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**Below is an update on our parish's goal for the CSA campaign.**

**Parish Name:** Saint Joseph Parish  
**Location:** Pilot Grove  
**Parish Goal:** \$8160  
**\$ Received:** \$4560  
**\$ Committed:** \$5185

**Diocese CSA 2022 Goal/Totals as of 12/13/2021**

Diocese Goal \$2,000,000  
 Received \$1,218,482.32  
 Committed: \$1,425,795.41

**Sunday Collection**

Envelopes	\$ 5630.00
School	145.00
Human Development	20.00
Immaculate Conception	20.00
Retirement	30.00
Rent	120.00
Christmas	40.00
Loose	<u>385.00</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 6390.00</b>

**LITURGY SCHEDULE**

Saturday 4:00 PM For the People  
 6:00 PM Bernice Beck  
 Sunday 7:00 AM Joe Day  
 9:00 AM Wilbur & Eunice Vollrath  
 Joe & Lorene Vollrath  
 Monday 8:05 Private Prayer  
 Tuesday 8:05 Private Prayer  
 Wednesday 8:05 Private Prayer  
 Thursday 8:05 Private Prayer  
 Friday 8:05 Private Prayer  
 Saturday 4:00 PM Norbert & Martha Rentel  
 6:00 PM For the People  
 Sunday 7:00 AM Albert Gerke  
 9:00 AM Bobby Lorenz

**Remember the Sick and Suffering** Linnebur family, Judy Klenklen, Evan Schupp, Mary Ann Kane, Patty Antry, Becky Quick, Ron Kaullen, Cheryl Bonen, Judy Kraus, Patty Oerly, Jodie Walje, Sandy Hezel, Mary Manning, Brittany Twenter Asbury, Kim Townlain, Sue Gerke, Pat Vollrath, Diane Elbert, Carol Lang , Angie Gill, Henry Brownfield, Virgil Kraus, Don Aggeler and all the sick and suffering in our Parish Family

The rosary is prayed before all weekday and weekend masses.

Thank you to The Cooper Penny and Nancy Twenter for donating additional poinsettias to the church.

**Confession Schedule**

Saturday: 3:00-3:50 pm - St. Joseph PG)  
 5:45 pm - St. Joseph (Clifton)  
 Sunday: 6:45 am - St. John's (CC)  
 8:45 am - St. Joseph (PG)  
 Before weekday evening mass: 5:00 - 6:20 pm St. Joseph (PG)



## SCHOOL NEWS

### Mass Schedule

When we return from Christmas break, Mass will be Tuesday and Friday with the 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grades leading. All parents, grandparents, and parishioners are welcome to join us!

### Christmas Program

There will be more information about the Christmas Program at a later date. Thank you for your understanding!

### Christmas Wishes

The faculty and staff of St. Joseph School wish everyone a very blessed Christmas and prayers for a happy and healthy New Year! School will resume on Tuesday, January 4<sup>th</sup>.

### Upcoming Events

12/22-1/3-No School-Christmas Break

1/17-No School

1/28-All School Lock-In

**Scrip Current Inventory:** Wal-Mart \$10, \$25, \$50, \$100 , Target \$10 & \$25, Gap \$25, JC Penney \$25, Walgreens \$25, I-Tunes \$15 & \$25, Panera \$5, & \$25, Starbucks \$5 & \$25 Applebee's \$10 & \$25 , Regal Theater \$25, Olive Garden/Longhorn \$25, Casey's \$10, \$25 & \$50 Discover \$50, \$100 & \$250, Bath & Body \$10 & \$25, Barnes & Noble \$5 Maurice's \$20, Subway \$10, Visa \$50, \$100 & \$250 Taco Bell \$10, Red Lobster \$25, Dick's \$25, Hy-Vee \$10, \$25, \$50 & \$100, Cracker Barrel \$25, Buffalo Wild Wings \$10 , Steak 'n Shake \$10, Goodrich Theater \$10, Menards \$25.

#### Jan. 1 4:00 PM (PG)

**Reader** Pat Rentel

**Organist** Miranda Waibel

**Gift Bearers** Roger & Stephanie Imhoff

**Euch. Mins.** Pat Rentel

**Servers** Volunteers

**Ushers** Jerry Gerling  
Lu Gerling

#### 6:00 PM (Clifton)

Sadie Streck

Michelle Wolfe

#### Jan 2 7:00 AM (CC)

Joe Stoecklein

Bea McKinzie

Joe Stoecklein  
Volunteers

Jared Wells  
David Wessing

#### 9:00 AM (PG)

Elaina Wirths

Yvonne Kammerich  
Terry & Betty Vollmer

Regina Reuter  
Daylan Wirths  
Matthew Fahrendorf  
Terry Vollmer  
Dustin Townlain

## Summary of Altar Sodality Minutes

St. Joseph's Altar Sodality met December 14, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. President-Mary Young called the meeting to order with 9 members present. Meeting continued with an opening prayer, reading the minutes, & treasurer report.

Cards sent included Christmas cards, get-well & birthday cards.

Old Business: We decided to delay visiting shut ins due to continued covid concerns.

New Business: Becky Gerke & Betty L. Vollmer have volunteered to be added to list to help with funeral dinners. Motion made & seconded to retain the current slate of officers for year 2022: President: Mary Young, Vice-President: Linda Vollrath, Secretary: Diane Root & Treasurer: Terry Booker.

We received a donation from Janice Arth, and also donations from Rita Martin & Vernon Twenter families.

Our next meeting will be February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022 at 6:30 p.m.

Motion made & seconded to adjourn.

Meeting closed with prayer, followed by enjoying delicious refreshments.







September 26, 2021 Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

