



ST. JOSEPH'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

&

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE MISSION



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GIVING

Offertory Collection

| <u>St. Joseph's</u> 07/07 | <u>Our Lady of Guadalupe</u> 07/07 |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Budgeted: \$1250.00 | Budgeted: \$491.67 |
| Received: \$1428.00 | Received: \$437.00 |
| <u>Totals for 06/2019</u> | <u>Totals for 06/2019</u> |
| Budgeted: \$6250.00 | Budgeted: \$2458.33 |
| Received: \$8621.20 | Received: \$2880.00 |

God bless & keep all our benefactors & volunteers!

2019 Diocesan Support Appeal

| <u>St. Joseph's</u> | <u>Our Lady of Guadalupe</u> |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| Goal: \$7016.00 | Goal: \$2984.00 |
| Received: \$1945.00 (28%) | Received: \$630.00 (21%) |

Help us reach our goals by donating at:
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Sunday of the 15th Week of Ordinary Time

July 14th, 2019

Dear Parish Family,

So much of the Faith exists in a tension between two seemingly contradictory realities: The Trinity is one God in Three Persons, Christ is one person with two natures, the Eucharist is real Body & Blood of Christ but looks & tastes like bread & wine. Each of these seems like they don't work together, yet through Divine Revelation we know that they do work together, each of them are True.

Another tension that exists in the life of Faith is the larger group and the individual. There are extreme positions that want to pull us either towards an identity within a larger community that demands the rejection of our individuality or a stark individualism that isolates one from the good of being in community with others. Within the Church, we refer to two aspects of social living: solidarity (joining together as a larger community to accomplish a good that none of us can do on our own) and subsidiarity (dealing with things on the most local/familiar level so that it is personal). We are called to embrace both of these realities within our

lives and never to abandon one or the other. What does this mean in practical terms? An example can be found in how we take care of those in need. Each of us individually are given the responsibility to care for those who are in need by Christ. In the Gospel of St. Matthew 25:31-46, we hear that we will be individually judged based on how we loved & cared for those whom we encountered in our lives who were in need. We must ask ourselves "How have I done with that?" and be honest in our answer. For most of us, the answer is "I should be doing more." On the other side, there is some situations that are too big for us to tackle on our own, so we join our time & resources together to accomplish the task before us. These situations include famines and disaster relief.

How do we bring these together so that we, as individuals & families, do the good we can and we, as a community, unite to overcome the larger struggles before us? This is where the parish family emerges. More on this next week! ~ Fr. Peter Shaw

PRAYERS

Our Lady of Sorrows, intercede for all the Sick & Suffering, especially: Bob & Dee Burns, Nancy Thomason, Carol Badalucco, Pressie Raby, RuthAnn Nilges, Barbara Hart, Bill & Joan Sutherland, Kim Samson, Doris Kearns, Mary Brogan, Dan Pulte, & Donna Nelson.

St. Joseph, Patron of a Happy Death, intercede for the Souls of all the Faithful Departed, especially: John Arch, Everett Wilmot, Christina Tucker, Chuck Brogan, Donald Samson, Ted Raby, Phil Webb, Kristy Schumann, Steven Cramer, Kathryn Trull, Louis Gantnier, Angela DiLillo, & Douglas Baker.

St. Michael the Archangel, protect & intercede for our Armed Forces Personnel, especially: Ryan Carr, Richard Fischer III, Gunnar Hale, Christopher Jones, David Spalding, Larry Studer, & Peter Young.

SUNDAY YEAR: C

DAILY MASS READINGS

WEEKDAY YEAR: 1

| Day | Memorial | Exodus | Psalms | Gospel |
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| Monday: | St. Bonaventure, Bishop & Doctor | Exod 1:8-14, 22 | Ps 124:1-8 | Matt 10:34-11:1 |
| Tuesday: | <i>Our Lady of Mt. Carmel</i> | Exod 2:1-15 | Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34 | Matt 11:20-24 |
| Wednesday: | Feria | Exod 3:1-6, 9-12 | Ps 103:1-4, 6-7 | Matt 11:25-27 |
| Thursday: | <i>St. Camillus de Lellis, Priest & Confessor</i> | Exod 3:13-20 | Ps 105:1, 5, 8-9, 24-27 | Matt 11:28-30 |
| Friday: | Feria | Exod 11:10-12:14 | Ps 116:12-13, 15-18 | Matt 12:1-8 |
| Saturday: | <i>St. Apollinaris, Bishop & Martyr</i> | Exod 12:37-42 | Ps 136:1, 23-24, 10-12, 13-15 | Matt 12:14-21 |

Regular = Feria/Obligatory Memorial, *Italic* = Optional Memorial, ALL CAPITAL = Feast, **BOLD CAPITAL** = Solemnity

To arrange Mass intentions,
please contact the office at least two weeks prior to date desired.

SAINT JOSEPH'S MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

(07/13) **Saturday:** 5:00pm: Steve & Kim Samson
Sunday: 11:15am: Pro Populo
(For the people of the Parish)

Monday:
Tuesday: Daily Masses cancelled
Wednesday: throughout the month of July
Thursday:
Friday:

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(07/13) **Saturday:** 7:00pm: Patrons of the Parish
Sunday: 9:00am: Persecuted Christians

CONFESSIONS

St. Joseph's: Every Saturday from 4:15pm-4:45pm, available
after each daily Mass, & upon request.

CONTACTS & MINISTRIES

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Hours: Wed.-Fri.:10am-4pm, Sat.:10am-1pm

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Sunday of the 15th Week of Ordinary Time, July 14th:

OLG 9:00am: Reader: D. Arch;

SJ 11:15am: Reader: R. Burch; Usher: B. Burns

Sunday of the 16th Week of Ordinary Time, July 21st:

OLG 9:00am: Reader: G. Jarrett;

SJ 11:15am: Reader: C. DiLillo; Usher: T. McCarty

GOOD JOES

Upcoming Meeting: July 16th, 2019

The Good Joe's meet on the 3rd week of the month. Meetings are
usually on Tuesdays at 12 pm, with Mass and then lunch.
Any man is welcome.

Parish Council Meeting

The next parish council meeting:
August 31st @ St. Joseph's in the Church Hall at 9:30am.
Please submit reports & agenda items to
Lois Baker, Council Chair, at least one week in advance.

Women's Spirituality Group

Are you a woman seeking to understand more about the Faith?
On **Wednesday evenings at 4:30 PM in the Church Hall**,
the parish Woman's Spirituality Group meets.

Next Meeting: July 17th, 2019



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Our Knights of Columbus Council #16543 will be
having their monthly business meeting:
Wednesday, August 14th @ 7:00pm
in St. Joseph's Church Hall.

Did you know that that you can make tax free distributions
to St. Joseph's & Our Lady of Guadalupe directly from your
IRA account if you're over 70½ years old?

These are free from federal & state income taxes, can help
avoid Medicare high income surcharges, and can help reduce
taxes on your social security benefits.

Distributions can be made directly to our parish and can be
restricted so that it can only be used for specific purposes
(building maintenance, DSA, grounds, etc.).

For more information, please contact
Bob Burns (rjbns213@gmail.com).



Catholic Daughters of the Americas

The local court's next meeting is:
August 8th @ 6:00pm
at St. Mary's Catholic Church (Sylva).
Contact: Glenda Jarrett
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