

A Word from Father Gerry

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Neighborhood Evening Prayer (Vespers)

In the past several years parishioners have invited their neighbors to gather for a celebration of the Mass in the neighborhood. This summer the invitation is to gather for an Evening Prayer Service, or Vespers, with neighbors. Vespers allows those who are not Catholic to participate as well. Vespers is also flexible in other ways. Vespers' simple format is an opening song, praying psalms together, scripture reading, pray Canticle of Mary, Intercession Prayers, Lord's Prayer and Closing. All together it takes about 30 minutes at most.

The parish will supply an Evening Prayer booklet with the priest leading the service. Neighbors will read the scripture passage and lead the intercessions. The neighborhood will supply whatever snacks are feasible. In the past some have been as simple as ice cream and others have been full on pot lucks.

If your neighborhood already has a summer gathering planned, the Vespers Service can be easily added. In any case, the Neighborhood Vespers Service is a simple and meaningful way to come together in faith and friendship.

To take advantage of this offer, just contact the parish office at chamberg@stjoeparish.net or call 859.441.1604 x2271. If you have to leave a message, provide a couple of dates that are convenient for your neighborhood. We will find a day and time that works for all of us.

These gatherings are wonderful ways to build a community among neighbors and parishioners. I hope you'll take advantage of this opportunity.

Your pastor and brother in Christ,



Fr. Gerry Reinersman

Saint Joseph 150th Anniversary Jubilee edition of Parish Pictorial Directory

Our first round of "Photo Sessions" for the Jubilee Directory went exceptionally well, thanks to Theresa Snodgrass and a number of volunteers. The next round of photo sessions will be on August 12th during the school Jay Fest and August 27 - 31. See the box in this bulletin on page 3 for instructions of how to reserve your photo session time.

Each family who has a photo taken for the directory will receive a free 8" X 10" portrait and a copy of the 150th Anniversary Jubilee Directory.

PASTORAL STAFF

Main Parish Office Number	441-1604
Pastor: Rev. Gerald L. Reinersman	927-2275
Parochial Vicar: Rev. Samuel Owusu	927-2277
Deacons: Mr. Timothy B. Schabell	927-2279
Mr. Stephen Bennett	859-380-9369
RCIA & Adult Faith Formation: Vicki Klocke	927-2291
Parish School Religion (PSR): Steven Fischer	927-2287
Pre-School Coordinator: Lynn Donnermeyer	635-7233
Business Manager: Tim Dunn	927-2273
Office Manager: Carrie Hamberg, Barb Kling	927-2271
Assistant Clerical: Jean Suttmiller	927-2272
School Principal: Sue Greis	927-2282
Assistant Principal: Kim Huser	927-2283
School Secretary: Patty Wagner	441-2025
Music Director: Connie Ruprich	927-2285
Sacristan: Laura Levermann	927-2014
Facilities Manager: Jim Pelgen	927-2290
Memorial Hall Manager: Jim Sickmeier	331-8750

Mass Schedule

Monday, Tuesday, & Thursday: 6:30 a.m. & 8:30 a.m.
 Wednesday: 6:30 a.m. only
 Friday: 6:30 a.m. & 9:00 a.m.
 Saturday: 8:30 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., & 7:00 p.m.
 Holy Days: regular morning Mass time & 7:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation Times

- Saturday: Before and after the 8:30 a.m. Mass
3:00-4:00 p.m. (unless there is a wedding)
- Third Thursday of the month : 7:00-8:00 p.m.
- By Appointment with Fr. Reinersman or Fr. Samuel

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

READINGS FOR WEEK OF JULY 21, 2019

Sunday	Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Gn 18:1-10a; Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5; Col 1:24-28; Lk 10:38-42
Monday	Feast of Saint Mary Magdalene Sgs 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
Tuesday	Saint Bridget, Religious Ex 14:21—15:1; Ex 15:8-9, 10 and 12, 17; Mt 12:46-50
Wednesday	Saint Sharbel Makhlūf, Priest Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Ps 78:18-19, 23-24, 25-26, 27-28; Mt 13:1-9
Thursday	Feast of Saint James, Apostle 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6; Mt 20:20-28
Friday	Memorial of Saints Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary Ex 20:1-17; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Mt 13:18-23
Saturday	Ex 24:3-8; Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15; Mt 13:24-30
Sunday	Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Gn 18:20-32; Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8; Col 2:12-14; Lk 11:1-13

