

St. JOHN PAUL II CATHOLIC PARISH

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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

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), 5:00 pm

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY THRU FRIDAY

7:30 am

Martes/Tuesday

6:00 pm (Español)

SATURDAY

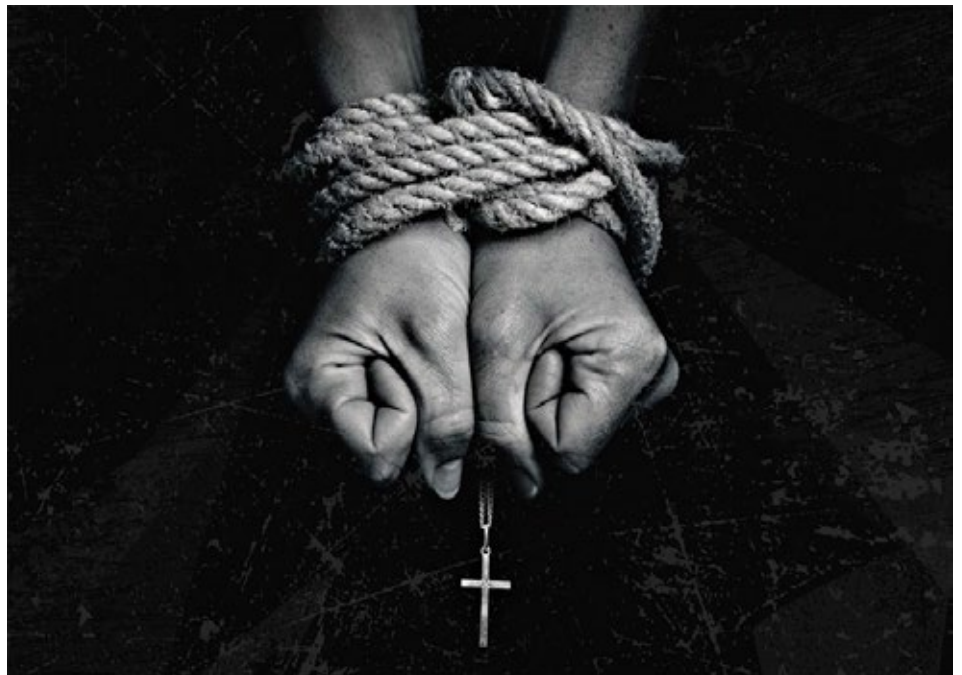
8:00 am

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 3:30 pm or by appointment

3:30 pm los sábados o por cita

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time November 17, 2019



**“You will be hated by all because of my name,
but not a hair on your head will be destroyed.
By your PERSEVERANCE you will secure
your lives.”**

Luke 21:18-19

**“Serás odiado por todos por mi nombre,
Pero ni un pelo en tu cabeza será destruido.
Por su PERSEVERANCIA asegurará sus vidas”.**

Lucas 21:18-19

“Bringing Jesus to Everyone and Everyone to Jesus!”

GETTING AHEAD OF OURSELVES: Setting up for a Better Holiday Season



Thanksgiving is less than two weeks away. Advent begins in three weeks. And Christmas is just six weeks away! I mentioned this shortly before the masses I celebrated last weekend, but I would like to show how serious I am about my encouragement by writing a bulletin article about it. We are about to enter into the busiest weeks of the entire year. And year in, year out, I see many people, including our parishioners, being lost in the hurly-burly of it all. For some, the Thanksgiving, Advent and Christmas Seasons can be a time of stress and panic to get everything done, from decorating of the house, food preparations, greeting card mailing, gift wrapping, visiting with friends and family, and everything else in between.

When we cram everything to the final moments of these important and supposedly blessed celebrations, it is possible for us to lose sight of the important things very easily. The stress can even take us away from the positive sentiments of togetherness, gratitude, hope and love during this season.

And so I want to take this opportunity to call our community together to be able to make this year's Thanksgiving, Advent and Christmas seasons more meaningful and less stressful. Here are some ideas for encouragement.

PLANNING AHEAD. There is something to be said about effective planning. Plan your dinners sooner. Know what you will be preparing and start filling up your pantry with the things that you will need. The sooner you shop the items that can be bought now, the less stressful it would be later when you will only have to buy the fresh ingredients. It will also help others if you will only shop a little bit later on, instead of having two full carts to shop and prolong the waiting lines.

