

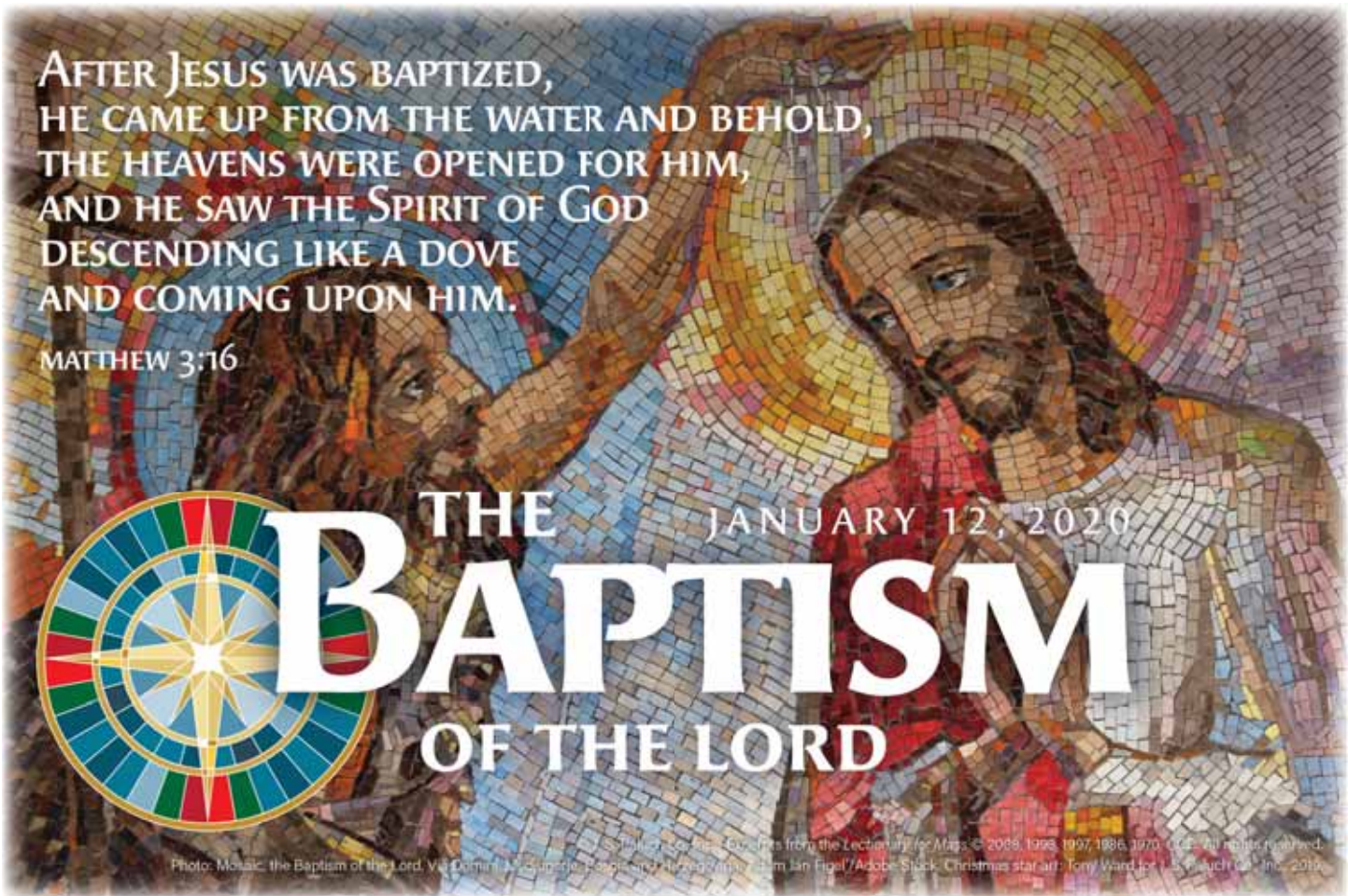


St. Joseph Catholic Church

Established 1890

AFTER JESUS WAS BAPTIZED,
HE CAME UP FROM THE WATER AND BEHOLD,
THE HEAVENS WERE OPENED FOR HIM,
AND HE SAW THE SPIRIT OF GOD
DESCENDING LIKE A DOVE
AND COMING UPON HIM.

