



St. Joseph Catholic Church
812 Lewis St

Canton MO 63435



Sister Jane Weisgram, SSND: Parish Life Collaborator

Queen of Peace Phone: 573-209-3343, Email: srjwsgmssnd@gmail.com

Fr. Robert Fields: Pastor

St. Michael's Phone: 660-727-3472

Parish Secretary: Donna Howe, Office Phone: **573 288-3198**,

Email: stjosephcanton@centurytel.net

Office Hours – 9.00 am to 1.00 pm, Thursday and Friday

November 21, 2020

<u>Mass Schedule</u>		<u>Mass Intentions</u>
Monday	Nov 23	No Mass
Tuesday	Nov 24	9:00 AM – Word & Communion – Queen of Peace
Wednesday	Nov 25	8:30 AM – Word & Communion – St. Joseph
		6:30 PM – MASS - St. Patrick
Thursday	Nov 26	8:30 AM – MASS - Queen of Peace
Friday	Nov 27	8:30 AM – NO MASS - St. Joseph
Saturday	Nov 28	5:00 PM - St. Joseph +Lester Bunger
Sunday	Nov 29	8:00 AM – Kahoka
		10:30 AM – Queen of Peace
<u>Sacrament of Reconciliation</u> Reconciliation 20 Minutes before Mass or by appointment. Anointing by appointment with Father.		

St. Joseph Gifts to God and Parish
November 14, 2020

75 Families - 6 envelopes used

Envelopes	\$ 495.00
Loose	\$ 40.00
	\$ 535.00

Thank you for giving!

Liturgical Ministry Schedule for
Saturday, November 21st & 28th

Greeters:

Ushers: Margee Marsot & Volunteer

Lector: Teresa Daughtery

Servers:

Comm. Min:

Rosary Leaders: Bob Collins

Money Counters: Bob Collins

Bishop McKnight's November Prayer Intention:

For a greater sense of gratitude to God for all blessings received, and a greater sense of our responsibility for the mission of the Church in our parishes.

Pope Francis' November Prayer Intention:

We pray that the progress of robotics and artificial intelligence may always serve humankind.

Sacramental preparation notes:

In consideration of Covid-19 in Lewis and Clark counties, Sr. Jane and I have decided to temporarily delay preparations for the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist, Confirmation, Reconciliation, Marriage and RCIA until further notice. Thank you for your cooperation. Father is available for Reconciliation and Anointing as usual.

From Sr. Jane

"Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe"

This is the full title of today's feast, and it reminds us of the very first part of our Creed. "I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of Heaven and Earth."

It can be very comforting to know that God is indeed, King of the Universe. It also reminds us that when our time in life as we know it comes to an end, it is just that ... only the end of life as we know it. The next part of our life is not known in its details, but we are assured it exists, and that God desires each of us and all of us to be with Him for all eternity. We pray for those who have died, that they enjoy life with God, and we pray for one another that we may join them in praising God face to face. Meantime, we do our best to live life here as God intends: loving God and neighbor. As we celebrate Thanksgiving, let us keep God at the top of our list!

Prayers for Parishioners

St. Joseph's prayers for this week
 is for the family of

Sue Ann Gaus

***Please remember them and their family
 in your prayers.***

Prayers for Those In the Service

We ask your prayers for our men and
 women in the armed forces:

Katherine Faoro, Trey Lindsey, Dr. Linda
 Coates, Garrett Bader, Justin Kimur.

**We ask your prayers for those from our parishes who are ill, our Nursing Home residents,
 and the homebound:**

Delores Allen, Fr. Aubuchon, Jana Casper, Joe Clark, Taylor Cole, Dorothy Collins, Amy Coyle, Shirley Davis, Dorothy Ellison, Thelma Feldkamp, Joseph Fellingner, Cole Hoewing, Carol Jaco, Donna Johns, Leonard Johnson, Danna Jones, Dick & Buddy Jones, Janet Lillard, Jerry Logsdon, Londyn Logsdon, Julie Lubbert, Gina Manley & family, Bill Martz, Todd Nunn, Bob & Mary Ann Otte, Barb Pearl, Kiley Turnbaugh, Beth Weaver, Bridget Whiston, Jim White, Kay Wilson and Nancy Wilson.

