

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
Primer Viernes 7:00 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

Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time - September 15, 2024
XXII Domingo Ordinario - 15 de Septiembre, 2024



**"Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself,
take up his cross, and follow me."**

**"¡El que quiera venir conmigo, que renuncie a sí mismo,
que cargue con su cruz y que me siga".**

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

In today's Gospel, we hear that Jesus "began to teach them that the Son of Man must suffer greatly and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and be killed, and rise after three days. He spoke this openly. Then Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him." Instead of asking how the resurrection was possible or what that meant, Peter could not get pass the condemnation, suffering, and death of Christ. When we experience or witness suffering and hardship, we can at times feel overwhelmed, finding it difficult to move forward or have hope. Hope is the theological virtue received at baptism by which we desire and expect from God both eternal life and the grace we need to attain it. We can at times forget that God is with us and that His grace is sufficient. He never abandons us. He has conquered suffering, sin, and death and gives us the grace to share in His victory. Let us stay close to our Lord who has conquered sin and death and gives us the hope of everlasting life and happiness in heaven, spending time each day in prayer and visiting our Lord in the tabernacle. May we ask of our Lord and receive from Him an increase in the virtue of hope: "O Lord God, I hope by your grace for the pardon of all my sins and after life here to gain eternal happiness because you have promised it who are infinitely powerful, faithful, kind, and merciful. In this hope I intend to live and die. Amen." On this feast day of Our Lady of Sorrows, let us also stay close to the blessed Mother, whose heart was pierced with a sword of sorrow as Simeon had foretold. She shows us how to unite ourselves to our Lord as well as how to follow Him, trust in Him, and place our hope in Him.

As always, know of my prayers for you and your families, and let us continue to remember one another in prayer.

In Christ,
Fr. Matt



Queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo:

En el Evangelio de hoy, escuchamos que Jesús "se puso a explicarles que era necesario que el Hijo del hombre padeciera mucho, que fuera rechazado por los ancianos, los sumos sacerdotes y los escribas, que fuera entregado a la muerte y resucitara al tercer día. Habló claramente. Luego Pedro lo apartó y comenzó a reprenderlo. Entonces Pedro se lo llevó aparte y trataba de disuadirlo." En lugar de preguntarle cómo era posible la resurrección o qué significaba, Pedro no podía pensar en la resurrección porque estuvo preocupado por la condenación, el sufrimiento y la muerte de Cristo. Cuando experimentamos o vemos el sufrimiento y las dificultades, a veces nos sentimos agobiados, se nos hace difícil continuar o tener esperanza. La esperanza es la virtud teológica recibida en el bautismo por la cual deseamos y esperamos de Dios la vida eterna y la gracia que necesitamos para alcanzarla. A veces olvidamos que Dios está con nosotros y que su gracia es suficiente. Él nunca nos abandona. Él ha vencido el sufrimiento, el pecado y la muerte y nos da la gracia de participar en Su victoria. Permanezcamos cerca de nuestro Señor quien ha vencido el pecado y la muerte y nos da la esperanza de vida eterna y felicidad en el cielo, pasando tiempo cada día en oración y visitando a nuestro Señor en el sagrario. Pidámosle a nuestro Señor y recibamos de Él un aumento de esperanza: "Espero, Señor, que ya que te entregas todo a mí en la Eucaristía, tengas misericordia de mí y me otorgues las gracias necesarias para mi salvación eterna." En este día festivo de Nuestra Señora de los Dolores, permanezcamos también cerca de la santísima Madre, cuyo corazón fue traspasado por una espada de dolor como predijo Simeón. Ella nos enseña como unirnos a nuestro Señor, a seguirlo, a confiar y a poner nuestra esperanza en Él.

Como siempre, conozcan mis oraciones por ustedes y sus familias y sigamos recordándonos los unos a los otros en oración.

