

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Sunday, November 23rd, 2025

MASS TIMES

Saturday: English Vigil Mass of Sunday at 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: English 10:00 a.m. / Spanish 12:30 p.m.

Weekdays: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday at 9:30 a.m.
and Thursday 6:30 p.m. (Spanish)

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: From 6:15 p.m. until last penitent.

Sunday: From 11:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

Weekdays: Tuesday & Wednesday from 9:00 a.m. to 9:20 a.m.
Thursday from 10:15 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. and
from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

ENGLISH MASS DEDICATED TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

First Friday of the month:

At 9:30 a.m. and coffee & donuts after Mass.

EUCHARTISTIC ADORATION

Thursday: From 10:00 a.m. to 6:15 p.m.

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION

By appointment.

MASSES WITH THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

First Wednesday of the month:

English at 9:30 a.m. with Litany to St. Joseph.

First Thursday of the month:

Spanish at 6:30 p.m.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Telephone number: (260) 463 - 3472

Tuesday & Wednesday: From 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Thursday: from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and
from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Monday & Friday: Closed!

THE SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST THE KING OF THE UNIVERSE



Today's Solemnity, which marks the close of the Liturgical year, remind us the Christ is king, judge, and ruler of all. He is the imagen of the invisible God and the firstborn of all creation in whom all power and authority have been invested. By our baptism we share in the royal identity so that we might witness to his glory and kingship before the world.

Focus: Jesus is the king of all creation.

A SPIRITUAL DROP FROM OUR PASTOR

THE SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE November 23rd, 2025

With the Solemnity of Christ the King, we bring to a close another liturgical year—specifically Cycle C—and prepare to begin anew with Cycle A. This Sunday presents the perfect opportunity to make a deep examination of conscience, reflecting on our Christian life throughout this cycle as it draws to a close.

May I help you a little with this examination of conscience? For example, we could ask ourselves: How many times did I go to the Sacrament of Confession? How many works of charity have I done? Have I improved my temperament? Am I kinder, more charitable, patient, and merciful, as God is with me? Have I sought professional help to overcome any deeply rooted addictions in my life? Did I attend Mass every Sunday and on holy days of obligation? How much time have I devoted to Eucharistic Adoration? Am I more spiritually disciplined?

Do I complain less, and am I more grateful? Am I more involved in the ministries of my parish?

Have I prayed for Jesus to send us more vocations? Have I prayed for the sanctification of priests?

Have I thanked my priests for their vocation? Have I been generous in Sunday collections according to my means? If I had the opportunity to help my parish or the poor financially, did I do so, or did I keep the money for myself?

Have I controlled my tongue to avoid gossip? Have I put God first in all my decisions?

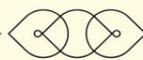
Is Christ the only King of my heart, or do I have other little kings who sometimes take Christ's place?

Did I seek to establish a deeper relationship with the Virgin Mary? How many times did I pray the Holy Rosary?

How many lives of saints have I read, and which one touched my life the most?

Did I seek to learn something new about the Catholic Church, its history, its dogma, the Apostolic Tradition, or something about the apologetics? How is my relationship with the Holy Spirit? How many spiritual books did I read? Did I make peace with someone I was fighting with? Did I pray for the souls in purgatory, especially for my family and friends who have already died? If I were to die at this very moment, would my heart be at peace, knowing that I have sought to fulfill God's will in all things? Could I truly echo the words of St. Carlo Acutis: "I am happy to die because I have lived my life without wasting a minute on things that do not please God"?.

¡VIVA CRISTO REY!



