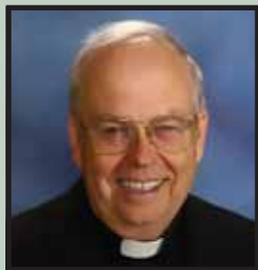
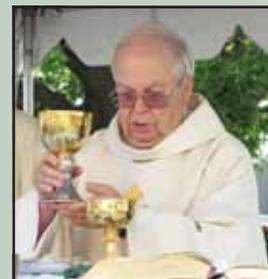


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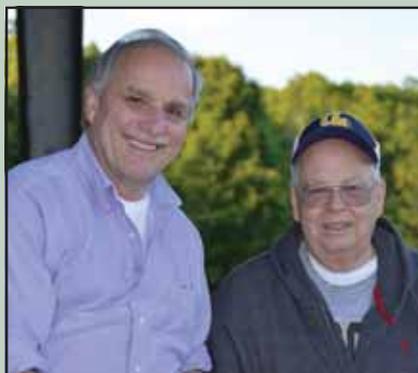


Please Join Us for Fr. Dyer's
Appreciation Mass!
(Not 'Goodbye' but 'Thank You')



Sunday, June 19 • 9:00 am Mass

We warmly welcome you for a Doughnut and Coffee reception following the 9:00 am Mass on Sunday, June 19.



Help us celebrate the love, care and guidance that Father Dyer has given us over the years!

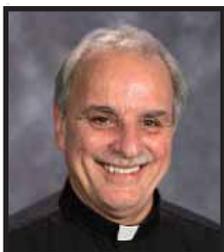
Thank you for your dedicated service to our parish!



Today after all Masses!!!

Last Chance to Volunteer at our Parish Picnic &

Early Bird Tickets for sale \$1 OFF!!!



From the Pastor's Pen

Dear Parishioners of St. Joseph

**Thank you Fr. Dyer...
It's Not Good Bye
Next Sunday
But a Thank You from the
Bottom of Our Hearts....**

**Well done my good
and faithful servant.**

Mt 25:21

Next Sunday at the 9:00 a.m. mass everyone is invited to join us to say **"Thank You"** to **Fr. Dyer** as he now begins the next phase of his life... a well-deserved time of retirement after his 19 years of faithful ministry to the Holy Priesthood. How blessed we've been here at St. Joseph's to have had him as our Associate Pastor for the past **13 years**.

For the past 11 years, I have had the awesome pleasure to have him serve as my Associate... I can't even begin to find the words to express my personal gratitude to him... In the 11 years that we've been together, never once was there a disagreement between us. His faithful obedience to his pastor is truly admirable and to be highly respected. I learned so much from him! My deepest and heartfelt thanks to you, Fr. James...

Many individuals throughout the leadership of our Archdiocese often comment about the great things happening here at St. Joseph's; often mentioned are our Fish Fries and the large crowds that attend, our high numbers of candidates each year for RCIA, and how financially stable our school is that we were able to go 11 years with only raising tuition once for registered parishioners. So much of the credit goes to you, Fr. Dyer because of your gentle and meek way of always staying positive and supporting the vision of the pastor.

Thank you Fr. Dyer for your humbleness, for your caring spirit, your devout prayer life, and your faithfulness to your vow of fidelity and obedience. These are just few of the character qualities that I admire and appreciate in YOU!

Thank you Fr. Dyer for standing in God's presence and ministering to me so many times... in the joyful times... the fun times... and in those time when you saw me cry myself to sleep over some of the trials that we experienced together as a parish family through the years...

Each time we gathered for a meal, whether a fish fry, chicken fry or funeral luncheon, many have heard me say as I walked away with a couple desserts, that **"Fr. Dyer likes sweets"**...Indeed you do like sweets but somehow I gained the most pounds since my arrival here to St. Joseph's!

I will never forget your compassion that you so freely gave to me and my family as my mom's final days on earth drew near... It was you that took on the extra masses and workload so that I could be with my family.

I will never forget your cooking skills... no more waking up and being surprised by the smell of fried brussel sprouts (or numerous other food items you experimented with) in the middle of night...

