

St. Joseph Church
1026 N. 8th Avenue
Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 22, 2010

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Sacramental Schedule & Policies:

Sacrament of Reconciliation: 4:00 – 4:30 p.m. on Saturdays or by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism: By appointment following baptism preparation program.

Sacrament of Marriage: 6 months notification & after completion of marriage program.

| Daily Mass Intentions: Aug. 23 rd –Aug. 29 th | | | |
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| Mon | Aug | 23 | No Mass |
| Tue | Aug | 24 | 6:00 p.m. Shirley Bush |
| Wed | Aug | 25 | 8:00 a.m. Bobbi McNamara |
| Thur | Aug | 26 | 8:00 a.m. Herman Hill |
| Fri | Aug | 27 | 8:00 a.m. Elma Tracy |
| Sat | Aug | 28 | 5:00 pm Dick Tracy |
| Sun | Aug | 29 | 9:00 am For the Parish |

Reservations or Concerns

Parish Hall Reservations:
 Church Office: 462-1083

Maintenance:
 Harvey Eivins: 462-2642

St. Joseph Prayer Line:
 Patricia Corkrean: 462-4251
 Rosemary Stuchel: 462-4152

Weekly Tithing: \$2,151.00
Capital Campaign: \$558.00 **Scholarship Fund:** \$520.00
July Income: \$10,299.12 **July Expenses:** \$8,342.87
 Remember, your will can benefit your family and your church!



Coffee and Rolls August 29th Gary & Nancy Emmert, Gary & Carol Kiernan

| | Saturday, August 28 th , 5:00p.m. | Sunday, August 29 th , 9:00 a.m. |
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| Eucharistic Minister | Marjorie Petersen Jo Snyder | Savanah Farrell, Jim Pottebaum, Jose Lopez, Linda Hermanstorfer, Larry Lantz, Sarah Cowman |
| Lector | Mike Drysdale | Jim Sparks, Savanah Farrell |
| Altar Server | Britton Gibson, Anna Marie Swenson | Adam Thompson, Hailey Lawson |
| Usher | Mike Teno. Jeff Dolton. Joe Moore | Jeff & Heather Honkomp. Terrv Cowman. Glenn Kordick |

Mexican Dinner Tonight!

Come, enjoy an authentic Mexican Dinner this evening in the parish hall. Dinner will be served from 4:00 – 7:00pm. If you haven't purchased tickets you may get them at the door.

Prices: Adults \$7.50 Children \$4. Help break the piñata at 6:00 p.m.

Menu: Birria (beef) with secret salsa comadrona Paula style, Spanish rice, refried beans, corn tortillas, red and green salsa, and homemade Mexican desserts.

Beverages: pineapple water, lemonade, Tamarindo juice water, Jamaica flower juice.

NEW PICTORIAL CHURCH DIRECTORY: Thank you to everyone who completed their portraits last week for our new pictorial directory. The second opportunity for picture taking will be Oct. 14-15-16. Appointments will be made later in September.

ONLINE GIVING: We have several families signed up and using online giving. Online giving is the ideal solution for those who use the Internet to manage their personal finances. The system is very easy to use and short videos are available at many places throughout the system to guide you if you need help. You can access and sign up for online giving via our church website: www.saintjosephchurch.net Click ONLINE GIVING and following the instructions. If you have any questions, call the church office for assistance.

WE NEED YOUR VOTE: The Catholic Diocese of New Orleans is a finalist in the *Pepsi Gulf Refresh Project*. They are 1 of 1000 applicants, but with your help and vote they can win a \$50,000 grant to provide tuition assistance to students/families affected by the oil spill. In order to win one of the 10 grants, they must place in the top 10 in their category. They are currently in 16th place. To access more information about the grant opportunity and to vote, please visit <http://gulf.refresheverything.com/catholicschools>. You will be required to register in order to vote. Vote every day until August 31!

Book Drive: The Knights will be collecting books for the next Iowa Right to Life book sale Sept 14-18th. Boxes will be set up in the gathering space for any books you would like to donate to this very worthwhile cause.

Catholic Charities: We are providing a link to Catholic Charities so you can learn more about their vital mission. Please click the link to find out more about the work of Catholic Charities and how you can volunteer. Catholic Charities www.CatholicCharitiesDM.org 515-244-3761

Reflection Questions: (Isaiah 66:18-21, Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13, Luke 13:22-30) Jesus reminds us that we are not to judge others as "worthy" of the kingdom or not. Our human judgment is faulty. We only see so much. God sees the entire person, heart

and soul, past, present, and future. Some who seem to be "last" ("losers" in our current slang) may well be "first" with God. The question is: where do YOU want to be with God? How can YOU stay close to Jesus?