Catholic Stewardship Appeal

We thank all who have given generously to the annual Catholic Stewardship Appeal. As we look at our lives and the many blessings God has given us, let us give a portion to the Catholic Stewardship Appeal as a way of saying thank you to the Lord. Through the CSA, we make known the Kingdom of God by helping each other to live our faith and share our Gospel belief. Our gifts to the CSA and ministries it supports are our grateful offerings to God.

Goal - \$3800.00
St. Joseph - \$1080.00

“For I know well the plans I have in mind for your welfare and not for woe, so as to give you a future of hope.”

Human Development

Please be generous in this week’s collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. In the United States, one in six people live in poverty. With this collection, you support programs that address the causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for those struggling across the country. In addition, 25% of the funds we collect will remain in our diocese to fund local antipoverty projects. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and work on the margins. More information about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development can be found at www.usccb.org/nationalcollections.

St. Ann’s Sodality

It's that time of year, again. We have the opportunity to provide gifts to children in our community that may not get any other gifts. If you choose to help, please contact Donna Pierce @ 573-231-9535 to get information of needed gifts. Wrapped & tagged gifts need to be delivered to Marquette Hall or the church by the deadline of Dec. 14th. We will make sure that all gifts are on Santa's sleigh in time for delivery.

Office Hours

St. Joseph church office will be closed Thursday and Friday
the 26th & 27th for Thanksgiving.
I will be in the office Monday and Tuesday the 23rd & 24th instead.
Thank you, Donna

DECREE On Pastoral Activities in the diocese of Jefferson City of 21 August 2020, originally effective until 27 November 2020, ***shall now be extended until further notice.***

Whereas the case numbers of COVID-19 infections remain at their highest levels for many counties in mid-Missouri; and

Whereas the common good demands that the public health requirements and recommendations of the state are to be observed whenever possible;

All dispensations, obligations and guidance of the previous DECREE of 21 August 2020, originally effective until 27 November 2020, ***shall now be extended until further notice.***

Read the full text at diojeffcity.org and/or in the next Catholic Missourian.

Canton Council of Churches **Food Pantry Food-Drive-Up**

November 21, 2020 Time: 9:00 – 12:00

Gather up non-perishable food items: Canned meats, mac & cheese, vegetables, peanut butter, personal care items, toilet paper etc.
Drive-up Canton Christian Church, 512 College Street
Drop-off - pull up to the front and someone will get your donations from you.

Hope Bags

County Market is once again offering the Hope Bags. All of these Hope Bags are given to the Canton Council of Churches food pantry at the Christian church. They are a wonderful help for the food pantry and the more bags that are purchased the longer they last to help out the people in our community.

The cost of a Hope bag is \$4.99

Advent/Christmas 2020

About Reconciliation

During the Season of Advent Fr. Rob will be available at the regular times on weekends. Additional Times are:

Tuesdays Dec. 1, 8, 15,, and 22 from 5:00 -6:00 p.m. at Kahoka.

At the Shrine of St. Patrick on Wednesdays Dec. 2, 9, 16, and 23 from 5:30 till 6:15 pm.

At Canton after Saturday Mass and

Ewing after Sunday Mass.

Fr. Rob is also available by appointment.

Immaculate Conception (USA Patronal Feast and Holy Day)

5 pm at St. Joseph, Canton

6 pm at St. Michael, Kahoka

Christmas

Christmas Eve: 4 pm Queen of Peace, Ewing

6 pm St. Michael, Kahoka

Christmas Day 10 am St. Joseph, Canton

Extra notes:

No 8:30 Mass on Thursdays, December 24th and 31st.

No Word and Communion at St. Joseph's Wednesday, Dec. 9th and December 30th

No Word and Communion at Queen of Peace Tuesday, Dec. 29th

Holy Day

Solemnity of Mary Mother of God:

December 31st 5:00 pm at St. Joseph

January 1, 2021 8:00 am at St. Michael, Kahoka

10:30 am at Queen of Peace, Ewing

Thanksgiving Prayer

O God, when I have food,
Help me remember the hungry;
When I have work,
Help me remember the jobless;
When I have a home,
Help me remember those who have no home at all;
When I am without pain,
Help me remember those who suffer,
And remembering,
Help me to destroy my complacency;
Bestir my compassion,
And be concerned enough to help;
By word and deed,
Those who cry out for what we take for granted.
Amen.

-Samuel F. Pugh