



ST. JOSEPH

PARISH

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*To grow in the love and knowledge of Christ
through worship, education and service to others.*

~ Parish Mission Statement

PARISH OFFICE

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310 S. Ellwood

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Director: Peggy O'Flaherty

MASS SCHEDULE

Tues., Wed., Thurs., Fri.: 8:15 am

Saturday: 5:00 pm

Sunday Masses: 8:00 & 10:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

(confessions)

Saturday: 4:15 pm or other times by appointment

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Children:

Parishioners seeking to have a child baptized are asked to contact the Parish Office for information about Baptismal Preparation and scheduling. Baptism will be held on Second Sundays of each month after the 5 pm mass on Saturday and the 10:00 am mass on Sunday, or during any Mass.

Adults:

Adults seeking full membership in the Catholic Church through the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist are welcome to contact the Parish Office for information on the RCIA program.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

(Marriage)

Parishioners preparing for marriage should contact the priest at least ten months in advance of celebrating the sacrament.

DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Written announcements for the bulletin are to be submitted to the Parish Office no later than Tuesday of each week.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

All Catholic adults 21 years or older, who regularly participate in the liturgy at St. Joseph should consider becoming registered members. We would be happy to have you join our parish family. To register and for more information call the Parish Office (930-3392).

WILLS AND BEQUESTS

Please consider the needs of our parish and school. The Corporate title is: St. Joseph Congregation Dodgeville, WI

OCTOBER 31, 2010
THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

From the Principal

NOVEMBER CALENDAR

Nov. 1- 5	Safe Environment /bullying classes
Nov. 6	3 rd /4 th Basketball, 8:00 – 9:30
Nov. 8-9	Report Cards home, 1-8; parent-teacher conferences
Nov. 14	HOME Basketball Games-vs. Potosi
Nov. 18	HOME Basketball (Girls only) vs. Richland Center @ 5:00
Nov. 20	Pasty Sale
Nov. 21	Basketball at Sinsinawa
Nov. 23	Battle of the Books
Nov. 25, 26	NO SCHOOL
Nov. 29	Fruit/Cheese/Sausage orders due

SCRIP NEWS

Thanks to all our new customers!!! We have had a significant increase in sales over the past two weeks. Please let us know if you have any questions or issues. Box Office Video has changed from 25% to 20%. Our newest business is Golden Crown Chinese Restaurant, so be sure to buy SCRIP before you go to the weekend buffet! Other local businesses are Country Kitchen, Cousin's Subs, Culver's, Dodge Theatre, Kwik Trip, Lands' End, McDonald's, Piggly Wiggly, Pizza Hut, Subway, Walgreen's, and WalMart. And, of course, there are many other area restaurants and stores as well as hundreds more vendors on the website, www.glscrip.com.

From Father Pat

Mary's motherhood and the Father's love

By Fr. Peter John Cameron, O.P.

Adam was the only man in history who did not have a mother. God saw what a mess it got him into and made sure that it never happened again. As a result of Adam's sin, God would save humankind, and salvation would have a mother.

St. Paul expresses his supreme fascination with the fact that the Son of God had a mother: "But when the time had fully come, God sent forth his Son, born of woman ... so that we might receive adoption as sons" (Gal 4:4-5). It did not have to be this way; Jesus could have just "appeared" on earth like the Old Testament priest-king Melchizedek, who was "without father or mother or genealogy, and has neither beginning of days nor end of life" (Heb 7:3). But God the Father intentionally and purposefully gave his Son a mother in the Incarnation. Why?

God gives a mother to his Son for us. Whatever makes God seem abstract, distant, aloof, elusive, unapproachable or intimidating is overcome in a mother. Although the theology of Mary's maternity is rich and complex, its meaning becomes clear as we consider our own experiences. For example: When things go wrong, where would we turn without our mothers?

Dying soldiers on battlefields, it is said; automatically cry out for their mothers. Most likely they do not expect their mothers to "materialize". But something profound in their experience of having a mother comes to help them in their hour of death. For good reason, we conclude the "Hail Mary" prayer with the petition: "Pray for us ... at the hour of our death."

