



Ascension of the Lord
SS. John & Bernard Parish

PARISH CONTACT INFORMATION

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Sacramental Emergencies Only

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Monday—Friday

8:30 am—3:30 pm

Closed for lunch

12:30 pm—1:30 pm

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Middle/High School

James White, Principal

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(269) 983-2511

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Larry Hoskins, Principal

3165 Washington Ave.

St. Joseph, MI 49085

(269) 429-0227

The Mission of SS. John & Bernard Parish

To grow as a Catholic community, united by the Holy Spirit, living our faith in Jesus Christ and sharing God's truth and love with all people.

SS. John & Bernard Advisory Councils & More

Parish Advisory Council

Katey Bishop David Collins Carrie Husse

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An Adoration Prayer

Lord Jesus, may everything I do begin
with You, continue with Your help,
and be done under Your guidance.

May my sharing in the Mass free me from my sins,
and make me worthy of Your healing.

May I grow in Your Love and Your service,
and become a pleasing offering to You;
and with You to Your Father.

May the mystery I celebrate help me
to reach eternal life with you

Our Adoration is on Mondays, from 7:00 am to 5:15 pm, at St. Bernard and on Fridays, after the 8:00 am Mass, until 4:00 pm at St. John. To sign up, please call 269-925-2425.

Congratulations To Our Confirmandi of 2021

*Nicole Arent
Elaina Collins
Thomas Cullen
Julieann DeJong
Tessa Herzog
Ellen Howard
Jacob Howell
Rachel Kalamaros*



*Edward Killey
Caleb LaFlamme
Martina Lapekas
Kalen Loebach
Kirsten McKittrick
Nora Proos
Aislin Sargent
Nadia Sekellick
Colin Watts*

Pope Francis' Prayer to Saint Joseph



Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary. To you God entrusted his only Son; in you Mary placed her trust; with you Christ became man. Blessed Joseph, to us too, show yourself a father and guide us in the path of life. Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage, and defend us from every evil.

First Holy Communion

St. Joseph—Downtown

May 16th, 2:00 pm & 4:00 pm

SS. John & Bernard

May 22nd, St. Bernard, 5:00 pm



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Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 15

8:00am SJ John Grover (birthday) by Marcia Grover
5:00pm SB Dcn Mike & Peggy Gallagher (50th Wedding Anniv) by the Gallagher Family

Sunday, May 16

9:00am SJ † Lillian Barchalk by the Barchalk Family
11:00am SB Our Parish Family
12:30pm SB (Español) †Hna. Cecelia Pilay by Las Hermanas Misioneras

Monday, May 17

6:00pm SB † William Drake by SS John & Bernard Parish

Tuesday, May 18

8:00am SJ † Joanne Lucille Davis by the McMahon Family

Wednesday, May 19

6:00pm SB Deceased members of the Morse & Garlock Families by Robert & Linda

Thursday, May 20

9:00am SB † Mary Lou Radke by Richard Radke

Friday, May 21

8:00am SJ † Nora Healy (Birthday) by Eileen Healy

Saturday, May 22: First Holy Communion, 5:00 pm

8:00am SJ In Praise & Thanksgiving by Ann Shembarger
5:00pm SB † Mary Lee Cecchi by Bonnie Veverka

Sunday, May 23

9:00am SJ Our 2021 Graduates
11:00am SB Our Parish Family
12:30pm SB (Español) Elena Sandoval by the Sandoval Family

† Indicates Deceased * Indicates Death Anniversary

LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 22, 5:00 pm Mass

Lector Peter Shaffer

Sunday, May 23, 9:00 am Mass

Lector Graduation Mass

Sunday, May 23, 11:00 am Mass

Lector Sadie Loebach

Saturday, May 29, 5:00 pm Mass

Lector Linda Zienty

Sunday, May 30, 9:00 am Mass

Lector Tom Hanley

Sunday, May 30, 11:00 am Mass

Lector Patricia Quattrin

Our Stewardship

We Thank You for Your Generosity

Collections for 5/9.....\$19,374.00
Year To Date (July 2020—Present).....\$620,929.42
Budget YTD.....\$630,697.50

Bishop's Annual Appeal 2021

Pledged.....\$45,574.00 (40.2%)
Paid To Date.....\$27,372.08
Number of Families.....124 (16.2%)

2021 Bishop's Annual Appeal

When you give to the Bishop's Annual Appeal, you make possible the more than 70 spiritual, pastoral, educational, and charitable programs and services provided through the diocese. ***Your gift does make a difference: Our parish goals are 100% participation and \$113,256. Your gift will help us accomplish both.***

It's Easy To Give Online

Our online giving platform is quick and easy. Call Kathy at the Parish Office for more information at (269) 925-2425.