DELEGATE. Decide early who will be doing the tasks for the parties. Some families are accustomed to sharing the food preparation, and so it is time to start contacting everyone to make sure the list is complete.

WRAP YOUR GIFTS AHEAD. Don't wait for the last minute to shop for your non-perishable gift items. These are things you can do now. This gives you more time to think about the gift itself, and therefore will allow more time for creativity, as needed. Our parish offers those SCRIP Cards that can serve as easy, practical and convenient gifts. Start ordering, inserting them in your greeting cards and sealing them ready for handing out.

If we all do this type of preparing ahead, who knows, you may find yourself this year sitting in your couch with your loved ones, simply laughing and sharing a great time together, and you might actually get to pause and breathe the air of the celebration. Finally, you will have a time to not just pause, but actually be still and bask in the love of God manifested in these coming special holidays. Let's get to work, my dear church, and make a better holiday experience this year. God bless our parish.

With devotion and gratitude,
Fr. Sunny Castillo

ADELANTANDONOS A NOSOTROS MISMOS: Preparandose para una Mejor Temporada Festiva

El día de Acción de Gracias esta a menos de dos semanas. Adviento comenzará en tres semanas. Y La Navidad solo a seis semanas! Mencione esto brevemente antes de las misas que celebre el fin de semana pasado, pero quiero mostrar lo serio que soy en fomentarlo, al escribir este artículo del boletín. Estamos por entrar a las semanas más ocupadas de todo el año. Y año que entra, año que sale, veo a muchas personas, incluyendo feligresa, perdidos en el correteo de todo. Para algunos, la temporada de Acción de Gracias, Adviento y Navidad pueden ser un tiempo de estrés y pánico por terminar todo, desde decorar la casa, preparar comida, enviar tarjetas, envolver regalos, visitar amigos, familia y todo lo demás.

Cuando abarrotamos todo hasta el momento final de estas importantes y supuestas benditas celebraciones, es posible para nosotros fácilmente perder de vista las cosas mas importantes. El estrés incluso nos puede alejar fácilmente de los sentimientos positivos de unidad, gratitud, esperanza y amor durante esta temporada.

Y entonces quiero tomar esta oportunidad para llamar a nuestra comunidad para que juntos podamos hacer este año una época de Acción de Gracias, Adviento y Navidad mas significativas y menos estresantes. Aquí están unas ideas para animar.

PLANEAR CON ANTICIPACION. Hay algo que decir acerca de planeación efectiva. Planear sus cenas más pronto. Saber que es lo que van a preparar y comenzar a llenar su despensa con las cosas que necesitará. Lo mas pronto que compre las cosas que se pueden comprar ahora lo menos estresante que será cuando solo tenga que comprar los ingredientes frescos. También ayudará a otros si va de compras más tarde en vez de tener dos carros llenos de comida y prolongar las líneas para pagar.

DELEGAR. Decidir pronto quien hará las tareas/deberes para las fiestas. Algunas familias están acostumbradas a compartir la preparación de la comida, entonces es tiempo de empezar a contactar a todos para asegurarse que la lista esta completa.

ENVUELVA SUS REGALOS ANTES. No espere hasta el último minuto para ir de compras por sus regalos no-perecederos. Estas cosas las puede hacer ahora. Esto le da más tiempo para pensar en el regalo mismo y dará más tiempo para la creatividad, conforme se necesite. Nuestra parroquia ofrece las tarjetas de SCRIP que pueden servir como regalos fáciles, prácticos y convenientes. Empezce a ordenar, póngalas dentro de sus tarjetas navideñas, séllelas y téngalas listas para regalar.

Si hacemos este tipo de preparaciones con anticipación quien sabe, puede ser que este año se encuentren sentados en el sofá con sus seres queridos, simplemente sonriendo, compartiendo un grato momento juntos y en realidad podría hacer una pausa y respirar el aire de la celebración. Finalmente tendrá un tiempo de no solo hacer una pausa, pero disfrutar en realidad en el amor de Dios manifestado en estas fiestas especiales venideras. Pongámonos a trabajar, mi querida iglesia, y hagamos las festividades una mejor experiencia este año. Dios bendiga a nuestra parroquia.

