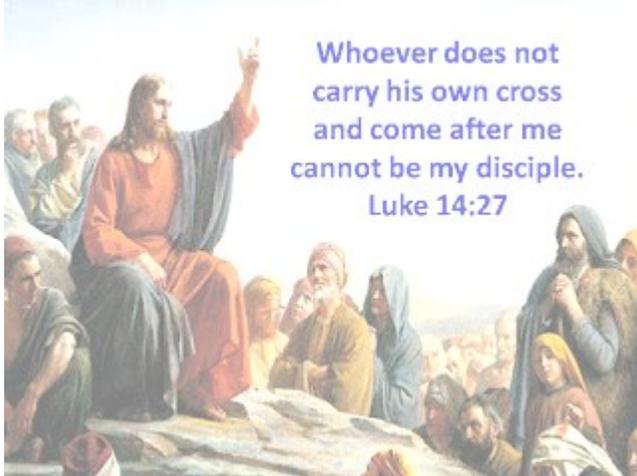


23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time



September 8, 2019

“You are just, O Lord, and your judgement is right; treat your servant in accord with your merciful love”

Psalm 119 (118):137,124

Pray for the sick of our parish & community..
Oremos por los enfermos de nuestra parroquia & comunidad ..

Jack Seurnck	Barbara Bess	Michael R Urick
Terry Tatman	Pauline Buchholz	Cindy Haan
Cecile Wilimitis	John Eberle	Janet Hathaway
Juan Ovalle	Lorane Eberle	Peter Kerkove
Madison Riley	Marie Butcher	Betty Kremer
Patty Rogers	Laura Yoder	Linda Martin
Geoff Keyes	Rodger James	Carol Musser
Judy Mang	Stephanie Willy	Sean Mylet
Dan Houston	David Alvarez	Sue Nipple
Glady Murphy	Matt Weber	Joyce Sullivan
Heather Jones Reynolds		Vicki Hartman
Willard Merkel		Reynalda Martinez

Mass Schedule & Intentions

xMonday September 9

8:30 a.m.– † Mary Clifford

Tuesday September 10

5:30 p.m.– †Kathryn Riehle

Wednesday September 11

NO MASS

Thursday September 12

8:30 a.m. -Int. Schoenstatt Families & Benefactors

Friday September 13

6:45 a.m.– †William & Jean Sales

Saturday September 14

5:00 p.m.– †Steve Meyer

Sunday September 15

9:00 a.m. – St. Joseph Parish

11:30 a.m. - Int. Victoria Macias Madrial

Schedule of Events

Monday September 9

10:30 a.m. - Mass at St. E. Healthcare

Tuesday September 10

6:30 a.m. - Mass at St. E. Healthcare

Wednesday September 11

10:30 a.m.– Mass at St. E Healthcare

7:00 p.m.– KofC Business Meeting

Thursday September 12

10:30 a.m. - Mass at St. E Healthcare

6:30 p.m.- CCD Catechist Meeting

Friday September 13

10:30 a.m. - Mass at St. E. Healthcare

Saturday September 14

10:30 a.m. - Mass at St E Healthcare

3:00 p.m.– Choir Practice at Church

Sunday September 15

10:30 a.m. - Mass at St E. Healthcare

7:15 a.m. - Confessions

10:00 a.m. - Confessions

Convivio de Cursillistas



***To be added or removed from the prayer list please contact Iris at :765-564-2407 or

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St. Joseph Community News

VARIA

Parish life is once again firing on all cylinders as we leave summer behind with Labor Day and jump again into the daily grind. Like many families, summer offers a little bit of a respite at the parish and things quiet down, providing rest even while the daily activities and normal responsibilities that keep a parish running continue. It has become clearer, however, as the phone rings more and activity in the parish office increases, that our breather is over! That said, several noteworthy happenings merit our attention this weekend.

