

Dear Padre,

My Catholic friend says she speaks in tongues and does not feel she needs an interpretation as she does so. She writes down the exchange as she listens to others. What does the Catholic Church say about speaking in tongues? How should I respond if she asks to pray for me in this way?

Good for your friend. A robust spiritual practice is a real grace from God. At the same time, it seems that a gentle reminder, albeit a respectful one, to your friend might include the wisdom of St. Paul. In 1 Corinthians, Paul cautions that the person who speaks in tongues must ask for interpretation of what is spoken so that it may be confirmed. There is real wisdom offered here. It is also helpful to remember that in the Christian understanding of supernatural gifts, such gifts are not intended solely for the individual person but always for the well-being of the community and the common good (1 Cor 12:7). Keeping this integrated and balanced understanding as an essential component of the manifestation of the charismatic gifts of the Holy Spirit will only lead to good and to a more powerful experience of God's grace and life. In the Christian life, it is never about just the individual, but always inclusive of the experience of our brothers and sisters in Christ. ●

Fr. Thomas M. Santa, CSsR / DearPadre.org

Do you have a question for the Padre?

Go to DearPadre.org to send your question and to learn more about Dear Padre.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
June 9	June 10	June 11	June 12	June 13	June 14	June 15
The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church	Weekday	St. Barnabas, Apostle	Weekday	St. Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church	Weekday	The Most Holy Trinity
Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14 Jn 19:25-34	2 Cor 1:18-22 Mt 5:13-16	Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3 Mt 5:17-19	2 Cor 3:15-4:1, 3-6 Mt 5:20-26	2 Cor 4:7-15 Mt 5:27-32	2 Cor 5:14-21 Mt 5:33-37	Prv 8:22-31 Rom 5:1-5 Jn 16:12-15



A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

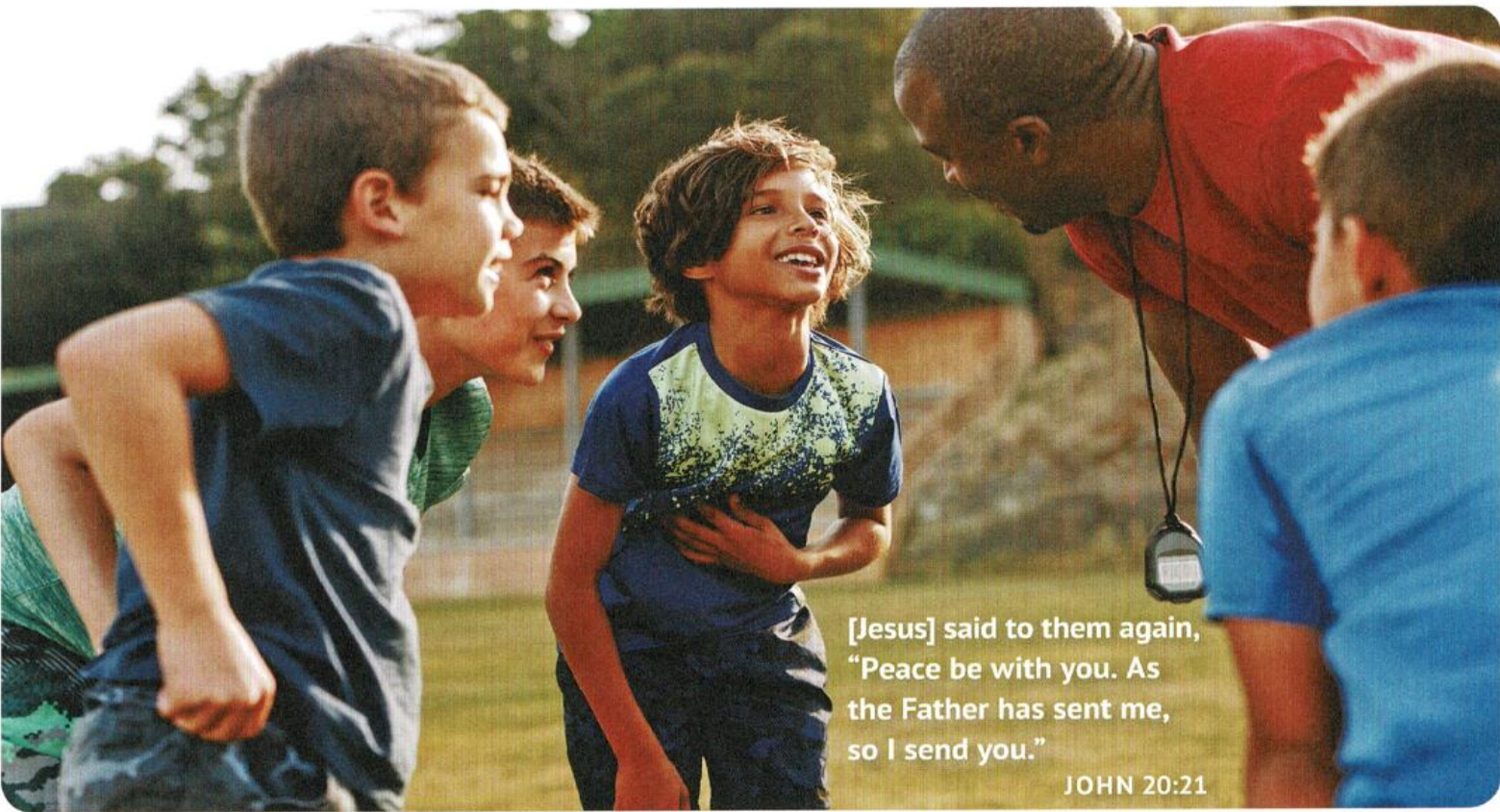
The Holy Spirit...makes believers attentive to the problems and events of their time.... We run the risk of making a museum piece out of faith...! [The Holy Spirit]...brings...the faith up to date: this is his job. [He] does not bind himself to passing epochs or trends, but brings into today the relevance of Jesus, risen and living.

