

## SAINT JOSEPH PARISH

5411 MAIN STREET, SYLVANIA, OHIO 43560 www.stjoesylvania.org



#### **PARISH OFFICE**

Phone: 419-885-5791

E-mail: parish@stjoesylvania.org

#### **LORD'S DAY MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday – 4:30 p.m.

Sunday – 7:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m.

and 5:00 p.m.

#### **SACRAMENT OF PENANCE**

Saturday - 3:00 to 4:00 p.m.

#### **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday-Friday – 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Sunday – 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

In the Church Narthex (Welcome Desk)



# AWARE

OF GOD'S CONSTANT PRESENC

THE WORD OF GOD

AND THE TEACHING OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH.

SAINT JOSEPH PARISH STRIVES TO BE A COMMITMITY OF DISCIPLES

REACHING OUT

#### Welcome to Saint Joseph Parish, 5411 Main Street, Sylvania, Ohio 43560

#### Parish Leadership Team

Very Reverend Monsignor Michael R. Billian, VF
Mrs. Joanne M. Denyer
Mr. Robert P. Edwards
Reverend Joseph J. Mominee
Mrs. Libby S. Saxton
Mrs. Heather R. Koziarski

#### Parish Clergy

#### **Pastor**

Very Reverend Monsignor Michael R. Billian, VF

#### Parochial Vicar

Reverend Joseph J. Mominee

#### In Residence

Reverend Michael A. Geiger

#### **Permanent Deacons**

Deacon Anthony J. Pistilli Deacon Richard A. Sasala

#### Parish Office - 419-885-5791

Fax -- 419-882-5235 Email--parish@stjoesylvania.org and ltafelski@stjoesylvania.org Website--stjoesylvania.org

#### Pastoral Associate -- Mrs. Joanne Denyer

Ministry Coordinator –- Mrs. LuAnn Tafelski Executive Assistant to Monsignor Billian – Mrs. Kristine Soldner

#### Stewardship Services—419-885-5791

Business Manager—Mrs. Heather Koziarski Bookkeeper—Miss Kayla Cluckey Development Director—Miss Madelyn Piscopo Account Clerk--Mrs. Ellen Doran Parish Scheduler—Mrs. Jennifer Kauffmann

#### Saint Joseph Parish School—419-882-6670

Preschool to Grade 8
Principal—Mr. Robert Edwards
Assistant Principal—Miss Lori Langenderfer
Preschool Director—Mrs. Cheryl Peatee

#### Music Ministry—419-885-5791

Director of Music—Mrs. Libby Saxton
Music Ministry Assistant & Social Media Coordinator
—Mr. Dean Tartaglia
Parish Cantor—Mr. Paul Casmus

#### Youth Formation Ministry - 419-885-2181

Fax —419-882-5235
Director—Mr. Bradley McNeal
Youth Minister—Mrs. Mandy Seymour
Administrative Assistant and Athletic Coordinator—
Mrs. Jane Richardson

Infant Baptism: The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated after the Noon Mass on the Second and Fourth Sundays of the month. Registered parishioners are asked to make arrangements for the Baptismal Preparation Class and the Liturgical Celebration by calling the Parish Office.

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA): This process for becoming Catholic is a series of steps conducted in the context of learning about the faith and spiritual formation, through which a person is fully incorporated in the Body of Christ, the Church. This formation is for the unbaptized, those baptized in other Christian communities, and Catholics who have not received all three Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist).

**Penance:** The Sacrament of Penance is celebrated every Saturday from 3:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m., during a Communal Penance Service during Advent and Lent or by appointment.

Holy Orders: When a gentleman feels the call to follow the Lord as a Priest in the Catholic Church, he should call Father David Kidd, our Diocesan Vocation Director, at 419-244-6711 or email: <a href="mailto:dkidd@toledodiocese.org">dkidd@toledodiocese.org</a>, or speak to one of the Parish Priests. If the Permanent Diaconate is of interest to a gentleman, he should call Deacon Daniel Brahier, our Delegate for Deacons, at 419-244-6711 or speak to one of the Deacons of the Parish.

Religious Life: Consecrated women and men religious by their lives witness the joy of eternal union with God. Freed from earthly cares, they more fully manifest the Kingdom of God to all Christians. The structure of the vowed life frees consecrated religious to live entirely for God and others. If you are interested in this vocation, you can contact Sister Maria Amata, RSM, at

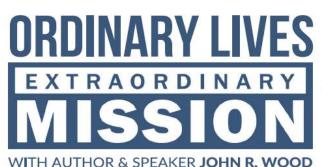
https://toledodiocese.org/page/delegate-for-consecrated-life#\_welcome.

Matrimony: Anyone planning to be married must contact the Parish at least six months in advance. The exact date and time of your wedding should not be determined until after consultation with a Priest or Deacon. If either party has previously been civilly or religiously married, the Presider is not permitted to set a date for the wedding without resolving the previous marriage.

Pastoral Care of the Sick: When a parishioner is confined to home because of age or infirmity, please call the Parish Office to arrange for Holy Communion at home. When a parishioner is in a hospital or nursing home, please call the Parish Office to arrange for a visit. You may wish to call before any planned surgeries. When one is seriously ill, the healing Presence of the Lord should be requested in the Sacrament of the Sick by calling the Parish Office at 419-885-5791. Please call, do not email in urgent situations.

**WORSHIP:** Worship is the response of the People of God to the Father's invitation to be one with Him, expressed through the Church's official liturgy, as well as through other prayers and devotions. Our worship is direct to the Father, through the Son, in the unity of the Holy Spirit. All the ministries related to the prayer of the Church are included in this category.