First, CCD is back in session. My gratitude goes out to all of our catechists for the generous gift of their time in teaching our children the faith. I am grateful also to all of our parents who reinforce what their children learn here on Sundays. Our catechists have one hour per week to transmit something of the faith to the young people entrusted to them – but if their parents fail to fill the other 167 hours of the week with their own good example, explicit teaching, commitment to the Church, and deep faith, that hour will have little to no impact on them. If we keep the faith as something that belongs at church only, that is where it will stay – and it will never enter either our homes or the hearts of our children. Thank you to those parents who partner with our CCD teachers to instill the faith on days other than Sundays!

Next, this weekend is the first weekend in which the change in Mass times will hurt. Labor Day weekend gave us an opportunity to ease into the new schedule. As people return from their travels and attending the Lord's Day Mass elsewhere, we'll feel the squeeze a little more. As I've mentioned, we are relearning what it means to have a "full" church (currently, our concept of "full" is about 50% occupancy) and individuals and families will be shifting to accommodate the new arrangement. That will take time. I have my own concerns, but I remain convinced of the necessity of this change (for a refresher on the rationale behind it, see the August 4 bulletin on our website) and I continue to ask for your patience as we adapt to a new Sunday schedule.

Finally, as I am writing this article, hurricane Dorian is a category 3 storm off the coast of South Carolina. Having seen the havoc it has already wreaked, especially in the Bahamas, we can be assured that there will be a great need of post-storm relief. The president of the US Catholic Bishops' Conference, Cardinal DiNardo issued this statement that offers us a way to help with these efforts:

As we continue to be vigilant for the effects of Hurricane Dorian as it approaches the U.S. coast, we are extremely mindful of the dire need faced by the community in the Bahamas so devastated by this catastrophic storm. We pray for all affected and invite Catholics and all people of goodwill to donate to Catholic Relief Services and Catholic Charities USA.

The donations to CRS can be made at <https://support.crs.org/donate/hurricane-dorian>

Catholic Charities USA at <https://www.catholiccharitiesusa.org/> (click on red banner on top of screen).

Blessings to you all as we jump back into the swing of things here at our parish home.

~Fr. Clayton

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The collection total for Septmeber 1, 2019

\$3,627.00

El total de la colecta para el 1 de septiembre del 2019

Thank you!
!Gracias!

Upcoming Altar & Rosary Meeting –

Monday, October 14

The Altar & Rosary Society will have a meeting on **Monday, October 14 at 7 p.m.** in Honan Hall. We will discuss the August Rummage Sale, September St. Padre Pio Pilgrimage, etc.

If you have a topic you would like to discuss, please contact President Ann Minnicus at :765-714-8524

Let the Games begin! This might be a good slogan for NFL, but not for marriage! The **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend** shows couples, and Priests and Religious, how to be straightforward and honest in their communication, thus building a foundation for the kind of trust and love every Sacrament of Marriage and Holy Orders deserves. Future Marriage Encounter Weekends will be at Our Lady of Fatima Retreat House, Indianapolis, from 1-3 November 2019, and from 24-26 April 2020, and at Mount Saint Francis Centre for Spirituality, New Albany, from 14-16 February 2020.

Visit www.wwme.org for further information.

NCCW Fall Meeting – October 16 at Our Lady of the Lakes

The next National Catholic Conference of Women district meeting will be on October 16 starting at 8:30 a.m. The meeting normally ends around 1:30 p.m. More information to come soon.

Misa para un ser querido

Si usted gusta ofrecer una misa para un ser querido puede llenar un sobre con la informacion, una ofrenda de \$10 dolares y poner el sobre en la canasta de la colecta. (Por favor, ponga la ofrenda dos semanas antes) Los sobres se encuentran en la entrada de la iglesia.

Do you know anyone who has questions about the Catholic faith? RCIA will be meeting on Wednesday evenings from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. in the white house starting Sept. 4. Inquiry is an opportunity to ask questions with no commitment.

