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**OUR FAMILY IS GROWING...
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509 FAMILIES
HAVE REGISTERED**

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SEPTEMBER 10, 2017



WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

St. John Paul II West

St. Martin of Tours Church

953 S. 9th Ave., Kankakee
Saturday

4:30 pm Vigil Mass

6:00 pm Misa en Español de Vigilia

Sunday

9:30 am

11:30 am

5:00 pm

St. John Paul II Central

St. Rose of Lima Church

486 W. Merchant St., Kankakee
Sunday

8:00 am

St. John Paul II East

St. Teresa Church

307 N. St. Joseph Ave., Kankakee
Sunday

12:00 pm Misa en Español

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

St. John Paul II West

St. Martin of Tours Church

Monday thru Friday

7:30 am

Tuesday

6:00 pm Misa en Español

**IF YOUR BROTHER SINS
AGAINST YOU GO AND TELL
HIM HIS FAULT BETWEEN
YOU AND HE ALONE. IF HE
LISTENS TO YOU, YOU HAVE
GAINED YOUR BROTHER.**

MATTHEW 18:15

THE POWER OF INVITATION

The movement of Christianity started with one simple invitation: "Come, follow me..." were the words that Jesus used to invite the first apostles by the Sea of Galilee. From those first words of invitation, many others followed. At another time, he said to the disciples of John the Baptist: "Come and see..." and they too followed Him. The consistent encounters, village after village, one person after another, crowd after another crowd, led to the growth of his following. And that was a time without twitter, facebook and instagram! It was just pure invitation, by His words, by His miraculous works, by His Divine Presence.



Well, here in Kankakee, many centuries later, we continue to proclaim His word, He continues to do miraculous work through the sacraments, and we are still coming together to encounter Him again. And what we ought to be doing really, in our own time, is to invite, just like He did, one person at a time, one crowd at a time, one village at a time. One of my friends used to poke some friendly jest at me because I was always shy asking a favor or putting out invitations to strangers for any affair. In other words, I was not really wired to be a salesman, while my friend was a well decorated and multi-awarded salesperson in her company. She told me that her success as a salesperson was based on three things:

Be honest at all times. Share the positive, good news as much as you can.

Don't be afraid to ask or to request. All they can say is No. But if you never asked, then you would never know for sure, if it is a sale that you could have had.

But then, never take No for an answer. If they say No the first time, find other ways to re-introduce and re-invite, and sell again in a different way.

I am still not a born salesperson, but whenever I think of these three things that my friend told me, I come to realize that they are not really that hard to do. Everyone can be a salesperson, in this regard. Allow me to adapt my friend's three first principles in sales, in the light of our need to invite and evangelize in our time, as a Church:

Be a sincere witness. Talk about the good things that are going on at Church, and share the positive effects of your Church to you. Deep within, everyone is looking for something good for their lives, and who knows, your random testimony might strike a chord for someone to go with you to church.

Don't be afraid to invite. You have a Sunday family gathering, and most of your family have fallen away from the Church. What do you do? Invite everyone to go to Church with you. You never know who will say yes, and the only thing they can do is to say no. There is no harm in inviting!

Never give up. Sometimes, hearing "no" over and over again, for every invitation, can be disheartening. Take it as a challenge in creativity, instead. Find new ways to share your faith to the people around you. Wear a shirt that says "Are you happy? I found my happiness in being with God and His peeps." Or re-echo St. Augustine's words in your facebook update: "My heart is restless until it rests in You, my God." Thinking of creative ways to spread the Good News can be fun and exciting. Try it!

From Jesus; first invitation to our efforts to invite today, know that you are doing holy work. Here in St. John Paul II Parish, we will continue to invite, because we are confident about the quality of our goods. There is power in invitation, because Jesus is inviting with us. Peace... hope... love.... everlasting life... anyone?

In the spirit of St. John Paul II,
Fr. Sunny Castillo

EL PODER DE LA INVITACIÓN

El movimiento de la Cristiandad comenzó con una simple invitación: "Ven, sígueme..." fueron las palabras de Jesús cuando invitó a sus primeros apóstoles a la orilla del mar de Galilea. Desde esas primeras palabras de invitación, muchos otros lo siguieron. Después, él dijo a los discípulos de Juan Bautista: "Vengan y vean..." y ellos también lo siguieron. Los

encuentros consistentes, pueblo tras pueblo, una persona y otra, grupo tras grupo, aumentó el crecimiento de sus seguidores. Y ese era el tiempo sin twitter, facebook e instagram! Era simplemente pura invitación, por medio de Su palabra, Sus milagros, y por Su Divina Presencia.

