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MAY 29, 2022 - THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

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

May 22, 2022

RECORD OF OUR FAITHFULNESS

Offertory—\$5,317.00

Poor Box—\$42.00

With every decision I
make, may I take one
step closer to God.

6:00PM—53

11:00AM—87

Total—140

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, Eileen Badovick, Brekin Birge, Gia Blanchard, Tim Boutwell, Brandie Castleberry, Sybil Cope, Anna Crawford, Janie Culpepper, Mary Davis, Judy Ellison, Theresa Failla, Mary Shannon Fikes, Angeliqye Ford, Julie Dial Habelmann, Carol Hastings, Gene Hastings, Scott Howell, Anna Marie Jacks, David Jackson, Mary Ann Kizer, Doug Langlois, Jr, Scott McGeorge, Mary Ellen Miskell, Franklin Murray, Thomas Oster, Betty Petrus, Claudia Rainey, Laurie Stanfield, Claude Wilbern, and Judy Wilbert.* 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.

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

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION – Adoration Chapel is now open. Please contact Mark or Mary Ives (870-489-4404) if you would like to spend a quiet hour with our Lord on a Tuesday or Wednesday.

SEARCH #150 RETREAT - Registrations are now being accepted for Search #150, a retreat to help juniors and seniors in high school get to know themselves better, deepen their friendship with Christ, and find support in living out their faith. The summer Search is open to in-coming juniors, seniors, and recently graduated seniors. Search #150 will be held at St. John Center, Little Rock, over the dates of June 24-26, 2022. The fee is \$135.00. For more information and registration forms visit our website at:

<https://www.dolr.org/sites/default/files/documents/search-150.pdf>

If you have questions, you may contact Trish Gentry tgentry@dolr.org at the Diocese of Little Rock Youth Ministry office: 501-664-0340, ext 418.

Don't forget, the deadline to turn in Rice Bowls is Tuesday, May 31.



*As we are recovering from the pandemic, dealing with the recession and lower Mass attendance, we must still pay our bills. Your Stewardship is very important. Please place your stewardship in the box in church or mail to the parish office. A **BIG** thanks to those continuing to give their Stewardship.*

NEIGHBOR TO NEIGHBOR is requesting canned goods and any other non-perishable food items for their pantry.

Father Joe will say Mass at St. Mary Catholic Church, Plum Bayou the last Thursday of the month at 6:00PM. The next Mass date will be June 30.

Have you moved, but your mail is being forwarded? Did you disconnect the land line, and now rely solely on your cell phone? Have you provided us with your e-mail address? Are you registered in the parish? We need you to update your Parish Census/Registration Form, or get one, so our information is as up to date as possible. Forms can be found on tables and stands around church or in the parish office.

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



The Catholic Diocese of Little Rock is committed to protecting children and young people. If you are aware of abuse or have been abused by Clerics, Church volunteers, or Church workers, please contact the State of Arkansas Hotline for Crimes against Children at 1-800-482-5964 and the Chancellor for Canonical Affairs, Dcn. Matthew A. Glover, (501) 664-0340 ext. 361. For pastoral assistance please contact the Victim Assistance Coordinator for the Diocese of Little Rock: Laura Gottsoner at (501) 664-0340, ext. 425. Diocese of Little Rock, 2500 N. Tyler Street, Little Rock, AR 72207.

ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

Applications for the Catholic Daughters Annual Scholarship are available in the parish office. Deadline for submission is 4:00PM on Friday, July 15, 2022.



**Catholic Arkansas
Sharing Appeal**

CATHOLIC ARKANSAS SHARING APPEAL (CASA) 2022
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.

This week in our parish

Sun May 29 *THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD*

11:00AM †*Millie Ann Telliard* (Church)

Mon May 30 MEMORIAL DAY

Parish Offices Closed

8:00AM †*Jim Blaylock* (Church)

Tue May 31 THE VISITATION OF THE

BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

8:00AM *No Daily Mass*

9:00AM Scripture Study (Ed Bldg)

Wed Jun 1 ST JUSTIN, MARTYR

5:30PM †*Mildred Telliard* (Church)

Thu Jun 2 Sts Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs

8:00AM †*Genevieve Bednar* (Church)

Fri Jun 3 ST CHARLES LWANGA AND

COMPANIONS, MARTYRS

8:00AM †*Living and Deceased St Joseph*

Altar Society Members (Church)

Sat Jun 4

9:00AM *First Saturday Mass*

†*Roy Franco* (Church)

11AM-12PM Confessions (Church)

6:00PM †*St Joseph Parishioners* (Church)

Sun Jun 5 *PENTECOST SUNDAY*

11:00AM †*Vince Smith* (Church)

*“I am the Alpha and the Omega,
the first and the last, the
beginning and the end.”*

~Revelation 22:13

This is a reminder of how we should live our lives 24 hours a day, 7 days a week – putting God first in all that we do. Not only when I am at Mass and parish activities, but when I am in the world, at work or at school. Living gratefully and generously is an intentional lifestyle. Every decision you make either moves you closer to God or farther away. Choose wisely!

Don't forget first Saturday Mass Saturday, June 4 at 9:00AM in the church.

HELP! We need male and female parishioners to help during funerals as Altar Servers. On the job training, uniforms provided, and a “star in your crown” for helping bury the dead (a Corporal Work of Mercy). Please call Jim Rinchuso (870-550-5896) or the parish office (534-4701) to have your name placed on the list.

Our annual Diaper Drive for Birthright will begin Memorial Day weekend, May 28th, and end Labor Day weekend, September 5th. All sizes of diapers are appreciated. Those most needed are sizes newborn and zero to 10 pounds. Baby wipes are greatly needed, too. Monetary donations are also welcomed.

ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS AND COLLEGE STUDENTS

Applications for scholarships from St. Joseph Parish are available in the parish office and on our website. Scholarship application deadline is 4:00PM Friday, July 15, 2022.