

## Weekday Schedule of Worship

**Eucharist: IC** Tuesday & Wednesday  
8:10 am Rosary  
8:30 am Mass

**SJ** Thursday & Friday  
8:00 am Rosary  
8:20 am Mass

### New Parishioners are always Welcome!

To register, call the Parish Office @ 869-2244.

**Change of Address/Phone** To keep our census up-to-date, please call the office with changes.

### Baptism Classes (required) Offered Quarterly

To register, call the Parish Office @ 869-2244.

Next scheduled class: **6:30 pm on 3-15-12.**

Baptisms are the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of every month;

8:00 am at **IC** & 10:00 am at **SJ**.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

**SJ:** Saturday 3:15-3:45 pm or anytime by appt.,  
call the Parish Office @ 869-2244.

### Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

Please call the Parish Office @ 869-2244.

### Marriage

**IC, SJ** - Call the Parish Office @ 869-2244,  
8 months in advance.

### Homebound, Nursing Home or Hospitalized

Please let us know when a loved one would like a visit or the weekly bulletin. Call the Parish Office @ 869-2244.

**SJ, IC Funerals** call Parish Office @ 869-2244.

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Sunday, January 22, 2012**

### Dear Friends,

I welcome you all to this 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time. The reading speaks of God's call and people responded. "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men." They abandoned their nets and followed him. Jesus came to announce to all men and women the good news of God's eternal plan for them. He spent his public life convincing the Jews of Palestine the truth of his message. He died on the cross because he claimed to be God's divine son. He came in human nature to raise all men to the standing and status of adopted sons of God.

The disciples responded to Jesus by abandoning their nets and boats to follow him. As a Christian Community, how do we respond to the call of Christ to be fishers of men? In order to respond to Christ, we need to renounce, to detach ourselves from the worldly pleasure and follow Christ. This moment is unique, a time of reflecting on the various aspects of discipleship. And the most important responsibility of this call is Evangelization; the proclamation of the reign of God. Mark, in the Gospel, also stresses the urgency of our acceptance of it. Unless we embrace the Gospel now and live it fully, we may run out of time. The world, in its present form, is passing away and God's call demands total response. Like the disciples, we must leave our nets, the familiarity of our former ways of living, and follow the call we have heard in the depths of our hearts. As disciples, we are called, not only to enter the reign of God, but to promote and spread it.

### *Respect for Life:*

January is Respect for Life; the month featuring remembrances here and throughout the United States. The annual Diocesan celebration is scheduled for **Fri., Jan. 20<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm by Bishop Richen**, who will celebrate this Mass along with many concelebrating priests. Everyone is invited to support this event and called upon to pray for it in your prayers. The Church is a major obstacle to the culture of death, our stand for life as Catholics is life. The most fundamental right of all is the right to life. Life is the **sine qua non**, which means 'without this, all else cannot be.' For this purpose, Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup> is designated by the Catholic Bishops of United States as an annual day of Penance and Reparation for the sin of abortion. This day is reserved for prayer, fasting and abstinence.

### *Prayer in Need*

During our prayers this week, let us also pray for Christian unity, as well as our Parish needs.

Wishing you a Blessed Sunday and a fruitful week,  
Fr. John C. Katamba

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## St. Joseph

### Opportunities for Prayer, Faith Development

- 1/21 4 pm Mass – (D) Gloria & Martin Hilgenberg  
(D) Vivian Hansen  
Respect for Life Weekend
- 1/22 10 am Mass – For SJ & IC Parishioners  
FF for Preschool during 10 am Mass  
Coffee & Donuts  
Respect for Life Weekend
- 1/25 6 – 8:30 pm Catechist In-Service
- 1/26 & 27 8 am Rosary  
8:20 am Mass - For SJ Parishioners
- 1/28 4 pm Mass – (D) Jim Thyges  
(D) Francis & Evelyn Morasky
- 1/29 10 am Mass – (D) Jim & Ron Vandehei  
Liturgy of the Word w/children during 10 am Mass  
1 – 3:30 pm Social Hall Reserved