WEEKLY OFFERINGS

Registered Families as of 7/15/2019	1898
Number of Envelopes Used	307
Weekly Collection - July 14, 2019	
Our Tithe to God	\$ 17,599.48
Loose	\$ 1,142.00
Online/ACH	\$ 4,347.00
Other (Holy Day, etc.)	\$ 0.00
Total Contributions	\$ 23,088.48
Weekly Budget	\$ 23,250.00
Budget Excess/(Shortfall)	(\$ 161.52)
Diocesan Collections	\$ 145.00
G.R.O.W. Fund	
Weekly Contribution	\$ 3,458.00



Please Welcome to the
St. Joseph Community our
“NEWEST MEMBERS”

Quinn Elijah Rider
Son of Jeremy and Kelsey (Bacin) Rider



Saint Joseph Parish

*150th Anniversary
Directory*

*Each Family photographed will receive a free 8x10 and
a copy of the Jubilee Directory*

To schedule your photo session Online:

go to ucdir.com; click gold "Photo Session" button on right side of screen; Church code is ky334; password is smile4

Please note the online system is not available on the weekends when we are doing sign ups in church

OR Call the parish office 441 1604 9am—12pm or 1pm—4pm
Wednesday, Thursday or Friday.

Photo sessions in Kelley Hall on

August 12, 27 – 31*

September 13 – 14

- **Only the August dates are live and able to be scheduled at this time.**

Please note: A staff member of Universal Church Directories will be sending reminder emails to those parishioners who gave us an email at sign up. If you did not have an email, they will be making reminder phone calls. These phone calls will come from a “419” area code.

Date	Lector	EMHC	Servers	Mass Intentions
7/27/19 5:00 p.m.	Shauna Dunlevy	Deacon: Tim Schabell EMHC Captain: Robyn Schroeder EMHC: Janette Bennett, Pat Brossart, Terri Green, Robert Kaufman, Maria Klocke, Michael Vaught, Nick Vennemann	Alexis Prather Pete Williams John Prather Griffin Schuetz	Anthony Pangallo
7/28/19 8:00 a.m.	Ted Schuh	Deacon: Steve Bennett EMHC Captain: Susie Kahmann EMHC: Ron Haigis, Lauren Koehler, Lelia Kroger, Candy Schroder, Sr. Denise Wagenlander	Brayden Simon Cody Simon Marielle Gearding Addyson Gearding	Jerry & Irma Quitter
9:30 a.m.	Tom Freppon	Deacon: Tim Schabell EMHC Captain: Carol Russell EMHC: Jolynne Bundy, Nancy Caudill, Joe Mayer, Tracie Orth, Mary Short, Barbara Teisl, Katie Tierney	Landon Bain Everett Dawson Jackson Lang Sam Lang	Perry Conrardy
11:30 a.m.	Amy Hatfield	Deacon: Steve Bennett EMHC Captain: Thomas Ehlman EMHC: Karen Clark, Donald Clark, Steven Fischer, Brian Harp, Jill Malay, Gary Volker, Art Wittrock	Griffin Hatfield Logan Hatfield Jackson Steffen Payton Miller Spicer	The People of St. Joseph Parish
7:00 p.m.	Reid Goyert	Deacon: Tim Schabell EMHC Captain: Joan Zai EMHC: Mary Collen Smith, Michael Vaught, Brenda Whitford	Nicholas Cozzi Kori Reckers Payton Reckers Casey Berry	Rosemary Wietholter