Con devoción y gratitud,
Padre Sunny Castillo

Liturgical Schedule	Saturday November 23 4:30 pm	Saturday/Sábado November 23 6:00 pm	Sunday November 24 8:00 am	Sunday November 24 9:30 am	Sunday November 24 11:30 am
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Bob Thrasher	Manuel Velasquez Justin Prado Sabrina Prado	Bob Thrasher Ben Bilderback	Maddie Russell Robbie Sowell	Alex Lopez Axel Lopez Adrian Molina
Lectors/ Lectores	1) Diane Sheehan Both Readings	Jose Lopez Veronica Santoyo Jovany Lopez	1) Richard Hemza 2) Ann Wheeler	1) Bob Sowell 2) Arnie Joubert	1) Laura Shellie 2) Sharren Suddick
Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	*Tracy Douglas Jan Rodgers Deb Groth Diane Devine	Norma Sanchez Marcela Andrade Vicente Andrade	*Dave Lystila Brenda Lystila Bev Stukenborg Julie Yarno	*Fran Powers *Barb Staniszeski *Julie Busken Sister Krystyna Sister Elizabeth Dolores O'Connor	*Don Somerville Cynthia Somerville Annette Kurzejka Sister Evangeline
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Welcoming/ Bienvenida	Annie Syrstad Norma Vaughn	Salvador Martinez Jose Toledo	Julie Azzarelli	Jon Loiselle Laurie mau Janice Shenk	Jane McLin Beth Arocha

Weekday Ministers:

November 17-23 Daily Mass: Lector: Bev Kohan Comm. Ministers: Sister Magdalena/Desiree Grant Altar Server: Mickey Kreissler
 November 24-30 Daily Mass: Wendy Langlois Comm. Ministers: Sister Krystyna/Mickey Kreissler Altar Server: Sharon Jackson
 Thanksgiving Day Mass November 28: 9:00 am
 Linens: November 10/17: Tracy Douglas November 24/December 1: Marcia Klasey December 8/15: Frances Powers

Liturgical Schedule	Sunday/Domingo November 24 1:00 pm
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Guadalupe Valadez Chris Garcia Marely Serna
Lectors/ Lectores	Rogelio Canchola Elizabeth Suarez Elia Lopez
Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	Sandra Diaz Rosa Chavez Rosa Calderon Ian Quezada Guadalupe Fernandez Celene Valtierra Mariana Fernandez
Ushers Ujieres	Marina Reza Octavio Garcia Ricardo Esparza
Welcoming/ Bienvenida	Eva Mora Patricia Martinez

Liturgical Schedule	Sunday November 24 5:00 pm
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Bob Thrasher
Lectors/ Lectores	Jessica Clodi
Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	Mike Berger (S)
Ushers Ujieres	Magdalena Velasco Isabel Velasco
Welcoming/ Bienvenida	Need Volunteers

Liturgical Schedule	Tuesday/Martes November 26 6:00 pm
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Itzel Jaimes
Lectors/ Lectores	Maribethla Tercero Rosario Lira
Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	
Ushers Ujieres	Virginia Ayala
Welcoming/ Bienvenida	

St. John Paul II Directory

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Parish Office Hours

Mon.—Thurs. 9 am—4 pm Fri. 9 am—1 pm

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday

8:00 a.m.

November 16, 2019

† Byron Heldt (*Cheryl Heldt*)

† Violet Lamontagne (*Betty & Kathy*)

4:30 p.m.

† Richard Ortman (*Dan/Diane Majercy & Dan/Karen Jones*)

† Angela Pangle (*Mr. & Mrs. Craig Robinson*)

6:00 p.m.

† Rafaela Santoyo Gomez (*Alma Vazquez*)

† Josefa Pizano (*Maria C. Perez*)

† Carmen Silva Sotelo (*Maria Mendez*)

Sunday

8:00 a.m.

† For All the People of St. John Paul II

9:30 a.m.

† Joseph & Marion Ader (*Friends & Family*)

† John & Beryl Schmidt (*Family*)

11:30 a.m.

† George Faber (*Joe Davis & Donna Peck*)

† Joseph & Patricia Ryan (*JP2 Family*)

1:00 p.m.

Cesar Puebla Rebollar (*Irma Rebollar*)

† Jesus Andrade Almanza (*Nadia Andrade*)

5:00 p.m.