Con la Solemnidad de Cristo Rey concluimos un año litúrgico más, en este caso el "C", y comenzaremos uno Ciclo nuevo que será el "A". Creo que es un domingo perfecto para hacer un profundo examen de conciencia sobre nuestra vida cristiana en este ciclo que concluimos. ¿Me permites ayudarte un poco con este examen de Conciencia?, por ejemplo nos podríamos preguntar: ¿Cuántas veces asistí al Sacramento de la Confesión? ¿Cuántas obras de caridad hice? ¿He mejorado mi temperamento? ¿Soy más amable, caritativo, paciente y misericordioso como Dios lo es conmigo? ¿He buscado ayuda profesional para vencer alguna adicción profundamente enraizada en mi vida? ¿Asistí a Misa todos los domingos y fiestas de precepto? ¿Cuánto tiempo le dediqué a la Adoración Eucarística? ¿Soy más disciplinado espiritualmente? ¿Me quejo menos y soy más agradecido? ¿Estoy más involucrado en los ministerios de mi Parroquia? ¿He orado para que Jesús nos mande más vocaciones? ¿He rezado por la santificación de los sacerdotes? ¿He agradecido a mis sacerdotes por su vocación? ¿He sido generoso en las colectas dominicales según mis posibilidades? ¿Si tuve la posibilidad de ayudar financieramente a mi Parroquia o a los pobres lo he hecho o me guardado el dinero para mí? ¿He contralado mi lengua para evitar el chisme? ¿He puesto en primer lugar a Dios en todas mis decisiones? ¿Es Cristo el único Rey de mi corazón o tengo otros pequeños reyes que a veces le quitan el lugar a Cristo? ¿Me interesé por establecer una relación más profunda con la Virgen María? ¿Cuántas veces recé el Santo Rosario? ¿Cuántas vidas de Santos me leí y cual tocó más mi vida? ¿Me interesé por aprender algo nuevo sobre la Iglesia católica, su historia, algún dogma, algo sobre la Tradición apostólica o algo sobre apologetica? ¿Cómo está mi relación con el Espíritu Santo? ¿Cuántos libros espirituales leí? ¿Hice las paces con alguien que estaba peleado? ¿Recé por las almas en el purgatorio, especialmente por mis amigos y familiares que ya murieron? ¿Si me tocará morir ahora mismo, estaría en paz y tranquilo porque he cumplido en todo la voluntad de Dios como San Carlo Acutis dijo: "Estoy feliz de morir porque he vivido mi vida sin perder un minuto en aquellas cosas que no agradan a Dios"?.

¡VIVA CRISTO REY!

God loves you with great tenderness, Happy Sunday!
Fr. Osman Ramos, FM



The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

NOVEMBER - MASS INTENTIONS

2025

Saturday, November 1st

- 5:00 p.m. +Santos Nieves

Sunday, November 2nd

- 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
- 6:30 p.m. (Spanish) +Nestor Rodriguez

Tuesday, November 4th

- 9:30 a.m. +Purgatory Souls

Wednesday, November 5th

- 9:30 a.m. +Cesar Garcia

Thursday, November 6th

- 9:30 a.m. +Francisco Garcia
- 6:30 p.m. (Spanish) Mario Sanchez (B-day)

Friday, November 7th

- 9:30 a.m. Alexia Carmona (B-day)

Saturday, November 8th

- 5:00 p.m. +Alfonso Caballero Albor

Sunday, November 9th

- 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
- 12:30 p.m. (Spanish) +Ulises Rodriguez

Tuesday, November 11th

- 9:30 a.m. For the health of Jonathan Garcia

Wednesday, November 12th

- 9:30 a.m. Aleyda Guzman (B-day)

Thursday, November 13th

- 9:30 a.m. For the health of Mitzy Jimenez
- 6:30 p.m. +Alex Bucio Cardenas

Saturday, November 15th

- 9:30 a.m. Humberto Carmona (B-day)

Sunday, November 16th

- 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
- 12:30 p.m. +Alberto Garcia

Tuesday, November 18th

- 9:30 a.m. +Frank Jagoda

Wednesday, November 19th

- 9:30 a.m. For the living and deceased members of the Knights of Columbus

Thursday, November 20th

- 9:30 a.m. +Melchor Montoya
- 6:30 p.m. (Spanish) +Alex Bucio Cardenas

Saturday, November 22nd

- 5:00 p.m. +Karen Harber

Sunday, November 23rd

- 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
- 12:30 p.m. (Spanish) +Alberto Garcia

