

St. Joseph Catholic Church *Farmington, Missouri*

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 23, 2016



RCIA

JOURNEY

With us,

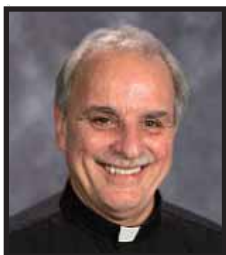
"Come as You Are"

**Meet Our
RCIA Team...**



Sitting (left to right): **Mary Ann Sullivan, Cindy Kelso, Jill Patton (RCIA Coordinator), Sandi Brooks and Dolores Eddleman**

Standing (left to right): **Weldon Sullivan, Cassie Hendrixson, Mike Kelso, Father Rickey Valleroy, Michelle Podolak and Helen Thurman**



From the Pastor's Pen

Dear Parishioners of St. Joseph

A Special Mass and Anointing of the Sick for our Sick, Elderly, and Homebound

On **Wednesday, November 2** at 10:00 am we will have our **annual Anointing of the Sick Mass** and will offer the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick to all parishioners who are in need of healing.

A quote from the General Introduction to the ritual itself, **Pastoral Care of the Sick**, explains more: "Suffering and illness have always been among the greatest problems that trouble the human spirit. Christians feel and experience pain as do all other people; yet their faith helps them to grasp more deeply the mystery of suffering and to bear their pain with greater courage. From Christ's words they know that sickness has meaning and value for their own salvation and the salvation of the world. They also know that Christ, who during his life often visited and healed the sick, loves them in their illness."

It is Christ who bestows the Anointing upon them.

Our 8th grade students will be invited to serve as hospitality ministers and will also help to host the luncheon chaired by our Women of Mary that will follow in our Parish Center. Our thanks to **Agnes Hinkebein, RN**, our Parish Health Minister who will be organizing the events of the morning and coordinating rides and assistance to those attending.

Help the Hungry Bake Sale is just around the corner...

I have been in the kitchen looking through cookbooks trying to decide what I will be baking for my annual dessert for the Cookin' Clergy Contest

Our community's Help the Hungry Bake Sale is scheduled for **Saturday, November 19** in our school gym. The bake sale benefits St. Vincent de Paul and Ministerial Alliance food pantries.

Please help support this worthy event by using your Help the Hungry envelope in this month's packet.



Novena of Rosaries for Our Blessed Mother's Intercession for Our Country in the November Elections



I am certain that we are all well aware of the crossroads facing our country in the upcoming November elections. Much is at stake at a federal and state level. While we should do everything possible to make our choices with accurate information on the candidates and a well-formed conscience, we also need to remember prayer as an essential element of preparation for election day!

Our Respect Life Committee would like to invite you to participate in "**A Call to Prayer**". We invite you to join us weekly for the opportunity to pray in a special way that elections at every level will yield public servants who respect the sanctity of life from womb to tomb, who recognize marriage as a sacrament between a man and a woman, and who will protect the right to religious liberty for people of every faith background.

Our parish is praying a rosary novena for the nine weeks leading up to the elections. Our rosary will conclude with the singing of *God Bless America*. Our last rosary of the novena will be offered on **Wednesday, November 2** and on this evening, will offer a special patriotic rosary in which we will be praying for all 50 states with a Hail Mary and the lighting of a candle for each state.

Thank you for all that you do to nurture a Culture of Life.

Our Mass Intention Book Opens on Wednesday, November 2

Our Mass Intention book will be "opened" on **Wednesday, November 2**. Please note that each household will be limited to only six masses throughout the year. This practice was begun to be fair to all parishioners.

No masses for 2018 will be reserved until next November. Dates start on January 1, 2017 and continue through December 31, 2017. Canonically we are not allowed to accept more masses than we can offer within one year.

Update of Military for Veteran's Day

Please contact Jessi in the parish office if you need to update or add a family member serving in the military. **The Women of Mary are in need of updated addresses for ALL stationed military. Names must be submitted by Friday, October 28.**

A Special Evening for the Women of St. Joseph's Parish "Advent by Candlelight"

Advent by Candlelight is a wonderful way for our ladies to prepare their hearts for the Christmas season each year. This year's Advent by Candlelight will be held on **Sunday, November 27 from 6:00 - 8:45 pm** for our ladies to come together for an evening of reflection, celebration, and friendship as they prepare the way of the Lord during the Season of Advent.