Bueno, aquí en Kankakee, muchos siglos después, continuamos proclamando Su palabra. Él continúa haciendo milagros por medio de los sacramentos, y nosotros seguimos reuniéndonos para encontrarlo a Él nuevamente. Y lo que debemos hacer hoy día es seguir Su ejemplo e invitar una persona y después otra, un grupo y después otro, un pueblo y después otro. Una amiga me hacía broma porque yo era tímido al invitar desconocidos a cualquier acontecimiento o a pedirles un favor. En otras palabras, yo no tenía el don de ser comerciante como mi amiga lo era en su negocio. Ella me dijo que el éxito de un vendedor está basado en tres cosas:

1. Ser sincero en todo tiempo. Compartir lo positivo, dar buenas noticias tanto como sea posible.
2. No tener temor en hacer preguntas o en hacer un pedido. Ellos pueden decir NO. Pero si nunca preguntas, entonces no habría seguridad, si era una venta que tu podrías llevar a cabo.
3. Pero, nunca aceptes el NO como respuesta. Si dicen NO la primera vez, busca otras maneras de re-introducirlo y re-invitar, y presentarlo en una manera diferente.

Todavía no soy vendedor, pero cuando pienso en estas tres cosas que me dijo mi amiga, realizo que no son tan difíciles en hacer. Todos pueden ser vendedores, en este sentido. Permítanme adaptar estas tres cosas que me dijo mi amiga, y como en realidad no son difíciles en aplicarlas a la evangelización en nuestros tiempos, como Iglesia que somos:

1. Ser un testigo sincero. Hablar de cosas buenas que están pasando en la Iglesia, y compartir cómo me afectan personalmente. En lo íntimo, todos están en búsqueda de algo bueno para sus vidas, pero quizás tu testimonio toque a alguna persona y vaya contigo a la iglesia.
2. No temas en invitar. Puedes invitar a la familia a la reunión Dominical, y quizás toda tu familia está retirada de la Iglesia. ¿Qué puedes hacer? Invita a todos a ir a la Iglesia contigo. Nunca sabes quién va a decir sí, y lo único que pueden decir es no. ¡No hay peligro en invitar!
3. Nunca te sientas rendido. Algunas veces, después de oír "no" muchas veces, eso te puede causar desánimo. En cambio, tómalo como un reto en creatividad. Busca nuevas maneras en compartir tu fe con la gente a tu alrededor. Usa una camiseta que dice "¿Te sientes feliz? Encuentra mi felicidad en estar con Dios y Sus pequeños." O eco lo que dice San Agustín: "Mi corazón está inquieto hasta que descansa en Tí, mi Dios." Pensando en maneras creativas en propagar las Buenas Nuevas puede ser divertido y excitante. ¡Ensáyalo!

De Jesús; la primera invitación a nuestros esfuerzos para invitar hoy, has de saber que estoy haciendo un trabajo santo. Aquí en la parroquia San Juan Pablo II, continuaremos en invitar, porque tenemos la confianza en la calidad de nuestros ofrecimientos. Hay poder al invitar, porque Jesús está invitando con nosotros. Paz... esperanza... amor... vida eterna... ¿hay alguien?

En el espíritu de San Juan Pablo II,
Padre Sunny Castillo

Liturgical Schedule JPII West	Saturday September 16 4:30 pm	Saturday/Sabado September 16 6:00 pm	Sunday September 17 9:30 am	Sunday September 17 11:30 am	Sunday September 17 5:00 pm
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Abigail Richey Michaela Richey	Katia Tetlananzy Martha Andrade Maria Medina	Zane Coy Edwin Perez Melanie Perez	Zahid Medina Adrian Medina Aubry Hadley	Kayla Trout Ryan Trout
Lectors/ Lectores	1) Dick Frey 2) Jack Klasey	Maria Flores Karina Toledo Maria Toledo	1) Sheryl Janik 2) Desiree Grant	1) Cynthia Somerville 2) Need Volunteer	Brittany Parsons
Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	* Deb Groth * Charlotte Nolte * Rod Blake Sue Blake Bob Pfeiffer Mickey Kreissler	Marcela Andrade Juana Ayala José Ayala	* Kathy Bessette * John Lilienthal * Kerri Lilienthal Tracy Douglas Mary Beth McGrath Teri O'Connor	* Donald Somerville * Diane Sheehan David Hegg Steve Kelley	* Tatia Godin * Deb Turner Amy Anderson Ian Quezada
Ushers Ujieres	* Bernie O'Malley Charlene Russell Annie Syrstad Tom Martin	Esperanza Orozco Susana Perez Maria Guerrero Veronica Carmona	* Jerry Kuntz Mark O'Connor John Rodgers Steve Coy	* Ramon Lopez Chuck Juarez Leo Donath Need Volunteer	* Tim Trout Penny Trout Ramone Arce Need Volunteer
Welcoming/ Greeters	Rose Faber Annie Syrstad	Fabiana Lopez Antonia/Heidy Rodriguez	Donna Ray Jan Rodgers Laura/James Shellie	Paula Muhlstadt Noel Diaz Elida Diaz	

