



Dear Parishioners,

I write this letter on July 5, the “one day late” civic holiday honoring July 4. As is our custom on civic holidays, I celebrated this morning’s Mass at 9 AM instead of 7:30 AM. I wrote a bit in last weekend’s bulletin about Fourth of July celebrations and remembrances. Today, however, before doing today’s readings, I joked by saying something to the effect that I hope that next year on July 4, we can still be singing our National Anthem, “The Star Spangled Banner,” instead of the catchy number known as “March of the Volunteers.” Actually, I didn’t mention the title because I didn’t know it. I did, however, look it up for the purposes of this bulletin letter. Said “March” is the National Anthem of the People’s Republic of China. With the present US administration and, alas, the Vatican hand in hand, this tune might head right to the top of (as my parents knew it) the “hit parade.”

Well, on to more pleasant topics. Our month dedicated to the Most Precious Blood is proceeding apace in this year of St. Joseph. The feast days of some of the better-known Saints will soon be upon us: Cyril & Methodius, Bonaventure, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Vincent de Paul, Ann, Our Blessed Lady’s Mother and Ignatius Loyola.

What this procession of saints also tells me is that, as usual, time is flying by at super-sonic speed. Didn’t we celebrate Easter just a few short weeks ago? Though we’re not quite “deep” into summer, it’s already three weeks gone. Before we know it we’ll be heading up to the attic to retrieve our winter coats.

Ah, but not before your pastor’s much awaited vacation. Now is as good a time to give you a heads-up as any. I’ll be away from Monday, following the morning Mass August 2, through Saturday, August 21. I should be home early to mid afternoon on the 21st. You’ll be in very capable hands. At this point, my substitutes are Father John Horan, a priest of the diocese and Father Anthony Uy a priest of the FSSP. Once again, as usual I’ll be in Florida with my brother in law, who recently bought a condo near Naples. However we’ll spend most of our time at his time-share on Marco Island. Believe me, I’ll miss you, but I just can’t wait for this much needed vacation. God bless. Fr. Magiera

Saint Joseph Catholic Church July 10th/11th, 2021



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Office/Rectory Hours:
Monday through Friday
11:00 AM – 4:00 PM

2021 Liturgical Calendar and Mass Intentions

Sanctuary Lamp	Daughter Sandy for MS healing by Darlene Haumann
Sat., July 10th	15th Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:15 pm	+ Andrew Gurka by Don & Cindy Gould
Sat., July 10th	7th Sunday after Pentecost (2nd cl.)
6:00 pm	+ Michelle Theresa Ann Montalto by Denise Lonigro
Sun., July 11th	7th Sunday after Pentecost (2nd cl.)
8:00 am	+ Louis A. and + Elizabeth C. Joutras by Joe Joutras
10:00 am	Pro Populo
Mon., July 12th	St. John Gualbert, Abbot (3rd cl.)
7:30 am	+ Joseph Birsa by Timothy Delrose
Tues., July 13th	Feria (4th cl.)
7:30 am	In repentance and reparation for the sins within our Church and our World
Wed., July 14th	St. Bonaventure, Bp./Conf./Dct. (3rd cl.)
7:30 am	+ Lavern (Vern) Louis Bush by Ronald & Ruth Ann Popp
Thurs., July 15th	St. Henry, Emperor, Confessor (3rd cl.)
7:30 am	+ Katherine Spatafiora by Husband Dorothy Mitchell by Robert & Mary Mitchell
5:30 pm	
Fri., July 16th	Our Lady of Mt. Carmel (4th cl.)
7:30 am	+ Vernon Hemberger by M/M Joshua Boudreau
Sat., July 17th	St. Alexis, Confessor (4th cl.)
8:00 am	Neal Zola by Natalie Kline
Sat., July 17th	16th Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:15 pm	+ Richard J. Goss by Jim & Barb Goss
Sat., July 17th	8th Sunday after Pentecost (2nd cl.)
6:00 pm	Michelle Therese Ann Montalto by Denise Lonigro

Sun., July 18th	8th Sunday after Pentecost (2nd cl.)
8:00 am	Fr. Michael Magiera by The Rigitano Family
10:00 am	Pro Populo

Mass Schedule

Ordinary Form

Saturday 4:15pm

Extraordinary Form

Saturday, 6:00 pm; Sunday 8:00 am; 10:00 am; 4:30 pm (Naperville)

Monday through Friday: 7:30 am

ALSO Thursday 5:30 pm, followed by Holy Hour and Benediction

AND First Friday (ONLY) 6:00 pm; Saturday 8:00 am

Holy Days of Obligation

Ordinary Form: 4:15 p.m. *anticipated Mass, if a priest is available*

Extraordinary Form: 7:30 am & 6:00 pm

Confessions

30 minutes before Mass



Baptisms

Any weekday is possible, but Saturdays are preferred. To schedule your family's Baptism, please call or email Fr. Magiera. Thank you very much!

