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**MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday	7:00 a.m.
	4:00 p.m. (Vigil)
Sunday	10:30 a.m.
Tuesday	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday & Thursday	8:15 a.m.
Friday	7:00 a.m.

**Adoration**

Second Friday of month (24 hrs.) 9 a.m. - 9 a.m.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Tuesdays 5:00-5:45 p.m. Saturdays 3:00-3:45 p.m.

**Sacrament of Baptism:**

Call the parish office to make arrangements.

**Sacrament of Marriage:**

Call the parish office at least six months in advance.

**Sacrament of the Sick:**

Administered annually and by appointment.

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**MASS SCHEDULE**

Sunday	8:30 a.m.
Thursday	6:00 p.m.

**Adoration**

First Friday of each month 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

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Sundays 8:00-8:15 a.m.

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February 14, 2021 ~ 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

# ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

## THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

### MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

#### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2021

No Mass

#### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2021

6:00 p.m. In Honor of Jerry & Judy Marx's Anniversary

#### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2021

8:15 a.m. † Lila Simon  
12:00 p.m. Susan & Gary Fortner  
† Natalie Bratcher  
5:00 p.m. † Gilbert Karcher

#### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2021

8:15 a.m. † Ron Barnett

#### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2021

7:00 a.m. † Souls in Purgatory  
8:15 a.m. † Linus Koberstein

#### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2021

7:00 a.m. † Alan Deuling  
4:00 p.m. † Lynda Banet

#### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2021

10:30 a.m. St. Joseph & St. Bernard

#### Tuesday, February 16

7:00 p.m. Finance Council Meeting in the Celestin Center

#### Wednesday, February 17

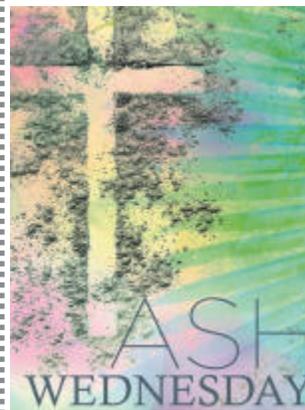
9:00 a.m. Quilters  
6:00 p.m. Faith Formation  
7:15 p.m. Youth Group

#### Friday, February 19

9:00 a.m. Church Cleaners - Crew 1  
Mary Collins, Karen Fischer, Angie Paul

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 14, 2021

Sun 02/14: Lv 13:1-2, 44-46/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11 [7]/  
1 Cor 10:31—11:1/Mk 1:40-45  
Mon 02/15: Gn 4:1-15, 25/Ps 50:1 and 8, 16bc-17, 20-21 [14a]/  
Mk 8:11-13  
Tues 02/16: Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10/Ps 29:1a and 2, 3ac-4, 3b and  
9c-10 [11b]/Mk 8:14-21  
Wed 02/17: Jl 2:12-18/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 and 17  
[cf. 3a]/2 Cor 5:20—6:2/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18  
Thurs 02/18: Dt 30:15-20/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [Ps 40:5a]/  
Lk 9:22-25  
Fri 02/19: Is 58:1-9a/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19 [19b]/Mt 9:14-15  
Sat 02/20: Is 58:9b-14/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [11ab]/Lk 5:27-32  
Sun 02/21: Gn 9:8-15/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [cf. 10]/1 Pt 3:18-22/  
Mk 1:12-15



### Ash Wednesday Mass Schedule

February 17, 2021

St. Joseph 12:00 p.m.  
5:00 p.m.  
St. Bernard 7:00 p.m.

*Parish Mission:*

*Reborn In Baptism;*

*Transformed Into Disciples*



### MINISTRY SCHEDULE

#### Saturday, February 20

##### Lector

Teresa Koberstein

##### Eucharistic Minister

Latricia Sumner

##### Altar Servers

Slater Staat

##### Greeters

John Beasley Family

##### Scripts

Angie Paul

#### Sunday, February 21

##### Lector

Mike Pflug

##### Eucharistic Minister

Linda Yeryar

##### Altar Servers

Jared Dunn

##### Greeters

Ken Halbig Family

##### Scripts

Audrey Watt

### STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE



February 7, 2021 Collection	\$ 6,655.29
Online Giving for the week of February 7, 2021	\$ 2,789.00
Total Collection for February 7, 2021	\$ 9,444.29
Needed for weekly budget	\$ 8,900.00
Variance for February 7, 2021	\$ 544.29
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YTD Collection (July 1, 2020-June 30, 2021)	\$246,446.78
Needed to meet budget	\$284,800.00
YTD Variance	<b>(\$ 38,353.22)</b>

*Thank you!*



If you would like to learn more about the Catholic faith, please join the RCIA team each Sunday, at 9:00 a.m. in the Celestin Center. The topic for February 21 is:

***A Love that Lasts:  
God's Plan for Sexuality***

For more information, please call the parish office or email Becky at bsheridan@evdio.org.



*Baptism*

Congratulations to Eli Malachi Osborne, Son of David and Justine Osborne, who was baptized February 6th.

