

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mon.	02	8:00 a.m.	Doris Roberts
Tue.	03	8:00 a.m.	Marion AuBuchon
Wed.	04	8:00 a.m.	Dolly Gendron
Thur.	05	8:00 a.m.	Pauline Maville
Fri.	06	8:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Sat.	07	5:00 p.m.	Ed Stepanian
Sun.	08	10:00 a.m.	Howard Crouch
(SA)		8:00 a.m.	Parish Family

LITURGICAL ASSISTANTS

SATURDAY MASS: JAN. 07 AT 5:00 P.M.

Lector-----	Patricia Murphy
Special Ministers-----	Char Gestring Sheryl Sieve Volunteer
Servers-----	Volunteers
Ushers-----	Fred Basse Janet Basse LaVerne Carrow
Cross Bearer-----	Volunteer

SUNDAY MASS: JAN. 08 AT 10:00 A.M.

Lector-----	Paulette DeGonia
Special Ministers-----	Deacon Don Schmitt Marcy Mueller Mary AuBuchon
Servers-----	Deborah Pace Theresa Pace
Ushers-----	Tom Willette Gerald Stanley Mike Lukachick
Cross Bearer-----	John Pace

ST. ANNE MASS: JAN. 08 AT 8:00 A.M.

Lector-----	Mary Lou Basler
Special Ministers-----	Delores Brawley Volunteer
Gift Bearers-----	M/M M. Rariden
Servers-----	Volunteer Volunteer
Ushers-----	Victor Bender Ron Byington
Cross Bearer-----	Volunteer

Happy New Year!

Father Bill, Deacon Don and the Staff wish you and your family a blessed and prosperous New Year.

Donut Sunday

We invite you to come and enjoy fellowship with your Church family this morning, along with the coffee, donuts and orange juice.

Ladies of St. Joseph & St. Anne

The Ladies of St. Joseph & St. Anne will hold an open house to share information about their group and hear any suggestions or concerns. Our mission is to help our parish family, community, and various charities, as well as to plan for spiritual events. Please stop at our table for more information on Donut Sunday.

Eucharistic Adoration

The celebration of the Eucharistic Adoration will begin at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, January 5, 2017 and conclude with Benediction at 4:00 p.m.

Bingo

Bingo figures from December 22, 2016:
Gross Receipts: \$2,890.00
Players: 113

Church Cleaning

Jan. 03: Jina and Mike Jennings
Jan. 06: Becky O'Neill (Week 1)

Your Gift to God

December 24 & 25, 2016

	St. Joseph	St. Anne
Envelopes	\$12,845.00	\$1,331.00
Loose	807.16	83.00
St. Vincent de Paul	30.00	100.00
Building	20.00	-0-
Votive	51.11	-0-
Immac. Conception	28.00	-0-
Christmas	743.00	150.00
Christmas Flowers	2.00	20.00
Solemnity of Mary	40.00	-0-
Seminary	1,039.89	239.00

Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God

ST. ANNE CHURCH
FRENCH VILLAGE, MISSOURI
Church Cleaning Team #4 - Jane Schmidt

Thank You

A special thank you to everyone for the cards, gifts, prayers and good wishes that have been extended to us this holiday season. We also appreciate everyone who decorated, cleaned, and helped in any way to prepare for this holiest of Christmas seasons. Each of you will be remembered in our daily prayers. May the blessings of this Holy Season be with you always. *Father Bill Deacon Don*

St. Vincent DePaul

St. Vincent DePaul Society thanks parishioners for their donations. During January, please bring tuna, soup and diapers. Thank you.

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Please visit our website: saintjosephchurch.org for the Newsletter Archive for weekly updates for the Missouri Catholic Conference Citizens' Network. This information is available under the Pro-Life menu pull down tab. Also available is a link to the Archdiocese of St. Louis and the resource pages for: Missions, Charity & Evangelization; Mass Times, Reconciliation Times, Eucharistic Adoration Times; Office of Worship, Catholic Renewal Center; as well as a Calendar of Events, Press Releases and videos.

The daily Mass readings are also available on our church website for St. Joseph & St. Anne Parishes.

Stewardship Reflections

"And Mary kept all these things, reflecting on them in her heart." Luke 2:19 Mary is the perfect role model for living a stewardship lifestyle. She listened to God and said "yes" to His invitation to be the Holy Mother of His son. She also trusted in the God's providence on a daily basis. As we start a new year, take time every day to listen to how God is calling you; trust that He has a better plan for you than you could ever imagine.

Resisting Happiness

Please pick up your gift book written by Matthew Kelly entitled "Resisting Happiness". We ask that you take one book per family.

From the Pastor's Pen

For Auld Lang Syne
The words of

The Magnificat

Luke's Gospel (1:46 - 56)

Mary said:

"My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord;
my spirit rejoices in God my savior.
For he has looked upon his lowly servant.
From this day all generations will call
me blessed;
the Almighty has done great things for me,
and holy is his Name.
He has mercy on those who fear him
in every generation.
He has shown the strength of his arm,
and has scattered the proud
in their conceit.
He has cast down the mighty from
their thrones and has lifted up the lowly.
He has filled the hungry with good things,
and the rich he has sent away empty.
He has come to the help of his
servant Israel for he remembered his
promise of mercy, the promise he made
to our fathers, to Abraham and his
children forever."

Weather Related Messages

We will record a message on our answering machine if there is a need for any emergency related changes in our Mass schedules. Please also tune into the KMOV 4 Warn Snow Alert Program and the News Channel 5's StormWatch for closings.

**Vincentian Mission
Pre-Mission Meeting**

All parishioners of St. Joseph Parish and St. Anne Parish are invited to attend a meeting on Tuesday, January 3, 2017 at 6:30 p.m. in the St. Joseph Church hall in order to plan for the upcoming Vincentian Mission. The Vincentian Mission will be held at St. Joseph Church March 18, 2017 through March 23, 2017. Please plan to attend so that we can coordinate the necessary spiritual, liturgical and social preparations for our parish mission.

January 1, 2017