Congratulations!

Father Tyler Raymond

May 26, 2019

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Liturgies
Weekend Mass: Saturday 4:30 PM, Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 AM
Weekday Mass: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 7:30 AM
Wednesday 8:15 AM
Reconciliation: Saturday 3:30 - 4:00 PM
Adoration: No Adoration on Monday, May 27, 2019

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Youth Faith Formation 319-377-8402
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New to the Parish: Welcome! Please call the office to make an appointment to register at 377-4869.

Prayer Chain: Contact Deacon Jeff at 377-4869 or dbq126d3@dbqarch.org.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Call the office and make an appointment with the priest or deacon.

Advanced Care Planning Consultants: Learn about church teachings on health issues and find help with documents pertaining to durable power of attorney for health care and health care decision directives. Parish contacts: Theresa Altt, 319-447-1132 or altt.theresa@yahoo.com, Jean Randolph, 319-377-0497 or jmr926722@mchsi.com, Deacon Dennis Temes, 319-377-4869 or d.temes@dbqarch.org and Deacon Ken Bauer, 319-377-4869 or k.bauer@dbqarch.org.

Feed My Sheep: The Marion Food Pantry requests bath tissue and Kleenex. Please place your offering in the basket on the altar or ask an usher to take it to the front.

Pilgrim Virgin Statue: Honor the Blessed Virgin Mary by gathering from May 26 - 31, to pray the Rosary at the home of Leo and Marianne Riester, 4412 C Avenue NE, at 7:00 PM each evening. All are welcome.

Infant Baptism: The next baptism preparation session will be held on Saturday, July 13, 2019, in the St. Joseph Room of the parish offices from 9:00 to 11:00 AM. Contact Deacon Dennis Temes at d.temes@dbqarch.org or 377-4869 to register and learn more.

### Weekly Calendar & Mass Intentions

#### Sunday, June 2

**8:00 AM** MASS † Barbara Schmidt

**10:30 AM** MASS † Rita Jansen

**11:30 AM** FUN DAYS 11:30 AM - 6:00 PM

Please call Deacon Jeff Volker at the Parish Office

### Weekly Calendar & Mass Intentions

#### Monday, May 27 - Memorial Day - Parish Office Closed

**9:00 AM** MASS † Fr. Tyler Raymond

Mt. Calvary Cemetery

#### Tuesday, May 28

**7:30 AM** MASS † Verletta McLaughlin

**7:00 PM** Men of Action, St. Joseph Room

#### Wednesday, May 29

**8:15 AM** MASS † Wayne Edgington

**9:30 AM** Scripture Study, St. Joseph Room

**2:00 PM** Pietra Fitness, St. Joseph Room

#### Thursday, May 30

**6:00 AM** Men of Action, Church Hall

**7:30 AM** MASS † Remington Family

**9:30 AM** Crestview

**8:00 AM** Coffee & Doughnuts

**6:30 PM** RCIA, St. Joseph Room

#### Friday, May 31

**7:30 AM** MASS † Fr. Joshua Link

**9:30 AM** Bickford

**4:00 PM** FUN DAYS 4:00 - 10:30 PM

**6:30 PM** Silent Prayer, Church

#### Saturday, June 1

**11:00 AM** FUN DAYS 11:00 AM to 10:30 PM

**3:30 PM** Reconciliation

**4:30 PM** MASS † For the People

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**8:00 AM** MASS † Barbara Schmidt

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### MASS INTENTIONS

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**Weekly Calendar & Mass Intentions**

**St. Joseph Catholic Church - Bulletin**

Deadline for submissions is:

Tuesday, at noon, for the following Sunday bulletin

Please send submissions to: dbq126sec@dbqarch.org

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Women’s Connection
Women’s Connection offers widows from the parish the opportunity to share experiences, solve problems, support each other emotionally and spiritually and have fun, all while developing true and lasting friendships. Gatherings are the second Thursday of each month, 1:15 to 3:15 PM at the school. The June 13 meeting will be held at Taube Park, (31st St. and McGowan), for the annual picnic. Please plan to arrive by 12:00 PM. Bring a sack lunch and your own drink. All widows of the parish are invited. For more information, please contact Sally Wilkinson at: 373-5484.