Welcome to our parish family!



*Baptism*

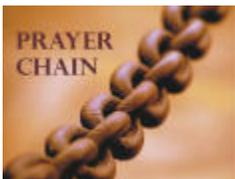
Congratulations to Keagan Rose Ratliff, Daughter of Joshua and Sarah Ratliff, who was baptized February 4th.

Welcome to our parish family!



If you would like to have a Mass said for a loved one please call the parish office. A Mass can be offered for an intention (peace, vocations, etc.) or for anyone living or deceased (Catholic or non-Catholic). Requests are on a first come, first served basis. Mass intention offerings are \$10. (Not necessary for those unable to pay.)

***"The Holy Mass is the most precious gift one may offer."***



If you would like to receive calls to ask you to pray for those who are added to our prayer chain, please call the parish office.



***Please keep in prayer those who are on our prayer chain and all members of our St. Joseph family.***



**Lenten Resources**

- Sacrament of Reconciliation is available:  
Tuesdays 5:00 - 5:45 p.m.  
Saturdays 3:00 - 3:45 p.m.
- Come to daily Mass - Mass times on front of bulletin
- Adoration before Tuesday Mass beginning at 5:00 p.m.
- Men's ministry prays the Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet at 6:30 a.m. on Saturdays - All men are welcome for Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet - everyone welcome at Mass
- Adult Faith Formation meet in the Celestin Center on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. - Everyone is welcome
- Become more active in your parish - join a ministry (lector, greeter, Eucharistic Minister, Usher, Server, etc.) or commission - call the parish office for more details

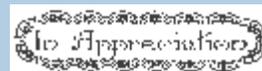
**Available at Church entrances**

- Little Black Books
- Dynamic Catholic *Best Lent Ever* Journals
- Word Among Us

**Available online & on Apps**

- Dynamic Catholic *Best Lent Ever* - [dynamiccatholic.com](http://dynamiccatholic.com)
- Ascension Press Lenten Companion, The Way of the Cross, or *Fr. Mike's Bible in a Year* - [ascensionpress.com](http://ascensionpress.com)
- Pray More Novenas Lenten Retreat - [praymorenovenas.com](http://praymorenovenas.com)
- Daily Meditations from Bishop Robert Barron - [lentenreflections.com](http://lentenreflections.com)
- Free Lenten Season Guide - [resources.ewtn.com/lent-2021](http://resources.ewtn.com/lent-2021)
- St Joseph Parish App - call parish office for details
- Hallow App
- Laudate App
- IBreviary App
- Catholic Answers Live App
- EWTN App

*"Renounce yourself in order to follow Christ; discipline your body; do not pamper yourself, but love fasting."  
~St. Benedict of Nursia*



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## a letter from the pastor

In both the Old and New Testaments, ashes are associated with mourning and repentance. As Catholics, we begin the Lenten season with Ash Wednesday. Following the proclamation of the Gospel, a homily is given, then the priest blesses the ashes with Holy Water and offers a prayer.

The congregation comes forward like at communion time and receives ashes upon their forehead. Like a splash of cold water on the face that awakens a person in the morning, ashes on the forehead are to awaken the recipient to the beginning of a new season in the Church's liturgical year.

The ashes are made from the palms that were used in the previous year's Palm Sunday celebration. We are called to examine our lives and prepare for a new Easter.

When ashes are administered two formulas can be used: "Turn away from sin and be faithful to the Gospel," or "Remember you are dust and to dust you will return." This is to remind us that, with the fact that now is the time to act, now is the time to "get things right" with God.

This year Ash Wednesday will be on February 17th. Due to the global pandemic the Universal Church has been directed to say the blessing only once and rather than touch each individual person the ashes will be sprinkled over each person.

This day is a day of fasting. We should curb our meals to one regular meal and two smaller meals. There should be no eating between meals, and we should not eat meat on this day, or on Fridays. This practice reminds us of the sacrifice Jesus made for us. It also helps us remain...yes in control of our desires. Fasting helps us with our free will and builds upon our inner strength. This Lent all of you will be within my prayers as you journey in faith. May this Lenten Season be one that draws you closer to God and His Heavenly Kingdom.

This year Mass times are St. Joseph Parish at Noon and 5:00 p.m., and St. Bernard Parish at 7:00 p.m. I look forward to seeing you there.

*Fr. Gary*

## St. Maria Goretti News

### Upcoming Youth Events

Feb. 14 – HS RockLife

Feb. 14—Boys Open Gym (grades 8-12)

Feb. 19 – MS Lent Night

### MS Friday Night Lent Series

All middle school youth are invited to join us 3 Fridays during Lent. This is a great way for them to draw nearer to God during the Lenten season! We'll have cheese pizzas and social time as well! Join us in the gym at Sts. P&P beginning Friday, February 19<sup>th</sup> from 7-9pm (and continuing Fridays: Feb. 26<sup>th</sup> & March 5<sup>th</sup>). Bring a friend and your waiver! (Put all 3 dates on the same waiver!)

