St. Joseph's News

<u>DAILY MASS</u> will be celebrated in the church (Tuesday – Friday) at 8 a.m.

PRAYER GROUP

There is a prayer meeting in the parish hall every Tuesday starting at 5:15 p.m. with the Divine Mercy Chaplet, prayer group begins at 5:30 p.m.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will resume the second Tuesday monthly meetings starting in July. The Knights will meet on **Tuesday**, **July 14** at 6 p.m. in the parish hall.

<u>HEAVENLY HOUSEKEEPERS</u> for July 11 – Team #2 Lynn Denmark and Cathye Frederic

FREE CATHOLIC VIRTUAL VBS

Summer Faith Adventure provides an opportunity for families to create a backyard VBS experience. Available for **July 20-24.** More information at https://www.holyheroes.com/Summer-Faith-Adventure- Catholic-VBS-s/110.htm

Masses celebrated at St. Joseph Church – Please remember to observe social distancing and sit together in your family group. Allow 6 feet of distance between your family and others. Wearing a face mask is strongly recommended. Ushers will not take up collection. Baskets will be set up at the entrance. Please practice social distancing in the communion line and exiting the church at the end of Mass. The faithful continue to be dispensed from the obligation to participate in Mass. If you are vulnerable, continue to remain at home for as long as you need. If you are sick, please stay home.

Mass will continue to be live-streamed from St. Joseph at **10** a.m. each **Sunday** on the St. Joseph Facebook page.

You may still go to **www.stjosephmosspoint.com** to view copies of the weekly bulletin.

Copies of the missalette are available in the entrance of church. This will be your personal copy to bring to church each weekend.

HAPPY 244TH BIRTHDAY!





St. Ann's News

DATES TO REMEMBER

Saturdays – **Vigil Mass** – **6 pm** Sundays – **Mass** – **8 am** Wednesday – **Mass** – **7 pm**

We will have a 6 pm Vigil Mass on Saturday, 8 am Mass on Sunday, and 7 pm Mass on Wednesday

Please remember to observe social distancing. Please sit together in your family group. Allow 6 feet of distance between your family and others. Every other pew is marked off. Hand sanitizer is available at both entrances. Wearing a face mask is encouraged. The faithful continue to be dispensed from the obligation to participate in Mass. If you are vulnerable, continue to remain at home for as long as you need. If you are sick, please stay home. Your cooperation will help all of us to celebrate together as a faith community.

Father will also continue to celebrate Mass each Sunday via Facebook LIVE at St. Ann at 8 am.

Deacon Frank will be available to the elderly and vulnerable after mass by appointment to receive the Holy Eucharist. Please let him know ahead of time if you need him.



Independence Day Prayer

God, our Father, giver of life, we entrust our nation to your loving care. You are the rock on which this nation was founded.

You alone are the true source of our cherished rights to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. Reclaim this land for your glory and dwell among your people.

Send your spirit to touch the hearts of our nation's leaders. Open their minds to the great worth of human life and the responsibilities that accompany human freedom. Remind your people that true happiness is rooted in seeking and doing your will.

Amen

A HUMBLE KING

Like a tonal center in music, the note to which we keep returning in today's readings is humility. We wait in joyful expectation for the coming of our Lord as King. But what we are told to expect and rejoice over is a meek and humble king, riding on an ass. Not horses or chariots of the great and mighty, but a humble beast carries the Ruler whose dominion stretches "from the River to the ends of the earth" (Zechariah 9:10). This King comes to banish the tools of the warrior and bring peace. No wonder that a weary world rejoices and gives thanks to God!

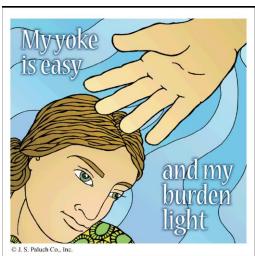
TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Rejoice heartily, O Jerusalem! For see, Norma your savior comes.

Psalm — I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.

Second Reading — The one who raised Christ from death will give life to your mortal bodies also.

Gospel — Come, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest.



COLLECTIONS for June 27 - 28

ST. JOSEPH

Regular Collection - \$ 3,617.00 Building Fund - \$ 75.00 Diocesan Priest Supplemental - \$ 60.00

Peter's Pence – \$ 165.00

St. Vincent de Paul – \$ 20.00 Flower donation – \$ 50.00

Memorial Donation (Georgia Mansfield) - \$ 50.00

ST. ANN

Regular Collection - \$ 3,328.25 Building Fund - \$ 275.00 Children's Offertory - \$ 2.50 Peter's Pence - \$ 119.00

Thank you for your generous support!



Saturday – 4 p.m. – Monta Barlow (RIP)

6 p.m. – People of the Parish

Sunday – 8 a.m. – Matthew St. Andrie (RIP)

10 a.m. - Norma Welch

Tuesday - In thanksgiving for favors received

Wednesday – 8 a.m. – Peter Phuong Tran (RIP)

7 p.m. – Kermit Loupe, Sr. (RIP)

Thursday – Maria Ngat (RIP)

Friday – Peter Vinh (RIP)

MASS REQUESTS – If you would like to have a Mass celebrated for the intention of a loved one, a special occasion, or a deceased friend or family member, envelopes are available in the vestibule or you may call or mail your request to the parish office.



Lord Jesus, who went about doing good and healing, bless our family and friends who are sick. Give them strength in body, courage in spirit, and patience in pain. If you would like to add someone to this list, please call the parish office.

Arthur Trochesset, Barbara N. Thomas, Audria Viers, the Holt family, Janet Wells, Nicole Mary Green, Effie Williams, Gary Brown, Kelly Chamberlain, George Hinkel, Eva Hinkel, Wanda St. Andrie, Laurie Laffery, Steve Martinez, Glenda Jackson, Charles Pinkney, Tom Browning, Judy Smith, Susan George, Jane Norton, Nikki Hans, Gloria Long, Linda Huy, Conner Driscoll, Amsley Goodings, Tenny Henderson, Ellen Scheeler, Lara Lander, Inge Bellone, Nathan Rowe, Anita Matthews, Denny Denmark, Tim and Annette Spiriti, Ron Hudson, Joan and Kermit Loupe, Deborah Green, Kenneth Hoskins, Barbara Easley, Bruce Merrill, Elma Carter, Karen Zettler, Christi Seely, Betty Bodden, Tony Garriga, Heather Huy, Bill Massey, Doris Batte, Terri Byrd, Lynn Roberts, Roun McNeal, Kitty Griffin, Karen Freeman, James and Kay Gully, Pat McAdams, Norman Jardine, Allen Elmore, Mary McMahan, Gwen Blackledge, Lance Paul, the family of Greg Davidson, all those affected by the coronavirus, all those providing essential services, our faith communities, the unemployed, the unborn, healing for our country, all the faithful departed, the poor souls in purgatory, and all military personnel stationed in harm's way.

