

Readings for the Week

Mon: Samuel 15:16-23; Gospel: Mark 2:18-22

Tues: Samuel 16:1-13; Gospel: Mark 2:23-28

Wed: Samuel 17:32-33,37,40-51; Gospel: Mark 3:1-6

Thurs: Samuel 18:6-9; 19:1-7 Gospel: Mark 3:7-12

Fri: Samuel 24:3-21; Gospel: Mark 3:13-19

Sat: Samuel 1:1-4,11-13,19,23-27;

Gospel: Mark 3:20-21

Sun: Isaiah 8:23-9:3; Corinthians 1:10-13,17;

Gospel: Matthew 4:12-23



We welcomed new catechumens and candidates to OCIA this past weekend. If you or someone you know is interested in joining the Catholic Church, now is the time to begin the period of inquiry.

Contact Jennifer today at 814-688-3842.

We continue to prepare

Mike Madigan

Nathan Waibel

Brigitte Den Oudsten

Luke Gray

Emily Shattuck



for reception of Sacraments at the Easter Vigil.

Please keep them and all our faithful in your prayers.



Ordinary Time invites us to follow Christ not only in the mountaintop experiences but in the steady unfolding of daily life. It is a season of growth, of quiet faithfulness, and of learning to see Christ in the everyday moments we often take for granted.

Saint Josemaría Escrivá reminded us that God is calling us to serve Him in and from the ordinary.

Holiness is not just found in dramatic moments of conversion, but in the faithful living of daily responsibilities and relationships.

Ordinary Time holds up a mirror to our hearts.

It asks not how we behave when we are seen, but how we love when no one is watching.

In Ordinary Time, we are called to grow in prayer, in virtue, and in love — especially toward those right in front of us.

Movie Matinee

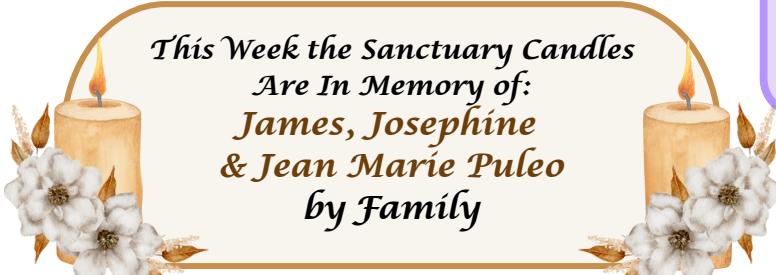
Join Jennifer on Monday, February 9th at 2:00 pm at Holy Redeemer for BREAK EVERY CHAIN: A True Story of Hope and Redemption. Drowning in the depths of depression and sadness, burning with anger, and chained down by alcoholism, Jonathan couldn't do it anymore. After the loss of his father as a young boy, facing countless horrific death scenes in the line of duty, and the death of his son, Jonathan turned to the world for answers- finding only darkness.

Facing the threat of losing his wife and daughter and his job, and contemplating suicide, Jonathan turns to faith and finds hope and redemption. Popcorn and drinks served. Bring a friend!

**reminder: Mother's Chapel Floor Renovation**

Daily Mass will be in the main church until completion of the flooring. Please excuse our mess: The floor project has been delayed until January 26. Thanks for your understanding.

*This Week the Sanctuary Candles
Are In Memory of:
James, Josephine
& Jean Marie Puleo
by Family*

**Mass Intentions**

*Weekend mass intentions, family/friends can bring gifts up to the altar during mass: please let an usher know prior to mass

Sun. 1/18 Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

(St. Luke) The People of St. Luke & St. Joseph

(St. Joseph) David Bimp Malone by Mary Creek & Anne Kirkpatrick

Mon. 1/19 Weekday

Florence Scalise by Charles & Diane Hayes

Tues. 1/20 Weekday

Mark Gresch by Paul & Mary Ann Cain

Wed. 1/21 Saint Agnes

James & Josephine Puleo & Daughter Jean Marie by Puleo Family

Thurs. 1/22 Day of Prayer for the Protection of Unborn Children

Don Sobina by Nancy

Fri. 1/23 Weekday

Phyllis Sobina by Family

Sat. 1/24 Saint Francis de Sales

Jeff, Cindy, Doris & Bob Wilson by Kirkpatrick Family

Sun. 1/25 Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

(St. Luke) The People of St. Luke & St. Joseph

(St. Joseph) Lewis Kirkpatrick by Faith Formation Family

**Hallow**

On February 1st weekend, we welcome Hallow speaker, Conall Hughes, to many of our Masses to help us kick off our LentPray40 Prayer Challenge. It will be a wonderful chance to get to know the App better and to learn more about praying with Hallow as a whole community.