En Cristo,
Padre Mateo



**The candle in the sanctuary
is burning in memory of**
BOB PFEIFFER
By: Teresa Pfeiffer

HOMEBOUND & NURSING HOME PARISHIONERS

ASBURY SUPPORTIVE LIVING:

BICKFORD: Barbara Ciaccio

BOURBONNAIS GROVE: Lavonne Linneman

BUTTERFIELD COURT: Pat Canfield

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PRESENCE HERITAGE LODGE: Dick Keethers

RIVERSIDE SENIOR LIFE/MEMORY CARE:

SENIOR CARE: David Africano

WESTWOOD OAKS: Eileen Dupuis, Desiree Grant

~ Prayer for healing the sick ~

Heavenly Father, giver of life and health: Comfort and relieve your sick servants, and give your power of healing to those who minister to their needs, that they may be strengthened in their weakness and have confidence in your loving care; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

PRAYING WITH INTENTION FOR THE SICK

~ Alan & Jackie LaRoche	~ Julia Moreno
~ Alice Ramien	~ Kathy Call
~ Antonio Dominguez	~ Kathy Dechenne
~ Arturo Barajas	~ Kelli Burson
~ Betty Mulvihill	~ Magdalena Salazar
~ Bill Cox	~ Manuel Silva
~ Birdie Blanchette	~ Maria de la Luz Patiño
~ Bob Crane	~ Maria Toledo
~ Charlene Russell	~ Mia Martin
~ Craig Robinson	~ Naomi
~ Colleen Kilbride	~ Nicolasa Jaimes Albiter
~ Daniel Wulffe	~ Nicole & David
~ Darby Thomas	~ Pat Crane
~ David Akai	~ Patty Lamie
~ Debbie Turner	~ Paul Gerth
~ Desiree Grant	~ Raquel Garcia
~ Elia López	~ Robert & Kathy Lenzi
~ Eula Mae Goselin	~ Ron Talamantes
~ Frances Powers	~ 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

MASS INTENTIONS

Week of September 14 - 22

Saturday, September 14

8:00 am † Phillip Czernick (*Paula Czernik & Family*)

4:30 pm † Charles Birr (*Nancy Birr*)

6:00 pm Por Toda la Gente de Nuestra Parroquia

Sunday, September 15

8:00 am † George Faber (*Sister Mary & Brother Bob*)

9:30 am † Jack Schott (*The Schott Family*)

11:30 am † Joseph Gigliotti (*Charlenne Russel*)

1:00 pm † Luis Antonio Martínez (*Elba Rosas*)

† José Cabrales (*Patrice Martínez*)

† Humberto López Sr. (*Lila López*)

3:00 pm The Triumph of the Immaculate Heart of Mary (*Martha Aune*)

5:00 pm Deacon Greg Clodi (*Staff*)

Monday, September 16

7:30 am For the Sick People of Our Parish

Tuesday, September 17

7:30 am For the Sick People of Our Parish

6:00 pm Por las Personas Enfermas de Nuestra Parroquia

Wednesday, September 18

7:30 am For the Sick People of Our Parish

12:00 pm Maria Kavanaugh (*Jackie Brady*)

Thursday, September 19

7:30 am † John S. Mahoney (*Mike & Teresa Mahoney*)

Friday, September 20

7:30 am For the Sick People of Our Parish

12:00 pm Dan Kavanaugh (*Jackie Brady*)

Saturday, September 21

8:00 am For the Sick People of Our Parish

4:30 pm † Bob Pfeiffer (*Annie Syrstad*)

6:00 pm Por Toda la Gente Enferma de Nuestra Parroquia

Sunday, September 22

8:00 am Betty Harstad (*Dave & Brenda Lystila*)

9:30 am For the Sick People of Our Parish

11:30 am † George Faber (*Sister Mary & Brother Bob*)

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

† Humberto López Sr. (*Lila López*)

† Nicolás Pérez (*María Angela Pérez*)

† Luis Antonio Martínez (*Elba Rosas*)

† Rodrigo Varela (*María Gaytán*)

