

WELCOME TO SAINT JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH



140 West Avenue, Plain City Ohio

Are you new to Saint Joseph Parish?



Welcome!

Are you new to St. Joseph's? We invite you to please introduce yourself before or after Mass, or stop by the parish office to register, meet Father Trapp and become part of our parish family.

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MASSES

Weekday Masses are at the church
 Tuesday 5:30 pm
 Wednesday 5:30 pm
 Friday 8 am
 Saturday 9 am

Weekend at the church:
 Saturday 4:30 pm
 Sunday 8:30 am

At the PAC:
 Sunday 10:30 am

ADORATION

M - Th 6 -11 am & 6 -11 pm
 Friday: 6-8 am & 6-11 pm

CONFESSIONS

AT CHURCH:
 Saturday after 9 am Mass and 3:30 pm
 Also by appointment.



Parish Activity Center and Parish Office
 670 W. Main Street
 Plain City, OH 43064

OFFICE HOURS: M - F 10 am - 3 pm

OFFICE PHONE: 614-873-8850



St. Joseph Catholic Church,
 Plain City, Ohio



Scan here to go to our website. From the website, click on the mail icon to receive the latest news via email.

ARE YOU NEW TO SAINT JOSEPH PARISH? Please stop by the office to register you and your family or call 614-873-8850.



SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Preparation is required for the reception of the sacrament. Parents are encouraged to contact the office for an appointment **prior** to the birth of their child.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY: Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance of intended date. A marriage preparation program is required. Please contact Father Trapp.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK: Please call the office for emergencies and notify the office for calls to the sick or visits to the hospital. To have a name added to the bulletin prayer list please send to: bulletin@saintjosephplaincity.com

EUCCHARIST FOR THE HOMEBOUND: Please call the office to be added to the weekly Communion list.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA): Are you thinking about becoming Catholic? RCIA is a process that provides time for inquiry, instruction, prayer and discernment. For more information please contact the parish office. We welcome you!

OFFERTORY: You may make your offertory weekly or monthly by visiting our website at www.saintjosephplaincity.com and registering with ONLINE GIVING.



Adoration angels are needed as follows:

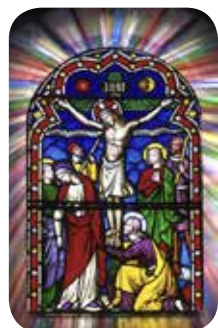
Mondays 6 - 7 am (thru Sept), 10 - 11 pm, **Tuesdays** 10 - 11 pm
Wednesdays 8 - 9 pm **Thursdays** 9 - 10 pm - every 4th week
Fridays 7 - 8pm, 10 - 11 pm

Please contact Elaine Bonacci to sign up. Thank you!

Please pray for our military:

2LT Denis R. Aurelius USAF
 SFC Michael S. Bertorello, USA
 SGT Justin Edwards, ANG
 1SGT Kevin R. Gleich, USA

Logan Hill,
 LTC Patrick Parsons, USAF
 MASN Todd Thieken Jr., USN
 Lt. Cmdr. Matt Wood, USN



