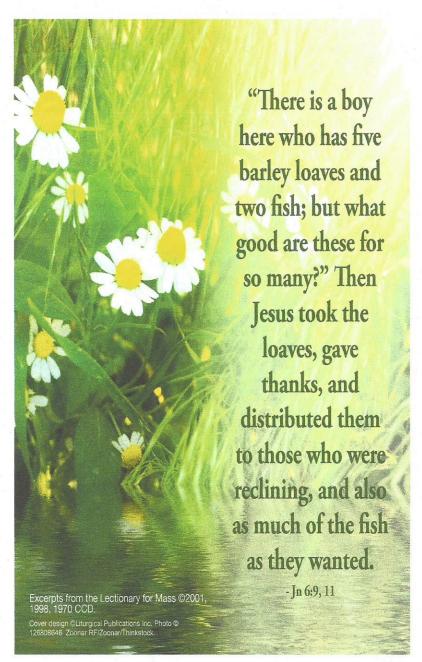
ST. JOSEPH AND ST. JOHN NEPOMUK CATHOLIC CHURCHES

RACINE, WISCONSIN · JULY 29, 2018



LEGACY GIFT

Please remember St. Joseph Church or St. John Nepomuk Church in your estate planning. Thank you.

PASTORAL STAFF

Fr. Steven K. Varghese, SAC, Pastor
Leslie Gain, Administrative Assistant - SJN
Dan O'Connell, Director of Faith Formation - SJ and SJN
Benjamin Horvat, Director of Music and Liturgy - SJ and SJN
David Kirkpatrick, Accompanist/Organist - SJN
Emily Berg, St. Joseph School Principal
Michael Reth, Business Manager - SJ
Deanne Koleske, Parish Secretary - SJ
Jeanmarie Diehn, St. Joseph School Secretary
Mary Lee Odders, Bulletin Editor - SJ
Russ Blaha and Latasha High, Maintenance - SJN
Thomas Quiroz and Latasha High, Maintenance - SJN

MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday and Thursday, 8 a.m. - SJN Wednesday and Friday, 8 a.m. - SJ Saturday Mass of Anticipation, 4 p.m. - SJN Saturday Mass of Anticipation, 5:15 p.m. - SJ Sunday, 8:30 a.m. - SJ 9:45 a.m. - SJN

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Anytime by appointment or Saturday, 3-3:45 p.m. - SJN

TRUSTEES

Jim Tresemer - SJN John Gates - SJ Suzanne Yde - SJN Pete Koleske - SJ

PASTORAL COUNCIL

Brian O'Connell, Chair

CONTACT INFORMATION

St. John Nepomuk Church; 1903 Green Street; Racine, WI Parish Office phone: 262-634-5647 and fax: 262-634-1436

e-mail: stjohnnepomuk@wi.rr.com

Office business hours: Monday and Thursday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday, 8 a.m.-noon; Friday, closed Office/Mailing: 700 English Street; Racine, WI 53402-4799

St. Joseph Church; 1533 Erie Street; Racine, WI

Parish Office phone: 262-633-8284 and fax: 262-633-8285 e-mail: info@st-joes.org website: st-joes.org

Office business hours: Monday-Thursday, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Friday, closed in the summer

Office/Mailing: 1532 N. Wisconsin Street; Racine, WI 53402-4805 School Office phone: 262-633-2403 and fax: 262-633-4423

website: st-joes-school.org Preschool: 262-633-0112

School Office: 1525 Erie Street; Racine, WI 53402-4830

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION INFORMATION

Registration and calendar: triparish.psrenroll.com Dan O'Connell: 630-965-9142 or oconnelld@archmil.org To report a Religious Education class absence, please call Dan O'Connell at 630-965-9142.



Join us on Facebook at St. Joseph Parish Racine to access archived bulletins and more.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, JULY 30 St. Peter Chrysologus

Jer 13:1-11/Dt 32:18-19, 20, 21 [cf. 18a]/Mt 13:31-35

8 a.m. NO Mass or Communion Service

TUESDAY, JULY 31 St. Ignatius of Loyola / Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions

Jer 14:17-22/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 [9]/Mt 13:36-43

8 a.m. - SJN + Alex and Mae Muleski

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1 St. Alphonsus Liguori Jer 15:10, 16-21/Ps 59:2-3, 4, 10-11, 17, 18 [17d]/ Mt 13:44-46

8 a.m. - SJ + Lois Kolb

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2 St. Eusebius of Vercelli / St. Peter Julian Eymard

Jer 18:1-6/Ps 146:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab [5a]/Mt 13:47-53 8 a.m. - SJN + Elaine, Patrick, James and William H. Bie Jr. + Elinore Houch

