

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

Reservations are now required to attend
mass with limited seating in accordance with
the reopening plan put forth from the
Diocese of Joliet and the State of Illinois.

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

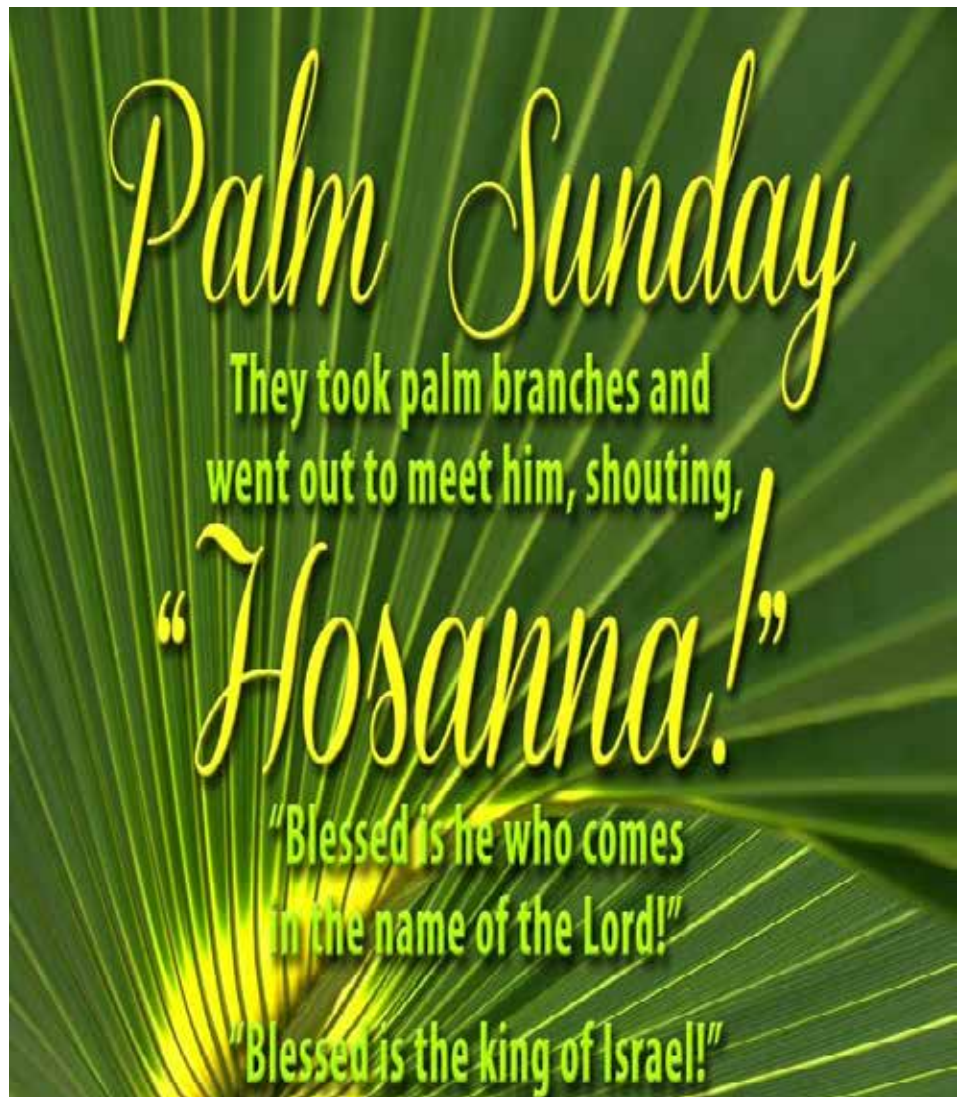
8:00 am
Wednesday/Friday 12:00 PM Latin Mass

CONFESSIONS

Conference Room

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

Palm Sunday March 28, 2021



"Bringing Jesus to Everyone and Everyone to Jesus!"

