

ST. JOSEPH AND ST. JOHN NEPOMUK CATHOLIC CHURCHES

JANUARY 29, 2023

**FOURTH 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

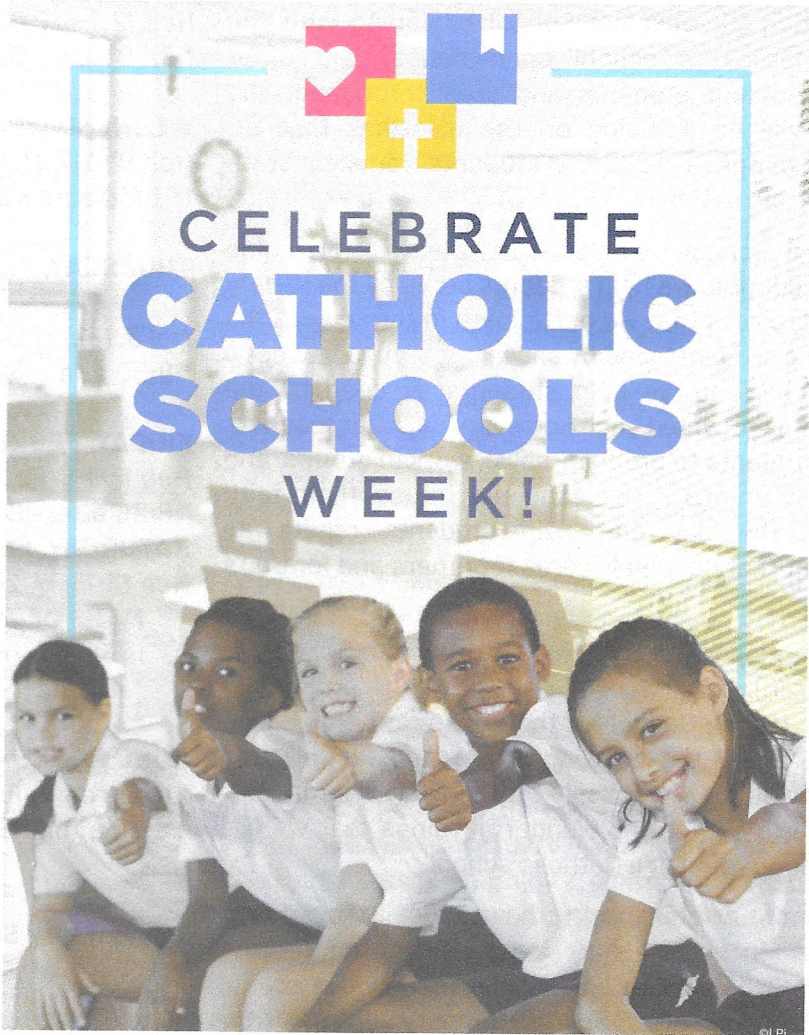
Saturday: 4:00 p.m. (St. John's)
4:00 p.m. (St. Joseph's)
Sunday: 8:30 a.m. (St. Joseph's)
9:45 a.m. (St. John's)

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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St. John's 700 English St.; Racine, WI 53402-4799

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262-634-5647 - SJN

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 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

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DEAR PARISHIONERS

We are excited to celebrate National Catholic Schools Week at St. Joseph School. Catholic Schools Week is a celebration of Catholic education in the United States. It starts on Sunday, January 29, and runs all week. We will be celebrating St. Joseph's School beginning with the weekend Masses, a school open house, and other activities with our students and staff throughout the week. We will be focusing on the blessings that St. Joseph School provides to our students, families, staff, community, and nation.

At St. Joseph School, we help students learn by providing a quality education, we help students serve by the variety of service projects that we participate in throughout the year, we help students lead by showing them how to set a good example, and we help students succeed by the support that is provided each and every day. Our teachers challenge students to problem-solve, work in groups, and stretch their minds. Our teachers infuse their faith throughout the day and help students create an environment that genuinely cares for others and for God's creation.

To all the parishioners who chose St. Joseph School for their child(ren), thank you! To all the parishioners who choose St. Joseph School for their child(ren), thank you! Thank you for all the blessings that your support and prayers provide for our school. Please visit us during our open house to see all the wonderful things that we are still doing at our gem of a Catholic school.

