

St. JOHN PAUL II CATHOLIC PARISH

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WELCOME to the family

BIENVENIDO a la familia

OUR FAMILY IS GROWING...

**TO DATE
1095 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

1:00 pm (Español)

5:00 pm

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

St. John Paul II West

Monday thru Friday

7:30 am

Martes/Tuesday

6:00 pm (Español)

Saturday

8:00 am

CONFESSIONS

St. John Paul II West

Saturday 3:30 pm or by appointment

3:30 pm los sábados o por cita

St. John Paul II East

St. Teresa Church

307 N. St. Joseph Ave., Kankakee

St. John Paul II Central

St. Rose of Lima Church

486 W. Merchant St., Kankakee

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SEPTEMBER 2, 2018

GOD IS
CONCERNED
WITH
THE
STATE
OF OUR
HEART

“THIS PEOPLE HONORS ME WITH THEIR LIPS,
BUT THEIR HEARTS ARE FAR FROM ME...”

MARK 7:6

“ESTE PUEBLO ME HONRA CON LOS LABIOS,
PERO SU CORAZÓN ESTÁ LEJOS DE MÍ...”

MARCOS 7:6

BACK TO SCHOOL THOUGHTS



PENSAMIENTOS DE REGRESO A CLASE

As I hear, our children have all begun the school year, and everyone is pretty much in full swing at this point. During this time of the year, I also hear many parents expressing their anxiety about their children leaving home and going to college, especially those who are having this experience for the first time. It can be very emotional indeed, and equally nostalgic. Even as an uncle to my nephews, I sometimes just sigh in amazement thinking how quickly time has flown that the little boys that I used to take to Chuckie Cheese are now grown-ups, one with a full-time job with an airline company, one in college, and one finishing high school.

The young ones going back to school usually have a sense of excitement but also some level of anxiety about what the new school year would bring. They are anxious about their new teachers, the challenging subjects that they need to at least pass, and the new friends and peers that they will meet. My prayer for our children is that they will find every opportunity to grow not only in knowledge, but even more importantly, in their appreciation of their worth as human beings. Our children need to have a consistently positive message of self-respect and self-empowerment. They need to have the confidence to set goals for their lives, not to settle for mediocrity nor simply being OK. They need to be encouraged to aim for personal excellence in all facets of their lives. This is my prayer for our children – to be the best that they can be, through the help of their family, the community, the church and their schools and peers!

My prayer for all the parents is that they may never tire in providing a healthy environment for their children. Parenting is never easy, but a lot of the investment in the lives of these children is really about simply being there for them, being able to have some quality family time, and have a mutually respectful relationship. There are so many things that distract our homes these days, including social media, our “created needs” and our real needs, various extra-curricular activities that take so much time yet produce very little in the formation of the young into well-rounded individuals. My hope and prayer is that parents become wiser in deciding how to really support the dreams and needs of their children, and most importantly, to take seriously their role in raising their children in loving God and others.

Here at St. John Paul II Parish, we constantly endeavor to provide a healthy and safe environment for the children and the young. Beginning from the clergy and religious, to the staff and parish leaders, all the way down to the individual families and volunteers that are part of our parish family, we are always looking for ways to create an holy, happy and healthy environment where they can grow to be the people that God has dreamed for them, when they were conceived in the womb.

May God continue to bless our schools, the teachers and faculty, as well as the students, in this new school year. May God bless our Church, that our children may encounter the Lord in a profound way, through us.

BLESSED, CALLED AND GUIDED,
Fr. Sunny Castillo

Escuché que nuestros niños comenzaron el año escolar y a este punto todos están en pleno apogeo. Durante este tiempo del año, también escucho a los padres expresando su ansiedad acerca de sus hijos yéndose de casa al colegio, especialmente los que están teniendo esta experiencia por primera vez. En verdad puede ser muy emocional e igualmente nostálgico. Incluso como tío de mis sobrinos, algunas veces supero con asombro pensando que rápido vuela el tiempo y esos niños que llevaba a Chuckie Cheese son ahora adultos jóvenes, uno con trabajo de tiempo completo en una aerolínea, uno en el colegio y uno terminando la secundaria.