A NOTE FROM THE PASTOR

UNA NOTA DEL PASTOR

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

On this day, the disciples of Jesus praised Him as He entered Jerusalem, "Hosanna to the Son of David; blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord." However, the tone abruptly changed, and only a few days later, the palm and olive branches were replaced by the wood of the cross. On Palm Sunday, Christ was lifted up by shouts of praise. On Good Friday, Christ was lifted up on the cross. On Easter Sunday, Christ was lifted up in glory and lifts us up by His mercy and grace.

Hosanna is not only the song of the first disciples; it is our song. We acclaim it at every Mass as we greet and receive our Savior coming among us to offer the sacrament of the sacrifice of His body and blood, the Eucharist: "Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest." Holy Week is remembered and realized in every Mass, which is when Christ comes to us and offers Himself on our behalf as He did on that first Good Friday. The Eucharist is the perpetual memorial of the sacrifice of Christ, recalling the passion, death, and resurrection of Jesus. Every Mass reaches back to the sacrifice of Christ, and in it, He gives Himself to us, holding nothing back. He walks with us and gives us mercy, hope, and salvation.

My prayer is that as we walk with Jesus this Holy Week, remembering the most powerful, humble, and loving act the world has ever seen, we may also become ever more aware of the timelessness of Jesus' loving act of redemption, memorialized in the very sacrament Jesus instituted as He began His work of salvation on Holy Thursday: the Holy Eucharist, the Mass. May this week be an opportunity to see, know, and love Christ as well and be a time for renewal: renewing our faith and our awareness of Christ's presence, mercy, and redemption. I would like to encourage you to take part in the special liturgies and devotions this week. May each and every one of you have a blessed and fruitful Holy Week and a Happy Easter.

In Christ,
Fr. Matt



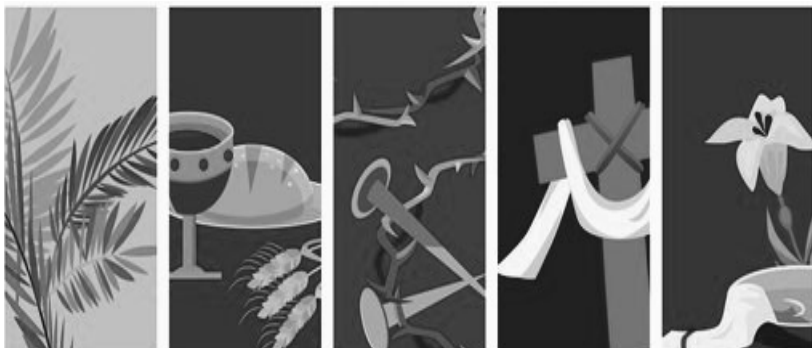
Queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo:

En este día, el domingo antes de la crucifixión de Jesús, nuestro Señor entró Jerusalén y sus discípulos le saludaron con alabanzas: "¡Hosanna! ¡Bendito el que viene en nombre del Señor, el rey de Israel!". Sin embargo, el tono cambió bruscamente y los ramos fueron reemplazados por la madera de la cruz. El Domingo de Ramos, Cristo fue levantado por gritos de alabanza. El Viernes Santo fue levantado por la cruz. El Domingo de Pascua, fue levantado en la gloria y entonces nos levanta por su gracia y misericordia.

Hosanna no es solamente el canto de los primeros discípulos; es nuestro. Es la canción que aclamamos en cada misa para saludar y recibir a nuestro salvador que viene entre nosotros para ofrecer el sacramento del sacrificio de su cuerpo y sangre, la Eucaristía: "Santo, Santo, Santo es el Señor, Dios del universo. Llenos están el cielo y la tierra de tu gloria. Hosanna en el cielo. Bendito el que viene en nombre del Señor. Hosanna en el cielo." La Semana Santa es recordada y realizada en cada misa, cuando Cristo viene a nosotros y se ofrece como lo hizo en el primer Viernes Santo. La Eucaristía es el memorial perpetuo del sacrificio de Cristo, recordando la pasión, la muerte y la resurrección de Jesús. Cada misa se remonta al sacrificio de Cristo y en la eucaristía, Cristo se ofrece él mismo por amor a nosotros, camina con nosotros y nos da misericordia, esperanza y salvación.