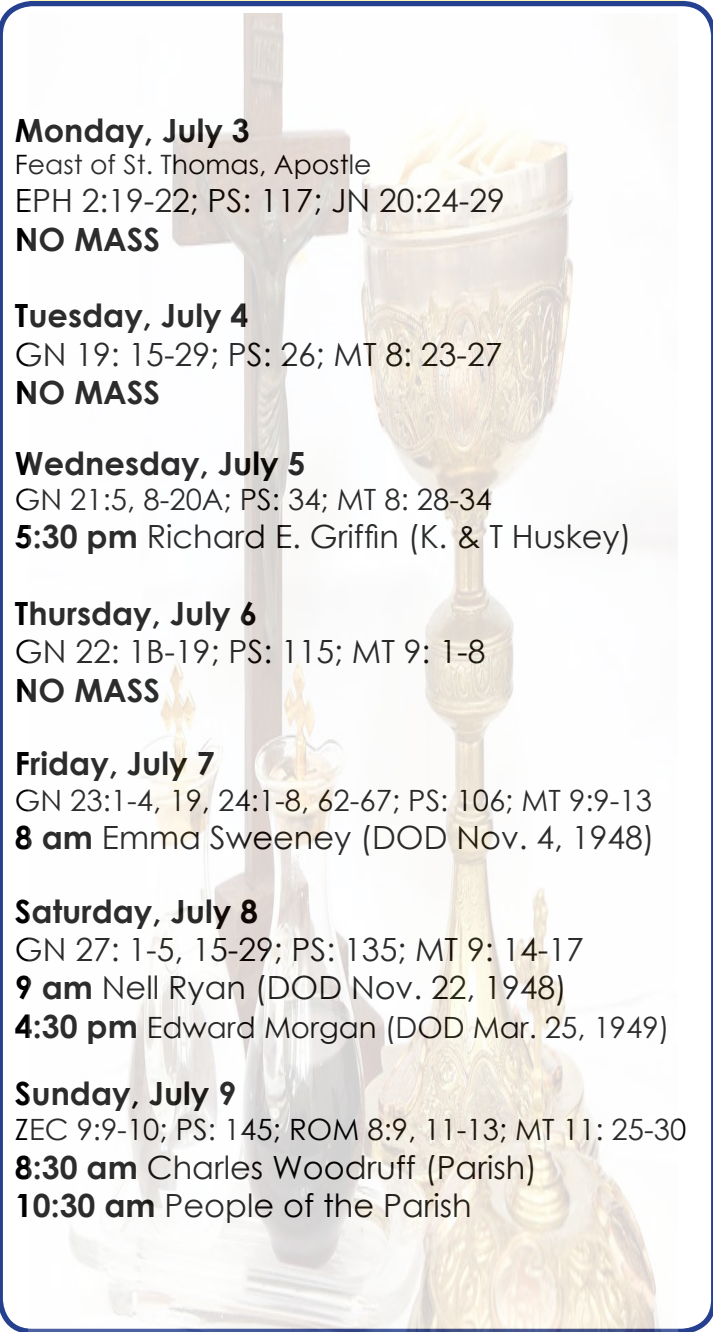
Please pray for who all who are ill and healing:

Patricia Ann Allen
 George Geruntino
 Florine Hamlin
 John High
 Betty Stricharczuk

Rhonda Campbell
 Kevin Gleich
 David Harris
 Gabriel Kaiser
 Mary Jane Ward

Shannon Eckman
 Elfriede Gregel
 John Harris
 Zachary Kaiser

Mass Intentions & Readings
13th Week in Ordinary Time



Monday, July 3
 Feast of St. Thomas, Apostle
 EPH 2:19-22; PS: 117; JN 20:24-29
NO MASS

Tuesday, July 4
 GN 19: 15-29; PS: 26; MT 8: 23-27
NO MASS

Wednesday, July 5
 GN 21:5, 8-20A; PS: 34; MT 8: 28-34
5:30 pm Richard E. Griffin (K. & T Huskey)

Thursday, July 6
 GN 22: 1B-19; PS: 115; MT 9: 1-8
NO MASS

Friday, July 7
 GN 23:1-4, 19, 24:1-8, 62-67; PS: 106; MT 9:9-13
8 am Emma Sweeney (DOD Nov. 4, 1948)

Saturday, July 8
 GN 27: 1-5, 15-29; PS: 135; MT 9: 14-17
9 am Nell Ryan (DOD Nov. 22, 1948)
4:30 pm Edward Morgan (DOD Mar. 25, 1949)

Sunday, July 9
 ZEC 9:9-10; PS: 145; ROM 8:9, 11-13; MT 11: 25-30
8:30 am Charles Woodruff (Parish)
10:30 am People of the Parish

Calendar

Monday, July 3
 No evening Mass

Tuesday, July 4
 Office Closed - no evening Mass.

Wednesday, July 5
No evening Mass


Thursday, July 6
No evening Mass

Friday, July 7
 Bible Study 9 am

Saturday, July 8

Sunday, July 9
 * Event at the Church

Eucharistic Adoration will be suspended for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, July 3-5 for the Independence Day holiday week.



WE SHOULD HAVE DONE THIS A LONG TIME AGO!

That's what you'll be saying after a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend! Marriage Encounter is 44 hours where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones—and focus only on each other. The next weekend is September 15-17 in central Ohio. For more information or to apply, contact Paul & Marilou Clouse at 614-834-6880 or visit our website at www.wmecolumbus.org

"Forever I will sing the goodness of the Lord"

Blessed the people who know the war cry who walk in the radiance of your face, Lord.

In your name they sing joyfully all the day; they rejoice in your righteousness.

