

# 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

### 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

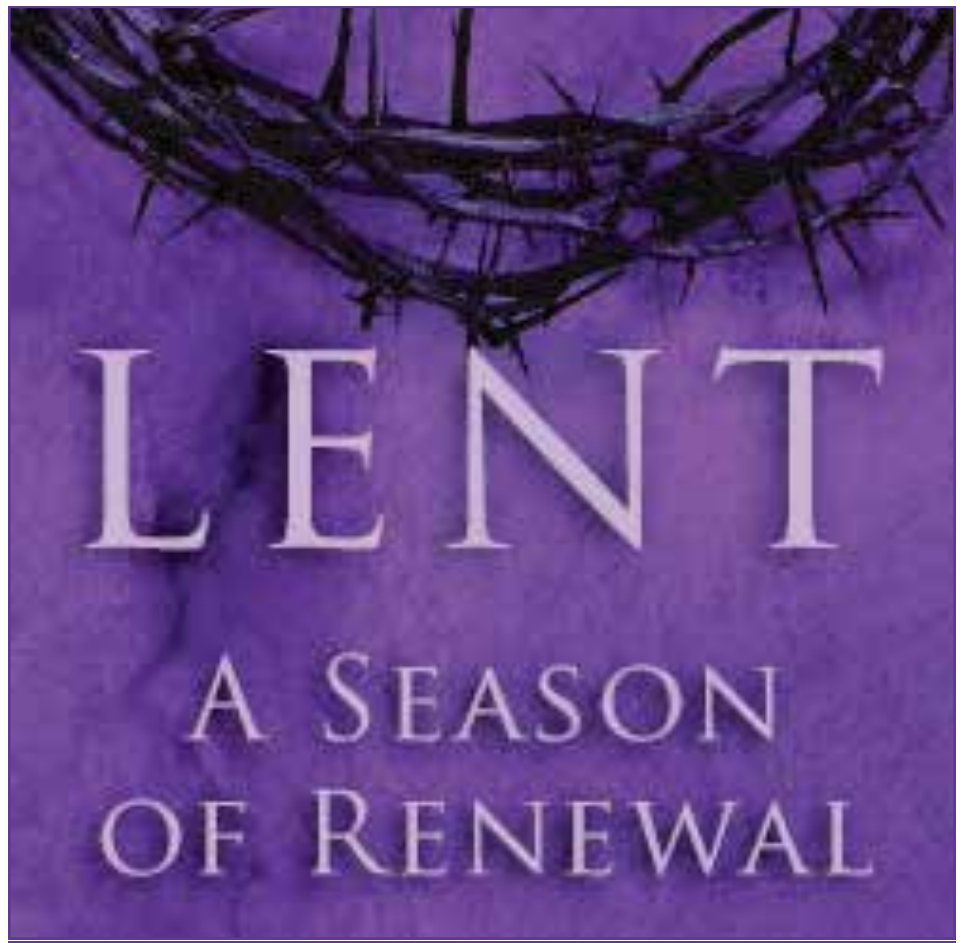
### MONDAY THRU FRIDAY

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

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 10, 2019



LENT  
A SEASON  
OF RENEWAL

Filled with the HOLY SPIRIT,  
Jesus returned from the Jordan and was  
led by the Spirit into the desert for forty days,  
to be tempted by the devil. Luke 4:1

"Bringing Jesus to Everyone and Everyone to Jesus!"

## OUR PARISH DISCERNS ITSELF

This weekend is a very important weekend!

Since we started as a new unified parish on July 1, 2017, we have been operating as a community based on the hopes, vision and presumptions of what we would be as a church after the work of consolidation was over. For the first time since then, we are coming together as a family to honestly look at how far we have come, and to match the realities of our parish now vis-à-vis the vision that was created when we started.

