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

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ST. JOSEPH HOLY MASS SCHEDULE:

Sunday, November 24th at 8:00 AM *People of St. Joseph & St. Mary*

Tuesday, November 26th at 6:00 PM *Joe & Dorothy McClammer*

Sunday, December 1st at 8:00 AM *Pam Flaspohler*

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: 8:00 AM
Thursday: 8:00 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

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

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.

St. Joseph Parish Tithing Stewardship

Bishop McKnight’s **November prayer intention** for our Diocese. For a spirit of unity and Thanksgiving to be cultivated in our lives and in our nation. That we may see God’s light reflected in the blessings of our family, friends and community.

November 3, 2024	2,902.26
November 10, 2024	1,476.00
November 17, 2024	1,990.61
November 24, 2024	

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Marjorie Koenig*	Mike Vroman
Linda Wallace*	Eula Kempf*
Amy Shook (cancer)	Mary Jarboe
Tom Boss	Kevin Strodtman
Ken & Susan Thies	Oscar Flores (healing)
Steven John (cancer)	Richard Eiken family
Jim Murphy family	Wilma Liley
Steven Thies	Mark Monnig
Carolyn Polson*	Dottie Gerlt (healing)
Chuck Thompson*(healing)	
Dallas & Erma Wasson (B. Witte parents)	

(below – accrued totals for the month)

<u>ACH Deposits / Other</u>	<u>\$ 2,010.40</u>
Total for month	\$ 8,379.27

Weekly Goal / Nov. 2024	\$ 3,100.00
(*24-25 Budget Goal) / Nov.	\$12,400.00

<i>Offertory <u>Goal</u> YTD</i>	<i>\$ 65,100.00</i>
<i><u>Offertory YTD Actuals</u></i>	<i>\$ 52,484.30</i>
<i><u>Surplus/(Shortage) YTD</u></i>	<i>\$ (12,615.70)</i>

Calendar of events

Today	Fellowship after Mass
Today	PSR meets after Mass
Thurs. Nov. 28	8:00 am Mass at St. Mary
Tues. Dec. 3	10:00 am Bible Study
Tues. Dec. 3	2:00 pm Adoration
Tues. Dec. 3	6:30 pm Pastoral Council
Wed. Dec. 4	6:00 pm Bible Study
Sun. Dec. 8	Breakfast at Glasgow K/C hall
	Steubenville fundraiser

Pray for our Seminarians –2024-2025 school year

We currently have ten 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. Gregory Clever	Jacob Hartman
Shane Kliethermes	Gage Neisen
Bryce Smith	Gabriel Eckstein
John Paul McGuire	David Cahill
Luke Dalton	Samuel Cramer

ADOPT A SEMINARIAN In the blue baskets at each entrance are cards with a Seminarian’s name, information and address. As you take a card, please keep your Seminarian in your prayers. Send notes of encouragement, cards at birthday, Christmas, and holidays, or just to let him know you are praying for him.

PENANCE SERVICES

- Thursday, December 5: Marshall (6pm)
- Tuesday, December 17: Salisbury (6:30pm)
- Wednesday, December 18: St. Joseph (6:30pm)
- Thursday, December 19: St. Mary (6:30pm)
- Sunday, December 22: Boonville (2:00pm)

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

- Tues. 24th 4:30 pm – St. Mary, Glasgow
(SMS Children’s choir)
- Tues. 24th 6:30 pm – St. Joseph, Fayette
- Wed. 25th 12:00 am – St. Mary, Glasgow
(Midnight Mass)
- Wed. 25th 9:00 am – St. Mary, Glasgow

CHOIR FOR CHRISTMAS EVE MASS – Anyone that is interested in joining the choir for Christmas Eve Mass, please contact Kelli Asher. kellie.asher56@gmail.com or 660-734-5440.

