

Saint Joseph Catholic Community

Third Sunday of Easter

April 13-14, 2024



Peace be with you.



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Father John Worgul
Pastor

Father Patrick McCain
Associate Pastor

Deacon Joseph Slattery
Deacon Tom White

Parish Office Hours
Monday - Friday
9:30 am - 3:30 pm

Entire staff listing at
SaintJoseph.cc/Staff

Mass Times

Weekends
Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday

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

Daily

Monday - Saturday
8:30 am

Adoration

7:00 am - 7:00 pm
Our Lady of Pilar Chapel

Reconciliation

Saturdays 3:30 - 4:30 pm
Eldersburg Church

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From the Desk of Our Pastor

The Most Dangerous Thing in the World



When I think of dangers, my mind immediately goes to things like auto accidents, deadly diseases, violent criminals, and if in the wild, scary animals like venomous snakes. But there is something far more dangerous than any of these things or many other dangers we can think of. Sin is the most dangerous and deadly thing we humans will ever face.

I know that we are in the Easter season and have already left Lent far behind with all its emphasis on sin and repentance. But when I see the readings for this coming Sunday, I see that we need to revisit the issue. First, in Peter's speech, he accuses his own people, the Jews, for making the most colossal mistake in history. They, the covenant people of God, put God to death by crucifying Jesus, the author of life, who was the fulfillment of all the covenantal promises. Why did they do this? It is surely not that they were the evilest people on earth. Rather, the covenant people of God, the Jews, represent all of humanity as a sort of mirror for all to see themselves as they truly are. The whole world crucified Jesus through the Jews and the Romans.

This human act is the focal point of all sins committed individually or corporately of the whole human race. As we read in the passion narrative a couple of weeks ago, we are all in the crowd crying, "crucify Him." Our sin makes us deadly, a venom coursing through our veins that is killing us and kills others we contaminate. Our sins are dangerous and make us more dangerous than anything we can think of.

The greatest sin of our generation is that it does not even acknowledge sin for what it is. We no longer make the crucial connection between sin and its consequence, death. We think death is some sort of evolutionary malfunction of nature. When we no longer see sin as our deadliest danger, we can no longer understand Jesus and His sacrifice. In our Epistle reading St. John warns us against sin, but if we slip into it, as we are prone to do, we have an Advocate, Jesus the Righteous One, who is our "expiation" for our sin. This big word can be understood as the "remedy," for which there is no other in all of creation.

Your biggest problem, biggest danger, is sin. If you are totally convinced of this, then to Jesus you will go! Easter is the season to rejoice in Jesus our salvation!

Yours in Christ,
Father John Worgul

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



This Week

Monday 15th

Mass Intentions: + Gordon Coyle
8:30 a Daily Mass

Tuesday 16th

Mass Intentions: + Richard Byrd
8:30 a Daily Mass
7:30 p Rosary for World Peace

Wednesday 17th

Mass Intentions: + Jim Massot
8:30 a Daily Mass
10:00 a Carroll County Food Sunday
6:30 p Jr. Catholic Daughters Meeting
7:00 p WINGS

Thursday 18th

Mass Intentions: * Natalie Frasca
8:30 a Daily Mass
7:00 p Rosary for Cancer Victims

Friday 19th

Mass Intentions: + Anne Nylin
8:30 a Daily Mass
9:00 a Play and Pray

Saturday 20th

Mass Intentions: + Anita O'Neil
+ Albert Richards
8:30 a Daily Mass
12:00 p CDA Spring Tea
3:30 p Reconciliation
5:00 p Mass

Sunday 21st

Mass Intentions: + Brittany Chairs Smith,
*SJCC Parishioners, + Brian Lawton
8:00 a Mass
10:45 a Mass (Incense Planned)
12:15 p New Parishioner Welcome Brunch
5:00 p Mass

Next Month

- ◆ April 26-27th Celebrating Saint Joseph
- ◆ April 28th Blessing of the Stained Glass Windows with Archbishop William Lori

This Year

(Mark Your Calendar, Details to Come)

- ◆ July 15-19th Vacation Bible School
- ◆ July 17-24th National Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis, IN

* In honor of
+ In memory of



Incense will be
used at the
10:45 am Mass
from
Easter Sunday: The
Resurrection of the Lord
Sunday, March 31st
until the
Solemnity of the Most
Holy Trinity
Sunday, May 26th

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... Richard Lewis, Andrew Moan, Robert Moan, Lois Shipley, Robert Semin, Wesley Griffin, Adam Palencar, 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, Alicia Bryan, Katrina Berkel, Danny Clark, Jean Carroll, Lisa Wing, Donna Muffoletto, Pat Kovacsj, 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: Helen Riley, Sharon Layman, Joan Shaw, Domenic DiGiacomantonio, Barbara Ritz, Fr. Terry Weik... 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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Celebrating Husband | Father | Carpenter Saint Joseph

Friday, April 26th -
Saturday April 27th

Four ways to participate in our event to honor our Patron, Saint Joseph.

1. Sign up for Adoration
New to adoration? We offer 30 minute spots
1. Place offerings on the Saint Joseph Altar
2. Enjoy an Italian Dinner
3. Come Dance

Sign up at SaintJoseph.cc/Celebrate-SaintJoseph

Saint Joseph Catholic Community invites you to

A Special Mass celebrated by Archbishop William E Lori for the Blessing of the Stained Glass Windows

*The refurbished Tabernacle, Altar Relic,
and Candleabra Pedestals
will also be blessed.*

Sunday April 28th
10:45 am Mass*
in the Eldersburg Church

**Brunch to follow in the
Chaminade Center**

RSVP required for Brunch:
SaintJoseph.cc/SJCC-Brunch

Weekly Giving

April 6 & 7, 2024

	Actual FY24	Actual FY23*
Envelopes (197)	\$ 12,612	\$ 11,006
Faith Direct (not available)	\$ 0	\$ 80
Loose	\$ 2,234	\$ 5,841
Total for the week	\$ 14,846	\$ 16,927

Actual FY24 vs. Actual FY23 over (under)	(\$ 2,081)
Percentage Over (Under)	(12%)

YTD Offertory through Week 40	\$ 1,059,007	\$ 1,053,067
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Actual FY24 vs. Actual FY23 Over (Under)	\$ 5,940
Percentage Over (Under)	1%

Poor Box	\$ 753
- Faith Direct	Not available
Repairs & Maintenance	\$ 723
- Faith Direct	Not available
Roof Replacement	\$ 4,906
- Faith Direct	Not available

Mass Attendance: 1,171

* This same weekend last year was Easter Sunday



"I say to you, give alms in proportion to what you own. If you have great wealth, give alms out of your abundance; if you have but little, distribute even some of that. But do not hesitate to give alms; you will be storing up a goodly treasure for yourself against the day of adversity."

-Tobit 4:8-9

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

SaintJoseph.cc/About-Us/Corporators

Gwen Lilly
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
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Minta Davis | At Large Member
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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.

SaintJoseph.cc/About-Us/Finance-Commission

Nick Nutting | Chairman
Rachael Rau | Vice Chair
Dave Dolinsky | Secretary
Matt Anthony

Marriage

Please call the church office at least six months in advance to schedule your wedding. We recommend that you do not schedule your reception until you have secured a date & time for the wedding ceremony. For more information

SaintJoseph.cc/marriage

Baptism

Three options are available for Baptism including during Mass, at 1:00 pm on a Sunday, and privately. All parents need to attend two baptism sessions that can be scheduled online at SaintJoseph.cc/baptism

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