

ST. JOSEPH AND ST. JOHN NEPOMUK CATHOLIC CHURCHES

RACINE, WISCONSIN · NOVEMBER 10, 2019



BE STILL,

AND KNOW THAT
I AM GOD.

PSALM 46:10

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PASTORAL STAFF

Fr. Steven K. Varghese, SAC, Pastor
Deacon Douglas Gundlach - SJ
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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
10:30 a.m. - SJ

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 hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 8 a.m.-noon;

Thursday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.; 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 hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Office/Mailing: 1532 N. Wisconsin Street; Racine, WI 53402-4805

Faith Formation Office: 262-633-9005

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: st-joes.org or 262-633-9005

Registration questions: 262-633-9005


Faith Formation class absences: 262-633-9005

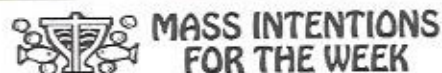
LEGACY GIFT

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

CATHOLIC CEMETERY ASSOCIATION OF RACINE

Please call their office, 639-1071, or visit racinecemeteries.org

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


**MASS INTENTIONS
FOR THE WEEK**

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11 St. Martin of Tours /
Wis 1:1-7/Ps 139:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8, 9-10 Veterans Day
[24b]/Lk 17:1-6

8 a.m. **NO Mass**

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12 St. Josaphat /
Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions

Wis 2:23—3:9/Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19 [2a]/Lk 17:7-10

8 a.m. - **SJN** + John M. Gross and
Leo Vanderheyden
+ Jennifer Dickert

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13 St. Frances
Xavier Cabrini / Eucharistic Adoration

Wis 6:1-11/Ps 82:3-4, 6-7 [8a]/Lk 17:11-19

* 8 a.m. - **SJ** + Margaret and Al Markus

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14

Wis 7:22b—8:1/Ps 119:89, 90, 91, 130, 135, 175

[89a]/Lk 17:20-25

8 a.m. - **SJN** + George Sura

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15 St. Albert the Great

Wis 13:1-9/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5ab [2a]/Lk 17:26-37

8 a.m. - **SJ** + Patricia Dickert

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16 St. Margaret of
Scotland / St. Gertrude

Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/

Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43 [5a]/Lk 18:1-8

8 a.m. - **SJ** - **NO Mass** or Communion Service

MASS OF ANTICIPATION

Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9 [cf. 9]/2 Thes 3:7-12/
Lk 21:5-19

4 p.m. - **SJN** - The living and deceased members
of Christian Mothers and Altar Society

5:15 p.m. - **SJ** + Don Christensen

- The living and deceased members
of St. Joseph Parish

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17 33rd Sunday in
Ordinary Time / Children's Family Mass

8:30 a.m. - **SJ** - The living and deceased members
of the Peter George Family

9:45 a.m. - **SJN** + Lois and LeRoy Dahlen
- The living and deceased members
of St. John Nepomuk Parish

10:30 a.m. - **SJ** - The living and deceased members
of the Lavin and Bosch Families

Key: **SJ** - St. Joseph Parish **SJN** - St. John Nepomuk

* Mass with St. Joseph School students

Dear Parishioners,

In today's gospel, Jesus ingeniously escapes from a doctrinal trap set for him and explains the doctrine of the resurrection of the dead, supported by the Pharisees and denied by the Sadducees. Jesus speaks of God as the God of the living and declares that heavenly life with God in glory is totally different from earthly life, explaining that there is no marriage in heaven in the earthly sense.

According to the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, our belief in the resurrection is based upon a faith-relationship with God as Creator. "God revealed the resurrection of the dead to His people progressively" (CCC #992). Resurrection is implied in the earlier books of the Old Testament and becomes clearer in the New Testament. The whole of Christian theology is based on the belief in our resurrection and everlasting life of reward or punishment.

The Scripture readings invite us to consider the true meaning of the Resurrection in our lives. This means we are not to lie buried in the tomb of our sins and evil habits. Instead, we are to live joyful and peaceful lives, constantly experiencing the real Presence of the Risen Lord who gives us the assurance that our bodies also will be raised. In addition, the hope of our resurrection and eternal life with God gives us lasting peace and celestial joy amid the boredom and tension of our day-to-day lives. Let us live as people of resurrection.

