

# 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

## CONFESIONS

Conference Room

Saturday 3:30-4:30pm

Tuesday/Thursday 5:00-5:45 pm

## DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY APRIL 24, 2022



FOR THE SAKE  
OF HIS  
SORROWFUL  
PASSION,  
HAVE MERCY  
ON US  
AND ON THE  
WHOLE WORLD.

POR EL BIEN DE  
SU PASSION  
DOLOROSA,  
TEN PIEDAD DE  
NOSOTROS Y EN  
EL TODO EL  
MUNDO.

“Bringing Jesus to Everyone and Everyone to Jesus”

## A NOTE FROM THE PASTOR

## UNA NOTA DEL PÁRROCO

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Jesus Christ is risen! He is risen indeed! Alleluia! Suffering and death cannot keep our Lord from loving us and calling us to rejoice in His presence for eternity. The light of Christ has conquered the darkness, and our Lord desires to shine upon us now and forever.

On that first Easter Sunday, two of our Lord's disciples were filled with doubt and confusion. They witnessed the Passion and death of Christ, and they heard about the Resurrection, but they did not understand. So they decided to walk to a nearby town called Emmaus. While on their way, as they conversed and debated, the Risen Lord, their teacher, joined them, but they did not recognize Him. As He spoke to them, their hearts were burning within them, and then they recognized Jesus in the Breaking of the Bread, the Eucharist (see Lk 24:13-35). That same day, that first Easter Sunday, Jesus also appeared to the Apostles who fearfully hid themselves in a locked room. Jesus breathed on them the Holy Spirit, telling them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained" (Jn 20:22-23). This is the sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation (confession). Why are the sacraments of the Eucharist and Penance/Reconciliation a part of that first Easter Sunday? Because our Lord is alive, and He reveals to us that He continues to give Himself to us in the Eucharist as well as forgive us through confession. These are real experiences of the Risen Lord. The sacraments aren't our actions, but they are Christ's actions through the Church. Our Lord made us with bodies and souls, and love is not abstract—it is recognizable and experienced. In today's Gospel, on that first Sunday after Easter Sunday, St. Thomas experienced Christ's presence and witnessed the marks of God's love. His doubt was overcome with belief and he cried out "My Lord and my God!" Let us continue to be aware of Christ's presence and mercy given to us through the sacraments. Let us receive Jesus with devotion and love.

We celebrate this Sunday as Divine Mercy Sunday. I encourage you to attend the holy hour with Divine Mercy devotions this Sunday, April 24th, at 2pm in Spanish and at 6:30pm in English. Let us continue to stay close to our Lord and remember one another in prayer.

In Christ,

Fr. Matt



Queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo,

¡Cristo ha resucitado! ¡En verdad ha resucitado! ¡Aleluya! El sufrimiento y la muerte no pueden impedir el amor de nuestro Señor y él nos atraiga hacia su presencia por la eternidad. La luz de Cristo ha vencido las tinieblas de pecado y del mundo y nuestro Señor desea brillar su amor y gracia sobre nosotros ahora y para siempre.

En el primer domingo de Pascua, dos discípulos de nuestro Señor estaban llenos de duda y confusión. Ellos eran testigos de la Pasión y muerte de Cristo y oyeron de la Resurrección, pero no la entendieron. Decidieron caminar al pueblo de Emaús. Cuando estaban en camino, mientras conversaban y discutían, el Señor Resucitado, su maestro, se les acercó, pero no lo reconocieron. Mientras él hablaba, sus corazones ardían y luego reconocieron a Jesús al partir el pan, la Eucaristía (cf Lc 24:13-35). En el mismo día, el primer Domingo de Pascua, Jesús también se apareció a los Apóstoles que se ocultaron con miedo en la casa. Jesús sopló sobre ellos, diciéndoles: "Reciban el Espíritu Santo. A los que les perdonen los pecados, les quedarán perdonados; y a los que no se los perdonen, les quedarán sin perdonar" (Jn 20:22-23). Este es el sacramento de la Penitencia y la

Reconciliación. ¿Por qué la Eucaristía y la Confesión forman parte de la historia de la Pascua de la Resurrección del Señor? Porque nuestro Señor es vivo y él sigue dándose a nosotros en la Eucaristía y perdonándonos por medio de la confesión. Estos sacramentos son experiencias auténticas del Señor resucitado. Los sacramentos no son nuestras acciones; son las acciones de Cristo por medio de la Iglesia. Nuestro Señor nos creaba con cuerpos y almas y el amor no es abstracto: es reconocible y experimentado. En el Evangelio de hoy, en el domingo después del Domingo de Pascua, Santo Tomás experimentó la presencia de Cristo y fue testigo de las señales del amor de Dios. Su duda fue superada con creencia y clamó "¡Señor mío y Dios mío!" Estemos conscientes de la presencia de Cristo y la misericordia que nos han dado por medio de los sacramentos. Recibámoslos con devoción y amor.

