

Saint Joseph Catholic Community

Fourth Sunday in Lent

March 9-10, 2024



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

The Great Amen and Communion Rite

Last week, we set our minds and hearts on the Epiclesis and the Words of Institution, where our offerings of bread and wine become the Body and Blood of our Lord. This week we will discuss a little more the Eucharistic Prayer III and the Great Amen, and then on to the Communion Rite.

Why, we might ask, do the elements of bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Jesus. It is because Jesus is the Passover Lamb and the fulfillment of all the bloody sacrifices under the old Law, and without the shedding of blood, there is no remission of sin. Yes, if you are a sinner, and you are, you deserve to die, because God cannot dwell with sin. Jesus dies in our place, and just as it was necessary under the old Law that the sacrificial animal must be eaten, so Christ offers His Body to be eaten in a communal meal. The difference is that under the new covenant in Christ, the blood is also to be drunk, because “the life of the flesh is in the blood” (Lev. 17:11). We take in the very life of Christ, body, souls and divinity.

But we not only receive, but we give. Eucharistic Prayer III has these wonderful words “May He make of us an eternal offering to you...” This is Christ’s prayer to the Father for us. Just as Christ sacrifices Himself to the Father for us, we sacrifice our very selves to the Father and to each other, even to the point of death. Again, sacrifice is worship, and worship is sacrifice. The prayer ends with the elevation of the Host and Chalice, followed by the Great Amen. When we all say amen together, we are affirming before God Almighty and each other the truth of what we just did, an Amen, or, “it is true; so be it!” to which God will hold us accountable.

After the Lord’s Prayer, peace is given; harboring unforgiveness in this holy moment would be a grave sin. Therefore, we find ourselves even further committed to the Father and one another in the breaking of the bread and its distribution. This conforms with Christ breaking the bread and the disciples’ distribution to the 5000. We must come up to receive in all humility, whether we receive in hand or by mouth. The Priest will say, “The Body of Christ” and “The Blood of Christ,” to which the simple response must be “Amen.” With this “Amen” we are affirming our belief that we have indeed received the body, blood, soul and divinity of Christ.

Yours in Christ,
Father John Worgul





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

Catholic Community

This Week

Monday 11th

Mass Intentions: * Paul Sponcellar
8:30 a Daily Mass
9:00 a Maryland March for Life
4:45 p EDGE Middle School Ministry
4:45 p Faith Formation Class

Tuesday 12th

Mass Intentions: * Will Bresson
8:30 a Daily Mass
7:30 p Rosary for World Peace

Wednesday 13th

Mass Intentions: + Gloria Clark
8:30 a Daily Mass
10:00 a Carroll County Food Sunday
6:00 p Knights Business Meeting
7:00 p Parish Pastoral Council Meeting
7:00 p WINGS

Thursday 14th

Mass Intentions: + Gail Daniello
8:30 a Daily Mass
7:00 p Rosary for Cancer Victims
7:00 p Cancer Support Group

Friday 15th

Mass Intentions: + Clara Sebastian
8:30 a Daily Mass
9:00 a Play and Pray
5:00 p Lenten Dinners
7:00 p Stations of the Cross with Reconciliation

Saturday 16th

Mass Intentions: * Cynthia Frasca
+ George Bowers
8:30 a Daily Mass
3:30 p Reconciliation
5:00 p Anticipatory Mass

Sunday 17th *Fifth Sunday of Lent*

Mass Intentions: + Henry Douglas Henson,
*SJCC Parishioners, + Cathleen Wilkinson
8:00 a Mass
9:15 a Faith Formation
10:45 a Mass
3:00 p Confirmation
5:00 p Mass
6:00 p LifeTeen

This Month

- ◆ March 18th - Vigil Mass for Saint Joseph
- ◆ March 22nd - Children's Stations
- ◆ March 24th Palm Sunday
- ◆ March 28th Triduum Starts
- ◆ March 31st Easter Sunday

This Year

(Mark Your Calendar, Details to Come)

- ◆ April 13th Sheen's Senior Prom
- ◆ April 13th Knights Blood Drive
- ◆ April 27-28th Celebrating Saint Joseph
- ◆ July 17-24th National Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis, IN

* In honor of
+ In memory of
^ Incense planned

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



So that there are no strangers among us...

