

WELCOME TO THE  
CATHOLIC PARISHES OF

ST. JOSEPH & ST. BERNARD



**ST. JOSEPH**

410 S. Race, Princeton, IN 47670

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School Website: stjosephprinceton.com

**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.

**ST. BERNARD**

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Parish Website: stbernardsnakerun.org

**MASS SCHEDULE**

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

**Adoration**

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

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

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

**Sacrament of Baptism:**

Call the parish office to make arrangements.

**Sacrament of Marriage:**

Call the parish office at least six months in advance of wedding date.

**Sacrament of the Sick:**

Administered annually and by appointment.

March 14, 2021 ~ Fourth Sunday in Lent

# ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

## MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

### MONDAY, MARCH 15, 2021

No Mass

### TUESDAY, MARCH 16, 2021

6:00 p.m. † Gilbert Karcher

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17, 2021

8:15 a.m. † Jeanette Arnold

### THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 2021

8:15 a.m. † Jean Lutz

### FRIDAY, MARCH 19, 2021

7:00 a.m. Julie Stevens

8:15 a.m. † Rita Prunty

### SATURDAY, MARCH 20, 2021

7:00 a.m. Joe Cochran Family

4:00 p.m. St. Joseph & St. Bernard

### SUNDAY, MARCH 21, 2021

10:30 a.m. † Gene James

## THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

### Tuesday, March 16

5:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration in the Church until Mass

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

### Wednesday, March 17

9:00 a.m. Quilters

6:00 p.m. Lenten Penance Service in the Church

7:15 p.m. Youth Group

### Friday, March 19

9:00 a.m. Church Cleaners - Crew 5  
Shawn Halbig, Diana Dunn, Debbie Austill, Jan Noble

6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross in the Church

## LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

### Saturday, March 20 - 4:00 p.m.

**Sacristan:** Seth Stevens

**Lector:** Bob Gibson

**Extraordinary Ministers:**  
Karen Fischer

**Servers:** Slater Staat

**Greeters:** Rick Coleman Family (A)  
John Jaquemai Family (B)  
(C)

**Scripts:** Karen Fischer

### Sunday, March 21 - 10:30 a.m.

**Sacristan:** Frank Creedon

**Lector:** Stephen Kissel

**Extraordinary Ministers:**  
Pat Kermode

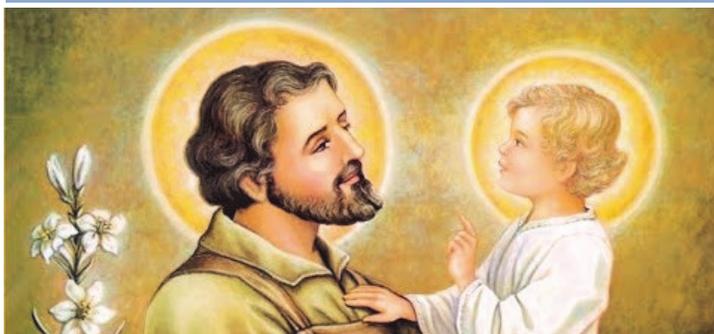
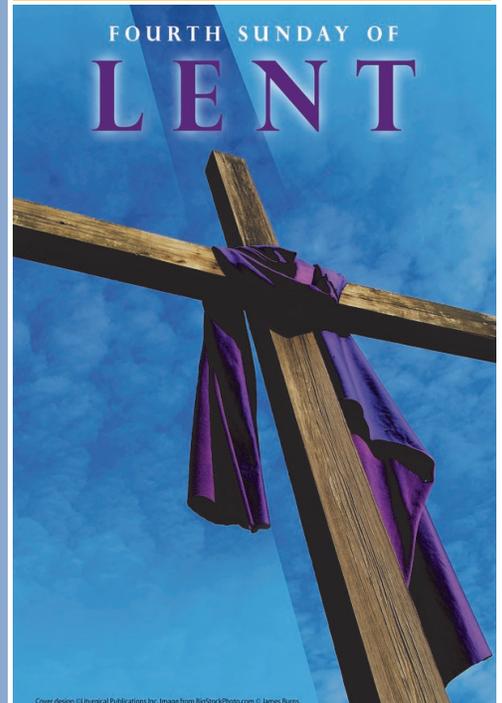
**Servers:** Ben Seibert  
Bailey Seibert

