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Mission Statement

St. Joseph Parish.... "is a vibrant faith comm<u>unity</u>" committed to <u>seeking</u> a full Christian life, <u>sharing</u> an active Catholic faith, and <u>serving</u> others with love, grace and dignity.

Sacramental Preparation

Baptism: By Appointment Reconciliation: Saturday 3pm

or By Appointment

Matrimony: Contact Pastor Six months prior

Anointing of the Sick & Visits

If you or someone you know is in need of our **Homebound Ministry** please contact the Church Office.

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A Note From Fr. Jim Kinney

Those preparing for their baptism this Easter will celebrate the second of three "scrutinies." They will be learning to "scrutinize" or to distinguish "the treasure from the trash" of their lives- not unlike those suffering from addictions will do as they go through the so-called "Twelve Step" process.

Whether we are addicted to points serious or less so, as we rehearse once again the promises of the baptism we have already made, or will undertake for the first time, or merely the promises made at the beginning of Lent, all of us can see the discernments made in the selection of David in our first reading or the discernment of the newly-sighted man healed by Christ as rich food for our own ongoing conversion.

In the scripture this weekend, we should note the failures of the would-be discerners of God's work in their lives as the possible pitfalls in our own process of discerning God's will in our own lives. We should ask if the potentially false pride we have in our various authorities- as parents, employers, students, judges, doctors, pastors or wherever authority may reside- have prevented us from seeing God's work in those over whom we exercise authority. May God be with you as you so discern his will.

Blessings, Fr. Jim

Liturgical Roles

Saturday, April I

Lector
Jim Jones,
Ted Godlaski

Extrodinary Minister
Cathy Gatson,
Volunteer

Servers Mae Abordo, Jim Abordo, William Abordo

Sunday, April 2

Lector
Lillian Hall,
Emily Roche

Extrodinary Minister
Debbie Neil,
Volunteer

Servers
Dallas Hall, Markell
Mattingly, Kelton
Mattingly

Birthday Blessings for March: Margaret Blair-2, Lauren Faulkner-2, Lillian Hall-2, Richard Baldwin-4, Charles Pitts-9, Robert Pitts-9, Joe Watt-3, Todd Peyton-4, William Sherrill-4, Amy Barnes-5, MyLee Blythe-6, Gary Clay-10, Julia Blair-9, Clem Miner-9, Morgan Parrish-9, Jeff Gallenstein-11, Stephanie Hamann-12, Catherine Blair-13, Emily Blair-13, Kendra Abner-14, Patrick Zalone-15, Bernadette Zygmunt-15, Emmie Comer-16, Mary Poole-17, Chad Faulkner-18, Joyce Smith-19, Tom Spencer-19, Bryan Blair-20, Kathy Keller-20, Tari Morse-20, Philip Blair-22, Michael Litzinger-22, John Hoskins-23, Kelton Mattingly-23, Anna Hall-24, Theresa Vetter-24, David Huesman-25, Athena Baldwin-27, Reagan Barnes-27, Kathie Schweikart-27, Susan Campbell-29, Julie Tucker-30 Happy Birthday!

	Thru 3/26
Total	\$211,338
Budget Excess/(Short)	\$207,720 \$3,618

Mass Intentions

Tuesday March 28 12:00 pm Kay Hellman (Chapel)

Wednesday, <u>March 29</u> I 2:00 pm Jim Hayden (Chapel)

Thursday, March 30 12:00 pm Tom Rogers (Chapel)

Friday,
March 31
8:30 am
Andy and Lou Emanuele
(Church)
9 am to 6 pm
Adoration in the Chapel
Benediction at 6 pm

<u>Saturday,</u> <u>April I</u> 4:00 pm John Horcutt

Sunday,
April 2
8:30 am
Tom Rogers
I:00 pm (Spanish)
"Pro Populi"
(For the People)

Prayer List
Don and Mary Puckett,
Clair Hunter, Dolores
Strohacker, Eileen Gregory,
Wanda Bachman, Betty
Fetzer, Rhonda Estes, Mary
Kicha, Kay Kohlbecker,
Ed Logdson, Greg Pena,
Saundra Caudill, Portwood

Family, Jo Brennan, Gene

Woestman

Theo Leverenz, Allie Morla, Paul Rice, Brenda Hoffman, Marlene Meadows, Takashi Muraoka, Hung Walling, Katie Brand, Diann Durbin, Sr. Virginia Ann, Sr. Mary Ann, Mary Clemons, Gary Raymond Hammonds, Lyn Dorgan, Marilyn Holmes Stations of the Cross is Friday during Lent at 6:15pm in church and Estaciones de la cruz en espanol 8 pm.

