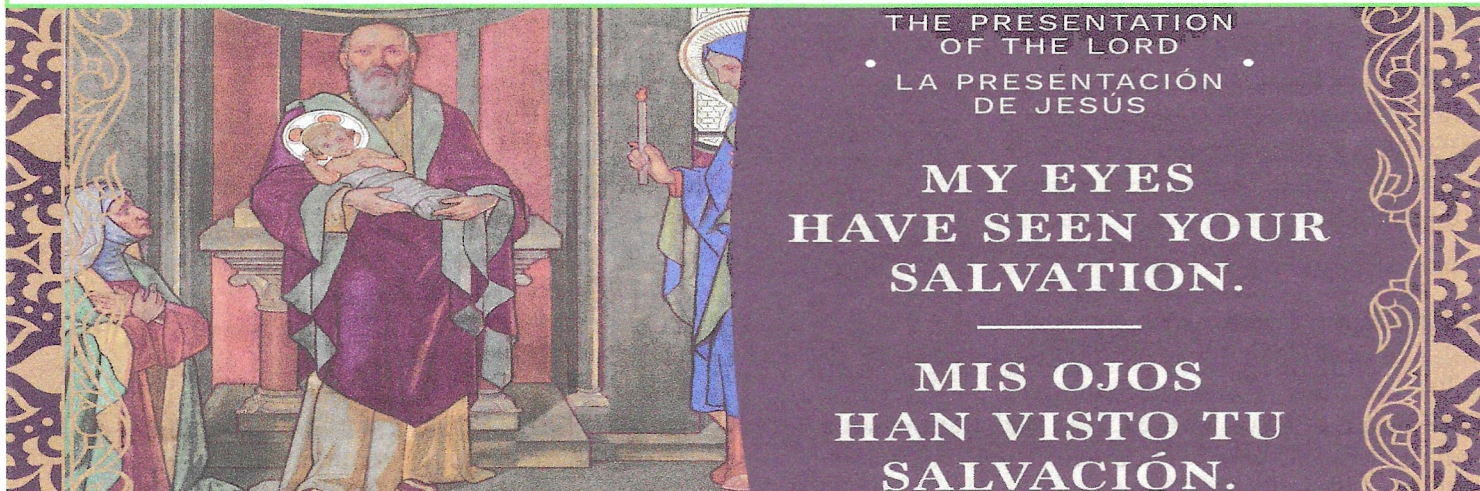


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February 2, 2025



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Saturday 4:30 pm
 Sunday 9:00 am
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 Wednesday 9:00 am
 Friday 9:00 am

Confession: 3:30-4:15 pm Saturday

St. Edward

Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 8:00 am-12:00 pm
 Closed Fridays

1401 Grove Avenue
Racine, WI 53405
262-636-8040

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Sunday 8:30 am
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St. John Nepomuk

Office Hours

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Church: 1903 Green Street
Office: 700 English Street
Racine, WI 53402
262-634-5647

Email: Stjohnnepomuk@wi.rr.com

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Saturday 4:00 pm
 Tuesday 8:30 am
 Thursday 8:30 am

Confession: 3:00-3:45 pm Saturday

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Office Hours

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Church: 1533 Erie Street
Office: 1532 N. Wisconsin Street
Racine, WI 53402
262-633-8284

Email: info@st-joes.org

Website: www.st-joes.org

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Masses

Sunday 9:30 am
 Wednesday 8:30 am
 Friday 8:30 am

St. Lucy

Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 8:00 am-4:00 pm
 Friday 8:00 am-12:00 pm

3101 Drexel Avenue
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Sunday/Domingo 8:30 am English
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 Sunday/Domingo 12:00 pm Español
 Sunday/Domingo 6:00 pm Español
 Wednesday/Miércoles 6:00 pm Español

Confession: 4:00-5:30 pm Wednesday

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Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 8:00 am-2:00 pm
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Sunday 10:00 am
 Thursday 9:00 am

St. Sebastian

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 Thursday 8:15 am

Confession: 3:30-4:15 pm Saturday

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MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3 St. Blaise / St. Ansgar

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

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 4

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

8:30 a.m. - **SJN** + Living and Deceased Members of
Christian Mothers and Altar Society
- Christopher Rude

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5 St. Agatha

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

8:30 a.m. - **SJ** + Maria Von Schrader

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6 St. Paul Miki, Companions

Heb 12:18-19, 21-24/Ps 48:2-3abcd, 4, 9-11/Mk 6:7-13

8:30 a.m. - **SJN** - Kellie Schelach

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7

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

8:30 a.m. - **SJ** + John Murphy

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8 St. Jerome Emiliani /

St. Josephine Bakhita

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

MASS OF ANTICIPATION

Is6:1-2a,3-8/Ps138:1-5,7,8/1Cor 15:1-11/15:3-8,11/Lk 5:1-11

4 p.m. - **SJN** + Dan Muleski

+ Greg Pichelman

- Living and Deceased Members of
St. John Nepomuk Parish

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 a.m. - **SJ** + Ferdinand, Emma, and Thomas Brodek

- Living and Deceased Members of
St. Joseph Parish

^ - Mass with the school children

Join us to pray the rosary before each Mass.

