

# ST. JOSEPH AND ST. JOHN NEPOMUK CATHOLIC CHURCHES

**JANUARY 15, 2023**

**SECOND SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME**

## MASS SCHEDULE

### Weekday Mass

Tuesday and Thursday:

8:30 a.m. (St. John's)

Wednesday and Friday:

8:30 a.m. (St. Joseph's)

### Weekend Mass

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. (St. John's)

4:00 p.m. (St. Joseph's)

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. (St. Joseph's)

9:45 a.m. (St. John's)

### Reconciliation

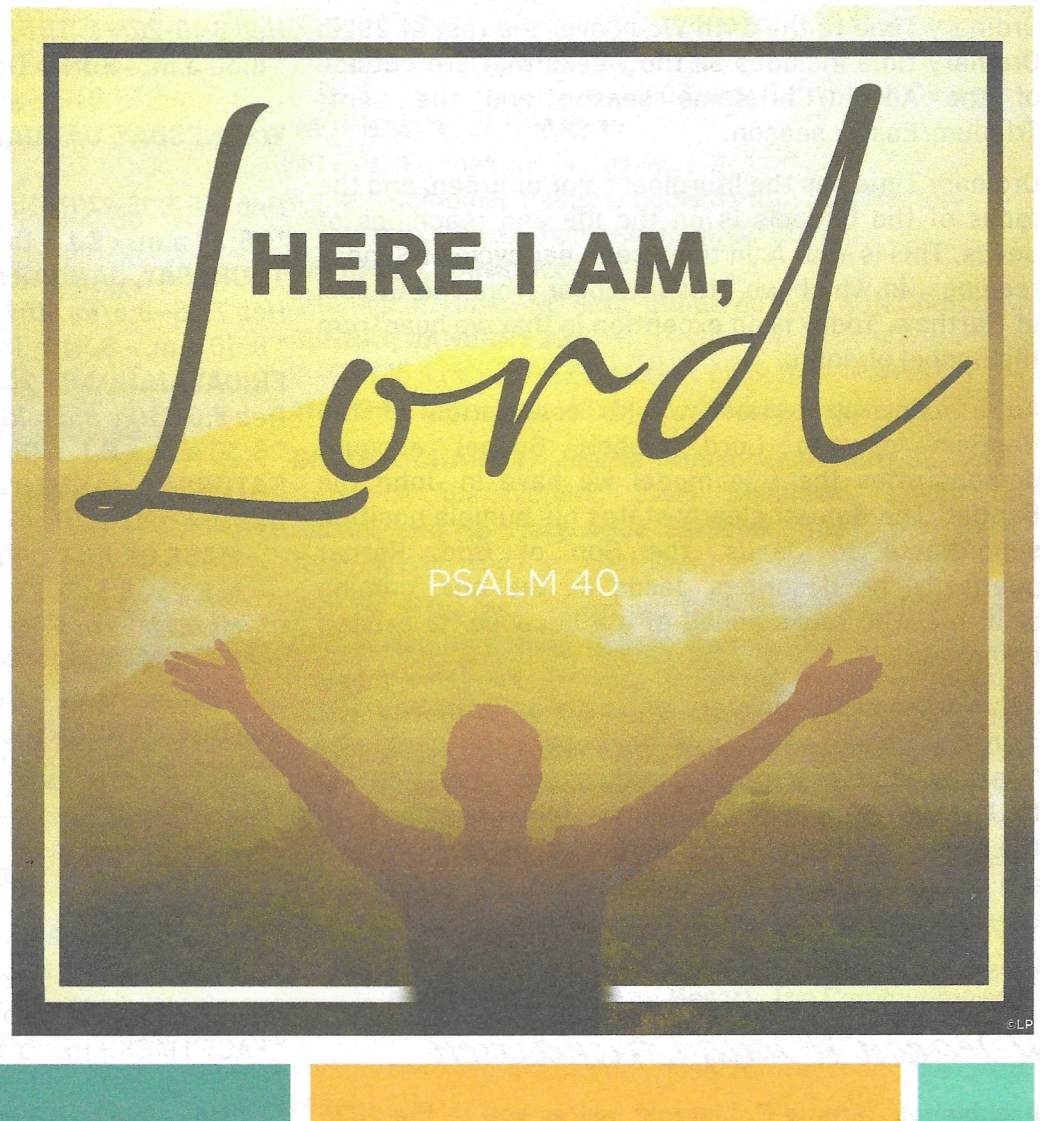
Saturday: 3:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.  
(St. John's) or by appointment

Parish Registration, Baptism,  
Wedding, and Pastoral Visit  
Arrange with the parish office

