

St. JOHN PAUL II CATHOLIC PARISH

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

WELCOME to the family ~ BIENVENIDO a la familia

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time - June 16, 2024

Prayer to St. Joseph

St. Joseph, guardian of Jesus and chaste husband of Mary. Kindly protect those who trustingly come to you. You know their aspirations, their hardships, their hopes. They look to you because they know you will understand and protect them. You too knew trial, labor and weariness. Assure them that they do not labor alone. Teach them to find Jesus near them and to watch over Him faithfully as you have done.
Amen.

Happy Father's Day! *¡Feliz Día del Padre!*

Oración a San José

San José, guardián de Jesús y casto esposo de María. Protege a los que confiados acuden a ti. Tú conoces sus aspiraciones, sus dificultades, sus esperanzas. Te buscan porque saben que los comprenderás y los protegerás. Tú también conociste la prueba, el trabajo y el cansancio. Asegúrales que no trabajan solos. Enséñales a encontrar a Jesús cerca de ellos y a velar fielmente por Él como tú lo has hecho.
Amén.



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Happy Father's Day! On this eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time, let me begin this letter with a question: what pleases God? In the second reading, St. Paul says, "Therefore, we aspire to please him, whether we are at home or away" (2 Cor. 5:9). What makes God happy? How do we please Him? We are often concerned about not making God mad, but do we think about what makes God happy? A couple of weeks ago, I found myself overjoyed at the sight of so many people and groups of people working together and coming together to praise our Lord in the Corpus Christi procession. It was beautiful. As our bishop joined us to celebrate the Holy Eucharist, our Lord brought so many people together. It was like a symphony: so many instruments in one chorus of praise. It reminded me of how proud a coach feels when the team works together or, more appropriately, how happy a parent is when the family is together in love and harmony. Our Lord desires for us to be together and to walk together by faith. On Holy Thursday, the night before Jesus died for us, He prayed to the Father, "And now I will no longer be in the world, but they are in the world, while I am coming to you. Holy Father, keep them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one just as we are" (Jn. 17:11). It is no coincidence that on that same evening, Jesus gave us the Eucharist, the sacrament of His Body and Blood. The most perfect act of love on the cross, the gift of His Body and Blood for the salvation of the world, which is more powerful than death itself, is extended to us in every Mass and brings us together and nourishes us. Our union is found in the love of Christ. So, we want to respond by coming together in the Mass, living in union with God, and walking together in faith, hope, and love.

Unity is not abstract. St. Ignatius of Antioch, a disciple of St. John the Apostle, was the bishop of Antioch and was martyred in the early second century. In his letters, he spoke of the importance of maintaining unity around the altar of the Lord and in harmony with the bishop. Our bishop is returning to Kankakee on Saturday, June 22nd, to celebrate Mass at 4 p.m. at Bishop McNamara High School in celebration of the 75th anniversary of the Diocese of Joliet. He celebrated the anniversary Mass at the cathedral on the actual anniversary last December, but he has expressed a desire to come to us and celebrate with the people of the diocese. He has chosen to celebrate three regional Masses, the first being here in Kankakee. Since the bishop is coming to us, it is important for us to be one with him in gratitude, prayer, and celebration. Confessions and Masses will be cancelled that Saturday evening so that the priests may concelebrate the Mass and to encourage you to attend. Even if you normally attend Mass on Sunday, I encourage you to join us for the Mass. Afterward, there will be food trucks and a social. Let us celebrate the anniversary together in the Lord and in prayer.

Know of my prayers for you. Please continue to pray for me and one another.