Mi oración es que mientras caminamos con Jesús en esta Semana Santa, recordando la acción más poderosa, humilde y amorosa que el mundo ha visto, podamos estar más conscientes de la interminable acción de amor y redención de Jesús, recordada en el sacramento que Jesús instituyó cuando comenzó su obra de salvación el jueves santo: la Sagrada Eucaristía, la misa. Esta semana es una oportunidad de ver, conocer y amar a Cristo y renovar nuestra fe. Me gustaría animarlos a participar en las devociones y liturgias especiales de Semana Santa y el Domingo de Pascua de la Resurrección. Que todos y cada uno de ustedes tengan una Semana Santa bendecida y una Feliz Pascua.

En Cristo,
Padre Mateo



Living Holy Week following Jesus means learning how to come out of ourselves to reach out to others, to go to the outskirts of existence, to be the first to move towards our brothers and sisters, especially those who are most distant, those who are forgotten, those who are most in need of understanding, consolation and help. There is so much need to bring the living presence of Jesus, merciful and full of love!

Pope Francis



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

Martha Aune

Sunday Offering/Ofrenda del Domingo

For March 21, 2021

\$ 13,776

(173 envelopes)

(Includes \$1,513 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:

\$12,855.00

THANK YOU GRACIAS

ONLINE GIVING
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Please consider signing up for Online Giving...it's easy and convenient:

Go to <https://jp2kankakee.weshareonline.org>

"Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver."
 2 Corinthians 9:7

Homebound & Nursing Home Parishioners

HOMEBOUND: Bernadette Denault, Barbara Ciaccio, Rose Kaminsky, Thrasilla Janczak, Rosemary Dicarlo

ASBURY SUPPORTIVE LIVING: Rosalyn Szymborski

CITADEL CARE CENTER:

LUTHER PLACE: Leola Mulvihill

OUR LADY OF ANGELS:

OUR LADY OF VICTORY:

PRESENCE HERITAGE Lodge: Dick Keethers, John Hagan

Village:

RIVER NORTH:

BICKFORD: Carol Sprimont

RIVERSIDE SENIOR LIFE/MEMORY CARE:

Miller:

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

Senior Care: Ardel Norgaard, David Africano

Westwood Oaks: Eileen Dupuis

Manteno Veterans Home: Bert White

THIS WEEK AT JP2

HOLY WEEK

Monday, March 29

12:00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday, March 30

10:00am Fatima Rosary

11:00am Living Word Bible Study

5:00pm Confessions

7:00pm The Seven Last Words of Christ

Wednesday, March 31

9:00am Art & Environment

7:00pm Tenebrae Service

Thursday, April 1-Holy Thursday

7:30am Morning Prayer

9:00am Art & Environment

6:00pm Mass of The Lord's Supper-Bilingual

7:00pm Altar of Repose-Settles Center

11:00pm Adoración Nocturna-Settles Center

Friday, April 2-Good Friday

7:30am Morning Prayer

12:00pm Stations of the Cross-Outdoors

3:00pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion

5:00pm Via Crucis-Español

7:00pm Pasión de Nuestro Señor

Saturday, April 3-Easter Saturday

8:00am Morning Prayer

8:30am OCIA practice

9:00am Art & Environment

12:00pm Blessing of the Easter Baskets

7:30pm Easter Vigil

Sunday, April 4 - Easter Sunday

6:30am (Latin Mass), 8:00am, 9:30am,

11:30am, & 1:00 pm

No 3:00 pm and 5:00 pm masses

Please Note: Times/Events subject to change as needed.

Visit our website at jp2kankakee.org to view the most current calendar.

PRAYING WITH INTENTION FOR THE SICK

Alvarado, Gracie

Bergeron, Phyllis

Call, Kathy

Crane, Pat

Emling, Kenneth

Juarez, Maura

Licon, Arthur

Marsick, Virginia

Norgaard, Ardelle

Ramirez, Jose

Saindon, Jim

Szymborski, Roselyn

Wulffe, Daniel

Dytkeiwicz, Susan

Becker, Fred

Brandon, Linda

Clocksinn, Bill

Dechenne, Kathy

Goselin, Eula Mae

LaPierre, Jonette

Kreutzer, Gabriele

Mendez, Gloria

Pagono, Agnes

Raut, Francis

Smith, Jackson

Vallone, Gloria & Sammy

Wulffe, Matthew

Paquette, Donna

Beedle, Jim

Butler, Mike

Clocksinn, Mary

Delaney, Ethel

Griffiths, Kathy

Lenzi, Kathy

Martinez, Sylvia

Mosby, Yair Nuñez

Quezada, Alex

Robinson, Craig

Sprimont, Carol

Barrett, Rita

Torres, Teresa

**** 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!

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. 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

