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Parish Cemetery, Bill Regelsperger	314-808-2522				
Sr. Christine's Food Pantry	pantry@sjiparish.org 636-464-7580				
St. Vincent de Paul Society Helpline	636-274-6520				

St Joseph Parish

#### Mass Times

Sat.: 8:00 am & 4:30 pm

Sun.: 7, 8:30, 10, 11:30 am; 4:30 pm

Mon.: 6:30 am

Tues. - Fri. 6:30 & 8:00 am

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday & Friday: 7:00 am Thursday: 5:30 pm—7:00 pm Saturday: 3:30 pm—4:30 pm

#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

T/W/Th 9:00 am—9:00 pm

#### SACRAMENT of BAPTISM

Attendance at a Baptismal preparation class is required. Classes are held the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month; call to schedule.

# Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation

For those who have been baptized Catholic or wish to enter the Catholic Church, RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) classes are required. For more information contact Sr. Rosemary.

## SACRAMENT of ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Anyone who is seriously sick and would like a visit from one of the priests may call the parish office to request one. Hospitals no longer call parishes with this information.

#### SACRAMENT of MARRIAGE

Contact one of the priests to begin your preparation at least nine months before the anticipated wedding date.

# SACRAMENT of HOLY ORDERS AND VOWED RELIGIOUS LIFE

If you are interested in learning about a religious vocation, please contact one of the priests or the Archdiocesan Vocations Office at stlvocations.org or 314-792-6460.

## HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Parishioners who are homebound and wish to receive Holy Communion may call the office to make arrangements.

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Ministry Schedule	June 15 4:30 pm	June 16 7:00 am	June 16 8:30 am	June 16 10:00 am	June 16 11:30 am	June 16 4:30 pm
Lectors	Schaefer Wright	Dixon Schiavi	Hostetter Hummel	Lang Munsell	Moloney Smedra	Volunteer
Servers	P. Arington J. Schmidt N. Schmidt	Volunteers	Volunteers	E. Lang	J. Vonder Haar P. Vonder Haar P. Vonder Haar	Volunteers

Mass Intentions				
Monday	June 10, 2024			
6:30 am	Fabian "Sonny" Schilly			
Tuesday	June 11, 2024			
6:30 am	June Barelle			
8:00 am	Jim Lehn & Family Special Intention			
Wednesday	June 12, 2024			
6:30 am	Christopher Almond Special Intention			
8:00 am	Frank Halfmann			
Thursday	June 13, 2024			
6:30 am	Nick Damico			
8:00 am	Sue Wachter			
Friday	June 14, 2024			
6:30 am	Curtice Family Special Intention			
8:00 am	Jim Hunziker			
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Saturday	June 15, 2024			
8:00 am				
8:00 am	Mendel Family			
8:00 am 4:30 pm	Mendel Family Pat Foster June 16, 2024			
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Please stop by, call, or email the parish office to schedule Mass Intentions. Mass cards for *special intentions* or *in memory* are available; they may be picked up in the parish office. The stipend per Mass is \$10.

Parish Stewardship 5/13/2024 - 5/19/2024					
	Current	Fiscal YTD			
Offertory					
Total collected	\$99,055.02	\$1,163,479.99			
Amount needed	\$21,568.77	\$1,013,732.19			
Surplus or shortage	\$77,486.25	\$149,747.80			
SPECIAL COLLECTIONS					
Tuition assistance	\$135.00				
St. Vincent de Paul	\$1,189.00				
Sr. Christine's Food Pantry	\$830.00				







## From the Desk of Fr. Daniel Shaughnessy, Pastor

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ at St. Joseph,

Summer is almost upon us, although it feels like it has already begun now that Memorial Day has passed! Might we all take a little time during these coming days and weeks to rest with Jesus in prayer! Maybe sit on the patio or deck in the morning and pray a rosary, while listening to the birds. Maybe spend an extra hour in the Eucharistic Adoration Chapel, praying with the Blessed Sacrament. Maybe write someone a letter, telling them that you are remembering them in prayer and that you are grateful they are in your life.

Wouldn't it be amazing if we all lived in a spirit of gratitude to God for all of our gifts? Kindness is transformative in all of our lives.

