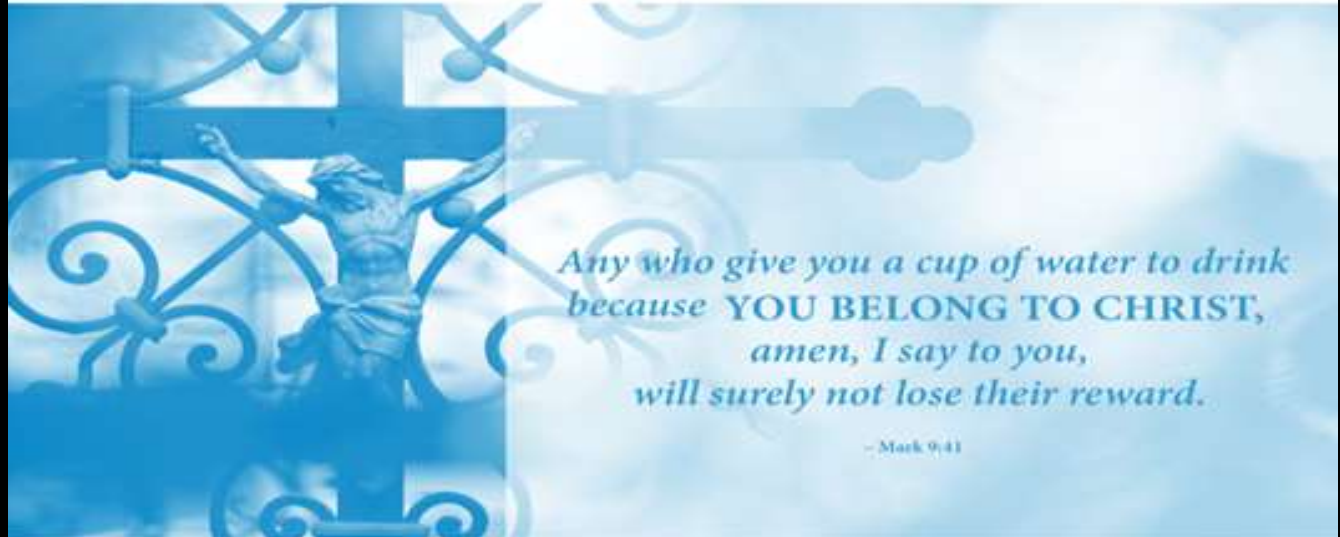


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SEPTEMBER 30, 2018 | TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



*Any who give you a cup of water to drink  
because **YOU BELONG TO CHRIST,**  
amen, I say to you,  
will surely not lose their reward.*

- Mark 9:41



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# Mass Schedule

## Mass Schedule

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	St. Joseph
Sunday	8:45 a.m.	St. Vincent
	10:30 a.m.	St. Joseph
	1:00 p.m.	St. Joseph (Spanish)
Monday	5:00 p.m.	St. Vincent
Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	St. Joseph
	5:00 p.m.	St. Joseph
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	St. Vincent
Thursday	No Mass	
Friday	8:30 a.m.	St. Joseph

## Confession Schedule

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	St. Joseph
Sunday	8:15 a.m.	St. Vincent
	2:00 p.m.	St. Joseph
Monday	Noon	St. Joseph
	5:30 p.m.	St. Vincent
Friday	Noon	St. Joseph

*By appointment anytime. Call Fr. Mike's cell phone at 812-391-0047.*

## Adoration Schedule

Mon. thru Fri.	Noon - 1:00 p.m.	St. Joseph
Monday	5:30 - 6:00 p.m.	St. Vincent
	6:00 - 7:00 p.m.	St. Joseph
1st Friday	9:00 a.m. Fri. - 9:00 a.m. Sat.	St. Joseph

## Rosary

Saturday	4:30 p.m.	St. Joseph
Wednesday	5:30 p.m.	St. Vincent



## Pet Blessing

Fr. Mike will bless pets this **Sunday, September 30th at 6:00 p.m.** in the green space at St. Joseph.

## Bulletin Submission

Please submit your **written** and **email** items for the bulletin by **9:00 a.m. on Monday**. Please send to: [Bulletin@sjsshelbyville.org](mailto:Bulletin@sjsshelbyville.org) All items must be received by **9:00 a.m. on Monday** in order to be included in the bulletin for the following weekend. Thank you!

