

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.

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

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time - June 25, 2023



*“Whoever denies me before others,
I will deny before my heavenly Father”*

*“Al que me niegue delante de los hombres, yo también lo
negaré ante mi Padre, que está en los cielos”*

A LETTER FROM THE MSF SISTERS / UNA CARTA DE LAS HERMANAS MSF

Dear Fr. Matt, Fr. Roy, Fr. John, our beloved Deacons: Dave, Greg, Rocco and George, Parish Council, Staff, all of our brothers and sisters in Christ,

Words alone are not enough to express gratitude for the love shown to us day in and day out. The recent farewell

Mass and reception was another breathtaking moment for us. Going above and beyond in caring for us seems to come naturally for you people. We will never be able to thank you appropriately thus we assure you of our prayers as we ask the Good Lord to reward you a thousand-fold.

Fr. Matt and your team, the wall of fame is perfect and thank you for making sure that we remain alive at JP II even while we are physically absent. JP II parish will always hold a special place in our hearts and friendships we have made over the years will be cherished forever. Again, thank you is understatement but that is the only way we know. Thank you for accepting us with our limitations and for your patience. Each one of you has made a positive impression in your own way and we have no slightest doubt that our paths crossed for a reason that is nothing other than for HIS GREATER GLORY.

May God bless you in every step you take as you continue to strive to being the best versions of yourselves to make Him known near and far. Please pray for us as we pray for you in our communities and personal prayers. May the Holy Family protect you and may Blessed Boleslawa pray for you and your loved ones. Finally, our prayers are so that YOU MAY BE ONE John 17:21

Love and Prayers,
Missionary Sisters of the Holy Family.



Queridos P. Matt, P. Roy, P. John, nuestros queridos Diáconos: Dave, Greg, Rocco y George, Consejo Parroquial, Personal, queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo,

Las palabras por sí solas no son suficientes para expresar la gratitud por el amor mostrado a nosotros día tras día.

La reciente misa de

despedida y la recepción fue otro momento impresionante para nosotras. El ir más allá cuidándonos parece ser algo natural para ustedes. Nunca podremos agradecérselos adecuadamente, así que, estén seguros de nuestras oraciones pidiéndole al Buen Dios que se los recompense mil veces.

Padre Matt y su equipo, el muro de la fama es perfecto y gracias por asegurarse de que seguiremos vivas en JP II, incluso mientras estamos físicamente ausentes. La parroquia JP II siempre tendrá un lugar especial en nuestros corazones y las amistades que hemos hecho a lo largo de los años serán atesoradas para siempre. Una vez más, decir gracias no es suficiente, pero es la única manera que conocemos. Gracias por aceptarnos con nuestras limitaciones y por su paciencia. Cada uno de ustedes ha causado una impresión positiva a su manera y no tenemos la menor duda de que nuestros caminos se cruzaron por una razón que no es otra que para SU MAYOR GLORIA.

Que Dios los bendiga en cada paso que den mientras siguen esforzándose por ser la mejor versión de ustedes mismos para darlo a conocer a Él cerca y lejos. Por favor, recen por nosotros mientras nosotros rezamos por ustedes en nuestras comunidades y oraciones personales. Que la Sagrada Familia los proteja y que la Beata Boleslawa rece por ustedes y sus seres queridos. Finalmente, nuestras oraciones son para que SEAN UNO Juan 17:21

Con amor y oraciones,
Hermandades Misioneras de la Sagrada Familia.



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



The Family of St. John Paul II extends our
Deepest Sympathy to the family of

Pam Bierbaum

May the souls of all the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

HOMEBOUND & NURSING HOME PARISHIONERS

ASBURY SUPPORTIVE LIVING: Rosalyn Szymborski
BICKFORD: Lavonne Linneman, Barbara Ciaccio
BUTTERFIELD COURT: Muffy Stamper, 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

PRAYING WITH INTENTION FOR THE SICK

~ 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	~ Kevin 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 - June 24 - July 2

Saturday, June 24

8:00 am † Barbara Messina (*Barbara Girard*)
4:30 pm † Thomas O'Connor (*Maureen & Family*)
6:00 pm Por Toda la Gente de San Juan Pablo II