From all of us, thank you Fr. Dyer for laying down your life for Christ and his Church, for giving up your life to help us get through ours. Thank you for the gift of your celibacy, for giving up a wife and children for your Bride the Church and your many children. Thank you for washing our feet, for loving us even when our actions did not reflect the faith we profess.

Thank you for being on call 24 hours a day. Thank you for showing up in the hospital room 20 minutes after answering the phone and being called for prayers. Thank you for being present so many times to individuals who were crying in the back pew instead of just asking them to leave so you could lock up. Thank you for being at the funeral home, the jail, the courthouse, and everywhere we needed you!

Thank you for your counsel. Thank you for your silence. Thank you for loving us even when we took you for granted. Thank you for standing outside Mass every Sunday shaking hands with us.

Thank you for loving our children. Thank you for the gift for laughing at yourself when it was needed. Thank you for the example you set to our young people of what it means to follow Christ with abandon. Thank you for being such an awesome example of living the joy of priesthood.

Thank you for listening, for never judging. Thank you for reassuring us that there's nothing too big for God's mercy. Thank you for hurting with us and hurting for us and wanting us to go to heaven so much!

Thank you for homilies that made us proud to be a Catholic and especially for the ones that challenged us to LIVE Catholic! Thank you for the homilies that remind us that are loved by God! Thank you for consecrating the Eucharist so reverently that you often moved us to tears. Thank you for the intensity of your worship and the love in your eyes when you look at your people and when you look at your God.

Thank you for praying over us and praying with us and praying for us. Thank you for your private faithfulness to prayer, to the Office and the Mass, to your own confessions and rosaries and fasting.

Thank you for teaching us to trust, for teaching us to love... and for teaching us to live.

As a parish family we gather next weekend to say thank you Fr. James!!! Our hearts take comfort in knowing that you are not really leaving us... that you will remain a part of our faith community for years to come... still offering a weekly mass, holiday masses, and even giving the pastor a chance to get away.

So... next Sunday when we gather at the 9:00 am mass it is not a good bye, **but a THANK YOU from the bottom of our hearts!!!**

Our 42nd Annual Parish Picnic is Just Two Weeks Away!!!

If your name is in our parish directory... It really should be on the Picnic Workers Schedule too!

Our parish picnic is only two weeks away!!! **Next week we will have our schedule of workers and times for our parish picnic listed in the bulletin.** If you have not signed up to help work, please look at the schedule and see what booth is still needing help. Please call the parish office to get yourself on the schedule.

Of course it is our hope that every registered parishioner will join us for the day and join in the spirit of community by working at our picnic.

Our picnic is one of our largest fundraisers of the year for our parish budget and supports all of our parish ministries.

The Laborers Are Many... Thank you for your awesome response to work at our Parish Picnic. . .

“The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest”. Jesus then sends his apostles to go and make the proclamation: **“The kingdom of heaven is at hand... Without cost you have received; without cost you are to give”.** What a beautiful passage for us to spiritually focus on this week as we prepare for our upcoming parish picnic.

Being a Catholic is much more than going to mass on Sunday, it's a way of life that is nourished by the Eucharist we celebrate. In the same way, being a member of St. Joseph's is much more than being registered as a member. Once a year we have the awesome opportunity to come together to celebrate who we are, the faith community of St. Joseph's! **Since 1890 the community of St. Joseph's has been living the Gospel message.** The grounds, the buildings, our Sacred Worship space have been given to us without cost... the generations before us worked for the harvest that we now enjoy... each of us has the responsibility from our baptism to ensure the life of the Church for the next generation.

Most importantly, we can see our Picnic Day as an opportunity to respond to Jesus' Gospel message. **When others see the joy of our faith community, when others see our warmth and hospitality and see the unity and the spirit of being a parish family, it is called EVANGELIZATION!**

Without cost we have been given, without cost we are to give... What a great way to use our time, talents and treasure to continue to build the Kingdom of heaven which is at hand... It may be because of your warm smile, and a heaping serving of our liver dumplings that someone might just say, this is the kind of faith community that I have been searching for. The Kingdom of heaven is at hand... the harvest is abundant... are we being good and faithful laborers? **Our picnic gives us this chance...**

Our parish picnic is just **2 weeks away!!!** We need everyone to be involved so that we can make this year's picnic one of the best ever for our parish! Please mark your calendars now for the weekend of **June 25 - 26** to be present to help with the major fundraising event of our parish.

