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St. Joseph's Catholic Church



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ST. JOSEPH HOLY MASS SCHEDULE:

Sunday, January 5th at 8:00 AM

Larry Koenig

Tuesday, January 7th at 6:00 pm

Yolanda Vandecnocke

Sunday, January 12th at 8:00 AM

People of St. Joseph and 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: 8:00 AM

Thursday: 8:00 AM

Friday: 8:00 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 – Tuesday-Friday 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM

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 **January prayer intention** for our Diocese. For our civic leaders, that they may be guided by wisdom and integrity in their decisions. May they seek the common good, foster unity in our communities, and lead with compassion and justice.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Marjorie Koenig*	Mike Vroman
Linda Wallace*	Eula Kempf*
Amy Shook (cancer)	Mary Jarboe
Tom Boss	Blake Wies (healing)
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)
Irvin & Janet Noland	Becky Streff (cancer)
Thad Prinster	Safety for travelers
Steve Kempf*	
Dallas & Erma Wasson (B. Witte parents)	

Keep St. Joseph kids that are preparing for Confirmation in your prayers: Abigail Crowley, Cayle Ballew, Talon Stockhorst and Karolyn De La Torre.

Pray for our Seminarians –2024-2025 school year

We currently have nine 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.

Jacob Hartman	
Shane Kliethermes	Gage Neisen
Bryce Smith	Gabriel Eckstein
John Paul McGuire	David Cahill
Luke Dalton	Samuel Cramer

Adopt a Seminarian – as our Seminarians head back to school after Christmas break consider adopting one of these young men and keeping in touch with them throughout the rest of the school year with cards and notes. Contact information is in the blue baskets on the tables at each entrance.

<u>Birthdays</u>	
Jim Kurtz	Jan. 7
Fr. Duncan	Jan. 13

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – Looking for able bodied men and women, boys and girls to shovel snow when needed. In case of snow, we need sidewalks in the front and back of both buildings clear for Mass on Sunday morning and other events as needed. Also looking for volunteers that can blade the parking lot if needed. Please leave your name and contact information on sheets at the front and back of church or email secretary-sjf@outlook.com

December 1	\$ 1,781.00
December 8	\$ 2,280.00
December 15	\$ 1,789.00
December 22	\$ 2,447.00
December 25* (Holy Day Offertory)	\$ 1,255.00
December 29	\$ 2,249.00

(below – accrued totals for the month)

<u>ACH Deposits / Other</u>	<u>\$ 3,619.13</u>
Total for month	\$15,420.13

Weekly Goal / Dec. 2024	\$ 3,100.00
<u>('24-25 Budget Goal) / Dec.</u>	<u>\$15,500.00</u>
Weekly Goal / Jan. 2025	\$ 3,100.00
<u>('24-25 Budget Goal) / Dec.</u>	<u>\$12,400.00</u>

<i>Offertory Goal YTD</i>	\$ 83,700.00
<i>Offertory YTD Actuals</i>	<i>\$ 70,282.85</i>
<i>Surplus/(Shortage) YTD</i>	<i>\$ (13,417.15)</i>

Calendar of events

Today	PSR after Mass
Tues, Jan. 7	2:00 Adoration
Sun. Jan. 12	PSR after Mass

EPIPHANY OF THE LORD is today.

Instructions/prayers for Epiphany House Blessing (chalking the door) along with blessed chalk are on the table at the altar.

ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament is Tuesday, January 7th 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.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES- We have changed our envelopes to a box that holds the entire year of envelopes. **Your envelopes are in the side chapel of church for you to pick up.**

MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY OF REMEMBRANCE hosted by the Fayette Ministerial Alliance will be held on Sunday, January 19th. The event begins in the First Baptist Church fellowship hall 12:30 to 1:45 for lunch. The service is at 2:00 pm in CMU’s Assembly Hall. Rev. Bill O’Neal is the speaker.

Items for the January 12th bulletin need to be turned in by Tuesday, January 8th.

Parish Stewardship – Liturgical Ministries

January Eucharistic Ministers: Adrienne Thies, Roger Dorson, Benji Dorson

Sunday, January 5 – Lectors: Frank W. Flaspohler, Gracie Flaspohler; **Gift Bearers:** Zach Niemeier family;
Servers: Frank K. Flaspohler, Xavier Barton; **Music:** Carrie & Laura; **Sacristan:** Zim Schwartz;
Greeters: John & Beth Witte; **Ushers:** Benji D., Ryder D., Larry W., Brian S., John G., Zach N.

Sunday, January 12 – Lectors: Sally Coats, Joe Geist; **Gift Bearers:** Susan T., Beverly M.;
Servers: Abigail & Gracie; **Music:** Sheila, Becky K., Elaine, Becky N.; **Sacristan:** Frank W. Flaspohler;
Greeters: Jane W., Cris R.; **Ushers:** Roger D., Quincy D., Gerald H., Jerry E., Larry F., Charlie F.

