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MASS SCHEDULE @ ST. ROSE
Mon. No Daily Mass
Tue, Thu, Fri 8:15 am
Wed 6:00 pm
Sat 4:30 pm Sun 9:30 am
Confessions Sat one hour prior to Mass
Or by appointment.

St. Joseph Mission, Fairplay
Sunday 12:30 pm
Anticipated Holy Days Mass
5:30 pm

COUNCILS/COMMITTEES

COORDINATOR OF COMMUNION MINISTERS OF THE SICK:

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ENVIRONMENTS

COMMITTEE: Chairperson:
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Chairperson: Dorothy Distel
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PLANT COMMISSION:

Chairperson: Steve Kuennen
719.221.0209

SOCIAL CONCERNS COMMISSION:

Chairperson: Barb Paarz
719.486.2922

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday one hour prior to Mass

Sacramental Preparation
Infant Baptism: Baptismal
Instruction Required; please
contact Parish Office for more
information

Marriage: Contact Pastor at least
1 year before date of wedding.

OCIA: Adult preparation for
Sacraments; please contact Parish
Office for more information.

SERVICE GROUPS

CHURCH STORE

Cindy Novak 336.214.4768
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PRAYER CHAIN

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Wednesday, 9:00 am
to 4:30 pm
Closed Noon to 1:00 pm
Thursday, 9:00 am—Noon
Friday Closed

STAFF

ADMIN ASSISTANT/ RECEPTIONIST

Valarie White 719.395.8424

FAITH FORMATION COORDINATOR

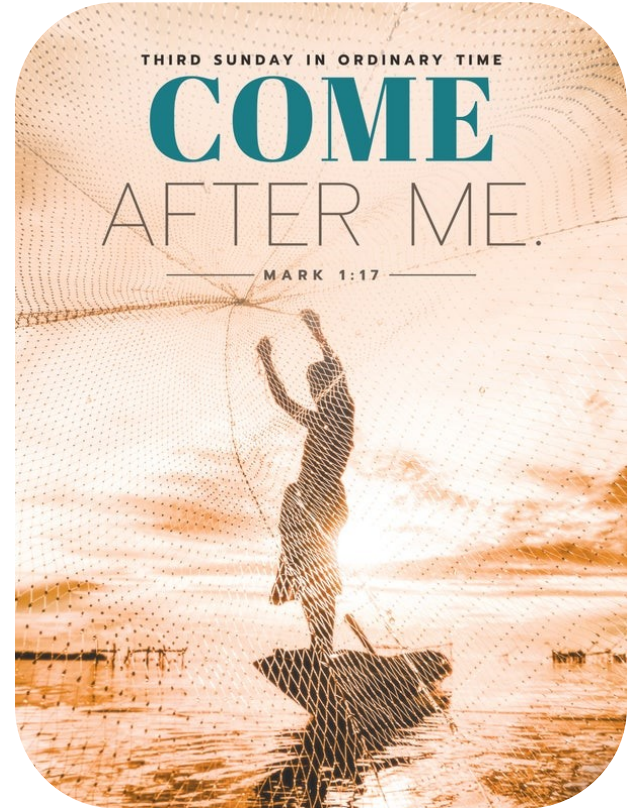
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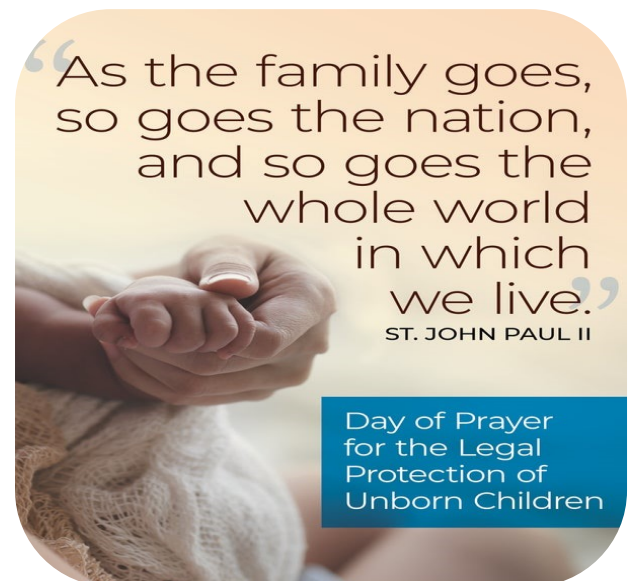
Jayne McCracken