Hospitality... a Hallmark of our Faith Parking at Our Picnic

Hospitality is one of the hallmarks of our parish! In the spirit of hospitality, it would be great if our guests could find easy accessibility to a parking space. Thus, we will need all of the parking spaces possible for our guests on the day of the picnic.

We are requesting our workers to please park off-site so there will be more available parking for our guests. First State Community Bank has offered us the use of their parking lots: one on the north side of East Liberty Street, one on the south side of East Liberty behind their main facility, and the one to the east of their building.

Of course any parishioner or worker that is handicapped or has difficulty walking may park closer to the grounds.

Thank you for your gift of hospitality and self sacrifice. **We show God's spirit in us by all those small, unnoticed acts of love.**

Early Bird Tickets for our "All You Can Eat" Picnic Dinners Receive \$1.00 off for an awesome meal

Early bird dinner tickets will be on sale **TODAY and next weekend** after all the masses. Dinner tickets for our awesome "**ALL YOU CAN EAT**" Fried Chicken and Kettle Beef dinners and our signature side of liver dumplings are **\$9.00 for adults (12 and over) Children \$5.00 (5-11)!!! This weekend and next weekend only!!** If you buy your tickets at the picnic, the price will be **\$10.00 for adults and \$6.00 for kids.**



Bottle Booth Needs Your HELP!!

One of our best booths, with no overhead is in **desperate need of bottles!!! We are at about half of what we usually have right now!!** Every year we run out of bottles with people still wanting to play. As long as it is nonperishable, unopened, and hasn't expired, we would love to have it. **Please see page 12!**

Plants for the Greenhouse at Our Annual Parish Picnic!

We will again have our **St. Joseph Greenhouse** this year. This is where you can donate houseplants, bulbs, seedlings, anything from your garden that can be planted. Do your lilies, hydrangeas, irises, flowers need thinning? If so, we would love to have them to sell at our greenhouse! **Contact Debbie Black at 756-8185.**

Want to Un-Clutter Your Lives? Bring Your Items to our Flea Market to Help Your Parish...

We will start accepting items for the Flea Market on **June 13 - 17 from 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.** and on **Saturday, June 18 from 10 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** Please take donated items to the main entrance of the school on Ste. Genevieve Ave. You may also bring in your items during the week of **June 20 - 24 in the mornings from 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.** and in the evenings on **June 20 - 24 from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.** Please no drop offs after Friday the 24th.

Please take donated items to the main entrance of the school on Ste. Genevieve Ave. Please do not bring any heavy, cumbersome or broken items or clothes. contact **Denise Gober at 756-3893.**

You Should Have Received Your Raffle Tickets in the Mail...

We are sincerely hoping that each family will try to sell a page of the raffle tickets and the quilt tickets. The grand prize of our raffle this year is **\$1,000**, second prize **\$500**, third is **\$250**, and fourth prize is **\$100**. The quilt raffle has three beautiful quilts, each one handmade by the hands of our St. Joseph quilters!

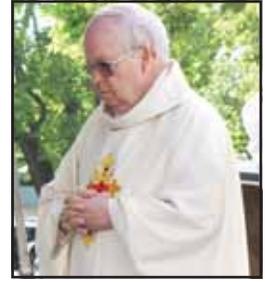
And Finally...

We warmly welcome **Deacon Mark Byington** who is with us today for the first time in his ministry as a Deacon of St. Joseph Parish.

"Always remember that as long as we keep the Eucharist the center of our lives, everything else will fall in place...of that I am confident"!!!

Blessings of Peace...Fr. Rickey

To Father Dyer... The Hands of Holy Orders



Our Beloved Priest:

Look at the palms of your hands and remember back to that day when your bishop anointed them and sent you forth to love and serve us. . .