In Christ,
Fr. Matt



Queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo,

¡Feliz Día del Padre! Hoy, en este 11° domingo en Tiempo Ordinario, quiero comenzar con una pregunta: ¿Qué le agrada a Dios? En la segunda lectura, San Pablo dice: "Por eso procuramos agradarle, en el destierro o en la patria" (2 Cor. 5:9). ¿Qué hace feliz a Dios? ¿Cómo le agradamos? Muchas veces nos preocupamos por no hacer enojar a Dios, pero ¿pensamos qué hace feliz a Dios? Hace dos semanas, me sentí muy feliz al ver a tantas personas y grupos trabajando juntos y uniéndose para alabar a nuestro Señor en la procesión de Corpus Christi. Fue hermoso. Cuando nuestro obispo se unió a nosotros para celebrar la Sagrada Eucaristía, nuestro Señor reunió a tanta gente. Era como una sinfonía: tantos instrumentos en un coro de alabanza. Me recordó lo orgulloso que se siente un entrenador cuando el equipo trabaja en conjunto o, más apropiadamente, lo feliz que se siente un padre cuando la familia está unida en amor y armonía. Nuestro Señor desea que estemos juntos y caminemos juntos por fe.

El Jueves Santo, la noche antes de que Jesús muriera por nosotros, oró al Padre: "Yo ya no estoy más en el mundo, pero ellos se quedan en el mundo, mientras yo vuelvo a ti. Padre Santo, guárdalos en ese Nombre tuyo que a mí me diste, para que sean uno como nosotros" (Jn. 17,11). No es coincidencia que esa misma tarde Jesús nos diera la Eucaristía, el sacramento de Su Cuerpo y Sangre. El acto de amor más perfecto en la cruz, el don de Su Cuerpo y de Su Sangre para la salvación del mundo, que es más poderoso que la misma muerte, se nos extiende en cada misa y nos une y alimenta. Nuestra unión se encuentra en el amor de Cristo. Por eso, queremos responder uniéndonos en la Misa, viviendo en unión con Dios y caminando juntos en fe, esperanza y amor.

La unidad no es abstracta. San Ignacio de Antioquía, discípulo de San Juan Apóstol, fue obispo de Antioquía y fue martirizado a principios del siglo II. En sus cartas, hablaba de la importancia de mantener la unidad en torno al altar del Señor y en armonía con el obispo. Nuestro obispo regresará a Kankakee el sábado, 22 de junio para celebrar una misa a las 4:00 p.m. en la Escuela Católica Bishop McNamara con motivo del 75° aniversario de la Diócesis de Joliet. El pasado diciembre él celebró la misa de aniversario en la catedral, en la fecha del aniversario, pero ha expresado su deseo de venir y celebrarlo con nosotros, la gente de la diócesis. Ha elegido celebrar tres misas regionales, la primera aquí en Kankakee. Dado que el obispo vendrá a nosotros, es importante que seamos uno con él en gratitud, oración y celebración. Las confesiones y misas se cancelarán ese sábado por la tarde para que los sacerdotes puedan concelebrar la misa y animarlos a asistir. Incluso si normalmente asisten a misa los domingos, los animo a que se unan a nosotros para la misa. Después, habrá camiones de comida y un convivio. Celebremos juntos el aniversario en el Señor y en la oración.

Sean de mis oraciones por ustedes. Por favor continúen orando por mí y por los demás.

En Cristo,
Padre Mateo



The candle in the sanctuary is burning
in memory of
GEORGE FABER
By: Rose, David & Julie

HOMEBOUND & NURSING HOME PARISHIONERS

ASBURY SUPPORTIVE LIVING:

BICKFORD: Barbara Ciaccio

BOURBONNAIS GROVE: Lavonne Linneman

BUTTERFIELD COURT: 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, Colleen Brown

PRAIRIEVIEW, Danforth:

PRESENCE HERITAGE LODGE: Dick Keethers

RIVERSIDE SENIOR LIFE/MEMORY CARE:

SENIOR CARE: David Africano

WESTWOOD OAKS: Eileen Dupuis, Desiree Grant

VOCATION PRAYER CALENDAR

June 16

For the Parishioners of Christ the King Parish in Lombard, St. Joseph Mission in Loda, and St. Joseph Parish in Lockport, that abundant blessings be given to them during this our Diocesan Anniversary Year. Let us pray to the Lord.