The Sisters of the Divine Savior in Milwaukee have a beautiful prayer for kindness on their website:

Goodness and Kindness Prayer

But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, He saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to His own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit ...(Titus 3:4-5)

Loving Savior,

Help me to live your goodness and kindness each day. Remind me that my actions express who I am even more than my words. May I love as you love. Let me be good to those who wish me harm, forgive those who need forgiveness, and reach out in kindness to all I meet so they can experience the unconditional love of God. Set our hearts on fire for you. Amen.

https://www.sistersofthedivinesavior.org/pray\_archive/goodness-and-kindness-prayer/

Let's all live in freedom with Jesus.

Yours in Christ,







## **BRUISED & WOUNDED**

## STRUGGLING TO UNDERSTAND SUICIDE

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Please join us as we welcome Fr. Ron Rolheiser, OMI to kick off our series of evening programs designed to address the pain of suicide.

Fr. Rolheiser, author of "Bruised and Wounded," will offer insights to help us remove the taboo of suicide and to reclaim the memory of our loved ones.

THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 2024
7PM
CORPUS CHRISTI CENTER AT
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Ronald Rolheiser is a Catholic priest, internationally renowned speaker, and spiritual writer whose books appeal to Christians of all backgrounds. He is author of many books, including the bestseller, "The Holy Longing."



### This Weekend is Wear Orange Weekend

Wear Orange is a movement to honor victims and survivors of gun violence and to raise awareness of the impact of gun violence, which began in 2013 by friends of Hadiya Pendleton. Hadiya marched in President Obama's second inaugural parade. One week later, she was shot and killed on a playground in Chicago. Soon after this tragedy, Hadiya's friends commemorated her life by wearing orange, the color hunters wear in the woods to protect themselves and others.

As we hear in today's Gospel, "...if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand." So, instead, let us stand together in solidarity this weekend with many Americans who wear orange in tribute to more than 43,000 Americans killed with guns and 76,000 more shot and wounded each year.

# DEACON RYAN MARTIRE ORDINATION

Deacon Ryan Martire will be ordained a Priest on Tuesday, June 11th, in Bismarck, ND.

You may livestream the Ordination Mass at 2:00 pm

## https://bismarckdiocese.com/

His 1<sup>st</sup> Mass of Thanksgiving is Wednesday, June 12<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 am.

You may livestream this Mass through the same link.

If you wish to contact Father Ryan, his address will be:

Father Ryan Martire Queen of Peace Catholic Church 725 12<sup>th</sup> St. W. Dickinson, ND 58601

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### **Open Position:**

Corpus Christi Center Assistant Manager

Are you, or is someone you know, looking for a new employment opportunity?

We are looking to hire a full-time assistant manager to help with the complete scope of operations of the Corpus Christi Center. Please visit the website for



the details including a link to the full job description.

https://sjiparish.org/job-postings/



## Saint Joseph School

Enrollment Continues for 24-25

We have limited availability in Junior K (4-year-olds) and Kindergarten; please call Admissions Coordinator Beth Zenhari for details at 636-464-9027 x408.

Calls will be returned during Summer office hours: T-W-Th 9 am-1 pm

Please see the school website for more information.





The ACA provides us an opportunity to be Christ's hands and feet throughout the

Archdiocese of St. Louis and support the mission of the Church For the Life of the World, sharing His love and mercy with those who need it most. Please consider supporting the ACA this year.

Thank you to those who have given. If you haven't had a chance yet, there is still time to consider giving!

2024 Parish Goal: \$115,150

Total to date: \$90,124.00

Your pledge cards can be found in the back of the church. We thank you in advance for your gift!



## Raise Right Gift Cards For Sale

Over the summer you can purchase gift cards during the School Office summer hours (June & July, Tuesday-

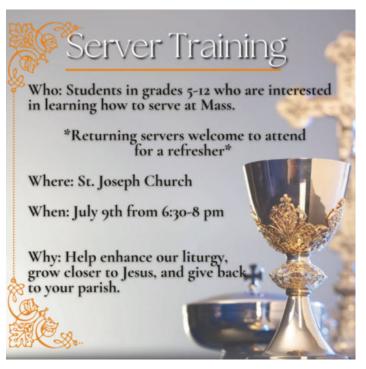
Thursday, 9 am-1pm). Or you can buy eGift cards or reload your gift cards using the RaiseRight app.



