

Saint Joseph Catholic Church
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Palm Sunday

OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD



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**Christ became obedient to the point of death,
even death on a cross.
Because of this, God greatly exalted him
and bestowed on him the name which is above every name.**

Philippians 2:8-9

Saint Vincent DePaul Catholic Church
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Mass Schedule

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	St. Joseph
Sunday	8:45 a.m.	St. Vincent
	10:30 a.m.	St. Joseph
	1:00 p.m.	St. Joseph (Spanish)
Monday	5:00 p.m.	St. Vincent
Tuesday	8:15 a.m.	St. Joseph
	5:00 p.m.	St. Joseph
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	St. Vincent
Thursday	No Mass	
Friday	8:15 a.m.	St. Joseph
	6:00 p.m.	St. Joseph (1st Fri only)

Confession Schedule

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	St. Joseph
Sunday	8:15 a.m.	St. Vincent
	2:00 p.m.	St. Joseph
Monday	Noon	St. Joseph
	5:30 p.m.	St. Vincent
Friday	Noon	St. Joseph

By Appointment Anytime. Call Fr. Mike's cell phone at 812-391-0047.

Adoration Schedule

Mon & Fri	Noon-1:00 p.m.	St. Joseph
Monday	5:30 - 6:00 p.m.	St. Vincent
	6:00 - 7:00 p.m.	St. Joseph
Wednesday	6:00 - 7:00 p.m.	St. Joseph
1st Friday	9:00 a.m. Fri - 9:00 a.m. Sat	St. Joseph

Rosary

Saturday	4:30 p.m.	St. Joseph
Wednesday	5:30 p.m.	St. Vincent

Prayer Group

Friday	12:15 p.m.	St. Joseph
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Readings for the week of March 25 - April 1

Sunday:	Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16; (procession) Is 50:4-7; Ps 22: 8-9, 17-20, 23-24; Phil 2:6-11; Mk 14:1 — 15:47 [15:1-39]
Monday:	Is 42:1-7; Ps 27:1-3, 13-14; Jn 12:1-11
Tuesday:	Is 49:1-6; Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38
Wednesday:	Is 50:4-9a; Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31, 33-34; Mt 26:14-25
Thursday:	<u>Chrism Mass:</u> Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9; Ps 89:21-22, 25, 27; Rv 1:5-8;

Mass Intentions For The Week

Saturday	March 24, 2018
5:00 pm	Raymond and Mary Ann Zinser
Sunday	March 25, 2018
8:45 am	Walt and Sally Schwegman
10:30 am	For the Parishioners' Intentions
1:00 pm	Angel Rosales
Monday	March 26, 2018
5:00 pm	Jim and Marilyn Beyer
Tuesday	March 27, 2018
8:15 am	No Mass
5:00 pm	Mary Dell Schofner
Wednesday	March 28, 2018
8:00 am	Annebella Heahl
Thursday	March 29, 2018
7:00 pm	For the Parishioners' Intentions
7:00 pm	Dale Havens
Friday	March 30, 2018
3:00 am	Good Friday Service
7:00 pm	Good Friday Service
Saturday	March 31, 2018
9:00 pm	For the Parishioners' Intentions
Sunday	April 1, 2018
8:00 am	Connie Fischer
8:30 am	Ira "Charles" Duvelius
10:00 am	Daniel Pollman
10:30 am	Laura Goode
1:00 pm	Francisco Hernandez Mateo

Readings for the week of March 25 - April 1 Cont'd.

Thursday:	Lk 4:16-21 <u>Lord's Supper:</u> Ex 12:1-8, 11-14; Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15
Friday:	Is 52:13 — 53:12; Ps 31:2, 6, 12- 13, 15-17, 25; Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9; Jn 18:1 — 19:42
Saturday:	a) Gn 1:1 — 2:2 [1:1, 26-31a]; Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35; or Ps 33:4-7, 12-13, 20-22; b) Gn 22:1-18 [1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18]; Ps 16: 5, 8-11; c) Ex 14:15 — 15:1; Ex 15:1-6, d) Is 54:5-14; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13; e) Is 55:1-11; Is 12:2-6; f) Bar 3:9-15, 32 — 4:4; Ps 19:8-11; g) Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28; Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3-4 or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 or Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; 1 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7 or (at an afternoon or evening Mass) Lk 24:13-35
Sunday:	

St. Joseph News

1st Peter 4:10—

Like good stewards of... grace ...
serve one another... so that God may be gloried
in all things through Jesus Christ.

