

St. JOHN PAUL II CATHOLIC PARISH

956 S. 10th Ave., Kankakee, Illinois 60901 815-933-7683

WELCOME to the family

BIENVENIDO a la familia

OUR FAMILY IS GROWING...

TO DATE

**990 FAMILIES
HAVE REGISTERED**

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

St. John Paul II West

Saturday

4:30 pm Vigil Mass

6:00 pm Misa de Vigilia en español

Sunday

8:00 am

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 (Services suspended)

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

Monday thru Friday

7:30 am

Martes

6:00 pm Misa en español

CONFESSIONS

St. John Paul II West

Saturday 3:30 pm or by appointment

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 18, 2018

Jesus answered them. The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. Amen, amen, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains just a grain of wheat; but if it dies, it produces much fruit. Whoever loves his life loses it, and whoever hates his life in this world will preserve it for eternal life.
John 12:23-25



Entonces Jesús dijo: Ha llegado la hora de que sea glorificado el Hijo del Hombre. En verdad les digo: Si el grano de trigo no cae en tierra y muere, queda solo; pero si muere, da mucho fruto. El que ama su vida la destruye; y el que desprecia su vida en este mundo, la conserva para la vida eterna.
Juan 12:23-25

STAYING POSITIVE, HOPEFUL AND OPTIMISTIC



MANTENERSE POSITIVO, ESPERANZADO Y OPTIMISTA

Have you ever felt like you have given your 101% on something, and have tried your very best to do what is needed, and have spent so much of your time and energy, only to discover that all your efforts made no difference, and the results failed your expectations? Then the temptations start seeping into your soul. You start to feel hopeless, then you begin to be bitter, and then you start withdrawing and you make a decision to stop doing whatever good you thought you were doing. Well, let me tell you, dear parishioners, that such sentiments can easily creep into the mind and heart of a servant of God. When we are in ministry, it is so easy to lose sight of the focus to give glory and thanks to God, no matter what the seeming successful or failed results may be.

As your pastor, it is not unusual to feel disheartened or saddened by people's lack of enthusiasm to participate in parish activities, or to feel like a failure when people continue with unhealthy patterns of life instead of making firm resolutions to live the Gospel of Jesus. It can also be quite exhausting to promote a culture of kindness and hospitality, collaboration and joy, when suddenly situations happen showing that many people are still not getting the message.

But in the face of disappointing situations, we have to make a choice to remain steadfast in our mission as a church to bring the Gospel of Jesus. Because it is easy to see the failures, and it is easier to even ignore the successes. For in the midst of some setbacks, when we look closely there are actual victories and successes to be thankful for. And so, allow me to count some of our recent success:

The Parish Council and Finance Council have made major strides to stabilizing our parish. Thanks to our leaders for their relentless efforts to foster a culture of accountability and develop a sense of unity of purpose for our parish.

Our beautiful parish office was blessed last weekend and those who came to visit it all had very positive things to say about what we were able to accomplish. I am constantly grateful to Brian Haller and Gerald Holohan and their crew, as well as those that supported this endeavor to its completion.

Our parish mission was successful, even with some less attended sessions. Those who participated in the group sessions seemed to have been really inspired to share and to give witness. The intimate group settings really worked for what we wanted to accomplish here.

The football program for our young people has been very successful, thanks to Alex Quezada, the coaches and parents. It was a great way to build community, motivate our young people, and make everyone feel that they are part of our parish family. The Zumba sessions are also doing well and growing attendance every week. The whole idea of a being happy, healthy and holy church shines through clearly here!

Jacob Levy's "Breakfast with Jesus" was very inspirational, and the number of people that came grew every day of the week. The sharing sessions were very powerful, and the feedback was very good.

And I know there are so many more. Can you add some more?

And so, as we come to the final weekend before Holy Week, I want to reaffirm again that I choose to remain positive, hopeful and joyful. God is obviously guiding the path that we are taking, and I am thankful to you, dear parishioners, who continue to welcome the Good News of the Lord in your lives. It feels great to be a part of Saint John Paul II Parish!

RENEWED BY GOD'S GRACE,
Fr. Sunny Castillo

Alguna ves te has sentido que has dado el 101% en algo y has tratado de hacer lo mejor en lo que se necesita y empleado tanto de tu tiempo y energía, solo para descubrir que todos tus esfuerzos no hicieron ninguna diferencia y los resultados fallaron tus expectativas? Entonces las tentaciones empiezan a filtrar tu alma. Empiezas a sentirte sin esperanzas, luego empiezas a ser amargado, luego empiezas a retirarte y tomas la decisión de parar de hacer lo que pensabas que estabas haciendo bien. Bueno, déjenme decirles queridos feligreses, que dichos sentimientos fácilmente pueden meterse en la mente y corazón de un servidor de Dios. Cuando estamos en el ministerio, es tan fácil perder la visión del enfoque de dar gloria y gracias a Dios, no importa si son resultados exitosos o fallidos.