God the Father provides that very consolation to the humanity of his dying Son. Being able to cry out to his mother may have made the torture of Christ's death easier to bear. Mary's presence at the cross gave Jesus even greater courage to embrace his crucifixion. And our Lord was further consoled by the fact that he could give us his mother to be our mother. "When Jesus saw his mother and the disciple there whom he loved, he said to his mother, 'Woman, behold, your son.' Then he said to the disciple, 'Behold, your mother.' And from that hour the disciple took her into his home" (In 19:26-27).

Even if we have had excellent mothers well into our adult lives, we persist in looking for that ultimate maternal mirror in which we can discover ourselves to our deepest depths. Mary, the mother of God, is the face we seek.

Blessed Recipes Collection Parish Cookbook

Recipes of all types are needed. An electronic format like e-mail or Microsoft Word is preferred but paper copies will be accepted. Please contact Linda Pittz (935-2747) or rick.horton813@gmail.com for details. Deadline for submission is December 31.

Wanted

Parishioners interested in planning a Parish Picnic for June 2011. Contact Michelle Helin at 935-9709 or arthelin@mhtc.net.



KC's Corner

Grand Knight: Jack Hughes
Telephone: 608-935-3227

Next Meeting: Thursday, Nov. 11th, 7:00pm

Mission Statement: *To grow in strength for our families and faith, easing the plight of those less fortunate, be a pillar of support for our priests, be servants to our church and Community and have fun doing all this..*

JOIN THE KNIGHTS AND HELP US HELP OTHERS

We are considering starting a ladies choir which initially will sing with the men's choir. The requirements are as follow:

You must be between the ages of 15 and 131.

You must be able to practice for less than one hour or less per month. You must enjoy singing. If you like to be part of this call Jack Hughes @ 935-3227.

Activities of the Knights

The Knights of Columbus will have boxes next weekend at mass to collect anything you can donate for the Seminarians. The Seminarians are in need of: Gas cards, telephone cards, personal hygiene items, etc. Anything you can donate would be appreciated.

The knights will be involved in the Respect Life Essay contest for the unborn

The knights will also be involved for giving "Coats for Kids". Give us a call if we could give some assistance to your family this winter.

THOUGHTS

Two brooms were hanging in the closet and after a while they got to know each other so well, they decided to get married.

One broom was, of course, the bride broom, the other the groom broom.

The bride broom looked very beautiful in her white dress. The groom broom was handsome and suave in his tuxedo. The wedding was lovely.

After the wedding, at the wedding dinner, the bride-broom leaned over and said the groom-broom, "I think I am going to have a little wisp broom!" "IMPOSSIBLE!" said the groom broom. We haven't even swept together

The Measure of Love is to Love Without Measure

St. Bridget's/Immaculate Conception

Mass Times-

Tues-6:00pm & Adoration-SB

Wed 8:00am-IC Fri-8:00am-IC

Thurs-8:00am-SB 6:00pm & Adoration-IC

Sat 5:00pm-SB Sun 8:30am-IC 10:30am-SB

Confessions- Sun-10:00-10:20am, SB

Sat-4:20-4:45pm, IC or by appointment anytime

Stewardship Corner

Collections for October 23 & 24, 2010

Adult Envelopes..... \$10,843.50
Offertory..... \$246.14

Collections for October 24 & 25, 2009

Adult Envelopes..... \$4,987.26
Offertory..... \$262.97

Thank you for your gifts!

Care Ministry

Is a parish outreach program to assist fellow parishioners in time of need. If any individual or family could benefit from this ministry please call Janice Meudt at 341-6693.



Friday, November 12th
5:00 to 7:30 pm
(5-8:00pm-carryouts)
School Gym

Benefit for Ellen Ottoway

All you can eat Pizza Hut buffet at the Dodgeville Pizza Hut. Monday, November 15th from 4-8 p.m. Adults \$7.99 (carry outs available). Ellen was diagnosed with cancer in May of this year. She has undergone both chemo and radiation at the UW hospital and is now undergoing additional chemo at the cancer treatment center in Chicago. Money raised will be used for medical and transportation costs.

