

ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

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28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Come to the feast." - Mt 22:4bc

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*At St. Joseph Catholic Parish in Dodgeville, Wisconsin, we unite with the faithful throughout the world, and strive to grow in the love and knowledge of Christ through worship, education, evangelization, stewardship, fellowship and service to others. With St. Joseph as our patron, we intend to follow his life of devotion and holiness.
~ Parish Mission Statement*

MASS SCHEDULE

Mon—Fri. 8:00 AM

Saturday 5:00 PM

Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (confession)

Saturday: 3:30—4:30 PM.

Other times by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parishioners seeking to have a child baptized are asked to contact the Parish Office for information about Baptismal Preparation and scheduling. Baptisms will be held after the 5 PM Mass on Saturday and the 10:00 AM Mass on Sunday, or during any Mass.

SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION

Anyone seeking full membership in the Catholic Church through the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Communion please contact RCIA Coordinator Linda Schoenmann.

Phone 608-574-7937

Email linda.schoenmann@stjoedodge.org

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY (Marriage)

Parishioners preparing for marriage should contact the priest at least **ten months** in advance of celebrating the sacrament.

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING DATES/TIMES

Pastoral Council—2nd Tuesday each month 6:00 PM

Chair: Dan Oleson—553-1803

Finance Council—3rd Tuesday of each month 6:00PM

Chair: Larry Nelson—608-630-6532

Both meetings take place in the church gathering area

DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Written announcements for the bulletin are to be submitted to the Parish Office no later than Tuesday of each week.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

All Catholic adults 21 years or older, who regularly participate in the liturgy at St. Joseph should consider becoming registered members. We would be happy to have you join our parish family. To register and for more information call the Parish Office (930-3392).

WILLS AND BEQUESTS

Please consider the needs of our parish and school. The Corporate title is: **St. Joseph Congregation Dodgeville, WI**

ST JOSEPH SCHOOL & PRESCHOOL

305 E Walnut Phone 608-930-3392

Email: Dana.Grabber@stjoedodge.org

Principal— **Dana Graber**

ST JOSEPH PARISH OFFICE

Hours: M—F 8:00 AM—3:00 PM

Phone 608 -930 -3392

Email: stjoedodge@gmail.com

Business Office Manager— **Amy Esch**

ST JOSEPH DAYCARE

310 S Ellwood Phone: 608-930-3392

Email: sjdaycare@stjoedodge.org

Director— **Peggy O'Flaherty**

**October 11, 2020
28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Due to COVID-19, the annual Diocesan Anniversary Mass and Reception cannot be held. We still want to honor couples celebrating 25, 40, 50 or more years of marriage in 2020. To receive a certificate and a letter from Bishop Hying recognizing your anniversary, please "register" with your parish or online at madisondiocese.org/anniversary-celebration.

St Joseph's Church is open everyday from 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM. Please feel free to stop in to pray or light a candle for a lost loved one or just enjoy some quiet time in our beautiful church. Adding the Holy Spirit to your daily life can be enlightening and spiritually uplifting no matter how many minutes you spend in the church.



Our next Fish Fry will be Friday, November 13th. Carry outs only again. Volunteers needed!

Saint Teresa Prayer Group:

If you have a request for prayers either for yourself or for someone else, please call Carol Gates 930-2066 or email **Carolyn Tiber**, cktiber@outlook.com.

Christmas Cut-out Cookies Are Here!

Want to get a head start on your holiday baking? We have our delicious, frozen Christmas cut-out cookies back in stock. They are \$8/2 dozen cookies bagged up and ready to take home. Call Amy at the Parish office if you would like to get some.

Religious Education Registration is Open

This year comes with its challenges due to the pandemic but we never lose sight for our Hope is in Christ. We continue to monitor the situation, and as of now the plan is to have in person faith formation classes. Registration is open for all grades. As we prepare for the new year of formation, the parish has undertaken all necessary precautions as prescribed by the State and Diocese. These precautions are there to make sure that your children learn in a safe and clean environment. Our faith formation program has been designed to help parents in the formation of their children. As part of fulfilling this mission and in line with the Bishop's New Evangelization initiative, St Joseph will be introducing a high school youth ministry program, that will have high schoolers meet once a month. As we begin the new faith formation year, may we continue to unite our prayers for the graces to an end to the pandemic and for good health for all people. Thank you for your continued support as we work in forming disciples of Christ. Please know of my continued prayers.

In Christ, Fr. Tafadzwa

Please go to our website, www.stjoedodge.org, to sign up. Scroll down on our homepage and click on the headline Faith Formation Registration is Open. Classes will begin on Wednesday, October 21st.

A Note From Father

Thank you very much to Fr. Mark who celebrated Mass last weekend when I was on retreat. I had a blessed and meaningful time at the Abbey. Thank you to all our volunteers who helped with our fish fry. It has been great to see how the fish fries have gone in these trying times. Your generous support enables us to continue providing the best to the school and parish.



Faith formation registration is going on. Parents if you haven't registered your child for classes, please do so for the program starts on the 21st of this month. We have put all health measures to make sure that your children are safe.

October 18, is our next high school youth ministry night. All high schoolers are encouraged to attend. This is an opportunity to support each other on your faith journey with your peers.



KC's Corner

Grand Knight: Tom Simmons
Telephone: 563-590-2680

Meetings held 2nd Thursday of the month
<https://kofcknights.org/CouncilSiteCNO=4871>

October:

Knight of the Month: **Ray Brokish**

Family of the Month: **The Nick Scheckel family**

If you want to schedule a virtual meeting via Zoom, please call Tom Simmons.

Feeding Friends

Feeding Friends is still happening every Wednesday at UMC Church in Dodgeville. Due to Covid, it is carry out only now. St Joe's still sponsors the 4th Wednesday. For more information please contact Juanita Starr at UMC at 935-5451.