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## Mass Intentions For The Week

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>September 29, 2018</b>
5:00 pm	Don Mallory
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>September 30, 2018</b>
8:45 am	Judy Runnebohm
10:30 am	Ruth Huesman
1:00 pm	For All Human Life
<b>Monday</b>	<b>October 1, 2018</b>
5:00 pm	Martha Keith
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>October 2, 2018</b>
8:30 am	Mary Stadtmiller
5:00 pm	Frank Schonfeld
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>October 3, 2018</b>
8:00 am	St. Anthony
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>October 4, 2018- No Mass</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>October 5, 2018</b>
8:30 am	For the Parishioners' Intentions
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>October 6, 2018</b>
8:30 am	For the Unborn and an end to Abortion
5:00 pm	Joseph "Jim" Ryan
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>October 7, 2018</b>
8:45 am	Francis, Margaret, Bill and Mark Rosenfeld
10:30 am	Ronald Ferguson
1:00 pm	For Respect of All Life



## Pro-Life Rosary

Beginning Tuesday, October 2nd and every Tuesday thru October 30th, we will pray the rosary at St. Joseph at 4:30 p.m. before the 5:00 p.m. Mass for an end to abortion and for respect for all life from conception to natural death.

## Readings for the week of September 30 - October 7

<b>Sunday:</b>	Nm 11:25-19; Ps 19:8, 10, 12-14; Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48
<b>Monday:</b>	Jb 1:6-22; Ps 17:1bcd-3, 6-7; Lk 9:46-50
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23; Ps 88:2-8; Mt 18:1-5, 10
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Jb 9:1-12, 14-16; Ps 88:10bc-15; Lk 9:57-62
<b>Thursday:</b>	Jb 19:21-27; Ps 27:7-9abc, 13-14; Lk 10:1-12
<b>Friday:</b>	Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5; Ps 139:1-3, 7-10, 13-14ab; Lk 10:13-16
<b>Saturday:</b>	Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Ps 119:66, 71, 75, 91, 125, 130; Lk 10:17-24
<b>Sunday:</b>	Gn 2:18-24; Ps 128:1-6; Heb 2:9-11; Mk 10:2-16 [2-12]

## From the Desk of Fr. Mike

Mark your calendars:

- ⇒ Oktoberfest—Sat., Sept. 29 5-11 pm
- ⇒ Pet Blessing—Sun., Sept. 30 at 6 pm in the green space at St. Joe
- ⇒ 24 Hour 1st Friday Adoration—Fri., Oct. 5 (9 am) thru Sat., Oct. 6 (8:30 am). Please take an hour. If you're too busy for to spend and hour with Jesus, you're too busy.
- ⇒ Rummage Sale at SV—Fri., Oct. 5 & Sat., Oct. 6, 7 am-2 pm
- ⇒ Deacon Tom's book study—Starting in Oct. on Wednesdays and Sundays (see page 9)
- ⇒ Middle School Youth Group—Starting Fri., Oct. 5, Middle School Youth Group will meet every Friday from 6:30-8 pm. Until now, we've had middle school youth group only once a month. Not enough! We will now have it once a week. Come as you can. It's lots of fun! Since it is also formational, middle schoolers should attend at least twice a month during their middle school years before applying for Confirmation preparation as freshmen.
- ⇒ Mass & Pilgrimage for Life—Sat., Oct. 6, Mass at 8:30 am and pilgrimage to Planned Parenthood following. Back here by noon. I'll be driving the bus.
- ⇒ National Rosary Rally—Sat., Oct 13 @ Noon, at St. Joe. We will be one of 23,000 sites across the nation to have a public rosary. We will pray in reparation for the sins of our country and for conversion. More info: Fran Chigi at 248-318-4345
- ⇒ Mental Health Mass—Sun., Oct. 14 @ 2 pm SS Francis & Clare (5901 W Olive Branch Rd, Greenwood, IN 46143). A lot of people suffer a lot from mental health issues. All are welcome to attend this special Mass to pray God's grace upon all those who are suffering
- ⇒ Fall Work Day—Sat., Oct. 20, 8 am-noon. We will repaint the basement and continue work at the cemetery.
- ⇒ All Saints and All Souls Days—Nov. 1 and 2. We will have a trunk-or-treat on Oct. 31, after the Vigil Mass where kids dress as saints!
- ⇒ Reverse Raffle—Sat., Nov 3. Details later
- ⇒ All Souls Cemetery Blessing—Sun., Nov. 4 at 11:45 am. We will do this after the 10:30 am Mass that day, the first Sunday in All Souls Month
- ⇒ Marian Consecration Group Starts—Nov. 9, 6 pm. Consecration takes place Dec. 12.

