

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mon.	20	8:00 a.m.	Irene AuBuchon
Tues.	21	8:00 a.m.	Sandy McCormick
Wed.	22	8:00 a.m.	Scot Vivrett
Thur.	23	8:00 a.m.	Lillian Winkler
Fri.	24	8:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Sat.	25	5:00 p.m.	Rosener/Mouser Families
Sun.	26	10:00 a.m.	Parish Family
(SA)		8:00 a.m.	Craig Wibbenmeyer

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS

ST. JOSEPH SATURDAY VIGIL:  
November 25 - 5:00 P.M.

Lector-----	Matt Haug
Eucharistic Ministers-----	Patricia Murphy John Groboski, Vol.
Altar Servers-----	Paula Pace
Ushers-----	Joan Knott Ken Dalaviras LaVerne Carrow
Cross Bearer-----	Suzanne Mullins

ST. JOSEPH SUNDAY MASS:  
November 26 - 10:00 A.M.

Lector-----	Marcy Mueller
Eucharistic Ministers-----	Deacon Don Schmitt Tom Willette G. Pratte, R. King
Altar Servers-----	J.Byington, L. Tyler Daniel Lukachick
Ushers-----	Mike Lukachick Patricia Vessell Carl Vessell Paulette DeGonia
Cross Bearer-----	John Pace

ST. ANNE SUNDAY MASS:  
November 26 - 8:00 A.M.

Lector-----	Mickey Bange
Eucharistic Ministers-----	Victor Bender Evan Loveless
Gift Bearers-----	M/M Stephen Folle
Ushers-----	G. Fisher, R. Byington
Altar Servers-----	Clare, Patrick and Audrey McDowell
Cross Bearer-----	Audrey McDowell



### Readings for the Week of November 19, 2017

Sunday: Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31/Ps 128:1-5/1 Thes 5:1-6/Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21

Monday: 1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63/Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158/Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday: 2 Mc 6:18-31/Ps 3:2-7/Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday: 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31/Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b, 15/Lk 19:11-28

Thursday: 1 Mc 2:15-29/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15/Lk 19:41-44

Friday: 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/1 Chr 29:10bcd-12/Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: 1 Mc 6:1-13/Ps 9:2-4, 6, 16, 19/Lk 20:27-40

## Mass for Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving Day Mass will be celebrated at St. Joseph Church at 8:00 a.m. The Rosary will be prayed at 7:30 a.m. before Thanksgiving Mass. The Parish Office will be closed Thursday and Friday in observance of Thanksgiving.

**A Happy Thanksgiving to you and your family from Father Steve and the Staff.**

## Trivia Night – Save the Date

St. Vincent DePaul will host a Trivia Night on Saturday, December 2, 2017, at the Heritage Hall. Registration will be at 6:30 p.m. and the Trivia Contest will begin at 7:00 p.m. Attendance prizes, pizza, soda, water, snacks and desserts will be available. Tables of 10 or less - \$10.00 per person. Proceeds to benefit the Bonne Terre Food Pantry/SVDP. Please call 314-795-2503 to reserve a table.

## Campaign for Human Development

This weekend's collection provides funding for groups that make lasting change and uplift the poor in the United States. CCHD grants improve education, support economic development, and help communities provide housing in low-income neighborhoods.

## Bingo

Bingo figures from November 9, 2017:  
Gross Receipts: \$2,892.00  
Players: 115

## St. Joseph Church Cleaning

Nov. 21: Gina and Mike Jennings  
Nov. 24: Volunteers needed

## Your Gift to God

November 11 & 12, 2017

	St. Joseph	St. Anne
Envelopes	\$ 2,763.00	\$ 748.00
Loose	269.00	120.00
St. Vincent de Paul	205.00	25.00
Building Fund	45.00	35.00
Cemetery	25.00	-0-
Votive	15.00	24.00
All Saints	10.00	10.00
All Souls	100.00	-0-
Thanksgiving	10.00	-0-
Retired Religious	65.00	-0-
Camp. Human Dev.	30.00	-0-

**33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – November 19, 2017**

## ST. ANNE CHURCH

### Christmas Flower Offering

Our St. Anne parishioners would like to thank Mrs. Eleanor Wibbenmeyer Watts for her generous donation to pay for the Christmas Poinsettias this year in memory of her son, Craig Wibbenmeyer.