FRIDAY, AUGUST 3 Anointing of the Sick Jer 26:1-9/Ps 69:5, 8-10, 14 [14c]/Mt 13:54-58

8 a.m. - SJ + Caroline Wemmert

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4 St. John Vianney Jer 26:11-16, 24/Ps 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34 [14c]/

Mt 14:1-12

8 a.m. - SJ NO Mass or Communion Service MASS OF ANTICIPATION

Ex 16:2-4, 12-15/Ps 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54 [24b]/Eph 4:17, 20-24/Jn 6:24-35

4 p.m. - SJN - The Lorenzini and Orienti Families

5:15 p.m. - SJ + Mike Harrington

 Living and Deceased Members of St. Joseph Parish

SUNDAY, AUGUST 5 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 a.m. - SJ + Wayne and Carol Obernberger

9:45 a.m. - SJN + Caroline Schneider

 Living and Deceased Members of St. John Nepomuk Parish

Key: SJ - St. Joseph Parish

SJN - St. John Nepomuk Parish



ST. JOHN NEPOMUK PARISH'S SANCTUARY CANDLE:
As we adore Christ in the Blessed Sacrament,
please remember in faith,

FRANK AND ANNA BENICEK.

The St. Joseph Parish 2019 calendar for Mass Intentions is open. A Mass stipend is \$10. Please visit or call the Parish Office at 633-8284 with your requested dates.

Dear Parishioners,

Jesus' withdrawals into the wilderness were probably intended to provide periods of rest and reflection for Jesus and his disciples. When he saw the large crowd of people who had pursued him around the Sea on foot, his immediate reaction was one of deep compassion. The miracle of the feeding of the 5,000 is found in all four Gospels, although the contexts and emphases vary. This is the only miracle, other than the Resurrection, that is told in all the Gospels, a fact that speaks of its importance to the early Church.

This miracle was associated with the Holy Eucharist early in the Church's tradition. The people immediately interpreted the miracle, giving Jesus two Messianic titles: "the prophet" and "the one who is to come." This miracle teaches us that God works marvels through ordinary people. Elisha's servant and Jesus' disciples distributed the bread provided by God through generous people who were willing to share their food with the hungry. Thus, God meets the needs of people through the good will and services provided by members of His community.

On this Mission Appeal Sunday, we welcome Brother Raymond Papenfuss from the Brothers of Holy Cross. He will speak to us about their work and ministry. If you would like to donate to their work, you can do so using the Missionary Cooperation Plan envelopes in the pews during the second collection. If donating by check, please make your check payable to St. Joseph or St. John parishes and put "MCP" in the memo line. Thus, let us share "our bread" with the needy.

Peace and joy,

Fr. Steve

...from 5 loaves and 2 fish, all ate and were filled.

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Year-to-date balance:

Festival donations:

Concerned about the priest shortage? Your gift to the Catholic Stewardship Appeal helps form future priests who will proclaim Christ and strengthen the faith of many thousands through the sacramental life of the Church and decades of service. There are 56 men in formation at Saint Francis de Sales Seminary. Donation envelopes are on the ushers' tables at the back of church.

Theology on Tap. Mass. Craft brews. Catholic Theology. July 31 - Bishop Haines

> 7 p.m. Mass followed by mingling 8 p.m. Theological Reflection from Bishop Free for Adults ages 20s + 30s Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist Atrium



GO, GO JONAH! Wanted: Kids ages 5-13 years old

to perform this summer musical

We need kids to act, sing, make props, and work as tech and stage crew. Rehearsals will focus on learning the musical, games, snacks, and Bible studies focusing on the Book of Jonah. Rehearsals at St. Paul the Apostle Church are 9 a.m.noon: July 30-August 3, August 8-10, and August 13-17.

Cost: \$15 per child. Registration forms are at the back of the church or the parish office. Contact Dan O'Connell at 630-965-9142 or Julie VanMatre, j vanmatre@yahoo.com. Performances: Saturday, August 18, 7 p.m., at St. Paul the Apostle Church and Sunday, August 19, 2 p.m., at St. Joseph Church. Free-will offering.

Women AND men, the Magnificat Kenosha-Racine chapter hosts Fr. Marty Pable, OFM Cap. as guest speaker at their breakfast Saturday, August 11, 9 a.m.-noon at Infusino's Banquet Hall. Father will share his experience of living with Fr. Solanus Casey, declared Blessed by Pope Francis in November 2017, who was a simple friar endowed by God with wonderful powers of healing.

