

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for June: FAMILIES

We pray for Christian families around the world;
may they embody and experience unconditional love
and advance in holiness in their daily lives



† ST. JOSEPH †



June 19, 2022

Corpus Christi Sunday
10:00 a.m. Stan Pearson

Tuesday, June 21

6:00 p.m. Spanish Mass

Wednesday, June 22

7:50 a.m. Rosary

8:15 a.m. Vincent Vercide

9:00 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration

Friday, June 24

8:15 a.m. Shane Coleman

8:45 a.m. Divine Mercy Chaplet

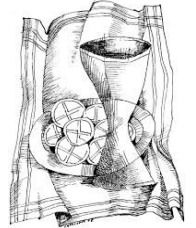
9:00 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration

Today we celebrate THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST SANTISIMO CUERPO Y SANGRE DE CRISTO

“The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, historically known by its Latin name, Corpus Christi, celebrates the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist - Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity. It is traditionally celebrated on the Thursday following the Solemnity of the Holy Trinity.” (<https://www.catholiccompany.com/getfed/feast-of-corpus-christi-story-6077>)

“Its origins are rooted in powerful Eucharistic miracles that occurred when certain persons struggled to believe in Christ’s true presence in the Eucharist. The Feast of Corpus Christi reminds us that while we may sometimes find the reality of the Eucharist hard to believe, Christ is always faithful and will provide us with His grace to strengthen our belief and understanding. On this Feast of Corpus Christi, let us pray that all Catholics may come to a deeper understanding of Christ’s love for us—a love so great that He gives Himself to us personally and intimately every Sunday in the veiled forms of bread and wine.”

(<https://www.catholiccompany.com/getfed/what-is-the-feast-of-corpus-christi/>)



HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

Today we thank GOD THE FATHER for our earthly fathers - whether biological, adoptive, step, spiritual, fathers of all kinds - who model His goodness! *And to Father Uriel - you are a father to the St. Joseph and St. Mary families!* Pope Francis said that “fathers, like St. Joseph, are the irreplaceable guardians and mediators of faith in goodness, of faith in justice and in God’s protection.” (USCCB)

Congratulations to the following **2022 GRADUATES**: *Cobden High School: LIV CERNY; Anna-Jonesboro Community High School: BLAKE MAYS & ANNA ROSE RODGERS.* St. Joe is proud of and continues to pray for you as you move on to the next chapter in your lives. God bless you!

A big THANK YOU to our **PSR TEACHERS** who, despite the difficulties of the past two years, have continued to show dedication in the religious education of the youth of St. Joe! Grades 1-2, First Reconciliation: *Nathan Sweitzer*; First Communion: *Jenny Applegate, Hortensia Zamora, Mary Earll*; Middle Grades: *Jeanne Wacker*; Confirmation: *Father Uriel, Paulette Aronson, Molly Cerny, Jill & Geof Skinner, Samantha Sweitzer, Raymond Wacker, Connie Vincent* with the *late Jean Cash, Bill Harper and Jeanne Wacker* (music ministry). We especially thank *Ms. Jill Skinner*, who has been the Director of Faith Formation for the past fourteen (14) years! Thank you for your hard work. You are all a blessing to the families of St. Joseph Church. God bless you!

† 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: 5:00 p.m. Mass

† ST. FRANCIS XAVIER †

Sunday: 12:15 p.m. Spanish Mass

Monday: 12:15 p.m. English
Mass and Holy Hour



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

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Sunday, June 19, 10:00 a.m.

*Solemnity of the Most Holy Body
and Blood of Christ / Father's Day*

Lector: Connie Vincent

Sunday, June 26, 10:00 a.m.

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lector: Paulette Aronson

Sacrament of RECONCILIATION: Wednesday & Friday after Mass and any time 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: luisa@stjosephcobden.com and/or stjosephscobden@gmail.com. For questions, please call or text Luisa at (618) 967-4452.

PRAYERS OF PETITION

STEWARDSHIP
OF TREASURE

JUNE 12, 2022

Will be posted next week.

Thank you for supporting
St. Joseph.

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

Those in Need of Healing: Special intention, Barbara Alstat, Alan & EJ Anderson, Arthur Scott & Paulette Aronson, Cade Cohen, Baby Easton, Diane Essner, Virginia Flamm, Regina Fuse, Jim Goddard, Karen Horvath, Doris Luther, Shawn Knupp, Cari Hatley Marx, Diane McClelland, John Morgan, Laura Mueller, Dan Niffenegger, Sheron Pearson, Dominic Pedrotty, Hannah Perez, Joe Pineau, Zetta Ramsey, Lori Ray, Keith Robertson, Donna Shannon, Linda Spray, Charlie Stadelbacher, Shari Vandersluis, David Villareal

Those in Nursing Homes: Jo Cerny, Judy Flamm

Names of those in Need of Healing will be on the Prayer List for four weeks.

To add/remove a name or update the List, please call or text Luisa at 618-967-4452.

PRAYER FOR FATHERS: *"We give our thanks, Creator God, for the FATHERS in our lives. Fatherhood does not come with a manual, and reality teaches us that some fathers excel while others fail. We ask for Your blessings for them all and forgiveness where it is needed. This Father's Day we remember the many sacrifices fathers make for their children and families, and the ways - both big and small - they lift children to achieve dreams thought beyond reach. So too, we remember all those who have helped fill the void when fathers pass early or are absent; grandfathers and uncles, brothers and cousins, teachers, pastors and coaches and the women of our families. For those who are fathers, we ask for wisdom and humility in the face of the task of parenting. Give them the strength to do well by their children and by You. In Your Holy name, O God, we pray. Amen".* - Rev. Chuck Currie

"Let the children come to me, and do not prevent them; for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these." (Matthew 19:14)
St. Joseph Church congratulates the family of Allan and Seirra Brumleve on the baptism of **CADE CHARLES BRUMLEVE**. Welcome, Cade, Child of God! May He continue to bless you and the angels watch over you.

Congratulations to Thomas Richard Luge, now **FATHER THOMAS** for his ordination to the **PRIESTHOOD OF JESUS CHRIST!** Let us continue to pray for Father Thomas and that young men and women from our parishes will hear and answer God's call to vocations to the Priesthood and Religious life.

From the Diocese: VOCATION CORNER: Today we celebrate the gift of **EUCCHARIST**. This gift is what truly defines us as Catholics. We rejoice that Jesus gave His Body and Blood for our redemption. This is the remembrance we commemorate during each Liturgy. This is only possible through the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass which is celebrated by a priest. We are challenged to pray for more priests; we are challenged to encourage those who may have a calling to Holy Orders. Pose the question: *"Have you ever considered being a priest?"*

From the Diocese: 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 **CSMA** poster or call Judy Phillips at 618-722-500.

From the Diocese: Don't miss the Priest Jubilee edition this July featuring Diocesan priests with a milestone anniversary! Subscribe to **THE MESSENGER** at (618)233-8670. To subscribe online, go to: www.bellevillemessenger.org.

"Don't let your worries get the best of you. Remember, Moses started out as a basket case."

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