



# Saint Joseph Catholic Church

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## The Most Holy Trinity May 22, 2016

**Pastor**

**Monsignor Karl A. Chimiak**

**Rev. Joseph Wimmer, O.S.A.**  
Pastoral Associate

**Deacon Chris Schwartz**

**Rev. Paul Czarnota**  
In Residence

**Special Ministry to  
St. Joseph Regional School**

**Rev. Nick Muenks**  
In Residence  
**Special Ministry to the  
Youth Faith Formation**

**Msgr. Mariano Balbago**

### **Mission Statement**

The members of the Catholic Community of St. Joseph parish commit ourselves to live the teachings of Jesus Christ nourished by the Eucharist, guided by the Holy Spirit. Together we continue the mission of Christ through acts of Spirituality, Charity, Hospitality, and Stewardship

### **Spirituality:**

Joined together in Baptism, we gather as a worshipping community to celebrate the Sacraments. We pray together the Liturgy of the Eucharist to strengthen each other and ourselves.

### **Charity:**

We will demonstrate our love of God and our neighbors through our generosity, prayers, and support.

### **Hospitality:**

We will create a parish life of Christian fellowship to welcome each other and our guests in Christian love.

### **Stewardship:**

We will care for and use responsibly, our gifts of time, talent, and treasure which God has given us, to enrich our community.

### **Sacraments**

**Weekend Masses:**..... Saturday: 5:00pm Vigil; Sunday: 8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00 noon  
**Weekday Masses:** ..... Monday-Saturday: 8:15am  
**Holy Day Masses:** .....As Announced  
**Children's Liturgy of the Word:**..... 10:00am Mass  
**Eucharistic Adoration:**.....First Friday of each month 9:00-10:00am  
**Sacrament of Penance:** Saturday 4:00-4:45pm & following 8:15am Mass on 1st Fridays.

**Sacrament of Baptism:** We are excited to celebrate your child's baptism! This sacrament is celebrated on the last Sunday of each month. To have a child Baptized, one must be a registered parishioner, if new attending three months, be interviewed by Msgr. Karl Chimiak then instructed by Msgr. Karl Chimiak. The Baptism will be on the last Sunday of the month. A Godparent must be a practicing Catholic and if not from this parish must have a signed certificate from the parish where they attend.

**Sacrament of Marriage:** Congratulations on your engagement! You are in one of the most exciting (and hectic) times of your life. Beyond the wedding day there is married life. Let us help you get ready, a registered parishioner should arrange with the priests or deacons at least 6 months in advance of the planned ceremony. Preparation classes are needed.

**Sacrament of the Sick:** Please contact the rectory when you or a relative are sick and in need of anointing. Sick and at home can be a frightening and lonely ordeal. We would like to support and encourage you during this difficult time. Our Pastoral Visitors are ready to visit with you or your loved one, pray together and, if you choose, share Communion.

**Funeral Mass:** The death of a loved one is one of the most difficult issues of life. The prayerful support and assistance of your Church family can be indispensable; the funeral home will help you contact our Arimathean Ministry for help. Bereavement Ministers can walk you through the planning of the Funeral.

**Rectory Office - Hours Mon.-Fri. 9:00am to 3:00pm** ..... 301-937-7183  
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**Msgr. Karl A. Chimiak**..... Msgr.Karl@stjos.org  
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**Grades 1-8** ..... Sunday 9:00am to 9:50 a.m.  
**Church Plant Manager**.....Warren Taylor

**Catholic Inquiry Sessions (RCIA)** For Non Catholics interested in learning about the Catholic faith and Catholics interested in learning more about their faith. Call the office for more information.

**Calming Room/Toddler Room:**For the convenience of parents and young children, the cry room has windows to see into the church, speaker system to hear the Mass, and sound absorbing panels to confine sounds to the cry room. Please do not pacify children in the foyer - sounds echo into the church. This enables the parent, priest, and congregation to more prayerfully and attentively follow the Mass.

