# READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday Acts 16:11-15; Gospel: John 15:26-16:4a

Tuesday Acts 16:22-34; Gospel: John 16:5-11

Wednesday Acts 17:15, 22—18:1; Gospel: John 16:12-15

**Thursday** Acts 1:1-11; Eph 1:17-23; Gospel: Luke 24:46-53

Acts 18:9-18; Gospel: John 16:20-23 **Friday** 

Saturday Zephaniah 3:14-18a; Gospel: Luke 1:39-56

Sunday Acts 7:55-60; Rev 22:12-14, 16-17, 20;

Gospel: John 17:20-26

St. Joseph Catholic School: It is with sadness that we share with the parish community the retirement of St. Joseph School principal, Carrie Pearson. Over the last five years Carrie has led St. Joe's through significant growth in enrollment, elevated test scores and provided opportunities to students desiring a Catholic education. Thank you, Carrie, for your years of exceptional leadership and service as principal of St. Joseph School. We wish you all the best in your new chapter of life. Kathleen Haslett will be stepping into the role of principal at St. Joseph School beginning in July. Kathleen is an experienced educator and an active parishioner at Holy Redeemer. Please keep these women and St. Joseph Catholic School in your prayers during this time of transition.

Job Opening: St Joseph Church has an job opening for Parish Office Manager/Secretary. This is a full time position with benefits and paid vacation. Prior work experience in a busy office environment is helpful and knowledge of Microsoft Office is a must. Prior experience with Canva would also be helpful. Résumés can be submitted to the parish office or emailed to office.sjc@westpa.net.

Reminder: Desserts for Soup Kitchen are always needed and very much appreciated each Tuesday as we are serving more and more meals each month.

THIS WEEK THE SANCTUARY CANDLES ARE IN MEMORY Dorís Labowskí

By Pat Bailey & Family

St. Joseph Parish Weekly Offering-May 18th Saint Joseph Church Weekly Offering -\$5172.00 Saint Luke Church Weekly Offering -\$1043.00 Thank You for Your Generous Gifts

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## LITURGICAL MINISTRY

**EMHC, Altar Servers Greeters** Lector

**Usher, DOG Ministry** 

May 29th Ascension of The Lord

5:30pm Marlene Sandberg EHMC-1 Volunteers

Carmen Bevacqua, John Rickert

Altar Servers- 2 Volunteers

May 31st

4:00pm Janet Peters EHMC -Bob Pangallo

(St Luke) Usher-Becky & Bob Pangallo

EMHC—\*Carmen Bevacqua 5:30pm Lucy Harrison (St Joseph) Chris & Kirsten Darling

> Altar Servers—Ruth Abplanalp, Brody Alexander Greeters—Stephanie Wilson, Pat Bailey

June 1st

10:00am EHMC—Claire Fanelli Volunteer

Bob & Barb Crowley

Altar Servers—Eliza Scutella, Joanna, Mary Bennett Greeters—Claire Fanelli, Ann Kirkpatrick Disciples of God Ministry—Lauren

There will be a training class for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. Father Rick will hold the training this Tuesday, May 27th at 6pm in the Church for new ministers and prior EM's who just need a refresher. If you are interested in becoming an Eucharistic Minister or you need a refresher please call the parish office. We are grateful for your prayerful consideration.

#### **FOURTH OF JULY SAUSAGE STAND**

It's almost time for the annual sausage stand, to be held in the front yard of the rectory at Saint Joseph during the parade. If you are able to help, we are looking for donations of pop and all beef hot dogs. Items can be dropped off at either parish office. All donations benefit CCY and our efforts to provide our youth opportunities for fun encounters with Jesus both here in Warren and around our diocese and nation. Thank you! If you desire to work the sausage stand, we are looking for help July 3rd in the kitchen at Saint Joseph from 9:00 am- noon. Also on the Fourth of July, anytime between 8:00 am and 3:00 pm. Text Jennifer at 814-688-3842!

#### Saint Joseph Soup Kitchen Ministry

Home cooked take out dinners are served each Tuesday from 4-5pm for the Warren Community.

\*\*Plastic containers are also needed, if you have an over abundance of yogurt, cottage cheese, sour cream or take out containers for example, don't throw them away, we can use them. Thank you for your support of our Soup Kitchen Ministry.

