

Fourth Sunday of Easter

May 11, 2025

**St. Joseph**  
CATHOLIC CHURCH



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**ST. JOSEPH HOLY MASS SCHEDULE:**

**Sunday, May 11<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 AM**

*People of St. Joseph & St. Mary*

**Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM**

*Seminarians of the Diocese of Jefferson City*

**Sunday, May 18<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 AM**

*Tom Thomas*

**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**

*Jennifer Spielbauer, 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.

Bishop McKnight's **May prayer intention** for all vocations, and especially for those who will be ordained this year. That they may be strengthened by the grace of the Holy Spirit and remain faithful to the call of Christ. We pray to the Lord.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK**

Marjorie Koenig*	Mike Vroman
Linda Wallace*	Eula Kempf*
Amy Shook (cancer)	Terrie Young
Tom Boss	Lance Quinlan
Adrienne Thies (healing)*	Steve Kempf (cancer)*
Steven John (cancer)	Wilma Liley
Carolyn Polson*	Lou Thompson (healing)*
Becky Streff (cancer)	Jane Weiland (healing)*
Blake Wies (healing)	Jim Ray Kluck (healing)
Jennifer Jex	John Heitz (healing)
Johnny Sulltrop	Chuck Thompson (healing)*
Jayden Gordon (healing)	Jennifer Jay-York
Lance Quinlan	
Joe Bonnema (B. Sullivan's uncle)	
Repose of the Soul of Pope Francis	

\* = Parishioner of St. Joseph

Keep St. Joseph kids that are preparing for First Communion and/or Confirmation in your prayers: Finley Asher, Cayle Ballew, Abigail Crowley, Cayden De La Torre, Karolyn De La Torre, Elliot Parker, Raylee Stockhorst, and Talon Stockhorst.

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

**Birthdays**

Amanda Stallo	May 17
Steve Wies	May 19
Jerry Ebbesmeyer	May 22
Jason Hutchinson	May 22
Lou Thompson	May 27
Rome Neimeier	May 31
Gwen Wilder	May 31

**Anniversaries**

Harold & Beth Lammers	May 12 (41 years)
Charles & Susan Flaspohler	May 14 (49 years)
Kirby & Kellie Asher	May 21 (14 years)
Douglas & Leigh Ginter	May 24 (39 years)
John & Pat Merk	May 25 (51 years)
Brian & Jennifer Spielbauer	May 26 (24 years)

**Items for the May 18<sup>th</sup> bulletin need to be turned in by Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>.** If you have items for the bulletin, send to secretary email: [secretary-sjf@outlook.com](mailto:secretary-sjf@outlook.com).

**St. Joseph Parish Tithing Stewardship**

May 4, 2025	\$ 2,324.00
May 11, 2025	\$
May 18, 2025	\$
May 25, 2025	\$
<i>(below – accrued totals for the month)</i>	

<u>ACH Deposits / Blackbaud</u>	\$ 571.90
Total for month	\$ 2,895.90

<b>Weekly Goal / May 2025</b>	<b>\$3,100.00</b>
<b>(*24-25 Budget Goal) / May</b>	<b>\$12,400.00</b>

<i>Offertory Goal YTD</i>	<i>\$139,500.00</i>
<u><b>Offertory YTD Actuals</b></u>	<u><b>\$121,290.88</b></u>
<i>Surplus/(Shortage) YTD</i>	<i>\$ (13,531.02)</i>

