SAINT JOSEPH PARISH

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The Fifth Sunday of Lent March 17, 2024

Mass Schedule

Sunday Mass: 5 PM (Saturday), 8 AM, and 10 AM **Daily Mass:** 8 AM Monday, Tuesday, Thursday,

Friday; 7 PM Wednesday

Holy Day of Obligation Mass: See bulletin

Eucharistic Adoration begins at 6 PM on Wednesdays and concludes with **Benediction** at 6:50 PM.

Confession Schedule

Sunday 7:45 AM and 9:45 AM Wednesday 6:00-6:45 PM Saturday 4:30 PM

Mass Intentions

16-Sat., 5 PM	John Kremer
17-Sun., 8 AM	People of the Parish
17-Sun., 10 AM	Richard Heck
18-Mon., 8 AM	The Kohls & Schindler
	Grandparents
19-Tues., 8 AM	Rev. Robert Reinke
20-Wed., 7 PM	Al & Rita Schultz
21-Thurs. 8 AM	Joanne C. Sosso
22-Fri., 8 AM	Marge Born
23-Sat., 5 PM	Albert Leick & Gertrude
	Leick
24-Sun., 8 AM	Ervin, Marge, & Myron
	Born
24-Sun., 10 AM	People of the Parish

To schedule a Mass intention for a person, living or deceased, or for some other intention, contact the parish office.

Administration and Staff

Pastor

Very Rev. Ryan L. Stenger, J.C.L., J.V.

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3-10-2024

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Parish Office Hours

Mondays & Tuesdays 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Sunday Collection

\$3,755.00

Upcoming Events		
Mar 17	St. Joseph Pancake Breakfast after 8	
	& 10 a.m. Masses	
Mar. 18	Stations of the Cross and	
	Confessions 7:30 p.m.	
Mar. 22	Lenten Fish Fry 4-7:30 p.m.	
Mar. 23	Walking with Purpose Informational	
	10 a.m.	
Mar. 23/24	Palm Sunday Masses, Sat. 5 p.m.,	
	Sun. 8 & 10 a.m.	

Parish News

This Sunday we enter into the part of Lent traditionally known as Passiontide. During these final days of Lent, the Church increasingly turns her attention to the approaching Passion and Death of Christ. For centuries, the Gospel reading for Mass on the 5th Sunday of Lent (known as Passion Sunday) was the account of Jesus' confrontation with the Pharisees in the Temple, in which He asserted His divinity and the crowd picked up stones to throw at Him (Jn 8: 46-59). This incident is now spread across the Gospel readings of the weekday Masses during the 5th Week of Lent, thus presenting the controversy surrounding Jesus' claim to be God as the source of the hostility that would lead eventually to the Cross. This passage from the Gospel concludes with the line: "So they took up stones to throw at Him; but Jesus hid Himself, and went out of the Temple" (Jn 8: 59). It was this hiding of Jesus that gave rise to the tradition of veiling the crosses and images of the Lord in churches throughout the final weeks of Lent. The images of the saints are also veiled during this time, since "a servant is not greater than his master" (Jn 13: 16). In this way, the Church enters more deeply into the Passion of the Lord, when His power and glory were in a sense veiled by the suffering and weakness He embraced on the Cross. But we go with Him to Calvary knowing that "on this mountain He will destroy the veil that veils all peoples, the web that is woven over all nations" (Is 25: 7). In His Resurrection, the glory of His divinity will shine through the veil of our humanity and the Cross will stand revealed as the Tree of Life. As we enter into these final days of Lent, let's unite ourselves all the more to the Lord's Cross, so that we may share all the more in the new life that He has won for us.

Fr. Stenger

Church Cleaning

Team Two: March 25 – April 7 Team Three: April 8 – April 21 Team One: April 22 – May 5

Upcoming VIRTUS Training

<u>Diocesan Curia, Bishop Howard Memorial</u> <u>Auditorium, Covington, Kentucky 41011</u>

- Tuesday, March 19th, 2024. 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM and 6:00 PM to 8:30 PM

The next VIRTUS bulletin will be posted on March 3^{rd} and is due on April 2^{nd} .

