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Saturday (Anticipated): 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 8:15 a.m., 11:15 a.m

Weekdays: 7:00 a.m. Saturday: 8:00 a.m.

Holy Days: 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 7:00 p.m.

MASS SCHEDULE

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Every Saturday at 3:30 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. or by appointment with the pastor.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

The Parish Office is open Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and is closed during lunch 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Submit all bulletin announcements to *bulletin@saintjosephcc.com* no later than Friday, a week prior, at 12:00 p.m.



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SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

For all inquiries, please call Carmen Amato at the parish office. For sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation, there must be at least one year of formation immediately prior to the preparation for the sacraments.

<u>BAPTISM</u>. Parents and godparents must attend a baptism preparation session before scheduling a baptism.

MARRIAGE. If you intend to be married at St. Joseph Church, you must be registered in the parish and be active by donating your time, talent or treasure in support of parish projects. Regular Mass attendance on Sunday and on Holy Days of Obligation is also required. Couples planning marriage should contact the parish before setting a wedding date.

<u>RCIA</u>. Adults and children of catechetical age are welcomed into the Church through a process called the Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA).

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call Father Joseph Lubrano at the parish office to schedule an anointing.

FUNERALS

We have a number of people to help plan funeral liturgies. Please call the parish office before contacting the funeral home to avoid scheduling conflicts.

PARISH REGISTRATION

If you are new to our parish and wish to register, please call the parish office for the appropriate forms.

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, JUNE 18

8:00am: +Wayne Rickey 5:00pm: +Dr. Yoseph Befecadu

SUNDAY, JUNE 19 Corpus Christi

8:15am: For the Parish 11:15am: +Lucille Wainright

MONDAY, JUNE 20 7:00am: +Paul Prunty TUESDAY, JUNE 21

7:00am: +Milton Herman Mantler

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22 7:00am: Cynthia Murrow

THURSDAY, JUNE 23

7:00am: +Raymond Borroni

7:00am: +Friends of Sergio

& Rosanna Barbieri

SATURDAY, JUNE 25

8:00am: Janeth McGraw 5:00pm: +Dr. Yosef Befecadu

SUNDAY, JUNE 26

8:15am: +Gus & Sue Marino 11:15am: For the Parish



James McGee, David Miller, Barbara Brodeur, Carolyn Wingenter, Zanetta Brown, Teresa Gregory, Rachel Johnson, Faye Fletcher, Batchelder Family, Stachura Family, Sayre Family, Richard Wertz, Maddie Clearly, John Rourk, Jr., Cindy Morales, John & Linda Dimmock, Sharon Vandurn, Dollie Jackson, Josephine Stratton, Ralph & Helen Kissel, Dan Vandergrift, Marrissa Lefebzre, John Howard, Lisa Andrews, Sondra Adams, Judi Trygg, Marianna Young, Cecilia Hall, Deacon Mike Rooney, Antonio Beltran, Ramona Hallit, Lola Light, Rene Gonzalez, Bernice Geigel, Mary, Jane and Dena Bell, Juliana Goode, Marie Basta, David Boren, Wanda Boren, Richard Brown, Cathy Filippo, Jena Lanszell, Charlotte Johnson, Michael Pesqueira, Jim Kollar, Emma Lang, Heidi Brown, Patricia Hendersen, Diane Goguen, Julie Algie, Jeff Bertrand, Gary Mahon, Matthew M., Selena M., Matt Cox Family, Steven Weems, Serge Corvington, Bob Strang, Mateo Hernandez, Jacqueline Meador, Laura Velkei, Adrianna Hilburm, Jason & Jaxson Rivera.

<u>Note</u>

If you wish to add someone to the prayer list, please contact Renate at the parish office. When that person recovers, please call again to remove their name so that others can be put on the list. **Thank you, Fr. Joe**

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

This weekend, we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ – Corpus Christi. It is also the kick-off of a three-year "grassroots revival of devotion and belief in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist." The mission is to renew the Church by kindling a living relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist. Particularly now, the bishops of *The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops – USCCB* feel that the Church in the United States needs healing, unity, formation and sending.

Bishop Raica has extended an invitation to the faithful of the diocese to take part in the local revival kick-off at the Cathedral of St. Paul this weekend. A 40-hour devotion began on June 17 and will culminate with a Eucharistic procession through the streets of downtown Birmingham this Sunday, June 19, the Feast of Corpus Christi, at 7:00 p.m. Please keep this revival in your prayers.