Remember the plans you had that day for these hands to gather and minister to your people? . . . Think back to the babies these hands have baptized. . . Think of the children these hands have prepared for First Communion, and Confirmation. . . Think of the hundreds of homilies these hands have written; carefully chosen words that transformed lives. . . Think of the countless times these hands have been held up in blessing and forgiveness in the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Now think of your last Mass, and so many others, when you took plain bread and wine into these hands, and changed them into the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ. . . Think of the hands, our hands, into which you placed His Precious Body and the cup of His Precious Blood. Think of the retreats, the missions, the days and nights of renewal that these hands have prepared. . . Think of the people these hands have gathered and touched and sent forth from these experiences, with a new understanding and love for each other and for our Catholic Church. . . Think of the times these hands have reached out and grasped ours in a prayer circle of love. . . Think of the hands, young and nervous, which your hands have joined in the Sacrament of Matrimony. . . Think of the sick in mind and body who have come to you seeking help and left with hope alive in their hearts again. . . Think of the dying bodies these hands have anointed into Paradise.

Today, we anoint your hands anew with our love; with the love of your entire Catholic family. If ever, in the days ahead, you feel lonely and discouraged, please remember these words. Please hold up your hands and look at them, and remember how they fed us the Bread of Life, how they brought hope back into our lives, how they comforted us, healed us, and welcomed us home to our church again.

We wish we could take you by the hand and stand at the busiest intersection in town and shout to the world, 'Look everyone - This is our beloved priest, in whom we are well pleased.'

These hands of yours are the hands of the Sacrament of Holy Orders. We reverence them and we cannot live our lives without them. . . without YOU. Thank you for faithfully loving and serving us. We are so proud that you are OUR beloved priest.

by Larry and Mary Sue Eck / Bob and Rita Boeke

The Beautiful Hands of a Priest

*We need them in life's early morning,
We need them again at its close;
We feel their warm clasp of true friendship,
We seek them when tasting life's woes.*

*At the altar each day we behold them,
And the hands of a king on his throne
Are not equal to them in their greatness;
Their dignity stands all alone;*

*And when we are tempted and wander,
To pathways of shame and of sin,
It's the hand of a priest that will absolve us--
Not once, but again and again.*

*And when we are taking life's partner,
Other hands may prepare us a feast,
But the hand that will bless and unite us--
Is the beautiful hand of a priest.*

*God bless them and keep them all holy,
For the Host which their fingers caress;
When can a poor sinner do better,
Than to ask Him to guide thee and bless?*

*When the hour of death comes upon us,
May our courage and strength be increased,
By seeing raised over us in blessing--
The beautiful hands of a priest.*



Thou Art A Priest Forever

*To live in the midst of the world,
Without wishing its pleasures;
To be a member of each family,
Yet belonging to none;
To share all sufferings;
To penetrate all secrets;
To heal all wounds;
To go from men to God
And offer Him their Prayers;
To return from God to men
To bring pardon and hope;
To have a heart of fire for charity
And a heart of bronze for chastity;
To teach and to pardon,
Console and bless always--
What a glorious life!
And it is yours,
O Priest of Jesus Christ!*

J.B. Henri Lacordaire, OP



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Happy Birthday



June 12

Vicki Amsden
John Denkler
Jack Sandweg

June 13

Kevin Brooks

June 14

Jeremy Armes
Nancy Holland
Steve Paroski
Jennifer Rhodus
Allison White

June 15

Jane Allen
Bradley Burd
Laura Denkler
Patty Vargo
Kate Williams

June 16

Hana Avendanio
Jennifer
Berkbigler

June 16 cont.

Katara Cochran
Mira Juan
McManus

June 17

Jim Kehoe

June 18

Matthew Abt
Stephen Paroski

Sacramental Life

Daily Mass Monday thru Friday 7:00 am

Friday (All School Mass Aug-May) 8:05 am

Sunday Mass Observance

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 7:30 am, 9:00 am and 10:30 am

Holy Days of Obligation 7 am, 8 am and 7 pm

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 4 pm, Sundays 7 am or by appointment

The Sacrament of Baptism

Baptisms are held the first Sunday of the month after the 10:30 am Mass. Baptismal preparation class required. Contact Abe AuBuchon.

The Sacrament of Marriage

Celebrated after meeting the bride and groom and beginning preparation six months before the wedding, in accordance with Archdiocesan Wedding Policy.

