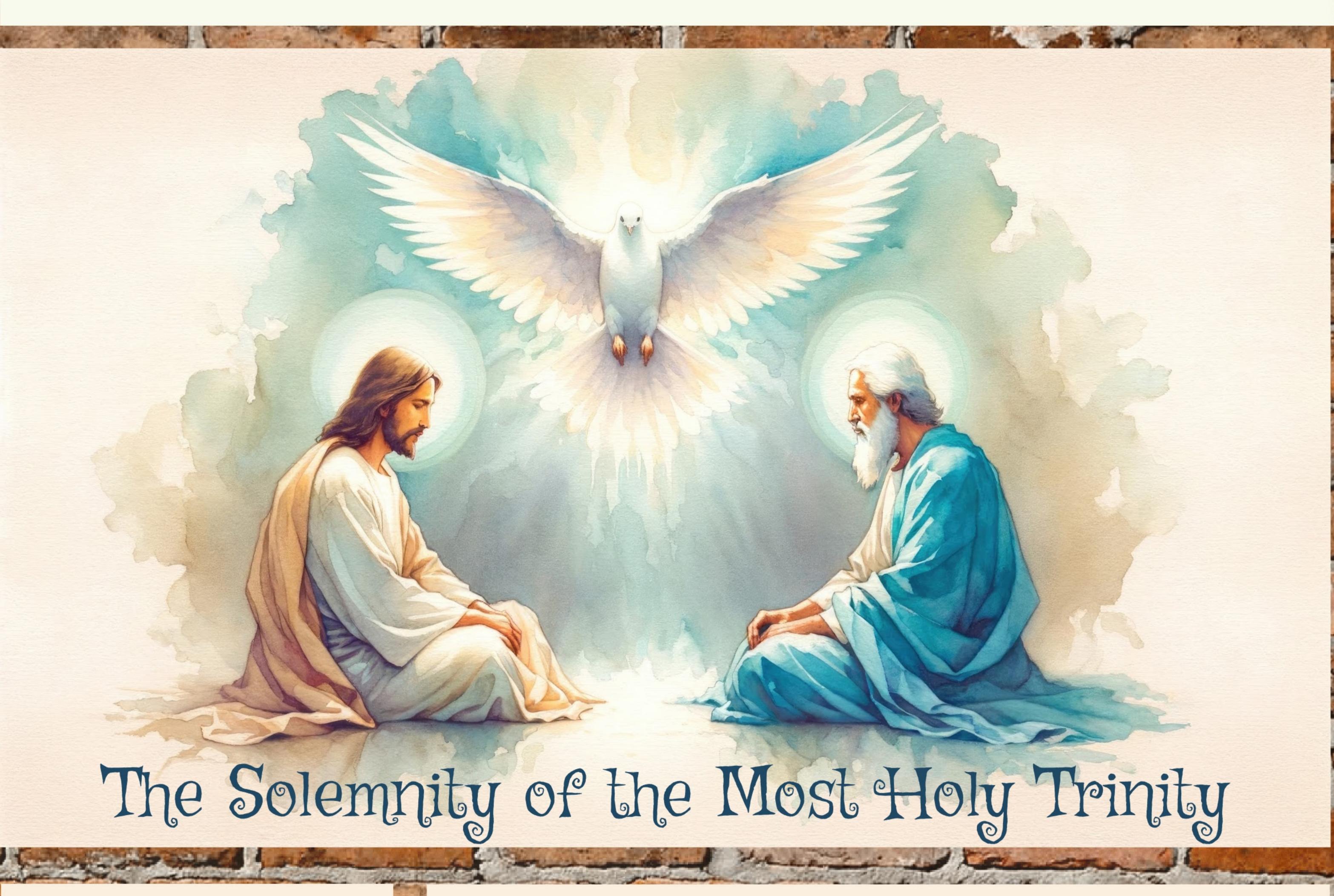
Saint Joseph Catholic Community May 25-26, 2024





Clergy 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 Saint Joseph.cc/Staff

Mass Times

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

Daily

Monday - Šaturday 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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This Week. This Month. This Year. at Saint Joseph

Monday 27th

Memorial Day

Mass Intentions: Annie Jacob +

8:30 am Daily Mass

Parish Office Closed - Memorial Day

7:00 pm Rosary for Life

Tuesday 28th

Mass Intentions: Ella M. Cullinane +

8:30 am Daily Mass

9:30 am Saint Vincent de Paul

7:00 pm Parish Pastoral Information Night

7:00 pm Theology on Tap

7:30 pm Rosary for World Peace

Wednesday 29th

Mass Intentions: Fred Joseph Agnello +

8:30 am Daily Mass

10:00 am Carroll County Food Sunday

7:00 pm WINGS

Thursday 30th

Mass Intentions: Joseph Strauss +

8:30 am Daily Mass

7:00 pm Rosary for Cancer Victims

Friday 31st

Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Mass Intentions: George & Dina Strauss +

