



**St. Joseph Catholic Church**  
**15 St. Joseph Street Bonne Terre, MO 63628**



Established  
1873

573.358.2112

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**MASS SCHEDULE:**  
**WEEKDAYS:** 8:00 am (Monday—  
Friday)  
**SATURDAYS:** 5:00 pm  
**SUNDAY:** 10:00 am  
**HOLIDAYS:** 8:00 am & 6:00 pm on  
Holyday  
**ROSARY:** Thursday after Mass  
Saturday at 4:30 pm  
**PERPETUAL HELP**  
**DEVOTIONS:** Tuesday after Mass

**EUCCHARISTIC**  
**ADORATION:** First Tuesday of the Month  
Following 8:00 am Mass  
with Benediction at  
10:00 am

**RECONCILIATION:** Saturday  
From 4:00—4:45 pm

**BAPTISMS:** First Sunday of Each  
Month by Appointment  
With Pastor

**MARRIAGES:** Arrangements Must Be  
Made With the Pastor 6  
Months Prior to  
Proposed Marriage

**ANOINTING:** By Request

**PSR Classes:** Second Sunday of the Month at  
8:30 a.m. at St. Joseph School Building

**Food Pantry:** Mondays & Fridays from  
9-11 a.m.

Parish Registration and Membership for St.  
Joseph & St. Anne Churches—New Families  
Are Welcome and Are Asked to Register at  
Their Earliest Convenience.



Assumption of the Virgin  
by Annabali Carracci, 1600 AD



**ST. ANNE**  
**CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
**FRENCH VILLAGE, MO**

**Mass Schedule:**

**SUNDAY:** 8:00 am

**Baptisms—By Appointment with Pastor**

**Reconciliation—Before Mass**

**Organist:** Jim Wagner

## MASSES FOR THE WEEK

<i>Intentions</i>			
Mon.	13	8:00 a.m.	Catherine Weiss
Tues.	14	8:00 a.m.	Zeno Carrow
Wed.	15	8:00 a.m.	Shirley Nowak
		6:00 p.m.	Ethel Massmann
Thur.	16	8:00 a.m.	June Kreft
Fri.	17	8:00 a.m.	Helen Stegall
Sat.	18	5:00 p.m.	Charles Hofer
Sun.	19	10:00 a.m.	Parish Family
(SA)		8:00 a.m.	Virginia Schoen



## August 15 – The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

August 15<sup>th</sup> is a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses will be celebrated at St. Joseph Church on Wednesday, August 15<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. We invite our parishioners at St. Anne Church to celebrate Mass with us at St. Joseph Church. There will not be a Mass at St. Anne Church.

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS

<b>ST. JOSEPH</b>	
<b>SATURDAY VIGIL - 5:00 PM August 18, 2018</b>	
<b>Lector</b>	Carl Cash
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Ken Dalaviras Dennis Bender John Groboski
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Paula Pace Landon Stotler
<b>Ushers</b>	M/M Matt Haug P.Meagher, D. Gifford
<b>Cross Bearer</b>	Suzanne Mullins

<b>ST. JOSEPH</b>	
<b>SUNDAY MASS – 10:00 AM August 19, 2018</b>	
<b>Lector</b>	Deborah Pace
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Tom Willette Gretchen Pratte Shari House
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Jax Byington Daniel Lukachick
<b>Ushers</b>	P. DeGonia, G. Inman Mike Lukachick Volunteer
<b>Cross Bearer</b>	Nick Lukachick

<b>ST. ANNE</b>	
<b>SUNDAY MASS – 8:00 AM August 19, 2018</b>	
<b>Lector</b>	Ron Schmidt
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Victor Bender Evan Loveless
<b>Gift Bearers</b>	M/M D. Thurman
<b>Ushers</b>	Gary Fisher Ron Byington
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Bethany Govero Joseph Govero
<b>Cross Bearer</b>	Volunteer

### Liturgical Ministers

Please step forward to help us celebrate our liturgy if a volunteer is needed. Thank you!

## Missouri MOST 529 Savings Plan

A 529 savings plan is a great investment tool to assist in paying for your child's education. It is not just a college savings plan anymore, you can now use this money for private elementary and high school education. Learn more from a Missouri 529 Savings Plan representative at a Parent Information Session.

St. Pius X High School will be hosting two sessions on Tuesday, August 21, starting at 6 pm or 7:30 pm. Each session will be one hour in length. Questions can be emailed to MOST529@archstl.org.

Additional information on a 529 Savings Plan can be found at MOST - Missouri's 529 Savings Plan <https://www.missourimost.org/>.

