

# St. Joseph & St. John the Baptist Parishes

A Pastorate of the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana

#### MASSES:

Saturday 5:00 p.m., odd numbered months at St. John's, (Jan., Mar., May, July, Sept., Nov.); even numbered months at St. Joseph's, (Feb., Apr., June, Aug., Oct., Dec.)
Sunday 8:30 a.m. St. John's
10:45 a.m. St. Joseph's

#### WEEKDAYS

8:00 a.m. Tuesday; 6:00 p.m. Thursday at St. Joseph's 8:00 a.m. Wednesday and Friday at St. John's 1st Saturday of the month Mass, 8:00 a.m., where the Saturday vigil Mass is

#### RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00-4:30 p.m. where the Mass is and by appointment

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## Words from Father Dennis

#### THIS CATHOLIC LIFE

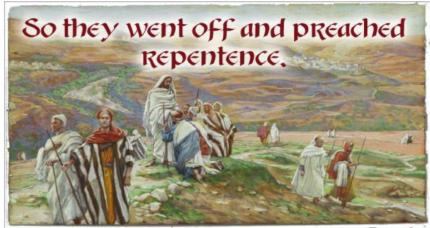
Summer time and the livin' is easy. At least according to the song! I hope you are, or will be, able to get away and enjoy some down time. It is also a good time to get in some reading. I consider myself a life-long learner, and I love to read. Lately I have been reading a lot of theology and scripture oriented stuff. But during the summer I like to lighten up a bit and read something fun. Right now I am reading "Via Negativa" by Daniel Hornsby. It's about a retired priest who goes from Muncie, Indiana to Seattle. The Muncie part got my attention. Along the way he picks up a coyote that was hit by a van. The good father takes the coyote under his care and nurses him back to health on his way out west. Hmmm, sounds like it could be a pilgrimage story.

For guys who like to read I recommend "The Explorers Guild" by Kevin Costner and Jon Baird. It's a good old fashion adventure yarn, complete with pictures!

And, I just finished reading for the second time "The Name of the Rose" by Umberto Eco – a murder mystery (and much more!) set in a monastery in the 13<sup>th</sup> century. The second time around was just as interesting as the first, if not more so.

Next week I will share some of the more spiritual stuff I have read in the past. You might let me know what you have found interesting, enjoyable and/or profitable. You might see your recommendations in this space.

From this Sunday's Gospel reading...





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## This Week...

#### St. John's

#### July 10-July 18

Sat. 4:00PM Reconciliation

5:00PM MASS-Joe Mattingly

Sun. 8:30AM MASS-Parishioners of St. John's

Mon. 7:40AM Morning Prayer

8:00AM MASS-Dorinda Harvey

Wed. 7:40AM Morning Prayer

8:00AM MASS-Anna Pedro

Fri. 7:40AM Morning Prayer

8:00AM MASS-Judy Ripberger

**Sat.** 4:00PM Reconciliation

5:00PM MASS-Parishioners of St. John's

Sun. 8:30AM MASS-Alvin & Dorothy Tebbe Family

#### St. Joseph's

#### July 11-July 18

Sun. 10:45AM MASS-John Kluesner

2:30PM Rosary Prayer Service

**Mon.** 6:30PM Cemetery Board Meeting

Tue. 8:00AM MASS-Margaret Sharp

7:30PM K of C Meeting

Wed. 6:00PM Pastorate Meeting

6:30PM Choir Practice

Thurs. 6:00PM MASS-Jack & Sondra Parr

Sun. 10:45AM MASS-Barbara Riley

#### **STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE-St. John's**

7/4/2021

Regular Collection \$6,962.00

NEEDED WEEKLY: \$5,000.00

NEEDED YTD: \$135,000.00

ACTUAL YTD: \$142,312.68

DIFFERENCE YTD: \$7,312.68

New Church Building Fund: \$4,290.00

YTD Building Fund: \$128,608.40

May God Reward You!

