

SAINT JOSEPH PARISH

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Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

November 24, 2024

Mass Schedule

Sunday Mass: 5 PM (Saturday), 8 AM, and 10 AM

Daily Mass: 8 AM Monday, Tuesday, Thursday,
Friday; 7 PM Wednesday

Holy Day of Obligation Mass: See bulletin

Eucharistic Adoration begins at 6 PM on
Wednesdays and concludes with **Benediction** at
6:50 PM.

Confession Schedule

Sunday 7:45 AM and 9:45 AM

Wednesday 6:00-6:45 PM

Saturday 4:30 PM

Mass Intentions

23-Sat., 5 PM	Larry Twehues
24-Sun., 8 AM	People of the Parish
24-Sun., 10 AM	Edward & Marie Schack
25-Mon., 8 AM	Int. of Brandon McGhee
26-Tues., 8 AM	Kirk Kremer
27-Wed., 7 PM	John Kremer
28-Thurs., 9 AM	Int. of Brandon McGhee
29-Fri., 8 AM	Ralph Kremer
30-Sat., 5 PM	Amos Ruschman
01-Sun., 8 AM	Richard Kammerer
01-Sun., 10 AM	People of the Parish

To schedule a Mass intention for a person, living or deceased, or for some other intention, contact the parish office.

Administration and Staff

Pastor

Very Rev. Ryan L. Stenger, J.C.L., J.V.

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Parish Office Hours

Monday & Tuesday 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Sunday Collection

11-17-2024	\$3,203.75
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Upcoming Events

- Nov. 28 Thanksgiving Day Mass 9 a.m.
Dec. 3 Dine to Donate at Barleycorn's 5 p.m.- close
Dec. 8 Beane Baptism 11 a.m.
Dec. 9 Immaculate Conception – Masses at 9 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Dec. 12 St. Vincent de Paul Meeting – 7 p.m.

Parish News

Happy feast of **Christ the King!** As we come to the end of the Church's year and prepare for the beginning of Advent next Sunday, we remember today that our lives belong to Christ from beginning to end. Whenever we pray the prayer that He taught us, we ask that His Kingdom may come, that His will may be done here on earth just as thoroughly as it is done in Heaven. Let's resolve today to do our part in making that petition a reality by allowing Christ to reign as the King of our lives—loving, serving, and obeying Him in all that we do.

Mass on **Thanksgiving** will be at 9:00 a.m. We all have so much for which to be grateful—but most especially for the free and unmerited gift of our salvation and the promise of eternal life with God. As we celebrate this day dedicated to gratitude, let's first and foremost give thanks to God for His goodness and mercy towards us. I hope you all enjoy spending time with your family and friends in whatever way you can—and some good food and football too! Have a happy and blessed Thanksgiving.

Fr. Stenger

Church Cleaning

Team Two: Dec. 2 – Dec. 15

Team Three: Dec. 16 – Dec. 29

Team One: Dec. 30 – Jan. 12

Upcoming VIRTUS Trainings

-Diocesan Curia, Bishop Howard Memorial Auditorium, 1125 Madison Avenue, Covington, Kentucky 41011. Wednesday, December 4th, 2024, 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM and 6:00 PM – 8:30 PM

The VIRTUS bulletin will be posted on November 3rd and is due December 3rd.

Pray for Those Who Protect Us

PFC Jared Allender, Staff Sgt. Dave Evans, SRA Emily Wagner, Staff Sgt. Nicholas Wagner, I CL Petty Officer T.J. Waters. Please pray for those who put themselves in harm's way each day to protect us, including armed service personnel, police, and firefighters.

Pray for the Sick and Homebound

Chris Arlinghaus, Dolores Armstrong, Brooke Barganier, Missy Bauer, Sue Bradley, Kim Brun, Roy Carl, Doug and Ella Carmack, Flo Clair, Keegan Dietz, Joyce Dorgan, Judy Dornbusch, Kent Enzweiler, Jose Flores, Mike Futscher, Chris Gebelt, Henry Glossner, Leigh Gorman, Billy Guthier, Melrose Guthier, Blake Hegner, Tammy Hess, Nathan Hessman, Chandra Huff, Shailynn Jones, Flo Kaffenberger, Mary Kettenacker, Bernie Kohls, Betty Kohls, Germaine Kremer, Helen Kremer, Kelli Kramer, Ken Kramer, Jim Kremer, Kathy Leahy, Iva Leick, Al Lovell, Dick Mader, Wilma Maschinot, John Muench, Kairi Marie Mullins, Pam Leahy Nagle, Josh Penney, Adelyn Porter, Dominic Ramler, Lorrie Rawe, Donny Reis, Rana Reckner, Rowen Redmond, Linda Rupp, April Schack, Virginia Schadler, Dan Schalk, Casen Schrock, Gwen Shields, Vicki Steffen, Ella Stieby, Shirley Studer, Steve Tischner, Pauline Wade, Larry Wagner, Joe Whitford, Julie Wientjes, Jim Wolfe, Candice Yelton, Bonnie Zanazzo

Congratulations

Congratulations to Grady, son of Stephen & Emmie Willoughby, and Cecilia, daughter of David & Elizabeth Rodgers, who were both baptized here recently! Please pray for them as they begin their new lives in the Church and for their parents as they nurture the divine life given to their child.

St. Vincent de Paul Updates

Monthly Donations: Thank you again for your monetary donations each month! For the month of November, we are asking for donations of toothbrushes, toothpaste, and floss. Donations can be left in the laundry baskets under the counter in the

vestibule of the church. We appreciate all of your support!