† LaVern Morrical (*Les & Donna Morrical*)

† Mark Ryan (*JP2 Family*)

Monday

7:30 a.m.

November 18, 2019

† Loretta Pretty (*Matthew & Betty Diefenbach*)

† Bill Powers (*Betty Azzarelli*)

Tuesday

7:30 a.m.

November 19, 2019

† Joseph & Rita O'Brien (*Bequest*)

† Jim & Joan Scanlon (*Tom & Judy Cleary*)

6:00 p.m.

† Animas Del Purgatorio (*Maria Toledo*)

Wednesday

7:30 a.m.

November 20, 2019

† Richard Ortman (*Sheila Brown*)

Thursday

7:30 a.m.

November 21, 2019

Fr. Sunny Birthday Intention (*JP2 Parish Family*)

Jacob Ryan Cwiakala (*Ramos Family*)

Friday

7:30 a.m.

November 22, 2019

Kathy Wade (*Parish Family*)

Saturday

8:00 a.m.

November 23, 2019

† Mary Lerner (*Marguerite Curran*)

† Barbara Roach (*Karen Bajt*)

4:30 p.m.

† George Faber (*Joe Davis & Donna Peck*)

† Michael Collette (*Donna Collette*)

† Rafaela Santoyo Gomez (*Alma Vazquez*)

6:00 p.m.

† Animas del Purgatorio (*Maria Toledo*)

† Carmen Silva Sotelo (*Maria Mendez*)

† Joyce Mayo (*Tom & Joanne Lambert*)

Sunday

8:00 a.m.

November 24, 2019

† Sally Sippell (*LaVonne Linneman*)

† Tom & Catherine McGrath (*McGrath Family*)

9:30 a.m.

† Richard Ortman (*LaVonne Linneman*)

† Robert Worth (*Betty Azzarelli*)

11:30 a.m.

For All the People of St. John Paul II

1:00 p.m.

Luci Canales (*Luci Canales*)

† Jesus Andrade Almanza (*Nadia Andrade*)

5:00 p.m.

† Patrick Ryan (*JP2 Family*)

† Kathy Petrucci (*Joseph Petrucci*)

SACRAMENTS

Baptism:

Call the parish office for Pre-Baptismal requirements and scheduling. Call 815-933-7683 and talk to Donna Worth

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
Maria Flores

Bodas:

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

DAILY MASS READINGS

Monday, November 18

1 Maccabees 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63

Luke 18:35-43

Tuesday, November 19

2 Maccabees 6:18-31

Luke 19:1-10

Wednesday, November 20

2 Maccabees 7:1, 20-31

Luke 19:11-28

Thursday, November 21 (Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary)

1 Maccabees 2:15-29

Luke 19:41-44

Friday, November 22 (St. Cecelia)

1 Maccabees 4:36-37, 52-59

Luke 19:45-48

Saturday, November 23

1 Maccabees 6:1-13

Luke 20:27-40

Sunday, November 24 (Christ the King)

2 Samuel 5:1-3

Colossians 1:12-20

Luke 23:35-43



The candle in the sanctuary is burning in
Thomas O'Connor
Requested by Skip & Rita Kanosky

PRAYING WITH INTENTION FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH



Azzarelli, Barb
Blanchette, Birdie
Butler, Mike
Clocksin, Mary
Delaney, Ethel
Emling, Kenneth
Goselin, Eula Mae
Licon, Arthur
Mendez, Gloria
Pagono, Agnes
Raut, Francis
Senor, Nicholas
Vaughn, Norma

Beedle, Jim
Borem, Yvonne
Call, Kathy
Crane, Pat
Dubuque, Maureen
Gianotti, Francis
LaPierre, Jonette
Kreitzer, Gabriel
Mosby, Yair Nunez
Papineau, Bruno
Robinson, Craig
Smith, Jackson
Wulffe, Daniel

Burnett, Mack
Dechenne, Kathy
Lenzi, Kathy
Martinez, Sylvia
Murphy, Mary Lou
Ramirez, Jose
Saindon, Jim
Sprimont, Carol
Wulffe, Matthew

**** 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: Bert White II, Bernadette Denault, Barbara Ciaccio, Rose Kaminsky, Therese Gleeson, Florian & Thrasilla Janczak, Rosemary Dicarlo, John Surprenant

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OUR LADY OF VICTORY: Frank Hart

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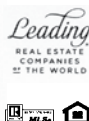
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The Families of St. John Paul II extend its Deepest Sympathy to the families of

Martin Calderon Pizano
and
Ellen Galeaz

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

**PARISH LIFE COMMISSION
presentations are this weekend**

What is Parish Life?

