

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 21, 2018

Service Service jobs don't pay very well. The service sector is not very highly regarded. Nonetheless, Christians have always favored service. Jesus thought highly of service and servants. He was one. He wants us to follow him.

There are so many worthwhile things in this life that we want to be expert at doing. Some of us want to be the best parents possible. Others find value in teaching and work hard to lead others to knowledge. Some of us find it important to serve the members of our society by providing goods or services. We each know the one thing deep in our heart that calls us. As we reflect on what that one thing is, keep in mind that our greatest opportunities for service come in small quantities through the day to day ordinariness of life. It is a point of service to spend time with someone who needs us. To show respect in all we say and do is also a form of service. There are many noble acts that stand out in our lives of service, but we also need to pay attention to uncelebrated opportunities that present themselves to us each day.

1. Who are some truly great people you know or know about? What is it that makes them great? Which of these qualities do you share with them? Which do they have that you would like to develop?
2. Where do you practice self-denial in your life? How do others help you with this practice? How does God help you? What do you need from others and from God when it gets difficult to practice self-denial?
3. Do you know people who have been like James or John—wanting their share? What did you think about these people as they secured their own needs? How did others view them? What actions can we take in these circumstances to show them lovingly the words about service found in today's Gospel?

PARISH NEWS

Saturday Mass: October Masses will be held at St. Joseph's. *Please continue to watch the bulletin for further notices.*

VETERANS!!!! We will again be recognizing the veterans of our parish family on November 4th at the 7:30a liturgy, with a fellowship to follow in the St. Joseph social hall. NOTE: This date has been changed because of LADIES' NIGHT OUT, scheduled for November 10th.

We will be using last year's PowerPoint, but can still include more pictures of veterans. If you would like a family member or friend recognized, please email the pictures to stjoercd@yahoo.com. Include their name, rank, and when they served. This is not limited to veterans of our parish.

If you have any questions, please contact me at stjoercd@yahoo.com or 814-226-8399.

(SJP) The church is in need of someone to clean it each week. It would be approx. 4-5 hours each week. Call 226-7288 if you're interested. Thank you!

(SMP) The Fryburg Knights of Columbus will be meeting, Thursday, October 25, 2018 from 6:30p to 7:30p in St. Michael's church for Benediction, adoration, pray the rosary, and for the Saint Hood of Venerable Father McGivney, founder of the Knights and for our Church in these dark times. All Knights and parish members of St. Michael's and St. Joseph's are invited to attend. Mark your calendars as we look forward to spending an hour together with the Blessed Sacrament.

TRUNK OR TREAT!

Antler Club of Lucinda, Sunset Drive

Friday, October 26th 5p-8p

Food, Games, Hay Rides, & LOTS OF CANDY!!



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Office: Contact the office at St. Joseph with any questions or concerns you may have from either Parish. (814)226-7288. Thank you!

NEED TO PUT SOMETHING IN THE BULLETIN? EMAIL **MAGGIE AT** maggie.ochs@stjosephlucinda.com or call her at 226-7288.

Lucinda Area Fall Sportsman's Raffle

St. Joseph Parish Hall

Sunday, October 28, 2018 begins at noon

40 guns & \$15,000 in cash prizes awarded from 12-4p

Large & small print raffles & 50/50 raffles

LUNCH 12-3p (must present ticket for meal & side raffles)

Tickets are available at our local businesses or

Call Jim Kaltenbach @ 3193309

Benefits the Antler Club of Lucinda & St. Joseph School

Turkey & Ham Shoot

Antler Club Rifle Range, Sunset Drive

Wednesdays, October 24 & 31, November 7 & 14

\$1.00 per shot

Turkey or Ham given away every round

50/50 Round

12 gauge, 16 gauge, 20 gauge

Open to the public, all ages are welcomed!

Sponsored by the Antler Club of Lucinda

Coming in November – St Michael Church will be having a Catholic jewelry and rosary fundraiser sale to benefit the roof/steeple project. We will be offering beautiful rosaries and jewelry such as necklaces, bracelets and medals that are expressive reminders of our faith. These items would also make wonderful Christmas gifts. Please watch for details in the coming weeks.

(SJP) Rosary Society will meet on November 5th in the church social hall starting at 7p. This meeting is for ALL MEMBERS AND SOLICITORS. Please be sure to attend. Thanks!

(SMP) Rosary Society meeting will be Monday, November 5th @ 7p

Liturgy Schedule October 27th & 28th

4:00 p.m. St. Joseph Church

Lector: Al Lander
Euch Min: Roger & Mary Jane Steiner, Jeff Schwabenbauer
Altar Server: Kayla & Sara Aaron
Ushers: Norman Wolbert, Jim Harvey, Ed Carroll, Al Lander
Rosary: Jody Guth

7:30 a.m. St. Joseph Church

Lector: Donna Jones
Euch Min: Lori Callihan, Janice Johnson, Pete Judy
Altar Server: Maddie Homan
Ushers: Gib Wolbert, Doug Bauer, Randy Lander

10:00 a.m. St. Michael Church

Sacristan: Judy Weirich
Lector: Jody Guth
Euch Min: Jane Schmader
Altar Server: Owen Kerle
Ushers: Matt Gilara, Daniel Brooker, Todd & Tyler Beichner
Rosary: William Ditz

Mass Schedule October 22nd - 28th

Monday, October 22nd

7:45 a.m. - (SJP) Grace & Wick Ochs by Punk & Joe Griebel

Tuesday, October 23rd

8:30 a.m. - (SJP) Ray Judy by the family

Wednesday, October 24th

8:00 a.m. - (SMP) Russell A. Weaver by Kay Gentile

Friday, October 26th

8:00 a.m. - (SMP) Delelia Oaks by St. Michael Rosary Society

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Confession is at St. Joseph's @ 3:00 p.m.

