

St. Joseph's News

DAILY MASS is celebrated in the church (Tuesday – Friday) at 8 a. m. **Rosary** is prayed at 7:30 a. m. and the **Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions** is prayed each Thursday immediately following Mass.

The **Rosary** is prayed before the **Vigil Mass** each Saturday beginning at 3:30 p.m. Please come early and join in prayer.

PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY – Copies of the November/December schedules are available in the church.

PRAYER GROUP – Meets in the parish hall each **Tuesday** starting at 5:15 p. m. with the Divine Mercy Chaplet. Prayer group begins at 5:30 p. m.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL – The next sale will be on Saturday, **November 21**, from 8 a. m. – noon.

CCD – Safe Environment materials will be sent home today. The next class will meet on **November 22** from 9 – 9:45 a. m. in the parish hall. These classes are open to all school-age youngsters to help them better understand the **Good News** of the Gospel. We are working to plan a youth Mass and really need a few more to participate.

ST. STANISLAUS OPEN HOUSE

Tuesday - **November 17th** from 5 – 7 p. m. Register at www.ststan.com/openhouse

HEAVENLY HOUSEKEEPERS for Nov. 13 – **Team 4**

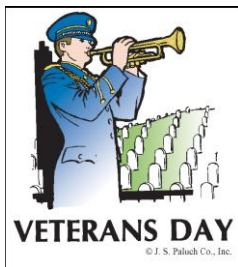
Linda Clark and Donna Dart

THANK YOU to **Bernadette Cuevas** for preparing the three planters and providing the cold weather plants for all to enjoy. They made it through Zeta and are really a beautiful addition.

MASSES AT ST. JOSEPH

Mass will continue to be live-streamed from St. Joseph at **10 a. m.** each **Sunday** on the St. Joseph Facebook page.

You may go to www.stjosephmosspoint.com to view copies of the weekly bulletin.



We proudly honor all veterans this weekend. We thank you for your service to our country. May God continue to keep you safe in his loving care.

May we remember that the freedoms we enjoy in our most gracious home, the United States of America, did not come without a price. May the Lord bless all of those who served, all those who continue to serve, and the families that those serving left behind. May we never forget.

St. Ann's News

DATES TO REMEMBER

Saturdays – **Vigil Mass – 6 pm** – St. Ann

Sundays – **Mass – 8 am** – St. Ann (Facebook also)

CCD – 9:15 am

Confessions – 30 minutes before each Mass

Altar Flowers – Envelopes are available in the vestibule for Flower donation in honor of, in memory of, or in thanksgiving.

Tiffany is **looking for assistance** with the **live streaming of the Mass on Sunday mornings**. She can be reached at the office 228-588-0599 on Wednesday from 9 am – 1 pm

Each year the parishioners of St. Ann's Catholic Church open their hearts and their pantries by assisting families that may not have a **Thanksgiving meal**. Anything your heart tells you to give will be much appreciated. If you do not want to shop, monetary donations will be accepted. Please return the items by **Sunday, November 15th**.

ST. ANN CRAFT FAIR – December 5th – Booth – \$25

Due to COVID-19 booths will be spread out further and face masks will be required per county mandate. Contact **Millie Cade** or **Tiffany Bosarge** for more information.

Backpack Buddies of East Central are in need of grits more so than oatmeal at this time. Monetary donations are also welcomed. Box located at church entrance.

ALL SOULS REMEMBRANCE

As he did in past years, Fr. Peter will be glad to visit the graveyards of your beloved ones during this month of November and pray and bless the graveyards. Please call the St. Joseph parish office (228-475-0777) to fix a date and time. To quote from St. Monica (mother of St. Augustine) who said just before her death to her son: **“You bury me wherever you like, but don't forget to remember me on the Holy Altar.”** So, let's not forget those holy souls on the Altar of God.



20th ANNUAL VETERANS DAY PROGRAM

Wednesday, **November 11**, at 11 a.m. at the Moss Point Memorial Monument. The theme is **“Freedom is not Free”**. This event is hosted by the JC Chamber of Commerce and is open to the public. Refreshments will be served immediately following the program.

WISDOM

We consider wisdom today. The first reading from the book of Wisdom presents this precious gift as a feminine spirit, a very desirable virtue sought by many and graciously present to all who seek her. In today's Gospel, Jesus tells a parable to illustrate wisdom in a practical, measurable way. The wise will conserve their resources, use them prudently, and mark the passing of time. The foolish, on the other hand, not planning ahead, will be in the dark. Both of these readings tell us how accessible wisdom is to all who simply and honestly seek it.

