

August
29-30
2026

St. Joseph

Catholic Church



TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 29 – St. Joseph Parishioners

Sunday, August 30 – Gary Randall+

Tuesday, September 1 – Pope Leo

Wednesday, September 2 – Bonnie Betts

Thursday, September 3 – Farol Stroyan+

Friday, September 4 – Chuck Meeks (bday)

Welcome!

MISSION STATEMENT

"Go, then, to all peoples everywhere and make them my disciples. Preach the gospel to all people."

MASS TIMES

Daily Mass: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 8:30 AM
Saturday 4:00 PM
Sunday 10:00 AM

ADORATION

Wednesdays 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

RECONCILIATION

Wednesdays 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

BAPTISM

Parents seeking Baptism for their child should contact the Pastor. It is expected that you are a registered parishioner taking part in the liturgical life of the Church - which includes attendance at Mass.

NEW TO THE PARISH?

Registration forms are in the lobby, or online:

stjosephcolbert.org/registration

OFFICE CONTACTS

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This Sunday's Readings

First Reading Jeremiah 20:7-9
Responsorial Psalm 63:2-6,8-9
Second Reading Romans 12:1-2
Gospel Reading Matthew 16:21-27

Today's Gospel continues the story that began in last week's Gospel. Simon Peter was called the "rock" upon which Jesus would build his Church, and yet Peter continues to show the limitations of his understanding of Jesus' identity. Now that the disciples have acknowledged that Jesus is the Messiah, Jesus confides in them the outcome of his ministry: he must suffer and die in Jerusalem to be raised on the third day. Peter rejects this prediction, and Jesus rebukes him severely, calling him "Satan." In opposing this aspect of Jesus' mission, Peter shows that he is no longer speaking based on the revelation from God but as a human being. Jesus then teaches all of the disciples about the difficult path of discipleship: to be Christ's disciple is to follow in his way of the cross.

Peter could not yet understand what it meant to call Jesus the Messiah. It is unlikely that the other disciples understood any better. Messianic expectations were a common aspect of first-century Judaism. Under Roman occupation, many in Israel hoped and prayed that God would send a Messiah to free the Jews from Roman oppression. The common view was that the Messiah would be a political figure, a king that would free Israel from Roman rule. This is perhaps what Peter envisioned when he was led to recognize Jesus as the Messiah. In this passage, however, Jesus is beginning to teach his disciples that he would be the Messiah in a different way.

Jesus would be more like the suffering servant described by the prophet Isaiah than the political liberator. Those who would be Jesus' disciples would be called to a similar life of service. Perhaps this is what Peter feared most in Jesus' prediction of his Passion. He whom Jesus had called "rock" would also be called upon to offer himself in sacrifice and service to others. Christian leaders today are still called to sacrifice and serve others as Jesus did.

--Sunday Connection, Loyola Press

2026 ACA "A Heart that never fails"

Our parish is again joining the diocese in this year's Annual Catholic Appeal. Through every season of life, the Sacred Heart of Jesus has never let go of us - and your gift helps carry that same faithful love to others across our diocese. Please prayerfully consider a gift this year! The goal for St. Joseph this year is \$ 74,955.00.

Parish Calendar

Tuesday, September 1

Daily Mass 8:30 AM
Fall Prevention Class 1:00 PM
Parish Council 6:00 PM

Wednesday, September 2

Daily Mass 8:30 AM
The Vine 6:00 PM
Religious Ed Teacher dinner 6:00 PM

Thursday, September 3

Daily Mass 8:30 AM
Prayer Shawl 10:00 AM
Fall Prevention Class 1:00 PM
KOC Business meeting 6:30 PM

Friday, September 4

Daily Mass 8:30 AM
Share the Word 9:00 AM

Sacristans/Lectors/ Eucharistic Ministers/Coffee & Donut Hosts

Saturday, September 5

Sacristans - Patrick and Rebecca
Lector - Terry C.
Eucharistic Ministers - Leslie K. and Valerie

Sunday, September 6

Sacristans - Charles and Maureen
Lector - Laurie S.
Eucharistic Ministers - Parker, Bob, Lynne, Lehsley

Sunday, September 6

Coffee and Donut Hosts - Martha and Art



The Knights of Columbus thank all those who helped repair, prime and paint the picnic tables and parts of the pavilion, especially this past Saturday during the painting party.

CHILDREN'S

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION!



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REGISTER NOW!



ALL children in grades K-5 are welcome and encouraged to join us for religious education classes beginning on Sunday, **September 27** from **9:00 - 10:00 AM**.

Also, we offer Sacramental Preparation classes for the following grades



2nd Grade -
First Reconciliation,
First Communion



6th Grade -
Confirmation



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All families registering for religious education classes must also be registered members of the parish.



Please note: Students must maintain **70%+ attendance** to weekly classes in order to receive their sacraments.



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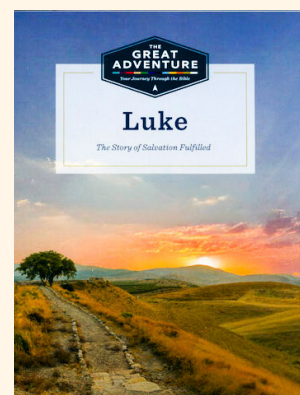
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TIMES 10:00–11:30 AM or 6:30–8:00 PM

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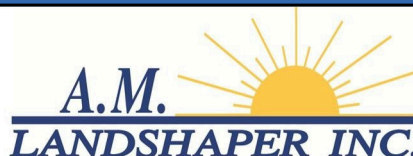


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