### HS RockLife Night

Next RockLife is Sunday, Feb. 14<sup>th</sup>, in the gym at Sts Peter & Paul from 6:00 – 8:00pm. Hopefully Gibson County will get

out of the "RED" soon but since it currently still is, we're on a signup basis, first come first serve. **After Bryan sends out text/email reminder the week of, please respond to RSVP.** If you're not on the text/email list and want to attend and receive updates, please contact Bryan Macke (contact info listed below). For Feb. 14<sup>th</sup> RockLife, we plan to have a special guest speaker coming.....the honorable, memorable, and highly favorable Sr. Irma! We know it's Valentines Day, but what greater love is there than the love of God!! As always, we'll have some games and Sandy's Pizza! Bring a friend and a permission slip.

Any questions/concerns about youth events please contact Bryan Macke at 664-7992 or [bmacke@evdio.org](mailto:bmacke@evdio.org). Diocesan Event Waivers can be found in the back of each church or on our webpage at [www.smg youth.com](http://www.smg youth.com)

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**SUNDAY, February 14**

8:30 a.m. † Clemens & Marie Obert and August Wulf

**WEDNESDAY, February 17**

7:00 p.m. † Marlene Corn

**THURSDAY, February 18**

6:00 p.m. † Jim Straub

**SUNDAY, February 21**

8:30 a.m. † Mary Reising

**LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14**

**Rosary** Elizabeth Ivy  
**Sacristan** Melvin Ziliak  
**Cantor** Sarah Reising  
**Greeters** Jim & Jan Schmitt  
**Lector** Brenda Smith  
**Servers** Lucas & Isaac Ivy

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21**

**Rosary** Leroy Seib  
**Sacristan** Bernie Spindler  
**Cantor** Kelly Obert  
**Greeters** Robert & Jenny Fuhs  
**Lector** Dennis Titzer  
**Servers** Lucas & Anthony Gress

**PRAYERS**

Michelle Ziebel, Gwen Graber, Crystal Williamson, Kenny & Marcia Reising, Wilma Miley, Katie Bender, Elvira Meny, Julia Market, Betty Thompson, Jim Lubbers, Herb Bethe, Stan Phillips, Ralph Elpers, Susan Williamson, Tom Vaal, Deven Pohl, Genevieve Weber Lubbers, Diane Denton, Rob Rodgers, Greg Obert, Lisa Wilson, Kenny Page, Barb Phillips, Allison Hale, Graham Hosman, Greg Harpenau, Dave McKinney *Please call Terri to add or remove someone 677-0511 Please help up to keep this list up to date. Let us know when someone can come off the list. Thanks*

**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**



February 7, 2021 Collection	\$ 1,917.00
Needed for weekly budget	\$ 1,589.52
Variance for February 7, 2021	\$ 331.48
YTD Collection	\$ 59,295.75
Needed to meet budget	\$ 50,740.64
YTD Variance	\$ 8,555.11

*Thank you!*

**ST. BERNARD PARISH NEWS**

**Religious Education for this week is in Church for Ash Wednesday Mass at 7 p.m.**

**Ash Wednesday**

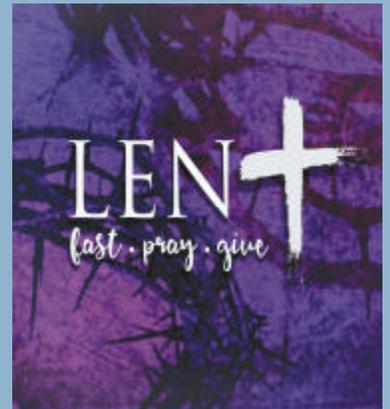
**THIS** Wednesday, February 17 is Ash Wednesday. Mass at St. Bernard will be at **7 p.m.**

**Lent**

*Lent starts this Wednesday....have you thought about what you are going to do for Christ this Lent. Be ready to offer sacrifices for our Lord!!*

We will be saying the Stations of the Cross after Thursday evening Masses during Lent. If your family would like to help lead this Lenten tradition, please contact Terri Ziliak at 812-677-0511.

We would like to have a different family each week. Thank You!!



**Mass on Thursday night followed by the Stations of the Cross. Why not make this part of your Lenten Journey!!**

**Resources to Grow Your Faith this Lent**

- Little Black Book for Lent donated by the Knights of Columbus in the back of church.
- The Word Among Us—Lent Booklets are in the back of church.
- Laudate: Phone app
- Breviary: Phone app
- Bible in a Year Podcast by Fr. Mike Schmitz (never too late to start) - Awesome way to read the bible each day!

\*\*\*Reminder that the Liturgy Assignments can be found on the church website at [stbernardsnakerun.org](http://stbernardsnakerun.org).

**Church Cleaners for February**

Ericka Obert, Kelly Obert, Cindy Titzer, Deann Gress, Rena Schleiter

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