This evening is designed to bring our ladies together for a relaxing evening of socialization while providing a faithful reflection on the preparation for Christmas. **Elizabeth Westhoff, Director of Marketing & Mission Awareness of the Archdiocese of St. Louis** will be our guest presenter and will give a heartfelt spiritual presentation on "Mary's Yes". Her presentation will be followed by a meditation by **Shirley Bieser**. The inspirational music for the evening will be provided by **Daryl Buchheit**. This evening is an exceptional opportune time to focus on the true meaning of Christmas as you prepare for your family celebrations.

Our hostesses will provide their guests with appetizers, desserts and beverages. The décor and table settings will be unique to each hostess as the tables can be elaborate or simply decorated. Some hostesses may bring china and crystal, some paper and plastic, others may bring a combination of both. It all works to transform our parish center into a lovely setting for the evening. **This year we are asking all tables to have only one hostess.**

This evening is also designed as a fund raiser for our "Secret Santa" fund to help parishioners in special need this holiday season. The top hostess raising the most money from her guests at her table will receive a special gift. **All women are welcome!** If you would like to attend, please call the parish office and let us know! **Deadline to RSVP for this special evening is Monday, November 21.**

Knights of Columbus Annual Memorial Mass to be Held on Saturday, November 5 at 5:00 pm

During the month of November we remember those that have gone before us. Our **Knights of Columbus** will have their annual Memorial Mass on **Saturday, November 5 at the 5:00 pm mass.** All Knights of Columbus members and their families are invited to attend this mass as we remember our brother Knights who have gone before us.

K of C Breakfast Honoring All Our Veterans on Veterans Day

Our **Knights of Columbus** are proud to honor our parish's veterans with an appreciation breakfast for Veteran's Day. **On November 13 after the 7:30 and 9:00 am masses all veterans are invited to enjoy a complimentary all-you-can-eat breakfast from our Knights.**



Clean Up Day at our Infant Memorial

Our **Respect Life Committee** is organizing a clean up day for our Infant Memorial. These grounds are a place to pray, mourn and heal after the loss of a child. To respect the dignity of this space, our Respect Life Committee would be happy to have your help in cleaning up! Please join us **Wednesday, October 26 at 1:00 pm** to help out. Contact Pat Boatright at boat.pab75@gmail.com with any questions.

And Finally...

"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

Our Pastoral Team

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Jim Eaton Financial Commission

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Mike Ward Knights of Columbus

Parish Business Office Hours

Monday thru Friday • 8:00 am to 3:30 pm
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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 the parish office.

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 Birthday



October 23

**Kaiden Hale
Gary Harris
Tom Lappe
Wayne Scroggins
John Vuichard**

October 24

**Betty Combs
Lily Dowell
Susan McMann
Margaret Rice**

October 25

**Mike Hinkebein
Di Phan
Donald Trokey
Kylee Wolff**

October 26

**Erin Beck
Audrey Crawford
Mary Dugan
Karen Ellis
Samantha Figueroa
Ryker Jones
Martin Lara
Dolores Schmidt**

October 27

**Jim Eaton
Jacob Gaines
Bob Medley
Greg Vargo**

October 27 cont.

**Samantha Wade
Abigail Winch**

October 28

**Kevin Boatright
Charles Govreau
Reid Herbst
Thanh Phan**

October 29

**Logan England
Ella Koppeis
Darlene Munroe
Henry Swinarski
Mike Turner
Jo Anne Wolo**

Happy Anniversary

Sorry!

These Anniversaries were missed last week!

October 16, 1965

Paul & Joann Fortman

October 16, 1993

Keith & Kim Heberlie

October 16, 1976 **40 Years!**

Tom & Ann Lutsch

October 17, 1981 **35 Years!**

David & Linda Orzel

Happy Anniversary

October 24, 1980

Clark & Theresa Aubuchon

October 27, 2011

Russ & Marcia Randoll

October 24, 2009

Crystal & Philip Hoffman

October 28, 1978

Lou & Betty Krapf

October 26, 2002

Chris & Becky Fingerhut

October 28, 2000

Chris & Katie Tucker

October 26, 1974

Michael & Sue Sweeney

October 29, 1949

Charles & Agnes Davis



Eucharistic Celebrations and Mass Intentions

Week of October 24 - 30

- Monday: Weekday**
Readings: Eph 4:32 — 5:8; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 13:10-17
7:00 am: **St. Joseph Parishioners (All Souls)**
- Tuesday: Weekday**
Readings: Eph 5:21-33 or 5:2a, 25-33; Ps 128:1-5;
Lk 13:18-21
7:00 am: **Jerry Wengler**
- Wednesday: Weekday**
Readings: Eph 6:1-9; Ps 145:10-14; Lk 13:22-30
7:00 am: **Clarence Dollinger**
- Thursday: Weekday**
Readings: Eph 6:10-20; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10;
Lk 13:31-35
7:00 am: **Francis & Mildred Olmsted**
- Friday: Sts. Simon & Jude**
Readings: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 6:12-16
7:00 am: **Denice Willie**
8:05 am: **Paul Rottler**