BOOKKEEPER

Patty Barrows



“As the family goes,
so goes the nation,
and so goes the
whole world
in which
we live.”
ST. JOHN PAUL II



Day of Prayer
for the Legal
Protection of
Unborn Children

Bulletin Deadline
Monday
Noon

January 21, 2024



Gospel Reflection

We start telling lies around the age of three, the experts tell us. It's understandable. Lying is a god-like power. Whatever I want, I need only say it, and the world rearranges itself accordingly. It's amazing at first. But soon reality snaps back and I'm faced with a dilemma. If I remain committed to my lie I start to fracture into pieces. My words and reality drift apart, and I find myself lost in a lonely world of further falsehoods and fear of being found out.

How marvelous, then, that Jesus begins his ministry by proclaiming: "Repent!" We tend to think it means "stop doing bad things" but it doesn't. It literally means "go beyond the mind you have." Think in a new way. It's painful to admit, but some portion of my mind is addicted to lie-telling, usually to protect my ego or make life easier. To repent means to admit this tendency, to say, "I'm done lying," and to move beyond my split mind into a complete commitment to the truth. Perhaps that's why at Mass we together proclaim, "I have sinned in my thoughts, and in my words..." Repentance and truth-telling work together.

Those who know the twelve-step process of addiction recovery know this process well. The fourth step requires radical truth-telling: listing our moral defects. This isn't being scrupulous. Rather it is freedom from falsehood, and entrance into the real world. This week, I invite you to join me in this practice. Get your phone or piece of paper. Answer the question: what are your true moral defects? Write them down. Remember, the Lord knows them already and loves you. We have a sacrament where this truth-telling is celebrated: Confession. Perhaps it is finally time to go beyond our childish lies.

— Father John Muir



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LITURGICAL + ROLES

All liturgical ministers, please arrive 15 minutes before mass begins to meet in the sacristy for prayer.

Saturday, January 27, 2024 4:30 PM

Lectors: S Kuennen
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: S Braatz, C Novak, D Distel
Altar Servers: D Kuennen
Hospitality Ministers: L Gillingham, M Pelino
Sacristan: D Kuennen
Music: J Giles

Sunday, January 28, 2024 9:30 AM

Lectors: Joe Redetzke
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: J or S Sherlock, R White, B White
Altar Servers: OPEN
Hospitality Ministers: R & V White
Sacristan: T Small
Music: Brady Group



January 22, 2024 – January 28, 2024

Tuesday– 8:15am ☩Kathleen Kersteins

Wednesday—6:00 pm ☩Roger Willas

Thursday– 8:15am ☩Elijah Hooper

Friday– 8:15 am ☩Nick Martinez

Saturday– 4:30 pm ☩Andy Belko

Sunday– 9:30 am For the Parish

St. Joseph Mission 12:30pm ☩Kyle Christian Wilson

With Him All Things Are Possible

We continue to keep in our prayer list– Cathy Pfalzgraff, Dorothy Maestas, Karen Klugh, Curt Cordova, Marija Willas, Joann Willburn, Catherine Smith, Don Philpott, Robert Hines, Johnny Rowe, Frank Maestas, Mary T. Meurs, Cathy Rowe, Trish Young, George Janik, Cecelia Chapman, The Family of Pete and Jenna Ambrose, and all of our home bound and those in nursing homes.

For our recently departed parishioners and family members, please pray for their souls. Please keep their families in your thoughts and prayers.



