

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CATHOLIC CHURCH



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PASTORAL STAFF

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| Pastor | Rev. Dr. Julius Abuh |
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| Parish Secretary/Bookkeeper | Susan Mangiaracina |
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| Coordinator of Youth Ministry (CYM) | |
| Director of Music | Jodi Swiderek |

MASS TIMES

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| Saturday Vigil Mass | 4 pm |
| Sunday (English) | 8 am and 10 am |
| Sunday (Spanish) | 12:30 pm |
| Daily Mass (Tue -Fri) and 1 st Saturday | 9 am |

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

Mass at 9 am and 7 pm (Bilingual)

OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday **9:30 am – 1 pm**
Bulletin items due Tuesday before **12:30 pm**
Call office to schedule facilities.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptismal preparation is required for parents who desire their baby / child to be baptized. Parents must be registered with the church. Forms and information are available in the office.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday **3pm** Sunday **9:15 – 9:45 am** or upon request Domingo **12:00 pm** Spanish

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

If one is seriously ill or having surgery, please call the parish office or the rectory for Anointing of the Sick. A Priest or extraordinary minister of Holy Communion will administer Holy Communion on a weekly basis to shut-ins.

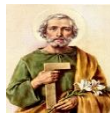
SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples should contact the Pastor a minimum of **six** (6) months in advance. Dates may **not** be set prior to the second meeting with the priest. The Diocese requires that couples attend an Engaged Encounter or Picture of Love Weekend.

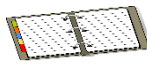
First gathering: Sept. 16, 1992 Blessing of Building: May 25, 2001

Consecration of Altar & Church January 12, 2003

Canonically erected Parish May 1, 2006 Feast of St. Joseph the Worker



St Joseph the Worker, as a happy faith community, welcomes you and your family with joyful hearts to our church. If you are not registered and want to belong to this happy family of worshippers, please stop one of the ushers or myself, Fr. Julius, and request a registration form. Or you may always call the office at (423) 442-7273.



A Week ahead in our Parish

Mon Apr 8 - 9am Communion Service

Tues Apr 9 - 9am *Msgr Daniel Logan*
By: *Trudy P-P*

Wed Apr 10 - 9am † *Amy Edwards*
By: Galante

9:30am Rosary (church)

7pm **Penance Service**

Thu Apr 11 - 9am † *Maryann Aloia*
By: Aloia

7pm Rosary (grotto)

Fri Apr 12 - 9am Mass *Joshua Arehart*
By: Arehart

9:30 – 4pm Adoration & Benediction

7pm – Stations of the Cross (church) By: Altar Servers

Sat Apr 13 –

4pm Vigil Mass † *Roger & Norma Lewandowski*
By: Lewandowski

Sun April 14, 2019 Palm Sunday

9:30 am Mass † *Elizabeth Skolode*
By: Terrell

12pm Mass *People of the parish*
By:

11:15 CCD (MH)

Ministries for next week Apr 13/14, 2019

4 PM

8 AM

10 AM

Ushers: D Thompson
Cookie

J Aloia
L Merkt
G Kraft

D Walter
J Nowotnik

Servers: R Crabtree

J Croker
T St Pierre
K Evans

K Spurling
A Huffor
B Trejo

Readers: T Lewey

G Aloia

M Dipzinski

EMHC: M Thompson
C Macaluso
R Burris

M & M
Cummings

R Lottes
K Stakes
Sue M

Church Cleaning Apr 15 – J & M Croker

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Pray for the Sick of our Parish

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| Mary Cornejo | Bruce Diehl | Charles Downs |
| Ron Eydt | Maria Figueroa | Jeanne Huffor |
| Ruth Hurley | Alvaro Pina | AJ & Karen Ruggiero |
| Hugo Schielke | Patty Swatzell | Joan |
| Stuart | | |

Please pray for the soul of **Ruth Neudecker**, who died last week and was buried by Father Julius in a private funeral ceremony on Monday, April 1st, with family members only present at the request of the family.

Happy Birthday – Carlos Adame, Wilfredo Castro, Leonel Corona, Jose Cortes, Jose Guzman, Denio Jimenez, Emily Magana-Espinoza, Mayra Medina, Louis Merkt, Michael Orr, Marlene Saldana, Esmeralda Velasquez

Happy Anniversary- Larry & Delores Adkins, Richard & Karen Burris, Jose & Rubi Cortes

To add or remove a name from the list, please contact the office.

During Lent, Father would like to encourage everyone to attend Mass more than on just Sunday alone. Pick any 9:00 am weekday Mass and come and attend.

SJTW Penance Service: On **Wednesday, April 10**, we will have our Lenten Penance Service at 7:00 PM.