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## OUR LOCATIONS

### St. Joseph and St. John Nepomuk Churches

**St. Joseph's** 1532 N. Wisconsin St.; Racine, WI 53402-4805  
**St. John's** 700 English St.; Racine, WI 53402-4799

262-633-8284 - SJ 262- 633-8285 - SJ

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[stjohnnepomuk@wi.rr.com](mailto:stjohnnepomuk@wi.rr.com)

### Office Hours

Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. - SJ

Mon.-Wed. 8:00 a.m.-noon | Th. 8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m. - SJN

## PASTORAL STAFF

### Walking With You in the Light of Faith

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## DEAR PARISHIONERS

After a joyful Christmas season, we are now in Ordinary Time. By ordinary, we do not mean that these weeks are mundane, but that they are counted. You will notice them numbered from the 2nd Week in Ordinary Time to the 34th Week over the rest of 2023. Ordinary time includes all the weeks that are outside of the Advent/Christmas season and the Lent/Triduum/Easter season.

Ordinary Time has the liturgical color of green, and the focus of the Gospels is on the life and teachings of Jesus. This is Year A, in the three-year cycle of Sunday readings, in which we primarily hear from the Gospel of Matthew. Today is an exception in that we hear from the Gospel of John.

As a follow-up to last week's celebration of the Baptism of the Lord, John's Gospel account demonstrates the role model we have in John the Baptist. The Baptist clearly states his humble position subordinate to Jesus, the Son of God. Rather poetically, he describes Jesus as the one "coming after me who ranks ahead of me because he existed before me."

John grasped the mystery of Jesus as both God and man and accepted his role to prepare the people of Israel by baptism to give their allegiance and attention to Jesus. We are called to imitate John in seeing with the eyes of faith that Jesus is the Son of God. We, too, are called to accept him, listen to him, and follow him as evidenced by our lives in this new year.

Blessings in 2023!

*Deacon Doug Gundlach*

**Archbishop Jerome E. ListECKi invites you to the 2023 Pallium Lecture, "Love for the Eucharist in an Apostolic Age,"** presented by Monsignor James P. Shea, President of the University of Mary, Bismarck, North Dakota and Eucharistic Preacher for the United States Council of Catholic Bishops. Tuesday, **February 21**, at 7 p.m. Free; open to the public. Brookfield Conference Center, 325 South Moorland Road, Brookfield. Register: [archmil.org/PalliumLecture](http://archmil.org/PalliumLecture)



## MASS INTENTIONS

### MONDAY, JANUARY 16

Heb 5:1-10/Ps 110:1-4/Mk 2:18-22

### TUESDAY, JANUARY 17 St. Anthony/Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions

Heb 6:10-20/Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9 NS, 10c/Mk 2:23-28

\* 8:30 a.m. - **SJN** + Deceased Members of the Gross and Sipple Families

### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18 Week of Prayer for Christian Unity begins

Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Ps 110:1-4/Mk 3:1-6

\*^ 8:30 a.m. - **SJ** + Doug Splittgerber

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 19

Heb 7:25-8:6/Ps 40:7-8ab, 9, 10, 17/Mk 3:7-12

\* 8:30 a.m. - **SJN** + Terry Biarnesen

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 20 St. Fabian/St. Sebastian

Heb 8:6-13/Ps 85:8, 10-14/Mk 3:13-19

\* 8:30 a.m. - **SJ** + Doug Splittgerber

### SATURDAY, JANUARY 21 St. Agnes

Heb 9:2-3, 11-14/Ps 47:2-3, 6-9/Mk 3:20-21

### MASS OF ANTICIPATION

Is 8:23-9:3/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 (1a)/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/

Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

\* 4 p.m. - **SJ** + Richard John BeBow

\* 4 p.m. - **SJN** + Jerome Simanek

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 22 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Livestream: [Facebook.com/St-Joseph-Parish-Racine](https://www.facebook.com/St-Joseph-Parish-Racine)

\* 8:30 a.m. - **SJ** + Doug Splittgerber

- Living and Deceased Members of St. Joseph Parish

\* 9:45 a.m. - **SJN** + Tony Mann and

Mary and Linda San Felipe

- Living and Deceased Members of St. John Nepomuk Parish

\* FACE MASKS RECOMMENDED ^ School Mass

**Please join us to pray the rosary before each Mass.**

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

### ST. JOSEPH PARISH'S SANCTUARY LAMP:

As we adore Christ in the Blessed Sacrament, please remember in faith, Living and Deceased Members of St. Joseph Parish.

### ST. JOHN NEPOMUK PARISH'S SANCTUARY LAMP:

As we adore Christ in the Blessed Sacrament, please remember in faith, Living and Deceased Members of St. John Nepomuk Parish.