As your pastor, I take this as an opportunity to define who we are today, by looking at the many facets of our parish and determining the next steps where we should be headed. I know there are a lot of things to talk about, and I know when we ask 100 people about their opinions on something, we may get 100 different things altogether. But if there is any wisdom to what we are doing today, it is simply that we are being given an opportunity to speak and share our thoughts, ideas, opinions, points of views, and even concerns, suggestions and disappointments. There is also an equal weight to celebrating now some of the victories and accomplishments over the past one year and nine months into being the parish of St. John Paul II. While there are many concerns, I can say that there are many reasons to be grateful and celebrate, and there are many reasons why we can be proud of our parish even now.

In this process of collective introspection, I ask you, my dear parishioners, to please offer a prayer for all of us. A number of you might not be able to attend the forum physically; please attend in spirit by offering a prayer; that the gift of Divine Wisdom may descend. Yes, we need wisdom to be able to see clearly what is happening in our parish, and we also need wisdom to be able to discern and respond to our present reality. This is one of those times when we really need to be in synergy with the Holy Spirit, or as close to it as possible. Although I feel like through the process of integration, the Holy Spirit has manifested to me and to all of us collectively the guiding light of Wisdom, to walk the steps we have taken that has led us to where we are today. And yet, the clarity of mind on areas of discernment is never a mathematical certainty like  $1+1=2$ , but a peacefulness of heart and the courage to act accordingly that determines where that Wisdom lies. I am confident that God will continue to help us, as He has done in the past.

Yes, my dear St. John Paul II parishioners, I have said here that today is a very important day. By the end of this fiscal year, I would have been in Kankakee for eight years – four years as pastor of Saint Teresa, two years as pastor of three parishes (St. Teresa, St. Rose and St. Martin), and two years as pastor of the newly established parish of Saint John Paul II. Through all the transitions that have taken place, I want to say thank you to the many people that have remained, that walked with me through the happy, sad, convenient and challenging times. Wherever we may go from this important day, please know that I love you all with the love of the Lord. God bless our Church!

With renewed fervor,  
*Fr. Sunny Castillo*

## NUESTRA PARROQUIA DISCIERNE PARA SÍ

Este fin de semana es sumamente importante!

Desde que nos unimos como nueva parroquia el 1ro de julio de 2017, hemos trabajado como comunidad fundada sobre esperanzas, visión y presunciones de lo que podría ser como iglesia después de la consolidación. Por primera vez desde aquel entonces, nos estamos reuniendo como una familia para ver claramente la realidad que habíamos en visionado en aquel entonces, y dónde estamos hoy día.

Como su pastor, tomo esta oportunidad para definir quiénes somos hoy, por medio de una revisión de las muchas facetas de nuestra parroquia y determinar los siguientes pasos hacia el futuro. Yo sé que hay muchas cosas que merecen consideración, y sé que si hay 100 personas presentes, podríamos tener 100 opiniones en diversidad de cosas. Pero si hay sabiduría en lo que hacemos hoy día, es simplemente que tenemos la oportunidad de dialogar en un intercambio de pensamientos, ideas, opiniones, y hasta preocupaciones, sugerencias y desilusiones. Al mismo tiempo podemos celebrar nuestras victorias y nuestros logros en el año y nueve meses pasados cuando se estableció la parroquia de San Juan Pablo II. Aún cuando hay muchas preocupaciones, a la misma vez hay muchas razones para sentirnos agradecidos y jubilosos, y sentirnos contentos por lo que hemos logrado hasta hoy día.

