



# St. Joseph Ost Catholic Church

## St. Joseph Catholic School



May 24th, 2026 - Pentecost Sunday



### MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Saturday— 8am

Tuesday—6:30pm

Saturday 4pm

Sunday 9am

*See inside for Holy Day and Mass Schedule changes*

**Confessions** will be heard beginning one-half hour before every Mass, and after 4pm Mass every Saturday. On the first weekend of the month, confessions will be available after all Masses.

### PARISH STAFF

Rev. Bernard X. Gorges, Pastor

Pastor Cell 316-655-9384

*To Schedule an appointment with Father, please call Pam May in the Parish Office*

Pam May, Office Manager

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### SCHOOL STAFF

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Stacey Spexarth, School Secretary

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### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

(316) 444-2210

Beginning June 9th:

Tues, Wed, Thurs 9am–3pm

13015 E Maple Grove Rd

Mt. Hope, Ks 67108

### SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS

316-444-2548

**SACRAMENTS:** For information about registration or the sacraments; including: Anointing of the Sick; Baptism; & Marriage; please contact the parish office. Couples wishing to be married should make an appointment with Father at least nine months prior to the anticipated wedding date.

**OCIA:** Classes are held each Sunday after Mass in the parish office September-April. Contact Marvin Huffman, [thehuffmans1961@gmail.com](mailto:thehuffmans1961@gmail.com)

**ADORATION:** Offered in the adoration chapel weekly from Wednesday at noon until Thursday at midnight. For more information please contact Kelly Linnebur @ (316)-258-6869.

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St. Joseph Catholic Church & School - Ost



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## Parish Announcements

### Parish Office Notice— May 25 – June 8 and summer office hours

We are excited to host Totus Tuus training week again this year! To best accommodate our guests, the parish office will be physically closed from May 25 to June 8. During this time, our staff will work remotely and check emails and voicemails regularly to assist you. Please leave a message, and we will get back to you shortly. Beginning June 9, the office will move to summer hours so our team can complete campus-wide projects. Our physical open hours will be:

- Tuesday – Thursday: 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM
- Monday & Friday: Closed

Outside of these hours, please leave a voicemail or send an email, and we will respond as soon as possible.

### Sacramental Emergencies

In the event of a sacramental emergency at any time, please text Fr. Bernie directly at 316-655-9384.

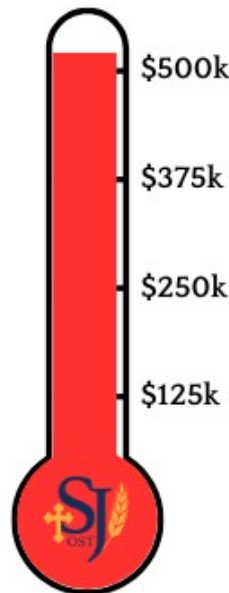
Parish Totus Tuus— July 12-17th. More details coming soon.

Golf Tournament— Tickets are now on sale for the St. Joe, Ost Golf Classic! It takes place at Cherry Oaks Golf Course and is on July 25th & 26th. You can choose your date. Look for the insert here in the bulletin for more details.

St. Anne Altar Society Cash Raffle— Christmas in July tickets are available! \$50 ticket donation and the funds raised will go towards new furniture in our Church Sanctuary. Look for the insert here in the bulletin for more details.

Totus Tuus Family Fun Night— Join us here at St. Joe, Ost May 30th at 5pm (following 4pm Mass). There will be hamburgers, hot dogs and sides (free will offering), yard games, inflatables, and a street dance. Bring a lawn chair and enjoy the fun night!

Msgr. Ivan Eck's Diamond Jubilee— Tuesday, May 19th Fr. Ivan concelebrated Mass for his 75th Ordination Anniversary. Thank you to all who came to Mass to celebrate him! Below are pictures of Fr. Ivan during the consecration of the Eucharist.



<b>05/17/26</b>	
<b>Weekly Giving</b>	
Actual	\$12,990
Goal	\$10,922
Over/(Under)	\$2,068

<b>Annual Giving</b>	
<b>July 2025 - June 2026</b>	
Actual	\$552,809
Goal	\$591,600



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ST. JOE, OST  
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FUN NIGHT**

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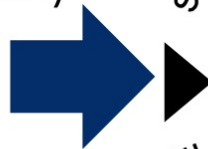


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March Bulletin Report (Cash Basis)

	<u>Month Ending</u>	<u>Year To Date</u>
	03/31/2026	03/31/2026
<b>Net Receipts Over/(Under) Disbursements</b>		
<b>Income:</b>		
Church Collections	58,060.00	455,064.78
Directed Donations	(1,455.05)	277,643.19
School Fees & Tuition	40,980.36	571,433.72
Fundraising Receipts (Net)	74,865.84	215,453.38
Endowment Fund withdrawals/(deposits)	75.00	126,526.84
Other Income	9,544.25	28,991.42
<b>Total Income</b>	<b><u>182,070.40</u></b>	<b><u>1,675,113.33</u></b>
<b>Church Expenses:</b>		
Tithe to Diocese	5,870.60	51,554.02
Salaries & Benefits	12,141.30	98,946.53
Facility Operating Expenses	4,553.88	46,215.49
Other	6,027.37	59,962.69
Capital Improvements	3,185.07	98,161.90
<b>Total Church Expenses</b>	<b><u>31,778.22</u></b>	<b><u>354,840.63</u></b>
<b>Education Expenses:</b>		
Salaries & Benefits	97,168.18	905,505.84
High School Direct Support & Subsidy	4,976.00	50,983.00
Facility Operating Expenses	13,707.33	118,166.84
Supplies/Other	3,279.82	80,064.26
Technology Upgrades - Grant Funded	0.00	17,176.56
<b>Total Education Expenses</b>	<b><u>119,131.33</u></b>	<b><u>1,171,896.50</u></b>
<b>Net Receipts Over/(Under) Disbursements</b>	<b><u>31,160.85</u></b>	<b><u>148,376.20</u></b>