The ministries that are part of this commission bring people together, help our parishioners meet new people, perform service or support other parts of the parish, and encourage everyone outside of our worship time to grow closer, and find common bonds and interests. They also have fun!

Parish Life Group
CCW- Council of Catholic Women
Knights of Columbus
Kindness Krew

Some of the activities that these groups plan are Ordination celebrations, Founding Day celebration, Oktoberfest, Mother/Daughter Tea, Fathers Day Pancake Breakfast, Christmas Past Sale, Dinner with Twelve New Friends, Projects and repairs at Lisieux Pastoral Center, Movie Nights, Mothers Day/Fathers Day gifts, Mardi Gras and so much more.

Stop by the table after mass in the lobby and find out about these community building ministries.

**FRIENDSHIP IS THE GREATEST
PRECONDITION TO EVANGELIZATION**



**CCW UPCOMING
CHRISTMAS EVENTS**

Christmas Past

Drop off times (Settles Center)
11/17: 9-11:00 am
11/19 & 20: 4-6:30 pm
11/21 & 22: 10 am-3:00 pm

Actual Sale Dates:

Sat., 11/23: 9 am-4 pm
Sun., 11/24 : 9 am-12 noon

Christmas Party - Mon., Dec. 2 6:00 PM

El Mexicano Restaurant. Order from the menu, pay for your own meal. Optional \$10 wrapped gift exchange and door prizes. Sign up in the back of church by November 24.

Call Beth Arocha for info.: 815-922-5463

Chicago Bus Trip - Thurs., Dec. 5

\$25 per person. Leave JP2 at 9:00 am and depart Chicago at 4:30 pm.

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El Arbol de Regalar es para las familias y personas necesitadas de JP2. En esta época festiva queremos que todos sientan la Alegría de esta Temporada.

Las aplicaciones se pueden recoger durante el horario de oficina y debe ser regresada antes de Noviembre 20.

Si no puede pasar a la oficina, envíela por email a Teri O'Connor: toconnor@jp2kankakee.org.

INFORMACIÓN DE APLICACIÓN

El programa del Arbol de Regalar proporciona una Feliz Navidad a las familias de la parroquia y comunidad local que están teniendo dificultad este año.

- Toma una etiqueta del árbol que está atrás de la iglesia.
- Regresalos artículos al lobby.
- Los regalos no tienen que estar envueltos.
- Por favor ponga una etiqueta de las cosas compradas.

compradas.

Dios los bendiga y muchas gracias de parte de Ministerio de Servicios de JP2

En caso de un fallecimiento o de una emergencia cercana a un fallecimiento y necesita un sacerdote, por favor, llame a la oficina parroquial al 815-933-7683 y oprima #.



Divina Misericordia/Divine Mercy

Cada 2do Sábado del mes
Each 2nd Saturday of the month

7-9 pm @ St. John Paul II

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



El grupo de hombres Católicos invita a toda la comunidad a leer la Palabra de Dios (Biblia) y reflexionar en nuestra vida diaria.

Cada Domingo 9:00 - 11:00 AM

Salon Ministerial de San Juan Pablo II
956 S. 10th Ave Kankakee IL.

Para mas información comunicarse con Antonio Elvir 815-304-9941



Grupo de Oración Carismática RCC

Porque ellos escuchan mi voz y me siguen...

Jesús el Buen Pastor

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**Adult Faith Formation
Week of Nov. 18**

Monday, Nov. 18 Conference Rm. **6:30 to 8:00 pm**
Men's Faith Sharing - Open to all Adult men

Tuesday, Nov. 19 Church **10:00 am**
Fatima Rosary

Tuesday, Nov. 19 Conference Rm. **11:00 am & 7:00 pm**
Living Word Bible Study

Wednesday, Nov. 20 Conference Rm. **7:00 pm**
GIFT: The Mass-Responding to Our God



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November 17, 2019

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Pope St. John Paul II, Evangelium vitae, 90.

