

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

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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
Mrs. Charlotte Vielweber - 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.

August 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 College Student Blessing at 10am Mass	2 7PM HS Youth Mtg 7PM Cursillo Group- ing	3 10 7PM HS Youth Mtg 7PM Assembly 3151 meeting	4 11 7:30PM Men's Club	5 12	6 COMMUNION CALLS	7 14 2PM Wedding HOLY DAY VIGIL
8	9 7PM Women's Club 7PM Cursillo Group- ing	10	11	12	13 7:30PM Belleville Ultreya	14 2PM Wedding HOLY DAY VIGIL
15 HOLY DAY	16 School of Leaders	17	18 7PM Parish Council	19	20	21 1PM Wedding 4PM Mass (Homecoming)
22	23 7PM Cursillo Group- ing 1st Day of School	24	25 6PM School Board	26	27 7PM Eucharist Tourna- ment	28
29	30 7PM Cursillo Group- ing	31		ADORATION Tuesday after Mass until Wednesday Mass Prayer Hour @ 7PM	Bible Study: Sunday at 8:15am.	

August 7 - August 8: 19th Sunday In Ordinary Time

	Aug 7, 5:00 PM (Mass)	Aug 8, 7:00 AM (Mass)	Aug 8, 10:00 AM (Mass)
Extraordinary Minister- Bread	Alex Nast Doris Danford Leonard Hilmes	Clare Wiskamp	Ramon Matchett Trudy Matchett Robin Schuetzenhofer
Extraordinary Minister - Cup	Tom Reaka Margie Reaka	Dave Wiskamp John Dittmann	Pat Albers JoAnn Vosse Jeanette Schweiger Shelley Wolf
Altar Server	Ashley Ford C Lucas Leonhardt B Brennan Dermody S	Andrew Schanuel Darren Dossett	Adam Davitz S Evan Oberholtzer B Devin Vonderheide C
Minister of Hospitality	Need One Thomas Kreher DeeDee Ostman Rich Ostman	Matthew Waller Curtis Wolf Paul Wolf Need One	David Biver Jeff Middendorf Robert Schweiger Tony Welsch
Lector	Paula Hilmes	Diana Kasper	Roni Juracek
Cantor	Sue DeLorme	Carol Schlitt	Pat Herzing
Care Center Minister			Darlene Beisiegel Geraldyn Erwin Dottie Freudenberg Toni Smith
Organist	Michael Green	Michael Green	Michael Green
TWB			



Monday, Aug. 2nd	No Mass
Tuesday, Aug. 3rd 8:00AM	Weekday Lucinda M. and Robert J. Koesterer
Wednesday, Aug. 4th 8:00AM	St. John Vianney John Paul Klein
Thursday, Aug. 5th 8:00AM	Weekday Evelyn Nast
Friday, Aug. 6th 8:00AM	Transfiguration Of The Lord Jean Marchbanks
Saturday, Aug. 7th 5:00PM	19th Sunday in Ordinary Time 65th Wedding Anniversary Eugene and Adele Maurer
Sunday, Aug.8th 7:00 AM 10:00 AM	19th Sunday in Ordinary Time Al Radake Charlie Germaine

ST. JOSEPH'S PRAYER LIST

Please keep in your prayers:

Frank Heiligenstein,
Doris Firnkes,
Debbie Pazderka,
Wayne Forcade,
Mary Bergman,
Kenny Groennert,
Rosemary Crowe,
Bea Elden, Jennie Crowe,
Amanda Crowe, Ron Dintelmann, Walter Zahn, Joan Zahn, John Gibbs, Dick Raffel, Joyce Massmann, Raymond Nast, Adam Jokisch, Jr., Liz Lannert, Adele Maurer, Kim Wyman,, Tristan Callahan, Victor Mueth, Joe Shaffer.



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.

AUGUST FOOD PARTRY NEEDS:

Spaghetti sauce, pasta, hamburger helper, oatmeal, pork and beans.

PARISH PICNIC NEWS

MAIN AND QUILT RAFFLES

Tickets for St. Joe's church picnic are now available. Tickets were handed out the weekend of July 24/25. If you didn't get yours or you need more; tickets are located in the back of church on the registers and in the Parish Center's lobby. They are the Catholic special price of \$1 each or 6 for \$5. They can be turned in anytime in the collection basket or at the Parish Office when Judy is there or the nights of the picnic. Please mark the envelope "picnic raffle". Please help support our parish by purchasing 1 envelope (\$20 worth) per family. Thank you for your support.