Monday, June 17 Christ the King Parish, Lombard

Wednesday, June 19 St. Joseph Mission, Loda

Friday, June 21 St. Joseph Parish, Lockport

PRAYING WITH INTENTION FOR THE SICK

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| ~ Alan & Jackie LaRoche | ~ Julia Moreno |
| ~ Alice Ramien | ~ Kathy Call |
| ~ Antonio Dominguez | ~ Kathy Dechenne |
| ~ Arturo Barajas | ~ Kelli Burson |
| ~ Betty Mulvihill | ~ Magdalena Salazar |
| ~ Bill Cox | ~ Maria Toledo |
| ~ Bob Crane | ~ Mia Martin |
| ~ Charlene Russell | ~ Naomi |
| ~ Craig Robinson | ~ Nicole & David |
| ~ Colleen Kilbride | ~ Pat Crane |
| ~ Daniel Wulffe | ~ Patty Lamie |
| ~ Darby Thomas | ~ Paul Gerth |
| ~ Debbie Turner | ~ Raquel Garcia |
| ~ Desiree Grant | ~ Robert & Kathy Lenzi |
| ~ Elia López | ~ Ron Talamantes |
| ~ Eula Mae Goselin | ~ Sharon Burton |
| ~ Gloria Mendez | ~ Sylvia Martinez |
| ~ Harry Carpenter | ~ Ted & Phyllis Bergeron |
| ~ Jan Richley | ~ Tom Sauch |
| ~ José Luis Delgadillo | ~ Vito Scafiezzo |
| ~ Jose de Jesus Isaac Solis | ~ Willis Buchholz |
| ~ Josefina Vazquez | |

MASS INTENTIONS

Week of June 15 - 23

Saturday, June 15

8:00 am † Nichola Frey (*Adrian & Collette Raymond*)

4:30 pm † George Faber (*BAI Staff*)

6:00 pm Por toda la Gente de la Parroquia

Sunday, June 16

8:00 am † George Faber (*Rose, David & Julie*)

9:30 am † Pam Bierbaum, † Richard Portter (*Karen Bajt*)

† Lyn Lamie (*Tom & Donna Lamie*)

11:30 am † Nora Van Hook (*Betty Azzarelli*)

1:00 pm † Dagoberto Villagrán (*Lupita Méndez*)

† Arturo Aguilar, † Alfredo López & † Jaime López (*Graciela López*)

3:00 pm † Denise Renzi (*Bob, Marybeth McGrath & Family*)

5:00 pm † Charles Birr (*Birr Family*)

Monday, June 17

7:30 am Evelyn Palmaleer (*Betty Azzarelli*)

Tuesday, June 18

7:30 am For the Sick People of Our Parish

6:00 pm Por las Personas Enfermas de la Parroquia

Wednesday, June 19

7:30 am Emanuel Esparza (*Family*)

12:00 pm Marie Hernandez (*Martha Aune*)

Thursday, June 20

7:30 am Charito Ramos (*Janice Ramos*)

Friday, June 21

7:30 am † Nichola Frey (*Evon E. Foyle*)

12:00 pm Declan Brady (*Jackie Brady*)

Saturday, June 22

8:00 am † Fred A. LoBue Sr. (*Son*)

4:30 pm NO MASS

6:00 pm NO MASS

Sunday, June 23

8:00 am † George Faber (*BAI Staff*)

9:30 am † Wayne, † Dolores O'Connor & their descendants (*Barb O'Connor*)

11:30 am † Donna Grant (*Her Family*)

1:00 pm † Roberto Prado Elias (*Celene Valtierra*)

† Nicolás Pérez (*María Angela Pérez*)

† Elvira Piña (*María de la Luz Canales*)

3:00 pm Kilian Brady (*Jackie Brady*)

5:00 pm † Danute "Diane" Sheehan (*Francis & Sandra Girard*)

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!