**Greeters:** Mary Collins Family (A)  
Bruce Wheatley Family (B)  
Jeff Seibert Family (C)

**Scripts:** Audrey Watt

Greeters:

(A) Bell Tower Entrance (B) Stormont Street Entrance (C) Chapel Entrance



*Parish Mission:  
Reborn In Baptism;  
Transformed Into Disciples*



## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE



March 7, 2021 Collection	\$ 6,686.00
Online Giving for the week of March 7, 2021	<u>\$ 2,626.00</u>
Total Collection for March 7, 2021	\$ 9,312.00
Needed for weekly budget	\$ 8,900.00
Variance for March 7, 2021	<b>\$ 412.00</b>
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YTD Collection (July 1, 2020-June 30, 2021)	\$280,923.02
Needed to meet budget	\$320,400.00
YTD Variance	<b>(\$ 39,476.98)</b>

*Thank you!*



Each year in the Diocese of Evansville, parishes nominate high school students for the Saint Maria Goretti Youth Distinction Award. The purpose of this award is to recognize adolescent for the life, mission, and ministry of their family, parish, school, and community. This year, St. Joseph is proud to recognize Cole Hurt and Joe Koberstein as their recipients of the Saint Maria Goretti Youth Distinction Award. Cole is the son of Wes and Stacy Hurt, and Joe is the son of Jeff and Teresa Koberstein. Congratulations Cole and Joe!



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 March 21 is: **Lazarus**. For more information, please call the parish office.



The Knights of Columbus will have a Fish Fries on Friday, March 19, and March 26 at the K of C Hall from 4:30 - 7:00 p.m. Menu: Fish, green beans, scalloped potatoes, applesauce or coleslaw, hushpuppies, and a dessert. Adults: \$9 for a 2-piece fish plate or \$11 for a 3-piece fish plate. Kids: \$4 for a 1-piece fish plate. Carry-outs available.



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



## Lenten Schedule

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- Stations of the Cross at 6:00 p.m. each Friday of Lent
- Sacrament of Reconciliation is available:  
Tuesdays 5:00 - 5:45 p.m.  
Saturdays 3:00 - 3:45 p.m.
- Parish Penance Service on March 17 at 6:00 p.m.
- 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

*"Lent is the Autumn of the spiritual life during which we gather fruit to keep us going for the rest of the year."*

~St. Francis De Sales



St. Joseph will have a Lenten Penance Service on Wednesday, March 17, at 6:00 p.m. Fr. Gary will have two other priests assisting him that evening. Please take advantage of this very important Lenten opportunity.

March 14th - March 27th, Rural King will donate 10% of your purchase to the Christian organization of your choice! Choose us! Upload your receipts to show your support!

All receipts must be uploaded to [www.ruralking.com/churchweek](http://www.ruralking.com/churchweek) by April 1, 2021.

Visit Rural King between March 14th and March 27th and support St. Joseph! For more information see the enclosed flyer or visit the St. Joseph website at [stjosephprinceton.org](http://stjosephprinceton.org).



*We encourage our parishioners to patronize our sponsors. It is through their generosity that our weekly bulletin comes to you at no cost to the church. Our sponsor this week is:*

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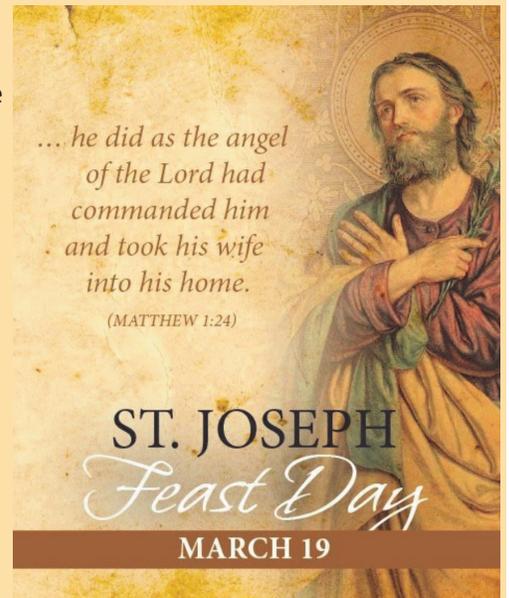
*Thank you to all the businesses who sponsor our bulletin.*