MATTHEW 3:16



THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

JANUARY 12, 2020

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Parish Mission Statement

*We are called by our Lord Jesus Christ, to be His church and live His gospel.
We strive to fulfill our baptismal calling by prayer, worship, teaching
and in sharing our faith and serving others. Guided by the Holy Spirit and through
our patron St. Joseph, we commit ourselves to the responsible stewardship of all God's gifts.*

Mass Schedule

Weekday Masses

Monday - Communion Service
Tue.-Fri. - 8:00 am
School Mass Fridays Aug-May

Weekend Masses

Saturday - 5:00 pm
Sunday - 7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 am

Contact

Rev. William Thess

email: williamthess@archstl.org

Deacon Mark Byington

email: deaconmark@stjosephfarmington.com

Mrs. Shirley Bieser - Principal

sbieser@stjosephfarmington.com

Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday • 8:00 - 3:30 pm

Sacraments

Reconciliation

Saturdays 4:00-4:45 pm
Sundays 7:00-7:15 am or by appt

Marriage

Please contact the parish office.

Baptism

Please contact the parish office.

10 N Long Street, Farmington, MO 63640 | 573-756-4250 | www.stjosephfarmington.com

Welcome!

We believe every individual is on a journey to become closer to God – where you are on that journey is unique. We seek to welcome each person regardless of the stage of their spiritual life, their struggles, failings, or faults. Join us each week as we worship God in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

God is working in your life. He is guiding you on this journey in life. This journey is never meant to be one you take on your own. We hope and pray that you will reach out, sign up and attend any of our parish activities. This journey is meant to be shared. Thank you for coming.

Our Pastoral Team

Rev. William Thess / Pastor..... williamthess@archstl.org
Deacon Mark Byington / Permanent Deacon ... deaconmark@stjosephfarmington.com
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Abe AuBuchon / Bulletin Editor bulletin@stjosephfarmington.com

Tim Maloney - Pastoral Council / Jim Eaton - Financial Commission / Rob Grindel - Property and Maintenance
Ed Brown - Cemetery Association / Mike Ward - Knights of Columbus

Parish Business Office Hours

Monday thru Friday • 8:00 am to 3:30 pm • Phone (573)756-4250 • Fax (573)756-6938
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Parish Calendar

Planning Ahead



January 13
Charismatic Prayer Meeting



January 15
Prayer Shawl



January 23
HASA Meeting



January 25
Trivia Night

This Week

Wednesday, January 15

Prayer Shawl

9:00 am • Parish Center

PSR

6:00 pm • School

Rosary

7:00 pm • Church

Thursday, January 16

Eucharistic Adoration

8:30 am - 6:30 pm • Church

RCIA

6:30 pm • Parish Center

Monday, January 13

Charismatic Prayer

7:00 pm • Parish Center

Tuesday, January 14

Choir Practice

6:00 pm • Church

Cantor Practice

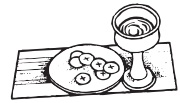
7:00 pm • Church

Liturgical Life



Mass Schedule

Week of January 13 - 19



Monday
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Weekday

Readings: 1 Sm 1:1-8; Ps 116:12-19;
Mk 1:14-20

8:00 am: **Communion Service**

Tuesday
14

Weekday

Readings: 1 Sm 1:9-20; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8ab
cd; Mk 1:21-28

8:00 am: **Don Johnson**

Wednesday
15

Weekday

Readings: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20; Ps 40:2, 5,
7-10; Mk 1:29-39

8:00 am: **Cindy Wade**

Thursday
16

Weekday

Readings: 1 Sm 4:1-11; Ps 44:10-11,
14-15, 24-25; Mk 1:40-45

8:00 am: **Jack & Peggy Weber**

Friday
17

Saint Anthony, Abbot

Readings: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a; Ps
89:16-19; Mk 2:1-12