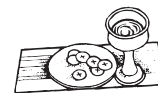
Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Readings: Wis 11:22 — 12:2; Ps 145:1-2, 8-11,
13-14; 2 Thes 1:11 — 2:2; Lk 19:1-10

- Saturday:**
5:00 pm: **Parishioners**
- Sunday:**
7:30 am: **Eugene Smith**
9:00 am: **Elinor Greminger**
10:30 am: **Mary Lou Lodholz**

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

Ministers of the Liturgy



Saturday, October 29

5:00 pm Mass

- Priest:** Fr. Abe Arganiosa
Lector: Shawn McCarver
Extraordinary Ministers:
John Crouch, John Denkler, Laura Denkler,
Jennifer Rhodus, Joe Rhodus
Ushers: Buddy Bordewick, Gary Harris, Mark
Kellogg, Don Trokey
Servers: B. Armes, A. Burcham, K. Halter
Cantor: Jane Ramos

Sunday, October 30

7:30 am Mass

- Priest:** Fr. Abe Arganiosa
Lector: Jim Eaton
Extraordinary Ministers:
Brenda Donze, Chuck Hayden, Rose
Hayden, Jack Neiner, Kathy Neiner
Ushers: Jerry Bieser, Bill Jokerst, Phil Roth, Ed
Wooldridge
Servers: P. Borrego, S. Heberlie

9:00 am Mass

- Priest:** Fr. Rickey Valleroy
Deacon: Deacon Mark Byington
Lector: Michelle Podolak
Extraordinary Ministers:
Jami AuBuchon, Adam Barnhouse, Mitch
Fuemmeler, Rob Grindel
Ushers: John England, Dylan Kelso, Mike Kelso,
Dale Springs
Servers: M. AuBuchon, J. Pikey, M. Williams
Cantor: Dawn Fuemmeler

10:30 am Mass

- Priest:** Fr. Rickey Valleroy
Deacon: Deacon Mark Byington
Lector: Chad Speakar
Extraordinary Ministers:
Shirley Bieser, Maggie Carr, Phyllis LaPlant,
Jill Patton
Ushers: James Cissell, Bryan Hubbard, Chris
McTearden, Travis Trolinger
Servers: A. Werner, G. Werner, K. Werner
Cantor: Susan McMann

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, October 24, 2016

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| <u>Sacristans</u> | <u>Money Counters</u> |
| Pat Boatright, Rita Boyd,
Jerri Johnson,
Charlotte Vander Bol | Lori King, Ethel Backer,
Anne Crawford,
Carol Rigdon |



Help us pray for our Country's upcoming Presidential Election!!

Wednesdays at 7:15 pm, we are offering a nine week Novena Rosary that will end with a Patriotic Rosary on November 2, 2016.

Our petition for this week will be:

"For a Christian conscience, that we will be in conformity with it's values as we vote for the Leader of our Country."



Please join Fr. Abe as we pray the Rosary for our Country!

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

Lauren (Rodney) Vessell-Pinkston

If you are carrying the gift of life and would like the prayers of your parish family please call Jessi in the parish office.

In Our Thoughts and Prayers...

We pray for the repose of the soul of...

Gloria Sheets

mother of Diane Bush

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



Your Gifts to God and Parish
Sunday, October 16, 2016

Adult Envelopes	\$20,527.31
Loose	\$613.14
Children's Envelopes	\$1.00
All Saints Day	\$10.00
Spanish Mass	\$340.00
Electronic Deposit	<u>\$465.00</u>
	\$21,956.45

	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Sunday Offering	\$21,956.45	\$199,688.18
Budgeted Amount	<u>\$11,350.00</u>	<u>\$181,600.00</u>
Shortage/Overage	10,606.45	\$18,088.18
Partners in Education		\$30.00
Maintenance & Repair		\$35.00
Permanent Deaconate		\$135.00
Help the Hungry Bakesale		<u>\$90.00</u>
Total for Specials		\$290.00

Thank You For Your Faithfulness!!!