En éste proceso de introspección colectiva, les pido, mis estimados feligreses, favor de ofrecer oración por todos nosotros. Quizá habrán muchos que no puedan estar presentes a ésta reunión; pero espero estén presentes en espíritu y oración; que el don de la Divina Sabiduría descienda sobre nosotros. Sí, necesitamos sabiduría para poder ver claramente lo que está pasando en nuestra parroquia, y poder discernir y responder a nuestra presente realidad. Éste es uno de esos tiempos cuando necesitamos estar en comunión con el Espíritu Santo. También siento que el Espíritu Santo nos ha gobernado a luz de Su Sabiduría, para tomar los pasos debidos hasta hoy día. Pero, la claridad de la mente en áreas de discernimiento nunca es como la certitud matemática como  $1+1=2$ , pero es un sentido de paz y ánimo en el corazón que determina dónde se encuentra esa Sabiduría. Me siento seguro que Dios será fiel en Su ayuda para nosotros, como lo ha sido en el pasado.

Sí, mis estimados feligreses de San Juan Pablo II, como ya lo he dicho aquí, éste es un día muy importante. Para fines de este año fiscal, cumpliré ocho años en Kankakee – cuatro años como pastor en Santa Teresa, dos años como pastor de tres parroquias (Sta. Teresa, Sta. Rosa y San Martín), y dos años como pastor del nuevo establecimiento de la parroquia de San Juan Pablo II. A través de todas las transiciones que han tomado lugar, doy las gracias a toda la gente que han continuado aquí, que han caminado conmigo en tiempos alegres, tristes, convenientes y desafiantes. Por dónde quiera que vayamos desde este día importante, quiero que sepan que los amo a todos con el amor de nuestro Señor. Que Dios bendiga nuestra Iglesia!

Con fervor renovador,  
*Fr. Sunny Castillo*

<b>Liturgical Schedule</b>	<b>Saturday</b> March 16 4:30 pm	<b>Saturday/Sábado</b> March 16 6:00 pm	<b>Sunday</b> March 17 8:00 am	<b>Sunday</b> March 17 9:30 am	<b>Sunday</b> March 17 11:30 am
<b>Altar Servers/ Monaguillos</b>	Paula Muhlstadt	Sabrina Prado Justin Prado Martha Andrade	Bob Thrasher	Andrew Shepherd Ryan Shepherd Dylan Shepherd	Joseph Osborn Danial Osborn
<b>Lectors/ Lectores</b>	Cindy McBarnes <b>(Both Readings)</b>	Marcela Andrade Veronica Santoyo Norma Sanchez	Desiree Grant Cheryl Heldt	1) Judy Smead 2) Robert Sowell	David Osborn <b>(Both Readings)</b>
<b>Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión</b>	*Sue Dytkiewicz Dolores O'Connor Deb Turner John Brill	Angelica Maria Vicente Andrade Deacon Nestor	*Cathy Langlois Linda Kerness Patrick O'Connor Irene Granger	*Barb Staniszeski *Fran Powers *Mary Beth McGrath Charlotte Nolte Delynn Geistwhite Deb Groth	*Don Somerville Cynthia Somerville Carolyn Levy Jan Glazer
<b>Ushers Ujieres</b>	*Rich McBarnes Annie Syrstad Tom Martin Bob Thrasher	Susana Perez Ayde Palma Manuel Vazquez Salvator Martinez	*Bob Kerness Sharon Jackson	*Rende Langlois Wendy Langlois Mickey Kreissler Charlene Russell	*Chuck Juarez Juana Osborn Leo Donath Minta Crump
<b>Welcoming/ Bienvenida</b>	Rose Faber Judy Endres	Virginia Ayala Jose Toledo	Cathi Willi Ann Wheeler	Caron Burgess Joyce Raspolich Jon Loiselle	Marc Nichols Cindy Nichols

**Weekday Ministers:**

March 11-16 Daily Mass: George Arocha Comm. Ministers: Ann Wheeler/Desiree Grant Altar Server: Mickey Kreissler  
 March 18-23 Daily Mass: Lector: Sharon Jackson Comm. Ministers: Sister Magdalena/Mickey Kreissler Altar Server: Ken Klipp  
 Linens: March 3/10: Jodi Schaumburg March 17/24: Mary Talamantes March 31/April 7: Sandy Girard