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, July 22

6:30 a.m. Donald Zink
8:30 a.m. Art Schmidt

Tuesday, July 23

6:30 a.m. Gina Nieporte Quatman
8:30 a.m. McGarr Family

Wednesday, July 24

6:30 a.m. Healing for victims of abuse

Thursday, July 25

6:30 a.m. Dave Holthaus
8:30 a.m. Ann Beiting

Friday, July 26

6:30 a.m. All priests
9:00 a.m. Leo Verst

Saturday, July 27

8:30 a.m. Jim & Bernadette Callahan



WEEKLY CALENDAR

Tuesday, July 23

7:00 p.m. RCIA New Team Member Training - Meeting Room B

7:00 p.m. Parish Council - Meeting Room A

Wednesday, July 24

7:00 p.m. Board of Education - Meeting Room B

Saturday, July 27

7:15 a.m. WOW - Women's Fellowship - Meeting Room B

Upcoming Events



SERVERS' WEEKDAY SCHEDULE

Monday, July 22

8:30 a.m. John Prather, Jack Gearding

Tuesday, July 23

8:30 a.m. Evan Herget, Amy Klocke

Thursday, July 25

8:30 a.m. Delaney Green, Maria Ehlman

Friday, July 26

9:00 a.m. Everett Dawson, Ryan Clines

Saturday, July 27

8:30 a.m. Nicholas Cozzi, Joseph Gilbert

- St. Joseph Annual Festival August 2,3
- Saturday Evening Mass at 4:00 p.m. August 3
- St. Vincent de Paul Collection August 3, 4
- Children's Summer Mass & Activity August 9
- Grow Fund Collection August 10, 11
- School Jay Fest August 12
- First day of school August 14
- Assumption - Holy Day August 15
- St. Mary's Ladies Society Mass/Breakfast August 18
- New Parent Dinner August 18
- Domestic Needs Collection August 24, 25
- St. Mary's Tea Ring Sale August 24, 25

SCRIPTURE REFLECTION

Have you ever considered how much God wants us to be hospitable to him? Today's readings challenge us to look at how we invite the Lord into our hearts each day. Are we as gracious and open as a hospitable host, or do we go through most of our day forgetting to keep company with the Lord, rushing from one thing to the next?

Many of us Christians are so busy trying to serve in our families, our children's schools and activities, and even our local churches that we forget who we are serving. We often lose sight of the Lord himself. The Gospel reading for today portrays this beautifully in the person of Martha, who is so busy serving her guests that she becomes upset and loses sight of why she is serving in the first place: to make a place of welcome for Jesus.

It isn't that we are unwilling to offer hospitality to God. It's just that so often the Lord comes in disguise, as a poor person, a child, someone in need. If we aren't alert, we can miss the Lord as he passes by. Each day we need to reflect on the willingness we have to show hospitality to God. And our willingness to see him in the many disguises he wears.

Reprinted from Formed.Org "Opening The Word Year C" Bible Studies. For more in depth information on this week's readings go to <https://bit.ly/2MSuHcb>



School supply drive set for July 27-28

Next weekend St. Joseph will be collecting school supplies for Backpacks and Breakfast, Northern Kentucky Harvest's annual event to help ready students from low-income families for the new school year.

If you can help, please buy the following items this week and return them at Mass the weekend of July 27-28:

- **1 transparent plastic pencil box (7 7/8" x 4.5")**
- **1 box of colored pencils (12-count)**
- **1 4-pack of highlighters**

The supplies you donate will be distributed Saturday, Aug. 10, at Goebel Park in Covington in backpacks to more than 900 students from low-income families in Campbell, Kenton and Boone counties. Those families struggle to provide food, shelter & other basics for their kids, so the expense of getting them ready for the new school year is more than many can manage.

Thanks for your generosity!

*Paul Gottbrath
Northern Kentucky Harvest President
and St. Joseph Parishioner*

**E-mail bulletin info to:
Bulletin@stjoeparish.net
Bulletin Deadline: Friday at 12:00 p.m. for
the following week's bulletin**

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

"He who does not progress, loses ground."

ACTIVITIES IN OUR PARISH...

WOW! Women Opening the Word: Open to all women: Please join us for Scripture reflection and fellowship this Saturday, July 27, and every 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month 7:15 – 8:25 am in Parish Meeting Room B. No RSVP, no registration, just show up. Arrive at 7:15. At 7:30 we open with prayer, then read the scriptures for Sunday Mass. We study, reflect and discuss what the Scriptures mean and how to apply them to our lives to help us become better Catholic Christians. Contact: Roxanne Calhoun: Roxanne.calhoun@fuse.net Text or call 859-630-9298.

Also happening in our area...

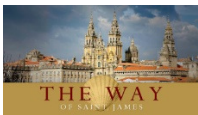
Visitors welcome at St. Thomas Adoration Chapel. Chapel is in the Providence Center behind the church. Open 6:00 am to Midnight Mon-Fri. Interested in becoming a companion adorer at a weekly holy hour? Call 441-7682 or email adorehour@gmail.com.

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JULY 25: ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE



WATCH: The Way of Saint James



If you or someone you know is interested in learning more about and possibly becoming a member of the Catholic Church... The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process by which the Catholic Church invites people of any background to inquire about Jesus Christ and the Church He established through

His Apostles to continue his saving work and bring His love and grace to the whole world. In the RCIA each individual embarks on a personal journey of faith through which he or she builds a relationship with Jesus Christ and prayerfully decides whether to become a member of the Catholic Church. Weekly faith formation sessions provide teachings on God, faith, and the Catholic Church. Participants in RCIA also attend Sunday Mass weekly and gather to discuss the Scripture readings and explore how the Word of God can be applied to their own lives. To learn more about the RCIA for yourself or for someone you know contact Vicki Klocke, Coordinator of Adult Faith Formation and RCIA at vklocke@stjoeparish.net or 859-927-2291.