8:00 am: **Bill Wulfers**

The Baptism of the Lord

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Readings: Is 49:3, 5-6; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-10; 1 Cor
1:1-3; Jn 1:29-34

Saturday: 5:00 pm: **Willa Meyer**

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Sunday: 7:30 am: **Jeanie Gegg**

9:00 am: **St. Joseph Parishioners**

10:30 am: **John & Lorraine Vuichard**

Monday, January 13, 2020

Sacristans

Brenda Donze,
Linda Gillespie,
Karen Jones, Jo Rustemeyer

Money Counters

Donna Black, Sue Brown,
Kathy Neiner,
Debbie Thomure

Saturday, January 18

5:00 pm Mass

Priest: Fr. William Thess

Lector: Vanessa Trokey

Extraordinary Ministers: David Brickler, Pam Brickler,
Donna Conklin, Mark Halter, Rosetta Halter

Ushers: Ron Carrera, John Denkler, Mark Kellogg,
Bob Wilson

Servers: L. Gaines, N. Gaines, D. McCarver

Cantor: Jane Ramos

Sunday, January 19

7:30 am Mass

Priest: Fr. William Thess

Lector: Jim Eaton

Extraordinary Ministers: Chuck Hayden, Rose Hayden,
Jack Neiner, Kathy Neiner, Scott Watson

Ushers: Tom Donze, Jay Ellis, Jim Gerwitz,
Gerald Hulsey

Servers: C. Crawford, H. Fingerhut

9:00 am Mass

Priest: Fr. William Thess

Deacon: Deacon Mark Byington

Lector: Brian McNamara

Extraordinary Ministers:

Adam Barnhouse, Jana Dore,
Mitch Fuemmeler, Joe Rhodus

Ushers: Dan Combs, John England, Chris Martin,
Dale Springs

Servers: M. Hale, B. Howard, C. Howard

Cantor: Dawn Fuemmeler

10:30 am Mass

Priest: Fr. William Thess

Deacon: Deacon Mark Byington

Lector: Jill Patton

Extraordinary Ministers:

Phyllis LaPlant, Katie Rhodes, Terri Roney,
Kelley Speakar

Ushers: James Cissell, Ryan Dowell, Nick Hulsey,
Chad Speakar

Servers: A. Masters, Y. Rizo, K. Werner

Cantor: Judy Davis



St. Catherine of Alexandria



Mass Schedule:
Saturday 7:00 pm

Coffman, Missouri

Holy Day of Obligation:
Vigil Mass 7:00pm

Saturday, January 18

Celebrant: Fr. William Thess
Lector: Betty Vogt
Extraordinary Ministers: Rosie Eck & Peggy Adams
Offertory Bearers: Stan & Joyce Heberlie
Mass Intentions: Denise Ratcliff

Weekly Offertory

December 28, 2019		January 1, 2019	
Adult Collection	\$700.00	Adult Collection	\$75.00
Christmas	\$10.00	Loose	\$33.00
Loose	\$60.00	First Offering	<u>\$5.00</u>
Seminary	<u>\$10.00</u>	Total	\$133.00
Total	\$780.00		
January 4, 2019			
Adult Collection	\$750.00		
Loose	<u>\$20.00</u>		
Total	\$770.00		

Your Gifts to God and Parish



Sunday December 29, 2019



Weekly Collection

Adult Envelopes	\$8,855.25
Electronic Deposit	\$533.00
Loose	\$478.51
Solemnity of Mary	<u>\$97.00</u>
	\$9,963.76

	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Sunday Offering	\$9,963.76	\$334,004.69
Budgeted Amount	<u>\$12,125.00</u>	<u>\$315,250.00</u>
Shortage/Overage	(\$2,161.24)	\$18,754.69