**Calendar of events**

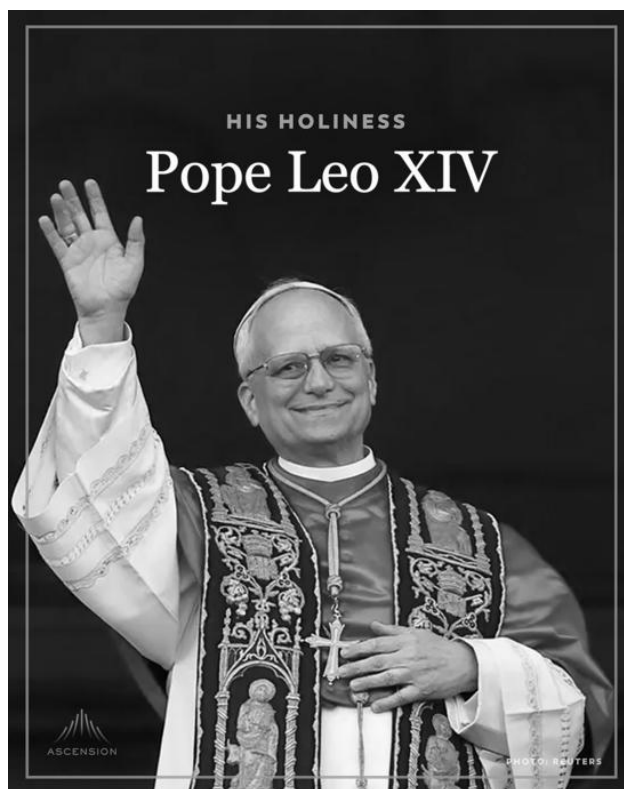
Today No PSR after Mass

**PSR Update** – There is no class today but please have your children complete their last PSR lesson at home.

**Pastoral Council Update** – Congratulations to Jennifer Spielbauer on her newly elected position as President of the Pastoral Council. We would also like to thank Beth Lammers for all her hard work and service as President!

**Congratulations to Lauren Crowley** for receiving the William H (Bill) Simon Scholarship reward from the Diocese!

**Congratulations to 2024 – 2025 graduating seniors Lauren Crowley, Lane Nation, Kate Hutchinson, and Kevin De La Torre!** We wish you luck as you move on to this next chapter of your life.



## Parish Stewardship – Liturgical Ministries

**May Eucharistic Ministers:** Sandy Dorson, Steve Wies, Mary Hrdina

### Sunday, May 11 –

**Lectors:** Susan Thomas, Joe Geist;

**Gift Bearers:** Bill & Mardell Wies;

**Servers:** Charlie Niemeier, Anne Crowley;

**Music:** Carrie, Laura;

**Sacristan:** Zim Bramblett;

**Greeters:** Cris Roberts, George Shook;

**Ushers:** Gerald H., Zach N., Ron A., Tim C., Bill S., Larry W.

### Sunday, May 18 –

**Lectors:** Sally Coats, Roger Dorson;

**Gift Bearers:** C. Araiza Family;

**Servers:** Quincy & Ryder Dorson;

**Music:** Kellie Asher, Glenn Ludtke;

**Sacristan:** Frank Flaspohler;

**Greeters:** Bob Cessac, Joe Geist;

**Ushers:** Larry F., Bill S., Casey B., Gerald H., Charlie F., Jerry E.

**Ministers taking Communion to shut ins:** Week of May 11 (Beth L.) Week of May 18 (Susan F.)

**Church cleaning:** May 11 to May 17 (Susan F.) May 18 to May 24 (Mary H.)

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## PRAYER FOR POPE LEO XIV

(FROM THE ROMAN MISSAL)

O God, who chose your servant Pope Leo XIV in succession to the Apostle Peter as shepherd of the whole flock, look favorably on the supplications of your people and grant that, as Vicar of Christ on earth, he may confirm his brethren and that the whole Church may be in communion with him in the bond of unity, love and peace, so that in you, the shepherd of souls, all may know the truth and attain life eternal. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

**MASS OF THANKSGIVING, MAY 20<sup>TH</sup> AT 5:30 PM** – As he prepares for his new assignment leading the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas, Archbishop Shawn McKnight is inviting all the faithful to a Mass of Thanksgiving on the evening of May 20 at the Cathedral of St. Joseph in Jefferson City, followed by a light meal and reception. All are invited but seating is limited, so please make sure to RSVP to attend. RSVP at <https://diojeffcity.org/thanksgiving-mass>.

**SUMMER YOUTH OPPORTUNITIES** – The Diocese is pleased to offer our parish families the following summer opportunities:

- **TOTUS TUUS:** Held at *St. Mary Parish*. -- **June 8 to June 14, 2025**. Open to kids in grades 1 to 12. The morning session will be for *grades 1-6* and the evening session will be for *grades 7-12*. **The cost is free! REGISTRATION IS OPEN – SCAN THE QR CODE OR PICK UP A REGISTRATION FLYER IN THE BACK OF CHURCH!**
- **CAMP LOLEK:** for Jr. High students (incoming 6<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup>).
- **CAMP MACCABEE:** 5-day adventure camp for (High School) incoming Freshman to incoming Senior guys.
- **CAMP SIENA:** 5-day adventure camp for (High School) incoming Freshman to incoming Senior women.

