

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 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 30, 2022**



“Amen, I say to you, no prophet is accepted in his own native place.”

“De cierto os digo que ningún profeta es aceptado en su tierra natal”.

“Bringing Jesus to Everyone and Everyone to Jesus”

A NOTE FROM THE PASTOR

UNA NOTA DEL PÁRROCO

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

This Wednesday, February 2nd, is the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord. It is the fortieth day after Christmas, which is when St. Joseph and the Blessed Mother brought the child Jesus to the Temple in Jerusalem. There Simeon and the prophetess Anna recognized that the forty-day old infant was the Messiah, the light for all nations. Remembering that Christ is our light, we begin Mass that day with the blessing of the candles and a brief procession. That is why this day is popularly known as Candlemas. Because it is forty days after Christmas, many cultures wait to take down their Christmas decorations until that day. Since Jesus was presented in the temple that day, there is a popular custom in Latin America to bring their statues of the Baby Jesus to church to be blessed before putting them away. There will be a blessing of the statues of the Baby Jesus at the Spanish Mass at 7:00pm on Wednesday, February 2nd.

It is great to reflect on the Child Jesus. I am happy that we have a statue of the Infant of Prague in our church. The Child Jesus reminds us of His humility and love for us. We see our Savior living as one of us, and He does so in order that He may love us perfectly on the cross, conquer death on Easter Sunday, and send His Holy Spirit upon us so that we might be children of God and live in union with Him here on earth and forever in heaven. In 2007, I received my godmother's prayer book from when she was a little girl, and I quickly found one of the chapters simple and profound. It refers to the Child Jesus and is on the meaning of life, what a good child should live for: "A Catholic child should have...one great desire: to love Jesus; one great joy: to possess Jesus; one great fear: to lose Jesus; one great model: the Child Jesus; one great business: to work for Jesus; one great delight: to speak to Jesus; one great wish: to be like Jesus; one great care: to do the will of Jesus; one great sorrow: the sufferings of Jesus; one great hope: to live forever with Jesus; one great refuge: the Heart of Jesus; one great glory: to be crowned with Jesus." May we live in union forever with Christ; may the light of His love shine upon us and bring us joy and eternal happiness.

Know of my prayers for you, and let us continue to pray for one another.

In Christ,
Fr. Matt



Queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo:

Este miércoles, 2 de febrero, es la Fiesta de la Presentación del Señor. Es el cuadragésimo día después de Navidad, cuando San José y la Santísima Madre llevaron al niño Jesús al Templo de Jerusalén. Allí Simeón y la profetisa Ana reconocieron que el niño de cuarenta días era el Mesías, la luz que alumbró a las naciones. Recordando que Cristo es nuestra luz, comenzamos la misa de ese día con la bendición de las velas y una breve procesión. Por eso, este día es conocido popularmente como Candelaria. Debido a que son cuarenta días después de Navidad, muchas culturas esperan hasta ese día para quitar sus adornos navideños. Porque el Niño Jesús fue presentado en el templo ese día, hay una costumbre popular de traer sus imágenes del Niño Jesús a la iglesia ese día para la bendición y levantada del Niño Dios. Les invito a traer sus imágenes y velas para ser bendecidas en la misa en español a las 7:00 pm, el miércoles 2 de febrero.

Estoy feliz que tenemos una estatua del Niño de Praga en nuestra iglesia. El Niño Jesús nos recuerda su humildad y amor por nosotros. Vemos a nuestro Salvador viviendo como uno de nosotros y lo hacía para amarnos perfectamente en la cruz, vencer la muerte el domingo de Pascua y enviar su Espíritu Santo sobre nosotros para que seamos hijos de Dios y vivamos en unión con él en este mundo y para siempre en el cielo. En el 2007, yo recibí el librito de oraciones de mi madrina cuando ella era niña y encontré un capítulo muy sencillo y profundo sobre el Niño Jesús y el significado de la vida, para qué debe vivir un buen niño: "Un niño católico debe tener... un gran deseo: amar a Jesús; una gran alegría: poseer a Jesús; un gran temor: perder a Jesús; un gran modelo: el niño Jesús. un gran negocio: trabajar para Jesús; un gran deleite: hablarle a Jesús; un gran deseo: vivir como Jesús; un gran cuidado: hacer la voluntad de Jesús; un gran dolor: los sufrimientos de Jesús; una gran esperanza: vivir para siempre con Jesús; un gran refugio: el Corazón de Jesús; una gran gloria: estar coronado con Jesús." Que siempre vivamos en unión con Cristo, la fuente de nuestro gozo y felicidad eterna.