Do you want your child(ren) to have a quality academic experience in a highly supportive and loving environment? We invite you to please visit our school during our open house on Sunday, January 29, from 9:15-11:15 a.m. and learn about the blessing of a quality Catholic education. We look forward to meeting you and having you join the St. Joseph School Family.

In God's love,
Mrs. Heidi Hernandez
Principal



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You are invited to St. Joseph School's Open House TODAY from 9:15-11:15 a.m. Come and see how Catholic identity and academic excellence are combined!

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, JANUARY 30

Heb 11:32-40/Ps 31:20-24/Mk 5:1-20

TUESDAY, JANUARY 31 St. John Bosco/Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions

Heb 12:1-4/Ps 22:26b-27, 28, 30-32/Mk 5:21-43

* 8:30 a.m. - **SJN** + Deceased Members of the VanDerHeyden Family

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1

Heb 12:4-7, 11-15/Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a/Mk 6:1-6

*^ 8:30 a.m. - **SJ** + Robert C. Wemmert
+ Lovell Gissell

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2 The Presentation of the Lord (F)

Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7-10/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

* 8:30 a.m. - **SJN** + Lee Dahlen

+ D. Jeanne Nyiri

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3 St. Blaise/St. Ansgar

Heb 13:1-8/Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9abc/Mk 6:14-29

* 8:30 a.m. - **SJ** + Angela Wallner

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4

Heb 13:15-17, 20-21/Ps 23:1-3ab, 4-6/Mk 6:30-34

MASS OF ANTICIPATION

Is 58:7-10/Ps 112:4-9/1 Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16

* 4 p.m. - **SJ** + Vic Duczman Jr. **Family Mass**

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

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Livestream: Facebook.com/St-Joseph-Parish-Racine

* 8:30 a.m. - **SJ** + Wallace and Jacqueline Small
- Living and Deceased Members of St. Joseph Parish

* 9:45 a.m. - **SJN** + Col. Gary Tresemer
- Living and Deceased Members of St. John Nepomuk Parish

* FACE MASKS RECOMMENDED ^ School Mass

Join us for the rosary before all Masses.

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

ST. JOHN NEPOMUK PARISH'S SANCTUARY LAMP:

As we adore Christ in the Blessed Sacrament, please remember in faith, James Gain.

Join us as we learn about our faith with the Catholicism DVD series by Bishop Robert Barron. We will meet on **Tuesdays, January 10-Easter, 6:30-8 p.m.** in the St. John Nepomuk Parish Center. We will watch the 1-hour videos and discuss questions. No RSVP; bring a friend. Questions to Deacon Doug Gundlach, 262-681-7335. Jan. 31 video is "That Than Which Nothing Greater Can be Thought."

STEWARDSHIP

ST. JOHN NEPOMUK PARISH

January 14/15 collections:	\$ 1,243.25
Amount budgeted per week:	\$ 2,269.24
Year-to-date given:	\$ 63,916.55
Year-to-date budget:	\$ 65,807.96
Year-to-date balance:	\$ -1,891.41
Buildings & Grounds to date:	\$ 8,507.00

ST. JOSEPH PARISH

Total collection income:	\$ 6,788.00
January 14/15 collections:	\$ 6,333.00
Energy costs:	\$ 300.00
Church renovation:	\$ 155.00
Weekly budget requirement:	\$ 9,100.00
Difference for the week:	\$ -2,312.00
Year-to-date given:	\$ 172,238.51
Year-to-date budget:	\$263,900.00
Year-to-date balance:	\$ -91,661.49

SJ Choir is missing copies of their "Glory & Praise" Choir edition hymnals. If you have a copy, please call the Parish Office, 262-633-8284, so we can account for all.

St. Rita Human Concerns Commission invites you to "Catholic Social Teaching: Call to Community and Participation," Sunday, February 5, 6-7:30 p.m., in the new church. Racine Interfaith Coalition member presenters are Linda Boyle, Carl Fields, and Tammy Hayward. Catholic Tradition teaches that humans grow and achieve fulfillment in community.

Come and learn about the Eucharist—the Mystery of Faith in a three-week course by Fr. Campbell on Pope St. Paul VI's Encyclical *Mysterium Fidei*. Tuesdays, Feb. 7, 14 and 21, from 7-8:30 p.m. at St. Therese Church, Kenosha.