Happy Anniversary

June 12, 1971 **45 Years!**

Clinton & Mary Heberlie

June 14, 2003

Sean & Jada Klima

June 12, 1999

Jim & Mary Kay Obenauer

June 15, 2002

Brock & Tiffani Busenbark

June 12, 1982

Jim & Annette Willis

June 15, 1968

Bill & Ruby Cassity

June 13, 1998

Harold & Cecilia Crawford

June 17, 1967

John & Judy Alig

June 14, 2008

Daniel & Pamela Jaycox

June 18, 2010

Neil & Karen Melton

In Our Thoughts and Prayers...

We pray for the repose of the souls of...

Bob Wright

brother of Lucretia Greaux

Barb Dunning

mother of Suzanne Castro



May God welcome them home, fill them with peace and bless those who will miss them.



Eucharistic Celebrations and Mass Intentions

Week of June 13 - 19

- Monday: St. Anthony of Padua**
Readings: 1 Kgs 21:1-16; Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-7; Mt 5:38-42
7:00 am: **Francis Weege**
- Tuesday: Weekday**
Readings: 1 Kgs 21:17-29; Ps 51:3-6ab, 11, 16;
Mt 5:43-48
7:00 am: **Brown & Scherer Families**
- Wednesday: Weekday**
Readings: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14; Ps 31:20, 21, 24;
Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
7:00 am: **Mary Niedert**
- Thursday: Weekday**
Readings: Sir 48:1-14; Ps 97:1-7; Mt 6:7-15
7:00 am: **F.R. Crouch**
- Friday: Weekday**
Readings: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20; Ps 132:11-14, 17-18;
Mt 6:19-23
7:00 am: **St. Joseph Parishioners**

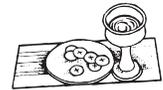
Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Readings: Zec 12:10-11; 13:1; Ps 63:2-6, 8-9;
Gal 3:26-29; Lk 9:18-24

- Saturday:**
5:00 pm: **Parishioners**
- Sunday:**
7:30 am: **Vel Schnurbusch**
9:00 am: **James Baechle**
10:30 am: **Mary Lou Lodholz**

visit www.stjosephfarmington.com and click on
"daily mass readings" for easy reference.

Ministers of the Liturgy



Saturday, June 18

5:00 pm Mass

- Priest:** Fr. James Dyer
Lector: Shawn McCarver
Extraordinary Ministers:
Sandi Brooks, John Crouch, Cindy Kelso,
Mike Kelso, Jill Patton
Ushers: Buddy Bordewick, Gary Harris, John Jones,
Dylan Kelso
Servers: B. Armes, K. Gerwitz, K. Halter
Cantor: Terry Guiley

Sunday, June 19

7:30 am Mass

- Priest:** Fr. Rickey Valleroy
Lector: Chuck Hayden
Extraordinary Ministers:
Melissa Mitchell, Jack Neiner, Kathy Neiner,
Scott Watson, Chris Westrich
Ushers: Ed Brown, Gerald Hulsey, Dale Jones,
Ed Wooldridge
Servers: A. Crawford, J. Hulsey

9:00 am Mass

- Priest:** Fr. James Dyer
Lector: Mitch Fuemmeler
Extraordinary Ministers:
Maggie Carr, Paul Gaines, Rob Grindel,
Vanessa Trokey, Jayne Wooldridge
Ushers: George Kracke, Don Trokey, Mike Turner,
Mike Ward
Servers: A. England, A. Greenstreet, K. Wade
Cantor: Michelle Podolak

10:30 am Mass

- Priest:** Msgr. Jim Hanson
Lector: Chad Speakar
Extraordinary Ministers:
Jana Dore, Phyllis LaPlant, Katie Rhodes,
Helen Thurman, John Thurman
Ushers: James Cissell, Chuck Koppeis, Chris
McTearnen, Travis Trolinger
Servers: E. O'Hara, A. Roney, M. Williams
Cantor: Rita Boyd

St. Joseph Catholic Church Parish Mission Statement

*We are called by our Lord Jesus Christ,
to be His church and live His gospel.
We strive to fulfill our baptismal calling
by prayer, worship, teaching and in
sharing our faith and serving others.*

*Guided by the Holy Spirit and
through our patron St. Joseph, we
commit ourselves to the responsible
stewardship of all God's gifts.*

Monday, June 13, 2016

Sacristans

Brenda Donze, Linda Gillespie,
Karen Jones, Jo Rustemeyer

Money Counters

Beulah Carrow, Jackie Maloney,
Nancy Ott, Carolyn Rigdon

Come join us for our weekly Parish Rosary to be offered this Wednesday at 7:15 pm

Our petition for this week will be: 

“A peaceful and joyful retirement for Fr. Dyer.”