#### 2011/2012 Budget

#### St. Joseph

**Jan. 15**

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>
Weekly Envelopes	\$2,789.00	\$3,358.00
Loose Collection	\$ 230.00	\$ 211.38
Good Samaritan Fund		\$2,892.69

## Immaculate Conception

### Opportunities for Prayer, Faith Development

- 1/22 8 am Mass– (D) Dale Baeten  
Respect for Life Weekend
- 1/24 8:10 am Rosary  
8:30 am Mass – For IC Parishioners  
  
6-7 pm Finance Council Meeting  
7-8 pm Parish Council Meeting
- 1/25 8:10 am Rosary  
8:30 am Mass (D) Don Fox  
  
6 – 8:30 pm Catechist In-Service @ SJ
- 1/29 8 am Mass– (D) Gloria & Martin Hilgenberg

#### 2011/2012 Budget

#### Immaculate Conception

**Jan. 15**

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>
Weekly Envelopes	\$ 808.00	\$ 344.00
Loose Collection	\$ 134.00	\$ 96.70
Roofing Fund to date	\$6,344.00	\$4,876.58

**FR. JOHN'S (JC)**  
**OFFICE HOURS @ ST. JOSEPH**  
**Tues., Wed. & Thurs.**  
**10:00 am to 3:00 pm**

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**THANK YOU** to the Knights of Columbus for the donation of Lector Books for St. Joseph Parish.

**Volunteers Needed:** Help needed in the office folding the bulletin (stuffing & stapling when necessary) every Thursday afternoon. If interested, please call the parish office @ 869-2244. Thank you to all who have been helping!

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## Liturgical Ministries



### St. Joseph

**Sat., January 28, 2012 @ 4:00 pm**

Sacristan: **Need Volunteer**

Hospitality/Ushers: John & Janice Burkel  
Lorraine Pasowicz, Mary Hackel

Music: Ray Thompson  
Cantor: Marge Doxtator

Lector: Florence Banaszak

Communion Ministers: \*\*Fr. John

Bread: Dcn. Bobby

Cup: Delores Vandehei (CO) Dianne Piller (CO)  
Tom Piller (CL) Don Banaszak (CL)

Server: Lexi Hermus

**Sun., January 29, 2012 @10:00 am**

Sacristans: Bill & JoAnn VandenLangenberg

Hospitality/Ushers: Pat & JoAnn Schuessler  
Nancy Sobieck, Bill VandenLangenberg

Music: Anita Kirschling  
Cantors: Jennie LeMere & Jessie Koehler

Lector: JoAnn VandenLangenberg

Communion Ministers: \*\*Fr. John

Bread: Dcn. Bobby

Cup: Anna Mae Matuszak (CO) Candi Everard (CO)  
Judi Clark (CL) Kitty Kaari (CL)

Server: Hannah Gallenberger

**Cleaning Team # 6 for 1/24/12 Week**

If you cannot clean on your week, please call a sub  
or Florence Banaszak @ 869-7768.

## Liturgical Ministries



### Immaculate Conception

**Sun., January 29, 2012 @ 8:00 am**

Sacristans: Joe VDH & Ervin (Butch) Kazik

Hospitality/Ushers: Bill Peterson  
Donna Roes

Lectors: Chris Peterson  
Jim VanDenHeuvel

Communion Ministers: \*\*Fr. John

Bread: Dcn. Bobby

Cup: Chris Peterson, Rich VanDenEng,  
Patti Nellis, Honey Garvey

Servers: Stacy Tuma  
Mike Van Gheem

Nursing Home: Jan. 22 Jim Van Den Heuvel  
29 Mike & Karla Dorman

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**Fifth Grade Assignment:** A fifth grade teacher asked  
her class to look at TV Commercials and see if they  
could use them in 20 ways to communicate ideas about  
God. Here will be results for a few weeks:

***GOD IS LIKE .....***

***TIDE,***

***He Gets Stains out***

***that others leave behind!***



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