**New Parishioners:**Welcome to our parish community. We encourage you to become actively involved members of the parish.

# Parish Worship



**Jesus** said to his disciples: "I have much more to tell you, but you cannot bear it now. But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth. He will not speak on his own, but he will speak what he hears, and will declare to you the things that are coming. He will glorify me, because he will take from what is mine and declare it to you. Everything that the Father has is mine; for this reason I told you that he will take from what is mine and declare it to you."

**John 16: 12 - 15**

**Prayer Group:** You are welcome to join the group any Tuesday evening from 8:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. in the School Library as we share God's love.

**Scripture Study:** The Scripture Sharing Group meets Wednesdays 9:00 -10:30 am in the Cry Room in the Church. Please join the group to study the Letters to the Corinthians.

**Parish Prayer Support:** A Prayer Intention Book is located in the back of the church. Please list your personal requests and remember the needs of others as you pray. We have now added a special section where you may list the names of those serving in the military. Also, daily prayer support is available through the telephone Prayer Chain. Contact Edie Fafard (301-937-1048) or MM Teague (301-937-3999) to begin this process. Your privacy is always respected.

**Children's Liturgy of the Word:** Children's Liturgy of the Word, where the readings are explained to children at their level, is on every Sunday during the 10 am Mass. Children from Kindergarten to 5th grade are welcome.

The first Sunday of each month, during the 10 am Mass, we will be celebrating a "Children's Mass". We would like to invite our young parishioners (1st grade to 7th grade) to be part of the experience by joining us as Lectors, Ushers and Gift-bearers. To volunteer and be added to the schedule, please contact Laura Irwin at 301-937-6368 or [laura\\_e\\_irwin@yahoo.com](mailto:laura_e_irwin@yahoo.com).

# Ministries May 28th & May 29th

Saturday May 28 5:00 p.m.	Sunday May 29 8:00 a.m.	Sunday May 29 10:00 a.m.	Sunday May 29 12:00 p.m.
Fr. Muenks Dcn. Schwartz	Msgr. Balbago	Fr. Czarnota	Msgr. Karl
<b>EOM</b>	<b>EOM</b>	<b>EOM</b>	<b>EOM</b>
Please Sign In	Please Sign In	Please Sign In	Please Sign In
<b>Lectors</b>	<b>Lectors</b>	<b>Lectors</b>	<b>Lectors</b>
E. Balbago G. Akoma	M. Bernard R. Bernard	S. Young G. Okonji	J. Pratt S. Chirindah
<b>Altar Servers</b>	<b>Altar Servers</b>	<b>Altar Servers</b>	<b>Altar Servers</b>
L. Ojo L. Ojo M. Ojo	S. Hilario B. Hilario K. Valenzuela	I. Szczepanski J. French G. Tarbrake	D. Gurwah A. Gurwah J. Obijiaku
<b>Cantor</b>	<b>Silent</b>	<b>Contemp.</b>	<b>Folk</b>

## Mass Intentions

### Sunday, May 22

5:00 P.M.† Barbara Bohorfoush (Marie Russo & Family)  
8:00 A.M.† Probodh Halder (Nita Nabors)  
10:00 A.M.† Ceil Maloney (Tim & Karen Murray)  
12:00 P.M.† George Andrews (JoAnna Borden & Anne Rodko)

### Monday, May 23

8:15 A.M.† Probodh Halder (St. Joseph Middle School Teachers)

### Tuesday, May 24

8:15 A.M.† Theresa M. Rizzo (The Tansey Family)

### Wednesday, May 25

8:15 A.M.† Louise Bennett (Tom & Eileen Kirk)

### Thursday, May 26

8:15 A.M. Elizabeth King & Family (Living) (Denny Sutton)

### Friday, May 27

8:15 A.M.† Paul Milani (Dolores Lynch)

### Saturday, May 28

8:15 A.M.† Frankie Fedorowicz (The Boroch Family)