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- ENJOY THE QUIET BEAUTY OF OUR MONASTERY GROUNDS

Contact me!  
SISTER NANCY ROSE

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# Liturgical Ministry Schedule - June 2026

**Extraordinary  
Ministers**  
\* Choir  
\*\* Cup

Date	Extraordinary Ministers * Choir ** Cup	Lector	Servers	Ushers	Offertory
<b>Saturday, June 6 4:00 PM</b>	Angela Gorges **J.J. Bugner **Stacey Spexarth	Justina Stahlheber	Morgan Helten Owen Helten Noah Berning	Mark Gorges Steve Zoglman Jacob Seiwert Matt Helten	Jeremy and Stacie Clupny
<b>Sunday, June 7 9:00 AM</b>	Christine Helten *Kurt Simon **Paul Helten **Angela Gorges	Marvin Huffman	Bradley Helten Joey Helten Sam Helten	Tyler Darrah Brady Gorges Nate Simon Kyle Kerschen	Kurt and Jennifer Simon
<b>Saturday, June 13 4:00 PM</b>	Anne May	Dan May	Oliver Spexarth Troy Albert Lucy Seiler	Derrick May John Bergkamp Curt Ernst Bryce Seiler	John & Janet Simon
<b>Sunday, June 14 9:00 AM</b>	Josh Seiler *Laura Seiwert	Jamie Gorges	Emily Gorges McKenna Gorges Lucas Gorges	Marvin Huffman Nick Ward Jason Bergkamp Wayne Gorges	Justin & Jenna Giefer
<b>Saturday, June 20 4:00 PM</b>	Jacque Matchett	Paul Helten	Owen Helten Adeline Helten Morgan Helten	Bert Ernst Mike Puetz Thomas Gorges Adam Gorges	Mark & Angela Gorges
<b>Sunday, June 21 9:00 AM</b> Father's Day	Marvin Huffman *Byron Bergkamp	Tyler Darrah	Kyson Meyer Simon Helten Marcus Simon	James Helten Jeffrey Baker Chord Zeller Eric Moutray	Ken & Betty Seiwert
<b>Saturday, June 27 4:00 PM</b>	Dan May	Lisa Gabler	Lucy Seiler Reagan Stahlheber Luke Seiler	Paul Helten Jeremy Clupny Jagger Gorges Greg Puetz	Steven and Anita Zoglman
<b>Sunday, June 28 9:00 AM</b>	Kelly Linnebur *Jason Bergkamp	Joe Seiwert	Anna Seiwert Emma Seiwert Lucy Seiwert	Jayden Seiwert Andrew Seiwert Jon Seiwert Jason Seiwert	Larry & Susie Reichenberger

Thank you for your gifts of Time and Talent to our Parish! The ministry schedule for June 2026 is posted on the website. If you are scheduled for a ministry but unable to fulfill your position, we ask that you please find someone to trade with or a substitute for you.



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**May**  
 24 First Mass  
 3:30pm—Reception to follow  
 27 Totus Tuus Training Starts  
 30 Family Fun Night  
 5-10pm—Parish Hall

**June**  
 1 Lord's Diner Serving Day  
 5:15pm—The Lord's Diner  
 5 Totus Tuus Training Ends  
 10 Auction Committee  
 7pm—Parish Office  
 23 Stewardship Committee  
 7pm—Parish Office

**July**  
 1 Adoration Under the Stars  
 5pm—Cemetery

**Our Seminarians:**  
 Isaac Peloquin (*St. Joe Alumnus*)  
**Newly Ordained**  
 Fr. Isaac Hilger (*Parishioner & St. Joe Alumnus*)  
 Fr. Peter Bergkamp (*St. Joe Alumnus*)

**Our Retired Priests:**  
 Fr. Ivan Eck  
 Fr. Dwight Birket  
 Fr. Floyd McKinney  
**Our Expectant Parents:**

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 Jacob & Brianna Helten  
 Travis & Angelica Lorg  
 Eric & Anne Moutray  
 Nick & Morgan Ward  
 Geoff & Kylee Weninger

**May**  
 25 Travis & Brittany Hillman  
 27 Fr. Dwight Birket  
 27 Fr. Bernie Gorges

**Birthdays**

**May**  
 23 Luke Helten  
 24 Nathan Helten  
 25 Marissa Seiwert  
 27 Wyatt Spexarth  
 28 Emily Danler  
 29 Tom Helten  
 30 Catherine Hieger

**PRAYER LINE**—To sign up or place a request, please contact Missy Seiwert, 316-619-2856 or stjosephost@gmail.com.

**Mass Changes**  
 We will be hosting Totus Tuus Training: May 27th—June 5th  
 Please see Mass times below for any changes

**Father's Mass Intentions May 23—31**

Saturday	4pm	+Justin Landwehr	Thursday	7am	+ Robert & Lois Bugner
				11:30am	Special Intention
Sunday	9am	People of the Parish	Friday	7am	+ Jaylen Meyer
Monday	8am	+ Duane Hampel		11:30am	Special Intention
Tuesday	8am	Special Intention	Saturday	8am	+ Gary Voth
	6:30pm	+ Kevin Martin		4pm	People of the Parish
Wednesday	8am	+ Emmanuel Ast	Sunday	9am	+ Bernie Engelbrecht
	7pm	Special Intention			



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