Celebramos este domingo como Domingo de la Divina Misericordia. Les animo a asistir a la hora santa con devociones de la Divina Misericordia este domingo 24 de abril a las 2pm en español y a las 6:30 pm en inglés. Sigamos estando cerca de nuestro Señor resucitado y recordándonos unos a otros en oración.

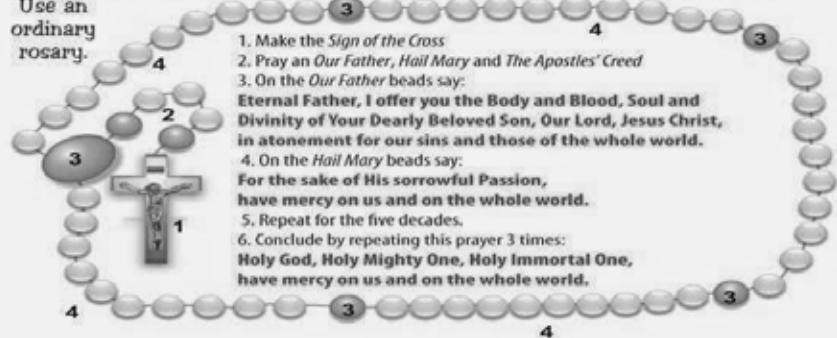
En Cristo,

Padre Mateo



### How to pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Use an ordinary rosary.



1. Make the Sign of the Cross
2. Pray an *Our Father*, *Hail Mary* and *The Apostles' Creed*
3. On the *Our Father* beads say:  
**Eternal Father, I offer you the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your Dearly Beloved Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.**
4. On the *Hail Mary* beads say:  
**For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.**
5. Repeat for the five decades.
6. Conclude by repeating this prayer 3 times:  
**Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.**



## 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

### **JP2 Ministry of Gratitude** (Preparing Church Flower Arrangements)

#### **Sunday Offering/Ofrenda del Domingo**

For April 16/17, 2022

\$15,993.79 (154 Envelopes)

(Includes \$1,118 from Online Giving added above)

#### **Easter Collection**

\$9,160 (163 Envelopes)

(Includes \$130 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**

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A portion of your purchase will support JP2.



#### prayer for the sick

May you be wrapped up in God's love,  
Found deep in His everlasting wings.  
Carried and kept, safe and cherished.  
May the healing power of Christ  
Breathe across your being now.

#### **PRAYING WITH INTENTION FOR THE SICK**

Barrett, Rita, Beedle, Jim, Bergeron, Ted, Bergeron, Phyllis, Bialas, Margaret, Blue, Vicki, Boswell, Cheryl, Brandon, Linda, Burson, Kelli, Butler, Mike, Call, Kathy, Clocksin, Mary, Crane, Pat, Cuffe, Marlene, Dechenne, Kathy, Decker, Dave, Dominguez, Antonio, Dytkiewicz, Susan, Emling, Kenneth, Garcia, Raquel, Goselin, Eula Mae, Griffiths, Kathy, LaPierre, Jonette, LaRoche, Jackie, Lenzi, Robert, Licon, Arthur, Martinez, Sylvia, Mendez, Gloria, Norgaard, Ardelle, Pagano, Agnes, Paquette, Donna, Raut, Francis, Robinson, Craig, Sandon, Jim, Salazar, Magdalena, Schultz, Steve, Smith, Jackson, Torres, Teresa, Turner, Debbie, Whipple, MarWulffe, Daniel, Wulffe, Matthew, Vazquez, Josefina, Karen

\*\*\* 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!