9 APRIL 2025 7:00PM



**SAINT JOSEPH PARISH:** 

5411 MAIN STREET, SYLVANIA, OHIO 43560



FROM DARKNESS TO LIGHT: HAVING A LIFE CHANGING HOLY WEEK

"I believe John is one of the great emerging Catholic voices of our time. John Wood has a passion that is contagious... make an effort to go and hear him speak!" Matthew Kelly | The Dynamic Catholic Institute

MISSION

Worship Ministries: All Souls Day of Remembrance-Joanne Denyer Altar Linen Care Group LuAnn Tafelski Anointing Mass--Joanne Denyer Choirs/Music Mrs. Libby Saxton, Director: Adult Choir Cantors Contemporary Ensemble Instrumentalists Resurrection Choir **Eucharistic Adoration** LuAnn Tafelski Funeral Coordinators-Kris Soldner, Parish Office **Holy Communion** Ministry--Nursing Homes, Extended Care Facilities, Hospitals, Homebound-Joanne Denver Liturgical Ministers at Mass--Extraordinary Ministers of Holv Communion, Greeters, Lectors. Ushers & Sacristans -Joanne Denver Altar Server Training--Deacon Pistilli Altar Server Scheduling-LuAnn Tafelski

Rosary Devotions--Linda Spencer Seven Sisters

**Apostolate** 

--Stacy Lievens 734-344-9417



A Note about the Notes--Our sending song today, "What Wondrous Love Is This" is a Christian folk hymn from the American South. Appearing in print as early as 1811, "Wondrous Love" expresses God's amazing and incomprehensible love for us - "What wondrous love is this that cause the Lord of bliss to bear the dreadful curse for my soul?" The dreadful curse refers to sin and the punishment of sin: death. The repetitive lyrics and haunting melody are meant to stir our hearts to ponder that question - what is this wondrous love that would drive our Lord to death for us - what is this amazing love that gives its life for our sake? If you hear the contemporary version on piano/guitar, arranged by Josh Blakesley, you'll hear a rhythmic drone that underlines the repetitive lyrics and leads into a wonderful proclamation at the end: "I will sing, I will sing to the Lamb who died for me. I will sing, I will sing of wondrous love." --Libby Saxton, Director of Music Ministry

<u>FORMATION</u>: Formation is the growth and development of the whole person by an intentional focus on one's spiritual and interior life, as well as spiritually fruitful interactions with others in ordinary life. It is a lifelong process as a believer desires to become more like Him. This is possible only because of the divine grace of the Gospel and empowering presence of the Holy Spirit. All the ministries related to the education and formation of God's people are included in this category.

#### Jaguar for a Day

Interested in seeing what it is like to be a Jaguar? Come shadow us for the day! We offer shadows in  $2^{nd}$ - $8^{th}$  grade and would love to have your student with us! We also



offer parent tours for all grade levels and would love to have you here!

Email Maddie Piscopo at mpiscopo@stjoesylvania.org to schedule a visit.



Saint Joseph Parish has been nominated as one of the Top 5 places to worship by our community for the Toledo Blade 2025 Readers' Choice Awards! Please cast your vote for Saint Joseph Parish by using the link: https://theblade.com/readerschoice/Votes may be cast through April 13. Winner will be announced on May 18.

## Lenten Penance Services and Events in our Deanery

#### Christ the King Parish

Wednesday, April 9, 6:00-7:30 pm - Penance Service

#### Saint John the Baptist Parish

Tuesday, April 8, 9:00 am-12:00 noon & 1:00-6:30 pm **Day of Grace** 

#### Saint Clement Parish

Wednesday, April 9 - Confession 8:00-10:00 am & 10:00 am-12:00 noon

#### Saint Joseph Parish, Sylvania

All Wednesdays 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm Tuesday, April 8, 10:00 am Wednesday, April 9, 10:00 am Thursday, April 10, 7:00 pm Parish Mission Penance Service

# Summer Vacation Bible SchoolJune 16-19 on West Campus 9:00 am - 12:00 pm for children ages 4-8

We are looking for volunteers to assist with various activities, including teaching, crafts, games, snacks and more! Whether you can help for the entire week or just one day, we would love to have you on board. Additionally, we need people to help plan the event. If you have ideas for making this year's VBS a fun experience for the kids, we would appreciate your input. To volunteer, please contact Jane Richardson at irichardson@stioesylvania.org.



Stations of the Cross: Friday at
7:00 pm
April 11
and at
Noon on
Good Friday, April 18

#### Formation Ministries:

Adult Faith Formation Programs--Joanne Denyer Bible Studies--J. Denyer Divorced & Separated-Joanne Denyer Saint Valentine Dinner-Joanne Denyer Children's Religious Education-Bradley McNeal Children's Liturgy of the Word Facilitators-Bradley McNeal Catholic Youth Organization Athletics--Jane Richardson Early Childhood Ministry--Leslie Sloan **Engaged Couples** Conference -- Brandon & Grainne Kulka Registration: LuAnn Tafelski High School and Middle School Youth Groups -Mandy Seymour Pre-K - 8 Parish School--Robert Edwards, Principal Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)-Joanne Denver Sunday School for Preschoolers -Leslie Sloan Vacation Bible School--Jane Richardson Youth Service Group-Mandy Seymour Parish Office 419-885-5791 or email

Mark your calendars!

parish@stjoesylvania.org

Youth Formation Office

419-885-2181

religious
education
classes will be
taking place the
weeks of
June 9-13 &
June 16-20
(9:00 am - 12:00 pm.)
Online
registration will
be made
available starting

in April.

COMMUNITY: The community of disciples has as its principle task the promotion and sustaining of growth through interpersonal relationships focused on the person of Christ. This bonding together makes us into the Body of Christ. Parishes are called, through their activities, to bring people together in a spirit of unity through diversity. All the ministries related to the building up of the community are included in this category.