St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store, 2118 Rapids Dr., needs donations of men's and children's clothing, housewares (pots, pans, utensils) and home decor. Donate: Monday-Friday 9 a.m.-3 p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry's current needs: boxed crackers (Triscuit, Wheat Thins); Rice-A-Roni; Chef Boyardee Ravioli; Hormel Chili; Spam; canned meat; canned beans; canned corn; and 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.

If your marriage needs help, contact Retrouvaille for confidential info. about or to register for the program in Racine Feb. 17-19. Call 414-502-7685; email: Milwaukee@HelpOurMarriage.org; or visit HelpOurMarriage.org.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISHES' FAMILY

SUNDAY, JANUARY 29

At all Masses - Non-perishables collected for Food Pantry
9:15-11:15 a.m. - Open House: SJ School
9:45-11:15 a.m. - Faith Formation class, gr. 6-11: SJ Par Ctr
After 9:45 a.m. Mass - Scrip gift cards sold: SJN Church

MONDAY, JANUARY 30

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

TUESDAY, JANUARY 31

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

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1

6-7 p.m. - Faith Formation, gr. 1-5: SJN Parish Center
6-7:15 p.m. - Faith Formation, gr. 6-10: SJN Parish Center
6-7:30 p.m. - Adult Choir rehearsal: SJ Church
6:15-7:45 p.m. - Faith Formation, gr. 11: SJN Parish Center

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2

6 p.m. - All Committee Meeting Night: SJN Parish Center

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4

At all Masses - Catholic Stewardship Appeal launch
After 4 p.m. Mass - NO Scrip gift cards sold: SJN Church

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5

At all Masses - Catholic Stewardship Appeal launch
9:45-11:15 a.m. - Faith Formation class, gr. 6-11: SJ Par Ctr
After 9:45 a.m. Mass - NO Scrip gift cards sold: SJN Ch.

It's time to return your palms for burning before Ash Wednesday, February 22. The SJ return basket is on the Communion railing in front of the Sacred Heart statue.

St. Therese-Kenosha Holy Name Society will again be having an Italian beef carry-out dinner for Super Bowl Sunday, February 12. Enjoy a dinner for 4 featuring their famous summer festival Italian beef: 1 lb. of beef, 4 buns, salad, dressing, 4 bags of chips, and cookies for \$40. Extra beef available for \$12/lb. **By Feb. 7, order and pre-pay** at st-therese-kenosha.org. **Pick-up Feb. 12,** from 1-3 p.m., at St. Therese Church, 2020-91st Street, Kenosha.

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.

SJN CALENDAR RAFFLE 2023 WINNERS

Sunday, Jan. 15, \$50

Andy Schuebel #1061

Monday, Jan. 16, \$25

Jesse Sosa #627

Tuesday, Jan. 17, \$25

Jeff Steidl #628

Wednesday, Jan. 18, \$25

Tricia Mooney-Fogarty #426

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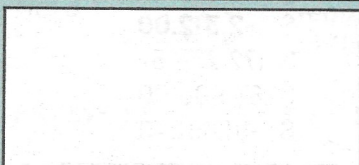
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ACTS Youth Ministry
Active Catholic Teens in Service

Greetings, Friends!

Every year, ACTS Youth Ministry likes to do different projects for the community in and around Racine. Last year, we did **Blessing Bags for local police officers**. We had such a great success that we would like to do it again. I am writing to you to ask for your support.

Here is the link to our Amazon wish list of items needed and the QR code:
[amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/32Y2BBUEGH9ML?ref_=wl_share](https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/32Y2BBUEGH9ML?ref_=wl_share)



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We also need items like gift cards for local restaurants. Those items are also so appreciated. We would like to make 50 Blessing Bags.

Our ACTS Youth will be bringing in items to add to the bags and write thank you cards to the officers. On February 10 during our weekly Youth meeting, our Youth leaders will assemble the Blessing Bags that the students decorated to personalize them for police officers and include a group picture of our teens. The Blessing Bags will be distributed on February 14.

Items need to be received by February 10 and can be sent to:
St. Patrick Parish, Attn: ACTS Ministry; 1100 Erie Street; Racine, WI 53402

Please feel free to contact with questions or if you need me to pick up a donation. Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Eloy Contreras and Young ACTS Youth Leaders
ACTS Youth Ministry Coordinator
Catholic Community in Central Racine
St. Richard, St. Edward and St. Patrick
One Faith, One Family

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