Los jovencitos regresando a clase usualmente tienen un sentido de emoción pero también un nivel de ansiedad acerca de lo que traerá el nuevo año escolar. Están ansiosos de sus nuevos maestros, las desafiantes materias que por lo menos deben pasar, los nuevos amigos y compañeros que conocerán. Mi oración por nuestros niños es que encuentren cada oportunidad de crecer no solo en conocimiento, pero aún mas importante en la apreciación de su valor como seres humanos. Nuestros niños necesitan tener un mensaje positivo constantemente del respeto y empoderamiento propio. Ellos necesitan tener la seguridad de establecer metas para sus vidas y que no se conformen con la mediocridad o simplemente con estar BIEN. Ellos deben de ser motivados a aspirar a la excelencia en todas las facetas de sus vidas. Esta es mi oración para los niños - que sean lo mejor que puedan ser, con la ayuda de su familia, la comunidad, la iglesia y sus compañeros de escuela!

Mi oración para los padres es de que nunca se cansen en proveer un ambiente saludable para sus hijos. Ser padres nunca es fácil, pero mucha de la inversión en la vida de estos niños es en realidad de simplemente estar allí para ellos, tener calidad de tiempo con la familia y tener una relación respetuosa mutua. Hay tantas cosas que nos distraen en nuestros hogares en estos días, incluyendo las redes sociales, nuestras “necesidades creadas” y nuestras verdaderas necesidades, varias actividades extra curriculares que toman tanto tiempo y producen muy poco en la formación de los jóvenes en personas de bien. Mi esperanza y oraciones es que los padres sean mas sabios para decidir como apoyar los sueños y necesidades de sus hijos y mas importante, tomar seriamente su papel de criar a sus hijos en amar a Dios y a los demás.

Aquí en San Juan Pablo II, constantemente nos esforzamos en proveer un ambiente seguro y saludable para los niños y los jóvenes. Empezando por los clérigos y religiosas hasta el equipo de oficina y lideres parroquiales, hasta las familias individuales y voluntarios que son parte de nuestra familia parroquial siempre estamos buscando la forma de crear un ambiente santo, feliz y saludable donde puedan crecer a ser las personas que Dios ha soñado, cuando fueron concebidas en el vientre.

Que Dios continúe bendiciendo nuestras escuelas, maestros y facultades al igual que a los estudiantes en este nuevo año escolar. Que Dios bendiga nuestra Iglesia, que nuestros niños encuentren al Señor de una manera profunda, atreves de nosotros.

BENDECIDO, LLAMADO Y GUIADO,
Padre Sunny Castillo

Liturgical Schedule JDII West	Saturday September 8 4:30 pm	Saturday/Sábado September 8 6:00 pm	Sunday September 9 8:00 am	Sunday September 9 9:30 am	Sunday September 9 11:30 am
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Paula Muhlstadt	Sabrina Prado Erika Molina Isabel Velasco	Riley Havener	Edwin Perez Melanie Perez	Zahid Medina Adrian Molina Joseph Butzen
Lectors/ Lectores	1) Cheryl Walsh 2) Cindy McBarnes	Maria Toledo Serafin Lopez Karina Toledo	1) Linda Kerness 2) Ann Wheeler	1) Jane Gerth 2) Paul Gerth	1) Jacob Levy 2) Darby Thomas
Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	*Mary Causer Need Volunteer Tracy Douglas Sue Dytkeiwicz	Eloisa Ayala Luis Ayala Juana Ayala Miguel Sanchez Vicente Andrade	* Irene Granger Dena Coy Diane Goodwin Julie Yarno	* Delynn Geistwhite * Laura Shellie * Sister Krystyna Teri O'Connor Kathy Dummer Sr. Magdalena	* Pedro Gonzales Rosa Gonzales Carolyn Levy Sandy Girard
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Welcoming/ Bienvenida	Ryan Carter Laura Carter	Angelica Maria	Ushers please Welcome/Greet	Chris Smith Caron Burgess Kathy Griffiths	Cindy Nichols Marc Nichols

Weekday Ministers:

Sept. 3-7 Daily Mass : Lector: George Arocha Comm. Ministers: Sister Magdalena, Sister Krystyna Altar Server: Rende Langlois
 Sept. 10-14 Daily Mass : Lector: Ann Wheeler Comm. Ministers: Mickey Kreissler, Rosemary Ciaccio Altar Server: Sharon Jackson
 Linens: Sept. 2/9: Tracy Douglas Sept. 16/23: Pam Bierbaum Sept. 30/Oct. 7: Bev Stukenborg
 Oct. 14/21: Diane Devine Oct. 28/Nov. 4: Dena Coy

Liturgical Schedule JDII West	Sunday/Domingo September 9 1:00 pm	Liturgical Schedule JDII West	Sunday September 9 5:00 pm	Liturgical Schedule JDII West	Tuesday/Martes September 11 6:00 pm
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Yael Calderon Damian Jaimes Jose Mercado	Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Ashanti Quezada	Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Martha Andrade Hermony Luna
Lectors/ Lectores	Irma Reyes Maria Trinidad Garcia Rogelio Benitez	Lectors/ Lectores	Tatia Godin	Lectors/ Lectores	Veronica Santoyo Patricia Martinez
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Ushers Ujieres	Yoana Hernandez Maria Mendez Eli Diaz	Ushers Ujieres	Bob Thrasher Victor Rosales	Ushers Ujieres	Eloisa Ayala Virginia Ayala
Welcoming/ Bienvenida	San Juana Valadez	Welcoming/ Bienvenida	Rosales Family	Welcoming/ Bienvenida	

St. John Paul II Directory

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Mon.—Thurs. 9 am—4 pm Fri. 9 am—1 pm

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday

8:00 a.m.

September 1, 2018

† Bill Powers (*John & Sandy Rooney*)

4:30 p.m.

Allison Perez (*Fernandez Family*)

† Roger Francoeur (*Nancy & Bud Birr*)

6:00 p.m.

For All The People of St. John Paul II Parish

Sunday

8:00 a.m.

September 2, 2018

Cathi Willi (*Parish Family*)

9:30 a.m.

† Kathy Petrucci (*Marc & DeeDee McCartney*)

† Angela Alson (*LaVonne Linneman*)

11:30 a.m.

† James Kresl (*Katie Kresl*)

† Richard Ortman (*Bob & Zondra Cross*)

1:00 p.m.

† Isabel Carmona (*Dolores Pizano*)

5:00 p.m.

† Jackie Esser (*Gene & Nancy Ryan*)

† Joseph & Marion Ader (*Family & Friends*)

Monday

9:00 a.m.

September 3, 2018 Labor Day

† Harry LaMontagne (*Betty Azzarelli*)

Sally Sippel (*Bernice Bukosky*)

Tuesday

7:30 a.m.

September 4, 2018

† Bonnie Lynch (*Bartle Azzarelli Family*)

† Eleanor Leriger (*Jane McLin & Family*)

6:00 p.m.

† Bill Powers (*Mary Schott & Family*)

Wednesday

7:30 a.m.

September 5, 2018

† Richard Ortman (*Cheryl Heldt*)

Thursday

7:30 a.m.

September 6, 2018

† Bill Powers (*Dave & Dawn Tutt*)

Friday

7:30 a.m.

September 7, 2018

† Phil Czernik (*Betty Azzarelli*)

Saturday

8:00 a.m.

September 8, 2018

Deacon Rocco Busato (*Parish Family*)

4:30 p.m.

† Judi Buchholz (*Ray Powroznik*)

Sally Sippel (*Bernice Bukosky*)

6:00 p.m.

† Josefina Bolivar (*Rosa Bolivar*)

Sunday

8:00 a.m.

September 9, 2018

† Howard & Marge Nelson (*Steve & Dena Coy*)

† Wayne Boudreau (*Joyce Raspolich*)

9:30 a.m.

† Judy Kohl (*Family*)

† Bob Vaughn (*Cheryl Walsh*)

11:30 a.m.

For All The People of St. John Paul II Parish

1:00 p.m.

† Eileen Buckley (*Mr & Mrs Joseph Franco*)

5:00 p.m.

† Ernadell Hendricks (*Leslie Morriral*)

† Lyle Arends (*Family*)

SACRAMENTS

SACRAMENT PROCEDURES

Baptism:

Call the parish office for Pre-Baptismal requirements and scheduling. Baptism classes are on the 3rd Weds. of the month, 6:00 pm.