#### Men's Lenten Lectio Scripture Group

Men, are you looking for something that will help you get more out of the Sunday Mass **Gospel?** Are you looking for something extra to do this Lent which has a modest time requirement?

Join in with the Men's Lenten Lectio group. We will prayerfully read and reflect on the Sunday Gospel each week using a method known as Lectio Divina. Using this method allows for a deeper understanding of Scripture and helps one relate it to our modern times.

There is no preparation required and you can come to the sessions that fit your schedule. Please bring a Bible. Sessions will be in the Metzger Room (located on the West Campus in the Elementary School building, next to the Library) and will start at 7:30 a.m. each of the Saturdays during Lent now through April 12th and will last 1 to 1-1/2 hours. Sessions will be facilitated by Deacon Rick Sasala. All men are welcome. Please join us!

Saint Joseph Parish is hiring a part-time afternoon custodian. The position of Custodian is



responsible for the custodial and set-up needs for Saint Joseph Parish and School. This includes cleaning and light maintenance of our parish and school buildings.

Please contact Heather Koziarski, Business Manager, at 419-885-5791 or hkoziarski@stjoesylvania.org for more information.

Potluck

**Community Ministries:** 

Bereavement Support Group--

Joanne Denver Bridge Group-JoAnn Hoppenjans 882-4094

Bulletin Editor--LuAnn Tafelski Cribbage--Gary Bell-343-8547

Deb's Ministry of Prayer and Hope--Chris Powers 885-1148

Festirama

Parish Festival--Heather Koziarski Parish Office

Funeral Luncheon-Annie Lawrence vest Dinner-

Brenda Boudrie Little Carpenters Play Group--Jane Richardson

Lunch 'n Learn-Joanne Denver

Mahjongg-Deb Gaster

419-460-7386 Pancake Breakfast--

Knights of Columbus--Mark Bover-699-3856

Potluck Dinner--Mary Jane DelVerne-345-7920

Toledo Symphony Neighborhood Concert-Margie Heck-

843-8548 Welcoming Committee-Madelyn Piscope

Call Parish Office if no number is listed: 419-885-5791 Youth Formation

419-885-2181

Are you listening to The Bishop's Corner?

89.7 FM Thursdays, 4 p.m. Stay up to date with Bishop Thomas and listen to his answers to questions about the Catholic faith and Diocesan news, events, and more. Thursdays at 4:30 p.m., with rebroadcasts on Fridays at 11:00 a.m. and Saturdays at Noon. Watch on YouTube (youtube.com/ ToledoDiocese).

#### Easter Flower Envelopes

Envelopes will be in the pews and at the Welcome Desk this weekend--April 5/6. Please return your completed envelope in the

collection basket or drop it off to the Parish Office.

Deadline to be published in the Easter Bulletin is April 7th!



**Parish Potluck** Monday, April 14 **Pastors' Suite East Campus** 5:00 p.m.

Bring a dish to share and join in fellowship and fun with parishioners! A great way to meet new people and become connected to parish life!

Joseph Meals Signup

April 12/13

Please stop in the narthex to volunteer to donate

needed food items or to make a pasta bake (pan and recipe provided). Drop off will be at the Ravine Parking Lot on East Campus on April 16 from 8:00-8:30 am. Thank you.

#### HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday, April 12/13 Regular Lord's Day Mass schedule

Mass of the Lord's Supper: Thursday, April 17, 7:00 pm Adoration until Midnight

Good Friday, April 18:

Stations of the Cross at 12:00 noon Passion Liturgy at 3:00 pm Stations and Veneration of the Cross at 7:00 pm Saint Joseph Parish

Executive

Speaker

**Series** 

INTEGRATING THE

CATHOLIC FAITH

IN THE

WORKPLACE

-Open to those in their

20s & 30s

-Food and drinks provided

-Attire: Business Casual

-RSVP in advance

April 6, 2025

SERVICE: Service is both an attitude and a practical response based on the Lord's declaration that one who wishes to be greatest in the Kingdom of God must become the servant of all. It is also the virtue that directs all the other virtues of individuals toward the common good. All the ministries related to the social outreach directed by the social doctrine of the Church are included in this category.



#### Pat McNamara

 Owner/President, Archbold Furniture



7-9PM St. Rose Parish,







Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast! Sunday, May 4, 2025--8:00 to 11:45 a.m. In the Banquet Hall in the West Campus Elementary School benefiting Knights of Columbus Scholarship Program.

Come and enjoy a delicious breakfast of all-you-can eat pancakes with fruit toppings and sausage, scrambled eggs, juice, milk and coffee.

#### A great meal and a great cause.

Cost: Family rate is \$25.00 OR
Seventy + and up only \$6.00
Twelve and older are only \$8.00 and
Five to eleven years are \$5.00.
Four years and under are free!
Come before or after Mass and treat yourself
to hospitality and a

to hospitality and a meal! Carryout available. Contact Mark Boyer at markb@bex.net ahead of time to order.





Respect Life Committee:
April is Child Abuse
Prevention Month.

The Respect Life Committee has placed blue pinwheels on the church campus grounds to promote awareness. See next week's bulletin for more information from the Respect Life Committee.

#### Saint Vincent de Paul Conference

Dear Parishioners,

Thank You! Your generosity has already gotten us 70% of the way to our \$11,000 matching fund goal. Your matching dollars (simply note "Match" on your envelope or check) will help us continue to assist our neighbors in need in Sylvania and, also in some of the poorest parishes in the Toledo Diocese.

The need may be less obvious in Sylvania, where many of the neighbors we help are the "working poor". They are often employed in local service businesses or in seasonal labor. They are not given full-time hours and pay is always less than \$20/hour. There are neighbors who cannot afford a car and need to walk or take a bus to get to work. This makes it difficult for them to have a second job. Some families have three generations living under the same roof and still are not able to make ends meet. We ask for your prayers that they may find financial stability in their lives.