I'm sure there's more coming later....stay tuned.

My prayers and love!  
Fr. Mike

## Ask Fr. Mike

**Q.** I have noticed in many bishops' signatures that a "+" appears in front of their name. Does this have a specific meaning, and is this reserved just for bishops? *Ethan A*

**A.** Yes, this is reserved to bishops. Cardinals and popes, of course, are also bishops, so they do it, too. It is first of all a reminder of the cross that the bishop takes up in his office. And they have a big cross, the bishops. We must pray for them. The "+" is also just a nice, handy abbreviation.

**Q.** Why do we wear our ashes from Ash Wednesday into public and have the parishes name on random act of kindness cards? I thought we weren't supposed to be boastful about our faith. *Anonymous*

**A.** This is true, we should not be boastful and we should be humble always. Jesus tells us in Matthew 6 to pray, fast and give alms in secret. We should do that. However, Jesus also tells us in Matthew 5:16: "Let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in Heaven." We should be proud to be Catholic. It is good to wear scapulars and crucifixes, ashes on Ash Wednesday, St. Joe clothing apparel, etc. It is good to be a walking billboard for Jesus, to wear him confidently. We probably act better when we are wearing such holy things, too. And those good deeds—those we must "wear," too. If we live good lives, filled with love, and have Catholic stuff all over us, people will realize just how wonderful our faith really is. They will see it being humbly lived out by someone they know.

**Q.** How is your training coming along?

**A.** Very well. I'm following a training schedule. It is hard! The hardest part is finding the time.

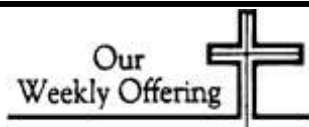
**Mass Card**

I went to Mass on 9-23-18.

What I heard God telling me at Mass was:  
Pride gets in  
out way.

My Mass intention was:  
Tyler

## St. Joseph News



### **September 23, 2018 - Sunday Collection**

Budgeted Sunday Collection: \$ 14,200.00

Total Sunday Collection: \$ 15,684.20

Sunday's Surplus (Deficit): \$ 1,484.20

### **Year-To-Date Collection**

YTD Collection Budget: \$ 184,600.00

YTD Collection Total: \$ 181,888.43

YTD Surplus (Deficit): \$ (2,711.57)

Thanks for your generosity! It is amazing what God can do when we are generous. Please be sure to remember St. Joseph Parish in your will!



### Daughters of Isabella

The D of I will meet on **Tuesday, October 9th** for a Business Meeting at 7:00 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall.



### Prayer Requests

If you would like to place a name on our Bulletin Prayer List, please send an email with your loved one's name along with your name and phone number to

[Bulletin@sjsshelbyville.org](mailto:Bulletin@sjsshelbyville.org) or call the Parish office at 317-398-8227. We will only place the name of the person, for whom we are praying, in the bulletin. Be sure you have their permission before submitting their name.

### Please Remember in Your Prayers:

Colleen Hradnansky

Alex Kalsxheur

Tammy Jones

Sloan

Dottie Soller

### National Rosary Rally

On **Saturday, October 13th at 12:00 p.m.**

**(NOON)** our Parish Community will be one of 23,000 sites across the nation to host a Public Square Rosary Rally in front of the Church on Broadway. Our intentions will be in reparation for the sins of our nation and for conversion of the United States. Sign up in the narthex, the first 50 participants will receive a Fatima 100 year commemorative Rosary on the day of the Rally. Questions: call Fran Chigi at 248-318-4345.



