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NOVEMBER 20, 2022 - OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

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

Offertory—\$3,822.00
 Poor Box—\$47.04
 Cemetery Fund—\$1,845.00

November 13, 2022

**May we serve Jesus, Our King,
 with love and gratitude,
 generously offering our gifts
 to help build up the kingdom
 of God here on earth.**

RECORD OF OUR FAITHFULNESS

6:00PM—31
 11:00AM—88
Total—119

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, James Belvedresi, Breckin Birge, Gia Blanchard, Irene Christian, Anna Crawford, Janie Culpepper, Judy Ellison, Theresa Failla, Mary Shannon Fikes, John Golden, Julie Dial Habelmann, Denise Haber, Carol Hastings, Anna Marie Jacks, David Jackson, Mary Ann Kizer, Scott McGeorge, Mary Ellen Miskell, Franklin Murray, Thomas Oster, Betty Petrus, Claudia Rainey, Laurie Stanfield, Claude Wilbern, Judy Wilbert, and Bonnie Wood.* 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, especially Dorothy Ozer, mother of Linda Oster.
 Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord...*

EUCCHARISTIC 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.

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

The beautiful flowers in front of the Altar of Sacrifice this weekend were placed there in loving memory of Rose VanVeckhoven by her daughter, Mollie Boeving.

The beautiful flowers on the Main Altar this weekend were placed there by Don Puddephatt in loving memory of his wife, Susan, and their anniversary.

Catholic Daughters Bake Sale

November 19 and 20

Immediately following Mass

In the Hallway by the Parish Offices

They will be selling cakes, pies, cookies, casseroles, etc.

AND Rosaries.

*Please stop by after Mass and take something good home
with you or purchase a rosary for a Christmas present.*

NEIGHBOR TO NEIGHBOR is requesting St. Joseph parishioners donate at least 120 cans of SWEET POTATOES and any cake mixes you like for their Christmas baskets. Also, they are asking for \$60.00 to sponsor a child for Christmas. Christmas baskets start going out December 1. Monetary donations are also accepted. Make checks payable to Neighbor to Neighbor. Please give what you are able.

The Diocese of Little Rock is seeking an Executive Director for Catholic Charities of Arkansas. Qualifications include: Catholic, bachelor's degree, working knowledge of Catholic moral and social teaching, strong communication and supervisory skills, and at least five years of management, finance and fundraising experience. To inquire, contact Dennis Lee, Chancellor for Administrative Affairs, at dlee@dolr.org or call (501) 664-0340, extension 308.

R. C. I. A. Classes meet on Mondays at 6:00PM in the kitchen by the parish offices. Anyone interested in becoming Catholic or learning more about the Catholic faith is welcome to attend.

Please prayerfully consider making a donation or memorial for the upkeep and maintenance of our three cemeteries, St. Joseph - Pine Bluff, St. Peter -New Gascony, and St. Patrick - Sulphur Springs. With your help we can keep them looking as beautiful as possible.

Father Joe will not say Mass at St. Mary Catholic Church, Plum Bayou this month due to the Thanksgiving holidays.

This week in our parish

Sun Nov 20 *OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST.*

KING OF THE UNIVERSE

9:30 No P.R.E. (Thanksgiving Break)
11:00AM *Int Don & †Susan Puddephatt* (Church)
12:00PM CDA Bake & Rosary Sale (Hallway)
12:00PM CDA Meeting (G Hall)

Mon Nov 21 *THE PRESENTATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY*

8:00AM *†Rose VanVeckhoven* (Church)
6:00PM R.C.I.A. (Office Kitchen)

Tue Nov 22 *ST CECILIA, VIRGIN AND MARTYR*

8:00AM No Daily Mass
9:00AM Scripture Study (Ed Bldg)

Wed Nov 23 *St Clement I, Pope*

St Columban, Abbott

Blessed Miguel Agustin Pro, Priest and Martyr
PARISH OFFICES CLOSED -THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS
5:30PM *†Irene (Renie) Enger* (Church)

Thu Nov 24 *ST ANDREW DÜNG-LAC, PRIEST, AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS*

THANKSGIVING DAY - PARISH OFFICES CLOSED
9:00AM *†Judy Reese* (Church)

Fri Nov 25 *St Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin and Martyr*

PARISH OFFICES CLOSED -THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS
8:00AM No Daily Mass (Father away)

Sat Nov 26

11AM-12PM Confessions Heard (Church)
6:00PM *†St Joseph Parishioners* (Church)

Sun Nov 27 *FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT*

9:30 No P.R.E. (Thanksgiving Break)
11:00AM *†Susan Puddephatt* (Church)

*“....giving thanks to the Father, who has made you fit to share in the inheritance of the holy ones in light.”
~Colossians 1:12*

God wants us to be happy! Instead of looking at the Ten Commandments as being restrictive and telling us what we can't do, look at them as guides for living a joy-filled and peaceful life. Most of our problems arise when we put our own needs first or we spend most of our time trying to acquire more stuff. Instead, try putting God first in all things. We were made for God. Open your heart and let Him in!

PLEASE NOTE:

Thanksgiving Day Mass 9:00AM.
No Mass at St. Mary's this month.
No P.R.E. Nov 20 or 27.
Parish Offices Closed Nov 23-25.



*Father Joe, Deacon Bud, Deacon Garry,
and the staff of St. Joseph Church THANK GOD for the
beautiful people who make up St. Joseph Parish.
Best wishes to all of you for a bountiful Thanksgiving!*

May God Bless You and Your Families!