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TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

From the beginning of creation,  
God made them male and female.  
For this reason a man shall  
leave his father and mother  
and be joined to his wife, and  
the two shall become one flesh.

MARK 10:6-8

OCTOBER 7, 2018

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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

## Mass Intentions For The Week

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>October 6, 2018</b>
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
<b>Monday</b>	<b>October 8, 2018</b>
5:00 pm	Ray Runnebohm
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>October 9, 2018</b>
8:30 am	Peggy Wright
5:00 pm	Lou Ann and Gary Ryhal
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>October 10, 2018</b>
8:00 am	Daniel Pollman
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>October 11, 2018- No Mass</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>October 12, 2018</b>
8:30 am	Kenny Fullenkamp
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>October 13, 2018</b>
5:00 pm	Naomi Woods
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>October 14, 2018</b>
8:45 am	Anthony R. Lux
10:30 am	Beverly Brennan
1:00 pm	Isaac Hernandez

## 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.



## 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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## Readings for the week of October 7 - October 14

<b>Sunday:</b>	Gn 2:18-24; Ps 128:1-6; Heb 2:9-11; Mk 10:2-16 [2-12]
<b>Monday:</b>	Gal 1:6-12; Ps 111:1b-2, 7-9, 10c; Lk 10:25-37
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Gal 1:13-24; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-15; Lk 10:38-42
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Gal 2:1-2, 7-14; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Lk 11:1-4
<b>Thursday:</b>	Gal 3:1-5; Lk 1:69-75; Lk 11:5-13
<b>Friday:</b>	Gal 3:7-14; Ps 111:1b-6; Lk 11:15-26
<b>Saturday:</b>	Gal 3:22-29; Ps 105:2-7; Lk 11:27-28
<b>Sunday:</b>	Wis 7:7-11; Ps 90:12-17; Heb 4:12-13; Mk 10:17-30 [17-27]

## From the Desk of Fr. Mike

Dear Friends,

**Oktoberfest**—Many thanks to all who were here for the second annual Oktoberfest last Saturday. What a crowd! Well over 500 people attended. I was happy to see so many folks here. The mayor attended, as did my former pastor at OLG (Msgr. Mark), seminarians, and friends and family from all over. What a joy to come together. The main point of the Oktoberfest is to all come together and have a good time and rejoice in the Lord. Special thanks to those who worked so hard to make it so wonderful. The proceeds fund all kinds of newer things, such as our youth ministry programs and St. Vincent de Paul Society. It also helps cover general operating costs.

**The Penitential Act**—You know that, at Mass, before we all sit to hear the readings, there is the time to remember our venial sins and ask God's forgiveness. There are three ways we do this, and most people are familiar with two of them. The first is the Confiteor ("I confess, to Almighty God, and to you.....") The other way most people know about is when the priest or deacon leads everyone in three invocations ("You were sent to heal the contrite of heart, Lord have mercy"). But there is a third way that few people know about. Since it is part of the Mass, though, I think we should start using it from time to time. It goes like this:

Priest: "Brothers and sisters, let us acknowledge our sins and so prepare ourselves...."

Priest: "Have mercy on us, O Lord."

People: "**For we have sinned against you.**"

Priest: "Show us, O Lord, your mercy."

People: "**And grant us your salvation.**"

Priest: "May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life."

We'll start that next week. Practice!! Side note: Mortal sins (e.g., the breaking of any of the commandments, including missing a Sunday Mass except when there is grave reason such as illness) must be brought to confession before one should receive communion. This has always been Church teaching (CCC 1415, 2181). Sadly many don't seem to know or follow this these days. As a priest, I must assume that everyone is in a state of grace when he/she comes to communion. If you are not in a state of grace, please go to confession. It is your responsibility.

My prayers and love!  
Fr. Mike

## Ask Fr. Mike

Q: I was divorced many years ago. I did not file for it and I have not remarried. What is the church's stance on me receiving the sacraments? *Anonymous*

A: Fr. Kenneth Doyle in the *Criterion* just answered a very similar question last week. Let me quote him because he deals with this question well:

"Yes, in your present situation you may continue to receive the sacraments. Many people are under the misimpression that a divorce by itself separates a person from membership in the Catholic Church and disqualifies that person from receiving holy Communion. That is not so; sometimes the end of a marriage can occur with little or no fault on the part of at least one of the spouses.

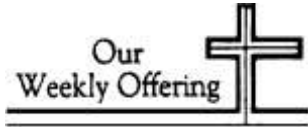
"And since you have been to the sacrament of penance, I am going to assume that you've already confessed whatever may have been your own responsibility for the breakup.

