



Saint Joseph Catholic Church

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Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 25, 2010

Lord, on the day I called for help, You answered me.

Mass Schedule

Saturdays 5:00 p.m., Sundays 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m.
 Tuesdays through Fridays 8:15 a.m.

Folk: Wednesdays 6:15 p.m., Saturdays 6:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Marriage

Catholic statewide policy requires six (6) months of preparation. To set your wedding date, you must contact the pastor first. No date secure without contacting the priest personally. Please call the parish office.

CONFESSIONS:

St. Joseph, Westphalia - Saturday: 3:30 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.; Sunday: 6:30 a.m. - 6:50 a.m. and 8:30 a.m. - 8:50 a.m. or any time by appointment

St. Anthony of Padua, Folk - Wednesday: 5:45 p.m. - 6:05 p.m. or any time by appointment

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Home and School President	Suzanne Massman	455-9843
Parish Secretary	Janice Plassmeyer	455-2320
St. Anne's Sewing Circle President	Mary Wilde	455-2967
Parish Cemetery	Glenn Bock	455-2418
K of C Grand Knight	Ron Berhorst	455-9883
K of C Ladies Aux Pres	Rita Luebbering	455-2522
Knights of Columbus Hall		455-2858

Mass Schedule for the Week

Monday, July 26 Saint Joachim and Saint Anne
NO MASS

Tuesday, July 27 Saint Celestine
 8:15 a.m. William (Billy) Fennwald

Wednesday, July 28
 8:15 a.m. Living & deceased of Fred and Leona
 Markway family

Scripture study immediately after Mass
6:15 p.m. Mass @ Saint Anthony, Folk

Thursday, July 29 Saint Martha; Saints Peter and Marcellinus

7:50 a.m.—Rosary : Barbara Reichart
 8:15 a.m. Randy Bexten
 7:00 p.m. Rosary Group

Friday, July 30 Saint Peter Chrysologus
 8:15 a.m. Walter Fechtel

Saturday, July 31 Saint Ignatius of Loyola
 5:00 p.m. Living & deceased of Fred and Eleanor
 Fechtel family

6:30 p.m. Mass @ Saint Anthony, Folk

Sunday, August 1 Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 7:00 a.m. St. Joseph & St. Anthony Parishes
 9:00 a.m. Cindy Hilkemeyer

Prayer List

Please keep in your prayers:

Kay Grade, Bill Reichart, Kenny Eichholz, Loretta Schwartz, Carl (Muscles) Massman, Eric Orscheln, Alice Reimold, Amy Mace, Zita Holterman, Betty Plassmeyer, Marilyn Linnenbrink, Vickie Lueckenotte, Brent Gentges, Ty Daniel Brandt, Viola Hodges, Dawn Steele, Mike Knoll, Virginia Kramer, Kim Sharisin, Frederick Morfeld, Janet Buthod, Margaret Romph, Robert Conley, Shirley Lock, Christina Crider, Kim Kremer, L.S., Doug Even, Sarah Wickham, Evelyn Stuecken, Tiara Maasen, T. Thompson, and Emily Kramer.

Please pray for our military and a safe return of the following: Andrew Stephens, Brice McBride and Clayton Boessen.

If you wish to add/remove a name, need a prayer, hospital visit, support in grieving or a difficult pregnancy, call the rectory at 455-2320.

A special thank you for your prayers during my illness and recovery. Thanks again. ~ Wilfred Kempker

Words to the wise: Eve was drawn from Adam's side; Mary draws all her merits from her divine Son. (Saint Ignatius of Loyola)

Bulletin deadline - Items for bulletin must be received by 4:00 p.m. on Tuesdays (455-2320) prior to the weekend's bulletin. Items can also be emailed to bulletinemail@yahoo.com.

New for the 2010 Picnic—A Pie Auction! If you are interested in making a pie to be auctioned off at the parish picnic, please contact Jenna Massman at 694-2840 for details.

Parish Support Report 2010-2011

Projected Total Income:	\$1,034,830.00
Projected Expenses:	\$1,159,645.00
Projected Deficit (loss)	\$ - 124,815.00

Actual Total Income YTD:	\$ 77,562.94
Actual Expenses YTD:	\$ 73,289.09
Deficit YTD (loss):	\$ + 4,273.85

Last weekend (Offertory), we received: \$ 8,553.50

Total Offertory YTD:	\$ 34,517.35
Total Offertory last year:	\$ 577,229.35

We need your 5% Tithing support to meet our goals.

Thank you for your generosity.

CALL FOR ARTISTS, PHOTOGRAPHERS, AND ART ENTHUSIASTS: A special invitation is extended to all artists who were born, reside, work or go to school in Westphalia. Artists with ties to Westphalia, either by the subject of their art or by ancestry, are also invited to exhibit their work in the upcoming Septaquinquacentennial (175th Anniversary) Celebration on September 25, 2010. We are also accepting art collections and old photos for display. For more information contact Doris Davis at ddbldavis@yahoo.com or call 573-455-2765.

Liturgy Assignments for July 31—August 1

Saturday, July 31, 5:00 p.m.