If you would like to join us in our work or just learn more about our conference, please contact LuAnn at the Parish Office and one of our Saint Vincent de Paul members will contact you.

Service Ministries: All numbers 419 unless noted

Boy Scouts--Scoutmaster--Nat Ducat--787-6864 Baptismal Garment Sewing Group-Joanne Denyer Cub Scouts--Cubmaster--Scott Lehren

pack87cubmaster@gmail.com 419-819-0180 Comfort Blanket--

Denise Stump-260-7035 Christmas Outreach--

Deb Mathiot and Sue Jurski Feed My Sheep Garden--

Marcus Droll--349-7325 Good Samaritan Outreach— Mary Jane DelVerne

Helping Hands of Saint Louis Soup Kitchen--Dick Schuller-567-202-7760

Historic Saint Patrick Soup Kitchen--Mike Kruse--351-2989

Joseph's Meals-- Larry & Deb Gaster -460-7386

Knights of Columbus-Paul Youngpeter— 419-262-8749

Medical Equipment Loan Closet –Joanne Denyer

At East Campus

Parish Library-Joanne Denyer

Parish Office Volunteer
Receptionist Coordinator-LuAnn Tafelski

Parish School Parent Teacher Organization --Suzie Tsang

Red Cross Blood Drive--Knights of Columbus--Mark Boyer--699-6856

Respect for Life Committee-Don Birsen

Serving Neighbors Toiletry Collection--Marge Lubiatowski

Saint Vincent de Paul Society—Parish Office Questions on any of the above, contact the Ministry Leader listed. Call Parish Office if no number is listed--885-5791 or email Ministry Coordinator at

ltafelski@stjoesylvania.org or parish@stjoesylvania.org.

#### TICKETS ON SALE NOW FOR CREATED 2025!

The wait is over—tickets for Created 2025 are officially available! Bella Vita Network's signature fundraising event is happening on Thursday, April 24, 2025, at Westgate Chapel, and you won't want to miss it. This year's theme, The Word of Our Testimony, highlights the power of sharing our stories to inspire change and life transformation. We are especially excited to have our own Savannah Marten as our keynote speaker for this unforgettable evening.

Join us as we celebrate the impact you've made in equipping men, women, and families with life-affirming resources. Purchase your ticket today and be part of a night filled with hope, inspiration, and life-changing impact!

TICKETS ON SALE NOW FOR CREATED 2025!

https://www.eventbrite.com, then type in <u>Created 2025</u> at event search to be directed to payment page.



#### MAY 16, 17, 18 2025

Friday, 6 P.M.—11 P.M. Saturday, 4 P.M.—11 P.M. Sunday, 11 A.M.—6 P.M.

Chairperson:

Brenda Barry, brendabarry1121@gmail.com,

#### **ENTERTAINMENT**

FRIDAY, Arctic Clams,  $7_{P.M.}$ —11  $_{P.M.}$ SATURDAY, the Skittle Bots,  $7_{P.M.}$ —11 $_{P.M.}$ SUNDAY, Memorable Knights, 12—6  $_{P.M.}$ 

RIDES, FACE PAINTING, GLITTER TATTOOS, GAMES, BINGO, FIFTY/FIFTY RAFFLE, GENERAL RAFFLE, FAST FOODS, AND OUR FAMOUS CHICKEN DINNER!

BINGO: Saturday 4-9p.m.

& Sunday 1-6p.m.

#### RIDE TICKETS

1 ticket—\$2.00 or 20 FOR \$35
Sold on Grounds Only
(Rides require 2-3 tickets.)
\*Ride All Day Sunday with
Ride Wristband-Sold On Grounds \$20 Each\*
\*RIDES BY DURANT ENTERPRISES\*

### Festirama for Service Hours... Or just get your family and friends together! We need You!

If your student has a requirement for service hours or if you want to get your family, book club, or sports team together, we can use your help!

Can't help on the weekend but want to do your part?

Sign up for set-up on Wednesday and Thursday or tear-down on Sunday afternoon and evening.

Go to: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/festirama25">https://tinyurl.com/festirama25</a>
to volunteer!

#### **FESTIRAMA RAFFLE**

- 1st Prize—\$2,000 CASH
- 2nd Prize-Night on Sylvania
- 3rd Prize—\$250 Sautter's Gift Card \$5 per Ticket / Book of 6 for \$25

Tickets are in your Festirama Packet or are available in the Parish Center Offices.

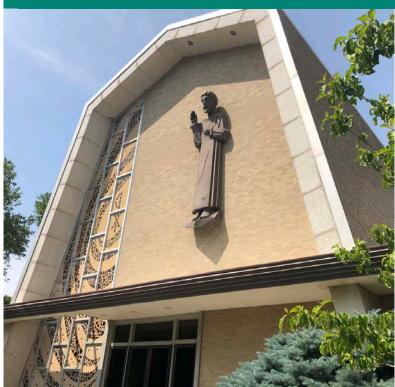
Barbecued Chicken Dinner
Sunday 11<sub>A.M.</sub> until SELL OUT!
Dinners \$15
DINE IN or DRIVE THRU

- Barbecue Chicken
- Mashed Potatoes
  - •Corn
  - •Slaw
  - Dinner Roll
    - Dessert



INTERESTED IN
SPONSORSHIP?
BANNERS—APPAREL—
PLACEMAT—GATE
CONTACT MADDIE PISCOPO AT:
MPISCOPO@STJOESYLVANIA.ORG

# Parish Jubilee Pilgrimage to Our Lady, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Cathedral May 31, 2025





On Saturday, May 31, our parish will have a pilgrimage day to our Cathedral to celebrate Mass and to obtain the Jubilee Indulgence!