## THIS WEEK AT JP2

#### Monday, April 25

12:00pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
5:30pm	CCW Deanery Meeting
6:00pm	Finance Council Meeting
6:30pm	Zumba
7:00pm	Charismatic Group

#### Tuesday, April 26

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

#### Wednesday, April 27

1:00am	Lord Teach Me To Pray
6:00pm	FFP Prayer Night

#### Thursday, April 28

#### Friday, April 29

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

#### Saturday, April 30

9:00am	Retiro: Encuentro Con Jesus Resucitado
4:00pm	Volleyball

#### Sunday, May 1

9:00am	Pescadores de Hombres
2:00pm	CCW Mother/Daughter Luncheon

## FUTURE EVENTS

May 6-8 Easy Street Theater—"Shake Smear"

May 7 First Communion

May 8 Mothers Day

June 3 Confirmation

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

## Homebound & Nursing Home Parishioners

**HOMEBOUND:** Barbara Ciaccio, Rose Kaminsky, Rosemary Dicarlo, Bob Granger

**ASBURY SUPPORTIVE LIVING:** Rosalyn Szymborski

**LUTHER PLACE:** Leola Mulvihill, Thrasilla Janczak

**PRESENCE HERITAGE Lodge:** Dick Keethers, John Hagan

**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

## 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](mailto:frmatt@jp2kankakee.org)

### Parochial Vicar

Rev. Roy Jacob, CMI, ext. 403

[frroy@jp2kankakee.org](mailto:frroy@jp2kankakee.org)

### In Residence

Rev. John Horan ext. 412

[frhoran@jp2kankakee.org](mailto:frhoran@jp2kankakee.org)

### Deacons

David Marlowe, Greg Clodi, & Rocco Busato

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

### Business Manager :

Kathy Griffiths ext. 406 [kgriffiths@jp2kankakee.org](mailto:kgriffiths@jp2kankakee.org)

### Pastoral Secretary/Bulletin Editor:

Kathy Dummer ext. 408

[kdummer@jp2kankakee.org](mailto:kdummer@jp2kankakee.org)

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

### Liturgy Associate :

Lori Ciaccio ext. 405 [lciaccio@jp2kankakee.org](mailto:lciaccio@jp2kankakee.org)

### Director del Ministerio Hispano:

Alex Quezada ext. 404 [aquezada@jp2kankakee.org](mailto:aquezada@jp2kankakee.org)

### Receptionists:

Silvia Barajas ext. 410 [sbarajas@jp2kankakee.org](mailto:sbarajas@jp2kankakee.org)

Silvia Esparza ext. 409 [SEsparza@jp2kankakee.org](mailto:SEsparza@jp2kankakee.org)

### Sacramental Recording Secretary

### Faith Formation Office: 815-932-7911

Sister Evangeline [srevangeline@jp2kankakee.org](mailto:srevangeline@jp2kankakee.org)

### Music Director :

Christopher Wilcox [cwilcox@jp2kankakee.org](mailto:cwilcox@jp2kankakee.org)

### Coros Hispanos: Caitlyn Segura

Building & Grounds: [ontop60@msn.com](mailto:ontop60@msn.com)

Rende Langlois 815-693-0253

### Parish Media Links

#### Website:

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



#### Facebook

St John Paul II  
Kankakee

#### YouTube: St. John Paul II Kankakee

### Parish Council Members

Julie Busken Chairperson

Deb Groth-Secretary

Marc Nichols

Maria Pizano-Calderon

Pedro Gonzalez

Cathy Langlois-Co-Chair

Gabriel Mendez

Bob Kerness

Uriel Garcia

### Finance Council Members

Mark O'Connor- President

Sonda Clocksin

Mickey Kreissler

Cheryl Walsh-Secretary

Amy Anderson

Alicia Saldivar

Tom Martin



## SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY

**Applications for Cornelia Benson Scholarships are now available at the Bishop McNamara Catholic Grade School, Bradley campus and at St. John Paul II Parish Office. We are pleased to announce that beginning with the 2022-2023 school year that Kindergarten students may be included in this tuition assistance. St. John Paul II parishioners with students in grades Kindergarten-8 may apply. PRE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL are not eligible.**

### Divine Mercy Sunday

April 24, 2022

Acts 5:12-16 Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19 John 20:19-31

### Standing in Our Midst

Sometimes we just want proof. The words and witness of others is not always enough. Even when we do no ask for Jesus to come, he comes to us, just as he did to the disciples in the upper room. He is with us still, with us now, extending mercy and peace.

- What signs do I see of Christ being present, being with us, being with me?
- How can I extend Christ's Easter greeting of peace to others?
- How will I be an ambassador of mercy? What work will I do this week?