REGINA CAELI, ROME, JUNE 5, 2022

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Our Parish COMMUNITY

June 8, 2025
Pentecost (C)
Acts 2:1-11 / 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Romans 8:8-17 / John 20:19-23 or John 14:15-16, 23b-26



[Jesus] said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you."

JOHN 20:21

Spirited Life

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

We are in a time when many seem to live with deep anger, much of which may come from fear generated by a sense of loss of control over our lives. We struggle to control the economy, our borders, the spread of disease, the violence in our cities and on our roads. Places once deemed safe—our schools, stores, and churches—have been invaded by violence. Ironically, those who feel most threatened by violence tend to turn to violence as a solution.

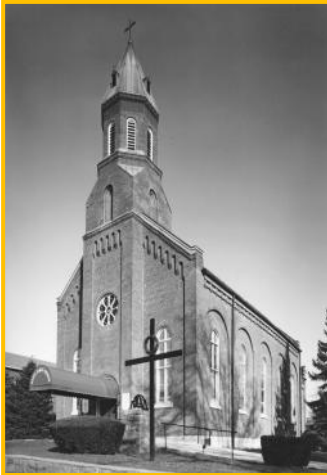
Do the scripture readings on this feast of Pentecost offer any hint of light as to how we might move forward? Saint Paul's Letter to the Romans contrasts living in the flesh with living in the spirit that has been given to us. To "live in the flesh" is Paul's code word for living by our baser instincts—lust for power, revenge, and pleasure; anger; greed—all of which focus on ourselves. By contrast, to live in the spirit is to respond not from our baser instincts but rather to choose a more noble path, to take the high road, to care for the common good. For Paul, living in the flesh is a dead end, unable to bring us to life now or in the hereafter. To live in the spirit is to live in God, already in this life. Thus, Paul cautions that we not "fall back into fear," something that arises from our preoccupation with the flesh. ●

Reflect

What situations or "triggers" cause me to act out of my baser instincts?

St. James Parish Family

201 N. Missouri Street
Potosi, MO 63664



JUNE 2025

Mass Schedule

St. Joachim	Mon:	8:00 AM
St. James	Tues:	8:15 AM
St. Joachim	Wed:	8:15 AM
St. James	Thurs:	8:00 AM
St. Joachim	Fri:	8:00 AM
St. James	First Sat:	8:00 AM
St. James 1st & 3rd	Sat:	4:00 PM
St. Joachim 2nd/4th	Sat:	4:00 PM
St. James	Sun:	8:00 AM
St. Joachim	Sun:	10:00 AM

HOLYDAY SCHEDULE:

Please check the Bulletin for Mass Times.

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Confessions:

Saturday: 3:15 - 3:45 PM;
prior to Sat evening Mass
Or by appointment

MASS INTENTIONS FOR WEEK OF

June 09, 2025 8AM Mass @ St. Joachim

Jun 10 TUE	8:15AM	Mark Coleman
Jun 11 WED	8:15AM	Mass @ St. Joachim
Jun 12 THU	8:00AM	George Lalumondiere
Jun 13 FRI	8:00AM	Mass @ St. Joachim
Jun 14 SAT	4:00 PM	Mass @ St. Joachim
Jun 15 SUN	8:00 AM	Charlie Schloemer

June 1, 2025

Envelopes.....\$	2445.00
Loose.....\$	798.00
Votive.....\$	46.00
St. V.....\$	1402.00
Maintenance.....\$	100.00
Online giving..... \$	35.60
Cardinal glennon.....\$	240.00
Peters pence..\$	25.00
Cath Communication..\$	25.00
Cemetery.....\$	275.00



June 15th

Lectors

Sunday 08:00 am

Jeanne Degonia

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

C: Jamie Thompson

L: Don Thompson

R: Jim Politte

Servers

Sat: 4:00 pm Mass @ St, Joachim

Sun: 8:00 am Ava West & Bryce Griffin

Music:

Sat: 4:00 pm. Chala

Sun. 8:00 a.m. Rebecca Richards

Sun: 10:00 am Anita Govero or The Little Way Band

St Vincent DePaul JUNE collection: Canned Meats: Potted meat, canned chicken , canned tuna, beefaroni ect.

