Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time • **November 17, 2019**

St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church

319 East South Street, Lebanon, Indiana 46052
765-482-5558 • Fax: 765-482-1436 • www.stjoeleb.org

33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"For I myself shall give you a wisdom in speaking that all your adversaries will be powerless to resist or refute." - Lk 21:15

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Parish Office

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(Summer 9:00 am-2:00 pm)

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Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil.....4:30 pm
Sunday.....8:00 am & 11:00 am
Weekday & Holy Day ..... See Bulletin

New Parishioners and Guests

We welcome all who are celebrating with us this weekend. If you are new to the parish, please contact the office so we may greet you properly. There are also Welcome Packets available in the Gathering Space.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Congratulations on your upcoming marriage. Couples must contact Fr. Weisenberger at least six months before the proposed wedding date.

Sacrament of Baptism

Congratulations on the newest member of your family! Parents wishing to have their child baptized are asked to contact Fr. Weisenberger to make an appointment for pre-baptismal instruction.

Pastor's Note…

Next Sunday, November 24, is the Last Sunday of Ordinary Time and the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. This Solemnity invites us to ask ourself whether we actually live as faithful subjects of the Kingdom of God. In addition it challenges our motions of Kingship and power. Do we seek to be powerful in earthly terms or do we seek the power of Jesus Christ crucified? The Church designates the last Sunday of the Liturgical Year as "Christ the King" because she wants us to remember that when all else has passed away, God's Kingdom endures forever. May that reality shape our lives here and now.

Fr. Richard Weisenberger

Born into Eternal Life

Please pray for the repose of the soul of
James (Jim) Michalke
who passed away on November 9. May he rest in peace and may his family and loved ones be comforted during this difficult time.

Early Bulletin Submission Dates

Thanksgiving is quickly approaching and so there are some early bulletin deadlines from our publisher. Please have any information you would like included in the bulletin submitted to the parish office by noon on the following dates.

Bulletin Date	Submission Date
December 1	November 20
December 8	November 27

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT
WORKING ON THE MARGINS

Next week our special collection will support the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. More than 46 million people in the United States live in poverty today. This collection supports programs that empower people to identify and address obstacles as they work to make permanent and positive changes for their communities. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at *www.usccb.org/cchd/collection*.

STEWARDSHIP & Administration

Stewardship Prayer Corner

Today's readings paint a somewhat frightening picture of the end of time. But the Gospel ends with the assurance to faithful stewards that those who persevere will be saved.

Parish Finance Council

Tom Merritt (Chair), Aline Anderson, Eric Gubera, Dan Lamar, Jon Lehmkuhler, Ron Morelock, Jeff Newman, Michele Thomas

Financial Stewardship

Last Week Envelopes	$4,205.00
Electronic Giving	$2,250.00
Youth Envelopes	$1.25
Last Week Loose	$360.35
Total	**$6,816.60**
Weekly Budget	$10,300.00
YTD Weekly Collection Budget	$463,500.00
YTD Weekly Collection Actual	$414,947.10
Archdiocese of Military Services	$1,276.50

Thanks for your good stewardship.

Stewardship of Our Youth

My good deed was....

"helping rake leaves" - *Matt*

"I help my Dad to get a tool." - *Pheobe*

On behalf of His Excellency, the Most Reverend Timothy P. Broglio, Archbishop for the Military Services, USA, thanks to those who contributed to the Triennial National Collection for the AMS last week. Your generosity will assist Archbishop Broglio in the mission, "Serving Those Who Serve," and will help make it possible for Catholic men and women, and their families, currently serving in the U.S. Military, to receive the sacraments and pastoral care no matter their location around the globe. Your support will also provide the sacraments and pastoral care to those who are wounded, or as veterans, being cared for in one of the 153 Department of Veteran Affairs Medical Centers. Thank you for supporting the men and women, and their families, from our own parish and diocese who serve and protect this great nation, and who defend the freedoms we hold dear.

Please Support Our Bulletin Advertisers

Women's Club Advent Dinner

St. Joseph Women's Club will have their Advent Dinner

Tuesday, December 3, 2019
6:00 pm at Ulen Country Club
All women in the parish are invited • Cost is $25.00

Please RSVP by Monday, November 25
to Susie in the Parish Office
765-482-5558 • stjoe@stjoeleb.org

Families of Singers Wanted for Christmas!

We'll be singing (mostly) familiar and beloved carols.

Singing Children of all ages
...(accompanied by at least one adult) are welcome!