Please Pray For Our Sick



LouAnn Agens	Thomas Jones
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Elizabeth Bean	Janine McDonough
Lee Boardman	Linda Mitchell
Mary Bradley	Jackie Miller
Zona Bradley	Robert Morse
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Sabrina Cavanaugh	Larry Olson
Cole Childress	Rob Ott
Grace de Best	Mary Ann Puchinsky
Marietta DeMorrow	Kim Puleo
April Disterheft	Jolene Richards
Paxton Dobbins	Tom Schimp
Christian Dornseif	Richard Schueneman
Sally Eberhard	David Seymour
Sandy Fenderbosch	Ann Shembarger
Carol Frosolone	Martha Shuler
Rose Fuller	Dave Simaz
Michael Gagliardo	Catherine Sitarz
Gabe Galligan	Dominic Smit
Carolyn Gillen	Gus Scheffler
Steve Gaunder	Kristy Schmitt
Eileen Healy	Joseph Stainer
Linda Heil	Ruth Still
Philip Hild	Carol Taylor
Fr. Bill Jacobs	James Thomas, Jr.
Donna Pelkey Jennings	Shirley Thomas
Marilyn Jennings	Connie Weaver
Lynne Jones	Ruth Ann York

Pray For Our Military Soldiers

SPC Gabriel Brunner, son of Jon & Lynn Brunner
PFC Douglas Cox, grandson of Dan & Carol Frosolone
CPT John Dansfield, grandson of John & Johanna Schmuhl, & son of James & Carol Dansfield
STAFF SGT Jared Haberlin, grandson-in-law of Dale & Patricia Quattrin
2LT Noah M. Hanau, son of Brett & Cathy Taylor, grandson of Dale & Patricia Quattrin
LT Rory McRae, Air Force, Grandson of Maureen McRae
PVT Gus Pinkowski, son of Bob & Peg Pinkowski, grandson of Bert Serocki
HM2 Tim Schwartz, USN; nephew of Peter & Raejene Shaffer
PFC Mark Moschiamo, Army Infantry, grandson-in-law of Winn Watts
COL Alan Quattrin, nephew of Dale & Patricia Quattrin & Erin Fitzsimmons
PFC Samantha Quattrin, great niece of Dale & Patricia Quattrin & Erin Fitzsimmons

Call the Parish Office to add a name to the list.

OUR WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, May 16

8:00 am Confession, St. John Church

Monday, May 17

7:00 am Adoration, St. Bernard Church

5:30 pm Benediction, St. Bernard Church

Tuesday, May 18

Wednesday, May 19

5:00 pm Confession, St. Bernard Church

Thursday, May 20

Friday, May 21

8:30 am Adoration & Confession,
St. John Church

4:30 pm Benediction, St. John Church

Saturday, May 23

1:00 pm First Communion Retreat, St. Bernard

3:30 pm Confession, St. Bernard Church

5:00 pm First Communion Mass, St. Bernard



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of St. Bernard

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9:00 am—St. John

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Readings for the Week of May 16, 2021

Sunday

Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord

Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9; Eph 1:17-23
or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13; Mk 16:15-20

Monday

Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab;
Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday

Saint John I, Pope and Martyr

Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a

Wednesday

Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab; Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday

Saint Bernardine of Siena, Priest

Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8,
9-10, 11; Jn 17:20-26

Friday

**Saint Christopher Magallanes, Priest, and
Companions, Martyrs**

Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab;
Jn 21:15-19

Saturday

Saint Rita of Cascia, Religious

Morning: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5 and
7; Jn 21:20-25

Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or
Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35,
27-28, 29-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39

Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9; Ps 33:10-11, 12-13,
14-15; Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b; Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55
56 or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Ez 37:1-14; Ps 107:
2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24 and
35, 27-38, 29-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39

Sunday

Solemnity Of Pentecost Sunday

Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34;
1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25; Jn 20:
19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

Sacramental Information

Sacrament of Matrimony

Contact the Parish Office

Anointing of the Sick

Contact the Parish Office

RCIA

If you are interested in becoming
Catholic, or continuing in your
Catholic Formation. Please contact the
parish office for more information.

