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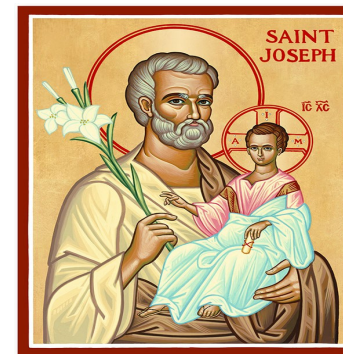
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The Church of St. Joseph Vision Statement

We, the Catholic Community of St. Joseph, are committed to following Christ in faith and love through the sacramental tradition of the Catholic Church. The Church of St. Joseph.

The Church of St. Joseph Mission Statement

We, the Catholic Community of St. Joseph, brothers and sisters in Christ with our rich and diverse traditions, accept as our Mission: To know and practice our faith through the Gospel, to serve the needs of our parish community with time, talent and treasure, to teach by example and, thereby, strengthen and inspire the parish community.

Mass Times

Saturday: 4:30pm
Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am

Mass Live Streamed
Saturday: 4:30pm Sunday: 11:00am

Weekday Mass
Monday - Friday 8:00am

Parish Office Hours

Monday-Thursday: 8:30am - 3:00pm
Fridays 8:30am - 12:00pm

Confessions
Saturday 3:30 - 4:00pm

Upcoming Dates

May 19th
Parish Council meeting 5:45pm

May 21st
Adult Confirmation 6:30pm
HS Youth Group 6:30pm

May 24th
Adult Confirmation 11:00am

May 25th
Parish office closed for Memorial Day

May 29th
Baptism Class 6:00pm

**May God bless you and keep you
May His face shine upon you
And be gracious to you
May He look upon you with kindness
And give you His peace.**

It is with excitement that embark on this sabbatical opportunity. Yet, I depart with great sadness and a heavy heart as I say good-bye. I thank you for all the kindness you have bestowed upon me and I promise to keep you in my prayers.
God bless, Fr. Steve

Eucharistic Adoration

Exposition of the **BLESSED SACRAMENT** will be 11:00am - 1:00pm on Wednesdays. Come and pray before Jesus truly present in our midst. Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament is incredibly powerful. Simply taking some time to sit with Jesus can change one's life.

Adult Bible Study

"MARY, A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother." Tuesday at 1:00 pm. For week of **May 19th**, class, you may read: **Revelation Ch. 12** *Monday evening class is done for the year! God Bless you all!*

Council of Catholic Women

CCW will be selling their delicious breakfast burritos on Sunday, May 17th, after each mass. Our Rummage sale is May 28th and 29th. From 8am-4pm. Father Charles Murray Hall. Please bring your donated items to the parish hall on Wednesday, May 27th.
NO BOOKS OR CLOTHING, PLEASE.
Breakfast burritos \$5.00 & Smothered Burritos \$8.00
Join us for Breakfast or Lunch.
Thank you to Isabel Martinez for crowning our beautiful Mother Mary at the May Crowning mass, and to all who attended the dinner. 7 new CCW members were initiated at the Mass. Thank you, Fr. Steve, for celebrating this beautiful Mass for us. Diana Alvarado, President

Parish Office Closed

The office will be closed on Monday May 25th for Memorial Day. We will open at 8:30am on Tuesday May 26th.

Vacation Bible School

Coming this Summer!! June 8th - 12th
Pre K-6th grade 8:30-Noon — Cost: FREE
Volunteers Needed: Youth (7th & 8th graders), Confirmation young people, Youth Group and Adults. Come help in the fun of teaching our young children about Gods love for each other.
We will have a week planned of fun with food, music, games, crafts, science activities and Bible stories learning about how God's love is always there for us. And how we can share God's love to others. There will be a meeting on May 21st at 6:30pm, in Maria Lopez classroom. For anyone wishing to volunteer.

Attention Bingo Friends

Next Bingo will be on **Saturday, June 6th**
5:30 pm Dinner – 6:00 pm Bingo
Doors do NOT open until **5:00pm**
PLEASE no outside food or drinks allowed

Summer Faith Formation Series

With Father Michael Chrisman and Dr. Michael Sri "The Art of Living" at Shrine of St. Therese Every Wed June 3-July 8 from 6:00-7:30pm at Shrine of St. Therese Hospitality room. If you want books, they are: \$20.00 workbook & Book \$15.00 workbook only \$10.00 book only. To Register call 719-542-1788 Email: parish@sostpueblo.org

Knights of Columbus (St. Joseph)

Attention all St. Joseph KoC: We are in need of men to help with ushering for funerals. Our KoC men usher for funerals every other month. If you are able please consider giving your time for this ministry. For more info please call Tony Stollsteimer at 719-543-6516.