Singing Moms and Dads
...bring your infant in a carrier

Singing Grandmas and Grandpas
...bring your grandchildren!

ooo KIDS ooo

If you want to sing and your parents don't...
...Grab an aunt or an uncle, or a trusted neighbor who can sing!
It doesn't matter if they're Catholic or not! Is there someone in your family who has been away from the church but likes to sing?
Invite them to sing with you!

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There will be one rehearsal on Monday, December 23 at 7:00 pm. At that rehearsal, you will be given music and the schedule for arrival before the 5:00 pm Christmas Eve Mass the next afternoon.

Please email our music director, Cathy Rund, to let her know you're interested: crund@stjoeleb.org.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Deep Fried Turkeys & Pork Loins

Turkeys

- Approximately 12 to 16 lbs.
- Fried in Peanut Oil
- Seasoned and Marinated

Pork Loins

- Approximately 6 to 8 lbs.
- Deep Fried or Smoked
- Marinated or Plain

Order by November 20, 2019
1 - $45.00 each
2 or more -$40.00 each

To order, contact:
Al Hodgen: 317-946-0470
email: ahodgen@sbcglobal.net or albhodge@iu.edu
Mike Gall: 765-481-1700

Pick up: Wednesday, November 27
between 1:30 pm and 6:00 pm
in the church parking lot

ST JOSEPH ANNUAL FAMILY ADVENT WREATH MAKING

Sunday, November 24
9:00 am in Parish Hall

Families are invited to make an Advent Wreath for their home.

Please bring your wreath ring from last year if you are able.

Decorations and candles will be provided.

Free will offering will be taken to cover materials.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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Preschool - 5th Grade
Sundays from 9:30 - 10:40 am

EDGE Middle School Youth Group
Sundays from 9:30 - 10:40 am
November 24 St. Aloysius Gonzaga Room

LIFE TEEN High School Youth Ministry
High School Youth Ministry meets from 6:00 - 8:00 pm in the St. Gregory the Great Room
November 17 Safe & Sacred
November 24 No Life Night: NCYC Return

EDGE Middle School Youth Group

"Ugly Advent Sweater" Party

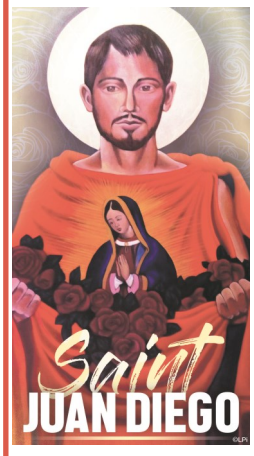
Saturday, December 21, 2019

- Begins with 9:00 am Mass
- Service with St. Vincent de Paul Society
- Please bring a dish or dessert to share for lunch
- Fellowship and Games until 2:00 pm

Please RSVP by December 15 to religioused@stjoeleb.org

•• DATE CORRECTION ••

Esté en nuestra presentación



Vamos a tener una presentación de "Juan Diego y La Morenita Hermosa." Niños, si desea participar en esta presentación, practicaremos domingos antes de las clases de educación religiosa de la mañana. Reunirse en el cuarto Sr. Maria Ignacia a las 9:00 am. La presentación se llevará en la fiesta, el 12 de diciembre después de la misa en el Salón Parroquial.

Be in our play

We will be presenting "Juan Diego and The Beautiful Lady." Children who wish to participate will be practicing Sundays before morning religious education classes. Meet in the Sr. Mary Ignatia Room at 9:00 am. The play will be performed at the Fiesta on December 12 following Mass in the Parish Hall.

ADULT Lectionary Study

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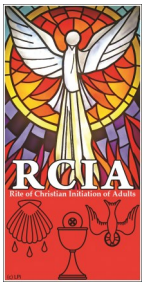
November 24 • 9:30 - 10:30 am
St. Gregory the Great Room

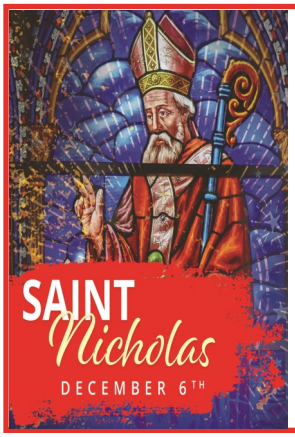
Fr. Weisenberger will lead a discussion of the scripture readings which will be heard at Masses during the coming Sundays. Everyone is welcome to participate. Please bring a copy of the readings to help with the discussion.



