

ST. JOSEPH PARISH AND SCHOOL AND OUR LADY OF LOURDES GROTTO

SCHOOL

Since 1832

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PARISH

Since 1831

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Sacrament of Baptism

Call Parish to Schedule

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 – 4:30 PM

Sacrament of Matrimony

Consult Pastor Six Months Prior

Sacrament / Anointing of the Sick

Call Parish Any Time

ST. JOSEPH MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:00 PM

Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Weekday Masses

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri. 8:30 AM

Wed. 6:00 PM

Welcome!



December 17,
2017

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Mass Intentions

Saturday, December 16

- 2:00 PM Wedding of:
Lori Ellwood & Scott Warner
- 5:00 PM Claude & Mary Weigand
(Family)

Sunday, December 17 – Third Sunday of Advent

- 8:00 AM Lou & Mary Jenior
(Lou Ann & Rich Klauka)
- 10:30 AM People of St. Joseph Parish

Monday, December 18

- 8:30 AM Pauline & William Luli
(Family)

Tuesday, December 19

- 8:30 AM Harry & Eva Kline
(Family)

Wednesday, December 20

- 6:00 PM Bob DeFluiter
(Moser & Perkins Families)

Thursday, December 21

- 8:30 AM

Friday, December 22

- 8:30 AM Evelyn Shilts
(Shilts Family)

Saturday, December 23

- 5:00 PM Pauline Wilke
(Family)

Sunday, December 24 – Fourth Sunday of Advent

- 8:00 AM Susan Redos
(Mary Gregory & Family)

NO 10:30 AM Mass

Sunday, December 24 - Christmas Eve

- 5:00 PM Children's Mass
People of St. Joseph Parish
- 10:30 PM Mass with Adult Choir
People of St. Joseph Parish

Monday, December 25 – Christmas Day

- 8:00 AM People of St. Joseph Parish

Passed Into the Lord's Hands: Ernest Horning, (uncle of Lisa Mudd).

WEEKLY OFFERTORY

December 10, 2017



Offertory (church & school)	\$ 6,938.00
Immaculate Conception	221.00
Christmas	500.00
Christmas Flowers	60.00
Grotto and Candles	228.00
Cemetery Care	15.00
Funeral Dinners	25.00
Haiti Collection	70.00
Retirement Fund for Religious	125.00

183 Envelopes and
On-line giver contributions
Thank you for your Sacrificial Offerings.

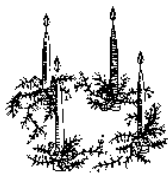
Total parishioner offering this week..... \$ 8,182.00

This Week In Our Parish

- Sun: Giving Tree Gifts MUST be returned today
12:00 Noon Giving Tree Gift Sorting Begins
Youth Group will help with gift sorting
Liturgical Ministers Christmas/New Year Schedule
Ready & located at the back of church next to sign-in
- Mon: 6:00 PM TOPS Group *Topic: Peace –*
Join Us for our Last Meeting of 2017
(Meeting Room)
- Wed: 6:00 PM Mass
7:30 PM Contemporary Choir Practice
- Thur: 7:00 PM Choir Practice
- Sun: 4th Sunday of Advent
8:00 AM is the only Morning Mass
Christmas schedules located by the sign-in book
Christmas Eve
5:00 PM Children's Mass
10:00 PM Christmas Cantata begins
10:30 PM 'Midnight Mass' w/ Adult Choir
- Mon: ***Merry Christmas !***
8:00 AM Christmas Day Mass

Please Keep in Your Thoughts and Prayers,

The Ill of the Parish: Arthur Coughenour, Barb Seli, Jim Demboski, David Goodhart, Dr. Dennis McCluskey, Tony Franjesh, John Luli Jr, Norma Griggy, Linda Cahill Broman, Paul and Barb Warner, Finnley Mercer, Shelia Dowdy, Judy Smith, Anne Luli, John Stollar, Konrad Simpson, Jamie McKinley Taylor, Alexis Lowden, Michael Anthony, Robert Landgraf, Eleanor Jane, Nancy Kline Herrington, Marcella Martell, Rita Brown, Ashley M., Grace & George Klein, Dr. Gabe Russo, Amanda Swan, Sr. Joann Bormet, Charlie Wise, John Foght, Fr. Ed, Cecilia Woodward, Mike Koval, Dennis Klodt, Sarah Waples Bronikowski, Martha (Wohlwend) Harris, Anita Heimel, Dolly May, Paul North, Rick Strebler, Carson Lennington Stewart, Lois Waples and Rose Horning.