Because we will be focusing on "Eucharistic Revival: My Flesh for the Life of the World," there have been questions about when we might begin offering the Precious Blood at Mass. The following memorandum came from the Office of Sacred Liturgy at the diocese.

"Bishop Raica has granted permission to return to the practice of offering the Precious Blood of the Lord at Mass at the discretion of each local pastor or administrator. Within the Diocese of Birmingham, there may still be a variety of different COVID situations. Therefore, each pastor/administrator may make the decision whether or not to reinstate the offering of the Precious Blood.

"This time provides an opportunity to review with Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion the proper procedures which should take place. We encourage all ministers to refamiliarize themselves with the procedures for distributing the Precious Blood, including proper wiping and turning of the chalice. The diocesan guidelines may be found on the Office of Sacred Liturgy website.

"Please note that the practice of intinction as referenced in the General Instruction of the Roman Missal (#284-287) and the Norms for the Distribution and Reception of Holy Communion Under Both Kinds in the Dioceses of the United States of America (#49-50), is reserved only to the priest.

"We also remind the faithful that where the opportunity for the reception of the Precious Blood from the chalice does exist, it is always available to those who desire to receive in this way only as an option. The act of receiving Holy Communion is an act of faith. The person makes this act of faith in the total presence of the Lord, whether receiving Holy Communion under one form or under both kinds, according to Norms for the Distribution of Holy Communion Under Both Kinds (#14-15).

"The Catholic Doctrine of Concomitance holds that when receiving Holy Communion, we receive the whole Christ, body, blood, soul and divinity, under the form of bread alone. (*CCC 1390*)"

Our parish Spiritual Life Committee here at St. Joseph has discussed this matter, and is planning to offer the Precious Blood at Mass in the future, perhaps at the beginning of the new Church year at Advent.

You are in my daily thoughts and prayers. May God keep you safe today and every day.

Always in the Savior, Fr. Joe

CORPUS CHRISTI • JUNE 19, 2022

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday 2 Kings 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18 Friday Ezekiel 34:11-16
Ps 60:3-5, 12-13 Most Sacred Heart Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6
Matthew 7:1-5 Of Jesus Romans 5:5b-11

Luke 15:3-7 1 Kings 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36

Ps 48:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 10-11 Saturday Lamentations 2:2, 10-14, 18-19

Matthew 7:6, 12-14 Ps 74:1b-2, 3-7, 20-21 Luke 2:41-51

Wednesday 2 Kings 22:8-13; 23:1-3
Ps 119:33-37, 40 Sunday 1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21

Matthew 7:15-20 Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11 Isaiah 49:1-6 Galatians 5:1, 13-18

Nativity of St. Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15 Luke 9:51-62

Luke 1:57-66, 80

Acts of the Apostles 13:22-26

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL enrollment for the 2022-2023 school year is now open. Please email to *office@ hfscatholic.com* for details.

Tuesday

Thursday

John the Baptist

Holy Family School is seeking applicants for the 2022-2023 school year. Applicants must be certified or credentialed to become certified.

Please contact *jbell@hfscatholic.com* for more information.

ST. JOSEPH PARISH PICTORIAL DIRECTORY

The picture-taking dates for our new parish directory are July 21-23 and September 28-October 1.

If you missed our in-church sign-ups, you will have access to online appointment scheduling beginning July 1st. Check the parish bulletin and the church website for details in the next few weeks.

SECOND COLLECTION JUNE 25/26 for the Mission Cooperative Appeal. Pope Francis often speaks about the call to be missionary disciples. Helping the Missions is a way to fulfill that call.

This year, the funds from this collection will directly support the following participating groups.

- Diocese of Aguascalientes, Mexico Bishop Juan Espinoza Jimenez
- Diocese of Irinjalakuda, India Bishop Pauly Kannookadan
- Diocese of Kumba, Cameroon Bishop Agapitus Nfon
- Diocese of Maiduguri, Nigeria
 Bishop Oliver Dashe
- Diocese of Matagalpa, Nicaragua Bishop Rolando Alvarez
- Pontifical Ecclesiastical Academy, Rome, Italy Archbishop Joseph Marino
- Diocese of Warangal, India Bishop Udumala Bala

Your participation will help make this year's appeal a successful one.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS



If you would like to make a donation to seasonal flower arrangements or request a special commemoration, please call the parish office at 256-534-8459.

