PARISH BULLETIN

July 26, 2026

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SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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OFFICE HOURS
(Horas de Oficina)

MON **Office Closed**
TUE **Office Closed**
WED 1:00pm to 8:00pm
THU 1:00pm to 8:00pm
FRI 1:00pm to 8:00pm

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, JULY 26

7:00AM (ESPAÑOL)

People of the Parish

10:00AM (ENGLISH)

✝ Alma Mae Hoover Carpenter

MONDAY, JULY 27

8:30AM (ENGLISH)

TUESDAY, JULY 28

12:10PM (ENGLISH)

Communion Service

WEDNESDAY, JULY 29

12:10PM (ENGLISH)

Lucas O'Neil

THURSDAY, JULY 30

12:10PM (ENGLISH)

6:00PM (BILINGUAL)

Adoration & Reconciliation

FRIDAY, JULY 31

8:30AM (ENGLISH)

SATURDAY, AUGUST 1

3:30PM (ENGLISH)

Reconciliation

5:00PM (ENGLISH)

✝ Harold Weisgerber

7:00PM (ESPAÑOL)

✝ This sign denotes that a person is deceased.

Creciendo en la fe: Preparación Bautismal

¡Atención papás! Si están listos para dar ese hermoso paso de bautizar a su pequeño/a, acompáñenos a nuestra próxima clase de preparación el 28 de julio de 6:00 p.m. a 9:00 p.m en el Salón Sagrada Familia.

LAST CHANCE!

Deadline: Homeschool Faith Formation & New 3rd-5th Grade Program

Don't wait! The final day to register for Homeschool Faith Formation is July 31st. We are also offering a Faith Formation program for 3rd through 5th graders! To secure your spot and ensure we have materials ready, please sign up today. Links for both registrations can be found on our website under Parish Updates.

Fecha límite: Formación en la Fe en el Hogar y Nuevo Programa de 3.º a 5.º Grado

¡No esperes más! El último día para inscribirse en la Formación en la Fe en el Hogar (Homeschool) es el 31 de julio. ¡También estamos ofreciendo el programa de Formación en la Fe para niños de 3.º a 5.º grado! Para asegurar tu lugar y ayudarnos a tener los materiales listos, por favor inscríbete hoy mismo. Encontrarás los enlaces para ambas inscripciones en nuestro sitio web bajo la sección de Parish Updates (Noticias parroquiales).

Notice:

Please note that the office will be closed on Tuesday, July 28, 2026, due to sanctuary renovations.

Aviso:

Por favor tome en cuenta que la oficina estará cerrada el martes 28 de julio de 2026 debido a remodelaciones en el santuario.

As we're wrapping up this hot summer, the Summit Academy would love it if you would join them for refreshments and an Open House, this coming Wednesday, July 29th, from 6:00 to 8:00 PM located at St. Aloysius in the lower level. Come drop in and learn more about the Summit, registration, and the upcoming school year. The first day of class is September 8th. The Summit is still accepting new students for enrollment. For questions before the event, please contact The Summit by email at thesummit333@gmail.com

A sacramental emergency means a person is in immediate danger of death, critical medical condition, or sudden health crisis. *Una emergencia sacramental significa que una persona está en peligro inmediato de muerte, condición médica crítica o crisis de salud repentina.*

FOR SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES CALL: 828 282 8337

Queridos hermanos,

Hace exactamente un año que tuve la gracia de ser enviado a esta hermosa parroquia de San José. Quiero decirles que me he sentido muy feliz y muy acogido por esta maravillosa comunidad de fieles.

Al principio se me hizo un poco difícil mi incorporación, pues seguía ligado al ministerio que se me había asignado en la diócesis, y no fue hasta abril de este año que encontraron a alguien que me reemplazara. Ahora, con el favor de Dios, podré dedicarme más de lleno a nuestra parroquia, aunque sigo teniendo responsabilidades en la diócesis.

Han sido varios los proyectos que hemos realizado durante este año y que han ayudado a ir poniendo bases para nuestro futuro. Pudimos actualizar el sitio web de nuestra parroquia y dar una nueva imagen a nuestro boletín, tratando de informar lo que está pasando en nuestra parroquia y estar más en contacto con los fieles. Hemos formado recientemente el Consejo Pastoral para poder juntos ir viendo las necesidades de nuestra parroquia; hemos renovado la rectoría en el interior con la ayuda de muchos voluntarios; hemos también renovado nuestras oficinas parroquiales para prestarles un mejor servicio; así mismo, estamos creando un área verde de picnic y, finalmente, hemos comenzado en estos días la renovación de nuestro santuario, el cual quedará hermoso para mayor gloria de Dios.