Mass will be celebrated at 11:30am.

Parishioners are welcome to drive themselves to the Cathedral, but Father Joseph will also lead a walking pilgrimage group leaving from Saint Joseph Parish at 7:00am to walk the 9-miles to the Cathedral!

If you want to join this walking group, please sign up <u>here</u> or use the QR code!

May Our Lady, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, and Saint Joseph pray for our parishioners to truly become pilgrims of Hope!





STEWARDSHIP: Christian stewards are disciples of Jesus Christ who receive God's gifts gratefully, cultivate them responsibly, share them lovingly in justice with others, and return them with increase to the Lord. All the ministries related to the stewardship of God's gifts to His people are included in this category.



From the Desk of Maddie Piscopo, Development Director



#### Festirama is Just Around the Corner

Save the Date! Festirama is just around the corner from May 16<sup>th</sup> – May 18<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested in helping out in any way, please contact <u>brendaberry11121@gmail.com</u>. This weekend is sure to be one to remember, be sure to be a part of it!



#### FESTIRAMA KICK-OFF

This weekend -April 5/6!!!

Pick up your packets at the Welcome Desk and at the church doors!



#### Welcome New Parishioners!

Charles & Sydney Newell and Evelyn

Raymond Miller

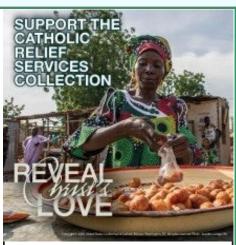
Kristine Below

Scott & Jessica Stoffer and

Everley & Hadley

Edgard Moussa & Sabine Yaghi and

Leo & Eli



#### Catholic Relief Services

Thank you for your generous support of The Catholic Relief Services Collection and for revealing Christ's love to those who are poor and marginalized around the world. If you missed the collection, it's not too late to give. Just visit www.usccb.org/nationalcollections for more information.

#iGiveCatholicTogether also accepts donations for this collection.

Annual Catholic Appeal Update:

Parish Goal: \$110,722

To Date: \$104,102

Percent to goal: 94%

Total gifts: 236

as of March 28, 2025



Stewardship Ministries: All numbers 419 unless noted

Adult Formation/ Evangelization Committee--

Joanne Denyer
Endowment TrusteesKevin Kenney
Finance Council—
Kevin Kelly
Parish School Benefit

Dinner---Maddie
Piscopo

Parish School Italian Dinner--

Molly Lindsley and Jessica Jones Pastoral Council— Chris Dunlevy School Advisory Council-

Nicole VanderWeele For any number not listed: Call Parish Office: 885-5791 or email ltafelski@stjoesylvania.org



Saint Joseph Parish Goal: \$2,300,000

Saint Joseph Parish Challenge Goal: \$3,000,000

Total Gifts & Pledges: \$4,443,435

148% of Challenge Goal

Total Diocesan Goal: \$65.000.000

Total Diocesan Gifts & Pledges: \$91,537,304

> 141% of Diocesan Goal

> > Thank you!



#### Saint Joseph Parish

Eucharistic Adoration is held on *Wednesdays* each week and on *First Fridays* in our Holy Family Chapel.

Adoration begins after the 6:45 a.m. Mass and on Wednesdays, ends at 5:15 p.m., followed by Benediction at 5:15 p.m. and Mass at 5:30 p.m. On First Fridays, Adoration ends at 4:15 p.m.

Please sign up now for Adoration at www.stjoesylvania.org.

We need at least one person scheduled for each Holy Hour as the Blessed Sacrament cannot be left unattended. Thank you.

The soul hungers for God, and nothing but God can satiate it. Therefore, He came to dwell on earth and assumed a Body in order that this Body might become the Food of our souls. Saint John Vianney

#### Requested Special Prayer Intentions

Jacob Nelson Jim Petrarca Archer Brazeau Donna Lopinski Brian Wanda Conroy Terry Bryant Jamie Ron Tim S Jamie Lynne Gladden Bill Wagner Maureen Langenderfer Karen French John Keller Betty Moncher Cheryl Zak Lucia Erin Grace Downing Keith Zoski Sharon Burch Joe Stubler Michalene Nelson Olivia Nitz Lynda Georgia Mahon Richard Gainsley Dan Malcolm Jadona Rhodes Max Pete A. Faith Weber Mary Ann Binkowski Larry Roy Handy Jade Bagley Judy & Larry Roberts Crystal Buyaki Richard Masserant Barbara Masserant Rita Prebe Todd Clear Paul Reisinger

Jeremy Bigelow Jacki McCullough Mary Lynn Burns Pat Savene Helena Bruns John Healev Bob Lengel Richard Gerasimiak Megan Batanian-Bailey Zoe Watterson Bruce Reich Eric Burleigh Jan Millen Caitlin Cordray Karen Douglas Lois "Lulu" Harshman Jonathan Lee Evelyn Rose Jeff Traudt Pam Kurkjian Sister Janelle Ann Brittain Kay Bahna Bruce Fondren Jean Schermer Michael Bell Virginia Smith Barbara Gerasimiak Ed Zak William L. Greg Sieben Kate Conway Mary Reisinger Jackie Ferguson Laura B. Duane Snodgrass Peter Dziad



Elena Axe Amy & Robert Selby Jim Rentner Jamie Pierson Edwards Rose Thorn MaryJo Meehan Jane Baker Nick Spinazze Francis Lenhart Patti Hartnett Sue Cutshall Bill Cutshall Ron Cain Angela Flynn Ronald DeCosse Kay Vogel Baby Jacob Bell Ann Dunkle

Pray the Rosary daily.

