

EASTER SUNDAY **4/01/2018** **St. Joseph Parish** **Paris, AR 72855**
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Confessions: Saturday 4:30PM & Sunday 8:30AM formed.org **parish code 28WKVW**
Weekend Masses: Saturday 5:00PM & Sunday 9:00AM
Weekday Mass: 8:00AM Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

7:30PM Tuesday -- Mother of Perpetual Help Novena followed by Mass

****Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - Tuesday 6:30-7:30pm**

Mass Intentions

4/2 Monday
4/3 7:30pm Tuesday +**Latica Schluterman** Ronnie & Joyce Koch
4/4 8:00am Wednesday +**Mr & Mrs Truman Cauthron** Carolyn & Fred Johnson
4/5 8:00am Thursday +**Evelyn Edelhuber** Kenneth & Lisa Vines
4/6 8:00am Friday +**Dub Pfeiffer** Don & Beth Ullrich
4/7 5:00pm Saturday +**Josephine Fletcher** Jim & Charlotte Fletcher
4/8 9:00am Sunday +**Parishioners** Father Eugene

SECOND SUNDAY: APRIL 7 & 8

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Saturday 5:00PM Deacon Tom Pohlmeier, Tom & Paulette Spivey
Sunday 9:00AM Deacon Tom Pohlmeier, Kenneth & Lisa Vines

LECTORS:

Saturday 5:00PM Joyce Koch
Sunday 9:00AM Carl Stengel

ORGANIST & CANTOR:

Saturday 5:00PM Randy Edelhuber, Debbie Rainwater
Sunday 9:00AM Beth Ullrich, Betty Maddox

SERVERS:

Saturday 5:00PM Brooke, Luke & Lainey Rainwater
Sunday 9:00AM Sam, Madeline & Timothy Stengel

USHERS:

Saturday 5:00PM Mike & Jane Koehler, Jim & Charlotte Fletcher
Sunday 9:00AM Bill & Theresa Naegle, Joey Naegle, Raymond Sharum

GIFT BEARERS:

Saturday 5:00PM Raymond & Dottie Neumeier
Sunday 9:00AM Gary & Katie Simmons, Laverne Heilos

ROSARY:

Saturday 5:00PM
Sunday 9:00AM Marietta Schneider

COFFEE AND DONUTS next Sunday, April 8: Mother's Society (Laverne picks up donuts)

Feast Days This Week: The Octave of Easter; 4/6 (First Friday); 4/7 (First Saturday)

Mar 31/Apr 1:	Monthly collection for our school
April 3:	Lectio Eucharist at 6:00 at Tracy's home
April 4:	Religious Education classes for all in grades 2 – 12 at 6:30pm
April 8:	Easter Egg Hunt after 9:00 Mass Divine Mercy Chaplet & Benediction at 3:00pm
April 15:	First Communion followed by a potluck in the hall

The CYM is sponsoring an Easter Egg Hunt next Sunday after 9:00 Mass. All children 5th grade and under are invited to bring a basket and participate in the fun.

Six children will receive Jesus in the Eucharist for the first time at 9:00 Mass on April 15. All parishioners are invited to attend a brunch potluck immediately after Mass in the hall. If possible, please provide extra food since we don't want to ask the First Communicant families to bring anything.

CEMETERY MOWING WILL BEGIN SOON. If you have flower arrangements that you want to keep, please removed them. If they are fastened to the top of the tombstone they do not need to be removed.

Welcome to our newest advertiser on our bulletin, Alice Nahas. Alice is a certified Spiritual Director and walks with people on their spiritual journey. Alice's contact information is contained in her ad.

Names submitted to the **Prayer Chain**: Greg Schneider/death; Alice Johnson/death; Beth Lensing/health issues; Gary Fairbanks/injured in accident; Gertie Huck/in accident-broken bones; Marietta Schneider/hospital; Matthew Spivey/safe travel; Judy Shaw/heart surgery; Brother Ephrem/stroke; Julie Rochester/finger surgery; Bobby Sewell/stint; Stefan Savage/brain tumor surgery.

We welcome all visitors and invite newcomers to register at the church office where we would enjoy meeting you. If you regularly attend Mass at St. Joseph's and are not yet a registered parishioner but would like to be, please contact the church office at 963-2131.

St. Joseph School News

Please remember to clip Box Tops for Education, and save used ink cartridges for us!! We will collect Best Choice UPCs as long as you have them.