Como su pastor, no es inusual sentirse desalentado o entristecido por la falta de entusiasmo de las personas en las actividades parroquiales, o de sentirse fracasado cuando las personas continúan con patrones de vida poco saludables en vez de hacer firmes resoluciones de vivir el Evangelio de Jesus. También puede ser un poco agotador promover una cultura de bondad y hospitalidad, colaboración y alegría cuando repentinamente suceden situaciones donde varias personas aún no captan el mensaje.

Pero frente a situaciones desagradables tenemos que tomar la decisión de permanecer firmes en nuestra misión como Iglesia de llevar el Evangelio de Jesús. Porque es fácil de mirar los fracasos y es más fácil de ignorar los éxitos. Porque en medio de un retroceso, miramos de cerca que actualmente tenemos triunfos y éxitos de los cuales hay que estar agradecidos. Y entonces, permítanme contar algunos de nuestros recientes éxitos:

El Concilio Parroquial y Concilio Financiero han hecho grandes avances para establecer nuestra parroquia. Gracias a nuestros líderes por sus implacables esfuerzos de adoptar una cultura de responsabilidad en desarrollar un sentido de unidad y propósito para nuestra parroquia.

Nuestra hermosa oficina parroquial fue bendecida este fin de semana pasado y todos los que vinieron a visitar comentaron cosas muy positivas acerca de lo que hemos logrado. Estoy muy agradecido con Brian Haller, Gerald Holohan y su equipo y todos los que apoyaron estos esfuerzos para esta realización.

Nuestra misión parroquial fue exitosa, aún con menos asistencia. Aquellos que participaron en las sesiones de grupo parecía que de verdad fueron inspirados a compartir y a dar testimonio. La acomodación acogedora de los grupos funciona muy bien para lo que queríamos lograr.

El programa de football para nuestros jóvenes fue muy exitoso, gracias a Alex Quezada, los entrenadores y los padres, fue una gran manera para construir comunidad, motivar a nuestros jóvenes y hacer que todos se sientan parte de la familia parroquial. Las sesiones de Zumba van muy bien y creciendo en asistencia cada semana. Toda la idea de ser una Iglesia feliz, sana y santa esta brillando aquí claramente!

Jacob Levy "Desayuno con Jesús" fue muy inspirador y el número de personas que asistieron creció cada día de la semana. Las sesiones de participación fueron muy intensas y los comentarios muy favorables.

Y se que hay muchas mas. Puedes agregar mas?

Además, mientras llegamos a la semana final antes de Semana Santa, quiero reaffirmar nuevamente que elijo permanecer positivo, esperanzado y alegre. Dios obviamente esta guiando el camino que estamos tomando, y les agradezco, queridos feligreses, a quienes continúan dando la bienvenida a las Buenas Nuevas del Señor en nuestras vidas. Se siente genial ser parte de la Iglesia de San Juan Pablo II.

RENOVADO POR LA GRACIA DE DIOS,
Padres Santos Castillo

| Liturgical Schedule JPII West | Saturday March 24 4:30 pm | Saturday/Sabado March 24 6:00 pm | Sunday March 25 8:00 am | Sunday March 25 9:30 am | Sunday March 25 11:30 am |
|--|---|---|--|--|--|
| Altar Servers/ Monaguillos | Joseph Butzen Kevin O’Gorman | Manuel Vazquez Isabel Velazco Kimberly Sanchez Sabrina Prado | Riley Havener Zane Coy | Maddie Russell Isabel Velasco | Alex Lopez Axel Lopez Zahid Medina |
| Lectors/ Lectores | 1) Joseph Martino 2) Jacob Levy | Zulema Munoz Ismael Lara Maria Toledo | 1) Cathi Willi 2) Bev Stukenborg | 1) Mary Simmons 2) Laurie Mau | 1) David Osborn 2) Donna Ray |
| Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comuni3n | * Bob Pfeiffer Mary Causer Diane Devine Tracy Douglas | Miguel Sanchez Norma Sanchez Virginia Ayala | * Mike Wolfer Brenda Lystilla Dave Lystilla Julie Yarno | * Charlotte Nolte * Mickey Kreissler * Lisa Riegel Delynn Geistwhite Kathy Dummer Deb Groth | * Roxanne Storke Cynthia Somerville Don Somerville Sr. Evangeline |
| Ushers Ujieres | * Annie Syrstad Tom Martin Vic Peregrine Bernie O’Malley | Veronica Carmona Susana Perez Erika Duarte Manuel Duarte | * Steve Coy Tom Panozzo Patti Pietrzewski Need Volunteer | * Gary Shaw Charlene Russell Rende Langlois Wendy Langlois | * Ramon Lopez Steve Kelley Juana Osborn Chuck Juarez |
| Welcoming/ Greeters | David Stejkowski Irene Granger | Gustavo Flores Jose Toledo | Bob Kerness Linda Kerness | Janice Shenk Caron Burgess Teri O’Connor | Need Volunteers Or Ushers Please Welcome/Greet |