### Sunday, May 29

5:00 P.M.† Charles S. Boackle (Walter & Marie Bohorfoush)  
8:00 A.M. All Members of the Parish  
10:00 A.M.† Timothy E. & Laura Jean Murray (The Hutchcroft Family)  
12:00 P.M.† Ceil Maloney (Bruce Marcus & Debbie Johnston)

Please pray daily for the special needs of our Parish Community. Pray for the sick of the parish, for our active military, and those listed in the Parish Prayer Book, that they may know God's healing love. Please remember all those who have died, especially

## Mary Rose Williams and

## Mary Fernandez

ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM, O LORD,  
AND LET PERPETUAL LIGHT SHINE UPON THEM.  
MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.  
AMEN.

# Parish News

Bulletin Deadline – Noon Monday IN WRITING, (holiday weekends are published a week in advance) either by email, fax, mail, or delivery to the rectory. When space is limited, emailed content gets first priority.

## Calendar of Events

	<i>May</i>
May 27	Field Day and Noon Dismissal
May 30	Memorial Day School & Rectory Closed
	<i>June</i>
June 2	1:00 p.m. School Band Concert
June 2	7:00 p.m. Parent Band Concert
June 4	Mandatory Lector Workshop 11:00 a.m. in the church
June 10	8th Grade Graduation

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

**Effective Monday,  
June 20, 2016  
New Time for  
Daily Mass will be  
8:00 a.m.**

*Won't You Spend an Hour with the Lord?:* There will be a First Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on June 3rd from immediately after the 8:15 am Mass until 12:00 noon. We need two volunteers each hour. There will be a sign up table for volunteers at each Mass on May 28th and 29th.

## Lector Workshop

I am pleased to announce the date for our next Lector Workshop--June 4, 2016 Saturday at 11:00 a.m. in the church. It will be hosted and run by a priest and Msgr. Karl Chimiak.

*This is a mandatory meeting.*

This will be a fantastic opportunity for us to fine tune our craft while deepening the spiritual roots of our ministry. Also, since we have had quite a few lectors join the ministry since the last workshop in Sept. 2014, this will be our chance to become better acquainted and improve our skills. Each of us will proclaim a reading of our choice and receive feedback from the group.

## Youth Faith Formation

*Parents are reminded that students are required to complete two years of religious education prior to their sacramental years.*

For more information contact the DRE, Laurel Montoya at reled@stjos.org or call the rectory at 301-937-7183.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING  
ST. JOSEPH PARISH SCHOOL AND  
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STUDENTS WHO  
RECEIVED THEIR FIRST COMMUNION ON  
MAY 7TH AND MAY 8TH

**Emmanuela Brittni Afah Amibang**

**Dre Anyesoh**

**Mia Arroyo**

**Jason Arteaga,**

**Laura Bell**

**Natalia Bonilla**

**Catherine Breen**

**Kimberly A. Castellanos**

**Josiah Charlerie**

**Matthew French**

**Chase Hobbs**

**Hayley Hood**

**Haley Hutchcroft**

**Josie Hutchcroft**

**Inaayah Jiwani**

**Emilia Kim**

**Kingston Metzger**

**Noelia Moreira**

**Ida Mossi**

**Ashley Nkongchu**

**Dema Nwana**

**Arinzechukwu Ogbolu**

**Majidah Ogbolu**

**Maryann Ogbolu**

**Lulu Onyona**

**Nicholas Parris**

**Noah Ramos**

**Robert Reeser**

**Subhro Rozario**

**Sofia Sieiro**

**Ivana Soneye**

**Jake Ethan Thomas**

**Michael Victor**

**Jimmy Zempoalteca**

**Liana Zuniga**

**MAY 8TH**

**Taylor Lewis**

**Brandon Lewis**

**Kevin Guzman**

**Jayson Lara**



## Hospitality Sunday

Hospitality Sunday will be hosted by  
Prayer Apostolate

Today, Sunday, May 22nd,  
after all Sunday Masses.