For more information contact Matt and Paula lunghuhn at 765-563-3954 or dre@stjosephdelphi.org



St Padre Pio Pilgrimage – September 16

The Altar & Rosary Society has organized a pilgrimage to see the relics of St. Padre Pio on September 16, 2019. If you would like to join the ARS, we will be carpooling from two pick-up points. We will meet in the parish parking lot at **10 a.m.**; we will then travel to the Flora Park (south-west corner on East Main Street and leave from the **Flora park at 10:20 a.m.** After veneration of the relics, we will spend 30-45 minutes in prayer at St. Patrick's parish then go to lunch at Windmill Grill in Kokomo before returning to the Flora Park and St. Joseph's parish. What a great way to experience a mini-pilgrimage, veneration, and fellowship. If you have any questions, please contact Tammy Metzinger or Kelly Studebaker.



Public veneration
of the relics of
St. Padre Pio

Monday, September 16, 2019

- 9:00 am to 5:30 pm
- Mass at 6:00 pm

St. Patrick Catholic Church

1204 N. Armstrong St. — Kokomo, IN 46901
(765) 452-6021 — www.stpatrick-kokomo.org



Hosted by:
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SEPTEMBER LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Eucharistic Ministers

5:00 pm - Kelly Studebaker & Nancy Carmin
9:00 am - Claudia Wandless, Karli Beamer,
Suzanne Gardiner

Commentators & Readers

5:00 pm - Commentor: Joe Seurnyck
Reader: Kay Seurnyck
9:00 am - Commentor: Rod Butcher
Reader: Cathy Butcher

Greeters

5:00 pm - Greeters: Linda Calvert
9:00 a.m. - Greeters: Jim & Teresa DeMein



MINISTERIOS DE LA EUCARISTIA

Septiembre 8: Fermín Sanchez & Adriana Martinez
Septiembre 15: Julian Hernandez & Wendy Espindola
Septiembre 22: Guillermo Liconá & Irene Quiroz
Septiembre 29: Nora Hernandez & Carolina Raya

ALTAR SERVERS FOR SEPTEMBER

September 8th

5:00 Mass

Alex Studebaker

Beau Tate

9:00 Mass

Seth Sullivan

September 15th

5:00 Mass

Mary Kate Iunghuhn

9:00 Mass

Alex Studabaker

September 22nd

5:00 Mass

Alex Studebaker

Beau Tate

9:00 Mass

Allison O'Brien

Mallory O'Brien

September 29th

5:00 Mass

Alex Studebaker

Beau Tate

9:00 Mass

Mary Kate Iunghuhn



Greeters:

Arrive 15-20 minutes before Mass to welcome people.
OPEN the door for those entering.
Greet, Smile, and welcome others.
Introduce yourself to guests and perhaps to another member.
You may also volunteer to be an usher at the same Mass.
Right before Mass starts, have a seat anywhere...your duties are now finished.

Ushers:

Assist in finding seating.
Make certain you have enough help for Offertory collections. Ask others to take the Offertory collections, wine, and bread to the altar.
Proceed together to front pews, bow to altar. Pick up collections.
Regroup and combine envelopes and cash into one basket. Group takes all items to altar. All bow together to the altar before returning to seats.
Help pass out bulletins and open doors.
Straighten books in pews for next Mass.

Ushers and Greeters:

Volunteers may be family or singles.
If you cannot be at mass on a schedule day, please ask a friend to substitute for you.
You may also volunteer to be a greeter at the same Mass.
Please feel free to volunteer or invite those around you into the church ministries. Often, we see a special gift in others that they do not even see in themselves.

If you have any questions regarding the greeters, please contact GraceAnn Merkel. If you have any questions regarding the ushers, please contact Betty Jones.
Thank you!

Lectores

Septiembre 8: Wendy Espindola
Septiembre 15: Maribel Martinez
Septiembre 22: Yolanda Tovar
Septiembre 29: Adriana Martinez

Si usted necesita el sacramento de Bautizo y/o Matrimonio porfavor llame a la oficina para mas informacion.

Oficina de Nuestra Parroquia:

765.564.2407

O email of-
fice@stjosephdelphi.org