Pray for Those Who Protect Us

PFC Jared Allender, Staff Sgt. Dave Evans, GM1 Ricky Jimenez, SRA Emily Wagner, Staff Sgt. Nicholas Wagner, I CL Petty Officer T.J. Waters. Please pray for those who put themselves in harm's way each day to protect us, including armed service personnel, police, and firefighters.

Pray for the Sick and Homebound

Chris Arlinghaus, Janet Arlinghaus, Dolores Armstrong, Brooke Barganier, Kim Brun, Roy Carl, Doug and Ella Carmack, Flo Clair, Keegan Dietz, Joyce Dorgan, Judy Dornbusch, Kent Enzweiler, Jose Flores, Mike Futscher, Henry Glossner, Leigh Gorman, Billy Guthier, Melrose Guthier, Blake Hegner, Tammy Hess, Nathan Hessman, Chandra Huff, Shailynn Jones, Flo Kaffenberger, Garry Kaffenberger, Mary Kettenacker, Bernie Kohls, Betty Kohls, Helen Kremer, Kelli Kramer, Ken Kramer, Ed Kremer, Jim Kremer, Iva Leick, Dick Mader, Donna Maschinot, Wilma Maschinot, John Muench, Kairi Marie Mullins, Josh Penney, Adelyn Porter, Dominic Ramler, Lorrie Rawe, Rana Reckner, Linda Rupp, April Schack, Virginia Schadler, Dan Schalk, Casen Schrock, Vicki Steffen, Ella Stieby, Shirley Studer, Steve Tischner, Kevin Valentine, Pauline Wade, Larry Wagner, Joe Whitford, Julie Wientkes, Jim Wolfe, Candice Yelton, Bonnie Zanazzo

Holy Week Schedule

Palm Sunday (3/24): Mass at 5 p.m. (Sat.), 8 a.m.

and 10 a.m. (Sun.)

Monday (3/25): Stations at 7:30 p.m.,

followed by confessions

Holy Thursday (3/28):Mass at 7 p.m.

Good Friday (3/29): Liturgy at 3 p.m., followed by

confessions

Stations at 7:30 p.m.,

followed by confessions

Holy Saturday (3/30): Easter Vigil at 8:30 p.m.

Easter Sunday (3/31): Mass at 8 a.m. Mass at 10 a.m.

Mass Intentions

The parish office is in need of Mass intentions for some upcoming days. If you'd like to have a Mass offered for a special intention, please contact Lauren. The Mass is the most powerful prayer that we can offer for our loved ones, because it's the prayer of Christ Himself.

Walking with Purpose

Women of the Parish: Are you seeking authentic connections with other women? An opportunity to refuel and refresh while deepening your faith? Beginning Saturday, April 6th, we will be starting a brief but powerful 6-week Bible Study using content published by Walking with Purpose. Join us for coffee to learn more on Saturday, March 23rd at 10-11am in the Parish Office. Whether you are interested in participating in a reoccurring Women's Bible Study or an occasional Fellowship Event, please contact Sarah Willett at (859) 653-6330 to stay in the loop! A sign-up sheet is in the vestibule this weekend for those interested in joining!

Stations of the Cross and Confessions

The Stations of the Cross will be prayed in the church on every Monday of Lent beginning at 7:30 p.m. Confessions will be heard afterwards.

Lenten Fish Fry News

Thanks to all of you who made our fish fry a success last week! Our last fish fry will be this Friday from 4 to 7:30 p.m. You can help in several important ways:

WORK – We'll need our great volunteers to help in the kitchen, parking lot, and classrooms, by running food to customers, by answering phones and taking orders, and by cleaning up at the end of the night. All parishioners are welcome and new faces are always very welcome!

