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SAINT JOSEPH PARISH

October 1, 2023

520 South Garfield St. Kennewick, WA 99336

Parish Office hours: Monday-Friday 9:00 am to Noon, 1:00 pm-4:00 pm

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St. Joseph School Office 509-586-0481

Children's Center 509-586-1428

WEEKEND MASSES

MISA EL FIN DE SEMANA

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm (English)

7:00 pm (Español)

Sunday: 9:00 am, 11:00 am and 5:30 pm
(English)

1:00 pm and 7:00 pm (Español)

WEEKLY MASSES

MISAS ENTRE SEMANA

Monday-Friday: 6:30am & 8:30am, Small
Church (English)

Thursday 7:00 pm, Small Church Español)

Saturday 8:30 am, Small Church (English)

First Friday Mass 7:00 pm, Small Church
(English)

CONFESSIONS/CONFESIONES

Notice: Saturdays time has been updated.

Saturdays | 3:30 -5: 30 pm | Big Church

Thursdays | 6:00 - 7:00 pm | Small Church

First Friday | 6:30 -7:00 pm | Small Church

BAPTISMS

“As a rule an adult is to be baptized in his or her parish and an infant in the parish of the parents unless a just cause suggests otherwise.” (Canon Law 587 and 2) If you are a parishioner who attends St. Joseph and would like to baptize your child in another parish, you will need a letter from the pastor of St. Joseph giving you permission to do so. If you are not a St. Joseph parishioner and want to baptize your child in this parish, you need to get permission from your pastor to baptize your child here. The parents and sponsors must attend a class before the Baptism of the child.

PRAYER CHAIN

To put someone on the Prayer Chain:

Email parish.office@stjoseph-kennewick.org
or call the Parish Office at 509-586-3820

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While he was blessing them, he withdrew from them and was carried up into heaven. LUKE 24: 51

MISSION & CORE VALUES

Our mission and sacred purpose as the parish of St. Joseph is to fully live our Catholic faith, which is rooted in Jesus Christ and the teachings of His Church, to nurture and build our parish so that every parishioner can know love, and serve God in this world and encourage others to do the same.

Our core values include:

Hope—rooting our ministries and actions in prayer; joyfully carrying them out with competence, care and confidence in God's promise of salvation.

Liturgy—maintaining the highest of ministry standards to bring glory to God through the rites, ceremonies, prayers, and sacraments of the Church.

Community—caring about and addressing the needs of others.

Evangelism—telling others the good news about Jesus.

Giving—practicing stewardship as a way of life by sharing of our time, talents, and treasure to support the mission and ministries.

INQUIRING ADULTS-OCIA

Order of Christian Initiation Of Adults

OCIA is for all adults older than 18 years of age in need of the sacraments of Baptism, Holy Communion, and/or Confirmation. We welcome your interest in exploring the Catholic faith and invite your participation in our year-round OCIA process. Call the Parish Office for more information.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

The Sacrament of the Anointing is the proper Sacrament for those Christians whose health is seriously impaired by sickness, before surgeries, or anyone over the age of 59. Through the Sacrament of Anointing, the Church supports the sick in their struggle against illness and continues Christ's messianic work of healing. If you need the Sacrament of Anointing, please call the Parish Office.

MARRIAGE

Please contact the priest of the parish where you want to celebrate your wedding ceremony to discuss your situation and set the date in the parish calendar. Do this at least six months prior to the day you are planning to marry.

FUNERALS

Death is something that awaits all of us and our loved ones. Yet we often avoid thinking about it. Please let the Parish Office know how we can help with the farewell to your beloved family member.

Stewardship Message

"Do nothing out of selfishness; rather, humbly regard others as more important than yourselves..." Philippians 2:3

Pride and ego are hard things to control. We see how others act or dress and think we are superior to them. We idolize our own self-image. But, if we truly believe everything is a gift from God, we recognize all the people that God has put in our lives as gifts! We are grateful for how they enrich our lives. Pray every day for the people in your lives: your families, your friends, and those who make you angry.

Collection for September 24, 2023

Sunday Offerings	\$13,469.50
Building Fund	\$373.00
School Donations	\$920.20
Music Equipment Repairs	\$1,000.00



Prayers: For our Armed Forces at home and overseas including **Christian Fraga, Steven Hahn, Ramon Vargas, Ian Dimmick, Christy Hylden, Andrew**

Jacobsen, Alexander Araujo, Tyson Kaas, Christian Shink, Juan Borrego, Estrella Gomez, Erick Miller, Eric Sheldon, and Justin Dennis Byerly.