Let us pray for those who share weekly in our Eucharistic Celebration and who are carrying the gift of life. . .

Kelsey (Eric) Koppeis
Corey (Scott) Schrum

*Congratulations
Abe & Jami
AuBuchon
on the arrival of
Violet Rose*



A Way of Life STEWARDSHIP 

“When I entered your house, you did not give me water for my feet...” LUKE 7:44

Today’s Gospel calls us to consider how we serve God. Do we consume like the Pharisee who simply reclines at the table and expects to be served? Or, do we contribute like the woman who kneels before Jesus and washes His feet? Every day we must make a choice. Take or give? Consume or contribute? Recline or serve?

Your Gifts to God and Parish

Sunday, June 5, 2016

Adult Envelopes	\$13,495.00
Loose	\$353.35
Electronic Deposit	<u>\$1,630.00</u>
	\$15,478.35

	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Sunday Offering	\$15,478.35	\$579,576.28
Budgeted Amount	<u>\$11,050.00</u>	<u>\$541,450.00</u>
Shortage/Overage	\$4,428.35	\$38,126.28

Partners in Education	\$400.00
Maintenance & Repair	\$222.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$2.00
Peter’s Pence	\$60.00
Cemetery Perpetual	\$22.00
Cardinal Glennon	\$1,113.00
Our Father’s Table	\$50.00
Secret Santa	<u>\$665.00</u>
Total for Specials	\$2,534.00

Thank You For Your Faithfulness!!!

Our Thanks To

Lauren Stein

of St. Joe's Garden Club for watering and tending to our potted plants this week.



Wedding Banns

Bann III

Mitch Weddle & Kathy Koppeis

June 10, 2016




Together we pray for those who are sick. (Parishioners names are in bold.)

Please pray for: **Dottie Reeves, Sue Rariden, Margaret Greif,** Rylan Bruenderman, Bill Bone, Jim Pope, **Weldon Sullivan,** Janet Laut, Mary Moll, John Wolk, Richard Ziegler, Bryan Mabery, Janice Douglas, Cindy Connor, Sue Ryan, **Buddy Bordewick, Pat Raymer,** Kyler, **Cathy Barron,** Mark Huels, Lawrence Brown, Sue Ryan, Paula, **Loretta Brundege,** Jack and Carmen Hall, Earline Huster, Jeanie Dubois, Buddy Phillips, Samuel Dement, Brenda Bennett, Louise Ashworth, **Russ Buescher, Joyce Wozniak,** Dee Bechtoldt, Jeff George, Fay Poncet, Art & Charlie Hahn, Sandy Momot, Paula Gebhardt, and **Al and Jeanie Gegg.**

To add someone to the prayer list contact Pat Boatright at boat.pab75@gmail.com or 756-4169.

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today's readings tell us about forgiveness of sins, really big sins, but their lesson is about living authentic lives. David has been given tremendous gifts by God and called to a life of leadership and service. Yet he commits adultery and murder. The woman in Luke is a sinner who has disrespected and wasted the gifts, the life, that God gave her. David and the woman sin because they are not living the lives that were given to them. Yet both are forgiven by God, who loves them and us despite our sinfulness. Jesus lives the life that he was given by God to live, difficult as that is. His life leads to his death and resurrection and because of this we are forgiven and saved.

