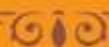




## **CHURCH OF ST JOSEPH AND ST ANNE**

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 16, 2022**

### **2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**



There was a wedding at Cana in Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples were also invited to the wedding. When the wine ran short, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." - Jn 2:1-3

## MASSSES FOR THE WEEK

<i>Intentions</i>			
Mon.	17	8:00 a.m.	Priest Intention
Tues.	18	8:00 a.m.	Tom Sieve
Wed.	19	8:00 a.m.	Norma Johnston
Thur.	20	8:00 a.m.	M/M Donald Vargo
Fri.	21	8:00 a.m.	Jane Gorman
Sat.	22	4:00 p.m.	M/M Richard King
Sun.	23	10:00 a.m.	Parish Family
(SA)		8:00 a.m.	Craig Wibbenmeyer

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS

### ST. JOSEPH SATURDAY MASS - 4:00 PM *January 22, 2022*

Lector	Char Gestring
Eucharistic Ministers	David Brickler
Altar Server	Carolyn Rhodes
Ushers/Greeters	M. Lavacot, S. Mullins J. Rosener, L. Carrow

### ST. JOSEPH SUNDAY MASS – 10:00 AM *January 23, 2022*

Lector	Chris Willette
Eucharistic Ministers	Mary AuBuchon Marcy Mueller (Choir)
Altar Servers	D. Pace, T. Pace
Ushers/Greeters	T. Willette, G. Stanley P. DeGonia, C. Vessell

### ST. ANNE SUNDAY MASS – 8:00 AM *January 23, 2022*

Lector	Maggie Carr
Eucharistic Ministers	Richard Broome
Altar Servers	Audrey McDowell MaryKathryn McDowell
Ushers/Greeters	V. Bender, R. Byington

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## Dynamic Catholic, Alive! – Generosity

For many of us, generosity is a by-product of gratitude. When we receive a gift we are grateful. Our first reaction is that we want to share the gift with someone; we want to be generous! Why? Because that's the way God made us. Remember, He made us in His image and likeness. God has been generous to each of us in so many ways, and He expects each of us to be generous with our time, treasure, and talent as well. "Give to the LORD, you families of nations, give to the LORD glory and praise; give to the LORD the glory due His name!" In what ways can we be generous with all of our gifts this week and give glory to God?

## No Bingo – January 6, 2022

Snow Storm prevented us from having Bingo.

## Your Gift to God

*January 8 & 9, 2022*

	<i>St. Joseph</i>	<i>St. Anne</i>
<b>Envelopes</b>	\$4,700.00	\$777.00
<b>St. Vincent De Paul</b>	179.00	25.00
<b>Maint. &amp; Utilities</b>	49.00	
<b>Sch. House Roof Replace.</b>	100.00	
<b>First Offering</b>	267.00	

### 2020-21 Budgeted Amounts

#### Envelopes/Loose

St. Joseph \$3,712 St. Anne \$804  
for 52 weeks

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – January 16, 2022**



## ST. ANNE CATHOLIC CHURCH

**Mass: Sunday 8:00 a.m.**

Church Cleaning Team #4 – Diana & Deacon Don Kintz



*Walking with Moms  
in Mercy & Joy*

**ANNUAL MEMORIAL MASS**

*On the 49<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Roe v. Wade*

*Join the Archdiocese of St. Louis & community in praying  
for an end to abortion, healing for those involved in  
abortion, and increased respect for all human life.*

**Saturday, January 15, 2022 • 10 AM**

*Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis Archbishop Mitchell Rozanski, Celebrant*

**Pro-Life Generation Memorial • Holy Mass • Rosary**



The Mass collection will benefit the LifeLine Coalition, which helps thousands of local women & families annually.



**St. Joseph and St. Anne will sponsor a LifeLine Coalition second collection on the weekend of January 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>, 2022.**

The LifeLine Coalition is a group of social service agencies and pro-life caregivers who are committed to

helping women experiencing crisis pregnancies.

LifeLine Coalition provides assistance to more than 10,000 mothers and their children annually. LifeLine provides women experiencing a crisis pregnancy with help with medical expenses, food, clothing, housing, educational counseling, adoption services, and spiritual guidance.

