

Saint Joseph Catholic Community
Third Sunday of Advent
December 16-17, 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

Our Wonderful Staff, Letter Two

Last week I began my letters presenting our wonderful staff with our facilities team. This week we draw your attention to the area of our business, administration, and communications. It consists of Lauren Glass our Director of Finance and Business Administration with her two assistants Erika Wiegand and Judy Breiner, Cathy Nusbaum our communications coordinator, and our newest member Melissa Goglio, Director of Administrative Operations.



Lauren has been with us on staff for 20 years in many roles. She and her husband Chris have three fine sons. She serves our church with great devotion, given the nature of her responsibilities, such as preparing the budget and managing incoming funds and expenses, she puts in many extra hours in addition to being a Catholic Daughter and serving on many committees. Helping her is Erika, our Business Office Administrative Assistant, who has faithfully carried out her duties here for 7 years. She and her husband, Jeff, have two young adult children and one junior in high school. Erika is always there to lend a hand to anyone who needs it and always with a smile. Then we have Judy who joyfully works as our Bookkeeper. She and her husband, Robert, have four adult children and two grandchildren. If you doubt bookkeepers lack personality, you must see her on the dance floor or listen to her on WSJF 92.7 FM. I cannot say enough for this team who works hard with utmost integrity.

Cathy was born and raised in Eldersburg and has been a parishioner her entire life. She has spent the last ten years working at SJCC in various capacities. Without disclosing her age, though she will tell you that Father Snyder baptized her, it is a long time to know people and be known. As a Catholic Daughter, she now calls some of her former catechist friends. This knowledge is valuable to us, along with her many communication skills. She is in charge of the bulletin and the website, streaming Masses, and filming The Pastorgram and The Journey with Kathy Worgul, among other things.

Our newest member is Melissa. She has an adult son who works for Southwest Airlines and is newly married to her husband, Brian. Melissa and Brian are enjoying learning and spending time at SJCC. She has been here now for only a few months, but she has already blessed us in many ways, especially in organizing our office. She is very professional yet approachable, accessible and laid back yet direct and sees what needs to be done and does it. She also assists me, especially in scheduling my rather complex calendar.

I am so very grateful for each one of these wonderful people. It is no secret that I am not an administrator by nature, so all this help is crucial to me personally but even more vital to the church as a whole. So, if you see any of these fine folk, please give a greeting of encouragement and keep them in your prayers.

Yours in Christ,
Father John Worgul



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

This Week

Monday 18th

Mass Intentions: + Alan Klick
8:30 a Daily Mass
7:00 p Catechism in a Year

Tuesday 19th

Mass Intentions: * Lilly Oyson
8:30 a Daily Mass
Mother Seton Academy Shopping Day
7:30 p Rosary for World Peace

Wednesday 20th

Mass Intentions: * David Swinston
8:30 a Daily Mass
10:00 a Carroll County Food Sunday
5:00 p KOC Christmas Event
7:00 p WINGS

Thursday 21st

Mass Intentions: + Kevin Flanagan
8:30 a Daily Mass
7:00 p Rosary for Cancer Victims

Friday 22nd

Mass Intentions: + Kevin Flanagan
8:30 a Daily Mass
9:00 a Play and Pray

Saturday 23rd

Mass Intentions: + John Turato
8:30 a Daily Mass
11:00 a Family Rosary across the Parish
5:00 p Vigil Mass

Sunday 24th

Mass Intentions: SJCC Parishioners, +Deceased members of the Carlson & Hussle Families
8:00 a Mass
10:45 a Mass

Mass Intentions: SJCC Parishioners
4:00 p Christmas Eve Mass
7:00 p Christmas Eve Mass^
10:00 p Christmas Eve Mass^

Next Month

- ◆ December 25th Christmas Quiet Mass
- ◆ December 27th Theology on Tap
- ◆ December 31st Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

Next Year

(Mark Your Calendar, Details to Come)

- ◆ January 1st Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God The Octave Day of Christmas
- ◆ January 15th Martin Luther King - Parish Office
- ◆ January 19th National March For Life - DC
- ◆ February 14th Ash Wednesday
- ◆ February 16th Lenten Fish Fry begins
- ◆ March 24th Palm Sunday
- ◆ March 28th Holy Thursday
- ◆ March 29th Good Friday
- ◆ March 30th Holy Saturday
- ◆ March 31st Easter Sunday
- ◆ April 13th Sheen's Senior Prom
- ◆ April 27th Celebrating Saint Joseph

* In honor of
+ In memory of
^ Incense planned

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



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For all of the sick... Kathy Timanus, Gary Lyles, Esther King, Bill Kniska, Alicia Bryan, Natasha Speidel, Katrina Berkel, Alicia Bryan, Katrina Berkel, Carmella Campbell, Mel Gysegem, Charles Snelling, Danny Clark, Jean Carroll, Lisa Wing, Donna Muffoletto, Pat Kovacsi, 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, 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: Henry Douglas Henson, Hector Favazzi, Jane Kerrigan, Clifford Yeager, Gail Daniello... 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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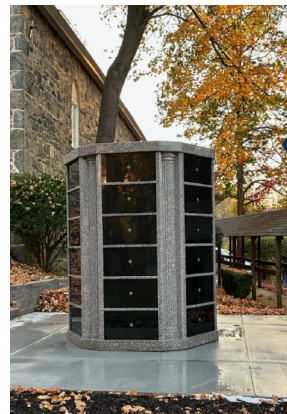
We Need You...

A lector is the person who proclaims the first or second reading at Mass.

Lectors needed at:

- 5:00 pm Vigil Masses (2 needed)
- 8:00 am Masses (6 needed)
- 5:00 pm Masses (9 needed)

Learn More by Emailing Steve Cox at CoxS@saintjoseph.cc



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THEOLOGY ON TAP
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27TH
7:00-9:00 PM

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WEEKLY GIVING

December 9 & 10, 2023

	Actual FY24	Actual FY23
Envelopes (144)	\$ 9,857	\$ 10,529
Faith Direct (285) & Other (2)	\$ 9,317	\$ 9,189
Loose	\$ 2,203	\$ 2,107
Total for the week	\$ 21,377	\$ 21,825
Poor Box	\$ 1,625	
Repairs & Maintenance	\$ 538	
Immaculate Conception	\$ 2,922	

Mass Attendance: 1,143

THE BIRTH OF
Christ

Celebrate a Quiet Mass
this Christmas Morning
10:00 am

The Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph Mass

Saturday, December 30, 2023
5:00 pm Vigil
Sunday, December 31, 2023
8:00 am & 10:45 am



Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, The Mother of God

Saturday December 31, 2023
5:00 pm Vigil
Monday, January 1, 2024
10:00 am Quiet Mass



Fourth Sunday of Advent

Saturday December 23rd | 5:00 pm
Sunday December 24th | 8:00 am & 10:45 am



The Season of Advent

↑ No Double Dipping Allowed 😊 ↓



Christmas Eve Mass
4:00 pm, 7:00 pm* & 10:00 pm*
*Incense planned

**2023 SJCC
Giving Tree**

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Our Leadership Team

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Corporators

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Gwen Lilly
Chris Patrick
Terry Morse

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
Rachel Wandishin | Chairman
Mark Steinbrunner | 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

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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