Meeting Date

The next and final meeting before the picnic will be August 18th at 7:30pm in the parish center. Mark you calendars and plan to attend!

Commissary Order

Please note if your stand has an order to be place for food, utensils, cups, napkin or plastic containers of any kind please contact Dan Sliment 789-1932 or Tony Erwin @ 277-9442 by **August 15th. This is the last day to order !**

Raffle Tickets

The raffle tickets are here and have been handed out if you need or want extra tickets they will be available in the back of church. The Quilt raffle features a handmade Christmas Quilt as the Grand Prize, while the Main raffle offers a \$500.00 1st prize. Help the picnic by selling those tickets. Thanks!

Funnel Cake Stand

The funnel cake stand is looking for a "fryer" on Saturday night. If you can help out please call Robin Schuetzenhoefer at 539-5043.

T-Shirts

We will again be offering a picnic t-shirt for sale the color will be a bright green, available in men's, women's, and children sizes. Order forms will be passed out in church this weekend. They will also be available on the radiators in the back of church. **Last date to place an order will be Sunday August 15th.**

Stand Set-Up

Mark your calendars for Saturday Sept. 4th with a rain date of Sept. 5th.

BULLETIN BOARD ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please refer to the bulletin board in Church for details.

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

August 7—St. Anthony's Picnic and Chicken Dinner 4PM-?

August 7—St. Francis Church Picnic, Aviston, IL 3:30PM-?

August 13 & 14—St. John the Baptist Catholic Church 140th Annual Picnic. 3PM– Midnight

August 14—St. Rose Festival, in St. Rose, IL. Located between Breese & Highland 3PM.

August 21—St. Augustine Annual Kirchenfest , Hecker, IL. Hecker Community Center Grounds. 3PM-?

August 27 & 28—Holy Childhood Mascoutah Annual Church Picnic 5:00PM - ?

STORAGE SPACE: St Joseph's is looking for a space to store 2 completely contain van trailers. These trailers are used to store the picnic stands and will be moved once a year for picnic use. If you have the room, please contact Diane or Bill Schaefer at 473-3158.

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

FREEBURG HOMECOMING

Freeburg Homecoming, August 21st, St. Joseph's is manning the cake and pie stand. Cakes and pies are needed, and can be dropped off at the stand after 12 noon. If you can bake or donate a dessert, it would be greatly appreciated. Also, workers are needed to sell the desserts from noon to 9pm in one hour shifts. If you can help, please call Darlene Phelps 539-2158.

AUGUST CALENDAR ITEMS

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

IMPORTANT INFORMATION – CLIP AND SAVE

Parish Directory 618-539-3209
Fr. Mark x 200 frmark@stjosephfreeburg.org
Judy Bentler x202 jbentler@stjosephfreeburg.org
Rick Barthel x102

School Directory 618-539-3930
Charlotte Vielweber x101 principal@stjosephfreeburg.org
Sara Keeley x100 office@stjosephfreeburg.org
Rick Barthel x102

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

ABOUT THIS WEEKS GOSPEL

Luke 12, 13-21

Imagine being so greedy that you would interrupt a sermon to ask for help to get more money! The weeds were certainly growing in that man's heart. We all need a certain amount of money to live, but money is not a guarantee of security. If anything, it creates a *false* confidence that leads to foolishness

TO ALL MINISTERS:

Once again it is time to prepare for the Fall Minister Schedule. This schedule period will run from September 18-19 through January 8-9. If you know of any dates during this period that you are unavailable, please contact Jeff. (539-5328 or email to: holyj@att.net) Need to know your dates by August 23rd, so the schedules can be printed and distributed in time. This schedule will not include the Christmas Masses.

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

PARISH FISH FRY:

Thank you to Toni Smith for her years of service as organizer for St. Joseph's Fish fry. This position is now being filled by Erin Gotto. Please contact Erin to volunteer for the picnic fish fry or any other regularly scheduled fish fry for 2010-11. 539-0280

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

REMINDER FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS

On Sunday 1 August at the 10am Mass, I will give a special blessing to our college students. I would ask all our college students (whether you are going away to college or staying close to home) to be present for this opportunity for your parish family to wish you well for another school year.

PICNIC IN THE PARK

Little ones and their families, joins us for a Picnic in the Park on Thursday, August 12, 5:00-?. St. Joseph School will provide the burgers, buns, and condiments. Please bring a side dish to share as well as your own drinks and tableware. We'll be at the Freeburg Park Pavilion closest to the playground. Come to hang out with friends (yours and the kids'), eat some great food, and enjoy a relaxing evening! Please rsvp to the school office: 539-3930.