Sacrament of Confirmation

Contact the Director, Chad Roden
4Churchesym@gmail.com
269-983-1575

First Holy Communion

Contact the Religious Ed Office
Religiouseoffice@att.net or
269-983-1575

Sacrament of Baptism

Baptismal Prep Class Required for First
Time Parents. Please call the Parish
office to set up an appointment or to
schedule a Baptism. We offer
Baptismal classes for Parents and
Godparents, the first Sunday of every
month, following the 11:00 am Mass
at St. Bernard Church.

WHY BE BURIED IN A CATHOLIC CEMETERY?

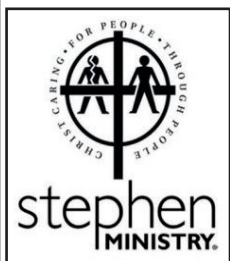
Death, as seen through the eyes of a Christian, is not the end; it is simply a natural passageway to everlasting life. Burial in a Catholic cemetery is a statement of continued belief in that everlasting life, even in death. As people of faith, our burial places share an important meaning for us, since they are sacred places. Each visit to the cemetery is a reminder to us of the love, fellowship, and faith that we shared with our deceased family members.



St. Joseph's Beloved Adoration Chapel

Adorers are needed! We are in the
need for many adorers before we
can enjoy Perpetual Adoration!

Please use the links below
to see our needs and to signup:
<https://forms.gleZBDYy8VMnk7oVt7A6>
Or www.stjoestjoe.church/adoration-chapel



Stephen Ministry Oh, Happy Day!

Today, we celebrate Our Risen Lord's Ascension into Heaven. He, through the Holy Spirit and Scripture has given many gifts to the Catholic/Christian community. These gifts are meant to unite us and to provide care and help to all members of the Parish community.

Stephen Ministers through training and prayer have been blessed with many special gifts of giving and are prepared to help those in need.

Feel free to talk with a Stephen Leader after Mass or give the Parish office a call.

Leaders:

Lois Wallace 269-934-5683

Kathy Boyle 269-921-6435

Jim Stouffer 269-208-4207

Deacon Ed Nickel 269-214-4451

All Stephen Ministers wear a Blue Stephen Minister badge. Feel free to approach one of them; they are available after all Masses near the Cry Room. **God is Good...All the Time.**



Let's Pray the Rosary Together

St. Joseph's First Sunday Rosary

June's First Sunday Rosary will be held on June 6th, we are planning on praying outside at our South location, near the Rosary Garden, with weather permitting. If the weather does not cooperate, we will pray indoors. See you at 2:00 pm!

St. Joseph's Zoom Rosary

Zoom Rosary Monday—Thursday and Saturday 9:30 am and 7:00 pm. Call the Bakers 269-429-1295 to obtain the Meeting ID and Passcode.

Attention Volunteers

Please note, if you volunteer at our parishes or schools, or a home schooled parent, you are required to participate in the Virtus Protecting God's Children monthly bulletin articles. These monthly readings have not stopped during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Please log on to your Virtus account and see if you are behind. Remember, in order to volunteer, you must comply with Virtus. If you have any questions, please email religiousoffice@att.net.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 1120

Join us, as we continue our mission of Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism. All practicing Catholic men 18 years or older are invited to join.

In honor of Blessed Michael McGivney, men can join as online members for free at www.kofc.org/ join us using promo code MCGIVNEY2020. Contact Grand Knight Tom Hanley at 269-930-0701 for more information.

Upcoming Council 1120 Events:

- ◆ Corporate Communion Sunday, May 30th, 9:00 am Mass at St. Johns
- ◆ Knights Membership Meeting Tuesday, June 1st, 7:00 pm St. Bernard (Officers Planning Meeting will start at 6:00 pm)
- ◆ Blood Drives are scheduled for Tuesdays at St. Bernard, July 27th, Sept 21st, and December 14th

Maintenance/Janitorial Positions Openings St. Joseph Parish & LMC Middle/High Schools

St. Joseph Catholic Parish will be joining forces with Lake Michigan Catholic Middle/High Schools in the restructuring of our maintenance/janitorial positions. We are looking for (3) part-time custodians and (2) full-time maintenance staff. The maintenance positions will be staggered shifts, one from 7:00 am-3:00 pm and one from 1:00 pm-9:00pm. Must pass a criminal background check and comply with all Virtus guidelines. Please e-mail resumes or any questions to Stacey at SNutting17@gmail.com.