Pastoral Associate:

Donna Worth ext. 403 dworth@jp2kankakee.org

RCIA-Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Pastoral Secretary/Bulletin Editor/Parish Life Coord.

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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Michael Berger 815-922-8651

Coros Hispanos: David Segura 815-592-4175

Building & Grounds Commission: ontop60@msn.com

Rende Langlois 815-693-0253

Parish Media Links

Website:

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 Chris Smith

Maria Pizano-Calderon Bob Kerness

Finance Council Members

Claudia Noe-President Cheryl Walsh-Secretary

Sonda Clocksin Amy Anderson

Gene Marcotte Alicia Saldivar Mark O'Connor

Usher Schedule

Lista de Ujeres

March 30 6:00 PM	Rosario Lira, Israel Lira
April 1 6:00 PM	Holy Thursday: Janice Shenk, David Savoie, Jeannie James, Bob Thrasher
April 2 3:00 PM	Good Friday: Cathy Langlois, Karen Miller, Annie Syrstad, Bob Thrasher
April 3 Sat. 7:30 PM	Easter Vigil: Deb Groth, Michael Jackson, Sharon Jackson, Mickey Kreissler
April 4 8:00 AM	*Tracy Douglas, Don Douglas, Cathi Willi, Bob Kerness
April 4 9:30 AM	*Janice Shenk, Annie Syrstad, Jonnie Evans, Lerlita Evans
April 4 11:30 AM	*Gonzales Family
April 4 1:00 PM	Ricardo Esparza, Patricia Martinez, Marina Reza, Eva Muniz Mora

Disinfecting Team Schedule

Equipo de Desinfección

March 30 6:00 PM	Rosario Lira, Israel Lira
April 1 6:00 PM	Holy Thursday: Janice Shenk, Bob Thrasher
April 2 Fri. 3:00 PM	Good Friday: Karen Miller, Annie Syrstad
April 3 Sat. 7:30 PM	Easter Vigil: Sharon Jackson, Mickey Kreissler
April 4 8:00 AM	Tracy Douglas, Don Douglas
April 4 9:30 AM	Johnnie Evans, Lerlita Evans
April 4 11:30 AM	Gonzales Family
April 4 1:00 PM	Ricardo Esparza, Patricia Martinez

Altar Cleaning Linen Schedule



Weeks of 3/28 & 4/4
Sandy Girard

Weeks of 4/11 & 4/18
Tracy Douglas

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, March 29

Isaiah 42:1-7

John 12:1-11

Tuesday, March 30

Isaiah 49:1-6

John 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday, March 31

Isaiah 50:4-9a

Matthew 26:14-25

Thursday, April 1 Holy Thursday

Exodus 12:1-8, 11-14

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

John 13:1-15

Friday, April 2 Good Friday

Isaiah 52:13-53:12

Hebrews 4:14-16, 5:7-9

John 18:1-19:42

Saturday, April 3 Holy Saturday

Genesis 1:1-2:2 Genesis 22:1-18 Exodus 14:15-15:1

Isaiah 54: 5-14 Isaiah 55: 1-11 Baruch 3:9-15, 32-4:4

Ezekial 36:16-17a, 18-28 Romans 6:3-11 Mark 16:1-7

Sunday, April 4 Easter Sunday

Acts 10:43-44, 37-43

Colossians 3:1-4

John 24:13-35



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 in memory of Norma Vaughn

Requested by Ron & Carol Fletcher



Prayer Line Information

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

Beverly Kohan
Ann Wheeler
Rita Kanosky

815-932-1364
815-932-7938
815-932-4974

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday March 27, 2021

8:00 a.m.

† Velma Allen (Cheryl Heldt)

4:30 p.m.