### Not Against Us

Like Moses before him, Jesus corrects his disciples' misunderstanding of the gift of the Spirit. They saw people who were not of their company casting out demons and doing other works such as Jesus had done. Jesus points out that no one who does a good deed in his name can be opposed to him at the same time. He goes on to point out the importance of the "little ones": the poor, simple people, children, the meek ones who are not important in the world. It is to them that he was sent, not to the wealthy and the self-righteous. He underscores the importance of small works done in faith, as well as big works like driving out demons. "Anyone who gives you a cup of water . . . because you belong to Christ . . . will surely not lose his reward" (Mark 9:41). God builds the coming reign little by little in our actions, however small and unassuming, when they are done out of love of God and neighbor.



### Monday Morning Bible Study

There will be **NO Bible Study on Monday, October 1st** because the St. Vincent Parish Hall is being used to prepare for the rummage sale on Friday and Saturday.

## St. Joseph News

### St. Joseph's School Library

If you would like to support St. Joseph's Library by purchasing an Honorary Bookplate. Please fill out the form in the Church's pews and place the card and your check for \$20.00 in an envelope and drop it in the offertory basket (be sure to mark the envelope St. Joe School Library) or drop it off or mail it to: St. Joseph School, 127 East Broadway Street, Shelbyville, IN 46176.



### Mental Illness and Families

People with mental illness and their families often feel isolated from their faith community and thus isolated from God. Isolation is often caused by the stigma of the disease, or fear of being judged as inadequate or weak willed, or the misperception that God is punishing them because they did something wrong, or the communities misperception of what mental illness is and how it affects the individual and their families. As a healing community we can support people with mental illness and their families with unconditional non-judgmental love in the following ways: increase our awareness of mental illness and where to get help; offer prayers and support to individuals and families who are affected by mental illness; serve on parish committees for outreach to individuals and families, get involved in peer to peer ministry; and work on the justice issues affecting mental health care.

### Today's Readings

**First Reading** — Moses said, "Would that all the people of the LORD were prophets!" (Numbers 11:25-29).

**Psalms** — The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart (Psalm 19)

**Second Reading** — Come now, you rich. The wages you withheld from the workers who harvested your fields are crying aloud (Jason 5:1-6).

**Gospel** — Whoever is not against us is for us (Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48).



### PTO Fundraisers

St. Joseph School PTO greatly appreciates your support.

### Mickey's T-Mart

Please bring receipts from Mickey's T-Mart to the St. Joseph School Office or put in the Mickey's T-Mart drop boxes in Church. These receipts help our PTO earn points which we can turn in and receive needed educational learning materials for our school! Be sure to save the receipts from family members and friends!

### Kroger

Kroger has provided our school with a great and easy fundraising opportunity. If you go online and register your Kroger Plus card, St. Joseph PTO will receive money based on certain purchases you make. **You must re-enroll your card each year.** Please go online and re-enroll today at [krogercommunityrewards.com](http://krogercommunityrewards.com).

### Box Tops for Education

Have you been saving your Box Tops? If you would like to help our PTO earn cash, please clip the Box Tops from hundreds of products (cereal boxes, baking products, Ziplocs, etc.) and put them in our collection boxes.

### Gift Bearers Sign-up Sheet

A sign-up sheet for Gift Bearers is in St. Joseph Church's Narthex. If the Mass Intention is for a family member or friend and you would like to bring the wine and hosts to the altar, please sign-up for that date. Two Gift Bearers are needed. If the date is not filled before Mass and you would like to be a Gift Bearer, please sign-up before Mass. If you are a Gift Bearer, please go to the back of Church to the Narthex after the petitions are read to be ready to carry gifts when Father comes before the altar to receive the gifts.

### Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors and Ushers

The Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors and Ushers schedules for October, November and December 2018 are available on the wall display at St. Joseph in the Narthex.

## St. Joseph News



### Monday thru Saturday

Lunch from 11:00 am - 1:00 p.m.  
Phone: 317-398-9914

### Dinners

Friday evening from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.  
2nd Sunday of each month from 11:00 - 1:00 p.m.

### Wing and Shrimp Night

Wednesday evening from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.  
Served Hot, Honey Garlic and BBQ

### Bingo

Thursday evening from 7:00 - 10:00 p.m.