3:00 pm For All the People of Our Parish

5:00 pm For All the Sick People of Our Parish

**"Whatever you ask for in prayer
with faith, you will receive."**

***** 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!

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

ST. JOHN PAUL II DIRECTORY



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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

HORARIO DE OFICINA

Lunes - Jueves 9:00 am to 4:00 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.***

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

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

OFFERING/OFRENDAS

September 7 & 8

\$9,408.42

- 151 Envelopes/30 - On Line Donors (\$1,933) -

(This information is being provided to keep you updated)

Monthly School Subsidy to BMCS: \$6,592.92

Monthly Diocesan Assessment: \$3,211.00

Monthly Contribution Envelope Cost/Sobres: \$435

Our goal each week is/Meta Semanal: \$11,058.00

THANK YOU GRACIAS

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

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

ONLINE giving

*****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 organizing, serving, donating and attending our Kermesse in celebration of Mexico's Independence Day, we recognize and gratefully acknowledge:

All Volunteers

Tiempo, Talento & Tesoro

Fomentando la Corresponsabilidad como un estilo de vida

En agradecimiento en agradecimiento por organizar, servir, donar y asistir a nuestra Kermesse en celebración de la Independencia de México, reconocemos y agradecemos:

Todos los Voluntarios

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

TWENTY-FOURTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday, September 15

R1 - Is 50:5-9a

R2 - Jas 2:14-18

G - Mk 8:27-35

Mon. September 16

Memorial of Saints Cornelius, Pope, and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs

R1 - 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33

G - Lk 7:1-10

Tues. September 17

R1 - 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a

G - Lk 7:11-17

Weds. September 18

R1 - 1 Cor 12:31-13:13

G - Lk 7:31-35

Thurs. September 19

R1 - 1 COR 15:1-11

G - Lk 7:36-50

Friday, September 20

Memorial of Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gŏn, Priest, and Paul Chŏng Ha-sang, and Companions, Martyrs

R1 - 1 COR 15:12-20

G - Lk 8:1-3

Saturday, September 21

Feast of Saint Matthew, Apostle and evangelist

R1 - Eph 4:1-7, 11-13

G - Mt 9:9-13

Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, September 22

R1 - Wis 2:12, 17-20

R2 - Jas 3:16 - 4:3

G - Mk 9:30-37



THIS WEEK AT JP II

September 16 – 22

Monday, September 16

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

7:00 pm Reunión del Grupo Carismático

Parish Council Meeting

Tuesday, September 17

9:00 am Lisieux-Clothing Closet

10:00 am **Fatima Rosary Group**

11:00 am Bible Study

5:00 pm Confessions

6:00 pm FFP - Class

7:00 pm Bible Study

Wednesday, September 18

6:00 pm FFP - Class

6:00 pm Baptism Class - English (If needed)

Thursday, September 19

5:00 pm Confessions

5:00 pm GIFT

6:30 pm Adult Choir Practice

7:00 pm Perseverancia - Encuentros Juveniles

Friday, September 20

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

Saturday, September 21

12:00 pm Baptisms - English (If needed)

12:00 pm Young on Fire Rosary - Live Stream

3:30 pm Confessions

Sunday, September 22

9:00 am Estudio Bíblico - Hombres

6:30 pm Vespers

FUTURE EVENTS - DATES

Sep. 23 Finance Council Meeting

Sep. 26 GIFT

Sep. 28 Men of St. Joseph - Study Group

Sep. 30 CCW Deanery Meeting

Oct. 3 Pro-Life Meeting

GIFT

Oct. 4 First Friday Adoration

“Reconciliation is the fastest way to change your life”

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 4^o 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).



VIVA MEXICO!

Celebración del Día de la Independencia de México
el domingo, 8 de septiembre, 2024

Un especial agradecimiento a las personas que planearon, sirvieron, donaron y asistieron a este evento.

Gracias todos quienes compraron boletos.

¡Gracias por su apoyo!