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.

Confessions / Confesiones
Saturday 3:30 pm or by appointment
3:30 pm los Sábados o por cita



Prayer Line Information

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

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

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



Sanctuary Candle

The candle in the sanctuary at JP2 West is burning for **Lucille Sorensen**

Requested by Marilyn McDermott



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

Bonnie Gregg, Dolores Ruder, 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, 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, Humberto Lopez, Alberta Blanchette, Ted Bergeron, Judy Swanson, Rosalyn Szymborski, Gino Taylor, Terry Schoondermark, Kathryn Martini, Mark Simmons, Davine Peterson, Carol Sprimont, Zoey Arseneau, Joe Swanson, Mary Clocksin, Carl Brandon, Fred Andrews, Bruno Papineau, Sandra Longtin, Deborah Jensen, Mack Burnett, Paul Marczak, Shirley Africano, Bernie O'Malley, Edwin Fritz, Harry Martin, Maureen Dubuque, Francis Gianotti, Jane Gerth

Homebound & Nursing Home Parishioners

HOMEBOUND: Francis Boudreau, Bert White II, Bernadette Denault, Barbara Ciaccio, Rose Kaminsky, Rich Bergan, Therese Gleeson, Florian & Thrasilla Janczak

ASBURY SUPPORTIVE LIVING: Rosalyn Szymborski

CITADEL CARE CENTER: Rose Leppert, Rose Mary Ciaccio

LUTHER PLACE: Leola Mulvihill

OUR LADY OF ANGELS: Rev. Lloyd Bowden

PRESENCE HERITAGE Lodge: Dick Keethers, Theresa Fisher, Frank Hart, Joyce Mayo, John Hagan

Village: Virginia Gaines

RIVER NORTH: Ted Wheeler

RIVERSIDE SENIOR LIFE MEMORY CARE:

Miller:

Butterfield Court: Dorothy Kanosky, Rita Morris, Colette Cheffer

Westwood Oaks: Lorraine Whittington, Eileen Dupuis

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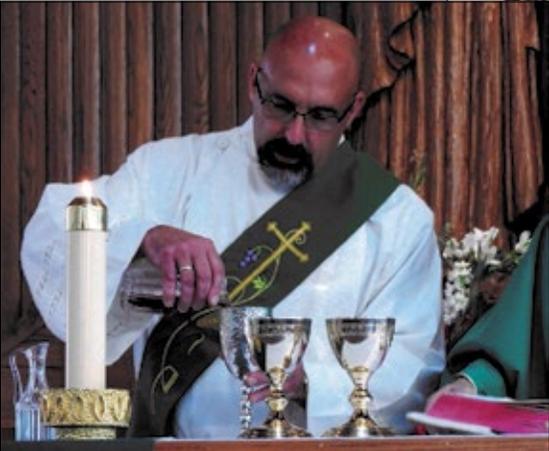
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CONGRATULATIONS AND GOD BLESS YOU DEACON ROCCO
ST. JOHN PAUL II is blessed to have you and Judy as new members of our family!!



Family and friends were present to witness his first mass as a Deacon and join with the parish for a celebration.



Wife, Judy, surprised him with a special song.

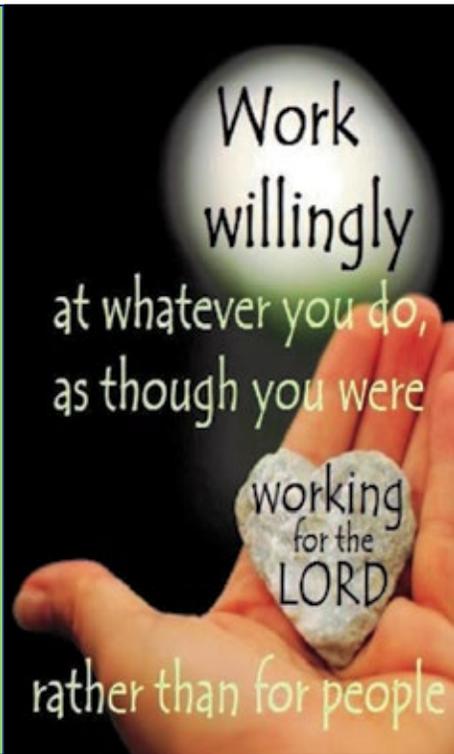


Labor Day Mass

Monday,
September 3
9:00 am

The parish office will be closed and normal Monday night ministries will not be held.