JOB POSTING

SS. John & Bernard Parish is seeking a full time secretary. The ideal candidate will be:

- Friendly and Pastoral
- Organized and detail oriented

The secretary will also:

- Have the ability to multi task
- Coordinate Parish and Office functions
- Create and submit the bulletin
- Schedule Liturgical Servers
- Coordinate Sacraments, Funerals, Weddings and Religious Ed
- Coordinate pastoral home visits
- Correspond with the Diocese of Kalamazoo with needs of the Parish and Diocese



Must have the ability to self direct and work independently. The secretary will work closely with the Pastor, parish staff, and volunteers to ensure that the needs of the parish are met. Knowledge of Microsoft Office and Google applications is preferred. Please forward cover letters and resumes to Kathy at ssjbbusmgr@gmail.com.

In Case of a Sacramental Emergency

If there is a **Sacramental Emergency only**, please call the emergency phone number at 269-983-1575 ext. 8. Please leave a message and someone will get back to you.

The phone is always monitored.





Welcome May

Little Laker Preschool 4's began the month of May with projects to honor Mary Mother of God. Preschoolers made rosaries and decorated pictures of Mary with beautiful flowers. Little Lakers also made Mother's Day gifts and cards for their own mothers to show their love and gratitude for all they do.

Dive In!

Third Graders welcomed back a very popular activity this year. Once again they are able to learn the fundamentals of swimming through the South Shore Health and Racquet Club. In accordance with COVID 19 guidelines the classes alternate weeks so they maintain their cohort groups.

5th Graders Sweep Innovation Expo

Southwestern Michigan College, in conjunction with the MISTEM Network Southwest Region, hosted the Virtual Innovation Expo 2021. 5th grade Science teacher, Mrs. Lindsey Goshgarian, incorporated the Innovation Expo as a way for students to apply their STEM skills in a real-life situation. Students had to identify a problem, design a solution, and present their solution via Flipgrid. Each Laker invented a product to make life easier, such as a 3D printed item that removes stuck tape, a dual-direction flashlight, and a carry-on bag with a retractable work desk. Students from 4 counties entered the competition, with winners being selected based on: the quality of the problem identified for grade level, solution of the problem, presentation, and testing data.

Congratulations!

Congratulations to LMC 5th graders Andrew Wilcox, Annabelle Voglewede and Mariana Borsari de Araujo, who won all 3 prizes in the 3rd through 5th grade age group of the 2020-21 Southwest Michigan Innovation Expo! Each winner received a \$10 gift card and a frameable certificate of achievement.

Thank you!

Laker teachers and staff send a big "Thank You!" to the ES Laker FUN, MSHS Laker Care Team, and all the school families who were involved in the Teacher Appreciation week festivities! Teachers and staff were showered with goodies throughout the week - breakfast treats from Panera, "Woot Woot" wagon goodies, coloring pages from the elementary students, ice cream, and lunch from Moes at the elementary, and lunch from Classic Catering, a bottle of Tabor Hill wine, chocolates from Veni's, bagels & coffee, and a balloon & candy welcome at the MSHS! These signs of appreciation mean so much coming from our school families - we are truly blessed to be Lakers!

Virtual Scholastic Book Fair

LMC Elementary School will host a Virtual Scholastic Book Fair, open online from 5/17-5/30. Watch the school website, www.lmclakers.org, in May for links to your homepage and online store of thousands of titles for preschool and up.



Open Enrollment Continues For 2021-2022

Please visit our website LMCLakers.org for more information on classes, curriculum, or to enroll:

www.lmclakers.org/enroll or call:

Elementary School:

Larry Hoskins, Principal,
lhoskins@lmclakers.org
269-429-0227

Middle/High School:

James White, Principal,
jwhite@lmclakers.org or
269-983-2511



Youth Group For Our Parishes



We have a traveling image of St. Joseph visiting homes in the coming weeks. As hosts to the image, a family is expected to come together and offer prayers before the image. If you are interested in hosting the image,

To be put on the weekly email list please email 4Churchesym@gmail.com or call the St. Joseph's Parish Office for more details.

Steubenville Conference

Mark your calendars, July 9-11 is this year's Steubenville Conference. This year, because of COVID restriction, the weekend will look a little different, but we hope you still consider joining us. For more information please email Chad at 4churchesym@gmail.com

Volunteers Are Needed At All Weekend Masses

We are in need of additional volunteers to help with the usher's duties and with cleaning the church after each weekend Mass.

