



# St. Joseph Catholic Church

50 N. 100 E. | LaGrange, IN



Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2026

## CONTACT US

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## MASS SCHEDULE

### WEEKEND MASSES

- 5:00 p.m. - Saturday English Vigil Mass.
- 10:00 a.m. - Sunday English Mass.
- 12:30 p.m. - Sunday Spanish Mass.

### WEEKDAYS MASSES

- 9:30 a.m. - Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday (English).
- 6:30 p.m. - Thursday (Spanish).

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

- From 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday & Wednesday
- From 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on Thursday and in the afternoon from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
- Monday & Friday: Closed!

## MASSES WITH THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

- **ENGLISH:** First Wednesday of the month at 9:30 a.m. with Litany to St. Joseph.
- **SPANISH:** First Thursday of the month at 6:30 p.m.

## ENGLISH MASS DEDICATED TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

- 9:30 a.m. - First Friday of the month with Litany at the end.

## CONFESSIONS

### WEEKEND

- From 6:15 p.m. until last penitent on Saturday.
- From 11:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. on Sunday.

### WEEKDAYS

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

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

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

## SPIRITUAL DIRECTION

- By appointment only.



*Lent begins on +  
Ash Wednesday!*

**Day of Fasting and Abstinence**

**Mass Schedule  
Wednesday, February 18<sup>th</sup>**

**- 9:30 a.m. English Mass**

**- 7:00 p.m. Misa en Español**

**"Remember that you are dust,  
and to dust you shall return."**



Diocese of  
Fort Wayne-South Bend



Honor us with your presence!  
**APRIL 15th,**  
**2026**  
 05:00 PM

St. Anthony of Padua Parish  
 700 W Maumee St., Angola IN

- Holy Mass celebrated by the Most Reverend Bishop Kevin Rhoades
- Rite for the Renewal of Vows and the bestowal of the Religious Habit
- Reception after Mass  
 RSVP required for the Reception



If you would like to stay for the reception after Mass, please RSVP by scanning the QR code above or calling the parish office at 260-665-2259. Please RSVP by April 6.

¡Hónrenos con su presencia!  
**15 de abril**  
**de 2026**  
 05:00 PM

Parroquia San Antonio de Padua  
 700 W Maumee St., Angola IN

- Santa Misa celebrada por su excelencia reverendísima Mons. Kevin Rhoades
- Renovación de votos religiosos y entrega del hábito franciscano
- Habrá una recepción después de Misa  
 Reservar es necesario para la recepción



Si va a quedarse a la recepción es necesario que reserve usando el código QR de arriba o llamando a la Oficina Parroquial 260-665-2259. La reserva debe hacerse antes del 6 de abril.



A Note of Gratitude from Fr. Raul



My dear parishioners,  
 It has been a moment of great joy and blessing to celebrate both my birthday and my priestly anniversary with all of you. I want you to know that I am truly happy serving here in our parish of St. Joseph. I am deeply grateful for the many and varied expressions of affection, respect, and love that you have shown me during these celebrations. In particular, I want to highlight your incredible generosity through your donations and gifts. There is a beautiful saying that "gratitude is the memory of a heart that loves," and that truly describes how I feel toward all of you. Thank you very much! You are constantly in my prayers. May God bless you and may the Holy Virgin keep you.

*Una nota de agradecimiento de parte del P. Raúl*

Mis queridos feligreses,  
 Ha sido un momento de gran alegría y bendición celebrar mi cumpleaños y mi aniversario sacerdotal con todos ustedes. Quiero que sepan que soy muy feliz sirviendo en nuestra parroquia de San José. Me siento profundamente agradecido por las muestras de cariño, respeto y amor que he recibido, especialmente por la generosidad manifestada en sus donaciones y regalos. Se dice que "el agradecimiento es la memoria de un corazón que ama", y ese es precisamente mi sentimiento para con ustedes. ¡Muchas gracias!  
 Los tengo constantemente en mis oraciones. Que Dios los bendiga y la Virgen Santa los guarde.

Fr. Raúl Marroquin, FM

# Rite of Election

Sunday, February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2026



We will hold the Rite of Sending at St. Joseph Church during our 10 a.m. English Mass, featuring our adult students from the OCIA classes. Subsequently, all adult students along with their sponsors will attend the Rite of sending at St. Charles Borromeo in Fort Wayne, IN, with Bishop Rhoades officiating. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to our OCIA teachers who are diligently preparing our students to receive their Sacraments in April during the Easter Vigil and at the Confirmation Mass in June.