Have a Safe and Blessed Labor Day Holiday



Thank you to the

St. John Paul II CCW

for funding the installation of the chair lift to reach the Family Center. It has already been used several times in the past weekends for celebrations down there. Without it, some would not be able to participate.

Sister Mary enjoyed taking the first ride!!



JEFF CHIERO
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En caso de Muerte o emergencia de muerte y necesita a un sacerdote, por favor llame a la oficina, 815-933-7683 y oprima #.



FAITH FORMATION

MENSAJE IMPORTANTE

Clases de Religión

Último día para registrarse

15/09/2018 5 p.m. - 7 p.m.

En el Settles Center (Gym)



¡¡Bienvenido!! Si es nuevo en nuestra parroquia y aún no se ha registrado, busque los formularios de registro en el lobby, puede llamar o pasar por la oficina de la parroquia.

815-933-7683



Día de la Independencia Baile

Sábado, 15 de septiembre

7-12pm

San Juan Pablo II Settles Center

Adultos mayores de 21 años

Más detalles próximamente



La familia de San Juan Pablo II Da la Bienvenida !!

A LOS NUEVOS NIÑOS DE DIOS

BAUTIZADOS EN 25 AGOSTO

Sophia Nayeli Dominguez

Jesus Agustin Dominguez

Itzayana Barrera

Emiliana Naomi Rivera

Christopher Zurita



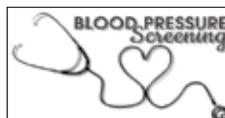
Las Asociadas de Notre Dame, encabezadas por la Hermana Mary, le invitan a formar parte del Ministerio del Manto de Oración.

Se trata de hacer oración mientras se tejen cobijas y chales para las personas enfermas, se estarán reuniendo:

Los viernes de 10:00 a 11:00 am

las personas interesadas pueden llamar a la oficina para más información. 815-933-7683

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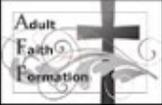


Examen de Presión Sanguínea Domingo, 16 Septiembre

Después de la misa de 8:00, entre las 10:30-11:30 am y también, después de la misa de la 1:00 pm.

DISCIPLESHIP AND EVANGELIZATION

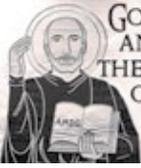
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Oficina de Formación de Fe:	Diana Lopez	815-932-7911	
RCIA (Convert Preparation):	Donna Worth	815-933-7683 ext. 403	dworth@jp2kankakee.org



Faith Formation
Week of September 4 - 6

Tuesday, Sept. 4 10:00 am
Fatima Novena – Pray the Rosary

Tuesday, Sept. 4 Conference Rm. 11:00 am & 7:00 pm
Living Word Bible Study



Lord, Teach Me to Pray is a three-part Ignatian prayer series developed to meet the desire for on-going spiritual growth; for an appropriate response to the call to holiness; and for a deeper commitment to Jesus Christ as Lord. In facilitated faith-sharing prayer communities,

the Lord, himself, teaches you to pray.

Part 1: Praying Christian Virtues - Praying Christian Virtues will introduce you to the meditative and contemplative way of prayer devised by St. Ignatius of Loyola, enabling you to further develop your prayer life. This 12 week program is facilitated in a group setting, meets for 2 hours once a week, and requires fifteen minutes of daily prayer on assigned scriptures. There will be separate group meetings for man and women. (No prerequisites)

INFORMATION NIGHT

Date: Thursday 9/06/18

Time: 6:30 PM

St. John Paul II Conference Room

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament



St. John Paul II West

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

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



Growing in Faith Together (GIFT) 2018-2019

Where: St. John Paul II Conference Rm.

When: September 12 6:30-8:00 pm

This fall's DVD Study Series:

The Bible and the Virgin Mary

Based on material by Scott Hahn

Presented by Matthew Leonard

Come join us to learn about the faith!

