

Saint Joseph Catholic Community

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 11-12, 2023



Clergy

Father John Worgul
Pastor

Father Patrick McCain
Associate Pastor

Deacon Joseph Slattery
Deacon Tom White

Entire staff listing at
saintjoseph.cc/Staff

Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday 9:30 am - 3:30 pm

Mass Times

Weekends

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:00 am, 10:45 am, 5:00 pm

Daily

Monday - Saturday 8:30 am

Reconciliation

Saturdays 3:30 - 4:30 pm

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From the Desk of Our Pastor

Handing Down Something Good

I have a sense that there is something extremely important that we must all accomplish together in the next few years. I am not a “spring chicken” and I feel an urgency, especially for our new families an urgency to see God do something that will make us all stand back and say, “God has done great things among us, and it is marvelous in our eyes.” Then I could say with Simeon my Nunc Demittis, and make my journey into the sunset.



It is our responsibility to make sure that we pass on to our younger generation something solid, concrete, and enduring. Unfortunately, not all that was passed on to us was good. Corrupt clergy abused innocent people ruining their lives, and handed us a scandal that drove our Archdiocese into bankruptcy; the injury to our church is incalculable. During the construction of our sanctuary a mere 25 years ago, grave mistakes were made in the construction of the building and support columns. As a result, 10 of the 16 wood columns were found with severe damage due to water infiltration hidden inside the walls, handing down to us a million-dollar-plus repair project.

We may find ourselves angry, but we cannot allow ourselves to be trapped in the past. For the sake of our future generations, we must look forward; we must pass on something more enduring than what we inherited. We must form our families so that they have the knowledge and confidence to catechize our children. We must grow into a liturgy and worship that is full of the good, the true, and the beautiful. We must become a light that shines deep into our parish community and the archdiocese.

Dear brothers and sisters, there is a lot of good here, but we have far to go. On the outside our pillars looked fine, but were deteriorating inside. This can be a metaphor for our spiritual and moral state; looking good on the surface, but not so much underneath. Gone must be the days when only 20% of our congregation supported our mission monetarily. Now is the time to grasp the reality that worship is sacrifice, that we are not “contributors” but debtors to God. I will not beg you for money; He wants you to freely give from your heart as a habitual part of your devotional life.

It is your duty as a disciple of Christ to give regularly and generously. If you do not give regularly already, give consistently a percentage, even if small (e.g. \$10 a week). Next weekend at all Masses, we will be talking more about stewardship and you will be asked to complete the “A Community United” commitment card. This will allow us to plan and allocate our resources. The future of our Church is in our hands.

Yours in Christ,
Father John Worgul



This Week. This Month. This Year. at Saint Joseph Catholic Community

This Week

Sunday 12th

*Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
A Community United Announcement Weekend*
Mass Intentions: + Edward Sullivan, +Peter Cimenti, +SJCC Parishioners
6:00 p LifeTeen

Monday 13th

Memorial of Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini
Mass Intention: + Antonio Sanchez, +Roseann McDairmant
7:00 p Catechism in a Year

Tuesday 14th

Mass Intention: Tin Huynh (Birthday)
7:30 p Rosary for World Peace

Wednesday 15th

Mass Intention: + Edward Sullivan
10:00 a Carroll County Food Sunday
6:30 p Jr Catholic Daughters Meeting
7:00 p WINGS

Thursday 16th

Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome
Mass Intention: + Angela Lambert-Hall
6:00 p Catholic Daughters Meeting
7:00 p Rosary for Cancer Victims

Friday 17th

Memorial of Saint Elizabeth of Hungary
Mass Intention: + Lorraine Hughes
9:00 a Play and Pray

Saturday 18th

Mass Intention: + Francisco J. Guillen
Mass Intention: + Teresa Aumer
4:00 p Rosary Rally
11:00 a Family Rosary across the Parish

Next Month

- ◆ November 19th Stewardship Campaign Commitment Weekend
- ◆ November 22nd & 23rd Thanksgiving Mass
- ◆ November 29th Knights Wine and Cheese Night

This Year

(Mark Your Calendar, Details to Come)

- ◆ December 2nd Breakfast with Saint Nick
- ◆ December 3rd First Sunday of Advent
- ◆ December 8th Immaculate Conception
- ◆ December 15th & 16th Glyndon Area Players
"Still The Greatest Story Ever Told:
Holy Forever"
- ◆ December 24th Christmas Eve
- ◆ December 25th Christmas

* In honor of
+ In memory of
^ Incense planned

Complete Details available at SaintJoseph.cc/Calendar-of-Events



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Three easy Steps to Join SJCC

1. Visit our website at SaintJoseph.cc/Welcome
2. Complete the Registration Form
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3. Attend a Quarterly Welcome Brunch to learn more about your new community.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

For all of the sick... Alicia Bryan, Katrina Berkel, Carmella Campbell, Mel Gysegem, Charles Snelling, Pat Frizzera, Danny Clark, Jean Carroll, Doug & Cathy Hirth, Lisa Wing, Donna Muffoletto, Pat Kovacs, Maria Rios, Kurt Hider, Priscilla Lemak, Brittany Chairs Smith, JoAnna King, Zack King, George Moriatis, Beverly Brinkley, Alec Kerr, Christopher Dustin, Ann Clark, Gertrude Frazier, Chris Comes, Angela Carol Ellis, Gail Daniello, Deacon Karl Bayhi, Abby Cafiero, Lucille Perron, Doris Wagner, Michael KirchnerLet us pray to the Lord: Lord, hear our prayer.

