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**Pastoral Staff**

Rev. Ruben D. Munoz, Pastor  
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**Mass Schedule**

Weekdays 9:00 a.m.: Tues., Wed. at St. R  
Thurs., Fri. at St. J  
Saturday: 4:30 p.m. at St. J  
7:00 p.m. at St. R  
Sunday: 8:30 a.m. at St. R  
11:00 a.m. at St. J

**Office Hours**

Mon., Tues., Wed. & Fri. at St. J  
10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**Sacrament of Penance**

Saturday 4:00 p.m. at St. J  
Sunday 8:00 a.m. to 8:15 a.m. at St. R  
or by appointment

**Sacrament of Baptism**

Parents interested in having their children baptized need to contact the Pastor for further information.

**Sacrament of Marriage**

Those seeking this sacrament are required to contact the Pastor at least six months in advance. Pre-marriage instructions/classes are required.

**Sacrament of the Sick**

Those in need should contact the parish office as soon as possible. The sacrament can be celebrated before and after Mass, home, hospital or where it is convenient.

**Christian Initiation of Adults**

Anyone interested in becoming a Roman Catholic Christian or who would like to inquire about our faith should call the Pastor at the parish office.

**Parish Membership**

Welcome new Parishioners! Please call the parish office to schedule an appointment to register. Please notify us if you have a change of address or are moving outside the parish.

**Bulletin Deadline** - Wednesday 12:00 p.m.

**ST. JOSEPH/ST. RAPHAEL PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**

**"We are a welcoming spiritual home that provides community and personal growth through liturgy, evangelization, the Word of God and a call to His service."**

**Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
July 10, 2016**

**"Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?"**

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Jesus, I am going to continue talking about the word "Evangelization" in this month. When I read the gospel in this time I found our readings gave me more topics to talk about sharing our Good News! It is interesting that when we look for ways to share our experience with our Savior our Gospel readings gave us, in this month, tools that we can use in order to recognize and be aware of our relationship with Him.

In this month, I found that we need to think if Jesus is the center of my life, if He is the best part of my life, if my conversation with him is constant, and if other things are in my way in this relationship.

Today our Gospel is asking us this very important question, what must I do to inherit eternal life? What will be your answer? In the first reading we heard, "It is something very near to you, already in your mouths and in your hearts; you have only to carry it out." And in the second reading Saint Paul is telling us, "Christ Jesus is the image of the invisible God," Now according to the gospel of Luke, Jesus is telling us that we need to do this, "You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your being, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself." I think that we have to conclude for this Sunday that our God has to be the center of our lives.

We probably can say, I cannot do this, why this is so hard? This is so difficult, I do not have any experience, and I have never been trained. Our core, the center of our lives, must be Jesus Christ and His gospel. Living a Christ-centered life means we learn about Jesus Christ and his gospel and then we follow his example and keep His commandments with exactness. What always I have told you "a journey of a thousand miles begins with a single step." My brothers and sisters in this week I would like to start this wonderful trip with our God, if you have not done so far, or continue walking with Him that many people can find that peace, that happiness, that true joy that you chose to live Christ-centered.

**Fr. Rubén Darío Muñoz Jiménez**

<b>Schedule for July 11 - July 17</b>
<b>MONDAY- 7/11</b> Is 1: 10-17, Mt 10: 34--11:1
<b>TUESDAY - 7/12</b> Is 7: 1-9, Mt 11: 20-24  <b>9:00am (St. R) - For the Sick</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY- 7/13</b> Is 10: 5-7, 13b-16, Mt 11: 25-27  <b>9:00am (St. R) - Mark Breitner (Carlina)</b> <b>9:45am - St. Raphael Pastoral Council Meeting</b> <b>3:30pm - St. Joseph Ladies' Guild Meeting</b> <b>6:00pm - St. Joseph Finance Council Meeting</b>
<b>THURSDAY- 7/14</b> Is 26: 7-9, 12, 16-19, Mt 11: 28-30  <b>9:00am - 8:00pm (St. J) - Adoration</b>
<b>FRIDAY- 7/15</b> Is 38: 1-6, 21-22, 7-8, Mt 12: 1-8  <b>9:00am (St. J) - For the Poor</b>
<b>SATURDAY - 7/16</b> Mt 2: 1-5, Mt 12: 14-21  <b>4:30pm- (St. J) - Irene LaDuke (Chris Prosser)</b>  <b>7:00pm (St. R) - Gilbert &amp; Dolores Steinman (Carlina Breitner)</b>
<b>SUNDAY- 7/17</b> Gn 18: 1-10a, Col 1: 24-28, Lk 10: 38-42  <b>8:30am (St. R) - Earl Walter (James &amp; Deanna Seidel)</b>  <b>11:00am (St.) - For the Living and Deceased parishioners of St. Joseph</b>

**ST. JOSEPH CHURCH**  
Mass Times: Thursday & Friday, 9:00am, Saturday, 4:30pm,  
Sunday, 11:00am

**ST. JOSEPH FESTIVAL**

A big thanks to all those who attended and or worked on our church festival. A good time was had by all! See you next year!!!

