

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CATHOLIC CHURCH



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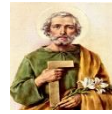
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St Joseph the Worker, as a happy faith community, welcomes you and your family with joyful hearts to our church. If you are not registered and want to belong to this happy family of worshippers, please see an ushers or Fr. Julius.

Or call the office at (423) 442-7273.

Mass Intentions and Schedule

Monday, April 18- no church

Tuesday, April 19- 9 am Mass Ed & Cathie Galante
By: Fr. Julius

Wednesday, April 20- 9 am Mass - Kathy Mosca
By: Family

9:30 am-Rosary

Thursday, April 21- 9 am Mass Danielle Morey
(special intention) By: Roger Schneider

7 pm- Rosary (MH)

Friday, April 22- 9 am Mass – Danielle Morey-surgery
By: The Schneiders

Adoration 9:30 am - Noon

Saturday, April 23-
4 pm (Vigil Mass) James & Audry Pedigo
By: SJTW parish

Sunday, April 24- Second Sunday of Easter (Devine Mercy)
8 am Mass † Alan Beavers
By: Beavers Family
10 am Mass Fr. Janus Chia
By: Clarke Family
12:30 Mass Spanish) *People of the Parish*
By:

If you wish to have a Mass said for a special occasion or in memory of a loved one, complete a Mass Intentions information form or contact the office. Thank you.

| Saturday/Sunday | | April 23/24 | |
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| | 4pm | 8am | 10am |
| Ushers | Steve Pat/Karen | Frank U Gary K | Mike H |
| Server | Conrad K Michael M | Katie E Ashton H | James L Andrew H Raeleigh T |
| Reader | Barb C Richard H | Eric E Dottie E | Teri S Art S |
| EMHC | Please check with Fr Julius before Mass | | |
| Church Cleaning | Mon. April 25 –Chris C & Tami W | | |
| Counters: | Marlene Susan | | |

Pastoral Staff

Pastor **Rev. Dr. Julius Abuh**
Father's email **Frjabuh@gmail.com**
Fr.'s office email **pastor@sjtwrcc.org**
Parish Secretary/Bookkeeper **Darla Carlock**
Office Assistant **Jean Schneider**
Hispanic Ministry **Jose Aguilera Zavala/Diana Martinez**
DRE **Jan Dye**
R.C.I.A. **Mike Huffor**
Coordinator of Youth Ministry (CYM)
Director of Music **Jodi Swiderek**
Knights of Columbus **Ed Harless**
Women's Group **Barbara Callan**

MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil Mass **4 pm**
Sunday (English) **8 am and 10 am**
Sunday (Spanish) **12:00 pm**
Daily Mass (Tue -Fri) **9 am**

Holy Days of Obligation

Mass at 9 am and 7 pm (Bilingual)

OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday **9:30 am – 1 pm**
Bulletin items due Tuesday before **12:30 pm**

Sacrament of Baptism

Baptismal preparation is required for parents who desire their baby / child to be baptized. Parents must be registered with the church. Forms and information are available in the office.

Sacrament of Penance due to covid pls call

Saturday **3:15 pm** Sunday **9:15–9:45 am** or upon request
Domingo **12:00 pm** Spanish

Sacrament of the Sick

If one is seriously ill or having surgery, please call the parish office or the rectory for Anointing of the Sick. A Priest or extraordinary minister of Holy Communion will administer Holy Communion on a weekly basis to shut ins.

Sacrament of Marriage

Couples should contact the Pastor a minimum of **six (6)** months in advance. Dates may **not** be set prior to the second meeting with the priest. The Diocese requires that couples attend an Engaged Encounter or Picture of Love Weekend.

First gathering: Sept. 16, 1992 Blessing of Building: May 25, 2001

Consecration of Altar & Church January 12, 2003

Canonically erected Parish May 1, 2006 Feast of St. Joseph the Worker

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WEEKLY FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP:

April 9-10, 2022

Week 41

Attendance: 384 Weekly Need: \$ 4063

| Offering | Online | week +/- | YTD |
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| 5248 | \$205 | +1390 | +24,632 |

Capital Exp. \$695 Capital Build Fund \$ 1 5 0

Good Shepherd \$171 Feed My Sheep \$173

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Pray for Our Sick Parishioners

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| Dale Bauer | Mary Cornejo | Madeline Albach |
| Ron Eydt | Raymond Hinkle | Maria Figueroa |
| Jeanne Huffor | Karen Ruggiero | Alvaro Pina |
| Hugo Schielke | Patty Swatzell | Dennis Wilson |

Pray for Those in the Military

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| Nicholas Dickson | Robert Dickson |
| Matthew Fioravanti | Liam Adams |
| Aiden Weber | Seth Turpeinen |

Any parishioner who is sick or having surgery, notify Fr. Julius or the office (privacy extended to those who request it).