## **LITURGICAL MINISTERS-St. John's**

July 17, 5:00PM - July 18, 8:30AM

#### **ALTAR SERVERS**

Sat. Tanner, Marita, Mindy

Sun. Alex, volunteer, Chelsey

#### **EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER**

Sat. Rex Craig

Sun. Terry Shirk

#### **READERS**

Sat. Theresa Kimbler, Monica Moore

Sun. Toby Ripberger, volunteer

#### **USHERS**

Sat. Steve, Troy, Kenny A.

Sun. Matt, Travis, Mike M.

#### **LITURGICAL MINISTERS-St. Joseph's**

July 18, 10:45AM

#### **SACRISTAN(S)**

Sun. Chris Posey

#### **READERS**

Sun. Elaine Klein, Le'Ann Linsmeyer

#### **EUCHARISTIC MINISTER**

Sun. Rick Bunting

#### **SERVERS**

Sun. Veronica Thomas, Ann Curtis

#### USHERS

Sun. Brandon Elliott, Phil Hanvey

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7/4/2021

Regular Collection \$ 3,085.97 Needed Each Week \$ 3,231.00 Overage (Shortfall) \$ (145.03)

Year-to-Date Overage (Shortfall) \$ (789.66) Building Fund \$ 1,625.00

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#### ROSARY PRAYER SERVICE

Please join us every second Sunday of the month (July 11th) for a Rosary Prayer Service at 2:30 p.m. at St. Joseph's.

#### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING**

The monthly meeting for the St. Joseph's K of C will be held this Tuesday, July 13th at 7:30 p.m. in Biegel Hall.

### ST. JOSEPH'S USHERS

Ushers play a vital role in welcoming people to Mass. We're looking for warm smiles and friendly faces to be a part of welcoming people. There will be an ushers call out and meeting before Mass on Sunday, July 18th at 10:00 a.m. in the church. Contact Lucy at vneal@parish.dol-in.org with questions.

\*\*\*We are down to two ushers for Saturday Masses. Please consider volunteering!

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#### **GOLF PROCEEDS**

The golf outing proceeds were \$5,523.72. Special thanks to Lisa Arnold, Ed & Steve Tragesser, and Joe Rice.



#### **ETERNAL REST GRANT TO:**

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#### CONFIRMATION CALL-OUT

Confirmation classes will begin this fall. For St. John's please contact DRE Shelly Powell at 765-415-0890 or slpowell\_2000@yahoo.com or Lucy Neal at 317-697-0463 or vneal@parish.dol-in.org for St. Joseph's.

#### LUCY'S ONE LINER

Don't confuse God's silence as He is not listening, He's just not done working.

#### Cemetery Board Meeting

The St. Joseph Cemetery Board will meet this Monday, July 12th at 6:30 p.m.

#### GET YOUR RAFFLE TICKETS!!!

There are 4 fabulous desserts this month!



Tickets are \$1 each. It would be wonderful if every household purchased 5 tickets. Please consider it! Drawing will be July 25<sup>th</sup> at the morning Mass.

#### **PRAYER LISTS**

Cathy Huntsinger, Barbara & Jack Green, Ron Klein, Chuck Thornberry, Rose Pace, Sue Vida, Tony Alexander, Dana Harper, Sally Skidmore, Beth Moser, Jackie Hughes

Katie Burris, James Click, Marty Coppock, Ginny Cornwell, Michael Dinneen, Laura Doran, Dick Funke, Bill Gall, Pat Gensic, Charles Gilbert, Hank Glover, Mike Hawkins, Melody Horn, Diane Hughes, Amy Hunter, Sue Jacobs, Stacey Jenkins, Reed Kemp, Jessica Maddox, Sr. Jane Frances Mannion, Marty Meng, Jersie Meyncke, Maureen McAvoy-Kelly, Mike King, Kaye Landseadel, Jane Letsinger, Betty Mahaney, Helen Matthews, Brian McCormack, Erin McCormack, Harry & Annie McKinley, Bill Moore, Patty Ferguson Moore, Al & Bonnie Peters, Abby Phillips, Carol Preston, Brenda Raver, Rosemary Robinson, Wayne Runyan, Leon Silence, Dr. Mike Smith, Vic Sowders, Travis Stuckey, Judy Tansy, Patricia Tebbe, Patty Terry, Wendy Thomas, Ethel Vanneste, Jennifer Waterford, Kate Wigand, Ryker York, Betty Ziegler

#### CATECHISTS FOR ST. JOSEPH'S

We are in NEED of catechists for the following grades: preschool, kindergarten/1st grade, 4th & 5th grade, and EDGE (middle school). If you'd like to learn about being a catechist, contact Lucy Neal at 317-697-0463.