Public Outdoor Rosary

A public outdoor rosary will be offered at Mary's Rosary Garden on the Wiesbrook farm in Mineral Point on Sunday, Oct 11th @ 1:00 PM. All are welcome to come and pray the rosary for our country. Call for directions—574-1344.

Readings for the week of October 11

Sunday: Is 25:6-10a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [6cd]/Phil 4:12-14, 19-20/Mt 22:1-14 or 22:1-10

Monday: Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31—5:1/Ps 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5a and 6-7 [cf. 2]/Lk 11:29-32

Tuesday: Gal 5:1-6/Ps 119:41, 43, 44, 45, 47, 48 [41a]/Lk 11:37-41

Wednesday: Gal 5:18-25/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [cf. Jn 8:12]/Lk 11:42-46

Thursday: Eph 1:1-10/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6 [2a]/Lk 11:47-54

Friday: Eph 1:11-14/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 12-13 [12]/Lk 12:1-7

Saturday: Eph 1:15-23/Ps 8:2-3ab, 4-5, 6-7 [7]/Lk 12:8-12

Next Sunday: Is 45:1, 4-6/Ps 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10 [7b]/1 Thes 1:1-5b/Mt 22:15-21

Offertory Income

Parish Support Sept 28th—Oct 4th

Envelopes	\$ 1856.00
Electronic Funds Transfer Offering.....	\$ 780.00
WeShare Online Giving.....	\$ 285.00
Loose Collection.....	\$ 139.00
Amount Needed Each Week.....	\$ 5644.00
Weekly Budgeted Amount Not Met.....	\$ (2584.00)

Thank You for your gifts!

Please remember St. Joseph's in your Financial Planning



Saturday, October 10th	5:00 PM
† Dennis & Beverly McGauley	
Sunday, October 11th	
8:00 AM	10:00 AM
† Catherine James	People of the Parish
Monday, October 12th	8:00 AM
† Francis Walczak	
Tuesday, October 13th	8:00 AM
† Bob, Teresa, Pat & Sally McDermott	
Wednesday, October 14th	8:00 AM
† Faye Gleisner	
Thursday, October 15th	8:00 AM
† Jerome Haase	
Friday, October 16th	8:00 AM
Special Intention	
Saturday, October 17th	5:00 PM
† Deceased Members of the	
Valrie & Loretta Esch Family	
Sunday, October 18th	
8:00 AM	10:00 AM
People of the Parish	Special Intention



Sanctuary Lamp
Oct 12th—18th

In Loving Memory of
Eleanor Gevelinger



St. Joseph School News

**Thanks you everyone who helped or purchased fish
at last Friday's Drive By Fish Fry**



Family Portraits with a fundraising twist.

Wendy Bakken will be donating \$25 for every photo session that is booked for the month of October to our school. You can contact her using bywendyby.com or email her at bywendy.b@hotmail.com or call the school office.

Living Rosary

We will be having a whole virtual school Living Rosary during the day on **October 14th**. Father will lead us in a Living Rosary at 6pm that night at the Kramer Shrine, all are welcome.

Little Caesars

Our pizza fundraiser is back, look for order forms in the next week or so.

St. Joseph Gear

If you are interested in purchasing any St. Joe's apparel take a peek at <https://stj2020.itemorder.com/>



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**St Joseph's Church,
School and Daycare**



Our Parish Rummage Sale will be on **Friday, November 6th & Saturday, November, 7th** this year. We will start accepting donations on **Monday, October 26th**. Please bring in your gently used items for the sale. If you have larger items that you need help with please call **Mel at 553-3045** to make arrangements. You will be able to bring in your items to the school but will have to bring them thru the gym door on Walnut St. We are limiting the amount of people we allow in the school during the school day so please plan to bring your items during the school hours (8:00—3:30pm) and call Mel when you get here. She can come and open the door for you. As always, we need volunteers to help organize and set up for the sale and to clean up afterwards. **Please call Mel to volunteer.** Again, please remember we won't be able to accept electronics and please do not try to drop off any items before Oct. 26th.

Thank you for supporting our Rummage Sale!

CONTINUE SUPPORTING OUR SCHOOL and PARISH

We appreciate all the support the parish gives our school. Listed are ways that you can help the school and parish in very easy ways.

-SCRIP purchases are one of the easiest ways to support the school and parish. Anytime you purchase the SCRIP cards we receive a %. You can use these SCRIP cards instead of cash or credit/debit cards for purchases at various stores. If every parishioner purchased just \$100 per month we would make a lot more profit. The more you purchase the better it is!

-Remember to keep collecting the following items:

ALUMINUM CANS, USED PRINTER CARTRIDGES, COKE codes from boxes and caps, metallic bags from individual beverages such Capri-Sun products and anything similar. There is a bin in the back of church where you can leave these items.

-iGive.com If you go to iGive.com and register, naming St. Joseph School, Dodgeville, WI as your charity they will automatically donate to our school. Just go through their website to be redirected to the sites you want to shop (such as Amazon, Travelocity, Walmart, etc.) Please consider doing this if you use the internet to do your shopping.

-smile.amazon.com. If you shop on amazon go through smile.amazon.com and then select St. Joseph's Congregation, Dodgeville, WI as your charity. Instead of going through amazon.com, if you go through smile.amazon.com you can do all the same purchasing, but St. Joe's will get a percent of your purchases. It is very easy to sign up for this, but you must remember to go through smile.amazon.com. **Keep this in mind when doing your online Christmas shopping!**

St. Joseph Cookbooks. you can still purchase cookbooks at weekend Masses or in the Parish office for only **\$10.00** ! Know anyone getting married or graduating from college or who just bought a house? They make great gifts!