**PANCAKE BREAKFAST**

Please join us before Sunday Mass for a FREE Pancake Breakfast. Nothing fancy, just pancakes, fruit, beverages and fellowship.

**9:30 a.m. - 10: 30 a.m.**

**July 10h  
July 17th  
July 24th  
July 31st**

**BIBLE STUDY**

Join us for Six Weeks with the Bible: Living for a Just Society, Catholic Perspectives by Kevin Perrotta.

Spend 6 weeks learning how to live for a just society from a Catholic perspective. This study will guide you toward a deeper understanding of the topic by providing insights from Scripture and helping you to make a connection to your own life. This guide is faithful to Church teaching and sound biblical scholarship; presents insights from saints and church fathers; asks questions for discussion and reflection; and offers prayer suggestions that help you to respond to God's word.

The study will be at St. Joseph and is open to parishioners of St. Raphael, St. Joseph and our summer visitors. The study will follow the 9am Thursday morning Mass on August 4, 11, 18, 25, Sept. 1 and 8.

Please consider joining us. To learn more and reserve your spot call Maria Somsel at 231-499-8313 by July 17 so materials can be ordered. Cost for materials will be about \$10 per person.

**CSA**

The 2016 Catholic Services Appeal, "Together We Are Family" is off to a great start in our parish. To date, **we have received \$23,924.00** in gifts/pledges toward this year's appeal efforts (which is 95%), but we still need to do the best that we can to achieve 100% participation. We still need **\$1,275 to meet our CSA target.** Every dollar raised to make our goal of supports important Diocesan Services and every dollar raised above our goal will be used in the parish.

<b>ST. JOSEPH'S MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR JULY 16 &amp; 17</b>	
<b>Saturday, 4:30pm</b>	<b>Sunday, 11:00am</b>
Lector - Beth Klajda Body of Christ - Meg Barlan Precious Blood - Sandra Bologna & Jacque Boyd Altar Servers - Madison Miller & Joshua Fleszar	Lector - Carol Duvall Body of Christ - Peaches Sanovic Precious Blood - Lisa Sidor & Maria Somsel Altar Servers - Gabe Sidor & John Neph

**ST. JOSEPH'S  
STEWARDSHIP OF  
TREASURE**

**May Our Lord bless us  
through our generosity**

<b>ENVELOPE</b>	\$ 2,278.00
<b>OFFERTORY</b>	
<b>LOOSE</b>	\$ 1,513.00
<b>OFFERTORY</b>	
<b>CHILDREN'S</b>	\$ -----
<b>OFFERTORY</b>	
<b>STIPEND</b>	\$ -----
<b>BOOKS/CD</b>	\$ -----
<b>TOTAL</b>	\$ 3,791.00
<b>BUILDING ENV.</b>	\$ 140.00
<b>D &amp; L FUND-BLG.</b>	\$11,114.79
<b>FOOD PANTRY</b>	\$ 70.00

**Prayer Requests**

**Richie Anderson, June Bartlett, Kyleigh Borah, Forrest Falk, Addy Hollifield, Tammy Holmes, Dennis Knoche, Raymond Knoche, Joyce LaFleur, Florence Levandowski, William Lotz, Irene Lyman, George Macko, John David Martuch, John Dominic Martuch, Rose Ann Maue, Betty McMullen, Julie Miller, Nielsen Family, Nancy Satal, Bruce Soller, Mary Steen**

**Happy Birthday!!!**

- 7/10 - Eugene Omar
- 7/11 - Mary Bentley
- 7/13 - Zachary Mezeske
- 7/17 - Cheri Hall, Ryan Miller
- 7/18 - Julie Miller

**Happy Anniversary!!!**

- 7/11 - M/M Eugene Omar
- 7/12 - M/M Donald Somsel
- 7/14 - M/M Barry Barot
- 7/15 - M/M James Bendes, M/M Devere Wall, M/M Dan Zatarga