Lighting the Advent Candle

As is customary here at St. Joe's, we will continue the lighting of the Advent candles on the Advent wreath at the beginning of each Mass. A family or 2 individuals will be needed to light the candles. Please accept an usher's invitation to do so; or, volunteer to light the candles. Thank you!



St. Joseph Giving Tree

A reminder to those who still have Giving tree gifts, **all gifts must be returned by 12:00 noon TODAY, Sunday, December 17th.**

Sorting of the gifts will be done this afternoon beginning at 12:00 Noon, and distribution will be Tuesday, December 19th.

All tags have been taken from our trees! May God continue to bless you all for your constant generosity and response to those in need, and in giving some Joy to others this Christmas.

Liturgical Ministers Sign-up sheet

Schedules are now available by the sign-in sheet located at the back of church. **As was the case last year, ministries have been assigned.** Please check the schedule carefully.

Greeting Cards Have All Been Sent...

Or at least that is what the song says. Have all your Christmas cards been sent? Could you add a few more for the parishioners who are home bound or in assisted living complexes? I am sure it would help brighten their day. Here's an addition to the list from last week.

Alma Wartko: The Homestead, 850 Sunnyside St., #320, Hartsville, OH 44632.

Advent Communal Penance at St. Joseph, Randolph

Mark your calendars; St. Joseph Parish will have a **Communal Penance Service on Thursday, December 21st, 7:00 PM.** Fr. Tom, Fr. Lang, and Fr. Pfeiffer will be the celebrants. If you could not make it to the service at St. Patrick's please plan to attend this one as it will be your final chance before Christmas.

Many, Many Thanks from the Catholic War Vets

The Catholic War Vets wish to extend a very grateful "Thank You" to all who attended their 70th Anniversary Christmas Dance and Dinner. We are thankful to all of you for your support to our organization and our School. The evening was filled with great food, great entertainment, (especially a solo performance by our own Mr. Carl Wohlwend), and a good time was had by all. We look forward to a New Year, and God bless all of you.

Reminder: The December 26th CWV meeting has been canceled. Merry Christmas, see you in the New Year!

New Year's Eve Party

Fr. Tom is again planning a New Year's Eve party. Obviously the party will take place Sunday evening, December 31st, beginning at 7:00 o'clock in Gaudete Hall. The cost per person is \$12, or \$20 a couple. There is a sign-up sheet located on the table at the back of church. If you wish to attend, please sign the sheet.



Christmas Flowers

As you have seen, in your packets there are envelopes for Christmas Flower donations. As always, any monetary donations for flowers intentions are contributions to the parish. **All requested listings must be in to rectory by Monday, December 18th.** Thank you.

An Observation from One of Our Alumni

"Many of my siblings (as well as nieces and nephews) and I attended St. Joseph's School. Our early educational years were positively shaped from our excellent elementary education at the School. For me, the real impact was when I later went to public school and notice the significant difference between a private Catholic education and a public educational experience. One thing I have grown to greatly appreciate is the role of discipline and leadership provided by a Catholic education, like that provided by St. Joseph's School. This model is one that I wish was emulated in all educational systems. Certainly these days, such a structure would significantly improve the educational system in the US."

Richard M. Barno
Leslie L. Montgomery

Christmas and New Year's Mass Schedules



Christmas Eve, Sunday, December 24th

5:00 PM Children's Mass with "From the Heart Singers"

10:30 PM Mass with adult choir
(10:00 PM Christmas Cantata)

Christmas Day, Monday, December 25

8:00 AM Masses

Sunday, December 31st

8:00 AM & 10:30 AM Masses
NO Vigil Mass

Monday, January 1st

9:00 AM Solemnity of Mary