Losing the Life Given

David had been anointed and called to a life of leadership and service. Instead he lived as an adulterer and murderer. David's actions were sinful. When David recognized that because of his sin, he had forsaken the life of leadership and service, he was forgiven. In Luke, the Pharisee who welcomed Jesus did not really understand who Jesus was. He did not offer him the symbols of hospitality - water for his feet, oil for his head - that all guests should be offered. Instead, an uninvited woman recognized Jesus. She understood that he was the One who could forgive her sins. She offered Jesus the water, the oil, the kiss that the host did not. She behaved like someone who knew, as Paul reminds us in Galatians, that the source of life, mercy, and forgiveness is Jesus.

Living The Authentic Life

When we fail to live the life given to us by God, we deny the very sacrifice that Jesus made for our salvation. It is easy to see when we fail to live authentically. We sin. We rationalize our choices. We put ourselves first. We are afraid and we are captive to our short-sightedness. How do we know if we are living the life intended for us by God? The life that faith offers is an authentic life rooted in God, whose Son Jesus died and was raised for us. An authentic life reflects the value of what has been given for us, that is, the life of Jesus, sacrificed on the cross. We need only measure our lives by the standards that Jesus' life reflects: we must act justly, love tenderly, and walk humbly with our God (see Micah 6:8). This is all that is asked of us.

Today's Readings: 2 Sam 12:7-10, 13; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 7, 11; Gal 2:16, 19-21; Luke 7:36 — 8:3 [7:36-50]



SJ Athletic Association News



A Big Thank You from our Hornet's Nest!!

Last weekend at Country Day's, our Athletic Association hosted the "Hornet's Nest", a food and drinks booth that raised over \$2,000 for our Athletics Association!!!

Dave Werner, Athletic Association Chairman, would like to thank: C-Barn- Jim Johnson, Dominos Pizza- Steve Wampler, Grand Rental Station- The Pfaff's and Bluff City Beer- Matt Backer.

A big thank you to the following St. Joseph families: Benoist, Busenbark, Cassimatis, Colligan, Combs, LaMartina, Speakar, Wade and Williams.

Thank you to everyone that came out to eat

St. Joseph's Little Saints

Summer Scholars!



Enrolling Now!



It's Not Too Late!!!

This year's themes:

June 13 - 17Outer Space

June 20 - 24A Bug's Life

June 27 - July 1 ...Campfire Cookout

Enroll for whichever weeks you would like!
Children Ages 3 - entering Kindergarten

For enrollment information please contact Principal, Shirley Bieser, (573) 756-6312
sbieser@stjosephfarmington.com



St. Joseph's Little Saints Preschool



"Preparing God's Children for Success!"

Registration for the 2016-2017 school year is now open to the community.

The Little Saints Preschool is a quality enrichment program for ages 3 through Prekindergarten.

Hours: Monday through Friday from 8:00 am - 3:00 pm with afterschool care available. For more information please contact Shirley Bieser, Principal, at 756-6312 or sbieser@stjosephfarmington.com



Picnic Bottle Booth



Our Picnic Bottle Booth has absolutely NO overhead and always generates a good profit. Every year we run out of bottles with people still wanting to play. There are currently collection boxes outside the Parish Office and upstairs inside the Parish Center doors. As long as it is a nonperishable, unopened, and not expired bottle item, we would love to have it! Thank you!



bubble bath
car wash items
bottled water
perfume
conditioner

BBQ sauce
wine
lotions
marinade sauces
beer

hand soap
soda
motor oil
juice
bath/shower gels

dish soap
mustard
strawberry syrup
hair gel
ketchup



Donations Needed for the Silent Auction

at St. Joseph's 42nd Annual Parish Picnic
Sunday, June 26, 2016

Last day for
Silent Auction
donations
Friday, June 17

To have a successful picnic we need your help! We have already started collecting donations for the Silent Auction and are looking for many more! Need ideas for what to donate? Below is a list of some items that always seem to be great sellers. For more information or if you need an item picked up please call **Sandi Brooks 573-631-5907 or Jessi at 756-4250.**



Collector's Items: antiques, sports memorabilia (autographed items, apparel, photographs), unique/ hard-to-find items, collectible series

Electronic Items: TV, DVD/Blue Ray player, digital camera, iPod, computer, printer, scanner, power tools

Event Tickets: sports, music, theater, comedy

Gift Cards/Certificates: restaurant, shopping, home improvement, automobile, hotel, vacation, beauty, golf

Handcrafted Items: quilts, furniture, jewelry, paintings, woodcarvings, wood crafted items





St. Joseph's 42nd Annual Parish Picnic!!

