

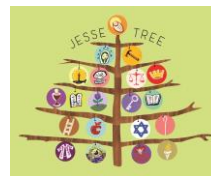
MASSES FOR THE WEEK

<i>Intentions</i>			
Mon.	03	8:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Tues.	04	8:00 a.m.	Loretta Richardson
Wed.	05	8:00 a.m.	June Kreft
Thur.	06	8:00 a.m.	Shirley Byington
Fri.	07	8:00 a.m.	Joseph Kwolek
		6:00 p.m.	Marilyn Phlipot
Sat.	08	8.00 a.m.	William Massmann
		5:00 p.m.	Mouser/Rosener Families
Sun.	09	10:00 a.m.	Parish Family
(SA)		8:00 a.m.	Virginia Schoen

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

ST. JOSEPH	
SATURDAY VIGIL - 5:00 PM <i>December 8, 2018</i>	
Lector	Sharon Gifford
Eucharistic Ministers	Carolyn Rhodes Char Gestring John Groboski
Altar Servers	Matt Haug
Ushers	Frances Haug Carl Cash Jeanine House
Cross Bearer	Jeff Rosener
ST. JOSEPH	
SUNDAY MASS – 10:00 AM <i>December 9, 2018</i>	
Lector	Mike Lukachick
Eucharistic Ministers	Marcy Mueller Mary AuBuchon Lou Ann Byington Shari House
Altar Servers	Dan Burle Bernice Burle
Ushers	Kyle Krus John Pace Tom Willette Paulette DeGonia
Cross Bearer	Carl Vessell
ST. ANNE	
SUNDAY MASS – 8:00 AM <i>December 9, 2018</i>	
Lector	Mickey Bange
Eucharistic Ministers	Kenneth Knobbe Evan Loveless
Gift Bearers	Sharon Kleinsorge
Ushers	J. Rokan, S. Folle
Altar Servers	Bethany Govero Joseph Govero
Cross Bearer	Volunteer

The Pro-Life Committee will meet today, Sunday, December 2, 2018, after the 10:00 a.m. Mass. Anyone interested is welcome to join us.



A "Jesse Tree" is another tradition your family can include in your Advent observance, especially if you have young children. A Jesse Tree depicts the relationship of Jesus with Jesse and other biblical

figures who were ancestors of Jesus. Jesse was the father of King David and is often looked upon as the first person in the genealogy of Jesus. For your own Jesse Tree, a branch can be placed into a pot or a large vase at the beginning of Advent and each day a new ornament can be added to it. These ornaments represent individual figures or stories from the Old and New Testaments. As the children place the ornaments on the branch, a parent can read an appropriate scripture passage that talks about that ancestor of Jesus. www.usccb.org

December 8 - Holy Day of Obligation

An evening vigil Mass will be celebrated at St. Joseph Church on **Friday, December 7, 2018, at 6:00 p.m.** for the Solemnity of the Feast of the Immaculate Conception. Mass will be celebrated at 8:00 a.m. at St. Joseph Church on Saturday, December 8, for the holy day. The evening Mass at 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, December 8, will be for the Sunday Obligation for the Second Sunday of Advent.

Chicken & Dumpling Dinner

The Knights of Columbus Council #1088 will serve a Chicken & Dumpling Dinner on Thursday, December 6, 2018, between the hours of 3:30 – 6:30 p.m. The chicken & dumpling menu includes green beans, applesauce, cole slaw, dessert, lemonade, tea and coffee. Adult tickets are \$7 and children (6-10) tickets are \$3.50.

Bingo

Bingo figures from November 22, 2018:
Gross Receipts: No Bingo – Thanksgiving

St. Joseph Church Cleaning

Dec. 04: Gina & Mike Jennings
Dec. 07: Deborah & Ron AuBuchon

Your Gift to God

November 24 & 25, 2018

	St. Joseph	St. Anne
Envelopes	\$3,646.00	\$575.00
Loose	202.25	61.00
St. Vincent de Paul	175.00	-0-
Thanksgiving	211.00	-0-

First Sunday of Advent – December 2, 2018

ST. ANNE CHURCH

Church Cleaning Team #2 – J. Hejlek, A. Folle



Giving Tree Ornaments

Our Christmas Giving Tree Ornaments are now available. Your wonderful generosity gives a child in need a special Christmas. Please remember that these children do not receive a Christmas gift if you choose an ornament and do not bring back a gift to put under the tree. The limit is \$20.00 maximum per Christmas gift. Bring your wrapped presents (with the giving tree tag attached) by Friday, December 21, 2018.