**We kindly ask for your prayers for our catechumens and candidates!**

**Catechumens:** Paige Andrews, Erika Hernandez, Victoria Carrizales

**Candidates:** Aaron Stroup, Jarumy Garcia, Rodrigo Caballero, Emily Caballero, Deisy Caballero, Brendon Munoz, Brian Munoz, and Baleria Munoz

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Come join us!!

**In English:** Beginning with the Holy Mass at 7:00 p.m. on Fridays during Lent followed by the Stations of the Cross.

*(Friday of Abstinence)*

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**En Español:** Los invitamos a **rezar el Vía Crucis** durante la Cuaresma comenzando con la Santa Misa de los jueves a las 6:30 p.m; seguido por el rezo del Vía Crucis.

*(Viernes de Abstinencia)*



## MASS INTENTIONS OF FEBRUARY & MARCH

### Sunday, February 1<sup>st</sup>

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

### Tuesday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>

- No religious service

### Wednesday, February 4<sup>th</sup>

- No religious service

### Thursday, February 5<sup>th</sup>

- No religious service
- No hay servicios religiosos por la tarde

### Friday, February 6<sup>th</sup>

- No religious service

### Saturday, February 7<sup>th</sup>

- 5:00 p.m. +Pedro Veyra

### Sunday, February 8<sup>th</sup>

- 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
- 12:30 p.m. +Socorro Montoya y +Angel Soto

### Tuesday, February 10<sup>th</sup>

- 9:30 a.m. +Alberto Garcia

### Wednesday, February 11<sup>th</sup>

- 9:30 a.m. +Jose Albino Muñoz

### Thursday, February 12<sup>th</sup>

- 9:30 a.m. +Robert & Luella Offerle
- 6:30 p.m. +Consuelo Montoya y +Antonio Nieves

### Saturday, February 14<sup>th</sup>

- 5:00 p.m. +Martin Rios

### Sunday, February 15<sup>th</sup>

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

### Tuesday, February 17<sup>th</sup>

- 9:30 a.m. Fr. Raúl Marroquín, FM (B-day)

### Ash Wednesday, February 18<sup>th</sup>

- 9:30 a.m. (English) People of the Parish
- 7 p.m. (Spanish) +Martin Rios

### Thursday, February 19<sup>th</sup>

- 9:30 a.m. Adam Brady
- 6:30 p.m. +Alberto Garcia

### Friday, February 20<sup>th</sup>

- 7:00 p.m. +Joy Sharp

### Saturday, February 21<sup>st</sup>

- 5:00 p.m. +Richard and +Charlene Miller

### Sunday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>

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

### Tuesday, February 24<sup>th</sup>

- 9:30 a.m. +Marilyn Essley

### Wednesday, February 25<sup>th</sup>

- 9:30 a.m. +Aurelio Aguilar

### Thursday, February 26<sup>th</sup>

- 9:30 a.m. Pedro Flores (B-day)
- 6:30 p.m. Erick Nieves (B-day)

### Friday, February 27<sup>th</sup>

- 7:00 p.m. +Juana Piña

### Saturday, February 28<sup>th</sup>

- 5:00 p.m. Sofia Ceballos (B-day)

### Sunday, March 1<sup>st</sup>

- 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
- 12:30 p.m. +Nestor Rodriguez

### Tuesday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>

- 9:30 a.m. +Maria del Refugio Alvarez

### Wednesday, March 4<sup>th</sup>

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

### Thursday, March 5<sup>th</sup>

- 9:30 a.m. Jesus Montoya (B-day)
- 6:30 p.m. +Rogelio Muñoz

### Friday, March 6<sup>th</sup>

- 7:00 p.m. Veronica Montoya (B-day)

### Saturday, March 7<sup>th</sup>

- 5:00 p.m. +Freddy Ballines

### Sunday, March 8<sup>th</sup>

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

### Tuesday, March 10<sup>th</sup>

- 9:30 a.m. Elvira Garcia B-day)