THIS WEEK DAILY MASS MINISTERS: Mar. 19-23 LECTOR: Ann Wheeler Extraordinary Ministers: Desiree Grant, Sr. Magdalena
NEXT WEEK DAILY MASS MINISTERS: Mar. 26-28 LECTOR: George Arocha Extraordinary Ministers: Arnie Joubert, Sr. Krystyna

| Liturgical Schedule JPII West | Sunday March 25 5:00 pm |
|--|---|
| Altar Servers/ Monaguillos | Ryan Trout Kayla Trout |
| Lectors/ Lectores | Janet Hanson |
| Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comuni3n | * Brittany Parsons Kathy Anderson Bob Thrasher Tatia Godin |
| Ushers Ujieres | Luis Ayala Juana Ayala |
| Welcoming/ Greeters | Need Volunteers Or Ushers Please Welcome/Greet |

| Liturgical Schedule JPII East | Sunday/Domingo March 25 12:00 pm |
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| Altar Servers/ Monaguillos | Maryely Medina Maricely Medina Cassandra Valtierra Brian Garcia |
| Lectors/ Lectores | Heidi Lopez Nancy Benitez Maria Trinidad Garcia |
| Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comuni3n | Rosa Vazquez Bertha Aviles Celene Valtierra Rosa Chavez Kathy Griffiths Dolores Pizano |
| Ushers Ujieres | Octavio Garcia Yosmar Ocampo Ashanti Quezada Ian Quezada |
| Welcoming/ Greeters | Patricia Martinez Ruth Montoya |

| Liturgical Schedule JPII West | Tuesday/Martes March 27 6:00 pm |
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| Altar Servers/ Monaguillos | Yurary Jacobo David Diaz |
| Lectors/ Lectores | Lorenia Lara Serafin Lopez |
| Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comuni3n | |
| Ushers Ujieres | Angelica Maria Virginia Ayala |
| Welcoming/ Greeters | Ismael Lara |

St. John Paul II Staff Directory

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Parish Office Hours

Monday—Thursday 9 am—4 pm

Friday 9 am—1 pm

Horario de la Oficina Hispana

Martes a Jueves 9am-4pm

Viernes 9 am—1 pm

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Fr. Fredy Santos, C.S.V.

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Donna Worth ext. 403

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Pastoral Secretary/Bulletin Editor

Kathy Dummer ext. 408

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Parish Council Members

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In case of a death or a near death emergency & you need a priest please call the parish office, 815-933-7683 and PRESS #

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday

March 17, 2018

4:30 p.m. † Jean Azzarelli (*Francis J. Smith*)

6:00 p.m. † Minardo Serna (*Teresa Serna*)

† Enequina Serna (*Teresa Serna*)

Sunday

March 18, 2018

8:00 a.m. † Lyle Arends (*Family*)

† Ezra Marquie (*Marquie Family*)

9:30 a.m. † Albert Leutloff (*Karen Leutloff*)

† Eileen Buckley (*Patrick O'Connor*)

11:30 a.m. † Judi Buchholz (*Grandma Mary*)

† Bonnie Lynch (*Fran & Sandra Girard*)

12:00 p.m. For All the People of St. John Paul II Parish

5:00 p.m. † Ermadell Hendricks (*Leslie Morricon*)

† Mrs. Eleanor Kuntz (*Kuntz Family*)

Monday

March 19, 2018

7:30 a.m. † Kay Baker (*Enrique & Laura Oiona*)

† Dennis Brady (*Cindy & Dennis Funk*)

Tuesday

March 20, 2018

7:30 a.m. † Nancy Shronts (*Donna Belke*)

† Lois Savoie (*Mary Schott*)

6:00 p.m.