A Donation to LifeLine Coalition of:

\$ 30 will provide a mother with a small layette  
\$ 75 will provide one day in a residential pregnancy center  
\$125 will provide either five childbirth classes, five parenting/adoption classes or five counseling sessions  
\$150 will provide a crib, maternity clothes and layette  
\$600 will provide about 10 prenatal visits, delivery fees and post-natal follow-up

## GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

January 16, 2022

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

God delights in you. How do you feel when you hear that? Delight usually comes with an exuberant flow of joy that seemingly arises from one's toes with the expression of great glee. Reflecting upon the deep measure of joy God has in us can be a source of joy for ourselves. Delight is infectious. A very young brother and sister were playing on the beach when the all too familiar ice cream truck made its daily rounds. The boy shook with excitement and delight as he took his sister's hand and exclaimed, "The ice cream man is here, isn't it great!" As they ran off toward the truck, one could hear the girl reply, "Yeah, I can't wait!" The experience of a child's delight in something so simple as ice cream, lifts our spirits from our burdens and transports us to the lighter, more innocent side of life.

Life is not meant to be a burden. Believe it or not, God actually wants us to be happy! In fact, the wedding feast at Cana shows us that God even puts His blessing on our happiness. It is okay to celebrate the wonder of ourselves and others. Life is good. It is always interesting to note that Jesus saves the good wine until last. You would think it would be the other way around. The superb quality of Jesus' wine points to the superior quality of life we find in Christ. It is not a life of burdens but a life of wonder and delight! In Christ, we are lifted from the superficial and mundane to a life of purpose, hope, and love.

God is with us through the long haul, through the challenges and sorrows as well as the successes and accomplishments. In spite of the fact that we often wander from the path, God's celebratory delight in us remains. As spouses are asked to remain faithful to each other through whatever life brings, God remains faithful too. This promise remains through this life and into the next. All we have to do is take the advice of Jesus' mother to heart when she says, "Listen to him." This wisdom saves us from foolishly giving in to the illusion that we can make better wine than Jesus. ©LPi



### Holy Hour

**On January 20, in anticipation of the Roe vs Wade anniversary, there will be Adoration here from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm. at St. Joseph Church.**

## Perfect Contrition and Spiritual Communion

### What to do if you cannot go to Confession or Holy Communion due to the COVID-19 coronavirus



If you have to self-isolate or are quarantined due to the COVID-19 coronavirus, it is unlikely that you will be able to receive the sacraments as normal.

In these circumstances, there are devotions through which you can receive absolution for your sins, (under certain conditions), and the consolation of Eucharistic grace.

These devotions are officially encouraged by the Church and have been practiced by saints.

### How to make an Act of Perfect Contrition

Through an act of Perfect Contrition, you receive pardon for your sins outside of confession, even mortal sins, on condition that you determine to amend your life and make a firm resolution to go to sacramental confession as soon as this becomes possible for you.

Perfect Contrition is a grace from God, so sincerely ask for this gift throughout the day prior to making your act of contrition: "My God, grant me perfect contrition for all my sins".

1. In reality or imagination kneel at the foot of a crucifix and say to yourself: "Jesus, my God and my Saviour, in the midst of your agony, you remembered me, you suffered for me, you wished to wipe away my sins".
2. Contrition is 'perfect' if you repent of your sins because you love God and are sorry for offending Him and causing the sufferings of Christ on the cross. Before the Crucified Christ remember your sins, repent of them because they have brought our Lord to His sufferings on the Cross. Promise him, that with His help, you will not sin again.
3. Recite, slowly and sincerely, an act of contrition focused on the goodness of God and your love of Jesus: "O my God, because you are so good, I am very sorry that I have sinned against you and by the help of your grace I will not sin again. Amen".
4. Make a firm resolution to go to sacramental confession as soon as practically possible.

### How to make a Spiritual Communion

The key to Spiritual Communion is to grow in your heart a constant desire for the Blessed Sacrament.

1. If you are aware of serious or mortal sin, make an Act of Perfect Contrition.
2. Imagine the sacred words and actions of the Mass or watch online or on TV.
3. Make all those acts of faith, humility, sorrow, adoration, love and desire that you usually express before Holy Communion.
4. Desire, with earnest longing, to receive our Lord present — Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity — in the Blessed Sacrament.
5. Say this prayer of St. Alphonsus de' Ligouri: "My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire You in my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. As though You are already there, I embrace You and unite myself wholly to You; do not let me ever be separated from You. Amen.
6. After moments of silent adoration make all those acts of faith, humility, love, thanksgiving and offering that you usually express through prayers after Holy Communion.



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