

St. JOHN PAUL II

CATHOLIC PARISH



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WELCOME to the family

BIEVENIDO a la familia

**OUR FAMILY IS GROWING...
TO DATE
990 FAMILIES
HAVE REGISTERED**

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

St. John Paul II West

907 S. 9th Ave., Kankakee

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

CONFESIONS

St. John Paul II West

No Confessions during Holy Week

Na habrá confesiones en Semana Santa

PALM SUNDAY MARCH 25, 2018

PALM SUNDAY
HOSANNA IN THE HIGHEST

Hosanna!

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

Blessed is the kingdom of our father David that is to come!

Hosanna in the Highest!

¡Hosanna!

¡Bendito el que viene en nombre del Señor!

¡Ahí viene el bandito reino de nuestro padre David!

¡Hosanna en las alturas!

THE SACRIFICE, AND THE SPIRIT OF HOLY WEEK

This weekend, as we enter into the holiest week of the church with the blessing of palms, we are reminded of the greatest story of our salvation – that God died for us. If we do not do anything else during this Holy Week, may I ask, dear church, that we pause and think about that sacrifice of Jesus on the cross. He died for you and me, that the doors of heaven may be opened up, so we may take a journey together as His Church to be with Him forever. May I share these verses that I wrote in my personal reflection time:

I DIE FOR YOU

*This is how much I love you:
I die for you.
With thorns on my head
And stripes of blood on my back,
I die for you.
With spit, mud and tears on my face,
The cause of shame for sin,
I put on my holy face,
So I can die for you.
My hands and feet, nailed upon the
Beams of a criminal's cross,
Which I bore on my shoulders,
Embracing all the shame, until I feel
Alone, abandoned and thirsty for you:
I die for you.
I hang between heaven and earth
To my final breath, to die for you,
And if I have to do it again,
To win you over to me,
And let you realize that it is real,
And take you away from your misery,
Will you take my love and live in me?*

Whenever I think of sacrifice, I think of the people who made a decision to not think of themselves but think of the greater good that they can do for others. They are heroes who gave their time, their efforts, their gifts and their support to the cause of someone else's betterment.

I have been around many communities around the world, trying to understand people's way of thinking and people's cultures. I have known many stories of successful communities building themselves to success. I have noticed common threads in the stories of these successful communities throughout the world. In the stories of success, I discovered that the higher the rate of collective sacrifice, the higher the rate of success. But when people do not sacrifice for their community, the community begins to die. Isn't it true all the way down to the unit of family, where the success of a family depends of each family member's sacrifice for the success of the entire family. Is it also not true in the personal level, where one's success depends a lot on how much one is willing to sacrifice to achieve one's goals in life?

Jesus made the greatest sacrifice by dying on the cross for us. And so all of us can live, and His Kingdom triumphs to the end. During this holy week, I ask that we all take little sacrifices to pray together, to fast and abstain together, to listen to each other, and to do good and holy work together. God works in these details.

May the Lord bless and guide our holy week celebrations and liturgies, and may he bless our first Holy Week as Saint John Paul II Parish! Amen.

With devotion and prayers,
Fr. Sunny Castillo



EL SACRIFICIO Y EL ESPIRITU DE SEMANA SANTA

Esta semana, mientras entramos a la semana más santa de la iglesia con la bendición de las palmas, se nos recuerda de la historia más grandiosa de nuestra salvación – de que Dios murió por nosotros. Si no hacemos nada más durante esta Semana Santa, puedo pedir, querida iglesia que hagamos una pausa y pensemos acerca del sacrificio de Jesús en la cruz. El murió por tí y por mí, para que las puertas del cielo se abrieran, para que podamos tener una jornada junta como Su Iglesia para estar con Él por siempre. Puedo compartir estos versos que escribí en mi tiempo de reflexión personal:

*YO MUERO POR TI
Esto es cuanto te quiero:
Yo muero por ti.
Con espinas en mi cabeza
Y marcas de sangre en mi espalda,
Yo muero por ti.
Con escupidas, lodo y lágrimas en mi cara,
La causa de vergüenza por el pecado,
Pongo en mi Santa cara,
Para que pueda morir por ti.
Mis manos y mis pies, clavados en las
Vigas de la cruz de un criminal
Las cuales taladraron mis hombros,
Abrasando toda la culpa, hasta que me siento
Solo, abandonado y sediento de ti:
Yo muero por ti.
Estoy suspendido entre el cielo y la tierra
Hasta mi último aliento, para morir por ti,
Y si lo tengo que hacer nuevamente,
Para traerte hacia mí,
Para que te dé cuenta que es verdad,
Y quitarte de tu miseria,
Tu tomarias mi amor y vivirías en mí?*

Cuando pienso en el sacrificio, pienso en la gente quienes tomaron la decisión de no pensar en sí mismos pero en el grandioso bien que pueden hacer por otros. Son héroes que dieron su tiempo, sus esfuerzos, sus talentos y su apoyo a la causa del mejoramiento de alguien.