For all who have died: Paul Emmett Kerber... Let us pray to the Lord: Lord, hear our prayer.

Look online for the most up to date list of prayer requests.

Please contact our Parish Office to add your loved one to our prayer list. All names will remain on this list for one month. If a longer period of time is needed, please let us know.

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Thanksgiving Mass
 Wednesday, November 22nd | 7:00 pm
 Thursday, November 23rd | 8:30 am

Thanksgiving Collections

The Thanksgiving Mass Offertory will be used to support our special Christmas Shopping Day for the students at Mother Seton Academy. Walmart gift cards, cash or checks can be placed in the offertory basket on Thanksgiving OR dropped off to the Parish Office before December 1st.

Giving Thanks By Giving Back

Breakfast with Saint Nicholas
 Saturday December 2, 2023
 8:30 - 12:30 pm

[Saint Joseph.cc/BWSN](http://SaintJoseph.cc/BWSN)

Christmas Children's Chorus
 Rehearsal Wednesday, November 29th | 6:00 pm
 Christmas Lessons and Carols Concert | January 5th at SJCC

More Information: SaintJoseph.cc/Childrens-Choir

WEEKLY GIVING

November 4 & 5, 2023

	Actual FY24	Actual FY23
Envelopes (200)	\$ 10,764	\$ 11,376
Faith Direct (0)	<i>Not Available*</i>	\$100
Loose	\$ 3,303	\$1,610
Total for the week	\$ 14,067	\$ 13,086

* Faith Direct—Not available

Poor Box	\$ 720*
Poor Box—All Saints Day	\$ 125
Repairs & Maintenance	\$ 920*
All Saints Day	\$ 2,405*

Mass Attendance: 1,206

Open Position: Office Assistant

This position provides a high level of customer service to both internal staff and external customers in the area of scheduling space and renting facilities. This role requires attention to details, effective communication skills, strong interpersonal skills, initiative, follow-through, good problem-solving abilities and resourcefulness.

Main Job Responsibilities include:

- Administer and maintain facilities calendar
- Program doors to lock and unlock in accordance with scheduled events
- Arrange facility rentals and annual leases
- Provide clerical support to Directors of Facilities, Finance, and Administrative Operations
- Record and maintain sacramental records

Contact parishoffice@saintjoseph.cc for full job description and employee application

Stained Glass and Structural Reinforcement Project As of October 31, 2023



SJCC needs additional Money Counting team members. Members are responsible for sorting, grouping, and counting collections from Sunday Masses, the Poor Box and other monies received through the Parish Office during the week. Ensuring the integrity of the deposit made to the bank is vital. Attention to detail, accuracy, and confidentiality are required. There are 4 rotating teams, so the time commitment is 12-13 times per year for approximately 2 hours each time. If you are interested in becoming a Money Counting Team Member, please contact Lauren Glass at glassl@saintjoseph.cc or 443-920-9123.

COLUMBARIUM UPDATE

If you are interested in finding out more about the Columbarium at the Historic Saint Joseph Church in Sykesville, please email columbarium@saintjoseph.cc or call 443-920-9191 to leave your name and number, and you will be added to the list to be contacted at a future date. If you had already expressed an interest in the Columbarium in a church survey done last year, you will be contacted in the coming months. Thank you!

Our Leadership Team

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Our Pastoral Team

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Corporators

The Corporators are responsible for ensuring parish operations are conducted in an effective and prudent manner, in compliance with all Archdiocesan and legal regulations.

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Gwen Lilly
Chris Patrick

Parish Pastoral Council

The Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) is a consultative body that serves the Pastor. The PPC conducts research and investigates matters that are of importance to the Pastor. It reviews and updates the Parish Pastoral Plan as needed. Meetings are held bi-monthly, and minutes are available on the website.

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Father John Worgul | Pastor
Terry Morse | Chairman
Rachel Wandishin | Vice Chair
Ernest Tucker | Secretary
Minta Davis | At Large Member
Jane Miller | At Large Member
Kathy Reid | At Large Member
Joselle Ruddle | At Large Member
Mark Steinbrunner | At Large Member

Mission Council

The Mission Council are members assigned to implement the Parish Plan and act as a liaison between the ministry staff and the SJCC ministries.

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Tony Gioio | Chairman
Steve Cox | Liturgy Director
Lucy Lyles | Liturgy Chair
Lauren Glass | Mission Support Co- Director
Thomas Schwartz | Mission Support Co-Director
Elena Hodgkiss | Mission Support Chair
Cathy Nusbaum | Secretary

Finance Commission

The Finance Commission is responsible for forecasting, keeping track of, and reporting the parish's financial status. The Finance Commission helps the pastor in all major expenditure decisions.

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Nick Nutting | Chairman
Rachael Rau | Vice Chair
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