Peace and joy,

Fr. Steve

St. John Nepomuk Parish

November 1/2/3 collections: \$ 3,817.75

Amount budgeted per week: \$ 2,403.85

Year-to-date budget: \$ 43,269.30

Year-to-date given: \$ 40,903.33

Year-to-date balance: \$ -2,365.97

St. Joseph Parish

Weekly collection income: \$ 7,317.50

Nov. 1/2/3 collections: \$ 6,789.50

Church Renovation: \$ 210.00

Energy Costs: \$ 318.00

Weekly budget requirement: \$ 9,100.00

Difference for the week: \$ -1,782.50

Year-to-date budget: \$ 172,900.00

Year-to-date given: \$ 108,253.75

Year-to-date balance: \$ -64,646.25

Thanksgiving needy baskets: \$ 850.00

Christmas needy baskets: \$ 520.00

ST. JOHN NEPOMUK PARISH'S SANCTUARY

LAMP: As we adore Christ in the Blessed Sacrament,
please remember in faith, **MATT J. SISAK.**

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

Throughout the year, we will be continuing to offer to memorialize living and deceased loved ones with a book plate stamped on the inside cover of the new hardcover *Glory & Praise* hymnals and personalized with your loved one's name. Order forms are on the ushers' table and entrance tables. For a cost of \$25 per book, this lasting tribute within a hymnal will be donated to your parish. Please note that this \$25 donation per name is not part of your church contributions. **Please use additional order forms, if you wish to order more than three book plates.** Please call your Parish Office with questions or to have an order form mailed to you.



Mittenless kids need our help again during the cold weather. **The Mitten Basket** is on the ushers' table in the back of St. Joseph's.

Creative Hands meets at St. Joseph's Parish Center on first and third Mondays, 1-3 p.m. Next on **Nov. 11**.



Eucharistic Adoration follows 8 a.m. Mass at St. Joseph Parish on Wednesday, **November 13**, and closes with a 2:30 p.m. Benediction.

Join the **Closing Mass** celebrating our archdiocesan **175th anniversary** year on Sunday, **November 24**, at 11 a.m. at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist in Milwaukee with a reception to follow. Questions: Jenni Oliva at olivaj@archmil.org or 414-769-3585. **All are invited to join the Closing Bells** in thanksgiving for the 175th Anniversary year of the Archdiocese of Milwaukee on Thanksgiving Day, **November 28**, by ringing bells for one minute beginning at 10 a.m., praying for the continued growth of our archdiocese, your parish, and school communities.



The Food Pantry's most needed items are canned fruit, non-condensed soup, Chef-boy-ar-dee products (no spaghetti), cereal, tuna, canned meat, dried potatoes and toilet paper. **IMPORTANT! ST. JOHN NEPOMUK IS IN NEED OF A REPRESENTATIVE!** Some computer knowledge is needed to prepare and send schedules to the SJN volunteers. SJN also needs volunteers to work **ONCE A MONTH** on Wednesdays from 11:15 a.m.-1 p.m. and Thursdays from 9:45-11 a.m. Please call Linda Meredith at 262-456-6035. Donation checks can be placed in the church collection or sent to St. Vincent de Paul Society; P.O. Box 44195; Racine WI 53404-7004.

The **bulletin article deadline** is noon Monday, November 11, for the November 17 bulletin. Send written items to the Parish Office or info@st-joes.org. **Bulletins and inserts are archived at st-joes.org**; on Facebook at St. Joseph Parish Racine.

For the Sacrament of the Sick and Communion for the Sick when a parishioner is unable to attend church due to age, prolonged illness, or 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 parishioner admissions.

St. Joseph Parish's 2020 Mass Intention Calendar is now open. A Mass stipend is \$10. Please call the Parish Office, 633-8284, or visit the Parish Office to arrange dates for Mass intentions.

You are invited to "Married Couples: Living Together The Four Pillars of the Catholic Catechism," a Redemptorist retreat, February 14-16 with daily Eucharist, conferences, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and plenty of free time for prayer, discussion and relaxation with your spouse. Cost: \$365 per couple includes room, board and materials. Register: 262-567-6900 or email rrc@redemptoristretreat.org.

Prayer Shawls are given to someone in need of comfort and blessing due to illness or trying times. Fr. Steve blesses each shawl for the intention of the recipient. If someone you know needs a shawl, please call St. Joseph's Parish Office, 633-8284. Prayer Shawls are not sold but given with love and prayers.



Remembrance Wreaths are available for purchase from the Racine Catholic Cemeteries Association. The 24" wreaths are delivered from northern Wisconsin ready to be installed on a tri-pod stand, starting November 25. The wreaths will be placed as ordered at Calvary, Holy Cross, Holy Family, and Old Holy Cross cemeteries. Cost: \$30. To order, call their office at 639-1071.

Our advertiser dollars pay for our bulletin. Thank them when you patronize their business. Advertiser of the Week: **Buca's Bar & Grill**; 4234 Douglas Avenue; 639-4627. Monday-Sunday, 9 a.m.-2 a.m.



