

**ADDITIONAL FUTURE DATES OF IMPORTANCE**



**May 10th-17th**

St. Joseph Set-Up and Volunteer Work  
See Insert on specific times

**May 13th**

St. Joseph KC Meeting  
Parish Center at 6:30 pm



**May 14th**

St. Joseph Parish Pastoral Council Meeting  
Fr. Joe Trapp Meeting Room 6:30 pm

**May 15th**

Christopher KC Meeting  
Columbian Club Hall at 6:30 pm



St. Andrew Altar Society Meeting  
St. Andrew Parish Center 5:30 pm

**May 19th**

Benton Rehab 10:00 am

**May 18th**

St. Joseph Flea Market  
St. Joseph Parish Center  
7:00 Early Bird- \$5  
8:00 am-3:00 pm



**May 27th**

Memorial Day  
Mass at St. Andrew Cemetery 9:00 am  
(In case of rain Mass will be at St. Andrew Chapel)

Parish Office will be closed

**May 30th**

Men & Women's Outing  
Tino's on the Tee 5:30 pm  
Leaving St. Joseph's at 5:10 pm

**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER**

**May 11th & 12th**

World Day of Prayer on May 12 will be celebrated by praying the rosary before all Masses on May 11 & 12! Please come join us at 4 pm on Saturday and 9:30 am on Sunday as we pray for an increase in vocations.

**CHRISTOPHER KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**



**The next KC Bingo will be on Thursday, May 9th, at 7:00 pm at the Christopher Columbian Club. Treasure Island Raffle is worth \$1,300**



The KC holds a "Queen of Hearts" raffle drawing every Monday at 7:00 pm and is open to the public. Ticket prices are 2 ticket for \$1, 10 tickets for \$5, or 20 tickets for \$10. We are open at 3:00 pm, Monday-Friday, and at Noon on Sat.

*The Jackpot for Monday, May 13, \$5,700*

**ST. ANDREW CHAPEL POOR BOX FUND**



Thank you to everyone who donated to the St. Andrew Chapel Poor Box Fund. Because of your donations we are able to continue to help those with food are less fortunate than us. Donations are still needed to keep this ministry going. Please place your contribution in an envelope marked for St. Andrew Chapel Poor Box Fund and place it in the collection basket. If you wish your contribution to be listed on your end of the year contributions. Please remember to include your name. St. Andrew has supported this ministry for many years. Your contributions are greatly appreciated.

**TRIP TO WASHINGTON D.C.**

**For the Installation Mass of Archbishop Wilton Gregory as the Seventh Archbishop of Washington**

Trip Dates are May 16 to 23. Additional sightseeing included: Lincoln, Korean, Vietnam, WWII Memorials, George Washington's Home at Mt. Vernon, Smithsonian Museum, St. Matthew Cathedral, Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. The 8 day trip includes coach transportation, hotels, meals, fully escorted and priced at \$1,857.00 per person. Pickups through the Diocese available on I-64 route. Call Golden Frontier at 618-234-1445 for details and brochure.

**Applications required by Monday, May 13.**



**ST. ANDREW CEMETERY SIGN UP FOR MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND**

The St. Andrew Catholic Cemetery Committee is seeking volunteers to help collect donations at the cemetery during the Memorial Day weekend. Volunteers are needed from Thursday, May 23rd through Sunday, May 26, from 9:00 am-5:00 pm, in two hour shifts.

If you are able to help sign up sheets will be available at church this weekend through next weekend.



**ST. JOSEPH LADIES QUILT RAFFLE Queen Size Quilt Johnquil Pattern**

**Hand Embroidered, Hand Quilted To be given away at end of Flea Market, May 18**

Tickets available for purchase at church this weekend through Flea Market, May 18th.

Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5

**Listed below are Thank You from the Seminarians for the Gift Cards at Christmas**

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Thank you for all you prayers & support. Your generosity is greatly appreciated!- Carl Schrage

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Thank you so much for the prayers, support, and gifts. I will be praying for you & your parish. During this Easter Season may you come to know & love Christ more deeply- Joel Seipp

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Thank you so much for your generous contributions to the seminarians. We appreciate your support and please know you are very much in my prayers. I look forward to being able to serve with and for you someday as a priest in our diocese.

Thanks again- Nick Fleming

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Thank you so much for your generosity! Please pray for me, and know that I will be praying for you, as well. Have a blessed Easter Season- Thomas Luge

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I hope my note finds you and yours well. This is a thank you note in appreciation for the check & gift cards. Thank you for your thoughtful prayers & encouragements. Be rest assured that you all and yours will continue to be in my prayers always. Please continue to remember me, my vocation to the priesthood, and my family in your prayers- Anthony Hyginus



**PORK CHOP SANDWICH FUNDRAISER**

**Saturday, June 1st, 2019 11:00 am-2:00 pm**

**First Christian Church**

**302 S. Main Street Benton, IL 62812**

**For Only \$5 you will receive a juicy, seasoned pork chop sandwich, small bag of chips, dessert, and drink**

**To purchase tickets call 618-438-5841**

**Deliveries to local businesses available, To make arrangements, call Edith at: 618-923-1683**

**\*\*All monies raised will be used to support the new Fellowship Center**

**ST. JOSEPH PARISHIONERS**

**If any parishioner has someone who is graduating from 8th Grade, High School, or College please let the office secretary know by May 21st so we can recognize them. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.**

**HOST FAMILY**

**Father Osuji is looking for a new host family starting soon for Victor Iwunze. Victor is a student at Rend Lake college. He has been staying with Harold & Annette Campbell this past year for which everyone is very thankful they volunteered. Please call Father Osuji or the secretary if you are interested in hosting Victor.**