"Lord Teach Me to Pray - Part 2"
Ignatian prayer series for women
Mondays at 2:00 PM
September 9 through December 9
Any woman who completed Part 1 is eligible to join Part 2.
Please join us to continue enhancing your prayer-life.
Text or call Mary Causeur at 815-922-0228 to register



JP2 Festival

Save the date! • ¡Reserva la fecha!

Sunday, October 20th • domingo 20 de octubre
10:30am - 4:00pm

Food, fun, games, basket raffles & more!
¡Comida, diversión, rifas de canastas de juegos y más!

Kankakee Catholic Food Pantry
Soup and Cereal Drive
You can bring your donations to
St John Paul II Parish.
We appreciate the help getting these items.
God Bless!



KANKAKEE CATHOLIC FOOD PANTRY
FRIDAYS 9:00-11:00am

"We are really in need of donated used electronic tablets, such as iPads Kindles or other Android devices for use in our outdoor weekly pantry registration process. If you have such a device, please leave us a message at 815-933-7683, Ext. 417."

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE / CALENDARIO LITÚRGICO

MINISTRY	Saturday, September 21 Sábado, 21 de Septiembre		Sunday, September 22 Domingo, 22 de Septiembre				
	4:30 pm	6:00 pm Español	8:00 am	9:30 am	11:30 am	1:00 pm Español	5:00 pm
LECTOR	Cynthia McBarnes	Karina Toledo Norma Sánchez	Linda Kerness	Stephen Kelley	Rick Ramirez	Trinidad Gargia Silvia Esparza	Rose Bailey
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SACRISTAN	Karen Miller	Antonio & Angelica Serna	Kathy Bessette	Deb Groth	Pedro Gonzalez	Lupita & Gabriel Méendez	<i>Need Volunteer</i>
COMMUNION MINISTERS			Catherine Langlois Kathy Bessette	Judith Smead Sandy Girard		Silvia Esparza Fidel Villagrán Patricia Martínez	
GREETER				Kathryn Griffiths			
ALTAR SERVERS	<i>Need Volunteers</i>	Abilene Franquiz Miguel Sánchez Michelle Tetlalmatzi	<i>Need Volunteers</i>	Elijah Wales Jeremiah Wales Isaiah Wales	Benjamin Bilderback Athziri Pina Xavy Reyes	Mariana Cabrales Aaron Ferreira Cassandra Valtierra	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
Sep. 16-21	Teresa Mahoney	Linda Libby
Martes 17	Víctor Bolívar	Patricia Martínez

Linens/Lienzos: Week of September 15: Sharon Jackson; weeks of Sep. 22 and 29: Rosario Lira



Organ Fund Online Giving

Donate to the organ fund online!
Simply scan the QR code with your phone's camera, and select Second Collections. The organ fund is at the top of the page.



Empty Boxes of Joy will be available on
September 22, 2024,
after **9:30 and 11:30 Masses.**
They must be filled and handed in to
the Parish office by **October 21, 2024.**
Thank you!

Escuela para Padres



*Ven! Y descubre las Claves para una
Crianza Saludable y Feliz*

Todos los martes de 6:30 a 7:30

Aprenderás:

1. **La Importancia de la Comunicación:** Escucha Empática, Expresión de Sentimientos, Diálogo Abierto
2. **Establecimiento de Límites y Reglas:** Consistencia, Flexibilidad, Disciplina Positiva
3. **Fomentar la Autoestima:** Elogio Esfuerzos, Apoyo Emocional, Modelar Autoestima
4. **Tiempo de Calidad en Familia:** Actividades en Conjunto, Rutinas Familiares, Desconexión Digital
5. **Educación en Valores:** Respeto, Responsabilidad, Empatía, Generosidad.
6. **Salud Mental y Bienestar:** Atención a las Emociones, Relajación y Autocuidado, Apoyo Profesional, Apoyo Espiritual.

Recuerda: ¡Cada niño es único y cada familia es diferente! Lo importante es *adaptar estas estrategias a las necesidades particulares de tu familia.*

Faith Formation

Classes have started!

Late registrations still taken.

No more registrations after September 30th

No exemptions!