Please remember in your prayers our men and women in 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 November 16 and 17

ACOLYTES

Saturday 5:15 p.m. Gus Weiss (Cross),
Quinn Weiss
Sunday 8:30 a.m. Philip Weiglein (Cross),
Clara Miller
10:30 a.m. Chandler Rorek (Cross),
Christian Cervantes

LECTORS

Saturday 5:15 p.m. Mary Lee Odders
Sunday 8:30 a.m. Kristin Gibson
10:30 a.m. John Sardino

CANTORS

Saturday 5:15 p.m. Rosa Flegel
Sunday 8:30 a.m. Michael Lofy
10:30 a.m. Family Mass

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF

HOLY COMMUNION - CIBORIUM

Saturday 5:15 p.m. Deacon Doug
Sunday 8:30 a.m. Deacon Doug
10:30 a.m. Harold Von De Bur

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF

HOLY COMMUNION - CHALICE

Saturday 5:15 p.m. Mona Swan and Diana Weiss
Sunday 8:30 a.m. Genie Bosch and Wally Goebel
10:30 a.m. Tim Richardson, Pat Carbonneau

Please direct private prayer requests to St. Joseph Prayer Chain team. Call Lorraine Caspers, 639-1070.



Help a needy family for Thanksgiving by "adopting" a family with a gift of \$35. Make checks payable to St. Joseph Parish with "Needy Family" on the memo line and return in the collection basket by **Sunday, November 17**.

St. John Nepomuk's 2020 Calendar Raffle calendars are available in St. Joseph and St. John Parish Offices until December 31, 2019. The \$25 cost has 365 chances, as winners' names are re-entered. Prizes: Monday-Saturday—\$25; Sunday—\$50; July 4th, Thanksgiving, New Year's Day—\$100; and Christmas—\$500



We are now into month 3 of our Spiritually adopted babies' development. Please read the poster at the back of church to see some what baby can do at this age.
The Human Concerns Group

This Week in Our St. Joseph Parish Family

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10

8 a.m. and 10 a.m. - Rosary: Church
9:45-11:15 a.m. - Religious Ed. class, gr. 7-11: Parish Ctr.
7 p.m. - A.A. meeting: MSMH

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11

1 p.m. - Creative Hands: Parish Center
3-7 p.m. - Youth Center: Parish Center, 2nd floor

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12

4:30 p.m. - Rosary: Church
6 p.m. - H & S Auction Committee meeting: Art Room
6-9 p.m. - Church Dartball League games: MSMH
6:30-8 p.m. - RCIA class: Parish Center

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13

After 8 a.m. Mass - Eucharistic Adoration: Church
2:30 p.m. - Benediction closing Adoration: Church
3-4 p.m. - Girl Scouts meeting: MSMH
4-8 p.m. - Concordia University class: Gr. 7 classroom
6 p.m. - Athletic Parent Policy meeting: MSMH
6-7:15 p.m. - Religious Ed. classes, gr. 6-10: St. Joseph
6-7:30 p.m. - Religious Ed. classes, gr. 11: St. Joseph
6:15-7:15 p.m. - Religious Ed. classes, gr. 1-5: St. John

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14

8:30 a.m. - Cenacles of Life Prayer Grp.: St. John Chapel
6 p.m. - Finance Council meeting: Parish Center
7-8:30 p.m. - Choir rehearsal: Church

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15

12:30-2:30 p.m. - *Book of Psalms* Bible Study: St. John Parish Center
6:30 p.m. - Trivia Night, gr. 8 fundraiser: MSMH
6:30-8 p.m. - Youth Center Ice Cream Social Night: Parish Center, 2nd floor

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16

6:45-7:45 a.m. - Men's Faith/Bible Group: Parish Center
4:45 p.m. - Rosary: Church
SVdP Food Pantry non-perishables collection

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17

8 a.m. and 10 a.m. - Rosary: Church
SVdP Food Pantry non-perishables collection
NO Confirmation class
7 p.m. - A.A. meeting: MSMH

SANCTUARY LADIES: Friday, November 15—
Rosa Flegel, Lorraine Caspers, and Barbara Schust

COLLECTION TELLERS: November 16/17—
Mary Ann Bruzas and Jo Anne Zlevor

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 November 16 and 17

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Anthony Sosa

Sunday 9:45 a.m. Marcelo Sosa

LECTORS

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Marilyn Somers

Sunday 9:45 a.m. Barb and Ron Zielinski

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

OF HOLY COMMUNION - PLATE

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Peter Sisak


Sunday 9:45 a.m. Barb and Ron Zielinski

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS


OF HOLY COMMUNION - CUP

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Judy Sisak and Jackie Morrow
Jim and Julie Arens Sacristan

Sunday 9:45 a.m. Alicia Stiles and Deb Schuebel
also Sacristan

 Please remember in your prayers, **Patricia M. Swenson**, who recently entered eternal life. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord.

