

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH LA IGLESIA CATÓLICA DE SAN JOSÉ

1310 MAIN ST.
ROCHESTER, IN 46975
574-223-2808



Pastor: Rev. Michael McKinney
fr.mmckinney@gmail.com

Parish Secretary: Michelle Coiner
stjoseph@rtcol.com

Office Hours

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

Website

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

Check us out on Facebook

Second Sunday
of Easter
(Divine Mercy)

April 23, 2017

Jesus, I trust in you!

This Week's Mass Schedule

Monday - 8:00 am

Tuesday - 8:00 am

Wednesday - 6:00 pm Spanish Mass in Akron

Thursday - 5:30 pm

Friday - 8:00 am

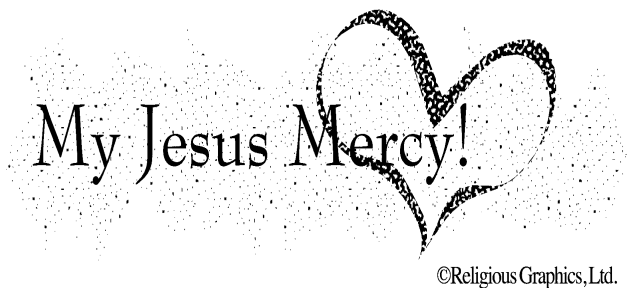
Saturday - 5:00 pm

Sunday - 9:00 am

11:30 am (Spanish)



Saturday, April 22
 5:00 pm †Tim Murphy
Sunday, April 23
 9:00 am †Frank Vojtasek
 11:30 am People of the Parish
Monday, April 24
 8:00 am †Kathlyn Walsh
Tuesday, April 25
 8:00 am Vietnam Veterans
Wednesday, April 26
 6:00 pm Spanish Mass in Akron †Joseph Felke
Thursday, April 27
 5:30 pm †Poor Souls
Friday, April 28
 8:00 am †Ken Rich
Saturday, April 29
 5:00 pm †Tyler Mulvaney
Sunday, April 30
 9:00 am †Jeff Ruff
 11:30 am People of the Parish



©Religious Graphics, Ltd.

CONFESSIONS

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

CONFESIONES

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

FAITH FORMATION

Regular sessions for Faith Formation continue this Sunday, Apr. 23 and next Sunday, Apr. 30, 10:00-11:15am in the Parish Hall. Faith Formation concludes May 7, a Celebration Sunday on "Our Devotion to Mary" with free rosaries for the children.

LA FORMACIÓN DE FE

Sesiones regulares para niños de grados K-8 continúan este domingo, el 23 de Abr, y el próximo domingo, el 30 de Abe, 10:00-11:15am en el Salón Parroquial. La Formación de Fe concluye el 7 de Mayo, un Domingo de Celebración sobre "Nuestra Devoción a María" con rosarios gratis para los niños.

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

	Sunday Collection	Online Giving	Total
Regular Offering	\$720	\$672	\$1392
Easter Offering	\$2508	\$0	\$2508
Haiti	\$27	\$30	\$57
Bldg. Fund	\$25	\$25	\$50
Catholic Moment	\$22	\$0	\$22
Catholic Relief Services	\$125	\$0	\$125
Total Giving	\$3,427	\$727	\$4,154

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

April 29 & 30

5:00 pm

Reader: Judith Jennings
Eucharist: Larry Durham, Sunho Lee
Server: Jason Lease
Hospitality: Volunteer
Music: Trinity Lease

9:00 am

Reader: Mike Denney
Eucharist: Glen Anderson, Suellen Denney
Server: Hannah Jansma, Diego Ochoa
Hospitality: The Mike Doran Family
Music: Janet Copeland

Domingo, 11:30 am

Lector: Kenia Rosas
Eucaristía: Jorge Rosas, Ignacio y Mercedes Herrera
Monaguillos: Fernanda y Jesús Quintana
Hospitalidad: María Castillo y Familia

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

This Sunday, Apr. 23 we 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

Este Domingo, el 23 de Abril, celebramos el Domingo de la Divina Misericordia con una Hora Santa de Adoración del Santísimo 2:30-3:30 PM en la iglesia. Rezaremos la coronilla de la Divina Misericordia a las 3:00, la hora consuetudinaria para esto, durante esta Hora Santa.

