



True wisdom requires we have only to choose to live by faith in Christ and share his love with others.

### Together We Celebrate

#### Saturday, November 7

4:00 PM – **Fr. Bob Konkell:** Requested by Mary

#### Sunday, November 8

8:00 AM @ SS Peter & Paul

10:00 AM – For the Deceased Members of St. Joseph & SS Peter & Paul

#### Wednesday, November 11

8:30 AM – **Eunie Gauger:** Requested by Ann Jensen  
Children

#### Thursday, November 12

8:30 am @ SS Peter & Paul

#### Saturday, November 14

4:00 PM – **James Swagel:** Requested by Birthday  
Breakfast Club

6:00 PM @ SS Peter & Paul

#### Sunday, November 15

8:00 AM @ SS Peter & Paul

10:00 AM – For the Deceased Members of St. Joseph & SS Peter & Paul

1:00 PM Spanish Mass @ SS Peter & Paul

### **PLEASE NOTE!**

Our church doors will be open for Mass on Wednesdays at **8:00am** and will remain open until **4:00pm** for private prayer time. This is for Wednesdays only.

**Confession is available by appointment, call 743-2062**

### **Breaking Open the Word**

Monday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12 \*1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17 \*Jn 2:13-22

Tuesday: Ti 2:1-8, 11-14 \* Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday: Ti 3:1-7 \*Lk 17:11-19

Thursday: Phlm 7-20 \*Lk 17:20-25

Friday: 2 Jn 4-9 \*Lk 17:26-37

Saturday: 3 Jn 5-8 \*Lk 18:1-8

Sunday: Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31 \*1 Thes 5:1-6

\*Mt 25:14-15, 19-21

### **Our Souls' Memorial Boards**

The Memorial Boards of your loved ones will remain up in Church during the month of November. November, the last month of the liturgical year, is traditionally dedicated to prayer for the souls of the faithful departed.

### **Call to reserve a 2021 Tabernacle Candle**

February is still available to purchase a Tabernacle Candle. The cost is \$30 a month. Call the parish office.

### Summary of Contributions Received:

	Year to Date Week Ended	Since
	<u>11/6/2020</u>	<u>7/1/2020</u>
Adult Envelopes	\$ 3,384	\$ 83,194
Online Giving	515	24,449
Visitor Envelopes	50	2,785
Loose Collection	151	6,241
Unrestricted Donations	<u>1,400</u>	<u>9,210</u>
Total Contributions Received	5,500	125,879
Budgeted Contributions	<u>\$ 6,337</u>	<u>\$ 131,658</u>
Surplus/(Shortfall)	\$ (837)	\$ (5,779)



**Online Giving** – a convenient and safe way to make a one-time or recurring donation. Getting started is easy! Visit our website, [www.stjosephsb.com](http://www.stjosephsb.com) and click our Online Giving link. When you participate, your gift will be securely transferred directly into the parish bank account. Thanks for donating! Call the parish office with any questions regarding setting up your Online Giving account at 743-2062

### Vigil Candles

This week we have a candle lit for each of the following intentions. They stand as silent but bright signs of the prayers offered by those who light them.

#### **Arnold & James Haberli:**

Requested by William Marion Baudhuin

#### **In Loving Memory of Michael Jennerjohn:**

Requested by Walter & Diane Hanisko

#### **Elmer & Grace Worachek:**

Requested by Pat & Jane

#### **In Loving Memory of Susan & George Sargent:**

Requested by Walter & Diano Hanisko

#### **Special Intention:**

Requested by James & Barbara Tabaska

#### **Jeffrey Scott Makie-now and forever-amen:**

Requested by his wife, Diane

#### **In Memory of Tyler Frea:**

Requested by Walter & Diane Hanisko

#### **Jerry & Mike Bauer:**

Requested by Dolores Bauer

#### **In Memory of Mike McMillion:**

Requested by Walter & Diane Hanisko

#### **Special Intention:**

Requested by James Goodwin

#### **In Memory of Don Bittorf:**

Requested by Walter & Diane Hanisko



*The November tabernacle candle is lit in loving memory of Evie Wilke.*



### Genesis Religious Education (Grades 1-5)

Christmas Wreath orders are due this week. Please mail or drop off your order forms with payment at the St. Joseph Parish Office. Delivery will be around Thanksgiving. Watch the bulletin for pick up dates and times.

