

# ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

9 North Alton Street Freeburg, Illinois 62243 (618)539-3209

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## PARISH STAFF DIRECTORY

Rev. Mark D. Reyling - Pastor  
Mrs. Judy Bentler - Administrative Assistant

## PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Mrs. Dawn Dossett - PSR Coordinator  
Mrs. Rosie Buchmiller - RCIA/RENEW Contact  
Mr. Leo Wolf - Sunday Morning Bible Study  
Mrs. Georgia Huelsman - Youth Ministry Contact

## ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL (539-3930)

Mr. Russ Hart - Assistant Superintendent  
Miss Kimberly Ruef - Principal  
Mrs. Michelle Miller, Athletic Director  
Mrs. Sarah Keeley - School Secretary  
Mr. Matt Zittel - Chairperson, School Board  
Mr. Randy Elser - Vice-Chairperson, School Board  
Mrs. Roni Juracek - Secretary, School Board

## LITURGY AND MUSIC

Mr. Jeff Smythe - Liturgical Coordinator  
Mrs. Jean Reinneck - Music Director  
Mrs. Carol Schlitt - Choir Director  
Mr. Michael Green - Organist

## PARISH MAINTENANCE AND GROUNDS

Mr. Rick Barthel  
Mr. Lucas Wolf  
Mr. Christopher Kuester

## PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Mr. Mike Vogel - President  
Mr. Tom Buchmiller - Vice-President  
Mrs. Doris Danford - Secretary  
Mr. Matt Zittel - School Board Rep.  
Mr. Tom Reaka  
Mr. Bill Schwartz  
Mr. John Tolan

## PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Mr. Andy Schilling  
Mr. Rich Ostman  
Mrs. Diane Schaefer  
Mrs. Josie Schwab

## PARISH TRUSTEES

Mr. Frank Heiligenstein and Mr. Tim Keeley, Sr.

## ORGANIZATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

Men's Club	Frank Srogus
Women's Club	Darlene Phelps
Parish Quilters	Betty Sommer
Church Choir	Carol Schlitt
Community Care	John Tolan and Denise Albers
Vacation Bible School	Rebecca Miller
Catholic Holy Family Society	Charlie Merker
Athletics Committee	Karen Kuester
Parish Picnic	Bill & Diane Schaefer
Parents, Teachers and Friends (PTF)	Angie Mueller
Cursillo	Roni Juracek
Welcoming Committee	Lori Kreher
Food and Clothing Bank	Mary Ann Wild
Knights of Columbus	James Zinck
Bishop Wm. M. Cosgrove Assy	Kevin Schoenborn
Parish Newsletter	Jeff Smythe and Jean Reinneck
School Dinner Auction	Randy Elser

## PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

St. Joseph Parish is a Catholic community of faith responding to the call of Jesus Christ through the proclamation of the Word of God, the celebration of the Eucharist, and in living the sacramental life of the Church.

We are committed to responding to each other through ministries of faith and love, addressing our spiritual, social and educational needs.

We believe that each of us is called to be a supportive, compassionate and caring Christian witness in Freeburg, the Diocese of Belleville and in the world.

# July 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>TUESDAYS</b> Adoration 8AM— Wednesday 8AM Prayer Hour at 7PM	5 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED 7PM HS Youth Mtg	6	7	8	9	10
4	12	13 7PM Assembly 3151 meeting	14 7:30PM Men's Club	15 7PM K/C Council 13197 meeting	16 COMMUNION CALLS	3
11	19	20	21 7PM Parish Council (gathering)	22 7PM Finance Council Meeting	23 7PM Euchar	24
18	26	27	28 6PM School Board	29	30	31

