



St. Joseph Catholic Church  
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Sacrament of Reconciliation: 15 minutes before Sunday Mass

Sacraments: 6-12 months' notice; Marriage, Baptism, RCIA, Eucharist, Confirmation contact Fr. Callistus.

### Gifts to God and Parish

Thank you for your generous donations

February 11, 2024

Envelopes: \$ 940.00

Loose: \$ 131.00

\$1071.00

Candles \$ 20.00

Improvement Fund \$ 120.00

### Mass Intentions:

02/18- Mildred Whiston

02/25- Leo Collins Family

### Mass Schedule 02/19-02/25

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> NO MASS

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> NO MASS

Wed. 21<sup>st</sup> NO MASS

Stations of the Cross 7pm Queen of Peace

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> 8:30am Queen of Peace

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> 8:30am St. Joseph**

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Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> 5:30pm Memphis

**Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> 8:00am Queen of Peace**

10:00am St. Patrick

**10:00am St. Joseph**

### Liturgical Assignments

February 25, 2024

**Lector:** Wendy Wilson

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Howard Kirchner

**Usher/Greeters:**

Carrie & Troy Logsdon

**Rosary:** Howard Kirchner

**Money Counters:**

Carie Logsdon & Margee Marsot

**Mass Attendance:** 02/04- 34 02/11-48

### Prayers for Those in the Service

We ask your prayers for our men and women in the armed forces: James Yarrington, Katherine Faoro, Nicole Faoro, Dr. Linda Coates, Josh Lee, Garrett Bader, Justin Kimur, Lucas Dietrich and Cole Goings.



### Prayers for Parishioners

St. Joseph's prayers for this week is for the family of Jules DeCoster. Please remember them and their families in your prayers.

### St. Joseph Prayer List

Jan Bringer, Mary Ellen Clark, Amy Coyle, Thelma Feldkamp, Tim Grunewald, Larry Hayes, Shirley Hinkle, Cole Hoewing, Carol Jaco, Joanne Jennings, Adele Johnson, Danna Jones, Clinton Kirchner, Janet Lillard, Gene Lindsey, Diann Logsdon, Jerry Logsdon, Julie Lubbert, Gina Manley & family, Jenny Mainza & family, Margee Marsot, Bill Martz, Ruth Moore, Todd Nunn, Mary Ann Otte, Mark Shuman, Jim Staub, Kiley Turnbaugh, Avery Uhlmeyer, Beth Weaver, Bridget Whiston, Jim White, Kay Wilson, Stefanie Collins, Nancy Cary, Nancy Mueller

### Up-coming Meetings

*Finance Council*

Tuesday, February 20<sup>th</sup>  
at 4pm

*Parish Council*

Wednesday, February 21<sup>st</sup>, at 5pm.

Please let Jennifer know if you will not be available 573-288-3198.



### St. Ann News

St. Ann's once again is sending letters, asking for your help. We are unable to hold fundraisers, as in the past, so we are hopeful that you will once again assist us in our many services of love. We will be mailing many letters but also handing them out after Mass. Please accept this in the spirit it is given. We have been blessed by your help in the past and pray you will once again help us continue the things that we always enjoy doing. Thank you once again for your aid and faith in what we do. Please make checks payable to St. Ann's.

*This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel.*

Mark 1:15

As we begin our own 40-day Lenten journey, we are called into a deeper relationship with God through increased prayer, giving alms and practicing self-control through fasting, which leads to the purification of our hearts and opens us to the gift of himself.



### First Sunday of Lent

The announcement that Jesus makes as he begins his preaching in today's Gospel is recalled on Ash Wednesday at the signing with ashes: "Repent and believe in the gospel." This is our challenge for Lent; indeed, it is the challenge of our entire life. During Lent, we are invited to strengthen and to renew the promises that we made at our Baptism, to reject Satan and sin so as to live as children of God. Through the grace of God that we received at Baptism, we follow the promptings of the Holy Spirit and know that with Jesus' help, we will be victorious over sin.

### Hospice of Northeast Missouri presents:

*Getting older is Not for the Faint of Heart.*

When: Wednesday, February 28<sup>th</sup>

Time: 1:00pm – 2:00pm

Where: St. Joseph Church

Everyone is invited to attend!

### Catholic Stewardship Renewal (CSR)

If you have not returned your stewardship packets please do so. You can either mail or drop into the collection basket. If you need a new packet, please call the office.