Everything we know about the husband of Mary and the foster father of Jesus comes from Scripture. We know he was a carpenter, a working man, for the skeptical Nazarenes ask about Jesus, "Is this not the carpenter's son?" (Mt 13:55). He wasn't rich, for when he took Jesus to the Temple to be circumcised and Mary to be purified he offered the sacrifice of two turtledoves or a pair of pigeons, allowed only for those who could not afford a lamb (Lk 2:24). Despite his humble work and means, Joseph came from a royal lineage. Luke and Matthew disagree some about the details of Joseph's genealogy but they both mark his descent from David, the greatest king of Israel (Mt 1:1-16 and Lk 3:23-38). Indeed the angel who first tells Joseph about Jesus greets him as "son of David," a royal title used also for Jesus. We know Joseph was a compassionate, caring man. When he discovered Mary was pregnant after they had been betrothed, he knew the child was not his but was as yet unaware that she was carrying the Son of God. He knew women accused of adultery could be stoned to death, so he resolved to send her away quietly to not expose her to

shame or cruelty. However, when an angel came to Joseph in a dream and told him, "Joseph son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary home as your wife, because what is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins," he did as the angel told him and took Mary as his wife. (Mt 1:19-25).

When the angel came again to tell him that his family was in danger, he immediately left everything he owned, all his family and friends, and fled to a strange country with his young wife and the baby. He waited in Egypt without question until the angel told him it was safe to go back (Mt 2:13-23).

We know Joseph loved Jesus. His one concern was for the safety of this child entrusted to him. Not only did he leave his home to protect Jesus, but upon his return settled in the obscure town of Nazareth out of fear for his life. When Jesus stayed in the Temple we are told Joseph (along with Mary) searched with great anxiety for three days for him (Lk 2:48). We also know that Joseph treated Jesus as his own son for over and over



the people of Nazareth say of Jesus, "Is this not the son of Joseph?" (Lk 4:22) There is much we still wish we could know about Joseph -- exactly where and when he was born, how he spent his days, exactly when and how he died. But Scripture has left us with the most important knowledge: who he was -- "a righteous man" (Mt 1:18). (Catholic.org)

*~St. Joseph, Pray for Us!~*

## St. Maria Goretti News

### Upcoming Youth Events

March 13\*\* (date change below) – HS Fingers & Toes  
July 11-16 – Mission Trip to Toppa Joppa, TN

**UPDATE: HS Fingers & Toes Event.** At this time we're not quite comfortable yet serving at the homeless shelter so instead we plan to help hand out drive-thru boxes of food at the Lord's Pantry on Sat. March 27 (tentative date). For Sat. March 13, we're still planning on doing a fun activity like bowling. Sorry for delay, but Bryan will send out a text/email ASAP.

### Summer Conferences – Notre Dame Vision, One Bread One Cup, MDI @ Marian.

1) Notre Dame Vision is canceled this summer.  
2) St. Meinrad's One Bread, One Cup is planning to have in-person conferences but could go online. One Bread, One Cup focuses more on developing the youth's gifts to serve in the liturgy at Mass like being a Eucharistic minister, cantor, lector, etc. It helps the youth know that they ARE part of the Church and gives them ownership and purpose in the Body of Christ!  
3) Marian's Missionary Disciples Institute (MDI) plans to have in-person conference but if not will go online. MDI is a smaller, more immersive experience that prepares high school students to be young missionaries who serve their communities and impact the world through the local church. We plan to keep the cost at

\$100 for each youth (we have scholarship money, donations, and fundraising options to help subsidize). **Please contact Bryan ASAP if interested (deadlines are coming up very soon)** or for information.