"Your divorce does not prohibit you from friendships with women or female companionship. But if you were to become involved sexually with someone to whom you were not married in the Church, you would not, of course, be eligible to receive the Eucharist because, in the Church's eyes, you would be living in the state of serious sin.

"If you are considering a new romantic relationship, why not see a priest and look into the possibility of an annulment of your first marriage so that the way would be clear—if you decided—to marry that person with the Church's approval?"

<h1>Mass Card</h1>
I went to Mass on <u>Sept. 29</u>
What I heard God telling me at Mass was: <u>To go to the Oktoberfest</u>
My Mass intention was: <u>My Mom and Dad</u>

## St. Joseph News



### **September 30, 2018 - Sunday Collection**

Budgeted Sunday Collection: \$ 14,200.00

Total Sunday Collection: \$ 13,092.21

Sunday's Surplus (Deficit): \$ 1,107.79

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

YTD Collection Budget: \$ 198,800.00

YTD Collection Total: \$ 194,980.64

YTD Surplus (Deficit): \$ (3,819.36)

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!

## 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.



## 2018 Confirmation Class

**Congratulations** to all of our young adults from St. Joseph and St. Vincent who received the Sacrament of Confirmation from Archbishop Thompson on Wednesday, September 26th at SS. Peter and Paul Cathedral: Belen Aguilar, Ethan Apsley, David Beyer, Austin Blocher, Ethan Bohman, Arturo Bramasco, Carly Buckley, Megan Collins, Grace Coomes, Logan Cord, Abraham Cuautle, Drake Deak, Ainsley Denton, Daniel Duffy, Austin Dwenger, Jessica Eads, Uriel Esquivel, Trevor File, Clarice Fischer, Jeremiah Geise, Joleigh Geise, Michelle Gil, Michael Granados, Brooke Haney, Jose Hernandez, Kayleigh Kieninger, Katie Kuhn, Michael Lay, Jillian Linville, Michael Luciano, Hannah Lux, Joseph Lux, Tracey Makowski, Mayra Martinez-Teles, Austin Perry, Audrey Reinhart, Eduardo Robledo, Cameron Rodgers, Kevin Rosales, Aldair Salvatierra, Reid Schene, Maggie Schweitzer, Lauryn Thomas, Evan Van Wye, Kenny Velez, Alexa Virgen, Andrew Walke, Alexandra Watson, Emma Weintraut.



# St. Joseph News

## St. Joseph School Reverse Raffle!

Please mark your calendar! The Annual St. Joseph Reverse Raffle will be on Saturday, November 3rd after the 5:00 p.m. Mass.



## 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

At this point the specific goals for the Faith Community can be outlined. Some suggested beginnings are:

- Plan an educational evening with a speaker, video, or panel discussion regardless issues facing persons with a mental illness and their families.
- Have groups or organizations in the parish community meet to discuss further steps to be taken.
- Invite a group of parish leaders to develop this ministry.

There will be a special Mass for those affected by Mental Illness on **Sunday, October 14th at 2:00 p.m.** at SS. Francis and Clare Parish, 5901 W. Olive Branch Rd., Greenwood.

Questions: Contact Keri Carroll at 317-236-1521 or kcarroll@archindy.

## Today's Readings

**First Reading** — The man said, "This one is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; this one shall be called 'woman' " (Genesis 2:18-24).

**Psalms** — May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives (Psalm 128).

**Second Reading** — He who consecrates and those who are being consecrated all have one origin (Hebrews 2:9-11).

**Gospel** — Whoever does not accept the kingdom of God like a child shall not enter it (Mark 10:2-16 [2-12]).



## 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.



## He Embraced Them and Blessed Them

Today Jesus stresses how children embody the reign of God. They are trusting and loving and have hearts that are open to love. They are joyful when they are made aware of God's love for them, and are eager to return that love. This is the model Jesus holds out to us if we want to welcome the reign of God. We need to have open, loving hearts. We must drop our defenses, however we came by them, and welcome Christ's love for us with joy. This is impossible for us on our own. Only the grace of God will enable us to do this, but that grace is freely and generously given. We have only to accept it.

## 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)

## Knights of Columbus Chicken Dinner

Come join us next Sunday for the Second Sunday Chicken Dinner at the Knights of Columbus for a delicious Fried Chicken Dinner from **11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. on Sunday, October 14th.** Cost is \$10.00.

