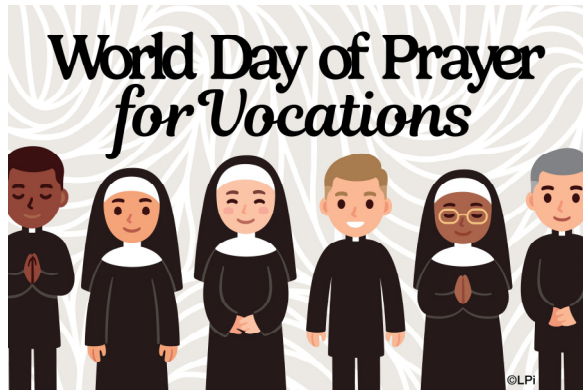


Do you enjoy the donuts provided after our 11:00 a.m. Mass? Please consider patronizing Pana Donuts in Avon. Pana Donuts, located at 7810 E US Hwy 36 Suite B, Avon, IN 46123. Let them know where you're from and thank them for their generosity.

FESTIVAL BARN
 The Barn will be open before and after Mass on Saturday and Sunday. We are also taking donations.
NO CLOTHES or FURNITURE.
 Please call Larry Long at 317-658-2953 anytime or Bob Palmer at 317-222-1073 after 1 p.m.
DO NOT LEAVE ITEMS OUTSIDE THE BARN



Please pray for our First Communion and Confirmation Students

First Communion—April 25

- Shalom Adeotchoun
- Danny Adrian Campos
- Arielyn Campos-Esparza
- Raul Contreras
- Genesis Gonzalez
- Giovanni Mahuiz Lechuga
- Daisy Manuel
- Annabelle Ruiz
- Natalie Ruiz
- Isabel Segovia
- Alan Soledad

Confirmation—April 29

- Byron Santiago Alvarez
- Andres Avalos
- Kayleen Campos-Esparza
- Betzy Castaneda Perez
- Armani Contreras
- Samantha De la Torre
- Greyson Drown
- Angela Garza
- Fernando Lopez
- Roy Magallanes
- Angel Ruiz
- Santiago Tapia

The Carpenter's Bench

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Sacraments

Reconciliation: Monday at 8:30 a.m. and Saturday 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 required; 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 Deadline

For publication in next weekend's bulletin 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

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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 317-244-9002 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 Mass on Sunday.
First Friday Devotion and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
 4:00 p.m.
 5:45 p.m. Mass

Next Weekend's Ministry Schedule

4th Sunday of Easter	Altar Servers	Cantors	Readers	Petitions
May 2 4:00 PM	Isack, Angel & Ashley		Jim Pfennig Volunteer	
May 3 11:00 AM	Sebastian, Nate, Julie & Jimena	TBA	Betzy C (SP) Luke Ferris	Patti Sebanc

Saint Joseph's Church Cleaners

Apr 27—Marilyn Howard, Cozette Lowder
 May 4—Andrea Maxson, Terry Maxson, Bev Silnes
 May 11—Doris Akalusi, Faith Chukwuma
 May 18—Joselin Arvizo, Priscillia Arvizo
 May 25—Theresa Farrell

Saint Joseph's Lawn Crew

Apr 26—Ron Maxson, Jeremiah Maxson
 May 3—Tim McDowell
 May 10—Josa Pena, Walt Davis, Francis Akalusi
 May 17—Ed Carson
 May 24—Vietnamese Community

This Week's Mass Intentions

SAT	Apr 25	4:00 PM	Blaise Vincz
SUN	Apr 26	11:00 AM	+Corey Arthur
MON	Apr 27	9:00 AM	Communion Service
TUES	Apr 28	5:45 PM	+Marsha Konrad
WED	Apr 29	5:45 PM	Communion Service
THUR	Apr 30	5:45 PM	+Enrique Cobian
FRI	May 1	5:45 PM	Vietnamese Community

+ Denotes person is deceased

Next Weekend's Mass Intentions

SAT. May 2 at 4:00 PM - +Alice Spurlin
 SUN. May 3 at 11:00 AM - +Russell Calhoun

OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday: 10 a.m. to 6 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

Apr 25 3:30 Confession or by appointment
 4 p.m. Mass
 Apr 26 11 a.m. Mass
 Apr 27 8:30 Confession or by appointment
 9 a.m. Mass
 Apr 28 10 a.m. Mass at Neighbor Care
 Apr 30 6 p.m. Free Meal
 May 2 3:30 Confession or by appointment
 4 p.m. Mass
 May 3 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

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.

Collection Report

Budget is \$3240 per week.

Apr 19, 2026 - \$2591 - 56 envelopes
 Was \$649 UNDER budget

Building Fund - \$270

50/50 Report

4/19/2026 - 147 DIANE WHITIS
 WAS played
 WINNER for \$297
 Pot is \$594

License # 002473—Reference # 163422



Third Thursday Adoration

THURSDAY, MAY 21
 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Flame of Love Devotion
 begins at 4:30

Questions:
 Call Bev at 317-362-2682

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:

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