### Golf League

Tuesday evening 5:30 pm at Bear Chase

### Knights of Columbus Meeting Dates

Council Meeting: 8:15 pm: (1st & 3rd Wednesday)  
Finance Meeting: 7:00 pm: (1st Wednesday)  
Columbian Homes Mtg.: 7:00 pm: (3rd Wednesday)

## Church Women United

Church Women United of Shelby County will meet at the Knights of Columbus Hall on **Friday, October 5th** at 9:00 a.m. to elect and install officers. Breakfast is optional at a cost of \$7.00. All Ladies of St. Joseph and St. Vincent Parishes are invited and encouraged to attend this annual gathering.



## St. Joe Society Club

The St. Joe Social Club will meet on **Monday, October 15th** at the Knights of Columbus. Doors will open at 11:15 a.m. with lunch being served at 12:00 noon. Cost is \$12.00. Fried Chicken will be the entrée served at lunch along with delicious sides and salads. Reservation or cancellations must be made by 12:00 noon on Wednesday, October 10th by calling Peggy Forrest at 317-398-0084. Come join us and meet new friends or visit with old friends. Please remember to bring canned or non-perishable food items for the Salvation Army Food Pantry.

## St. Joseph News

### Collection Counters Schedule

October	1	Nancy Nolting's Team
October	8	Betsy Stephen's Team
October	15	Teresa Wood's Team
October	22	Tom Duvelius' Team

### Upcoming Events/Meetings

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>
September 30	6:00 p.m.	Pet Blessing
October 1	10:00 a.m.	<b>NO</b> Bible Study at St. V.
October 1	6:00 p.m.	Adoration
October 1	7:00 p.m.	RCIA at St. V.
October 3	6:30 p.m.	Fall Book Study
October 5	9:00 a.m.	Frist Friday/24 Hour Adoration
October 5	6:30 p.m.	MS Youth Group
October 6	9:30 a.m.	Bus Trip to PHH
October 7	11:45 a.m.	Fall Book Study
October 7	4:00 p.m.	Confirmation Prep. at St. V.

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

#### Month of October:

#### Saturday Mass at 5:00 p.m.

**Host:** Paul Nolting, Tom Toll and Marilyn Williamson

**Cup:** Leroy Martin, Mary Ann Tuner, Camille Woods and Pat Cassidy

#### Sunday Mass at 10:30 a.m.

**Host:** Becky Boyd, Clare Delaney and Mary Kay Hart

**Cup:** Pauline and Steve Lancaster, Jerry J. Lux and Bob Carmony

#### LECTORS - October 6 & 7

#### Saturday Mass at 5:00 p.m.

Dan Wickizer and Jessica Zuroske

#### Sunday Mass at 10:30 a.m.

Viola Miller and E. Ann Myers

#### USHERS - Month of October:

#### Saturday Mass at 5:00 p.m.

Brad and Jill Jones and Steve Woods

#### Sunday Mass at 10:30 a.m.

Ed and Sara Moody, Matt Settles and Bryan Waltz

#### MUSIC SCHEDULE - October 6 & 7

#### Saturday Mass at 5:00 p.m.

Curtis and Angie Davies

#### Sunday Mass at 10:30 a.m.

Richard Gray

## St. Vincent News

### Sr. Joan's Corner

Dear Parishioners,

In this Sunday's readings, Jesus answers the question of who's in and who's out. The disciples said, "If he is not one of us, he cannot do good". Jesus corrects them: "Whoever is not against us is for us." In effect, Jesus is saying that anyone who does good is with Christ. You certainly don't have to be Catholic to be a good person. You don't even have to be Christian to be a good person. Although I will have to add that it is much easier to be good with all the helps we have in the Catholic Church.

Jesus does give a strong warning to those who mistreat or even give bad example to little ones. "It would be better for him if a great millstone were put around his neck and he were thrown into the sea." So many children in this world are mistreated and abused. This week as you take time to pray, pray for abused and suffering children and the people who abuse them. May such atrocities end. Also thank God for all the children in your life, whether they are your children or grandchildren or just children that you know that they will grow into faith-filled young adults.

