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## JUNE 9, 2024 - TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Hello and Welcome to St. Joseph Parish!

Thank you for joining us today. Blessings! May you have a beautiful day. The St. Joseph Parish family extends a warm welcome to our visitors and new families. We are delighted to have you! If you are a new parishioner, ask one of the ushers for a parish census/registration form. Please complete and drop in the collections basket or bring by the church office during business hours. If we can be of any assistance to you, please let us know. We hope you will find a true home at St. Joseph Church!

## RECORD OF OUR STEWARDSHIP

Offertory—\$5,195.00 Poor Box—\$2.31

Bldg Fund —\$535.00 Cemetery Fund—\$205.00

June 2, 2024

May our parish ministries collaborate together for the greater glory of God and not for our own pride. RECORD OF OUR FAITHFULNESS

5:00PM-55 11:00AM-86 **Total—141** 

## Blessed Thanks!

Please pray for our sick, shut-ins, those listed in our book of intentions, parishioners residing in nursing homes, and others who have asked for prayers: Shannon Fikes Bass, Betty Belvedresi, Breckin Birge, Sgt Aaron John Blanchard, Tim Boutwell, Dc Bud Bryant, Michael Calvert, Bob Castleberry, Janie Culpepper, Sheri Flannery, Karen Gossett, Jim Gross, Julie Dial Habelmann, Denise Haber, Carol Hastings, Anna Marie Jacks, Mary Ann Kizer, Pat

Lucas, Scott McGeorge, Mary Ellen Miskell, Melissa Ann O'Neill, Betty Petrus, Dewayne Petrus, Robert & Therese Riddle, Margie Ross, Terry Vanlandingham, Judy Wilbert, Mary Winkley, Joseph Wynn, and Robert York. Please keep them in your prayers in their time of need... And all others in need of our healing prayers. Also, remember the caregivers of the ill.

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In your prayers, also remember the decease, especially former parishioner Geri Collins, and Ann Hedon, aunt of Donna Smith. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord...

**EUCHARISTIC ADORATION** -Please contact Angelique Ford (870-489-0563) if you would like to spend a quiet hour with our Lord on a Tuesday or Wednesday.

> Please notify the parish office when you or relatives are admitted to Jefferson Regional Medical Center. WE CARE!

SEARCH #154 RETREAT - Registrations are now being accepted for Search #154, a retreat to help juniors and seniors in high school get to know themselves better, deepen their friendship with Christ, and find support in living out their faith. The summer Search is open to in-coming juniors, seniors, and recently graduated seniors. Search #154 will be held at St. John Center, Little Rock, over the dates of June 28-30, 2024. The fee is \$150.00. For more information and registration forms visit our website at:

https://www.dolr.org/sites/default/files/documents/search-154.pdf

Partial scholarships are available by using the following form:

https://www.dolr.org/sites/default/files/documents/diocesanscholarshipapplication.pdf

NEIGHBOR TO NEIGHBOR is in need of any canned goods and other non-perishable food items for their pantry. Monetary donations are also accepted. Make checks payable to Neighbor to Neighbor. Please give what you are able as the need is great.

Catholic Charities Summer Institute – C2SI - Registrations are now being accepted for C2SI, a summer program put together by the Youth Ministry Office and Catholic Charities of Little Rock. This week is open to youth in the 9th - 12th grades interested in learning about the social justice teachings of the Catholic Church. During this 5 day session participants will have the opportunity to learn how to put the social justice lessons learned each morning into action with worthwhile "hands on" experience by working in the community. Join us in Jesus's invitation to feed the hungry, clothe the naked, shelter the homeless and welcome the stranger among us. Participants receive 40 hours of community service for the week. C2SI is held at St. John Center, Little Rock, July 8-11, 2024. An optional July 7<sup>th</sup> opportunity to work on a Habitat for Humanity house is provided as well. The fee is \$250.00. For more information and the registration visit our website at:

https://www.dolr.org/sites/default/files/documents/c2si-registration-2024.pdf

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ANNUAL SUMMER DIAPER DRIVE FOR BIRTHRIGHT - The annual summer diaper drive for Birthright sponsored by Catholic Daughters will begin Memorial Day weekend and run through Labor Day weekend. All sizes of diapers are needed and appreciated; but, size 1(8-10 lbs) are the most requested. Diapers can be placed in the designated boxes located in the hall near the church office or baskets located in the vestibule/front entry of the church. Thank You in advance for supporting this special mission. Keep the Moms and the children in your prayers.

Knights of Columbus will have Installation of Offices on Monday, June 17 at 6:00PM at the KofC Hall with pizza to follow. All Knights and families are welcome to attend.

Members of Catholic Daughters will be selling raffle tickets for the State CD Board. Tickets are \$10 apiece for a chance to win \$1000.00. The drawing will be held October 31, 2024.

## This week in our parish

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Sun Jun 9 Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
11:00AM #Bill Wilbert (Church)
Mon Jun 10
8:00AM Int Scott McGeorge (Church)
Tue Jun 11 ST BARNABAS, APOSTLE
8:00AM No Daily Mass (Church)
9:30AM Scripture Study (Ed Bldg)
10:30AM Domino Group (Ed Bldg)
Wed Jun 12
5:30PM #Jane Borecky (Church)
Thu Jun 13 ST ANTHONY OF PADUA, PRIEST
AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH
8:00AM Int Preston Joiner (Church)
Fri Jun 14
8:00AM #Living and Deceased St. Joseph Altar
Society Members (Church)
Sat Jun 15
4-4:45PM Confessions Heard (Church)
5:00PM #St Joseph Parishioners (Church)
Sun Jun 16 Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
Father's Day
11:00AM #Mary Wilbert (Church)

"If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand."

~ Mark 3:24

Within your parish community, do your ministries collaborate with each other or do they compete against each other? Do your parish ministries work for the greater glory of God or do they work for the glory of the people running them? The primary goal of parish ministry is not to increase Mass attendance, increase the number of volunteers or increase offertory. The primary goal is to be one Body of Christ that helps people take one step closer to Jesus. If it's not doing that, it's not worth doing.

SAVE THE DATE! On July 26-28 the Holy Fire Ministries is hosting the Arkansas Catholic Charismatic Conference "Our God is a Consuming Fire" at the Wyndham Riverfront Hotel in North Little Rock. This year's presenters are Fr. Michael Voithofer, a Catholic priest of the Archdiocese of Omaha and founder and president of Ablaze House of Prayer, and Maria Vadia, founder of The Glory of God Foundation. The weekend is full of praise and worship, exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, healing service, prayers for baptism and impartation of gifts of the Spirit and more!

Registration opens Friday at 3 pm. The conference opens at 6 pm with Bishop Anthony Taylor presiding at the opening Mass at 6:30 pm. Visit <u>arkcc.org</u> for online registration. For further information, leave a message at 479-692-1937.

The beautiful flowers in front of the Altar of Sacrifice this weekend were placed there in loving memory of Louise Campbell by her daughter, Gretchen Zell and Family.