

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 MISSION STATEMENT

Influenced by our patron,
St. John Paul II, we are a
faith-sharing family of
Catholic believers
who bring Jesus to everyone
and everyone to Jesus,
through discipleship, outreach,
and the Holy Eucharist.

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 9, 2023

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

St. John Paul II Church
907 S. 9th Ave., Kankakee, IL 60901

SATURDAY/SÁBADO

English - 4:30 pm Vigil Mass
Español - 6:00 pm Misa de Vigilia

SUNDAY/DOMINGO

English - 8:00 am, 9:30 am,
11:30 am & 5:00 pm

Español - 1:00 pm

Latin - 3:00 pm

Sunday Vespers - 6:30 pm

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

English - Monday-Friday at 7:30 am
Saturday 8:00 am

Español - Martes 6:00 pm

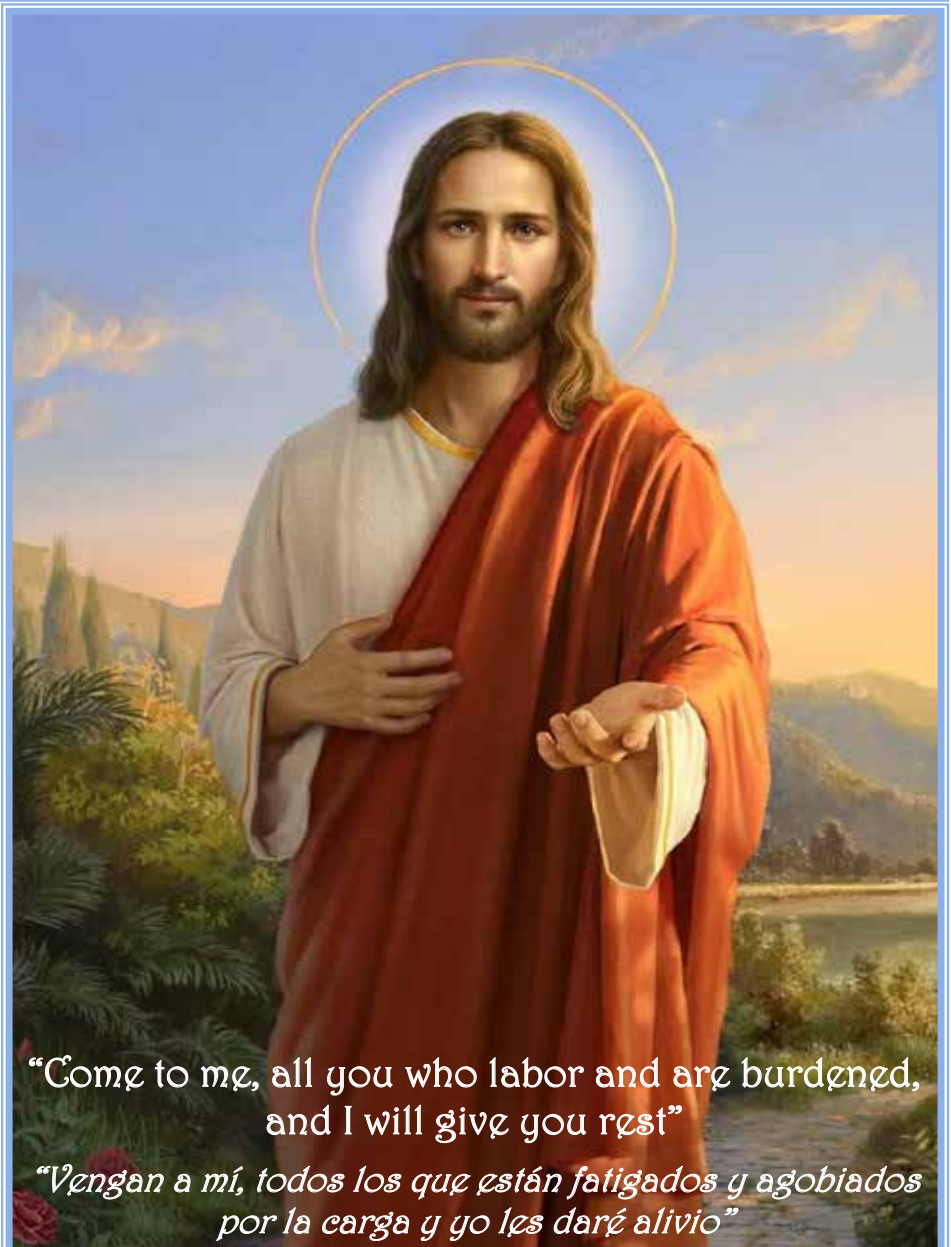
Latin - Wednesday & Friday 12:00 pm
First Saturday at 9:00 am