DESSERTS – People always love our homemade desserts, so please drop off those pies, cakes, and cookies that we're famous for!

SPREAD THE WORD – Be sure to invite your family, friends, neighbors, co-workers, classmates, and even strangers! One great way that you can do that is by liking and sharing the post on our parish Facebook page.

Thank you for all of your hard work and donations this year! We appreciate all of you making this fundraiser successful every year!

DPAA 2024

The 2024 Diocesan Parish Annual Appeal will begin this weekend, March 16-17. This year's theme is "Zeal for your house will consume me." (John 2:17) As blessed people who have been the recipients of God's love and mercy, we can share what we've been given. Christ's teachings point out that we, His followers, need to share our material blessings with others. Through a pledge to the DPAA, you have the opportunity to fulfill Christ's instructions. God bless you for your generosity!

Memorials for Easter Flowers

As we celebrate the Lord's Resurrection at Easter, we also remember our loved ones who have died in the hope of sharing that new life with Him. You are invited to use the envelope in your box or one of the envelopes in the back of the church, write the names of those you wish to remember, and make an offering that will be used to decorate the church with flowers during the Easter season. The names of those being remembered by these gifts will be printed in the Easter bulletin. Please return your memorial envelope to us by Sunday, March 24th.

Family Promise

Our next date to volunteer is March 26th. If you are available to help, please contact Ann Fay at annrfay@gmail.com.

Sewing Seeds Sewing Group

The Sewing Seeds Sewing Group will meet on Wednesday, March 20th, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the cafeteria. We will be working on baby blankets for CareNet. Come join us for service and fellowship. All are welcome!

St. Vincent de Paul Update

Thank you for donating to our SVdP conference this past month. Your monetary donation allows us to fulfill client requests for money to help cover their utility bills and is also used to purchase food to give to those in need.

We will continue to accept monetary donations, and this month, we are also requesting a few cleaning supplies as well. If you are able to donate laundry detergent, dish detergent, or toilet cleaner, it would be greatly appreciated. Please place these items in the baskets in the vestibule of church. For all monetary donations, please make your checks out to the parish. Thank you!

2024-2025 Pre-K Registration

St. Joseph Camp Springs Pre-K is now open for Registration for the 2024-2025 school year! Contact Lisa Roetting with questions or to register. Text or call 859-409-9185 or email LRoetting@saint-joseph-school.org.

Bishop Brossart High School News BBHS Night at The Honey Hole

On Saturday, April 6th, we rented out the downstairs area at Honey Hole in Alexandria for our mustang community! Grab your group, wear your favorite college gear, and come watch the games with us! All are welcome! Starts at 6:30 pm.

Mustang Mania

We are excited to announce that Mustang Mania will be held on Friday, April 12th from 6:30-8:00 pm in the school gym for all 6th and 7th grade students interested in BBHS! To register your child, please check your school's email communication for the provided link or at our BBHS FB page or

email Christie Schroder at cschroder@bishopbrossart.org.

BBHS Hall of Fame

We are now accepting applications for the Class of 2024 Hall of Fame Inductees and Team of Distinction. Forms can be located on the BBHS website: www.bishopbrossart.org/hall-of-fame. Application deadline is Friday, March 29th.

Other News

St. Philip Seniors and Friends

The March meeting be held on Monday, March 18, 2024, at noon in the St. Philip Parish Center. New faces are always welcome! If you want to join us this month, please contact Rose Chalk at RoseZac727@aol.com, or 859-240-4010.

Foster Parents Needed

As God the Father gave St. Joseph to be foster father of Jesus, God also gives him to us. He is our role model to care for the children in our community who desperately need a human foster father. He is our intercessor too, so please pray for youth in foster care and consider becoming a foster parent. Contact DCCH Center for Children and Families (859)331-2040 or DCCHCenter.org