Jeff Dummer (Kathy Dummer)

6:00 p.m.

† Ernesto Calderon Camargo (Fabiola Medina)

Sunday March 28, 2021

8:00 a.m.

† John & Tootie Surprenant (Frederick Huber)

9:30 a.m.

† Daniel Grant (Family)

11:30 a.m.

Jacqueline Cwiakala (Ramos Family)

1:00 p.m.

† Jose Andrade & † Sulema Muñoz (Family & Friends)

3:00 p.m.

For All the Parishioners of St. John Paul II

5:00 p.m.

For The Intentions of the Priest

Monday March 29, 2021

7:30 a.m.

† Tara Talone (Parish Family)

Tuesday March 30, 2021

7:30 a.m.

† George Faber (Greg & Amy Faber)

6:00 p.m.

† Agustin Calderon Camargo (Family)

Wednesday March 31, 2021

7:30 a.m.

† Ruth Pratt (Betty Azzarelli)

12:00 p.m.

† Bill Rooney (Catherine & Mary Rooney)

† Norma Vaughn (Family)

† Alexine Joubert (Arnie & Margaret Joubert)

Thursday April 1, 2021- Holy Thursday

7:30 a.m.

Morning Prayer (No Intention)

6:00 p.m.

For All the Parishioners of JP2

Friday April 2, 2021- Good Friday

7:30 a.m.

Morning Prayer (No Intention)

Saturday April 3, 2021- Easter Vigil

8:00 a.m.

Morning Prayer (No Intention)

7:30 p.m.

† Betty Clodi (Clodi Family)

Sunday April 4, 2021- Easter Sunday

6:30 a.m.

Grant Family

8:00 a.m.

Sr. Perpetua O.C.D. (Martha Aune)

9:30 a.m.

† Dave Johnson (Johnson Family)

† Betty Clodi (Clodi Family)

11:30 a.m.

† Flora Neveau (Ron & Pat Dressler)

† Celerino Rojas Montes (Rojas Family)

1:00 p.m.

† Elvira Pina & Rodolfo Canales (Lucy Canales)

March 28, 2021 Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

Mark 11:1-10 Isaiah 50:4-7 Philippians 2:6-11 Mark 14:1-15-47

Entering and Dying

This Holy Week begins with a festive entry into Jerusalem with cloaks spread around, with leafy branches waving, and with "Hosannas" crying out. But this all ends with suffering and death.

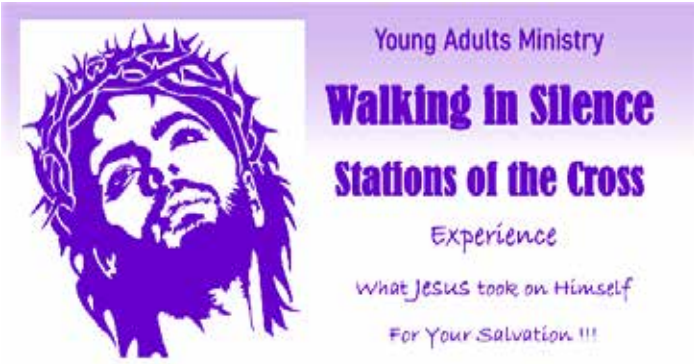
- ◆ How will I spend this day and this week emptying myself as Jesus did?
- ◆ How can I, like Jesus, be more humble?
- ◆ How will I be obedient?



Sun., March 28	Palm Sunday	
	Regular Schedule for weekend masses	
Mon., March 29	Diocesan Chrism Mass	7:00 PM
Tues., March 30	The 7 Last Words of Christ	7:00 PM
Weds., March 31	Tenebrae Service	7:00 PM
Thurs., April 1	Morning Prayer	7:30 AM
	Mass of the Lords Supper	6:00 PM
	Bilingual Mass	
	Altar of Repose -Settles Center	7:00 PM
Fri., April 2	Adoración Nocturna Prayers	11:00 PM
	Morning Prayer	7:30 AM
	Stations of the Cross Outside	12:00 Noon
	Celebration of the Lord's Passion	3:00 PM
	Via Crucis	5:00 PM
Sat., April 3	Pasión de Nuestro Señor	7:00 PM
	Morning Prayer	8:00 AM
	OCIA practice	8:30 AM
	Art & Environment	9:00 AM
	Blessing of the Easter Baskets	12:00 Noon
	Easter Vigil	7:30 PM