CONFESSIONS

Conference Room

Saturday 3:30-4:30 pm

Tuesday/Thursday 5:00-5:45 pm



“Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened,
and I will give you rest”

“Vengan a mí, todos los que están fatigados y agobiados
por la carga y yo les daré alivio”

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Our Lord Jesus Christ says to us in today's Gospel reading, "Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart; and you will find rest for yourselves." Acknowledging our anxieties, our Lord calls us to Himself, and He tells us that we will find rest in His heart, which He describes as meek and humble. Our Lord Jesus Christ, the King of heaven and earth, has laid down His life for us so that we may find rest in Him now and forever. His heart, which was pierced on the cross, is always open to us. So, it is good to ask ourselves where we find rest, how we recharge our batteries. Are we restless or anxious, or do we turn to Jesus in prayer and in the sacraments? In prayer and the sacraments we find Christ loving us, pouring out His grace upon us. We all need a break every once in a while. Take a break daily with our Lord and open your heart to Him. With trust in His grace and providence, with hope in His cross and resurrection, let us find rest in our Lord, who is our salvation and our strength.

As we meditate upon the Sacred Heart of Jesus, it is good to remember that we have adoration in honor of the Sacred Heart from 8am to 6pm every first Friday of every month. It is also good to hang up a picture of the Sacred Heart in your home or to pray the Litany to the Sacred Heart. Out of love for us, our Lord is near. Let us stay close to Him, and let us also continue to keep one another in prayer.

In Christ,
Fr. Matt



Queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo,

Nuestro Señor Jesucristo nos dice en el Evangelio de hoy: "Vengan a mí, todos los que están fatigados y agobiados por la carga y yo les daré alivio. Tomen mi yugo sobre ustedes y aprendan de mí, que soy manso y humilde de corazón, y encontrarán descanso." Nuestro Señor, reconociendo nuestras angustias, nos llama a Él y nos dice que encontraremos descanso en su corazón, el que describe como manso y humilde. Nuestro Señor Jesucristo, el Rey del cielo y de la tierra, se entregó para que podamos encontrar descanso en él ahora y para siempre. Su corazón, que fue traspasado en la cruz, está siempre abierto a nosotros. Por eso es bueno preguntarnos dónde encontramos el descanso, la fuerza y la vida. ¿Estamos inquietos o ansiosos, o nos volvemos a Jesús en la oración y en los sacramentos? En la oración y los sacramentos encontramos a Cristo amándonos, derramando su gracia sobre nosotros. Todos necesitamos un descanso de vez en cuando. Tomen un descanso diario con nuestro Señor y ábranles sus corazones. Con confianza en su gracia y providencia, con esperanza en su cruz y resurrección, obtengamos descanso en nuestro Señor, que es nuestra salvación y nuestra fortaleza.

Mientras meditamos en el Sagrado Corazón de Jesús, recuerden que hay adoración en honor al Sagrado Corazón de 8 am a 6 pm cada primer viernes del mes. También, recomiendo que pongan un cuadro del Sagrado Corazón en casa o recen las Letanías al Sagrado Corazón. Por amor a nosotros, nuestro Señor está cerca. Permanezcamos cerca de él y sigamos también recordándonos unos a otros en la oración.