Tuesday, November 25th

- 9:30 a.m. Frank Jagoda
Misa de Acción de Gracias en Español
- 6:30 p.m. Angelica Ballines (B-day)

Wednesday, November 26th

Thanksgiving English Mass
- 9:30 a.m. Lupita Hurtado (B-day)

Thursday, November 27

No religious services this day!
Due to the Thanksgiving holiday!

Saturday, November 29th

- In thanksgiving to God for the blessings received by the Cruz Jimenez family.

Sunday, November 30th

- 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
- 12:30 p.m. +Alberto Garcia



REGULAR COLLECTION REPORT

Saturday & Sunday

• \$20,500.35

Votives

• \$96.27

Charity Box

• \$12.00

Maintenance Fund

• \$317.00

Franciscans of Mary

• \$206.00

Flowers

• n/a

Donations Ceiling repair Fund

• n/a

Donations -Quinceañera

• \$100.00

#39 Annual Bishop's Appeal

• \$1,900.00

Our Lady of Guadalupe

Feast donations

• \$460.00

Total: \$23,591.62

OFFERING MASS INTENTIONS

Remember that you can offer intentions for your deceased, sick relatives or for any other intention by coming to the Parish Office during office's hours. According to Canon Law, the bishops of a Providence determine the offering amount the offering amount that seems appropriate. The bishops of the Indiana Providence have determined that the appropriate offering is \$10.00.

OFRECER INTENCIONES PARA LA MISA

Recuerde que puede ofrecer intenciones por sus difuntos, familiares enfermos o por cualquier otra intención viniendo a la oficina Parroquial durante el horario de oficina. Según el Derecho Canónico, los obispos de una Providencia determinan el monto de la ofrenda que les parece apropiado. Los obispos de la Providencia de Indiana han determinado que la ofrenda apropiada es de \$10.00.

PRAYER REQUEST

Please remember to pray for those who are sick or suffering. If you have any prayer request and you would like us to post it in the Bulletin please contact the parish office.

We are here to pray for you and your needs!

Please pray for:
- **Gloria Davis**



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - NOVEMBER NEWS

- **November 2nd** - Class & Safe Environment instruction in class.
- **November 9th** - Class & prayer review for all students.
- **November 16th** - Class
- **November 23rd** - **Class & prayer review for all students.**
- **November 30th** - **No class, Thanksgiving break!**

IMPORTANT!

On Sunday, November 16th we have the **Rite of Commitment ONLY for 8th grade class at 10 a.m.** English Mass. Students from 8th grade **MUST ATTEND** with both parents to this Mass.

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WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

First Sunday of Advent



Mass Time & Date	Altar Servers	Lectors	Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers	Ushers
Saturday Vigil, November 29th at 5:00 p.m.	- Ruby Ballines - Ellen Heiny	- Necie Bejasa	- Dolly North	- Jay Benak - Chris Benak
Sunday, November 30th at 10:00 a.m.	- Jesus Nieves - Paige McDonald	- Kelly Payne	- Larry Gephart	- Barry McDonald - Mandy McDonald
Domingo, 30 de noviembre a las 12:30 p.m.	- Jesus Garcia - David Granados	- Magdalena Huerta - Raquel Luna	- Pedro Flores - Manuel Jasso - Griselda Nieves	- Erick Nieves - Aurelio Luna - Osvaldo Albor - Julian Alvarez