Three easy Steps to Join SJCC

1. Visit our website at SaintJoseph.cc/Welcome
2. Complete the Registration Form

Congratulations and Welcome

3. Attend a Quarterly Welcome Brunch to learn more about your new community.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

For all of the sick... Don Blais, Maryann Warner, Sherrie Tucker, Barry Boone, Loretta Wilderman, Carole Truitt, Jennifer Meisenkothen, Dale Wilhelm, John Jackson, Clarissa Sykes, Austin Johnson, Mary Ann Warren, Joe and Marilyn Retkowski, Christine Eybs, Anita Oneal, Klark Klosson, Bobbie Gysegem, Beth Tribbe, Teresa Brocato, Michael Bradley Price, Dominic Ciaccio, Lisa Sheredy, Ann Sorel, Mike Doura, James Briles, Wesley Griffin, Kenneth Andrews, Kathy Timanus, Esther King, Bill Kniska, Alicia Bryan, Natasha Speidel, Katrina Berkel, Alicia Bryan, Katrina Berkel, Carmella Campbell, Danny Clark, Jean Carroll, Lisa Wing, Donna Muffoletto, Pat Kovacs, Maria Rios, Kurt Hider, Priscilla Lemak, George Moriatis, Beverly Brinkley, 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: Hayden Manning, Raymond Grimsley, Stan Janicki, Mary Faquir, Mel Gysegem, Bertha Elizabeth Simon... 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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Administrative Assistant to Youth and Young Adult Ministry

This position is a part-time (12 hr./week), non-exempt, non-benefit position. It provides administrative assistance and support of the parish's efforts in ministry to young people and their families ranging from 6th through 12th grades and young adults (ages 18-35). Main job responsibilities include providing clerical and administrative support for the Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministry, maintaining sacramental records for Confirmation, assisting with Child & Youth Protection requirements for volunteers, and communicating information for scheduled events.

This role requires exceptional organizational skills, effective communication skills, and the ability to learn and use relevant parish databases.

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

Thank you to everyone who has dropped off their baby bottles

If you have not already done so, please return the bottle to the an Usher at Mass or in the Parish Office. The bottles each year are given to the Pregnancy Support Center of Carroll County, along with your financial donation.

Weekly Giving

March 3 & 4, 2024

	Actual FY24	Actual FY23
Envelopes (206)	\$ 16,463	\$ 16,364
Faith Direct (not available*)	\$0	\$ 80
Loose	\$ 3,182	\$ 2,193
Total for the week	\$ 19,645	\$ 18,637

Actual FY24 vs. Actual FY23 over (under)	\$ 1,008
Percentage Over (Under)	(5%)

YTD Offertory through Week 34	Actual FY24	Actual FY23
	\$ 914,939	\$ 918,137

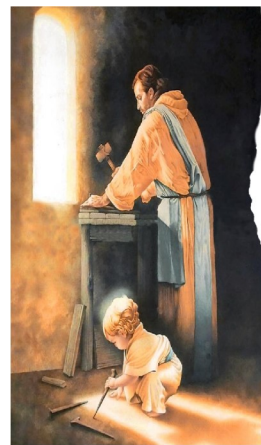
Actual FY24 vs. Actual FY23 Over (Under)	(\$ 3,198)
Percentage Over (Under)	(0%)

Poor Box *	\$ 987
Repairs & Maintenance*	\$ 1,507
2nd Collection: Little Sisters of the Poor	\$ 6,621

Mass Attendance: 1,298

THE Stewardship CORNER

As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace.
-1 Peter 4:10



Celebrating Saint Joseph

Husband | Father | Carpenter

Friday April 26th

32 hours of Adoration

Saturday April 27th

Dinner | Dance

Sunday April 28th

10:45 Mass with Archbishop William Lori
Brunch

Free Event. Reservations Required.

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Maryland March for Life Monday, March 11th Annapolis, Maryland



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The Journey with Kathy Worgul



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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
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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Nick Nutting | Chairman
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