Please come and join us in the school  
cafeteria for refreshments and fellowship.

Join Us For Coffee,   
Donuts and Conversation

## Family Night Out

When: Monday, May 23, 2016  
Where: Sullivan's Steak & Beverage  
Company  
9624 Fort Meade Road  
Laurel, Md  
301-498-7427  
<http://eatatsullivans.com>  
Time: 4:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.

Come join us for Kids Karaoke Night!

In addition to great food and fun, Sullivan's  
Steak and Beverage Company will donate  
10% of total sales with this flyer to the St.  
Joseph's Home and School Association.

Please present this flyer when ordering dine-  
in or carry-out to help track the evenings  
sales. Invite your friends and family! If you  
need flyers feel free to copy this page or con-  
tact the school office. Since this is a fund-  
raising event, please refrain from using cou-  
pons or discounts.

If you have any questions please contact  
David Rathbun at:  
[drathun12@hotmail.com](mailto:drathun12@hotmail.com)

## Msgr. Karl Korner

### Who is the Holy Spirit?

Anyone who has ever taught a Confirmation preparation class has been struck by how difficult it is to explain who the Holy Spirit is? We can say what the Holy Spirit does, He Sanctifies, fills us with His Seven Gifts, guides us and the Church and we can speak of symbols used for the Spirit, the dove, fire, oil, water, wind, and Breath. But Who is the Holy Spirit?

We have even changed the Spirit's name in our lifetimes. We used to call the Holy Spirit, the "Holy Ghost," but now we say the Holy Spirit! The reason for the change is that languages often change the meanings of particular words. While "Ghost" might have been a perfectly good word to use decades ago, it no longer is because it implies a phantasm more than a spiritual entity.

One of the most difficult things is to explain how the Holy Spirit could be a person. It is easier to think of the Spirit as a force or a way that God makes Himself known to us. Yet, we know that the Holy Spirit is the Third Person of the Blessed Trinity. Maybe we just have to accept that this is a mystery, and we can never fully understand Who the Spirit is.

But, that doesn't mean that we cannot form a relationship with the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit has been breathed into our hearts at creation and again when Jesus rose from the dead at Easter. The Spirit, the Love of God, fills us and empowers us. The Spirit, in fact, loves us more than we could ever love ourselves.

*Come Holy Ghost, Creator Blest  
and in our hearts take up thy rest  
Come with thy grace, and heavenly aid,  
To fill the hearts which Thou hast made.  
Amen*



### Lifetouch

Due to unforeseen technical difficulties Lifetouch was not able to fulfill the accuracy of information in the Pictorial Directory.

Hence, we are waiting for corrections to be made by Lifetouch.

Our sincerest apologizes,  
Msgr. Karl Chimiak  
Pastor

### Parishioner Registration/Update Request

#### Update Request

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Please Check One:

New Registration  Change of Address  Moving Out of Parish

## Social Concerns

### Much Needed Items for Our Pantry:

The following items are those products that we seem to run out of each week. We usually have to buy them using donations from our parishioners.

### Much Needed Items for Our Pantry

Paper Towels	Laundry Detergent
Dish	Detergent
Deodorant	Toothpaste
Shampoo	Face Soap
Crackers	Mustard
Ketchup	Syrup
Pancake Mix	Peanut Butter
Jelly	Pop Tarts
Juice	Baked Beans
Popcorn	Pudding
Jell-O	Cereal

**Food Pantry 2016:** We have had 339 visits to our Food Pantry so far this New Year. We have registered 35 new families. We will continue to service Beltsville, Calverton, College Park, Laurel and some Adelphi, Greenbelt and Hyattsville area families who have been coming to us for several years, as long as our food supply and monetary donations from this generous parish continue as they have been.

**Current Pantry Stock:** Due to a tremendous response to the Lenten Food Collection from our parishioners, our school parents, the community, the Knights of Columbus 2809, Holy Redeemer Parish in College Park and St. Anselm's Abbey in NE Washington DC, we have a huge supply of canned vegetables, pasta, soup, canned beans (other than baked beans), mac 'n' cheese, tuna and toilet tissue. Our ability to store all of the donations has become an issue, but one that we consider a blessed one. We will keep you updated as our supplies need to be replenished. School vacations and the summer months will be here before we know it.

**Gift Card Donations:** We are always in need of ALDI, Costco, CVS, Dollar Tree, Giant, Rite Aid, Safeway, Sam's, Shoppers and Shop Rite Gift Cards in order to help keep our pantry shelves well stocked.



**We must not forget that we gather as a Church for the celebration of the Mass to be with our Lord, and He is truly present among us. Christ is present in the words of the sacred Scripture, "since it is He Himself who speaks when the holy Scriptures are read in the Church." Each person must hear this word attentively and allow it to take root in his life. Cell phones going off during Mass is a disruption and distraction to everyone and breaks the concentration at Mass. Please turn off cell phones and concentrate on Jesus during Mass.**

## Stewardship

		Income	Weekly Estimated Expenses	Difference
May 15, 2016	Weekly Offertory	\$9,738.66	\$8,650.00	\$1,088.66
	Mortgage	\$450.05	\$2,600.00	-\$2,149.95
Monthly Overview				
		Income	Monthly Expenses	Difference
April 2016	Offertory	\$43,708.00	\$37,500.00	\$6,208.00
	Mortgage	\$9,308.04	\$10,792.00	-\$1,483.96

Offertory envelopes for April were mailed out to 857 registered parishioners.



For the month of May we would like to thank

**Hillhaven**

**Assisted Living, Nursing & Rehabilitation Center**

For supporting our parish by advertising in our bulletin.

# Other News

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter:** Jesus tells us not to let our hearts be troubled because he has given us His peace; the peace that passes all understanding. We also have the Holy Spirit to lead and guide us and our marriage. Sign up today to attend one of the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is November 11-13, 2016, in Gaithersburg, MD. For more information and to apply online visit [welovematrimony.org](http://welovematrimony.org), or call 301-541-7007, or email at [applications@welovematrimony.org](mailto:applications@welovematrimony.org).

**Three to Get Married Marriage Preparation Weekend:** Upcoming weekends: May 26-29, Jun 9-12 Are You Ready?! You're not just planning a wedding, you're preparing for a lifetime! Our marriage preparation course is an intensive preparation experience true to the teachings of the Catholic Church. Convenient one-weekend schedule. FOCCUS Inventory included! \$285 per couple. Registration required. [www.ourladyofbethesda.org](http://www.ourladyofbethesda.org) 301-365-0612. These weekends fill up quickly, so reserve your spot today! Our Lady of Bethesda Retreat Center.

**Knights of Columbus 2809 Summer Camp:** Registration for the sixteenth summer of the Knights of Columbus Summer Camp has begun. We offer swim lessons, sports, arts and crafts, and free swim at our extensive facility in College Park. More information and the registration form are located at <http://kofccamp.wordpress.com>. Please direct any questions to Anne Irwin at 240-393-2468 or [kofccamp@gmail.com](mailto:kofccamp@gmail.com)



# Archdiocesan News

**Pilgrimage to Italy for the Jubilee Year of Mercy:** Pope Francis invites Catholics from around the world to come to Rome for a special time of prayer, reflection, and pilgrimage during the Jubilee Year of Mercy, which recalls the words of the Gospel: "Be merciful even as your Father is merciful." Parishioners are invited to rally behind their priests and deacons and travel with them to Italy from May 25 - June 2, 2016, sharing in a customized program that includes visits to Rome, Assisi, and Florence. For more information, contact Fr. Jerry Gamrot at Holy Face Parish in Great Mills, MD (301-994-0525 or [jgamrot@verizon.net](mailto:jgamrot@verizon.net)).