NEWSLETTER

The next quarterly parish newsletter deadline will be Friday, July 23, at noon.

Please submit your stories to Jeff Smythe by that time. This edition will cover stories through August/September/October.

Committee members: Assembly date will be Monday, August 2, at 1:00 p.m. in the meeting room of the Parish Center. Please try to be there to help at that time.

PLEASE SEND US YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS

Recently the parish upgraded the computer program that maintains the parish census and envelop contributions. Within that new program is the ability to send contribution statements through the email as well as sending the parish newsletter by email. This would be a huge savings to the parish, if we were able to do this. To that end, we need your email addresses. Please rest assured that your email address will not be shared outside the parish office [we will use blind copy for bulk emails]. If you could take a moment and send your email address to Fr. Mark at frmark@stjosephfreeburg.org I would greatly appreciate it. If you have any questions, just ask me.

PSR NEWS

We need to finalize the PSR registration to ensure we order the appropriate number of textbooks and other materials. If you have not registered your child(ren) for PSR, you have two options. Option one: print off a PSR Registration form(s) from PSR page on the parish website at <http://stjosephfreeburg.org/>. Return the completed form(s) and along with the fee(s) to the church or to my home address (listed on the form). Option two: attend the PSR registration in person on Tuesday, August 3rd, in my office (located in the sister-less house) between 5:00 and 7:00 p.m. Please be sure to register as soon as possible.

The first PSR class is scheduled for Sunday, August 29th, at 8:30 a.m. with an open house for parents and class for the students. We will meet in the parish center at 8:30 a.m. to cover the general topics. After that, parents, students and teachers will go over to the school where the teachers will talk about their expectations for the year and the students will remain for the remaining class period. It is very important for the students and parents to attend this class, particularly if your child is entering a sacrament year (2nd and 8th grade). If you have not registered for PSR, please do so as soon as possible. Please contact Dawn Dossett at (618) 539-3310 for additional information.

PSR will *not* hold classes on September 5th, Labor Day weekend, or September 12th, Parish picnic weekend. We will reconvene PSR classes on September 19th at 8:30 a.m. for the second class session.

PARISH CALENDAR

Monday, August 2	7:00PM	HS Youth Mtg
Tuesday, August 3	8:00AM	Mass
		Eucharistic Adoration
	7:00PM	Prayer Hour
Wednesday, August 4	8:00AM	Mass
Thursday, August 5	8:00AM	Mass
Friday, August 6	8:00AM	Mass
Saturday, August 7	4:30PM	Confessions
	5:00PM	Mass
Sunday, August 8	7:00AM	Mass
	10:00AM	Mass

BUILDING TODAY FOR TOMORROW PROGRESS REPORT 20 July 2010

Fund Drive	
Goal	\$1,300,000.00
Pledges Received (275)*	\$859,455.98
Amount Remaining	\$440,544.02
Monies Received	
Total Pledges	\$859,455.98
Pledge Payment Rec'd	\$731,056.94
Amount Remaining	\$122,056.94
Loan from the Diocese	
Total Borrowed	\$887,726.00
Total Paid to Date	\$173,467.50
Balance	\$704,258.50

Dear Parish Family,

Sunday is August 1st.



Where has the summer gone? School will be starting in THREE WEEKS.

Mr. Barthel and his summer crew of Curtis Wolf, Chris Kuester, Daniel Kuester, Nick Gay, and Josh Davinroy have done an outstanding job (as they usually do) in getting the School and the Parish Center in proper order for a new school year.

Mrs. Vielweber and Mrs. Keeley have started working and they are hard at it...getting things lined out and planned for the upcoming school year. I am looking forward to a great school year at St. Joseph's.

Homecoming is just around the corner...the ladies need deserts and the men are looking for workers for the Fish Fry. Details can be found in the bulletin.

The Parish Picnic is just around the corner...have you signed up yet???? We need everyone's help to make the picnic a success. Please keep up with the picnic needs by looking in the bulletin.

Just so you know....one of the parishioners asked about my "Snow Sign" this past weekend at Church....November 1st folks....November 1st.

Have a good week,
Fr. Mark

Your Gifts to God and Parish

COLLECTION FOR THE WEEKEND OF July 24-25, 2010

Envelopes	\$6,170.00
Loose	\$255.00
Total (GOAL: \$8000.00)	\$6,425.00
Cemetery Fund	\$80.00
Education Endowment	\$110.00

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

Collections required to date:	\$32,000.00
Total Collected to date:	\$26,748.00