Welcome

We warmly welcome to our Parish Community the following Parishioners...

Edmundo & Diana Yibirin
with their children
Aristides, Barbara & Karen

Louie & Eva Bley



What if you woke up this morning with only what you thanked God for yesterday?

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

Please pray for: Derek Gollaher, Sara Hershberger, Tom Nutter, Cory King, **Loretta Forsythe**, Nicole Voss, Patty Lorehouse, Robert Rogers, Alan Herrell, Larry Winick, Jim Schwent, Janet Laut, Ardie Henson, Mark Huels, Pat Pash, Michelle Harvath, Ellen Marquart, Maddison Rustemeyer, **Gail Dunn, Ruth Denton, Verna Springs, Marie Hermann, Renee Parmley, Mary Teder**, Barbara Ruhling, Matt Maloney, **Lesley Hughes, Matt Akers**, Tom Herrell, Rickey "Fred" Phelps Jr., **Jim Neville**, Bob Schnider, **Mary Carter, Chuck Davis**, Chris Paroski, David Yahnke, Eva Thurman-Keup, and **Mary Lou Schuler**.

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

A Message from Fr. Abe...

The Contrite Heart Will Never Be Scorned

By: Fr. Abe Arganiosa



Among the Seven capital sins the gravest and most deadly is Pride. It is the sin of Satan by which he refuses to serve God and it is an attitude that exalts the 'self' rather than the Creator the source of all good.

In the Gospel, there were two men praying. One relies on his own righteousness. Blinded by pride he points instead to the sinfulness of the poor sinner on his side rather than offering God genuine repentance for his sins. In effect, the Lord rejected his prayers and no forgiveness of sins was given. When the soul is filled with pride there is no room for grace. The heart must be empty so that it can be filled with love and other heavenly gifts. On the other hand, the second man – a tax collector (known as a sinner) sincerely emptied himself before the Lord. He admitted his sinfulness. He humbled himself not even having the courage to look at the Altar. He prayed with a bowed head and contrite heart declaring himself as 'a poor sinner'. In return, he received the full power of God's forgiveness and sanctification. **Truly a humble, contrite heart God never despises [cf. Ps 51:17] because humility mirrors the heart of Jesus who humbled himself until death... on the cross [Phil 2:8].**

Our prayers must flow from a humble heart which repents of our sins. God resists the proud and gives His grace to the humble [cf. 1 Pt 5:5; Jas 4:6]. Humility and admission of guilt are keys to the fountain of Divine Mercy and these are concretely realized in the Sacrament of Reconciliation through which we humbly open our hearts to Him... no pretense, no mask, no alibi but complete trust in His love.

One of the most beautiful artworks I've seen is the painting of General George Washington kneeling in prayer beside his horse. The famous general of the Civil War whom later became a great President reminds us that the greatness of every man is not when he brags of his accomplishments but when he is humble before God and fellow men. It is because that attitude makes us children of the Heavenly Father and servants of the people. **May the Spirit of the Lord grant us true repentance of our sins and make us humble children of the heavenly Father.**



A Message from your Knights of Columbus...

Grand Knight, Mike Ward
Council #12332

Meeting Date Change for November:

Wednesday, November 9

7:00 pm • Parish Center



Complimentary Breakfast for Veterans

Sunday, November 13

On November 13 after the 7:30 and 9:00 am Masses all veterans are invited to enjoy a complimentary all-you-can-eat breakfast from our Knights.



"...for whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted."

Luke 18:14

Pride and ego is the root cause of most of our sins. Thinking your time is so valuable, your talent is better than anyone else and your money gives you status is another way of making those things "gods" before God. Remember all those gifts were God-given. Instead we should be humbled by God's abundant generosity and our hearts should be filled with gratitude.

Remembering Those Serving our Country this Veterans Day

We would like to remember the members of our families who are currently serving our country this Veterans Day by having a page dedicated to them in our bulletin. If you have an immediate family member serving our country, please contact Jessi in our parish office.

Names must be submitted by **Friday, October 28** in order to be published in the Veterans Day edition of our bulletin.



Help the Hungry Bake Sale
- a benefit for food pantries -

Saturday, November 19
9:00 am- 1:00 pm

Breakfast & Lunch Served

One in Five people in our community is food insecure.
Please pray for the Help the Hungry Bake Sale!