## 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.



## St. Joe Social 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	9	Betsy Stephen's Team
October	15	Teresa Wood's Team
October	22	Tom Duvelius' Team
October	29	Nancy Nolting's Team

### Upcoming Events/Meetings

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>
October 7	11:45 a.m.	Fall Book Study
October 7	4:00 p.m.	Confirmation Prep. at St. V.
October 8	10:00 a.m.	Fr. Mike's Bible Study at St. V.
October 8	6:00 p.m.	Adoration
October 8	7:00 p.m.	RCIA at St. V.
October 9	6:00 p.m.	School Comm. Mtg.
October 9	7:00 p.m.	PTO Mtg.
October 9	6:30 p.m.	SVDP Society Mtg.
October 9	7:00 p.m.	D of I Mtg.
October 10	6:30 p.m.	Fall Book Study
October 12	6:30 p.m.	MS Youth Group
October 13	6:00 p.m.	Family Faith Form.
October 14	11:45 a.m.	Fall Book Study

### EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

#### Month of October:

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

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

**Cup:** Leroy Martin, Mary Ann Turner, 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 13 & 14

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

Alice Brown and Diane Gardner

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

Jean Adams and Jack Boyce

#### 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 13 & 14

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

Steve Keucher

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

No Music

# St. Vincent News

## Sr. Joan's Corner

Dear Parishioners,

On first glance at the readings this week we say these readings are about marriage and to some extent they are, but I want to go a little deeper. I think they also remind all of us that it is not good for us to be alone. We just need to look at God. God is a Trinity—a deep relationship of love among the Three. Even a single person needs a relationship with God and a relationship with some good close friends. We often think that marriage is a mirror of the Trinity with husband, wife and child. Not many marriages mirror this. I think that the marriage that mirrors the Trinity is the husband, wife and God. God is love! God is the love that keeps husband and wife together. Some wives expect their husbands to fulfill their every need and some husbands expect their wives to do the same for them. I believe that those expectations are unreal unless they both rely upon God to be a part of their marriage and to fill up what is lacking in both of them. This week as you take time to pray, think about your relationships. Is God a part of those relationships? Do those relationships bring you closer to God? If you are married, is God an important person in your marriage? God is love! Is it possible to really love without God in our lives? One of the purposes of marriage is to help each other get to Heaven.

Sr. Joan

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



### September 30, 2018

Sunday Collection:	\$ 4,008.00
Children Collection:	\$ 6.75



## Praying the Rosary

Please join us to pray the rosary at St. Vincent Church on **Wednesday, October 10th 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 will have classes on **Wednesday, October 10th 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:

- 4 - 48 oz. jars of Applesauce
- 2 - 2 liters of Lemonade
- 2 - Desserts 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.

## St. Vincent St. Ann Altar Society

St. Ann Altar Society would like to **thank everyone** who helped to make the Fall Rummage Sale a great success. A special thanks to everyone who helped with set up and clean up. The next meeting of the Altar Society will be **Monday, October 15th at 7:00 p.m.** in the Parish Hall. The committee for the October meeting is Norma Zobel and Carolyn Dagley. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend.

## 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!

## October/November Newsletters

The October Newsletter is in the racks at St. Vincent's Church. Please take one and pass one onto a friend. The deadline for the **November Newsletter is Sunday, October 21st**. Please share your joys and sorrows with your parish family. Parents, please share your child's accomplishments and successes.

## October Food Drive

The October Food Drive will be **Sunday, October 21st**. Please be as generous as you can, many of our neighbors depend on your assistance. Please bring at least one food item, personal care product or paper products.

## 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

## Hurricane Florence Relief

This weekend, **Saturday, October 6th and Sunday, October 7th, there are special Disaster Relief envelopes in the pews at St. Joseph and St. Vincent.** As was announced at Masses last weekend, we are joining many other Catholic parishes in the country in offering our assistance to those suffering and rebuilding after Florence. Please add your contribution—check or cash—in the Disaster Relief envelopes and place the envelope in the collection. The funds collected in these envelopes will be used to support the efforts of Catholic Charities USA and Catholic Relief Services, the official relief agencies of the US Catholic Church, as they and their local agencies respond to immediate emergency needs for necessities as water, food, shelter, and medical care, and aid in long-term rebuilding. Funds will be used in response to Hurricane Florence and any other natural disasters that occur this year.



### 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  
Tammy Jones  
Dottie Soller

Alex Kalsxheur  
Sloan



### Youth Group Meeting Schedule

October 7 - 6 p.m. Youth Group Meeting  
October 14 - 6 p.m. Youth Group Meeting



## St. Joseph Staff

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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 8th 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.

It is not too late to register. There are three registration options: 1) The St. Joseph Parish website; 2) Email me at 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-sjc.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.



## 40 Days of Life

**Respect Life Sunday is October 7th** 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