<b>Liturgical Schedule</b>	<b>Sunday/Domingo</b> March 17 1:00 pm	<b>Liturgical Schedule</b>	<b>Sunday</b> March 17 5:00 pm	<b>Liturgical Schedule</b>	<b>Tuesday/Martes</b> March 19 6:00 pm
<b>Altar Servers/ Monaguillos</b>	Brian Garcia Yael Calderon Anthony Martinez	<b>Altar Servers/ Monaguillos</b>	Ashanti Quezada Kimberly Baxin	<b>Altar Servers/ Monaguillos</b>	Bladimir Franquiz
<b>Lectors/ Lectores</b>	Rogelio Benitez Heidi Lopez Lizbeth Canchola	<b>Lectors/ Lectores</b>	Irma Tinajero <b>(Both Readings)</b>	<b>Lectors/ Lectores</b>	Isidoro Fernandez Teresa Lopez
<b>Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión</b>	Bertha Aviles Sandra Diaz Kathy Griffiths Mariana Parra Maria Fernandez Elia Lopez	<b>Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión</b>	Alex Quezada (S) Sharren Suddick	<b>Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión</b>	
<b>Ushers Ujieres</b>	Ricardo Esparza Albert Valladares Jr. Rosalina Tonacatl Yoana Hernandez	<b>Ushers Ujieres</b>	Ramone Arce Ian Quezada	<b>Ushers Ujieres</b>	Ayde Palma
<b>Welcoming/ Bienvenida</b>	Magda Salazar Albert Valladares	<b>Welcoming/ Bienvenida</b>	Need Volunteers	<b>Welcoming/ Bienvenida</b>	Need Volunteers

## 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

Rev. Santos “Sunny” Castillo ext. 402

### Parochial Vicar

Fr. John Horan ext. 412

### Deacons

David Marlowe, Greg Clodi, & Rocco Busato

### Pastoral Associate

Donna Worth ext. 403 [dworth@jp2kankakee.org](mailto:dworth@jp2kankakee.org)  
RCIA-Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

### Pastoral Secretary/Bulletin Editor/Parish Life Coord.

Kathy Dummer ext. 408  
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Please email bulletin requests to the above address  
no later than the previous Friday before the weekend  
requested.

Sister Elsie Gamez- Bulletin Translation

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Coordinador Liturgia y Sacramentos

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### Coordinadores de Coros Hispanos

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Joan Carrera 815-386-9610

## Parish Media Links

### Website

[jp2kankakee.org](http://jp2kankakee.org)  
Kankakee



### Facebook

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### Parish Council Members

Cathi Willi-President	Wendy Langlois-Secretary
Tim Blanchette	Ann Wheeler
Deb Groth	Ken Klipp
Ramon Lopez	Maria Pizano-Calderon
Kerri Lilienthal	Marc Nichols
	Cindy McBarnes

### Finance Council Members

Mark O'Connor-President	Cheryl Walsh-Secretary
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Gene Marcotte	Noel Diaz
	Claudia Noe

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

### Saturday

March 9, 2019

8:00 a.m.

† John Azzarelli (*Betty Azzarelli*)

4:30 p.m.

† Alice O'Gorman (*Dawn & David Tutt*)

† Gizella Mollmer (*Harold & Janice Daniels*)

6:00 p.m.

† Mr. Guadalupe Medina (*Medina Family*)

† Filiberto Rodriguez (*Friends of JP2*)

### Sunday

March 10, 2019

8:00 a.m.

† Jean O'Connell (*Rita Deem*)

† Mario Alberto Guzman (*Elvir Family*)

9:30 a.m.

† Richard Ortman (*Betty Azzarelli*)

† Alice O'Gorman (*Vonnie Linneman*)

11:30 a.m.

† Betty Grant (*Rosemary Miller*)

1:00 p.m.

† Miguel Mendez (*Martha Mendez*)

† Tomas Castillo (*Silvia Esparza*)

5:00 p.m.

