



CHURCH OF ST JOSEPH AND ST ANNE

SUNDAY, AUGUST 7, 2022

19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"Be sure of this: if the master of the house had known the hour when the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into. You also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come." - Lk 12:39-40

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

<i>Intentions</i>			
Mon.	08	8:00 a.m.	Priest Intention
Tues.	09	8:00 a.m.	Eleanor Schindler
Wed.	10	8:00 a.m.	Judy Holbrook
Thur.	11	8:00 a.m.	Ruby French
Fri.	12	8:00 a.m.	Sr. Helen Kiefer
Sat.	13	4:00 p.m.	Charles Hofer
Sun.	14	10:00 a.m.	Ruby French
(SA)		8:00 a.m.	Parish Family

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

ST. JOSEPH	
SATURDAY MASS - 4:00 PM	August 13, 2022
Lector	David Brickler
Eucharistic Ministers	Rhonda Lavacot
Altar Server	Carolyn Rhodes
Ushers/Greeters	J. Rosener, Dan Gifford M/M Dennis Bender
ST. JOSEPH	
SUNDAY MASS – 10:00 AM	August 14, 2022
Lector	Deborah Pace
Eucharistic Ministers	C. Willette, M. Mueller
Altar Servers	Dan & Bernice Burle
Ushers/Greeters	T. Willette, G. Stanley P. DeGonia, C. Vessell
ST. ANNE	
SUNDAY MASS – 8:00 AM	August 14, 2022
Lector	Ron Schmidt
Eucharistic Ministers	Victor Bender
Altar Servers	Richard Broome
Gift Bearers (Month of August)	Steve & Ann Folle
Ushers/Greeters	Garry Fisher Ron Byington

St. Joseph Catholic Church St. Anne Catholic Church

Pastor: Rev. James A. Holbrook
 Deacon Rev. Mr. Don Kintz
 Deacon Rev. Mr. Don Schmitt (Ret)
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 Eucharistic Adoration: Third Tuesday of the Month
 Mass Schedule: Weekdays: 8:00 am (Monday—Friday)
 Saturdays: 4:00 pm Sundays: 10:00 am



For Extraordinary Ministers of Communion:

On Saturday August 13 and Sunday August 14 there will be a special training session for all Extraordinary Ministers of Communion. If you are a Communion Minister please stay after the Mass you normally attend for some instruction with Fr. Holbrook.

Fall Festival Meeting

A Festival Meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 10, at 6:00 pm in the downstairs meeting room. We will set the prices for the Fried Chicken & Kettle Beef Dinners. Please come with your input. All are welcome to attend.

St. Joseph Fall Dinner Donation

A special "Festival Dinner" envelope will be in your August packet. If you wish to make a donation by check for the Festival dinner, please help us by writing a separate check for that donation. Each year your generosity helps defray the cost of our Festival Dinner on September 18, 2022. Thank you!

Thank You

We would like to thank our volunteer parishioners for their dedication and commitment to clean our sacred space. A special thank you to Mike & Jeanina Jennings, who have now retired, for their twenty years as volunteer cleaners.

Bingo — July 28, 2022 – No Bingo - Vacation

Your Gift to God

July 30 & 31, 2022

	<i>St. Joseph</i>	<i>St. Anne</i>
Envelopes	\$4,120.00	\$1863.00
Assumption	50.00	20.00
Festival Dinner	55.00	
Mission	1,022.27	844.00
School House Roof Rep.	301.00	

2022-23 Budgeted Amounts

Envelopes/Loose

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

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time – August 7, 2022

ST. ANNE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass: Sunday 8:00 a.m.

Church Cleaning Team #4 – Diana & Deacon Don Kintz



Thank you for your generosity!

Due to your generosity the following prizes will be raffled.

The drawing will be held on Sunday, Sept. 18 at 4:00 pm.

- 1st prize - \$500 Cash
 - 2nd prize - \$300+ Misc. gift cards
 - 3rd prize - \$200 Lottery tickets
 - 4th prize - \$150 Gas cash
 - 5th prize - \$150 Wal-Mart card
 - 6th prize - \$100 Chuck & B J's gas cash
 - 7th prize - \$100 Amazon card
 - 8th prize - \$100 Sav A Lot card
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Please pick up...

Parishioner raffle tickets are in the back of church. Since postage has increased it would be a help to the festival budget if you would pick up your raffle envelope. Also, feel free to take raffle tickets to a friend or family member. Thanks very much!

We Need You!

We are offering three ways to sign up to work the Fall Festival. The more workers the fewer hours each will work. There are sign-up sheets at the end of each pew. Drop off baskets are in the back of church and at the front side door. A second option is to sign the form on the tables in the back of church. Third, you may call the church office at 358-2112. If you worked last year, we would appreciate having your updated contact info. We will call you later in August. Thanks for helping to make the festival a success!

FESTIVAL COUNTRY STORE

The Country Store is now accepting items for the September 18 Parish Festival. You may drop off household items under the pavilion or arrange to have items picked up. Call Claudine at 358-7516 or Linda at 562-7178. Please no clothing, TVs, microwaves or refrigerators. The Ladies of St. Joseph will be selling baked and home canned goods as well as handmade items. If you would like to donate these items, please bring them to the Country Store on September 18 or call Claudine or Linda.

Please Pray

Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Ruby French**, mother of Father French, who passed away on July 27, 2022. May her soul rest in our Lord's eternal embrace.

GOSPEL MEDITATION -

August 7, 2022

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Thomas Aquinas reminds us that, "Three things are necessary for the salvation of man: to know what he ought to believe, to know what he ought to desire, and to know what he ought to do." Everyone is called to work toward their salvation, which is ultimately union with God. Those who take this call seriously must embark upon a journey inward to the deepest recesses of their soul. In the adventure and wonder of that journey, we work out the details of our union with our Beloved. We cling to what we need to believe, remain firm in what we truly desire, and are guided by what we know we have to do. Once we know that our goal is to be one with our Creator, life becomes an exciting expedition to pursue that end. We make necessary preparations, follow the map, and remain on course.

Whenever we really want something, we put our entire selves into achieving it. Being fully invested in our labor, we willingly work extra hours, devote an abundance of energy and effort, and remain vigilant for beneficial opportunities that may come our way. We certainly do not passively sit by doing nothing! Such an attitude leads to laziness and the accomplishment of little. Worse yet, some look to others to do the work for them, hoping to reap the benefits of another's efforts. Conscientiousness and diligence are the only means to success.

For the one who eagerly awaits the day when they can be fully with God, life becomes a joyous adventure indeed! Alert, ready, focused, convicted, and willing to be a servant they constantly watch and prepare themselves for meeting the Lord. Loving the journey and being in love with their Creator, their lives become joyful witnesses of love and service. They are secure in their hope, confident in their faith, and perfect in their love. Never looking for recognition or gratitude, they stand as gentle inspirations of what the Holy Spirit can do in the hearts of those who believe. Because we do not know what tomorrow will bring, we stand ready to be used as God wills and run eagerly toward Him when He comes. How much do we desire to experience the joy of salvation? ©LPi

Ladies St. Joseph Meeting

The Ladies of St. Joseph will meet on August 9, 2022, at 9:00 a.m.

We will be discussing plans for the Country Store at the Parish Festival.

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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