



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



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GIVING

Last Weekend's Collection

St. Joseph's	Our Lady of Guadalupe
01/28: \$927.00	01/28: \$446.00

God bless & keep all our benefactors & volunteers!

**Parish DSA Goals for 2018 will be publish soon.
Let's have another great year and do our part to
help thousands of people throughout our Diocese
and beyond!**

Sunday of the 5th Week in Ordinary Time February 4th, 2018

Dear Parish Family,

I am pleased to announce that this December, there will be an opportunity for members of our parish to join me and two other priests on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land. The pilgrimage is being led by Mr. Christopher Cross, KHS (Knight of the Holy Sepulcher). This will be his 80th pilgrimage that he has led, so we are blessed to have someone as knowledgeable and experienced leading us. The sites that we will be

will include Bethlehem, Jerusalem, Nazareth, and many other sites connected to the life of Our Lord, the Blessed Mother, and our Faith. Please register either online or through the flyers that are available. For more information, visit:

www.catholicholyland.com/upcoming-trips/

Having been blessed to go on pilgrimage to the Holy Land before, I can affirm that has been no greater experience for adding depth to my understanding of the Sacred Scriptures and the teachings of the Faith than walking in the footsteps of Christ, himself!

~Fr. Shaw

~~~ Please bring old Palm branches so that they can be used for ashes on Ash Wednesday! ~~~

\*\*\* **The Bulletin Prayer Lists for the Sick & Departed will be cleared in 1 week.** \*\*\*  
Please contact Fr. Shaw with the names of the sick & departed that you'd like to have on the list.

## 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, & Mary Brogan.

**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, Donald Samson, LeWanda Myers, Phil Balin, Jack Canane, & Jim Smith.

**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: B

## DAILY MASS READINGS

WEEKDAY YEAR: 2

| SUNDAY YEAR: B |                                                    |                          |                         | WEEKDAY YEAR: 2 |
|----------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| Monday:        | St. Agatha, Virgin Martyr                          | 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13        | Ps 132:6-10             | Mark 6:53-56    |
| Tuesday:       | St. Paul Miki, Priest, & Companions, Martyrs       | 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30     | Ps 84:3-5, 10-11        | Mark 7:1-13     |
| Wednesday:     | Feria                                              | 1 Kgs 10:1-10            | Ps 37:5-6, 30-31, 39-40 | Mark 7:14-23    |
| Thursday:      | <i>St. Jerome Emiliani, Priest &amp; Confessor</i> | 1 Kgs 11:4-13            | Ps 106:3-4, 35-37, 40   | Mark 7:24-30    |
| Friday:        | Feria                                              | 1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19    | Ps 81:10-15             | Mark 7:31-37    |
| Saturday:      | St. Scholastica, Virgin Confessor                  | 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34 | Ps 106:6-7, 19-22       | Mark 8:1-10     |

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

To arrange Mass intentions, please contact the office during the week.

**SAINT JOSEPH'S MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS**

(02/03) Saturday: 5:00pm: Rev. Fr. Richard Benonis  
Sunday: 11:15am: Pro Populo  
(For the people of the Parish)  
Monday: 12:00pm: Rev. Fr. Becket Soule, OP, JCD  
Tuesday: 12:00pm: Rev. Fr. Tien Duong  
Wednesday: 6:00pm: Rev. Fr. George Byers, STL  
Thursday: 12:00pm: Rev. Fr. H. Alejandro Ayala  
Friday: 12:00pm: Rev. Fr. Francis X.  
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**OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE MISSION**

(02/03) Saturday: 7:00pm: Rev. Fr. Julio Dominguez  
Sunday: 9:00am: Rev. Fr. Casey Coleman

**CONFESSIONS**

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

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**ST. JOSEPH'S THRIFT STORE**

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**Hours:**

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

Saturday: 10:00am-1:00pm



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

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

**Monday, February 12<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30pm**

in St. Joseph's Parish Hall.

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS**

*Sunday of the 5<sup>th</sup> Week of Ordinary Time, February 4<sup>th</sup>:*

**OLG 9:00am:** Reader: H. Weichel;

**SJ 11:15am:** Reader: TBD; Usher: TBD

*Sunday of the 6<sup>th</sup> Week of Ordinary Time, February 11<sup>th</sup>:*

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

**SJ 11:15am:** Reader: TBD; Usher: TBD

**GOOD JOES**

**Upcoming Meeting: Recessed until Spring**

The Good Joe's meet every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> 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 (rbjbs213@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.

**Parish Council Meeting**

The next parish council meeting will be held on  
March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 9:30am

at

St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church  
in the church hall.

All members of the council are expected to be in  
attendance. Also, Coordinators should submit  
reports beforehand.

**New Women's Spirituality Group!**

Are you a woman seeking to understand more about the Faith?  
On **Tuesday evenings at 6 PM in the Church Hall**, the  
parish Woman's Spirituality Group meets.

**Next Meeting: February 6<sup>th</sup> will be a wrap-up Q&A on the  
Lectio: Prayer program.**

**Join us in our Spiritual Adoption program!**

Development of the Unborn Baby  
Fifth Month

Your baby weighs over 1 pound now. Her mother regularly  
feels little feet and elbows poking her. It seems when her  
mother is quiet and still that your little baby likes to stir things  
up! Your baby is developing her own sleeping habits as well as  
her fingernails and toenails. If she were to be born now, your  
baby would have a chance of surviving with lots of medical  
help. We are mid-way through the pregnancy now. Your  
prayers have helped your baby's mother continue with her  
pregnancy and seek the help she needs.

**!!! ANNUAL READERS & USHER TRAINING !!!**

Anyone who is interested in becoming a reader or usher and all those  
who are already assisting as readers & ushers are required to attend one  
of two training sessions for this year. They will be held at St. Joseph's  
after Mass on **Sunday, February 18<sup>th</sup>** and **Saturday, March 17<sup>th</sup>**.

**Please mark your calendars and plan on attending!**