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Mass Times: Sat 5 pm, Sun 10 am
Office Hours: Tues & Thurs 9am - 4pm
Hall Rental: Contact the Parish Office

Pastor: Rev. Fr. Randy Foster
Administrative Assistant: Maryann Clancy
CWL: Mary McKeiver
Knights of Col.: Dan Moloney



Marriage: By arrangement (min. 6 months prior)
Baptism: By arrangement with the Parish Office
Reconciliation: Sat 4:00—4:30 pm or by appointment
Home Communion: Anytime upon request
Music Ministry: Tina McCarthy & Amy Melanson
Cemetery Board: Bob Condon 705-772-6071
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WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 12, 13.

St. Joseph's Parish Mass Intentions

PLEASE FOLLOW COVID PROTOCOLS FOR ALL MASSES

- TUESDAY Feb 15 8:30 am** † Jean Moloney (by Gary & Sharon Moloney)
- WEDNESDAY Feb 16 8:30 am** † Willie O'Grady (by Murray & Suzanne Carlow)
- THURSDAY Feb 17 8:30 am** † Thanksgiving (by a parishioner)
- FRIDAY Feb 18 8:30 pm** † Neil Allen (by Bob & Suzanne & Family)
- SATURDAY Feb 19 5:00 pm** † Leona Moher (by Zita & Terry Jones)
- SUNDAY Feb 20 10:00 am** † People of the Parish

LECTORS	SAT – 5:00 PM	SUN –10:00 AM
Feb 12, 13	Bob Condon	Mike Moloney
Feb 19, 20	Darlene Sullivan	Tom McInnis
EUCHARIST		
Feb 12, 13	Rosemary Towns	Ed Leahy
Feb 19, 20	Ray Johnston	Loretto Coons
USHERS		
Feb 12, 13	Albert Heffernan	Ray Carlow
Feb 19, 20	Barry Condon	Jim Holland
CLEANERS		
Week of Feb 14	Jean Heffernan	Rosemary Towns
Week of Feb 21	Dorothy Perdue	Bernice Heffernan

[ONLINE MASS is available on the Diocesan website for anyone who is unable to attend Sunday Mass.](#)

Parish Stewardship

Feb 6 \$2,754 including \$858 of pre-authorized offering
We thank you for your continued support of our Parish!

THE PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED

Maryann will be working from home as much as possible under the advice of the Diocesan Pastoral Center. Fr. Randy will be in the rectory and will answer calls when possible. The best way to contact the office is by email which is checked regularly.



WE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH... Hugh Kidd.

If you have someone you would like added to the prayer list and/or they would like communion brought to them (in hospital or at home), please call the Parish Office 705 652-3231 OR talk with Fr. Randy



CURRENT CANDLES ARE LIGHTED FOR THE BLESSED MOTHER CANDLE BURNS FEB 12-18 FOR MARRIED COUPLES AND THOSE CONSIDERING MARRIAGE

OUR ST. JOSEPH CANDLE IS LIGHTED FEB 12-18 FOR THE SOUL OF JOHN V. MOHER BY THE MOHER FAMILY



KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS are happy to announce that there will be an in person meeting in the Parish Hall February 15th at 7:00 PM.



THANK YOU The Knights would like to thank everyone who participated in their Valentine's Day Gift Bag fundraiser!



Bags are available for curbside pickup at the Parish Hall on Sat. Feb. 12 between 3pm and 5pm and Sunday Feb. 13 between 8am and 10am.



Outstanding CWL dues can still be dropped in the collection or given to Annette Dunford. Thank You.

SAINT VALENTINE is the patron saint of love marriages, engagements, young people, greetings, travelers, bee keepers, people with epilepsy.



An Italian doctor who later became a priest. He was sent to jail for performing weddings for couples during a time when new marriages were outlawed in the ancient Rome. Before he was killed for refusing to renounce his faith, he sent a loving note to a child he had been helping to teach, the daughter of his jailer, and that note eventually led to the tradition of sending Valentine's cards.