Fr. Marty conducts retreats, workshops and continuing education programs around the country. He presently resides at St. Francis of Assisi Parish in Milwaukee, where he serves as spiritual director for priests, religious and lay people. He has written ten books. His most recent books are Prayer, A Practical Guide and Remaining Catholic: Six Good Reasons for Staying in an Imperfect Church. He has published many Catholic magazine articles.

Tickets: \$12. To order, please send a check payable to Magnificat Kenosha by August 6 with a self-addressed envelope mailing to Nancy York, 7120 20th Ave., Kenosha, WI 53143 or call Rose Nelson at 262-654-7287.

Our advertiser dollars pay for our bulletin. Thank them when you patronize their business. Advertiser of the Week: Racine Tire and Auto Service; 5048 Douglas Avenue; 639-8881 or 1-800-499-2050; over 2,000 tires in stock. Jeff Grau.

The bulletin article deadline is noon Monday, July 30, for the August 5 bulletin. Send written items to the Parish Office or info@st-joes.org. Bulletins/inserts are archived at st-joes.org; on Facebook at St. Joseph Parish Racine.

For the Sacrament of the Sick/Communion for the Sick, please call your Parish Office, when a parishioner is unable to attend church due to age, prolonged illness or any upcoming hospitalization. Please call St. John Parish Office at 634-5647 or St. Joseph Parish Office at 633-8284.

If you wish to have Father visit your hospitalized loved one, please call your Parish Office with your request. The hospital does not notify us of a parishioner admission.

Join Archbishop Listecki in praying for peace and the family on his 8 p.m. daily rosary program on 100.1-FM.



FAITH FORMATION You are needed! Be a young adult volunteer. Lead one of our Youth Faith Groups or teach one of our elementary school religious education class.

Youth Faith Groups are each led by a youth leader. You would mentor this young person and help the other faith group members grow in their faith. Training sessions will be starting in August. We are also looking for three additional volunteers to teach our elementary school students.

Is God calling you to this exciting work? Do you care about young people? Are you willing to share your faith? Then it is time for you to step forward. Please contact Dan O'Connell at oconnelld@archmil.org or 630-965-9142. Our young people are waiting for you.

Religious Education registration for the 2018-'19 school year has begun. Register online at triparish.psrenroll.com. The registration fee is \$70 per student with a maximum of \$200 per family. First Communion candidates (grade 2) and Confirmation candidates (grade 11) pay an additional \$20 materials. Fee waivers are available.



The Food Pantry's most needed items include boxed mac and cheese, canned meat, cereal, canned pasta, boxed or bagged mashed potatoes, lg. peanut butter, boxed spaghetti and saltines.

Substitute volunteers are needed. You will be trained and can accept or decline when a Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday sub is needed. Please call Linda Meredith (SJ), 456-6035, or John Brashaw (SJN), 639-7919, to volunteer. Please send donation checks for St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry to St. Vincent de Paul Society (please write Food Pantry on the check's memo line); P.O. Box 44195; Racine, WI 53404. Thank you.



Please remember in your prayers our men and women in the uniformed services, especially those serving in the Middle East. We beg your protection and guidance for them, O Lord.

WE, THE PEOPLE OF ST. JOSEPH PARISH, RACINE, WISCONSIN, believe the Church is the Living Body of Christ, in which we all share responsibility. As the unit of God's Family which fulfills this universal mission of the Church within our community, this parish unites in a spirit of stewardship to offer our time, talents and treasure to foster Catholic Education, and to care for the spiritual, intellectual, moral, and temporal needs of parish members.

Liturgical Roles for August 4 and 5

ACOLYTES

Saturday 5:15 p.m. Caden Fraley

Gus Weiss (Cross)

Sunday 8:30 a.m. Aliah Ramirez and Emily Ramirez

Alma Herrmann (Cross)

LECTORS

Saturday 5:15 p.m. John Sardino

Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mike Iggulden

CANTORS

Saturday 5:15 p.m. Kelsey Fraley

Sunday 8:30 a.m. Joe Czosnek

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION CIBORIUM

Saturday 5:15 p.m. Diana Weiss and Mona Swan

Sunday 8:30 a.m. Pat Carbonneau and Wally Goebel

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION CHALICE

Saturday 5:15 p.m. Nat Cycenas and John Nielsen

Sunday 8:30 a.m. Sandy Lindstrom and Kathy Swiatek

Please direct private prayer requests to the St. Joseph Prayer Chain Team by calling Lorraine Caspers, 639-1070.



