

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.

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

St. John Paul II
907 S. 9th Ave., Kankakee, Illinois 60901

SATURDAY
4:30 pm Vigil Mass
6:00 pm
Misa de Vigilia en Español

SUNDAY
8:00, 9:30, 11:30 am
1:00 pm (Español)
3:00 pm (Latin)
5:00 pm

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY THRU FRIDAY
7:30 am
Martes/Tuesday
6:00 pm (Español)
SATURDAY
8:00 am
Wednesday/Friday 12:00 PM Latin Mass

CONFESSIONS

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

**The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 16, 2022**



“Bringing Jesus to Everyone and Everyone to Jesus”

A NOTE FROM THE PASTOR

UNA NOTA DEL PÁRROCO

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

This weekend's Gospel is about the wedding feast at Cana. This is the first miracle that Jesus performed: turning water into wine. Miracles are particularly important in the Gospel according to St. John, because they are little epiphanies that reveal to us Jesus' divinity, reminding us that God has visited His people. A wedding was a fitting occasion for Jesus to begin to reveal who He is and what He is about. After all, salvation is a love story between God and His people. Even though we sin and can drift away from God, God has pursued us and entered into a covenant, a union, with us. Time and again in the Old Testament, God spoke of us His love for us by referring to His people as His beloved bride. This is fulfilled in Jesus, who wed humanity to Himself when He became man, loved us so perfectly when He died for us, and sent His Holy Spirit upon the Apostles and the Church, inviting us into a union with Him that is loving and eternal. St. Paul reminds us in the fifth chapter of his letter to the Ephesians that Christ loved the Church as a groom loves his bride. Jesus' parables that liken heaven to a wedding feast are echoed in the nineteenth chapter of the Book of Revelation: "Blessed are those who have been called to the wedding feast of the Lamb." Heaven is a wedding feast, when we are in perfect union with God, when the Lamb, Jesus Christ, is received by His bride, the Church, and we the Church are received by the bridegroom, Jesus Christ. That heavenly wedding feast is not only our destination, but our Lord has given us an experience of it in this life every time we receive the sacraments. In the sacraments, particularly the holy Eucharist, holy Matrimony, and confession, we are given a taste of that loving relationship between God and His Church. Through the sacraments, our Lord loves us and sanctifies us. Let us stay close to our Lord in the frequent and devout reception of the sacraments. Know of my continued prayers for you, and please continue to pray for me and one another.

In Christ,
Fr. Matt



Queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo:

El Evangelio de este domingo es sobre las bodas de Caná. Este es el primer milagro que realizó Jesús: convertir el agua en vino. Los milagros son particularmente importantes en el Evangelio de San Juan porque son pequeñas epifanías que nos revelaron la divinidad de Jesús, recordándonos que Dios ha visitado a su pueblo. Una boda fue una ocasión adecuada para que Jesús comenzara a revelar quién es él y cuál es su misión. La salvación es una historia de amor entre Dios y su pueblo. Aunque pecamos y a veces nos alejamos de Dios, Dios nos ha buscado y ha hecho una alianza, una unión, con nosotros. En el Antiguo Testamento, Dios se referiría a su pueblo como su amada esposa. Esto es cumplido en Jesús, quien desposó consigo a la humanidad cuando se hizo hombre, nos amó tan perfectamente cuando murió por nosotros y envió su Espíritu Santo sobre los Apóstoles y la Iglesia, invitándonos a una unión con él que es amorosa y eterna. San Pablo nos recuerda en el quinto capítulo de su carta a los Efesios que Cristo amó a la Iglesia como un marido ama a su esposa. Las parábolas de Jesús que comparan el cielo con una fiesta de bodas están expresadas en el capítulo diecinueve del Libro del Apocalipsis: "Felices los que han sido invitados al banquete de bodas del Cordero." El cielo es una fiesta de bodas, cuando estamos en perfecta unión con Dios, cuando el Cordero, Jesucristo, es recibido por su esposa, la Iglesia, y nosotros, la Iglesia, somos recibidos por el marido, Jesucristo. La fiesta de bodas celestial es nuestro destino y más sin embargo nuestro Señor nos ha dado unas experiencias de su amor celestial en esta vida cada vez que recibimos los sacramentos. En los sacramentos, particularmente la santa Eucaristía, el Matrimonio y la confesión, se nos da a probar esa relación amorosa entre Dios y su Iglesia. A través de los sacramentos, nuestro Señor nos ama y nos santifica. Permanezcamos cerca de nuestro Señor en la frecuente y devota recepción de los sacramentos. Frecuentemente yo rezo por ustedes y por favor sigan orando los unos por los otros.

En Cristo,
Padre Mateo

Year of the Eucharist



Sunday Vespers & Benediction

Every Sunday, 6:30pm – 6:50pm
Vespers (Evening Prayer) consists of praying with psalms and scripture. It ends with Benediction with the Blessed Sacrament.

Year of the Eucharist Talk

6:50pm-7:20pm

During our parish's Year of the Eucharist (June 1, 2021-May 31, 2022), vespers is followed by a brief talk on the Eucharist, the Mass, and other rituals and devotions of our Catholic Faith.

Topic this Week: January 16
The Feast Days in January





Time, Talent & Treasure
 Fostering Stewardship as a way of life
 In gratitude of God's gifts of time and talent to us
 we gratefully acknowledge and salute

Our Adoration Ministries

Sunday Offering/Ofranda del Domingo
January 9, 2021

\$\$\$9,031.00
 (139 Envelopes)
 (Includes \$1,233 from Online Giving added above)

In an effort to keep you more informed, this
 information is being provided to the parishioners.

Monthly School Subsidy to Bishop McNamara:
\$5,833.34

Monthly Diocesan Assessment: \$3,584
Monthly Contribution Envelope Cost: \$435

Our goal each week to cover our expenses is:
Nuestra Meta por Semana para cubrir los gastos es de:
\$10,770.00

THANK YOU GRACIAS

THIS WEEK AT JP2

Monday, January 17

12:00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
 7:00pm Charismatic Group
 7:00pm Parish Council Mtg.

Tuesday, January 18

10:00am Fatima Rosary
 11:00am Living Word Bible Study
 5:00pm Confessions
 6:00pm FFP Classes/Mentor Night
 7:00pm Living Word Bible Study
 7:30pm RCIA

Wednesday, January 19

6:00pm FFP Classes/Mentor Night

Thursday, January 20

5:00pm Confessions
 6:30pm GIFT-Growing in Faith Together
 7:00pm Choir Practice

Friday, January 21

9:00am Food Pantry-East Campus
 9:00am Clothing Closet @ Lisieux
 10:00am Prayer Shawl Ministry
 6:00pm 12 Step Program @ Lisieux
 6:00pm Words of Wisdom Book Club

Saturday, January 22

10:00am FFP Family Retreat
 3:30pm Confessions

Sunday, January 23

9:00am Pescador de Hombres Bible Study (Men)
 6:30pm Year of the Eucharist Vespers/Teaching

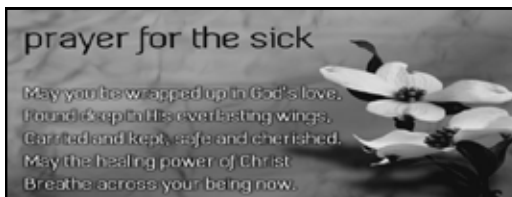
FUTURE EVENTS

Jan. 30 Catholic Schools Week Begins
 Feb. 2 Candelaria Mass
 Feb. 6 Blood Pressure Screenings
 Feb. 20 Mentor Sunday Mass
 Feb. 20 CCW Winter Bunco
 Mar. 6 Dinner With 12 New Friends
 Mar. 13 Knights of Columbus Blood Drive
 Mar. 13 CCW Baby Shower

Please Note: Times/Events subject to change as needed.
Visit our website at jp2kankakee.org to view the most current calendar.



Call the
 Parish Office to
 request your
 Tax Statement
 for
 donations made to the
 parish in 2021.



PRAYING WITH INTENTION FOR THE SICK

- | | | |
|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Barrett, Rita | Beedle, Jim | Bialas, Margaret |
| Blue, Vicki | Boswell, Cheryl | Brandon, Linda |
| Burson, Kelli | Butler, Mike | Call, Kathy |
| Clocksins, Bill | Clocksins, Mary | Crane, Pat |
| Dechenne, Kathy | Dytkevich, Susan | Emling, Kenneth |
| Goselin, Eula Mae | Griffiths, Kathy | Jourbert, Arnie |
| LaPierre, Jonette | LaRoche, Jackie | Lenzi, Robert |
| Licon, Arthur | Martinez, Sylvia | Norgaard, Ardelle |
| Pagono, Agnes | Paquette, Donna | Raut, Francis |
| Robinson, Craig | Saindon, Jim | Salazar, Magdalena |
| Schultz, Steve | Smith, Jackson | Torres, Teresa |
| Turner, Debbie | Wulffe, Daniel | Wulffe, Matthew |
| Vazquez, Josefina | | |

*** The Intention of this list is to pray for the seriously ill. Please help us keep the list updated by calling the parish office with any

Homebound & Nursing Home Parishioners

- HOMEBOUND:** Barbara Ciaccio, Rose Kaminsky, Rosemary Dicarolo, Bob Granger
ASBURY SUPPORTIVE LIVING: Rosalyn Szymborski
LUTHER PLACE: Leola Mulvihill, Thrasilla Janczak
PRESENCE HERITAGE Lodge: Dick Keethers, John Hagan
Village:
BICKFORD: Lavonne Linneman
RIVERSIDE SENIOR LIFE/MEMORY CARE:
Miller Rehab. Center: Rita Morris
Butterfield Court: Muffy Stamper, Colette Cheffer
Senior Care: Ardel Norgaard, David Africano
Westwood Oaks: Eileen Dupuis
Manteno Veterans Home:

St. John Paul II Directory

Phone 815-933-7683 Fax 815-933-7692

Parish Office Hours

Mon.—Thurs. 9 am—4 pm Fri. 9 am—1 pm

Horario de la Oficina Hispana

Martes a Jueves 9am-4pm Viernes 9 am—1 pm

Pastor

Very Rev. Matthew Pratscher ext. 402
frmatt@jp2kankakee.org

Parochial Vicar

Rev. Roy Jacob, CMI, ext. 403
frroy@jp2kankakee.org

In Residence

Rev. John Horan ext. 412
frhoran@jp2kankakee.org

Deacons

David Marlowe, Greg Clodi, & Rocco Busato

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

Business Manager :

Kathy Griffiths ext. 406 kgriffiths@jp2kankakee.org

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Kathy Dummer ext. 408
kdummer@jp2kankakee.org

Please email bulletin requests to the above address
no later than the previous Friday before the weekend
requested.

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Faith Formation Office: 815-932-7911

Sister Evangeline srevangeline@jp2kankakee.org

Music Director :

Christopher Wilcox cwilcox@jp2kankakee.org

Coros Hispanos: Caitlyn Segura

Building & Grounds: ontop60@msn.com
Rende Langlois 815-693-0253

Parish Media Links

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jp2kankakee.org



Facebook

St John Paul II

Kankakee

YouTube: St. John Paul II Kankakee

Parish Council Members

Julie Busken Chairperson Cathy Langlois-Co-Chair

Deb Groth-Secretary

Marc Nichols

Gabriel Mendez

Maria Pizano-Calderon

Bob Kerness

Finance Council Members

Mark O'Connor- President Cheryl Walsh-Secretary

Sonda Clocksin

Amy Anderson

Mickey Kreissler

Alicia Saldivar

Tom Martin

***Did you move ?**

***Do you have a new mailing
address?**

***Did you get rid of your
landline?**

***Did you get a new Cell Phone
#?**

***Do you have an email address you would like to
share?**

Please call the office with updates, 815-933-7683.



Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

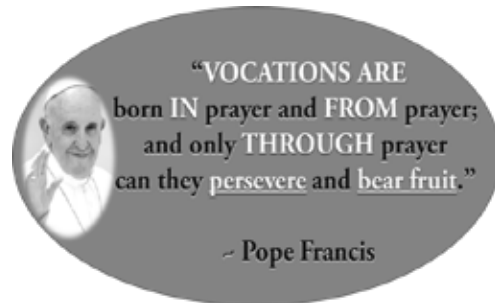
January 16, 2022

Isaiah 62:1-5 1 Corinthians 12:4-11 John 2:1-11

Believing Signs

At first glance, these readings lead us to bride and groom, gifts, and marriage. But there are important things underneath, important truths at the heart of these proclamations. God has not and will not abandon us (Isaiah). Charisms, that is, gifts of the Spirit, are given to everyone to use for the common good, not just one's own good (Corinthians). The miracle of water to wine is the first of many signs of the Messiah, the Christ (John). God's signs and good activity are everywhere.

- ♦ What evidence do I have that God is with us still?
- ♦ What gifts that I have, given by the Spirit, will I put to use for the good of another?
- ♦ Christ is active all the time. What little and big signs of this goodness can I be part of? What signs will I rejoice in?



VOCATION PRAYER CALENDAR

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

Jan. 17 Sr. Helen Jilek, Fr. Max Behna, Fr. Peter Infanger

Jan. 18 Fr. John Balluff, Fr. Brad Baker

Jan. 19 Seminarian Kevin O'Leary

Jan. 20 Sr. Alberta Kywela, Sr. Rosalie Marie Major,
Sr. Norbertha Mlowe OSB

Jan. 21 Dcns. Patrick Blaney, John Blumenstein, William
Boucek, John Boyle, James Breen, David Brockman

Jan. 22 Seminarian Juan Carlos Pirir

Jan. 23 Fr. Mark J. Bernhard, Fr. Max Behna, Fr. Peter Infanger

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. Jan. 17 St. Anthony

1 Samuel 15:16-23

Mark 2:18-22

Tues. Jan. 18

1 Samuel 16:1-13

Mark 2:23-28

Weds. Jan. 19

1 Samuel 3:1-10, 19-20

Mark 3:1-6

Thurs. Jan. 20

1 Samuel 18:6-9, 19:1-7

Mark 3:7-12

Fri. Jan. 21 St. Agnes

1 Samuel 24:3-21

Mark 3:13-19

Sat. Jan. 22 Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

2 Samuel 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27

Mark 3:20-21

Sun. Jan. 23 Third Sunday In Ordinary Time

Nehemiah 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10

1 Corinthians 12:12-30

Luke 1:1-4; 4:14-21



SACRAMENTS

Baptism:

Call the parish office for Pre-Baptismal requirements and scheduling. Call 815-933-7683.

Weddings:

Marriage Preparation begins at least 6 months in advance. Call the parish office for date confirmation before finalizing other wedding plans.

PROCEDIMIENTO PARA SACRAMENTOS

Bautismo

Llame a la oficina parroquial por lo menos dos meses antes, para curso pre-bautismal y requisitos. Llame 815-933-7683.

Bodas:

La preparación comienza seis meses antes. Llame a la oficina parroquial para confirmar la fecha antes de finalizar otros planes de su boda.



The candle in the sanctuary is burning for
Mary Grierson
By
Kathy DeChenne



Prayer Line Information

For your prayer requests, please call or email the number/address below. Thank You

Ann Wheeler 815-932-7938

Barb Jepson Wbjepson69@gmail.com

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday

8:00 a.m.

4:30 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

January 15, 2022

Pam Bierbaum (*Friends*)

† George Faber (*Joe Davis*)

For All The Parishioners of St. John Paul II

Sunday

8:00 a.m.

9:30 a.m.

11:30 a.m.

1:00 p.m.

January 16, 2022

† Charles "Bud" Birr (*Joanne Riberdy*)

† Molly Rose Ciaccio (*Lori Ciaccio*)

† Julia Bajt (*Karen Bajt*)

For Vocations to the Priesthood

Mariana Cabrales (*Elsa Martinez*)

For The Intentions of the Priest

For the Benefactors of our Parish

3:00 p.m.

5:00 p.m.

Monday

7:30 a.m.

January 17, 2022

† Mary Jane Stueck (*Skip & Rita Kanosky*)

Tuesday

7:30 a.m.

6:00 p.m.

January 18, 2022

† Earle Uribe (*Desiree & Doris*)

† Ruben Hernandez (*JP2 Family*)

Wednesday

7:30 a.m.

12:00 p.m.

January 19, 2022

† Robin Ahramovich (*Family & Friends*)

† Sandra K. Arnold (*Robert & Barbara Boudreau*)

Thursday

7:30 a.m.

January 20, 2022

† Ethel Delaney (*Barb Jepson*)

Friday

7:30 a.m.

12:00 p.m.

January 21, 2022

† Charles "Bud" Birr (*Frances Powers*)

Heather Boudreau (*Robert & Barbara Boudreau*)

Saturday

8:00 a.m.

4:30 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

January 22, 2022

† Joan Schultz (*Friends & Family*)

† Marjorie Messerle (*Lester & Lynn Anderson*)

Lives Lost to Abortion (*Pro-Life Committee*)

Sunday

8:00 a.m.

9:30 a.m.

11:30 a.m.

1:00 p.m.

3:00 p.m.

5:00 p.m.

January 23, 2022

† Pamela Jo Sirois (*Lori Ciaccio*)

† Ruth LaFond (*Food Pantry Team*)

† Paul Marczak (*Vicky Marczak*)

Lives Lost to Abortion (*Pro-Life Committee*)

For The Intentions of the Priest

For All The People of St. John Paul II

† Marjorie Messerle (*Duane & Anna Boyd*)



JOIN THE PRAYER LINE

May we add you to the dedicated group of people who pray for the requests made to our JP2 prayer line? You can be contacted by phone or email. Contact Ann Wheeler, 815-932-7938, to become part of this valuable ministry.



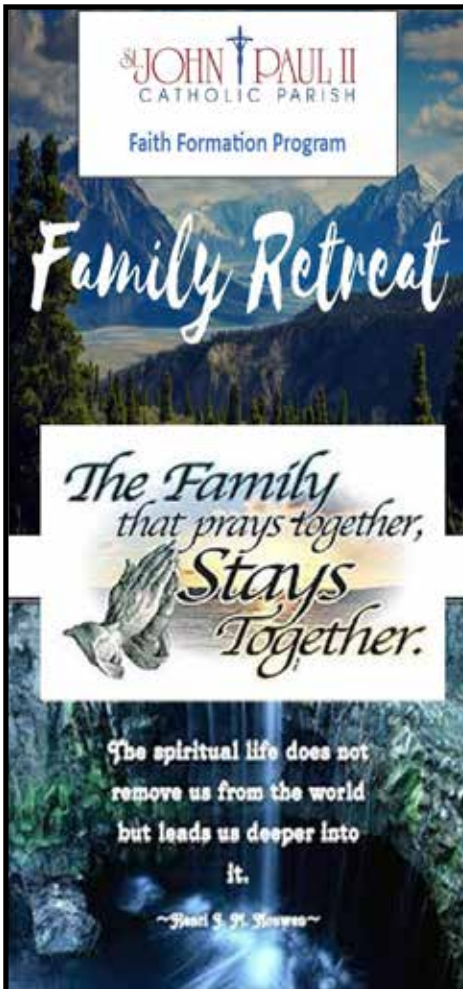
**St. John Paul II Faith Formation Program
Raffle Fundraiser Winners.**

- \$ 50 Paola Guerrero
- \$ 100 Kathy Griffiths
- \$ 100 Barb Staniszeski
- \$ 250 Francisco Martinez
- \$ 500 Yadira Gomez

A **BIG Thank You** to our **FFP Students and their Parents** for their cooperation in selling the Raffle Tickets.

We raised \$6,010

God Bless You and Thank You to all who supported our program.



**Faith Formation
Annual Family
Retreat**

When: January 22, 2022

Time: 10am - 1pm

Venue: Settles Center

All Students and their
Parents/Family are required
to attend.

**Retiro
Familiar Anual de
Formación en la Fe**

Cuándo: 22 de enero de 2022

Hora: 10am - 1pm

Lugar: Centro Settles

Todos los estudiantes y sus
Padres/Familiares están
obligados a asistir.



Gracious and loving God, help the men and women of our parishes to hear the call to serve in the Diocese of Joliet.

Our needs are great and our people thirst for your presence.

Open the hearts of many. Raise up faithful servants of the Gospel- dedicated, holy priests, sisters, brothers and deacons, who will spend themselves for your people and their needs.

Bless all of our married couples with a rich faith and children that desire to serve you.

Bless those who are serving now with courage and perseverance. Grant that many will be inspired by their example and faith.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

On Monday, January 17, the Parish Office will be closed in honor of the Martin Luther King Holiday.

On 12 September 1987, Pope John Paul II recalled the dream of the African-American leader. He was in New Orleans when he met the black Catholic Community of the city. Karol Wojtyla recalled the long and difficult journey of the African-American community to overcome injustice and to liberate itself from the weight of oppression. "In the most difficult hours of your struggle for civil rights amidst discrimination and oppression", he emphasized, "God himself guided your steps along the way of peace. Before the witness of history, the response of non-violence stands, in the memory of this nation, as a monument of honor to the black community of the United States."



St. John Paul II spoke of the "providential role" played by Martin Luther King Jr "in contributing to the rightful human betterment of black Americans and therefore to the improvement of American society itself." Like Paul VI, he found a particular affinity with the Christian vision of human brotherhood incarnated by the Pastor from Atlanta who believed, up to point of the ultimate sacrifice, in the liberating action of faith in Christ.

Liturgical Schedule	Saturday January 22 4:30 pm	Saturday January 22 6:00 pm Español	Sunday January 23 8:00 am	Sunday January 23 9:30 am	Sunday January 23 11:30 am	Sunday January 23 1:00 pm	Sunday January 23 5:00 pm
Lector	Shari Janik	Teresa Lopez	Cathi Willi	Elizabeth Williams	Laura Shellie	Claudia Avila	Steve Kelley
Ushers Ujieres	Ron Dressler Ray Colevris S/U Karen Miller	Norma Sanchez Jennifer Sanchez Eloisa Ayala Jose Ayala	Brenda Lystila Dave Lystila Chris Cates	John Lilienthal Kerri Lilienthal Deb Groth W: Birdie Blanchette	Fernandez Family	Israel Lorenzo Maricela Lorenzo Maria Calderon Veronica Calvillo	Janice Shenk
Disinfecting Limpeza	Not Needed	Eloisa Ayala Jose Ayala	Not Needed	Not Needed	Fernandez Family	Not Needed	Not Needed

Weekday Ministers/Ministros de la Semana and Linen Cleaning Schedule
 January 17-22: Daily Mass: Lector: Cheryl Heldt Sacristan: Ema Elvir
 January 24-29: Daily Mass: Lector: George Arocha Sacristan: Flor Rojas
 Martes Noche Misa Española:
 January 18: Lector: Serafin Lopez Sacristan: Daniel Varela, Ema Elvir
 January 25: Lector: Teresa Lopez Sacristan: Teresa Lopez
 Linens: January 16/23: Sharon Jackson



Liturgy Needs: Saturday, 4:30 pm mass Lectors and Ushers for the Sunday, 5:00 pm mass.

Please contact Lori Ciaccio, 815-933-7683, ext. 405, if you would like to be added as an Usher, or Lector at this time.



**JOY
IN
JANUARY**

**SATURDAY,
JANUARY 8**

**KANKAKEE
COUNTRY
CLUB**

**The St. John Paul II
Council of Catholic
Women, along with the
other councils in the
deanery, came together
for their annual
luncheon and gathering.**



THANK YOU—GRACIAS

To the many helping hands responsible for glorifying our church with beauty for the Advent and Christmas seasons, your Parish Priests, Deacons, Staff and church family wish to thank you for your time and care in creating a beautiful and prayerful environment to worship.

St. John Paul II Church is blessed with a wonderful Art & Environment Team.

God Bless You,
Lori Ciaccio, Liturgy Associate



FAITH FORMATION

Adoration
of the Blessed Sacrament



Every Monday/Cada Lunes

12-5pm

First Friday of the month/ Primer viernes del mes

8:00 am-6:00 pm

Primer Sábado del mes / First Saturday of the month

Adoración Nocturna/Nocturnal Adoration

8:00 pm-5:00 am

St. JOHN PAUL II
CATHOLIC PARISH

You are Invited

For the Anniversary of Roe vs.