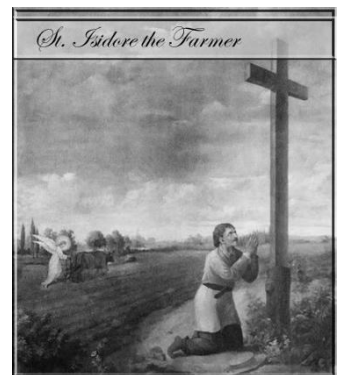


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### ST. ISIDORE THE FARMER PRAYER – (FEAST DAY – THURSDAY MAY 15<sup>TH</sup>)

Good Saint, we are told that your devotion to the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass was so great that you would rise before it was light in order to be able to attend Mass before beginning your work in the fields. Obtain for us, we pray you, some of that loving devotion to the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. There it is that the fruits of our farm labor, bread and wine, are brought and offered to God by the priest. Then, in the consecration, Christ Himself, Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity, becomes present on our altars under the appearances of this same bread and wine. And in what was the altar bread, He comes to us to be the very food of our souls. If we deeply realize the value and beauty of Holy Mass, we will be very happy to attend as often as we possibly can.

Help us to understand that in the Mass we offer ourselves to God with Christ by the hands of the priest. There we can bring to God all that we do and offer it to Him in union with His Holy Sacrifice. The oftener we do this now, the happier we shall be hereafter. Good Saint Isidore, bless us and our labors, that we may someday reap the reward of good works with you in heaven. Amen.



Vocations  
CALLED TO SAINTHOOD

**VOCATIONS - DIO JC - ORDINATION** – Please join us for the ordination of one of our seminarians! Jacob Hartman will be ordained to the Transitional Diaconate on **Sat., June 7, 2025, at 10:00 AM at the Cathedral in Jefferson City, Missouri**. Please come and celebrate this great gift to our local Church.

**DIOCESE OF JC VOCATIONS PRAYER** – Almighty Father, You have created us for some definite purpose. Grant us the grace to know the path You have planned for us in this life and to respond with a generous “Yes.” Make our diocese, parishes, homes and hearts fruitful ground for Your gift of vocations. May our young people respond to Your call with courage and zeal. Stir among our men a desire and the strength to be good and holy priests. Bless us with consecrated religious and faithful husbands and wives, who are a sign of Christ’s love for His Church. We commend our prayer for vocations through the intercession of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## ST. MARY SCHOOL NEWS

+ **OPEN TEACHING POSITION** – St. Mary has a **third-grade** teaching position open. We want to thank Allie Schulte for teaching this semester. She will be greatly missed!

+ **CUSTODIAL POSITION OPEN (soon)** – In August, we will have a custodial position open. This position includes cleaning the bathrooms upstairs and downstairs restocking the bathroom with supplies, vacuuming the upstairs classrooms, library, and stairs. This is a three-four hour job each day. If interested, please contact Mary Ann Hudson. Thank you to Alayna Witte who has been our custodian and will head off to college this fall.

+ **8<sup>th</sup> GRADE GRADUATION** – Our 8th graders will graduate on Friday, May 16th, with a Mass at 7 PM. The awards and slide presentation will follow after Mass. Traditionally students in grades 5-7 make up the choir for the Mass. Choir members are asked to be in the choir loft by 6:45 PM that evening.

+ **UNIFORM INFORMATION** – Due to Dennis Uniform no longer being in business, we are in a transition phase with uniforms. The plaid St. Mary currently uses is not available. Girls may continue to wear their plaid jumpers or navy skirt. Girls may also wear the following options from French Toast. -Kindergarten through Fifth Grade-Box Pleat Jumper (navy). -Sixth through Eighth Grades-Pleated Two-Tab Skirt (navy)\_White or red shirts may be worn with their uniforms. The boys’ uniforms have not changed. They are to wear navy pants or shorts.

**ST. MARY SCHOOL - GRAND RAFFLE** – held in collaboration with the *Roaring on the River* School Dinner Auction. It is back and we have begun to sell tickets! This is an amazing opportunity to support St. Mary’s School! Tickets are **\$50 per raffle chance**. There will be a **limit of 1,500 tickets\*** sold – no more than that! You will have **11 chances** to win a prize – at least worth the value of your ticket! **Early Bird Drawing** = \$1,000 -- *There will be an “early bird” \$1,000 prize drawing on the Holy Day, the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (August 15<sup>th</sup> @ 10am!)* – So, get your chances now to be eligible for this amazing prize, as well as a re-entry for the Grand Prize! **Grand Winner** = \$20,000! **2<sup>nd</sup> Winner** = \$1,000 **3<sup>rd</sup> Winner** = \$100 **4<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> Winners** = \$50 gift card **WATCH FOR THE FLYER IN THE BACK OF CHURCH FOR MORE INFORMATION ON HOW TO ENTER!** SMS Students will also be selling tickets after (some) Masses on the weekends. Thank you for your support of our school and for helping to make this another very successful Roaring on the River Auction year!

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