### Wednesday, March 11<sup>th</sup>

- 9:30 a.m. +Efren Caballero

### Thursday, March 12<sup>th</sup>

- 9:30 a.m. Adam Brady
- 6:30 p.m. +Ana Maria Rangel

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER

- February 1<sup>st</sup> - Class
- February 8<sup>th</sup> - Class
- February 15<sup>th</sup> - No class / Winter Break
- February 22<sup>nd</sup> - Class



## PUBLIC 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 our bulletin, please contact the parish office. We are here to pray for you and your needs! **Please pray for:** Gloria Davis





# WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

## 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Time & Date	Altar Servers	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Eucharistic	Ushers
Saturday Vigil, February 21 <sup>st</sup> at 5:00 p.m.	- Fatima Hurtado - Regina Ballines	- Necie Bejasa	- Ellen Heiny	- Jay & Chris Benak - Anita & Mike Keith
Sunday, February 22 <sup>nd</sup> at 10:00 a.m.	- Rene Rangel - Gessury Rangel	- Lily Jagoda	- Larry Gephart	- Alejandro & Maria Medina - Barry & Mandy McDonald
Domingo, 22 de febrero a las 12:30 p.m.	- David Granados - Jesus Garcia	- Celina Gonzalez - Jazlyn Garcia	- Manuel Bernal - Pedro Flores - Manuel Jasso	- Adrian Barajas - Alejandro Flores - Julian Barajas - Enrique Barajas

### REGULAR COLLECTION REPORT

#### Saturday & Sunday

• \$3,764.00

#### Votives

• \$14.00

#### Charity Box

• \$21.00

#### Maintenance

• \$5.00

#### Franciscans of Mary

• n/a

#### Religious Education - donation

• \$40.00

Total:

\$3,844.00



**Thank You**  
For your contribution!

### TAX STATEMENTS

TAX STATEMENTS are available in the gathering area starting this weekend, for those who have donated money to our church. If you are a registered parishioner and donate to our church, you will be receiving this letter. You can use this letter when you do your tax returns. Envelopes will be in alphabetical order.

Remember, these statements are for all parishioners who receive envelopes or who donate to the church via check.

If you would like to register to receive envelopes for your Sunday collection, now is the perfect time to do that. Please stop by the office during regular hours to ask for a registration form.



### DECLARACIONES IMPUESTOS

Las declaraciones de impuestos del 2025 ya estan disponibles en el área de la entrada para todos aquellos que han donado a la parroquia durante el año pasado. Esta carta puede ser utilizada para obtener créditos cuando hagan su reporte de impuestos anual. Si usted está inscrito en la parroquia y recibe sobres, o si usted dona usando un cheque personal, usted recibirá esta carta.

Si usted aún no se ha registrado en la parroquia, pase a la oficina a pedir una hoja de inscripción y asegúrese de pedir sus sobres para que el próximo año usted también reciba un reporte de sus donaciones. Los horarios de oficina están publicados en el boletín.

# FISH FRY

Mexican Style

Dinning in or Carry-out!



**MENU**

4 Fish fried or carpa, French fries, coleslaw, rice and tartar sauce.

Cost: \$14.00 per plate

Every Friday during Lent, beginning next Friday, February 20<sup>th</sup> at St. Joseph Parish - LaGrange, IN from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. in the social hall.



# PESCADO FRITO

Estilo Mexicano

"Para comer o para llevar"



**MENÚ**

4 pescados fritos o carpa, papas fritas, ensalada de col, arroz y salsa tártara.

Precio: \$14.00 el platillo.

Todos los viernes de Cuaresma, comenzando el próximo viernes 20 de febrero en la Parroquia San José - LaGrange, IN de 3 p. m. a 6 p. m. en el salón parroquial.



## Ministry Schedule

### ASH WEDNESDAY

Wednesday, February 18<sup>th</sup>  
English Mass at 9:30 a.m.

**Altar Servers**

- Ellen Heiny

**Lector**

- Lily Jagoda

**Extraordinary Minister**

- Joann Van Wagner

**Ushers**

- Pat Mynhier
- Jay Benak

**Music**

- Kevin Ramer & Betty Murphy



## Horario de Servidores

### MIÉRCOLES DE CENIZA

El miércoles 18 de febrero  
Misa de español a las 7:00 p.m.