ST. JOSEPH PARISH'S SANCTUARY LAMP

As we adore Christ in the Blessed Sacrament,
please remember in faith, living and deceased
members of the Jerry Pusch Family.

ST. JOHN NEPOMUK PARISH'S SANCTUARY LAMP

As we adore Christ in the Blessed Sacrament,
please remember in faith, Paul Willing.

IN YOUR CHARITY: Please remember in faith, SJN
parishioners, **Joyce Barina** and **Nancy Willing**, who
received their Christian burials through our Church and
ministry. Eternal rest, O Lord.

If school is cancelled due to snow,
daily Mass is cancelled as well. *Fr. Juan M. Camacho*

For a 2024 church contributions letter for tax
purposes, please phone your parish office. Thank you.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISHES' FAMILY

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2

Soup-er Bowl Collection Week 4 of 4

After 9:30 a.m. Mass - Adult Choir rehearsal: SJ Church

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3

noon - Bulletin article deadline at info@st-joes.org

5-7 p.m. - Open House: St. Joseph School

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6

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

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8

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

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9

8:30-9:45 a.m. - Faith Formation, family/student: SH

After 9:30 a.m. Mass - Adult Choir rehearsal: SJ Church

* * * **SJ/SJN SOUP-ER BOWL TOTE BOARD** * * *

WEEKEND 1:	94 cans
WEEKEND 2:	184 cans
WEEKEND 3:	171 cans
WEEKEND 4:	
RUNNING TOTAL:	449 cans

SJN acknowledges Memorial monies for Bishop Sklba.

STEWARDSHIP

ST. JOHN NEPOMUK PARISH

January 18 collection: \$ 1,437.00

Amount budgeted per week: \$ 2,338.06

Fiscal year-to-date given: \$ 73,850.03

Fiscal year-to-date budget: \$ 70,141.80

Fiscal year-to-date balance: \$ 3,708.23

Buildings and Grounds to date: \$ 2,686.00

ST. JOSEPH PARISH

Total collection income: \$ 5,595.00

January 19 collection: \$ 5,345.00

Energy Costs: \$ 205.00

Capital Funds: \$ 45.00

Weekly budget requirement: \$ 9,100.00

Difference for the week: \$ -3,505.00

Fiscal year-to-date given: \$138,182.00

Fiscal year-to-date budget: \$273,000.00

Fiscal year-to-date balance: \$-134,818.00

SJN CALENDAR RAFFLE 2025 WINNERS

Sunday, Jan. 19, \$50

Dick Peterson #not avail.

Monday, Jan. 20, \$25

Emily Rewolinski #214

Tuesday, Jan. 21, \$25

Carol/John Rogers #474

Wednesday, Jan. 22, \$25

Ann Hanson #841

Thursday, Jan. 23, \$25

Colton Callahan #731

Friday, Jan. 24, \$25

Bernie/Belinda Thielen
#700

Saturday, Jan. 25, \$25

Duke Jankovic #95

FEAST OF THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

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GOOD TO KNOW

Thank you so much for your 2025 Mass intentions! Please remember your loved ones with a Mass Intention or Sanctuary Lamp. We have Mass openings at SJ and at SJN. Cost: Mass stipend, \$20; SJN Sanctuary Lamp, \$7; SJ Sanctuary Lamp, \$5. Please call or visit your Parish Office to make the arrangements: SJ, 1532 N. Wisconsin Street, 262-633-8284 and SJN, 700 English Street, 262-634-5647.



If you or someone you know are unable to attend Mass and would like a Communion visit and/or the sacraments, please call your parish office. If someone is bringing you the Eucharist at this time, please let us know, so they have the appropriate pyx and pouch.

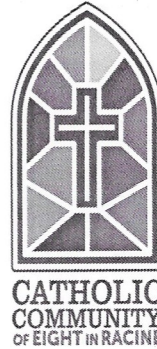
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Prayer shawls for those facing illness or trying times are blessed for the intentions of the recipient. Without charge; given with our prayers. Call SJ Parish Office.

