

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**      **5/12/2019**      **St. Joseph Parish Paris, AR 72855**  
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 Principal: Shirley Kiefer      Phone: 479-963-2119      [saintjosephschoolar.org](http://saintjosephschoolar.org)  
 Confessions: Saturday 4:30PM & Sunday 8:30AM      [formed.org](http://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  
 Tuesday 6:30-7:30PM----- Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Mass Intentions			
5/13	Monday	NO MASS	
5/14	7:30pm Tuesday	+Marietta Schneider (Anniv 5/11)	Vicki Schneider
5/15	8:00am Wednesday	+Beth Lensing	Eileen Freeman
5/16	8:00am Thursday	+Vicki Young	Ronnie & Joyce Koch
5/17	8:00am Friday	+Emil Zeiler	Gerald & Rose Lasater
5/18	5:00pm Saturday	+ Living & Deceased Parishioners	Father Eugene
5/19	9:00am Sunday	Intentions of Laverne Heilos	Virginia Hardgrave

**THIRD SUNDAY: MAY 18 & 19:**  
**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:**

Saturday 5:00PM      Joyce Koch, Tom & Paulette Spivey  
 Sunday 9:00AM      Gary & Katie Simmons, Leigh Ann Askins

**LECTORS:**

Saturday 5:00PM      James Nehus  
 Sunday 9:00AM      Graduates

**ORGANIST & CANTOR:**

Saturday 5:00PM      Randy Edelhuber  
 Sunday 9:00AM      Jaime Jackson & Beth Ullrich

**SERVERS:**

Saturday 5:00PM      Tanner & Emerson Komp, Kanaan Nehus  
 Sunday 9:00AM      Reagan Lowery, Blaine Maddox, Annaleisa Bujarski

**USHERS:**

Saturday 5:00PM      Debbie Lowe, Racine & Mary Beth Nehus, Jason or Holly Komp  
 Sunday 9:00AM      Joe Bujarski, David & Rita Rhineheart, Beverly Nehus

**GIFT BEARERS:**

Saturday 5:00PM      Mike & Jane Koehler  
 Sunday 9:00AM      Graduates

**ROSARY:**

Saturday 5:00PM      Helen Thias  
 Sunday 9:00AM      Gary & Katie Simmons

COFFEE AND DONUTS IN THE HALL next Sunday: May 19: Betty Maddox (Brad picks up donuts)  
**Reception for graduates in the hall immediately after Mass.**

**Feast Days This Week:**5/13-Our Lady of Fatima; 5/14-St. Matthias; 5/15; St. Isidore; 5/18-St. Pope John I

May 11/12:	Parish Council nomination ballots are in the pews No Mother's Society meeting in May
May 18/19:	Parish Council voting begins Collection for the Catholic Communications Campaign
May 19:	8 <sup>th</sup> grade graduation & high school Baccalaureate Mass. Reception in the hall.
May 24:	Last day for students at St. Joseph School
May 25/26:	Parish Council voting ends

Next weekend the **Catholic Communication Campaign** will be collected - half stays in the Diocese to support our communications ministries, including the newspaper and websites. Your donation will make it possible for more than 700 complimentary *Arkansas Catholic* subscriptions to be given to churches, schools, prisons and to those who can't afford it. Please give generously.

May 5 Collection: Adult env (65) \$3649. Children: \$19. Loose: \$318. Total: \$3986.  
 Miscellaneous Income: Bulletin ads: \$200. VBS: \$100. Votive candles: \$13.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION FORMS ARE AT ALL DOORS OF CHURCH.**

It will be held June 10-14. VOLUNTEERS will be greatly needed!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY this week to Ray Pickartz, Austin Maddox, Jason Ullrich, Craig Schriver, Mary Smith, and Mary Beth Nehus,  
**SPECIAL BIRTHDAY WISHES TO LAVERNE HEILOS WHO TURNS 90 ON SUNDAY!!!**  
 HAPPY ANNIVERSARY to Shane & Carla Molton.