En Cristo,
Padre Mateo



The candle in the sanctuary is burning
in memory of
LESLIE MORRICAL
By: Neena Christiansen

HOMEBOUND & NURSING HOME PARISHIONERS

ASBURY SUPPORTIVE LIVING: Rosalyn Szymborski
BICKFORD: Lavonne Linneman, Barbara Ciaccio
BUTTERFIELD COURT: Colette Cheffer, Pat Canfield
HERITAGE WOODS, Manteno: Noralee Sirois
HOMEBOUND: Rose Kaminsky, Rosemary Dicarolo, Bob Granger, Jean Rykiel
LUTHER PLACE: Leola Mulvihill, Thrasilla Janczak
MILLER REHAB CENTER: Rita Morris
PRAIRIEVIEW, Danforth: Lyn Lamie
PRESENCE HERITAGE LODGE: Dick Keethers, John Hagan
RIVERSIDE SENIOR LIFE/MEMORY CARE:
SENIOR CARE: David Africano
WESTWOOD OAKS: Eileen Dupuis, Desiree Grant

PRAYER LINE INFORMATION: For your prayer requests, please call Ann Wheeler at 815-932-7938 or, email Barb Jepson at wbjepson69@gmail.com

*** The Intention of this list is to pray for the seriously ill. Please help us keep the list updated by calling us with any changes. Thank You!
La intención de esta lista es rezar por quienes están seriamente enfermos. Ayúdenos a mantenerla actualizada llamándonos. ¡Gracias!

PRAYING WITH INTENTION FOR THE SICK

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| ~ Alan & Jackie LaRoche | ~ José Luis Delgadillo |
| ~ Alice Ramien | ~ Josefina Vazquez |
| ~ Anabelle Beedle | ~ Kathy Call |
| ~ Anna Mae Boyd | ~ Kathy Dechenne |
| ~ Abigail Beedle | ~ Kathy Griffiths |
| ~ Antonio Dominguez | ~ Kelli Burson |
| ~ Betty Mulvihill | ~ Kelli Metschuleit |
| ~ Bill Cox | ~ Laurie Mau |
| ~ Bob Crane | ~ Lizbeth Martinez |
| ~ Bob Sowell | ~ Magdalena Salazar |
| ~ Craig Robinson | ~ Margaret Bialas |
| ~ Daniel Wulffe | ~ Mia Martin |
| ~ Darby Thomas | ~ Millie Koehler |
| ~ Dave Decker | ~ Naomi |
| ~ Deacon George A. | ~ Nicky Frey |
| ~ Deacon Rocco | ~ Pat Crane |
| ~ Debbie Turner | ~ Rafael Moreno |
| ~ Desiree Grant | ~ Raquel Garcia |
| ~ Donna Paquette | ~ Robert & Kathy Lenzi |
| ~ Elia López | ~ Russell Westover |
| ~ Ema Elvir | ~ Sandy Cox |
| ~ Eula Mae Goselin | ~ Sharon Burton |
| ~ Gloria Mendez | ~ Steve Schultz |
| ~ Harry Carpenter | ~ Sylvia Martinez |
| ~ Humberto Garnica | ~ Ted & Phyllis Bergeron |
| ~ Joe & Diane Petronio | ~ Willis Buchholz |

MASS INTENTIONS

Week of - July 9 - July 16

Saturday, July 8

8:00 am † Barbara Messina (*Barbara Girard*)
4:30 pm † Leslie Morrival (*Juanita Morrival*)
6:00 pm Por Toda la Gente de San Juan Pablo II

Sunday, July 9

8:00 am † Kenneth C. Emling (*Carol Loisel*)
9:30 am † Pam Bierbaum (*Birdie & Char*)
† Paul, † Julius & † Christine Marczak (*Vicky Marczak*)
11:30 am † Doris Uribe (*Maureen & Sissy O'Connor*)
1:00 pm † Alison Saldaña Muñoz & † José Celestino (*José Luis & María Saldaña*)
Marisol & Rosa Varela (*Daniel Varela*)
3:00 pm For All the Sick People of JP II
5:00 pm For All the People of JP II

