

St. Joseph Church

May 25, 2014 - 6th Sunday of Easter
411 E. Second St., Dayton, OH 45402 Telephone 228-9272
www.StJosephDayton.org

St. Joseph Parish

Mission Statement

We, the faith community of Saint Joseph Parish, open to the Spirit as disciples of Jesus Christ, proclaim, witness and celebrate the Kingdom of God among us, through service, healing and reconciling love.



Masses for the Week

Monday, May 26,	12:00 Noon	Leon Deppen
Tuesday, May 27,	12:00 Noon	Steve Kolakowski Fr
Wednesday, May 28,	12:00 Noon	Rosemary Luzar
Thursday, May 29,	12:00 Noon	Bona Kim
Friday, May 30,	12:00 Noon	Ken Mumford
Saturday, May 31,	12:00 Noon	Al & Rita Trick
	4:30 p.m.	Kay Belcher
Sunday, Jun 1,	10:00 a.m.	Lyndon & Mary Francis

Parish Registration: Call the rectory Monday thru Friday 8:30 am to 2:30 pm

Baptisms: Call the rectory to schedule

Weddings: You must be a registered parish member for six months to set a date. Allow 6 months preparation time.

Confessions: Monday thru Saturday 11:30 am until 11:55 am

Holy Day Mass: Noon on the Holy day

St. Joseph Staff

Rev. Angelo Anthony, C.P.P.S., Pastor
Rev. Ken Pleiman, C.P.P.S., Assoc Pastor
Rita Zimmerman, Business Manager
Bill Baron, Maintenance

Finance Council

Jim Bolton
Harry Bossey
Lou Homan
Jonathan Spowart

Parish Council

Beth Anderson John Ludwig
Steve Byington Cindy Luzar
Gary Gregory Janet Smith
Michael Landry Amy Spowart

St. Joseph Update

Potluck Dinner - June 21

The Social Committee is planning a potluck dinner following the 4:30 Mass on June 21. Watch the bulletin for more information.

Theology on Tap

May 29: Courtney Brown -

"Dare to Love: A look at St. John Paul II Vision of Marriage"

June 5: Ethan Moore -

"Stepping outside our comfort zone: Evangelization in everyday conversations"

June 12: Josh Danis -

"Life and Justice NOW: God's challenging plan for Union"

Defibrillator Training / Recertification

We are planning a recertification/ training class for anyone who attended the first training two years ago and anyone who would like to be certified. You must be certified every two years to use of the defibrillator. We have a defibrillator in church and want to ensure enough people are certified in the event someone would need help before emergency personnel arrived.

Please call the rectory if you would like to be recertified or certified at 228-9272.

The Athenaeum of Ohio's Lay Pastoral Ministry Program is pleased offer a Couple Communication Workshop, presented by Dr. Tom Giordano. The workshop will be offered on two consecutive Saturdays, June 21st and 28th from 8:45am-12:45pm at the Bartlett Center, located at the Athenaeum of Ohio, 6616 Beechmont Avenue, Cincinnati. The cost is \$75 per couple.

Couple Communication is an easy to learn, award-winning educational program in which couples participate together. As a couple, participants learn 11 communication skills for talking, listening, making decisions and effectively resolving conflicts together.

Please reply by June 11th to the LPMP office via e-mail (ccheevers@athenaeum.edu) or by calling 513.231.1200.

Furthering our Faith through Film

Please make plans to join us Friday, May 30, as we celebrate Mary's month of May with a film about Our Lady of Kibeho. Come and learn about this Vatican-approved apparition of our Blessed Mother and her messages for Rwanda and the whole world. We'll meet at 1:00pm in the school cafeteria and a light lunch will be served. As usual, everyone is most welcome. If you have any questions, please call Bobby at 435-4858.

Financial Information

Collection for May 18th \$6331.00
Charity \$172.00

Thank You!

Prayer List

*Please keep the following people in your prayers.
Please call the rectory if you would like someone added to the prayer list.*

Patricia Bornhorst
Greg Bowers
Susan Busch
Pamela Cabrera
Fran & Al Dabrowski
Nancy Dolan
George Dopf
Rachel Dudley
Earl Evans Jr
Mary Fiste
Joseph Franchina
Darrel Francis
Gail Gaeth
Clara Garza
Richard Gill
Dorothy Grant
Jim Hanerty
Bennett Hart

Marie Henry
Brittany Keirns
Robert Garrity
Randy Kramer
Chris Luehrs
Lindsey Luehrs
Milo Nickles
Helen Moore
Joe Moretto
Robert Morris
Clara Osman
Anna Pole
Stephanie Potter
Thomas Pluckett
Isaiah Ramsey
Tony Riggs
Ed Sullivan
Betty Wenzel

Pastor's Corner

In the Gospel this Sunday, Jesus gives the apostles and us three promises. These three promises of Jesus not only enrich our spiritual life but motivate us for Christ like action in today's world. With these promises Jesus wants to charge our faith batteries so that we can be men and women, boys and girls that live and act out the Gospel of Life.

