

Good afternoon. This is Fr. Joe, your pastor. I hope you are all doing well.

The funeral Mass for Bobby Leslie is tomorrow, December 5th. Visitation is at 12:30 p.m., followed by Mass at 1:30 p.m. and burial at Maple Hill Cemetery. Please keep the Leslie family in your prayers.

Monday, December 8th is the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a Holy Day of Obligation. We will have three Masses at 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m. with the Holy Family students and 7:00 p.m.

Remember the *Comfort and Joy Concert* with Sarah Hart at 7:00 p.m. on December 10th in the church. Tickets are available this weekend after all the Masses, at the parish office or at the door on the night of the concert. I hope you will attend – it's a great way to prepare for Christmas.

Our Advent Reconciliation is scheduled for Thursday, December 11th from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. We will have the Communal Sacrament of Anointing at the end of all the Masses next weekend, December 13th and 14th.

For more information and updates, please visit the church website at ***www.saintjosephcc.com***.

In the meantime, I continue to keep you in my thoughts and prayers each day. Take care and be safe