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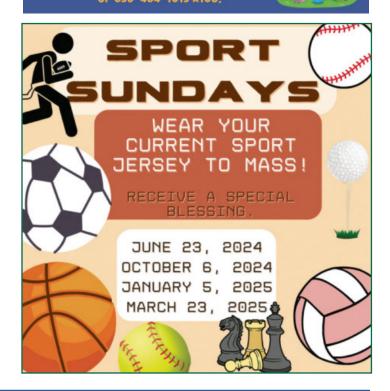
gift card sold through the RaiseRight program.

Thanks for your continued support!









## Do you receive email from the parish?

We use "Constant Contact" to email parishioners. If you do NOT get the emails and wish to receive them, please notify

Kim Johnson in the parish office at kjohnson@sjiparish.org or 636-464-1013.

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### PRIME TIMERS

Our next Prime Timers Meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 19<sup>th</sup>, at 12:30 pm in the CCC. St. John's parishioners are welcome to join us. All who are older than 55 are welcome.

Any questions, call Lorraine Simms at 732-259-0738.

#### **50 PLUS CLUB LUNCHEON**

June 13, 2024, 12 pm at Detours in Imperial Open to all parishioners from St. John the Beloved Disciple and St. Joseph. Any questions call Gary at 636-948-2354 or Debbie Smith at 314-608-5673

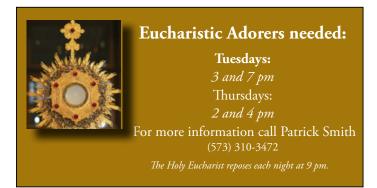
June 9<sup>th</sup> Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Looking around those seated in the circle, Jesus said, "Here are my mother and my brothers. For whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother." Through your almsgiving you are indeed doing the will of God and your gift placed in the St. Vincent de Paul poor box indeed brings Christ's love and compassion to the poor.

For more information, email Dbalsman@ymail.com

Prayer Meeting: June 12<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 p.m. Business Meeting: June 24<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 p.m. All Meetings in the Corpus Christi Center.



#### Art at La Salle Retreat Center

Two fantastic art events held at La Salle Retreat Center (2101 Rue De LaSalle Drive) on Saturday, June 29, 2024

KIDS CLUB from 9-10:00 am for ages 5-12. Create a coil vase/mug or big mouth monster with Wildwood Green Arts. Please register at www.lasalleretreat.org.

ART FAIR from 10-2:00 pm in the East Wing of La Salle. What a great opportunity to purchase beautiful pieces from local artists!





Worldwide Marriage Encounter presents weekend experiences for married couples to rekindle romance, enhance meaningful communication, and deepen and renew commitment. Below are our remaining 2024 experiences.

Sign-up now as space is limited! For more information or to apply, go to wwme.org, or call Terry & Eric Engholm at 314-649-7317.

8/2/2024 - 8/4/2024, St. Peters, MO

9/27/2024 - 9/29/2024, St. Peters, MO

10/11/2024 - 10/13/2024, Springfield, IL

12/6/24 - 12/8/24, St. Peters, MO

## OUR PARISH Praying Together

May those who are ill be blessed by Jesus' healing presence:

Matthew Anderson Dennis Nettler Kathy Bonito Mike Boyd Helen Petroski Craig Buchan Barbara Presson Michael Presson Peggy Deckard Steve Devore Diana Schwalbert Zell Gaymon Marti Greenhalgh Scott Haase Eileen Kaiser

Erin Silva Ken Simms Andrew Staggenborg Judy Staggenborg Noella Torgerson

Tom Price

Greg Meyer

We pray for those in the Military:

Meaghan Angus John Costigan Collin Fitzsimmons Kamryn Heredia Jack Jeffers Isaac Longtin

Jim Kaiser

Roland Kaiser

Austin McHaffie-Sharp **Jacob Sarfraz** Jared Sheets Grant Staggenborg Jack Vilchis Lucas Weiland



Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of St. Louis is dedicated to providing compassionate care and support to individuals and families in need across the community.

One of our ministries, Saint Martha's, serves women and their children impacted by domestic violence by providing

shelter and many supportive services. Saint Martha's offers a residential emergency shelter as well as a drop-in resource center that offers information and referrals with compassionate support.

Catholic Charities is committed to bringing the healing, help, and hope of Christ to the most vulnerable among us. To learn more or to get involved, please contact your Parish Ambassador, Carroll Lee Schilly by email at carrolleeschilly@yahoo.com or by phone at 314-973-4042.



















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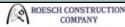
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