Weddings



For parishioners with faithful parish membership for at least one year. Please inquire at least 6 months prior to intended date.

WELCOME VISITORS!

Worship Aides for both forms of the Mass are in the pew racks. We welcome new parishioners. Census forms are in the back of the church, either in racks or on the tables. Turn in your form to Fr. Magiera or place your form in the collection basket. No need to respond 'Amen' at Latin Mass Holy Communion.

Prayer Intentions for the living and deceased:

Christy Becker, Jim Dernulc, Cris Galounis, Michael Kelly, Mary Lund, Kathleen Mary McNair, Ray Tomanio, Merlin Melnarik, Kaira Paramo, Russler Family, Angie Schuman, Judy Splayt, Fr. Chris Steinle, OSA, Jim Wright, Ken Zabel, Adele Stukas, Aldona Peciura, Nancy Tomanio, Zita Stukas, Hellmann/Roman/Kasperek, Robert Fearncombe, Jr., Isabella Goodrich, Bonnie Reichstadt, Ellen McCague, Mary Mitchell, George Magee, Fr. Christopher Manuele, Susanna Wheeler and James Wheeler, Ricardo Martinez, Ayako Naganuma, Cole Francis Leon, Mason Leon, Chris Galounis , Raymond Courney, Cyndy Crane, Isabella Woodsick, , Johnny Schutzius, and Ilona Leja, Joseph Carrabotta.

RIP: Ben Bazik, Joseph Birsa, Glen Dykhuizen, Tahara Dykhuizen, Barbara Schoenberger, Fran Nelli, Dale Bixenmann, Arthur Birsa, Mary Rose Bucciarelli, Diane Wolfe, Bonnie Nagra, Corinne Bowers, Dr. Stephanie Pavnica, Andrew Pavnica, Maria Fairman, George McCague, Linda Stortz, Kevin Hansen, Richard Blaskie, Fr. Vytas Memenas, Ed Bowlan, Rich Goss, Art Johnson, Rod Springer, Fr. Jess Testa, Lenore Anders, Rita Luzbetak, Mark Evans and Ellen Schutzius.

Church Cleaning Crews

Information for contacting Nancy Taylor
Phone: 708-299-0737
Email: nct191@aol.com

By the Numbers for July 3rd & 4th, 2021

Regular Collection	Saturday 4:15 PM	\$2,211.00
	Saturday 6:00 PM	\$650.10
	Sunday 8:00 AM	\$2,792.00
	Sunday 10:00 AM	\$1,444.76
	Naperville 4:30 PM	\$1355.00
Special Needs	Saturday 4:15 PM	\$240.00
	Saturday 6:00 PM	\$30.00
	Sunday 8:00 AM	\$220.00
	Sunday 10:00 AM	\$227.00
	Naperville 4:30 PM	\$94.00
Building Fund	Saturday 4:15 PM	\$4,500.00
	Sunday 8:00 AM	\$45.00
	Sunday 10:00 AM	\$150.00
	Naperville 4:30 PM	\$250.00
Votive Lights		\$127.55
Mass Intentions		\$230.00
Sanctuary Lamp		\$50.00
Salt		\$21.50
Ascension		\$5.00
Refreshments		21.61
OLG Seminary		\$10.00
Infirm & Retired Priests		\$5.00
TOTAL		\$14,679.47

THANK YOU VERY MUCH



Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal

Parish Goal:	\$21,600
Amount Pledged:	\$19,423
Amount Paid:	\$18,563
Amount Due to Pledged:	\$860
Amount Due to Parish Goal:	\$3,037

SOCIAL MEDIA



Website:

www.fsspjoliet.wordpress.com



Join **Flocknote** our parish communication tool:

Text StJoes to 84576 or

sign up online with flocknote.com/StJoesRockdale



Facebook: St. Joseph Catholic Church – Rockdale, Illinois

Year of St. Joseph

December 8, 2020 - December 8, 2021



Resources available:

<https://www.dioceseofjoliet.org/reo/content1.php?secid=86>



St. Joseph's Library

The St. Joseph's Church library is back. Stop by the St. Michael room and take a look at the books and devotional materials today.