**Helping Hands Ministry Food Items Needed** Saint Joseph Church —June Canned Vegetables, Corn, Peas, Green Beans Saint Luke Church—June Ketchup, Relish, Pickles, Mayo, Salad Dressing, Cooking Oil

Items will be taken to Warren Salvation Army and the Youngsville Food Pantry

## LITURGY INTENTIONS

Sunday, 5/25 Sixth Sunday of Easter

(St Luke) Anthony & Katherine Yasurek by Rick & Annette Hutley (St Joseph) For the People of St Luke and St Joseph Churches

Monday, 5/26 Saint Philip Neri, Priest

For Deceased Members of St Joseph & Holy Redeemer Parishes

Tuesday, 5/27 St Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop

Gloria Suppa by Brennen Williams

Wednesday, 5/28 Easter Weekday

Ann McAvoy by Dennis & Michele Peters

Thursday, 5/29 Ascension of the Lord

9:05am A Special Intention for Julie Bennett by Bennett Family

5:30pm Gene Lucia by Rosann & Kitty

Friday, 5/30 Easter Weekday

Doris Labowski by Pat Bailey & Family

Saturday, 5/31 The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
(St Luke) Dick & Carolyn Hutley by Rick & Annette Hutley
(St Joseph) For the People of St Luke & St Joseph Churches

Sunday, 6/1 Seventh Sunday of Easter

(St Joseph) Thomas Peterson by Mike & Lisa Lewis

## MASSES & EVENTS THIS WEEK

Sunday, May 25

8:00am Mass at St Luke

10:00am Mass at Saint Joseph Church

NO DOG (Disciples of God) Ministry

Monday, May 26 Memorial Day

9:00am Mass at Saint Joseph Cemetery

(St Jospeh Church if it rains)

The Parish Office will be Closed!

Tuesday, May 27

9:00am Daily Mass

4-5pm Soup Kitchen Take Out Dinners

6:00pm Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion Class

Wednesday, May 28

9:00am Daily Mass (Mother's Chapel)
Thursday, May 29 The Ascension of the Lord
9:05am SJCS School Mass (Church)

5:30pm Holy Day Mass

Friday, May 30

9:00am Daily Mass

Saturday, May 31

4:00pm Mass at Saint Luke

4:30–5:15pm No Confessions at St Joseph Church tonight

5:30pm Mass at St Joseph Church

Sunday, June 1

We welcome Fr Jim Gutting to St Joseph Church Today

10:00am Mass at Saint Joseph Church

DOG (Disciples of God) Ministry

High School Senior Brunch at Holy Redeemer Church

There will be a 4pm Mass on May 31 at Saint Luke Church. No 8am Mass at St Luke Church on June 1. Confession is cancelled on Saturday May 31 at St Joseph Church. Thank you for your understanding!

**Memorial Day Mass** will be celebrated at Saint Joseph Cemetery. Please bring your own lawn chair. In case of inclement weather, Mass will be held in Saint Joseph Church.

### PARISH NEWS

Pastoral Council This is the time of year we look for new members to become part of the St. Joseph Pastoral Council. The council is a group of parishioners who represent you. They bring forth your ideas, that encourage community, education and spiritual growth, and through prayer and discussion make recommendations to the pastor. Pastoral Council members, are the chief consulters to the pastor. The typical term is for three years. A good nominee is a person who loves Jesus and His Church and wants to see it vibrant and grow. If this is you or the person sitting next to you in the pew, please stop in the parish office to pick up a nomination form. We have 4 members that will be departing. Let us pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance in our process. New members will be chosen on Pentecost.

#### Saint Joseph School Cash Raffle Weekly Winners are:

Week 1-Amanda Hummel Week 6 - Jane Ullrich
Week 2-Josephine Stover Week 7-Nikki Harrison
Week 3- Leona Chimenti Week 8-Steiny & Stacy

Week 4 -Jolene Lowry

Week 5 - Veronica Andersen

Congratulations to all the weekly winners!

**SENIOR MASS & BRUNCH** Jennifer is looking for volunteers to help with senior Mass and brunch at Holy Redeemer on Saturday morning, May 31st (prep work) and Sunday morning, June 1st (cooking, serving, clean up). Help her as we celebrate our awesome high school seniors! Text Jennifer at 814-688-3842.

**MAGNIFIED VBS** is fast approaching (July 28th- August 1st) and we are getting so excited for this best week of the year. Register your K-5th grader at

https://form.jotform.com/250515515702146. Sign up yourself or your 6-12th grader to help make all the awesomeness happen! We need station leaders and crew leaders. We meet each day from 8:30 am- noon. We also need help creating. If you like making something out of nothing or you like to craft with a few simple directions, then join us on Monday, June 23rd or Monday, July 14th from 10:00 am- noon in the gymnasium at Holy Redeemer. You can also join us from 9:00 am- noon each day from July 22nd-25th. There will be much transformation happening throughout the building. Thank you!

#### JOIN OUR AWESOME TEAM!

Team Faith Formation is very busy serving every generation of our Warren County Catholic Community but we need you! If you love to share the faith or you love hospitality or you love to be behind the scenes or you love to play games, we have a place and a need for you. Please consider joining this absolutely wonderful ministry and be a part of the best team in town. We LOVE what we do! Contact Jennifer today at jenniferwortman7400@gmail.com.