Monday, July 10

7:30 am † Ralph Kreissler (*Myra, Jerry & Lori*)

Tuesday, July 11

7:30 am For All the Sick People of JP II
6:00 pm Por las Personas Enfermas de la Parroquia

Wednesday, July 12

7:30 am † Ron Brosseau (*Teddy*)
12:00 pm Sebastian Boudreau (*Bob & Barbara Boudreau*)

Thursday, July 13

7:30 am † Olivia Waggoner (*Mike & Teresa Mahoney*)

Friday, July 14

7:30 am Joann Dressler Nereau (*Roger & Margaret Jensen*)
12:00 pm Fr. C Henderson-CPM (*Martha Aune*)

Saturday, July 15

8:00 am † Ileana Dandurand (*Cheryl Heldt*)
4:30 pm † Josephina Raspolich (*Betty Azzarelli*)
6:00 pm Por Toda la Gente de San Juan Pablo II

Sunday, July 16

8:00 am † Dr. RR Lystila (*Dave & Brenda Lystila*)
9:30 am † George Faber (*Batty Azzarelli*)
† Dolores O'Connor (*Marian McCabe*)
† Sara & Justin Luring (*Dave & Donna Decker*)
† Pam Bierbaum (*Karen Bajt*)
11:30 am † Ardelle Norgaard (*Merle Marquie*)
1:00 pm Patricia Martínez (*Paty Martínez*)
† Arturo Aguilar (*Graciela López*)
3:00 pm For All the People of JP II
5:00 pm † Herman & Therese Falkenhan (*The Family*)

CANTORS NEEDED!!

We are looking for individuals to serve in the role of cantor at parish masses. The role of the cantor is to help direct and support the people's singing. This is a vital ministry of the church. Please contact Christopher for more information.



ST. JOHN PAUL II DIRECTORY



FOLLOW US

OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm
Friday 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

HORARIO DE OFICINA

Lunes—Jueves 9:00 am to 4:00 pm
Viernes 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

Please call 815-933-7683 + Extension.
Call the parish office and PRESS the # button
In case of a death or a near death emergency
and you need a priest.

Marque 815-93397683 + Extensión.
Llame al número y presione la Tecla # en caso
de una emergencia de muerte y necesita un
sacerdote.

Phone: 815-933-7683 Fax: 815-933-7692

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Azzarelli Clinic Director: Brooke Futterer Ext. 416
Food Pantry: Nancy Godin Ext. 417
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Our Shepherd's Clothing Closet: Teri O'Connor 815-693-9152
Hearts of Hope Youth Group: Michelle & Ken Barrie 815-382-8130

Website:

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Facebook & YouTube:
St. John Paul II
Kankakee

PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS

- Julie Busken
Chairperson
- Cathy Langlois
Co-Chair
- Deb Groth
Secretary
- Gabriel Mendez
- Bob Kerness
- Maria Pizano-Calderon
- Uriel Garcia
- Pedro Gonzalez
- David Montague

FINANCE COUNCIL MEMBERS

Mark O'Connor-
President
Cheryl Walsh
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Amy Anderson
Mickey Kreissler
Tom Martin
Ryan Carter

OFFERING/OFRENDA

July 1 & 2, 2023

\$9,835.00

- 145 Envelopes/36 - On Line (1,464.00) -

(This information is being provided to keep you updated)

Monthly School Subsidy to BMCS: \$6,066.67

Monthly Diocesan Assessment: \$3,011.00

Monthly Contribution Envelope Cost/Sobres:
\$435

Our goal each week is/ Meta Semanal:

\$10,865.00

THANK YOU GRACIAS

ONLINE giving

Please consider signing up for Online Giving...
it's easy and convenient:

Go to <https://jp2kankakee.weshareonline.org>

***Please email bulletin requests to the above e-mail at least one week before the weekend requested.

Time, Talent & Treasure

Fostering Stewardship as a way of life

In gratitude for donating and caring for the parish gardens and plants, we gratefully acknowledge and salute:

The Garden Angels
Specially Francisco Medina, Joanne Riberdy & Linda Libby

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. July 10

Gn 28:10-22a

Mt 9:18-26

Tues. July 11

Memorial of Saint

Benedict, Abbot

Gn 32:23-33

Mt 9:32-38

Weds. July 12

Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a

Mt 10:1-7

Thurs. July 13

Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5

Mt 10:7-15

Friday, July 14

Memorial of Saint Kateri

Tekakwitha, Virgin

Gn 46:1-7, 28-30

Mt 10:16-23

Saturday, July 15

Memorial of Saint

Bonaventure, Bishop and

Doctor of the Church

Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a

Mt 10:24-33

Sunday, July 16

Is 55:10-11

Rom 8:18-23

Mt 13:1-23



THIS WEEK AT JPII

July 10 - July 16

Monday, July 10

12:00-5:00 pm Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament

7:00 pm Reunión del Grupo Carismático

Tuesday, July 11

9:00 am Lisieux-Clothing Closet

10:00 am Fatima Rosary Group

11:00 am Living Word Bible Study

5:00 pm Confessions

7:00 pm Living Word Bible Study

Wednesday, July 12

12:00 pm Latin Mass

Thursday, July 13

5:00 pm Confessions

5:30 pm Práctica del Coro de Niños

6:30 pm Choir Practice

7:00 pm Encuentros Juveniles

Friday, July 14

9:00 am Food Pantry - East Campus

9:00 am Lisieux - Clothing Closet

10:00 am Prayer Shawl Ministry

Saturday, July 15

11:00 am Baptism-English (If Needed)

12:00 pm Young on Fire Rosary - Live Stream

3:30 pm Confessions

Sunday, July 16

9:00 am Estudio Bíblico - Hombres

6:30 pm Vespers

FUTURE EVENTS / DATES

July 17 Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament

Reunión del Grupo Carismático

July 18 Fatima Rosary Group

July 19 CCW Board Meeting

SACRAMENTS

Baptism

- Classes are the 3rd Wednesday of the month in the church, please call to register.

- Baptisms are on the 3rd Saturday of the month or after Mass.

Weddings

- Marriage Preparation begins at least 6 months in advance.

- Please schedule a meeting with Fr. Matt for details (before finalizing other wedding plans).

SACRAMENTOS

Bautismo

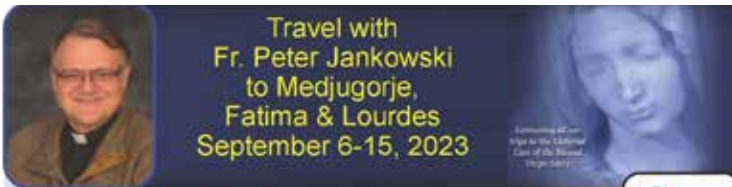
- Llame a la oficina parroquial y regístrese para las pláticas pre-bautismales.

- Los bautismos son el 4o sábado del mes, después de misa o en otra fecha disponible.

Bodas

- La preparación comienza por lo menos 6 meses antes.

- Programe una cita con el Padre Matt para más detalles (antes de finalizar otros planes de su boda).



Travel with
Fr. Peter Jankowski
to Medjugorje,
Fatima & Lourdes
September 6-15, 2023

Cost: \$4,699.00 (airfare included from anywhere in the US)
When Registering, Please Reference Trip #1009

Proximo Travel: Pilgrimages for Catholics and People of All Faiths



Fr. Peter Jankowski, MDiv, STL is a priest from the Joliet Diocese in Illinois, a Former Chaplain at Stateville Penitentiary and a Theology Professor at the University of St. Francis in Joliet, IL. Ordained over twenty-five years and author of three books (the *Stories on the Journey* series you can purchase on Amazon.com), Fr. Pete has travelled the world extensively (both as a cruise ship chaplain and pilgrimage leader) and has brought these travel experiences to the parishes he serves. You can watch Fr. Pete's videos on the parish website www.stpatrickmotence.org or on the "Border Town Parishes" YouTube Channel.