Are you enrolled in a college/university, pursuing a degree that would lead to lay ministry in the Church? \$1000 in scholarships from LR Scripture Study will be awarded to four applicants who qualify. If you are working toward a degree in theology, religious education, Scripture, liturgy, sacred music, canon law, pastoral administration, etc., apply by June 7. 501-664-6102 or [lrs@dolr.org](mailto:lrs@dolr.org)

*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**

**Our End-of-Year Spring Fling/Talent Show is this Wednesday, May 15, at 6pm in the hall.**  
The Student Council will have a **Bake Sale** after the program. Please come enjoy our students!!

The final **Awards Assembly** for 2018/2019 will be held in the cafeteria this Friday after Mass. Everyone is invited to attend as we recognize the achievements of our students.

May 24 is our last day of school here at St. Joseph's.

We are still collecting Box Tops for Education. They do have expiration dates on them. Also ink cartridges.

**Each day of our lives, we make deposits in the memory banks of our children.**

**2019 PRAISE AND WORSHIP CONFERENCE – “Created for Worship”:** Hosted by Our Lady of the Holy Souls/Diocese of LR Charismatic Renewal: June 14/15, 7-10 pm Fri & 9 am-10 pm on Sat. Keynote speaker: Josh Blakesley, international Catholic musician/songwriter, known for leading worship at Steubenville Conferences. Special worships for individuals serving in music ministry or those who would like to start a praise and worship ministry. Adults: \$35. Students: \$10. Family: \$50. Under age 18 must attend with an adult. Lodging: Diocese of LR Fletcher Hall dormitory: \$40 per night. For information, contact Susej, Pastoral Music Director, 501-663-8632. To register, visit [www.holysouls.org](http://www.holysouls.org).

**Special Thank You to Father Luke and the Parishioners of St. Joseph's** for letting us share about our “Build It and They Will Come” Capital Campaign for St. Leo the Great Catholic University Parish. We are so grateful for all you at St. Joseph's Parish for the many things you do for us. We couldn't do the many things we do without your support! Thank you! Please remember to pray for our efforts and our ministry. Your gift will be matched up to \$100,000, so prayerfully consider donating to our campaign. For updates on how everything is going or to donate online, please visit our website [www.stleosatu.org](http://www.stleosatu.org). God bless you!

St. Vincent de Paul (Rogers) Knights of Columbus is sponsoring a **display of the relic heart of St. John Vianney**, Patron Saint for Priests, **May 20**, 12-8 pm. Msgr. David LeSieur, pastor, has graciously said yes to celebrating a Mass at 6pm with Msgr. Friend concelebrating. All priests, deacons, and youth groups are invited to join in this blessed occasion. The presence of all Catholics is encouraged, especially young men discerning a priestly vocation. The relic will arrive at the church at noon and will be available for veneration until Mass and one hour after. St. John Vianney, pray for us!

**River Valley Catholic Youth Camp** will be held July 12-14 for those in grades 7-12. Makes plans NOW to keep those dates free!!! Counselors will be needed as well.

**Subiaco Summer Camp** for boys 9-13. June 16 - 22 or June 23 - 29. [www.CampSubiaco.org](http://www.CampSubiaco.org) or 934-1001

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“The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord.” (John 20:20) Jesus is present in your spouse. Rejoice when you see him/her!! **What have you done for your marriage today?** [www.foryourmarriage.org](http://www.foryourmarriage.org)  
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*“The disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit.” (Acts:13:52)*

The disciples heard Our Lord's call and were able to spread the Gospel message with strength and vitality. We too can experience that same joy if we make room for the Holy Spirit to fill our hearts. When we use our gifts in the way that God intends, He fills us with a supernatural joy – a joy that others notice and are attracted to.

Thank you to the many Stewards who made First Holy Communion such a joyful occasion. Thanks especially to Susan and Paula for preparing our children to receive this sacrament. There are always many “behind the scenes” Stewards for every event like this – those who decorate church and set up everything, those who decorate and set up the hall, those who prepare and provide the music, those who prepare and provide all the food, those who stay to clean up. Now, as the Christian family of these children, it is our privilege and duty to pray for them and help them as they continue their lives in Christ.