



What does it mean to consecrate yourself to St. Joseph?

What does it mean for a person to be consecrated to St. Joseph? Well, it basically means that you acknowledge that he is your spiritual father, and you want to be like him. To show it, you entrust yourself entirely into his paternal care so that he can help you acquire his virtues and become holy. Total consecration to St. Joseph means you make a formal act of filial entrustment to your spiritual father so that he can take care of your spiritual well-being and lead you to God. The person who consecrates himself to St. Joseph wants to be as close to their spiritual father as possible, to the point of resembling him in virtue and holiness. Saint Joseph, in turn, will give those consecrated to him his undivided attention, protection, and guidance.

Program Overview

Consecration to St. Joseph emulates the tried-and-true preparation method employed by St. Louis de Montfort in his Marian consecration, highlighting many of St. Joseph's titles, privileges, and heroic virtues.

The program of preparation and consecration takes 33 days.

WE ARE LOOKING FOR A FEW GOOD MEN WHO DESIRE TO GROW CLOSER TO OUR LORD THROUGH A DEEPER RELATIONSHIP WITH HIS FOSTER FATHER JOSEPH!

The world is in desperate need of holy men willing to be "Spiritual Fathers" to their families and to the world. St. Joseph can show us the way!

Please consider joining Deacon Bob and fellow men in our Parish on a 33 - day spiritual journey leading to Consecration to St. Joseph.

NO EXPERIENCE IS REQUIRED – JUST AN OPEN MIND AND OPEN HEART – YOU CAN DO THIS!

The program consists of daily prayer and short spiritual readings with weekly group meetings to come together to pray and reflect on the journey.

SCHEDULE: times and location TBD based on needs of the group; possible morning and evening sessions.

September 30 – First Group Meeting

October 7 – Second Group Meeting

October 14 – Third Group Meeting

October 21 – Fourth Group Meeting

October 28 – Fifth Group Meeting

November 1 – All Saints Day -Sixth Group Meeting and Day of Consecration.

We will also schedule a pilgrimage visit to the Shrine of St. Joseph in St. Louis.

MATERIALS:

Everything you need is in the book "**Consecration to St. Joseph**" pictured above. You can purchase the book at consecrationtostjoseph.org or at Catholic Supply. It is around \$15.00.

HOW DO I SIGN UP?

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DON'T WAIT – DO IT TODAY!