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE: Sept. 11-15
LECTOR: Diane Sheehan **Extraordinary Ministers:** Bob Pfeiffer, Cathi Willi

Liturgical Schedule JPII Central	Sunday September 17 8:00 am	Liturgical Schedule JPII East	Sunday/Domingo September 17 12:00 pm	Liturgical Schedule JPII West	Tuesday/Martes September 19 6:00 pm
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Mike Wolfer	Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Ricardo Cruz Antonio Martinez Maricela Medina Esteban Martinez	Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Manuel Velazquez Denis Andrade
Lectors/ Lectores	Linda Kerness	Lectors/ Lectores	Alex Quezada Carlos Cualla Guadalupe Fernandez	Lectors/ Lectores	Maria Flores Karina Toledo
Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	Rosemary Ciaccio Cathy Langlois Larry Serene Carolyn Serene Ann Wheeler Richard Hemza	Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	Dolores Pizano Ema Elvir Isidoro Fernandez Israel Lira Kathy Griffiths Rosa Vazquez	Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	
Ushers Ujieres	Tom Panozzo Harla Boulee Ann Fritz Francis Fritz	Ushers Ujieres	Maurilio Serna Octavio Garcia Patricia Martinez Ricardo Esparza	Ushers Ujieres	
Welcoming/ Greeters	Cathi Willi	Welcoming/ Greeters	Lorenia Lara Ismael Lara	Welcoming/ Greeters	

St. John Paul II Staff Directory

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Viernes 9 am—1 pm

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need to reach a priest,

Please call **815-322-7555**

This is for EMERGENCIES ONLY

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday

September 9, 2017
4:30 p.m. † Arlene Mitchell (*Jean Azzarelli*)
6:00 p.m. For all the People of St. John Paul II

Sunday

September 10, 2017
8:00 a.m. Madonna & Denny Brosseau (*Denny Brosseau*)
† Donald Reilly (*Family*)
† Kathie Poole (*Thomas & Joanne Lambert*)
9:30 a.m. † Jeanne Hansen (*Mike & Ale McCue*)
† Mary Gierke (*Pat & Jane Brouillet*)
11:30 a.m. All Living & Deceased Members of the CCW
12:00 p.m. Stephanie Barajas (*Family*)
5:00 p.m. For the Youth of our parish

Monday

September 11, 2017
7:30 a.m. † Eugene Riberdy (*Betty Azzarelli*)

Tuesday

September 12, 2017
7:30 a.m. † Jean Azzarelli (*Cheryl Walsh*)

Wednesday

September 13, 2017
7:30 a.m. † Deacon Ron Whitman (*Joanne Whitman*)
† Josephine Jacobs (*Steve & Diane Devine*)

Thursday

September 14, 2017
7:30 a.m. † Willidean Spaulding (*Family & Friends*)

Friday

September 15, 2017
7:30 a.m. † Eileen Buckley (*Joanne Riberdy & Family*)

Saturday

September 16, 2017
4:30 p.m. † Ethel Daley (*Bernice Bukosky*)
6:00 p.m. † Nicolas Villagomez (*Irma Villagomez*)

Sunday

September 17, 2017
8:00 a.m. † Rhett Langman (*Langman Family*)
† Lyle Arends (*Family*)

† Gib Wheeler (*Ann Wheeler*)
† Jon & Cleo Petersen (*Family*)

9:30 a.m.

† Melodia & Vicente Senor (*Galvin Senor*)
† Elsie Abing (*Galvin Senor*)
† Donald Regnier (*Betty Azzarelli*)
† Jack Schott (*Matthew Schott*)

11:30 a.m.