Ministry Schedule	Horario de Servidores
<p>THANKSGIVING MASS</p> <p>Wednesday, November 26th English Mass at 9:30 a.m.</p> <p>Altar Servers Fatima Hurtado Paige McDonald</p> <p>Lector Lily Jagoda</p> <p>Extraordinary Minister Tom McCue</p> <p>Ushers Anita and Mike Keith</p> <p>Music Kevin Ramer & Betty Murphy</p>	<p>MISA DE ACCIÓN DE GRACIAS</p> <p>Martes 25 de noviembre a las 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>Monaguillos Arisbeth Alvarez</p> <p>Lectores Maria Anicua Raquel Luna</p> <p>Ministro Extraordinario Manuel Jasso</p> <p>Ujieres Julio Luna, Eduardo Castañeda, Francisco Garcia y Jesus Luna</p> <p>Musica Coro de español</p>



Estimados feligreses de la Misa dominical de 12:30 p.m.

En los próximos fines de semanas estaremos teniendo una segunda colecta en las Misas dominicales de español para recaudar fondos para el 12 de diciembre la festividad de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe. Las colectas se realizaran los siguientes domingos de **Noviembre 2, 9, 16, 30 y 7 de Diciembre.** Agradecemos mucho de su apoyo y generosidad.



YOUTH GROUP

The youth group meets on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. All youth from 8th-12th grade are welcome to join us!

El grupo juvenil se reúne el segundo y cuarto domingo de cada mes, de 5 p. m. a 7 p. m. ¡Todos los jóvenes de 8.º a 12.º grado son bienvenidos!



YOUNG ADULT GROUP

The young adult group meets every Monday at 7 p.m. at the church. Young adults between the ages of 18 and 35 (single) are welcome to join us!

EL GRUPO DE JÓVENES ADULTOS se reúne todos los lunes a las 7 p.m. en la iglesia. ¡Los jóvenes adultos de entre 18 y 35 años (solteros) son bienvenidos a participar!





BYOB CHRISTMAS PARTY

On Wed. December 10th
5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
In the Social Hall of our Parish



- COST: \$20 per person PAID IN ADVANCE.
- MENU: CHICKEN OR SALISBURY STEAK, MASHED POTATOES, GREEN BEANS, SALAD, PIE BYOB.
- SIGN UP in the church's vestibule after each Mass thru NOVEMBER 23. Sorry NO walk-ins.
- No need to bring a gift... just yourselves & BYOB
- CHRISTMAS GIFT BOX for our 3 priests will also be in the vestibule until after morning Mass on DECEMBER 10.
- Doors open at 4:30 p.m. for fellowship.

"PEREGRINACIÓN DE LA CARIDAD A TIERRA SANTA"



Acompaña al
P. Santiago Martín, FM
a la Peregrinación de la Caridad
del 5 al 15 de marzo, 2026.



Inscripciones:
peregrinacion@frmaria.org

LAS POSADAS MEXICANAS

EN EL NOMBRE DEL CIELO

OS PIDO POSADA



Del 15 al 23 de diciembre
de 6 p.m. a 8 p.m.
En el salón parroquial.

Las familias que gusten
anotarse para donar
aguinaldos por favor
comunicarse con Pedro
Flores al final de la Misa o
llamándole al
(269) 200 - 6672.

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"Give thanks to the LORD for he is good,
his mercy endures forever!"
(Psalm 107:1)

St. Joseph Catholic Church LaGrange, IN

"¡Den gracias al Señor porque él es bueno,
porque es eterna su misericordia!"
(Salmo 107:1)

JOIN US FOR

Thanksgiving Mass

On Wednesday, November 26th
English Mass at 9:30 a.m.



Misa de Acción de Gracias en Español
Acompañenos con sus familias
el Martes 25 de noviembre a las 6:30 p.m.

On Thursday Nov. 27th and Friday Nov. 28th
No religious services and the Church
and the Parish office will be **CLOSED!**
Due to the Thanksgiving holiday!