"Come and See" Inquiry into the Catholic Faith

Are you or someone you know thinking about joining our faith community...or would you just like to ask some questions? You are invited to "Come and See" Inquiry into the Catholic faith, which is held in the Parish Hall on Sundays at 9:00 am. For more information, please call the Parish Office at 482-5558.

If you would like to break open the word with the RCIA team, please join them in the St. Gregory the Great Room on Sundays at 9:30 am.



December 6, 2019
Saint Nicholas Dinner

7:00–8:30 pm in Parish Hall

Main Dish Provided
Please bring a side to share

RSVP to Parish Office by Monday, December 2

NCYC NEWS

NCYC Pilgrims and Parents

•• IMPORTANT FINAL MEETING ••
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17
5:00 PM BEFORE LIFE TEEN
ST. GREGORY THE GREAT ROOM
VERY IMPORTANT TO ATTEND.

GUERIN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

8TH GRADERS - APPLY NOW FOR THE 2020-21 SCHOOL YEAR

Financial Aid Deadline: December 1, 2019
Application Deadline: December 15, 2019
Apply online at **GuerinCatholic.org**

Thanksgiving Baskets

Please join the
Knights of Columbus
for a family activity of packing
Thanksgiving Baskets for the Caring Center

Wednesday, November 20, 2019
6:30 pm at the Caring Center
1230 Ransdell Ct, Lebanon

We could use 20 - 25 volunteers. We will pack approximately 250 baskets.

These baskets will serve needy families in Boone County.

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BLESSING BAGS

A Blessing Bag is a one gallon bag filled with several items of comfort for people less fortunate than us.

Blessing Bags have been filled by religious education students and St. Vincent de Paul volunteers! Over 20 items including food/gift card, water, thermal blanket, and comfort items are waiting now for distribution the first week in Advent.
The officers and volunteers of St. Vincent de Paul Ministry wish to thank everyone for their continued support of this parish-wide activity.

INDIANA March for Life

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22, 2020 @ 12:00PM

FROM GEORGIA STREET TO CAPITOL BUILDING

10:30AM Mass/Memorial Service
MASS with ARCHBISHOP THOMPSON & BISHOP DOHERTY
ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH - 126 W. Georgia St., Indianapolis, IN
MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR THE UNBORN
Indiana Convention Center 500 Ballroom, 100 S. Capitol Ave., Indianapolis, IN

12:45 PM Rally
SOUTH STEPS OF INDIANA STATE HOUSE

SPONSORED BY:
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Prayer Requests

Luke Rose, John Lukins, Ron Smith, Brad Pennington, Cathy Wynne, Fran O'Neal, Lora Adams, Elaine Andrews, Thomas Mangold, Charles Baker

...parishioners and their loved ones who are serving in the military, law enforcement & emergency personnel

If you have someone you would like the parish to pray for, please ask for their permission, and then contact the Parish Office or place a note in the collection basket. We will include their name in this box for a period of one month.

If a family member is sick or hospitalized, please call the Parish Office at 482-5558 to arrange for Communion to be brought to them. Thank you.

Pro-Life Corner

Please pray the following prayer every day for an end to abortion and for the unborn babies...*"Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion."*

-Prayer of the late Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen

Pro-Life Notes

" I assure you, as often as you neglect to do it to one of these least ones, you neglect to do it to me."

-Matthew 25:45

Post-Abortion Healing & Reconciliation

Project Rachael, a post-abortion healing ministry, offers confidential and skilled help. Call 1-877-522-3300.

Did You Know?

There are several people who go each Friday to abortion clinics to pray? If you would like to be a part of this ministry, please call the Parish Office.

Respect Life

Saint Vincent de Paul Food Distribution

During the month of November, St. Vincent de Paul will be collecting canned vegetables that may be placed in the collection box in the Gathering Space.

We Need You!

Plan ahead for December

More volunteers needed to help distribute food on the first and third Saturdays in December - 7th & 21st.