WEEKLY FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP:

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| March 30-31, 2019 | | | | Attendance: 372 |
| Offertory week 39 | Need | week +/- | YTD | |
| \$ 2817 | \$3898 | -\$1081 | +\$1714 | |

The Knights are planning their traditional Lenten **Fish Fry on April 12th**. Please save the date! **Participants are encouraged to stay for the Friday Stations of the Cross immediately following at 7 PM in the church.**



The Visit of Archbishop Protase Rugambwa:

Dear parishioners, join me in welcoming a friend of mine, Archbishop Protase Rugambwa, who is coming to celebrate the Easter Triduum with us this year. Archbishop Rugambwa is a native of Tanzania. He was a Bishop in Kigoma Diocese,

Tanzania before he was called to serve in the diplomatic services in Rome. He served as the President of the Pontifical Missions under the propagation of the faith. He is currently the Secretary General of the Congregation for Evangelization of the People in Rome. **Archbishop Rugambwa will be with us at St. Joseph the Worker, Madisonville from Good Friday until Easter Monday.** Our own Bishop Stika and Cardinal Rigali will welcome him to the Diocese at mid-day on Holy Saturday. It is an honor for us as a faith community to welcome Archbishop Protase Rugambwa to St. Joseph the Worker, Madisonville.



Every Friday, here at SJTW, Mass is at 9:00 am followed by **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 9:30 am to 4:00 pm**, concluding with a solemn benediction. Come and spend an hour, or however much time you may have, and offer prayers for the healing of the Church, the respect and protection of the Unborn, and your own personal intentions.

Thought of the Week: "Judging someone does not define who they are; it defines who you are."

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member for information or call Ed Harless @ 423-884-2575.



Help Needed for an Easter Egg Hunt for the Children: Our parish needs several volunteers. We will have an Easter Egg Hunt after the 10:00 AM and 12:30 PM Masses. We need people 1. To bring

bags of candy (prefer no chocolate it melts); 2. To stuff the candy in the eggs; 3. To do both jobs; 4. To help arrange the kids by ages. Sign-up sheets are located in the Narthex of the church. Please sign up for ANY or ALL of these jobs.

Operation Rice Bowl: In this fifth week of Lent we encounter Ona in Gaza, where, despite lack of economic opportunity, people pursue their dreams by building businesses to better their lives. How do your daily choices impact others throughout the world? How can your choices support the dignity of workers? Visit csrcicebowl.org for information.



Knights of Columbus Yard Sale - On May 17th & 18th the KOC will be conducting a huge Yard Sale with proceeds going to the many charities that they support. As you do your spring house cleaning, consider donating those items that you no longer need to this worthy

event. All items of value that are clean and in working order are welcome. If you need help in transporting your donations, they will make arrangements to pick them up. Sample list of items: Books; Clean Clothing; Furniture, Pictures & Decorative items; Clean Bedding; Large & Small Appliances; Power & Hand Tools; Lawn & Garden Equipment; Kitchen Pots, Pans, Dishes; Auto parts; Sporting Goods; Camping Gear; Boating Equipment; Christmas Decorations; Electronics; Crafts; and Toys. Contact any KOC

Lenten Lunch Schedule – at 12 noon

April 10: Buckner & Vonore Methodist at Buckner

Pontifical Good Friday Collection for the Holy Land will be the special collection taken up April 19th. This collection, in the words of Paul VI is “not only for the Holy Places but above all for those pastoral, charitable, educational and social work which the Church supports in the Holy Land for the welfare of the local communities.” Your generosity also assists those such as the Franciscans who have been in the Holy Land since 1209 caring for the poor, protecting the Holy shrines and keeping the light of Christianity alive.

Think Spring! Our Knights of Columbus are planning a **Spring Flower Sale** for the weekend of April 27th & 28th. Hanging baskets and bedding plants will be available for sale. Start thinking about your choices now!

FRIDAYS OF LENT: The Stations of the Cross (Way of the Cross) will be held at **7:00 PM on each Friday of Lent.**



Our altar servers will lead us on April 12. Fr. Julius will lead us Good Friday, April 19. Everyone is invited so please come and join us.

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Magnificat: We were checking the level of interest to get a greatly discounted price if bought in bulk through the church. If you enjoyed the Magnificat, there are vouchers available in the Narthex for the Magnificat for 4 months/\$10. Call the office, if you are interested in getting the Magnificat through the church.

Catholics Around the World: According to a March 6 Vatican statement, the percentage of Catholics in the world has remained steady, about 17.7 %, exceeding 1.3 billion at the end of 2017 (the year with the most recent data). The statement, referencing the Statistical Yearbook of the Church, stated that almost half of the world's Catholics were living in the Americas.

CNS, Vatican, Archdiocese of Baltimore

Help Support Seminarian Education. The second collection on Easter Sunday will support Seminarian Education. This Fall we expect to have 13 men enrolled in seminarian studies. The cost of educating just one seminarian is nearly \$50,000. Please support our Seminarists. Thank you.