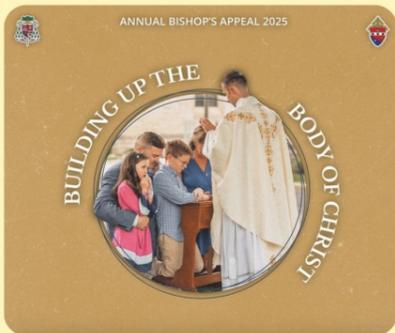
El jueves 27 y el viernes 28 de noviembre
no habrá servicios religiosos y la iglesia y la
oficina parroquial permanecerán **CERRADAS.**
¡Debido al día feriado de Acción de Gracias!

CHRISTMAS AT GIBAULT



These gifts are for children that they don't have a home. If you would like to donate some toys from the list, please bring them to church and deposit them in the big wood box that it will be located in the gathering area.
Due date is December 7th.

Estos regalos son para niños que no tienen un hogar. Si usted desea donar algunos juguetes de la lista, por favor traerlos a la Iglesia y depositarlos en la caja grande de madera que esta en el área de la entrada.
Fecha limite es 7 de diciembre.



#39 Annual Bishop's Appeal

Please consider in prayer the possibility of supporting us once again this year. Your donation has a doble effect: It supports the work of our Diocese's services, ministries, and programs. Our Goal is **\$20,493.78** We hope we can count on your support and if we reach our goal, all the extra money will be returned to our Parish. All envelopes with donations can be deposit in the Sunday collection basket.



Donations online
scan QR Code

Campaña Anual del Obispo #39

Por favor, considere en sus oraciones la posibilidad de apoyarnos una vez más este año. Su donación tiene un doble efecto: apoya el trabajo de los servicios, ministerios y programas de nuestra diócesis. Nuestro meta es de **\$20,493.78** dólares. Esperamos poder contar con su apoyo y, si alcanzamos nuestra meta, todo el dinero extra se devolverá a nuestra parroquia. Los sobres con donaciones pueden ser depositados en la canasta de la colecta domininal.

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PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

On Wednesday, November 26th

- Thanksgiving English Mass at 9:30 a.m.
- Everyone is welcome to come with their families.

On Thursday Nov. 27th and Friday Nov. 28th

- **No** religious services and the Church and the Parish office will be **CLOSED!**
- Due to the Thanksgiving holiday!

On Tuesday, December 2nd

- We are going to have the Anointing of the sick on Tuesday morning Mass instead of Wednesday because Fr. Osman will be out of town attending to his personal Advent Retreat from December 1st to 5th.

On Wednesday, December 3rd

- We are going to have a guest priest, Fr. David Langford will celebrate 9:30 a.m. English Mass.
- **No morning confessions this day!**

On Thursday, December 4

- There will be **no morning or evening services**, as the priests will be attending the Advent Retreat for Priests in Syracuse, IN.
- The parish office will remain open during its regular hours.

On Friday, December 5th

- 9:30 a.m. English Mass in honor to the Sacred Heart of Jesus with Litany at the end. After join us for coffee & donuts at the gathering area.

Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception**Monday, December 8th****(Holy Day of Obligation)**

- 5:00 p.m. - English Mass
- 7:00 p.m. - Spanish Mass

**On Wednesday, December 10th**

- Parish Christmas Party in the social hall from 5:00 p.m. to 9 p.m.
- Please sign up at the end of all English Masses.

On Friday, December 12th**Solemnity of Our Lady of Guadalupe**

- 5:30 p.m. - Solemn Spanish Mass.
- 7:45 p.m. - Dinner in the social hall.

ANUNCIOS PARROQUIALES

El martes 25 de noviembre

- Misa de Acción de Gracias en español a las 6:30 p.m. Todos son bienvenidos a venir con sus familias.

El jueves 27 y el viernes 28 de noviembre

- ¡**No** habrá servicios religiosos y la Iglesia y la oficina parroquial permanecerán **CERRADAS!**

¡Debido al día feriado de Acción de Gracias!

El domingo 30 de noviembre

- Segunda colecta para la Festividad a Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe solo en la Misa de español de 12:30 p.m.