(NO Confessions, or 4:30 and 6:00 pm mass on Sat. April 3)

Sun., April 4	Easter Sunday	
	6:30am (Latin Mass)	
	8:00am, 9:30am, 11:30am, & 1:00pm	
	(No 3:00 or 5:00 pm masses)	



Good Friday: April 2nd @ 12pm
 Start in front of **St. JP II Parish, Kankakee**
In The Silence, May God Speak to Your Heart !!!

- Take a walk around the Church campus—
- Stations will be marked
- ◆ Carry a Crucifix (will be given to you)
- ◆ Please Keep Silent during the walk between Stations
- ◆ Reflect on the Way of the Cross
- ◆ Listen to Meditations at each Station
- ◆ Finish your prayers inside St. John Paul II Church



OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation for Adults) PRAYER

*Dear Lord,
 We pray for those in the OCIA process who journey to you.
 Please strengthen their faith, and open their hearts to the fullness of your love.
 Deepen their understanding and set their hearts on fire for the kingdom of God.
 We ask this through Jesus, who is the Way, the Truth, and the Life. Amen.*

Please pray for our candidates who will receive their sacraments here at St. John Paul II on **Saturday, April 3 at the Easter Vigil: Ben Clark and Jacob Hansen**

And those adults who will be confirmed at St. Raymond Cathedral in Joliet in **April or May: Brian Garcia, Cristobal Horta, and Ana Laura Rodriguez**

Join us for this online program:
Exploring the Symbols of Holy Week (Holy Triduum)



The symbols contained in the liturgies of Holy Thursday, Good Friday and the Easter Vigil will be explored in presented reflections and prayerful rituals. Short opportunities for personal reflection will be included. This program is open to all who wish to enter more deeply into the beautiful liturgy of the Triduum. We will be gathering via the ZOOM meeting platform.

WHEN: Thursday, March 31, 2021
 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Sponsored By:
Servants of the Holy Heart of Mary

To register, please visit our website:
<http://www.sscm-usa.org/online-programming.html>

For more information about our programming,
 please contact Susan Amann,
samann@sscm-usa.org



FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT



Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land. Your support helps the church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines. The wars, unrest and instability have been especially hard on Christians. In these times of crisis, the Pontifical Good Friday Collection provides humanitarian aid to refugees. When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you become an instrument of peace and join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. PLEASE BE GENEROUS! For more information about Christians in the Holy Land, visit www.myfranciscan.org/good-friday.

GOOD FRIDAY 2021 - APRIL 2



Help us continue to serve those who need help in the Holy Land



PONTIFICAL GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION

Commissariat of the Holy Land in the United States
 1400 Quincy St. NE, Washington, DC 20017 · www.MyFranciscan.com

LEARN MORE AT MYFRANCISCAN.ORG AND CLICK "PONTIFICAL GOOD FRIDAY"



CCW hosted their annual Baby Shower, which also coincided with the 9 month mark for the Spiritual Adoption program sponsored by the Parish Pro Life Group. The event had the usual games and lots of great baby items. All donated items went to the Pregnancy Resource Center in Kankakee. Kristen Lonberger, Director of PRC, came and gave a wonderful presentation followed by a great conversation between her and those in attendance. Thanks to all who gave their time and donations!

If you were unable to attend and would still like to donate to the Pregnancy Resource Center, please give them a call, 815-933-2207. They are located at 260 S. Washington, Kankakee.

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



There will be no sessions on April 1 and April 8.

Have a Blessed Holy Week and Easter.

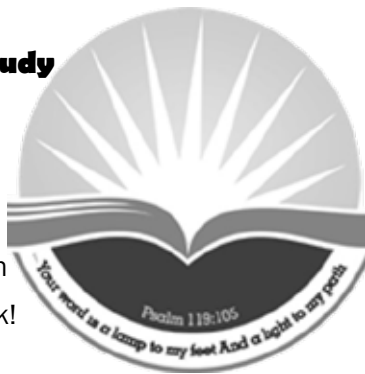
Sessions will resume on April 15 with a new DVD series called:

The Eucharist in Scripture Session One will be "The Lambs Supper" Part 1

Questions?
Contact Laurie Mau
815-933-8859

Living Word Bible Study

Tuesdays
11:00 am
7:00 pm



JP2 Conference Room
Please wear your mask!