Women’s Connection will meet Thursday, June 27, 11:30 AM, at Culver’s, 1375 Red Fox Way, Marion, for the monthly luncheon. For more information please contact Sally Wilkinson at: 373-5484.

Coffee & Conversation
Join our informal, friendly gathering of women of the parish every fourth Friday of the month for “Coffee and Conversation.” Next date: June 28, 2019, Mr. Beans meeting room, 1080 East Post Road, Marion, 9:30 - 11:00 AM. No need to RSVP.

St. Joseph Quilting Ministry
The Quilting Ministry meets on the 2nd Tuesday of the month in the Church Hall from 1:00 - 3:00 PM where they make quilts for various charities throughout the greater Cedar Rapids area. Next meeting date: June 11. For more information, please contact Lynn Mitchell at 377-6166.

Prayer Shawl Ministry
Compassion and knitting/crocheting combined into a prayerful ministry which reaches out to those in need of comfort. Contact Sharon at 373-2810. Prayer Shawl Ministry meets the first Wednesday of the month, from 1:00 - 3:00 PM, in the St. Matthew Room. Next meeting date: June 5, 2019.

Gems of Hope, Inc.
Gems of Hope, Inc. is a nonprofit organization that offers small gifts mounted on inspirational cards to cancer patients, bringing hope to the patients and their families. St. Joseph’s group meets the 4th Tuesday of each month, next meeting date: May 28, in the church hall from 1:00 - 3:00 PM to make the cards that are given to others. For more information, please contact Kathy Conrad at 377-8371.

Pietra Fitness Classes
Join for gentle stretching and strengthening of the body combined with prayer and Christian meditation. Wednesdays, in the St. Joseph Room, from 2:00 - 3:00 PM. Suggested offering of $5 per class.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION
Adult Faith Formation contact info – Sean McVeigh – email: s.mcveigh@dbqarch.org – phone: (319) 377-4869.

Fun Days Volunteering - Be part of the hospitality and faith sharing team at Fun Days this year! Contact Mike Alt at mikealt47@gmail.com. Also please note, our last Fun Days Faith Sharing Workshop and preparation meeting will be held this Tuesday, May 28, at 6:00 PM in the Church Hall. Please come and get involved.

The Ten Commandments Series - Mark your calendar. Sean McVeigh will be running an 8 week series on the Ten Commandments from 9:15 AM to 10:15 AM in the Church Hall on Sundays between the 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM Mass. The core content will be taken from the Catechism of the Catholic Church paragraphs 2083 through 2557. This is a great opportunity to grow in your faith.

Small Groups - Get more involved in your faith by joining a small group, contact Sean McVeigh at the above information.

PODCAST - We’ve started to record the Sunday homily for a parish Podcast. To listen to the podcast visit the podcast page of our parish website. You can also find it on iTunes under stjoesmarion.

Our YouTube Channel - Would you like to share something with the rest of us on our “St. Joseph Catholic Church, Marion” YouTube channel? Contact Sean McVeigh if you are interested. Even if you don’t want to share, please subscribe to our YouTube channel.

RCIA Sign Up - If you or an adult you know not yet received all of the Sacraments of Initiation, contact Sean McVeigh to get started in the process.
Fun Days 2019 is just around the corner and final preparations are underway. Food and Beverages are being ordered, the Bingo board and games are being dusted, entertainment is booked, and signs are popping up in yards.

We are in need of volunteers to help with set-up on Thursday and Friday. Any time you have to help would be appreciated. Many hands make light work!

We are behind in raffle tickets sales as compared to last year so please turn in your sold tickets. Prizes will be given to the sellers of the winning tickets. More tickets are being offered after Mass this weekend and are available at the parish office. Maybe YOU will be the lucky winner!!

Have you signed up to volunteer? There are many slots still available. Sign up with a friend or relative and enjoy some time together. Please visit the parish website www.stjoesmarion.org and click on the Fun Days banner to find the volunteer section. Scroll through the list to view the opportunities and fill your name in a spot. We appreciate your involvement and look forward to seeing you.

Please remember to sign up for the Kids Fun Run, 5K Neon Run, Bag Toss Tournament, and the Talent Show. All can be reached by visiting the parish website at www.stjoesmarion.org and clicking on the Fun Days Banner.

