2
Monday:	St. Blaise, Bishop & Martyr	2 Sam 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13	Ps 3:2-7	Mark 5:1-20
Tuesday:	Feria	2 Sam 18:9-10, 14, 24-25, 30-19:3	Ps 86:1-6	Mark 5:21-43
Wednesday:	St. Agatha, Virgin Martyr	2 Sam 24:2, 9-17	Ps 32:1-2, 5-7	Mark 6:1-6
Thursday:	St. Paul Miki, Priest, & Companions, Martyrs	1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12	1 Chr 29:10-12	Mark 6:7-13
Friday:	Feria	Sir 47:2-11	Ps 18:31, 47, 50-51	Mark 6:14-29
Saturday:	St. Josephine Bakhita, Virgin Confessor	1 Kgs 3:4-13	Ps 119:9-14	Mark 6:30-34
Regular = Feria/Obligatory Memorial, <i>Italia</i> = Optional Memorial, ALL CAPITALS = Feast, <b>BOLD CAPITALS</b> = Solemnity				

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#### To arrange Mass intentions,

please contact the office at least two weeks prior to date desired.

#### SAINT JOSEPH'S MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

(02/01) Saturday: 5:00pm: †Lee Holt

(requested by Sonia Holt)

11:15am: Pro Populo Sunday:

(For the people of the Parish) Monday: 12:00pm: Special Intention

Jack Ambrosine 12:00pm Tuesday:

(requested by Rod Lowman)

Wednesday: 6:00pm: Vincent Elmore

(requested by Rod Lowman)

Thursday: 12:00pm: John Wondel

(requested by Rod Lowman)

12:00pm: Friday: Besty

(requested by Rod Lowman)

#### **OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE MISSION**

(02/01) Saturday: 7:00pm: Patrons of the Parish

9:00am: Sunday:

#### **CONFESSIONS**

St. Joseph's: Every Saturday from 4:15pm-4:45pm, available 30 minutes before each daily Mass, & upon request.

#### **CONTACTS & MINISTRIES**

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Hours: Wed.:10am-4pm, Thurs.: 10am-1pm, Fri.: 10am-4pm, Sat.:10am-1pm

## EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Solemnity of the Presentation of Our Lord, February 2nd:

OLG 9:00am: Reader: G. Jarrett:

SJ 11:15am: Reader: K. Posey; Usher: M. Breen

Sunday of the 5th Week of Ordinary Time, February 9th:

OLG 9:00am: Reader: G. Jarrett:

SJ 11:15am: Reader: K. Posey; Usher: M. Breen

## **GOOD JOES**

### **Upcoming Meeting: Recessed Until Spring**

The Good Joe's meet on the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of the month. Meetings are usually on Tuesdays at 12 pm, with Mass and then lunch. Any man is welcome.

## Parish Council Meeting

The next parish council meeting:

## February 5th @ St. Joseph's in the Church Hall at 7pm.

Please submit reports & agenda items to Lois Baker, Council Chair, at least one week in advance.

## Women's Spirituality Group

Are you a woman seeking to understand more about the Faith? On Wednesday evenings at 4:30 PM in the Church Hall, the parish Woman's Spirituality Group meets.

Next Meeting: February 5th, 2020



#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Our Knights of Columbus Council #16543 will be having their monthly business meeting: Wednesday, February 12th @ 7:00pm

in St. Joseph's Church Hall.

#### **Catholic Daughters of the Americas**

The local court's next meeting is:

February 13th, 2020

at St. Mary's Catholic Church (Sylva)

Contact: Glenda Jarrett (glenda.jarrett1@frontier.com)



Did you know that that you can make tax free distributions to St. Joseph's & Our Lady of Guadalupe directly from your IRA account if you're over 70½ years old? These are free from federal & state income taxes, can help avoid Medicare high income surcharges, and can help reduce taxes on your social security benefits. Distributions can be made directly to our parish and can be restricted so that it can only be used for specific purposes (building maintenance, DSA, grounds, etc.).

For more information, please contact Bob Burns (rjbns213@gmail.com).