**July 17 - July 18: 16th Sunday In Ordinary Time**

	Jul 17, 5:00 PM (Mass)	Jul 18, 7:00 AM (Mass)	Jul 18, 10:00 AM (Mass)
Extraordinary Minister- Bread	Leonard Hilmes Mary Niemann Sara Keeley	Diana Kasper	Trudy Matchett Ramon Matchett Roni Juracek
Extraordinary Minister - Cup	Dottie Freudenberg Vernnetta Buss	Dolores Nehring Clare Wiskamp	Karen Rau Jan McDonald Dottie Freudenberg Susan Nold
Altar Server	Jonathan Kraus B Blake Kreher C Lucas Leonhardt S	Alyssa Miller Brendan Miller	Darren Dossett B Drew Isaacs S Jordan Swierczek C
Minister of Hospitality	Jim Feurer Jared Kraus Joey Kraus Scott Kraus	John Dittmann Rich Schaefer Herb Wilhelm <b>Need One</b>	Anna Marie Crowe Jack Crowe Dave Dossett Mark Wolf
Lector	Kelli Kreher	Herb Vollmer	David Biver
Cantor	Jeff Smythe	Jeff Miller	Robin Schuetzenhofer
Care Center Minister			Catherine Wolf Leo Wolf Oscar Skaer Rose Skaer
Organist	Evan Gaubatz	Evan Gaubatz	Evan Gaubatz
TWB			



Monday, July 12th	No Mass
Tuesday, July 13th 8:00AM	Weekday Lou Ann Feurer
Wednesday, July 14th 8:00AM	Memorial of Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin Vivian Wuest
Thursday, July 15th 8:00AM	Memorial of St. Bonaventure Dave Decker
Friday, July 16th 8:00AM	Weekday John Paul Klein
Saturday, July 17th 5:00PM	16th Sunday in Ordinary Time Evelyn Heiligenstein
Sunday, July 18th 7:00 AM 10:00 AM	16th Sunday in Ordinary Time John Lickenbrock Richard Ernst

**ST. JOSEPH'S PRAYER LIST**

Please keep in your prayers:

Frank Heiligenstein,  
Doris Firnkes,  
Debbie Pazderka,  
Alan Mathews,  
Wayne Forcade, Mary  
Bergman, Walter Zahn,  
Joan Zahn,  
Kenny Groennert,  
Rosemary Crowe,  
Bea Elden, Jennie Crowe,  
Amanda Crowe,  
Ron Dintelmann,  
Peggy Hess, John Gibbs,  
Joyce Massmann,  
Donald Crabtree,  
Raymond Nast,  
Adam Jokisch, Jr.,  
Liz Lannert.



*Pray for the Sick*

Call Judy or Fr. Mark at 539-3209 to add or remove someone from the list.

**"Names will remain on the prayer list for 5 weeks and then will be removed unless the office is notified to the contrary."**

**50/50 CLUB TICKETS**

Are available on the registers in back of church. Once again tickets can be returned in the collection basket, either monthly or all 12 tickets in January.

**JULY FOOD PARTRY NEEDS:**

Toothpaste, shampoo, dish detergent, pork-n-beans, cereal, jello or pudding.

**PARISH PICNIC NEWS**

**Worker Survey:** at this weekend's masses and the weekend of July 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> we will ask you to fill out a "Worker Survey", stating what stand you would be willing to help out with. Please be generous with you time as **we need all of you** to make this event a success.

**Stand Chairs:** At this time we are looking for someone to serve as stand chairs for the following stands:

Novelty Stand  
Stuffed Animal Stand  
Chicken Dinner Carry Outs

If you can serve please call Diane Schaefer @ 473-3158 or indicate this on the worker survey.

**Basket Stand:** Is still looking for donations of: already filled baskets, empty baskets and items to fill those baskets. Please place these items on the porch of the "sister-less" house. If you prefer to donate cash please place in the Sunday collection in an envelope marked basket stand. Your monetary donation will be used to purchase items or to buy already made baskets.

**Stuffed Animals:** If you have "like new condition" stuffed animals and don't want them anymore we would be glad to take them off your hands. Please place those critters on the porch of the "sister-less" house.

**Did you know?** Our parish picnic is a great way to meet and interact with your parish family. Don't get me wrong it's still work but it's fun! Don't put off becoming involved!

**Please continue your prayers for another successful and fun filled picnic!**

**HELP SUPPORT OUR TROOPS**

The Veterans Outreach and Education Center (VOEC), a not-for-profit organization located outside Scott Air Force Base, needs YOUR HELP. We need names, APO addresses and return dates for locally deployed troops. We will send them "Packages of Care". We also need the items to send in these packages...snack foods, toiletries, fun items, love from home. For additional information about our organization, please visit our website - [www.voec.org](http://www.voec.org), contact us at [voec4051@yahoo.com](mailto:voec4051@yahoo.com) or call us at 904-294-0130. Contacts from individuals or groups are most welcome. Thank you for your consideration and help.

**ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL 2010-2011 INFORMATION**

The school calendar, school supplies lists for each grade, and sports physical forms are available on the school website [www.stjosephfreeburg.org/our\\_school.htm](http://www.stjosephfreeburg.org/our_school.htm)

**BULLETIN BOARD ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Please refer to the bulletin board in Church for details.

July 13—Next Chapter Separated/Divorced Support Group  
2620 Lebanon Ave. 7PM to 8:30PM

July 17—St. Bruno's 23rd Annual Parish Picnic located between the parish grounds and K.C. Hall in Pinckneyville, IL Beginning with mass at 3PM.

July 24—St. Charles Church Picnic, Parish Grounds, DuBois, IL. 3:00PM-10:30PM

August 7—St. James Millstadt, Summer Festival 4:00PM-?

**JULY CALENDAR ITEMS**

If you have calendar items for the parish calendar, please email them to [jbentler@stjosephfreeburg.org](mailto:jbentler@stjosephfreeburg.org) so that they can be included on the calendar.

**HAIRSPRAY THE MUSICAL:**

Althoff Catholic Family and Friends Presents a Fund Raiser Production of Hairspray the Musical. Show dates are July 22-23 -24 at 7:30 PM each night. The show is in Heritage Hall at Althoff High School in Belleville. Tickets are \$ 10.00 and can be purchased by calling 618-660-5618.

**ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

**NOW ENROLLING K - 8TH GRADE**

*Students at St. Joseph Excel!*

Accredited by the State of Illinois and the Diocese of Belleville

- Students scored in the top 20% nationwide on 2009 Iowa Test of Basic Skills testing.
- The average student (grades 3-8) reads at 1 ½ levels above their current grade level.
- 50% of H.S. seniors that graduated from St. Joseph achieved National Honor Society.
- St. Joseph School is the only local school to earn the Renaissance Reading Master School Award (the highest award for accelerated reading) for the past three years.

**Tuition Incentives for Catholic Families:**

**50% Off Tuition for First-Time Students**

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**Tuition Incentives for Non-Catholic Families:**

**\$500 Reduced Tuition for Non-Catholic Students**

*(Call School for Details)*

**CALL TO TAKE A TOUR!**

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PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**ABOUT THIS WEEKS GOSPEL**

Luke 10: 25-37

It is not difficult to discuss neighborliness in the abstract, but it costs something to be a real neighbor. Do you pause to help when you see injustice and hurt, or like the priest and the Le-vite, do you look for an escape? You are never more Christ like than when you feel another's hurt and seek to help.

**BEER AND SODA FOR PARISH CENTER EVENTS**

Order beer and soda 2 weeks in advance for a special event. If you would like kegs or wine please order 4 weeks in advance. Sue Moritz, 539-0043

**PRIZES FOR MAIN OR QUILT RAFFLES FOR CHURCH PICNIC**

If anyone has anything they would like to donate for the raffles for the church picnic; please call me at 234-5914 or 618-540-8945 or e-mail me at [snuffy6297@att.net](mailto:snuffy6297@att.net). Suggestion for prizes- cash, gift certificates, tickets, services, or misc. items. Deadline is June 6 so I can get the tickets printed. Thanks, Joyce Neff

**PART -TIME POSITION AVAILABLE**

Extended Care assistant needed everyday after school from 3:00-5:30. Must be over 18 and have child protection training (classes are still available). Please contact Vicki Feldker if you have question or are interested. 410-5002

**WEEKLY READINGS**

July 11 through July 18, 2010

Sunday: Dt 30:10-14 Ps 69:14,17,30-31,33-34,36,37 Col 1:15-20 Lk 10:25-37

Monday: Is 1:10-17 Ps 50:8-9,16bc-17,21,23 Mt 10:34-11:1

Tuesday: Is 7:1-9 Ps 48:2-8 Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday: Is 10:5-7,13b-16 Ps 94:5-10,14-15 Mt 11:25-27

Thursday: Is 26:7-9,12,16-19 Ps 102:13-14ab,15-21 Mt 11:28-30

Friday: Is 38:1-6,21-22,7-8 (Ps) Is 38:10-12,16 Mt 12:1-8

Saturday: Mi 2:1-5 Ps 10:1-4,7-8,14 Mt 12:14-21

Sunday: Gn 18:1-10a Ps 15:2-5 Col 1:24-28 Lk 10:38-42

**SAVE THE DATE:**

Chicken and Beer Dance, St. Joseph Parish Center Saturday, September 25th, 2010 -8pm-12am. Including live music and silent auction. Sponsored by the Men's Club



**SCHOOL NEWS**

**KINDERGARTEN CLASS NEEDS YOUR HELP!**  
The Kindergarten is in need of donations for the next school year. Please contact the school at 539-3930 if you are able to donate play food, costumes, baby dolls and clothes. Thank you for your continued support for St. Joseph Catholic School.

**ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL GOLF TOURNAMENT**

It is the 15th Annual St. Joseph School Golf Tournament. It is being held on August 7th at York Town Golf course. All proceeds support the schools athletic programs. Contact: Dave Oberholtzer 539-5611



**MyCokeRewards for schools** is a way for parents, friends, and others in the community to support our school by donating points which can be earned from hundreds of participating Coca-Cola products. St. Joseph School can turn donated points into a variety of rewards that support students including classroom tools, art supplies and sports gear. **We need your help collecting codes found on individual bottles, 12-packs and cases of Coca-Cola products!**

A container is located in the back of church to deposit codes. For questions regarding the program, please contact Stacy Collins at 539-3864 or Randy Elser at 539-5035.



**PARISH CALENDAR**

Monday, July 12		
Tuesday, July 13	8:00AM	Mass
		Eucharistic Adoration
	7:00PM	Prayer Hour
	7:00PM	K/C Assembly 3151 meeting
Wednesday, July 14	8:00AM	Mass
	7:30PM	Men's Club
Thursday, July 15	8:00AM	Mass
Friday, July 16	8:00AM	Mass
Saturday, July 17	1:30PM	Wedding
	4:30PM	Confessions
	5:00PM	Mass
Sunday, July 18	7:00AM	Mass
	10:00AM	Mass

**BUILDING TODAY FOR TOMORROW  
PROGRESS REPORT  
7 July 2010**

Fund Drive	
Goal	\$1,300,000.00
Pledges Received (275)*	<u>\$859,455.98</u>
Amount Remaining	\$440,544.02
Monies Received	
Total Pledges	\$859,455.98
Pledge Payment Rec'd	<u>\$736,056.94</u>
Amount Remaining	\$123,056.94
Loan from the Diocese	
Total Borrowed	\$887,726.00
Total Paid to Date	<u>\$173,467.50</u>
Balance	\$704,258.50

Dear Parish Family,



This past Sunday, we as a nation celebrated July 4<sup>th</sup>. We all know the significance of that celebration – to recall and remember our nation's independence and the sacrifices made by many during our country's history to maintain that freedom. July 4<sup>th</sup> was particularly different for me this year.

Tony Boster and I have known each other since high school. If there were someone who I could call my best friend...It would be Tony. I will either drive up to see him on my day off or will talk to him on the phone sometime during the week. Tony probably knows everything there is to know about me. Some of you met him when he came and stayed one evening while making flight connections.

He and his wife (Shelly) and their two high school age kids live in Springfield, IL now. Tony has been full-time in the Illinois National Guard since 1989. Just recently he was promoted to Sergeant Major.

This July 4<sup>th</sup>, Tony was on his way to Egypt for deployment. It was something that I thought about all day...would he be safe? Also, I had to realize that the one person who I have talked to about everything...every year of teaching...every year of seminary...every parish assignment...everything – is now not just a short drive or phone call away.

When I went up to see Tony and Shelly before he left, I gave him my St. Michael medal. Tony isn't Catholic, but I wanted him to have it while he was away. I told him that I wanted it back...with him home safe and sound.

I always remember in prayer the many men and women who serve in the military; especially those who are serving in a foreign land. Just as this 4<sup>th</sup> of July was different for me...that prayer will have a very different meaning.

Have a good week,  
Fr. Mark



**COLLECTION FOR THE WEEKEND OF  
July 3-4, 2010**

Envelopes	\$6,009.00
Loose	\$1461.00
Total (GOAL: \$8000.00)	\$7,990.00
Peter Pence	\$30.00
Votive Candles	\$280.00

**FISCAL YEAR TO DATE INFORMATION**  
(calculated on weekly envelopes only)

Collections required to date:	\$8,000.00
Total Collected to date:	\$7,990.00