Event of Death: notify the office if you would like the Parish to share your grief if a family member dies. Mass can be offered immediately or at a date convenient to the family.

Happy Birthday – Efrain Corona, Axel Cortez, Guadalupe Espinoza, Guadalupe Figueroa, Melanie Kirkpatrick, Giselle Lopez, Janeth Lopez, Oscar Lopez-Parra, Maria Martinez, Osvaldo Mora, Teresa Pena, Jean Schneider, Sarah Trejo, Carol VanDriel, Mario Zavala

Happy Anniversary – Baltazar & Juliana Gallardo

To add & remove from the list, please contact the office.



Our Blessed Mother asks us to pray the rosary for world peace. Join us to say the rosary together at **7:00 PM on Thursday at the grotto.**

Thought for the Week:

Do not abandon yourselves to despair. We are the Easter people and hallelujah is our song.” –**Pope John Paul II**

Bunnies are cuddly, the large and the small, but I like the chocolate ones best of all.”- **Unknown**

HAPPY EASTER to ALL!



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Adoration of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament takes place on Friday immediately after the 9:00 a.m. Holy Mass. Join us for the Mass or join us anytime from 9:30 a.m. through 12

noon. Come and visit Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. Jesus is waiting for you!

Today’s 2nd Collection is for the support of Seminarian Education in our Diocese. We are blessed with a rich harvest of vocations to the priesthood. Presently, we have 13 seminarians enrolled in studies and anticipate 17 seminarians for the 2022-23 academic year. With this wonderful blessing comes a financial challenge. Please be generous in supporting our Diocesan Seminarians in their formation as they endeavor, through the grace of God, to become your future priests.

We now include prayers for our military in the bulletin. Please call the church office with anyone that you want included to the list of names.



Coffee & Donuts in the parish hall after the 8:00 AM and 10:00 AM Masses. All are welcome to join us.



We are deeply saddened to announce the passing of Bernadette Schalk. Many of you will remember long-time parishioners, Larry & Bernadette Schalk. They moved to Maryville because of Bernadette's (Bernie's) health. Sadly, Bernie passed away this Monday, April 4. A Memorial Mass will be said on Easter Monday, April 18, 2022, at noon at Our Lady of Fatima Church in Alcoa. Fr. Pete welcomes anyone to attend. (Larry Schalk, 1472 Cottage Glen Lane, Maryville, TN. 37801)



As the war wages on in Ukraine and the massacres continue, Pope Francis has appealed for a truce in the war-ravaged nation this Easter. During his remarks prior to the recitation of the Angelus prayer

this Palm Sunday, the Pope exclaimed, "Let the weapons be put down! Let the Easter truce begin."

The Holy Father told the 65,000 pilgrims in St. Peter's Square that as we turn to the Blessed Mother with the Angelus Prayer, we must remember how the Angel of the Lord himself said to Mary in the Annunciation: "Nothing is impossible for God." "Nothing is impossible for God," the Pope repeated.

"He can even bring an end to a war whose end is not in sight, a war that daily places before our eyes heinous massacres and atrocious cruelty committed against defenseless civilians."

The Pope called on faithful to pray about this, especially in these days preceding Easter. The Pope reminded how Christians this Holy Week

are preparing to celebrate the victory of the Lord Jesus Christ over sin and death, noting the victory was "over sin and death," and "not over someone and against someone else."

"But today, there is a war," and why try to win this way, "according to the way of the world", he asked. "This is only the way to lose. Why not allow *Him* to win? Christ bore His cross to free us from the dominion of evil." Christ died, the Pope stated, so that life, love, and peace might reign.

"Let the weapons be put down! Let the Easter truce begin." No victory lies in planting a flag on rubble.

The truce the Pope is urging, he clarified, is not one "to provide more weapons and pick up the combat again – no!" Rather, he suggested, what is required is "a truce that will lead to peace, through real negotiation, that is even disposed to some sacrifice for the good of the people." *"In fact, what victory is there in planting a flag on a pile of rubble?"*

"Nothing is impossible for God," the Holy Father reiterated, saying, "We entrust this to Him through the intercession of the Virgin Mary."

The Pope also said he is near the people of Peru, "who are experiencing a difficult moment of social tension."

"I am accompanying you with prayer and I encourage all parties to find a peaceful solution as soon as possible for the good of the country, especially of the poorest, respecting the rights of everyone and of the institutions," he said.

Pope Francis wished pilgrims and young people from various countries, as well as all watching through social platforms, a good Holy Week.

**By Deborah Castellano Lubov
(Vatican News Website)**