Sr. Joan

We joyfully share our gifts to nourish the community. ---- St. Vincent Purpose Statement



### September 23, 2018

Sunday Collection:	\$ 5,125.00
Children Collection:	\$ 7.00



### Praying the Rosary

Please join us to pray the rosary at St. Vincent Church on **Wednesday, October 3rd at 5:30 p.m.** at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Fields or in the Parish Hall if weather is inclement.

### St. Vincent Religious Education

St. Vincent Religious Education for Pre-school thru 8th grade will have classes on **Wednesday, October 3rd at 6:15 p.m.**

### Salvation Army Dinner

St Vincent will be hosting the Salvation Army Dinner on **Sunday, October 14th**. The menu will be fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, rolls, applesauce and dessert. Drinks are lemonade and iced tea; the Salvation Army provides coffee.

Donations needed:

- 8 - 48 oz. jars of Applesauce
- 2 - 1 gallon Arizona Sweet Tea
- 1 - 1 gallon Arizona Unsweet Tea
- 2 - 2 liters of Lemonade
- Desserts - 7 to serve/15 each

If you would like to donate any of the above items, or help set up and/or serve on October 14th, please call Jean Adams (317) 696-0778 or Joyce Ford (317) 392-4210. Thank you for your generous support.

### October Newsletter

The October Newsletter is in the racks at St. Vincent's Church. Please take one and pass one onto a friend.

### Second Wednesday Fellowship

First Wednesday coffee and doughnuts at St. Vincent will be moved to the **second Wednesday, October 10th** at St. Vincent's Parish Hall following the 8:00 a.m. Mass. Please come join us!



### St. Ann Fall Rummage Sale

St. Vincent's St. Ann Fall Rummage Sale will be next **Friday and Saturday, October 5th – 6th from 7:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** in the St. Vincent Parish Hall. We will begin taking the rummage to the Hall on Saturday, September 29th. If you can help on the 29th or any day beginning Monday, October 1st to sort the rummage or on October 5th and 6th, please contact Eileen Settles at 765-525-9956. Help with clean up on Saturday is particularly needed. Baked goods are also needed and may be brought to the Hall the week of the sale. Your generosity helps provide the needs of Mass supplies, the St. Vincent de Paul Society, disabled Veterans and many needy families in our community.

## Faith Formation is for Everyone at SV & SJ!!

**Preschool through 5th Grade** go to one or more of the following:

- St. Joe School
- English Family Faith Formation meets on 2nd Saturdays starting with 5 pm Mass until 7:30 pm. The dates are: Aug. 11, Sept. 8, Oct. 13, Nov. 10, Dec. 8, Jan. 12, Feb. 9, Mar. 9, Apr. 13, & May 11. Parents join also.
- Spanish Family Faith Formation meets on 1st Sundays from 11:30 am through the 1 pm Mass. The dates are: Aug. 5, Sept. 2, Oct. 7, Nov. 4, Dec. 2, Jan. 6, Feb. 3, Mar. 3, Apr. 7, & May 5. Parents join also.
- Wednesday evening Religious Ed at St. Vincent
- As a supplement, Children's Liturgy of the Word also takes place every Sunday during the 10:30 am Mass. All preschoolers, kindergartners, and first graders are welcome!

**Middle Schoolers** go to either or both of these:

- Middle School Youth Group at St. Joseph. Every Friday night at 6:30 pm until 8 pm starting October 5th. Come as you can. It's lots of fun! Since it is also formational, middle schoolers should attend at least twice a month during their middle school years before applying for Confirmation preparation as freshmen.
- Wednesday night Religious Ed at St. Vincent

**Confirmation Candidates** (generally HS freshmen) go to Confirmation Preparation. St. Joe and St. Vincent are doing Confirmation preparation together this year, so we rotate our meeting space. We meet twice a month. First Sundays we meet at St. Vincent and Third Sundays we meet at St. Joseph.

