



**SAINT
JOSEPH
CATHOLIC
CHURCH**
WINCHESTER, KY

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Office Hours: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Tuesday- Friday

Parish Staff

Fr. James Kinney-Pastor
Fr. Enrique Montoya-Spanish Mass
Deacon Ron Allen
Deacon John Roche
Jennifer Hollon-Financial Administrator
Kathie Schweikart-Pastoral Administrator
Kathleen Thompson-St. Agatha Principal
Kathy Beauchamp-Music Minister

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.

St. Joseph email address:

stjoseph@cdlex.org

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

The past two weekends we celebrated the Holy Trinity and the Body and Blood of Christ. They were part of the season of Ordinary Time. Though referring to something sacred and special, they were no more sacred and special than the other Solemnities of this season. Today's scripture captures "the sacred and special" in the compassion of Christ as his heart is moved to pity for those who were abandoned and troubled. And within the limitations of his human nature, Jesus had the wisdom to immediately appoint his twelve disciples, his apostles, to complement and extend his outreach to even more of those in need of harvest. That outreach continues through the good works with which all of us have been commissioned through our baptism and confirmation.

We may think of ourselves as ordinary disciples, but we should never underestimate the sacred and special works we can do in Jesus name. The good people of St Joseph have been summoned, just like those twelve disciples, to take on the challenges of the harvest that awaits to cure, raise and cleanse those who are troubled and abandoned by society. We find that in the outreach of parishioners who work through the St Vincent de Paul Society or those who give comfort to the young or aging, struggling with thoughts of abandonment, or even suicide.

The parishioners of our parishes are to be "a kingdom of priests, a holy nation" to make God present in the world, mediating the divine presence and holiness and being agents of healing and reconciliation. There is nothing more sacred and special than that. Our parishioners come from a variety of professions, ideologies and life experiences, but they are all called to follow Jesus and to extend his good work by sanctifying all that is "ordinary."

Blessings, Fr. Jim

Liturgical Roles

<p>Saturday, June 20</p> <p><u>Lector</u> Sharon Vetter, Katie Vetter</p> <p><u>Communion Minister</u> Katht Gatson</p> <p><u>Servers</u> Kimbrell Abner</p>	<p>Sunday, June 21</p> <p><u>Lector</u> Lillian Hall, Kellee Keesee</p> <p><u>Communion Minister</u> John Hall, Anna Hall</p> <p><u>Servers</u> Volunteer</p>
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Blessings for June: Stephen Philips-1, Charlotte Graham-2, Garet Horn-4, Leanna Comer-5, Kenneth Morse-6, Ron Jackson-8, Don Puckett-8, Norma Nixon-9, Katie Beauchamp-11, Kathy Grawe-14, Shelia Medina-19, Harold David Rupard-20, Lisa Waldkirch-20, David Van Etten-20, Billy Maslin-22, James Gonyer-24, Mary Puckett-24, John Rompf-28, Knox Charles-28, Mary Emmons Clay-28, Hal VanEtten-29, Jason Thomas-30

Happy Birthday !



	Thru 6/7
Total (Offertory Only)	
Budget (Offertory Only) Excess/(Short)	

**Bulletin for
Sunday,
June 14, 2026**

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, June 16

12:00 pm
Jean Logsdon
(Chapel)

Wednesday, June 17

12:00 pm
Richard Hayden
(Chapel)

Thursday, June 18

12:00 pm
Robert and Lucy Fiefhaus
(Chapel)

Friday, June 19

8:30 am
Sara Louise Carter
(Chapel)
Adoration in the Chapel
9am to 8pm

Saturday, June 20

3:00 pm Confession
3:10 pm Rosary
4:00 pm
David Bayley (L)
(Church)

Sunday, June 21

8:30 am
Robert Kern
8:30am Rosary
2:00 pm (Spanish)
"Pro Populi"
(For the People)



LAUDATO SI: Please pray for the healing of the earth and for present and future generations to enjoy the fruits of creation. Remember those who are mentally disabled: that we might cherish the gifts God has given them, and in their lives hear the voice of our loving God.



**Daily Mass and Adoration are in the chapel.
Friday daily Mass is in the church when
St. Agatha is in session.**



"If we are to know the Lord, we must go to him. Listen to him in silence before the tabernacle and approach him in the Sacraments." -Pope Francis

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

Choir Practice:
Thursdays at 6pm

The Women of St. Joseph:
Upcoming Events:
No July Activity
August 7: Movie Night at Peggy's 6pm

The King's Men:
St. Joseph Men's Group Upcoming:
June 27: 9:30 am Parish Office Building
Blue Room

Senior Group:
Senior Outing: Rooster's in Lexington at
11:30 am. RSVP to Tina Flinchum
659-771-7168. If you need to Carpool meet at
the church at 10:30am.
Senior Potluck Lunch in the Hall on
July 6 at 11:30 am. All are invited to attend.