Rosary: Rita Hentges
Music: Kathryn Schanzmeyer, Dale Wieberg and Gloria Schmitz
Servers: Joshua Bax, Elizabeth Bure and Paige Groner

Sunday, August 1, 7:00 a.m.

Rosary: Irene Hentges
Music: Shelly Angerer and Sandy Bexten
Servers: Kyle Smith, Jarrett Berhorst and Alex Wieberg
Lector: Wanda Rehagen
Offertory Gifts: August Boessen Family
Communion Ministers: Patrick Steele, Larry and Martha Kliethermes
Ushers: A.J. and Irene Hentges, Bill Massman and Doug Massman

Saturday, July 31, 5:00 p.m. (continued)

Lector: Angie Schulte
Offertory Gifts: Henry Hentges Family
Communion Ministers: Debbie Kempker, Wilfred and Jean Kempker
Ushers: Diane and Paul Maasen, Joe and Zita Holterman

Sunday, August 1, 9:00 a.m.

Rosary: Eileen Plassmeyer
Music: Adult Choir
Servers: Casey Breese, Kalee Masterson and Dillon Rehagen
Lector: Norbert Plassmeyer
Offertory Gifts: Donald Nilges Family
Communion Ministers: Stephanie Eichholz, Christopher Fechtel, Floyd Reinkemeyer and Mary Corey
Ushers: Tom Berhorst, Mike Feltrop, Patrick Massman and Josh Bax

Collection Counters: Mary Markway, Robert and Dolores Holterman

We welcome Jack Michael Wieberg, son of Eric and Lisa (Perrey) Wieberg, as a new member of our parish community. Jack's baptism was celebrated last weekend.

Deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Ann (Toebben) Lackman, who died July 20. May she have eternal rest and may perpetual light shine upon her forever. Amen.

Upcoming Meetings and Activities

An Open House will be held on Sunday, July 25, from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Lions Den to celebrate Martha Fennewald's 100th birthday. Everyone is invited. — The Fennewald Family

There will be a meeting held in St. Joseph School gymnasium on Monday, July 26, at 6:30 p.m. for all Athletic Committee members, parents of 5th grade through 8th grade PALS volleyball, and coaches. Items to discuss will be VIRTUS training, physicals needed, registration forms needed, team photos, teams, uniforms, tournament reimbursement.

Knights of Columbus and Ladies Auxiliary meeting on Monday, July 26, with the installation of officers. There will be a carry-in dinner at 6:30 p.m. Meat, drinks and bread will be provided. Everyone attending is asked to bring a covered dish.

There will be a school uniform sale at St. Francis Xavier School, Taos, on Saturday, July 31, from 8 a.m. to noon in Xavier Hall in the school. All items are .50 cents. All proceeds go to SFX Computer Lab.

Osage County Girl Scouts Registration Night: Osage County Girl Scouts are having a registration night at the Linn Pool on Sunday, August 8, from 7 to 9 p.m. This is open to girls attending Fatima, St. Joseph, Loose Creek and Linn schools. Please bring \$12 for the registration fee. All family members are welcome to swim. Girls who are already Girl Scouts from these schools are also welcome to attend with their families. Please bring a snack to share. Lemonade and water will be provided.

The Western Catholic Union will soon be doing a litter pickup near the Adopt-A-Highway sign on Highway 63. If you are interested in helping, contact Janice Boessen at 455-2651. Refreshments will be held afterward for all participants.

Area Social Events

St. Elizabeth Community Picnic on Sunday, July 25. Smorgasbord dinner served from 11:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Quilt auction at 5 p.m.

15th Annual Westphalia K of C Tractor Pull on Saturday, August 7, starting at 7 p.m. Mid Missouri Truck and Tractor Pullers Association. Food and refreshments will be sold on grounds. \$5.00 admission, children 12 and under free. Coolers \$8.00. If you have any questions, call Craig Kampeter at 455-9907 or Scott Berhorst at 455-2101.

St. Thomas the Apostle, St. Thomas, Parish Picnic on Sunday, August 15. Serving from 11:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Quilt auction at 5 p.m.

SPIRITUAL RENEWAL OPPORTUNITIES

Called to Greatness: Experiencing Healing in our Sexuality – on Saturday, September 11, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon at the Alphonse J. Schwartze Memorial Catholic Center in Jefferson City. Because of the culture in which we have been raised, we are in need of healing from the distorted images and attitudes conveyed through a pornified environment. The good news is that Christ entered this world to restore creation to the purity of its origins. Bill Donaghy, from the Theology of the Body Institute, will explore the integration of body and soul as the path to authentic sexual healing. Registration: \$15.00 (includes seminar workbook and morning refreshments). Hosted by the Office of Family Life and The Diaconate Formation Office. For more information, visit communitymin@diojeffcity.org or call 573-635-9127.

A special thank you on the labor, time and equipment on the school playground: slide improvement - Jason Groner, Patrick Massman and Scott Plassmeyer; Astroturf for swing - Scott Plassmeyer, Scott Reichel, Chad Stuecken, Bruce Kampeter, Charles Schwartze, Chris Dickneite, Keith Herzing, Mark Fechtel, Ron Berhorst, and Father Smith; delivery of Astroturf - Marty Wieberg, Ethan Wieberg, Jeff Otto, Kenny Hoeller and Travis Reichel; pea gravel – Donald Nilges with Capital Sands; and delivery of the pea gravel – Patrick Massman with Bruemmer Trucking. Again Thanks and God Bless.