### Genesis Facebook Page

If you haven't had a chance yet, like the Genesis/Tri Parish Faith Formation Facebook page. Weekly videos are posted that you may enjoy and want to share with others.

### Edge and Life Teen

Middle High School Religious Education and Youth Ministry

Our Zoom Confirmation, Edge, and Life Nights are going very well!

We have 2 options for our middle and high school students. Middle School (Edge) meets on Wednesdays from 4-5pm or 6-7pm. Life Teen meets Sundays from 4-5pm or 6-7pm. Confirmation meets every Wednesday from 7:15-8:15pm.

Even though we would much prefer to work together in person, our young people are doing a great job adapting. Parents, if you have not filled out the paperwork for your middle/high schooler, please do so ASAP! If you have questions, email Sarah at stgavin25@gmail.com

Please go "like" Sturgeon Bay Edge and Life Teen on Facebook today! And if you have an Instagram account, go follow @sturg\_youth\_ministry

Please pray for our newly virtual youth ministry!

### The World's Poor & Home Missions-Our Own Needs

This weekend we will have a second basket by each door for The World's Poor and Home Missions – Our Own Needs collection. This collection encompasses a multitude of agencies working against poverty and promoting human dignity in the name of the Catholic Church. Please make your check payable to St. Joseph Parish.



### Knights of Columbus Family of the Month

Congratulations and God bless  
the James J Wolter Family!

Each month the council selects a family from one of the four parishes: Corpus Christi, St Joseph, Saints Peter and Paul and Holy Name of Mary. It is not required that a KC member be part of the nominated family. Anyone wishing to suggest a family for nomination may contact a member of KC council 2478.

### Scrip is Fundraising while you shop!

Remember that each time you buy Scrip during the month of November, your name will be entered into a drawing for a \$25.00 Scrip Card that was generously donated by a parishioner. **Jan Gigstead** is the October winner. Congratulations, **Jan!** Thank you for supporting St. Joseph Parish with your Scrip purchase.

Scrip profit for week (11/2).....\$44.15

### Reinstatement of the Dispensation for Sunday Obligation

On Monday, October 5, Bishop Ricken reinstated the dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass in the diocese until further notice. Even with the reinstatement, we will continue to celebrate the Mass publicly every weekend and on Wednesdays for those who are able to attend and willing to strictly follow the proper health protocols.

During this time of increased infection, our parish will be even more vigilant in observing the health protocols shared in the diocesan guidelines to prevent the spread of disease and allow as many people as is safe to come to Mass without fear of infection. The wearing of masks is mandatory at Masses celebrated throughout our diocese. Thank you for your support and compliance as we as a community of faith come together to worship in safety.

### A Delicious Way to Support St. Joseph Parish

Beginning October 20, 2020 until May 21, 2021, The Lodge at Leathem Smith will donate \$1 to St. Joseph Parish for each party's Dine-in or Take-out order. Please tell them when you place your order that you would like St. Joseph Parish to receive the donation.



### Drive-thru Chicken Dinner

at Corpus Christi **Sun. Nov. 15th** for just \$10.00. Enjoy a great dinner while watching the Packer Game at home. Please use the Maple Street Parking Lot. Stay in your car and let us serve you. Starting at 11-12:30pm (or until we run out). The meal includes ½ chicken (breast, wing, thigh & leg), mashed potatoes & gravy, coleslaw and 2 dinner rolls.

### Drive-Thru Mobile Food Pantry

Feeding America Eastern Wisconsin's Mobile Pantry Program brings healthy food directly to high-need areas. Mark your calendars for the next drive thru pickup.

**Date:** Thursday, November 12

**Time:** 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

**Location:** Holy Name of Mary Food Pantry  
7491 County Rd. H, Maplewood

Please stay in your car the entire time.

Have a clean space trunk or backseat for food.