For All the People of St. John Paul II

### Monday

March 11, 2019

7:30 a.m.

† Kazys & Elena Kalasunas (*Joe & Diane Sheehan*)

### Tuesday

March 12, 2019

7:30 a.m.

† Phil Czernik (*Betty Azzarelli*)

6:00 p.m.

† Maria Cristina Negrette (*JP2 Friends*)

† Melina Rodriguez (*JP2 Friends*)

### Wednesday

March 13, 2019

7:30 a.m.

† Cecilia Birr (*Family*)

### Thursday

March 14, 2019

7:30 a.m.

† Joseph & Rita O'Brien (*Bequest*)

### Friday

March 15, 2019

7:30 a.m.

† Margaret Gamboe (*Family*)

† Rose Marsalli (*Family*)

Jenny Rambaran Farquhar (*Parish Family*)

### Saturday

March 16, 2019

8:00 a.m.

† Jeanette Dressler (*Ron & Pat Dressler*)

4:30 p.m.

† Rose Marsalli (*Family*)

† Deacon Ron Whitman (*Joanne Whitman*)

6:00 p.m.

Josefina Hernandez (*JP2 Friends*)

### Sunday

March 17, 2019

8:00 a.m.

For All the People of St. John Paul II

9:30 a.m.

† Timothy Anderson (*Friends & Family*)

† Arnold Berens (*Friends & Family*)

11:30 a.m.

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

† Jim Kresl (*Katy Kresl*)

1:00 p.m.

† Miguel Mendez (*Martha Mendez*)

5:00 p.m.

† Anita Miller (*Parish Family*)

# SACRAMENTS

## SACRAMENT PROCEDURES

### 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.

**Confessions / Confesiones**  
**Saturday 3:30 pm or by appointment**  
**3:30 pm los Sábados o por cita**



### Prayer Line Information

You may call any of these numbers with your prayer requests.

Bev Stukenborg  
 Beverly Kohan  
 Ann Wheeler  
 Rita Kanosky

815-304-5956 or 932-7411  
 815-932-1364  
 815-932-7938  
 815-932-4974

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



### Sanctuary Candle

The candle in the sanctuary is burning for

**Celia Birr**

Requested by  
 Her Family

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH



Bonnie Gregg, Pat Crane, Jackson Smith, Benjamin Worsham, Bill Johnson, Kay Harris, Mia Martin, Kathy Call, Craig Robison, Yvonne Borem, Arthur Licon, Abraham Daily, Francis Raut, Donna Valex, Andy Summers, Rosemary Miller, Elizabeth Hitzen, Mary Lou Murphy, Jim Saindon, Cheryl Heldt, Kathy Lenzi, Elvira Berens, Kenneth Emling, Kay Peecken, Jim Beedle, Jonette LaPierre, Nicholas Senor, Dorothy Suprenant, Kathy Dechenne, Donald Schafroth, Agnes Pagano, Jose Flores, Ivan Jaimes Valencia, Kevin Sprimont, Sylvia Martinez, Humberto Lopez, Ted Bergeron, Gino Taylor, Terry Schoondermark, Carol Sprimont, Zoey Arseneau, Mary Clocksin, Carl Brandon, Fred Andrews, Bruno Papineau, Sandra Longtin, Deborah Jensen, Mack Burnett, Paul Marczak, Shirley Africano, Bernie O'Malley, Edwin Fritz, Maureen Dubuque, Francis Gianotti, Barb Azzarelli, Bob Pfeiffer, John Suprenant, Rosalynn Szymborski, Eula Mae Goselin, Paul Gerth, Mike Bolwitt, Thomas Darby, Donna Cardosi, Bev Stukenborg, Gary Paruszkiewicz, Betty Decker, Silvia Castillo, Dalia Martin, Jaime Keiser

