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Our Mission Statement - St. Joseph Parish is a diverse, rural, family oriented, growing Catholic faith community. Centered in Christ, this community strives to provide for the spiritual growth and faith development of all of its members within a warm and welcoming atmosphere. All parishioners are invited to actively participate by sharing their gifts and talents in selfless service for others, and by being respectful, forgiving and honest in their relationships. Parishioners strive to make everyone feel valued, especially newcomers, families, the elderly and the youth.



# St. Joseph Catholic Church

Founded in 1873

**Deacon:** 

CCD PCL:

Parochial Administrator: Fr. Barnabas Kyeah, bkyeah@tisd.net Steve Borowicz, deaconsteve@tisd.net Admin. Assistant, Finance: Mary Lea Kloesel, stjosephchurch@tisd.net

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### **Church Office Hours**

Mon. - Thur. 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. **Closed on Fridays** 

**Father's Office** 

Closed on Mondays

Office Phone/Fax 361-782-3181 **Rectory Phone** 361-781-0459

#### Addresses

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## **Church Email**

stjosephchurch@tisd.net

# Website

http://stjosephinez.org

# **Mass Schedule** Weekend

Saturday 6:00 p.m., Sunday 7:30 a.m., Sunday 9: 00 a.m. **Daily** 

Tue. – Fri. 7:30 a.m.

# **Prayer Garden**

available 24/7/365

### **Confessions**

Saturday 5:00-5:45 p.m. or by Appointment

## Adoration

First Friday of every month 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.All are Welcome!

### **Anointing of the Sick**

Please call Father if you are seriously ill, about to enter the hospital or if someone is close to death.

# Baptism, Marriage, Funerals

Check our website or call the office for more information: 361-782-3181



# **WELCOME TO** St. Joseph Catholic Church in Inez, Texas

We invite you to join us in celebrating the Eucharist and participating in the activities of our parish. We want everyone to feel welcome to share in the Inez Catholic Community and to grow with us.

### Mass Intention Symbol

† - In honor of deceased

▼ - Anniversary/Marriage

■ - Birthday/Thanksgiving

SI – Special Intentions

# Mass Intentions for the Week

Tues. – Mike McDonough (†) Ken & Doe Richter

Wed. – Marie & Chris Grosse (†) Randy & Kathy Davis

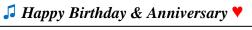
Thurs. – Mary Lea Kloesel (♣) Donna & Kevin DeBault

Fri. – Karen & Buddy Franz (♥) Franz Family

Sat. – John & Mary Garvel (†) Doris McCord

Sun. 7:30 a.m. – Dottie Caraway (†) Donna & Kevin DeBault

Sun. 9:00 a.m. – Frankie & Tonja Miori (†) Ken & Robin Baker



Natalie Koehl Milton Tater Jamie Moreno Wyatt Sandhop Saylah Salazar Victor Bueno Sajah Salazar Doye Bethke Michael & Mary Hernandez Gustavo Bueno Kurt & Laura Koliba Gunner Rutherford Floyd & Karen Franz Wes McGinnis Frank & Sadie Vacante Rosemary Tater Brandon & Sara Muschalek Bowen Malek

Would you like to go on an Amazing Grace Pilgrimage to the Holy Land w/ Father Albert Yankey celebrating his 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of his ordination. April 27– May 7, 2020... contact Lori Janak at 281-221-0568 or janak.lori@gmail.com for more info. Enrollment forms are in the Narthex.

# Dear Padre

### Do dogs go to heaven?

Franciscan Friar Kevin Mackin writes, "The bond between person and pet is like no other relationship, because the communication between fellow creatures is at its most basic. Eye to eye are two creatures of love" (Catholic Update: "Why We Bless Animals," Liquori).

Is it any wonder that people desire to see their pets in heaven! Yet, we know so little of what heaven is like. "We do know that when it is revealed we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is" (1 John 3:2). "At present we see indistinctly, as in a mirror, but then face to face" (1 Corinthians 13:12). Thus, in heaven we'll see and enjoy the loving essence of God for eternity.