THANKSGIVING DAY MASS – THURSDAY, November 28, 2024. **Mass will be at the normal 8:00 AM** time in Glasgow. Did you know that Eucharist (“Eucharistia”) literally means, “Thanksgiving”? Please join us in giving thanks to God for all the many gifts and blessings he has graciously bestowed on us. *There will not be Mass on Friday the 29th.*

CHRISTMAS PARTY- St. Joseph’s Children’s Christmas program is on Sunday, December 8th at 6:00 pm. A carry in dinner will follow the program. Meat, drinks, & dinner service are provided. Please follow these last name guidelines to bring a dish. A-M bring a side – vegetable or salad. N-Z bring a dessert. We are expecting a visit from Santa!!!!

CHILDREN’S PROGRAM – Parents, if your children will participate in the nativity play, contact Amy as soon as possible. Practice will be after Mass the next three Sundays, and children must be at practice to participate.

SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE

CONCEPTION – MON., DEC. 9, 2024. This **is** a Holy day of obligation this year. **HOWEVER**, our Bishop has dispensed us from the Obligation to attend Mass on this Holy Day this year. We will still have Mass, as the Immaculate Conception is the Patroness for our Country. Mass Time that day: 8:00 am – St. Mary’s, Glasgow.

Parish Stewardship – Liturgical Ministries

November Eucharistic Ministers: Joe Geist, Sandy Dorson, Brittany Sullivan

Sunday, November 24th – Lectors: Gracie Flaspohler, Frank Flaspohler; **Gift Bearers:** Beverly M., Susan T.; **Servers:** Frank & Xavier; **Music:** Nancy, Glenn; **Sacristan:** Mary Hrdina; **Greeters:** George S., Joe G.; **Ushers:** Benji D., Ryder D., Larry W., Brian S., John G., Zach N.

December Eucharistic Ministers: Frank W. Flaspohler, Steve Wies, Susan Thomas

Sunday, December 3rd – Lectors: Frank K. Flaspohler, Frank W. Flaspohler; **Gift Bearers:** Tim Crowley family; **Servers:** Anne & Finley; **Music:** Carrie & Laura; **Sacristan:** Roger Dorson; **Greeters:** Ron & Nancy A.; **Ushers:** Roger D., Quincy D., Gerald H., Jerry E., Larry F., Charlie F.

Ministers taking Communion to shut ins: Week of November 24 (Susan F.), Week of Dec. 1 (Adrienne)

Church cleaning: Nov. 24 to Nov. 30 (Mary Hrdina), Dec. 1 to Dec. 7 (Cris Roberts)

STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

Lord Jesus Christ, we serve in your name as did your apostles before us. And we live, as they did, in anxious times, painfully aware of sin's presence in the world, a world in need of your Father's mercy. As your disciples, we also live in hope, confident that your light is breaking through the changing moods of life – healing, embracing and transforming as your presence moves deep within us. Help us see every hour of our lives as a moment of grace: A time when we open our hearts to you in prayer, discover your Truth in our work and leisure and live each moment as blessings to one another. Make us better stewards of the great wealth of gifts you have bestowed upon us. And show us how to teach others to open their hearts to those who hunger, thirst or who are strangers. Refresh our minds, renew our faith, and inspire us to proclaim your Gospel with a new energy in word and in deed for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

ADVENT RESOURCES – Rejoice – An Advent Pilgrimage into the Heart of Scripture. Fr. Mark Toups leads you through daily meditations, prayer, and journal that prompts to enrich your experience of this blessed time of preparation and anticipation. **The WORD Among Us** – Daily Mass readings and meditations for December. Both are available at each entrance of church. Also available is the book “33 Days of Eucharistic Glory” A spiritual Pilgrimage.

VOCATIONS - DIO JC – ORDINATION - Please join us for the ordination of ONE of our seminarians! Deacon Gregory Clever will be ordained to the Holy Priesthood. His ordination will take place during the morning Mass on **Sat., December 7, 2024, at 10:00 AM at the Cathedral in Jefferson City, Missouri.** Please come and celebrate this great gift to our local Church.

STEUBENVILLE FUNDRAISER: The parish youth who will be attending the Steubenville Conference next July will be holding a fundraiser breakfast on **Sunday, December 8th, 8am-12pm at the Knights of Columbus Hall.** Biscuits and gravy, link sausage, pancakes and scrambled eggs will be served for a free will donation.