Danny Moreno (*Sister Mary*)

Wednesday

March 21, 2018

7:30 a.m. † Judi Buchholz (*Rosalyn Szymborski*)

† Carmella Azzarelli (*Betty Azzarelli*)

Thursday

March 22, 2018

7:30 a.m. † Phil Czernik (*Norma Vaughn*)

† John Scott McGrath (*Fran & Sandy Girard*)

Friday

March 23, 2018

7:30 a.m. † Robert Lin (*Kathy Dummer*)

Maria Flores (*JP2 Parish Family*)

Saturday

March 24, 2018

4:30 p.m. † Bonnie Lynch (*Bartle Azzarelli*)

† Kristen Lee Martin (*Betty Azzarelli*)

6:00 p.m.

† Minardo Cerna (*Teresa Cerna*)

Sunday

March 25, 2018

8:00 a.m. † Gertrude “Tootie” Surpernant (*Jackie Kerouac*)

† Margaret Guimond (*Cheryl Heldt*)

9:30 a.m. † Kathy Petrucci (*Mark & DeeDee McCartney*)

† Dennis Brady (*Betty Azzarelli*)

11:30 a.m. † Joseph & Marion Ader (*Friends & Family*)

12:00 p.m. † Faustino Andrade (*Celina Andrade*)

5:00 p.m. For All The People of St. John Paul II Parish

SACRAMENTS

SACRAMENT PROCEDURES

Baptism:

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

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

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.

Confessions:

St. John Paul II West: 3:30 pm Saturday
By appointment: Call the parish office

Confesiones:

San Juan Pablo II Oeste: 3:30 pm Sábado
Por Cita llame a su parroquia



Prayer Line Information

You may call any of these numbers with your prayer requests.
All information is confidential.

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|-------------------|--------------------------|
| Bev Stukenborg | 815-304-5956 or 932-7411 |
| Beverly Kohan | 815-932-1364 |
| Ann Wheeler | 815-932-7938 |
| Rose Mary Ciaccio | 815-932-8664 |
| Rita Kanosky | 815-939-0319 |

Sanctuary Candle

The candles in the sanctuary at JP2 West are burning for

FRANK EINFELDT

Requested by Family



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

Please let us know if you would like your name added or removed from this list by calling the office.

Bonnie Gregg, Dolores Ruder, Mary Krippel, Pat Crane, Jackson Smith, Sandy Mayer, Benjamin Worsham, Sheila Somers, Bill Johnson, Kay Harris, Mia Martin, Kathy Call, Craig Robison, Yvonne Borem, Arthur Licon, Abraham Daily, Joyce Mayo, Francis Raut, Donna Valex, Andy Summers, Rosemary Miller, Elizabeth Hitzen, Mary Lou Murphy, Father Dennis Settles, Jim Saindon, Cheryl Heldt, Carol Veronda, Eleanor Leriger, Kathy Lenzi, Elvira Berens, Kenneth Emling, Kay Peeken, Francis Boudreau, Jim Beedle, Jonette LaPierre, Nicholas Senor, Dorothy Suprenant, Kathy Dechenne, Luella Rockway, Donald Schafroth, Agnes Pagano, Jose Flores, Elias Cortes, Ethel Lamie, Ivan Jaimes Valencia, Kevin Sprimont, Sylvia Martinez, Dan McGrath, Jeffery Papineau, Humberto Lopez, Alberta Blanchette, Ted Bergeron, Judy Swanson, Rosalyn Szymborski, Gino Taylor, Terry Schoondermark, Kathryn Martini, Mark Simmons, Davine Peterson, Carol Sprimont

Homebound & Nursing Home Parishioners

HOMEBOUND- Rev. Dennis Settles, Francis Boudreau, Bert White II, Bernadette Denault, Dolores Fritz, Edyth Maher, Barbara Ciaccio, Mary Martin, Rose Kaminsky, Rich Bergan, Therese Gleeson

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En lo Profundo:
UN ENCUENTRO CON EL SEÑOR

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907 S. 9th Avenue, Kankakee, IL 60901
Marzo 19, 20 y 21, 2018 @ 6:00 PM

Presentaciones de Jorge Rivera, oportunidades para confesiones, tiempo de testimonios, adoración y devociones, misa de sanación, canciones de alabanza



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays during lent in English
6:00 pm

VIA CRUCIS

Martes durante la Cuaresma en Español
Después de la noche del martes a las 6:00 pm



**Lenten Confessions
Confesiones de Cuaresma**

20 martes
6:30 pm Iglesia JP2 Oeste

Saturday, March 24
9-11 am JP2 West Church



GOOD FRIDAY

Visit the Shrine of Christ's Passion
St. John, Indiana
Friday, March 30

Bus leaves Settles Center at 8:00 am

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LENTEN MISSION SPEAKERS

SR. Carol Karnitsky,
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Bob Guastalli



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Check out these spots to find out the who, what, when or where, or for contact information.