Invite your friends and family
Saturday Night for...

Authentic International Food Booths!!!



Mexican

Prepared by Parishioners:
Mario Leon Family and Friends



Filipino

Prepared by Parishioners:
Anton & Golda Aseniero
Clyde and Jen Doromal
and Friends



Greek

Prepared by Parishioners:
Ted & Stacey Cassimatis
Dave & Cynthia Werner
and Friends



American BBQ

Prepared by Parishioners:
Jerry Hulsey, Kevin Hale, Mike Kelso and Friends



Coming up in our Parish...



June 19

Fr. Dyer Appreciation Mass



June 25 & 26

Parish Picnic



July 3

We Welcome Fr. Abe

“Who is the real Presence? The Real Presence is Jesus Christ in His Divinity and Humanity, present in the Holy Eucharist, body, blood, soul and divinity.”



Eucharistic Adoration
Thursdays • 7:30 am - 7:30 pm
First Friday of the month
9:00 am - 2:15 pm

For more information contact
Charlie and Rita Boyd at
756-2383 •
ctboyd@sbcglobal.net

Thursday Adoration
New Extended Hours:
7:30 am - 7:30 pm
We have an open time slot:
5:30 - 6:30 pm
Please contact Rita to sign up.

This Week in Our Parish...

Monday • June 13

Mom’s Night Out
6:00 pm • Cafeteria

Tuesday • June 14

Soccer Camp
6:00 pm • Engler Park

Wednesday • June 15

Soccer Camp
6:00 pm • Engler Park

Rosary
7:15 pm • Church

Thursday • June 16

Eucharistic Adoration
7:30 am - 7:30 pm • Church

Soccer Camp
6:00 pm • Engler Park

Sunday • June 19

Father’s Day

Father Dyer Appreciation Mass
9:00 am • Church
10:00 am • Doughnut and Coffee
Reception in the Parish Center

Spanish Mass
3:00 pm • Church
4:00 pm • Reception Parish Center



St. Joseph’s St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry

As we hear the Gospel today we realize that sometimes we are like Simon as it’s far easier to see what is wrong in another than it is to see what is wrong in ourselves.

But Jesus, who accepts the poor woman without judging or blaming her, show us what Christian love is all about.

Open Tuesday and Friday
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

For assistance call 756-0997

Our food pantry serves people in the St. Francois county regardless of race, sex, national origin, religion, or age.

Advertiser of the Week...

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**A Note
from our
Pastoral Health
Care Minister,**

Agnes Hinkebein, RN

If you are currently homebound or are hospitalized or know of a parishioner who is, please contact me at 756-4250 or email me at: healthminister@stjosephfarmington.com

Our Father’s Table TODAY

June 12 • 4:00 pm



*Mexican
Night*



St. Catherine of Alexandria

Saturday, June 18

Celebrant

Fr. Rickey Valleroy

Lector

Agnes Herzog

Extraordinary Ministers

Linda Smith
& Cindy Coffelt

Offertory Bearers

Mike & Linda Hagan

Mass Intentions

June 18 - Scott Herzog



**Please Join us for
our Parish Picnic
June 25 and 26**

Saturday 7:30 pm Mass

Coffman, Missouri
Founded in 1887
Canonical Parish 1919

Parish Council President:
Jimmy Herzog

Your Gifts to God and Parish

Saturday, June 4, 2016

Adult Envelopes	\$1,361.00
Loose.....	\$36.00
Cardinal Glennon	\$115.00
Total.....	\$1,512.00

Thank You For Your Faithfulness

A Note from Fr. Rickey . . .

Congratulations to Cory Herzog who graduated Magna Cum Laude with his Business Management Degree from Southeast Missouri State University. We're proud of you, Cory!!

I am looking forward to seeing you all next weekend at our Father's Day Ice Cream Social!

"Always remember that as long as we keep the Eucharist the center of our lives, everything else will fall in place...of that I am confident"!!!

Blessings of Peace...Fr. Rickey