¡Las clases han comenzado!

Todavía se aceptan inscripciones tardías.

No más inscripciones después del 30 de septiembre

¡No hay exenciones!



OCIA

Order of Christian Initiation for Adults

Classes for adults who need their sacraments or who want to become Catholic will begin soon, please call the office to register.

Las clases para adultos que necesitan sus sacramentos o que quieren hacerse católicos comenzarán pronto, llamen a la oficina para inscribirse.



Researches at the University of Notre Dame are seeking information on Brother Columba O'Neil (1848-1923). Through the intercession of the Sacred Heart of Jesus he was able to effect numerous physical cures of people in distress. Brother Columba came to Kankakee in 1919 to visit the sick and infirmed. If you family members, especially grandparents or others might have any knowledge or stories about Brother Columba or possibly a letter addressed to your family from him, the research team would be most appreciative of your assistance. You may contact Father Richard Gribble, CSC at Notre Dame: Our Lady of Fatima House, P.O. Box 929 Notre Dame, Indiana 46556 or call (508)238-6685. Thank you!

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 de 7:00 pm del primer viernes del mes.

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

St. 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



Carmelites

Seeking a Deeper Spiritual Life?

Prayerfully consider attending a Lay Carmelite Community meeting.

Saturday, October 5, 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

Friday, September 13

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

Growing in Faith Together



- GIFT -
**Thursday,
September 19**
6:30 pm

(Holy Family Hall)
The Chosen - Season 4
Episode 1: "Promises"

Questions: Call Laurie Mau 815-933-8859



Rosary Making

Fabricación de Rosarios
Future dates/Fechas Futuras:

Monday, September 23

Lunes, 9 de Septiembre
5:30 - 7:00 pm

Saturday, September 28

Sábado, 14 de Septiembre
8:30 - 10:00 am

JP2 Conference Room

For Questions Call:

Deb Groth at 815-263-1675

Prayer Shawl

Ministerio Manto de Oración

Every Friday / Cada Viernes

10:00 am

Settles Center Coat Room

En el salón del gimnasio



St. John Paul II Parish:
Men of Saint Joseph

"Men determined to grow in faith, discipline, self-sacrifice, integrity, and courage"

- × Meets every-other Saturday 6:30 A.M. - 8:00 A.M. at the Parish Conference Room (Next to the Angel Room)
- × Join us for St. Michael's Lent (made by the creators of Exodus 90) beginning August 15
- × Future Meeting Dates: August: 3, 17, 31, September: 14, 28, October: 12, 16, November: 9, 23

OUTREACH MINISTRIES



341 N. St. Joseph Ave., Kankakee
815-933-7683 Ext. 417

KANKAKEE CATHOLIC FOOD PANTRY

FRIDAYS 9:00-11:00am

"Every week we are feeding between 150-180 families. As we continue to see a steady increase in the number of households seeking assistance, we are also seeing the prices for basic food items continuing to increase weekly." We are looking for both monetary and non-perishable food donations such as peanut butter, jelly, cereal, boxed stuffing, jell-o, pudding, pasta, granola bars, and pancake mix.

**DONATIONS CAN BE DROPPED OFF ON SITE OR
AT ST. JOHN PAUL II PARISH**



For 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 September 16 – 20

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

Hours are posted on the front door.

Para detalles llame al 815-928-6093 y escuche todo el mensaje.

Los horarios están en la Puerta.

OUR SHEPHERD'S CLOTHING CLOSET

Located at Lisieux Outreach Center
371 N. St. Joseph Ave., Kankakee

Open Fridays
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9:00 – 11:00 am



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Pope Francis

VOCATION PRAYER CALENDAR

Week of September 15

For the Diocesan and Parish Organizations throughout the Diocese, the Parishioners of St. Margaret Mary Parish in Herscher, and the Parishioners of Sacred Heart Parish in Goodrich, that they will receive abundant blessings during this our Diocesan Anniversary Year. Let us pray to the Lord.

Monday, September 16

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