Church Cleaning Team #2 – J. Hejlek, A. Folle

### Giving Tree Ornaments



We will have our Christmas Giving Tree Ornaments available after Thanksgiving. Your wonderful generosity gives a child in need a special Christmas. Please remember that these children do not receive a Christmas gift if you choose an ornament and do not bring back a gift to put under the tree.

The limit is \$20.00 maximum per Christmas gift. Bring your wrapped presents (with the giving tree tag attached) by Friday, December 22, 2017. Thank you.

### Stewardship Reflections

*“Well done, my good and faithful servant. Since you have been faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities.”- MATTHEW 25:21*

God expects us to nurture and develop the gifts He has given us and then generously return a portion with increase. He doesn't want us to waste or hoard the gifts He has given us; He expects us to grow our gifts, use them wisely and be generous with them. Unfortunately, many of us are not generous in proportion to all that God has given us.

### First World Day of the Poor – Nov. 19



“This new World Day should become a powerful appeal to our consciences as believers, allowing us to grow in the conviction that sharing with the poor enables us to understand the deepest truth of the Gospel. The poor are not a problem; they are a resource from which to draw as we strive to accept and practice in our lives the essence of the Gospel.” (Pope Francis)

Every day is a “Day of the Poor” with the Society of St. Vincent de Paul as Vincentians grow spiritually by putting their faith into action as they serve people in poverty throughout the year.

## The Pastor's Workshop

The month of **November** is traditionally given over by Catholics to remembering those who have died (the Poor Souls). This particular **Thursday** is given over to being **thankful, usually it centers around food**. Maybe both themes can be merged together, thankful for the gift of someone that has been part of your life, but is now on the next leg of the journey – and thankful for our many particular blessings. This Thursday at 8 am Mass we will have the chance to bring up food items to be used at the pantry (**to feed the people of this world**), but in every Mass we bring up prayers in the memory of those who have died (thus **feeding those on the journey to the next**). What a great way to start this thank filled day, with going to Mass; giving thanks for someone who made a **big imprint** on your life. Maybe a long deceased parent, a greatly loved spouse, a grandparent, brother, sister, uncle, aunt, a tremendous friend.

### Thanksgiving Prayer

*Dear Lord, on this Thanksgiving Day, Please bring us not only good food and memories but help us remember that it is You we are thanking. When we enjoy our meal with our relatives, may we thank You, who brings all food from the earth. When we enjoy the company of relatives and friends, may we thank You, the source of all life and happiness. And when we pray our prayer of blessing, may our hearts be on You, who is the source of all holiness, joy, and every blessing that is showered on us. Amen.*

### December 8, 2017

#### Holy Day of Obligation

An evening vigil Mass will be celebrated at St. Joseph Church on Thursday, December 7, 2017, at 6:00 p.m. for the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception. Mass will be celebrated at 8:00 a.m. at St. Joseph Church on Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup>.

### Security Update

Please be aware that we have taken measures to upgrade our security. We apologize for any inconvenience but it is important to keep our staff and our church members safe. If you see something, say something by calling the Parish Office or the Police Department at 573-431-3131.



