

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Please pray for the soul of Joan Stuart who died on Tuesday, May 21. Joan and her husband, Ray, were one of the founding members of SJTW Church. Her funeral Mass will be held here on Saturday, June 1, at 2:00 PM. There will be coffee

and dessert immediately after Mass. The Women's Group will be delivering catered food to their home on Friday for the family.

Happy Birthday – Francisco Almanza, Angelica Calderon, Maria Gonzalez, Magdalena Guzman, Judith Hogan, Andrew Huffor, Magdalena Magos, Ana Olvera

Happy Anniversary- Joe & Joanie Gaspar, Manuel & Guadalupe Quintino, Juan & Maria Aguilera



WEEKLY FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP:

<u>May 18-19, 2019</u>	Attendance: 349		
Offertory week 46	Need	week +/-	YTD
\$ 2623	\$3898	-\$1275	+\$4600

The Good Shepherd Center: Every Sunday, the collection taken after Communion is for the Good Shepherd Center. Summer is a time of bounty, but it's also a time when more children are hungry because they no longer receive free or reduced-price school meals. The Good Shepherd Center fills that gap with our **"Kid Friendly Foods"** program. We provide breakfast, lunch, and snacks for each child while they are on school break. Your contributions play a vital role in our fight against summer hunger.



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.



The Altar Server Training Date is Saturday, June 15 at 11 AM.

We are ready to welcome new altar servers. Do you want to serve Jesus in a special way at Mass? Come to our class on Saturday, June 15th.

Thought for the Week:

"God proved His love on the Cross. When Christ hung, and bled, and died, it was God



Reader/ EMHC Training Session: We will have a training session for new readers and new EMHCs on **Monday, June 10 at 6:30 PM in the church, for practicing Catholics.** Please contact the church office at 423-442-7273 if you are interested.

Check us out on facebook: St. Joseph the Worker, Madisonville, Tn.

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Remember!! You can always access the Bulletin online at: www.SaintJosephtheWorker.net

The 2nd collection on June 2, will benefit the (CCC) National Collection for Catholic Communications Campaign in its work of evangelization. Working to keep the Gospel message in the world, CCC provides Catholic content for radio, the Internet, television and print publications. CCC focuses on finding new ways to bring the Gospel message **to you** by working to be wherever the faithful and those seeking the faith are. CCC provides content the way **you** need it—on the internet to strengthen marriage, in podcasts for daily readings, on television for Christmas Mass and on Facebook for news, discussions and sharing of the faith. Please be generous in your support of this important work. 50% of the funds collected will assist the Diocese of Knoxville's Communications Office in our local projects.

The Paraclete Catholic Bookstore is having a Massive Summer Sale June 1-15. We are clearing out overstock in all departments! Sale Items are 40-90% off. Sale will be held inside, so beat the heat and come on in! 417 Erin Dr (located on the Campus of Sacred Heart Cathedral), Knoxville. Call (865)-588-0388 for information.



New or registered, parish members may receive a SJTW **Sharing Our Favorites Cookbook**. If you have not gotten your copy, please contact the Church office or

Barbara Callan.

SJTW participates in a **Community Potluck Supper**. This multi-denominational, FREE event supports underserved people in Monroe County every Tuesday evening at the Madisonville Presbyterian Church, from 5 to 6pm. SJTW is currently on a 10-week rotation. We need individuals or couples to volunteer to bring a prepared food item, serve at the buffet, and participate in the fellowship. Each week needs five volunteers to make up a Team. (If we get enough helping hands, each Team many only need to serve twice a year.) It is a very humbling and gratifying experience. If you would like to participate, contact Jodi Swiderek at tennesseeswiderek@netzero.net or at 423-420-6609. If you know of someone in the community who could benefit from this weekly meal, please encourage them to attend as a guest.

Dear Parishioners,

I wanted to alert y'all to a very aggressive and deceptive scam that is being used to trick people into making a payment or providing personal information. I have received this call twice at the rectory. The caller sounded very legitimate and professional, requesting payment "or the power would be turned off in thirty minutes" The phone number appeared to be an 800 Service call, but when they said that "due to an unpaid bill, we are going to shut off your power in 30 minutes if you fail to call this 800 number" I became immediately suspicious and of course, just ignored the call. Power is still on!

Please contact your utility company directly if you receive any phone call that appears to be a utility company. Never provide payment of personal info to a caller you don't know.

Again, do not respond for any solicitation for money on emails to anyone, especially coming from Africa. **DO NOT** send any money to anyone online to "rescue Father Julius who is stranded " from any

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situation. They are mostly scammers. I am here and NOT in need of any rescue.

God bless y'all. Fr. Julius, Your Pastor

Today, May 26, is our 4th Sunday Covered Dish after 10:00 AM Mass. Come to share and enjoy fellowship with your St Joseph the Worker family!

All high school young ladies are invited (especially those planning to celebrate their quinceañera) to the **La Vida en Rosa Retreat**. The theme this year is **You are more precious than pearls (Proverbs 3:15)**. Girls: during this retreat you can expect games, time to reconnect with God, excellent talks, good food, meeting new friends, fun activities, and learning a lot about your worth and dignity as a daughter of God. Some talks and activities will be in Spanish and others in English. The retreat will be from **Friday May 31 at 6:30 PM until Sunday June 2** at 4 PM in the Christ Prince of Peace retreat house in Benton, TN. The cost is \$35. We have space for 50 teens. Bring a friend. We will see you there! To register, contact Brittany García, coordinator of Pastoral Juvenil Hispana, at (865) 776-9635 or bgarcia@dioknox.org.