Coming to you from...

# The Center of Faith Formation

## Mission Statement

*Believing that faith formation is at the core of the Church the Center of Faith Formation at Saint Joseph Parish exists as a beacon to enrich the spiritual life and formation of disciples of all ages within our ecumenical community.*



## PRAY FOR OUR NATION

O God,

You have bound us together in a common life.

Help us, in the midst of our struggles for justice and truth, to confront one another without hatred or bitterness, and to work together with mutual forbearance and respect.

Grant that we may always prove ourselves a people mindful of your favor and glad to do your will. Save us from violence, discord, and confusion; from pride and arrogance, and from every evil way.

We commend this nation to your merciful care, that, being guided by your providence, we may dwell secure in your peace.

Grant to our president, and our president-elect, wisdom and strength to know and to do your will.

Fill them with the love of truth, justice, and righteousness.

Make them ever mindful of their calling to serve this people in your fear; that by your grace and guidance they may defend the dignity and liberties of all persons, and lead this nation into becoming one united people.

All this we ask through our Lord Jesus Christ who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

### Take a few moments to consider...



What verse, idea or image in the readings spoke to you most? Why?

What is your definition or description of wisdom? How can we grow in wisdom?

What can help us to remain vigilant for the Lord's comings into our lives?

Name one thing today's Gospel says to us that we disciples of Jesus need to heed and act on.



### Saint Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr

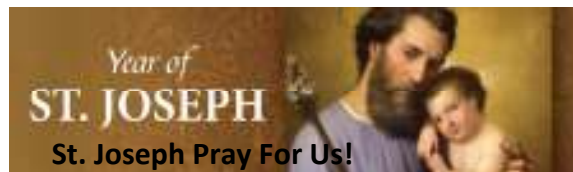
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November 12 – Memorial  
Liturgical Color: Red

Pray For Us!

Patron Saint of reunion between  
Orthodox and Catholics

Saint Josaphat died for something few in his era died for his desire to unify East and West -ecumenism.



## Vision

*The vision of the Center of Faith Formation is dedicated to providing faith building experiences that encompass the mind, body and spirit of individuals.*

**Spirituality For The Long Haul** – Monica Hilbert  
*All Shall Be Well. All Is Well*



*All shall be well* - very simple words but requires profound faith, the faith the size of a mustard seed. Remember the parable of the mustard seed? – large growth comes from small beginnings. We hope for things to be well. But Jesus reassures us that *all is well* – it is well when our hearts rest in Him.

Imagine for a moment, sitting at the feet of Jesus, elbows on his knees, tugging at his cloak, begging Him to reassure you that all shall be well. He ever so gently places his hand on your head and says to you...

*"All is well when your heart rests in me." He continues to reassure you that He has not abandoned you. "I am here. I am with you. Trust. Pay attention to the tiniest of birds at your feeder. How does the tiny sparrow weather a mighty blizzard? How does the chickadee weather the storm? How does this happen? They know their purpose - their life path. They know what they need to do to survive and they do it. They don't doubt whether they will weather the storm. They don't wonder. They just know it is where they are to be. When you see these little birds at your feeder, there is no fear in them. They aren't wondering, 'Oh, my, what's going to happen to me?' They just live as God meant them to live. They don't feel cold and rain. They are insulated by God's love and purpose for them. Now, if God cares for His little sparrows so much that they can brave the harshest of storms, how much do you think He cares for you? How much love do you think He has for you?"*

*Do not doubt or fear. Do not let the world push away your heart. Do not let the world take up space in your heart. Fill your heart and rest in that love. Live and breathe in that love and you will know that all shall be well. All is well. Immerse yourself in My love for you and know that is all you need to survive anything. God's love for you is beyond anything you can comprehend. My love for you is beyond anything you can comprehend. Heaven's love for you is beyond anything you can comprehend."*

*"All is well. I've got you."*

- While paying attention to the tiniest of birds at your feeder - take time to imagine what **YOU** are capable of.
- Keep God's love for you front and center.
- Maneuver through the challenges of this physical world with your heart filled with Jesus.