

 **SEPTEMBER-FEST**
SEPTEMBER 12th & 13th | 5PM-10PM
ST. THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC CHURCH
1200 N Indiana Street Mooresville, IN 46158

FOOD • GAMES • BINGO
ENTERTAINMENT • BASKET RAFFLES
BEER & WINE GARDEN

Kid's Games & Prizes • Bounce House • Henna Tattoo • Bingo • Raffles
Karaoke (Fri.) Handbreaded Tenderloins • Burgers, Hot Dogs, Desserts •
Hot Air Balloon Rides (Sat.) • EZY Livin' Band (Sat.)
Corvette Poker Run (Sat. 3-6pm)

Scan QR Code or visit <https://www.stm-church.org> for more info



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Thank you to all who participated in our
Parish Festival Raffle. The winners were;

1st Prize - \$2000 - Tom Pinnick
2nd Prize - \$500 - Cong Vu
3rd Prize - \$250 - Colleen (Lucy) Cyms

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Rafael Porto will be singing with the
Indianapolis Opera this September 13th,
at 7 PM, at MacAllister Amphitheater, Garfield
Park, with the Indianapolis Opera Company.
The outdoor show is free, asking for donations.
They will sing different arias, in a very relaxed
atmosphere.
For more information call:
Raquel Wendt—317-985-5912



Third Thursday
Adoration
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 18
11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Flame of Love Devotion
begins at 4:30

Questions: Call Bev 317-362-2682

22ND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME
AUGUST 31, 2025

The Carpenter's Bench

The Weekly Bulletin of Saint Joseph Catholic Church



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Sacraments

Reconciliation: Monday at 8:30 a.m. and Satur-
day at 3:30 or by appointment.

Marriage: Pre-marriage counseling with the priest
is required at least six months in advance of proposed
wedding date. Call the Parish Office 317-244-9002 to
schedule an appointment.

Infant Baptism: Preparation classes are re-
quired; please call the Parish Office 317-244-9002 to
register.

Order of Christian Initiation for Adults

(OCIA): Call the Parish Office at 317-244-9002 to
learn more about becoming Catholic.

Bulletin Insert Deadline

For publication in next weekend's bulletin insert email
items to stjosephschurch@hotmail.com by noon on
Monday.

Suggestions

Please leave your suggestions for fostering fellowship
at St. Joseph's in the box on the Narthex literature
rack.

Hospital Ministry

Please notify the Parish Office 317-244-9002 of
hospital admissions, so that Pastoral Care may be
provided.

Communion for Shut-ins

Please call the Parish Office 317-244-9002 if you
would like to receive Holy Communion.

Parish Council Meeting

Held monthly at 7 P.M. in the Meeting Room
September through May.

Mass is Celebrated

at 10:00 A.M. at Neighbor Care every Tuesday, in the
Ballroom.

Vietnamese Mass Schedule

Sun. 9:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.

Parish Staff

Administrator — Rev. Minh Dường
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Emergency317-760-7664
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Children's Religious Education

Pre-school—grade 12, Sept. to May
Sun.—9:30 to 10:50 a.m.

Children's Sacraments Call the
Parish Office 317-244-9004 for
information to register your child.

New Parishioners

If you are new in the parish, please call the parish
office and speak with the Parish Secretary about
Parish Registration.

Mass Schedule

Weekend

Saturday4:00 p.m.
Sunday11:00 a.m.

Weekday

Monday.....9:00 a.m.
Tues., Thurs., & Fri.....5:45 p.m.

Communion Service Wed.....5:45 p.m.
Confession

Mon. 8:30 a.m. and Sat. 3:30 p.m.

Devotions

Rosary

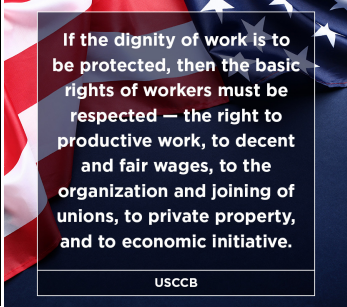
Prayed before Masses on the weekend.