Make your holiday season brighter this year with a gift of your time. Don't need to call—Just Come—anytime between 8 and 10 AM in the Parish Hall and Wednesday,

5 LOAVES & 2 FISH PANTRY

Mass Schedule with Intentions and Readings

Saturday, November 16 • Saint Margaret of Scotland; Saint Gertrude, Virgin
Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43 [5a]/Lk 18:1-8
4:30 pm Lord's Day Vigil Mass for St. Joseph Parishioners

Sunday, November 17 • Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9 [cf. 9]/2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19
8:00 am Lord's Day Mass for †John & †Anna Doran (D & B Doran)
11:00 am Lord's Day Mass for Don Smith (W & S Peycha)

Monday, November 18 • The Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles; Saint Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin
1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63/Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 155, 158 [cf. 88]/Lk 18:35-43
6:00 pm Mass for †Bob Metzger & †Paul Thrine Families (K Metzger)

Tuesday, November 19
2 Mc 6:18-31/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [6b]/Lk 19:1-10
10:00 am Mass for Special Intentions of Jonas Family (G Wagner) at Crown Pointe

Wednesday, November 20
2 Mc 7:1, 20-31/Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b and 15 [15b]/Lk 19:11-28
12:00 pm Mass for Lela Smith (W & S Peycha)

Thursday, November 21 • The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
1 Mc 2:15-29/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15 [23b]/Lk 19:41-44
8:00 am Mass for †Ron Lind (F Lind)

Friday, November 22 • Saint Cecilia, Virgin & Martyr
1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/1 Chrn 29:10bcd, 11abc, 11d-12a, 12bcd [13b]/Lk 19:45-48
6:00 pm Mass for Tom & Judy Mrozinski (M & M Jackson)

Saturday, November 23 • Saint Clement I, Pope & Martyr; Saint Columban, Abbot; Blessed Miguel Agustín Pro, Priest & Martyr
1 Mc 6:1-13/Ps 9:2-3, 4 and 6, 16 and 19 [cf. 16a]/Lk 20:27-40
9:00 am Mass for †Benny Campbell (M & M Jackson)
4:30 pm Lord's Day Vigil Mass for John Andretti (J & J Douglas)
Second Collection for Campaign for Human Development during Mass

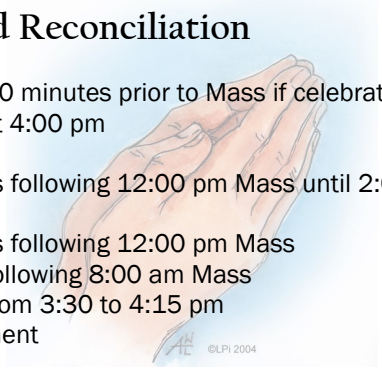
Sunday, November 24 • Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
2 Sm 5:1-3/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5 [cf. 1]/Col 1:12-20/Lk 23:35-43
Second Collection for Campaign for Human Development during Masses
8:00 am Lord's Day Mass for St. Joseph Parishioners
11:00 am Lord's Day Mass for †Don & Martha Starkey (J Petsch)

Prayer and Reconciliation

Rosary:
Weekdays 30 minutes prior to Mass if celebrated at church
Saturdays at 4:00 pm

Adoration:
Wednesdays following 12:00 pm Mass until 2:00 pm

Reconciliation
Wednesdays following 12:00 pm Mass
Thursdays following 8:00 am Mass
Saturdays from 3:30 to 4:15 pm
By Appointment



Parish Activities This Week

Sunday, November 17
9:00 am "Come and See" Inquiry in Parish Hall
9:00 am Our Lady of Guadalupe & Juan Diego Practice in Sr. Mary Ignatia Room
9:30 am Religious Education Classes in Classrooms
9:30 am EDGE (Middle School Youth) in St. Aloysius Gonzaga Room
9:30 am RCIA in St. Gregory the Great Room
9:30 am Adult Choir Rehearsal in St. Cecilia Room
5:00 pm NCYC Meeting in St. Gregory the Great Room
6:00 pm Life Night in St. Gregory the Great Room
6:00 pm Men's Cursillo in St. Aloysius Gonzaga Room

Monday, November 18
7:00 pm Knights of Columbus Meeting in Parish Hall
7:00 pm Young Adults Meeting in St. Aloysius Gonzaga Room

Tuesday, November 19
11:00 am Legion of Mary Meeting in Sr. Mary Ignatia Room

Wednesday, November 20
8:00 am Women's Cursillo in St. Aloysius Gonzaga Room
7:00 pm Women's Club Meeting in Parish Hall

Thursday, November 21
9:00 am NCYC Pilgrims leave for Indianapolis
7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal in St. Cecilia Room

Friday, November 22
10:00 am Choir singing at Parkwood

Saturday, November 23
2:00 pm New Grief Support Workshop in St. Aloysius Gonzaga Room
6:00 pm Advent VBS in Parish Hall until 8:30 pm