## Bingo

Bingo figures from August 2, 2018:  
Gross Receipts: \$625.00  
Players: 71

## St. Joseph Church Cleaning

Aug 17: Deborah & Ron AuBuchon

## Your Gift to God

August 4 & 5, 2018

	St. Joseph	St. Anne
<b>Envelopes</b>	\$4,422.00	\$394.00
<b>Loose</b>	453.25	92.00
<b>St. Vincent de Paul</b>	266.00	125.00
<b>Building</b>	211.00	25.00
<b>Church Restoration</b>	111.00	-0-
<b>Latin America Apost.</b>	378.75	187.00

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 12

Monday: Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Mt 17:22-27  
Tuesday: Ez 2:8 – 3:4; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14  
Wednesday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14;  
Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56  
Thursday: Ez 12:1-12; Ps 78:56-59, 61-62; Mt 18:21 – 19:1  
Friday: Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Mt 19:3-12  
Saturday: Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 19:13-15

**19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – August 12, 2018**

## ST. ANNE CHURCH

Church Cleaning Team #4 – Jane Schmidt

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Stewardship requires a daily commitment to prayer. This is best done in silence when we can listen for God's response. Without prayer, how else will we know how God is calling us to use our gifts?

We have to open our hearts to receive God's mercy and forgiveness. We can't give what we don't have. We need to receive God's mercy and forgiveness first before we can give it to others.

Live a life based on gratitude for all that we have been given. If we continually look up to God in gratitude we are less likely to look down on others in judgment.

We are all one Body in Christ. We are a community called to help strengthen each other's faith and our relationship with Jesus. The whole point of stewardship is to help each other get to Heaven!

Put our complete trust in God, in all things, and be generous with all of our gifts. By sharing everything, especially that one thing that means the most to us, we keep God first in everything.

We all have been given different gifts and we are not all called to do the same thing the same way. In order for God's plan to work, you have to do what God is calling you to do. [archstl.org/stewardship](http://archstl.org/stewardship)

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### Festival Country Store



The County Store is now accepting new or newly used household items, homemade canned fruits or vegetables, baked goodies, and any homemade items. You may drop off household items on Friday and

Monday between the hours of 7am – 11am under the pavilion. We can also pick up your donations. Contact Janie McCormick @ 760-877-7590. Please bring any baked or canned items to the Country Store the day of the festival. Thank you.

### Rosary – August 13, 2018

You are invited to pray the Rosary at Our Lady of the Rosary Shrine on Monday, August 13, 2018, at noon at 7762 Richardson Rd., Bonne Terre, MO.

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### Please Pray

Please pray for the repose of the soul of **June E. Kreft**, who passed away on Wednesday, August 1, 2018. She was preceded in death by her loving husband, Deacon Ronald Kreft, of 50 years. May her soul rest in our Lord's eternal embrace.

### Rediscovering the Mass

"Jesus said to them, 'I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst.'" - John 6:35

Are you seeking to rediscover your friendship with Jesus? Haven't been to Mass in a while and wondering where to start? Start by getting to know Jesus again through prayer. It doesn't matter how long it's been since you have been to Mass. You are always invited to encounter Jesus in the Mass.

#### How do I pray?

Various forms of prayer are presented in the Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC 2623-2649). These various forms include prayer of blessing or adoration, prayer of petition, prayer of intercession, prayer of thanksgiving, and prayer of praise.

#### What is meditation?

Meditation is a Christian practice of prayer dating back to the early Church. As the Catechism states: "Meditation is above all a quest. The mind seeks to understand the why and how of the Christian life, in order to adhere and respond to what the Lord is asking." By meditating on the Gospels, holy icons, liturgical texts, spiritual writings, or "the great book of creation," we come to make our own that which is God's. "To the extent that we are humble and faithful, we discover in meditation the movements that stir the heart and we are able to discern them. It is a question of acting truthfully in order to come into the light: "Lord, what do you want me to do?" (CCC 2705-2706). *U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops*

### Ladies of St. Joseph & St. Anne

The Ladies of St. Joseph & St. Anne will hold a meeting on Tuesday, August 14, 2018, following the morning Mass. Please remember to bring toiletries for SEMO violence. Our Ladies would very much appreciate donations of mason jars for jams. We will be planning for our Country Store.

### St. Joseph Parish Festival Meeting

All Chairpersons and interested parishioners are invited to attend the St. Joseph Festival meeting on Tuesday, August 14, 2018, at 6:30 p.m. downstairs.

### Donations for Children's Games

We are accepting donations to help purchase prizes for the children's games booth at our Parish Festival in September. There are large containers /bottles for donations located in the front and back of Church.

### Parish School of Religion

PSR Parents and Teachers will have a brief meeting on Sunday, August 26, 2018, after the 10:00 Mass in the St. Joseph's School Meeting Room. The first PSR class will be Sunday, September 9, 2018, at 8:30 a.m.