## STEWARDSHIP

### ST. JOHN NEPOMUK PARISH

<b>Dec. 31/Jan. 1 collections:</b>	<b>\$ 2,926.55</b>
Christmas/Mary, Mother of God:	\$ 370.00
Amount budgeted per week:	\$ 2,269.24
Year-to-date given:	\$ 59,321.30
Year-to-date budget:	\$ 61,269.48
Year-to-date balance:	\$ -1,948.18
Buildings & Grounds to date:	\$ 8,197.00

### ST. JOSEPH PARISH

<b>Total collection income:</b>	<b>\$ 14,840.00</b>
Dec. 31/Jan. 1 collections:	\$ 13,940.00
Christmas/Mary, Mother of God:	\$ 420.00
Energy costs:	\$ 85.00
Church renovation:	\$ 50.00
End-of-year offerings:	\$ 345.00
<b>Weekly budget requirement:</b>	<b>\$ 9,100.00</b>
<b>Difference for the week:</b>	<b>\$ 5,740.00</b>
Year-to-date given:	\$ 163,259.51
Year-to-date budget:	\$245,700.00
Year-to-date balance:	\$ -82,440.49
Christmas food to date:	\$ 2,946.00

**St. Joseph Parish gratefully acknowledges a generous memorial donation** for Francis and Lettie Dunnebacke.

**Please help St. John Nepomuk Parish identify events and people seen in old photos, as they archive their history.** Different generations would also be a help. These photos go way back. While we have the people who know who's who, we need to do this. Call Leslie, 262-634-5647.

**St. Joseph Parish will provide cold salads and desserts for the January 26 Meal Program at St. Patrick's.** At the back of church, please pick up an empty food container marked "cold salad" or "dessert" and drop off the filled container at St. Joseph Parish Center on Thursday, **January 26, from 9 a.m.-1 p.m.** Please call the Parish Office, 262-633-8284, with questions. St. Joseph's schedule is January, March, May, July, and September.  
St. Joseph's Human Concerns Group

**In December, St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry served 134 clients, feeding 456 people including 181 children.**  
**Current needs:** boxed crackers (Triscuit, Wheat Thins); peanut butter more than 16 oz.; pasta sides; Hamburger Helper; canned meat, chili, ravioli, and corn; toilet paper. **Thank you for your donations to buy fresh food.** Mail checks to: St. Vincent de Paul Society; P.O. Box 44195; Racine, WI 53404 with FOOD PANTRY as the memo. To volunteer, call SJ/SJN Jean Thieme, 262-930-5850. Thank you for your help to feed Racine's hungry.

## THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISHES' FAMILY

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 15

NO Faith Formation classes, gr. 6-11  
After 9:45 a.m. Mass - Scrip gift cards sold: SJN Church

### MONDAY, JANUARY 16

Noon - Bulletin announcements due to info@st-joes.org

### TUESDAY, JANUARY 17

6:30-8 p.m. - *Catholicism* video class: SJN Parish Center

### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18

NO Faith Formation classes, gr. 1-11

6 p.m. - Combined Pastoral Council mtg.: SJN Rectory

6-7:30 p.m. - Adult choir rehearsal: SJ Church

### SATURDAY, JANUARY 21

After 4 p.m. Mass - NO Scrip gift cards sold: SJN Church

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 22

9:45-11:15 a.m. - Faith Formation, gr. 6-11: SJ Parish Ctr.

After 9:45 a.m. Mass - NO Scrip gift cards sold: SJN Ch.

**IN YOUR CHARITY:** Please remember in faith St. John Nepomuk parishioners, **Elsie Budzinski, Lovell L. Gissell, and Sr. Mary Alice Simanek, SSSF**, who were recently called by the Lord. Grant eternal rest, O Lord.

**Join us as we learn about our faith with the *Catholicism* DVD series by Bishop Robert Barron.** We will meet on **Tuesday evenings, January 10-Easter**, from 6:30-8 p.m. in the St. John Nepomuk Parish Center. We will watch the 1-hour videos and then discuss questions on them. No RSVP is needed. Feel free to bring a friend. Questions? Please call Deacon Doug Gundlach at 262-681-7335.

Jan. 17 The Teachings of Jesus	Mar. 7 The Mystery of the Liturgy and the Eucharist
Jan. 24 **No Class**	Mar. 14 **No Class**
Jan. 31 That Than Which Nothing Greater can be Thought	Mar. 21 The Communion of Saints
Feb. 7 Mary, Mother of God	Mar. 28 Prayer and the Life of the Spirit
Feb. 14 **No Class**	Apr. 4 The Last Things
Feb. 21 Peter, Paul, and the Missionary Adventure	
Feb. 28 Mystical Union of Christ and the Church	

## SJN CALENDAR RAFFLE 2022 WINNERS

Sunday, Jan. 1, \$100

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