

ST. JOSEPH AND ST. JOHN NEPOMUK CATHOLIC CHURCHES

JULY 02, 2023

**THIRTEENTH 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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*"O Lord, you have been
our refuge through
all the generations."
-Psalm 90:1*

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

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DEAR PARISHIONERS

Today's Gospel lesson from Matthew concludes Jesus' great "missionary discourse" in which he instructs his twelve disciples on the cost and the reward of the commitment required of a disciple. The first half of these sayings of Jesus details the behavior expected from his disciples, and the second half speaks of the behavior of others towards the disciples.

"Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me...." These words may sound a bit extreme, since family comes first for most of us. What Jesus means is that all loyalties must give place to loyalty to God. Jesus clearly is not attacking family life. He is giving a warning to his disciples of the conflicts and misunderstandings they will experience through their living out the word and thus becoming prophets.

These words of Jesus can have another meaning also. All those who become followers of Jesus belong to a new family, where every single person, including relatives, friends and even strangers are truly my brothers and sisters. What Jesus means is that there will be times when we will have to give more love and compassion to the hungry, the sick, those in prison, the social outcasts, the unemployed and the handicapped. Again, Jesus is not speaking against the family, but rather reminding us that we are part of a larger family of our fellow Christians.

Let us strive to be hospitable and generous. Hospitality means acknowledging the presence of God in others and serving Him, especially in those whom we least expect to find Him. We, as a community, are to look for opportunities to be hospitable, and, of course, there are plenty of ways of offering hospitality.

Happy July Fourth,

Father Steve



St. Lucy Parish's monthly, walk-in, grief support group welcomes anyone who has lost a spouse, parent, or any family member. Meeting on third Mondays, 5:30-7 p.m. in the Parish Hall, entering through the south door.

The Archdiocese of Milwaukee is hosting a series of permanent diaconate information and discernment sessions in September, October, and November. For a listing of sites and dates: archmil.regfox.com/diaconate-discernment-and-information-sessions.

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, JULY 3 St. Thomas (F)

Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 20:24-29

TUESDAY, JULY 4 Mo. of Perpetual Help Devotions / Independence Day

Gn 19:15-29/Ps 26:2-3, 9-12/Mt 8:23-27

8:30 a.m. - **SJN** + Milton Benicek

+ Rose Garski

WEDNESDAY, JULY 5 St. Anthony Zaccaria /

St. Elizabeth of Portugal

Gn 21:5, 8-20a/Ps 34:7-8, 10-13/Mt 8:28-34

8:30 a.m. - **SJ** + David A. and K. Maryellen Carlson

THURSDAY, JULY 6 St. Maria Goretti

Gn 22:1b-19/Ps 115:1-6, 8-9/Mt 9:1-8

8:30 a.m. - **SJN** + Alex, Mae and Dan Muleski

- Living and Deceased Members of the Costabile, Smiley and Horvath Families

FRIDAY, JULY 7

Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/Ps 106:1b-4ab, 5/Mt 9:9-13

8:30 a.m. - **SJ** + Larry Garski

SATURDAY, JULY 8

Gn 27:1-5, 15-29/Ps 135:1b-6/Mt 9:14-17

MASS OF ANTICIPATION

*Zec 9:9-10/Ps 145:1-2, 8-11, 13-14/Rom 8:9, 11-13/
Mt 11:25-30*

4 p.m. - **SJ** + Julie Resch

- Living and Deceased Members of St. Joseph Parish

4 p.m. - **SJN** - Living and Deceased Members of the Kaskubar Family

- Living and Deceased Members of St. John Nepomuk Parish

SUNDAY, JULY 9 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

8:30 a.m. - **SJ** + Mike Iggulden

9:45 a.m. - **SJN** + John Schroeder Sr.

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 on 100.1-FM.

ST. JOSEPH PARISH'S SANCTUARY LAMP:

As we adore Christ in the Blessed Sacrament, please remember in faith, Christopher Ebinal.