Questions? Contact Laurie Mau, 815-933-8859 or the parish office



St. John Paul II Faith Formation Program

Last Day to Register
Saturday, 9/15/18 5-7 pm
Settles Center (gym)

"Hour of Power" Prayer Group EVERY Saturday Morning

West Campus at 9am
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Our Shepherd's Clothing Closet

"I was naked and you clothed me"
Matthew 25:36

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of *Our Shepherd's Clothing Closet* is to provide clean, gently used clothing to financially challenged individuals and families in our community. In the spirit of God's love, we seek to care for others in a non-judgmental environment where people in difficult circumstances can obtain basic necessities and preserve their dignity.

PURPOSE

Our Shepherd's Clothing Closet is a volunteer agency that is directed and operated as an extension of St. John Paul, II. Those who visit and use our clothing closet are our neighbors and friends: people with disabilities, seniors, low income families, the homeless, families who have lost their homes due to a natural disaster, and families who have lost their jobs.

CLOTHING

Initially, in order to open the clothing pantry this year, it will need to depend on donations from St. John Paul II parishioners for fall and winter clothes.

CLOTHING DROP-OFF

**OUR SHEPHERDS CLOTHING CLOSET
WILL BE LOCATED AT
361 N. St Joseph Ave., Kankakee**

Initially, until the clothing closet is open, parishioners can drop off clothes at the church. Once *Our Shepherd's Clothing Closet* is fully operational "drop off" times will be set for dropping off clothes at the facility.



Kankakee Catholic Food Pantry

341 N. St. Joseph Ave. Kankakee

Friday/Viernes—September 7
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.



Join us for a Prayer Breakfast

**Thursday, September 6, 2018
9:00 to 10:30 am**

Sponsored by Servants of the Holy Heart of Mary
Topic: Ministry Work and Immigration Issues

Presenter: Fr. Ray Lescher

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DAILY MASS READINGS

Monday, September 3 (St. George the Great)

1 Corinthians 2:1-5
Luke 4:16-30

Tuesday, September 4

1 Corinthians 2:10b-16
Luke 4:31-37

Wednesday, September 5 (St. Teresa of Calcutta)

1 Corinthians 3:1-9
Luke 4:38-44

Thursday, September 6

1 Corinthians 3:18-23
Luke 5:1-11

Friday, September 7

1 Corinthians 4:1-5
Luke 5:33-39

Saturday, Sept. 8 (The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary)

Micah 1-4a
Matthew 1:1-16, 18-23

Sunday, September 9 (23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Isaiah 35:4-7a
James 2:1-5
Mark 7:31-37



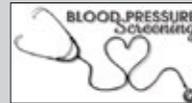
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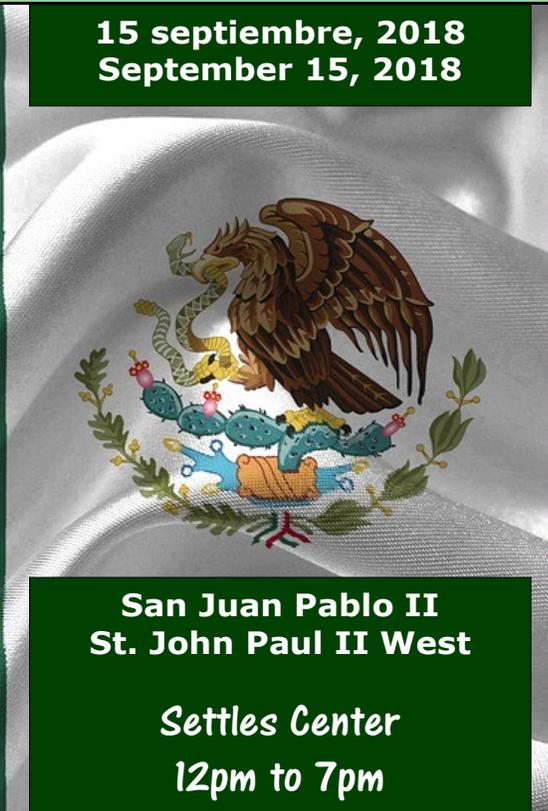
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