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ST. JOSEPH HOLY MASS SCHEDULE:

Sunday, Jan. 22 at 8:00 AM *People of St. Joseph and St. Mary*

Tuesday, Jan. 24 at 6:00 PM *Leonard & Rosemary Young*

Sunday, Jan. 29 at 8:00 AM *Marybell Felten*

Confessions:

St. Joseph – Tuesday: 5:15 to 5:45 pm
 Sunday: 7:30 am

St. Mary – Saturdays: 4:00 to 5:15 pm

St. Mary, Glasgow, Holy Mass Schedule:

Saturday (Vigil): 5:30 PM
Sunday: 10:00 AM
Wednesday: 8:15 AM
Thursday: 8:15 AM
Friday: 8:15 AM

PARISH COUNCILS:

PASTORAL COUNCIL
Beth Lammers, Chair

FINANCE COUNCIL
Father Duncan, Chair

STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL
Roger Dorson, Chair

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

St. Joseph – Wednesdays 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM
St. Mary – Tue., Wed., Fri. 8:00 AM to 2:30 PM

Adoration

St. Joseph – First Tuesday-2:00 PM to 5:45 PM
St. Mary – First Friday after morning Mass

Holy Rosary:

St. Joseph – Mon. 6:30 PM; Wed., Thurs., Fri. 7:00 AM
St. Mary – Saturdays 5:05 PM

Mission Statement – St. Joseph Catholic Church seeks to be an actively visible faith community that works to make disciples of Jesus Christ through our hospitality, education, sacraments, & service.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick: If you know of anyone needing the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick or Last Rites, please let Father know. If it is an emergency, please call the office phone or send Father an email. If a family member is in a neighboring hospital (Columbia, etc.) and it is an emergency, please let your doctor or nurse know to contact a Priest – they have priests on-call every day of the week at the larger hospitals. If it is not an emergency but you'd like Father to visit in the hospital, please talk to him to arrange a time for a visit.

Sacraments of Baptism or Marriage: a preparation process is required before either of these Sacraments is celebrated. Please contact Father or Parish Secretary at least 6 months before a wedding is planned or as soon as the pregnancy is known so that proper arrangements may be made for the spiritual preparations.

Bishop McKnight's January prayer for our Diocese:
For foster parents and adopting parents, may they experience the support of the church and the love of God as they expand their homes to make room for more children in their families. We pray to the Lord.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Stacy Wilder	Theresa Gregoire
Marjorie Koenig	Paul Beeler
Linda Wallace	Eula Kempf
Jessica Gardiner	Jane Kaufman
Amy Shook	George Shook
Will Beaman/healing	Ann Schaefer

All military personnel & their families
 Mildred Whiston (L. Thompson's mom)
 John Brennehan, cancer (N. Anderson's brother)
 Emma & Dallas Wasson (B. Witte's parents)

Seminarians for the 2022-2023 school year.

We currently have 7 seminarians studying for our Diocese. Please pray for an increase in Holy Vocations to the Priesthood so that the Sacraments & Holy Mass may continue in our parishes.

Christopher Hoffmann (Theology 3)
 Gregory Clever (Theology 2)
 Jacob Hartman (Theology 1)
 Bryce Smith (Pre-Theology)
 Shane Kliethermes (College 4)
 Gage Neisen (College 3)
 John Paul McGuire (College 2)

Birthdays

Nathan Vroman	Jan. 22
Evie Crowley	Jan. 22
Robert Cessac	Jan. 23
Frank W. Flaspohler	Jan. 24
Easton Bentley	Jan. 24
Aeris Barton	Jan. 25
Xavier Barton	Jan. 25
Lucy Yutz	Jan. 26
Josie Bentley	Jan. 28

Marriage Encounter Weekend is February 11-12 in Jefferson City. Go to www.jeffcitymecom for more information and to register or contact Harry & Cecilia Hentges at 573-619-7416.

Thank You for your generous donation to the Backstoppers in Leif's name. We appreciate your kind words, prayers & thoughts. Sincerely, *The Deznors*

Thank you for your generous donation to Jayden's education fund. Sincerely, *Missy & Jayden*

(Memorial contributions made from our CARE fund)

St. Joseph Parish Tithing Stewardship

January 1	\$1,887.80
January 8	\$1,613.00
January 15	\$2,669.25
ACH Deposits Nov. through 1/10/23	\$1,625.00
Total: month to date	\$6,17005

Calendar of events

Today	Confirmation after Mass
Today	4:00 pm Adult Faith Group
Tues. Jan. 24	10:00 am Bible Study
Tues. Jan. 24	2:00 pm Adoration
Tues. Jan. 24	6:30 pm Bible Study
Wed. Jan. 25	PSR (meal at 6:00 class at 6:30)
Sun. Jan. 29	Fellowship after Mass
Sun. Jan. 29	St Mary enroll/re-enrollment after 10:00 Mass
Tues. Jan. 31	6:30 pm Finance Council
Wed. Feb. 1	6:30 pm Pastoral Council
Thurs. Feb. 2	7:00 pm Adult Faith Group
Sun. Feb. 5	Confirmation after Mass
Tues. Feb. 7	2:00 pm Adoration

We will have **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** on Tuesday, January 24th, from 2:00 pm to 5:45 pm. Benediction and Mass will follow. We must have at least one person in the church at all times with the Blessed Sacrament. There are sign-up sheets at each entrance of church. Times are broken down in hour increments, but please know that you may come and spend any time with the Blessed Sacrament.