Sunday, June 25

8:00 am † Kenneth C. Emling (*The Fabel Family*)
9:30 am Sr. Evangeline (*Char & Maria - 6th Grade*)
† Dolores O'Connor (*Alice Romein*)
† Curtis Spencer (*Rita F. Thresen*)
† Lana Magiera (*Husband Mike*)
† Duffy Carlson (*Kathlee DeChenne*)
11:30 am † Rufino & Florencio Rosales
(*Gloria Mendez*)
Jan & William Richley
(60th Wedding Anniversary)
1:00 pm † Alison Saldaña Muñoz
(*José Luis & María Saldaña*)
† Aurora Carrillo de Rodríguez (*Javier, Alejandro & Javier Jr. Rodriguez*)
† Fernando Villegas (*Gabriel & Lupita*)
3:00 pm † Deceased Members of JPPI's CCW (*CCW*)
5:00 pm Stanley & Mary Magiera (*Mike Magiera*)

Monday, June 26

7:30 am † Vincent Buckley (*His Children*)

Tuesday, June 27

7:30 am † Ralph Kreissler (*Sharon Jackson & Family*)
6:00 pm † Benjamin Ortega (*Jorge Flores*)

Wednesday, June 28

7:30 am † Kelly Collen (*Cathy Langlois*)
12:00 pm † Joseph Janssen (*Barbara Gray*)

Thursday, June 29

7:30 am † Daniel Grant (*His Family*)

Friday, June 30

7:30 am † Ardelle Norgaard (*Ron & Pat Hansen*)
12:00 pm † Ruth Halisz (*Jackei Brady*)

Saturday, July 1

8:00 am Vocations to the Carmelite Community
(*Mystical Star Carmelite Community*)
9:00 am Fr. C. Henderson CPM (*Martha Aune*)
4:30 pm † Jendra Demers (*Don Demers*)
6:00 pm Por las Benditas Almas del Purgatorio
(*María Toledo*)

Sunday, July 2

8:00 am † Leslie Hayden (*Betty Azzarelli*)
9:30 am † George Faber (*Dennis & Joella Schriefer*)
† Derek Ader (*arol Ader*)
† Barbara Messina (*Barbara Girard*)
† Yolanta Cirule & † Dzintra Cirule-Luksta
(*Regina Young*)
11:30 am † Doris Uribe (*Betty Azzarelli*)
1:00 pm † Luis Jimenez (*Daisy Hernández*)
3:00 pm Respect for All Stages of Life
(*Pro-Life Committee*)
5:00 pm Deceased Members of JPPI's CCW (*CCW*)

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.*

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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 815-693-9152
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 17 & 18, 2023

\$10,158.00

- 152 Envelopes/32 - On Line (1,558.00) -

(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 their service, dedication, time and effort given to the children of the Faith Formation Program, we gratefully acknowledge and salute:

All the Catechists & Aides

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. June 26

Gn 12:1-9
Mt 7:1-5



Acts 12:1-11
2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18
Mt 16:13-19

Tues. June 27

Gn 13:2, 5-18
Mt 7:6, 12-14

Friday, June 30

Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22
Mt 8:1-4

Weds. June 28

Gn 15:1-12, 17-18
Mt 7:15-20

Saturday, July 1

Gn 18:1-15
Mt 8:5-17

Thurs. June 29

Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul

Sunday, July 2

2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a
Rom 6:3-4, 8-11
Mt 10:37-42



The family of St. John Paul II
Welcomes you!

Joselin Acosta López
Baptized on June 17, 2023
Bryson Brenneisen
Baptized on June 18, 2023

THIS WEEK AT JPII

June 19 - June 25

Monday, June 26

12:00-5:00 pm Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament
5:30 pm CCW Deanery Meeting
6:00 pm Finance Council Meeting
7:00 pm Reunión del Grupo Carismático

Tuesday, June 27

9:00 am Lisieux-Clothing Closet
10:00 am Fatima Rosary Group
11:00 am NO Living Word Bible Study
5:00 pm Confessions
7:00 pm NO Living Word Bible Study

Wednesday, June 28

12:00 pm Latin Mass

Thursday, June 29

5:00 pm Confessions
5:30 pm Práctica del Coro de Niños
6:30 pm Choir Practice
7:00 pm Encuentros Juveniles

Friday, June 30

9:00 am Food Pantry - East Campus
9:00 am Lisieux - Clothing Closet
10:00 am Prayer Shawl Ministry

Saturday, July 1

9:00 am Carmelite Lay Meeting
9:00 am 1st Saturday Latin Mass
12:00 pm Young on Fire Rosary – Live Stream & Rosary for Life
3:30 pm Confessions
8:00 pm Nocturnal Adoration

Sunday, July 2

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

FUTURE EVENTS / DATES

July 4 Office Closed
July 7 First Friday Adoration
July 8 Rosary Making Group

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).

