Saints Mary & Joseph Parish

2010 East First South Street, PO Box 647, Carlinville, IL. 62626 - 854-7151

Pastor: Rev. Michael Haag...mhaag30@hotmail.com
Deacon: Denny Baker...triparishff@yahoo.com
DRE: Karla Huddlestun … CarlinvilleDRE@gmail.com
Secretary: Linda Wood...secretaryssmjc@gmail.com
Office hours: Mon, - Thurs... 9:00 am-12 Noon.
Website: www.macoupincatholicchurch.com
Follow us on Facebook @ macoupincatholicchurch

Diocese Victim Assistance Coordinator and liaison between the Diocese & anyone with an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor-
Ms. Patricia Kornfield - (217)321-1155

Weekend Mass Times :

Saturday (Vigil) 5:30 p.m. -- Sunday 9:00 am
Daily Mass: Monday & Thursday: 8:00 am

Communion Service: Tues., Wed., & Fri.: 8:00 am

Confessions: By Appointment
Chaplet of Divine Mercy: Monday 8:30 a.m.

Scriptural Rosary: Monday 9:00 a.m.
Eucharistic Adoration: Thursday 8:30 a.m.- 12:00 Noon

Weekly Parish offering

Week 7	August 17-18	Total to Date
Weekly Envelopes	$4,159.50	$28,667.50
Loose Cash	$391.85	$1,676.35
Totals	$4,551.35	$30,343.85
Budget Goal	$5,400.00	$37,800.00
Difference	-$848.65	-$7,456.15

Building fund	$190.00
Votive Candles	$70.00
Holy Day Collection	$590.00
Schaefer Funeral	$325.00

August 17-18, 2019

Sat.	Sun. 9:00am	total
145	217	362

August 18-19, 2018

Sat. 5:30 pm	Sun. 9:00am	total
167	219	386

Parish Liturgical Ministry Schedule - Aug 31-Sept. 1

	Saturday 5:30 pm		Sunday 9:00 am
Greeters	Greg & Regina Boente Julie Boente	**Greeters**	Ed & Kay Kalaher Rhonda Priest
Lector	Connie Reid	**Lector**	Steven Boente
Eucharistic Ministers	Linda Wood*, John Kelly*, Theresa M. Rosentreter, Sandra Philpott, Ann Woods, Mark Gillock, Teri Gillock	**Eucharistic Ministers**	Audrey Costello*, Erin Crain*, Michelle Dyer, Wally Dyer, Ken Egelhoff, Lori Egelhoff, Ann Grichnik
Altar Servers	Auggie Rowe and Carter Joiner	**Altar Servers**	Jacob Egelhoff and Brody Harris

In charity, please remember in your prayers:

… our military personnel, especially: Gavin Baker**,** Matthew Gazda, Stefan Gazda, Broc Horn, Robert Knight, Antonio Lane, Bryan Murphy Jr., Tristen Moylan, Brock Pickrel, Gary Wilson.

… the sick and those in need: David Ahrens, Deacon & Kathy Baker, Alan Barkley, Erwin Behme, Gene Bellm, Norman Bowman, Kathy Butler, Freddie Chatelain, Ray Coatney, Karen Dworzynski, David Grace, Karen Klaus, Bob Knight, Brian Little, Margret & Gene Lippold, Fr. James Neuman, Linda Oren, Maxine Ratterman, Margret Reeves, Brother Joel Marc Rousseau, Mable Grace Rench, Dalton Roberts, Shirley Rodgers, Travis Schutte, Cris Taylor, Chuck Vieceli,

Mass Intentions:

Sat.	8/24	5:30 pm	Jack Yowell ✞
Sun.	8/25	9:00 am	Vincent & Neonia Schwab ✞
Mon.	8/26	8:00 am	John Toigo ✞
Tues.	8/27	8:00 am	Communion Service
Wed.	8/28	8:00 am	Communion Service
Thurs.	8/29	8:00 am	The People✞
Fri.	8/30	8:00 am	Communion Service
Sat.	8/31	5:30 pm	Emily Boehm ✞
Sun.	9/1	9:00 am	John & Lucille Haasis✞

PSR Corner

PSR Begins on Wednesday Sept. 4th (5:30 pm to 6:30 pm

PSR Registration: Registration forms are in the Narthex or you can register on Bloomz or from our website www.macoupincatholicchurch.com under the faith education tab/PSR registration. Please do so soon!
Bloomz App - PSR Parents, if you have not already; please download the Bloomz app on your phone, computer or you can just receive a text message. All PSR notifications will be sent out through Bloomz (cancellations, events, photos of class activities, updates, etc.) Information sheet explaining how to access is on our web site (www.macoupincatholicchurch.com) or there are instruction sheets in the narthex.