Please Note:
New Dates for this year
Friday, August 2 6-11:30pm
Saturday August 3 5-11pm

****Saturday August 3rd Mass
will be at 4:00 PM****

The Festival Committee is working hard to make this one of our best festivals. There will be live music both nights and food trucks on Friday night.

There will be a catered pot roast dinner on Saturday night. **This dinner will be through prepaid reservations ONLY.** We will be selling dinner tickets after Mass, in the parish office, on the website and through an App.



We will also have all our favorite booths. In order to make this a great parish community event, **we need your help!** If you would like to volunteer, or would like further information, please contact Joe Ahlbrand at 859.982.2553 or jahlbrand@gmail.com or call the Parish Office at 441-1604 or email Carrie at CHamberg@stjoeparish.net. Watch for more information on our website and Facebook and listen for announcements at Mass.

To volunteer to work a shift at the festival, please go follow our online Sign-up Genius link:

<https://bit.ly/2xNXtk1>



Gift Cards Needed for the Festival

Once again this year our festival is going to raffle off vests filled with gift cards pinned to the outside. We are asking for donations of ANY GIFT CARDS FOR ANY AMOUNT. These gift cards can be dropped in the collection basket or dropped off at the Parish Office. Thank you for contributing to a successful festival!

Glasses Needed For Festival

Please donate drinking glasses for one of the festival booths. You can turn in the glasses to St. Joe School, C/O Mrs. Wagner, from 9:00 to 1:00, Monday through Thursday or the Parish Office Monday through Thursday 9-12 and 1-4.

Festival Basket Raffle Booth Help

We are collecting new items for specific baskets which are; Pets (dog/cat), relaxation therapy, NKU, UK, Bengals, garden/patio, 4th of July, summer fun, Halloween/fall, Christmas, toys, Barbie accessories and bar (bourbons/tools). To arrange for pickups or questions, please contact Theresa at theresa.connaughton@yahoo.com.

If you are interested in volunteering in the booth, please also contact Theresa.



Dessert Donations

Desserts for Saturday Dinner

Dessert donations are requested for the catered dinner on Saturday night. Desserts can be dropped off in Memorial Hall anytime on Saturday.

Booth Chairperson's Needed

We are looking for a chairperson for the following: Candy Game and the Glass Ring Ross. Please contact Tim Machenheimer at 859-412-0946 or timmachenheimer@gmail.com.

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL NEWS

From Mrs. Sue Greis, School Principal

Positions Available- Attention high school juniors and seniors! St. Joseph school is looking for assistants for the newly formed after care program for the 2019-2020 school year. Hours are flexible to accommodate for your extracurricular activities. The after care program is open Mon-Fri. 3:20-6:00 p.m. Work hours will be 3:00-6:30 p.m. Call or email Sue Greis if you are interested. 859-441-2025 sgreis@stjoeschool.net.

July Office Hours- The school office hours for the month of July are: Monday-Thursday 9:00 a.m.- 1 p.m.

BISHOP BROSSART HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

BOYS CROSS COUNTRY.....Boys cross country is still accepting new runners, please contact Head Coach Chris Davis for more info at cdavis@bishopbrossart.org.

PRODUCT SURVEY...Bishop Brossart Boys' Soccer team is conducting a product survey. The survey is on July 31st from 3 pm – 7 pm in Hegenauer Hall. You can sign up for a time at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c044dafa82da3fe3-product1> If you have any questions please call the school office at 635-2108.

MUSTANG 101... We are looking forward to seeing our incoming freshman class on July 30th, 31st, August 1st for Mustang 101! Each day will be from 9 am – 11:30 am. Be prepared to have fun and learn lots of great tips for making the most of your high school experience!



Catholic Charities Needs Your Help!

August 10 and August 11 after all masses parish members and volunteers from Catholic Charities will be outside church promoting their upcoming fundraiser by selling their raffle tickets. The raffle tickets are \$20 each. Grand prize is 30% of total ticket sales. Last year the winners received over \$11,000! All proceeds for this event benefit the clients being served through Catholic Charities. You can also purchase tickets online at www.covingtoncharities.org Thanks for your support of Catholic Charities.