Pray for Priests: This week you are asked to pray for the following priests: Monday, Rev. Joseph G. Lawlor; Tuesday, Rev. J. James Offutt; Wednesday, Rev. Leonard S. Misy; Thursday, Rev. Joseph W. Starmann; Friday, Rev. Edwin A. Schmidt; Saturday, Rev. Brendan Doyle; and Sunday, Rev. Gerald W. Stockman.

SCHOOL NEWS

Dear Parents, Guardians, and Parishioners,

Students, who will be participating in any school sponsored sports for the 2010-2011 school year, will need to have an annual sports physical. School sponsored sports include volleyball, cross country, basketball and track & field. Students must have a current physical prior to participation in the first practice of a sport.

The back-to-school night for incoming kindergarten students and parents will be held on Wednesday, August 11, beginning at 6:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Marked school supplies should be brought to this meeting. Students and parents will meet their teachers at this meeting.

All volunteers involved in the school's sports program (coaches, assistant coaches, concession stand workers, gate workers, drivers, etc.) and other volunteers such as teachers' aides, librarians, office helpers and cafeteria and playground helpers need to have completed the diocesan VIRTUS training before interacting with students. You can enroll in a training program by contacting the Diocesan Office at (573) 635-9127 in Jefferson City.

~ Deacon James E. Skahan, Principal

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!! We are in need of volunteers for the St. Joseph School library program. You are not required to have children attending St. Joseph to volunteer. We welcome grandmothers/fathers or even those with children who will attend in the future. The library program is a great way to see a little of how our school works. There are two types of volunteers needed. Both types would be paired with a partner. **No experience is needed.** 1) Tuesday night helpers: These volunteers will meet Tuesday evening (anytime after 4:00 p.m.) to check in books and reshel them. Normally, this takes about two to three hours. Depending on the number of volunteers, Tuesday night helpers are scheduled about once per month. 2) Wednesday (library day) helpers: These volunteers will work the actual library day at school (usually 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon) which will consist of checking out books to the students. Depending on the number of volunteers, Wednesday helpers are scheduled two consecutive weeks every other month. We would love to have your help to make our library a greater success!! Call Sue Schwartz at 455-2297 if you would like to volunteer or if you have any questions.

Eric Orscheln is a member of Immaculate Conception Parish in Loose Creek. He is a self-employed carpenter/contractor who was critically injured when falling from a ladder on May 28. A benefit for Eric and his wife, Tricia, will be held on Saturday, October 23. Doors will open at 4 p.m. Dinner will be served from 4:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the Loose Creek Community Center. Dinner tickers are \$20 each. Please contact Richard or Dawn Kliethermes at 455-2199 to donate items for the raffle and/or auction and to purchase dinner tickets. Thank you in advance for your support. Please keep Eric, Tricia, and their children, Avery and Toren, in your prayers. — The Eric & Tricia Orscheln Benefit Team.

From the Pastor's Pen

Dear Parishioners,

Continued blessings to you during this summer time with all its heat and storms. Know of my regular prayer and thoughts for all of you.

We have finished up the fiscal year in both parishes. While the financial status of St. Anthony's and St. Joseph's is very different, both parishes finished the year in better shape than was predicted a year ago. Thank you to all of you for making this possible through your generous giving and your attempts to control spending. Short forms of the financial report that will be sent to the diocesan finance office will be printed in the bulletin soon. The complete report is available to anyone who would like to see it. Just ask me or our bookkeepers if you would like to see the detailed, signed report.

Since many people have commented that they have never seen the inside of the St. Joseph rectory, I have decided to hold an Open House. On the weekend of August 14th and 15th the rectory will be open after all the Masses. Snacks and drinks will be available. You are most welcome to drop by.

Remember that a meeting for all interested confirmed high school seniors will be held at the St. Joe rectory after the 9 a.m. Mass.

Next weekend is the St. Joseph parish picnic. Tell all your friends (and enemies, too, if they are likely to come). Every person here helps with both the fun and the bottom line.

Keep cool and God bless,

Fr. Mark

St. Joseph Sunday School Registration Form 2010-2011

If your child is entering kindergarten in the fall of 2011, please enroll in our Sunday School Program by filling out the registration form below.

Child's Name _____

Age _____

Parent's Name _____

Address _____

Email Address: _____ Telephone Number _____

Volunteering for one of the following *may take you off* the regular weekly teaching rotation schedule:

____ Christmas Program Coordinator

____ Graduation Program Coordinator

Send with a \$15.00 check made payable to: Saint Joseph Church Sunday School Program. Place in an envelope marked "*Sunday School Program*." Place envelope in collection basket and/or mail to St Joseph Church, PO Box 116, Westphalia, MO 65085.

If you have questions, contact Amber Wilde at 455-9979. Please return registration information by Sunday, August 15, 2010.