Saturday, October 27th

4:00 p.m. - (SJP) Marvin Cussins by Cindy, Dave, Donnie, & Mike

Sunday, October 28th

7:30 a.m. - (SJP) Parish Family

10:00 a.m. - (SMP) Grandpa by Ben, Zach, Claire, Brandon, Hannah, & Preston

Collection Counters 27th & 28th

SJP: Mike O'Neill, Rita Ochs
SMP: Mary Dechant, Andrew Gilara, Nicholas Banner

THE SANCTUARY CANDLE burning in memory of

SJP: Ed, Kate, & Bernie Dechant by Tony & Julie
SMP: Russ & Jane Weaver by Rusty, Sandy & family

PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED FOR:

Parish Family, All Special Intentions

Service People on Active Duty

Jayleigh Ochs, Jim Sherbine, Tim Nicewonger, Brendan & Edward George, Punkie Griebel, Jim Pfaff, Jake Siegel, Melissa Johnson, Deacon Mike, Cheryl Hockman Rogers, and a special intention
All victims of disasters and violence

If you'd like to add someone, call the office or drop a note in the collection basket.

School News (814) 226-8018

—You can still register your children now. Call the school for more information. (814) 226-8018.

—TRUNK OR TREAT: October 26th

—Red Ribbon Week is October 22-26

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Special Thanks to all who sacrifice to support St. Joseph's
October 14th

Sunday Collection \$2,355
Loose Collection \$555

Special Thanks to all who sacrifice to support St. Michael's
October 14th

Sunday Collection \$1,821
Loose Collection \$443

CSA: St. Joseph assessment to Diocese: \$31,342

Parishioners Pledged: \$45,681

Parishioners Paid to Date: \$41,981

Balance Due to Diocese of Erie: \$0

Money towards Steps & Chimney: \$10,639

CSA: St. Michael's assessment to Diocese: \$33,808

Parishioners Pledged: \$48,883

Parishioners Paid to Date: \$44,968

Balance Due to Diocese of Erie: \$0

Money towards Steeple: \$11,160

October 20

I WANT YOU TO KNOW how safe and secure you are in My Presence. That is a fact, totally independent of your feelings. You are on your way to heaven: nothing can prevent you from reaching that destination. There you will see Me face to Face, and your Joy will be off the charts by any earthly standards. Even now, you are never separated from Me, though you must see Me through eyes of faith. I will walk with you till the end of time, and onward into eternity.

Although My Presence is a guaranteed promise, that does not necessarily change your feelings. When you forget I am with you, you may experience loneliness or fear. It is through awareness of My Presence that Peace displaces negative feelings. Practice the discipline of walking consciously with Me through each day.

Now we see but a poor reflection as in a mirror; then we shall see fact to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I am fully known.

~ 1 CORINTHIANS 13:12

The LORD gives strength to his people; the LORD blesses his People with peace. ~ PSALM 29:11

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WHEN YOUR SINS WEIGH HEAVILY upon you, come to Me. Confess your wrongdoing, which I know all about before you say a word. Stay in the Light of My Presence, receiving forgiveness, cleansing, and healing. Remember that I have clothed you in My righteousness, so nothing can separate you from Me. Whenever you stumble or fall, I am there to help you up.

Man's tendency is to hide from his sin, seeing refuge in the darkness. There he indulges in self-pity, denial, self-righteousness, blaming, and hatred. But *I am the Light of the world*, and My illumination decimates the darkness. Come close to Me and let My Light envelope you, driving out darkness and permeating you with Peace.

But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another and the blood of Jesus, his son, purifies us from all sin. ~ 1 JOHN 1:7

I delight greatly in the LORD; my soul rejoices in my God. For he has clothed me with garments of salvation and arrayed me in a robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom adorns his head like a priest, and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels. ~ ISAIAH 61:10

When Jesus spoke again to the people, he said "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life." ~ JOHN 8:12

The Gift: a life in the Spirit course

Friday, November 9, 6p-9p

Saturday, November 10, 8:30a - 3:30p

To Register, please call Denise Varo 814-744-8199

No charge, but registration is required and appreciated by

Wednesday, November 7

A Benefit Spaghetti Dinner for Ron "Curly" Wolbert will be held Sunday, November 11th from 11a-4p. It will take place at the Antler Club. 50/50 Raffles and Chinese Auction!!

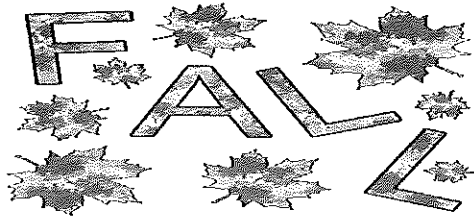
We are now accepting masses for 2019. Please be respectful and put all of you family members on one mass. We are asking you to request no more than 2 masses per year. This is due to limited masses and we want everyone to have an opportunity to have a mass said for their loved ones.

St. Michael's upcoming events

November 5: Rosary meeting @ 7 P.M.

November 11: Fall dinner 11 A.M.-1:30 P.M.

December 3: Rosary Society Christmas Party in the hall @ 5:30 with dinner being served at 6.



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(Lec. 149)

- I. Jeremiah 3:1:7-9
- II. Hebrews 5:1-6
- III. Mark 10:46-52

Liturgy of the Word

The prophet, Jeremiah, proclaims that the Lord keeps his promise, gathering and delivering the people of Israel. In the Letter to the Hebrews, God calls some to be priests, representing the people and following the example set forth by Jesus. Mark's Gospel recounts the story of Jesus healing the blind man on the road from Jericho.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

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24 Hour Emergency

Pregnancy (814) 459-3103

Community Counseling (814) 793-6602

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