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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Renee Roycraft

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL PRE-SCHOOL OFFICE
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Principal: Sharon Wimer

ST. JOSEPH DAY CARE
310 S. Ellwood
Phone: 608-930-3392 x6
Director: Peggy O'Flahrity

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. Baptisms will be held 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

September 4, 2011 ·
TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

From Father Pat

New Translation to the Roman Missal
Over the next few months I will be using my section of the bulletin to prepare us for the New Translation to the Roman Missal by explaining the Parts of the Mass, Praying with our Body, Mind, and Voice and telling you about some of the words that are used in the New Translation. This will help us "pray" the Mass not just "say" the Mass.

Parts of the Mass
The Mass follows a "fundamental structure which has been preserved throughout the centuries down to our own day" *(Catechism of the Catholic Church,* no. 1346). Though the Mass is one unified act of worship, it consists of many parts, each with its own purpose and meaning. Each week we will have a new part following the order in which the parts occur in the Mass.

Introductory Rites:
"The rites that precede the Liturgy of the Word, namely, the Entrance, the Greeting, the Penitential Act, the *Kyrie,* the *Gloria in excilsis (Glory to God in the highest)* and Collect, have the character of a beginning, an introduction, and a preparation. Their purpose is to ensure that the faithful who come together as one, establish communion and dispose themselves properly to listen to the word of God and to celebrate the Eucharist worthily" *(General Instruction of the Roman Missal* [GIRM], no. 46).

Praying with Body, Mind, and Voice

In the celebration of Mass we raise our hearts and minds to God. We are creatures of body as well as spirit, so our prayer is not confined to our minds and hearts. It is expressed by our bodies as well. When our bodies are engaged in our prayer, we pray with our whole person. Using our entire being in prayer helps us to pray with greater attentiveness.
During Mass we assume different postures – standing, kneeling, and sitting – and we are also invited to make a variety of gestures. These postures and gestures are not merely ceremonial. They have profound meaning and, when done with understanding, can enhance our participation in the Mass.

STANDING
Standing is a sign of respect and honor, so we stand as the celebrant who represents Christ enters and leaves the assembly. From the earliest days of the Church, this posture has been understood as the stance of those who have risen with Christ and seek the things that are above. When we stand for prayer, we assume our full stature before God, not in pride but in humble gratitude for the marvelous things God has done in creating and redeeming each one of us. By Baptism we have been given a share in the life of God, and the posture of standing is an acknowledgment of this wonderful gift. We stand for the proclamation of the Gospel, which recounts the words and deeds of the Lord. The bishops of the United States have chosen standing as the posture to be observed for the reception of Communion.

Words in the Roman Missal
Some of the words used in the new translation of the Mass may be unfamiliar to some Catholics. These definitions may help to increase your understanding of the rich theology that underlies these texts.

Abasement:
The lowering of one of higher rank. Jesus abased himself in that, though he was God, he lowered himself and became a human being so that he might save us from our sins (see Phil 2:6-11).

Farewell
I would like to say farewell and blessings in your new position to Sandy Lee. Sandy was very instrumental in organizing and running our Parish Office over the past several years. The Parish thanks you greatly. If you see Sandy at Church or around the School with her children, let her know how much you appreciated all the hard work she did for the Parish. Sandy's last day in the office will be Friday, September 9th.
Thank you and God Bless, Fr. Pat

Welcome
I would like to welcome Renee Roycraft to the Parish Family. Renee will be taking over for Sandy on September 9th. With Renee in the Office, we will be starting new Parish Office hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00-4:00 and Friday 9:00-2:00. These hours will start on Monday, September 12th. Please welcome Renee to the Parish Staff.

KC's Corner

Grand Knight: Jack Hughes
Telephone: 608-935-3227
Next KC Meeting at St. Joe's School
Thursday, September 8th at 7:00pm

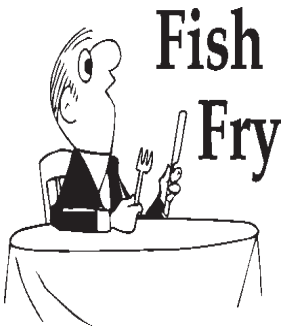
Bids for Snow Removal

The parish is accepting bids for snow removal on the parish, school, day care and parish office grounds. All interested parties should submit their bids to John Aschliman or to the parish office no later than September 15th. Interested bidders should take into consideration that the parish operates seven days a week, and should be able to plow the grounds, drive ways and sidewalks in a timely fashion.

School of Religion Registration

Registration is due by September 11, 2011
Sept 21 First Evening of Religious Education for all grades 1-11
6:00 p.m. grades 1-8 mandatory meeting for parents and students -Meet in church
7:00 -7:30 Meeting for Freshman & Sophomores with parents-Meet in Church
7:30 p.m. Mandatory meeting for 11th graders & parents to review Confirmation info
At least one parent must attend w/confirmation student-Meet in Church

Classes for School of Religion will be starting on September 21st. There are several teacher positions open, and we are reaching out to all of your to help with the program. Consider teaching half the year, or team teaching. We have updated our curriculum and textbooks to make learning and teaching easier. We have an opening for a fourth grade teacher and one par-time time teacher for 2nd grade until Thanksgiving. We also need one freshman teacher and the class is focused on a teen timeline series of the bible. For Sophomores, classes will be on Theology on the Body. We need 2 full time teachers, and 1 part time to team-teach with Elizabeth Shepler. Both classes consist of a DVD series with friendly teacher books.