Calendar Raffle Tickets Reminder

Please return your sold tickets to the office or collection basket. The ticket is good for 10 lucky weekends in a row with 14 winning tickets selected each weekend. *We ask that you sell the tickets and return both the money and the ticket stubs to the parish office or the weekend collection 2 weeks before the first drawing on January 4th when the raffle begins.* Every ticket has at least 140 chances to win. All winners will be posted in the bulletin. The success of this raffle is the result of everyone's effort. Last year, the majority of envelop holders successfully sold their fair share of tickets. Extra tickets will be available at church or the parish office.

Rummage Sale a Success

A big thanks to everyone who brought in items, worked, and bought items at the Fall rummage sale last weekend. The stewardship of your time, talent, and treasures helped make the rummage sale a huge success. The sale brought in \$2,021.60...another great sale!! **A reminder that donations to all St. Joe's rummage sales should be clean and/or gently used. The next sale will be March 25 and 26, 2011. Thanks for your cooperation.**

What's Happening This Week

Wednesday, November 4th
No Eucharistic Adoration

Fundraiser for WECARE

St. Joe's School of Religion is doing a fundraiser for the WECARE program by selling gourmet lollipops for \$.50/piece October 20th-November 17th. The goal is to raise \$1,450, as the proceeds go to WECARE to support a community effort in which the program provides free diapers, clothes, school supplies, Christmas presents during the holiday season, etc...for children and adults. Unsold lollipops should be returned to SOR classes on Wednesday, November 17th. Contact the School of Religion coordinator, Nancy Anderson, for more information.

Calendar Raffle Tickets

Sold to Date \$6,512.00
Break Even Point \$8,250.00

Scrip Sellers November 6th & 7th

5:00 pm Nancy Anderson
8:00 am Regina Bakker
10:00 am Lisa Zoet

Scripture Verse

Jesus said to [Zacchaeus], "Today salvation has come to this house because this man too is a descendant of Abraham. For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save what was lost."
- Lk 19:9-10

Weekly Readings



Readings for the Week of October 31, 2010

Sunday: Wis 11:22-12:2/2 Thes 1:11-2:2/
 Lk 19:1-10
Monday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a
Tuesday: Wis 3:1-9/Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9/
 Jn 6:37-40
Wednesday: Phil 2:12-18/Lk 14:25-33
Thursday: Phil 3:3-8a/Lk 15:1-10
Friday: Phil 3:17-4:1/Lk 16:1-8
Saturday: Phil 4:10-19/Lk 16:9-15
Next Sunday: 2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14/2 Thes 2:16-3:5/
 Lk 20:27-38 or 20:27, 34-38

Mass Intentions



Saturday, October 30th
5:00 pm Mass
Living and deceased of Weier and Hughes families

Sunday, October 31st
8:00 am Mass 10:00 am Mass
For the People † Ethan Smith

Monday, November 1st
† Laura Zander

Tuesday, November 2nd
8:15 am Mass
† Mary F. Conway

Wednesday, November 3rd
8:15 am Mass
Bea McDonald

Thursday, November 4th
8:15 am Mass
† Ralph Evans

Friday, November 5th
8:15 am Mass
† Fr. Fitz

Saturday, November 6th
5:00 pm Mass
† Toby Reeves

Sunday, November 7th
8:00 am Mass 10:00am Mass
For the People † Ethan Smith

Liturgical Ministers

Saturday, November 6th — 5:00 pm

Music To be determined

Reader Dave Westhoff and Joyce Von Rueden

Servers Alexis Bauer and Paige Lee

Extraordinary Ministers Dan McGraw, SuzAnne Howe and Janice Meudt

Ushers Jerry Brown, Pat Esch
 Bill Howe and Don Meuer

Greeters Greg & Sandy Lee and family

Sunday, November 7th— 8:00 am

Music To be determined

Reader Abby Philipps and Harry Hying

Servers Mariah Zoet and Ally Brennan

Extraordinary Ministers Lowell & Alice Terrill and Marilyn Blabaum

Ushers Scot Johnsrud, Phil Brown
 Dave Gollon and Ed Murphy

Greeters Jack, Angie and Riley Glonek

10:00 am

Music To be determined

Reader Kathleen Schmitz and Steve Freese

Servers Jim and David McGuire

Extraordinary Ministers Sharon Wimer, Joanne Joestgen and David Schmitz

Ushers Michael Blotz, Ryan Lipska
 Mike Reilly and Bill Helin

Greeters Kurt & Kate Riemenapp and family