

ST. JOSEPH'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

&

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE MISSION

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GIVING

Last Weekend's Collection

St. Joseph's:

03/05 – Will be reported next week

Our Lady of Guadalupe:

03/05 – Will be reported next week

Thank you for your continued generosity.

God bless & keep you!

Parish DSA Goals for 2017

St. Joseph's

Goal: \$5947.00

Our Lady of Guadalupe

Goal: \$4279.00

Help us reach our goals, donate at:

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Sunday of the 2nd Week of Lent

March 12th. 2017

Dear Parish Family,

How are you doing? It's been a week and a half since we started Lent, so we should be settling into our Lenten practices of prayer, fasting, & almsgiving. We should also be getting acclimated to our chosen penances (what you chose to give up) and our chosen charitable acts (what good thing that we are routinely doing). If we are really trying to do these correctly, we might be feeling a bit of struggle, but, as often is the case, if we persevere through this moments of struggle by allowing God's grace to strengthen us, we will grow in confidence that we can persevere through other, possibly more difficult, situations. If you're struggling, that's good! If you've given up or never really started, waste no time in getting onto the track we should be on. Truly, nothing less than our souls and eternity rely on our cooperation with God's grace, especially during this Lenten season. Throw yourself, whole heartedly, into this season and you will never be disappointed!

~Fr. Shaw

LENTEN SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

6PM – ST. JOSEPH'S FOLLOWED BY SUPPER

PALM SUNDAY

9AM – MASS AT OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE, 11:15AM – PROCESSION & MASS AT ST. JOSEPH'S

HOLY THURSDAY & GOOD FRIDAY

6PM – MASS/LITURGY AT ST. JOSEPH'S

EASTER VIGIL

9PM – MASS AT ST. JOSEPH'S

PRAYERS

Our Lady of Sorrows, intercede for all the Sick & Suffering, especially: Bob & Dee Burns, Maurice Williams, Louis Gantnier, Nancy Thomason, Carol Badalucco, Carolyn Burns, Roseann Harris, Wayne Whipple, Kathy Weise, Maksim Rippe, Connie DiLillo, Ardith & Tom Coughlin, Pressie & Ted Raby, Arleen Newlon, Dennis Antalick, Ruth Ann Nilges, Barbara Hart, Tom Reidmiller, Ted Klug, Bill & Joan Sutherland, Iretta Wang, Kim Samson, John Ross, & Doris Kearns.

St. Joseph, Patron of a Happy Death, intercede for the Souls of all the Faithful Departed, especially: Phil Burns, Joseph Bushey, Robert Berlin, Virginia Treadway, Marie Antalick, Ruby Hornbuckle, John Arch, Trudy Klug, Alan Pickering, Nila Arroyo, Everett Wilmot, Marian Holley, Dr. Tom Krizek, Virginia Goodwyn, Jim Fogarty, Jerry Antalick, Carol Helsen, Ellen Klug, Christina Tucker, Chuck Brogan, Patricia Swan, & Jerry Newlon.

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: A

DAILY MASS READINGS

WEEKDAY YEAR: 1

Monday:	Lenten Feria	Dan 9:4-10	Ps 78:8-9, 11, 13	Luke 6:36-38
Tuesday:	Lenten Feria	Isa 1:10, 16-20	Ps 50:8-9, 16-17, 21, 23	Matt 23:1-12
Wednesday:	Lenten Feria	Jer 18:18-20	Ps 31:5-6, 14-16	Matt 20:17-28
Thursday:	Lenten Feria	Jer 17:5-10	Ps 1:1-4, 6	Luke 16:19-31
Friday:	St. Patrick, Bishop	Gen 37:3-4, 12-13, 17-28	Ps 105:16-21	Matt 21:33-43, 45-46
Saturday:	St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop & Doctor	Mic 7:14-15, 18-20	Ps 103:1-4, 9-12	Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

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

To arrange Mass intentions,
please call or email the office during the week.

SAINT JOSEPH'S MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

(03/11) **Saturday:** 5:00pm: Poor Souls in Purgatory
Sunday: 11:15am: Pro Populo
(For the people of the Parish)

Monday:**Tuesday:****Wednesday:****Thursday:****Friday:**

FR. SHAW AWAY FOR

PERSONAL TIME.

WILL RETURN TO LEAD

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE MISSION

(03/11) **Saturday:** 7:00pm: Fallen Away Catholics
Sunday: 9:00am: Betty Seccora
(requested by the
Catholic Daughters of the Americas)

CONFESSIONS

St. Joseph's: Every Saturday from 4:15pm-4:45pm
and available after each daily Mass.

CONTACTS & MINISTRIES**Parish Office:** (828) 488-6766**Parish Emergency Line:** (828) 736-5322

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Bobby Bonnette

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ST. JOSEPH'S THRIFT STORE

(828) 488-2266

Hours:

Wednesday-Friday: 10:00am-4:00pm

Saturday: 10:00am-1:00pm

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

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

Monday, March 13th @ 6:30pm

in St. Joseph's Parish Hall.

Any man who is interested in learn more about this great
Catholic organization, should speak with
Grand Knight Bobby Bonnette.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS***Sunday of the 2nd Week of Lent, March 12th:*****OLG 9:00am:** Reader: TBD;**SJ 11:15am:** Reader: K. Holt; Usher: S. Samson***Sunday of the 3rd Week of Lent, March 19th:*****OLG 9:00am:** Reader: G. Jarrett;**SJ 11:15am:** Reader: C. DiLillo; Usher: B. Bonnette**FELLOWSHIP****GOOD JOES****Upcoming Meeting: Next Spring**

The Good Joe's meet every 1st and 3rd week of the month. Meetings
are usually on Tuesdays at 11:30am, with Mass and then lunch. Any
man is welcome. Contact either Bob Burns (rjbrns213@gmail.com) or
Tom McCarty (TomWPB@aol.com) if you plan to attend so that we
can make sure that you are on the mailing list and have enough food.

SISTERS IN SPIRIT**Upcoming Meeting: March 13th, 2017**

Our parish's women group meets every month at St. Joseph's at
10:30am with Mass, followed by a light lunch & dessert served in the
parish hall. All women are invited to participate.

Contact Rita Turner at (828)488-4854 for more information.

Parish Council Meeting

On May 18th, 2017, the parish council will meet in the
Church Hall of St. Joseph's at 9:30am. All members of
the council are expected to be in attendance. Also,
Coordinators should submit reports beforehand.

Every Friday During Lent

10:30am – Mass followed by Adoration

12Noon – Benediction

6pm – Stations & Supper

Join us for prayer to help focus our minds & hearts
during this great season as we all prepare to celebrate
the Mysteries of our Salvation & Redemption!

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