Sunday, November 24
9:00 am "Come and See" Inquiry in Parish Hall
9:00 am Our Lady of Guadalupe & Juan Diego Practice in Sr. Mary Ignatia Room
9:00 am Family Advent Wreath Making in Parish Hall
9:30 am Adult Lectionary Study with Fr. Weisenberger in St. Gregory the Great Room
9:30 am Religious Education Classes in Classrooms
9:30 am EDGE (Middle School Youth) in St. Aloysius Gonzaga Room
9:30 am RCIA in St. Gregory the Great Room
9:30 am Adult Choir Rehearsal in St. Cecilia Room
10:00 am NCYC Pilgrims return
6:00 pm Men's Cursillo in St. Aloysius Gonzaga Room

Arise, soldiers of Christ, throw away the works of darkness and put on the armor of light.
-Saint Cecilia

Legion of Mary Novena

The next Novena will begin on Friday, November 29. If you have a special intention that you would like to have included, please complete the following.

Name:_____

Intention(s)_____

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You may turn in your intention at the office or place it in the collection basket before November 26.

Liturgical Ministers — November 23, 2019 and November 24, 2019

Altar Servers
4:30 pm: Charlie Campbell, Patti Cunningham, Christopher Green
8:00 am: Erik Eigenbrod, Ava Susong, Joe Susong
11:00 am: Ray Bahney, Molly Bashor, Jackson Reynolds

Extraordinary Ministers
4:30 pm: Claire Baker, Aggie Benken, Gary French, Bonnie Hoffman, Lona Lucas
8:00 am: Kay Eigenbrod, Becky Scheller, Mark Scheller, Pam Taylor, Steve Taylor
11:00 am: Stephany Ander, Carol Callis, Rosemary Endres, Christa Parker, Christopher Parker

Readers
4:30 pm: Mary Scherer
8:00 am: John Susong, Patrick Susong
11:00 am: Tina Byers, Cameron Husk

Ushers
4:30 pm: John King, Ron Morelock, Willie O'Bryan, Ray Shepherd
8:00 am: Tim Plunkett, George Reger, Ann Rohdy, Michele Sapp, Mike Schluttenhofer
11:00 am: Alex Andrews, Michael Gall, Jim O'Brien

Please pray for the Pilgrims from St. Joseph and all those traveling to and attending National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC) this week, November 21-23 in Indianapolis.

Prayer of Blessing

All-powerful God, You always show mercy toward those who love You and You are never far away from those who seek You. Remain with Your servants on this holy pilgrimage and guide their way in accord with Your will. Shelter them with Your protection by day, give them the light of Your grace by night, and, as their companion on the journey, bring them to their destination in safety. We ask this through Christ our Lord. -Amen

May the Lord guide us and direct our journey in safety. -Amen

May the Lord be your companion along the way. -Amen

May the Lord grant that the journey you begin, relying on Him, will end happily through His protection. -Amen

To the organizers of Rock the Manger, a very grateful *THANK YOU* for your generous donation to St. Vincent de Paul Ministry.

Women's Club Meeting November 20

We will be making final arrangements for our Advent Dinner at Ulen on December 3 and will circulate a sign-up for treats in our Homebound Advent Basket preparation on December 7. We will also discuss next year's membership in the National Conference of Catholic Women.

Our meeting will start at 6 pm so we can assemble lunches and subs for our teens attending NCYC the next morning.

Directory Photos

If you got your picture taken for the directory and elected to have your complimentary 8X10 sent back to the Parish Office for pick up, those photographs are now available to be picked up during office hours.

TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1,2019-2:00 PM EST.

St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church
58 West 5th Street. Peru, IN 46970

Celebrant: Father Andrew DeKeyser
Contact (765) 398-1935
If interested in singing with St. Dunstan Schola
Please call: (765) 210-4413

TRIVIA KNIGHT

Saturday, November 23 | 6:30 pm
St. Alphonsus Liguori Catholic Church
Cost: $35 per person or $200 per table of 8
Adults 21 and over are invited to an evening of good, old-fashioned fun, hosted by the Knights of the Holy Temple.
Dinner is provided and a beer/wine cash bar is available.
The evening is sponsored by Save the Date Indy Event Planning and Einterz & Einterz Law Firm.
Proceeds go to the Knights of the Holy Temple.
Purchase tickets online:
www.zionsvillecatholic.com/trivia-night