



# SAINT JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

WINCHESTER, KY

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Office Hours: 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

## Parish Staff

Fr. James Kinney-Pastor  
Fr. Enrique Montoya-Spanish Mass  
Deacon Ron Allen  
Deacon John Roche  
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Kathie Schweikart-Pastoral Administrator  
Kathleen Thompson-St. Agatha Principal

## Mission Statement

St. Joseph Parish... "is a vibrant faith community" committed to **seeking** a full Christian life, **sharing** an active Catholic faith, and **servicing** 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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## St. Joseph Website:

www.stjosephwinchester.com

**Diocesan Website:** www.cdlex.org

**St. Vincent DePaul Society:** 771-2572

**Kroger Rewards:** www.kroger.com  
ID # 55334

## A Note From Fr. Jim Kinney

One of the things that I find most frustrating is the necessary packing and unpacking one has to do in a change of address- across town or across country. So while I found Jesus' instructions to his disciples to take nothing with them beyond a single tunic and the sandals on their feet a bit odd, that would have been fine with me until I realized the impracticality of it all. Nevertheless even in this day and age there is something quite wise about disciples being needy, vulnerable and dependent on a mutual exchange of gifts with the audience to whom the word of God is being sent. The same goes for the first home into which the disciple has been invited with the caveat to stay there until leaving town for another destination. Looking for better accommodations would hardly be charitable and a disciple should be content to share whatever is offered.

Jesus also advises that not all will receive the good word being offered and that it would be wise to leave such an audience before sustained hostility devolves into something even worse.

Finally a common thread runs through all three readings today and that is that the call to be sent forth comes from a divine initiative. Amos protests that he never belonged to a guild of prophets, nor ever wanted to be a prophet. He was a simple shepherd tending his flocks and his sycamore trees when God called him forth to prophesy. The reading from Ephesians highlights that it is by God's choice that believers belong to God and share the good news. In the gospel it is Jesus who summons the Twelve and sends them forth. Christian disciples are not self-appointed. The call to mission is part and parcel of every Christian's baptismal calling. Blessings, *Fr. Jim*

## Liturgical Roles

Saturday, July 20	Sunday, July 21
<u>Lector</u> <b>Kathy Howard</b>	<u>Lector</u> <b>Lillian Hall, Sharon McDaniel</b>
<u>Extrodinary Minister</u> <b>Volunteers</b>	<u>Extrodinary Minister</u> <b>John Hall, Anna Hall</b>
<u>Servers</u> <b>No Servers</b>	<u>Servers</u> <b>Lauren Parido, Abby Mills</b>

**Birthday Blessings for July:** Wanda Jones-2, Mark Beauchamp-3, Kayla kent-5, William Catron-6, Eleanor Larson-6, Mark Waldkirch-6, Thomas Whelan-6, Jeanne Andries-7, Deborah Prekopa-7, Mark Bordas-9, John Waldkirch-9, Beau-Michael Bordas-9, Richard Monohan-10, Michael Williams-10, Branson Ballard-11, Ashlyn McDaniel-11, Emmett Davis-13, Sue Faulconer-13, Frances Fanning-13, Eric Pitts-15, Karen Ward-15, Jason Burden-18, Kathryn Holbrook-18, Virginia Lassanske-18, John Keller-20, Michelle Williams-22, Walton Catron-23, Selina Raines-23, Fredwyn Schwendaman-24, Jacob Maslin-27, Amber Goulet-29, Peyton Skillern-29

**Happy Birthday!!**



	Thru 7/7
Total (Offertory Only)	\$4,800
Budget (Offertory Only)	\$5,770
Excess/(Short)	(\$970)

## Mass Intentions

**Tuesday,  
July 16  
12:00 pm  
Fr. Arock (L)  
(Chapel)**

**Wednesday  
July 17  
12:00 pm  
Clair hunter  
(Chapel)**

**Thursday  
July 18  
12:00 pm  
Betty Fetzer  
(Chapel)**

**Friday  
July 19  
8:30 am  
Samantha Sizemore  
(Chapel)  
Adoration in the Chapel  
9 am to 8 pm**

**Saturday  
July 20  
4:00 pm  
Jamie Santo**

**Sunday  
July 21  
8:30 am  
Kathryn Skordos  
1:00 pm (Spanish)  
"Pro Populi"  
(For the People)**

## Prayer List

Don and Mary Puckett, Dolores Strohacker, Wanda Bachman, Rhonda Estes, Mary Kicha, Greg Pena, Portwood Family, Jo Brennan, Gene Woestman, Joyce Sloan, Sharon Vetter, Fredwyn Schwendeman, Lucy Fiefhaus, Mary Clay