Buy Scrip gift cards for groceries, gas and pharmacies and a percentage returns to SJN, e.g., Kwik Trip (4%), Speedway (4%), BP (1.5%), Mobil (1.5%). To order online, go to ShopWithScrip.com, click on Join a Program, and enter the SJN enrollment code linking your account to SJN: LE79AA883496. Scrip is sold following Saturday's 4 p.m. Mass.

St. Vincent de Paul Society is collecting hygiene items: soap, shampoo, deodorant, toothpaste, and toothbrushes. **SVdP Food Pantry** needs monetary donations for eggs, frozen meat, milk, butter, cheese. Mail checks to: St. Vincent de Paul Society; P.O. Box 44195; Racine, WI 53404 with FOOD PANTRY on the memo. **In December, we fed 613 people incl. 251 children! Non-perishable needs:** canned meat, chili, Chef Boyardee Ravioli; regular-size canned fruit; peanut butter; boxed penne/rigatoni pasta; boxed instant potatoes; instant oatmeal packets; crackers (no saltines); Kleenex; cough drops; toilet paper. To volunteer, please call Jean Thieme, 262-930-5850.

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF EIGHT



Sign up for the Catholic Community of Eight newsletter:

sacredheart Racine.us19.list-manage.com/subscribe?u=79bbd1b1eb9f127517908fa4b&id=e6c0d5faca

A Food for the Journey event, Monday, February 17, will be held at St. Joseph's with a 6 p.m. Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, reflections, music, confessions, and more.

St. Richard's is hosting a Senior Social. All seniors are welcome to join in for an afternoon of games and a delicious lunch. If you plan on attending, please bring a dish to share or \$5 for lunch and your favorite game. Blood pressure checks will be offered. **Tuesday, February 4,** at noon in Vogel Hall. Elevator entrance is on the south side of the church on the ground level.

You are invited to a Mass of Welcome for Archbishop Jeffrey Grob, Tuesday, February 11, 6 p.m. at St. Lucy.

Our Community of Eight invites all newly married within the last five years to join us for a special event, Celebrating Marriage: Dinner Date. This is a catered dinner on **Friday, February 28,** at 6 p.m., at St. Sebastian's. It is just \$20 per couple. Please **RSVP by Sunday, February 9** to Eric Antrim at eantrim@stlucychurch.org. We hope to see you there.

Mmmm! A bowl of hot soup for those in need is the goal of the Catholic Community of Eight's Soup-er Bowl, January 12 - February 2.

Buy meal-type soups; bring a can or two to Mass with you!

SJ and SJN are teaming up for SVdP's Food Pantry.

WEEKEND THREE: 171



Belle City Catholic Young Adults (21-35-year-olds)

Holy Happy Hour

Tuesday, February 4

and every First Tuesday to follow

6 p.m. Mass, Sacred Heart Restaurant social to follow

Bowling Day

Sunday, February 16

3-5 p.m., Castle Lanes, 5615 Castle Court

Questions: Eric Antrim, eantrim@stlucychurch.org

Weekly Prayer

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

Lo, I am sending my messenger
to prepare the way before me;
and suddenly there will come to the temple
the LORD whom you seek. (Mal 3:1)

Psalm:

Who is this king of glory? It is the Lord! (Ps 24)

Second Reading:

Therefore, he had to become like his brothers
and sisters in every way,
that he might be a merciful and faithful high priest
before God. (Heb 2:17)

Gospel:

"Now, Master, you may let your servant go
in peace, according to your word,
for my eyes have seen your salvation." (Lk 2:29-30)

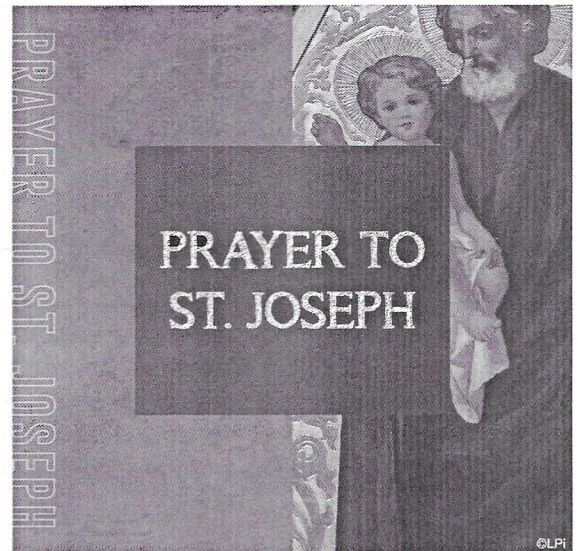
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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

Anna and Simeon saw greatness and
glory in the face of a tiny babe. Jesus was
insignificant in the eyes of others who looked
for the Messiah in the gilded halls of kings.
But Anna and Simeon recognized God when
they saw him. Do we?