## We need permission from the prayer recipient or their caregiver to add their name.

Sandra Pennington

Rosemary Cox

Please contact LuAnn Tafelski, Ministry Coordinator, in our Parish Office at 419-885-5791 to add or remove a name. Thank you.

#### Activities This Week Saint Joseph Parish

Sunday, April 6 FESTIRAMA Kickoff Weekend

8:30 a.m.--OCIA--HR

10:00 a.m.--Sunday School-Atrium

#### Monday, April 7

8:00 a.m.--Mom's Bible Study--HR 12:00 p.m.--Senior Bridge Group--PS 6:00 p.m.--Track Practice--EC 7:00 p.m.--Baptism Preparation Class--HR

#### Tuesday, April 8

6:00 p.m.--Track Practice--EC 6:00 p.m.-- High School Discernment Group--HR 7:00 p.m.--Cribbage--FC 7:00 p.m.--Isaiah Bible Study--PS

#### Wednesday, April 9

9:30 a.m.--Isaiah Bible Study--PS 7:00 p.m.--Parish Mission Speaker--Ch

#### Thursday, April 10

4:00 p.m.--Kindergarten Assessments--MZ 7:00 p.m.--Respect Life Ministry--PS

#### Friday, April 11

12:00 p.m.--Mahjongg--PS

#### Saturday, April 12

Joseph Meals Signup Weekend

7:30 a.m.--Lectio Divina--MZ 9:00 a.m.--First Communion Practice--Ch

#### Sunday, April 13--Palm Sunday

Joseph Meals Signup Weekend

8:30 a.m.--OCIA--HR

10:00 a.m.--Sunday School--Atrium

#### **Looking Ahead**

April 20--Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord May 16, 17, 18,--Festirama 2025--East Campus June 14,15, 16--Vacation Bible School

#### East Campus (EC) Meeting Rooms—Calendar Key

Physical Address—Not Mailing Address: 6516 Ravine Drive

PS Pastors Suite, 3 combined East Campus Meeting Rooms
E Gym East Campus Gymnasium in Middle School Building
FC Father Richard T. Wurzel Family Center—East Campus

Saturday, April 19--Easter Vigil Mass 8:30 p.m.

Sunday, April 20--Easter Sunday Masses: 7:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m. and Noon

Servers, EMs, Lectors, Greeter, Ushers, Needed





Liturgy: Daily Mass Times, Intentions, Readings, and Ministers						
	Time / Location	Mass Intention (†Deceased)	Daily Scripture Readings			
Monday, April 7 Saint John Baptist de la Salle	6:45 a.mCh 7:00 p.mHFC	†Quinn Seymour Rosary Prayer Group	Dn 13:1-9,15-17,19-30,33-62 Jn 8:12-20			
Tuesday, April 8	6:45 a.mCh 8:30 a.mHFC	†David Wysong, Jr. †Laura Ghee	Nm 21:4-9 Jn 8: 21-30			
Wednesday, April 9	6:45 a.mCh 7:15 a.mHFC 4:00 p.mCh 5:15 p.mHFC 5:30 p.mHFC 7:00 p.mCh	Special Intention for: Stephen Stewart Eucharistic Adoration (until 5:15 pm) Confessions Benediction †William Cabanski Parish Mission Speaker	Dn 3:14-20,91-92,95 Jn 8:31-42			
Thursday, April 10	6:45 a.mCh 8:30 a.mCh 1:30 p.mSV 2:10 p.mHFC 7:00 p.mCh	For Saint Joseph Parishioners †Martin Jacob Sunset Village Mass Rosary Prayer Group Lenten Penance & Adoration	Gn 17:3-9 Jn 8:51-59			
Friday, April 11 Saint Stanislaus, Bishop & Martyr	6:45 a.mCh 7:00 p.mCh	†Mary Westrick Stations of the Cross	Jer 20: 10-13 Jn 10:31-42			
Saturday, April 12 PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF OUR LORD	3:00 p.mCh	Confessions	Lk 19:28-40 Is 50:4-7 Phil 2:6-11 Lk 22:1423:56			

April 12/13, 2025 - PALM SUNDAY	Saturday 4:30 p.m.	Sunday 7:30 a.m.	Sunday 10:00 a.m.	Sunday 12:00 p.m.	Sunday 5:00 p.m.
Mass Intention	†Jo Schaefer	†Marion Fowler	†Thaddeus Wandor	†Kathryn Hinojosa	†Gerald Stahl
Presider	Monsignor Michael Billian	Monsignor Michael Billian	Monsignor Michael Billian	Father Joseph Mominee	Father Joseph Mominee
Deacon	Deacon Richard Sasala	Deacon Richard Sasala	Deacon Rick Sasala	Deacon Anthony Pistilli	Deacon Anthony Pistilli
Lector	Jack Edwartoski Jerry Arkebauer	Bob Westphal Steve Martin	Shelene Morgan Carol Lindsley	Joanne Denyer Danita Binkowski	Joan Zunk Paul Mueller
Sacristan	Nancy Mayo Debra Stebelton	Kathy Faist Lynne Marshall	Bonnie Brieschke	Dana LaBeau Shahnaz Karim	Paul Mueller Jana Whitmore (2nd week)
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion *lead	Jerry Arkebauer* Janice Arkebauer Sister Rosemarie Linda Pollock Sarah Schneider	Paul Youngpeter* Lawrence Gaster Mary Westphal Sue Westrick	Dave Koenig* Rose Bosch Bonnie Brieschke Janet Gwin Mark Rennels	Diane Pistilli* Phil Caruso Laurie Foster Jill Johnson Deb Mathiot	Amy Campbell* Jeniffer Grodi Sarah Klocinski Paz Valdez
Servers	Ashlynn Farmer Sydney Saxton Susan Saxton	Bubba Lievens Jillian Lievens Russell Stoute	Kennedy Morgan Ryder Rogers Reed Rogers	Anthony Caruso Colleen Caruso Stella LeBlanc	Ellison Henk Jackson Henk Keagan O'Connor
Ushers	Al Kopaniasz Tim Weaver Need 1	Augie Agosti Joe Hotz Barry Steineman Thomas Tinta	Keith Bosch Tom Lindsley Matt Rogers Tom Saba	Mike Cassidy Brian Kuipers Bud Moody Bill Mathiot	Lisa Hutchinson Bill McCreary Need One
Greeters	Nancy Cook Sue Jurski Barbara Masten	Betty Cain Ron Cain <b>Need 1</b>	Annie Peer Kristi Rogers Jane Schuessler	Sharon Parker Lynn Schmenk Phyllis Seymour	Tina Haack Need 1
Music	Cantor	Cantor	Adult Choir	Contemporary Ensemble	Cantor

