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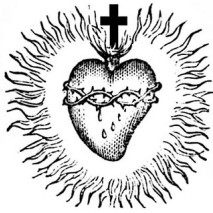


Pope Leo's Prayer Intention for JUNE 2025:

Let us pray that each one of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his heart, learn to have compassion on the world.



✠ ST. JOSEPH ✠



June 29, 2025

10:00 a.m. St. Joseph & St. Mary Churches

Tuesday, July 1

6:00 p.m. Spanish Mass

Wednesday, July 2

7:50 a.m. Rosary

8:15 a.m. Souls in Purgatory

First Friday, July 4

Independence Day

8:15 a.m. For the USA

8:45 a.m. Divine Mercy Chaplet

9:00 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration

This Friday is the **FOURTH OF JULY!**

It is the day we commemorate the **DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE** of the United States on July 4, 1776.



According to catholicculture.org, "The United States celebrates Independence Day, the national celebration of our Nation's independence, the anniversary of the adoption of the *Declaration of Independence* on July 4, 1776. The Church in the United States of America incorporates this observance into the liturgy with a special Mass asking for peace, justice and truth. As we celebrate let us remember to pray that God will strengthen and bless America and make our nation a haven of liberty and justice for all - born and unborn."

BLESSINGS TO OUR JUNE CELEBRANTS! Here's a shout-out to our birthday and anniversary celebrants: *Paulette Aronson, Jim Barr, Addison Ebberts, Andrew Ebberts, Bailey Flamm, Jasmine Stadelbacher, Karl Sweitzer, Jr., Aleshia Wright and Roger & Betty Abney, Jim & Pam Barr, Geof & Jill Skinner.* St. Joe celebrates and prays for YOU!



According to missions.ewtn.com, "On June 29, the Church celebrates the Solemnity of Sts. Peter and Paul to honor the two great apostles, Peter and Paul. St. Peter, one of the Twelve and the chief of the Apostles, the Rock upon which Christ built His Church, and St. Paul "called to be an apostle, set apart for the gospel of God" (Romans 1:1) and Apostle to the Gentiles. Together they are honored as founders of the Church of Rome, having been separately martyred there during the reign of Emperor Nero. "Christian tradition has always considered Sts. Peter and Saint Paul to be inseparable: indeed, together, they represent the whole Gospel of Christ." (Pope Benedict XVI)" *Sts. Peter and Paul, pray for us!*

This year's joint **VBS: "CATHOLIC CASTLE"** was a royal blast! To Alan & Seirra Brumleve, Mary Jo Miller, Hannah Pineau, Amy Ulrich, Connie Vincent with Gabbie Morales, Father Uriel and volunteers like Jaron Taliseo (knight) who helped throughout the week, thank you for your hard work! Thank you, most especially, to all the children who participated. We hope VBS was a blessing to you as you are to the church!



✠ ST. MARY ✠ OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. Mass

Tuesday: 8:15 a.m. Mass

Thursday: 8:15 a.m. Mass

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. Mass

✠ ST. FRANCIS XAVIER ✠

Sunday: 12:15 p.m. Spanish Mass



BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

June 2 *Karl Sweitzer, Jr.*

June 4 *Jasmine Stadelbacher*

June 5 *Geof & Jill Skinner*

June 12 *Jim & Pam Barr*

June 12 *Aleshia Wright*

June 14 *Paulette Aronson*

June 16 *Jim Barr*

June 18 *Roger & Betty Abney*

June 25 *Addison Ebberts*

June 25 *Andrew Ebberts*

June 30 *Bailey Flamm*

The Centennial Celebration **NEWSLETTER** June 2025 issue is here! Make sure to get your copy and read about St. Joseph!

WELCOME, ST. MARY FAMILY AND FRIENDS!

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, JUNE 29, 9:00 a.m.

Mass with St. Mary Church

Lector: Lori Cohen

EM: Gary Wiggs, Maria Carmona, Sherry Haddick

SUNDAY, JULY 6, 10:00 a.m.

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lector: Mark Haddick

EM: Diselda Tomas, JP Russell, Luisa Vercide

Sacrament of RECONCILIATION: Wednesday & Friday after Mass and by appointment

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ST. JOSEPH

The deadline to submit an announcement for the BULLETIN is Thursday evening. You may email it to: stjoecobdenLV23@gmail.com and/or stjosephscobden@gmail.com. For questions, please call or text Luisa at (618) 967-4452.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

JUNE 22, 2025

General Total	\$3,855.00
Offering	\$3,855.00
Cemetery	\$65.00

Thank you for supporting
St. Joseph Church!

