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FEBRUARY 16, 2020 - SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

HELLO AND WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH PARISH!

Thank you for joining us today. Blessings! May you have a beautiful day. The St. Joseph Parish family extends a warm welcome to our visitors and new families. We are delighted to have you! If you are a new parishioner, ask one of the ushers for a parish census/registration form. Please complete and drop in the collections basket or bring by the church office during business hours. If we can be of any assistance to you, please let us know. We hope you will find a true home at St. Joseph Church!

RECORD OF OUR STEWARDSHIP

February 9, 2020

RECORD OF OUR FAITHFULNESS

Offertory—\$3,294.00
 Poor Box—\$17.48
 Building Fund
 Collection—\$4,276.00

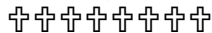
**May our faith grow, and we
 generously share out of love
 and not out of obligation.**

5:00PM— 81
 11:00AM—120
Total—201

Blessed Thanks!



Please pray for our sick, shut-ins, those listed in our book of intentions, parishioners residing in nursing homes, and others who have asked for prayers: *Gino Aureli, Bill Austin, Mike Barbarotto, Tommy Belvedresi, Gia Blanchard, Bill Bryant, Lena Cash, Richard Cass, Janie Culpepper, Paul Davidson, Shelley Dedman, Eleonore Dennis, Cindy Fakouri, Mary Frith, BJ & Janice Goodman, Julie Dial Habelmann, John Anthony Harris, Gene Hastings, Scott Howell, David Jackson, Mary Ann Kizer, Mike Lambert, Scott McGeorge, Elaine McKenney, Jim Merrill, Thomas Oster, Judy Reese, Eddie Rinchuso, Dorothy Soto, Laurie Stanfield, Hazel Turchi, and Karl-Heinz Weidemann.* Please keep them in your prayers in their time of need... And all others in need of our healing prayers. Also, remember the caregivers of the ill.



In your prayers, also remember the deceased. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord...



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION – THE NEW HOURS FOR EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ARE TUESDAYS 5PM UNTIL 9PM, AND WEDNESDAYS 5AM UNTIL 5PM (CLOSES FOR MASS) THEN 6PM UNTIL 10PM. If you would like to spend a quiet hour with Jesus, or if you would like to help be a substitute, please call Mark or Mary Ives (489-4004). *Please note, if you need a substitute for your hour of adoration, please try to find a sub before contacting the coordinators. Thank you.*

ARKANSAS CATHOLIC PHOTO CONTEST - Arkansas Catholic is running a contest to choose a photo for the cover of the 2021 diocesan directory. Any Arkansas photographer 18 or older, professional or amateur, can enter their photo of a Catholic church or institution in the diocese. March 6, 2020 is the deadline to enter. Complete rules and an official entry form are available at arkansas-catholic.org. For more information, call Emily Roberts at (501) 664-0125.

Traveling? Need to find a Catholic church? Check www.MassTimes.org for information on over 200,000 Catholic churches worldwide

Deacon/Sacristan:

Sat Feb 22 6:00PM Bud Bryant /Leonard Zell
Sun Feb 23 11:00AM Bud Bryant/Kevin Osweiler

Eucharistic Ministers:

Sat Feb 22 6:00PM *Rena Harrison, *Beth Turchi
Sun Feb 23 11:00AM Kathryn Brickey, Emily Brickey, *Emma Lafitte, *Gail Bryant, Angelique Ford (B)

Gift Bearers:

Sat Feb 22 6:00PM Betty Petrus, Dannette Petrus, Maria Jackson
Sun Feb 23 11:00AM Matt Soto Family

Lectors:

Sat Feb 22 6:00PM Trudy Pascale
Sun Feb 23 11:00AM Garry Boccarossa

Servers:

Sat Feb 22 6:00PM Sacristan
Sun Feb 23 11:00AM Sarah Camarillo, Alejandra Camarillo, Jaycie Clay

February Ushers: Saturdays : Tim Boutwell, Skip Capshaw
Sundays: Albert & Tismina Toh, Lawrence Mayer



*The Chair of Saint Peter
the Apostle
February 22*

Please notify the parish office when you or relatives are admitted to Jefferson Regional Medical Center. Thank you! WE CARE!!