RED CROSS

Tuesday, April 25 the American Red Cross will be having a Blood Drive at the St. Joseph Catholic Parish Hall from 11:00 am until 5:00 pm.

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

FROM FR. MIKE:

There has been some controversy ever since St. John Paul II made today, the Second Sunday of Easter, Divine Mercy Sunday. I believe the difficulty is with a narrow concept of mercy, which is often equated with the forgiveness of sin. This need for forgiveness can feel like a continuation on the focus on penance, and so there are those resistant to having the Easter Octave end on what seems to be a continuation of Lent. While forgiveness is an important element of mercy, as confirmed in this Sunday's gospel when Jesus imparts the power to forgive on the church, it goes well beyond it. As we learned during the Jubilee Year during 2016, mercy is God's tender care for those who struggle with just how unconditional is the Father's love for us. When Thomas expresses his doubt about Jesus' resurrection, he speaks for any of us who have experience a time when we are uncertain about God's limitless love, his desire to heal us, or even his very existence. This is why our making continued contact with the unchurched or fallen-away is an important part of our welcoming atmosphere as a parish. Just because people report unbelief or skepticism about religion doesn't mean Jesus isn't trying to break through the upper room of their minds and hearts in order to touch them. As his mercy is untiring, so can our outreach be an ongoing part of our wonderful family of faith.

LADIES LUNCH

All ladies of St. Joseph are invited to a time of fellowship by enjoying lunch at Jarrety's in the room at the back of the restaurant this Tue, April 25 at 11:00am.

MEALS FOR TERI BOWERS

If you would like to sign up to take a meal to Teri Bowers and family, log onto:

www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0445a5af2aaaf94-bowers.

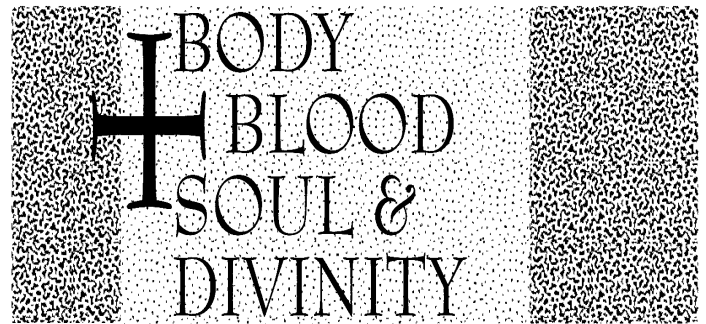
Teri is eating healthy, organic fruits and vegetables and avoiding sweets. Call or text her daughter Amy at 765-426-2726, before delivering to 1361 Lakeview. Bend, Rochester.

CRUX CAMP COUNSELORS WANTED

Graduating high school seniors, college students, and young adults are invited to apply as counselors for the Crux Camp for Catholic middle-schoolers taking place July 6-20, 2017. Located at Oakbrook Valley Camp in Russiaville, Indiana, Crux Camp offers outdoor activities with faith building opportunities, including Mass, Confessions, and Eucharistic Adoration, in order to inspire personal and spiritual growth in these youth. To apply, contact cruxcamp@gmail.com. Sponsored by the Office of Vocations, Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana.