PRAYERS OF PETITION

Those in the Military (Active Duty): Scott Bourne, Aaron Cerny, Katie Eck, John Russell, Lauren Sweitzer, Devin Vitt

Those in Need of Healing: Special Intention, AYB, Alan & EJ Anderson, Paulette Aronson, David Augustine, Jack Bailey, Brian, Rachel, Joyce C., Dorothy Cirilla, Cade Cohen, Regina Fuse, Ryker Gillan & Family, Mark, F. Johnson, Shawn Knupp, Mary Martin, Cari Hatley Marx, Stan McGee, Mike McClelland, Yvonne Murray, Sheron Pearson, Dominic Pedrotty & Family, Hannah Perez, Stephanie Poletti, Delores Porter, Bonnie del Rosario, TR, Zetta Ramsey, Vicki Sadler, Donna Shannon, Juanita Small, Linda Spray, Charlie Stadelbacher, Margie Stadelbacher, Carolyn Timms, Jill Treece, Filden Tuliao, Carrie Turner, Reed Uekman, Tia Villarreal, Wacker Family

Those in the Nursing Home: Jo Cerny, Larry Flamm

FATHER URIEL will be gone on the following dates: July 16-August 13, 2025. While Sunday Masses will continue with *Father Bob Flannery*, the weekday Masses will not be celebrated on these days.

The next Food Pantry **DISTRIBUTION DAY** will be Wednesday, July 2, from 4:30-5:30 p.m. This bi-monthly event is open to members of Union County, without cost or requirements for eligibility. Volunteers for this week are Connie Vincent and Luisa Vercide.

From the Diocese: **CONGRATULATIONS** to the priests in our diocese who are celebrating an anniversary this year! Rev. Paul Wightman, OMI, 70 years (1955-2025), Rev. Michael Hussey, OMI, 65 years (1960-2025), Rev. Joseph Hitpas, OMI, 60 years (1965-2025), Rev. James Allen, OMI, 60 years (1965-2025), Most Rev. Edward Braxton, 55 years (1970-2025), Rev. Pat Peter, 50 years (1975-2025), Rev. Msgr. Dennis Schaefer, 50 years (1975-2025), Rev. Edward Schaefer, 50 years (1975-2025), Rev. Christopher Anyanwu, 30 years (1995-2025), Rev. Gregory Ogbenika, 30 years (1995-2025), Rev. David Wilke, 30 years (1995-2025), Rev. Harold Fisher, OMI, 25 years (2000-2025), Rev. Felix Chukwuma, 20 years (2005-2025), Rev. Matthew Elie, 20 years (2005-2025), Very Rev. Robert Zwilling, 20 years (2005-2025), Rev. Abraham Adejoh, 15 years (2010-2025), Rev. Joseph Oganda, 15 years (2010-2025), Rev. Eric Wagner, CM, 15 years (2010-2025).

From the Diocese: **2025 CSMA**, Hope in the Lord. Each year the success of the Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal depends upon the generous response of every Catholic household – it depends on you!! Every dollar donated to the Appeal is restricted and supports only the work of 17 diocesan ministries which serve thousands of people throughout southern Illinois each year. To learn more about the good works your gift makes possible, visit www.diobelle.org and click on the Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal poster or call Judy Phillips at 618-722-5007 – she'd love to hear from you!

“The month of JUNE is dedicated to **The Sacred Heart of Jesus**. *Highlights of the Month:* As we begin to feel the warmth of summer, we can reflect that we celebrate the feasts of **Trinity Sunday** (June 4), **Corpus Christi** (June 11), the **Sacred Heart of Jesus** (June 16) and the **Immaculate Heart of Mary** (June 17). God is Love and the Sacred Heart of Jesus — present on earth in the Blessed Sacrament — is the human manifestation of God's Love for men. Appropriately, June is considered the month for weddings where human hearts join and cooperate with the Creator in bringing forth new life. The family they create is a human reflection of the Blessed Trinity.” (<https://www.catholicculture.org/culture/library/view.cfm?recnum=12552>)

“May the heart of Jesus, in the Most Blessed Sacrament, be praised, adored, and loved with grateful affection, at every moment, in all the tabernacles of the world, even to the end of time. Amen.”

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