

# June 11<sup>th</sup>, 2017 SOLEMNITY OF THE HOLY TRINITY

## SECURING OUR FUTURE – St. Joseph Capital Campaign

Total pledged \$247,000.00

Received as of 6/8/17 \$205,351.50



In today's second reading Saint Paul's final appeal is a call for unity. God created that unity. Good stewards who share Christ's life in the Eucharist belong to each other, just as God in the three persons of Father, Son and Holy Spirit enjoy unity. We are an intimate part of God's divine bond, God's "family." Saint Paul maintains that we ought to act that way. In the Church there is a bond of family, yet plenty room for variety. Christian stewards use their uniquely varied gifts to live a Trinitarian faith, in unity, promoting Christ's peace and justice. How do we promote unity in our parish?

**Question of the Week** How many times a day do I make the sign of the cross and invoke the name of the Most Holy Trinity? How can I make that sign and invocation more intentional?

### MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK

5:30 Mass	
Ushers –	Skip & Donna Wilson
Greeters –	Kent & Vaness Rupp
Servers –	Volunteers
Euch Min.–	Clint & Linda Reeves JoAnn Conoyer
Lector –	Cindy Gervais
Gifts –	Sean Webster family
7:30 Mass	
Ushers –	Rich & Susie Wolfmeyer
Greeters –	Bob & Donna Rupp
Servers –	Knights
Euch Min.–	Of
Lector –	
Gifts –	Columbus



10:30 Mass	
Ushers –	Randy & JT Dodd
Greeters –	Andy & Jen Bryan family
Servers –	Jared DeHaan, Rafe Jones
Euch Min.–	M Baker, D DeHaan, T Hays L Leake, S Thomas
Lector –	Ellen Goodwin
Gifts –	William Koch family

## Mass Intentions



Tue	8:00am	Gene & Clara Lochman +
Wed	8:00am	Rocky Akright +
Thu	10:00am	No Mass +
Fri	8:00am	Elizabeth Ray +
Sat	5:30pm	Mildred Moylan +
Sun	7:30am	Bill & Betty Wolfmeyer +
Sun	10:30am	The Parishioners +

Confessions are Saturday at 5pm, Sunday at 7 & 10 am

There will be no Mass on Thursday, Fr. Alex will be out of town

**Parish Support** Envelopes \$5427, Loose money \$251, St. Xavier's Church \$415, Communication & Ed \$50.

The Diocese of Jefferson City has announced the following appointments, effective July 1, 2017.

- Father Alex Ekka to Warsaw and Cole Camp
- Father Basil Eruo to Palmyra

Watch for further information in the bulletin for a proper send off for Fr Alex.



Saint Joseph  
CATHOLIC CHURCH

We extend a warm welcome to all who attend our church!

## Parish Information

P.O. Box 606, 400 S. Lane,  
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Our website: [www.stjoepalmyra.org](http://www.stjoepalmyra.org)

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**Prayer Buddy Program:** St. Joseph's would like to invite all the parishioners to join the Prayer Buddy Program. If you would like to participate, please fill out the form located in the pew or pick one up from the table in the vestibule of the church. Place the completed form in the basket as you leave sometime before June 11th. This program allows you to draw the name of someone whom you will pray for specifically for the next year and also for you to have someone pray for you. If you have questions, please call Susan Chambers at 822-5784 or Pauline Jones at 248-7751.



**SAVE THE DATE: JULY 9<sup>TH</sup> - PARISH PICNIC AND WELCOME FOR FR. BASIL ERUO FROM 11:30 AM TO ??**  
 Drinks, Main Dish Provided, and parishioners are asked to bring dessert and sides. Don't forget to stay for BINGO!

**FOOD PANTRY NEEDS** For the Food Pantry during the month of June, we'll be collecting **bar soap and deodorant!** Thank you for your generosity and support!  
 ~ Youth Groups and the Social Committee



**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION, YOUTH ACTIVITIES and OPPORTUNITIES**

Middle and High School-Spring and Summer are busy for families, kids, and adult leaders. We will be regrouping and organizing events as soon as possible.

Here are a few save the dates:

- ❖ **St. Joseph Catholic Church will be in charge of the Palmyra Recycle Center on June 17th** from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. We need help and what a great way to show your support for our community and our church. Please contact Renee Goldinger, Deacon Bob, or Cathy Fohey if interested in helping or sign the sheet in the back of the church. We will also be having pizza at Bredeaux after we work. The Church will be buying, a great time for us to unwind and have a social together.



❖ **July 10th-July 13th Discovery Vacation(Vocation) Bible School** for grades PreK - 6th Grade 5:30 to 8:00 p.m. Dinner Provided. **Please pick up registration forms in the vestibule of church or parents received an email with the registration form from the Youth Office.**

- ❖ **July 14th-July 16th-9th through 12th Grade to Stuebenville** Springfield, Mo.
- ❖ **CCD Classes** will resume in September 2017.

If you have any questions at any time, please contact Deacon Bob at St Joseph or Cathy Fohey 573-231-6362

*Pray for one another*

† Jean Harrison, Greg Harrison, Dwayne & Ellen Goodwin, Arlene & Jim Veit, Hannah Wacker, Rita Thompson, Jack & Jean Lewis, Karen & Tom Meade, Bonnie Slates, DeeAnn Gottman, Jeff Merkel, Robert Schwartz, Eva Leake, Janet Schwartz, Debbie Malone, Mary Kempf, Robert Bedell, Florence Fohey, Tammy Reiff, Judy Kirby, Rick & Cecelia Obert, Shirley Rorison, Roger Masten, Rochelle Ahern, Lucy Liesen, John Lillard, Pat Murphy, Joyce Wellman, Mary Lawson, Jack Cooper, Janet Miller, and Bob Wimer.

**The Holy Father's Prayer intention for June 2017**

- † **National Leaders:** That national leaders may firmly commit themselves to ending the arms trade, which victimizes so many innocent people.
- † **Urgent Intention - Priestly Vocations:** Led by the Spirit for Mission - May he give us priests enamored of the Gospel, close to all their brothers and sisters, living signs of God's merciful love.

**Please pray for those with birthdays this week:**

- Gloria Baggett • • • • • June 12
- Alan Browning • • • • • June 13
- David Hudson • • • • • June 16
- Ryker Jones • • • • • June 16
- Jaxson Schroder • • • • • June 17

**Deadline for announcements in the bulletin is Wednesday at 3pm**