

**St. Joseph's Ridge Parish -- Father Joseph Nakwah – 788-1646**

**Jan. 7, & Jan. 8, 2012      Web-site --- [saintjosephridgeparish.com](http://saintjosephridgeparish.com)      E-mail – [sjrp@centurytel.net](mailto:sjrp@centurytel.net)**

**This weeks readings**

**Isiah 60: 1-6**

**Ephsians 3:2-3a, 5-6**

**Gospel – Matthew: 2: 1-12**

**Next weeks readings:**

**1 Samuel 3:3b – 10, 19**

**1 Corthians – 6:13c – 15a – 17-20**

**Gospel – John 1:35-42**

**ST. JOSEPH'S MASS SCHEDULE**

**Mon. – Jan. 9, - 6:00 p.m. –Gen Stark**

**Fri. –Jan 13, - 8:00 a.m.- Parish Family**

**ST PETER'S MASS SCHEDULE**

**Tues. – Jan. 10, - 8:00a.m.- Harold Muenzenberger**

**Thurs. – Jan. 12, - 8:00a.m. – Special Intention**

**Sat. – Jan. 14 , -8:00p.m.–Clarence & Verna Clements**

**Sun - Jan. 15, - 11:30 a.m.- Parish Family**

**Saturday Jan 14, 2012-6:00p m.– Ann Stark**

**Servers: Kyle Fossom & Andy Brown**

**Ushers: Dave & Ryan Brown**

**Reader: Teresa Brown**

**Extra O. Minister: Evie Mikshowsky**

**COON VALLEY MASS SCHEDULE**

**Wed. –Jan 11,- 8:00 a.m.- Parish Family**

**Sat.- Jan. 14,- 4:00 pm.- Parish Family**

**Sun.– Jan 15,- 8:00 am- Tilman Haugan**

**Sunday, Jan. 15, 2012- 10:00 a. m- In memory of the deceased members of the Raymond Korn family**

**Servers: Andrew & Nick Burns**

**Ushers: Tim Hougom & John Thurk**

**Reader: Stacy Burns**

**Extra O. Minister: Jolene DeMaiffe**

**ROSARY LEADERS - Saturday, Jan. 14<sup>th</sup>, 2012 5:30pm- Bill Weber & the 7<sup>th</sup> grade class!**

**LAST WEEK IN GIVING: Dec. 31,2011 & Jan. 1,2012 :Adult Envelopes-\$ 498.00 – Offertory -\$128.00**

**Votive Lights - \$113.00 - Christmas- \$430.00–Solemnity of Mary- \$155.00 - Easter Offering - \$5.00 -**

**Initial Offering - \$28.00**

**ST. JOE'S MEN'S CLUB MEETING–will be on January 16, 2012, at 7:00 p.m. in the upstairs class rm.**

**LADIES PCCW MEETING - will be January 16, 2012, in the school hall, at 7:00 pm.**

**PARISH COUNCIL MEETING is set for January 17, 2012 at 7:00 pm in the school hall..**

**DONATION MADE: to our Stain Glass Window Fund to honor the teachers who have this families children in their CCD classes. Honored Teachers; Jim Weber, Dolores Knobloch, Teresa Brown and Sherry Hougom. You all are truly appreciated !!!**

**CONGRATULATIONS TO BRIDGET SCHAMS, Aquinas Senior, for being honored with the Extra Effort Award Winner in her school. Keep up the good work, and God's blessings !!**

**DEANERY MEETING: La Crosse Board Deanery meeting is set for Jan. 16, at 6:00 p.m. in the Church Gym at Mary Mother of the Church.**

**A BIG THANK YOU : to Jeff Murphy for repairing the shower in the upstairs bathroom of the rectory, and for replacing the shower head. God Bless !**

**MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND:**

**In today's gospel the magi came to present their gifts to Jesus and to honor him. Your love as husband and wife is a gift to one another as well as a gift from God. Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend to receive the tools needed to make the most of this precious gift. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are Jan. 27-29 in Brookfield, WI; Feb. 17-19 in Crystal Lake, IL; March 23-25 in Madison, WI. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: [alifetimeoflove.org](http://alifetimeoflove.org) or call (888) 574-5653. For a Weekend en Espanol, contact Hugo & Gaby at 630-690-2094**

**ROE vs WADE SIGNATURE AD**

**TAKE A STAND ... MAKING A DIFFERENCE**

The 39<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Supreme Court decision which legalized abortion will soon be upon us.

We invite you to join with other prolife members of our community in making a public statement of our belief in the sanctity of human life. This annual signature ad commemorating all of the precious lives lost to abortion will be in the La Crosse Tribune on Sunday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>.

If you would like to be included in this ad, PLEASE PRINT your name on the sheets of paper provided. Donations of \$2.00 per signature, or \$5.00 for a family would be greatly appreciated to help defray the cost of the ad in the paper, which is close to \$4,000.00 for a full page ad. We Thank You for anything you can do.

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