Specials

Christmas Flowers	\$50.00
Christmas	\$5,820.25
Human Development	\$50.00
Partners in Education	\$50.00
Retired Religious	\$70.00
Seminaries	\$1,167.00
St. Vincent de Paul	<u>\$190.00</u>
Total for Specials	\$7,397.25

Sunday January 5, 2019

Weekly Collection

Adult Envelopes	\$14,291.21
Electronic Deposit	\$2,878.00
First Offering	\$498.00
Loose	\$539.55
Solemnity of Mary	<u>\$863.00</u>
	\$19,069.76

	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Sunday Offering	\$19,069.76	\$353,074.45
Budgeted Amount	<u>\$12,125.00</u>	<u>\$327,375.00</u>
Shortage/Overage	\$6,944.76	\$25,699.45

Specials

Christmas	\$150.00
Maintenance & Repair	\$185.00
Our Father's Table	\$50.00
Partners in Education	\$235.00
St. Louis Review	\$175.00
Seminaries	\$30.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$438.00
Women of Mary	<u>\$130.00</u>
Total for Specials	\$1,393.00

Prayer Life

Together We Pray for Those Who are Sick



Parishioners names are in bold.

Gene Black
Cathy Redmond
Nick Dispenzere
Floyd McFarland
Wilma Whitwoth
Barbara Copeland
Donna Phippen
Gene Winch
Sherrie Gray
Helen Mell
Henry Tracy
Michelle Evans
Kenny Hambrick
Jessica Miller
Margaret Rice
Erin Czapl
Buddy Bordewick
Joe Mondello
Sue Pruetzel
Carl Pruetzel
Carol Hoffman
Charlotte Glidden
Rebecca Williams
Tyler Umfleet

Betty Jean Filer
Jason Arrington
Warren Lodholz
Phyllis LaPlant
Tessa Hamm
Jennifer Cooper
John Jones
Charmaine McFarland
Doug Booth
Balinda Boyd
Alexis Kamp
Joshua VanderBol
Jason Eastman
Chuck Davis
Joe Myers
Megan Morris
Dana Gilliam
Betty Vallentine
Charles Vallentine
John Freeman
Linda Treaster
Anna Webber
Carmen Hall
Mary Moore

To add someone to the prayer list contact Pat Boatright at boat.pab75@gmail.com or 756-4169.

Let us pray for those who are carrying the gift of life.

Ashley (Matt) Bono

Ashley (Kevin) Harris

Please call the parish office if you would like to be added to our prayer list.

Congratulations!



Congratulations, Mark and Jennifer Berkbigler on the arrival of Simon David James Berkbigler on December 19, 2019

Prayer to St. Joseph

Blessed Joseph, husband of Mary, be with us this day. You protected and cherished the Virgin; loving the Child Jesus as your Son, you rescued Him from the danger of death.



Defend the Church, the household of God, purchased by the Blood of Christ. Guardian of the Holy Family, be with us in our trials. May your prayers obtain for us the strength to flee from error and wrestle with the powers of corruption so that in life we may grow in holiness and in death rejoice in the crown of victory. Amen.

Welcome...

We warmly welcome to our Parish Community the following Parishioner...

Marvin Estomagulang

Agnes Hinkebein, RN



If you are currently homebound or are hospitalized or know of a parishioner who is, please contact me at 756-4250 or email me at: healthminister@stjosephfarmington.com