### 2021 Summer Mission Trip to Toppa Joppa, TN for HS Youth

Although there are still a lot of unknowns, we are planning to go on a mission trip to Glenmary Home Missioners (aka Toppa Joppa) in Rutledge, TN July 11-16. Types of work have included demolition, drywall, painting, building wheel chair ramps, yard work, replacing floors, roofs & porches. We have reserved 20 spots (must be at least an incoming freshman). We need a few skilled adult chaperones. We are asking for each person to pay \$100 for the trip. We plan to include a day of mountain fun (perhaps whitewater rafting) on the way home! For now, just let Bryan know if you are interested, we don't want to take any deposit money until we're more sure about being able to make this happen. Contact Bryan for questions.

*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, Sunday, March 14**

8:30 a.m. † Jeanne Vieke

**THURSDAY, March 18**

6:00 p.m. † Ron Woodruff

**SUNDAY, March 21**

8:30 a.m. † Parker Regle

**LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

**SUNDAY, MARCH 14**

**Rosary** Elizabeth Ivy  
**Sacristan** Steve Obert  
**Cantor** Emily/Hannah Rodgers  
**Greeters** Robert & Jenny Fuhs  
**Lector** Sarah Spindler  
**Servers** Adam & Kristen Spindler

**SUNDAY, MARCH 21**

**Rosary** Dolores Ziliak  
**Sacristan** Robert Fuhs  
**Cantor** Sarah Reising  
**Greeters** Schleter Family  
**Lector** Lora Ziliak  
**Servers** Sterczner Family

**PRAYERS**

Michelle Ziebel, Gwen Graber, Crystal Williamson, Kenny & Marcia Reising, Wilma Miley, Elvira Meny, Betty Thompson, Jim Lubbers, Herb Bethe, Stan Phillips, Ralph Elpers, Susan Williamson, Tom Vaal, Genevieve Weber Lubbers, Diane Denton, Rob Rodgers, Greg Obert, Lisa Wilson, Barb Phillips, Allison Hale, Graham Hosman, Greg Harpenau, Dave McKinney, Ace Turner

*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. Thank you*

**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**



March 7, 2021 Collection	\$ 1,715.00
Needed for weekly budget	\$ 1,589.52
Variance for March 7, 2021	\$ <b>129.48</b>
YTD Collection	\$ 66,558.80
Needed to meet budget	\$ 57,082.72
YTD Variance	\$ <b>9,476.08</b>

*Thank you!*

**ST. BERNARD PARISH NEWS**

Religious Education this week is for all grades.

**Mass on Thursday night followed by the Stations of the Cross. It's never too late to make this part of your Lenten Journey!!**

**Altar Society Meeting—Sunday, March 28**

There will be a short meeting directly after Mass in the school hall for all women of the parish.

**Ministry Schedule**

It's time again....Sarah will be working on the new ministry schedule soon. Please let her know (812-664-1373) if you are interested in joining a ministry or need to be taken off a ministry or if there are dates that you can not minister. Thank you Sarah for your time and commitment to this important job!!

**Easter Lilies**

There is now a box in the back of church to order your lilies. Please put money in an envelope marked with who you want the lilies in memory of. This year we have three options: 1 lily in a 6 inch pot - \$18, 2 lilies in an 8 inch pot - \$36, and 3 lilies in a pot - \$60. Any questions, ask Dolores Ziliak. Orders due by March 21. Thanks to everyone for helping to make our church beautiful this year for Easter! What a blessing to be able to celebrate Easter this year at St. Bernard!



**Lent Rice Bowls**

Lenten Rice Bowls can be placed in the box in the back of church by Easter Sunday. Thank you for donating!

**Holy Week Mass Schedule at St. Bernard**

Holy Thursday - 7:30 p.m.  
 Good Friday - 7:30 p.m.  
 Easter Sunday - 8:30 a.m.



**QUOTE OF THE WEEK:**

*“Our business is to attain heaven; everything else is a sheer waste of time.” St. Vincent de Paul*

**March Church Cleaners**

Diane Hasenour, Deb Hall, Michele Siekman, Susan Smith, Cindy Weber