January 22, 2024

2 Sm 5:1-7,10/Mk 3:22-30

Men's Bible Study 7 am (PH)

January 23, 2024

2 Sm 6:12B-15,17-19/Mk 3:31-35

Ladies Bible Study 9 am (RR)

Zumba 3:30 pm (PH)

Men's Bible Study 6:30 pm (RR)

January 24, 2024

2 Sm 7:4-17/Mk 4:1-20

Ladies' Meditation 10:30 am (CH)

January 25, 2024

Acts 22:3-16 or 9:1-22/

Mk 16:15-18

LOTS (Ladies Old Testament Study) Group 9 am (RR)

God's Girls 11:45 am (PH)

Pokeno Noon (PH)

Zumba 3:30 pm (PH)

January 26, 2024

2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Mk 4:26-34

January 27, 2024

2 Sm 12:1-7A,10-17/Mk 4:35-41

Spec Coll Church in Latin Amer

Rosary 4 pm

January 28, 2024

Dt 18:15-20/1 Cor 7:32-35/


Mk 1:21-28

Spec Coll Church in Latin Amer


Rosary 9:00 am

Faith Formation Community Mtg




 The Knights of Columbus are always willing to lend a hand. Please reach out to a Knight if you, or someone you know, is in need of assistance. This assistance can be in the form of a visit or a small home repair. For further information call Steve Kuennen (719) 221-0209.

If anyone would like prayer for any reason, contact Janine and she'll get the prayer request on the prayer chain. Additionally, if anyone would like to join and pray for one another, please contact her as well. janine.giles@yahoo.com




There is Families of Faith (Formation) class scheduled on January 21st at St. Rose of Lima for those students preparing to receive the Sacraments of First Penance/Communion and Confirmation. Students in grades 4-6 should be continuing their studies at home. January 28th there is a Community Meeting. Parents and students are encouraged to attend.

Are you desirous of receiving the Holy Eucharist, but are homebound due to chronic illness, a disability or a recent surgery and therefore unable to attend Mass? Are you aware that St Rose has parishioners mandated and trained as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to the sick? Whether your situation is short or long term, we are blessed to bring Christ in the Eucharist to you. Please contact Deb Kuennen, (719) 966-4757, or debkuennen@hotmail.com for more information.



Bishop James Golka will celebrate Mass, at St. Mary's Cathedral, with prayers for healing and anointing of the sick. Please join us if you or someone you know is in need of prayers for healing.

Saturday, February 10, 2024

Confessions: 9 a.m.


Rosary: 9:30 a.m.

Mass: 10:00 a.m.



St. Marianne Cope immigrated to the USA from Germany when she was a child. A gifted leader, she oversaw schools, hospitals, and missions during her long life. Most notably, she volunteered to provide care to those outcast with leprosy in Hawaii. Her optional memorial day is Tuesday, January 23rd.

St. Francis de Sales was born to a noble family at Chateau de Sales in the Kingdom of Savoy near Geneva, Switzerland on August 21, 1567. He was a Bishop and Doctor of the Church. St. Francis de Sales was beatified on January 8, 1661 and canonized on April 19, 1665 by Pope Alexander VII. In 1923, Pope Pius XI named St. Francis de Sales the patron saint of Catholic writers and the Catholic press because of the tracts and books he wrote. He is also the patron saint of the deaf, journalists, adult education, and the Sisters of St. Joseph. His feast day is celebrated on January 24th.



LITURGICAL + ROLES

**St. Joseph Mission
Sunday, January 28, 2024
12:30 PM**

Lectors: C Hart
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: C Hart, W Hart
Altar Servers: J Prochazka
Ushers: P Greguoli, J Prochazka
Sacristan: J Prochazka
Music: C Erdle



Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

Pope Francis has said that respect for life is not just about

the unborn child in the womb, but also about the least of our brothers and sisters. Yes, it is even upon the undocumented resident alien who has no voice but ours. As followers of Jesus Christ, we are all called to protect the voiceless.

Let us pray...

Good and gracious God, you blew into our nostrils the breath of life. You are the One to whom we owe our very existence.

Give us the courage to take that unpopular position of protecting those who have no voice, the unborn child in the womb to the person taking his or her last breath.

The life you have given us is a gift beyond measure. Embolden us to speak the truth about protecting the child, the elderly, and the one without a voice in the public square.

With thankful hearts, we ask all this of the One God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.



**PREGNANCY HOTLINE NUMBER
24 HOURS 719-395-6703**