### Homebound & Nursing Home Parishioners

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

**ASBURY SUPPORTIVE LIVING:** Rosalyn Szymborski

**CITADEL CARE CENTER:** Rose Leppert, Rose Mary Ciaccio

**LUTHER PLACE:** Leola Mulvihill

**OUR LADY OF ANGELS:** Rev. Lloyd Bowden

**PRESENCE HERITAGE Lodge:** Dick Keethers, Theresa Fisher, Frank Hart, Joyce Mayo, John Hagan

**Village:** Virginia Gaines

**RIVER NORTH:** Ted Wheeler

**BICKFORD:** Bruno Papineau

**RIVERSIDE SENIOR LIFE MEMORY CARE:**  
 Miller:

**Butterfield Court:** Dorothy Kanosky, Rita Morris, Colette Cheffer, Muffy Stamper

**Westwood Oaks:** Lorraine Whittington, Eileen Dupuis

**MERKLE KNIPPRATH:** Ethel Lamie

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# LENTEN SERVICES, OPPORTUNITIES, AND ACTIVITIES

**SAVE THE DATE**  
Lenten Mission **3/24-3/26**



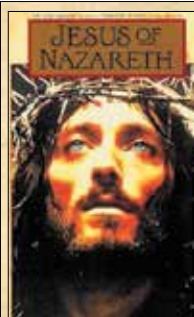
**Three Nights of Fostering  
Faith, Friendship, and Prayer**

Led by Fr. Sunny and Fr. John  
St. John Paul II Parish **6PM**

## FACING TEMPTATION

Temptation gets right in our face. It also hides around the corner. From Eden, down to today. Each of us and all of us deal with this allurements - Even Jesus, who is like us in all things but sin. We can resist it all, as Jesus did, by faithful adherence to God who is always faithful.

- What will I do to resist the coaxing allurements of what is tempting me?
- How can I pray for help this Lent?
- How will I confess faith in God, and not the evil one?



A Lenten Series entitled  
**"Journey to Calvary" will be presented  
Thursdays, March 14, 21, 28  
7-9 pm JP2 Family Center**

The series will give us an opportunity to experience the life of Christ from his annunciation, to the Virgin Mary, to His glorious resurrection. We will watch portions of the movie, Jesus of Nazareth each week, experiencing the scriptures and participating in sharing your insights.

**All ages are welcome!**

**ST. JOHN PAUL II  
CATHOLIC PARISH**

**"SI EL AMOR SE ENFRIA, LA MALDAD SE MULTIPLICA"**

Presentador:  
Diacono Nestor Sanchez



**MISIÓN DE  
CUARESMA**

**TIEMPO DE CONVERSIÓN**

<b>Domingo 17 de Marzo</b> 6:00 a 8:30 PM "¡Arrepentete y cree en el Evangelio!" Propósito de Cuaresma	<b>Lunes 18 de Marzo</b> 6:00 a 8:30 PM "Tiro al blanco contra el egoísmo!" Confesiones	<b>Martes 19 de Marzo</b> 6:00 a 8:30 PM "¡Gratitud y Ofrenda!" Confesiones Misa de Sanación
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## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

English  
Fridays at 6:00 pm  
March 15, 22, 29  
April 5, 12

## VIA CRUCIS

En Español  
Del martes a las 6:45 pm  
12, 19, 26 de marzo  
2, 9, 16 de abril



## WOMEN OF THE WAY

*Diocese of Joliet*

invites all Women to a night of  
Adoration + Refreshments + Conversation  
with Fr. John Horan

**"THE MIGHTY ONE  
HAS DONE  
GREAT THINGS FOR ME."**

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH  
7659 W SAUK TRAIL,  
FRANKFORT, IL 60559

MARCH 31, 2019  
4:00 PM - 6:30 PM



Women of the Way is a quarterly gathering with women of the Diocese of Joliet. They meet to encourage spiritual growth. Fr. John will be speaking the afternoon of 3/31.