**First Friday Devotion and Exposition of the
Blessed Sacrament**

4:00 p.m.
5:45 p.m. Mass

Next Weekend’s Ministry Schedule

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Altar Servers	Cantors	Readers
Sept 6 4:00 PM	Sebastian, Nate, Julie & Jimena		Linda Hinsley Anna Kavanaugh
Sept 7 11:00 AM	Emiliano, Cristian & Pablo		Netzaly Torres Luke Ferris



Saint Joseph’s Church Cleaners
Sept 1—Marilyn Howard, Cozette Lowder
Sept 8—Andrea Maxson, Terry Maxson, Bev Silnes
Sept 15—Doris Akalusi, Faith Chukwuma
Sep 22—Magaly Preciado, Ana Cobain

Saint Joseph’s Lawn Crew
Aug 31—Vietnamese Community
Sept 7—Jim Jones, Ron Maxson, Jeremiah Maxson
Sept 14—Tim McDowell & son
Sept 21—John Rosner

Mass Intentions			
SAT	Aug 30	4:00 PM	The Perkins Family
SUN	Aug 31	11:00 AM	+Kevin Arthur
MON	Sept 1	9:00 AM	St. Joseph Parish
TUES	Sept 2	5:45 PM	+Justine Koeberlein
WED	Sept 3	5:45 PM	Communion Service
THUR	Sept 4	5:45 PM	Corey Arthur - Birthday
FRI	Sept 5	5:45 PM	Vietnamese Community
SAT	Sept 6	4:00 PM	+Randy Hartley
SUN	Sept 7	11:00 AM	+Justine Koeberlein

+ Denotes person is deceased

OFFICE HOURS
Sunday: 12 p.m. to 4 p.m.
Tuesday: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Wednesday: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Thursday: 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.
Our Parish Secretary is also available Monday through Friday at 317-244-9002 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
You may also leave a voice message other times and your call will be returned as soon as possible.
OFFICE HOURS MAY VARY

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 Shirley and the chain will begin immediately.
Shirley Verhonik
317-241-8979



Happening This Week
Aug 30 3:30 Confession or by appointment
4 p.m. Mass
Aug 31 11 a.m. Mass
Sept 1 8:30 Confession or by appointment
9 a.m. Mass
Sept 2 10 a.m. Mass at Neighbor Care
Sept 3 5:45 Communion Service
Sept 4 6 p.m. Free Meal
Sept 6 3:30 Confession or by appointment
4 p.m. Mass
Sept 7 11 a.m. Mass
Daily Mass - Mon. 9 a.m., Tues., Thurs., and Fri. 5:45
Communion Service - Wed. 5:45
Visit our online calendar for more activities:
www.stjosephindy.org/Calendar

Collection Report
Budget is \$3240 per week.
Aug 24, 2025 - \$2803 – 44 envelopes
Was \$437 UNDER budget
Barn Sales - \$150
Donations made through the Archdiocese for July 2025 - \$240

SCRIP CARD SALES
Support St. Joseph’s Altar Society
We purchase the cards at a discount, so that when you make your purchase from us you're supporting our fundraiser for free!
For special orders call or text:
Maria Fredrick: 317-287-4485
Diane Whitis: 317-241-3842

Funeral Contact
Patty Arthur.....317-339-6503
SVDP Helpline.....317-687-0169
(Spanish).....317-687-0167
(Donations).....317-687-1006
Hurting from Abortion?
Call.....317-452-0054
Pregnant? Need Help?
Call.....833-937-4968

We are inviting parishioners to join in praying the Rosary before Sunday Mass at St. Joseph’s. The Rosary begins at 10:39 a.m. to ask Mary to intercede for Unborn babies and their mothers and fathers. If you are at home, please join us also.

There will be a Religious Education Parent Meeting on Sunday September 14 after the 11 a.m. Mass. All parents are encouraged to attend this meeting. Classes will start the following Sunday, September 21, 2025 at 9:30 a.m. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Judy Meyers at judy.meyers1973@gmail.com or 317-502-3020.

Need to register your child for Religious Education for the 2025-2026 school year?
Scan the QR code below:
English



Spanish