Psalm 89

Announcements

- This Tuesday, the PAC will be open for the best Fireworks viewing in town. Join us!
- Because of the July 4th holiday, there will not be any evening Mass this Tuesday.
- There is no Adoration this week Monday through Wednesday.
- The Youth Group will be taking a canoe trip to the Mohican River. Please see page 4 for details.

Stewardship:

Offertory Collection for June 18, 2017

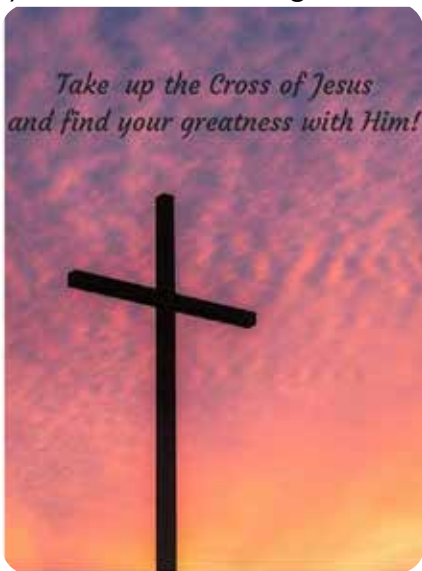
Envelopes	\$2,700
Loose* (Unknown)	\$ 180
Diocesan Tax (6%)	<u>\$ (173)</u>
Total	\$2,707*

*These numbers do not reflect on-line Giving

"...whoever does not take up his cross and follow after me is not worthy of me."

- MATTHEW 10:38

Pope Benedict XVI said, "The world offers you comfort. But you were not made for comfort, you were made for greatness". "Comfort" puts me first. "Picking up your cross and following Jesus" puts God and others first. Why settle for comfort when you can achieve greatness! Pick up your cross, ask Jesus for guidance on using your gifts and live the life God intended for you!



Independence Day Prayer



Dear Lord,

There is no greater feeling of liberty than to experience freedom from sin and death that you provided for me through Jesus Christ. Today my heart and my soul are free to praise you. For this, I am very thankful.

On this Independence Day, I am reminded of all those who have sacrificed for my freedom, following the example of your Son, Jesus Christ.

Let me not take my freedom, both physical and spiritual, for granted. May I always remember that a very high price was paid for my freedom. My freedom cost others their very lives.

Lord, today, bless those who have served and continue to give their lives for my freedom. With favor and bounty, meet their needs and watch over their families.

I am so thankful for this nation. For all the sacrifices others have made to build and defend this country, I am grateful. Thank you for the opportunities and freedoms we have in the United States of America. Help me never to take these blessings for granted.

Help me to live my life in a way that glorifies you, Lord. Give me the strength to be a blessing in someone's life today, and grant me the opportunity to lead others into the freedom that can be found in knowing Jesus Christ. Amen.

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BISHOP'S 2017 ANNUAL APPEAL

Thank you to all who have returned their

pledge to support the BAA. Every dollar over goal comes back to St. Joseph tax-free. We will be earmarking these funds to re-supply the building maintenance fund. Thank you!

Parish Goal: \$39,163.57

Pledges to Date: \$23,315

% Toward Goal: 59%

Dear St. Joseph Parishioners,

As my reign as Grand Knight of the Father Edward Fitzgerald Knights of Columbus Council #12772 comes to an end, I wish to thank all of you for your continued support of our community and parish events. Your prayers and good wishes have been gratefully received during my two years as Grand Knight. As newcomers to St. Joseph, my wife Trish and I thank you for your welcoming arms.



Please help me congratulate and welcome **Todd Thobe** as our new Grand Knight. Todd, a long-time parishioner, will be taking the helm beginning July 1. Please pray for him and his family as he starts his leadership role with our council.



It has been an honor to serve our Parish. May God continue to Bless all of you. Your Brother in Christ, Carl Haaser, Grand Knight Council 12772

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
IN SERVICE TO ONE, IN SERVICE TO ALL.

CHARITY - UNITY - FRATERNITY - PATRIOTISM

**Church Mission:
July 15 & 16, 2017**



During the weekend of July 15 & 16, Reverend Francis Tandoh, CSSp, will visit our parish to speak at the Masses about the missionary work of the church and in particular about the Spiritans (Congregation of the Holy Spirit, formerly known as Holy Ghost Fathers).