Yo rezo por ustedes; sigamos rezando los unos por los otros.

En Cristo,
Padre Mateo

Sunday Vespers & Benediction

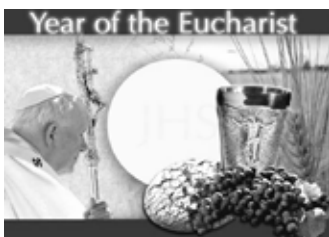
Every Sunday, 6:30pm – 6:50pm

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 30

"The Light of Christ: the Use of Candles in Church and Devotions"



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

Servants of the Holy Heart of Mary

Sunday Offering/Ofrenda del Domingo
January 23, 2021

\$ 8,181.36
 (152 Envelopes)
 (Includes \$1,401 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 31

12:00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
 7:00pm Charismatic Group
 7:00pm Synod (Spanish)

Tuesday, February 1

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

Wednesday, February 2

11:00am Lord Teach Me To Pray
 6:00pm FFP Classes

Thursday, February 3

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

Friday, February 4

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

Saturday, February 5

9:00am Carmelite Community Prayer Time/Mtg.
 3:30pm Confessions
 8:00pm Nocturnal Adoration

Sunday, February 6

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

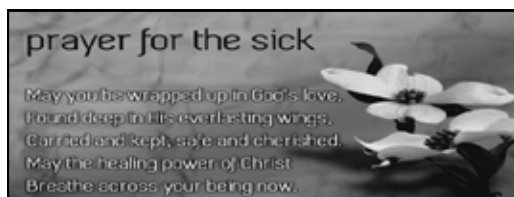
FUTURE EVENTS

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	Dytkiewicz, Susan	Emling, Kenneth
Goselin, Eula Mae	Griffiths, Kathy	LaPierre, Jonette
LaRoche, Jackie	Lenzi, Robert	Licon, Arthur
Martinez, Sylvia	Norgaard, Ardelle	Pagano, 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 changes. Thank You!

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**

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requested.

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Music Director :

Christopher Wilcox cwilcox@jp2kankakee.org

Coros Hispanos: Caitlyn Segura

Building & Grounds: ontop60@msn.com

Rende Langlois 815-693-0253

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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

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

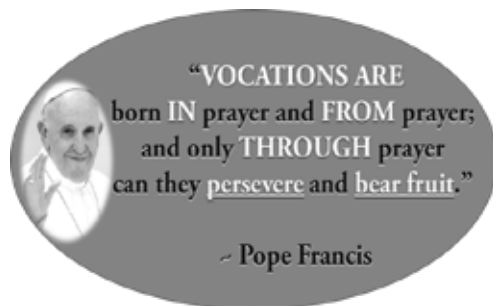
January 30, 2022

Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19 1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13 Luke 2:22-40

Believing God Who Protects

Proclaiming God's Word can be costly. For the grueling work of prophet Jeremiah, God declares he will not be alone. In proclaiming Good News in his home town, Jesus is faced with reproach and the threat of being thrown over the cliff. Proclaiming Good News is the task of each of us, because of Baptism into Christ. So, how do we do it? As faithful, hopeful, loving Christians.

- What words of faith will I share with others this week?
- What is part of the great hope I have in believing in Christ?
- Because God keeps me safe in a protecting embrace, how can I love? Whom will I love-even those who are not "one of us"?



VOCATION PRAYER CALENDAR

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

Jan. 31 Sr. M. Anthony de Lourdes Veilleux, Sr. Libby Dahlstrom,
Sr. Mary Martin O CARM

Feb. 1 Brs. Michael Fehrenbach, Christopher Ford, James
Gaffney, Richard Geimer FSC

Feb. 2 Deacons Nick Cifonie, Frank Ciscato

Feb. 3 Sr. Mary Catherine Rice, Sr. Rose Dominic Daily, Sr. Anna
Cecilia Kuhn OP

Feb. 4 Fr. Santos Castillo, Fr. Benjamin Chinnappan

Feb. 5 Fr. Daniel Torson C. PP.S., Fr. Edward Howe C.R.