Lifetime died 270 AD in Italy. **Feast Day** February 14th.

MESSAGES FROM Fr. RANDY: DEAR FRIENDS,

LENTEN SEASON is not really all that far away. March 2 is Ash Wednesday. One of the traditional spiritual events of Lent is the Stations of the Cross. I would like to suggest that we pray the Station of the Cross on **Fridays during Lent at 12:30 following 12:00 noon mass.** (NEW TIME starting in Lent)

Stations of the Cross

"A joyful heart is good medicine..." Proverbs 17:22

THE HOLY EUCHARIST: DID YOU KNOW?

Since the Holy Eucharist is the continuation of the Incarnation of Jesus among us, it is also the promise of Jesus fulfilled. Before His ascension into Heaven, Our Lord said these parting words to his disciples, "I will be with you always until the end of time." (Matthew 28:20)



In the Blessed Sacrament, Our Lord fulfills this promise to us. He remains with us in every tabernacle in every Catholic Church throughout the world. He is always available to us at all times and in every one of our needs.

Reflection: We should be very mindful of the fact that without the priesthood, there is no Mass. And without the Mass, there is no Blessed Sacrament. Therefore: no priest...no Holy Eucharist! Our Lady, Queen and Mother of the clergy, pray for our priests and bless us with many vocations. We are indebted to our priests for their lives of selfless sacrifice, which provide for us the surest means of sanctity: the Eucharist.

CARING ...

To CARE does not simply mean to be nice and congenial to a shut-in. Rather, as Henri Nouwen and Walter Gaffney assert in their book, Aging: "To care one must offer one's own vulnerable self to others as a source of healing to care for the aging, for instance, means first of all to enter into close contact with your own aging self, to sense your time, and to experience the movements of your own life cycle."



Caring enables persons to be in partnership for a specific purpose. The focus of that partnership is for sharing genuine concern, for offering positive assistance, and for building up one another in body, mind, and spirit. When we care, we bear another's burdens, mindful of our connection as brothers and sisters in Christ who are part of the same body in the family of God.

THE NICENE CREED: EXPLAINED!

Continued from last week bulletin
 Paragraph 2 – The Lord Jesus I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,



The Second Person of the Blessed Trinity is the Word of God, the Son. This Word of God, Jesus Christ, proceeds from the Father. He was "born" and "begotten" but not made. This is a mystery that is very difficult to understand. Much ink has been spilled in theology on how Jesus can be both God and man.

In other words, Jesus is fully God, and He is eternal, just as the Father is eternal. This paragraph emphasizes that there is one God, but the Father is nonetheless distinct as a Person from the Person of the Son.

The Council Fathers went to great length to combat the Arian heresy which claimed that Jesus was created and was not truly God. We believe that Jesus is fully God and fully man. As the Word of God, He was existed forever and will always exist. He proceeds from the Father as God from God and Light from Light, true God from true God. I will go into more detail on this in the fifth paragraph on the Holy Spirit.

There is also the realization that it is through the Word of God that all things were made. God reveals to us in Genesis God speaks in order to create. He says, "Let there be light." And there was light. Jesus Christ, the Word of God, was sent on a mission by the Father to come down from heaven in order to redeem humanity and offer us salvation.

PARISH PEBBLE FOR FEBRUARY ROSARY INTENTIONS

February is the month we associate with love and sharing our love with someone special. This is the perfect time to work on our relationship with Jesus. Our intention for this month is: That we will receive Jesus more frequently and experience His Presence in the sacramental gifts of Holy Communion and Reconciliation.



Thank you for continuing to pray one decade of the Holy Rosary daily for our intentions. Your prayers are powerful, and they are making a difference

Prayer to Saint Joseph, whose name our parish bears, protect us and pray for us, that like you, we may serve God faithfully here on earth and be with Him in Heaven for all eternity. Amen