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Azzarelli Outreach Medical Clinic Week of November 18- November 22

Call 928-6093 for current hours and days that the clinic is open.



Kankakee Catholic Food Pantry

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Friday/Viernes—November 22

9:00 am to 11:45 am

Northern Illinois Food Bank - <http://solvehungertoday.org> - 830.443.6910



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*Please bring bags or boxes.

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December 20, 2019 10am-12pm Open to All	St. Joseph Parish Ministry Center 211 N Center Ave. Bradley, IL 60915

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SNAP Help: 844-600-SNAP
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The Giving Tree program provides a happy Christmas to families in the parish and local community who are having difficulties this year.

- Please pick a tag off of the tree in the back on the church.
- Return the gift to the lobby.
- Gifts do not need to be wrapped
- Please put the tag with the items purchased.

**God Bless You and Thank You
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HOLIDAY GRIEF SUPPORT NIGHT

“Memories-Mementos-Memorials”

St. John Paul II Bereavement Group
Thursday, December 5
6-7:30 pm Conference Room

We will be discussing ways to help in dealing with loss during the holiday season. We welcome you to come and share with us your holiday memories of your loved one. If you wish, bring a framed photo of your loved one as a memento and placed on our memory table.

A candle will be lit for each person being remembered, as a memorial of their life.

Refreshments will be served.

Questions or to RSVP call Jane McLin 815-953-3744

Bring a Friend!



“How to Bless and Feel Blessed this Christmas”

An Afternoon Gathering of “Single-Again” Men & Women

When: Saturday, December 7, 2019 (1:00-4:00 p.m.)
12:45 p.m. check-in, ending with a 4:00 p.m. Vigil Mass

Where: Blanchette Catholic Center
Diocese of Joliet
16555 Weber Rd.
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**Sunday Offering/Ofrenda del Domingo
November 10, 2019**

**Total: \$11,628.55 (262 Envelopes)
Online Giving: \$785 included in 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

**Our goal each week to cover our expenses is:
Nuestra Meta por Semana para cubrir los gastos es de:
\$12,855.00**

THANK YOU GRACIAS



JPH Kindness Krew would like to extend a huge thank you to everyone who supported us and made our first JPH Experience-Oktoberfest a huge success!!

Thank you for the donations of all sorts, for coming out and attending the event, and for all the wonderful compliments.

We are proud to announce we made a profit of \$23,321.47 for the parish!

THIS WEEK AT JP2

Monday, November 18

6:30pm Fishers of Men- Mens Prayer Group
7:00pm Charismatic Prayer Group en Espanol

Tuesday, November 19

10:00am Fatima Rosary
11:00am Living Word Bible Study
12:30pm Quarterly General Staff Meeting
4:00pm Christmas Past Drop off of Items
5:30pm Art & Environment Advent/Christmas Mtg.
6:15pm FFP Classes
6:15pm Mentor Night
7:00pm Living Word Bible Study

Wednesday, November 20

10:00 am Lord Teach Me To Pray
4:00pm Christmas Past Drop off of Items
6:15pm FFP Classes
7:00pm Mentor Night
6:30pm GIFT-Growing in Faith Together

Thursday, November 21

10:00am Christmas Past Setup/Drop off

Friday, November 22

9:00am Food Pantry-East Campus
9:30am JP2 Prayer Partners @ Lisieux
9:30am Clothing Closet @ Lisieux
4:00pm Christmas Past Setup/Drop Off of items
6:00pm 12 Step Program @ Lisieux

Saturday, November 23

9:00am Hour of Power Prayer time
9:00am Christmas Past Sale

Sunday, November 24

9:00am Blood Pressure Screening after masses
9:00am Pescador de Hombres Bible Study (Men)
9:00am Christmas Past Sale
10:30am RCIA classes
11:00am RICA classes (En Español)

**Please Note: Times/Events subject to change as needed.
Visit our website at jp2kankakee.org for the full calendar.**

Upcoming All Parish Events:

Nov. 28 Thanksgiving Day Bilingual Mass
December 12 Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration
December 14 Simbang Gabi Mass/celebration
December 15 Waiting in Hope Christmas music/reflection

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11:00am-1:00pm

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