Feb. 6 Sr. Maria Catherine Rethwisch, Sr. Marie Isaac Staub OP

***Did you move ?**

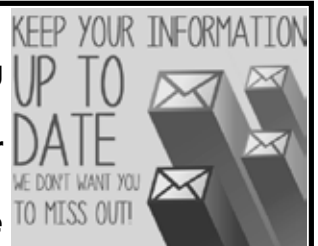
***Do you have a new mailing
address?**

***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.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. Jan. 31 St. John Bosco

2 Samuel 15:13-14, 30: 16:5-13

Mark 5:1-20

Tues. Feb. 1

2 Samuel 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30-19:3

Mark 5:21-43

Weds. Feb. 2 The Presentation of the Lord

Malachi 3:1-4

Hebrews 2:14-18

Luke 2:22-40

Thurs. Feb. 3 St. Blaise

1 Kings

Mark 6:7-13

Fri. Feb. 4

Sirach 47:2-11

Mark 6:14-29

Sat. Feb. 6 St. Agatha

1 Kings 3:4-13

Mark 6:30-34

Sun. Feb. 7 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8

1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Luke 5:1-11



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

George & Gabriele Kreutzer
By
Kreutzer Family and Friends



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 29, 2022

† Charles "Bud" Birr (Bob & Zondra Cross)

† Marjorie Messerle (Mark & Linda Messerle)

† George Faber (Dave & Carole Eckberg)

Sunday

8:00 a.m.

9:30 a.m.

11:30 a.m.

1:00 p.m.

January 30, 2022

† Dominic Ciaccio (Lori Ciaccio)

Pam Bierbaum (Friend-Karen Bajt)

† Norma Dummer (Sharon Jackson/Mickey Kreissler)

† Ted & Nell Kahnt (Teddy & Pat)

† Alison Saldana Munoz (Jose L. Saldana & Maria Munoz)

† Luis Garcia Moya (Sergia Garcia)

† Aida Garcia

† Delia Gutierrez

3:00 p.m.

5:00 p.m.

For All the People of St. John Paul II

† Oralia Razo (Her Family)

Monday

7:30 a.m.

January 31, 2022

† Rene Dionne (Adrian Raymond)

Tuesday

7:30 a.m.

6:00 p.m.

February 1, 2022

† Rita Hiles (Juanita Merrill)

Veronica Castillo & Family (JP2 Friends & Family)

Wednesday

7:30 a.m.

12:00 p.m.

February 2, 2022

† Silvinia Contreras (JP2 Friends & Family)

Boudreau Family: Living & Deceased (Bob & Barbara Boudreau)

7:00 p.m.

† Luis Jimenez (Daisy Hernandez)

Thursday

7:30 a.m.

February 3, 2022

Barbara Kopinska (Sr. Teresa)

Friday

7:30 a.m.

12:00 p.m.

February 4, 2022

Bill & Mary Clocksin (JP2 Friends & Family)

James Wojack (Cathy Glidewell)

Saturday

8:00 a.m.

4:30 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

February 5, 2022

All those affected by the COVID Virus (JP2 Family)

† Jim & Carol Sprimont (Paul & Marianne Surprenant)

† Manuel Castillo (JP2 Friends & Family)

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.

February 6, 2022

† George & Gabriele Kreutzer (Kreutzer Family/Friends)

† Marjorie Messerle (Thomas & Lola Schafer)

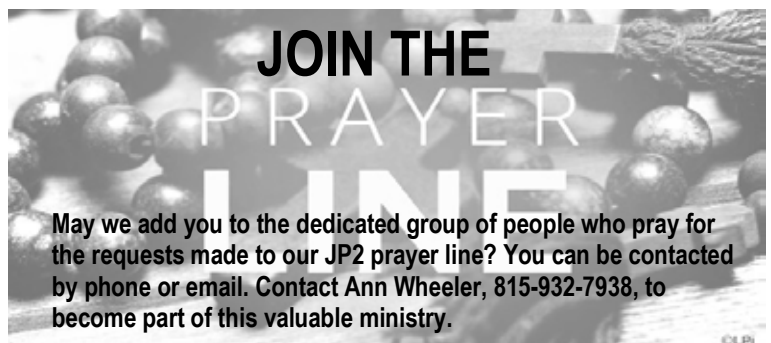
Neil Lumangstad (Ramos Family)

