

# ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

## LA IGLESIA CATÓLICA DE SAN JOSÉ

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### Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Friday: 8:00am – 12:00pm  
Wednesday, Thursday: 12:00pm – 4:00pm

### Website

<http://www.parishesonline.com/find/st-joseph-catholic-church>

### Check us out on Facebook

Easter Sunday  
The Resurrection  
of the Lord

April 16, 2017

We are God's people.  
The sheep of His flock, Alleluia!

### This Week's Mass Schedule

**Monday** - 5:30 pm  
**Tuesday** - 8:00 am  
**Wednesday** - 6:00 pm Spanish Mass in Akron  
**Thursday** - 5:30 pm  
**Friday** - 8:00 am  
**Saturday** - 5:00 pm  
**Sunday** - 9:00 am  
11:30 am (Spanish)



## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, April 15

8:00pm †Ed Banashek

### Sunday, April 16

9:00am †Tyler Mulvaney

11:30am People of the Parish

### Monday, April 17

5:30pm Vietnam Veterans

### Tuesday, April 18

8:00am The John Eder Family

### Wednesday, April 19

6:00pm Spanish Mass in Akron †Poor Souls

### Thursday, April 20

5:30pm †Ken Rich

### Friday, April 21

8:00am †Frank Rocchio

### Saturday, April 22

5:00pm †Tim Murphy

### Sunday, April 23

9:00am †Frank Vojtasek

11:30am People of the Parish

### CONFESIONS

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered next Sun, Apr. 23, 1:30-2:30pm in the church.

### CONFESIONES

El Sacramento de Reconciliación se ofrecerá el próximo Domingo 23 de Abr, 1:30-2:30pm en la iglesia.

### FAITH FORMATION

There are no sessions this Sunday. Sessions resume next Sun, Apr. 23.

### FORMACIÓN DE FE

Empezaremos de nuevo las sesiones el próximo el domingo 23 de abril.

### ESTUDIO BIBLICO

Todos están invitados de crecer en su conocimiento de la Biblia y en su fe en Cristo, con La Palabra de Dios, cada Lunes, 6:30-8:00pm en el cuarto bajo de la Biblioteca de Akron.

## FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

	Sunday Collection	Online Giving	Total
<b>Regular Offering</b>	\$2810	\$1047	\$3857
<b>Haiti</b>	\$37	\$165	\$202
<b>Bldg. Fund</b>	\$5	\$130	\$135
<b>Catholic Moment</b>	\$42	\$0	\$42
<b>Catholic Relief Services</b>	\$13	\$0	\$13
<b>Easter Flowers</b>	\$10	\$0	\$10
<b>Total Giving</b>	\$2917	\$1342	\$4259

### LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

April 22 & 23

**5:00pm**

**Reader:** Time Renie

**Eucharist:** Pat Menis, Sunho Lee

**Server:** Olivia Jennings

**Hospitality:** Juanita Rude, Joann Bowers

**Music:** Trinity Lease

**9:00am**

**Reader:** Ted, Denton

**Eucharist:** Cheri Meiser, Deb Frost

**Server:** Sarah Schaller, Isaias Olivarez

**Hospitality:** Sandy & Charlie Warpenburg

**Music:** Janet Copeland

**Domingo, 11:30am**

**Lector:** Aracely Ortiz, Angelita Ramirez

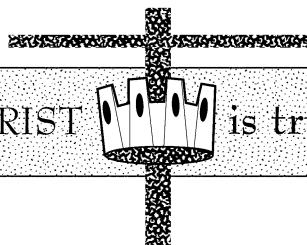
**Eucaristía:** Guadalupe Rosas, Jesus & Lupe Quintana

**Monaguillos:** Arturo Rosas, Jorge Rosas

**Hospitalidad:** Martha Ramirez y Familia

### DIOCESAN COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN

The spring DCCW will be held Tue, April 25, 2017. We will meet at All Saint's Parish in Logansport. Sign-in is at 9:00am, and the meeting begins at 9:30am. The cost is \$5.00. For further information, contact Trish Horban at 574-223-2168.