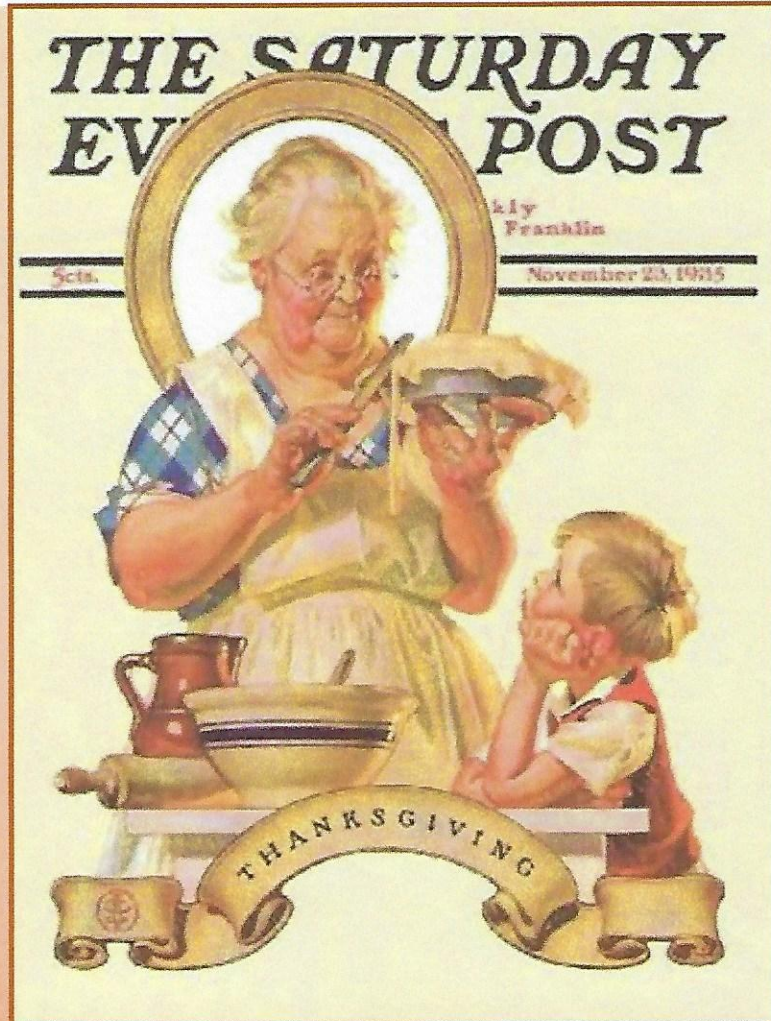
**ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
**15 ST. JOSEPH STREET**  
**BONNE TERRE, MO 63628**

**PASTOR:** Rev. Stephen F. Bauer  
**BOOKKEEPING SECRETARY:** Char Gestring  
**SECRETARY/BULLETIN EDITOR:** Bernie Burle  
**ORGANIST:** Mark Farrell  
**RECTOR:** Office Hours, Monday—Friday  
8:00 am - 3:30 pm  
**PHONE:** 573.358.2112 **FAX:** 573.358.4233  
**WEBSITE:** [www.saintjosephchurch.org](http://www.saintjosephchurch.org)  
**MASS SCHEDULE:**  
**WEEKDAYS:** 8:00 am (Monday—Friday)  
**SATURDAYS:** 5:00 pm  
**SUNDAY:** 10:00 am  
**HOLYDAYS:** 8:00 am & 6:00 pm on Holyday  
**ROSARY:** Thursday after Mass  
Saturday at 4:30 pm  
**PERPETUAL HELP**  
**DEVOTIONS:** Tuesday after Mass  
**EUCCHARISTIC**  
**ADORATION:** First Tuesday of the Month  
Following 8:00 am Mass with  
Benediction at 10:00 am  
**RECONCILIATION:** Sat. from 4:00—4:45 pm  
**BAPTISMS:** First Sunday of Each Month  
**MARRIAGES:** Arrangements Must Be Made  
With the Pastor 6 Months  
Prior to Proposed Marriage  
**ANOINTING:** By Request

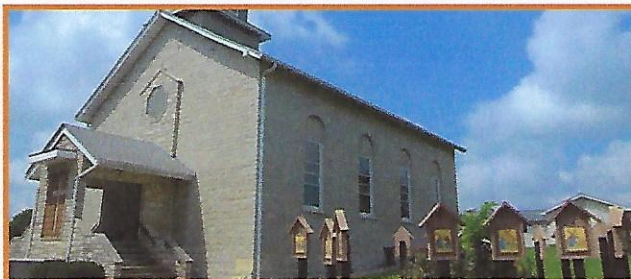
**P.S.R. CLASSES:** Second Sunday of the month  
at 8:30 am at the St. Joseph School Bldg.

**FOOD PANTRY:** Mondays & Fridays from 9—11:00 am

**Parish Registration & Membership for St. Joseph & St. Anne Churches:** New Families Are Welcome and Are Asked to Register at the Earliest Opportunity.



**ST. ANNE CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
**FRENCH VILLAGE, MO 63036**



**Mass Schedule:**

**SUNDAY:** 8:00 am

**Baptisms—By Appointment with Pastor**

**Reconciliation—Before Mass**

**Organist:** Jim Wagner