

# St. Joseph Church

September 29, 2024

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

440 Joliet St., Dyer, IN 46311

(219) 865-2271

[www.stjosephdyer.org](http://www.stjosephdyer.org)



## Vision

Enthusiasm and Love of God and Neighbor to inspire and encourage interpersonal relationships in the St. Joseph Faith Community in order that an atmosphere of sharing our faith, time, talent, treasure and hospitality will expand the Kingdom of God.

## Prayer

God of all peoples, how blessed we are to gather in faith at Eucharist, for it is in Your Word and Sacrament that we discover that we are the Community called the Body of Christ.

Our St. Joseph Parish Vision is filled with enthusiasm for loving God and neighbor because Your Kingdom expands, Creator Father, in an atmosphere of interpersonal relationships.

May we the members of St. Joseph Parish continue to grow in faith during our Pastoral Planning Process, so that our Parish Vision will be fulfilled as we discover that as parish we are Community in Christ.  
Amen.

## Welcome, New Parishioners

Please register by calling or stopping in the parish office.

### Office Hours

Monday-Friday, 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Friday, 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM

### Parish Telephones

Parish Office:..... 219-865-2271

Religious Education Office:

(At St. Maria Goretti)..... 219-322-6124

### Staff Directory

**Pastor: Rev. Peter Muha**

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**Assistant to Office: Mary Marszalek**

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### Mass Schedule

#### Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4:30 PM

Sunday: 8:00AM, 10:00AM, 6:00PM

#### Weekday Masses

Mon, Tues, Wed., Thurs, Fri: 9:00 AM

#### Holy Day Masses

Please see schedule inside bulletin.

### Sacramental Life

**Sacrament of Reconciliation** (*Confession*)

Saturday 3:00 to 4:00 PM

**Sacrament of Baptism**

12:00 Noon.

Arrangements must be made previously.

Instruction class for parents required.

**Sacrament of Marriage**

Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance.

**Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick**

Call the office any time.

### Knights of Columbus

**Grand Knight:** Randy Piscitelli 815-258-6923

### Bulletin Deadline

Monday 12:00 Noon, *in writing.*

PLEASE LIKE ST. JOSEPH PARISH ON FACEBOOK



**Monday, September 30, St. Jerome**  
 9:00 AM Raymond & Mary Grace Pingoy & Family  
 Celebrant: Fr. Krolczyk

**Tuesday, October 1, St. Therese of the Child Jesus**  
 9:00 AM Beverly Cascone  
 Celebrant: Fr. Peter

**Wednesday, October 2, The Holy Guardian Angels**  
 9:00 AM Benjamin Damiani  
 Celebrant: Fr. Peter

**Thursday, October 3, Weekday**  
 9:00 AM Paul D. Nero  
 Celebrant: Fr. Peter

**Friday, October 4, St. Francis Assisi**  
 9:00 AM Mary Staroscak  
 Celebrant: Fr. Peter

**Weekend Mass Intentions**

**Saturday, October 5, Vigil: 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 4:30 PM Robert Muha Sr.  
 Celebrant: Fr. Krolczyk

**Sunday, October 6, 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 8:00 AM The People of the Parish  
 Celebrant: Fr. Peter

10:00 AM John, Tony & Mark Galvan  
 Celebrant: Fr. Peter

6:00 PM Erik Anderson  
 Celebrant: Franciscan Friars



**First Fridays at St. Joseph Parish**

You are invited Friday, October 4th, to be part of our First Friday devotions. This will be every First Friday, each month.

**First Friday Schedule**

9AM—Holy Mass (Ordinary Form)  
 9:45AM-6:45PM—Eucharistic Adoration (10 Hours of Adoration)  
 Noon Angelus + Midday Prayer  
 3:00PM—Divine Mercy Chaplet  
 5PM—Evening Prayer  
 6:30PM—Benediction  
 7:00PM—Holy Mass (Extraordinary Form)

**Note: Ordinary Form = English**  
**Extraordinary Form = Traditional Latin Mass**

**Extraordinary Ministers Of Holy Communion**

We really need your help! Due to unforeseen circumstances, we lost a few of our Extraordinary Ministers. We are in need for parishioners to become Extraordinary Ministers of Communion. There will be a training session with Deacon Gary Blue. We also have a program called Ministry Pro that you will enter your profile and mass preference and you will be notified and reminded on your phone of which masses you will be serving at.

Please call the parish office, 219-865-2271 with your willingness to serve or with any questions.

**“One Rose/One Life”**

The Lake County Right to Life “One Rose/One Life” rose sale is being conducted on the weekend of October 5th/6th. Knights of Columbus Members will be selling roses following the Masses that weekend. Please support this worthwhile cause which will enable the Right to Life Organization to continue its work to bring about an end to abortion.





**"Halo Ladies"  
Dyer Indiana**

**Presentation Topic:** "Creator of Heaven and Earth"

Join us in fellowship, as we present informative topics to further our knowledge of our Catholic Faith.

We gather in faith on the second Tuesday of each month. Our next gathering will be October 8th at 6:30 to 8:00pm

Place: Gathering Room (located in basement of Church)

As we continue our Catholic faith journey. ALL are welcome, invite a family member, friend, or stranger

**THANK YOU!!!**

Many thanks to the following Picnic Donors for their generous support!!

