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Spiritual Communion Prayer
My Jesus,



I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen

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.

Please inform the office if you know of a St. Joseph parishioner in the hospital or homebound for Father Barnabas to contact or visit.

February 27, 2022

St. Joseph Catholic Church
Founded in 1873

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Thank you, Graclyn H., for being the first to turn in a beautiful St. Joseph picture. If you would like to turn in a picture you have until March 2, 2022.

Saint Joseph

O blessed Joseph,
faithful guardian of my Redeemer,
Jesus Christ, protector of
thy chaste spouse,
the virgin Mother of God,
I choose thee this day to be my
special patron and advocate and
I firmly resolve to honor
thee all the days of my life.
Therefore I humbly beseech thee
to receive me as thy client,
to instruct me in every doubt,
to comfort me in every affliction,
to obtain for me and for all the knowledge
and love of the Heart of Jesus,
and finally to defend and protect
me at the hour of my death.

- Amen



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Additional Focus Wednesday Worship Hour from 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. will now include **Heal Our Land - Holy Hour. Join us to pray for an outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the USA! Come, get blessed and filled with the Holy Spirit! Men, Women, Children, ALL are welcome!**
(Mark your Calendar: No Adoration on March 2, 2022)

The Catholic Daughters will be praying the Rosary every first Saturday of the month starting at **3:30** pm in the Prayer Garden. The next Rosary will be **March 5, 2022. All are welcome!**



Catholic Daughters will have tubs set out around the Church to collect baby items for the Gabriel Project. Please bring new and gently used baby clothes, diapers, wipes, etc. We will be collecting items until **February 27, 2022. Thank you!**

We are gathering every First Friday for Adoration – 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. All are welcome! Please mark your calendars – March 4, 2022



The St. Joseph Bible Study group will start “Disciples on the Journey” on Thursday, March 3, 2022 for Lent. The group meets from 9:30 am – 11:30 am every Thursday in the Parish Hall.

Ministry Schedule	Ministry Schedule
February 26-Saturday 5:00 pm Lector: Volunteer Usher: G Bowers	March 5 - Saturday 5:00 pm Lector: M Hodgkinson
February 27 - Sunday 7:30 am Lector: Sheryl Schmidt	March 6 - Sunday 7:30 am Lector: Heather Day
February 27 - Sunday 9:00 am Lector: Robert Kovar	March 6 - Sunday 9:00 am Lector: Karen Franz

Mark Your Calendar

March 1, 2022 – Parish Council Meeting

March 2, 2022 – Ash Wednesday
Mass 7:30 am and 6:30 pm

March 2, 2022 – Second Collection for Aid to the Church in Central & Eastern Europe

March 4/6, 2022 – Women in the Word Retreat for Women; Diocese of Victoria Spiritual Renewal Center

March 23/24, 2022 – St. Joseph Church Lenten Mission (be looking out for more information)

THANK YOU!

Last Week's Church Giving Report Church Giving Report - includes eGiving

CCD Program:	\$95.00
Prayer Garden:	\$45.00
2022 Picnic-incl.eGiving & sub groups:	\$120.00
Scholarship:	\$50.00
Weekly Building/Memorials:	\$175.00
Weekly Offering/Holy Day & eGiving:	\$1,425.00
Weekly Loose Offering:	\$254.00
Total:	\$2,164.00

🎵 **Happy Birthday & Anniversary** ♥
We wish you many blessings!

Nicholas Kurtz
Abigail Pfuhl
Charles Smith
Maren Farley
Stacy Nunez
Thomas Liska Jr
John Zacek

Paden & Chelsie Horelka
Faith Villarreal
Klint Weinheimer
Elina Loreda
Ethan Flores
Albertha Strnadel



LENT IS COMING

Lent is a season of prayer and penance set apart by the Church to prepare us for Easter and to recall Our Lord's fast in the desert (cf. Matt 4:1-11, Luke 4:1-13). This season of preparation and sanctification can be fittingly accomplished through voluntary amendment of life, acts of penance, and works of charity. Lent is a time to learn to love our souls more than our bodies. Thus, every Christian should make a special effort to practice mortification and strive for holiness during the forty days of Lent.



DO NOT LET THIS TIME TO GROW IN HOLINESS PASS YOU BY!!

Consider the following categories on what you should do for Lent.