Our Lady of Fatima, Pray for Us.

Our May devotion will not take place since May 13 is Ascension Thursday. There will, however, be Sung Mass at 6:00 PM. No Fatima Holy Hour in June. The 13th is a Sunday. The next will be on Tuesday, July 13.

Mass Intentions

Mass Intention envelopes are available in the back of church. Please PRINT and completely fill out the front of the envelope. We will do our best to accommodate your request. Mass Intentions are filled on a first come, first served basis. Our Mass intention dates are quickly filling up 2021. The Mass Intention Envelope MUST be completely filled out in order to take your request. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the rectory. Thank you very much!



Organ Blessing & Recital

Finally, we will be able to have our organ blessing followed by a recital. Mr. Corrado Cavalli from St. John Cantius will be the recitalist. This will take place Saturday, September 11 at 7:00 PM.

Run for Life 2021

5K Run & 2.2-mile walk



Saturday, July 31st

St. John the Baptist
0S233 Church St.
Winfield, IL 60190

All proceeds and
sponsorships benefit
Waterleaf Women's Center



- Registration link: www.raceroster.com/30549
- On-site registration starts at 6:30 a.m.
- Race starts at 8 a.m.
- Water stations along the course, snacks at the end!
- FREE performance T-shirt if registered by July 1st!



Questions?
Contact Christine Kania
630-532-7813 or
christine.kania@gmail.com

1st Annual Grandparents Mass July 25, 2021

Everyone is Cordially Invited! To celebrate all Grandparents at the **In-Person & Live-Streamed 1st Annual Grandparents Mass on July 25, 2021 at 2:00PM at the Cathedral of St. Raymond.**

Our Celebrant will be Bishop R. Daniel Conlon. Please register by July 15, 2021 by calling the Office of Family Ministry at 815-838-5334, Email: familyministry@dioceseofjoliet.org or register online at <https://bit.ly/3pEvX28>.

We hope to see you there!

Aristotle's Ethics On-line Class

Have you ever had a hard time deciding what was good, true or right in a particular situation? Are you surprised at how much difficulty and uncertainty surround basic decisions? If so, consider checking out the on-line class, Aristotle's Ethics, taught by Timothy Gordon. In this class, Tim Gordon leads the student in reading the Nicomachean Ethics with lively lectures that include elements of law, politics, and culture. The Ethics was written two thousand years ago with the purpose of describing happiness by way of natural law, and its philosophy went on to become the foundation for Western civilization and Catholic theology. Indeed, St. Thomas Aquinas refers to Aristotle only as "the Philosopher." This is a great opportunity to learn the fundamental principles of natural law in an easy to learn setting. Classes start September 7th \$350. @timothyjgordon.com

Job Available: Part-time Bookkeeper

St. Mary Immaculate Parish, Plainfield, IL

St. Mary Immaculate Parish in Plainfield, IL is seeking to hire a part-time Bookkeeper to work approximately 25 hours per week. The key responsibilities include paying of invoices, overseeing Sunday Offer-tory and processing staff payroll. Bookkeeping and payroll experience required. Bachelor's Degree is a plus. Candidates must possess excellent accounting skills, coupled with strong organization and effective communication habits. Must have proficiency in Microsoft Office, Google and general email, keyboard skills. To view a full job description, visit; The Roman Catholic Diocese of Joliet in Illinois. To apply, send resume to Denise Rowan at drowan@smip.org.

Bulletin Articles

If you have an article that you would like to be included in our bulletin, please type and email your announcement to stjosephrep@hotmail.com at least 10 days in advance. Father Magiera must approve all articles. Thank you very much!

Join Fr. Scott A. Haynes on a 10-day pilgrimage to Bavaria and Austria!

Itinerary highlights include: Vienna ✦ Salzburg ✦ Neuschwanstein ✦ Oberammergau

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Detailed brochures are available at the parish, or email peter@petersway.com for a copy!

Job Available: Administrative Assistant Family Faith Formation Office, St. Elizabeth Seton Parish, Naperville, IL

St. Elizabeth Seton Parish, Naperville, IL seeks a vibrant, organized, practicing Catholic in the spirit of a Missionary Disciple to fill the role of Administrative Assistant in our Family Faith Formation Office. This is a part-time position working an average of 20 hours a week. Computer and technology skills needed are MS Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook. Working knowledge of Publisher and Parish Data Base systems a plus. To view a full job description, visit; The Roman Catholic Diocese of Joliet in Illinois. To apply, please send cover letter and resume to kcmcgwn@aol.com.

