

30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 27, 2019



**ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
**15 St. Joseph Street Bonne Terre, MO 63628**  
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**DEACON:** Rev. Mr. Don Kintz  
**BOOKKEEPING SECRETARY:** Char Gestring  
**SECRETARY/BULLETIN EDITOR:** Bernie Burie  
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**RECTORY: Office Hours:** Monday—Thursday  
 8:30 am— 3:00 pm  
 Friday— 8:30 am—Noon  
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**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



**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>			
<b>Mon.</b>	28	8:00 a.m.	Communion Service
<b>Tues.</b>	29	8:00 a.m.	Louise Lisee
<b>Wed.</b>	30	8:00 a.m.	Fran Roskuski
<b>Thur.</b>	31	8:00 a.m.	Leonard Willenborg
		6:00 p.m.	Parish Family
<b>Fri.</b>	01	8:00 a.m.	Ernest Ducharme
<b>Sat.</b>	02	5:00 p.m.	Jerome Spruell
<b>Sun.</b>	03	10:00 a.m.	Kathleen Hess
<b>(SA)</b>		8:00 a.m.	Parish Family

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS

<b>ST. JOSEPH</b>	
<b>SATURDAY VIGIL - 5:00 PM</b> <i>November 2, 2019</i>	
<b>Lector</b>	Char Gestring
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Patricia Murphy J. Basse, J. Groboski
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Landon Stotler
<b>Ushers</b>	M/M Jacob Stotler M/M Dennis Bender
<b>Cross Bearer</b>	LaVerne Carrow
<b>ST. JOSEPH</b>	
<b>SUNDAY MASS – 10:00 AM</b> <i>November 3, 2019</i>	
<b>Lector</b>	Pamela Schwartz
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Tom Willette Gretchen Pratte Carol Inman, Vol.
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Deborah Pace Theresa Pace
<b>Ushers</b>	Mike Lukachick M/M Carl Vessell Paulette DeGonia
<b>Cross Bearer</b>	John Pace
<b>ST. ANNE</b>	
<b>SUNDAY MASS – 8:00 AM</b> <i>November 3, 2019</i>	
<b>Lector</b>	Mary Lou Basler
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	V. Bender, M. Carr
<b>Gift Bearers</b>	M/M Tom Hejlek
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Patrick McDowell Audrey McDowell
<b>Ushers</b>	G. Fisher, R. Byington
<b>Cross Bearer</b>	MaryKathryn McDowell

### Liturgical Ministers

If you are unable to serve as a scheduled Liturgical Minister or Altar Server, please arrange for a replacement. Thank you!

## All Saints Day

Friday, November 1<sup>st</sup>, is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass will be celebrated at **6:00 p.m. on Thursday evening, October 31<sup>st</sup>** and at **8:00 a.m. on Friday morning, November 1<sup>st</sup>** at St. Joseph Church. We invite our parishioners at St. Anne Church to celebrate Mass with us at St. Joseph Church.

## At Home with the Word

It is time to reorder *At Home with the Word* for the year 2020. You may order for personal use or use with the Ladies Scripture Study group held on Thursdays at 9:00 am. The book is \$9.00. You may drop an envelope in the collection basket or drop by the church office. Mark the envelope 'Scripture Studies'. You may pay by cash or check made out to the Ladies of St. Joseph. Include your name and phone number. Order by Sunday, November 10. Anyone may order a copy.

## The Holy Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet

Priests for Life is happy to announce that you can now pray the Holy Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet with Fr. Frank Pavone each day at EndAbortion.TV at 4:00 pm and 9:30 pm daily Central Time. During these live broadcasts, you can submit your prayer intentions, so that the entire live audience can lift up those intentions with you to God. You can watch at [www.EndAbortion.TV](http://www.EndAbortion.TV) or at any of the platforms you see linked from that page including [www.facebook.com/fatherfrankpavone](http://www.facebook.com/fatherfrankpavone).

## Bingo

Bingo figures from October 17, 2019:  
Gross Receipts: \$1,063.00; Players: 81

## Your Gift to God

*October 19 & 20, 2019*

	<b>St. Joseph</b>	<b>St. Anne</b>
<b>Envelopes</b>	\$2,499.00	630.00
<b>Loose</b>	456.00	25.00
<b>Maint/Utilities</b>	-0-	-0-
<b>St. Vincent de Paul</b>	-0-	100.00
<b>Mission Sunday</b>	468.00	199.00

### 2019-20 Budgeted Amounts

Envelopes/Loose  
St. Joseph \$3,644 St. Anne \$750  
for 52 weeks

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## St. Anne Church



### Meat Shoot – Today October 27, 2019

St. Anne Parish will host a Meat Shoot 11 am – close on Sunday, October 27, 2019. Food and drink will be available – pork and beef choices. Half Hog – Freezer Ready.

