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JUNE 23, 2024 - TWELFTH 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

June 16, 2024

RECORD OF OUR FAITHFULNESS

Offertory—\$3,374.00
 Poor Box—\$3.00
 Church in Latin
 America Collection—\$165.00

**May we not only know about
 Jesus but may we take time
 to grow in a personal
 relationship with Him.**

5:00PM—53
 11:00AM—98
Total—151

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: Shannon Fikes Bass, Betty Belvedresi, Breckin Birge, Mary Birge, Sgt Aaron John Blanchard, Tim Boutwell, Dc Bud Bryant, Michael Calvert, Bob Castleberry, Janie Culpepper, Sheri Flannery, Karen Gossett, Jim Gross, Julie Dial Habelmann, Denise Haber, Carol Hastings, Anna Marie Jacks, Mary Ann Kizer, Pat Lucas, Scott McGeorge, Mary Ellen Miskell, Melissa Ann O'Neill, Betty Petrus, Dewayne Petrus, Robert & Therese Riddle, Margie Ross, Terry Vanlandingham, Judy Wilbert, Mary Winkley, Joseph Wynn, and Robert York. 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 –Please contact Angelique Ford (870-489-0563) 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!

Congratulations to Ann Smith for her service. Ann received her 50 Year Membership Pin recently at the Catholic Daughters of the Americas Awards Banquet.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS: Knight of the Year is Mike Turchi. The Family of the Year is the Erasmo Camarillo Family. Congratulations to all!

There will be an Officers/Directors meeting Monday, June 24 at 6:00PM at KC Hall. All officers and directors need to attend if possible.

NEIGHBOR TO NEIGHBOR is in need of any canned goods and other non-perishable food items for their pantry. Monetary donations are also accepted. Make checks payable to Neighbor to Neighbor. Please give what you are able as the need is great.

Catholic Charities Summer Institute – C2SI - Registrations are now being accepted for C2SI, a summer program put together by the Youth Ministry Office and Catholic Charities of Little Rock. This week is open to youth in the 9th - 12th grades interested in learning about the social justice teachings of the Catholic Church. During this 5 day session participants will have the opportunity to learn how to put the social justice lessons learned each morning into action with worthwhile “hands on” experience by working in the community. Join us in Jesus’s invitation to feed the hungry, clothe the naked, shelter the homeless and welcome the stranger among us. Participants receive 40 hours of community service for the week. C2SI is held at St. John Center, Little Rock, July 8-11, 2024. An optional July 7th opportunity to work on a Habitat for Humanity house is provided as well. The fee is \$250.00. For more information and the registration visit our website at:

<https://www.dolr.org/sites/default/files/documents/c2si-registration-2024.pdf>

Partial scholarships are available by using the following form:

<https://www.dolr.org/sites/default/files/documents/diocesanscholarshipapplication.pdf>

ANNUAL SUMMER DIAPER DRIVE FOR BIRTHRIGHT - The annual summer diaper drive for Birthright sponsored by Catholic Daughters will begin Memorial Day weekend and run through Labor Day weekend. All sizes of diapers are needed and appreciated; but, size 1(8-10 lbs) are the most requested. Diapers can be placed in the designated boxes located in the hall near the church office or baskets located in the vestibule/front entry of the church. Monetary donations are always appreciated and welcomed. Thank You in advance for supporting this special mission. Keep the Moms and the children in your prayers.

There will be a Rosary recited before Mass in the church Sunday, June 30 at 10:25AM by the Knight of Columbus. Please come join us in this special prayer.

Members of Catholic Daughters will be selling raffle tickets for the State CD Board. Tickets are \$10 apiece for a chance to win \$1000.00. The drawing will be held October 31, 2024.

This week in our parish

Sun Jun 23 *Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

11:00AM †George Batzos (Church)

Mon Jun 24 THE NATIVITY OF ST JOHN
THE BAPTIST

8:00AM †Michael Strachota (Church)

6:00PM KC Officers/Directors Meeting (KC Hall)

Tue Jun 25

8:00AM *No Daily Mass* (Church)

9:30AM Scripture Study (Ed Bldg)

10:30AM Domino Group (Ed Bldg)

Wed Jun 26

5:30PM *Int Catherine Wynn* (Church)

Thu Jun 27 St Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and
Doctor of the Church

8:00AM *Int Andrew & Jessica Lewis* (Church)

6:00PM *Mass at St Mary Church, Plum Bayou*
Int Sue Pearson

Fri Jun 28 ST IRENAEUS, BISHOP AND MARTYR

8:00AM †Eleanore Neal (Church)

Sat Jun 29 ST PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES

4-4:45PM Confessions Heard (Church)

5:00PM †St Joseph Parishioners (Church)

Sun Jun 30 *Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

10:25AM Rosary recited in church by KCs

11:00AM †Lin & Al DuBois (Church)

12:00PM 5th Sunday Potluck Luncheon (G Hall)

“Then he asked them, ‘Why are you terrified? Do you not yet have faith?’” ~Mark 4:40

Do you really trust God? Is God your first choice or last resort? Is your faith something you just do on Sunday or do you live the Gospel message every day of the week? Many of us know about God. How many of us have a personal relationship with Him? Start now, open your heart to receive our Lord. Talk and listen to Him every day. Move your discipleship from head knowledge to heart knowledge.

SAVE THE DATE! On July 26-28 the Holy Fire Ministries is hosting the Arkansas Catholic Charismatic Conference "*Our God is a Consuming Fire*" at the Wyndham Riverfront Hotel in North Little Rock. This year's presenters are Fr. Michael Voithofer, a Catholic priest of the Archdiocese of Omaha and founder and president of Ablaze House of Prayer, and Maria Vadia, founder of The Glory of God Foundation. The weekend is full of praise and worship, exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, healing service, prayers for baptism and impartation of gifts of the Spirit and more!

Registration opens Friday at 3 pm. The conference opens at 6 pm with Bishop Anthony Taylor presiding at the opening Mass at 6:30 pm. Visit arkcc.org for online registration. For further information, leave a message at 479-692-1937.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! A Fifth Sunday Potluck luncheon will be held June 30th after 11AM Mass in Gallagher Hall. Bring your favorite side dish to serve 8. Everything else will be provided. Meat and desserts will be furnished by St. Joseph Altar Society. Come and enjoy some food, fun, and fellowship!