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PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

St. Joseph – Wednesdays 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM
St. Mary – Tuesday-Friday 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Holy Rosary:

St. Joseph – Mon., Wed., Thurs., Fri. 7:00 AM
St. Joseph – Sunday morning at 7:40 AM, before Mass
St. Mary – Saturdays 5:05 PM

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ST. JOSEPH HOLY MASS SCHEDULE:

Sunday, March 3rd at 8:00 AM *Amy Shook*
Tuesday, March 5th at 6:00 PM *Ted Rosner*
Sunday, March 10th at 8:00 AM *People of St. Joseph & St. Mary*

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 No Mass

Adoration:

St. Joseph – First Tuesday-2:00 PM to 5:45 PM
St. Mary – First Friday after AM Mass to 11 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 March prayer for our Diocese is: For those preparing for reception of the Easter sacraments this year; may our whole Church be renewed and invigorated by the celebrations of baptism, confirmation, and First Holy Communion.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Marjorie Koenig	Suzanne Cook
Linda Wallace	Eula Kempf
Jane Kaufman	Amy Shook (cancer)
Tom Boss	Yolanda Vandecnocke
Chris Basnett	Don & Pat Thies
Bill & Adrienne Thies	Steven John (cancer)
Jim Murphy family	Mike Vroman
Steven Thies	Mark Monnig
Carolyn Polson	Wilma Liley
Kevin Strodtman	Sarah Hutchinson (healing)

Seminarians for the 2023-2024 school year

We currently have 10 seminarians studying in our Diocese. Please pray for an increase in Holy Vocations to the Priesthood so that the Sacraments & Holy Mass may continue in our parishes.

Rev. Mr. Christopher Hoffman	
Gregory Clever	
Jacob Hartman	Gage Neisen
Shane Kliethermes	John Paul McGuire
Bryce Smith	David Cahill
Gabriel Eckstein	Luke Dalton

Birthdays

Nancy Holtwick	March 3
Kaleigh Sullivan	March 4
Leah Thies	March 10

Anniversary

Steve & Eula Kempf March 9 (46 yrs.)

Encountering Christ Retreats – Conception Abbey

For more information go to guests@conception.edu or call 660-944-2809. **Women's** retreat March 8-10
Men's retreat April 12-14

BLESSING OF SEEDS 2024 – You're invited to begin the

2024 growing season with the traditional Catholic blessing of seeds. Bring your bag, Probox, packet, cup, or handful of seeds to have them blessed by Father Duncan. Whether you are a farmer or gardener, come join us to start your growing season off right!
Date: Sunday, March 17, 2024. **Time:** After the 10:00 AM Mass

Time & Talent Can you take an hour a month to visit residents at Ashbury Heights? – Play a game, do a craft, paint the ladies' nails, read to a resident. Let's show this small group of residents (6) that we care about them and that we have time for them. Contact Amy(dre-sjf@outlook.com) with your questions.

St. Joseph Parish Tithing Stewardship

February 2024

February 4	\$2,901.11	
February 11	\$1,589.00	
February 18	\$1,861.00	
February 25	\$1,709.00	
		ACH Deposits \$2,953.62
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Calendar of events

Today	Pancake/sausage breakfast
Today	PSR does not meet
Tues. March 5	2:00 pm Adoration
Wed. March 6	10:00 am Bible Study
Fri. March 8	6:00 pm Stations of the Cross
Fri. March 8	5:00 pm K/C fish fry

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is Tuesday, March 5th from 2:00 pm to 5:45 pm. Benediction and Mass will follow. We would like at least two people to be 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.

K/C fish fry Friday, March 8th in our parish hall. They are serving 5:00 to 7:00 pm. If you can help with desserts, please contact Chuck Thompson 660-621-1096.

Friends in Faith will meet on Thursday March 14th at 6:30 pm in our Education Center. The topic of discussion is How to Love Like Jesus **Childcare is available** if you let Amy know 24 hours before the event. dre-sjf@outlook.com

Save the Date: April 19th and 20th for pictures for a new Church directory.