He estado en varias comunidades alrededor del mundo, tratando de entender la manera de pensar y cultura de las personas. He conocido muchas historias de comunidades triunfadoras construyéndose al éxito. Me he dado cuenta de los lazos comunes en las historias de estas comunidades exitosas en todo el mundo. En estas historias de éxito, descubrí que entre más alto el índice de sacrificio colectivo, más alto el índice de éxito. Pero cuando las personas no se sacrifican por su comunidad, la comunidad comienza a morir. Acaso no es verdad, desde abajo hasta la unidad de la familia, donde el triunfo de la familia depende del sacrificio de cada miembro para lograr el éxito de toda la familia? Además no es verdad en el nivel personal, donde el triunfo de uno depende mucho de cuanto uno está dispuesto a sacrificar para lograr su meta en la vida?

Jesús hizo el más grande sacrificio de morir por nosotros. Para que todos pudiéramos vivir y Su Reino triunfa hasta el final. Durante esta semana santa, pido que todos hagamos pequeños sacrificios rezar juntos, ayunar y abstenerse juntos, escucharse unos a otros, hacer cosas buenas y juntos hacer trabajo santo. Dios trabaja en estos detalles.

Que el Señor les bendiga y guie nuestra semana santa de celebraciones y liturgias y que bendiga nuestra primer Semana Santa como Iglesia de San Juan Pablo II! Amen.

Con devoción y oraciones,
Padre Sunny Castillo

Liturgical Schedule JPII West	Thursday/ Jueves March 29 6:00 pm Bilingual	Friday/ Viernes March 30 3:00 pm Bilingual	Saturday/ Sábado March 31 7:30 pm Bilingual	Sunday April 1 8:00 am	Sunday April 1 9:30 am
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	(Practice 4 pm) Need Volunteer Need Volunteer Isabel Velasco Kimberly Sanchez	(Practice 2 pm) Mike Wolfer Need Volunteer Erika Molina Denis Andrade	(Practice 11 am) Need Volunteer Need Volunteer Manuel Velasquez Katie Tetlanatzy	Riley Havener Zane Coy	Peyton Anderson Ayden Anderson
Lectors/ Lectores	Bev Stukenborg Spanish	Donna Worth Spanish	Dick Frey Kathy Dummer Spanish	1) Richard Hemza 2) Linda Kerness	1) Pat Hansen 2) Kathy Dummer
Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	Diane Sheehan Bob Thrasher Spanish Spanish Spanish	Deacon Jesús Deacon David Spanish Spanish Spanish	Deb Groth Lori Ciaccio Spanish Spanish	* Ann Wheeler Rosemary Ciaccio Dena Coy Bev Kohan	* Paul Gerth * Jane Gerth Jan Rodgers Sister Magdalena Fran Powers Dolores O'Connor
Ushers Ujieres	Mickey Kreissler Sharon Jackson Spanish Spanish	Annie Syrstad Need Volunteer Spanish Spanish	Bob Pfieffer Need Volunteer Spanish Spanish	* Steve Coy Maureen Kambic Kathy Bessette Deb Leach	* John Rodgers Dave Denault Mickey Kreissler Tom Martin
Welcoming/ Greeters	Janice Shenk Need Volunteer Spanish	David Stejkowski Julie Busken Spanish	Isidoro Fernandez Need Volunteer Spanish	Sandy Kuntz Julie Azzarelli	Kevin Clocksin Sonda Clocksin Janice Shenk

THIS WEEK DAILY MASS MINISTERS: Mar. 26-28 LECTOR: George Arocha Extraordinary Ministers: Arnie Joubert, Sr. Krystyna
NEXT WEEK DAILY MASS MINISTERS: Apr. 2-6 LECTOR: Desiree Grant Extraordinary Ministers: Fran Powers, Sr. Teresa

Liturgical Schedule JPII West	Sunday April 1 11:30 am	Liturgical Schedule JPII East	Sunday/Domingo April 1 10:00 am	Liturgical Schedule JPII East	Sunday/Domingo April 1 12:00 pm
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Jessica Perez Joselyn Perez Danielle Lockwood	Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Isabel Velasco Kimberly Sanchez Melany Perez Edwin Perez	Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Albert Valladarez Brian Garcia Chris Garcia(2) Cassandra Valtierra
Lectors/ Lectores	George Arocha Cynthia Somerville	Lectors/ Lectores	Teresa Lopez Karina Toledo Norma Sanchez	Lectors/ Lectores	Jorge Flores Nancy Benitez Irma Reyes
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Welcoming/ Greeters	Isidoro Fernandez Family	Welcoming/ Greeters	Maria Toledo Jose Toledo	Welcoming/ Greeters	Guadalupe Mendez Gabriel Mendez