Friday, September 9th
5:00 pm to 7:30 pm
School Gym

Stewardship Corner

Collections for August 27 & 28, 2011

Adult Envelopes $3,950.00
Offertory $244.02

Collections for August 28 & 29, 2010

Adult Envelopes $4,680.50
Offertory $261.07

Thank you for your gifts!

From the Principal

IT'S DONE!!!

Thanks to the many school parents and parishioners who helped to install the playground equipment. The project was, originally, to have taken one morning, but, in addition to 15-16 hrs. of prep work and hole digging, we spent Friday evening, until dark, Saturday morning until noon, and Monday night completing the work. In addition, Kevin Zajicek probably spent another 8-10 hrs. helping move ground and wood chips! It was a labor of love and commitment from a lot of people, but it was worth it! I hope the students are as thrilled with the project as we are! Thanks, everyone, for all your many contributions!!! We couldn't have done it without you!

HOME VOLLEYBALL

Our home volleyball games begin this Wednesday, September 7th, HERE, versus HG-IC (Dickeyville/Kieler). The 5/6 girls play at 4:15, and the 7/8 girls play at 5:15. Admission is $1.00/adults and $.50 students. Our 5/6 coaches are Chris Stumpf and Luann Ruhland, and Greg Lee is coaching 7/8 girls. Thanks to each of them for their time and commitment to make this sport possible.

OPEN HOUSE

Come to the games and stay for the Open House which begins at 6:30 P.M. on Wednesday night, September 7th. The rooms will be open and teachers will be available. Ice cream treats will also be sold for a small cost.

Lectors Needed

We are currently looking for volunteers to lector at weekend masses, especially at the Saturday 5 P.M. Mass.
Please contact the parish office at 930-3392 if you are interested.

Attention Choir & Church Musicians

All parishioners are welcome to attend one of the following practice sessions for new mass parts.

Tuesday September 6, 2011 at 7:00 PM Marge Daentl will be there to play.
Tuesday September 20, 2011 at 7:00 PM Julie Weiskircher will be there to play
Tuesday September 20, 2011 at 1:30 PM Mary Rikli will be there to play

What's Happening This Week

Wednesday, September 7th
9:00—10:00am Eucharistic Adoration
(Divine Mercy)

Automatic Debits (ACH)

There are applications for automatic withdrawal for anyone interested having weekly, monthly or an annual withdrawal of funds for direct donations to St. Joe's. All that is needed is a voided check or ABA and account numbers from your bank. It is a convenient way to give regularly if you are out of town or just like the convenience of a regular contribution without writing a check, using cash or envelopes. Forms available in the parish office.

MOTHER TERESA PRAYER GROUP

If you have a request for prayers, either for yourself or for someone else, whether it is because of illness or a special intention, please call Delores Brennan, 935-5925 or Betty Dolan, 935-5219.

Scrip Sellers September 10th & 11th

5:00 pm	Marie Fralick
8:00 am	Eileen Frank
10:00 am	Sarah Stoughton

Scripture Verse

"Again, amen, I say to you, if two of you agree on earth about anything for which they are to pray, it shall be granted to them by my heavenly Father. For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them." - Mt 18:19-20

Weekly Readings

Readings for the
Week of September 4, 2011

Sunday:	Ez 33:7-9/Rom 13:8-10/Mt 18:15-20
Monday:	Col 1:24-2:3/Lk 6:6-11
Tuesday:	Col 2:6-15/Lk 6:12-19
Wednesday:	Col 3:1-11/Lk 6:20-26
Thursday:	Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30/Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23
Friday:	1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14/Lk 6:39-42
Saturday:	1 Tm 1:15-17/Lk 6:43-49
Next Sunday:	Sir 27:30-28:9/Rom 14:7-9 Mt 18:21-35

Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 3rd
5:00 pm Mass
† Bob Dalles

Sunday, September 4th
8:00 am Mass — For the people
10:00 am Mass — † Anna Brokish

Monday, September 5th
No Mass

Tuesday, September 6th
8:15 am Mass
Special Intention

Wednesday, September 7th
8:15 am Mass
Special Intention DB

Thursday, September 8th
8:15 am Mass
Special Intention BB

Friday, September 9th
8:15 am Mass
† Carla Rohanetz

Saturday, September 10th
5:00 pm Mass
For the people

Sunday, September 11th
8:00 am Mass — † Delores & John Hammond
10:00 am Mass — † Biddick & Heimerl family

Liturgical Ministers

Saturday, September 10th — 5:00 pm

Music	Mary Rikli and Roseann Rossing
Readers	Sue McGraw and Linda Pittz
Servers	Alaina Pierick and Kelsey Anderson
Eucharistic Ministers	Janice Meudt, Brenda Cummins, and Dean Lease
Ushers	Ray Pittz, Don Meuer, Jerry Brown and Pat Esch
Greeters	Tom & Lori McKinley and family

Sunday, September 11th — 8:00 am

Music	Marge Daentl and Lisa Borne's group
Readers	Ed Bures and Toni Sikorcin
Servers	Kara Crowley and Mariah Zoet
Eucharistic Ministers	David & Regina Bakker and Harry Hying
Ushers	Dick Conway, Ted Evans, Phil Brown and Ed Murphy
Greeters	David & Regina Bakker and family

10:00 am

Music	Julie Weiskircher and Luci Ramthun
Readers	Sharon Wimer and Kennedy Stumpf
Servers	Matthew Gorgen and Joshua Gorgen,
Eucharistic Ministers	Steve Freese, Nancy Smith, and John Aschliman
Ushers	Michael Blotz, Bill Helin, Ryan Lipska and Mike Reilly
Greeters	Greg & Sandy Lee and family