Would not the sensation we experience on earth through a bond with loved ones and with lovable creatures be experienced and infinitely satisfied when we're bonded to God's loving essence for eternity? In other words, if a beloved pet gives us such happiness on earth, won't that sensation be experienced preeminently forever in heaven? We either won't miss the pet for that very reason or perhaps God will reunite us with it in some form as part of that heavenly experience. "What eye has not seen, and ear has not heard, and what has not entered the human heart, what God has prepared for those who love him" (1 Corinthians 2:9).

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—Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR

# Monday

SEPTEMBER 30 St. Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church Zec 8:1-8 Lk 9:46-50

# Tuesday

OCTOBER 1 St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church Zec 8:20-23 Lk 9:51-56

# Wednesday

OCTOBER 2 Holy Guardian Angels Neh 2:1-8 Mt 18:1-5, 10

### **Thursday** OCTOBER 3

Weekday Neh 1:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12 Lk 10:1-12

### Friday

OCTOBER 4 St. Francis of Assisi Bar 1:15-22 Lk 10:13-16

# Saturday

OCTOBER 5 Weekday Bar 4:5-12, 27-29 Lk 10:17-24

# Sunday

OCTOBER 6 Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Hab 1:2-3; 2:2-4 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14

Lk 17:5-10

# **Good News!**

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time (C) Am 6:1a, 4-7; 1 Tm 6:11-16; Lk 16:19-31

It's so easy to fall into complacency and not strive for greatness. When we're young, we idealistically dream of reaching the heights of success. Then with time and the resistance of circumstances, we are hypnotized into settling for less and less. Eventually we're content with just getting by, rather than embracing the arduous struggle upon the higher road that once attracted us.

The rich man of the Gospel was also complacent. His wealth blinded him to the needs of Lazarus, the poor man he passed and stepped over every time he entered his home. Even though he could help, the rich man refused. How could he be so inconsiderate? He had everything and was unwilling to offer even leftover food to someone in need.

God is against complacency and settling for the easy and sensual. He upbraids the chosen race for exactly that. They are too comfortable on their expensive, comfortable couches. Saint Paul challenges the young bishop Timothy to pursue high ideals such as righteousness, devotion, faith, love, patience, gentleness, and all other virtues. We should strive for them as well. How?

Jesus is the beautiful, timeless ideal of every soul aiming for perfect love. Keep your eyes on him and you will never settle for anything but true greatness. -Fr. Mark Haydu, LC

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**Information for the Bulletin** needs to be submitted by noon on Monday for it to be printed for the upcoming weekend.

### **Next Weekend's Ministry Schedule**

### Saturday 6:00 p.m.

Jason M, Johnathan W, Volunteer A. Server E. Minister J Marek, A Marek, M Maraggia

R Miori Lector

Ushers Miori, Maraggias, Volunteer

### Sunday 7:30 a.m.

A. Server Sarah K, Natalie & Jack K K Bednorz, L Groth, Volunteer E. Minister

M or C Kolodziejczyk Lector

G Gabrysch, L Groth, Volunteers Ushers

# Sunday 9:00 a.m.

A. Server Saylah & Sajah S, Volunteer

M Hirschhauser Cantor A Easley, Volunteers E. Minister Maddison Heibel Lector

Ushers R Cedillo, B Gonzales, 1 Volunteer The Beautiful Altar flowers are in

memory of Fritz 'Key' Schwarting by Jamie Schwarting Cryan

**Last Week's Church Giving Report** 

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(\$17,875.00)

\$15,402.00

St. Joseph Parish is offering RCIA Classes for Adults who would like to be Catholics or accepted into the Catholic Faith: Adult Catholics who may have been baptized but haven't received Communion/Confirmation into the Catholic faith & would like to do so, are also welcome. Classes will begin Sunday, Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup>. Contact Deacon Steve or Father Barnabas for more information.