† Marguerita Panozzo (*Vern & Rita Mill & Family*)

12:00 p.m.

Isidoro & Mariana Fernandez (*Parish Family*)

5:00 p.m. For All the People of St. John Paul

With the change of mass times, if you are unsure of what mass a previously scheduled mass intention will be on, please call the parish office. Thank You

SACRAMENTS

SACRAMENT PROCEDURES

Baptism:

Call the parish office for Pre-Baptismal requirements and scheduling.

Confessions:

St. Martin: 3:30 pm Saturday

By appointment: Call the parish office

Weddings:

Marriage Preparation begins at least 6 months in advance.
Call the parish office for date confirmation before finalizing other wedding plans.

PROCEDIMIENTO PARA SACRAMENTOS

Curso Pre-Bautismal:

Favor de llamar a la oficina de 2 a 3 meses de anticipación

Confesiones:

San Martin: 3:30 pm Sábado

Por Cita llame a su parroquia

Bodas:

La Preparacion empieza por lo menos 6 meses antes. Llame a la oficina para confirmar la fecha y finalizar otros planes de la boda.



Prayer Line Information

You may call any of these numbers with your prayer requests.

All information is confidential.

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815-932-8664

Rita Kanosky

815-939-0319

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If you or someone you know is recuperating from an illness or homebound please call **Donna Worth** at the parish office



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September 16th
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WHERE:
**SAINT JOHN PAUL II
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JP2
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TIME:
2:00pm-7:00pm

**Hispanic Community of Kankakee
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RCIA: Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Are you, or someone you know

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Classes starting October 1, 2017

- A member of another Christian church who is interested in the Catholic faith.
- A baptized Catholic who has never received First Eucharist or Confirmation.
- A Catholic who has been away from the church and desires to become an active member again.
- Any non-baptized persons.

For more information call Donna Worth at 815-933-7683



Please Join us for an
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Be part of the spirit of JP2 Parish!!

SATURDAY, SEPT. 23 5:30-8:30 PM SUNDAY, SEPT. 24 9:30 AM-2:30 PM 6:30-7:30 PM (Ministry Fair Only)

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Rifas

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Las registraciones en San Juan Pablo II han comenzado. Todos los parroquianos anteriores de Santa Rosa, San Martin y Santa Teresa necesitan registrarse como Parroquianos de San Juan Pablo II. Estamos actualizando información y nuevos sobres serán enviados en los siguientes meses después de que todos los miembros queden registrados. Por favor hable con un miembro de bienvenida antes de misa o visite la iglesia campus Oeste los Martes entre 1:00pm - 7:00pm para registrarse. Si usted tiene alguna pregunta por favor comuníquese con Alex Quezada o Lorenia Lara al 815-933-7683. Gracias!



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Hispanic Youth Group: Isidoro Fernandez 815-549-2885



Adult Faith Formation September 11-16

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| Tuesday, September 12 | 10:00 am |
| Fatima Novena—Pray the Rosary | |
| Tuesday, September 12 | 11:00 am & 7:00 pm |
| Living Word Bible Study - Matthew | |
| All events are held on the St. John Paul II West campus
(St. Martin location) | |



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

St. John Paul II West

8:00 am – 6:00 pm First Friday of the month
1er Sábado del mes /First Saturday of the month
Misa 6:00 pm
7:00 pm – 5:00 am Nocturnal Adoration



**GROWING IN FAITH
TOGETHER (GIFT)
FAITH SHARING GROUP**
In celebration of the formation of
our new parish, we will begin
watching and discussing, Witness
to Hope-The Life of John Paul II.

Wednesday, September 13
6:30 –7:45 pm

Conference Room of the Faith Formation Center
ALL ARE WELCOME!!

LORD TEACH ME TO PRAY-PART 1

A women's Ignatian prayer series, which teaches women

- How to listen
- How to further develop their prayer life
- What to do for dryness and obstacles in prayer
- And how to meditate and contemplate

Wednesday afternoons, 4:00-5:30 pm

Sept. 27—December 13, 2017

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St. John Paul Faith Formation Program
907 S. Ninth St., Kankakee

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Classes begin this week!