### Ladies Group for St. Anne

The women of St. Anne's are starting a ladies group for strengthening our faith, socializing, and fund-raising. Our next meeting is Thursday, November 7 at 11:30 am in the church basement. Please join us and bring a covered dish. Call or text Mary Broome at (314) 562-5927 or Mickey Bange at (314) 808-2893 with questions or comments.

Ch.Cl. Team 2 Wks 10/20 – 11/03 J. Knobbe, M. Broome

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## St. Joseph Church



**When:** Saturday, November 9, 2019 (We are on the Bonne Terre Cookie Trail)

**Time:** 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

The St. Joseph and St. Anne booth will include hand crafted items and baked goods.

**Additional vendors** will offer a variety of personal and gift items.

Sponsored by the Ladies of St. Joseph & St. Anne. All profits will be donated to the

Church Restoration Fund.

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## Trivia Night, Saturday, November 2, 2019



You are invited to a Trivia Night on Saturday, November 2, 2019, at the Heritage Hall, 118 E. School Street, Bonne Terre. Registration begins at 6:30 p.m. and the Trivia starts at 7:00 p.m. Tables of 10 or less are \$10 per person. Attendance prizes as well as pizza, soda, water, snacks and desserts will be provided. Please call 314.795.2503 to reserve a table. **Proceeds to benefit Bonne Terre Food Pantry/SVDP.**

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## Parish School of Religion



Please note that the Parish School of Religion classes will be held on the first Sunday of the month at 8:30

a.m. in November and December.

**Bible reading is for Catholics.** The Church encourages Catholics to make reading the Bible part of their daily prayer lives. Reading these inspired words, people grow deeper in their relationship with God and come to understand their place in the community God has called them to in himself.

**Prayer is the beginning and the end.** Reading the Bible is not like reading a novel or a history book. It should begin with a prayer asking the Holy Spirit to open our hearts and minds to the Word of God. Scripture reading should end with a prayer that this Word will bear fruit in our lives, helping us to become holier and more faithful people.

**Get the whole story! When selecting a Bible, look for a Catholic edition.** A Catholic edition will include the Church's complete list of sacred books along with introductions and notes for understanding the text. A Catholic edition will have an *imprimatur* notice on the back of the title page. An *imprimatur* indicates that the book is free of errors in Catholic doctrine.

**The Bible isn't a book. It's a library.** The Bible is a collection of 73 books written over the course of many centuries. The books include royal history, prophecy, poetry, challenging letters to struggling new faith communities, and believers' accounts of the preaching and passion of Jesus. Knowing the genre of the book you are reading will help you understand the literary tools the author is using and the meaning the author is trying to convey.

**Know what the Bible is – and what it isn't.** The Bible is the story of God's relationship with the people he has called to himself. It is not intended to be read as history text, a science book, or a political manifesto. In the Bible, God teaches us the truths that we need for the sake of our salvation.

**The sum is greater than the parts.** Read the Bible in context. What happens before and after – even in other books – helps us to understand the true meaning of the text.

**The Old relates to the New.** The Old Testament and the New Testament shed light on each other. While we read the Old Testament in light of the death and resurrection of Jesus, it has its own value as well. Together, these testaments help us to understand God's plan for human beings.

**You do not read alone.** By reading and reflecting on Sacred Scripture, Catholics join those faithful men and women who have taken God's Word to heart and put it into practice in their lives. We read the Bible within the tradition of the Church to benefit from the holiness and wisdom of all the faithful.

**What is God saying to me?** The Bible is not addressed only to long-dead people in a faraway land. It is addressed to each of us in our own unique situations. When we read, we need to understand what the text says and how the faithful have understood its meaning in the past. In light of this understanding, we then ask: What is God saying to me?

**Reading isn't enough.** If Scripture remains just words on a page, our work is not done. We need to meditate on the message and put it into action in our lives. Only then can the word be "living and effective." (Hebrews 4:12).

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