



St. Joseph Neier

Fr. Tom Wissler, Pastor
August 24 - 25, 2019

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Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 am
Confessions:
Saturday: 4:00 to 4:40 pm

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From Fr. Tom,

I remember a goofy TV commercial decades ago with the salesman awkwardly riding on roller skates around his store selling appliances shouting “DON’T BE CONFUSED!” His name was Steve Mizerany. Anybody else remember that? The same can be said for Jesus in today’s gospel trying to get His point across about who is going to gain entrance into heaven and who is not; but no roller skates, no gimmicks, just plain truth with no confusion. The “Good News” as we sometimes call the Gospel may not be very good news for some, however. This is a very good time to take inventory of our worship practices, our prayer, our generosity, our faith, our spiritual lives. Minimalism in faith is not a good idea.

Mass Intentions: 8/26 – 9/1/19

Monday	6:30 am	NO MASS	
Tuesday	6:30 am	Velma Sehr	(P.H. Devotions after Mass)
Wednesday	6:30 am	Leonard Piontek	
Thursday	6:30 am	Alfons & Edith Banken	
Friday	6:30 am	Urban & Virginia Freise	
Saturday	5:00 pm	Marlene Boland	
Sunday	8:00 am	<i>The Parish Family of St. Joseph</i>	
	10:00 am	Ray Koester	
	12 Noon	George & Cecelia Randolph	

Neighboring Events

- **Monday, August 26th Pro Life Holy Hour at OLL Adoration Chapel, 7 pm**
- **Friday, August 30th Chicken & Fish Dinner at SFB, serving 4 – 7 pm**
- **Save the date: 2019 Knights of Columbus Journey for Charity Tractor Cruise, Sunday September 8th, 2019**
- **Overeaters Anonymous meet Monday Mornings from 10 – 11 at Zion UCC, Union.**

The Sick of the Parish who need your prayers

<i>Anna Marie Brueggemann</i>	<i>Ryan Elbert</i>	<i>Chris Arand</i>	<i>Olivia Jasper</i>
<i>Cynthia Faust</i>	<i>Karen Waters</i>		
<i>Zachery Gossage</i>	<i>Sheri Zambruski</i>	<i>Special Intention II</i>	<i>Henry Tobben</i>
<i>Shirley Beckman</i>	<i>Jacob McMullin</i>	<i>Christine Grus</i>	
<i>Julie Crump</i>	<i>Bill Feth</i>		

*Bill Greife
Brandon Huels
Betty & Lawrence Bean
Marisa Shollenberger*

*Regina Lause
Carol Hammer
Jean Oldani
Marge Hankins*

*Andrew Hellebusch
Edward Henke
Ashley Shelton*

Pray for our Parishioners, Matthew Blankenship, Taylor Donner, Jamie Brueggemann Murphy, Michael Murphy & Blake Van Leer serving in the Armed Forces

As part of our promise to protect and pledge to heal, the **Archdiocese of St. Louis** invites adult survivors of child sexual abuse to participate in a **support group program** to **begin Wednesday, September 4**. Sponsored by the Archdiocese, this expanded ministry will be offered at the Watson Road location of Saint Louis Counseling in Crestwood and is available to adult survivors at no cost. The closed groups will meet for six consecutive Wednesday evenings from 5:30 pm until 7 pm. Adult survivors of child sexual abuse may inquire by calling 314-544-3800. Registration is required and space is limited.

Collection for	8/18/19	
Regular Offering Envelopes:	\$3230.00	
Regular Offering Loose:	\$ 71.00	
Total:	\$3301.00	Thank you for your generosity!

Special Collection

➤ Next Sunday, Catholic University of America

Commentators and Lectors:

	<i>This Week</i>	<i>Next Week</i>
Saturday 5:00 pm	Vernon Eckstein	Jim Noelker
Sunday 8:00 am	Judy Brueggemann	Jim & Chris Block
10:00 am	Dennis & JoAnn Bower	Marilyn Rau
Noon		Dennis Randolph

Servers:

Saturday 5:00 pm	Maddy Eckstein~Mark Straatmann	Alex & Adam Bolzenius
Sunday 8:00 am	Andrew Flagg~Rachel DeVore	Josh Straatmann~Emma Roberts
10:00 am	Jenna & Ben Hammer	Izzy & Joe Zagarri
Noon		

Eucharistic Ministers:

Saturday 5:00 pm	Alberta Jacquin~Cheryl Voss Tina Brueggemann	Tina Brueggemann~Alberta Jacquin Theresa Straatmann
Sunday 8:00 am	Jeanne Dierking~Janet Domijan Vi Schroeder	Delores Swoboda~Vi Schroeder Ann Straatmann
10:00 am	Wayne & Kim Brautigam Karen Wright	Patti Greife Christine & Tim Baker
Noon		Volunteers

- **NEW LISTS FOR LECTORS & MINISTERS** are in back of church. Please pick up your copy of the ministry you provide our parish.
- **IMPORTANT...**if you cannot be there at the appointed time, please get a sub! Thank you!

PSR News:

Classes & Registration will begin on Sunday, September 8th at 8:50 am in the Parish Center. The fee for the coming year will increase slightly to \$60 per child or \$100 for two or more children.

St. Joseph Events

2019 HOMECOMING

Calling all parishioners! Homecoming 2019 is right around the corner and the planning team would like to remind you of a few final details:

Set-Up: Saturday, August 31st, starting at 7 a.m.

Homecoming Day:

- **Sunday, September 1st!** If you are unable to work your shift, please contact your booth chair immediately and help them find a replacement for you.
- **Parking:** Please... park in the parishioner parking lot next to the cemetery.
- **Dining Room:** Please bring 4 pies (or 2 pies and 1 cake/cupcakes/cookies) per family and fresh tomatoes or peppers. We would also appreciate the loan of any fans.
- **Country Store:** Baked goods, jams, apple butter, garden produce are welcome!
- **Fancy Stand:** Handmade or re-purposed crafts- For questions, Call Erica Sterling at 636-584-4297
- **Raffle Tickets:** We received many wonderful donations this year. Please help sell your raffle tickets and bring them to the Raffle Stand on Homecoming Day!

Clean-Up: Monday, September 2nd, starting at 7 a.m.

Thank you in advance for all of your hard work!!