**The office will be closed from July 8th - July 15th. If you have an emergency, please call Fr. Ruben at 231-313-1718.**

**ST. RAPHAEL CHURCH**

**Mass Times: Tuesday & Wednesday, 9:00am, Saturday, 7:00pm, Sunday, 8:30am**

**ST. RAPHAEL'S  
STEWARDSHIP OF  
TREASURE**

May Our Lord bless us through  
our generosity

ENVELOPE OFFERTORY	\$	1,220.00
LOOSE OFFERTORY	\$	1,413.26
STIPEND	\$	-----
V. LTS	\$	25.25
COFFEE	\$	15.50
DONATION	\$	-----
FUEL	\$	102.00
TOTAL	\$	2,776.01
BUILDING ENV.	\$	75.00

**THANK YOU** to all the people who donated to our St. Raphael Flea Market!!! **A BIG THANK YOU to all who helped setup, sell, clean up and for your donations.** A total of \$3,894.14 was raised to help support our church.

- David & Rose Clous
- Ann Fouchey

**Happy Birthday!!**

- 7/10 - Hrista Daniel, Joann Pope
- 7/12 - James Klinebriel
- 7/13 - David DeVoll, Becky Humphrey
- 7/14 - Judy Pendency

**ADORATION  
ST. JOSEPH-ONEKAMA**

The hourly sign-up sheets for Adoration on July 14th is placed in St. Raphael and St. Joseph churches. Please consider coming..

If you have not attended yet, please consider giving one hour in the month to developing your personal relationship with God. Enjoy the peace of being in His Real Presence. Empty yourself of your troubles and let Him fill you with His graces. If you have any questions, please contact Bob Sidor at 864-4072 or at rsidor@centurytel.net.

**ST. RAPHAEL CCW  
PANCAKE BREAKFAST**

**\* With all the extras\***

**Sunday August 7, 2016**

**9:00 a.m. - 12 p.m.**

**Adults - \$7.00 donation  
Children 5 to 12 - \$3.00 donation  
Children 4 and under - FREE**

**Mark you Calendars!!!**

**Prayer Requests**

**Marty Bailey, David Clous, DeVoll Family, Bill Dowd, William Hogarth, Tammy May, Kelly Miller, Olivia Miller, Dale Moody, Kenneth O. Milliron, Virginia Platter, Kelli Sattler, Chad Schualer, Don Walston, Gary Willis**

**CSA**

**BUILDING FUND ENVELOPES**

Thank you to all of you who responded so generously to the annual CSA. Each year the success of this appeal depends on you. Your support is greatly appreciated in both your parish and the Diocesan Church. It is when we grow as a community of believers that we help to assure that those who provide services through the Diocesan Church will be able to continue Christ's work here in the Diocese of Gaylord.

If you have noticed, in your envelope packets there is an envelope marked Building Fund. The money that is collected from this envelope is used to maintain the building. For example, if a door needs to be replaced, a window or any repair to the building itself.

**ST. RAPHAEL'S MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR JULY 16 & 17**

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Please pray for all service men and women who are serving our country.



**Mark J. Debano, Jr., OD LT, MSC, USN, 2 Lt. Daniel J. Debano, Engineer, MIARNG, Sgt. Chris DeVoll, Army, Spc. Renada DeVoll, Army, Charles Draeger, USAF Special Unit, MIARNG, SR Sarah Hilliard, Coast Guard, Navy, AIC Hannah R. Janicki, SFC Jeremy A. Kott, Army, Jay Long, Mike Meyers, Air Force, Trevor Meyers, Marines, USMC, Adam O'Neill, Army, 1st Lt. Courtney Pierce, RN, Army, 2nd Lt. Karina Pierce-Pingel, Army, CSM Benjamin Pingel, Army, Sgt. First Class Philip Sedlar, Jr., Andrew Saul, Navy, Adam Schuessler, Army, USAF, Austin Soller, Navy, Sgt. Dylan Somsel, Daniel Tanner, Navy**

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. I ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior Amen.

If you know of someone serving our country and would like a his/her name printed in our military corner please call the parish office or put their name in the collection basket and mark it military corner. Thank you.