The Diocese of Covington in Northern Kentucky has an immediate need for a Full-Time Groundskeeper at the Diocesan Cemeteries. Previous experience operating power equipment is preferred. Interested individuals should contact Stephen Kopyay, SPHR, by email at skopyay@covdio.org, or by fax at

(859)392-1589. EOE

If you have a Lesbian, Gay, Bi-sexual or Transgender family member or friend, and are looking for accepting Catholic parents of LGBTQ children to walk the journey with you, please contact Ed Buechel at ejb@bcfirm.com or Jan Schwegmann at Janice.schwegmann@gmail.com. We are people who love our children and our church.



PRO-LIFE NEWS

Families For Life



Natural Family Planning Awareness Week begins today and runs through the 28th. Please visit the pamphlet rack in the church vestibule to find informative brochures on this topic. You'll also find interesting CD's available in the kiosk. Please use this opportunity to learn something new or to take a brochure to share with a friend or family member.

Natural Family Planning (NFP) reflects the dignity of the human person within the context of marriage and family life, promotes openness to life, and recognizes the value of the child. By respecting the love-giving and life-giving natures of marriage, NFP can enrich the bond between husband and wife. (Standards for Diocesan Natural Family Planning Ministry, p. 23)



Please join us for our monthly Friday prayer vigil July 26 from 7pm to 8pm in front of Planned Parenthood, 2314 Auburn Avenue, Cincinnati, 45219. Parking on side streets and at Holy Name Church, two blocks north of PP on same side of the street. Contact me with any questions. Mary Clark, 40 Days for Life, Cincinnati Leader. cincy40days@fuse.net, 513-791-4039, 513-365-2606.

SENIORS

August 8th, 2019 - 5:30 p.m. Memorial Hall. Catered Dinner - Baked Chicken Breast - Cheesy Potatoes - Vegetable Medley - Pasta Salad - Rolls & Butter - \$7.00 per person. RSVP - Jackie Pelgen 859-760-1226 or jackiepelgen@fuse.net

September 12th, 2019 - 5:30 p.m. Memorial Hall. Members to bring a serving of chili. We are going to have a Chili Dump. Beef or chicken chili, will be put together and it will make up a delicious chili. We will have spaghetti, if you want to make it your serving. Contact Jackie for your RSVP - no charge as this is a Member-In-Action event.

Saint Thomas Parish invites you to the
2019 Saint Thomas Summer Festival
Friday, July 26, 6-11 PM
Saturday, July 27, 5-11 PM

Featuring:

- \$5,000 Major Raffle
- Extensive Silent Auction
- Raffles & Split-the-Pot
- Kids Games & Inflatables
- Pull-Tabs & Card Games
- Big 6
- Live Music
- Craft beer
- Fort Thomas Ice Cream
- Food by Webb's BBQ

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Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CHAIRPERSON

Parish Council: Steve Gooderson.....gooderson99@gmail.com
Board of Ed: Rick Wolf.....441-0205
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PTO: Amy Hill.....amy.hill@fuse.net.... 859-240-6191
St. Mary's Ladies: Maria Geiman.....781-0512
STP Volunteers: Art Holtz.....441-3809
Boy Scouts: Paul Gabis.....781-6130
Girl Scouts: Heather Salisbury.....655-5987
Seniors: Jim Pelgen.....760-0400



FOOD BASKET IN CHURCH

Your donations of non-perishable food items are appreciated. Please check the expiration date on any food donated. Thank you for your generosity.

PARISH SERVICES

Exposition every Wednesday: 9:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Baptisms: Sundays by Appointment, 1:00 p.m. Baptismal Preparation Program required. Class held the 2nd Tuesday of each month. Please call rectory 441-1604 to reserve date.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Call at least 6 months in advance. No date will be set without consulting one of the parish priests.

Sacrament of Penance: Saturday, before and after the 8:30 a.m. Mass, Saturday afternoon between 3:00 - 4:00 p.m. (unless there is a 3:00 p.m. wedding), third Thursday of the month from 7:00-8:00 p.m. and by appointment.

Rosary: Monday thru Friday at 7:05 a.m. and after 8:30 a.m. Mass. Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. before Benediction. Saturday after the 8:30 a.m. Mass and on Sunday morning before the 9:30 a.m. Mass. The Patriotic Rosary every Wednesday at 3:00 p.m. in the Convent Chapel.



Communion to the sick and/or shut-ins: Call the rectory.