ST. JOHN PAUL II DIRECTORY



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JPII MEDIA LINKS

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 815-933-7683 + Extensión.
Llame al número y presione la Tecla #
en caso de una emergencia de muerte y
necesita un sacerdote.*

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FFP Desk: Silvia Esparza & Sandra Díaz Ext. 419

OUTREACH

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Azzarelli Clinic Director: Brooke Futterer Ext. 416
Food Pantry: Nancy Godin Ext. 417
Lisieux Pastoral Center: Kathy Wade Ext. 418 815-928-6093 & 815-939-2913
Our Shepherd's Clothing Closet*: Teri O'Connor
Hearts of Hope Youth Group: Michelle & Ken Barrie 815-382-8130

Website:

jp2kankakee.org

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 - Secretary
- Alicia Saldivar
- Amy Anderson
- Mickey Kreissler
- Tom Martin
- Ryan Carter

OFFERING/OFRENDA

June 8 & 9, 2024

\$11,442.51

- 157 Envelopes/29 - On Line Donors (\$1,753) -
- (This information is being provided to keep you updated)
- Monthly School Subsidy to BMCS: \$6,279.00
- Monthly Diocesan Assessment: \$3,451.00
- Monthly Contribution Envelope Cost/Sobres: \$435
- Our goal each week is/Meta Semanal: \$10,962.00

THANK YOU GRACIAS

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

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, 1er Viernes del Mes 7:00 pm

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

CONFESSIONS (Conference Room)

Saturday 3:30-4:30 pm / Tuesday & Thursday 5:00-5:45 pm

THIS WEEK AT JPII

June 17 – 23

Monday, June 17

12:00-5:00 pm	Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament / <i>Adoración</i>
5:30 pm	Rosary Making
6:00 pm	Parish Council Meeting
7:00 pm	Reunión del Grupo Carismático

Tuesday, June 18

9:00 am	Lisieux-Clothing Closet
10:00 am	Fatima Rosary Group
11:00 am	Bible Study
5:00 pm	Confessions
7:00 pm	Bible Study

Wednesday, June 19

6:00 pm	Baptism Class – English (If Needed)
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Thursday, June 20

5:00 pm	Confessions
6:30 pm	Adult Choir Practice
7:00 pm	Perseverancia - Encuentros Juveniles

Friday, June 21

9:00 am	Food Pantry - East Campus
9:00 am	Clothing Closet - Lisieux Center
9:30 am	Homeschoolers Gathering
10:00 am	Prayer Shawl Ministry
6:30 pm	Men of St. Joseph - Study Group
8:30 am	Rosary Making Group
9:00 am	Retiro de Quinceañera
11:00 pm	Baptisms
12:00 pm	Young on Fire Rosary
3:30 pm	Confessions
4:00 pm	Diocesan 75th Anniversary Mass at Bishop McNamara High School - By Bishop Hicks - NO EVENING MASSES AT JPII

Saturday, June 22

9:00 am	Estudio Bíblico - Hombres
6:30 pm	Vespers

FUTURE EVENTS - DATES

June 24	CCW Deanery Meeting
	Finance Council Meeting
	Summer Program - Alive in Me (24-28)
	Programa de Verano –Vive en Mí (24-28)
June 27	Garden Walk & Artesan Show Trailers

Time, Talent & Treasure

Fostering Stewardship as a way of life

In gratitude for singing and playing during all the masses, especially at First Communions, Corpus Christi & Confirmations, we recognize and gratefully acknowledge:

All the Choir Members

Tiempo, Talento & Tesoro

*Fomentando la Corresponsabilidad como un estilo de vida
En agradecimiento por cantar y tocar durante todas las misas, especialmente en las Primeras Comuniones, Corpus Christi & Confirmaciones, agradecemos y saludamos a:*

Todos los Miembros de los Coros



*Congratulations to
Hanna Scott
&
Eduardo Reyes*

For their Wedding on June 8, 2024

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

ELEVENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Mon. June 17

RI - 1 Kgs 21:1-16
G - Mt 5:38-42

Tues. June 18

RI - 1 Kgs 21:17-29
G - Mt 5:43-48

Weds. June 19

RI - 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14
G - Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thurs. June 20

RI - SIR 48:1-14

G - MT 6:7-15

Friday, June 21

Memorial of Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious
RI - 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20
G - Mt 6:19-23

Saturday, June 22

RI - 2 Chr 24:17-25
G - Mt 6:24-34

Sunday, June 23 - Twelfth

Sunday in Ordinary Time

RI - Jb 38:1, 8-11
R2 - 2 Cor 5:14-17
G - Mk 4:35-41



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).