Stations of the Cross Friday, March 8th

St. Mary – 2:30 pm
St. Joseph- 6:00 pm

Penance Services – Marshall – Thurs. March 7 at 6:00 pm
Boonville – Sun. March 10 at 4:00 pm
Salisbury – Tues. March 19 at 6:30 pm

Chrism Mass – Tues. March 26 at 3:00 pm at the Cathedral of St. Joseph, Jeff City.

Bulletin deadline for information in the March 10th bulletin is Tuesday, March 5th.

Parish Stewardship – Liturgical Ministries

March Eucharistic Ministers: Brittany Sullivan, Sandy Dorson, Roger Dorson

Sunday, March 3 – **Lectors:** Jennifer & Brian Spielbauer; **Gift Bearers:** Clinton Wies family;
Servers: Abigail Crowley, Finley Stallo; **Music:** Sheila, Becky K., Elaine, Becky N.; **Sacristan:** Frank W. Flaspohler;
Greeters: Pat M., Bob C.; **Ushers:** R. Anderson, C. Ballew, R. Dorson, J. Ebbesmeyer, B. Sullivan, L. Wies.

Sunday, March 10 – **Lectors:** Sally Coats, Susan Thomas; **Gift Bearers:** Kirby Asher family;
Servers: Frank K. Flaspohler, Anne Crowley; **Music:** Rachel, Glenn, Kay, Allie; **Sacristan:** Mary Hrdina;
Greeters: George S., M. Wies; **Ushers:** T. Crowley, C. Flaspohler, L. Fuemmeler, G. Hrdina, B. Spielbauer, S. Wies

Ministers taking Communion to shut ins: Week of March 3 (Joe G.), Week of March 10 (Beth L.)

Church cleaning: March 3 to March 9 (Jerry & Sally Coats), March 10 to March 16 (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.

LENT STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

Merciful God, we embark on our journey of renewal through difficult and uncertain times; times of division and strife, and for many, suffering and discouragement. But our journey is with your son, Jesus, who bore his cross and suffered in ways we cannot imagine. We journey with Jesus toward the great paschal feast of Easter, where we have the grace to experience the true joy of Resurrection. Teach us to be good stewards of your mercy and forgiveness, so that we may extend these gifts to others. Give us the strength to bear witness to your son at all times, even during these times of stress and adversity. And fill our hearts with love that we may be faithful to the Gospel Jesus proclaimed and ready to celebrate our unity with him and each other. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGE – COMING IN OUR DIOCESE JULY 1-5, 2024!

Learn all the details at: diojeffcity.org/eucharisticrevival

The National Eucharistic Pilgrimage will be travelling through the diocese the first week of July! The Junipero Serra route is the longest of the 4 paths pilgrims will travel with the Blessed Sacrament this summer. The route will stop in Sedalia, Boonville, Jefferson City, Starkenburg, and Columbia.

+WORSHIP WITH US:

Encounter the abundant love of God in the Eucharist at one of our community events.

July 1 - St. Vincent de Paul, Sedalia

July 2 - Ss. Peter & Paul, Boonville

July 3 - Newman Center, Columbia

Cathedral of St. Joseph, Jefferson City;

July 4 - Proto-Cathedral of St. Peter, Jefferson City

July 5 - Our Lady of Sorrows Shrine, Starkenburg

+WALK WITH US:

Between the community events, 12 perpetual pilgrims that have committed to walk from San Francisco to Indianapolis will process the Eucharist along the Katy Trail from parish to parish. Individuals are welcome to join them, assuming responsibility for themselves. All distances are approximate.

July 2 - From St. Joseph, Pilot Grove to Ss. Peter & Paul, Boonville (12.5 miles)

July 3 - From Ss. Peter & Paul, Boonville to New Franklin (3.6 miles)

From the outskirts of Columbia to St.

Thomas More Newman Center, along the MKT trail (4.7 miles)

From the outskirts of Jefferson City to our Cathedral of St. Joseph (4 miles)

July 5 - From our Cathedral of St. Joseph to the Proto-Cathedral of St. Peter (2 miles)

Women's Ministry – Invitation to (W)holiness – nurturing body, mind, and spirit as women of faith.