For our sick including **Drew Schreiber, Gil Gloria, Elaine Himes, Lois and Rick Rutherford, Jan Billings, Rory Valdes, Silvia Rodriguez, Kathleen Barone, Monica Moore, Lourdes Nelson, Jessica Floeter, Billy Sickles, Nestor Barba, Elizabeth Torres, Kim Davis, Kathy Ramirez, Bill Roe, Donna Whitehead, John Curran, Bob and Mary Ross, Alberto Carranza, Danika Whitsett, Father Tom Long, Jerry Mikkelsen, Kelly Freeman, Gus Perez, Jim Nicacio, Arlene Callahan, Dominic Nicacio, Luca Nicacio, Phyllis Pelletier, Nancy Park, Marlene Madrigal, Sherri McKie, Hugo Garcia, Vanessa Nicacio, Carol Smith, Pat Leskovar, Tony Wise, Patty Brown, Armando Rodriguez, Jose Del Angel, Zara Husan, Raquel Cardoza, Samuel Quintanilla, Pat McKie Szacik, Christy Leskovar, Carmen Nava, Mike Draper, Peter Braun, Yolanda Quintero, Hazel Meister, Ernie Skwierczynski, Kendra Skwierczynski, Kolton Hansford, Jeannine Soehnlein, Debbie Lord, Joanne, Judy Kirk,** and all parishioners with health problems and for those from our community who have passed away recently, especially **Ron Boom, Donald Gegen and Alice Rieckman.** Please call when your ill family member gets better, so we can make room for others on the list of prayers for the sick.

If you no longer use the parish envelopes for your donations, please notify the Parish Office to have them discontinued.

Thanks for your cooperation.

ADORATION CHAPEL

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



Openings:
SUN 6am
MON. midnight, 2am
WED. 3am
THU. 4am

The Adoration Chapel is open to visitors. Please call: Carol, 509-582-5011, or, en español, Delmi, 509-528-8896, to obtain a personal code for entry.
"Imagine for a moment that we are living in Jesus's time, and He has invited us to visit with Him and spend some quiet time getting to know Him better. Being aware of who He is, we would be humbled and honored by such an invitation." Mother Teresa Of Calcutta (1910 to 1997)

Welcome to our Parish Community!

If you are new to St. Joseph, we welcome you – whether you have come here from another part of the country, from across the world, or simply from another parish. You have helped us celebrate the liturgy in a beautiful way. If you would like to become part of our Catholic community, please fill out a registration form available on our website. Welcome!

MASS INTENTIONS

FOR THE WEEK



October 2-8

Monday, October 2

6:30 am
 † Elaine Loftus
 8:30 am
 † Lawrence Manning

Tuesday, October 3

6:30 am
 † Edward Wild, Sr.
 8:30 am
 † Rolando Cayetano Jr.

Wednesday, October 4

6:30 am
 † Edward Wild, Jr.
 8:30 am
 † Lawrence Manning

Thursday, October 5

6:30 am
 † Joe Hatzenbuehler
 8:30 am
 † Lawrence Manning
 7:00 pm
 Matt Ogden (B-day)

Friday, October 6

6:30 am
 † Joe Hatzenbuehler
 8:30 am
 † Fermin Granados
 7:00 pm - 1st Friday Mass
 † The De Leon & Tirol Families

Saturday, October 7

8:30 am
 † Sal & Laurie Penella
 † Joe Ponish
 Pete Roberson
 5:30 pm
 Sofia Mendoza (B-day)
 Pete Roberson
 Anita Hondl
 7:00 pm
 † Agustin Martinez Mojica

Familia Sanchez Garcia
 † Antonio & Consuelo Garcia

Sunday, October 8

9:00 am
 † Ervin Praus
 † Holy Souls
 † The De Leon & Tirol Families
 11:00 am
 † Holy Souls
 Richard Roman (Healing)
 Jeff Hondl
 1:00 pm
 No Intentions for this Mass
 5:30 pm
 † Holy Souls
 7:00 pm
 No Intentions for this Mass

Hope Medical is seeking a new Executive Director (paid position) and additional Board of Director members (volunteer). Position descriptions and applications are posted at www.hopemedicalwa.com/careers. Questions? Contact Jerry Johnson at president@hopemedicalwa.com.