Congratulations to all who were confirmed on June 8! May you be strengthened by the gifts of the Holy Spirit to give witness by your daily words and works to the Good News of the Risen Lord.
¡Enhorabuena a todos los que se confirmaron el 8 de junio! Que sean fortalecidos por los dones del Espíritu Santo para dar testimonio con sus palabras y obras diarias de la Buena Nueva del Señor Resucitado.



**ALIVE
IN ME**
at JP II

**K-5
SUMMER
PROGRAM**

Students currently in K to 5th grade

Register now in the JP II FFP/Parish Office

**JUNE 24-28
9 AM TO
2:30 PM**

DIocese of JOLIET

**VIVE
EN MI**
en JP II

**K-5
PROGRAMA
DE VERANO**

Estudiantes actualmente en K a 5º grado

REGÍSTRESE AHORA EN JP II FFP/OFICINA PARROQUIAL

**24 AL 28 DE JUNIO
9 AM A 2:30 PM**

DIocese of JOLIET

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE / CALENDARIO LITÚRGICO

MINISTRY	Sunday, June 23 Domingo, 23 de Junio				
	8:00 am	9:30 am	11:30 am	1:00 pm Español	5:00 pm
LECTOR	Richard Hemza	Mary Simmons	Laura Shellie	Trinidad García Sanjuana Valadez	Stephen Kelley
USHERS JUICERS	Brenda Lystila David Lystila	Kathryn Griffiths Sandy Kuntz Janice Shenk Mary Westover	Pedro Gonzalez Rosa Gonzalez	María Calderón Verónica Calvillo Jesús Candelario Kimberly Valtierra	Stephen Kelley
SACRISTAN	Kathy Bessette	Sharon Jackson	Pedro Gonzalez	Patricia Martínez	<i>Need Volunteer</i>
COMMUNION MINISTERS	Julie Yarno <i>Catherine Langlois</i>	Diane Devine <i>Fran Powers</i>		Patricia Martínez Fidel Villagrán <i>Rogelio Canchola</i>	
GREETER		Joyce Raspolich			
ALTAR SERVERS	<i>Need Volunteers</i>	Julian Cortez Bretton Quick Pedro Vazquez	Benjamin Bilderback Rebecca Pardy Athziri Pina	Emily Canchola Cynthia Canchola Alexander Gaytán	Alexander Tapp

This Ministry Schedule is subject to change. Please consult MSP for the most accurate schedule.

WEEKDAY MINISTERS / MINISTROS DE LA SEMANA		
DATES	LECTOR	SACRISTAN
June 17 - 22	Sharon Jackson	Flor Rojas
Martes 18	Antonio & Angelica Serna	Patricia Martínez

Linens/Lienzos: Weeks of June 16 & 23: Dolores Pizano



Faith Formation

**Register
Today!**

Spiritual Adoption Program

Here is what your 3 month spiritually adopted baby is doing right now. Please keep praying!

Your baby is quite active in the womb now- although his mother won't feel him for another couple of months. If his mother's womb had a window, you could watch your spiritually adopted baby squint, swallow, and move his tongue. He can make a tight fist if you touch his palm. He obtains the oxygen his body needs through the umbilical cord. The baby you are praying for weighs one ounce. What a miracle he is!



Programa de Adopción Espiritual

Tamaño: cerca de 3 pulgadas; peso: cerca de 1 onza. El bebé ya puede parpadear, tragar y mover la lengua. Se duerme y se despierta. Se forman las uñas de los dedos de las manos y los pies. Ya tiene sus huellas digitales que son únicas. También es sensible al tacto y cogerá con mano firme cualquier objeto que se le ponga en la palma de la mano. "Respira" el líquido amniótico para ayudar a desarrollar y fortalecer el sistema respiratorio, pero el oxígeno que necesita lo obtiene a través del cordón umbilical. ¡Qué milagro es él!



