

St. Joseph Church

September 9, 2012 - 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
411 E. Second St., Dayton, OH 45402 Telephone 228-9272

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, Sept 10,	12:00 Noon	Mary & Bud Loges, daughter Peggy
Tuesday, Sept 11,	12:00 Noon	Father James Brooks
Wednesday, Sept 12,	12:00 Noon	Michael Kics
Thursday, Sept 13,	12:00 Noon	Adela Walden
Friday, Sept 14,	12:00 Noon	Lawrence Beatty
Saturday, Sept 15,	12:00 Noon	Paul Venditti
	4:30 pm	John Folfas
Sunday, Sept 16,	10:00 am	Poor Souls

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

Baptisms: Noon on Sunday, 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
Lou Homan
Jonathan Spowart

Parish Council

Harry Bossey Michael Landry
Rick Carlile John Ludwig
Mary Doerr Amy Spowart
Gary Gregory Libbie Worley

St. Joseph Update

Happy Grandparents Day!

Catholics Come Home

Each of us knows at least one Catholic who has drifted away from the Church—a child, a neighbor, a grandchild, a dear friend. Many are only waiting for an invitation to return. Next week at all Masses, we will take up a special **Catholics Come Home Collection** to help extend that invitation through TV spots airing in primetime throughout the Archdiocese. Please be generous in your support of this effort to reunite our Catholic family! To view sample TV spots, please visit www.catholicscomehome.org.

No Coffee & Donuts today.

Plugged in to Amazing Grace

Overwhelmed or worn out by how busy your life can be? Perhaps you need to "pull the plug" on what is wearing you down and "plug in" to recharge your energy, hope and grace! Please join Fr. Angelo Anthony and Ms. Debra Wolf for an afternoon of reflection and renewal. This will be held at Trinity Center, 272 Bainbridge Street, on **Sunday, Sept. 23** beginning with **lunch at 12:30 p.m.** Reservations are required by Sept 18th though there is no cost for the program (freewill donations will be accepted to offset the cost of lunch.) Please call Mary Wlodarski at 228-1223 or email her at pa_holytrinity@yahoo.com to reserve your place for this inspiring afternoon! All Region Seven parishioners are invited!

The Great Adventure

continues at Emmanuel with Jeff Cavins teaching us about the Apostles and the establishment on the ground floor of the Roman Catholic Church. The Kruecks had this to say about our past Matthew study: "We never understood the Bible as we do now. It's amazing how the Old Testament and New Testament mirror each other.....the New fully fulfills the Old." Come join us as we journey with the Apostles on the 2nd, 4th and 5th Tuesdays of each month beginning Sept 11th through May 21. There will also be a class on Saturday starting Sept 29, from 9:30-11:00 am. For further information contact Charlie & Susie @ 890-6262 or Kathleen @ 667-8566.

Radio Maria needs YOU!! Radio Maria is having it's Fall Marathon (on-air pledge drive) Tuesday, September 18th through Friday, September 22nd. You can help by calling in your pledge of support, comments and prayer requests to 1-888-408-0201 or online at radiomaria.us. Please consider either a one time gift or joining ARMS21 (Association of Radio Maria Supporters donating \$21/month). Radio Maria features live broadcasts of several Masses, programs and events from Ohio - tune in for Holy Mass from Ohio parishes the third and fifth Sunday morning of each month. Thank you in advance for your generous financial support and prayers for your local Catholic Radio Maria stations: 88.7 FM, Anna / West Central Ohio and 1600 AM, Springfield / Dayton. Radio Maria...a Christian voice in your home!

Financial Information

Collection for Sept 2nd \$5440.00
Charity Collection \$382.00

Thank You Frs. Angelo and Ken

Prayer List

Please keep the following people in your prayers. If you are seriously ill or undergoing surgery and would like your name added to the pray list please call the rectory.

Jim Allen	Dorothy Grant
Peg Anderson	Laura Grump
Patricia Bornhorst	Norma Hickey
Greg Bower	Randy Kramer
Robert Caulfield	Cathy Kreitzer
Ralph Chapman	Jane Lewis
Tim Chapman	Chris Luehrs
Elijah Deckard	Helen Moore
Nancy Dolan	Walter Overholser
Willie Dunson	Barbara Pacey
Mary Fiste	Stephanie Potter
Joseph S. Franchina	Isaiah Ramsey
Robert Garrity	Pat Somers
Clara Garza	Mary Helen Wedig

Pastor's Corner

Our readings this weekend help us to appreciate the gift of healing that God brings into our lives. Not only does God want to heal our present suffering, but He offers us a vision of salvation through the words of the Prophet Isaiah. The Messiah will open the eyes of the blind, clear the ears of the deaf, place words upon the tongue of the believer and restore movement to the legs of the lame. This healing comes as a remedy for the effects of sin in the world which causes blindness that keeps us from seeing the Light of Christ; deafness that closes our heart and keeps us from hearing God's Word; a mute spirit which holds us back from talking about the Gospel and a lameness that keeps us from walking the path of life with Jesus.