**"Singles Sunday":** June 5 at National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. Tour at 1:30pm, Mass at 2:30pm in the Immaculate Heart of Mary chapel, and dinner at 4pm at nearby Catholic University. Advance reservations required by May 24. \$17 cost for dinner. For single Catholics 21 and older. Visit <http://CatholicSinglesOfGreaterWashington.org> or call Tricia at 301-460-9195.

**Memorial Day at Catholic Cemeteries:** During this Year of Mercy, "we are called to remember everyone, even those who no one remembers," says Pope Francis. "We remember those who sacrificed their lives to serve others. We especially entrust to the Lord, those who have left us during the past year." On Memorial Day, come offer a spiritual work of mercy and pray in loving memory of family, friends, and fellow citizens who have given their lives for our freedom and now experience their destiny in the love of Christ. Special outdoor Masses will be held at 10am on Monday, May 30 on the sacred ground of the Catholic cemeteries of the Archdiocese of Washington, including Gate of Heaven Cemetery, 13801 Georgia Ave., Silver Spring, MD, (301) 871-6500

# SCHOOL NEWS

Dear Parish Families

We are now entering the final week of May. Wow the year has gone by fast! We are excited about the continued growth these final three weeks! Last week's talent show was amazing. Our students did an amazing job getting their performances together, and showing off their talents in song, dance, juggling, and instrumental music!

*This week at a glance:* **On Monday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>**, we will have a Family Night Out fundraiser at Sullivan's Steak and Beverage Company, from 4:00 pm – 9:00 pm. **Friday May 27<sup>th</sup>**, is Field Day, and we will have a **Noon Dismissal**.

*What's next:* Our end of year band concert will be June 2<sup>nd</sup>, Graduation for 8<sup>th</sup> grade will be on June 10<sup>th</sup>, and the last day of school will be June 14<sup>th</sup>. Once summer begins, we will host our **Vacation Bible School from July 11<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>**.

**Enrollment:** We are still ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS! For new families entering K-8th, you may enroll online <http://stjosrcs.org/registration/> by clicking on the TADS links. To register for our PRE-K program please download the PRE-K registration form from our website and bring or mail to the school office. To schedule a private tour please call the school 301-937-7154, or email [secretary@stjosrcs.org](mailto:secretary@stjosrcs.org).

*2016-2017 School year:* Are you interested in spending a day on the golf course this summer? We will host our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual St. Joseph's RCS Golf Tournament on August 19<sup>th</sup>! It will be held at Cross Creek Golf Course here in Beltsville. Whether you are looking for a fun day on the course, or interested in a little competition we hope you'll join us, and we look forward to spending a great summer day on the course!

*How you can help:* Mr. Hooker completed the Columbia Triathlon on May 15<sup>th</sup>, and will run the DiamondMan Half Ironman on September 10<sup>th</sup>, and Ironman Maryland on October 1<sup>st</sup>. All for a great cause! Mr. Hooker is hoping the miles he spends in training for these 32 mile, 70.3 mile, and 140.6 mile races will reflect in dollars raised for a Principals Emergency Tuition Assistance Fund. You can donate towards this cause at our school website [www.stjosrcs.org](http://www.stjosrcs.org) by clicking the DONATE button at the bottom of the page and adding the special instructions "RUN". Thank you to all that have donated!

## Upcoming School Events

- ◆ May 27<sup>th</sup>- Field Day, Noon Dismissal
- ◆ May 30<sup>th</sup>- Memorial day, School Closed
- ◆ June 2<sup>nd</sup>- Band Concert
- ◆ June 2<sup>nd</sup>- Do More 24 Fundraiser
- ◆ June 9<sup>th</sup>- 8<sup>th</sup> grade Picnic
- ◆ June 10<sup>th</sup>- Graduation
- ◆ June 14<sup>th</sup>- Last Day of School, Noon Dismissal

**Mr. Hooker's Math and Fitness Challenge-** This weekend Mr. Hooker will swim 2,000 yds, bike 55 miles, and run 12 miles. How many miles did he train in all?

