

THE CARPENTER'S BENCH SAINT JOSEPH WEEKLY BULLETIN INSERT SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT ~ DECEMBER 9, 2018



HAPPENING THIS WEEK

- Dec 9 9 a.m. Coffee & Donuts
10 a.m. Religious Education
- Dec 10 Communion Visits at Lakeview
- Dec 11 **7 p.m. Penance Service at St. Ann**
7 p.m. SVDP at Lanctot's
- Dec 12 10 a.m. Mass at Crestwood
Noon Harvest House
7 p.m. RCIA at St. Ann
- Dec 13 Homebound Communion Visits
6 p.m. Feed the Hungry
7:00 p.m. Choir Practice
- Dec 14 **NO Euchre this month—next Euchre on Friday, January 11**
All Day Christmas Give-Away Set-up
- Dec 15 **8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Christmas Give-Away Set-up**

Daily Mass Monday—Friday at 5:45 p.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S REMEMBER

At St. Joe's we pray the Rosary before each weekend Mass. As a courtesy to those praying and to our Lord—**Please maintain a reverent silence at all times while in Church.**

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS ~ RCIA

Meets Wednesday from 7-8:30 alternating monthly between St. Ann & St. Joseph

ALL ARE WELCOME

- December 12 - Introduction to the Sacraments
Presenter: Deacon Joe at St. Ann
- December 19 - Sacraments of Initiation
Presenter: Fr. Rob at St. Ann

HOPE YOU CAN JOIN US!!



SVDP IS COLLECTING ALL FOOD AND GIFTS THIS WEEKEND.

Bless you all for your help this is the weekend we need all items returned for the Christmas families. If you forgot or need help getting them picked up please call us at 317-981-5613. We will be setting up the hall on Fridays, Dec. 14 and need them before Friday. May you all have a blessed Christmas.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MONTHLY REPORT FOR OCTOBER 2018

Calls Received	15
Walk-In Clients	1
Crestwood Pantry Clients (food)	54
# of House-calls Made	12
# of Families needing Food	4
Bags of Food Given Out	27
Kroger Vouchers in \$ amount	\$80
Additional Monetary Help	\$483
Total of People helped this month	95

**October was the biggest month
we have ever had!**

To have hearts that "Bring God's Love to the Poor"
through your generosity and donations.
Thank you, SVDP St. Joseph Conference



Wanted - Singers for Adult Christmas Choir!

If you enjoy singing God's praises, we invite you to join us for the Christmas season. The choir is seasonal and doesn't require a huge time commitment. We'll rehearse once a week for six weeks on **Thursday evenings from 7:00-8:30 pm.** Membership is open to all parishioners high school age and older. For more information, contact

Mike McKay at the parish office 317.244.9002 or email mmckay@netpenny.net.

Thurs, Dec 13

Thurs, Dec 20

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT - There will be **no Euchre at St. Joseph in December.** The next Euchre night will be on Friday, January, 11 at 7 p.m.

Christmas Flower Offering—Memorial Names Due by December 16!!



Be sure to get your Memorial Names in by December 16 for your loved ones names to be in the special memorial insert!!

NEXT WEEKEND'S MINISTRY SCHEDULE

3rd Sunday of Advent	Ushers	Altar Servers	Lectors	Cantors	Extraordinary Ministers	Extraordinary Ministers	Greeters
Sun Dec 16 8:00 AM	Volunteers	Volunteers	John Rosner John Bowen		Linda Hinsley Bruce Clendenen Sherry Hacker	Nancy Swinford John Rosner	Linda Hinsley Nancy Swinford
Sun Dec 16 11:30 AM	Volunteers	Kacy Ferris Luke Ferris	Marjorie Kurt Tim McDowell	Youth Group	Diane Bewley Ruth Ann Wraley Shirley Verhonik	Jeanette Clements Bev Silnes	Andi Rosner Loretta Williams

MASS INTENTIONS

SUN	Dec 9	8:00 AM	Harold & Mildred Forey
SUN	Dec 9	11:30 AM	Dorothea Zore
MON	Dec 10	5:45 PM	Thomas Hausladen
TUE	Dec 11	5:45 PM	Eric Hickman
WED	Dec 12	5:45 PM	Dorothea Zore
THUR	Dec 13	5:45 PM	Frank Pascarella
FRI	Dec 14	5:45 PM	Adeline E. Warford
SUN	Dec 16	8:00 AM	Lillian Plummer
SUN	Dec 16	11:30 AM	Living and Deceased Members of the Rosner Family

CHRISTMAS SCRIP CARDS

Get yours after Mass through December 23 !!

Do you and the people you will be buying Christmas gifts for ... grocery shop, eat out, buy clothes, get gas for a car, etc.? If so, you need to purchase Scrip Cards! These make great gifts, but also work throughout the year for all your shopping needs!! **If you have any questions call or text Maria at 317-287-4485, or Ann at 317-294-1675.**

To place an order for cards, your order form must be submitted by Dec. 16th!

~ Update: Socks and Undies ~

This is the weekend St. Joseph Health Ministry will need all the **Socks and Undies** returned. If you forgot or need them picked up, please call Cindy at 317-981-5613. Our St. Vincent de Paul Society will distribute the **Socks** and **Undies** to needy in our community on December 15. Thank you so much for your generosity ... Your donations are greatly appreciated!!! **Thank you and God bless!!**

**WE ARE THE
HANDS AND FEET OF JESUS!!**



FINANCIAL NEWS

Collection Report

Budget is \$4203 per week

Dec 2, 2018 - \$4673 - 81 envelopes.

Was \$470OVER budget.

Religious Retirement: \$591 - 44 envelopes

50/50 REPORT

12/2/18 - # 276 WAS NOT Submitted

12/9/18 drawing will be for \$42

To be eligible to win, place your envelope containing \$1.00, with name & registered number in one of the 50/50 boxes located by the entrances. All empty envelopes will be void.

St. Joseph License - # 141827

PLEASE PRAY FOR...



Prayer Chain — Offering prayer for anyone who asks or needs the loving support of caring members of the parish. All information is confidential. Call your request for prayer to one of the following and the chain will begin immediately.

Trudy Davis
243-7226

Shirley Verhonik
241-8979

To reach **Sue Brady**
call: **Trudy** or
Shirley

SAINT JOSEPH CHURCH CLEANERS

Dec 13—Veronica & Ben Hobbs

Dec 20—Sharon Robbins, Henrietta Bishop

Dec 27— Maria Fredrick, Linda Brewer, Doris Akalusi

Jan 3—**LOOK FOR NEW SCHEDULE TO COME OUT!**

DAILY

ADVENT CHALLENGE

Light a candle, preferably on your Advent wreath if you have one, and reflect on what it means to have the light of Christ inside of you.

CHURCH CLEANERS REMEMBER ...

If you are scheduled at Christmas or New Years be sure to clean even if others are decorating or tearing down. Especially remember to clear out dead flowers and sweep.