

The Carpenter's Bench

The Weekly Bulletin of Saint Joseph Catholic Church



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IMPORTANT NOTICE!!

Archbishop Thompson will be here to celebrate Mass with us on Sunday, February 8, at 11 a.m. Let's give him a good old fashioned St. Joseph welcome!

FESTIVAL BARN

We have begun collecting donations again. **NO CLOTHES or FURNITURE.** Please call Larry Long at 317-658-2953 or Bob Palmer at 317-222-1073 after 1 p.m.

DO NOT LEAVE ITEMS OUTSIDE THE BARN

¡Aviso importante!

El Arzobispo Thompson ha tenido la amabilidad de aceptar celebrar la Misa con nosotros el domingo 8 de febrero del 2026 a las 11:00 a. m. ¡Demosle una cálida bienvenida al estilo tradicional de St. Joseph!

Study is a work of prayer.
Visit **Saint Meinrad** for the **Graduate Theology Program Open House**, Feb 14-15. Tour campus, attend class, pray at liturgy, and meet professors and students. Learn more about our flexible and affordable offerings and register at saintmeinrad.edu/open house. All are welcome.

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

Administrator — Rev. Minh Duong
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Emergency 317-760-7664

Parish Secretary — Patty Arthur
E-mail..... patty.arthur@aol.com

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Mike McKay..... 317-445-9720

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Judy Meyers 317-502-3020
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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

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Altar Servers	Cantors	Readers	Petitions
Jan 31 4:00 PM	Sebastian, Nate, Julie & Jimena		Martin Morris Christine Morris	
Feb 1 11:00 AM	Emiliano & Pablo	TBA	Priscilla Leon (SP) Doris Akalusi	Tim McDowell

Saint Joseph's Church Cleaners

Jan 26—Maria Ester Mendoza
Feb 2—Diane Whitis, Rhonda Cawthon
Feb 9—Maria Fredrick
Feb 16—Susanne McFerran, Maria Fredrick
Feb 23—Marilyn Howard, Cozette Lowder
Mar 2—Andrea Maxson, Terry Maxson, Bev Silnes

Saint Joseph's Lawn Crew

Thank you so much for your dedication in maintaining our parish grounds, they always look so beautiful.

This Week's Mass Intentions

SAT	Jan 24	4:00 PM	+Maria A. Rodriguez
SUN	Jan 25	11:00 AM	+Corey Arthur & Silvia Gallegos (Birthday)
MON	Jan 26	9:00 AM	+Stephanie Farrell
TUES	Jan 27	5:45 PM	+Francis & Louis
WED	Jan 28	5:45 PM	Communion Service
THUR	Jan 29	5:45 PM	+Justine Koeberlein
FRI	Jan 30	5:45 PM	+Mary

+ Denotes person is deceased

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SAT. Jan 31 at 4:00 PM - +Alice Spurlin
SUN. Feb 1 at 11:00 AM - +Mark Zamora



Happening This Week

Jan 24	3:30 Confession or by appointment
Jan 25	4 p.m. Mass
Jan 26	11 a.m. Mass
Jan 27	8:30 Confession or by appointment
Jan 28	9 a.m. Mass
Jan 29	10 a.m. Mass at Neighbor Care
Jan 31	5:45 Communion Service
Feb 1	6 p.m. Free Meal
	3:30 Confession or by appointment
	4 p.m. Mass
	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.

Third Thursday

Adoration

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19
11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.



Collection Report

Budget is \$3240 per week.

Jan 18, 2026 - \$2795 – 60 envelopes
Was \$445 UNDER budget

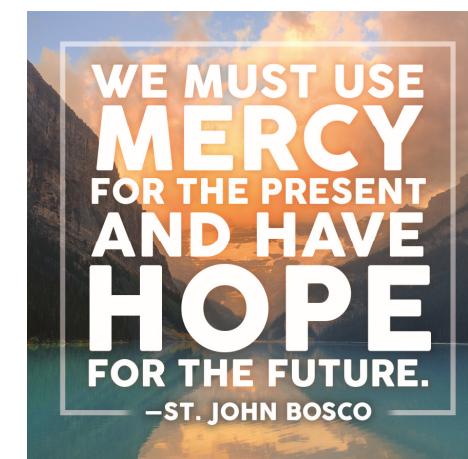
50/50 Report

1/18/2026 - #88 BRUCE SMITH
WAS NOT played
NO WINNER for \$101
1/25/2022 drawing will be for \$138

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:

Maria Fredrick: 317-287-4485
Diane Whitis: 317-241-3842