Please Pray for our Troops



E-4 Spec. Beau Brandt
grandson of Debbie Thomure

Tech Sergeant Amber Kammerer
sister of Bryan & Mandy Hubbard

1st LT David Rogers
son-in-law of Gina Kearns

Specialist Mark Bieser
Parishioner

1 LT Olivia M. Klinkhardt
niece Mary Lou Brady

1st LT Jacob Roney
son of Kevin and Terri Roney

Specialist James Bishop
grandson of Judy Carriere

Sergeant Timothy Masters
Parishioner

Patrick Rudroff
son of Greg & Susan Rudroff

Major Nick Bono
brother of Matt Bono

Logan Methenia
nephew of Tracy Millstead

ET2 Josh Rustemeyer
grandson of Jo Rustemeyer

Major David Brewer
son of Louise Brewer

Corporal Austin Patton
son of Jill Patton

Ryan Turk
nephew of Steve and Cynthia Paroski

Sergeant Gregory T. Corcoran
grandson of Romana Corcoran

Lt Cmdr. Catherine (Wolo) Perez
daughter of Mike and Jo Anne Wolo

PFC Andre Turner
son of Mike & Christine Turner

CW4 Steve Howell
son-in-law of John & Michelle Podolak

Sr MSgt E-8 Chris (Jill) Perkuhn
son-in-law of Jay (Shelly) Ellis

BJ Waltz
nephew of Steve and Cynthia Paroski

Sergeant Grace Jones
daughter-in-law of Dale and Arlene Jones

CW3 Nicholas Andrew Rice
son of Nick and Margaret Rice

Spc James Wolf
grandson of James Rose

SSG Justin Wolf
grandson of James Rose



Pope Francis' Monthly Prayer Intentions

Promotion of World Peace

We pray that Christians, followers of other religions, and all people of goodwill may promote peace and justice in the world.

Wednesday Rosary

Wednesday at 7:00 pm



Our petition for this week:
"For an invocation of God's blessings this coming year for our entire parish."

St. Joseph Trivia Night

“Come in out of the cold”

Saturday, January 25, 2020

Doors open at 6:30pm, Event begins at 7:00pm



**St. Joseph Catholic School
Gym
501 Ste. Genevieve Ave,
Farmington, MO**

**Call Now to Reserve Your Team's
Table!**

**Table Reservations for 8 or 10
Players**

(Players must be 18 or older)

Table price:

\$120 for 8 players

\$150 for 10 players

CASH PRIZES

***POPCORN, PRETZELS, AND BEVERAGES PROVIDED*
ADDITIONAL APPETIZERS MAY BE BROUGHT FOR
YOUR TABLE**

For Reservations:

Call Shirley Bieser at 573-756-6312

Or email sbieser@stjosephfarmington.com



Greek Dinner

February 22, 2020

at 6:00 pm in the Parish Center



St. Joseph School Fundraiser

Join us for a wonderful evening of authentic Greek cuisine provided by parishioners Ted and Stacey Cassimatis.



Menu will include:

Greek Cheeses and Olives	Chicken Souvlaki
Greek Salad	Dolmathes
Pita Bread	Spanakopita
Lome	Baklava
	Kahlua
Avgolemono Soup	



100% of proceeds will go St. Joseph School!

The cost of the evening will be \$50 per person.
Call the parish office to sign up, 756-4250.



Rosary for Life

January 22, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.
St. Joseph Church, Farmington

Please join St. Joe Respect Life Committee in praying the rosary for an end to abortion, healing and forgiveness for those involved in abortion and an increased respect for human life.

January 22, 2020, marks 47 years since the Supreme Court decision Roe v Wade and Doe v Bolton legalized abortion in our country. Since then over 60 million unborn children have lost their lives and countless women, men and families have been harmed by legalized abortion in the U.S.

Please bring the whole family to pray with us!

2019 Directories and Tax Statements Have Been Mailed



The directories and tax statements were mailed this past week. They were mailed separately and you can expect them in the next couple of weeks.

Youth Group News



The next date for Habitat for Humanity will be January 26th from 1-4 pm. Contact Mandy Whitener for more details, 5 7 3 - 5 5 5 - 5 5 5 5 .

Parish Ministries



A Message from your Knights of Columbus...

Grand Knight, Mike Ward
Council #12332



Roses for Life Collection

January 11 & 12
after all Masses

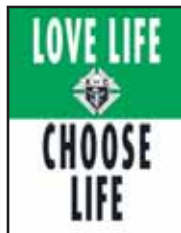


Sign a small, paper rose to be sent to our Congressman. Please take a moment to stop and sign a rose.

