



14th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Whatever town you enter and they welcome you, eat what is set before you, cure the sick in it and say to them, ‘The kingdom of God is at hand for you.’”

- Lk 10:8-9

Parish Stewardship

Weekly collection for 07/05/25. n/a
 Weekly budget goal \$3,425.00
 Difference n/a
 CSA 2025 Assessment Goal \$30,504.00
 CSA Pledges to date \$30,065.00

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POPE'S INTENTION FOR JULY
For Formation in Discernment

Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel.



Pray the Rosary everyday to obtain peace for the world. Join us at St. Joseph Church each Tuesday at 6 p.m.

Baptismal Training Sessions 2025

August 7th	7:00 pm	St. Joseph Church	814-787-4151
August 28th	6:30 pm	St. Mark, Emporium	814-486-0569

A Family Perspective

Just like the seventy-two disciples sent out by Jesus in today's Gospel, families are called to be missionaries. Through our lives, words, and lifestyle, we proclaim peace, commitment, fidelity, and respect in a culture often consumed by violence and self-gratification.

Our **5th Annual Golf Outing** will be held on Sunday, August 17th, at Treasure Lake Silver Course in DuBois. Shotgun start @ 1:00 PM. The cost will be: \$80/person. \$65/member. This cost includes: greens fees, cart, boxed lunch, dinner, prizes, and refreshments on the course. We will have a 50/50 drawing, auction baskets, skill prizes, 1st & 2nd place monetary prizes, best ball, four man scramble. We will also have a \$10,000 Hole-in-One Par 3 which is sponsored by St. Marys Insurance. There will be a sign-up sheet in the vestibule. You can also call Jude Lander at Treasure Lake @ 814-913-1480 OR Jim Allegretto @ 814-594-9708. Get your team together for a day of fun!

**SAVE THE DATE!**

Our church picnic will be held on Sunday, August 10th.
 Make plans to attend!

MASS will be at 10:00 a.m. Picnic to follow. We will eat at NOON. Food will be provided by the Church. You are welcome to bring a non-refrigerated dessert for all to enjoy!

Please see the insert included with the bulletin this week. The reservation form is on the insert. Please complete and return your reservation form by August 4th. You can drop it into the collection basket or bring it to the office during the week M-Th from 9 am to 4pm.

Food-Fun-Games-Music-Raffles

Good News
The 72 Disciples News
Declaration of Independence News

Good News

Good News is always comforting to hear or read. If your doctor prescribes a certain medical exam or test, and the news regarding them is good, you most certainly rejoice with the good news you've received. You may look for opportunities to tell others about the good news.

The 72 Disciples News

In a similar way in our Gospel Reading this weekend, the 72 Disciples are rejoicing. After having been sent by our Lord to visit the towns Jesus intended to visit, they reported that with the grace and power Jesus gave them, many were accepting the Good News and being healed.

Declaration of Independence News

It was the Good News of freedom and independence from England when the Declaration of Independence was signed on July 4, 1776 with these words:

In CONGRESS, July 4, 1776

The unanimous Declaration of the thirteen United States of America

We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty, and the pursuit of Happiness.

As we celebrate 4th of July weekend, may we be deeply appreciative of every aspect of all that our Good Lord has given us in our nation.



GOD

BLESS

AMERICA!

We Celebrate, We Listen, We Pray

Date	Intention	Requested by	Celebration	Scriptures
Monday, July 07, 2025 8:30 a.m. Mass	Joann Segalla	Mr. & Mrs. Myron Crumrine	Weekday	Gn 28: 10-22a Mt 9: 18-26 (383)
Tuesday, July 08, 2025 8:30 a.m. Mass	Richard Allegretto 15th anniversary	Jim, Barb, Maria, and Rachel	Weekday	Gn 32: 23-33 Mt 9: 32-38 (384)
Wednesday, July 09, 2025 No Mass			Weekday <i>Saint Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest, and Companions; Martyrs</i>	Gn 41: 55-57, 42: 5-7a, 17-24a Mt 10: 1-7 (385)
Thursday, July 10, 2025 8:30 a.m. Mass	Kathy Jarvis	Parishioner	Weekday	Gn 44: 18-21, 23b-29, 45: 1-5 Mt 10: 7-15 (386)
Friday, July 11, 2025 8:30 a.m. Mass	Edward Levanduski anniversary	wife-Josephine	Saint Benedict, Abbot	Gn 46: 1-7, 28-30 Mt 10: 16-23 (387)
Saturday, July 12, 2025 No Mass			Weekday <i>BVM</i>	Gn 49: 29-32, 50: 15-26a Mt 10: 24-33 (388)
Saturday, July 12, 2025 5:30 p.m. Mass	Living & Deceased Members of St. Joseph Church		Vigil of the Fifteen Sunday in Ordinary Time	(see below)
Sunday, July 13, 2025 9:15 a.m. Mass	Moon & Catherine Asalone	Jim & Debbie	FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Dt 30: 10-14 Col 1: 15-20 Lk 10: 25-37 (105)

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Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm Sunday: 9:15 am Holy Days: 9:00 am & 7:00 pm Daily: Mon., Tues., Thur., Fri. 8:30 am No Mass on Wednesday

Our Mission Co-op speaker Father Stephen

Father Stephen felt so very welcomed by all of us as he gave his Mission Appeal and talked with many of you after each Mass on the weekend of June 21/22. He shared with us his experiences in his ministry in serving the poor in East Africa, along with some very moving and painful situations he encountered. His personal testimony of priestly service and the great faith of the people that he serves was a great inspiration to all of us.

May our Lord Jesus bless and protect Father Stephen and all of the Vincentian Priests who serve in Africa, India, and throughout the world. Amen!

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