



# ST. JOSEPH'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH & OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE MISSION



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## GIVING

### Offertory Collection

<u>St. Joseph's</u> 08/18	<u>Our Lady of Guadalupe</u> 08/18
Budgeted: \$1250.00	Budgeted: \$491.67
Received: \$1436.75	Received: \$399.00
<u>Totals for 07/2019</u>	<u>Totals for 07/2019</u>
Budgeted: \$5000.00	Budgeted: \$1966.68
Received: \$5250.50	Received: \$2350.63

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: \$2095.00 (30%)	Received: \$630.00 (21%)

Help us reach our goals by donating at:  
[charlottediocese.thankyou4caring.org/DSADonations](http://charlottediocese.thankyou4caring.org/DSADonations)

## *Sunday of the 21<sup>st</sup> Week of Ordinary Time*

*August 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019*

Dear Parish Family,

Since the vandalizing of the crucifixes, a couple of people have asked some questions over the past few weeks about how money & the parish work. Some thought that the diocese would fund their replacements, others have thought that we need to fundraise for them, and others assumed that the funds would come from either insurance or our savings accounts. The answer is a blend of all the above. Donations make each Sunday are classified as "offertory". These funds go to cover the typical general expenses: Heat, water, electric, sewer, & property insurance for the buildings, as well as the priest's salary & living expenses. Donations can also be specially designated for specific purposes (called a 'restricted donation'), such as for vestments, aiding the poor, or repairs/improvements to the facilities and grounds. The Diocese holds an insurance policy for the combined value of all the properties (churches, schools, offices, rectories, etc.) and each parish is charged a proportionate fee based on the value of the properties in that

parish. For our situation, an insurance claim is being processed for the value of what was damaged (this value is still being established given the age of the crucifixes and other expenses for repair/replacement). Additionally, we have been blessed by the generosity of many people, both of our parish community, guests, and others from our town community. Their donations have been restricted for the exclusive use on the crucifixes, so there is no danger that their kindness will be misdirected. Finally, any expenses that go beyond what the insurance & donations provide will come out of our savings. In the end, it might seem a bit convoluted or needlessly complicated. The key here is that we are making sure that things are being done in the most respectful and effective manner. As always, if anyone ever has a question or a concern about anything financial here at the parish, please feel comfortable and free to ask either myself, Tom Wilmot (our Finance Council Chair), or Lois Baker (our Parish Council Chair). We are glad to help!

~ Fr. Peter Shaw

## PRAYERS

**Our Lady of Sorrows, intercede for all the Sick & Suffering, especially:** Bob Burns, Nancy Thomason, Carol Badalucco, Pressie Raby, Barbara Hart, Bill & Joan Sutherland, 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, Kim Samson, John Suttle, & Dee Burns

**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, & Rev. Fr. Jason Burchell.

SUNDAY YEAR: C

## DAILY MASS READINGS

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Monday:	Feria	1 Thess 1:1-5, 8-10	Ps 149:1-6, 9 Matt 23:13-22
Tuesday:	St. Monica, Confessor	1 Thess 2:1-8	Ps 139:1-6 Matt 23:23-26
Wednesday:	St. Augustine, Bishop & Doctor	1 Thess 2:9-13	Ps 139:7-12 Matt 23:27-32
Thursday:	The Martyrdom of St. John the Baptist	Jer 1:17-19	Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17 Mark 6:17-29
Friday:	Feria	1 Thess 4:1-8	Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 10-12 Matt 25:1-13
Saturday:	<u>Feria</u>	1 Thess 4:9-11	Ps 98:1, 7-9 Matt 25:14-30

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**

- (08/25) **Saturday:** 5:00pm: †Holy Souls in Purgatory  
**Sunday:** 11:15am: †Billy Raappana  
(requested by Brian & Jeanine)  
**Monday:** 12:00pm: Msgr. Louis de Profio  
(requested by Eden Kavanagh)  
**Tuesday:** 12:00pm: Rev. Msgr. Patrick Winslow  
**Wednesday:** 6:00pm: †Christopher & Dee Burns  
(requested by Bob Burns)  
**Thursday:** 12:00pm: †Glenn Raappana  
(requested by Brian & Jeanine)  
**Friday:** 12:00pm: Very Rev. Fr. John Putnam

**OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE MISSION**

- (08/25) **Saturday:** 7:00pm: Patrons of the Parish  
**Sunday:** 9:00am: Pro Populo  
(For the people of the Parish)

**CONFESSIONS**

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

**CONTACTS & MINISTRIES**

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**ST. JOSEPH'S THRIFT STORE**

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

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS**

**Sunday of the 21<sup>st</sup> Week of Ordinary Time, August 25<sup>th</sup>:**

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

**SJ 11:15am:** Reader: D. Kearns; Usher: M. Breen

**Sunday of the 22<sup>nd</sup> Week of Ordinary Time, September 1<sup>st</sup>:**

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

**SJ 11:15am:** Reader: K. Posey; Usher: J. Thomason

**GOOD JOES**

**Upcoming Meeting: \*\*\* Moved to August 27<sup>th</sup>, 2019\*\*\***

The Good Joe's meet on the 3<sup>rd</sup> 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:

September 12<sup>st</sup> @ St. Joseph's in the Church Hall at 6:00pm.

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: September 21<sup>st</sup>, 2019**



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

Our Knights of Columbus Council #16543 will be  
having their monthly business meeting:

**Wednesday, September 11<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00pm**  
in St. Joseph's Church Hall.

**Catholic Daughters of the Americas**

The local court's next meeting is:

**September 14<sup>th</sup> @ 10:00am**  
at OLG Mission (Cherokee).

Contact: Glenda Jarrett  
(glenda.jarrett1@frontier.com)



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).