Fr. Pete offers weekly Masses on the "Border Town Parishes" YouTube Channel. You can view his homilies and learn about the Spanish and English Communities he serves at the parish website www.stpatrickmotence.org. Each year, Fr. Pete leads the St. Anne Novena at St. Anne's Church, the First National Shrine in the United States (230 N. Sixth Ave. - St. Anne, IL). The Novena runs from July 16-25 with three Feast Day Masses (with processions of the relic) in English,



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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Clothing Closet and Food Pantry of St. John Paul II Parish are looking for bilingual translators. The Clothing Closet is open on Fridays from 9:00-11:00 am and the Food Pantry from 8:30-11:00 am. If you could help at least one Friday a month or more, we would greatly appreciate it. Please contact our Outreach Ministries Coordinator, Teri O'Connor at 815-693-9152.

SE NECESITAN VOLUNTARIOS BILINGÜES
El Armario de Ropa y la Despensa Alimentos de la Parroquia de San Juan Pablo II están buscando traductores bilingües. El Armario de Ropa está abierto los viernes de 9:00-11:00 am y la Despensa de Alimentos de 8:30-11:00 am. Si pudieran ayudar al menos un viernes al mes o más, se los agradeceríamos mucho. Por favor, póngase en contacto con la Coordinadora de los Ministerios de Ayuda, Teri O'Connor al 815-693-9152.



Servants of the Holy Heart of Mary

The Servants of the Holy Heart of Mary are sponsoring a local couple, Silvia and Art Barajas, on a mission to Laredo, Texas to assist people crossing the border. They will be volunteering with the Catholic Charities shelter, La Frontera.

The Servants of the Holy Heart of Mary are asking local parishes to help support this mission by donating items that Silvia and Art can take to Laredo.

The shelter has asked for the following items only:
Toiletries: toothbrushes, combs, hair ties, spray deodorant, shampoo and body wash.
Personal items: light weight ankle socks, belts, shoe laces, adult underwear size Small and Medium.
Please bring your donation to church by July 16.
Thank you in advance for helping with this effort.

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO DIOCESE OF JOLIET

QUO VADIS DAYS

Sunday, July 30 – Wednesday, August 2, 2023
Mundelein Seminary, Mundelein, IL

Quo Vadis Days is a 4-day/3-night camp co-sponsored by the Archdiocese of Chicago and the Diocese of Joliet and led by the seminarians.

The camp is filled with dynamic talks, small group discussion, prayer experiences, as well as plenty of fun - sports, canoeing, capture the flag, fires and s'mores, and much more.

The camp is open to all graduating 8th graders through graduating high school seniors (13-18 yrs. old) that want to grow in their relationship with the Lord and learn more about the priesthood.

To pay and register with the Diocese of Joliet, please visit:
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/602809448287>