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- Mission BBQ—Merrillville
- Olive Garden—Merrillville
- Sophia's—Schererville
- Up your Alley—Schererville
- Zig E's Fun Land—St. John
- Jim Banasiak—DJ Extraordinaire
- M/M Hap Arentz
- The Cusick Family
- Carol Peyton
- Marianne Trembacki

The Picnic Committee—donated Water & all of the planning time!

All the Parishioners that brought such delicious dishes the share!

St. Joseph Parish—chicken!  
CHAIRPERSON—Karen Ziolkowski

**Stewardship of  
Treasure Report**  
September 21st & 22nd

**Weekly Budget Amount Needed:**  
\$9100.00

**Weekly Sunday Treasure Amount**

**Collected: \$7506.98**

**Charity: \$376.00**

**Religious Education: \$0**

**Outreach Ministry: \$32.00**

**Assumption: \$5.00**

**Food Pantry: \$225.00**

**50/50 Raffle: \$300.00**

**Catholic Services Appeal**

As of 8/20/24, we have \$83,812.56 in pledges and donations. Our goal from the Dioceses is \$40,097.00.

There still is time to make your donation or pledge. Remember everything we collect past the \$40,097.00 comes back 100% to our parish. We are working on the gym roof project as well as several items that need to be addressed.

Many thanks to:

John & Cynthia Barnett  
Gavin & Bonnie Gruver  
Carol Barnes  
Joseph & Marybeth LaBanca  
Jerome & Christine Wilk

**THANK YOU!!**

**The Knights of Columbus, Council 8082**, would like to thank all the Parishioners for their generous donations to the Tootsie Roll Drive this past weekend. All proceeds from the drive will be donated to the Share Foundation and the Special Olympics. God Bless all of you for your support!

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**

**Tuesday, October 1**

9:45am—Gospel reflections in Gathering Room immediately after mass.

9:45am 50/50 Raffle Drawing

**Thursday, October 3**

6:00pm—Evening Prayer & Holy Hour

**Friday, October 4**

First Friday adoration and benediction as per schedule on Page 2

7:00pm—Latin Mass

**Saturday, October 5**

First Saturday starting with 8am Mass

**Weekly 50/50 Raffle**

The Number Drawn on

September 17th was # 140

The Winner Won \$155.00

Drawings will be held every Tuesday at 9:45am in the Gathering Room

All registered members of St. Joseph Parish are eligible for the 50/50 raffle. **YOU MUST USE 2 SEPARATE ENVELOPES FOR THE CURRENT WEEK EVEN IF YOU ARE A MONTHLY, ELECTRONIC, HOMEBOUND OR WEEKLY CONTRIBUTOR. ALL CONTRIBUTORS MENTIONED PREVIOUSLY MUST MAKE THEIR SACRIFICIAL CONTRIBUTION BY THE FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH AND INDICATING ON EACH SUBSEQUENT WEEKLY ENVELOPE THAT IS PLACED IN THE COLLECTION BASKET THAT YOU ARE EITHER A MONTHLY, ELECTRONIC OR HOMEBOUND CONTRIBUTOR.**

You must use your current weekly treasure envelope with your sacrificial amount and the preprinted 50/50 envelope found in the pews with EXACTLY \$5.00. If you are paying by check, you must use **2 checks**, one for the weekly treasure made out to St. Joseph Church and the other check for \$5.00 for the 50/50 raffle made out to St. Joseph Church—50/50 Raffle.

The 50/50 raffle envelope is to be put in the collection along with your sacrificial weekly treasure envelope

*Family Rosary for Life Prayer Service*

*Our 4 Year Anniversary*

*Diocese of Gary Pastoral Center*

*Saturday  
October 5th  
10 am*



Please join our Diocese of Gary Prayer Warriors on Saturday, October 5th as we..PRAY FOR OUR FAMILIES AND THE SANCTITY OF ALL LIFE!!

This is our 4 year Anniversary of this ministry that began at St. Joseph Dyer.

Our Prayer Service begins at 10am at the Diocese of Gary Pastoral Center located at 9292 Broadway in Merrillville.

We will be gathering in prayer outside beside the cross located in front of the Pastoral Center. Bring your lawn chair.

Please join us in prayer. God Bless!

**Ministry Schedule**  
**October 5th & 6th**

**Lectors**

4:30pm— **Please see MSP schedule for**  
8:00am— **schedule for all masses**  
10:00am—  
6:00pm—

**Extraordinary Ministers**

4:30pm—Mike Bartnicki, Paul Gerrity,  
Judy Nowacki  
8:00am— Mike Jasinski, Ray Voyles  
10:00am—Kathy Hamill, Jim Paolino, Art Tkacz  
6:00pm—

**Rehearsal Announcement**

**MESSIAH – Calling ALL Singers!!** Illiana Oratorio Society will be starting rehearsals for its annual presentation of **Handel’s Messiah**. Prayerfully consider joining us as we bring glory to God through song. New singers are always welcome – no audition required. Music is available to purchase at rehearsals. Rehearsals will be held each Monday evening starting on **October 7, 2024 at 7:30 pm until 9:00 pm**. The concert will be on **Sunday December 8, 2024**. Please join us at **First Church (OPC) of South Holland, IL** located at **16248 South Park Ave., South Holland, IL**. For more information, please visit our website at [www.illianaoratorio.org](http://www.illianaoratorio.org) or find us on Facebook.



PLEASE JOIN US FOR THIS ONE-OF-A-KIND EVENT:

**Wednesday, October 9, 2024**

Halls of St. George, 6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

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