## ST. JOSEPH LADIES GUILD NEWS

\*\*The next ladies guild meeting will be on **Wednesday, July 13, 2016 at 3:30pm**. ALL women of the parish are invited to join us when we meet again!! Come and meet your fellow parishioners. Our church needs your helping hands, and the good ideas in your heads. Need a ride? Call the church secretary and she will contact us to help. **SEE YOU THERE!!!** \*\*Ladies Guild is still collecting Oleson's receipts. We receive 1% of each receipt. Every penny counts. We are also collecting used postage stamps, General Mills box tops for education, Campbell Soup UPC's and Spartan UPC's. When you are cutting out the box top for education we need the **General Mills Box Top for Education** not the save 25-75%. Also, on the Campbell Soup we need the UPC's.

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**ST. JOSEPH'S COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY:** The next month's Food Pantry will **July 22, 2016** beginning at **10 a.m.** *Your financial support is appreciated and encouraged.* Every dollar you contribute goes toward purchase of food and household items.

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**Stewardship by the Book** - The Good Samaritan was also a good steward, giving his time and his treasure to meet his neighbor's need. At the end of this familiar story, Jesus urges his hearers - and us - to go and do the same!

**Family Perspective** - Children learn by watching us. Do they see you helping others like the Good Samaritan, or do they see you avoiding others like the Levite in today's gospel. Worry more about what your children see in YOUR LIFE than what they see on TV.

**Healing the Broken Heart** - Are you looking to heal a broken heart caused by divorce or separation? Bring your worries, pain, fear, and questions to "Healing the Broken Heart" with renowned presenter Rose Sweet from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. (includes lunch) on Saturday, August 20, at the Cooney Conference Center in Gaylord. The session will deal with healing from divorce and separation, understanding issues of annulment and remarriage, as well as helping children heal. There is no cost to attend this event, but registration is required and must be received by Friday, August 12. Contact Tammy Boylan at 989.732.5147 or via email at [tboylan@dioceseofgaylord.org](mailto:tboylan@dioceseofgaylord.org) for more information or to register. Made possible by contributions to the annual Catholic Services Appeal (CSA).

**Promise to protect; pledge to heal** - In an effort to protect all children and to promote healing, the Diocese of Gaylord encourages victims of child abuse or neglect to report the matter. In fact, many professionals are required by Michigan State law to

report suspected abuse or neglect of a child or minor. Individuals should contact their local office of the Department of Human Services. If an allegation involves sexual misconduct of a minor by clergy or any employee of the Diocese of Gaylord, even if it is in the past, individuals may also contact Larry LaCross at 989.705.9010.

**Women's Retreat** - The Gaylord Diocesan Council of Catholic Women invites all women to their retreat Heart of Mercy, on Tuesday, July 26, at St. Mary, Our Lady of the Woods Shrine in Mio. Cost for the day is a \$15 donation and includes lunch. Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m., with Mass at 9:00 a.m. The day will conclude at 3:00 p.m. The retreat presenter is Elizabeth Gengle. For more information, call 989.739.2363

**Golf "Fore" Vocations** - Support Vocations in the Diocese of Gaylord at the 2016 Golf "Fore" Vocations Tournament on Monday, August 1, at the award-winning Elk Ridge Golf Club in Atlanta, MI. Cost is \$100 per golfer and includes 18 holes of golf with cart, a continental breakfast, lunch, dinner, two beverages, fun, and prizes! All registrations received by June 15 will receive a certificate for "Buy One 18 Hole Round of Golf, Get the Second One Free" for use at Elk Ridge anytime during the 2016 Golf Season. Put together a foursome or register as an individual. Registration is available online at

[www.planmygolfevent.com/29131-4thAnnualGolfFore](http://www.planmygolfevent.com/29131-4thAnnualGolfFore) Vocations, or by contacting Jeanne Marriott at 989.732.5147 or via email at [jmarriott@dioceseofgaylord.org](mailto:jmarriott@dioceseofgaylord.org).

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter** - Why not invest 44 hours to renew and enrich your marriage and your faith, too! Plan now to attend the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend scheduled for Sept. 16-18 at the Augustine Center in Conway. For more information on these and others, or to apply, visit [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org) or call Harry & Karen Porter at 888.628.7433.

## REACHING OUT TO PEOPLE WHO GRIEVE

The "Good Grief Group" will gather on Tuesday, July 12th at NOON, Kaleva Park. All people are welcome from all religions and all walks of life. Bring a brown bag lunch and beverage. Sandra Mrosko leads the group. If you have any questions please call her at 231-477-5667.

If anyone is planning a fundraising event, or any events that are going on at church, please have the notice/article sent to the office a **month ahead of the scheduled event**. That way it can be in the bulletin for three to four weeks. Thank you. **The bulletin deadline is Wednesday by 12:00pm.**