In Need of Prayer

Please pray for the sick and homebound of our parish:

Cathy

Please pray for the following parishioners in nursing facilities and hospitals:

Save the Date! Our Tri-Church Gathering celebrating National Night Out is Tuesday, August 7, from 4-8 p.m. with St. John Lutheran and New Life Christian Fellowship churches and our local neighbors. Please bring a dish to pass for the block party picnic and enjoy the fellowship.

Dear St. Joseph Parishioners:

I'm pleased to report that our **2018 Catholic Stewardship Appeal** is going well. To date, 80% of our \$7.7 million goal has been achieved. One can never say thank you enough.

As of July 9, St. Joseph Parish has contributed 69.46% of its \$23,000 goal, with 87 donors participating. God bless you! Yours in Christ,

Rob Bohlmann, CFRE, Appeal Director

This Week in Our St. Joseph Parish Family

SUNDAY, JULY 29

8 a.m. - Rosary: Church

At 8:30 a.m. Mass - Mission Appeal: Church

7 p.m. - A.A. meeting: MSMH

SUNDAY, JULY 30

8 a.m. - Rosary: Church

7 p.m. - A.A. meeting: MSMH

MONDAY, JULY 31

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1

After 8 a.m. Mass - Mo. of Perpetual Help Devotions: St. John

4:30 p.m. - Rosary: Church

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2 THURSDAY, AUGUST 3

After 8 a.m. Mass - Cenacles of Life Prayer Grp.: St. John Chapel

NO All Committee's Meeting Night

FRIDAY, AUGUST 4

Parish Office closed during summer hours

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5

6:45-7:45 a.m. - Men's Faith/Bible-sharing Grp.: Parish Center

4:45 p.m. - Rosary: Church

SUNDAY, AUGUST 6

8 a.m. - Rosary: Church

8:30 a.m. Mass

7 p.m. - A.A. meeting: MSMH

AUGUST ALTAR LINEN: Lorraine Caspers

SANCTUARY LADIES: Friday, August 3—Mary Anderson,

Gayle Letsch, Sue Liapis, and Carol Vena

COLLECTION TELLERS: August 4/5—

Debbie Blaustein and Pat Mielke

BANNS OF MARRIAGE:

I - Veronica Escalona and Connor Leipold

GO, GO JONAH!

A kid's summer musical - August 18/19

Wanted: Volunteers to help with snacks, prop making, tech crew, publicity, and "crowd control" especially

on Monday, July 30, the first day. Rehearsals are at St. Paul the Apostle Church for the three-week program, Monday-Friday from 9 a.m.-noon: July 30-August 3, August 8-August 10, and August 13-August 17. Grade 8 and older youth are

encouraged to volunteer. Direct questions to: Dan O'Connell, 630-965-9142 or oconnelld@archmil.org

Julie VanMatre, 637-6070 or j_vanmatre@yahoo.com Amy Wallschlaeger, 886-0530 / awallschlaeger@stpaulracine.org

St. Joseph Sanctuary Ladies are in need of additional members for light cleaning duties in church. Teams work Friday and Saturday morning for about an hour on a rotating schedule once every six weeks. Please call Rosa Flegel, 681-1539.



WE, THE PARISH FAMILY OF ST. JOHN NEPOMUK CHURCH OF RACINE, WISCONSIN, believers in God and living members of the Body of Christ, through prayer and worship, will strive: to make good use of our gifts of time, talent and treasure and to pray for growth of our parish family and all people of God: to be open to the direction of the Holy Spirit by reaching out to all members of the community in a friendly and welcoming manner; to challenge all parishioners to become involved in the life of the parish, thus making St. John's a vibrant Christian community.

Liturgical Roles for August 4 and 5

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Sunday

Marcelo Sosa

9:45 a.m.

Madeline Yde

LECTORS

Saturday 4:00 p.m.

Margaret Jeske

Sunday 9:45 a.m. Maureen Biarnesen also Sacristan

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION PLATE

Saturday 4:00 p.m.

Lauri Buchaklian

9:45 a.m. Sunday

Alicia Stiles

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION **CUP**

Saturday 4:00 p.m.

Peter Sisak and Judy Sisak also

Sacristan

Sunday 9:45 a.m. Norbert DeKeuster and

Deb Schuebel

Our Building and Grounds project update shows that this week we have received Green envelopes totaling \$0.00. Todate total is \$6,367.35. Please continue to use the monthly Green envelopes for our parish repairs.

Here is our 2018 Catholic Stewardship Appeal update. Our parish goal is \$9,000. To date 60.17% of our goal has been reached totaling \$5,415. Only 27.03% of our parishioners have contributed to date.

Additional Festival Sponsor

Maresh-Meredith & Acklam Funeral Home

Your generosity is much appreciated!