ST. VINCENT DEPAUL:
Meeting July 7 at 7pm
SVDP Item of the Month: Goldfish Crackers
SVDP: Sign up for the Kroger Rewards
Program at www.kroger.com
ID # 55334 which benefits SVDP and
St. Agatha.

Knights of Columbus:
Grand Knight: Matt Goulet
Next Meeting: July 14 at 7pm

This Month's Special Collections:
First Weekend of the Month: St. Agatha
June 27/28 Holy Father

Parish Finance Council Members: Karen Ward,
Mary Clay and Tom Lynch

Parish Pastoral Council Members: John Stokes,
Janie Perales, Nick Comer, Shelia Medina,
Mark Bordas and Connie Stokes

**Link for This Weeks Daily Readings
can be found at,
<https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings>**

Parish Information:

Fr. Jim's Farwell Cookout and Pot Luck will be June 14 at 5 pm in the Parish Hall. Hamburger and Hotdogs provided by the Knights of Columbus. Drinks by the Parish. Please bring a side to share.

The Women of St. Joseph will cook breakfast on June 21 for Fathers day. Please let Kathy Beauchamp know if you are able to bring a dish.

BABY BOTTLE BLESINGS are here! ... New Beginnings Of Winchester Bottles will be due back on Father's Day.

Parish Music Minister Needed for Sunday Mass, Holy Days, Choir and Funerals for 5 hours a week. (Funerals are separate) If you or anyone you know is in need of a Part-time position please call the office.

Prayerfully Consider being a VOLUNTEER!!!

We in great need of Lectors, Communion Ministers and Servers, a Saturday Night Sacristan, Offertory Collection Counters, Coffee and Donuts and Altar Linen Volunteer (take home position). This parish does not run itself. It takes everyone and most positions take minimal effort. If you have questions about anything you may be interested in please call us 859-744-4917.



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

Have You Ever Wondered... "Ava Gratia Plena" as seen above the foyer doors means "Hail, Full of Grace". It is the only original 1910 detail we were able to save. This piece has not been retouched.



St. Agatha Academy News:

We are Hiring: Third Grade Teacher and a Pre K Aide. Contact Kathleen Thompson at 859-744-6484.

Volunteer Opportunity: We are looking for volunteers to join our Spaghetti Supper planning committee. Planning will get underway once school has begun. Contact Miss Thompson if you can help be a part of this major fundraising event. stagatha@cdlex.org

St. Agatha Academy is continuing enrollment for the 2026-2027 school year!

We accept CCAP for our preschool students as a means to assist you in paying tuition, and offer tuition assistance as well for grades K-8. Email Kathleen Thompson at stagatha@cdlex.org Or contact the school office at 859-744-6484 for enrollment information and to learn more about our faith-filled, Catholic classical education community.

Come discover what has made St. Agatha Academy so special since 1919!

Upcoming Events:

- August 5: PreK & Kindergarten Parent Orientation 6 pm
- August 6: Grades 1-8 Parent Orientation 6 pm
- August 6: Backpack Blessing 6 pm: To begin our parent orientation on Aug. 6, students are invited to bring their backpacks for a blessing to begin our new
- August 7: Montessori Student Orientation

Faith Formation:

Kathie Schweikart

- June 18: No Youth Group
- June 20: 33 Days to Eucharistic Glory Book Club 1pm in the Conference Room
- June 21: OCIA 9:45am in the office blue room

ARE YOU or SOMEONE YOU KNOW ... interested in becoming Catholic contact Kathie .

Mass Intentions are available for the Months of November and December 2026 and the new year 2027. Ways to have a Mass said... drop a list of dates in the collection basket or in the parish mailbox. Call or email the office, Kathie or Jennifer. Simply drop by the office to schedule a Mass.

Children under 18 are not to be left unattended in the Parish Hall. Please treat the Parish Hall as you would treat your own home. It is a shared space by many. Blessings.

We would like to hear from you! If you have recently married, moved, had children, would like to be on 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.

Join our text messaging system...Flocknotes is our way of communicating information to parishioners. Texting rates may apply. Are you good at praying for others? We have an online prayer group. Call the office if you would like to be added to either of these Flocknote texting lists.

Looking for an easier way to manage your donations? We have an Auto Withdrawal system for your Offertory Collections...Vanco Solutions manages the Donate button located on our website: www.stjosephwinchester.com (PCI Compliant). Click the Donate button and follow the prompts for Online giving. Thank you for your support.

If you have something that needs to be announced at Mass PLEASE email it to stjoseph@cdlex.org by Thursday at 5 pm!

CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF LEXINGTON AND OUTSIDE OPPORTUNITIES:

RETURN TO HIM: A Message of Hope for Divorced Catholics "THE LORD, YOUR GOD, IS GRACIOUS AND MERCIFUL AND HE WILL NOT TURN AWAY HIS FACE FROM YOU, IF YOU RETURN TO HIM." -2 Chronicles 30:9 God has a plan for our happiness in this life and in eternity. The time to begin the process is always the present! Please let us help you! Contact your local parish advocate with any questions you may have or email Fr. John List at jlis@cdlex.org or Mrs. Renata Babicz-Baratto at ribabicz@cdlex.org. or call at (859) 253-1993 and ask for the Tribunal Office. *Why do you wait? Return to Him as soon as possible!*

Freewill, free to all parishioners, allows you to make a legally valid will in the privacy of your home. It allows you to include a health directive and even a gift to your church if you choose. **Freewill**, can ensure that your gifts are stewarded in a manner that honors your legacy, and blesses generations to come. Website: www.freewill.com/catholicdioceseoflexington Contact Robert Watts, Sara Spellman or Emma Jones in the Development Office at 859-253-2993.

Grace Marriage The program consists of four quarterly mini-retreats (9am-1pm on a Saturday) and is open to couples in any parish (and non-Catholic couples too!). For info and to register, see cdlex.org/grace-marriage.

Catholic Singles of the Bluegrass Second Saturdays Coffee are at 11 am at DV8 Kitchen in Lexington. All are invited to meet and learn about other events. For info go to CatholicSinglesoftheBluegrass@gmail.com



St. Romuald Feast: June 19

Italian nobility who spent a wild youth. Acting as second, he witnessed his father kill another man in a duel, and Romuald sought to atone for the crime by becoming a Benedictine monk at Classe, Italy. Abbot from

996 to 999. A wanderer by nature, he established several hermatiges and monasteries in central and northern Italy. He tried to evangelize the Slavs, but met with little success.

Founded the Camaldolese Benedictines. Spent the last fourteen years of his life in seclusion at Mount Satria, Bifulco, and Val di Castro. Spiritual teacher of Saint Wolfgang of Ratisbon. Born: c.951 at Ravenna, Italy Died: 19 June 1027 at Val-di-Castro, Italy of natural causes; body incorrupt; enshrined at Fabriano, Italy; relics translated on 7 February 1481; Prior to 1969 his feast was held on 7 February, the date of the translation of his relics in 1481 Canonized: 1582 by Pope Gregory XIII

THE HISTORY OF SAINT JOSEPH...

St. Joseph's remained a mission of St. Patrick's until 1882 when it was established as a parish. Reverend Edward Healy was appointed as the first pastor. Richmond was made a mission of the new parish and remained as such until 1905. During this time Sunday Mass was offered on alternate Sundays in the two locations.

As Winchester began to grow so did the Catholic community. The 1871 church structure was already becoming inadequate and in 1907 plans were underway for a new structure. By 1910 sufficient funds were available to begin the construction. On July 4 of that year the cornerstone was laid and by Christmas the church was ready for the praying community. The following May, Bishop Maes journeyed to Winchester for the dedication ceremony. There were , at that time, some sixty-three families who were actively involved in their parish

Información de comunidad Español

Los dos últimos fines de semana celebramos la Santísima Trinidad y el Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo. Formaban parte de la temporada del Tiempo Ordinario. Aunque se referían a algo sagrado y especial, no eran más sagrados y especiales que las otras Solemnidades de esta temporada. La escritura actual capta "lo sagrado y especial" en la compasión de Cristo, ya que su corazón se mueve hacia la compasión por aquellos que fueron abandonados y afligidos. Y dentro de las limitaciones de su naturaleza humana, Jesús tuvo la sabiduría de nombrar inmediatamente a sus doce discípulos, a sus apóstoles, para complementar y extender su labor a aún más de aquellos que necesitaban cosecha. Ese esfuerzo continúa a través de las buenas obras con las que todos hemos sido comisionados mediante nuestro bautismo y confirmación.

Podemos considerarnos discípulos ordinarios, pero nunca debemos subestimar las obras sagradas y especiales que podemos hacer en nombre de Jesús. La buena gente de San José y San Patricio ha sido convocada, al igual que esos doce discípulos, para afrontar los desafíos de la cosecha que espera curar, levantar y purificar a quienes están preocupados y abandonados por la sociedad. Lo encontramos en la labor de los feligreses que trabajan a través de la Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl o de quienes brindan consuelo a jóvenes o ancianos, que luchan con pensamientos de abandono o incluso suicidio.

Los feligreses de nuestras parroquias deben ser "un reino de sacerdotes, una nación santa" para hacer presente a Dios en el mundo, mediando la presencia divina y la santidad y siendo agentes de sanación y reconciliación. No hay nada más sagrado y especial que eso. Nuestros feligreses provienen de diversas profesiones, ideologías y experiencias de vida, pero todos están llamados a seguir a Jesús y a extender su buena obra santificando todo lo que es "ordinario".

Paz, Padre Jim




Únase a nosotros para la adoración los viernes de 9am a 8pm en la capilla.

Niños menores de 18 años no deben quedarse sin supervisión en el Salón Parroquial. Bendiciones.

Contacto la oficina de la iglesia o hable con Deacon John para registrarse en nuestra parroquia. ¿Necesitas algo anunciado en el boletín? Texto Kathie.



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