Lyn Dorgan, Marilyn Holmes, Chris Roemer, Josey Evans, Appolin, Wayne Spencer, David Moser, Shawn Berger, Tarry Kemp, Marilyn Huber, Takashi Muraoka, Theo Leverenz, Frances Kinney, Susan Zabel, Chuck Muller, Cathy Pelfrey, Helen Gross, Darrell Barber, BJ Stamper, Gary and Russell Hammonds, Sarah Midden Wagner

**The Rosary Returns to the CHURCH on Saturday evenings** at 3:10pm and Sunday immediately following Mass in the Church. **All are invited!!!**

There will be **no Coffee and Donuts Fellowship** in the Hall on Sunday mornings for the summer. It will resume in the Fall after school starts. Volunteers needed to cover the Sunday morning pick up and serving of the coffee and donuts. Joyce Hall needs your help. Please call the office.

"This Beloved of ours is merciful and good. Besides, he so deeply longs for our love that he keeps calling us closer." - St Teresa de Jesús, Interior Castle



**Join us for Adoration Fridays 9am-8pm in the Chapel.**

Fr. Arock has made it to Texas and is doing great in his new 2000 family parish. If you would like to send him a card: Fr. Arock Arokiasamy, 1803 W Illinois Ave, Midland TX, 79701

**2024 Mass Intentions are Available.** Contact the Office.

**The Women of St. Joseph Upcoming Events:**  
Join Us August 2 at Woody's for Dinner at 6 pm. Bring a Friend! RSVP to Kathie Beauchamp 859-333-9807 or Jennifer Hollon 859-333-9232. All are invited!!

**SVDP Item of the Month: Cereal**  
**SVDP:** Sign up for the **Kroger Rewards Program** at [www.kroger.com](http://www.kroger.com) ID # 55334 which benefits SVDP and St. Agatha.

**A SVDP Family is in need of furniture, beds etc...** If you have something you are willing to donate call 859-771-2572 and leave a message.

**Senior Outing: July 18 at Melini Cucina in Mt. Sterling at 11:30 am. Meet in the Church parking lot to carpool at 10:30 am RSVP to Jeanne Haddad at 859-595-3878. You are invited to a Senior Potluck Lunch in the Hall on August 5 at 11:30 am. All are invited to attend.**



**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](http://saintagathaacademy.org)



## Faith Formation:

Kathie Schweikart (859) 808-1269

July 17:  
July 18:

Youth OCIA 6pm  
Youth Group 6 pm

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**OCIA for children** is open to any child ages 7-13 who wish to explore the Catholic faith. It is for the unbaptized, the baptized of another faith or baptized Catholic youth who have not received the sacrament of Holy Communion. Call the office for more information.

**Leaving town for a much needed Vacation??? Or just looking for an easier way to manage your donations? We have an Auto Withdrawal system for your 2024 Giving for Offertory Collections...** Vanco Solutions manages the Donate button located on our website at [www.stjosephwinchester.com](http://www.stjosephwinchester.com) and click on the Donate button and follow the prompts for Online giving, this is PCI Compliant. Thank you for your support.

**Please help us update our Database.** If you have recently married, moved, have had children, notice your birthday is not in our birthday list, had a family member pass away or need to register as a member of the Church, contact the office or email us with your updated information.

**If you have something that needs to be announced at Mass** PLEASE email it to [stjoseph@cdlex.org](mailto:stjoseph@cdlex.org) by Thursday at 5 pm!

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**HISTORY OF OUR ST. JOSEPH CHURCH (1992)...** Later in the 1970 's and early 1980 's two new academic programs were started. In 1977, a three year Montessori program for pre-school children was started and then a few years later a Kindergarten program was established, The Academy currently includes the Montessori Program and Kindergarten through the Fifth grade.

From the beginning in 1918 , St. Agatha Academy had been owned and operated by the Sisters of the Congregation of Divine Providence. Through their dedication and diligence, the Academy became a powerful influence in the Winchester community. St. Joseph Parish had been the recipient of their excellent work. In 1984, the parish took over ownership of the Academy. It is now a parish school. The Sisters continue to staff and operate the school program. It continues to serve all of the people of this community.

**Cursillo** is a movement within the Catholic Church that promotes authentic Christian ideals and spiritual growth in daily living. The Diocese of Lexington Cursillo invites you to summer weekends, at Cardome campus in Georgetown. Women's Weekend: TBA Men's Weekend: August 1-4. Contact Grace Wiemann at [wiefam@icloud.com](mailto:wiefam@icloud.com) or 859-351-5995. More information and applications are available online at <https://cdlex-cursillo.org/>

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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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