Dine Out for United Way!! Thursday, October 27



On the day each restaurant is featured, the owners will donate a portion of sales that day to United Way of St. Francois County. This **Thursday, October 27** *Dine Out for United Way* will be at **Long John Silver's** and **Huddle House** in Bonne Terre, Park Hills and Farmington.

How Can I Help the Victims of Hurricane Matthew??



All Donations to the poor box for the month of November will go to support the victims of Hurricane Matthew in Haiti and the United States of America.



Our Father's Table

Next Sunday
October 30
4:00 pm



Chicken & Dumplings



With Our Heartfelt Thanks...

Our RCIA Leaders, Team and participants would like to thank **Barb Doss, Agnes Hinkebein, Vanessa Trokey, Mary Anne Sullivan and Helen Thurman** for a great meal the last week!!

Next week's topic:
Who is Jesus?



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OFFICE OF THE ARCHBISHOP

In the United States today, numerous Catholic sisters, brothers, and religious order priests past age 70 benefit from the Retirement Fund for Religious collection. Donations to this special collection provide funding that helps religious communities care for senior members and plan for long-term retirement needs.

On the weekend of November 6, all parishes in the Archdiocese of St. Louis will take up the annual collection for the Retirement Fund for Religious, an opportunity for you to acknowledge the thousands of senior Catholic sisters, brothers, and religious order priests for their faithful service.

Whether or not we realize it, we are all beneficiaries of the tremendous contributions these women and men have made to the Church in the United States. Through hard work, prayer, and sacrifice, they built Catholic schools and hospitals, initiated programs to promote social justice, and ministered to the neediest among us.

Today, many religious communities struggle to care for their elderly members. Elder sisters, brothers, and religious order priests dedicated their lives to service and prayer, and some lack adequate retirement savings. Increasing health-care costs and decreased income make it difficult to provide necessary medical care, costly medications and basic services.

Please consider making a financial gift to assist with the care of our senior Catholic sisters, brothers, and religious order priests. Many thanks for considering this request.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert J. Carlson".

Most Reverend Robert J. Carlson
Archbishop of St. Louis

Please use your November envelopes labeled as "Retired Religious" to donate to our Senior Catholic sisters, brothers and religious order priests.

2017 Parish Directory Updates

We are in the beginning stages of updating our parish directory. If you have any changes in your information, **for example if you have disconnected your landline phone**, please call the parish office to update your information or use the form below and drop it in the offertory basket.



Do We Have Your Correct Contact Information?

Please complete the following and return it in the collection basket, bring it by the Parish Office, or email Lisa, at secretary@stjosephfarmington.com (subject line: Directory update).

Please print legibly:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Addresses: _____



Parish Missionary Disciples

Your Personal Prayer Life

Questions to challenge yourself and others on their journey to God and Discipleship...

1. *When do you pray?*
2. *How do you pray?*
3. *Who taught you to pray?*
4. *How did you learn to pray the way you do?*



Meet our BeOne Partners...



St. Catherine of Alexandria
Coffman, MO



Our Adopted School in...
Cebu, Philippines



Contemplative Sisters of the Good Shepherd
St. Louis, MO

Prayer Campaign

Friends of Priests is initiating a Prayer Campaign for all Priests, Deacons, Seminarians, and Consecrated Religious. This campaign began on **Sunday, October 2** and will end on **Tuesday, December 20**.

All parishioners are invited to sign a pledge to pray ten Hail Marys each day from October 2 to December 20. The completed pledges will be bound in book form and presented to **Archbishop Carlson** on Saturday, December 10, 2016 at the 5 pm Mass at the Cathedral Basilica. All are welcome to attend this Mass.

To pledge to pray ten Hail Marys daily, please sign the pledge forms on the clip boards located in the back of church.





You are invited
to join us for an
**Anointing
of the Sick**

Mass & Luncheon

St. Joseph Church
Wednesday, November 2
10:00 am with lunch following

Who can receive the Anointing of the Sick?


anyone who is advanced in years, anyone of any age who may have recently or is about to undergo surgery or therapy, anyone of any age who feel they may benefit from the graces of God's healing touch



Name _____ Phone Number _____

- Yes, I am coming to the Mass to receive the sacrament.
- Yes, I am staying for the lunch following Mass.
- Please arrange a ride for me to the Mass and Luncheon.
- I can help provide rides to those in need.

Please RSVP by October 28 by dropping this form in the collection basket, dropping by the parish office, or calling the parish office at 756-4250.