Questions, please email us at:
vocations@dioceseofjoliet.org

DIVINUS MELUS PRESENTS

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HOLY MASS ENTRANCE HYMN

FR. ROY JACOB CMI
ALBUM: www.youtube.com/watch?v=... SCARIA JACOB

SUBSCRIBE TO FR. ROY JACOB'S PAGE DIVINUS MELUS AND LISTEN TO HIS NEW SONG ON

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE / CALENDARIO LITÚRGICO

MINISTRY MINISTERIO	Saturday, July 15 Sábado, 15 de Julio		Sunday, July 16 Domingo, 16 de Julio				
	4:30 pm	6:00 pm Español	8:00 am	9:30 am	11:30 am	1:00 pm Español	5:00 pm
LECTOR	Cindy McBarnes	Rogelio Benítez Karina Toledo	Richard Hemza	Char Nolte	Annie Syrstad	Elia López Elizabeth Suárez	Jacob Levy
USHERS JUICERS	Ron Dressler	Sanjuana Valadez María Medina Angelica Serna Susana Perez Kathy Teclamar	Chris Ryan Kathy Bessette	Sharon & Mickey Bob Thrasher Rende Langlois W-Birdie Blanchette	Silvia Barajas Beth Arocha	José Hernández Rosalina Tonacatl Israel Lorenzo Maricela Lorenzo	Bob Thrasher
SACRISTAN	S/U Annie Syrstad	José & Vanessa López	Ken Klipp Kathy Bessette	Deb Groth & Sharon Jackson	Pedro González	Lupita Méndez Gabriel Méndez	Need Volunteers
ALTAR SERVERS	Need Volunteers	Abilene Franquiz Miguel Sanchez	Need Volunteers	Pedro Vazquez Julian Cortez	Mia M-Rosas Sofia M-Rosas	Alexander Gaytan Alex Hernandez Jade Carrera	Need Volunteers

WEEKDAY MINISTERS / MINISTROS DE LA SEMANA

DATES	LECTOR	SACRISTAN
July 10-15	Mariana Fernández	Flor Rojas
Martes 12	Marcela Andrade	Antonio & Angelica Serna

**Linens/Lienzos: Week of July 9: Mary Herman;
Weeks of July 16 & 23 Peggy Shule**

BABY BOTTLE FUNDRAISER

Please, remember to bring back your Baby Bottles to benefit the Living Alternatives Pregnancy Center in Kankakee.

The St. John Paul II Pro-Life Committee

Por favor, recuerde traer sus Biberones a beneficio del Centro de Embarazo Living Alternatives en Kankakee.
El Comité Pro-Vida de San Juan



JOB OPENING

JPII has an opening for Director of Maintenance and Facilities.

Responsibilities are to clean and oversee the upkeep of the facilities, routine maintenance and repairs. 15-20 hour per week, flexible hours. Please submit resume to: kgriffiths@jp2kankakee.Org.



OFERTA DE EMPLEO

JPII tiene una vacante para Director de Mantenimiento e Instalaciones.

Las responsabilidades son limpiar y supervisar el mantenimiento de las instalaciones, hacer mantenimiento rutinario y reparaciones. 15-20 horas por semana, horarios flexibles. Por favor, envíe su currículo a: kgriffiths@jp2kankakee.Org.

Jackie Keller Memorial Golf Outing

Golfers and non-golfers will enjoy the Jackie Keller Memorial Golf Outing! Create your dream team of 4 players.

What is new and exciting about this year's golf outing?

The event will now be held at the Aspen Ridge Golf Course, which is owned and operated by Bishop McNamara supporters, Brian & Peggy Rogers.

There will be LIVE ENTERTAINMENT at the post golf event. Opportunity to sign up for the post golf event only.

Friday, August 4th at Aspen Ridge, Bourbonnais, IL

Tee Time Registration

Fee: \$75 Per Person (Includes golf, cart, access to driving range, food, beer & pop, contests, and prizes. Contest winners do not need to be present to win.)

Must be 21+ to Attend

Sign Up Your Foursome!

Golf Registration is nearly FULL!

Thank you for supporting our Jackie Keller Memorial Golf Outing! If you would like to be put on a waiting list, please contact Peggy Mayer at pmayer@bmess.org.