3rd Grade Sacramental Preparation Parent/Student Class
The first Parent/Student session will be Wednesday Sept. 4th from 5:30 to 6:30 pm in Ss Mary & Joseph Parish Hall**. If you can not make the Wednesday session you can attend the Gillespie session** on Sept. 8th (9:00 am to 10:15 am) in the Ss Simon and Jude Parish School Conference Room. Parents have 2 options for your convenience – mandatory to attend one or the other. If there are any questions/concerns, please let me know at CarlinvilleDRE@gmail.com

PSR Parents please consider staying during PSR and helping in a classroom. We welcome your presence and your hands especially in the lower grades.
Karla Huddlestun, DRE

Youth Group!

As part of Ss Mary and Joseph PSR Program we will be offering **Youth Group on Wednesdays 5:30 to 6:30 pm** (same time as PSR) for **grades 8th-12th** This is the only Parish supported youth group. We encourage all 8-12 grade youth to register and be part of our parish community learning to love and serve others through Christ.

THANK YOU!! Thank you to everyone who took part in the food drive for the Carlinville pantry. We received Approx. 100 bags of much needed food. And $400.00 in cash and check donations. We are so grateful for this support for the needy in our local community which includes anyone in the Carlinville school district. We continue to serve over 200 families each month and this will help tremendously. We would like to give a special thanks to Mary Ann & Susan Dunn, Pat & Barb Kalakhan, Dennis, Joe, & Renee Young, Peggy Garrison & Dane & Jay Rosentreter for all their extra help. We will still be accepting donations for the next few weeks.
Thank you again
Carlinville Good Samaritan Ministry board.

The SVdP Society will hold their next meeting Sunday, Sept 15 at 8:30 am in the conference room at Saint Mary& Joseph.

Pastor's Corner

Before we left the shop, Omar picked up on something one of our group members said. I do not remember what the exact remark was, but the conversation that ensued is one of the most remarkable I have witnessed. Omar told the student not to focus on his brokenness or the brokenness of the world around him but to recognize the beauty he brings to the world around him. He added that he saw pain in the student's eyes, but also love and compassion and that those are the virtues that should be focused on.

Here was a Palestinian Muslim shopkeeper who knew almost nothing about us pouring out tremendous love and guidance to a Christian American college student he had met less than an hour ago. As we walked away from Omar's shop, the idea that had begun to form in my head took much clearer shape. Until that moment, I had been guilty of a sin I think a lot of travelers unknowingly commit; I had pulled apart the place I was visiting in my head based on preconceived notions; I had separated two elements of Jerusalem that in reality were not exclusive. Jerusalem is both a Holy City and a living city, but more importantly it is a Holy City because it is a living city. Too often we associate holiness exclusively with sites and rituals and not with one of the holiest elements of human life: relationships. ... The holiness of Jerusalem is not merely preserved in its rocks and structures; it exists in each person living there.

—Justus Sturtevant, "The holiness of Jerusalem lies in its people," *Jerusalem Post*, March 8, 2017. jpost.com. Retrieved February 6, 2019.

On September 3, at 7 p.m., in the conference room, a **MUSIC MINISTRY** meeting will be held for singers **AND** musicians.
ALL ARE WELCOME to come as we begin this new journey as **MUSIC MINISTERS** at SSMJ.
Please put this date on your calendar and
COME AND SEE!!!

Deacon Denny will be leading a Bible study on the mass - "A Biblical Walk Through the Mass" beginning Monday , Sept. 16th.The cost is $10 to cover the cost of book, the Parish is paying for the accompanying work book Registration sheets are in the Narthex. Please sign up as soon as possible so we will have enough books and workbooks. The schedule will be :
Ss. Mary & Joseph (Monday): Sept 16,23,30; Oct. 7,14.
Ss. Simon and Jude (Thursday): Sept. 19,26; Oct. 3,10,17.
Each session will begin at 7 pm and end at 8:30 pm.
All are welcome.

Thank You from the Schaefer family to everyone who helped make our Mothers funeral special. A special thanks to Fr. Mike, Deacon Denny, Deacon Louis, the choir and music director, and to the Dinner Committee. Everyone did a great job.