You're invited to join our adult **Friends in Faith** group. This group is open to all individuals. There will be a topic of discussion at each group meeting. The design of this group is so individuals can come when they are able too or the topic is of interest to you. There are no books or prep work. Each meeting/session stands alone.

- **Sun. Jan. 22, 4:00 pm** Marriage expectations/perceived and discussed.
- **Thurs. Feb. 2, 7:00 pm** – Eucharist/Adoration
- **Sun. Feb. 19, 4:00 pm** – Priorities/making time for relationships.

PSR Help – we need help providing light meals for the PSR kids during February, March and April. Class meets on Wednesday evenings with a meal at 6:00. There are sign up sheets on the tables at the front and back of church. If you have questions, contact Amy/DRE.

Bulletin deadline: Deadline for the January 31st bulletin is Tuesday, January 24th.

Parish Stewardship – Ministries

January Eucharistic Minister: Joe Geist

Sunday, Jan. 22 – Lectors: Sally Coats, Joe Geist; **Gift Bearers:** Bill & Mardell Wies;

Servers: Xavier & Frankie; **Music:** Sheila, Becky K., Elaine, Becky N.;

Hospitality Ministers: John & Beth W., Amy N.; **Ushers:** R. Anderson, B. Dorson, J. Ebbesmeyer, C. Flaspohler, L. Fuemmeler, G. Hrdina.

Sunday, Jan. 29 – Lectors: Jennifer & Brian Spielbauer; **Gift Bearers:** Larry & Colleen Wies,

Servers: Abigail & Camryn; **Music:** Pam, Laura, Martha; **Hospitality Ministers:** Jerry & Karen E., Cris Roberts;

Ushers: J. Ebbesmeyer, C. Flaspohler, L. Fuemmeler, G. Hrdina, B. Spielbauer, B. Sullivan.

Ministers taking Communion to shut ins: week of Jan. 22 (Susan F.), week of Jan. 29 (Adrienne)

Church cleaning: Jan. 22 to Jan. 28 (Mary Hrdina), Jan. 29 to Feb. 4 (Susan Flaspohler)

If you are unable to serve in your ministry at the scheduled time, please find a substitute or trade with someone on the schedule.

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DIOCESE OF JEFFERSON CITY JANUARY STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

Good and gracious God, a new year of grace is upon us, giving us impressions of crisp beginnings new goals, a fresh sense of hope even in these uncertain times. Though we cling to our own expectations for the year ahead, we know you alone are the sovereign of our future, Lord of our lives, and the source of whatever good we may do. We thank you, O Lord, for the gift of the days and weeks you have entrusted to us. Teach us to be good stewards of our time ahead, that we go about our days keeping you at the center of our lives. We ask for a year of peace, a year that brings an end to turmoil, hatred, and polarization; and a year where we find a deeper joy that can only be found in you. We ask this through Christ your Son who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever. Amen.

Registration for summer camps will open in mid-January -Please let Amy know if your child is interested in any of the camps. The website for information regarding the different camp options is [-https://diojeffcity.org/youth-camps/](https://diojeffcity.org/youth-camps/). If your child is interested in attending the **Steubenville Conference**, please let Amy Nation know as soon as possible. Registration is in February, and they will not be taking late registrations this year.

We are seeking sponsors for our weekly bulletin. The sponsor rate for 2023 is \$100.00 per year for a (black and white) block that is approximately 1” tall by 1 ½” wide. That amounts to approximately \$1.93 per week. You are also welcome to purchase additional adjacent blocks for a larger advertising space. For example, 4 blocks in a square pattern would cost \$400.00/year for approximately 3” wide by 2” tall advertising space. Two side by side blocks would cost \$200.00/year for approximately 3” wide by 1” tall block for your ad. We have a limit of 20 blocks available on a first come, first serve basis. Your sponsorship of our bulletin is considered a donation and would be tax deductible. Our bulletin sponsors will be on the back page of the bulletin each weekend. Your sponsorship donation will help with our ever-increasing printing costs. If you wish to advertise, please contact our parish office by email stjoseph-fayette@socket.net or phone (660-248-2439). You are welcome to send your design or the information you wish to use by email, or you may mail us a copy and we can scan it. If you are interested in sponsoring our church bulletin, please respond before Monday, February 6, 2023.

ST. MARY/ST. JOSEPH BIBLE STUDY - We are so excited for the many opportunities for a collaborative Parish Bible study between St. Mary & St. Joseph. Between the two parishes, we have 6 different time/day opportunities with roughly 60 participants for this study on *Jesus: The Way, the Truth, and The Life*. If you missed signing up or would still like to join a group, you are most welcome to. Please contact Beth Lammers for more information.

