



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

JULY 17 THRU JULY 23

Mon.	Bob Bristel +	8:00 a.m.
Tues.	Rev. Tom Dowdell +	6:45 a.m.
Wed.	Rudy & Joan Lesac +	6:45 a.m.
Thur.	Kent Looby +	6:45 a.m.
Fri.	Jeannie Young +	6:45 a.m.
Sat.	Gary Schiebel +	5:00 p.m.
Sun.	People of St. Joseph	9:00 a.m.

REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS

For the sick: Sally Leyden, Jerry Martin, Frank Riha, Margaret Wilson, Dennis Folkers, Eileen Stock, Louise Greco



Please let us know if a person needs to be removed from our Prayer List.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wed., July 19, Senior Game Day, 1 p.m.
Wed., July 26, Safe Environment Training, 6:30



SATURDAY, JULY 22, 5:00 P.M.

EMHC: Amy Krance-Wendt
Lectors: Jim Amerine-Linda Christensen
Deacon: Dave Krueger
Greeters: Mike & Karen Litjen
Singers: Christa Pichler-Candy Connery

SUNDAY, JULY 23, 9:00 A.M.

EMHC: Galen Klenda
Lectors: Bob Zielinski-Corey Osborn
Deacon: Terry Ficenec
Servers: Lauren Reed-Dominick Cacka
Greeters: Rob & Melissa Farris
Singers: Tolliver Family-Candy Connery

A smile is a free gift to brighten someone's day!



FROM THE PASTOR

Dear St. Joseph Parishioners,

First, I'd like to apologize for the petitions last Saturday evening. We were using a book printed a couple of decades ago, and it contained a very insensitive turn of phrase. We will no longer be using that book.

Second, thanks to everyone who attended safe environment training this past week. We'll have another opportunity on the 26th.

Have a great week!

Best,
Fr. Scott

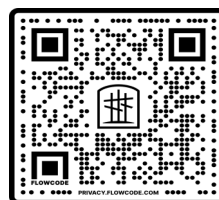
OFFERING

Weekend of July 9, 2023

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 7593.00
Building Fund	\$ 585.00
Peter's Pence	\$ 25.00

FOOD BOOTH SIGN UPS!

We need YOU! Have you signed up for your shift at the food booth yet? You can sign up on the credenza at St. Joseph's website www.stjosephspringfield.org or by scanning the QR code below! Volunteering at the food booth is a great way to meet others from our parish. Mark your calendars for August 2nd - 6th .



MOWER FOR THE WEEK OF

JULY 17: Carlson Family



YOUTH SINGERS WANTED

The Junior Choir invites any new members, (beginning in September) to their Summer Party on July 20. You are also invited to sing with us at a 10:00 Mass at the Holy Family Shrine on Saturday, July 22. Please call Mrs. Connery 402-661-4214 for details.

HOLY FAMILY SHRINE

It's a great time to visit the Holy Family Shrine, open 10:00 - 5:00 every day except Sunday, which is 12:00 to 5:00. Mass is held every Saturday at 10:00 AM. Walk the grounds and the Way of the Cross trail, visit the Chapel, and find religious items in the gift shop. The Holy Family Shrine is located at 23132 Pflug Road.

SUMMER BOOK CLUB

Looking for a good book this summer? Join us on Thursday evenings from 6 p.m.- 7:30 p.m. starting June 29th a St. Joseph's summer book club reads through Jacques Philippe's book "In the School of the Holy Spirit". We will be meeting in the parish hall. Contact Candance Callicutt by email at cjscallicutt@icloud.com if you are interested.

COLLEGE STUDENT OUTREACH

Who: St Joseph's Ladies Guild is starting a college student outreach program.

Why: We want you to know we are thinking of you as you leave St Joseph's and move on to college/apprenticeship/military life.

What: We want to send you cards and care packages to wish you well and remind you of home and your Catholic faith.

Students/Parents: We need your new address and details. School? Apprenticeship? Military? Other post high school plans?

Please contact Julie Nieveen with any questions.

Julie.nieveen@gmail.com

July Charity Drive**July Charity Drive**

St. Joseph's July Charity Drive will support the kids and families that are part of the Child Life Program and the Early Childhood Intervention Program at Nebraska Medicine.

Items Needed: Books, Lego Kits, Board Games, UNO cards, Playdough and Playdough Toys, Markers, Crayons, Puzzles(100 pieces or less), Underwear-all kids and teen sizes, joggers and sweatshirts for teens

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"9 to 5: The Musical" @ the Loft Community Theatre

Come and enjoy an afternoon at the Loft Community Theatre in Manley, NE on Sunday, July 30th. Curtains up at 2pm. *Early Bird special: the first 36 people to sign up, only \$17/ ticket.* Sign up on the credenza or text/call Lorraine Bunnell at 402-677-5285 to reserve your tickets. Families are welcome!

Works of Mercy Ministry: Service Opportunity

Jesus calls us to help the poor. Volunteers are needed on Saturday, July 22 from 9:30 AM - 11 AM at Nebraska Diaper Bank Warehouse on 91st and F Street. We will be sorting and rebundling diapers. Adults and kids 12 years and up can volunteer. Contact Amanda Staroscik at 402-659-3138 or Sharon in the parish office if you are interested.



Congratulations to Sara and Dylan Delka, who were recently married at St. Joseph. Fr. Scott Hastings officiated.

HOSPICE HELP NEEDED

Asera Care Hospice needs volunteers in your area to provide support to our terminally ill patients and their families. Volunteers can visit, read to the patient, participate in a favorite activity, or simply sit alongside them in their journey.

Volunteers are a vital part of our hospice care mission. They are provided with extensive training and continued support throughout their tenure.

To sign up or find out more about this or other opportunities please contact:

Jen Vogt, Regional Volunteer Coordinator
402-943-6871

Jennifer.vogt@amedisys.com

Apply online t <https://btrr.im/sjmww>

ADDITIONAL JULY BIRTHDAY

Bill Smith was omitted from the Over 70 birthday list. He celebrates his birthday on July 24.

Spirit Catholic Radio is currently seeking the position of Community Engagement Coordinator.

This full-time, Omaha-based position has the awesome job of being bringing awareness to the Spirit Catholic Radio Network's initiatives across the state of Nebraska and Iowa to Catholic schools, parishes, and apostolates/ministries. If you enjoy communicating, relationship-building, and evangelizing, apply today at <https://spiritcatholicradio.com/careers>

JULY STEPHEN CENTER SERVERS

Thank you to the Ladies Guild for providing the meal for the Stephen Center on July 7th. Special thanks to Sue Knott, Beth Chevalier, Karen Pelchat and Bob and Laurel Zielinski for serving the meal. Your service was greatly appreciated!