NO 5:00 PM MASS ON EASTER SUNDAY

St. John Paul II Staff Directory

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Friday 9 am–1 pm

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you need a priest please
call the parish office, 815-933-7683 and PRESS #

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

March 24, 2018

4:30 p.m. † Bonnie Lynch (*Bartle Azzarelli Family*)
† Kristen Lee Martin (*Betty Azzarelli*)

6:00 p.m. † Minardo Cerna (*Teresa Cerna*)
† Enedina Serna
† Salud Javier Sanchez

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

March 26, 2018

7:30 a.m. † Joseph & Rita O'Brien (*Bequest*)

March 27, 2018

7:30 a.m. † Velma Allen (*Cheryl Heldt*)
† Ruth Lochner (*George & Gloria Lochner*)

6:00 p.m. † Pedro Sanchez (*Maria Sanchez*)

March 28, 2018

7:30 a.m. † Judi Buchholz (*Ray Powroznik*)

March 29, 2018 Holy Thursday

6:00 p.m. For All Priests, Deacons, and Religious
who have served our parish

March 30, 2018 Good Friday

6:00 p.m. No Intentions

March 31, 2018 Easter Vigil

7:30 p.m. † Bill Rooney (*Mary & Catherine*)

April 1, 2018

8:00 a.m. † Lyle Arends (*Family*)
† Flora Neveau (*Ron & Pat Dressler*)

9:30 a.m. † Ron O'Connell (*Bob Pfieffer*)

† Dennis Brady (*Betty Azzarelli*)

10:00 a.m. Javier Sanchez (*Maria Sanchez*)

11:30 a.m. † James Kresl (*Katie Kresl*)
† Jeanne Hansen (*Ron, Pat, & Gunnar Hansen*)

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

5:00 p.m. NO MASS

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

Bautismo

Llame a la oficina parroquial por lo menos dos meses antes.
Para curso pre-bautismal y requisitos.

Bodas:

La preparación comienza seis meses antes. Llame a la oficina parroquial para confirmar la fecha antes de finalizar otros planes de su boda.

No Saturday Confessions on

Saturday, March 31

No habrá Confesiones el
Sábado, 31 de Marzo



Prayer Line Information

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

Bev Stukenborg 815-304-5956 or 932-7411

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The Family of St. John Paul II
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May their souls and all the
souls of the faithful departed
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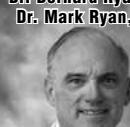
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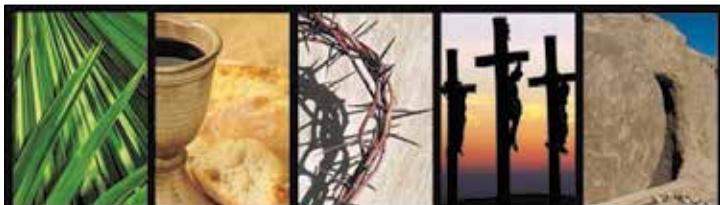
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HOLY WEEK

Tuesday, March 27
7:00 pm The 7 Last Words of Christ

JP2 West

Wednesday, March 28
7:00 pm Tenebrae Service

JP2 West

TRIDUUM

Holy Thursday, March 29
6:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper: Bilingual

JP2 West

7:00 pm Eucharistic Vigil Settles Center

Good Friday, March 30
12:00 noon Youth Stations of the Cross
3:00 pm Veneration of the Cross: Bilingual
6:00 pm Living Stations (Español)

JP2 West

Holy Saturday, March 31
12:00 noon Blessing of Easter Baskets
7:30 pm Easter Vigil & Reception: Bilingual

JP2 West

Easter Sunday Masses, April 1
8:00 am English JP2 West
9:30 am English
11:30 am English

10:00 am Spanish JP2 East
12:00 pm Spanish

SEMANA SANTA

Martes, 27 de marzo
7:00 pm Las 7 últimas palabras de Cristo

JP2 Oeste

Miércoles, 28 de marzo
7:00 pm Servicio de Tenebrae

JP2 Oeste

TRIDUO PASCUAL

Jueves Santo, 29 de marzo
6:00 pm Misa de la Ultima Cena del Señor: Bilingüe
7:00 pm Vigilia Eucarística Settles Center