The visit is part of a national program in which annually a representative of one of the mission groups visits parishes of the Diocese to invite the parish to share in the mission work of the universal Church. The Spiritans are an international community engaged in a wide range of missionary activity in over 60 countries around the world. Fr. Tandoh himself is from Ghana. He serves as pastor of several Spiritan parishes in Dayton.

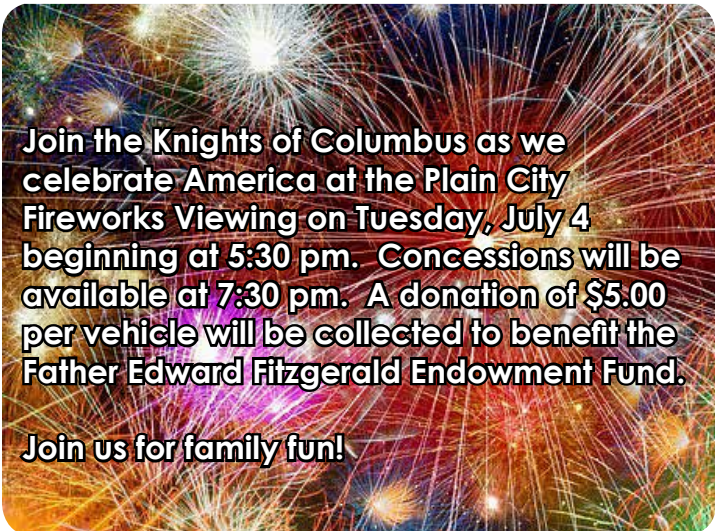
When Jesus said, "You shall witness to me in Jerusalem and in Samaria and to the ends of the earth," He made the spread of the Gospel and essential part of our Catholic life.

We urge you to respond generously to Fr. Tandoh's appeal.



Reminder: RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

- PSR classes start Sunday, September 10th for 7th & 8th grades at 9:40 am - 10:50 am.
- Monday, September 11 for grades 1st - 6th at 4:30 pm for Session I and 6:30 pm for Session II.
- Registration is now open for all students. Class size is limited to 15 students so please do not delay. Please consult the church website for more details. Thank you!



Join the Knights of Columbus as we celebrate America at the Plain City Fireworks Viewing on Tuesday, July 4 beginning at 5:30 pm. Concessions will be available at 7:30 pm. A donation of \$5.00 per vehicle will be collected to benefit the Father Edward Fitzgerald Endowment Fund.

Join us for family fun!

Pope Francis' General Audience: 'Saints Support Us In Our Lives'



Dear Brothers and Sisters:

In our continuing catechesis on Christian hope, we now look to the saints, to “those who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith”. The Letter to the Hebrews speaks of the saints as “a great cloud of witnesses” who support us on our pilgrim way through this present life. In the sacraments of baptism, marriage and ordination, we pray the Litany of the Saints to implore their intercession and help in the particular vocation we have received. The lives of the saints remind us that the Christian ideal is not unattainable. Despite our human weakness, we can always count on God’s grace and the prayers of the saints to sustain us in faith and in hope for the transfiguration of this world and the fulfilment of Christ’s promises in the next. May the Lord enable all of us to become saints, to be living images of Christ in our time. May he strengthen us to be his witnesses and to bring the Gospel to all our brothers and sisters, especially the suffering and those most in need of its message of undying hope.

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MINISTRY SCHEDULE

4:30 P.M. AT THE CHURCH JULY 8

Usher	D. Rowely, M. Peck
Lectors	L. Davis, J. Fritter
EM	C. Corbitt, M. & T. Schurman
Serve	B. & D. Corbitt

8:30 A.M. AT THE CHURCH JULY 9

Usher	J. & T. Schwope
Lectors	D. Duran, M. Valois
EM	Dcn T. Bonacci, T. & G. Hare
Serve	J. O'Connell, M. Ridder

10:30 A.M. AT THE PAC JULY 9

Usher	M. & W. Brown
Lectors	M. Thiergartner, P. Thomas
EM	J. & R. Dvorsky, J. Ciuca
Serve	B. Grywalski, C. Miller

HOMEBOUND Dcn. T. Bonacci

COLLECTION COUNTING

July 10	Team St. Cunegundes
July 17	Team St. Diego
July 24	Team St. Anthony
July 31	Team St. Barbara



The schedule listed above may not be the most current ministry schedule. Please check Ministry Scheduler Pro for the latest schedule.