In our Gospel reading Jesus heals a deaf man who also has a speech impediment using the word "Ephphatha" which means "Be opened!" The memory of this saving act is recalled in the Baptismal ritual of a child when the priest or deacon says "The Lord Jesus made the deaf hear and the mute speak. May he soon touch your ears to receive His word, and your mouth to proclaim His faith, to the praise and glory of God the Father."



As a form of examination of conscience, Fr. George Smiga offers a helpful reflection using the images from the Prophet Isaiah. "How am I deaf or mute to the presence of God in my life: how am I too distracted to hear the beautiful sounds of creation; too preoccupied to pay attention to the goodness, the love, and the wisdom of others; too busy to listen to what the word of God is saying to me in my day-to-day life." As you hear the call to on-going conversion this week may you hear Jesus say to you "Ephphatha," "Be opened!"
Fr. Angelo

Medical Advanced Directives

St. Joseph and Holy Trinity Health Ministry will be sponsoring a session on Medical Advanced Directives on **Saturday, October 6 from 3:00-4:15 pm in the St. Joseph School cafeteria.** Medical Advanced Directives provide the opportunity for individuals to determine how choices will be made for them in medical emergencies and end of life situations when the individual cannot actively participate in the decision making. The overall term Advanced Directives include Durable Power of Attorney for Health Care, Living Wills, and related concepts. The information presented will cover a review of legal aspects in the State of Ohio and relationship to Catholic Doctrine. The presenter (Beth Anderson RN, MS, CRRN, CCM) is a Registered Nurse who has been a member of St. Joseph's for 40 years with nursing experience in a variety of roles caring for patients and families in the Dayton Community. This presentation provides an opportunity for parishioners to get valuable information and to provide an open forum for questions related to how these documents are used in medical situations.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditures for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2011 and ending June 30, 2012

	Actual July 1, 2011 thru June 30, 2012	Budget July 1, 2011 thru June 30, 2012	Budget July 1, 2012 thru June 30, 2013
Revenue			
Offerings	\$ 343,500.00	\$ 322,300.00	\$ 350,300.00
Bequests and Special Gifts	\$ 10,600.00	\$ -	\$ -
Designated Collections	\$ 38,290.00	\$ 31,700.00	\$ 36,000.00
Other Revenue	\$ 111,864.00	\$ 99,000.00	\$ 107,000.00
Total Operating Revenue	\$ 504,254.00	\$ 453,000.00	\$ 493,300.00
Expenditures			
Administrative	\$ 298,771.00	\$ 361,100.00	\$ 343,300.00
Donations	\$ 15,657.00	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 25,000.00
Building and Ordinary Maintenance	\$ 36,285.00	\$ 44,200.00	\$ 40,500.00
* Rental Property Expenses	\$ 34,526.00	\$ 80,000.00	\$ 25,000.00
Refund of Real Estate Tax Prior Year	\$ (74,843.00)	\$ -	\$ -
Payments to Archdiocese	\$ 42,878.00	\$ 47,000.00	\$ 50,000.00
Designated Collections	\$ 42,250.00	\$ 31,700.00	\$ 36,000.00
Capital Expenditures	\$ 20,141.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 35,000.00
Total Operating Expenses	\$ 415,665.00	\$ 619,000.00	\$ 554,800.00
Excess Operating Revenue (Expenditures)	\$ 88,589.00	\$ (166,000.00)	\$ (61,500.00)

* These expenses in the past were covered by the revenues from the school lease which ended June 30, 2010.
We are in active discussion with potential tenants for the school.

**Parish Picnic - September 29th
11:00 AM - 4:00 PM**

Delco Park shelter #3 off Dorothy Lane in Kettering



Meat provided by the Parish
Bring a Covered Dish to Share and Drinks



Activities for the children
Pond for fishing
Corn Hole
Bingo

St. Joseph Church Parish Picnic

Please complete and put in the collection next week.

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Number of people attending: _____

Please let us know what kind of covered dish you'll be bringing: _____