Easter Flower Memorial Envelopes to remember a loved one are in the back of Church. Suggested donation is \$10.

What a blessing to spend an evening with Women of Faith from our Parish! **The Women of St. Joseph** will meet April 1 to do a spring clean before Easter from 9am-12pm. Bring your cleaning supplies. We will also meet for service for Good Friday.

Looking for a Lent Activity: The Catholic Action Center needs volunteers to provide ingredients, help prepare and deliver dinner for them on April 5. Please call or text Cathey Kersey at 859-771-1957 if you are interested.

Good News! Cursillo Women's #60 Weekend is July 27-30 at Annunciation Parish in Paris. Invite your friends to attend then complete the sponsor and candidate applications provided in the back of Church. The cost of the Weekend for double occupancy is \$180 and for single occupancy is \$320. We are accepting applications until July 21 to attend. For information contact Shiela Medina at 859-749-4317 or Cindy Olson at 859-533-2425.

WE NEED YOU TO VOLUNTEER!!!

A Volunteer to Organize the Bereavement Committee. You will have a list of volunteers to work with. A Volunteers to be a Sacristan for either the Saturday or Sunday Mass. A Volunteers for Extraordinary Ministers of Communion for both Masses.

St. Joseph **English Country Dancing** on the second and fourth Friday from 7 to 9 pm in the Parish Hall. Info: Ashley Marguis 859-608-4577.

Senior Outing: April 19 at Hall's on the River at 11:30 am. RSVP to Jeanne Haddad at 859-595-3878. You are invited to a Senior Potluck Lunch in the Parish Hall on April 3 at 11:30 am. All are invited to attend.

SVDP Item of the Month: Cereal SVDP: Don't forget to sign up for the Kroger Rewards Program at www.kroger.com ID # 55334 which benefits SVDP and St. Agatha.

Our Mass intention book for 2023 is available.

Moved? Got Married? New to the parish? Contact the office to update your information or register.

Faith Formation:

Kathie Schweikart (859) 808-1269

March 29: Religious Ed Family Night 6pm

March 30: Youth Group 6pm April 2: CWBS 9:45am

Young Catholics 19-30...would you be interested in meeting a couple times a month for fun, fellowship and faith We are in the formation stage. If you would like to add your name to the list, call the office at 859-744-4917 or text your name and number to 859-808-1269.

If you need a Contribution Statement please contact the Parish Office.

"You come to me and unite Yourself intimately to me under the form of nourishment. Your blood now runs in mine, Your Soul, Incarnate God, compenetrates mine, giving courage and support. What miracles! Who would have ever imagined such!" - St Maximilian Kolbe
Join us for Adoration on Fridays, 9am to 6pm in the Chapel

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St. Agatha Academy Registration for 2023-2024

Montessori Preschool - 8th Grade Classical Liberal Arts Education. Tuition Assistance Available. Call 859-744-6484 for a personal tour or visit saintagathaacademy.org

SAA Kindergarten is looking for vintage mirror frames for a project. If you have any you would like to donate, drop them off at the school office.

GOOD FRIDAY CARRYNG THE CROSS Winchester/Clark County Council of churches will carry the cross from WMU office (across from the farmers market) on Main Street at 11:30am to First Baptist Church on Lexington Ave. A short prayer service and collection for the poor will be held. More info? call Jim Jones 744-1940.

Norms of the Church for Lenten Penance

FAST - Good Friday are days of fast. On days of fast, one full meal and two lesser meals are allowed. Eating between meals is not permitted. Catholics between the ages of 18 and 59 are bound to fast.
 ABSTINENCE - The Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence. On days of abstinence meat may not be taken. The law of abstinence binds all.

abstinence, meat may not be taken. The law of abstinence binds all Catholics 14 years of age or older. If members of the Faithful are unable to observe the fast and abstinence regulations because of ill health or other reasons, they are urged to practice other forms of penance and self-denial suitable to their condition.

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Msgr. John Danz Council #2459 Fraternity & Service—Join us!



Pancake Breakfast Second Sunday each month September through May in St. Joseph Hall

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