



*St. Joseph Neier*

Fr. Tom Wissler, Pastor  
September 28 - 29, 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,

No doubt, we all know the good feeling that comes from helping somebody out with whatever they needed at that time. How do we like it when someone tries to help us? I'll be honest, I feel a little inadequate and almost embarrassed when I need help. It's almost like I'm not good enough or talented enough to handle what's in front of me. It might be a "man thing" but I can remember many times at my former parish at our food pantry, the woman would come in to ask for help for her family, not the man. The choice to help the poor and needy is something that needs to be taught and learned at a young age. If it isn't, then what follows are attitudes of ungratefulness and entitlement. Gratefulness and generosity are the mothers of all virtue. Have a great week!

### **In Memoriam**

- **Pray for the repose of the souls of...**

**Dorothy Doerr who passed away September 8<sup>th</sup>. Mother to Brenda & Val Bolzenius and Karen & Nathan Dierking of our parish.**

**Catherine Horn who passed away September 14<sup>th</sup>**

- ***Mark your calendar...Fr. Tom's Installation Mass is Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am. Fr. Michael Boehm, Vicar General to preside.***

### **St. Joseph Events**

#### **2019 HOMECOMING**

Homecoming Meeting - Sunday, September 29, - 9 a.m.

As we close out the 2019 Homecoming and start to prepare for next year's event, we would love to hear your feedback. Cards are in back of church to be collected this weekend. There will be a meeting on Sunday, September 29<sup>th</sup> between Masses at 9 a.m. in the Parish Hall. All parishioners are welcome and we look forward to seeing you there!

Bocklage, 2019 Chairpersons

Lisa and Don

Paige and Ben Hammer, 2020 Chairpersons

Theresa and James Briggs, 2020 Co-Chairpersons

- The final numbers are in for the 2019 Annual Catholic Appeal and a BIG "THANK YOU" goes out to everyone that participated. Our Challenge of goal of \$16,865.00 was surpassed with a final donation total of \$17,250.00. There were 14 new donors and a number of donors increased their pledges from the previous year. These funds will help the Archdiocese to provide for others who cannot help themselves. The donations are used for a variety of programs and all needs are well screened before the funds are distributed. Thank you for sharing your gifts with the less fortunate.

Thank you,  
Jim and Jo Noelker

- Ladies Sodality Member Drive! Sunday, October 6, 2019 at 9a – 10a.

Have you ever wondered how Juanita bakes her rolls? How do all the gifts at Christmas time get organized? Who donates all the wonderful food at funeral luncheons? The Ladies Sodality at St. Joseph Neier is an amazing group of faith-filled women, always doing good deeds for others. We give out scholarships, donate to a deserving family a Holiday meal, organize parties and more. Please join us this October meeting and learn how you can get involved! NO obligations and NO membership fees. Share in the laughter and fun! We meet for 1 hour in between Masses, once a month, except summer. Feel free to invite friends! Teenagers welcome too.

***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>		
<i>Bill Greife</i>	<i>Regina Lause</i>	<i>Andrew Hellebusch</i>	
<i>Brandon Huels</i>	<i>Carol Hammer</i>	<i>Edward Henke</i>	
<i>Betty Bean</i>	<i>Jean Oldani</i>	<i>Ashley Shelton</i>	
<i>Marisa Shollenberger</i>	<i>Marge Hankins</i>	<i>KJ Frost</i>	
<i>Bonnie Birke</i>			

***Mass Intentions: 9/30 – 10/6/19***

Monday	6:30 am	NO MASS
Tuesday	6:30 am	Catherine Horn (P.H. Devotions after Mass)
Wednesday	6:30 am	Patricia Howard
Thursday	6:30 am	Frank & Emma Schmuke
Friday	6:30 am	Leonard, Floyd, Otto, Eugene & Dorothy Banken
Saturday	5:00 pm	John Feth
Sunday	8:00 am	Leo & Veronica Donner
	10:00 am	<i>The Parish Family of St. Joseph</i>

***EUCHARISTIC ADORATION this Thursday, October 3rd, beginning at 7 am and ending with Benediction at 5:50 pm. Sign-up sheet is in back of church.***

*Also, Father Tom will be available for Confessions from 5 pm to 5:40 pm.*

<b><i>Collection for</i></b>	<b><i>9/15/19</i></b>	
Regular Offering Envelopes:	\$2973.00	
Regular Offering Loose:	\$ 70.00	
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$3043.00</b>	<b>Thank you for your generosity!</b>

***Special Collection***

- *Next Week, Formation of Permanent Deacons*

<i>Commentators and Lectors:</i>	<i>This Week</i>	<i>Next Week</i>
Saturday	5:00 pm Amber Gerlemann	Steve Groene
Sunday	8:00 am Jen Kissinger	Amie Kohlbusch
	10:00 am Volunteer	Marilyn Rau

*Servers:*

Saturday	5:00 pm	Maddy Eckstein~Payton Goddard
Sunday	8:00 am	Andrew Flagg~Emma Roberts
	10:00 am	Peyton Adams~Troy Simons

*Eucharistic Ministers:*

Saturday	5:00 pm	Kathy Feth~Joan Kloeppel Jim Noelker	Judy Brueggemann Anna Donner~Cheryl Voss
Sunday	8:00 am	Jane Stephens~Betty Fink Cathie Grus	Dennis Randolph~Chris Block Ann Straatmann
	10:00 am	Christine & Jeff Baker Patti Greife	Kim Brautigam~Karen Wright Tim Baker

➤ **IMPORTANT...if you cannot be there at the appointed time, please get a sub! Thank you!**

*RCIA*

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

For anyone interested in becoming Catholic, receiving the Sacraments of Confirmation or Eucharist, or learning more about the Catholic Faith, inquiry meetings for the 2019-20 RCIA journey of faith begin in September. Our faith is in Jesus and membership in our faith is the greatest gift we can share with those we care about. You can share that gift by inviting someone you know to participate. Contact Fr. Tom or the parish office at 636.583.2806.

Neighboring Events

- **Sunday, Sept. 29<sup>th</sup> Chicken & Sausage Dinner at St. Vincent, Dutzow, serving 11 am – 6 pm**
- **Monday, Sept. 30<sup>th</sup> ProLife Holy Hour at OLL Adoration Chapel, 7 pm**
- **SAVE THE DATE – 2020 MARCH FOR LIFE**  
The 47th Annual National March for Life, January 23-24-25, 2020  
Thursday, Friday, Saturday  
Missouri Life Caravan registration opens in early October.  
Buses depart from several areas throughout St. Louis.  
[www.easternregionmrl.org](http://www.easternregionmrl.org) / 314-434-4900 / [mrl.eastern@yahoo.com](mailto:mrl.eastern@yahoo.com)
- The Knights of Columbus, Council 1576, is having a Holiday Raffle. The raffle is for a firearm of your choice worth up to \$700.00 OR \$600.00 CASH. Only 250 tickets are being sold. Raffle proceeds will support the scholarship fund at Immaculate Conception School in Union. The drawing will be held on December 20, 2019 at 8:00p.m. at the KC hall. See Jim Noelker or any K of C member for a raffle ticket. Thank you for your support of Catholic education.