EVERY SATURDAY
@ 12:00 PM

WE ARE PRAYING THE ROSARY FOR THE END OF PANDEMIC AND FOR THOSE IN OUR PARISH WHO ARE AFFECTED!

JOIN US @ 12:00 PM IN THE CHURCH OR ON LINE @ ST. JPII PARISH FACEBOOK

YOUNG ON FIRE

COME PRAY THE ROSARY

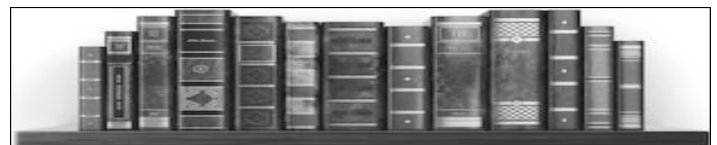
The Fatima Rosary Group is meeting on Tuesdays at 10 am

All are welcome to come and participate.

VOCATION PRAYER CALENDAR

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

- Mar. 28** Fr. Hugh Fullmer, Fr. Martin Gabel
- Mar. 29** Sr. Paulina Hernandez, Sr. Catalina Perez, Sr. Monica Rocha MSCGpe
- Mar. 30** Seminarian Steven Widlowski
- Mar. 31** Seminarian Dcn. John Ronaldo Abulag
- April 1** Seminarian Aron Minix
- April 2** Seminarian Christian Sinclair
- April 3** Brs. Philip Johnson, leo Jones, David Kuebler, Joseph Martin FSC
- April 4** Dcns. Armando Jaquez, Anthony Leazzo, Alex Markiso



Words of Wisdom Book Club
Friday, April 9, 2021 6 pm
Family Center

Book for April:
Our Lady of Kibeho
By Immacée Ilibagize

COVID-19 Protocols will be followed:
Masks are required
Questions: Call Laurie Mau 815-933-8859


MINISTERIO HISPANO

Director del Ministerio Hispano: Alex Quezada

815-933-7683 ext. 404

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



WELCOMING CENTER
Kankakee, IL

You are not alone, we are here for you!

THE IMMIGRANT COMMUNITY HAVE RIGHTS AND BENEFITS - LEARN ABOUT THEM!

Bilingual & In-Person Assistance

Apply for Resources

- Financial Support
- Social Assistance Programs

Learn and Share

- Your rights as an Immigrant
- Resources for your child's education
- English as a second
- Affordable housing

Wellness

- Mental Health Services
- Medical Service Referrals
- Substance Use Treatment

Use the available resources

- Employment Services
- Financial Support
- Food Pantry
- Legal Assistance and Immigration Services

More Information
Contact us: (779) 236-1177
Veronica Barragan, Program Manager

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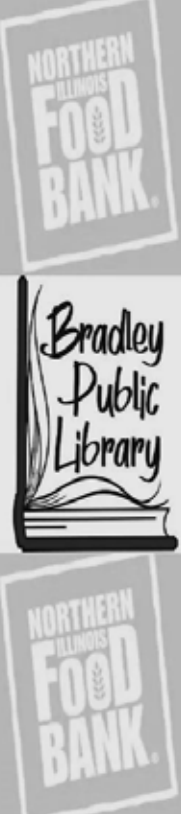
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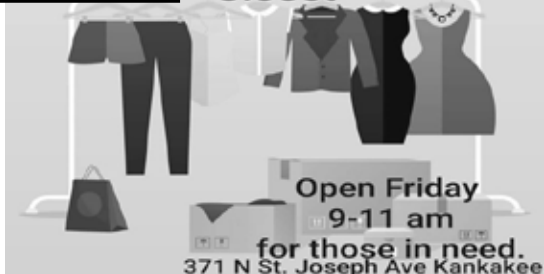
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