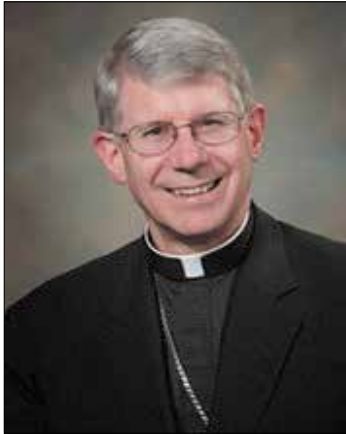
Email: [womenoftheway.doj@gmail.com](mailto:womenoftheway.doj@gmail.com)  
FACEBOOK: WOW-Women of the Way

## Welcome Bienvenido

Most Reverend  
Bishop R. Daniel Conlon

The bishop will be visiting St. John Paul II March 22 to 24

He will preside at the Sat., March 23rd, 4:30 pm mass and also at the Sun., March 24th, 9:30 am mass. He will also be speaking at all the other masses that weekend.

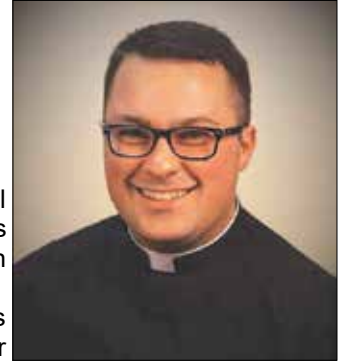


Bishop Conlon will attend Fellowship & Friends after the 9:30 am mass in the Family Center. Please join the JP2 community in welcoming him to our parish.

## Save The Date

Our very own parishioner,

**Michael Groth,**



will be ordained a transitional deacon at the end of this month, and a priest in May of 2020.

He will be celebrating a Mass of Thanksgiving for our parish community on

**March 30, 2019 at 4:30pm,**

just after he is ordained that morning.

After this Mass, there will be a dinner reception for the entire parish at Settles Center.

If you would like to help offset the cost of the reception, donations are welcome and appreciated. They can be brought to the parish office. Thank You!!

JEFF CHIERO  
Parishioner



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**NO FISH FRY ON MARCH 15.  
Plan on attending our next  
Fish Fry on March 22.**



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## Faith Formation Week of March 11-15

**Monday, March 11** Conference Rm. 6:30 to 8:00 pm  
Men's Faith Sharing - Open to all Adult men

**Tuesday, March 12** Church 10:00 am  
Fatima Novena - Pray the Rosary

**Tuesday, March 12** Conference Rm. 11:00 am & 7:00 pm  
Living Word Bible Study: St. Paul's Letter to the Romans

**Tuesday/Wednesday, March 12/13** 6:15 pm  
FFP- Faith Formation

**Wednesday, March 13** Conference Rm. 6:30 pm  
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### March 10, 2019

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Kankakee Catholic Food Pantry:	Nancy Godin	815-933-7683 Ext. 417	
Lisieux Pastoral Center Director:	Kathy Wade	815-939-2913	
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Week of March 11-15

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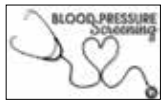


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**Monday, March 11**

Leviticus 19:1-2, 11-18

Matthew 25:31-46

**Tuesday, March 12**

Isaiah 55:10-11

Matthew 6:7-15

**Wednesday, March 13**

Jonah 3:1-10

Luke 11:29-32

**Thursday, March 14**

Ester C:12, 14-16, 23-25

Matthew 7:7-12

**Friday, March 15**

Ezekial 18:21-28

Matthew 5:20-26

**Saturday, March 16**

Deuteronomy 26:16-19

Matthew 5:43-48

**Sunday, March 17 (Second Sunday of Lent)**

Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18

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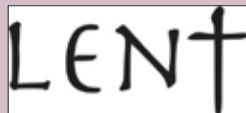
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