Ministers taking Communion to shut ins: Week of January 5 (Susan F.), Week of January 12 (Adrienne T.)

Church cleaning: Jan. 5 to Jan. 11 (Jerry & Sally Coats), Jan. 12 to Jan. 18 (Susan Flaspohler)

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.

Thank you for your donations to the Christmas Flowers. Mr. & Mrs. Harold Lammers, Robert Cessac, David & Sandy Kunze, Steve & Eula Kempf, George Shook, Mr. & Mrs. Bill Sullivan. Rebecca Nolke (**Donald, Margie, and Robert Nolke**), Chuck & Lou Thompson (**Ben Whiston, Bryan Whiston, Mildren Whiston, Warren Thompson, & Erlic Thompson**), Jerry & Sally Coats (**Nancy Hesskamp**), Larry & Wanda Fuemmeler (**Fernando Flores**), Larry & Colleen Wies (**Jake & Mildred Johnmeyer, Loraine Wies**), Susan Thomas (**Tom Thomas, Herman Schulte, Willa Mae Schulte**), Michael Montgomery (**Lorann Montgomery, Bob Montgomery**), Cris Roberts (**James V. Roberts, Kenneth Roberts**), Carolyn Hustedde (**Bernice Bockting, Donnie Linhart**), Gerald & Mary Hrdina (**Herman & Marcella Twellman, Jim & Balance Hrdina, Phyllis Twellman, Kim Ryan**)

CHRISTMAS 2ND COLLECTION – This '24-'25 FY, our Christmas Assessment is \$1,067.00. **We have collected \$1,715.00 as of 1/3/25. 100% of this will go to the diocese to benefit Seminarian education and our Infirm Priests. Thank you for your great generosity!**

PARISH BULLETIN SPONSORS - We will soon be sending out letters to businesses and others who wish to sponsor our Parish Bulletin. If you do not receive a letter (current sponsors will receive one soon), but wish to sponsor a square, please contact the parish office to learn more about this opportunity. This 'sponsorship' helps to defray the cost of publishing our own bulletin – vs. the immense expense of hiring a company. New advertisers should begin to appear beginning at the end of the month. A thank you to all our sponsors who help make the weekly bulletin publication possible! Please support them and thank them for their support of the Parish!

COLUMBIA CURSILLO ULTREYA - Hosted by Saturday Morning Men's Group -- All Cursillistas and guests are invited to the January Ultreya to be held in the Disciple Room at St. Thomas More Newman Center in Columbia, on January 9, at 7:00pm. For more information contact: Ron Dunn at 573-999-0987 or Debbie Brucks at 660-728-9788

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.

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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PREPARING FOR THE JUBILEE YEAR OF HOPE The Diocese of Jefferson City is preparing for the 2025 Jubilee. This holy year will invite the faithful to embrace the spirit of hope. The Jubilee Year will provide opportunities to experience grace, including participating in special Jubilee Masses or joining a pilgrimage. A Jubilee Year is an important occasion in the tradition of our Church, focused on promoting spiritual renewal through reconciliation and unity among believers. The diocese has launched a new webpage with information about how we will be celebrating the Jubilee. Go to: diojeffcity.org/jubilee-year

REFLECTION ON BAPTISM

Next Sunday, January 12, 2025 – we will celebrate the Feast of the Baptism of Our Lord. This calls to mind our Baptism and to reflect on the tremendous gifts we were given through it.

"I think more of the place where I was baptized than of Rheims Cathedral where I was crowned. It is a greater thing to be a child of God than to be the ruler of a Kingdom. This last I shall lose at death but the other will be my passport to an everlasting glory."

- Louis of Poissy–King Saint Louis IX of France



ST. MARY SCHOOL NEWS

CHRISTMAS BREAK - We hope that you all have a safe and enjoyable Christmas break in order to come back refreshed and ready to go for the second semester! Teacher in-service was this last Friday, January 3, 2025. School will resume on Monday, January 6, 2025 (weather permitting).

+ **Dress Down Days** - Students whose parents attended the presentation with Alan Lammers will receive a dress down day on January 6 (weather permitting – make up if needed, TBD). *They will have a beige ticket to turn in.*

				 <p>Phone (660)248-2800 Sunday 11:00 am to 9:00 pm Monday - Wednesday 11:00 am to 9:30 pm Thursday - Saturday 11:00 am to 10:00 pm</p>
<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>LIVE WELL TRANSFORMATIONAL COACHING AMY NATION, CERTIFIED HEALTH COACH #660-815-2296</p>	<p>FRINK ELECTRIC 573-489-8384 FRINKELECTRIC@GMAIL.COM 20+ YEARS EXPERIENCE!</p> 
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