ALTERNATIVE BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITY - Not able to join a group but would still like to partake in a Bible Study? *This Lent, join Curtis Martin and Dr. Edward Sri for a twelve-week walk through “the big picture” of the Bible.* The leaders of FOCUS (Fellowship of Catholic University Students) are offering an online Bible Study “The Story of Salvation” geared toward Parishioners and parish leaders. It occurs weekly, for 12 weeks (January 23-April 10). It is livestreamed on Monday evenings 7-7:55pm (CST) but is recorded / available to watch during the week at any time. You can watch it by yourself, with your family, or form your own small group from the convenience of your home! To sign up: focusequip.org/lentenstudy2023/

HOLY MASS INTENTIONS – “An individual may ask a priest to offer a Mass for several reasons: for example, in thanksgiving, for the intentions of another person (such as on a birthday), or, as is most common, for the repose of the soul of someone who has died.” The fruits of offering a Mass are great and can be of much benefit to a soul before or after death. *We have loved them during life; let us not abandon them in death, until we have conducted them by our prayers into the house of the Lord. - St. Ambrose.* If you would like to have a Mass offered, you may call or stop by the parish office or drop a note in the offertory basket. We publish the Mass intentions each week in our parish bulletin. The usual offering for a Mass intention in our ecclesiastical province / diocese is \$10.00.

2023 PILGRIMAGE OPPORTUNITY - In June of 2023, Father Duncan will be leading a Catholic Pilgrimage to the Missions in California. Details/ a flyer is in the back of Church with instructions on how to sign up. It is not just limited to our Parish, but any Catholic who would enjoy this pilgrimage opportunity. Contact Fr. Duncan to learn more. We currently have a small number registered, and we have to have 20 people to make the trip a definite ‘go’.

HOWARD COUNTY LENTEN FISH FRY SCHEDULE

- Friday, February 24th – St. Mary KofC, Glasgow
- Friday, March 10th – *Shrimp Boil*, St. Mary KofC
- Friday, March 24th - St. Mary KofC, Glasgow
- *St. Joseph, Fayette KofC schedule, TBD*

ST. JOSEPH, FAYETTE PANCAKE BREAKFAST -- Save the date for our annual Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, March 5, 2023. More information to come!

ST. MARY CATHOLIC SCHOOL, GLASGOW – NEWS & EVENTS

ST. MARY SCHOOL ENROLL/RE-ENROLLMENT - In order to plan for next year, we are changing the way we do registration. **Preschool registration** is going to kick off with Catholic Schools Week on Sunday, January 29th. Please spread the word about our great new program. We will have 20 slots to fill for 3- and 4-year-old students, but we are hopeful that all of our current 3 yr. old students will be back with us next year. Packets will be ready for distribution and a meeting will be held in the Preschool room on the 29th after Mass that Sunday. If you have questions, please contact Callie Westhues. Information on re-enrollment for our other grades will take place in late February. Again, we are hopeful that all current students plan to return and that we can gain a few others as well. Spread the word and encourage any that may be interested in our school to contact the school office.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK - SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Ongoing projects for the week: FOOD DRIVE, PENNY WAR, & RAFFLE

+ Sunday, January 29th **Celebrate the Parish - Kick-off Mass** - Student led ministries and choir at 10am Mass. **Home and School Breakfast - School Cafeteria**

+ Monday, Jan 30th – Celebrate Nation & Community Day - School will begin day (weather permitting) gathered around the flagpole for the raising of the flags, for prayer, and to say the pledge of allegiance. Our School will also show appreciation to our businesses in town that do so much to support our school and parish.

+ Tuesday, Jan 31st – Celebrating Parents and Vocations - Pastries for Parents - Parents, please plan to come to school between 7:15 & 8 and enjoy a pastry with your child. Vocation Day Special emphasis on Vocations in Religion Class.

+ Wednesday, Feb 1st – Celebrating the Gift of Catholic Education – Promote/Focus on the joys of having a Catholic School as a ministry of the Parish. Students will write/draw notes to give to parents in thanksgiving for helping make our school possible with their sacrifices.

+ Thursday, Feb. 2nd – Celebrate Students - Dress down day for students - Please remember that we will be active and doing fun stations that afternoon when selecting what to wear that day. We will start our day with the **Home and School Student Breakfast**. A Taco Bar is planned for lunch, as well as a sundae making station in the afternoon. We could use a set of parents to volunteer at the bowling alley that afternoon to help with all the groups. Let the office know if you would like to help out that day. Thank you

+ Friday, Feb. 3rd - (*Students in Uniform) Celebrating Faculty, Staff, Volunteers – Grandparents Mass at 9:00 A.M. We want grandparents or special guests to join us to celebrate the close of Catholic Schools Week. A reception is planned afterwards where we will do our raffle drawing and other prize items at 9 AM in the cafeteria. **STUDENTS WILL BE DISMISSED AT 11 A.M.!**

Thank you to all the parents, grandparents, volunteers, parishioners, and our whole community who have shown us so much support throughout our 150+ years of service and education! May God Bless you all!