El tesoro más grande del que he podido ser testigo, y lo cual complace mucho mi corazón, es ver la gran cantidad de niños y jóvenes que tenemos en la parroquia y el modo como muchos de ellos están respondiendo a los programas que hemos presentado, como lo es la formación de fe, el Totus Tuus y los programas deportivos.

Ha sido un año lleno de gracia y les pido que sigamos orando unos por otros para seguir trabajando y consolidándonos en el amor de Cristo.

De corazón les doy las gracias por ser tan maravillosos y crear este ambiente de familia parroquial.

Una cosa les pido de corazón: busquemos con profunda humildad la santidad en nuestras vidas, que nuestro más profundo anhelo sea ser cada día más semejantes a Cristo y darle gloria a nuestro Padre con la asistencia del Espíritu Santo.

Bendiciones,

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

It was exactly one year ago that I had the grace of being sent to this beautiful parish of St. Joseph. I want to tell you that I have felt very happy and very welcomed by this wonderful community of faithful.

At first, my integration was a bit difficult for me because I was still tied to the ministry assigned to me in the diocese, and it was not until April of this year that someone was found to replace me. Now, with God's favor, I will be able to dedicate myself more fully to our parish, although I still have responsibilities in the diocese.

There have been several projects that we have carried out during this year that have helped lay the foundation for our future. We were able to update our parish website and give a new look to our bulletin, trying to inform what is happening in our parish and be in closer contact with the faithful. We have recently formed the Pastoral Council so that together we can see the needs of our parish, we have renovated the interior of the rectory with the help of many volunteers; we have also renovated our parish offices to provide you with better service; likewise, we are creating a green picnic area, and finally, in these days we have begun the renovation of our sanctuary, which will look beautiful for the greater glory of God.

The greatest treasure I have been able to witness, and which pleases my heart deeply, is seeing the great number of children and young people we have in the parish and how many of them are responding to the programs we have presented, such as Faith Formation, Totus Tuus, and sports programs.

It has been a year full of grace, and I ask that we continue praying for one another to keep working and consolidating ourselves in the love of Christ.

From the bottom of my heart, I thank you for being so wonderful and for creating this parish family environment.

I ask one thing from my heart: let us seek holiness in our lives with deep humility, and let our deepest desire be to become more like Christ each day and give glory to our Father with the assistance of the Holy Spirit.

Blessings,

Rev. Julio C. Domínguez

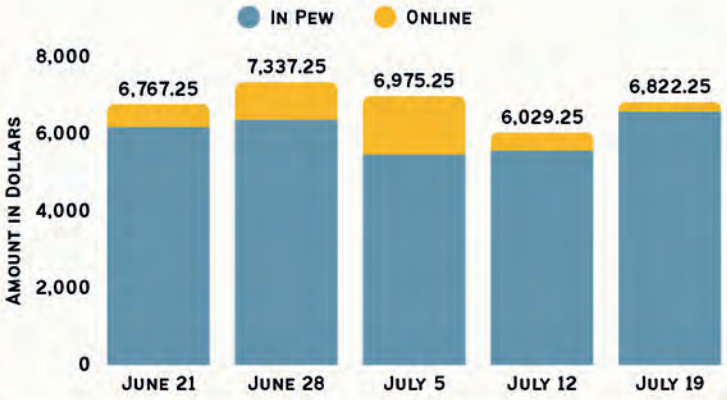
Our Stewardship

July 12, 2026 Offertory	
IN PEW	$6,577.25
ONLINE	$245.00
TOTAL	$6,822.25

SUPPORT THE MISSION OF YOUR FAITH THROUGH OUR ONLINE OFFERTORY

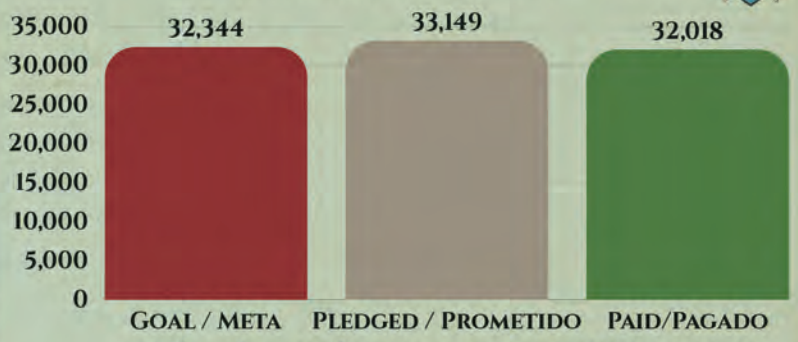
Scan or click the QR code to present your Sunday offering today. You can also visit us at stjosephdoc.org/online-giving

THE LAST FIVE WEEKS



DIOCESAN SUPPORT APPEAL

NUMBER OF DONORS: 179



Thank you for your generosity!

