



St. Joseph Neier

Fr. Tom Wissler, Pastor

November 30 – December 1, 2019

Saturday: 5:00pm **636.583.2806**

Sunday: 8:00am & 10:00am **Website:** stjosephneier.com

Confessions – Saturday **Email:** parishoffice@stjosephneier.com

4:00pm – 4:40pm **Josh's Cell:** 636.584.9898

From Fr. Tom,

Happy New Year! The Advent season starts the beginning of a new liturgical year. We will hear from Isaiah in all of our first readings during Advent. The main theme, of course, is to wait, prepare, and anticipate the birth of our Savior. We should do all this joyfully! The Old Testament prophets have been foretelling and prophesying about the coming of Christ for ages, and now, Jesus has come with new teaching built on the Old Testament foundation and a New Testament people is born, which is us! Let us live and act as a New Testament people. Have a blessed Advent Season!

Thank you for your generosity!

Collection for 11/24/2019

Regular Offering Envelopes: \$3,909.00

Regular Offering Loose: \$ 124.40

Total: \$4,033.40

Special Collection – Campaign for Human Development: \$151.00

If you have any announcements for the bulletin, please place a note in the collection basket or email the parish office by Wednesday of each week to insure it is published. Thank you!!

Christmas is coming....

Practice for Midnight Mass will begin on

December 8th from 8:50am – 9:50am.

Any students, grades 1 thru 8, are welcome to participate.

Please keep the following children in your prayers:

Grant Birke	Cameron Blaser	Lydia Duffie
Laila Eckert		Carter Grus
Chase Homer	Sophia Jacquin	Eva
Kissinger	Ellis Machlette	
Nicholas Schmidt		

Please pray for those who are sick in our parish:

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| • Anna Marie Brueggemann | • Julie Crump |
| • Olivia Jasper | • Regina Lause |
| • Zachery Goosage | • Carol Hammer |
| • Henry Tobben | • Jean Oldani |
| • Christine Grus | • Marge Hankins |
| • Bill Greife | • Chris Arand |
| • Brandon Huels | • Karen Waters |
| • Betty Bean | • Special Intention II |
| • Marisa Shollenberger | • Jacob McMullin |
| • Bonnie Birke | • Bill Feth |
| • Ryan Elbert | • Andrew Hellebusch |
| • Cynthia Faust | • Edward Henke |
| • Sheri Zambruski | • Ashley Shelton |
| • Shirley Beckman | • KJ Frost |

Please also pray for those Serving our Country:

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| • Matthew Blankenship | • Michael Murphy |
| • Taylor Donner | • Blake Van Leer |
| • Jamie Brueggemann Murphy | |

Please review the Parish Prayer lists above and call the office for any changes.

Thank you!

Parish Family Christmas Party

Saturday, December 14th after 5:00pm Mass

Each family is asked to bring a large dish and dessert to share. There will be a sign-up sheet in the back of church and the PSR classes will also have a sign-up sheet available. **Questions, please contact Kathy Feth @ 314.971.3917**

Santa will be available to speak to the children about what is on their Christmas list and if they have been good they might just get a present that night too!

Ladies Sodality News

- ☺ Betty Fink will hold a Tupperware Fundraiser, in the Parish Hall, after the 8:00am and 10:00am masses on December 1st. She will have Tupperware available to purchase and you can also place an order if she does not have what you need in stock. A donation from sales will be given to the Ladies Sodality. **Questions, please contact Betty @ 636.583.5510**
- ☺ The Ladies Sodality is now collecting the UPC Labels from the Best Choice Brands. We will have a collection box in the back of church. If you are cutting the UPC symbol out please **DO NOT** cut off the words best choice at the top of the label, this is critical. Some of our local vendors selling **BEST CHOICE** are Voss Market in Beaufort & Frick's Market in Union. The labels of the following products are excluded: Aluminum cans (12 pk. & 24 Pk. soda cardboard are acceptable), Aerosol Cans, Cigarettes and Fluid Milk (due to Missouri Milk Law). **Questions, please contact Ellen @ 573.484.3067**
Thank you for all your help.
- ☺ The Ladies Sodality is partnering with FCDFS in making Christmas special for local foster children. **Please return unwrapped gifts along with Angel Tag by 10am, December 8th.** **Questions, please contact/text Erica @ 636.584.4297**

Jeffriesburg 4H News

- ☺ Hi, my name is Sarah Feth and I'm a member of the Jeffriesburg 4H club. We are making care packages for the soldiers who are overseas this Christmas and we need your help. Would you please consider donating? I'm placing a box and a monetary collection can in the back of church. I will pick everything up after mass on Dec. 1. **Any questions, or if you would like me to pick up items from you, please call me @ 314.623.4170.** A list of items being

Mass Intentions: 12/2 – 12/8/2019

Monday	6:30am	NO MASS
Tuesday	6:30am	Langdon James
Wednesday	6:30am	Virginia & Jim Grant, Margaret & Norvil Pillen
Thursday	6:30am	Walter & Evelyn Noelker
Friday	6:30am	Renee Cella
Saturday	5:00pm	Parish Family of St. Joseph
Sunday	8:00am	Louis Bolzenius
	10:00am	Alfonso Pagano

Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday, December 5th – beginning at 7am and ending with Benediction at 5:50pm.

Sign-up sheet is in the back of church. Father Tom will be available for Confession from 5pm – 5:50pm.

<u>Commentators and Lectors:</u>		<u>This Week</u>	<u>Next Week</u>
Saturday	5:00pm	Anna Donner	Theresa Straatmann
Sunday	8:00am	Judy Brueggemann	Chris & Jim Block
	10:00am	Patti Griefe	Marilyn Rau
<u>Servers:</u>			
Saturday	5:00pm	Mark Straatmann Tyler Birke	Alyson Fennessey Amy Gerlemann
Sunday	8:00am	Allison Eckstein John Eckstein	Josh Straatmann Matty Homer
	10:00am	Owen Bolzenius Naomi Bolzenius	Troy Simons Sam Calkins
<u>Eucharistic Ministers:</u>			
Saturday	5:00pm	Cheryl Voss Alberta Jacquin Jo Noelker	Anna Donner Kathy Feth Theresa Brueggemann
Sunday	8:00am	Karen Dierking Diane Schmidt Frank Domijan	Judy Brueggemann Jennifer Kissinger Jane Struckhoff
	10:00am	Kim Brautigam Wayne Brautigam	Tim Feth Denise Feth



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