Our Building and Grounds project update shows this week we received Green envelopes totaling \$611. To-date total is \$3,160.35. Continue to use the monthly Green envelopes for our parish repairs.

 Our Sanctuary Candle burns this week in memory of **Matt J. Sisak**. Call Leslie at the Parish Office, 634-5647 to make arrangements.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR 2019

RAFFLE WINNERS

Sunday, Oct. 27 -	Margaret Zahalka #840 \$50
Monday, Oct. 28 -	Peggy and Marty Schmidt #305 \$25
Tuesday, Oct. 29 -	Terry and Don Rosen #1080 \$25
Wednesday, Oct. 30 -	Sharon Blaha #787 \$25
Thursday, Oct. 31 -	Jill Gates #1073 \$25
Friday, Nov. 1 -	Mike Lawrence #290 \$25
Saturday, Nov. 2 -	Olivia Lowney #777 \$25

This Week in Our St. John Nepomuk Parish Family

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11

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

Noon - Parish Office closes

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12

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

Noon - Parish Office closes

5:30 p.m. - Finance Council meeting: Rectory

6-8:30 p.m. - BSA Troop #105 meeting: Parish Center

7-9:30 p.m. - Dart Ball League: Macek Hall

(St. John's vs. Christ Church/Knights vs. Epiphany)

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13

After 8 a.m. Mass - Eucharistic Adoration: St. Joseph

2:30 p.m. - Benediction closing Adoration: St. Joseph

Noon - Parish Office closes

6-7:15 p.m. - Religious Ed. class, gr. 6-10: St. Joseph

6-7:30 p.m. - Religious Ed. class, gr. 11: St. Joseph

6:15-7:15 p.m. - Religious Ed. class, gr. 1-5: Parish Ctr.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14

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

8:30 a.m.-noon - Arts and Crafts: Parish Center

12:30-3 p.m. - Sacred Heart Ladies: Parish Center

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15

Parish Office closed

12:30-2:30 p.m. - *Book of Psalms* Bible Study: Parish Ctr.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17

NO Religious Education class

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

The Human Concerns Committee will be delivering flowers and bringing Communion to our shut-in parishioners at home or a nursing facility for Christmas. We will gather at the Parish Center at 10 a.m. Saturday, **November 30**, to pick up flowers and make deliveries. Please call the Parish Office, 634-5647, with the name, address, and phone number of a **family member recently moved to assisted living or can no longer get to Mass, so they can be included.**

The Christian Mother's and Altar Society's Holiday Fair in the Parish Center will be open to the public Friday, **December 6**, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. and Saturday, **December 7**, 9 a.m.-5:30 p.m. with crafts, Christmas items and bakery. Czech ornaments will be sold until 6 p.m. Saturday and 8:30-11 a.m. Sunday. Parishioner bakery goods donations are needed and can be dropped off daily after 8 a.m. in the Parish Center. Thank you.

St Joseph Congregation
Income Statement
For Year Ended June 30, 2019

Income	Contribution Income	\$	352,781.49
	Siena Reimbursement	\$	91,950.56
	Athletic Association	\$	10,925.07
	Christian Formation	\$	15,337.20
	Fundraisers/Memorials	\$	161,494.30
	Total Income	\$	632,488.62
 Expense			
	Liturgy/Music Expense	\$	52,972.13
	Christian Formation Expense	\$	37,102.45
	St Joseph Contribution to Siena School	\$	215,931.21
	Athletic Association	\$	10,513.86
	Administration Expense	\$	255,474.95
	Building & Grounds Expense	\$	61,611.96
	Festival Expense	\$	11,733.07
	Total Expense	\$	645,339.63
	 Net Profit or (Loss)	 \$	 (12,851.01)

Parish Highlights

The commitment towards the Capital Improvement of the Church was made for the Front Doors in the amount of \$25,243.32 during the Fiscal Period.

For further details feel free to contact Michael Reth, Business Manager, at the Parish Office and he can forward any questions to the Parish Trustees, Pete Koleske or John Gates.

ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH
2019 Poinsettia Sale



Return this form by
Sunday, December 8th.

Help decorate St. Joseph's altar with
poinsettias and candles
by making a memorial donation
in memory of a loved one.

Your Name _____ Phone _____

	Number	Amount \$
Donation: \$15 each		

Please place this form in an envelope
with a check payable to: **St. Joseph Parish.**
Deposit in the box at the back of church,
the collection basket or drop in the mail.
Please print name(s) below.

Donated in memory of _____

Thank you for your continued support of
St. Joseph's!