1. **VOLUNTARY AMENDMENT OF LIFE:** Give up those things that you need to give up sooner or later, namely bad habits. Your goal here is to break a bad habit for ever and Lent is a good time to do it. Love your soul more than your body!
Examples: Gossiping, surfing the web without real need, watching T.V., overeating, eating between meals, eating and drinking junk foods (e.g., soda), bad drinking habits, complaining, saying vulgar words, not getting up on time, using a snooze alarm, wasting time playing video games, going to movies, listening to base music, useless chattering on facebook, blogs, and the like, etc...

In this category I am going to do _____

2. **ACTS OF PENANCE:** Perform some kind of penance. Your goal here is to train yourself to say "no" in little things so that you can say "NO" to big temptations later. You may resume doing the things you have given up here once Lent is over. Love your soul more than your body!
Examples: Avoid eating or drinking something that you enjoy, such as desserts. Give up eating out, taking hot showers, drinking alcoholic beverages, etc...

In this category I am going to do _____

3. **WORKS OF CHARITY:** Perform some good and holy action(s). Your goal here is to strengthen your relationship with Christ and His Beloved Church. Ideally what you start here would continue in some way even after Lent is over. Love God more than yourself!
Examples: Pray the Rosary every day, attend daily Mass as much as possible, read the Sacred Scriptures _____ minutes a day, spend _____ additional time every day with my family, read a life of a saint or saints, increase spiritual reading, make a daily visit to the Most Blessed Sacrament or some shrine of Our Lady.

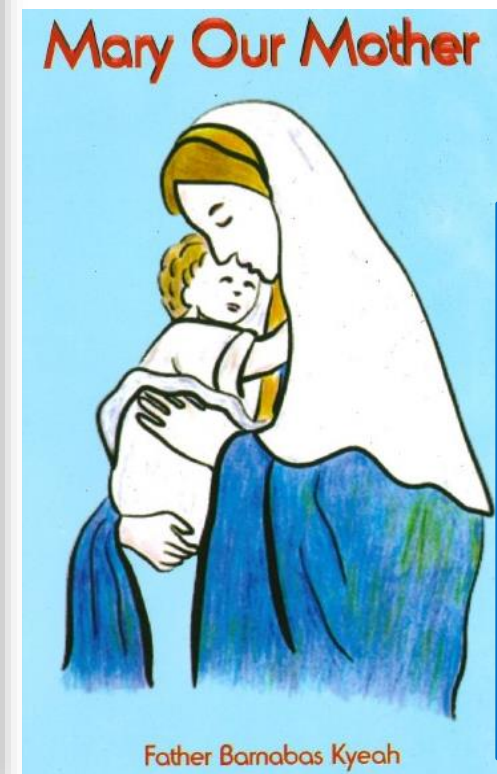
In this category I am going to do _____

I plan on making a good confession by this day during Lent _____

Mass Intentions for the Week/ Symbols

† - In honor of deceased ♥ - Anniversary/Marriage
🎵 - Birthday/Thanksgiving SI - Special Intentions

February 26 - Sat. 5:00 pm – Special Intention **SI B & K Deckert**
February 27 - Sun. 7:30 am – For the People of the Parish
February 27 - Sun. 9:00 am – Cadence Strnadel 🎵 CJ & Carolyn Strnadel
March 1 - Tues. – Patricia Lemke (†) Robert Weitz
March 2 - Wed. 7:30 am – Madden J. Schoener 🎵 N & C Schoener
March 2 - Wed. 6:30 am – Bea Dieringer (†) Benny & Emelia Sulak
March 3 - Thurs. – Anna Hencerling & Debbie Kuchler (†) D & L Witte
March 4 - Fri. – Alvin Carroll (†) Roslie Carroll
March 5 - Sat. 5:00 pm – John J Marek (†) Dale & Elida Zuck
March 6 - Sun. 7:30 am – For the People of the Parish
March 6 - Sun. 9:00 am – Albertha Strnadel 🎵 CJ & Carolyn Strnadel



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Father Barnabas Kyeah
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<i>Lent and Holy Week 2022</i>		
	Ash Wednesday	March 02
	First Sunday of Lent	March 06
	Passion Sunday <small>(Fifth Sunday of Lent)</small>	April 03
	Palm Sunday <small>(Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord)</small>	April 10
	Holy Thursday	April 14
	Good Friday	April 15
	Holy Saturday	April 16
	Easter Sunday	April 17



March 23 & 24
6:30 pm each evening
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The Cross and the Eucharist

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Do I need to bring anything?

No, nothing at all. If you'd like, it may be helpful to bring a Bible and /or a notebook with something to write with (pen or pencil). These nights are for you to be able to reflect on your life and relationship with God. Think of them like a mini-retreat.