We are an Easter people, and ALLELUIA is our song.

Saint Pope John Paul II

HAPPY BIRTHDAY this week to Ryleigh Oates, Joyce Koch, Mary Farris, Liam Maddox, Finn McGarrah & Yazmin Koprovic.

*March 18 Coll.: Adult env. (55) \$3639. Children: \$13. Loose: \$440. Total: \$4092.

Misc. Inc.: Reimbursement: \$91.82. Ad: \$100. Hall rental: \$100. Candles: \$56. Mass stipends: \$30.

*March 25 Coll.: Adult env (51) \$2072. Children: \$6. Loose: \$376. Total: \$2454.

Misc. Income: Hall rental: \$50. Mass stipends: \$10. Candles: \$23.

March School Collection: \$947. Diocesan: (Catholic Relief Services): \$689.

Jordan (Vines) Devine is seeking someone to care for her baby when the 2018/2019 school term begins. If you or someone you know is interested, please contact Jordan at 518-1280.

APRIL BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE

Rita Robberson, Rita Rhineheart, Frances Rhineheart, Laura Rainwater, Debbie Rainwater, Rosalia Rainwater, Rhonda Rhein, Jessica Philmon, Kathy Schluterman, Tori Schluterman, Kecia Schluterman, Tracy Schluterman, Sandy Schluterman

INTENTION OF THE HOLY FATHER FOR APRIL

Universal: That economists have the courage to reject any economy of exclusion and know how to open new paths.

UPCOMING PILGRIMAGES

1) Fr. John Wakube, pastor at IC in No. LR will lead a 10 day Holy Land Pilgrimage Nov. 5, 2018. Included: accommodations in tourist class hotels, breakfast & dinner daily, sightseeing as per itinerary, motor coach, escort, transfers to & from international airports. Call Kathy Primm for info: 501-771-0987

2) Nazareth, Cana, Sea of Galilee, Jerusalem, Via Dolorosa and much more! Join us on a Pilgrimage to the Holy Land February 16-24, 2019 led by Fr. John Marconi and Dc. John Hall. A portion of the proceeds benefits The Catholic Schools of Arkansas Scholarship Fund. Contact Dc. John at 501-831-1762

3) 2019 Lenten Pilgrimage April 1-12, 2019. AR Catholic is hosting a 12-day pilgrimage to see the shrines of France, visiting Lourdes, Paris, Lisieux and Normandy landing beach. Fr. Tony Robbins will be the spiritual director. Single & double occupancy rooms available. Informational meeting at 3pm Sun, May 6 at St. John Center in LR. RSVP for the meeting at frenchpilgrimage2019.eventbrite.com. For details or to sign up, visit arkansas-catholic.org or call Kathy Primm at Sue Smith Vacations at (501) 771-0987

4) ARCatholic is hosting an 11-day pilgrimage June 17-27, 2020 to see the world-famous Passion Play in Oberammergau, Germany. This event only happens every 10 years so tickets are highly coveted. Pilgrims will also visit Austria, Switzerland & Lichtenstein. Fr. William Burmester will be the spiritual director. Single & double occupancy rooms available. Informational meeting at 4:30 pm Sunday, May 6 at St. John Center in LR. RSVP for the meeting at <https://2020pilgrims.eventbrite.com>. For details or to sign up, visit arkansas-catholic.org or call Kathy Primm at Sue Smith Vacations at (501) 771-0987.

Setting out together and walking hand in hand, putting yourselves in the Lord's powerful hands. That's what marriage is. (Pope Francis) **What have you done for your marriage today?**

"Think of what is above, not of what is on earth. (Colossians 3:2)

Today we thank God for His Son, Jesus, who died and rose for us. We celebrate and sing "*Alleluia*." Let's try to keep the joy of this Easter season in our hearts throughout the year. Pray daily and listen for how He is calling each of us to joyfully use our gifts to fulfill His salvation plan.

Thank you to all Stewards who "*joyfully used their gifts*" during the Holy Week and Easter services – those who graciously participated in the many extra ministries needed during Holy Week – extra lectors, washing of feet, serving at the altar, stripping the altar, staying to pray Holy Thursday night, putting candles in their holders for Easter Vigil, providing lilies and floral arrangements for around the altar, decorating church, providing music, plus many other small things that typically go unnoticed. It takes a village!!

HAPPY EASTER FROM ST. JOSEPH CHURCH & SCHOOL STAFF!!