First Promise: "I will send you another Advocate (Counselor or Paraclete)." Jesus, of course, is speaking about the Holy Spirit. Jesus gave us the Holy Spirit to be the energy and staying power in our life of faith. The Holy Spirit is manifested in our daily prayer life and in the way we live out our faith each day by our many words and actions. Promise one is the gift of the Holy Spirit.

Second Promise: "I will not leave you orphans. I will come back to you." For us today, this promise of the Lord is kept in the Eucharist when Jesus comes to us in His Risen Presence under the form of bread and wine to be our strength and to give us a pledge of eternal life with Him. Because of the Eucharist, we are not orphans, never alone, no matter what we may face, Jesus remains with us. Promise two is the gift of the Eucharist.

Third Promise: "If you keep My commandments, My Father and I will reveal Ourselves to you and come to you." The presence of Christ becomes more vivid to us as we follow the Gospel message. When we follow the Gospel we experience the presence of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit in a variety of ways. In the Gospel Jesus tells us how to be faithful to the commandments; simply put, Jesus tells us to love God with all your mind, heart, body, and soul, and love your neighbor as yourself. When we do that we experience the third promise, the grace and presence of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

The fulfillment of each of these promises are celebrated by special feast days in the Church's liturgical year. They are the Feast of Pentecost, the Feast of the Holy Trinity, and the Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi). And guess what, these feast days are just around the corner, only a couple weeks away. These feast days are powerhouse days for Church and for the People of God. Get ready to have your faith batteries charged.

Fr. Ken



**"I will ask the Father,
and he will give you
...the Spirit of truth."
- John 14: 16-17**

Mini-Retreat with Fr. David Endres

Topic: A Faith to Believe In, Catechism Basics
Saturday, August 9th, 8:30-Noon, St. Albert the
Great, 3033 Far Hills in Kettering

Featuring Fr. David Endres, Asst Professor of Church
History, Mount Saint Mary's Seminary
8:30am Mass in Church, Mini-Retreat following
Mass, Free of Charge, Continental Breakfast
Registration by August 1: St. Albert at 293-1191.

Catholic Homeschool Conference

*The Immaculate Heart of Mary Dayton Homeschool
and Parent Conference* will be held at St. Peter
Church-Family Life Center, 6161 Chambersburg
Road on Friday, June 27 from 2-8:00 p.m. and
Saturday, June 28th from 9:30 -3:30 p.m.

Confirmed speakers include: Fr. Shannon Collins, Fr.
Sean Kopczynski, Dr. Ray Guarendi, Mrs. Mary Ellen
Barrett, and Mrs. Colleen Hammond. Admission is
free. For more information visit
www.ihmconference.org or call 540-636-1946.

The Life Resource Centre will host its annual

TK Hausfeld Ride for Life event on Saturday, July
26. The event is held in memory of Tom and Kacie
Hausfeld. Both lived every day of their lives to the
fullest...expressing a passion for life. The event aims
to promote life, family and good health. Proceeds
will support the organization's Stork's Nest
emergency baby pantry, three levels of parenting
classes and community outreach; all resources are
free to the Greater Dayton community.

Register online: [http://tkhride4life.eventbrite.com?](http://tkhride4life.eventbrite.com?s=23817033)
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Walking with the Apostles

Right now it appears we are going to be really
close to reaching Rome by walking with Saints
Peter and Paul. If you have not been actively
participating and have any exercise miles you can
contribute it is not too late. Maybe this week we
can focus on doing good and praying for the
rescue of the kidnapped girls in Nigeria for truly
they are facing evil.

The scripture for this week is from the Second
Reading – *1 Peter 3:15*

*“For it is better to suffer for doing good, if that be
the will of God, than for doing evil.”*

Miles last week: 127 miles, 2463 miles to date,
which is 83.5% of the goal.

Have you registered?

If you attend Mass at St. Joe's but have never
registered as a member of the parish, please
consider doing so. It's easy...just call the rectory
at 228-9272.

Are you getting your estate in order?

If so, please remember St. Joseph Church. It is
through the generosity of individuals like yourself
who name St. Joseph in their will that the parish
continues to thrive and will do so for many years
to come.

Pray for the Men and Women Serving in the Military

Gary Eilers	Cody Landers
Greg Marcus	Alex McGarvey
David Musgrove	Jessica Pruitt

Light of Belief

*Every believer in this world must
become a spark of light.*
- Blessed Pope John XXIII

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Jn 15:26-16:4a
Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Jn 16:5-11
Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22-18:1; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Jn 16:12-15
Thursday: Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23;
Mt 28:16-20
Friday: Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47:2-7; Jn 16:20-23
Saturday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16; Is 12:2-3, 4-6;
Lk 1:39-56
Sunday: Acts 1:12-14; Ps 27:1, 4, 7-8; 1 Pt 4:13-16;
Jn 17:1-11a

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Monday: St. Philip Neri; Memorial Day
Tuesday: St. Augustine of Canterbury
Thursday: The Ascension of the Lord (transferred to
Sunday)
Saturday: The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary