

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-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time - September 22, 2024
XXV Domingo Ordinario - 22 de Septiembre, 2024



**"Whoever receives me,
receives not me but the One who sent me."**

**"El que me reciba a mí, no me recibe a mí,
sino a aquel que me ha enviado".**

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

In a little over a week, we will be beginning the month of October. We remember that October is the month of Our Lady and her rosary and is also the month dedicated to praying for and defending the dignity of human life, from conception until natural death. Mary received the Author of Life in her womb and gave birth to Him, bringing Jesus into our world so that He can draw all humanity to Himself, who is the Way, the Truth, and the Life, the source of eternal happiness. No other human person knows or loves Jesus as much as His mother. She is the model disciple. Throughout her life, she reflected on all that Jesus said and did, and she kept them in her heart (see Lk. 2:19, 51). She was so close to Him that when His heart was pierced with a sword of metal, her heart was pierced with a sword of sorrow as Simeon had foretold (Lk. 2:35). When Jesus was hanging upon the cross, He gave Mary to the Beloved Disciple and to all disciples when He said, "Behold your mother" (Jn. 19:27). Mary is our mother. Because of your baptism, when she sees you, she sees her Son, our Lord Jesus Christ. She helps us to know and love her Son and to follow Him. Mary is an extraordinary mother, and she is there for us at the foot of the cross and in our daily lives. The rosary is a powerful devotion by which Mary leads us deeper into our faith, helping us to ponder and reflect on what Jesus has said and done for us.

May we honor our Lady and stay close to her. She loves to pray for us, her dear children. Also, know of my prayers for you. May the Lord grant you and your loved ones peace and joy.

In Christ,
Fr. Matt



Queridos Hermanos y Hermanas en Cristo,

En poco más de una semana, iniciaremos el mes de octubre. Recordamos que octubre es el mes de la Virgen María y su rosario y también es el mes dedicado a rezar y defender la dignidad de la vida humana, desde la concepción hasta la muerte natural. María recibió en su seno al autor de la vida y lo dio a luz, trayendo a Jesús a nuestro mundo para que Él atraiga a toda la humanidad hacia Él que es el Camino, la Verdad y la Vida, la fuente de la felicidad eterna. Ninguna otra persona humana conoce o ama a Jesús tanto como Su madre. Ella es la discípula ejemplar. A lo largo de su vida, se reflejaba en todo lo que Jesús decía y hacía, y lo guardaba en su corazón (cf. Lc. 2:19,51). Ella estaba tan cerca de Él que cuando el corazón de Jesús fue traspasado con una lanza, el corazón de María fue atravesado con una espada de dolor como Simeón había predicho (Lc. 2:35). Cuando Jesús estaba en la cruz, entregó a María al discípulo amado y a todos los discípulos cuando dijo: "Ahí tienes a tu madre." (Juan 19:27). María es nuestra madre. Debido a nuestro bautismo, cuando ella nos ve, ve a su Hijo, nuestro Señor Jesucristo. Ella nos ayuda a conocer y amar a su Hijo y a seguirlo. María es una madre extraordinaria, y está aquí para nosotros al pie de la cruz y en nuestra vida cotidiana. El rosario es una devoción poderosa por medio de la cual María nos lleva más profundamente a nuestra fe, ayudándonos a meditar y reflexionar sobre lo que Jesús ha dicho y hecho por nosotros.

Que honremos a nuestra Señora y estemos cerca de ella. A ella le encanta rogar por nosotros, sus queridos hijos. También, sepan de mis oraciones por ustedes. Que el Señor bendigan a ustedes y a sus familias con paz y alegría.

En Cristo,
Padre Mateo



**The candle in the sanctuary
is burning in memory of**

RODRIGO VARELA

By: María Gaytán

HOMEBOUND & NURSING HOME PARISHIONERS

ASBURY SUPPORTIVE LIVING:

BICKFORD: Barbara Ciaccio

BOURBONNAIS GROVE: Lavonne Linneman

BUTTERFIELD COURT: Pat Canfield

HERITAGE WOODS, Manteno: Noralee Sirois

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LUTHER PLACE: Leola Mulvihill, Thrasilla Janczak

MILLER REHAB CENTER: Colleen Brown

PRAIRIEVIEW, Danforth:

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 21 - 29

Saturday, September 21

8:00 am For the Sick People of Our Parish

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

6:00 pm † José González (*María Rubí González*)

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

Monday, September 23

7:30 am † Jim Buckley (*His siblings*)

Tuesday, September 24

7:30 am For the Sick People of Our Parish

6:00 pm Por las Personas Enfermas de Nuestra Parroquia

Wednesday, September 25

7:30 am For the Sick People of Our Parish

12:00 pm † Gerald Frechette (*Margaret Joubert*)

Thursday, September 26

7:30 am For the Sick People of Our Parish

Friday, September 27

7:30 am For the Sick People of Our Parish

12:00 pm † Gerald Frechette (*Margaret Joubert*)

Saturday, September 28

8:00 am † Melvin Yarno (*Julie Yarno*)

4:30 pm † Bob Pfeiffer (*Paul & Marianna Surprenant*)

6:00 pm † Alison Saldaña Muñoz & † José Celestino Saldaña (*José & María Saldaña*)

Sunday, September 29

8:00 am † Patricia Marie Hansen (*Rob & Linda Warmbir*)

9:30 am † Thomas Martin Sr. (*Greg & Julie Azzarelli*)

† Therese Gleeson (*Mary Causer*)

11:30 am † Teresa Gliotte Eason (*Charlene M. Russell*)

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

† Luis Antonio Martínez (*Elba Rosas*)

3:00 pm † Michael Gray (*Barbara Grey*)

5:00 pm For All the 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.*

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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/OFRENDA

September 14 & 15

\$8,084.00

- 145 Envelopes/32 - On Line Donors (\$1,468) -

(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 always donating their time in different ministries of our parish, we recognize and gratefully acknowledge:

Ladies of the CCW

Tiempo, Talento & Tesoro

Fomentando la Corresponsabilidad como un estilo de vida

En agradecimiento en agradecimiento por siempre estar donar su tiempo en diferentes ministerios de nuestra parroquia, reconocemos y agradecemos:

Damas del CCW

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

TWENTY-FIFTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday, September 22

R1 - Wis 2:12, 17-20

R2 - Jas 3:16 - 4:3

G - Mk 9:30-37

Mon. September 23

Memorial of Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest

R1 - Prv 3:27-34

G - Lk 8:16-18

Tues. September 24

R1 - PRV 21:1-6, 10-13

G - Lk 8:19-21

Weds. September 25

R1 - Prv 30:5-9

G - Lk 9:1-6

Thurs. September 26

R1 - ECCL 1:2-11

G - Lk 9:7-9

Friday, September 27

Memorial of Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest

R1 - Eccl 3:1-11

G - Lk 9:18-22

Saturday, September 28

R1 - ECCL 11:9-12:8

G - Lk 9:43B-45

Twenty-six Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, September 29

R1 - Nm 11:25-29

R2 - Jas 5:1-6

G - Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48



5TH WEEK AT JPII

September 23 - 29

Monday, September 23

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

6:00 pm Finance Council Meeting

7:00 pm Reunión del Grupo Carismático

Tuesday, September 24

9:00 am Lisieux-Clothing Closet

10:00 am **Fatima Rosary Group**

11:00 am Bible Study

5:00 pm Confessions/Confesiones

6:00 pm FFP - Class

6:30 pm Reunión del Consejo Hispano

7:00 pm Bible Study

Wednesday, September 25

6:00 pm FFP - Class

Thursday, September 26

5:00 pm Confessions/Confesiones

5:00 pm GIFT

6:30 pm Adult Choir Practice

7:00 pm Perseverancia - Encuentros Juveniles

Friday, September 27

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 28

6:30 pm Men of St. Joseph - Study Group

11:00 am Bautismo

12:00 pm Young on Fire Rosary - Live Stream

3:30 pm Confessions/Confesiones

Sunday, September 29

9:00 am Estudio Bíblico - Hombres

6:30 pm Vespers

FUTURE EVENTS - DATES

Sep. 30 CCW Deanery Meeting

Oct. 3 Pro-Life Meeting

GIFT

Oct. 4 First Friday Adoration

Words of Wisdom

Missionary Lay Group

Misa del Primer Viernes

"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 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).



MUMS SALE

Thank you to Benoit Greenhouses for helping us with our fundraiser. They grow gorgeous flowers, and we are blessed to have them in our community. Please shop with them this fall and visit their pumpkin patch and farm.

Thank you also to EVERYONE who bought mums. We sold 360 and received a wonderful donation of \$2000 to buy coats, boots, and personal care items for those in need.

The Clothing Closet serves over 150 people each month. This will not cover all of them, but it definitely helps.

To all of our volunteers, pictured and not pictured, thank you! We could not have this ministry without you.

God bless you all! Enjoy your mums! 🌻



**Congratulations to
Deacon Greg Clodi
for his 25th
Anniversary of His
Ordination to the
Diaconate!**

*Photos from the
reception on Sunday,
September 15,
organized by the CCW*






**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 panry registration process.If you have such a device, please leave us a message at 815-933-7683, Ext. 417."

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!

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE / CALENDARIO LITÚRGICO

MINISTRY	Saturday, September 28 Sábado, 28 de Septiembre		Sunday, September 29 Domingo, 29 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	Sheryl Janik	José López Marcela Andrade	Richard Hemza	Mary Simmons	Rick Ramirez	Claudia Avila Rogelio Canchola	Stephen Kelley
USHERS UJIERES	Mary Causer Ronald Dressle	Sanjuana Valadez María Medina Angelica M. Serna Susana Pérez Kathy Teclamar	Brenda Lystila David Lystila	Kathryn Griffiths Sandy Kuntz David Montague Charlotte Nolte	Rosa González Pedro González	Marina Reza Eulalio Valadez Sanjuana Valadez	Sharon Jackson
SACRISTAN	Mary Causer	Patricia Martínez	Kathy Bessette	<i>Need Volunteer</i>	Rosa Gonzalez	Patricia Martínez	<i>Need Volunteer</i>
COMMUNION MINISTERS			Teri O'Connor <i>Julie Yarno</i>	Thomas Martin <i>Fran Powers</i>		Rogelio Canchola Gabriel Méndez <i>Guadalupe Méndez</i>	
GREETER				Kathryn Griffiths			
ALTAR SERVERS	<i>Need Volunteers</i>	Jade Carrera Díaz Dionisio Franquiz Natalia Franquiz	<i>Need Volunteers</i>	Sfia & Mia Moreno Rosas Bretton Quick	Aaron Ramirez Isabelle Ramirez Damian Ramirez	Alexander Gaytán Alex Hernández Maria Zavala	<i>Need Volunteer</i>

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

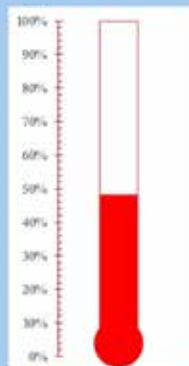
WEEKDAY MINISTERS / MINISTROS DE LA SEMANA		
DATES	LECTOR	SACRISTAN
Sep. 23-28	Sharon Jackson	Mickey Kreissler
Martes 24	Teresa López	Antonio & Angelica Serna
Linens/Lienzos: Weeks of Sep. 22 and 29: Rosario Lira; weeks of Ont. 6 & 13: Marcia Klasey		



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.

Organ Fundraising Goal
\$80,000.00



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 excepciones!

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!

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.

LITTLE FLOWER NOVENA

*In honor of St. Thérèse of Lisieux,
whose feast day is October 1st*
Sunday, Sept. 22 – Monday, Sept. 30
7:00 p.m.

JP II East Campus (St. Teresa)
361 Saint Joseph Avenue
Kankakee, IL 60901



Spiritual Adoption Program

Here is what your 6 month spiritually adopted baby is doing right now. keep praying! Your baby is growing quite beautifully now. His weight is approaching 2 pounds. He can now turn inside the mother's womb. His sebaceous and sweat glands are working and he is covered by a thin white layer called vernix, which protects his delicate skin from the amniotic fluid that surrounds him. This wax-like substance will be quickly absorbed by the baby's skin shortly after birth. He can now respond to sound. Babies born prematurely at this time have a very good chance of surviving. The medical advances in caring for extremely small newborn infants are extraordinary indeed.

Programa de Adopción Espiritual

Tamaño: cerca de 14 pulgadas; peso: casi 2 libras. El bebé ya se puede virar dentro del vientre materno. Sus glándulas sebáceas y sudoríparas están funcionando y está cubierto por una capa fina blanca llamada vernix, que protege su delicada piel del líquido amniótico que le rodea. Esta sustancia similar a la cera será rápidamente absorbida por la piel del bebé poco después de su nacimiento. Ahora puede responder al sonido. Sus pulmones están bastante desarrollados y si nace prematuramente a esta edad tiene una buena oportunidad de sobrevivir.



You're Invited
CCW
Membership Brunch

October 6th
10:30 am
At Settles Center

All women of the parish are welcome.
We can't wait to meet you all
and share with you
our vision for the women
of St John Paul II Parish.

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
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community**

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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, October 4

*October's Book election -
Something other than God*
By: Jennifer Fulwiler

Growing in Faith Together



- GIFT -
**Thursday,
September 26**
6:30 pm

(Holy Family Hall)
The Chosen - Season 4
Episode 2: "Confessions"

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:

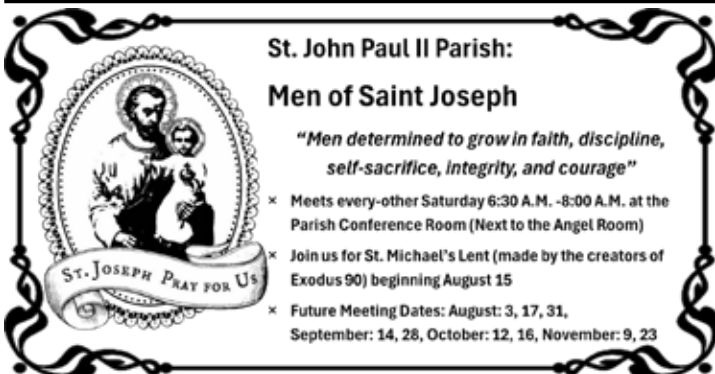
Men of Saint Joseph

"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 23 – 27

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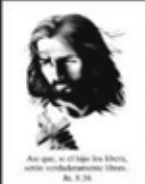


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In Kankakee and Iroquois Counties, call Bry Williams at 815-933-7791 ext. 9928 or mail americorpsseniors@cc-doj.org. For more information about the programs and services provided by Catholic Charities, visit catholiccharitiesjoliet.org.



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PILGRIM VIRGIN STATUE OF FATIMA PARISH VISITATION

Where:

Holy Trinity Catholic Parish
111 S. Cass Ave
Westmont, IL 60559

When:

October 18th: 8am-8pm

Schedule:

- **8:15am** Procession of the Statue with Knights of Columbus.
- **Crowning of the Blessed Mother** by Father Rafal Wasilewski, C.R.
- **Holy Mass**

Rosary (Every 2 Hours)

- **10:00am** Rosary/ Litany of the Blessed Mother (Joyful Mysteries)
- **12:00pm** Rosary/Litany of the Blessed Mother (Luminous Mysteries)
- **2:00pm** Rosary/Litany of the Blessed Mother (Sorrowful Mysteries)
- **4:00pm** Rosary/Litany of the Blessed Mother (Glorious Mysteries)
- **6:00pm** Angelus and Scapular Enrollment – Deacon Tony Lenard
- **7:00pm** Benediction/Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Divine Mercy Novena
- **8:00pm** Closing/Farewell Procession of the Blessed Mother



All are invited to join us in celebration of the Diocese of Joliet 75th Anniversary! Please join us September 28, 2024 at 4pm
Lewis University St. Charles Borromeo North Campus
101 W Airport Rd, Romeoville, IL 60446

Presider: The Most Reverend Ronald A. Hicks

Gathering after mass for fellowship and refreshments.

The Mass will take place at the former St. Charles Borromeo Seminary / Pastoral Center located on the North Campus of Lewis University. Access by heading South on Route 53, taking a right (west) on Airport Road. Immediately on your left will be the Convocation Hall parking and entrance.



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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!**

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Registration: 708:790:8141



**You are cordially invited to the
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Joliet Diocesan Council of Catholic Women
October 19, 2024
Blanchette Catholic Center
16555 Weber Road
Crest Hill, IL**

at 8:00 am

**For questions please contact:
Teddy Brosseau at (815)671-2296**

Featuring April Adams speaking on "Women Connecting", business meeting, raffles, drawings, Mass with Bishop Hicks, food, and fellowship

FROM OUR DIOCESE

VOCATION PRAYER CALENDAR September 22 - 29

Remember these men and women in your daily prayers – priests, Deacons, Seminarians and Women & Men Religious in the Diocese of Joliet:

22 Dcns. Edwin Petak, Charles Peterson, Anthony Plese
 23 Fr. Bruce Taggart O.Carm., Fr. Edward Ward O.Carm. Fr. John Welch O.Carm.
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 25 Sr. Mary Mark Segvich OSF, Sr. Joyce Shanabarger OSF, Sr. Mary Shinnick OSF
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 27 Fr. Larry Janeczic O.F.M., Fr. Michael Jennrich O.F.M., Fr. Herbert Jones O.F.M.
 28 Sr. Josephine Mulcahey OSF, Sr. Francis Therese Ortega OSF, Sr. Mary Barbara Hassler OSF
 29 Bishop Ronald Hicks 30 Sr. Cristina Soyao OSF, Sr. Elaine Teders OSF, Sr. Kim Marie Wolf OSF

Vocations are born in prayer and from prayer; and only through prayer can they persevere and bear fruit.

Pope Francis

VOCATION PRAYER CALENDAR

Week of September 22

For the Parishioners of St. Matthew Parish in Glendale Heights, St. Petronille Parish in Glen Ellyn and St. James the Apostle Parish in Glen Ellyn, that abundant blessings will be bestowed upon them during this our Anniversary Year. Let us pray to the Lord.

Tuesday, September 24

St. Matthew Parish, Glendale Heights

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