- Dates: Aug. 19 SJ, Sept. 2 SV, Aug. 16 SJ, Oct. 7 SV, Oct. 21 SJ, Nov. 4 SV, Nov. 18 SJ, Dec. 2 SV, Dec. 16 SJ, Jan. 6 (no class), Jan. 20 SJ, Feb. 3 SV, Feb. 17 SJ, Mar. 3 SV, Mar. 17 SJ, Apr. 7 SV, Apr. 21 SJ, May 5 SV.
- Retreat and service hour dates TBA

**High Schoolers** go to HS Youth Group

- Every Sunday from 6 - 7:30 pm. Come as you can.
- Trips, service projects, etc. as announced

**Adults** take part in Adult Faith Formation Programs, such as

- Fr. Mike's weekly Bible study on Mondays at St. Vincent Parish Hall at 10 am
- Deacon Tom's Fall Book Study (see pg. 9)
- RCIA every Monday at 7 pm at St. Vincent



## Evangelization

Catholics Come Home is one of the many programs seen on EWTN. Host Tom Peterson talks with many people who have been away and have come back to the Catholic Church. The week of October 7th, Tom's guest will be a member of St. Joseph Parish, Edy Ballard. She will share the story of her faith journey back to Jesus and his Church. This program airs on Sundays at 8:30 p.m., on Mondays at 6:30 p.m. and Saturdays at 5:30 a.m. Thank you Edy, for the courage to share your journey with us.

## Students and Others

Receive the St. Joseph/St. Vincent de Paul bulletin by email. Please stay in touch with your parish during your new school year, or if you are homebound or are not able to pick up the bulletin, we will send the bulletin to you each week. Please sign up by providing your email address to jimcarrier1@gmail.com You can unsubscribe anytime.

## Youth Group Meeting Schedule

September 30 - 6 p.m. Youth Group Meeting

October 7 - 6 p.m. Youth Group Meeting



## 40 Days of Life

Our Respect Life Ministry for St. Joseph and St. Vincent's Parishes will be hosting a bus trip to Planned Parenthood on **Saturday, October 6th**, located on Georgetown Road in Indianapolis. Fr. Mike will celebrate Mass at 8:30 a.m. for the unborn and to end abortion then we will board the bus, which will be driven by Fr. Mike, and head to Indianapolis to cover PPH in silent prayer and the rosary. We will be back to Shelbyville by noon. Respect Life Sunday is October 7th so this serves a dual purpose. May we again use our worldwide 40 Days for Life campaign to shine a light on the darkness of abortion, and continue our mission of evangelization by working to end this evil. — Respect Life Ministry



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## St. Joseph and St. Vincent Rite of Christian Initiation

RCIA classes for St. Joseph and St. Vincent will be held jointly on **Monday, October 1st at 7:00 p.m. at St. Vincent**. There is no fee for these classes. Contact either Parish Office: St. Joseph at 317-398-8227 or St. Vincent at 317-398-4028 if you have questions or want to register. It is not too late to invite friends, family and neighbors who may be interested in learning more about our faith.



## Fall Book Study

The Fall Book Study is *My Life with the Saints*, by Fr. James Martin, SJ. Classes will be held each Sunday and Wednesday for six weeks beginning on **Wednesday, October 3rd** at 7:00 p.m. and **Sunday, October 7th** at 11:45 a.m. (ending on November 7th &

11th). You may attend either class or both classes each week. Classes will meet in the St. Joseph School cafeteria.

There are three registration options: 1) The St. Joseph Parish website; 2) Email me at [thill@sjsshelbyville.org](mailto:thill@sjsshelbyville.org); 3) Call me at (812) 343-1749 (leave a message). Please, indicate whether you plan to attend the Wednesday or Sunday class. The book can be purchased on the internet via the following website address: <https://www.loyolapress.com/my-life-with-the-saints-by-james-martin-sj-hc.htm>. The study guide is available via the same web page. The study guide will, also, be posted on the St. Joseph Parish website. If you want to purchase a book but do not have Internet access, indicate that when you register by phone. You will be assisted with ordering the book.

If you cannot commit to attending the study classes, you are welcome and encouraged to purchase the book to study on your own, as a family or as an independent study group. In advance of the first class, please read Chapters 1-3 and prepare your answers to the questions for Week 1 of the study guide.



## SVDP Weekend Blessing

This weekend we will receive a blessing from our Lord at the weekend masses. We appreciate Fr. Keucher and Deacon Hill for making this happen. SVDP wishes to recognize all of those that are supporting us in so many different ways. Thank you so much.

Meetings are the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month at St. Vincent's Parish Hall at 6:30 p.m.  
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