This Week I Glorified God in the following ways...

- ◊ Prayer _____ hours
- ◊ Volunteer work _____ hours
- ◊ Service/Parish _____ hours
- ◊ Service/Community _____ hours
- ◊ Visit Sick &/or Elderly _____ hours
- ◊ Lend a shoulder/hand _____ hours
- ◊ Mentor/Catechist _____ hours
- ◊ Talent/Creativity _____ hours
- ◊ Show forgiveness _____ hours
- ◊ Worship _____ hours
- ◊ Study/Evangelize _____ hours
- ◊ Other _____ hours
- ◊ I received _____ random acts of kindness.
- ◊ I bestowed _____ random acts of kindness.



NAME (optional) _____

*Each month we will compile a running total to reach our goal of
150 thousand hours of service*



St. Joseph 150th History

Memories of St. Joseph Parish Through the Eyes of Sister Noel Marie Worland

“Memories of St. Joseph Parish,” written by Sister Noel Marie Worland: “My first memory of St. Joseph Parish was in late August of 1921. In January of that year, my mother was called home to God and for the school year I stayed with my Grandmother Wheeler. My aunt took me to be registered for school in the convent, a little frame building located where the Sisters now live. All classrooms were in the basement of the church and our section served grades 4, 5, and 6. Sister Gertrude Humig was our teacher – my ideal and one I followed in my choice of life.”

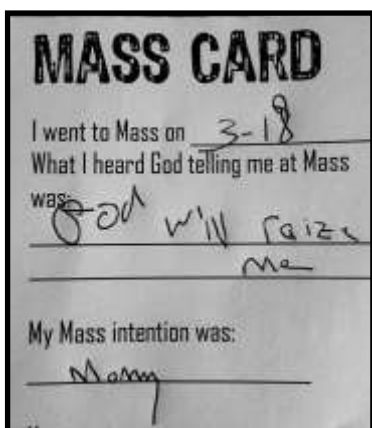
Sister Noel went on to St. Joseph High School in 1926 and graduated in 1930. She returned as teacher and principal from 1970-1980, and then served the next four years as DRE (Director of Religious Education) until she retired in 1984.

Special memories of that time included: weekly choir rehearsals with the children under the direction of Loretta Eckstein, who is a current parishioner; educational and sporting events; obtaining a full-time art and music teacher; beginning a band under the direction of Tim Madigan from the Switzer Music Store, and “celebrating my Golden Jubilee in religious life and the program given by the children under direction of Mrs. Max Kipfer and another by the Youth Group.”

Sister Noel went on to pen eternal gratitude to the school’s dedicated faculty. “Now in retirement I can pray that the parish and the school will continue to be blessed by an all-loving God.”

Prayer Warriors Needed

Now until March 25 is the very successful 40 Days for Life Campaign. Please remember to pray for women not to abort their babies during this time in a special way. The concentrated prayers of many at this time makes a great difference in the lives of unborn children who are in danger of abortion! Prayer works miracles! Offer your rosary, your Masses, your adoration time for the defeat of abortion to save babies. Please pray for the mother's and father's of these babies.



Pictorial Directories

If you had your picture taken or submitted a picture for the St. Joseph Pictorial Directory and you have not picked up your copy of the Directory, please stop in the Parish Office and pick it up. Thank you.

From the Desk of Fr. Mike

Dear Friends,

With Palm Sunday, we enter into the holiest week of the entire year. It's called Holy Week for that very reason. I think it is a shame that this is "Spring Break" in our neck of the woods, because Spring Break is supposed to be a time of relaxing and celebration, while Holy Week is a time of penance and fasting. It is hard when they are at the same time.

I would like to encourage everyone to come to our celebrations this week. Here are some ways to celebrate.