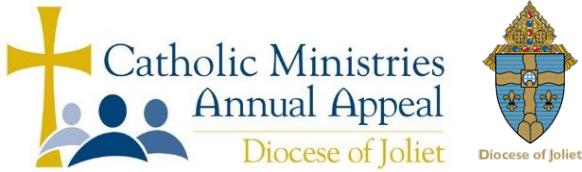
SACRAMENTOS

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).



Your participation in the CMAA is important. If you have not had a chance to participate in the Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal (CMAA) this year, there is still time. Please look for the mailing which will be arriving in homes shortly.

As your pastor, I encourage you to prayerfully reflect on God's gifts to you and to give a gift to the CMAA. Participation is the key to a successful appeal and a chance for our parish to receive a parish rebate, too. Every gift helps!

If you do not receive this mailing and would like to make a gift to the CMAA, please call the Diocese of Joliet Development Office at (815) 838-8515. Or, if you wish to make your gift online, please visit www.jolietdioceseappeal.org.

BECOME A VOLUNTEER - MAKE A DIFFERENCE



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.



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.

DIVINUS MELUS PRESENTS

ബലിയാടി
HOLY MASS ENTRANCE HYMN

LYRICS: JOHNSON CHACKO MUSIC: FR. ROY JACOB CMI
SINGER: ABUJITH KOLLAM ORCHESTRATION: SCARIA JACOB

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



ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



DIOCESE OF JOLIET



QUO VADIS DAYS

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

Please spread the word of the dynamic Quo Vadis Days 2023 (July 30-Aug. 2) run by the Vocation Offices of the Archdiocese of Chicago and the Diocese of Joliet. During this 4-day/3-night camp at the Mundelein Seminary, young men ages 13 to 18 will participate in powerful discussions, outdoor activities, sports, daily Mass and Liturgy of the Hours.

The forms and payment are due in the Vocation Office no later than Wednesday, July 26, 2023.

Please click on the links below to register and pay early. Spots fill up quickly! If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at dcamp@dioceseofjoliet.org. Thank you so much for giving your son this wonderful opportunity to grown in his faith.

<https://files.constantcontact.com/92b4c919701/8cde039e-3052-4760-bde4-883599c00877.pdf>

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/quo-vadis-2023-tickets-602809448287>

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE / CALENDARIO LITÚRGICO

MINISTRY MINISTERIO	Saturday, July 1 Sábado, 1 de Julio		Sunday, July 2 Domingo, 2 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	Diane Sheehan	Israel Lira Rosario Lira	Linda Kerness	Tom Martin	Laura Shellie	Claudia Ávila Miriam Gaytán	Julie Koerner
USHERS JUICERS	David Montague	Juana M. Lugo Luis E. Ayala Marcela Andrade Vicente Andrade	Bob Kerness Bob Thrasher	Char Nolte Bob Thrasher Deb Groth Janice Shenk	Israel & Rosario Lira	María Calderón Verónica Calvillo Jesús Candelario Kimberly Valtierra	Bob Thrasher
SACRISTAN	S/U Mary Causer	Antonio Serna Angelica Serna	Ken Klipp Kathy Bessette	Deb Groth & Sharon Jackson	Pedro González	Ema Elvir	Need Volunteers
ALTAR SERVERS	Need Volunteers	Dionisio Franquiz Natalia Franquiz Jade Carrera	Need Volunteers	Need Volunteers	Ben Bilderback Rebecca Pardy Athziri Pina	Alexa C-Avila Litzzy C-Avila Aileen Diaz	Need Volunteers

WEEKDAY MINISTERS / MINISTROS DE LA SEMANA		
DATES	LECTOR	SACRISTAN
June 26-July 1	Jacob Levy	Linda Libby
Martes 27	Elia López	Daniel Varela
Martes 5	Teresa López	Flor Rojas
Linens/Lienzos: Week of June 25: Dolores Pizano; Weeks of July 2 & 9: Mary Herman		

LOST AND FOUND

Anything left behind in the church is collected and placed on the counter in the lobby. If you've lost something, please check there.