CURRENT WEEKLY OFFERING

Regular Collection \$ 10,375.00 Other Designated Funds \$ 1,255.00

LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE

JUNE 25, 2022-JUNE 26, 2022

ALTAR SERVERS
5:00pm: Volunteers
5:00pm: Devi Stewart, Lucy Fried
11:15am: Quade Turner

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS
5:00pm: Mack Yates
8:15am: Rob Friedlein
11:15am: Jane Dodds

LECTORS

5:00pm: Lori Reynolds, Ann Gunderman 8:15am: Claire Fried, Jillian Fried 11:15am: Lee Cuffe, Florence Okafor

Religious Education Formation and Catechesis



The Tri-Parish Vacation Bible School—Pandamania was a wonderful event! Thank you to everyone who helped to show the love of Christ these three days. Many thanks to Saint Mary of the Visitation and Our Lady Queen of the Universe for their crews of volunteers and all the hard work. Yes, God truly is wild about us!

Our VBS Outreach effort this year centered on baby items for the Catholic Center of Concern. The response was overwhelming- thank you!

VBS photos and the outreach results will be on the website soon.

FORMATION CALENDAR

June 12 RCIA—9:30 –11:00 Parish Office Bldg.

June 19 NO RCIA—Happy Father's Day!

June 26 RCIA—9:30 –11:00 Parish Office Bldg.

July 3 NO RCIA—Happy 4th of July!

July 10 RCIA—9:30 –11:00 Parish Office Bldg.

LWC-8:15 a.m. & 11:15 a.m. Masses

CAMPUS LANDSCAPE UPDATE As you may have noticed, the parish has embarked on two landscaping projects in recent weeks. The first is a garden across from the Columbarium under the large pine trees. It was designed by Harvey Cotton, a garden writer and designer who was also the chief horticulturist at the Huntsville Botanical Garden until his retirement. The garden has a variety of plants for yearround interest and a sprinkler system with landscape lighting. It will be completed in the fall with the planting of two red bud trees at the west end of the space and placement of benches. There will also be a grotto, which is still in the design stage and will be done at a later date.

The second garden will be behind the parish office building, and is in the design stage. A designer has been selected and an initial design meeting will be held in mid-June. This garden will contain an arbor with a statue, benches and land-scaping.

We want to thank Harvey Cotton, Jackson Fite of Fite Construction, Greg Thrower and his team from Empire Landscaping, and the many volunteers for all their hard work and expertise.

Both gardens, which will be officially named later, are part of the 25-year master plan that was done in 2000 for St. Joseph Church and Holy Family School. To date, we have completed the Messmer Center, the new Storage Building, the new church, the renovation of St. Francis Hall, the Columbarium and, coming soon, Phase 1 of the new Holy Family School.

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL SUMMER OFFICE HOURS JUNE 6—JULY 26, 2022

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 8:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m. Monday & Friday Closed

Regular office hours of 8:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m., Monday-Friday, resume on July 27, 2022

PLEASE NOTE

The parish office will be closed on Tuesday, June 21, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. for an extended staff meeting. If you have business at the office, please wait until Tuesday afternoon. Thank you for your cooperation.

Fr. Joe

Here Is What's Happening This Week

MONDAY, JUNE 20

5:00pm: HFS School Board (LMR)

TUESDAY, JUNE 21

Parish office closed 9:00am-1:30pm

1:00pm: RCIA (LMR)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22

9:00am: Rosary Knotters (LMR)

2:00pm: 5:00pm Mass Choir Practice (SJC) 6:00pm: St. Vincent de Paul (LMR) 7:00pm: 8:15am Mass Choir Practice (SJC)

THURSDAY, JUNE 23

12:00pm: Columbarium Blessing6:00pm: 11:15am Mass Choir Practice (SJC)

SUNDAY, JUNE 26

9:30am: RCIA (LMR/LIB) 1:00pm: Lay Salvatorians (LMR)

Facilities Key

FMC = Messmer Center/Gym SIC = St. Joseph Church SFH = St. Francis Hall LMR/LIB = RE Center BEA = Beasley Hall STA = St. Thomas Aquinas Chapel

BRZWY = Breezeway VBC = Von Braun Center