- **Palm Sunday** - Take your palms and put them up in the house, behind a cross of picture of Jesus.
- **Holy Monday** - It is believed that the cleansing of the temple took place on the Monday of the first Holy Week. Let's cleanse our temples--our houses, our bodies, our hearts.
- **Holy Tuesday** - The Chrism Mass at the Cathedral is at 2:00 p.m. this day. Come! It is a beautiful Mass.
- **Holy Wednesday** - Called Spy Wednesday because on this day Judas looked (spied) for a way to hand Jesus over. Consider: what have I traded for Jesus? What have I found more important than Sunday Mass? Daily prayer? Confession? Service to neighbor?
- **Holy Thursday** - We remember how Jesus celebrated the Last Supper and thereby instituted the priesthood and the Eucharist. Jesus washes his apostles' feet. The Mass on this day ends quietly and somberly. The Eucharistic procession goes around the church and it's beautiful. Jesus will be in the tabernacle on our side altar until 11:00 p.m. It's a good time to spend time with Jesus before he goes about his passion - just as the apostles spent time with Jesus in the garden before he went to the cross.
- **Good Friday** - Our service will be at 3:00 p.m., the very hour that we believe Jesus died. On Good Friday we kiss the cross. Without it, and without what Jesus did on it, we wouldn't have salvation. We have a share in the cross in our own lives. We need to kiss our daily crosses too, because they are a participation in His Holy Cross.
- **Holy Saturday** - Easter Vigil at 9:00 p.m.! MY FAVORITE MASS OF THE YEAR!!!

The mother of all vigils. We hear our salvation story, there are baptisms and confirmations, there is the holy fire penetrating the darkness, there is so much to this Mass! I love it and encourage everyone to come. It is long, but amazing and beautiful! We have about 20 people getting their sacraments this year...GREAT!!!

- **Easter Sunday** - We continue the celebration of the Lord's rising from the dead. We have an extra Mass at St Joe and at St. Vincent because so many people come. Bring EVERYONE. See the schedule in this bulletin.

I pray we all enter into this week prayerfully and with great love and gratitude for Jesus and all he has done for us.

My prayers and love!
Fr. Mike



PILGRIMAGE OF A LIFETIME TO LOURDES AND MEDJUGORJE JULY 16-26, 2018

**Rev. Michael Keucher
(Chaplain)**

**Come away and spend time with
Our Blessed Mother**

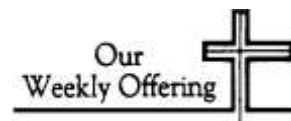
at these beautiful and miraculous sites.

For More Information contact the Marian

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Online Information and Itinerary available:

www.mariancenterofindianapolis.com



March 18, 2018 - Regular Collection

Budgeted Sunday Collection: \$ 14,200.00

Due to the early deadline for this weekend's bulletin, financial information for the weekend of March 18th will be published in the April 1st Bulletin.

Thanks for your generosity! It is amazing what God can do when we are generous. Please be sure to remember St. Joseph Parish in your will!

St. Joseph Open Enrollment

Open Enrollment for 2018-2019 school year has started for St. Joseph School for 2-year-old program, preschool program and our K-5 classes. Registration for our upcoming Kindergarten Class is **FULL!** We are starting a waiting list, please contact the school office if you are interested in Kindergarten. Thank You! Anyone interested in registering for any class needs to fill out the registration information using the link below or call the School Office at 317-398-4202.

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St. Joe Spring Festival

May 10 - 13

Requesting Donations of Drinks: The Festival Committee is asking for donations of soft drinks, water and Gatorade to sell at the festival. Donations of cases of 12-ounce cans of Coke, Diet Coke, Sprite and Mountain Dew; cases of 16-ounce (16.9) bottles of water; and of 20-ounce bottles of Gatorade can be put in the Narthex or dropped off at the Parish Office.



Race for Vocations

To sign up for the Race for Vocations on **Saturday, May 5th**, which Fr. Mike is organizing for the entire Diocese. Please go online to raceforvocations.org. Father

wants 100 people to register from Shelbyville.... We have 31 so far. You can run or walk a 5K or the Mini. Father will be doing the mini and would love the company!

Youth Group Meeting Schedule

March 25 - 6:00 p.m. Youth Group Meeting

April 1 - No Meeting

Muffins With Mom Donuts with Dad



HUNGER



MEAL

CRS Rice Bowls

**Encounter
Our Neighbors**

We encounter Jesus this week in Jerusalem, a community he knew well. We prayerfully enter our own communities too, encountering those who are hungry and thirsty, those who need our help. How does our Lenten journey motivate us to serve those we meet in our daily lives? Visit crsricebowl.org for more.

St. Joseph News



Monday thru Saturday

Lunch from 11:00 am - 1:00 p.m.

Phone: 317-398-9914

Dinners

Friday evening from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

2nd Sunday of each month from 11:00 - 1:00 p.m.

Wing and Shrimp Night

Wednesday evening from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Served Hot, Honey Garlic and BBQ

Bingo

Thursday evening from 7:00 - 10:00 p.m.