ST. JOHN NEPOMUK PARISH'S SANCTUARY LAMP:

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

STEWARDSHIP

ST. JOHN NEPOMUK PARISH

June 17/18 collections:	\$ 1,587.00
Amount budgeted per week:	\$ 2,269.24
Year-to-date given:	\$ 121,105.54
Year-to-date budget:	\$ 115,731.24
Year-to-date balance:	\$ 5,374.30
Buildings and Grounds to date:	\$ 13,102.00

ST. JOSEPH PARISH

Total collection income:	\$ 2,654.00
June 17/18 collections:	\$ 2,594.00
Energy costs:	\$ 35.00
Capital funds:	\$ 25.00
Weekly budget requirement:	\$ 9,100.00
Difference for the week:	\$ -6,446.00
Year-to-date given:	\$ 286,050.51
Year-to-date budget:	\$ 464,100.00
Year-to-date balance:	\$ -178,049.49
Festival donations to date:	\$ 2,670.00

St. Lucy Festival 2023 ~ July 7th, 8th and 9th

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Friday 4-11 p.m.: Fish Fry Dinner 4-7 p.m., \$12. Music by Rebel Grace (Country Rock at its finest) 7-10:30 p.m. Bingo 6-9 p.m. **Saturday 2-11 p.m.:** Music by Doo Wop Jukebox (formerly Doo Wop Daddies playing Oldies but goodies) 2-5:30 p.m.; Mt. Olive (Premier covers 80s-today) 7-10:30 p.m. Bingo 5-9 p.m. **Sunday 11:30 a.m.-9 p.m.:** Mostaccioli and Meatball Dinner 11:30 a.m.-5 p.m., \$12. Music by Southbound (Legendary Southern Rock) noon-3:30 p.m.; Chicago Tribute Anthology (Direct from the Windy City - awesome) 5:30-8 p.m. Bingo 1-7 p.m. All weekend: Kids' Games, Bingo, Rummage Sale (Friday 4-8 p.m.; Saturday 8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.; Sunday 11:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.), Silent Auction, Bakery, Famous Meat Sweepstakes, Crafts, more. Wine Booth, beer, soda, burgers, brats, hot dogs, wings, pizza, cheese curds, onion rings, corn on the cob, and more. Grand Prize drawing \$5,000 and \$4,000 in additional prizes. **Free festival shuttle between Elmwood Plaza and the festival grounds Friday and Saturday 3:30 p.m.-midnight.**

St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry needs financial donations to buy frozen meat. Mail checks to: St. Vincent de Paul Society; P.O. Box 44195; Racine, WI 53404 with FOOD PANTRY on the memo. In May, we fed a record 1,065 including 437 children. **Current needs:** peanut butter (any size), saltine crackers, boxed or bagged instant potatoes, canned meat, canned Ravioli, canned Beefaroni, canned spaghetti sauce, Rice-a-Roni, and rice or pasta sides. To volunteer, call Jean Thieme, 262-930-5850. Thank you!

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISHES' FAMILY

SUNDAY, JULY 2

After 9:45 a.m. Mass - NO Scrip sold: SJN Church

MONDAY, JULY 3

Noon - Bulletin article deadline to info@st-joes.org

TUESDAY, JULY 4

Parish offices closed

SATURDAY, JULY 8

After 4 p.m. Mass - Scrip sold: SJN Church

SUNDAY, JULY 9

After 9:45 a.m. Mass - Scrip sold: SJN Church

IN YOUR CHARITY: Please remember in faith, SJN parishioner **Jerome F. Barina**, who received his Christian burial through our church and ministry. Eternal rest, O Lord, and let Perpetual Light shine upon him.

GOD Bless AMERICA

St. John Nepomuk Parish gratefully acknowledges generous memorials received for **James Rogers**.

St. Joseph Parish gratefully acknowledges generous memorials received for **Edward Goebel**.

St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store, 2118 Rapids Drive

Store Hours: Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-5 p.m./Sat. 9 a.m.-4 p.m.
Donation Hours: Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-4 p.m./Sat. 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
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SJN CALENDAR RAFFLE 2023 WINNERS

Sunday, June 18, \$50

Alyssa Buchaklian #21

Monday, June 19, \$25

Susan Dreyer #950

Tuesday, June 20, \$25

Heather Vanoss #22

Wednesday, June 21, \$25

Phil Uebe #324

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Friday, June 23, \$25

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