All are invited to join Bishop Hicks for
the first


75th Anniversary Regional Mass

at Bishop McNamara High School in
Kankakee.

Join us for 4:00 PM Mass on
Saturday, June 22, 2024, followed by
a picnic. Food trucks will be on site!

FAITH FORMATION

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

Every Monday/Cada Lunes
12:00 - 5:00 pm
First Friday / Primer Viernes
8:00 am- 6:00 pm
Nocturnal Adoration/Adoración Nocturna
First Saturday / Primer Sábado
8:00 pm-2:00 am

Devociones Mensuales en Español

- 1er sábado: Adoración Nocturna a las 8:00 pm
- 1er sábado: Rosario después de misa de 6:00 pm
- 2do sábado del mes: Hora Santa de La Divina Misericordia después de misa de 6:00 pm
- Devociones al Sagrado Corazón: Después de misa del primer viernes del mes de 7:00 pm.

UNVEILING THE TRUTH BIBLE STUDY

OLD TESTAMENT: Fr. Roy Jacob CMI
NEW TESTAMENT: Deacon George Arocha

IN PERSON: Tuesday 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
7:00 pm - 8:00 pm
PLACE: Conference Room

JOHN PAUL II CATHOLIC PARISH

Rosary Group

TUESDAYS
at 10:00 a.m. in Church




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



Seeking a Deeper Spiritual Life?

Prayerfully consider attending a Lay Carmelite Community meeting.


Saturday, June 6, 2024 at 9:00 am
JP2 Conference Room
All are Welcome!!

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

Words of Wisdom Book Club
Wishing you a summer filled with many blessings and at least one good book!

Next September's Book election - A POPE and A PRESIDENT
By Paul Kengor

Growing in Faith Together - GIFT - (Next Fall)



Questions: Call Laurie Mau 815-933-8859



Rosary Making
Fabricación de Rosarios
Future dates/Fechas Futuras:

Monday, June 17
Lunes, 17 de Junio
5:30 - 7:00 pm
Saturday, Junio 22
Sábado, 22 de Junio
8:30 - 10:00 am

JP2 Conference Room
For Questions Call:
Deb Groth at 815-263-1675

MEN OF ST. JOSEPH
"Men determined to grow in faith, discipline, self-sacrifice, integrity, and courage"

Ø Goal to complete the Exodus-90 Spiritual Challenge as a Group.

Every other Saturday beginning April 13th, 2024 from 6:30 am - 8:00 am.
(In the Conference Room)

Prayer Shawl
Ministerio Manto de Oración

Every Friday / Cada Viernes
10:00 am
Settles Center Coat Room
En el salón del gimnasio



OUTREACH MINISTRIES



**KANKAKEE
CATHOLIC
FOOD PANTRY**
341 N. St. Joseph Ave., Kankakee
FRIDAYS 9:00-11:00am

815-933-7683 Ext. 417

Each week we feed anywhere from 100 to 150 families at the Kankakee Catholic Food Pantry of St. John Paul II Parish. The cost of food has been growing on everyday staples that we give to our families. It costs us approximately \$1,000 a week to feed our community needing help. We are looking for donations of things like peanut butter, jelly, cereal, boxed stuffing, jell-o, pudding, pasta, granola bars, and pancake mix.

DONATIONS CAN BE DROPPED OFF AT ST. JOHN PAUL II PARISH

Monetary Donations:

◆ Online giving at jp2kankakee.org

◆ By Mail to:

Kankakee Catholic Food Pantry
956 S. 10th Ave., Kankakee, IL 60901



Azzarelli Outreach Medical Clinic

341 N. St. Joseph Ave. Kankakee, IL 60901



Week of June 17 – 21

For details please call **815-928-6093** and listen to the entire message!

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