ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please come and join us to pray **the Rosary every Sunday starting at 10:30 am.** We would also love to share this time with anyone that would like to participate as a leader.



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Show the children you love the kind of series that will feed their soul... and one they won't want to stop watching. The children won't just be entertained but they'll also come away knowing three things for certain:

1. God wants nothing more than to be a part of their lives.

2. Jesus is truly present in the Eucharist and can always be found there.

3. God waits with open arms, ready and willing to forgive us when we make mistakes.

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LADIES OF ST. JOSEPH'S

The Ladies of St. Joseph's meet on the <u>SECOND SATURDAY of</u> each month at <u>10:00 AM</u> in the Parish Hall. All are welcome <u>to</u> join our parish fellowship! Contact *Ellen Whitman* at (910) 620-6458 for more information.

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11:00 AM (English) Mass		1:00 PM (Spanish) Mass	
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32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, November 10, 2024

Share in the Apostolic Mission of the Church

We, the parishioners of St. Joseph Catholic Church, a community of faith, being spirit-filled and empowered by our baptism, are called to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ. United by our worship, our continued commitment to faith formation and our love for one another, we dedicate our time, talents, and treasure to the enrichment of our community and the greater glory of God.

We welcome all visitors!

Welcome to St. Joseph Catholic Church. We are glad you chose to be with us today. If you are traveling, we pray for your safe journey home. If you live in this area, we hope you will return soon to worship with us.



Sunday Mass:

11:00 am in English 1:00 pm in Spanish

Daily Mass:

Wednesdays at 8:30 am Thursdays at 8:30 am

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Please come spend some time with our Lord in Eucharistic Adoration. Adoration begins at **3:00 pm every Wednesday** and ends at 7:00 pm.



SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: Parents must attend a preparation class prior to having their child baptized. Please schedule an appointment with Father Roger to discuss the procedure.

RECONCILIATION: Immediately following Mass and by appointment.

MARRIAGE: The marriage preparation program for the Diocese of Raleigh takes 6 months. Please contact Father Roger for an appointment.

1ST PENANCE, 1ST HOLY COMMUNION, & CONFIRMATION: Contact Father Roger for information.

Today's Readings

1 Kings 17: 10-16 Psalm 146: 7, 8-9, 9-10 "Praise the Lord, my soul!"

Hebrews 9: 24-28 Mark 12: 38-44

For Daily Mass Readings go online to:

http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings

http://www.ewtn.com/daily-readings (Includes Daily Mass video)

Today's Meditation

GIVING ALL

"She gave from her want, all that she had to live on." — Mark 12:44

In today's Mass readings, the Church highlights giving our all to God. The widow of Zarephath risked death by giving her last provisions to the prophet Elijah (1 Kgs 17:15-16). The Gospel widow gave "all that she had to live on" to the Lord, as Jesus testified (Mk 12:44). Jesus Himself sacrificed "all," as the reading from Hebrews testifies (Heb 9:26).

In giving all to God, one abandons all to God's providence and mercy. The Zarephath widow was blessed with a year's provisions. The Gospel widow's fate is unknown. Regardless of the results, we entrust our entire being to the providence of God. He "gives food to the hungry" (Ps 146:7). "He sustains" the poor who trust in Him (Ps 146:9).

Jesus offered sacrifice to God. He poured out all His blood and offered Himself into the hands of His most merciful Father (Heb 9:12-14). Our greatest challenge is this: will we trust that God will be faithful? (2 Tm 2:8-13) God will not be outgiven. He says: "Try Me in this" (Mal 3:10).



Giving all to the Lord from a foundation of trust is at the very heart of our faith. We are not called to give for the purpose of getting rich ourselves. Rather, we are called to give in a spirit of complete abandonment, sacrificial love, and self-forgetfulness. We give all as Jesus did. We give joyfully because "God loves a cheerful giver" (2 Cor 9:7). What will we give Him that we think we cannot do without? We give all to the Lord in trust and faith.

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PRAYER LIST

Nick Hesse **Nery Fields George Spisak** Marilyn Malberg Jeanette Rivenbark The unborn All those incarcerated

The Butrim Family Gina Brooks **Bill Barnett** The Daniels Family **Geraldine Egner**

Phyllis Kubelka Stacey Riemer Liz Becker Michael Kubelka **Darrin Pierres**



All those who suffer from addiction United States Leadership

Please e-mail agnesfields@gmail.com to have a loved one placed on our prayer list. If you have placed a loved one on our prayer list, and you feel they no longer need to be on it, please e-mail so that we may update it.