If you have any questions, please call 815-932-7911

Horario de Registro para el Catecismo
2017-2018

Martes, Miércoles y Jueves

6:30 pm-7:30 pm

Las clases comienzan esta semana

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Azzarelli Outreach Medical Clinic

Tuesday/Martes, Wednesday/Miercoles, Thursday/Jueves
9:00 am–2:00 pm

Monday/Lunes–Sept. 11

- Doctor Day 2:00-4:00 pm
- Come early, there are no appointments. First come, first served

Wednesday/Miercoles–Sept. 13

- Doctor Day 9:00 am-11:00 am
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Thursday/Jueves–Sept. 14

- Doctor Day 9:00 am-12:00 pm
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Kankakee Catholic Food Pantry

341 N. St. Joseph Ave. Kankakee

Friday/Viernes—September 15
9:00 am–11:45 am

This program is staffed by an all volunteer group of dedicated individuals. It is open to Kankakee County residents, but you must show proof of address and are eligible to receive food once a month.



Sunday/Domingo, September 10, 2017

"When people are tempted to see their own lives as diminished in value or meaning, they most need the love and assistance of others to assure them of the inherent worth."

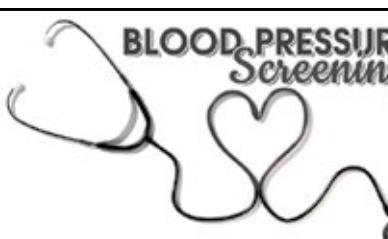
USCCB, "To Live Each Day with Dignity: A Statement on Assisted Suicide," 2011

"Cuando las personas sienten la tentación de ver sus vidas con menos valor o significado es cuando más necesitan el amor y la ayuda de otros para asegurar su valor inherente". USCCB, "Vivir dignamente cada dia: Declaración acerca del suicidio asistido por un medico", 2011

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- RN's & CNA's Tuesdays 4-6 pm
One day per month
- RN's & CAN's
3rd Thursday of each month 5-8 pm
- RN's 9am-2pm or 9am-12pm
Tuesday-Thursday
- Grant Writer
- IT personnel

If you feel called to serve in this way, please contact
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September 17

10:30 to 11:30 am
at JP2 West

After 12:00 pm mass
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DAILY MASS READINGS

Monday, September 11

Colossians 1:24-2:3
Luke 6:6-11

Tuesday, September 12 (The Most Holy Name of Mary)

Colossians 2:6-15
Luke 6:12-19

Wednesday, September 13 (St. John Chrysostom)

Colossians 3:1-11
Luke 6:20-26

Thursday, September 14 (The Exaltation of the Holy Cross)

Numbers 21:4-9
Philippians 2:6-11
John 3:13-17

Friday, Sept. 15 (Our Lady of Sorrows)

1 Timothy 1:1-2, 12-14
John 19:25-27 or Luke 2:33-35

Saturday, September 16 (Sts. Cornelius and Cyprian)

1 Timothy 1:15-17
Luke 6:43-49

Sunday, September 17 (Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary
Time)

Sirach 27:30-28:7
Romans 14:7-9
Matthew 18:21-35

Sept. 10, 2017

To experience the new and abundant life offered
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All women of the church...

You are Invited!!

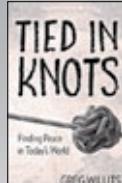
**St. John Paul II
Council of Catholic Women**

Champagne Punch-Hors d'oeuvres Membership Mixer

**Tuesday, September 19, 6:30 pm
Settles Center, JP2 West Campus**

**For more details, call Linda Kerness, 939-3369,
Sharon Jackson, 937-1556, or Cindy McBarnes, 933-2884
Come join us as we outline what we
have planned for the year!!**

St. John Paul II Catholic Media



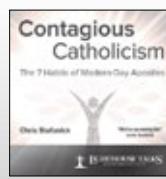
New Book: "Tied in Knots-Finding Peace in Today's
World" by Greg Willits

Entangled with anxiety? Twisted with trepidation? Contorted
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- Create a concrete plan (finally) for finding true joy and lasting
peace

Greg Willits is the editorial director for Our Sunday Visitor and the author of The New Evangelization and You: Be Not Afraid



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GIVE A PINT, GET A PINT Faith Church and Culver's, Bourbonnais

The two have joined forces to sponsor a blood drive. Donate blood and receive a certificate for a pint of custard.

Friday, Sept. 22, 2017

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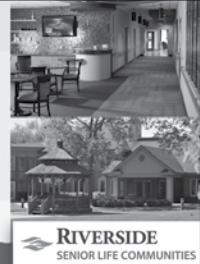
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