



St. Joseph Day Celebration

Sunday, March 22, 2020

Farrell Hall, St. Pius X Church

A Celebration of the Feast
and Benefit for the

St. Joseph Evening Meal

A Ministry of St. Pius X Catholic Church

4:00 Gathering & Silent Auction begins

5:00 Evening Prayer & Blessing

5:15 Dinner

6:00 Live Auction begins

Please make reservations by Tuesday, March 17

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To reserve tickets, mail this form and a check payable to St. Pius X Parish to:

St. Joseph Day Celebration
c/o Mary Kilbride
2305 12th Street
Rock Island, IL 61201

You may pick up your tickets at Farrell Hall on the day of the celebration.

Name _____ Phone # _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

YES, I will attend the party: # adult tickets _____ @ \$13.00 = \$ _____

children tickets _____ @ \$8.00 = \$ _____

NO, I will be unable to attend the party,
but would like make a contribution of \$ _____

Total Enclosed = \$ _____

**Are you a member of one of the amazing groups that currently cooks
(or in the past cooked) for the Evening Meal?

If so, we'd like to recognize you at the dinner! Please complete the following:

Name of group _____ # of years serving _____

Thank You for making your reservations by Tuesday, March 17, 2020
so that food preparations can be made.



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A ministry of St. Pius X Catholic Church
2502 29th Avenue
Rock Island, Illinois 61201

February 15, 2020

Dear Friends of the St. Joseph Evening Meal:

Thank you so much for your support of the Evening Meal over the past years. Quite clearly, without your support, there would be no Evening Meal.

We would like to invite you to participate in this year's St. Joseph's Day Party. The Party/Auction is the single fundraising event sponsored by the St. Joseph Evening Meal Committee. Parish funds are not used to support the day-to-day operations of the Evening Meal. Rather, it is the money raised by this event (as well as other directed donations received throughout the year) which is used to support the staff and purchase necessary supplies. The dinner, along with silent and live auctions, will be held at St. Pius X Church (Farrell Hall) in Rock Island on **Sunday, March 22, 2020 at 4:00 P.M.**

Adult tickets are \$13 each, children \$8 each for dinner, dessert & drinks (lemonade/coffee). Wine and beer will also be available for purchase. We ask that reservations be made in advance by sending in the form on the reverse side of this letter.

At this year's party we want to be sure to acknowledge the cooks in attendance. If you are a cook, or were in the past, please complete the bottom of the RSVP with your group's information.

We also hope you might **consider contributing a themed basket or other stand-alone, new, items for the live and silent auctions.** Some basket suggestions to get you started have been provided, but PLEASE use your imagination!

- **Made in the QCA** – Anything and everything related to living in the Quad Cities.
- **Pasta Night** – Large pasta pot filled with a variety of sauces and noodles, olive oil, napkins, etc.
- **Mommy's Night Off** – Wine, chocolate, bubble bath, gift card to Barnes and Noble, etc.
- **Toddler Girl, Toddler Boy** – (4 to 5 year old) – Stickers, books, prince/princess wand/crown, insect nets, child-size gardening tools, games, etc.
- **Easter Basket** – Easter is less than a month away!
- **Art** – Paint brushes, paints, canvases, art kits, crayons, markers, adult coloring books, etc.
- **Gift Cards** - \$5, \$10, \$25 and more – anything goes. A free shake, a free pizza, free oil change, etc. Any type of gift card/certificate.
- **It's a Guy Thing** – Tools, wallet, gift cards, - really anything you can think of guy related
- **Ladies Basket** – Lotions, soaps, jewelry, scarves, candles, makeup bags, purses, etc.

Please bring auction items to the rectory at St. Pius X Church (2502 29th Avenue, Rock Island) no later than Monday, March 16th. Contributions should be clearly labeled, noting the contributor, description of item donated (if necessary), and, if you wish, a minimum acceptable bid.

The St. Joseph Evening Meal Program is one of the ways our parish continues to keep the spirit of St. Joseph's Parish alive and thriving in our St. Pius community. We hope you can join us. If you have any questions, please call one of us at the phone numbers given below.

Sincerely,

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