For All The People of St. John Paul II


Antonio Dominguez (JP2 Friends & Family)

Francis Longtin (Cathy Glidewell)

For the Intentions of the Priest



**BLESSINGS ARE ALWAYS A GOOD THING...
HERE ARE EXTRA OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOU IN FEBRUARY
FOR SPECIAL BLESSINGS**



CANDLEMAS
PRESENTATION OF THE LORD IN THE TEMPLE
PURIFICATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Wednesday, February 2
We celebrate the Presentation of Jesus in the temple and the purification of the Blessed Mother after the birth of Jesus. On this day the candles are blessed. In them we find the Holy Light that will light the way that leads us to the Lord.

Mass at 7:30 am
12:00 noon (Latin Mass)
7:00 pm (Spanish)

La Misa la Candelaria
Alas 7:00 pm
2 de febrero, celebración de la Presentación de Jesús en el templo, día en que se cumple la cuarentena de su Nacimiento, la purificación de la Virgen después de parto. Ese día también se bendicen las velas, en ellas se encuentra la Luz Santa que habrá de iluminar el camino que nos conduce al Señor. Traiga sus Niños dioces y velas a bendecir.

You may bring candles, (or there will be a few available) and Baby Jesus to be blessed.




BLESSING OF ST. BLAISE
3 February
Through the intercession of Saint Blaise, Bishop and Martyr, may God deliver you from ailments of the throat and from every other evil. In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen

Feast Day of St. Blaise
Blessing of the Throats
Thursday, February 3 at the 7:30 am mass
Also,
Saturday, February 5 and Sunday, February 6
After all masses there will be a Blessing of the Throats

Bendición de Gargantas
Jueves, 3 de febrero en la misa de 7:30am
Festividad de San Blass
También,
El sábado 5 de febrero y domingo 6 de febrero
Después de todas las misas habrá
Bendición de Gargantas



World Day of the Sick
FEBRUARY 11

"Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise."

Is anyone among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord."

World Day of Prayer for the Sick
Friday, February 11
7:30 am morning mass and 6 pm Bilingual Mass
There will be an Anointing of the Sick at both masses.

Día Mundial de Oración por los Enfermos
Viernes 11 de febrero
Misa de 7:30 am y 6 pm Misa Bilingue
Habrá unción de los enfermos en ambas misas.

On Sunday, February 13
at the 9:30 am and 1:00 pm masses
We will bless all the couples who are celebrating
5, 10, 20, 25, and 40 plus years of marriage.



El domingo, 13 de febrero
en las misas de 9:30 am y 1:00 pm
Bendeciremos a todas
las parejas que estén celebrando
5, 10, 20, 25, y mas de 40 años de casados.

Liturgical Schedule	Saturday February 5 4:30 pm	Saturday February 5 6:00 pm Español	Sunday February 6 8:00 am	Sunday February 6 9:30 am	Sunday February 6 11:30 am	Sunday February 6 1:00 pm	Sunday February 6 5:00 pm
Lector	Ryan Carter	Rogelio Benitez	Desiree Grant	Paul Gerth	Richard Ramirez	Miriam Gaytan	Julie Koerner
Ushers Ujieres	David Montague Laura Carter S/U Tracy Douglas	Vicente Andrade Marcela Andrade Juana M. Lugo Luis E. Ayala	Cathi Willi Kerri Lilienthal John Lilienthal	Deb Groth Steve Kelley Janice Shenk W-K. Griffiths	Israel Lira Rosario Lira	Kimberly Valtierra Jesús Candelario Sanjuana Valadez Marina Reza	Mickey Kreissler
Disinfecting Limpieza	Not Needed	Vicente Andrade Marcela Andrade	Not Needed	Not Needed	Israel & Rosario Lira	Not Needed	Not Needed

Weekday Ministers/Ministros de la Semana and Linen Cleaning Schedule
 Jan. 31-Feb. 5: Daily Mass: Lector: Tom Lamie Sacristan: Ken Klipp
 February 7-12: Daily Mass: Lector: Rende Langlois Sacristan: Linda Libby
 Martes Noche Misa Española:
 February 1: Lector: Elia Lopez Sacristan: Flor Rojas
 February 8: Lector: Marcela Andrade Sacristan: Antonio Serna, Angelica Serna
 Linens: January 30/February 6: Tracy Douglas February 13/20: Marilyn McDermott



Liturgy Needs: Saturday, 4:30 pm mass Lectors and 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.