8:30 am Daily Mass

Saturday 1st

Memorial of Saint Justin

Mass Intentions: Charlene Frizzera +

Melvin "Mel" Gysegem +

8:00 a Saturday Men's Group

8:30 a Daily Mass

9:00 a First Saturdays Devotion

3:30 p Reconciliation

5:00 p Mass (Incense Used)

Corpus Christi Procession

Sunday 2nd

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and

Blood of Christ

Mass Intentions: Patrick Sullivan +,

SJCC Parishioners, Anita Campitel Ó'Neil +

8:00 a Mass

10:45 a Mass (Incense Planned)

5:00 p Mass 6:00 p LifeTeen

This Month

June 6th CDA Meeting

June 8 -15th Sykesville Carnival June 8th CDA Linus Blankets

June 15th Youth Ministry Car wash

June 16th Father's Day

June 16th Youth Ministry Donut Sale

June 18th Theology on Tap June 19th Junior CDA Meeting

June 21-23rd Steubenville Youth Conference

June 26th Knights Monthly Social

This Year

(Mark Your Calendar, Details to Come)

- July 15 19th Vacation Bible School
- July 17 24th National Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis, IN
- August 19 20th CDA Rummage Drop Off
- August 21 23rd CDA Rummage Sale

* In honor of + In memory of

From the Desk of Our Pastor

Holy Trinity, 2024

The term "God" is, in and of itself, a somewhat amorphous term that can mean many things to different people. People use it in so many ways without thinking what it means. In the end, God is often thought of as some vague reference point out "there" somewhere. What adds to the ambiguity is the utter transcendence of God above all creatures, words of expression, and human thought. How do we even begin to talk about God?



Easter and Pentecost give us our answer. Easter is all about experiencing the living, risen Christ, described as the Son of God and, by virtue of the incarnation, our "brother." Pentecost is when the Holy Spirit comes upon us, revealing Christ to us and empowering us to live like Christ. What is critical to grasp here is that this new "knowledge" of God is not primarily intellectual but experiential.

Like the first apostles, we experience God as "Father" through Jesus Christ, His Son. The metaphors of "Father" and "Son" express the equality between the Father and the Son, but also a distinction, because the Father is not the Son, and the Son is not the Father, just as in human relationships. We can only know the Son as the Lord Yahweh through the work of the Holy Spirit, for "flesh and blood" can not reveal this mystery to our souls. The fundamental truth about God is that He is triune; we experience Him as our Father through our brother Jesus, who is revealed to us by the Holy Spirit. St. Paul draws the obvious conclusion of this experience in our Romans reading: our status and identity changed, and we are now joint heirs with Christ. We are made one with the Immortal God-Head.

Holy Trinity Sunday is not primarily about doctrine, which can never fully explain the mystery but provides us with language to describe to others what we have experienced. Today, even words like "having a relationship with God" do not resonate in our culture of broken and dissatisfying relationships. How can one get excited about "having a relationship" with God when many do not even know what a healthy and good relationship is? Even a word like "father" can be frightening. We can share our experience of our encounter with Jesus through which the Holy Spirit can work into the lives of others. Jesus can then introduce them to His Father and open up a whole new experience of a glorious family of divine relationships.

Yours in Christ, Father John Worgul



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

POSITION AVAILABLE

SJCC is hiring an Assistant for Liturgy and Music. This will be a part-time (18 hr/wk.) non-exempt, non-benefit position. Hours are flexible and to be determined with the Director of Music and Liturgy. Main job responsibilities include providing clerical and administrative assistance and serving as an accompanist for masses, rehearsals, and other choral programs. Candidates should be familiar with the liturgical music tradition of the Catholic Church, be able to read music, and play piano. Solid organizational skills and the ability to work independently are also necessary.

Contact Lauren Glass at business@saintjoseph.cc for a job application and complete job description.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

For all of the sick... Lisa Sheredy, Bill Richelderfer, Buddy Pennewell, Barbara Ruprecht, Dave Dolinsky, Stacie Briles, Andrew Moan, Robert Moan, Wesley Griffin, Carole Truitt, Jennifer Meisenkothen, Dale Wilhelm, Kenneth Andrews, Danny Clark, Jean Carroll, Lisa Wing, Donna Muffoletto, Pat Kovacsi, 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: Cathella Radcliffe, Richard Lewis, Iris Hoffman, Jacqueline (Jackie) McLoughlin, Robert Semin... 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. 443.920.9191 | receptionist@saintjoseph.cc





CI: Christian Initiation Interested in becoming Catholic?

Maybe its time to profess your faith!

Meetings are held every Thursday 6:30- 8:00 pm beginning June 6th Tonry Center

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Saint Vincent de Paul Outreach at SJCC is a small team of parishioners that follow Christ through service to those in need to show compassion, hope and charity in our commitment through person-to-person contact. We schedule appointments weekly on Tuesday mornings and Thursday afternoons, just a two hour commitment of time.