To contact the Fun Days Executive Committee, please phone (319) 774-8719 or send an email to: info@StJosephFunDays.org

Do you hunger for more? Do you desire to make a greater impact? Is God calling you to join the extraordinary lay formation program, IMPACT? The next IMPACT cohort begins in September, 2019. Monthly sessions will meet at St. Joseph Church, Elkader. Grants available. To learn more about the IMPACT lay formation program, please visit www.DBQArch.org/impact or contact Mary Pedersen at dbqcaf@dbqarch.org. Registration is now open!

Have you been thinking of becoming more involved in our St Joseph parish? Are you good at thinking of new ways to engage people in our parish? Are you enthusiastic and energetic? Do you get energized meeting new people and helping with a common cause? The St Joseph Parish Life Committee wants you! Our Committee tries to bring alive the "community" spirit in our parish. We try to come up with and host various social events (and help host/do refreshments at scheduled parish events). We not only need active committee members, but also would welcome volunteers to provide refreshment items occasionally. We would love to welcome some new faces to our Parish Life Committee!

If you think you might be interested, please contact Paula Ladage at 319-551-2857 or paulaladage@gmail.com, or leave your name and number with Tammy at the parish office.

St. Joseph Catholic School is seeking a full time elementary associate for the 2019 - 2020 school year. Go to: www.sjcsmarion.org/about/employment/ to begin the application process. If you have any questions, please contact Casey Kettmann, principal, at: ckettmann@sjcsmarion.org.
Fr. Tyler Raymond—By the time your read this, our St. Joseph, Marion, native son was ordained to the priesthood for the Archdiocese of Dubuque. On behalf of the parish, I offer our heartfelt congratulations to Fr. Raymond, his parents Gary and Julie, and his sister, Haley. Thank you, Gary and Julie, for the gift of your son for service in the Church, and to Haley, for the support you gave to your brother. Thank you, St. Joseph Parish, for being a part of Fr. Raymond’s vocational discernment through the prayers, love and support you offered him and his family through his journey to the priesthood.

Fr. Raymond’s First Mass, which is very significant to the newly ordained priest as a wedding reception would be to newlyweds, will be at 4:00 PM, this Sunday at St. Joseph. All are welcome to join him to offer thanksgiving to God for his ordination to the priesthood and to support him as his service as a priest of the Archdiocese begins.

Parish Elections—Congratulations to the following parishioners who were elected to the parish bodies listed below. Thank you to all who ran for office and for the staff and volunteers who helped with the electoral process in any way.

St. Joseph Pastoral Council
- Daniel Drey (1st term)
- Steve Carroll (reelected to a 2nd term)

Faith Formation Commission
- Diane Kula (1st term)
- Victoria O’Rear (1st term)

St. Joseph Catholic School Board
- Shanna Duggan (reelected to a 2nd term)
- Stephanie Mazzella (1st term)

Fun Days II: Faith, Family and Community—will occur next weekend. I want to encourage your participation through serving as a volunteer and by attending the event. There’s lots to do as individuals or as families. Play some games, enjoy a meal, take a carnival ride or enjoy the music. Purchasing a raffle ticket would be great, too. I would particularly ask that you offer hospitality to all of our guests who join us for the event. It is important we reach out to those visiting or who have been away from us for a while as an expression of our community and to invite them to be a part of it even for a day or maybe on a more permanent basis.

The Weekend Mass Schedule of Fun Days II (May 31 - June 1)—will remain the same as any weekend here at St. Joseph, namely: 4:30 PM on Saturday and 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM on Sunday. Confessions will be heard on Saturday at 3:30 PM. Please plan on attending Fun Days, but don’t forget to go to Mass.

Memorial Day Mass—Will occur at Mt. Calvary Cemetery, Cedar Rapids, at 9:00 AM. The rain site is St. Matthew’s in Cedar Rapids. There will be no 7:30 AM Mass on Monday, May 27, at St. Joseph in lieu of attending Mass at the cemetery.

Ascension Thursday—is traditionally celebrated forty days after Easter, which means it would be this Thursday. The bishops of the Province of Iowa petitioned the Holy See years ago to request permission that the observance of the Ascension be the following Sunday. Hence, we will celebrate the Ascension the weekend of June 1 - 2, 2019. Thursday, May 30th, is not a Holy Day of Obligation as the Ascension will not be celebrated on that day.