Our Deepest Sympathy

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

May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, Rest in Peace.



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



JP2 PRO LIFE GROUP AND AREA CATHOLICS PRAY FOR VICTIMS OF ABORTION

A picture is worth a thousand words! This past Saturday was the 49th Anniversary of Roe v Wade, which legalized abortion in this country. To honor the 62 million lives lost from abortion, and to pray for those still affected, 60+ Catholics assembled on the Kankakee County Courthouse to say a Rosary For Life.

Young and old showed up, and six area Catholic parishes were represented.

We from the JP2 Pro Life Committee want to remember and honor Arnie Joubert, a lifelong parishioner involved in the Pro Life work locally for years. Thank you Arnie for your life and your example. We love you and will never forget you!



Words of Wisdom 2021 - 2022

Thursdays on dates below
6 PM JP2 Family Center

Questions?
Call Laurie Mau
815-933-8859



Thursday, February 3
6:30 PM Family Center

Questions? Contact Laurie Mau
815-933-8859

Feb. 11-**Death Comes
for the Archbishop** by
Willa Cather

Mar. 11-
1. **Life of the Beloved**
2. **Can You Drink This
Cup** both by Henri
Nouwen

Apr. 8-
1. **The Interior Castle**
2. **Let Nothing
Disturb You 30
Day Devotional** both
by St. Theresa of Avila

May 13-
**Breakthrough:
Miraculous True
Story of a Mother's
Faith & Her Child's
Resurrection** by Joyce
Smith

**First Monday Taize
Prayer will be held
Monday, February 7
6:00pm**
**Maternity BVM Parish,
308 E. Marsile Ave,
Bourbonnais**

**Catholic Schools
Week 2022
January 30-February 5**

If you or someone who you know is suffering after an abortion, confidential, compassionate help is available.

HOPE AFTER ABORTION
For confidential help call
888-456-HOPE
or visit hopeafterabortion.com

Visit HopeAfterAbortion.org

CELEBRATE CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK AT BISHOP MAC

Sunday, January 30: Celebrate Our Parishes
Monday, January 31: Celebrate Our Families
Tuesday, February 1: Celebrate Our Students
Wednesday, February 2: Celebrate Our Nation
Thursday, February 3: Celebrate Our Community
Friday, February 4: Celebrate Our Faculty & Staff
Saturday, February 5: Celebrate Our Vocations

Interested in scheduling a family tour of the school?
Contact Dawn Akerman at dakerman@bmcss.org

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 31- febrero 4

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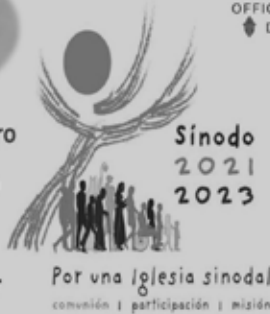
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- Crear un ambiente de confianza con una población en crecimiento
- Integrando a las familias en una comunidad saludable

Free monthly workshops in Spanish in 2022 to enhance healthy values that will result in common good for our community

- Empowering Hispanic families to deviate from the pattern of violence and tragedy
- Investing in prevention
- Creating an environment of trust with a growing population
- Integrating families into a healthy community



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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
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Azzarelli Outreach Medical Clinic Week of January 31-February 4

PLEASE LISTEN TO THE ENTIRE MESSAGE FOR INFORMATION!
Call 928-6093
For the days that the clinic is open.



Azzarelli Clinic is looking for Clerical and RN Volunteers.
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UPCOMING DATES

November 6, December 4,
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April 2, May 7
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Psalm 100:1

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Fr. Roy and Fr. Matt were not part of the team, but stopped by the event to lend support !

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