JP2 Oeste

Viernes Santo, 30 de marzo
12:00 Mediodía Via Crucis Juvenil (Ingles)
3:00 pm Veneración de la Cruz: Bilingüe
5:00 pm Via Crucis Viviente y Veneración

JP2 Oeste

Sábado de Gloria, 31 de marzo
12:00 Mediodía Bendición de canastas de Pascua
7:30 pm Vigilia Pascual y Recepción: Bilingüe

JP2 Oeste

Domingo de Resurrección, 1 de abril
8:00 am Ingles JP2 Oeste
9:30 am Ingles
11:30 pm Ingles

10:00 am Español JP2 Este
12:00 pm Español



Lord, we pray for all who are preparing to celebrate the Easter sacraments, that they may enter more deeply into the mystery of God's unconditional love through the celebrations of Holy Week.
Lord, hear our prayer.

Hosanna To The King of Kings

Kaitlyn Chiero, Bailey Conrad, Daniel Del Rio, Marco Antonio Luna Sanchez, Jose Manuel Velasquez

Rende Langlois will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation at the Cathedral in Joliet on Sunday, April 15



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Please consider spending at least one hour at the Eucharistic Vigil in silent prayer held in Settles Center on Thursday, March 29 from 7-12 pm. Sign up sheets are in the church or you can call the parish office to sign up.

Por favor, considere pasar por lo menos una hora en la Vigilia Eucarística en oración silenciosa celebrado en Settles Center el jueves 29 de marzo de 7 a 12 p. m. Anote en las listas que están en la iglesia o llame a la oficina.



GOOD FRIDAY

Visit the Shrine of Christ's Passion
St. John, Indiana
Friday, March 30
Bus leaves Settles Center at 8:00 am
Call Ken or Michelle Barrie for more information
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JP2 IS GROWING...

With over 30 ministries in our parish, there is always something going on!! Our building space/rooms are filled up with groups each night!!

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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

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

Liturgical Schedule JPII West	Martes April 3 6:00 pm
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Katia Tetlanatzky Manuel Velazquez
Lectors/ Lectores	Ismael Lara Teresa Lopez
Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	
Ushers Ujieres	Sandra Diaz Aide Palma
Welcoming/ Greeters	Gustavo Flores

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**Sábado 31 de marzo
11 am– 1 pm**

San Juan Pablo II Oeste



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- a través de su último semestre
- Prueba de inscripción en un programa educativo

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

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Faith Formation March 26-30

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
FFP Classes

No FFP Classes

Tuesday, March 27

Fatima Rosary

Tuesday, March 27

Living Word Bible Study

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Wednesday, March 28

Growing in Faith Together

No GIFT this week

For Bible Study info call:

Jacob Levy 815-474-2312

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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

8:00 pm – 5:00 am Nocturnal Adoration



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2do Sábado del mes/Second Saturday of the month

7-9 pm @ St. John Paul II West

LLame/Call Maria Toledo

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St. John Paul II Words of Wisdom Book Club

WHEN: Friday, April 13 6:00 pm

BOOK FOR THE MONTH:

Return of the Prodigal Son – Henri Nouwen

WHERE: St. John Paul II Family Center, 907 S. Ninth St.

Please contact Laurie Mau at 815-953-8921 for questions



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Friday, April 6

7:00 pm

Maternity BVM Parish

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March 25, 2018


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Catechism of the Catholic Church, 1931

“El respeto a la persona humana procede en respetar este principio: ‘Que cada uno, sin ninguna excepción, debe considerar al próximo (sin excepción) como “otro yo”, cuidando, en primer lugar, de su vida y de los medios necesarios para vivirla dignamente’.

Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica, 1931



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HOLY WEEK & EASTER

Monday, March 26

Isaiah 42:1-7

John 12:1-11

Tuesday, March 27

Isaiah 49:1-6

John 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday, March 28

Isaiah 50:4-9a

Matthew 26:14-25

Thursday, March 29 (Holy Thursday)

Exodus 12:1-8, 11-14

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

John 13:1-15

Friday, March 30 (Good Friday)

Isaiah 52:13-53:12

Hebrews 4:14-16, 5:7-9

John 18:1-19:42

Saturday, March 31 (Easter Vigil)

Genesis 1:1-2:2

Genesis 2:1-18

Exodus 14:15-15:1

Isaiah 54:5-14

Romans 6:3-11

Mark 16:1-7

Sunday, April 1 (Easter Sunday)

Acts 10:34a, 37-43

Colossians 3:1-4

John 20:1-9

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Please join us, all are welcome!!
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St. John Paul II
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