STEWARDSHIP: If you have not turned in your Stewardship packet, please do so as soon as possible Place them in the boxes provided at each entrance. A gentle reminder – if your children are enrolled at St. Mary or you plan to enroll them in the fall of 2025, you are required to turn in your stewardship forms. **We only have 50% returned of packets that were picked up. (75 packets made, 70 were picked up, and 35 have been returned).**

ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament is Tuesday, December 3rd 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.

Birthdays

Dean Fuemmeler	Nov. 26
David Kunze	Nov. 26
Laura Flaspohler	Nov. 27

Anniversaries

Mike & Carolyn Hustedde	Nov. 29
Bill & Mardell Wies	Dec. 4

ROSARY IN A YEAR - PODCAST

Ascension Press is releasing Rosary in a Year podcast, in January with Fr. Mark-Mary Ames. The podcast will help you to form a daily habit of prayer, teach you how to pray/meditate, the roots of the rosary, and much more! Sign up for more information: bit.ly/RosaryYear



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ST. MARY SCHOOL NEWS

+ **CHRISTMAS PROGRAM** - Christmas Program is Sunday December 8 at 4:30 at St. Mary's Church. This performance is part of their music grade and is a requirement. If there is a legitimate excuse why your student cannot attend, please contact Mrs. Moore. The students have been working SO hard on their performance and I know they will be so proud to show you their accomplishments! This year I am asking students to show up at least 15 minutes before the program! We will meet in the Church basement. They may wear festive sweaters, shirts, dresses (skirts), nice jeans, dress pants or nice leggings! I prefer no hats! Fun Christmas Sweaters would be great, as long as they are school appropriate!

+ **Dress Down Days** - Each class basket from Roaring on the River earned over \$200, so everyone earned a dress down day! This dress down day will take place THIS MON. Nov 25. (No Ticket required)

- Students who sold appx. 10 or more tickets will receive a dress down day on December 2. **They will receive a blue ticket to turn in that day.**

- Students will receive a dress down day on December 9 for CSR packets being returned by November 10. **They will receive a green ticket.**

- Students whose parents attended the presentation with Alan Lammers will receive a dress down day on January 6. **They will have a beige ticket to turn in.**

+ **BOOK GIVEAWAY** - *The Gift of Failure*, by Jessica Lahey, is a great follow up to Alan Lammers presentation last week. This book highlights allowing our children to face challenges and how to handle failures and disappointments in life. I highly recommend this quick read. Please let the school office know if you would like one, and we will have your student bring one home.

+ **Holy Mass** - Mass this week was on Wednesday and Friday. Mass next week will be on Tues., Nov. 26th with the 6th graders having the ministries. Looking ahead, Mass will be Wed., Dec. 4, with the 5th graders as ministers, and Fri., Dec. 6th with the 4th graders as ministers. Adoration will follow Mass and close with Benediction at 2:00p. **We love to have parents, grandparents, and parishioners join us for student Mass and help to model the faith for our students.**

<p>Fayette License Fee Office 106 E. Davis, Fayette 660-248-1107 M-F 8:30 am-5:00 pm</p>	<p>GEHA REALTY JOHN GEHA 573-424-3300 john@johngeha.com www.geharealty.com</p>		<p>The Rhodes Advantage Books & Tax Service Lisa Asbury – Owner 106 East Davis St., Fayette, MO 65248 660-248-1700 /660-248-2696 asburyhocopa@yahoo.com</p>	
	<p>2531 Main Street Boonville, MO 660-882-2055 Open Daily 6am – 2pm All you can eat: Breakfast Bar – Saturdays Lunch Buffet – Sundays Come join us!</p>	<p>SPONSOR A SPACE IN OUR BULLETIN! Support St. Joseph Parish! Contact the Parish Office 660-248-2439</p>		<p>FRINK ELECTRIC 573-489-8384 FRINKELECTRIC@GMAIL.COM 20+ YEARS EXPERIENCE!</p>