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**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**



# 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 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](mailto: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 Dũng  
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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**  
 Saturday ..... 4:00 p.m.  
 Sunday ..... 11:00 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

Divine Mercy Sunday	Altar Servers	Cantors	Readers	Petitions
Apr 11 4:00 PM	Isack, Angel & Ashley		Linda Hinsley Patti Sebanc	
Apr 12 11:00 AM	Sebastian, Nate, Julie & Jimena	Felipe Porto	Martin Morris Doris Cardona (SP)	Kristine Morris

### Saint Joseph's Church Cleaners

Apr 6—Diane Whitis, Rhonda Cawthon  
Apr 13—Maria Fredrick  
Apr 20—Susanne McFerran, Maria Fredrick  
Apr 27—Marilyn Howard, Cozette Lowder

### Saint Joseph's Lawn Crew

Apr 5—Jose Pena, Walt Davis, Francis Akalusi  
Apr 12—Ed Carson  
Apr 19—Vietnamese Community  
Apr 26—Ron Maxson, Jeremiah Maxson

### This Week's Mass Intentions

SAT	Apr 4	5:00 PM	+Donna Maxson Jackson
SUN	Apr 5	10:00 AM	+Mark Finney
MON	Apr 6	9:00 AM	+Stephanie Jones
TUES	Apr 7	5:45 PM	+Corey Arthur
WED	Apr 8	5:45 PM	Communion Service
THUR	Apr 9	5:45 PM	+Enrique Cobian
FRI	Apr 10	5:45 PM	Vietnamese Community

+ Denotes person is deceased

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SAT. Apr 11 at 4:00 PM - +Mary Lenz  
SUN. Apr 12 at 11:00 AM - +Kevin Leroy Smith

### 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 4 4:30 Confession or by appointment  
5 p.m. Easter Vigil Mass  
Apr 5 10 a.m. Easter Sunday Mass  
Apr 6 8:30 Confession or by appointment  
9 a.m. Mass  
Apr 7 10 a.m. Mass at Neighbor Care  
Apr 9 6 p.m. Free Meal  
6 p.m. Holy Thursday Mass  
Apr 11 3:30 Confession or by appointment  
4 p.m. Mass  
Apr 12 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](http://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.

Mar 29, 2026 - \$2533 - ? envelopes  
Was \$396 UNDER budget

### 50/50 Report

3/29/2026 - 101 MARK SLAUTER  
WAS NOT played  
NO WINNER for \$183  
Pot is \$366

License # 002473—Reference # 163422



### Third Thursday Adoration

THURSDAY, APRIL 16  
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

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Maria Fredrick: 317-287-4485  
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