To report any sexual abuse of a minor by Diocesan personnel (priest, deacon, consecrated religious brother/sister, or lay person), immediate contact should be made with local civil authorities, and with the Diocese of Toledo's Victim Assistance Coordinator who can be reached at 419-244-6711, ext. 4880 in the Toledo calling area, or 1-800-926-8277, ext. 4880 (Outside Toledo, within Ohio).



"Don't Bee stung by inexperience, give us a Buzz." 475-6055

#### hafner/florist **■**

Thank you for trusting us to make every occasion special with custom floral designs for over 30 years

5139 Main Street | Sylvania, OH 43560 419-FI OWERS hafnerflorist.com

 Paving • Patching Jennite
Paving & Sealing

Crack Repair • Sealing

Kevin O'Connell • Striping • Drain Repair 4694 W Bancroft Stone Work • Excavation 419-708-9402 oconnell@jennite.com 419-531-1791



TO ADVERTISE HERE. **CALL DEE PRINTING** AT 1-800-292-9020.



419-381-7206

**PLEASE PATRONIZE** THE ADVERTISERS WHO MAKE OUR BULLETIN POSSIBLE, AT NO COST TO THE PARISH.



**ADVISOR NETWORKS** 



Jake Holmes Investment Adviser Representative 2735 N. Holland Sylvania Rd. Unit B-3, Toledo, OH 43615 Office: (419)-517-5550 Email: Jake@holmesfp.com Website: www.holmesfp.com





9am-7pm SUNDAY 11am-5pm ShopSofos.com

MON-SAT



TOIFDO OH 43612 www.NORONINC.com

**KEVIN M. BOEKE P.E. PRESIDENT** 

**HEATING • AIR CONDITIONING • REFRIGERATION** 

Compliments of

OAKLEAF VILLAGE

THERE IS A DIFFERENCE... 5155 W. SYLVANIA AVE. • TOLEDO • 419-841-2422 **EXCEPTIONAL SERVICE** 



Dr. Carpenter





D&H Auto Recovery, Dave Fehr Owner/Operator Fastest way to get on your feet... Miss a payment 419-290-3214 Phone

567-318-5123 Fax

### Lemle's Piano Service

- Complete Piano Service Piano Tuning • Piano Restoration • Piano Moving
- Used Piano Sales

Mark Lemle, Owner/Technician Randy Lemle, Office Manager/Technician www.lemlespiano.com



A Sylvania Franciscan

sponsored ministry.

Call to tour today 419.824.3600

- ♦ Short-term rehab
- **♦**Long-term care
- Respite stays
- **♦**Private rooms

rosarycare.org



419-360-0866

dental \*\*\*\*\*

excellence Get Acquainted Special **FREE EX** & X-RAYS

Dr. Nessif

Schedule Online!

Happy-Dentistry.com/Sylvania

**CHI Living Communities** 

**Skilled Nursing** Rehabilitation 419.882.6582 CHILivingCommunities.org

Hello humankindness

Central Storage Depot

- Outside Storage for boats, campers, trailers
- Business record storage
- Inside storage for every need

Call Nicole 9-4 Mon-Fri

419-841-7298 8534 W. Central Ave., Sylvania



**Dr. Shannon** 

ST. URSULA ACADEMY ledosua.org/admissions | (419) 329-2209



Patronize Our Advertisers. To Place An Ad, Call 1-800-292-9020 Please ]



Jeff Traudt, Agent **State Farm Insurance** 2828 W. Central Ave., Toledo, OH 43606 Parishioner

YOUR PARTNER FOR LIFE (419) 473-3276



jeff@jefftraudt.com

You've tried the REST, now call the BEST!



· Plumbing · Electrical · Carpentry · Painting · Drywall · Ceramic Tile Flooring · Remodeling: Kitchen, Bathroom & Basement · Gutter Cleaning & Installation Roofing · Siding Repair & In-stallation · Windows · Doors · General Handyman Repairs

Save \$50 on any work over \$250

419-534-6065 I www.prohandyman.com

Need a break from caregiving?



**BY** KINGSTON

**ACCOMMODATIONS** FOR SENIORS

\$225/night, 7-night minimum (MEMORY CARE \$250/N)

KINGSTON RESIDENCE OF SYLVANIA CALL KRISTY @ 419-824-4200



LAWN & LANSCAPE REPAIR



Toledo, OH 43606

tlindsley@danberry.com

885-3505

Parishioner The Danberry Company



Tom Lindsley, Realtor 419-320-7014

1815 W. Sylvania Ave.



\$100 Off A New Furnace, Boiler or

**Central Air Conditioning Unit Installation** 



nda.org

**BATANIAN** TREE SERVICE, INC.

882-7356

**Jeff Batanian** parishioner since 1983 Financial expertise. right around the corner.

419-531-4424

00 N McCord Rd. Toledo, OH 43617 419-720-3900 | Toll-free: 866-707-2871 www.waterfordbankna.com

**Directions** Credit Union

Banking among friends Main Office 5121 Whiteford 419-841-9838 www.directionscu.org

Previously Toledo Area Community Credit Union

Our bulletin is printed at no cost to the parish.