Paul's words to the Thessalonians are not about wisdom, but describe one result of true wisdom: To the wise person of faith even death holds no terror. Our faith in Jesus' resurrection tells us we will all one day rise to new life in Christ.

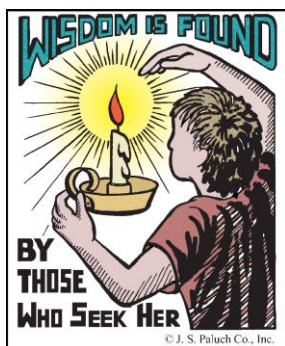
TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Wisdom is easily discerned by those who love her.

Psalm — My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.

Second Reading — Since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have died.

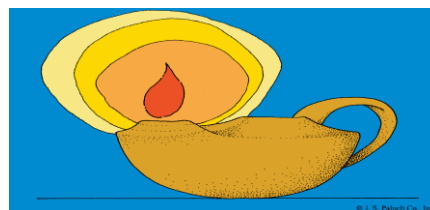
Gospel — Stay awake! You know neither the day nor the hour.



- Saturday – 4 p.m. – Deceased members of the Cox and Blackledge families
In honor of all veterans
- 6 p.m. – People of the Parish
- Sunday – 8 a.m. – People of the Parish
- 10 a.m. – Deceased members of the Herman and Bacak families
In honor of all veterans
- Tuesday – 8 a.m. – Arnold & Catherine Walker, Odell & Marjoree May, Skee & Margie Frederic, and Ruby Couch(RIP)
- Wednesday – 8 a.m. – Charles & Delores Hudson, Oscar & Esther Elder (RIP)
In honor of all veterans
- Thursday – 8 a.m. – Henry & Rosa Faccini, M. A. & Nina Colmer, and Rev. Patrick Hayes (RIP)
- Friday – 8 a.m. – Mary Nguyen, Teresa Nguyen, John Nguyen, Martha Nguyen, and Peter Nguyen (RIP)

Lord Jesus, who went about doing good and healing, bless our family and friends who are sick. Give them strength in body, courage in spirit, and patience in pain. If you would like to add someone to this list, please call the parish office.

Arthur Trochesset, Barbara N. Thomas, Audria Viers, the Holt family, Janet Wells, Nicole Mary Green, Effie Williams, Gary Brown, Kelly Chamberlain, George Hinkel, Eva Hinkel, Wanda St. Andrie, Laurie Laffery, Steve Martinez, Glenda Jackson, Charles and Marilyn Pinkney, Tom Browning, Judy Smith, Susan George, Jane Norton, Nikki Hans, Gloria Long, Linda Huy, Conner Driscoll, Amsley Goodings, Tenny Henderson, Ellen Scheeler, Lara Lander, Inge Bellone, Nathan Rowe, Anita Matthews, Denny Denmark, Tim and Annette Spiriti, Ron Hudson, Joan and Kermit Loupe, Deborah Green, Barbara Easley, Bruce Merrill, Elma Carter, Betty Bodden, Tony Garriga, Heather Huy, Doris Batte, Lynn Roberts, Roun McNeal, Karen Freeman, Pat McAdams, Lance Paul, Allen Elmore, Mary McMahan, Gwen Blackledge, Earl Laiche, Caroline O'Banner, Darlene Slater, Sharon Martin, Shirley Spiriti, Sallie Wentworth, Mac McDaniel, Bernard Grant, Cooper Peacock, Susan Stachowski, Norman Jardine, Bill and Jo Powers, the family of Jo Gilly, the family of Mike Byrd, all affected by the pandemic, all providing essential services, our teachers and students, the unemployed, the unborn, the poor souls in purgatory, those who have no one to pray for them, and all military personnel stationed in harm's way.



COLLECTIONS for Oct. 31 - Nov. 1

ST. JOSEPH

- Regular Collection – \$ 3,183.00
- Building Fund – \$ 523.00
- All Souls – \$ 335.00
- St. Vincent de Paul – \$ 220.00
- Online Giving – Offertory – \$ 185.00

ST. ANN

- Regular Collection – \$ 1,615.25
- Special Collection – SVDP – \$ 268.00
- Children's Offertory – \$ 3.35
- Special Collection – All Souls – \$ 195.00

UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTION

November 21 - 22 –Catholic Campaign for Human Development