OBJETOS PERDIDOS

Cualquier cosa olvidada en la iglesia se recoge y se coloca en el mostrador del vestíbulo. Si ha perdido algo, por favor, búsquelo allí.

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.



BE FORMED

SEPTEMBER 10 THROUGH DECEMBER 8 2023

- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
- Fellowship
- Prayer
- Scripture
- Small Groups
- Weekly content videos to help you gain a deeper understanding of Catholicism

Join a small group and reignite your zeal for living the virtuous life!


REGISTRATION OPENS JULY 11!

USCCB Small Group
Material will be included as it becomes available

SEASON 7 EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

Interested in facilitating a Be Formed Small Group?
Contact Katie katie@sijhinsdale.com to have your group added to registration!





Spend Time with the Lord

Kankakee County Adoration Opportunities

<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;"><u>Monday</u> 12-5pm St. John Paul II Kankakee</p>	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;"><u>Tuesday</u> 6-7am & 6-8pm St. Joseph Manteno</p>	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;"><u>Wednesday</u> 6-7am St. Joseph Manteno</p>
<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;"><u>Thursday</u> 6-7am St. Joseph Manteno</p>	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;"><u>1-6pm</u> St. Joseph Bradley</p>	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;"><u>3-5pm</u> St. Rose Chapel Kankakee</p>
<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;"><u>9:45-11am</u> St. Patrick Momence</p>	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;"><u>8am-6pm</u> St. John Paul II Kankakee</p>	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;"><u>Tri-Parish</u> Catholic Community <u>8am-3pm</u> Location Varies</p>
<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;"><u>3-6pm</u> Maternity BVM Bourbonnais</p>	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;"><u>9-10am</u> St. Joseph Bradley</p>	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;"><u>Friday</u> 6-7am St. Joseph Manteno</p>

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

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

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**



Words of Wisdom Book Club

Wishing you a summer filled with many blessings and at least one good book!

**Next September's Book Selection—
All Creatures Great and Small
By James Herriot**

Questions: Call Laurie Mau 815-933-8859

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



Carmelites

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, July 1, 2023 at 9:00 am
JP2 Conference Room

All are Welcome!!

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



Rosary Making

Fabricación de Rosarios

Future dates/Fechas Futuras:

Mondays, July 3

Lunes, 2 de julio

5:30-7:00 pm

JPII Conference Room

For Questions Call:

Deb Groth at 815-263-1675

Saturday, July 8

Sábado, 8 de julio

Prayer Shawl

Ministerio Manto de Oración

Every Friday / Cada Viernes
10:00am

Settles Center Coat Room
En el salón del gimnasio



IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD

THE RELICS OF PADRE PIO

Volunteers Needed!

We 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.

TUESDAY, JULY 11, 2023

9:00 AM Relic veneration begins
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VOCATION PRAYER CALENDAR May 2023

Remember these men and women in your daily prayers –priests, Deacons, Seminarians and Women & Men Religious in the Diocese of Joliet Vocations are born in prayer and from prayer; and only through prayer can they persevere and bear fruit.

Pope Francis

June 26 Fr. David Lawrence, Fr. Arthur Maher
June 27 Fr. James Lennon, Fr. Raymond Lescher
June 28 Fr. Dennis Lewandowski, Fr. John Lindsey
June 29 Dcns. Robert LaMotte, Charles Lane, Kurt Lange, Robert Larkin
June 30 Fr. Anthony Kelpsas M.I.C., Fr. Piotr Lach M.I.C.

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

Prayer for Vocations by Pope Francis

For an increase of vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life, especially in the Diocese of Joliet, we pray to the Lord.

Lord, hear our prayer.

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QUO VADIS DAYS

Sunday, July 30 – Wednesday, August 2, 2023
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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:
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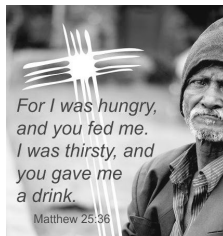
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