Our advertisers cover all expenses.

We thank them and encourage you to support their businesses



419-867-1300

26970 Eckel Rd. Perrysburg, OH 43551

www.lakesideinterior.com



**HEAR**-RITE

Saxon Square Plaza 6600 Sylvania Avenue Sylvania, OH 43560 419-517-7794

Michael DeYarman Owner, BC-HIS hearrite6600@gmail.com 1982 Southview Graduate BBB Rating A+

Serving Sylvania and Surounding Area For Over 12 Years

Isobel T. O'Brien

Attorney At Law

Compliments of

KEVIN M. KNIERIM, D.M.D.

**GENERAL DENTISTRY PARISHIONER** 

1000 Regency Ct. • 473-2728

2426 N. Reynolds Road, Toledo Ohio 43615

David J. Czerniak, Director • Thomas I. Wisniewski (1948-2019

419-882-2033

5712 N. Main St., Sylvania, OH 43560 www.reebfuneralhome.com Funeral & Cremation Service

George A. Reeb John K. Watkins II

> Joe A. Boes Jan A. Watkins

A Family Funeral Home Serving St. Joseph Families for over 80 Years



(419) 6 9 3 - 1 3 8 3 WWW.TOLEDOTENT.COM

Mark Sarmento

Mark Sarmento



isobeltracy1@gmail.com Licensed in Ohio, (419) 344-4568 Michigan and Colorado



TO ADVERTISE HERE, **CALL DEE PRINTING** AT 1-800-292-9020.







Bernie Heinl • Sylvania • 419-841-9036 bernie@heinlinsurance.com **HOME • AUTO • BUSINESS** 

**Insurance Coverage** 



Call for a Complimentary In-Home Consultation 5133 S. Main St. • Sylvania, OH 43560 • 419-841-7776

#### JOE GANZEL PLUMBING, INC.

ganzelplumbing.com (419) 865-6512 1010 Rall Road, Toledo, OH Paul Ganzel, Luke Ganzel **Master Plumbers** 



John Yambor John Yambor 419-265-7875





419.309.1396

**Andrea DuBois** 

"A Name You Can Trust"

## HOLT ROOFING CO.

Family Owned and Operated Since 1947

**REPAIR SPECIALIST • GUTTERS COMMERCIAL & RESIDENTIAL** 

PHONE:419-478-2900 · www.holtroofing.com

Torch AWARDS for Ethics 2022 WINNER



#### Stronger Longer Better Helping you stay active for years to come!

419-517-4066

www.strongerlongerbetter.com 6400 Monroe St. Sylvania, OH

**CBD** product

CONSULTATION



Toledo Area's Premier Flooring Specialists Steve Rafferty - President • 567-686-0622, ext. 1004 2725 N. Reynolds Rd., Toldeo, OH 43615



Marino's Beverage

Family owned state liquor store for all your beverage needs!

(419) 885-8888

5829 Monroe Street D, Sylvania, OH 43560





BE A TITAN FOR A DAY!" Schedule your visit through the office of admissions: 419-720-0797

sjjtoledo.org



6591 W. CENTRAL AVE, #100, TOLEDO

Estate Planning & Probate

- · Wills, trusts, health care directives
- · Affordable estate plans for young families
- · Plans to avoid probate
- · Medicaid spend down plans

419-517-1102 • Fax: 419-710-2673 jennifer@jja-law.com • www.jja-law.com



MAID FOR YOU

TO ADVERTISE HERE, CALL DEE PRINTING AT 1-800-292-9020.



Auto Glass • Sunroofs • And more...

Serving Since 1992 LES BREININGER, Parishioner

5941 Goodhue Rd. 43615 419-841-0087 www.sylvaniaautorestyling.com



Scott Bieber, Parishioner John lott

Phone: 734-856-8112

#### www.countrysideltd.com

Tom & Tammy Noe, Parishioners

#### T~N~T TREASURES

We buy, sell & appraise coins, bullion & collectibles tnt4treasures@gmail.com - 567-290-8202



Countryside

LANDSCAPE & EXCAVATING

Your Local Security Solution Since 1972

habitecsecurity.com | 419.537.6768

# Classic

Daily Specials Breakfast Served Anytime ps & Salads • Homemade Pies Sandwiches & Much More Tues.-Fri.: 8am-7:30 pm 419-882-3465

Mike White.

Parishioner 6

## **The Right Price Painting Company, LLC**

Attorney at Law



BENJAMIN PRICE, PARISHIONER

419-466-0410

orthodontic

4323 N. Holland-Sylvania Rd.

Toledo, Ohio 43623

419-882-6970

buckeye

419-843-2625

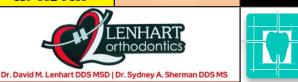
www.buildwithbuckeye.com

pricespop5@gmail.com

Buckeye

Group

Real Estate



**DENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATES OF SYLVANIA** 

General Dentist • Parishioner

Nanette Mick DDS

419-882-4510







Sean Savage, CFP® Professional Wealth Management\* 419.725.7272 SSavage@savageandassociates.com

\*\$700,000 minimum investment please savageandassociates.com

655 Beaver Creek Circle | Maumee, OH 43537 Securities and investment advisory services offered through Osaic Wealth, Inc., member FilnRA/SIPC. Osaic Wealth, Inc. is separately owned and other entities and/or marketing names, products or services referenced here are independent of Osaic Wealth, Inc.