Golf League

Tuesday evening 5:30 pm at Bear Chase

Knights of Columbus Meeting Dates

Council Meeting: 8:15 pm: (1st & 3rd Wednesday)

Finance Meeting: 7:00 pm: (1st Wednesday)

Columbian Homes Mtg.: 7:00 pm: (3rd Wednesday)



Movie Night

Mark your Calendar! St. Joseph and St. Vincent Parishes are having a Movie Night at Studio 10 Cinema on **Wednesday, April 4th evening (time will be confirmed in next week's Bulletin)** for the showing of "I Can Only Imagine". When you purchase your ticket, please tell them you are from St. Joseph or St. Vincent and you will receive a discount of \$2.00. A ticket will be \$6.00 instead of \$8.00.

Open for Business!

Our Society of St. Vincent DePaul of Shelby County is now open.

Our phone number is: **317-395-7027**

Our email is: **ShelbyCountySVdP@gmail.com**

Thank you to everyone for your support. Regular meetings are held on the second and fourth Mondays of each month from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. in the St. Vincent Parish Hall. Jim Carrier may be reached at jimcarrier1@gmail.com. He will be happy to add you to the list of people that want to be kept abreast of the goings-on.

St. Joseph News

Collection Counters Schedule

March 26	Betsy Stephen's Team
April 2	Teresa Wood's Team
April 9	Tom Duvelius' Team
April 16	Nancy Nolting's Team

Upcoming Events/Meetings

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>
March 25	11:45 a.m.	Lent Book Study
March 26	6:00 p.m.	Adoration
March 28	6:00 p.m.	Adoration/Vespers
March 28	7:00 p.m.	Lent Book Study
March 30	5:30 p.m.	Stations of the Cross



EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Month of April:

Saturday Mass at 5:00 p.m.

Host: Teri Mackey, Paul Nolting, and Sue Rudicel

Cup: LeRoy Martin, Camille Woods, Jessica Zuroske and Alice Brown

Sunday Mass at 10:30 a.m.

Host: Bob Carmony, Mike Johnson, and Beth Schoentrup

Cup: Pauline or Steve Lancaster,

Jerry Lux, Gary Sheets and Mary Kay Hart

LECTORS - March 31 & April 1

Saturday Mass at 9:00 p.m.

Karen Martin, Sister Joan Miller, Alice Brown, Rhonda Meriwether, Terri Runnebohm

Sunday Mass at 8:30 a.m.

To Be Assigned

Sunday Mass at 10:30 a.m.

Viola Miller and Steven Lancaster

USHERS - Month of April:

Saturday Mass at 5:00 p.m.

Elizabeth Fallis, Brad Jones, Jill Jones, and Steve Woods

Sunday Mass at 10:30 a.m.

Ed Moody, Sara Moody, Matt Settles, and Bryan Waltz

MUSIC SCHEDULE - March 31 & April 1

Saturday Mass at 9:00 p.m.

Aaron Dixon

Sunday Mass at 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Aaron Dixon

St. Vincent News

Sr. Joan's Corner

Dear Parishioners,

This Sunday we begin the most blessed week of the whole church year. We even call it "Holy Week". This Sunday's celebration "Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion" has two main sections, which present a jarring contrast. During the First part Jesus is treated as King. We sing Hosannas! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! This part doesn't last very long. Then the Second part begins and Jesus is treated as a criminal and slave. During the reading of the Passion, Jesus is ridiculed, mocked, and pushed around and finally crucified. This week as we take time to pray, you might read the readings again much slower thinking about every sentence. Then talk to Jesus about how you treat him. Do you more often praise and thank him as if he is your King? Or all your conversations with Jesus about what you want him to do for you, like a slave? I suspect that with most of us, there is a combination of both. Let's talk to Jesus about it this week.

Sr. Joan

We joyfully share our gifts to nourish the community. ---- St. Vincent Purpose Statement



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Praying the Rosary

Please join us to pray the Rosary at St. Vincent Church on **Wednesday, March 28th at 5:30 p.m.** in the Parish Hall.

St. Vincent's St. Ann Altar Society Spring Rummage Sale

The Annual Spring St. Ann Altar Society Rummage Sale is scheduled for **Friday, April 6th and Saturday, April 7th, from 7:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** Please bring your clean, usable rummage and put it in Sr. Joan's garage any time. Baked goods are also needed. If you can help with set-up, customer assistance during the sale and or clean-up on Saturday, please contact Eileen Settles at 765-525-9956.