National Conference for Single Catholics

Join hundreds of single Catholics from across the country at the 20th National Conference for Single Catholics - August 20th-22nd, 2021 at the Omni Interlocken hotel in Broomfield, CO. The weekend includes talks by dynamic speakers (Fr. Nathan Cromly, Fr. Thomas Loya, Mary Beth Bonacci and others!) as well as music, social events, Mass, adoration, opportunities for confession, fellowship, food and more. Register before July 5th to get the Early-Bird discount and enter promo code: NCSC21 for an extra \$20 off. Visit www.NationalCatholicSingles.com for more information and to register. (Can't find your question answered on the website? Call 512-766-5798.)



Job Available: Part-time Parish Secretary
Holy Spirit Catholic Community, Naperville, IL

Holy Spirit Catholic Community in Naperville is seeking a faith-filled and enthusiastic Parish Secretary. This valuable team position is a part-time, unbenefited position responsible for ministering to the parishioners and parish. Software Knowledge: Microsoft Word, Publisher, and Excel. This position requires a professional, responsible, and committed individual excited to work with a collaborative pastoral staff, and must have excellent communication, organizational, and interpersonal skills. Approximately 25 hours per week. To view a full job description, visit; [The Roman Catholic Diocese of Joliet in Illinois](#). Interested candidates should send a resume and cover letter to ldoherty@hsc.us.

25th or 50th Wedding Anniversary Mass

The Diocese of Joliet will hold its Forty-third Annual Wedding Anniversary Mass In-person and LIVE-STREAMED on Sunday, August 29, 2021, at 2:00 p.m. at the Cathedral of St. Raymond in Joliet. If you are celebrating either your 25th or 50th anniversary this year, please contact our parish office (815) 725-4469 so that we may submit your name to the Diocese for a formal invitation. Those celebrating over 50 year anniversaries do not receive a formal invitation, but will be able to register to attend at a later date.



St. Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church (Feast day-July 15)

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The Day of Renewal for the Divorced

Office of Family Ministry is sponsoring the Day of Renewal for the Divorced. This is a Free Online Event on Saturday, August 7, 2021 from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm.

Online registration: <https://bit.ly/3wSDD3F>

Job Available: Part-time Religious Education Assistant Grades 1-8

St. Petronille Catholic Church, Glen Ellyn, IL

St. Petronille Catholic Church in Glen Ellyn, IL is seeking to hire a Part-time Religious Education Assistant for Grades 1-8. The Religious Education Assistant will be a partner in ministry and directly responsible to the Director of Religious Education, while also working closely with the Assistant Director of Religious Education. He/she will assist with the preparation of materials, for catechists, children, and families. He/she will assist children, families, and catechists, during weekly Religious Education sessions, liturgies, sacraments, and adult training sessions. Hours to be worked will be established with the Director (15-20), but not more than 29 hours per week. These hours will include all evenings that class is in session on campus, specifically Wednesday class sessions, and occasional weekend hours (sacraments, liturgies, etc.). The Assistant must be reliable, have computer skills (Word, Excel), be able to work with children, adolescents, and adults, as well as be an advocate for Religious Education. The Assistant must have catechetical experience and be willing to continue personal catechetical formation in fidelity to the authentic Catholic faith. To view a full job description, visit; [The Roman Catholic Diocese of Joliet in Illinois](http://www.stpetronille.org). Interested candidates can send a resume and cover letter to Julie Knox, Director of Religious Education at knoxj@stpetschurch.org or call (630) 858-3796 x4109.



Our Lady of Mt. Carmel (July 16th)



Confirmation and First Holy Communion Preparation

Sacramental Preparation for Confirmation and Holy Communion will begin this September. A meeting with parents and registrations will be on Sunday, August 29, in the school gym, following the 10:00 AM Mass. Parents of prospective candidates are asked to bring Baptismal Certificates. Can't find it? That's a problem with an easy solution for children baptized here at St. Joseph. Just call the office and make the request. For children baptized elsewhere, it would be a good idea to contact those respective parishes within the next few weeks.

Jubilee Pilgrimage to honor

Our Lady of Victory of Lepanto

You Are Invited on a Jubilee Pilgrimage to honor Our Lady of Victory of Lepanto. Come to Rome with Mary Immaculate Choir & Schola together with chaplains, Fr. Gregory Pendergraft, fssp & Fr. Daniel Alloy, fssp. on October 4-13, 2021.

Now accepting reservations! www.canterburypilgrimages.com/current-pilgrimages/rome to register TODAY! Please pick up a brochure near the bulletins for more information!