Meet Life Campaign Collection

January 11 & 12
After all Masses

The Knights are poised to make further reductions in abortion here in the Show Me state. Your gift to the Meet Life Campaign will result in lives saved...lives that will know a future without regret.



Knights of Columbus Breakfast

Sunday, January 12
After 7:30 & 9:00 am
Masses • Cafeteria



St. Joseph Parish St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry

Open Tuesday and Friday, 9-12 pm

For assistance call 756-0997

After Jesus was baptized, he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and a voice was heard "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased." As we give to the poor, we also can hear these same words.

Have you considered joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that you can live your Baptism more fully?

Mass Intentions

We have many openings for mass intentions still available. Especially the first couple months of the year.

Please note that **each intention is now \$10.00**. No masses for 2021 will be reserved until next November. Dates start on January 1, 2020 and continue through December 31, 2020.

Canonically we are not allowed to accept more masses than we can offer within one year.



Save the Date



Try your luck at the St. Joseph Mouse Derby!



March 21, 2020



For questions or contributions, contact Lisa Cartee in the parish office at 573-756-4250 or Pam Jaycox at 573-382-5165/
psjaycox@gmail.com

Our Father's Table

January 26 • 4:00 - 6:00
Cafeteria

Menu:

Chicken Fajitas

Around the Archdiocese

Annual Roe vs Wade Memorial Mass Cathedral Basilica



Saturday, January 18 • 10:00 am

All are invited to join Fr. Noah Waldman to pray for an end to abortion and an increased respect for all human life at this **Annual Memorial Mass at 10:00 a.m. at the Cathedral Basilica**. Following Mass, will be followed by a peaceful and prayerful Rosary Procession to/from Planned Parenthood and fellowship at a reception in Boland Hall. For more information, contact the RLA at prolife@archstl.org or 314.792.7555.

Chicken & Dumpling Dinner Thursday, February 6, 2020

The Knights of Columbus are hosting a Chicken & Dumpling Dinner the 1st Thursday of every month from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. at our meeting hall, 7897 Berry Road, Bonne Terre, MO. Everyone is welcome. The menu includes: Chicken & Dumplings, Seasoned Green Beans, our famous Cole Slaw, Cinnamon Applesauce, and a selection of various desserts. All you can eat in the hall or carry outs are available. Adults: \$7.00, Children: \$3.50 (5 to 10 years).

Protect and Prevent STL

The Archdiocese of St. Louis has developed a new system for safe environment compliance called Prevent and Protect STL. All clergy, employees, volunteers and ministers who work with minors and vulnerable adults in the Archdiocese of St. Louis are required and asked to register in the new system before June 30, 2020. For those who have already attended a Protecting God's Children workshop, your previous training date will transfer to the new system but you will still need to register and view the online training modules. In addition you will register for an updated background screening. No fee will be charged for the update. To register please go to www.preventandprotectstl.org view two new online training modules on abuse reporting and the Code of Ethical Conduct and agree to the updated code of Ethical conduct. Contact Lisa with any questions, 756-4250.

Traditional Latin Mass

Mass in the Extraordinary Form (Traditional Latin Mass) will be offered on the **first Saturday of each month at 9 a.m.** at Ste. Genevieve Catholic Church in Ste. Genevieve.

Ste. Genevieve Catholic Church (Ste. Genevieve, MO) will be adding a Noon Latin Mass on the First Sunday of each month celebrated in the Extraordinary Form.

A schola (chant choir) of people from Cape Girardeau will provide the chant and music for those first Sunday Masses.

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February 1, 2020 March 7, 2020

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March for Life 2020

Registration Now Open!

MISSOURI LIFE CARAVAN ages 7-107
January 23-24-25, 2020 - Thur., Fri., Sat.

After Dec. 20th the cost is: \$220

For more information and to register go to www.missourilifecaravan.org. Contact us at: 314-434-4900 or mrl.eastern@yahoo.com.

Birthdays & Anniversaries



Happy Birthday & Happy Anniversary 

To All of Our Parishioners Celebrating This Week!!!