Wade to pray

The Rosary for Life

Saturday, January 22nd

@ 1:30pm

We will meet on Court Street

Courthouse sidewalk

(Weather Permitting)

In case of inclement weather we

will meet inside at Knight of

Columbus building 187 S Indiana

Ave Kankakee

We proclaim that human life is a precious gift from God; that each person who receives this gift has responsibilities toward God, self and others; and that society, through its laws and social Institutions, must protect and nurture human life at every stage of its existence.

Love the gift that you are given



9 DAYS FOR LIFE

PRAY TO PROTECT
HUMAN LIFE!

JANUARY 19-27, 2022

9 Days for Life is a novena for the protection of human life. Each day's intention is accompanied by a short reflection and suggested actions to help build a culture of life.



Join today at www.9daysforlife.com!

3 WAYS TO JOIN



9DaysforLife.com

Join thousands of Catholics nationwide in the annual **Respect Life novena, 9 Days for Life, Wednesday, January 19-Thursaday, January 27th.** Get daily intentions, brief reflections and more. Sign up today at 9daysforlife.com



On Saturday, January 22, the Church in the United States observes the annual, "Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children."

This day is set aside to pray for the legal protection of human life and to do penance for the violations to human dignity through abortion. We are called to observe this day through prayer and penance.

For more information:
respectlife.org/january-22



MINISTERIO HISPANO

Director del Ministerio Hispano: Alex Quezada

815-933-7683 ext. 404

aquezada@jp2kankakee.org

OCIA: Ordeno de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos: Ema & Antonio Elvir 815-304-9158

Azzarelli Outreach Clinic
Clinica Medica
Semana de Enero 17-21

Vean los anuncios afuera de la clínica para detalles actualizados o llame a la clínica al 815-928-6093.

Adoration
of the Blessed Sacrament



Every Monday/Cada Lunes 12-5pm
First Friday of the month/ Primer viernes del mes
8:00 am-6:00 pm
Primer Sábado del mes / First Saturday of the month
Adoración Nocturna/Nocturnal Adoration
8:00 pm-5:00 am

Santa Eucaristía

REFLEXIÓN CON PADRE MATT & PADRE ROY

EL PRIMER VIERNES DE CADA MES
@ 7:00PM

Oraciones al Sagrado Corazón de Jesús
Seguidas por platicas sobre la misa

1 de Octubre	4 de Febrero
5 de Noviembre	4 de Marzo
3 de Diciembre	1 de Abril
7 de Enero	6 de Mayo

Divina Misericordia/Divine Mercy

Cada 2do Sábado del mes

6:30-8 pm @ St. John Paul II

Para más information llame/for information call
Maria Toledo 815-935-8359



Se rezará el
rosario cada
sábado
a las 5:40 pm
antes de la misa
de
Español.



Todos Estan invitados

A rezar el Rosario por la Vida por el aniversario de Roe vs. Wade
Sábado 22 de Enero a las 1:30 pm

Nos reuniremos en la acera de la Courthouse sobre Court Street
(Si el clima lo permite)

En caso de mal clima, nos reuniremos adentro del edificio Knight
of Columbus 187 S Indiana Ave Kankakee



Proclamamos que la vida humana es un don precioso de Dios;
que cada persona que recibe este don tiene responsabilidades
para con Dios, consigo mismo y con los demás; y que la
sociedad, a través de sus leyes e instituciones sociales, debe
proteger y nutrir la vida humana en cada etapa de su existencia.

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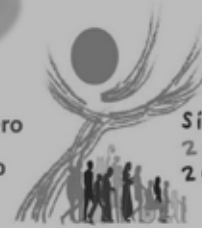
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Outreach Coordinator:	Teri O'Connor	815-693-9152	oconnor.teri@gmail.com
Our Shepherd's Clothing Closet	371 N. St. Joseph Ave., Kankakee		
Azzarelli Outreach Clinic:	Judy Busato/Kathy Wade	815-928-6093	azzarellclinic@yahoo.com
Kankakee Catholic Food Pantry:	Nancy Godin	815-933-7683 Ext. 417	
Lisieux Pastoral Center Director:	Kathy Wade	815-939-2913	
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Azzarelli Outreach Medical Clinic Week of January 17-21

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FOR INFORMATION!
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For the days that the clinic is open.



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