Spend time with the Lord
Weekly Kankakee County
Adoration Opportunities

Monday
12-5pm
St. John Paul II
Kankakee

Wednesday
6-7:00am
St. Joseph
Manteno

Friday
6-7:00am
St. Joseph,
Manteno

Tuesday
6-7am
6-8pm
St. Joseph
Manteno

3-5pm
St. Rose Chapel
Kankakee

1-6pm
St. Joseph
Bradley

Thursday
6-7am
St. Joseph
Manteno
9:45-11am
St. Patrick
Mokence

3-6pm
Maternity BVM
Bourbonnais

First Friday
St. John Paul II
8am-6pm

**Herscher/Irwin /
Goodrich**
8am-3:00pm
Location Varies

**St. Joseph
Bradley**
9-10am

FAITH FORMATION



Every Monday/Cada Lunes
12:00 - 5:00 pm

First Friday of the month
Primer viernes del mes
8:00 am- 6:00 pm

Nocturnal Adoration/Adoración Nocturna
First Saturday of the month/Primer Sábado del mes
8:00 pm-5:00 am

Sunday Vespers & Benediction

Every Sunday
6:30 pm to 7:00 pm

Vespers (Evening Prayer) consisting of praying with psalms and scripture. It ends with Benediction with the Blessed Sacrament.

CATHOLIC PRO-LIFE community

CREATED TO LOVE. COMMITTED TO LIFE

Please contact Cathy Langlois with any question at 815-545-2184 / Email: cathyslanglois@gmail.com

Devociones Mensuales en Español

- 1er sábado: Adoración Nocturna a las 8:00pm
- 1er sábado: Rosario después de misa de 6:00pm
- 2do sábado del mes: Hora Santa de La Divina Misericordia después de misa de 6pm.

THE LIVING WORD BIBLE STUDY

LIVESTREAM: Monday—Friday 10:00 am
Saturday 9:00 am

Facebook: St. John Paul II
- The Living Word Bible Study Kankakee
YouTube: The Living Word Bible Study Kankakee

IN PERSON: Tuesday 11:00 am—12:00 pm (John)
7:00 pm—8:00 pm (Hebrews)
PLACE: Conference Room

Seeking a Deeper Spiritual Life?

Prayerfully consider attending a Lay Carmelite Community meeting.

Join us any first Saturday of the month.
Our next meeting is on
Saturday, August 5, 2023 at 9:00 am
JP2 Conference Room
All are Welcome!!

More Info? Call/Text 815-592-1181 Theresa Doehring

Growing in Faith Together - GIFT -

Thank you to all who participated this season. May you have a blessed and refreshing summer. Keep growing in faith!

Next September - Chosen, Season 3

Rosary Making

Fabricación de Rosarios

Future dates/Fechas Futuras:
Mondays, July 17
Lunes, 17 de julio
5:30-7:00 pm

Saturday, July 22
Sábado, 22 de julio

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July 14 Fr. Alex Lorang

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Pope Francis

VOCATION PRAYER

God our Father, You made each of us to use our gifts in the Body of Christ. We ask that You inspire young people whom You call to priesthood and consecrated life to courageously follow Your will. Send workers into Your great harvest so that the Gospel is preached, the poor are served with love, the suffering are comforted, and Your people are strengthened by the sacraments. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

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The Relics of Padre Pio will be displayed for veneration at Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Naperville on Tuesday, July 11, 2023.

All are invited to venerate the relics from 9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. The relics will be displayed near the altar, with pews reserved for silent prayer and devotion. Recitation of the Holy Rosary and talks on the life and intercession of Padre Pio will occur throughout the day. Devotional items and books will also be available for purchase. The day will conclude with a special Mass in honor of Padre Pio at 7 p.m.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We are grateful to parish organizations supporting this event, including the Knights of Columbus, the Legion of Mary, the Parish Life committee, and others. Many volunteers are needed throughout the day; most shifts are one hour long. Volunteers may sign up for multiple shifts as time allows.

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We are actively seeking individuals who are interested in participating in the Program. To receive calls, you must be 60+, live in Grundy, Will, or Kankakee counties, and want to make a social connection over the phone.

To volunteer for the Telephone Reassurance Program, we ask volunteers to serve 3-6 hours a week. As a volunteer, you will receive pre-service orientation and training. All volunteers must pass federal and state background checks. You can volunteer from the comfort of your own home.

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The Servants of the Holy Heart of Mary are asking local parishes to help support this mission by donating items that Silvia and Art can take to Laredo.

The shelter has asked for the following items only:

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