CONGRATULATIONS,

Fr. Riccardo Keolker, on being selected as the recipient of the Champion of Catholic Education Award for Outstanding Leadership. Also we congratulate **Catherine Valiant** on being selected for the St. John Baptist De La Salle Educator Award. The event will be held on:

Saturday, October 14, 2023 from 5 pm-9 pm
 at St. Joseph Marquette, Yakima. To register for this event visit: <https://cwccatholicfoundation.org/events/2023-celebration-of-faith/>

A NOTE FROM SERRA CLUB OF TRI CITIES

"(Christ Jesus) humbled Himself, becoming obedient unto death, even death on a cross." (Philippians 2:8) If the Lord invites you to follow Him in humble obedience as a priest, deacon, brother, or sister, how will you respond?



Next Sunday, October 8, is Deacon Sunday. Plan how you will thank our deacons for all they do for our parish.

COLLEGE AND OUR CATHOLIC FAITH

Do you want our young people to stay active in their faith when they go off to college?

There is a program that can help, started by **Serra Club USA**. It is called **Newman Connection for Catholics**.

To sign up a student, go to:

<https://signupnc.newmanministry.com>

Enter the name of the graduated high school senior and the college/university and location of the school the senior plans to attend this fall. The **Newman Connection** is a program that connects students to the **"Catholic presence"** when they arrive on campus. Campus Ministers will send personal invitations to the students to visit their Catholic facilities when the students arrive on campus. Should there be no Newman Center nor Catholic Campus Ministry at some colleges, the students will receive information about nearby parishes.

PRIESTS' ANNUAL CONVOCATION

Our parish priests will be gathering with all the priests of our diocese for their annual convocation Tuesday, October 3 – Friday, October 6. During this time, only daily Masses will be celebrated. There will be no Thursday evening confessions, and the Thursday 7:00 pm Spanish Mass will be a Communion Service. Please hold all calls until our priests return to the Parish Office on Monday, October 9. If you are in need of a priest for an urgent emergency, contact the Parish Office. Thank you.

JUBILARIANS' MASS

Our parishioners are invited to a Mass to be celebrated on Thursday, October 5, 2023, 4:30 pm at Christ the King Parish in Richland. At this Mass, our priests who are celebrating anniversaries will be recognized: Fr. Richard (Riccardo) Keolker, 60 years of priesthood and Fr. Ricardo A. Villarreal, 25 years of priesthood.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul



St. Paul tells us that we all have gifts. There are many kinds of gifts and each of us has something we can offer to others. The Society of St. Vincent de Paul in our parish needs you and your gifts to help those in need. Are you competent on a computer? We need you. Are you good with

helping others in person? We need you. Are you bilingual and willing to answer and direct our phone messages? We need you. Is it time for you to live your religious convictions and give back for all you have received? To learn more, call Tom Curran at 206-406-9996.



SUNDAY LITURGY REFLECTION

By Fr. Riccardo Keolker

Wednesday in-person at 2:30 pm in the Parish Office, second floor, rooms A and B or on Facebook.

Traveling Vocations Crucifixes

Courtesy of the Serra Club of the Tri Cities, St Joseph Parish has two Traveling Vocations Crucifixes—one at the 9:00 am Mass and one at the 1:00 pm Mass. Sign up to take a crucifix (box includes the crucifix, rosary, and prayer cards) home for one week and pray for vocations—all vocations, but especially vocations to the Priesthood, Diaconate, and Vowed Religious Life. We pray that more men and women will hear God's call and say yes. Remember, without priests, we would not have the Holy Eucharist and other sacraments.

10/1 Beth & Jose Arroyo

10/8 Marisela & Raul Tabullo

With questions or to sign up, contact Celine Petersen, 509-582-8738, or Irma Valdivia, 509-366-4422.

MOTHER TERESA MEAL MINISTRY

Delivering lunches twice a month for the Union Gospel Mission!



First Sunday— November 5, 2023 at 10:15 am (or right after the 9 am Sunday Mass)

Third Tuesday— October 17, 2023, at 9:15 am

To see a list of donations needed or to volunteer to help, please contact Cindy Meyer through the parish links by visiting: <https://stjoseph-kennewick.org>

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WOMEN OF ST. JOSEPH



All are invited to join us for a meeting...

Date: October 10, 2023

Time: 6:30 pm

Place: The shed next to the PAC building.

Grade: 8 -12

Time: 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Registration forms available at all youth nights.

Oct. 6 — Life Night

Parish Office

Oct. 13— XLT (adoration)

Small Church

Oct. 20—Social

*Middleton Farm (\$20pp)

Oct. 27—All Saints' Day Festival, Dillon Hall parking lot

*Permission slips available at all youth nights and the Parish Office.

Candy donations are needed for the All Saints' Day Festival. We need LOTS of candy for the Trunk or Treat! Please bring a bag of wrapped candy to the Parish Office. Together, we can make this a huge success. Thanks for your help!

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