We invite you to join us and become a Vincentian member.

If you are interested in learning more about our ministry, please do not hesitate to contact the church office. It is because of you that we are able to give hope, inspire change, and provide an opportunity in our fight against poverty. Thank you!

Our Daily Bread serves more than a quarter of a million meals to the hungry of Baltimore City each year. Parishioners assist in that effort my making casseroles, the recipe can be found online at saintjoseph.cc/our-daily-bread

Next Delivery Day is May 9th. Drop off casseroles in the Lower Level Kitchen refrigerators any time Monday – Friday 9:30 am – 3:30 pm.

STEPHEN MINISTRY... Here When You Need Us

Everyone experiences difficulties in life—the loss of a loved one, spiritual crisis, sickness, imprisonment, disability, discouragement, divorce, rehabilitation, job loss and more. God never intended for us to go through these experiences alone, and our Stephen Ministers are here to listen, support and encourage through life's trials.

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"Do you want to become saints? Here is the secret: confession is the lock; confidence in your confessor is the key. This is how you open heaven's gates." — St. John Bosco

Reconciliation Available Saturdays 3:30 - 4:30 pm

FAITHFUL

As we continue our journey of faith together, I want to take a moment to express my gratitude for your ongoing generosity and support of our parish community. Your faithful stewardship enables us to fulfill our mission of spreading the love and teachings of Christ to all who seek solace and spiritual nourishment. In recent years, we have witnessed remarkable advancements in technology that have transformed the way we connect and engage with one another. As we embrace these changes, I would like to invite you to consider a convenient and secure method for making your offertory contributions online giving.

Efficient Resource Management: By reducing the administrative burden associated with processing checks and cash, online giving enables our staff and volunteers to focus more time and resources on serving our community and fulfilling our ministry initiatives.

Predictable Cash Flow: Online contributions offer a steady income stream, allowing for more accurate financial planning and resource allocation within the parish.

Accessibility and Convenience: With online giving, you can easily contribute anytime, anywhere, enhancing participation and community engagement.

Promotes Consistent Giving: Setting up recurring online donations allows you to be more generous and make gifts on a set schedule.

Transparency: Online giving provides clear records of donations, increasing trust through transparency in how funds are used to support the parish's mission.

Security: Our online giving platform employs the latest encryption technology to safeguard your personal and financial information, providing peace of mind that your contributions are processed securely.

SaintJoseph.cc/Online-Giving

Weekly Giving

May 18 & 19, 2024	Actual FY24	Actual FY23
Envelopes (171)	\$ 10,810	
Faith Direct (289)	\$ 9,689	
Loose	\$ 3,526	
Total for the week	\$ 24,025	
Total for the week	Ψ 2 1,023	Ψ 27,130
Actual FY24 vs. Actual FY23 over (under)	(\$ 3,165)	
Percentage Over (Under)	-12%	
YTD Offertory through Week 47	\$ 1,221,338	\$ 1,212,447
Actual FY24 vs. Actual FY23 Over (Under)	\$ 8,891	
Percentage Over (Under) - Year to Date	1%	
Poor Box	\$ 865	
Poor Box - Faith Direct	\$ 877	
Repairs & Maintenance	\$ 256	
Repairs & Maintenance - Faith Direct	\$ 351	
Roof Replacement	\$ 5,771	
Roof Replacement - Faith Direct	\$ 165	
Mass Attendance	1,568	
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~ John D. Rockefeller



Faith In Action

SJCC Gifts and Commitments raised as of May 14th: \$109,632 (83% of goal)

Our Goal is \$131,883. Our Stretch Goal is \$175,844.

Parish Rebates are:

- 10% of amount raised up to the standard goal
- 40% of amount raised above the standard goal but under the stretch goal
- 75% of amount raised above the stretch goal

Please give at www.archbalt.org/ mygift being sure to select St. Joseph-Sykesville as your parish





Interested in Scouting? Want to learn more?

Pack 883 and Troops 883B and 883G will be hosting a recruiting drive before and after all Masses the weekend of June 8th and 9th.

Did you know Scouting is available here at SJCC?

Children who are incoming grades K-5 can join our Church's Pack, while those going into 6th -12th grade can join one of our great Troops. Scouting is open to both boys and girls for all grade levels. Both the Pack and Troops have wonderful summer activities, so it's not too early to get involved with our great Scouting ministry here at SJCC.

Please come by and say "Hi"!

Have any older, lightly used Scout uniforms? Have any family members that do? Please consider bringing them to Church during 883's recruiting weekend on June 8th and 9th and donating them as we look to build our Scouting clothing closet.

Donate at our Annual Rummage Sale

Monday, August 19th 8:00 - 6:00 pm Tuesday, August 20th 8:00 - 4:00 pm



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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 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 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 schédule your reception until you have secured a date & time for the wedding ceremony. For more information SaintJoseph.cc/marriage

BaptismThree 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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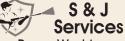


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