Annual Parish Christmas Party

Our Christmas Party will be on Friday, December 7th at 5:30 p.m. at the Terre du Lac Country Club. Dinner will be served at 6:00. Price will be \$13.00 including drink and dessert. There will also be a cash bar, and attendance prizes will be given out. Please RSVP by Sunday, December 2nd by placing your form in the box provided in the back of church or drop it in the collection basket. For more info, please call Janie at 760-877-7590.



Advent Anointing of the Sick

The Anointing of the Sick will be given at the 5:00 p.m. and 10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Joseph and at the 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Anne during the weekend of December 8th and 9th.



Breakfast with Santa

The Knights of Columbus invite girls and boys ages 2 through 11 to a Breakfast with Santa on Saturday, December 8, 2018, at 9:00 a.m. Please fill out the “Breakfast with Santa” sign-up sheet and return it as soon as possible in the collection basket or you may call Rich King at 573.358.5661 to make your reservations.



Joy to the World!

Christmas Carolers

Our choir is going Christmas caroling this year, and we would like to invite all interested parishioners to come and join us in spreading the message and cheer of Christmas. The date is today, Sunday, December 2, 2018, at 6:00 p.m. We will only sing for about an hour here in town. We will begin with a light rehearsal at 5:30 p.m. at the Church and then carol for an hour or so. Cookies and light refreshments to follow at the Farrell’s on Main Street! Please come and join us, you are guaranteed to have fun!!!

St. Francis Xavier – December 3

Francis Xavier was one of the original six companions of St. Ignatius Loyola who took vows in the Society of Jesus. In 1541, armed with a papal decree naming him apostolic nuncio to Asia, he embarked on a perilous journey to Portuguese Goa. After work in Goa and other islands in southern Asia, he began to receive reports of the highly advanced kingdom of Japan, as yet unknown to Westerners. Determined to make Japan his next mission, he landed there in 1549. Quickly recognizing the sophistication of Japanese culture, Francis changed his approach to mission. Previously he had seen himself building on barren ground. Now he felt a need to comprehend the local culture, to discover its latent strengths and virtues, and to find ways of connecting these with the Gospel message. After two years in Japan, long enough to implant a small Christian community, Francis set his sights on a new frontier: China, still closed to foreigners. While sailing to China in 1552 he became seriously ill. He died on December 3 at the age of forty-six. He was canonized in 1622, and in 1927 he was named a patron of foreign missions. *Give Us This Day*

Eucharistic Adoration

The celebration of the Eucharistic Adoration will begin after the 8:00 a.m. Mass on Tuesday, December 4, 2018, and conclude with Benediction at 10:00 a.m.

Donut Sunday

We invite you to come and enjoy fellowship with your Church family this morning.

All You Can Eat Breakfast/Bake Sale

You are invited to an All You Can Eat Breakfast and Bake Sale **today** from 8 am – 11:30 am at Our Lady Help of Christians Church, 13370 Highway 32, Weingarten, MO. Adult tickets are \$9 and children (age 6-12) eat for \$4.50. Santa will be there for the young and the young at heart.

Scriptural Study

A scriptural study of each Sunday’s readings will be held for the ladies of the parish on Thursdays at 9:00 a.m. in the meeting room, beginning on Thursday, November 29, 2018. The book, *At Home With the Word 2019*, is \$9.00 for the year. Contact Claudine Willette at 358-7516 for a copy. You do not have to attend every Thursday. You may purchase a copy for at home personal use.

Aid for Wild Fire Victims

There will be a special collection this weekend to provide immediate and long-term aid to those impacted by the wild fires in northern California. Catholic Charities of St. Louis will forward 100% of funds raised to Catholic Charities USA for distribution among the Catholic Charities providing relief.