Saturday, March 23, 8:00 to 11:00 am at Immaculate Conception in Jefferson City. Women of all ages are invited to join together for a morning of faith enrichment and quiet reflection journeying into the heart of God during his Lenten season. The morning will begin with the celebration of Mass at 8:00 am followed by a reflection with Fr. Matthew Flatley. Come listen, learn and reflect on our individual and shared journey to (w)holiness.

OCIA (RCIA) ST. MARY & ST. JOSEPH – This year we are very blessed to have 14 people (7 adults and 7 children) going through the OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation) process to be received fully into the Catholic Church at Easter! We have 7 Catechumens (those to be Baptized) and 7 Candidates (those who have already been baptized) studying our faith. A huge thank you to Mrs. Jamie Thies and her team for helping to put together weekly classes and lessons & helping to keep things organized for all who desire to come into our faith! This Lent will look a little bit different coming up as we share this exciting journey with our Catechumens & Candidates in our Parish. Particularly:

- The 3rd, 4th, & 5th Sundays of Lent when the “Scrutinies” take place. **This will only happen at the 10:00 AM Sunday, St. Mary’s Mass.** We will use the Year A cycle readings (as requested of us) instead of the Year B for those Sundays only. *(The 5:30pm Vigil Mass & the 8 AM St. Joseph Mass will keep using the Year B Readings for those 3 Sundays)*
- All are invited to come show support during those Sunday Scrutiny Liturgies, and most especially at the Easter Vigil on Saturday, March 30th, at 8:00 pm at St. Mary’s Church.

Please keep all of our Catechumens & Candidates in your prayers as they continue their journey “coming home”!

ST. MARY SCHOOL NEWS

+ PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION. & SCREENINGS - Preschool registration has begun – **we have 18 registered so far. Space is limited to the first 20 students to register.** Full registration constitutes turning in the packet / the information requested, and the registration fee. Info packets are available in the back of church or by request from the school. Our Preschool & Kindergarten Screenings will be on Thursday, March 21st.

+ HIRING - PRESCHOOL AIDE NEEDED -- St. Mary School will have an opening for Preschool Aide for next year. Pay and benefits will be discussed during the interview process and will depend somewhat on experience with working with kids and educational background. The workday will be from 7:30 AM-3:30 PM. It includes some help with cleaning and maintaining our preschool space. Our preschool follows the school calendar, and the applicant will be required to attend some of our PD days as well. Interested applicants should contact the school for more information. We will post the job through March and start the interview process as applicants are received. We will post the job on the diocesan website as well and will encourage those interested to fill out an application there as well. Please contact Mr. Monnig, Fr. Duncan, or Mrs. Callie Westhues for more information.

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<p>Fayette License Fee Office 106 E. Davis, Fayette 660-248-1107 M-F 8:30 am-5:00 pm Last Sat. of month 8:30 am – 12:30 pm</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">GEHA Realty, LLC JOHN GEHA 573-424-3300 john@johngeha.com www.geharealty.com</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">THE RHODES ADVANTAGE BOOKS & TAX SERVICE</p> <p>106 East Davis Fayette, MO 65248 111 Market Street Glasgow, MO 65254</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Friendliest, professional and economical service in the county</i></p> <p>Phone: (660) 248-2696 Phone: (660) 248-1700 Phone: (660) 338-5111 Fax: (660) 248-2699</p> <p>Jocelyn Hutchinson-Owner Lisa G. Asbury-Owner Mark Jarboe-Preparer Sharon Himmelberg-Office Manager</p> <p>E-Mail: jhutch8@gmail.com asburyhccops@yahoo.com</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>"Where you're more than a customer to us you're part of our family"</i></p>		
	 <p style="text-align: center;">ROUTE B CAFE</p> <p style="text-align: center;">2531 Main St, Boonville 660-882-2055 Open Daily 6:00 am – 2:00 pm Breakfast Bar-Saturdays Lunch Buffet-Sundays</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SPONSOR A SPACE IN OUR BULLETIN! <i>Support St. Joseph Parish!</i> Contact the Parish Office 660-248-2439</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">FRINK ELECTRIC 573-489-8384 FRINKELECTRIC@GMAIL.COM 20+ YEARS EXPERIENCE!</p> 
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