These ministries do not take a lot of time but are a very valuable service to the priests and others.



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COLLABORATIVE MASS, CONFESSION, & ADORATION TIMES**Weekend Mass Times****Saturday Vigil**

4:00 pm—South

5:00 pm—St. Bernard

5:00 pm—Watervliet

6:00 pm—Downtown

Sunday

8:00 am—Downtown

8:30 am—Watervliet

9:00 am—St. John

9:00 am—South

10:00 am—Downtown

11:00 am—St. Bernard

11:00 am—Watervliet

12:00 pm—Downtown

12:30 pm—St. Bernard

(Español)

6:00 pm—South

Weekday Mass Times**Monday**

8:00 am—Downtown

9:00 am—Watervliet

6:00 pm—St. Bernard**Tuesday**

8:00 am—St. John

8:00 am—Downtown

Wednesday

8:00 am—Downtown

9:30 am—South

9:00 am—Watervliet

6:00 pm—St. Bernard**Weekday Mass Times****Thursday**

8:00 am—Downtown

9:00 am—St. Bernard**Friday**

8:00 am St. John

8:00 am—Downtown

9:00 am—Watervliet

12:15 pm—Downtown

Saturday

8:00 am—St. John

8:00 am—Downtown

9:00 am—Watervliet

Adoration Chapel**Downtown**

Tues. 8:00 am—Weds. 6:00 pm

24 Hours, 7 Days—Hopefully soon!

We need more adorers

to make it happen.

Adoration**Monday**

7:00 am—5:15 pm

St. Bernard**Friday**

8:30 am—4:30 pm

St. John

6:00 pm—7:00 pm

Watervliet

Confession Times**Friday****8:30 am—St. John**

11:00 am—Noon

Downtown

6:00—7:00 pm

Watervliet

Saturday

11:30 am—1:00 pm

Downtown

3:00—3:40 pm

South

3:30—4:30 pm**St. Bernard &**

Watervliet

Sunday

8:00 am—St. John

Latin Mass: 1st Saturday of the Month—St. John, 8:00 am

What to know

when attending public Mass

What to Do

WEAR A MASK

Masks/face coverings should be worn by those medically able.

SANITIZE

Use hand sanitizer upon entering the church. If able, carry your own sanitizer.

STAY INFORMED

Visit your parish website, review parish communication, and be aware of the specific procedures.

BE PATIENT AND CHARITABLE

The guidelines may seem extreme to some and too little for others. Please be considerate of how those around you may feel.

What to Expect

DISPENSATION

The dispensation from the Sunday obligation to attend Mass is extended until further notice.

CAPACITY

Parishes are not to exceed 50% capacity.

50%

CONTACT FREE

The Sign of Peace should remain a contact-free gesture.

DISTANCE

A distance of six feet should be maintained between persons of different households.

You may find a complete list of guidelines and FAQs at diokzoo.org/return

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Diocese of Kalamazoo**Catholic Charities' Bridge Counseling**

Did you know that Catholic Charities' Bridges Counseling program provides mental health counseling to all in the Diocese (regardless of insurance coverage)! Our services include individual or family counseling for adults, and children, group therapy, Perinatal Mood Disorder support and therapy groups. Virtual or in-person available. Call 269-381-9800 to learn more.

Mass for the Intention of the**Cursillo Movement: Kalamazoo – August 15**

Come join members of the Diocesan Spanish and English Cursillo Movements on Sunday August 15, 2021 at 2:00 pm, when Most Rev. Bishop Paul J. Bradley will celebrate Mass for the Intention of the Cursillo Movement in the Diocese of Kalamazoo at St. Augustine Cathedral. It is a celebration of Cursillo, an opportunity for those interested to learn more about the Cursillo Movement, and for Cursillistas of all ages to reconnect with the movement in our Diocese.

The National Association of Catholic Nurses

The association is pleased to announce the start of a local council in our diocese. The main goals of the council are to provide spiritual nourishment, ethical support, networking and friendship with fellow Catholic Nurses. Join <https://NACN-USA.org> and as a member of the national association you will be automatically enrolled as a member in our local council and will receive updates on council formation. Questions? Contact Janet C. Munday, BSN, RN, Regional Director, at JanetMunday@gmail.com

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