#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

St. Joseph's is in need of sacristans, readers, and servers for funeral Masses and people to lead the rosary at the funeral homes at the visitation of the deceased. Please call Debbie at the office if you can help with any of these ministries.

#### **CLOTHING CENTER**

We'll have an outside giveaway on Friday, the 16th from 10:00-?? in the parking lot behind the parish house. It will then open in the basement of the parish house on Monday, the 26th from 9:30-Noon and be open those hours on Mondays thereafter.

Clean clothing in good condition is being accepted. For now, please leave donations in front of the first garage door closest to the parish house. Starting on July 26th, clothing may be left at the Clothing Center during open hours on Mondays.

Thank you to Teresa Kelich for running the Center for many years! Thank you to Jane Lowes for taking over this ministry! God bless you both!

#### A PARENTING POINTER

Scripture tells us that prophets are often not recognized or valued in their own area. (Mark 6) So too it is with parents. Our kids don't always recognize that we ask them to do hard things for their own good. You may not always be appreciated, but don't give up. By Susan Vogt, www.SusanVogt.net

## STOP YOUR TAXES FROM PAYING FOR ABORTION

The Hyde Amendment and related laws have kept your tax dollars from paying for elective abortion. Over 2.4 MILLION Americans are alive today because of the amendment. Whether led by Democrats or Republicans, Congress and the White House have supported the amendment since it first became law in 1976. Once a long-time supporter of the amendment, President Biden is now committed to its repeal [1]. The chair of the House committee in charge of funding government programs broke with long-standing, bipartisan support. She announced that the amendment will NOT be included in the upcoming funding bill [2]. House Speaker Nancy Pelosi voiced support for this decision [3]. Without the Hyde Amendment and related policies, billions of taxpayer dollars could be used to pay for abortions in the U.S. and overseas. Getting rid of the amendment would likely lead to many more lives lost through abortion [4]. States' health benefits would likely be held hostage. States would be forced to either include elective abortion in Medicaid or be kicked out of the federal Medicaid program.

- 1. "Vice President Biden supports repealing the Hyde Amendment because health care is a right that should not be dependent on one's zip code or income. And, the public option will cover contraception and a woman's constitutional right under Roe v. Wade." https://joebiden.com/womens-agenda/.
- 2. https://twitter.com/jenhab/ status/1299423789000929284
- 3. https://twitter.com/rosadelauro/ status/1333538158433214465
- 4. M.J. New, "Addendum to Hyde @ 40."

The USCCB and Bishop Doherty would like to spread the word about this matter to the faithful, so as to inform people in light of our civic responsibilities as Catholics. This is a link to sign a petition in support of the Hyde Amendment: https://www.notaxpayerabortion.com/

#### Readings for the Week of July 11, 2021

**Sunday** Am 7:12-15; Eph 1:3-14 or 1:3-10; Mk 6:7-13

**Monday** Ex 1:8-14, 22; Mt 10:34—11:1

**Tuesday** Ex 2:1-15a; Mt 11:20-24

**Wednesday** Ex 3:1-6, 9-12; Mt 11:25-27 **Thursday** Ex 3:13-20; Mt 11:28-30

*Friday* Ex 11:10—12:14; Mt 12:1-8

**Saturday** Ex 12:37-42; Mt 12:14-21

**Sunday** Jer 23:1-6; Eph 2:13-18; Mk 6:30-34

#### **Stewardship Note**

Today's readings are about being chosen and sent. The prophet Amos was chosen by the Lord and sent to use his talents for the people of God. The Gospel recounts the story of the sending of the twelve disciples; and in the second reading, St. Paul reminds us that we, too, are chosen. For what have I been chosen? To whom have I been sent?



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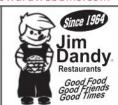
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