Moving? Please remember to call the parish office with your address, phone number or email address changes. Thank you.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR 2018 RAFFLE WINNERS

Sunday, July 15 -

Kristy Behringer #417 \$50

Monday, July 16 -

Mary and Harold Davitz

#420 \$25

Tuesday, July 17 -

Jim and Sherry McClure

#715 \$25

Wednesday, July 18 -

Mark Madsen

#300

Thursday, July 19 -

\$25 Robin Anderson

#924 \$25

Friday, July 20 -

Elijah Davis #803 \$25

Saturday, July 21 -

Steve Rydzik

#81

\$25

This Week in Our St. John Nepomuk Parish Family

MONDAY, JULY 30

8 a.m. - Bulletin article deadline: Parish Office

TUESDAY, JULY 31

After 8 a.m. Mass - Mo. of Perpetual Help Devotions: Church

Noon - Parish Office closes

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2

8:30 a.m. - Cenacles of Life Prayer Group: Small chapel

FRIDAY, AUGUST 3

Parish Office closed

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4

SUNDAY, AUGUST 5

7 p.m. - A.A. meeting: St. Joseph School cafeteria



Our Sanctuary Candle burns this week in memory of Frank and Anna Benicek.

We have Sanctuary Candle openings available. The stipend is \$7. Please call the Parish Office at 634-5647 if interested.

We still have Masses intentions available for 2018. Please call Leslie at the Parish Office at 634-5647.



Plans are being made for our parish participation in the annual "National Night Out" Tuesday, August 7, from 4-7 p.m., bringing neighbors together to fight crime. We

will have a Magic Show this year as well as kids' games.

If you are physically able to help, pleases contact Kathy Cook at 260-8027. Donated cookies or Rice Krispies treats or donations to defray the cost of the food are most appreciated.

Help is especially needed with set up and take down of tables and cleanup. If you can come to help set up, please be on the grounds by 3:30 p.m.

Please note: In addition to the items on the Go, Go Jonah! "wish list" collection boxes at the church entrances, monetary donations would be much appreciated. Envelopes marked Go, Go Jonah! can be turned in at the Parish Office or placed in the collection basket.

Please patronize our Scrip Program. The profit from Scrip purchases helps the parish with expenses. Certificates make great gift ideas and can be used for movies, restaurants, gas, groceries, and prescription drugs.



Siena Goes Live We're official!

As of July 1, our six schools formally became Siena Catholic Schools of Racine. We welcome onboard a team of over 135 teachers and staff across our school campuses at John Paul II Academy, Our Lady of Grace Academy, St. Catherine's Middle and High, St. Joseph, St. Lucy and St. Rita. We also welcome over 1650 students and their families to the 2018-19 school year. We look forward to working together to make the year ahead the best.

We thank the countless hours of dedicated service by our Board of Directors, Board of Trustees, members of our committees, volunteers, and staff who helped us over the past year prepare for bringing Siena Catholic Schools to life. Your dedicated service and commitment have enabled us to successfully onboard our employees and transition our schools in a positive manner.

Taher Joins the Team

Siena Catholic Schools is proud to partner with Taher, Inc. as our food service management company for the 2018-19 school year. Taher will work with our food service personnel at each of our school sites to provide healthy and nutritious breakfast, lunch, and after school snack programs beginning in the fall. Taher is the largest K-12 food service management company in Wisconsin and has built their reputation on a "chef-based food service program" with a focus on preparing meals at least 60% from scratch with fresh ingredients and priced affordably.

Exemplary Service

We ask all members of the Racine Catholic Community, and especially the parishioners Saint Lucy of St. Lucy Parish, to join us in Catholic Parish School recognizing Rudee Koepke on her retirement. She has faithfully served St. Lucy Catholic Parish School and the broader community as teacher and principal for more than forty years demonstrating leadership, dedication and hard work. We are deeply

"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come:
The old has gone, the new is here!"

2 Corinthians 5:17

Honoring our Board Members

Six outstanding new members officially join the Siena Board of Directors this month. We are thrilled to welcome the following new board members:

appreciative.

- Arthel Howell, City of Racine Chief of Police
- Stephen Hrpcek, Retired IT Solutions and Services Professional from SC Johnson
- Robert Miller, Racine County Board Supervisor and retired principal/educator
- Kelly Mould, Attorney and VP Wealth Fiduciary Advisor at Johnson Financial Group
- Linda Pulice, Racine social worker and St. Catherine High School Board Treasurer
- Nola Starling-Ratliff, Jefferson Lighthouse Interim Principal and former Horlick High School principal