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St. Joseph Parish Weekly Offering Jan 11th

Saint Joseph Church

Weekly Offering-\$3513

Saint Luke Church

Weekly Offering-\$825

*Thank You
for Your
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**Saint Joseph Cemetery Association**

There will be an annual meeting on January 27th at 6:00PM in the Saint Joseph Board Room.

Anyone is welcome to attend.

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Liturgical Ministers

Saturday Jan. 24th 5:30PM

Lector-Jean Walker

EMHC- Kathleen Jones, Fran Perrin*, Adam Nagurney*

Altar Servers- Peter & Josie Bailey

Greeters- Mike & Barb McAvoy

Music- Choir

Sunday Jan. 25th 8:00AM (St. Luke)

Lector- Mary Donahue

EMHC- Sue Uhron, Annette Hutley

Ushers-Vince Pillar

Sunday Jan. 25th 10:45AM

Lector- Students

EMHC-Denise Pusateri, Kathleen Haslett

Altar Servers- Students

Greeters-Students

Music- School Choir

D.O.G. (Disciples of God)- Lauren



Shoe Drive

The 6th grade class at St. Joseph School is conducting a shoe drive to support the House of Hope.

Gently worn shoes can be dropped off in the box next to the parish office door.

Please note: Gently worn shoes MUST have an intact sole and not falling apart.

Types of footwear include sneakers, boots, sandals, work shoes, dress shoes, baby shoes, & casual shoes.

But hurry! The drive ends January 30th.



Celebrating Catholic Schools Week: January 25-31

Catholic Schools Week will be celebrated from Sunday, January 25, through Saturday, January 31, 2026, with the theme Catholic Schools: United in Faith and Community. This annual celebration is a time to recognize the gift of Catholic education and the lasting impact our schools have on students, families, parishes and communities throughout the Diocese of Erie.

Throughout the week, Catholic schools across the diocese will host special activities, prayer services, classroom events, service projects and open houses that highlight academic excellence, faith formation and a strong sense of community. Each school celebrates in its own unique way, reflecting the people and parishes it serves.

All are invited to join in celebrating Catholic Schools Week by praying for our students and teachers, attending school events and learning more about the Catholic schools serving our region.



Sub & Soup Sale Orders due by January 20th. Please include payment with order. Benefits St. Joseph School

Name: _____ Phone: _____

12" Subs \$8 each: Ham # _____ Turkey # _____

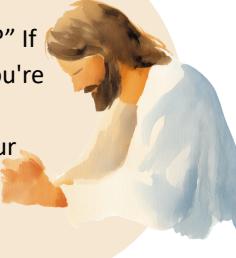
32oz Soup \$7 each: Chicken Noodle # _____ Italian Wedding # _____ Vegan Vegetable # _____

Pick up only on January 25 between 11:00am and 2:00pm, Meyer Hall . Thank you for supporting St. Joseph Catholic School! Checks payable to "St. Joseph School" Paid: yes _____ no _____ Total \$ _____

A Family Perspective

"Have you testified that Jesus is the Son of God?" If you're not discussing Jesus within your family, you're missing an opportunity to testify.

Remember, if your actions don't align with your words, your children will see your words as meaningless.



THANK YOU Pizza Night

Our pizza night was a tremendous success!

Mike Moyer- Thank you for your time and the incredible pizza dough you handmade, and to the entire hospitality crew who worked so hard to make the evening a delicious memory. And to everyone who donated homemade desserts to end the night with a sweet treat.

It was a wonderful evening sharing time together as a community of faith.



♠ ♦ ♥ ♣ ♠ ♦ ♥ Pinochle Players

The Allegheny Community Center is looking for anyone interest in playing pinochle.

Please contact Lynda Baxter 814-723-4180

Catholic Schools Week

PRAYER



Heavenly Father,

Thank you for the gift of Catholic education. Bless our students, families and educators.

May our schools grow as communities of faith, united in love, service and truth.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.



Catholic Schools
United in Faith and Community