St. Joseph Parish May 10th, 2026

Envelopes	\$	3,6980.00
Loose Currency	\$	1,449.00
Loose Check	\$	2,827.00
Holy Day	\$	160.00

*TOTAL \$ 8,116.00

*approximately \$8,530/week needed to meet expenses

St. Joseph Online Tithing
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St. Vincent de Paul

Next date will be June 11th from 1:00-2:00pm
Next food drop off May 30th & 31st at all the Masses.

AMD

May 10th: Pledged \$51,335.00 of **\$87,894.00**

Quinceañeras

For information on a Quinceañera, please call the office for details and requirements. 719-544-1886

Festival News

Here are dates for upcoming meetings for our Church festival. Start time is 5:30pm in Maria Lopez Classroom. **Festival is Aug. 1st & 2nd**
May 26th June 30th July 28th

We need your help !!

We are in need of chairpersons for key functions. Please consider joining us to again have a successful festival as the money raised helps our financial stability.

Areas in need of leaders:

- Ticket Booth Manager
- Meatball/Kielbasa Sandwich booth
- Ladyfingers-Baking and selling
- Outside drink and snack booth

You will not need to build from the ground up, no figuring out necessary supplies and no shopping, We have that all handled. We need organizers and managers to run these important tasks/booths. We would love new and experienced folks to join this annual venture. The festival offers an opportunity for families to get involved. Please feel free to call or email Lori Carter 719-334-9817 or llcarter0702@gamil .com

Next Week's Intentions

Saturday—May 23rd

4:30 pm-
+Caroline & Gilbert Garcia
+Frank Palacio
+Jack Spinuzzi
+Leno & Lorraine Nogare
+Mary Beth Nogare
+Nancy Krall
+Priscilla Cid
+Delores "Lola " Nava
+Don Sedillo
+Elisia Pineda
+Dorothy Mauro
+Linda Welte
Fr Steve Murray

9:00 cont.
Fr. Joseph Matitu (SI)
Jacob Valdez (Health)
Fr Trevor Lontine (SI)

Sunday — 11:00

+Edward Villanueva
+Elizabeth Tamburelli
+Jessie Flores
+Frank Masset
+Manuelita Martinez
+Richard "Rick" Duran
+Don Sedillo
Fr. Steve Murray
Fr. Lixon
Bishop Berg

Sunday —May24th

7:30am—
+Jason & Dominic Godinez
+Jody Robinson
+Maurice Guerrero
+Tina Romero
+August&Kathleen Cordova
+Bill Bustillos
+Pat Klomp
Robert Guerrero (Health)

Monday —May 25th
8:00am—People of the Parish

Tuesday—May 26th
8:00am-Larry Garcia (Health)

Wednesday —May 27th
8:00am-People living in Poverty

Sunday 9:00

+Catherine Stollsteimer
+Tony Montoya
+Susanna Bachicha
+Meliton Archuleta
+Eric Autobee
+ Joe & Palmer Baca

Thursday —May 28th
8:00am— St. Anthony

Friday — May 29th
8:00am— Priest & Deacons

Please pray for the repose of the souls of:

Ray Gonzales.....Service last week
Patti Pugh.....Funeral 5-19-26
Cathleen Massaro.....Funeral 5-22-26
Lecia Pantleo.....Funeral 5-29-26
Christine Gomez.....Funeral 6-12-26
Connie Lauer.....Funeral 6-18-26
Rick Gonzales.....Funeral 6-25-26

KofC Elections Upcoming

Attention all Knights: Elections are around the corner. If you would like to nominate someone please contact your Grand Knight, John Spearing, at 719-321-2799. Elections start May 1 and run through June 14. Please get involved today!

Memorial Day Mass

Mass on Monday May 25th will be at 10:00am at Roselawn at the Bishops Mausoleum.

You're invited to a Farewell Reception to bid our beloved Father Steve a well-earned sabbatical
SUNDAY, MAY 17 • 1-3 pm
Father Charles Murray Hall at St. Joseph

- ✓ Cake
- ✓ Lemonade
- ✓ Coffee