As St. Joseph's part of the Diocesan Rosary Congress the Rosary will be prayed 15 minutes prior to every Mass the weekends of Oct. 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> and Oct. 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>. Please take this week to pray the rosary at home, in the prayer garden or as a group. **Everyone is** invited.... Solemn Vigil of the Feast of Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary will also be Sunday, Oct. 6, 6:00 p.m. at The Cathedral of Our lady of Victory. Please join us for this Opening Mass of the Diocesan Rosary Congress celebrated by Bishop **Brendan J. Cahill.** The Diocesan Rosary Congress (October 7-13, 2019) is a time of intense prayer before our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament using the Holy Rosary to pray "in reparation for the recent scandals [in the Church] and imploring God's mercy on our country." The theme for this period of prayer comes from Pope St. John Paul II: "To contemplate the face of Christ with Mary."

> Go to: https://victoriadiocese.org/special-collections for more information on the Diocese Special Collections. Oct. 5 – Towards St. Joseph's 2019 DSA obligation of \$33,277.00 Yellow DSA envelopes are in your quarterly mailout.

CCD Program

Prayer Garden

Scholarship

Weekly Loose

Total

2020 Picnic (eGiving \$0) sub cat. (\$0)

Pledges - Building/Memorials

Weekly Offering (eGiving \$215)

2019 DSA 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection/eGiving (total)

2019 DSA St. Joseph Goal balance

2019 DSA St. Joseph Goal

Weekly Building Fund

# Upcoming....

Sep 28 – Inez Volunteer Fire Dept. 16th Annual Fundraiser at Inez Community Center – 4:00 p.m.- Midnight- Chicken Fried Steak Plates served from 4-6:00 p.m. Cake Walk, Silent Auction, Live Auction & Raffle. Free Dance 9:00 p.m. – Midnight Sept 29 – July/Aug/Sept Birthday/Anniversary Social after 9:00 a.m. Mass

Sep 29 – St. Patrick's Annual Fall Festival Bloomington – Turkey & Dressing \$10, Auction, Raffle, Cake Walk, Games, etc...

Sep 29 – Sts. Peter & Paul Annual Festival – 11220 FM 237, Meyersville – BBQ Plates \$10, Auction, Raffle, Games, etc...

Oct 1 – Parish Council Meeting – 7:00 p.m. in the Meeting Room

Oct 4 – First Friday Adoration – 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. All are invited! Oct 6 – God's Embrace – ALL ARE INVITED to meet in Parish Hall 5-7:00 p.m.

Oct 13 – Knights of Columbus Meeting – After 9:00 a.m. Mass in the Pavilion

Oct 13 – Our Lady of Victory Fall Fest-Victoria Community Center serving BBQ beef/sausage \$10, Auction, Raffle, games...

Oct 15 – Finance Council Meeting – 6:00 p.m. in the Meeting Room

Oct 19 – Embracing God's Family - Bishop Cahill invites everyone to the Diocese of Victoria Catholic Conference – https://www.victoriadiocese.org/xxix-annual-conference-of-catechesis-ministry

Oct 20 – Confirmation Mass

Oct 20 - God's Embrace – ALL ARE INVITED to meet in Parish Hall 5-7:00 p.m.

Oct 27 - Sts. Peter's & Robert's Catholic Churches Annual BBQ Turkey Meal \$12 - in Blessing, 306 Hickory St.

Nov 3 - God's Embrace – ALL ARE INVITED to meet in Parish Hall 5-7:00 p.m.

Nov 10 – Community Feast of Thanksgiving – Inez Community Center

Nov 17 - God's Embrace – ALL ARE INVITED to meet in Parish Hall 5-7:00 p.m.

**Dec 4 – Matt Fradd Event – During CCD Classes** 

Dec 6 - Church Ministries Christmas Get-together - Parish & Finance Councils, Building & Cemetery Boards, Music,

**Dec 8 - God's Embrace – ALL ARE INVITED** to meet in Parish Hall 5-7:00 p.m.

March 8, 2020 - Feast of St. Joseph Celebration - Mark your calendar... Everyone is invited.

Message of the Week — God never said that the journey would be easy, but He did say that the arrival would be worthwhile. https://messages.365greetings.com/wp-content/uploads/2012/07/christian-inspirational-quotes-with-images.jpg