

ST. JOSEPH'S FAITH FORMATION

St. Joseph Faith Formation Schedule 2020-21

6th-8th grade

2nd & 4th Wednesdays

6:30-8:30pm at St. Joseph's

January 13th: Class

January 27th: Class

February 10th: Class

9th-11th grade

1st & 3rd Wednesdays

6:30-8:30pm at St. Joseph's

January 6th: Class

January 20th: Class

February 3rd: Class



Safe Environment: It is that time of year again to renew your Safe Environment certification for the 3 parishes. If you are serving in any type of ministry which includes proclaimers, catechists, musicians, sacristans, ushers and Eucharistic ministers you need to complete the certification once a year. You may go on-line at www.crookston.org to the safe environment page to find the link for the training.

Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God

Friday, January 1st

~ 8:00am St. William

~ 9:45am St. Joseph

~ 11:30am Holy Family

Thank You!! We want to thank you for your groups donation of \$1000 from Soup and Pie Day to the Valley Food Shelf. You did an amazing job with your curb side service. Thank you for that. We appreciate you thinking of us at this uncertain time. Our number of clients dropped when COVID started, just as it did in neighboring food shelves and now it is rapidly picking up. This money is a pleasant surprise and much of it will be used to purchase milk, eggs and personal products locally because they are usually not available from the food bank. We depend on the generosity of people, businesses and organizations in our communities to make the work we do possible in Norman County. If you ever wish to know about the food shelf let us know. We are always looking for more volunteers to help two hours a month to distribute food on Tuesday mornings, our shifts are 9-11am and 11-1 pm.

Supporting and strengthening our diocesan priests all month long!

Sunday, December 27th: Fr. Joe Richards

Monday, December 28th: Fr. Jerry Rogers

Tuesday, December 29th: Fr. Matt Schmitz

Wednesday, December 30th: Fr. Bob Schreiner

Thursday, December 31st: Fr. Luis Silva

Friday, January 1st: Fr. Bob Stone (retired)

Saturday, January 2nd: Fr. Pat Sullivan (retired)

Holy Father's prayer intention for October:

We pray that our personal relationship with Jesus Christ be nourished by the Word of God and a life of prayer.

Vocation Prayer of Pope Francis: God our Father, you made each of us to use our gifts in the Body of Christ. We ask that you inspire young people whom you call to priesthood and consecrated life to courageously follow you will. Send workers into your great harvest so that the Gospel is preached, the poor are served with love, the suffering are comforted, and your people are strengthened by the sacraments. We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Rosary Leaders: We will soon be setting up the Sunday morning Rosary leaders schedule for the year 2020. We need volunteers, young and old, from St. Joseph's, to help in this ministry. If you have been planning on becoming more active in your Church, here is the opportunity. You would be a Rosary leader for one month of the year. This is on Sundays before Mass. If you think you would need some training, we will work with you. If interested, contact the Parish office, 784-4131 or Denny Marcussen at 218-474-1169.