Weekly Bulletin: This can be your main source to find out the details that you hear in the announcements, or see on any of the media links. The bulletin is put on the website and Facebook page each week. It also contains the phone # & extensions for the pastor, office and support staff.

Parish Media Links

Website: jp2kankakee.org

By accessing the website you can also view the bulletin, the church calendar of events, the liturgy schedule and more.

Facebook: St. John Paul II Kankakee

Our Facebook page is filled with information on our many ministries, upcoming events, links to the bulletin, pictures of past events and inspirational messages.

Decorating for the Easter Season

JP2 West

Palm Sunday

Friday 3/23 1-3 pm

Altar of Repose & Eucharistic Table
(Settles Center)

Tuesday 3/27 1-4 pm

Easter Vigil

Saturday 3/31 8-11 am



Calling all those who would like to share in beautifying the church for the many special masses of the Easter season. There are jobs for everyone ... no special skills are necessary... just a heart to enhance the worship experience through decorating.

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No Fellowship and Friends after the 8:00 am and 9:30 am masses this Sunday, March 18.

Please support the Hearts of Hope Youth Group Pancake breakfast from 7:30 am -12 pm at Knights of Columbus Hall

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- a través de su último semestre
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La fecha límite de solicitud es el 13 de abril de 2018

Las aplicaciones están disponibles en la oficina de la Asociación Hispana, 249 S. Schuyler, Suite 300, Kankakee

En la Parroquia de San Juan Pablo II, Director del Ministerio Hispano, Alex Quezada

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7:30 pm St. John Paul II Oeste

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**Faith Formation
March 19-22**

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 6:15 pm
FFP Classes with Reconciliation


Tuesday, March 20 10:00 am
Fatima Novena – Pray the Rosary

Tuesday, March 20 Conference Rm. 11:00 am & 7:00 pm
Living Word Bible Study

Wednesday, March 21 Conference Room 6:30 pm
Growing in Faith Together - Who am I to Judge? Part 2


For Bible Study info call: **Jacob Levy 815-474-2312**
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St. John Paul II West
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March 19-23

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 Come early, there are no appointments.

Fri./Viernes March 23

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341 N. St. Joseph Ave. Kankakee

Friday/Viernes—March 23
 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.



Hearts of Hope Youth Group Breakfast Buffet

Today, Sunday, March 18

7:30 am until 12:00 noon

Knights of Columbus Hall, Kankakee

Tickets: \$10 Adults, \$5.00 Children (4-10)
 & under 4 free

Tickets can be purchased at the door.



Hearts of Hope Youth Group

will join youth from St. Viator Parish on

Saturday, March 24

in Chicago for

the National March

in response to the gun violence in Florida.

The bus will leave Bishop McNamara High School at 7:45 am.

Please Call Ken & Michelle Barrie at 815-382-8130 to reserve your spot or get more details.



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DAILY MASS READINGS

Monday, March 19 (St. Joseph, Spouse of Mary)

2 Samuel 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16

Romans 4:13, 16-18, 22

Matthew 1:16, 18-21, 24a

Tuesday, March 20

Numbers 21:4-9

John 8:21-30

Wednesday, March 21

Daniel 3:14-20, 91-92, 95

John 8:31-42

Thursday, March 22

Genesis 17:3-9

John 5:51-59

Friday, March 23

Jeremiah 20:10-13

John 10:31-42

Saturday, March 24

Ezekial 37: 21-28

John 11:45-56

Sunday, March 25 (Palm Sunday)

Mark 11:1-10

Isaiah 50:4-7

Philippians 2:6-11

Mark 14:1-15:47



Open Forum for the Future of St. Rose Church

The Most Rev. R. Daniel Conlon, Bishop of Joliet, will be here to address the future of St. Rose Church

Saturday, March 24, 2018 2:00 pm

**Knights of Columbus Hall
187 S. Indiana Ave., Kankakee
All are welcome to attend**



CCW Meeting

Tuesday, March 20 6:30 pm

Note Date Change

Settles Center Kitchen

Amy Bovie will lead a Lenten Reflection. We are also hosting a "Baby Shower" for Living Alternatives. They are specifically requesting and in need of disposable diapers, but will accept other new baby items. These may be placed in a basket at JP2 West church or brought to the meeting.

March 18, 2018



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USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

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St. John Paul II Words of Wisdom Book Club

WHEN: Friday, April 13 6:00 pm

BOOK FOR THE MONTH:

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