Faith, Hope, and Charity

June Heavenly Dusters
Jeannie Degonia 6/6,6/13

June Alter Linens
Glenda Farrow 6/9,6/16

GOD BLESS EVERYONE AND THANK YOU SO MUCH
FOR ALL YOUR HELP IN THE KITCHEN, WE COULD-
N'T BE SUCCESSFUL WITH OUT ALL OF YOU!!!
-THE VILLMERS

*****Formed*****

Saint Rita

Famous as the patron of hopeless situations, St. Rita of Cascia, a beautiful woman who lived in Italy in the fourteenth century, is immortalized in this wonderful, deeply moving film. Starring Vittoria Belvedere and Martin Crewes, her story combines high drama, great love, deep betrayal, profound forgiveness, and strong faith. This story is about the brave woman who married her knight, helped him overcome his dark past and convert to faith, happily bore him two children, and later endures immense pain as she loses everything in her life. She finds peace and new hope through the generosity of a nearby convent of sisters, and with their help she develops a deep union with Christ that greatly inspires all near her.

- GO to : <http://signup.formed.org/>
- Enter our parish's zip code 63664
- Enter your name and your email address. That's it, you are in!

What's on the Calendar???

June 10: Adoration

June 13: Clarity House

June 14: FLAG DAY

June 15: Fathers Day

June 19: Juneteenth

June 20: SUMMER BEGINS

June 21: Food Pantry

June 22: The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

June 24: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

June 27: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

June 28-29 St. Joseph's Parish Picnic

July 4: Happy Birthday America



St. Joseph's Parish Picnic
June 28-29

Saturday

Free Concert by Fame 'n' Fortune @ 6:30

Lots of different food booths.

Sunday

Live Entertainment 12-5

Kids & Adult Games

Food and Drinks all Day

Calvary Cemetery:

Reminder to all: Mowing season is upon us.

St. James Calvary cemetery is sacred ground. Be respectful of our loved ones.

Cemetery rules only allow for 2 decorations per grave

-No luminaries

-No shepherds hooks or hummingbird feeders

-No eternal flames; no votive lights or solar lights

-No benches

-No balloons

-or any other unsightly grave decorations

-And ABSOLUTELY NO Alcohol is Allowed on cemetery grounds.

Please be considerate to those who care for our cemetery as weed eating and mowing are very difficult with all the decorations. Be advised that decorations will be removed periodically. God Bless.

Feast of Corpus Christi

Why a Corpus Christi Procession? It is a public display and act of faith emphasizing the real presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist.

The Feast of Corpus Christi (Body and Blood of Christ) will be celebrated on Sunday, June 22 at the 10 Mass at St. Joachim with a procession to follow. All Ministries and Groups are encouraged to have representatives present to participate in the procession. This includes representatives from St. Joseph Chapel, St. Stephen's Chapel, and St. James and St. Joachim Parishes, St. Ann's Sodality, Men and Ladies of the Knights of Columbus, St. Pope John Paul II Men, OCIA, Youth Group, School and PSR First Communion, Funeral Dinner Committee, Finance Committee, Parish Council, St. Vincent de Paul, Rural Parish Workers, Maintenance and Grass Cutters, Musicians, Bible Study Group, All Other Servants of God (Assistants, Money Counters, Quilters) and any other group that may not have been mentioned. Bring a Banner that represents your ministry or group to carry in procession.

Bible Study Begins June 12

Join us for Bible Study on Thursday evening June 12 from 6:30 p.m-7:30 p.m. in the Incarnate Word Center, St. Joachim. We will be embarking on a Quick Journey Through the Bible ,an eight-part series taught by Jeff Cavins who provides an excellent introduction and overview of the bible from a Catholic perspective. The half hour talks are complemented by group discussion questions. This is a great way to "get your feet wet" and learn how to begin authentic Bible Study. Mark your calendars: June 12 and 26, July 10 and 24, and August 7. Bring your Bible.

J.M.J.

6/01/25

I would like to thank all those who ran and worked the St. James Parish Picnic especially Jamie and Don Thompson, and all those who worked at the Picnic. I would like to thank all those who donated their time, talent, and treasure to make our Picnic a spiritual and material success. I had a wonderful time being at The Picnic. I appreciated all the arduous work and the commitment of dedicated Parishioners who put their heart and soul into the Picnic. The food was delicious. I had a pork-steak dinner and took two meals home for Fr. Dyer and I to eat on Monday. Fr. Dyer and I loved the meal. I also had the Hamburgers. They were also Delicious. The corn was really tasty too. I appreciate all the parishioners who worked as a community of faith to serve one another and all those who came to the Picnic. Above all I thank our Lord Jesus Christ for the beautiful weather and for

The safe and successful day. May our Lord bless our parish of St. James.
God bless you all!
Fr. Tony Dattilo

I GIVE YOU A NEW
COMMANDMENT, SAYS THE
LORD: LOVE ONE ANOTHER
AS I HAVE LOVED YOU.

When: July 23rd
Who: PSR Family Pool Party
Where: Elks Club
Time: 6-8 PM
Food Will Be Provided



St. James PSR NEWS

Contact Laura at 573-366-5235 with any questions.

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