WHERE YOUR HEART GOES (KEY IMPACT AREAS)

Category	Impact and Reach	Focus
Catholic Charities	**30-35%**	The hands of Christ providing emergency food, housing assistance, mental health counseling, and refugee resettlement
Education and youth	**23-31%**	Investing in our future through Catholic schools, campus ministries, and comprehensive faith formation for all ages
Vocation	**14-22%**	Direct support for our seminarians' journey to the priesthood and the formation of permanent deacons
Parish Ministries	**Remainder**	Funding the Eucharistic Congress, Office of Family Life, and multicultural ministries, such as the Hispanic Ministry and African American Affairs Ministry.

CATHOLIC SO FUN FACT

Did you know that Saint Joseph of Cupertino, a 17th-century Franciscan friar, is widely recorded in historical canonization documents to have experienced levitation? Whenever he entered deep prayer or ecstasies of devotion, he would repeatedly rise into the air before dozens of witnesses, including high-ranking clergy and even Pope Urban VIII. Because of these extraordinary physical occurrences and his struggles with traditional academic testing, he is revered today as the patron saint of aviators, astronauts, and students taking exams.

WATCH ON FORMED

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FAMILIES OF THE WEEK

Each week we list five registered families and ask all members of our church to pray for them. **Please pray for the families of this week | Por favor ore por las familias de esta semana:**

THE DOLL FAMILY
THE DOMINGUEZ FAMILY
THE DZIUBCZYNSKI FAMILY
THE ESPINDOLA FAMILY
THE FALOWSKI FAMILY

THANK YOU ★VETERANS★

Please pray for those from our parish serving our country: Capt. Chris Chrislip, Matt DiRisio, Heidi Alvarado Rojo.

✝ PURGATORIAL SOCIETY

Enroll your deceased loved ones in our parish's purgatory society. Every 1st Monday of the month, a Mass will be said for all the names on the list. Submit the names of your deceased loved ones to **purgatory@stjosephdoc.org** or write them on a paper labeled "Purgatory Society" and place in the collection basket.

*Inscriba a sus seres queridos fallecidos en la Sociedad del Purgatorio de nuestra parroquia. El primer lunes de cada mes se ofrecerá una misa por todos los nombres que figuran en la lista. Envíe los nombres de sus difuntos a **purgatory@stjosephdoc.org** o escríbalos en un papel con el título "Sociedad del Purgatorio" y colóquelo en la cesta de la colecta.*

Please Remember in your Prayers | Favor de Recordar en sus Oraciones: Virginia Martin, Erick Heimbach, Bill Marshall, Tom Dziubczynski Jr, Barbara Harvey, Waldo Cervantes, Donna-Lee Bellerose, Patricia Caldwell, Steve Caldwell, Eric Heimbach, Teresa Fannin, Kevin Blondo, John & Carol Baughman, Julia Price, Vincent Ciancio, Monica Delgado, Vivian Horn Mannix, Kevin Mannix, Jose Ruelas, Rita Hammer, Don Nackley, Mary Paige

Need something in the bulletin? Email your flyer or info to bulletin@stjosephdoc.org by Tuesday. Subject to approval and space.
¿Necesita publicar algo en el boletín? Envíe su volante o información a bulletin@stjosephdoc.org antes del martes. Sujeto a aprobación y espacio.

WHY DO WE DO THAT? FALL IN LOVE WITH THE MASS

We go every Sunday, but do we know what's actually happening? Fr. Mike Schmitz breaks down the Catholic Mass in this beautiful walkthrough. From the "two-way mirror" of the elevation to the moment we "stake our lives" on the Amen, learn the history and heart behind every prayer. If you want to move from habit to heart-felt worship, this video is for you.

¿POR QUÉ HACEMOS ESO? ENAMÓRATE DE LA MISA

Vamos todos los domingos, pero ¿sabemos realmente lo que está sucediendo? En esta explicación detallada se desglosa la Santa Misa paso a paso. Desde la imagen de la iglesia como un barco que nos guía hacia el Padre hasta el profundo misterio del sacrificio en el altar, descubre la historia y el corazón detrás de cada oración. Si buscas pasar de la rutina a una adoración profunda, este video es ideal para ti.