El jueves 4 de diciembre

- **NO** habrá servicios religiosos por la mañana ni por la tarde, ya que los sacerdotes asistirán al Retiro de Adviento para sacerdotes en Syracuse, IN.
- La oficina parroquial permanecerá abierta en su horario habitual.

El domingo 7 de diciembre

- Segunda colecta para la Festividad a Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe solo en la Misa de español de 12:30 p.m.

El viernes 5 de diciembre

- 9:30 a. m. Misa en inglés en honor al Sagrado Corazón de Jesús con letanía al final. Después, acompáñenos a tomar café y donas en el área de reunión.

Solemnidad de la Inmaculada Concepción**Lunes, 8 de diciembre****(Día de precepto)**

- 5:00 p.m. - Misa en inglés
- 7:00 p.m. - Misa en español

**Solemnidad de Nuestra S. de Guadalupe****Viernes, 12 de diciembre**

- 5:00 p.m. - Rezo del Santo Rosario
- 5:30 p.m. - Misa Solemne en Español
- 6:45 p.m. - Serenata a la Virgen de Guadalupe
- 7:00 p.m. - Procesión alrededor de la Iglesia.
- 7:45 p.m. - Cena en el salón parroquial.



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PARISH STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION

Pastor: Fr. Osman Ramos, FM
(osmanramosguzman@hotmail.com)

His office hours are: Thursdays
from 11:15 a.m. to 12:30p.m. / 5p.m. to 8p.m.

Parochial Vicars:

Fr. Raúl Marroquin, FM (raul@frmaria.org)

Fr. Jorge Sis, FM (jorge@frmaria.org)

If you want to talk to any priest, please make an appointment by calling at the Parish Office

Parish Secretary & DRE: Lupita Hurtado
(secretary@saintjosephlagrange.org)

Her office hours are: Tues., Wed., from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Thurs. from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. & in the afternoon from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Business Manager: Anna Mendoza
(accountant@saintjosephlagrange.org)

Her office hours are: Tues. and Thurs. from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. and Wed. /5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Sacristan & Cleaning: Veronica Montoya
Saturday evening Pianist: Kevin Ramer

KEY VOLUNTEERS

Pianist of Sunday morning:
Elizabeth Rogers

Cantors:
Charlie & Megan Hire (Saturday)
John Romer (Sunday)

Spanish Choir:
Luz Piña & Miguel Muñoz

Youth Ministry Coordinators:
Ruben Jr. Hurtado, Diana Mendoza
and Nathan Cook

Parish Council President
Nathan Stroup

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION



To request information for Baptism, Quinceañeras Masses, Weddings, house blessings, Anointing or Communion of the sick, funeral Masses or Masses for 25th, 50th, 60th wedding anniversaries, and also information about social hall rental please call the parish secretary during office hours at (260) 463 -3472.

INFORMACIÓN SACRAMENTAL

Para solicitar información para Bautizos, Misas de Quinceañeras, Bodas, Bendiciones de casas, Unción y Comunión a los enfermos, Misas de funerales o Misas de aniversario de bodas de 25, 50, 60 años y también información para rentar de salón parroquial por favor llame a la secretaria parroquial durante el horario de oficina al (260) 463 -3472.

St. Joseph's Christmas Giving Tree



Share your blessings with others!

Please take a color-coded tag... or several

We ask that all gifts:
Be returned by December 14th
Be placed around the Giving Tree
Include the **original** color-coded tag

God bless your generosity!

¡Árbol de Navidad de la Caridad!

¡Comparte tus bendiciones con los demás!

Por favor, toma una etiqueta con código de color... o varias.

Pedimos que todos los regalos:
Se devuelvan antes del 14 de diciembre.
Se coloquen alrededor del Árbol de los regalos.
Incluyan **la etiqueta original** con código de color.

¡Dios bendiga tu generosidad!



Dear Parishioners,

If you would like to make a donation for the works of charity of our Franciscans of Mary priests, you can contact our Parish Secretary. Thank you for your generosity!