Coat Drive: We are also taking up coats for the annual coat drive! Please place new or gently used coats in the barrel in the church vestibule. The last day to turn in a coat is Sunday, December 1st. Thank you for your generosity!

Christmas Outreach: If anyone knows of a family or individual in need that would appreciate a Christmas dinner or Christmas gifts, please contact the parish office or Don Heeb.

St. Nick Sock Drive

Parishioner Will Lloyd will be collecting socks for his confirmation project during the month of November. All sizes are needed—men's, women's and children's. A basket for donations is in the vestibule of church.

All socks will go to the Sisters of Divine Providence in Melbourne who will distribute them through their missions. Thank you for your generous support!

Dine to Donate Night at Barleycorn's

The parish will host a Dine to Donate Night at Barleycorn's in Cold Spring on Tuesday, December 3rd, beginning at 5 p.m. A flyer is included with the bulletin. Please take the flyer with you to the restaurant and present it when you pay. We will receive 10% of the sales for the evening! Thank you for your support!

Giving Tree

Our annual giving tree will be in the back of church beginning November 30th. This is a great way to help members of our community who need assistance with Christmas gifts. You may take a tag or two and purchase the listed item. Please return your wrapped gift(s) with the tags firmly attached to the outside of the package by December 15th. We would like to thank Holli Young for organizing this each year. Thank you for your generosity!

Prayer Line

Our parish prayer line group is updating their information. If you would like to become a participant in the prayer line or need to update your contact information, please contact the parish office or Penny Bezold.

DPAA 2024 – October Update

We have surpassed our goal of \$51,800! As of the end of October, our commitment total is currently \$73,620.00. The funds raised above the goal will be returned to our parish to help pay for the recent painting and repairs done in the cafeteria and kitchen in the school. Thank you to all who have already made a generous contribution to this year's appeal! If you haven't given yet, there are envelopes in the back of the church, or you can visit the parish website to give online. Thank you for your support!

Retired Religious Fund

Aging religious need your help. Donations provide for the care, medicine, and daily needs of over 24,000 senior sisters, brothers, and religious order priests who have dedicated their lives to service. Please give to the Retirement Fund for Religious. Thank you for your generosity.

Sewing Seeds Sewing Group

The sewing ministry is taking a break over the holidays. Our next sewing date will be Wednesday, January 15th. We will continue to make baby blankets for Care Net Pregnancy Center and Rose Garden Home Mission. Join us in the cafeteria from 9:30 - 11:30. All are welcome.

Walking With Purpose

Our women's Bible study, Walking with Purpose - Opening Your Heart, will be taking a break during the holidays. The weekly gathering will resume on Saturday, January 4th, from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. and continue for nine weeks. In the case of inclement weather, the meeting will be cancelled. A text will be sent to confirm the cancellation. All are welcome to attend any or all of the sessions. For more information contact Jean (859-630-9247) or Catherine (513-630-9249).

Little Caesars Pre-K Fundraiser

St. Joseph Pre-K is selling Little Caesars Pizza Kits! There are also cheese bread and cookie dough kits available for purchase or you can purchase a Meal Deal Code and let Little Caesars do the cooking for you! The school will earn \$6 for every kit sold. Please contact Lisa Roetting with questions at (859) 409-9185. Thank you for your support!

Pre-K Registration

St. Joseph Camp Springs Pre-K still has some openings for the 2024-2025 school year! Contact Lisa Roetting at (859) 409-9185 or email LRoetting@saint-joseph-school.org with questions or to register.

Bishop Brossart High School News

First Friday Mass

Our First Friday mass will be held on Dec. 6th in the St. Francis of Assisi Chapel at BBHS beginning at 6:45 am. All are invited to join us for donuts, coffee, and conversation following mass in the cafeteria.

Deck the Halls at BBHS

We invite everyone to our annual Deck the Halls at BBHS on Saturday, December 7th from 12:00 pm-3:00 pm! This is a family-friendly event, and the cost is FREE! No need to RSVP- just simply come and have a holly, jolly time!

10th Annual International Nativity Display

Nativity sets from Around the World will be on display at BBHS beginning December 8th. The display will feature nativity sets made by artists and craftsmen from 83 different countries. Over 200 nativities will be on display. The cost is FREE! Please enter through the BBHS main entrance and as always- our building is handicap accessible!

8th Grade Placement Test

Bishop Brossart will host the High School Placement Test (HSPT) on Saturday, December 14, 2024. The test will begin at 9:00 a.m. and end at 12:00 p.m. The Placement Test costs \$20, which

can be paid with cash or check sent to the BBHS school office or via credit card at <https://hspt24atbbhs.givesmart.com/> Payments must be received prior to the test. Please visit bishopbrossart.org, go to the Prospective Students tab, and click on High School Placement Test to register. For questions, please contact the Development Office at 859-635-2108.

Other News

DCCH Center for Children and Families

November is National Adoption Month. Please help us find forever homes for children in need. Over 8,000 children in the state of Kentucky living in out of home care and many need foster or adoptive families. Please consider attending an upcoming informational meeting to see how you can help. The next meeting is at 75 Orphanage Rd. Fort Mitchell, KY at 6:30pm. Monday, December 9th. DCCHCenter.org

13th Annual Crafts at the Gubser Tree Farm

Wood crafts, wreaths(decorative and fresh), floral arrangements, custom carved canes and figurines, ornaments, soy candles, tobacco stake crafts, earrings, crochet items, homemade zucchini bread, local honey, pre-cut Christmas trees, and lots more! 2952 Lower Grandview Rd. (off Stonehouse Rd.) Alexandria, KY November 29 & 30, December 1, 7, 8, 14, & 15 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. Call (859) 635-3143 for more information or visit gubsertreefarm.com.



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