JESUS CHRIST is truly risen!

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## FROM FR. MIKE:

One of my favorite treats for Easter is a chocolate bunny. Okay, for your reference, anything with chocolate works for me, but there is an added fun in eating chocolate that is in the form of a cute, furry, cuddly creature from the woods. And like most people, I usually eat the ears first. Why do we do that? Probably because it is easiest to break off a piece right where the ears are attached to the head, which is the weakest point on the chocolate rabbit. Easter is a reminder that God came to earth like one of us and focused straight on the weakest aspect of our human existence—that we are fallen people wounded permanently by original sin. God addressed the point of attack by sending us His Son, Jesus, who was human as well as sharing in his Father's divine nature. Jesus then used his human will to choose to suffer the fullness of evil by dying in one of the more cruel, humiliating, and painful ways imaginable. Yet God raised Jesus from the dead, the ultimate evil, and by conquering and destroying this ultimate evil, we can now enjoy the fullness of life as we were meant to experience it here on earth and in the life to come in heaven. So, by addressing where we are weakest and certainly cannot save ourselves, Jesus provides us with a newness of life. So if you get to enjoy a chocolate bunny or other Easter candy, remember the sweetness of allowing Jesus to be the Lord of life and the gift of the resurrection.



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## INDIANA INDIAN DAY

St. Joseph Parish is hosting this day acknowledging the harsh treatment of the Pottawatomi and Miami Indians that led to their forced displacement and even death this Sat, Apr. 22 at 2:00pm. The program begins in the church with prayer, then will include historical recollections of the Trail of Death and a public apology. A reception with refreshments will follow in the Parish Hall.



## PLEASE PRAY FOR

Judy Green, Terri Bowers, Irvin Bridgroom, Dorothy Thulin, Joan Felke, Mary Ann Williamson, Theresa Vojtasek, Joseph Absi, Andi McClendon, Jim Zehner, Amber Wilson, Brie Armstrong, Tom Renie, Lucas Brown, Kurt Kellenburger, Bill Wagner, Gracie Figlio, Don Beech, Shirley Brennan, Stephanie Evans, Marsha Crist Gearhart, Shelagh Wise, Wendell Grass, Al Gundrum, Martha Schwenk, Gloria Kontor, David Rans, Kelly Hiatt, Janet Schutter, Bill Kaytar, Harold Foust. Please call the Parish Office with any changes to the prayer list. 574-223-2808. Thank you!

**Good Sam's April Leader: Becky Banashak (574-223-5103).** Let the Good Sam's Group know if you know of anyone seeking food, transportation, child care during illness, or have other pressing needs. Contact the Parish Office (574-223-2808) or Chris Haussmann (574-223-8191).

**Marriage**—Please contact our pastor at least six months in advance of your desired date.

**Baptism**—Please contact our pastor for a preparation meeting.

**Bulletin Deadline**—Noon Tuesday

Those wishing Communion for the homebound, please notify the parish office.

## DEL PADRE MIGUEL:

Uno de mis dulces favoritos para la Pascua es un conejo de chocolate. Bueno, para su referencia, cualquier cosa con chocolate funciona para mí, pero hay una diversión añadida en comer chocolate que está en la forma de una criatura linda, peluda, amorosa de los bosques. Y como la mayoría de la gente, suelo comer las orejas primero. ¿Por qué hacemos eso? Probablemente porque es más fácil romper una pieza justo donde las orejas se unen a la cabeza, que es el punto más débil en el conejo de chocolate. La Pascua es un recordatorio de que Dios vino a la tierra como uno de nosotros y se centró directamente en el aspecto más débil de nuestra existencia humana: que somos un pueblo caído herido permanentemente por el pecado original. Dios se dirigió al punto de ataque enviándonos a Su Hijo, Jesús, que era humano, además de compartir la naturaleza divina de su Padre. Jesús entonces usó su voluntad humana para elegir sufrir la plenitud del mal muriendo de una de las formas más crueles, humillantes y dolorosas imaginables. Sin embargo, Dios levantó a Jesús de entre los muertos, el mal supremo, y al conquistar y destruir este mal supremo, ahora podemos disfrutar de la plenitud de la vida tal como estábamos destinados a experimentarla aquí en la tierra y en la vida que viene en el cielo. Por lo tanto, al dirigirse a donde somos más débiles y ciertamente no podemos salvarnos a nosotros mismos, Jesús nos proporciona una renovación de vida. Así que, si ustedes consiguen disfrutar de un conejito de chocolate u otro dulce de Pascua, recuerde la dulzura de permitir que Jesús sea el Señor de la vida y el don de la resurrección.

## DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Next Sunday, Apr. 23 we will celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday with a Holy Hour of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 2:30-3:30pm in the church. The Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be prayed at the customary time of 3:00 during this Holy Hour.

## EL DOMINGO DE LA DIVINA MISERICORDIA

El domingo próximo 23 de Abril celebraremos el Domingo de la Divina Misericordia con una Hora Santa de Adoración al Santísimo de 2:30-3:30 PM en la iglesia. Rezaremos la coronilla de la Divina Misericordia a las 3:00, la hora tradicional para esto, durante esta Hora Santa.

## EASTER FLOWER MEMORIALS

Offered by.....*In Memory Of*

Becky Banashak.....	<i>Sumner and Banashak Families</i>
Jack and Phyllis Brown.....	<i>Margaret Brown, Lottie Matovina</i>
Ann Brucker.....	<i>Paul Brucker, Albert &amp; Lydia Brucker,</i>
.....	<i>Acil &amp; Luetta Cumberland, Reynold &amp; Madoline Danti</i>
Janet Copeland.....	<i>Bob Copeland</i>
Doris Chudzynski.....	<i>Gene Chudzynski</i>
Mike and Amy Doran.....	<i>Mae Carter, Onieda Doran</i>
Lynn Downhour.....	<i>James Downhour</i>
Dexter and Winda Fabugais.....	<i>Miguela Cortes, Sirel Dela Cruz, Francisco Fabugais, Louis Fabugais, Pedro Fabugais, Sheila Fabugais</i>
James and Betty Gundrum.....	<i>Bill Gundrum, Monica Gundrum</i>
Mary Heller.....	<i>Helen Freehil, Donald Lee Heller, Micaela Ramos</i>
Lloyd and Judith Jennings.....	<i>Tyler Jess Mulvaney</i>
Chris and Marianne Kromkowski.....	<i>Paul Sons</i>
Maryanna Kuziela.....	<i>Anthony Kuziela, Stephon Kuziela</i>
Keith and Dolores McKim.....	<i>The McKim Family</i>
Cheri Meiser.....	<i>Gloria &amp; Shirley Brown Jr.</i>
Leslie Meyer.....	<i>Pamela Meyer, Eleanor Conwell</i>
Carolyn Petrosky.....	<i>Lichell Petrosky, Michael Petrosky, Rudy Petrosky</i>
Linda and Charles Redinger.....	<i>Emma Jean Redinger, Ted Thurin, Deceased Members of the Redinger Family</i>
Tim and Donna Renie.....	<i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. H.J. Childs, Mr. &amp; Mrs. John E. Renie</i>
John and Pat Schaller.....	<i>Lily Mae Roth, J.J. Schaller</i>
Brock & Tasha Schwenk.....	<i>Dorsey &amp; Char Ruley, George &amp; Liale Schwenk, Mary Lou Swartzell</i>
Tim and Briget Schwenk.....	<i>Mr. and Mrs. Eli Yoder</i>
Tom and Charlee Schwenk.....	<i>Dorsey &amp; Char Ruley, George &amp; Liale Schwenk</i>
Steve and Barbara Shaw.....	<i>George Greives, Jr., Little Sisters of the Poor, Sisters of Providence</i>
Jerry and Mary Lou White.....	<i>Elizabeth Good, Ray Good, Charles Fox</i>
Charles and Sandra Warpenburg.....	<i>Pete and Marie Clemons, The Deceased Members of the Gundrum &amp; Warpenburg Families</i>
Steven and Jennifer Weinert.....	<i>Charlotte Skiba</i>

### Other Contributors:

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