DEL PADRE MIGUEL:

Ha habido alguna controversia desde que San Juan Pablo II hizo este día, el domingo segundo de la Pascua, el domingo de la Divina Misericordia. Creo que la dificultad de esta controversia es de un concepto estrecho de la misericordia, que a menudo se compara con el perdón del pecado. Esta necesidad de perdón puede sentirse como una continuación del enfoque en la penitencia, y por lo tanto hay aquellos resistentes a que la Octava de Pascua termine en lo que parece ser una continuación de la Cuaresma. Mientras que el perdón es un elemento importante de la misericordia, como se confirma en el evangelio de este domingo, cuando Jesús transmite el poder de perdonar a la iglesia. Como aprendimos durante el Año del Jubileo durante el 2016, la misericordia es el cuidado tierno de Dios para aquellos que luchan con lo incondicional que es el amor del Padre por nosotros. Cuando Tomas expresa su duda acerca de la resurrección de Jesús, él habla para cualquiera de nosotros que hemos tenido una experiencia en que no estamos seguros acerca del amor ilimitado de Dios, su deseo de curarnos o incluso su propia existencia. Esta es la razón por la que mantener un contacto continuo con los sin iglesia o caídos es una parte importante de nuestro ambiente acogedor como parroquia. El hecho de que las personas denuncien la incredulidad o el escepticismo con respecto a la religión no significa que Jesús no está tratando de entrar en sus mentes y corazones para tocarlos. Como su misericordia es infatigable, también puede ser nuestro alcance a los demás una parte continua de nuestra maravillosa familia de fe.



©Religious Graphics, Ltd.

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.

PASTORAL TEAM VISITATION REPORT (PART 7)

We attended Mass daily with 40-80 parishioners at 6:30 am. The Mass on Sunday was at 8:00am with over 600 parishioners in attendance. It was cut short to two hours in length in order to allow our team to have time to meet with the Pastoral Council. This council represents music ministries, liturgy, faith formation and education, finance, and the building chief. The Parish Council is made up of approximately 25 persons, some representing the following groups:

- Kiro (Catholic Boy Scouts)
- Pastoral Council
- Parish and Liturgical Commission
- Laicat Movement
- Legion of Mary (2 groups)
- Music (Little Companions of St. Cecile)
- Voice of the Immaculate Conception (choir of youth)
- Echo of the Village (Men's choir)
- Choir of the Immaculate Conception (Parish choir)
- Choir Inter-diocesan
- 4 Pastoral Agents (Religious Ed)
- Nurseries (Dancers, children)
- Immaculate workers (Every Friday work to clear the land and have lunch together)
- New groups - JEC (Young singers) & APP (pastoral animation)

*Choirs also visit the sick—taking them food, doing their laundry and praying together.

To see pictures and more, check out the displays in the church and parish hall and online on Facebook.

REPORTE DE VISITA DEL EQUIPO PASTORAL (PARTE 7)

Asistimos a misa todos los días con 40-80 parroquianos a las 6:30 am. La misa el domingo fue a las 8:00 am con más de 600 feligreses presentes. Se acortó por dos horas para permitir que nuestro equipo tuviera tiempo para reunirse con el Consejo Pastoral. Este consejo representa los ministerios de la música, la liturgia, la formación de la fe y la educación, las finanzas, y el jefe del edificio. El Consejo Parroquial se compone de aproximadamente 25 personas, algunas de las cuales representan los siguientes grupos:

- Kiro (Boy Scouts Católicos)
- Consejo Pastoral
- Comisión Parroquial y Litúrgica
- Movimiento Laicat
- Legión de María (2 grupos)
- Música (Pequeños Compañeros de Santa Cecilia)
- Voz de la Inmaculada Concepción (coro de la juventud)
- Eco del Pueblo (Coro de Hombres)
- Coro de la Inmaculada Concepción (coro parroquial)
- Coro interdiocesano
- 4 Agentes Pastorales (Educación Religiosa)
- Viveros (bailarines, niños)
- Trabajadores inmaculados (cada viernes trabajan para limpiar la tierra y almorzar juntos)
- Nuevos grupos - JEC (Jóvenes cantantes) y APP (animación pastoral)

* Los coros también visitan a los enfermos, llevándoles comida, lavando su ropa y rezando juntos.

Para ver fotos y más, revise las exhibiciones en la iglesia y el salón parroquial



©Religious Graphics, Ltd.



PLEASE PRAY FOR

Judy Green, Terri Bowers, Irvin Bridegroom, Dorothy Thurin, Joan Felke, Mary Ann Williamson, Theresa Vojtasek, 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.