NEIGHBOR TO NEIGHBOR - St. Joseph parishioners are asked to provide 244 cans of CORN each month to help feed the hungry in our community. However, ANY non-perishable food items or monetary donations are greatly appreciated. Remember, we, as Catholics, are called to respond lovingly to the Gospel imperative to feed the hungry, clothe the naked, welcome the stranger, visit the sick. *NO GIFT IS TOO SMALL!! Please place canned goods in baskets located around the church. Monetary donations should be placed in the collection basket in an appropriately marked envelope.*

Dates are open for Mass Intentions beginning in March 2020. This is a nice way to remember loved ones (Catholic or non-Catholic) who have passed, or birthdays and/or anniversaries of friends and family members living or deceased. Mass stipends are \$10.00.

CATHOLIC ARKANSAS SHARING APPEAL (CASA) 2020

Prayerfully welcome this opportunity to give in support of the overall needs of the Church in our area of the Diocese.

OUR GOAL IS \$14,700.00

Please return your CASA Gift/Pledge as soon as possible.

Catholic Daughters will have a will have a short meeting after the International Potluck Luncheon on Sunday, February 23. The meeting will be as short as possible in order for all to be able to get home to their families.

This week in our parish

Sun Feb 16 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30AM No P.R.E. (Presidents' Holiday)

11:00AM †Janice Turchi (Church)

Mon Feb 17 The Seven Holy Founders of
the Servite Order

Presidents' Day - Parish Offices Closed

8:00AM †Adam & Marie Tomboli (Church)

5:30PM Children's Choir (Gym)

6:00PM RCIA (Ed Bldg)

Tue Feb 18

8:00AM *No Daily Mass*

9:30AM Scripture Study (Ed Bldg)

Wed Feb 19

5:30PM †Jitters Morgan (Church)

Thu Feb 20

8:00AM †Myron Bichon (Church)

Fri Feb 21 St Peter Damian, Bishop and
Doctor of the Church

8:00AM †Jewell Mayer (Church)

Sat Feb 22 THE CHAIR OF ST PETER

THE APOSTLE

11AM-12PM Confessions Heard (Church)

6:00PM †St Joseph Parishioners (Church)

Sun Feb 23 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30-10:40AM P.R.E. (K thru 12th Grades)

11:00AM *International Mass & Luncheon*

†Jitters Morgan (Church & G Hall)

CDA will meet briefly after luncheon



*“For I tell you, unless
your righteousness
exceeds that of the scribes
and Pharisees, you will
never enter the kingdom
of heaven.”*

~Matthew 5:20

The scribes and
Pharisees lived according
to the letter

of the law, and they used this to elevate themselves above the other people. Jesus is clear – it's the love that you have in your heart that will get you to heaven. Simply following church rules out of obligation, not love, does not put you on the path to heaven. Attending Mass on Sunday and then gossiping about a fellow parishioner on the parking lot is an example of a modern day Pharisee.

Catholic Daughters is continuing their coat drive through February. Please leave your gently used coats, jackets, etc. in the boxes outside the church doors. Items donated will be passed out at St. Peter's Soup Kitchen.

Pastoral Council Nomination Forms have been posted on the wall around church. We need to elect seven (7) parishioners during the election March 7 & 8. Please prayerfully consider parishioners, 18 years and older, who you feel would best serve in this important parish function and write his or her name down.

HelpOurMarriage.com: Is your marriage going down the right road . . . or is it a little off track? Life can be difficult, and so can the challenges you face in marriage. Does the distance between you seem wide? Are you already separated? Looking for a better way? Retrouvaille can help and offers hope for a better relationship. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille is Christian-based, and Catholic in origin, but welcomes couples of all faiths as well as non-religious couples. Retrouvaille can help get your relationship back on track. For more information about an upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend (February 21-23, 2020) at St. John Center in Little Rock) program for couples, contact registration team: Mike and Carole Glancy @ 1-800-470-2230 or visit our website: **HelpOurMarriage.com**.