Observances for the week of February 2, 2025

- Sunday:** The Presentation of the Lord, World Day for
Consecrated Life
- Monday:** St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr; St. Ansgar, Bishop
- Wednesday:** St. Agatha, Virgin and Martyr
- Thursday:** St. Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs
- Saturday:** St. Jerome Emiliani; St. Josephine Bakhita,
Virgin; BVM
- Next Sunday:** 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time, World Marriage Day



Devotions, *Explained!*

For centuries, Christians have
relied on the intercessory
prayers of Joseph, earthly
spouse of the Blessed Virgin
and foster father of Christ. One
particular novena prayer to
St. Joseph is often called "the
unfailing prayer to St. Joseph."

Prayer of Faith

Dear God,
Open my eyes to Your
movement in my life.
And, even when I don't see it
or don't understand, help me
to rely on the promises of Your
love and mercy.

Amen.

FEAST OF THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

FEBRUARY 2, 2025 | 05

GRACE AND PEACE TO YOU, MY BROTHERS AND SISTERS

This weekend, we celebrate the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord, commemorating the moment when Mary and Joseph brought the infant Jesus to the Temple in Jerusalem to present him to the Lord, as prescribed by the Law of Moses. This event is rich with spiritual significance and offers us profound lessons for our journey of faith.

Mary and Joseph, as faithful Jews and followers of God's will, decide to bring their child to offer him to God. This act of obedience invites us to reflect on our faithfulness to God's commandments and willingness to offer our lives to him. Obedience to God's will and following his commandments can sometimes be challenging, but that's our call. How are you obeying God's will? What do you find challenging?

Mary and Joseph encountered Simeon and Anna in the Temple, two elderly prophets waiting for the Messiah. Simeon's song of praise acknowledges Jesus as the "light for revelation to the Gentiles and the glory of your people Israel." A devout widow, Anna recognizes Jesus and speaks about him to all looking for redemption. This encounter highlights the fulfillment of God's promises and the joy of recognizing the presence of the Messiah. Simeon and Anna's faith and perseverance inspire us to remain hopeful and patient, trusting in God's timing and faithfulness. Pray about something you are waiting for in your life, imitating Anna and Simeon's trust and confidence.

Simeon's prophetic words to Mary, that Jesus is "destined for the fall and rising of many in Israel" and that a sword will pierce her soul, foreshadow the suffering and sacrifice that Jesus and Mary will endure. This reminds us that following Christ often involves challenges and sacrifices but also leads to the ultimate fulfillment of God's plan for salvation. Simeon prophesizes and feels that his life is fulfilled. Both suffering and a sense of fulfillment come from following the Lord. Suffering is a part of life; enduring suffering and trusting God's presence in our lives brings fulfillment. What are some challenges you are facing today that you need to endure and trust more in the Lord?

The Feast of the Presentation of the Lord calls us to reflect on obedience, faithfulness, trust, sacrifice, and fulfillment. As we commemorate this Feast, let us strive to offer our lives to God and trust his promises. Today, as we meditate on this Feast, let us be inspired by Mary, Joseph, Anna, and Simeon so that we can continue on Our Journey to Heaven.

Blessings,

Fr. Juan M. Camacho

SATURDAY

- 4:00 PM — ST. JOHN NEPOMUK*
- 4:00 PM — ST. LUCY
- 4:30 PM — SACRED HEART
- 4:30 PM — ST. SEBASTIAN

* AT SJN: NOV. 30, 2024 - MAY 24, 2025.
AT SJ: MAY 31, 2025 - NOV. 29, 2025.



CATHOLIC
COMMUNITY
OF EIGHT IN RACINE

SUNDAY

- 8:00 AM — ST. LUCY
- 8:30 AM — ST. EDWARD
- 8:30 AM — ST. PATRICK
- 9:00 AM — SACRED HEART
- 9:30 AM — ST. JOSEPH**
- 9:30 AM — ST. SEBASTIAN
- 10:00 AM — ST. RICHARD
- 10:30 AM — ST. PATRICK (SPANISH)
- 11:00 AM — ST. LUCY
- 12:00 PM — ST. PATRICK (SPANISH)
- 5:00 PM — ST. LUCY
- 6:00 PM — ST. PATRICK (SPANISH)

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