Passion

The contrast between the processional reading in today's liturgy and the proclamation of the Passion is striking. We are given a glimpse of how profoundly the word of God is fulfilled in Jesus.

First he must be hailed as the Messiah, the One who is to come. He must be acknowledged by all, though they do not know what they are saying. They think he is the promised king, a worldly king of the Jews who will free them from the Roman occupation. They do not yet understand, even the disciples, exactly where this triumphal procession is leading. In our lives, we too do not know where we are going. It is in faith that we can follow Christ wherever he may lead us, trusting that death is not the end, nor evil the victor.

Today's Readings

Gospel at the Procession with Palms — Jesus' entry into Jerusalem

(Mark 11:1-10 or John 12:12-16).

First Reading — In spite of my sufferings I am not disgraced. I am not put to shame (Isaiah 50:4-7).

Psalm — My God, my God, why have you abandoned me? (Psalm 22).

Second Reading — Christ emptied himself, and God filled this emptiness with exaltation (Philippians 2:6-11).

Gospel — The account of Christ's passion according to Mark (Mark 14:1 — 15:47 [15:1-39]).

St. Joseph/St. Vincent News

15th Annual St. Vincent Charity Tea

SAVE THE DATE! This year's Charity Tea is on **Saturday, April 21 at 1:30 p.m.** in the St. Vincent Parish Hall. This year all proceeds will go to the newly formed Society of St. Vincent de Paul of St. Joseph and St. Vincent de Paul Parishes Conference. In conjunction with this year's Tea, we will be offering everyone an opportunity to support this organization. We will raffle a beautiful quilt, crafted by the Bear Paw Quilters Guild and donated by the Rosenfeld family in memory of Mark Rosenfeld. Tickets are \$5.00 each or 5 for \$20.00. To purchase raffle tickets, contact Marla Comstock at 317-364-2292. License #140790. Tea tickets are now available and the cost remains at \$20.00. To purchase tickets contact: Joan Knight at 765-461-7834, Gale Zauss at 765-525-9789, Tammy Jones at 317-364-2643 or Pat Barley at 765-265-7195. If you would like to help with preparation and clean-up for the Tea, please contact Joan Knight at 765-461-7834.

Good Friday Collection

Pope Francis has asked St. Joseph's and St. Vincent's Parishes to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land. When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you become an instrument of peace and join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. Please be Generous!



The Passion of the Christ

Please join us for the viewing of "The Passion of the Christ" on **Good Friday, March 30th**, in St. Joe's basement, **after the 5:30 p.m.** Stations of the Cross.

Divine Mercy Celebrations

Divine Mercy Prayer Services will be on **Sunday, April 8th at St. Vincent's Church from 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.**

A Juan Carlos Concert in Spanish will be on **Sunday, April 8th at St. Joseph's Church from 2:00 - 5:00 p.m.**



Stations of the Cross

St. Joseph

Fridays at 5:30 p.m.



Holy Week and Easter Sunday Mass Schedule

Please see the Combined, St. Joseph and St. Vincent Holy Week schedule below:

March 29th - Holy Thursday - Masses

Washing of the Feet at 7:00 p.m.
at St. Joseph

Washing of the Feet with Fr. Paul
at 7:00 p.m. at St. Vincent

March 30th - Good Friday -

3:00 p.m. Service at St. Joseph,
5:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross at
St. Joseph

Service at 7:00 p.m. at St. Vincent
with Sr. Joan

March 31st - Holy Saturday - Easter Vigil

Mass - at 9:00 p.m. at St. Joseph

April 1st - Easter Sunday -

Masses at 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m.
(English) and 1:00 p.m. (Spanish)
at St. Joseph

Masses 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.
at St. Vincent

Lent Worship at St. Joseph Church

Spend some quiet time with Jesus. St. Joseph Church is open from 7:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. each day thru Lent.

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Mass Notes

This spot is available to write down your notes or thoughts.

Bulletin Submission

Please submit your **written** and **email** items for the bulletin by **9:00 a.m. on Monday**. Please send to: Bulletin@sjsshelbyville.org All items must be received by **9:00 a.m. on Monday** in order to be included in the bulletin for the following weekend. Thank you!

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Prayer Shawl Ministry

The Prayer Shawl will meet on **Tuesday, March 27th at 6:00 p.m.** We will meet at the home of Gary and Lou Ann Ryhal, 528 Third St., Shelbyville. Any questions, please call 317-398-7464. Leave a message if we are not available. **There will be NO meetings in April and May!**