St. Joseph Craft Bazaar

Saturday, November 5

9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Over 70 Vendors, Bake Sale, Concessions & Book Fair



The St. Joseph Home and School Association
would like to invite you to the annual

Advent Wreath & Chili Night

Monday, November 21

6:00 - 7:30 pm in the gym

St. Joseph Catholic School
cordially invites you to join us for a Chili Dinner
and to make an Advent Wreath
for the upcoming Advent Season.
It will be a wonderful way to start the Holiday Season!

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In an attempt to order adequate supplies for the advent wreaths and preparing enough chili we are asking that all families planning on attending please RSVP no later than **Friday, October 28**. The supplies for each wreath costs \$20.00. We are asking that you enclose payment along with your RSVP in a sealed envelope addressed to *HASA – Advent Wreath Night*. Your RSVP can be dropped off at the parish or school office.

Family's Name _____ Number of Family members attending: _____
(Please bring some holiday cookies to share)

Will your Family be making an Advent wreath? Yes No
(If yes, please enclose \$20.00 for your supplies. Make checks payable to St. Joseph's.)



A Note From Our Coordinator of Religious Education...

Thank you from our School Students and PSR...



The students, teachers, and I would like to extend our gratitude to the parish for the Bibles for our parish 5th grade students and new students in grade 5 - 8. Thank you to Fr. Abe for blessing the Bibles and sharing this experience with our students. The students were so happy to receive these!

Thank you for your generosity!

Max, Emily, Alyssa, Elijah, Piper, Samantha, Lilly, Ava, Emma, Audrey, Caiden, Sam, Mercedes, Elijah, Tyler, Jaden, Keegan, Chase, Katherine, Mrs. AuBuchon, Mrs. Umfleet and Mrs. Ramos



YOUTH GROUP TONIGHT

7:00 - 8:30 pm • Gym



*Who wants to be a contestant on our new hit game show?
If you are a high school student interested in
faith, fun, fellowship, and food...
Come on Down and play ...*

"Will you forgive it?!"

*For more information contact Jeremiah Hodapp at
jhodapp@stjosephfarmington.com*

Coming up in our Parish...



October 30
Our Father's Table



November 1
All Saint's Day



November 2
Anointing of the Sick



November 5
Craft Bazaar



November 19
Help the Hungry Bakesale



November 21
Advent Wreath Night



November 27
Advent by Candlelight



December 6
Yesterday's Kids
Holiday Brass Concert

“Come, let us worship the Lord. Let us bow down in the presence of our Maker, for He is The Lord our God”
(Ps 94: 6-7)



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

This Week in Our Parish...

Tuesday • October 25

Luke and Acts, Paul IV Class
7:00 pm • Parish Center

Wednesday • October 26

Prayer Shawl
9:00 am • Parish Center

PSR
6:00 pm • School & Cafeteria

Rosary
7:15 pm • Church

Thursday • October 27

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

RCIA
6:00 pm • Meet, Eat and Greet
6:30 pm • Class begins

Sunday • October 30

Our Father's Table
4:00 pm • Cafeteria



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



St. Joseph Parish's St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry

In this Sunday's Gospel, the tax collector's prayer allows God to be God and so allows God to pour mercy into his heart. When we pray and give alms to the poor, we allow God's mercy to be poured into their hearts.

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.

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Prayer Shawl Ministry

Prayer Shawl Ministry Meeting
This Wednesday, October 26
9:00 am • Parish Center

All are welcome!! We provide shawls and lap blankets for those in need of comfort and solace. We also invite you to contact **Sandi Brooks 756-4250** if you know of individuals who may want to receive a prayer shawl.



St. Catherine of Alexandria

Saturday, October 29

Your Gifts to God and Parish

Celebrant
Fr. Rickey Valleroy

Lector
Betty Vogt

Extraordinary Ministers
Linda Smith & Cindy Coffelt

Offertory Bearers
John & Peggy Adams

Mass Intentions
Ralph & Hilda Vogt

Saturday, October 15, 2016

Adult Envelopes	\$355.00
Loose.....	\$52.00
Total.....	\$407.00

Thank You For Your Faithfulness

A Note from Fr. Rickey . . .

If you made donations to the Turkey Shoot or Silent Auction, please let Lisa know the value for this year's tax statement.

"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

Saturday 7:30 pm Mass

Parish Council President:
Jimmy Herzog

Happy Anniversary
October 26
Curt & Lynette Heberlie