**Monaguillos**

- Arisbeth Alvarez

**Lectores**

- Lupita Barajas
- Juliana Pineda

**Ministro Extraordinario**

- Verónica Montoya
- Yolanda García
- María Castro

**Ujieres**

- Adriana Alvarez / Jesus Luna
- Elena y Francisco Garcia

**Musica**

Coro de español



They have an upcoming meeting on Wednesday February 18th at Immaculate Conception Church in Kendallville, IN. Rosary at 6:45pm followed by their regular meeting.

## PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **On Sunday, February 15<sup>th</sup>**
  - **Youth Group parents' meeting (8<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>)** in the social hall at 1:30 p.m.It is important your assistance! Later the youth group (8<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>) will meet from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

- Also **The Young ADULT group** (ages 18-35 years) meet after the Spanish Mass.

- **Ash Wednesday, February 18<sup>th</sup>**

### Mass Schedule:

- 9:30 a.m. English Mass
- 7:00 p.m. Spanish Mass

- **Stations of the Cross Schedule**

- **In English:** Beginning with the Holy Mass at 7:00 p.m. on Fridays during Lent followed by the Stations of the Cross.

- **In Spanish:** Beginning with the Holy Mass on Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. followed by the Stations of the Cross.

**Note: There will be no First Friday Mass in the morning during Lent.**

- **On Friday, February 20<sup>th</sup>**

Holy Mass at 7 p.m. followed by the Stations of the Cross.

- **On the weekend of February 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>**

We have a special collection to Support Black & Indian Missions, thank you for your support.

- **On Friday, February 27<sup>th</sup>**

Holy Mass at 7 p.m. followed by the Stations of the Cross.

### **The Christ Child Society of Fort Wayne's Baby Bottle fundraiser to help families in need.**

Reminds you to please remember to return your baby bottle filled with spare change to boxes located at the entrance of the church. The organization is grateful for your generosity and support.

- **On Wednesday, March 4<sup>th</sup>**

9:30 a.m. Anointing of the sick during Mass.

## ANUCIOS PARROQUIALES

- **El domingo 15 de febrero**
  - **Reunión de papás del grupo juvenil del 8.º al 12.º grado** despues de Misa de Español en el salón parroquial; ¡Es importante su asistencia! más tarde, el grupo juvenil (8.º a 12.º) se reunirá de 5 p.m. a 7 p.m.

- **También el grupo de jovenes ADULTOS** de 18 a 35 años se reúne después de la Misa en español.

- **Miércoles de Ceniza 18 de febrero**

### Horario de Misas:

- 9:30 a.m. en Inglés
- 7:00 p.m. en Español

- **Horario del Vía Crucis**

- **En español:** comenzando con la Santa Misa de los jueves a las 6:30 p.m; seguido por el rezo del Vía Crucis.

- **En inglés:** Comenzando con la Santa Misa a las 7:00 p. m. todos los viernes durante la Cuaresma, seguido por el rezo del Vía Crucis.

**Nota: No habrá Misa de inglés de 9:30 a.m. del primer viernes del mes durante la Cuaresma.**

- **El domingo 22 de febrero:**

Tenemos una colecta especial para apoyar a Black & Indian Missions, gracias por su apoyo.

### **Recaudación de fondos de biberones de la Child of Christ Society de Fort Wayne para ayudar a familias necesitadas**

Les recuerda que por favor devuelva su biberón lleno de monedas sueltas a la caja ubicada en la entrada de la iglesia. La organización agradece su generosidad y apoyo.

- **El jueves, 5 de marzo**

9:30 a.m. Unción de los enfermos durante la Misa y al terminar rezo del Via Crucis.

**El jueves 19 de marzo**

Solemnidad de San José

Más detalles se publicaran pronto.

## 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:** Verònica 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

If you have any questions or concerns about our Parish please contact him.

## 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.

## **Bags of food for our blessing box**

If you would like to help those in need during this Lent, you can do so by taking a bag from the table at the entrance and bringing the specified food items to our Charity Box.

## **¡Bolsas de comida para nuestra caja de caridad!**

Si desea ayudar a las personas necesitadas durante esta Cuaresma, puede hacerlo tomando una bolsa de la mesa de la entrada y traer la comida indicada para nuestra caja de la Caridad.



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!