**"VOCATIONS ARE  
born IN prayer and FROM prayer;  
and only THROUGH prayer  
can they persevere and bear fruit."**

~ Pope Francis

### VOCATION PRAYER CALENDAR

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

**April 25** Todd Bly, Carlos Briceño, Stepen Contreras, Michael Doerries (Deacon Candidates)

**April 26** Fr. Juan Jose Hernandez, Fr. Daniel Hessling

**April 27** Dcns. Thomas Goebel, George Goes, Sergio Gonzalez

**April 28** Dcns. Alexander Grozik, Manuel Guerrero

**April 29** Fr. Daniel Hoehn, Fr. Robert A. Hoffenkamp

**April 30** Sr. Margaret Christi Karwowski OSF

**May 1** Brs. Raphael Mascari, Raymond McManaman, Lawrence Oelschlegel, Michael Quirk FSC

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

### Mon. April 25 St. Mark

1 Peter 5:5b-14  
Mark 16:15-20

### Tues. April 26

Acts 4:32-37  
John 3:7b-15

### Weds. April 27

Acts 5:17-26  
John 3:16-21

### Thurs. April 28

Acts 5:27-33  
John 3:31-36

### Fri. April 29 St. Catherine of Siena

Acts 5:34-42  
John 6:1-15

### Sat. April 30

Acts 6:1-7  
Mark 6:1-15

### Sun. May 1

Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41  
Revelations 5:11-14  
John 2: 1-19



## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

### Saturday April 23, 2022

8:00 a.m. † Arnie Joubert (Julia A. & Greg Azzarelli)  
4:30 p.m. † George Faber (Brenda Albers)  
6:00 p.m. For All the People of St. John Paul II

### Sunday April 24, 2022

8:00 a.m. † Carol Rundlett (Christine Cates)  
9:30 a.m. † Joseph Azzarelli (Betty Azzarelli)  
† Marjorie Messerle (David L Hegg)  
† Bonnie Gregg (Evan Gregg)  
† Derek Ader (Sorich Family)  
Special Intentions of Matt Malicki (Matt Malicki)  
† George Faber (William & Pat Faber)  
† Alison Saldaña Muñoz (Jose Luis Saldaña & Maria Muñoz)  
† Nicolas Perez (Maria Angela Perez)  
Triumph of the I.H.M. (Martha Aune)  
Special Intentions of Matthew Malicki (Matt Malicki)

### Monday April 25, 2022

7:30 a.m. † Therese Falkenhan (Steve & Diane Devine)

### Tuesday April 26, 2022

7:30 a.m. † Arnie Joubert (Fran Powers)  
6:00 p.m. For the Intentions of the Priest

### Wednesday April 27, 2022

7:30 a.m. † Veronica & Duffy Carlson (Kathy & Troy Decherne)  
12:00 p.m. † Arnie Joubert (Tom & Joanne Lambert)

### Thursday April 28, 2022

7:30 a.m. † Harold Funk (Family)

### Friday April 29, 2022

7:30 a.m. † Derek Ader (Lorenia Lara)  
12:00 p.m. † Arnie Joubert (Marty & Cheryl Bilderback)

### Saturday April 30, 2022

8:00 a.m. † Charles "Bud" Birr (Tom LaMarre)  
4:30 p.m. † Betty & Dana Grant (Aunt Patsy)  
6:00 p.m. † Jaime Lopez (Graciela Lopez)

### Sunday May 1, 2022

8:00 a.m. For All the People of St. John Paul II  
9:30 a.m. † Bill Clocksin  
11:30 a.m. † George Ray (Theresa Grasco)  
1:00 p.m. Deceased Members of JP2 CCW (JP2 CCW)  
3:00 p.m. † Jose Maria Flores (Jorge Flores)  
5:00 p.m. † J. Guadape Garcia Gaytan (Sandra Diaz)  
Reign of Christ over Nations (Martha Aune)  
Scott Seaton Sr. (Missionary Sisters of the Holy Family)

## 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-baptismal 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  
Earl Uribe & Fern Long  
By  
Doris Uribe



## 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

The Seven Last Words of Jesus Christ  
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Prayers and Reflections presented by Fr. Matt, Fr. Roy,  
Deacons David, Greg, and Rocco, and Deacon Candidate, George Arocha.



Thank You David Stejkowski, Jacob Levy  
and Music Director, Christopher Wilcox  
for the beautiful music for the evening.



Thank you so very much to our parishioners for your thoughtfulness and generosity by donating the many, many "Healthy Breakfast" items to fill 54 Easter Baskets! It gave us such joy to fill, wrap, and give them to others in the community at the Kankakee Catholic Food Pantry on Good Friday morning. We couldn't have done it without you!  
God Bless You! With Love from the Young on Fire Ministry



**HEARTS OF HOPE  
YOUTH GROUP**

**ANNUAL GOOD FRIDAY  
SHRINE OF CHRIST'S  
PASSION TRIP**

<b>Liturgical Schedule</b>	Saturday April 30 4:30 pm	Saturday April 30 6:00 pm Español	Sunday May 1 8:00 am	Sunday May 1 9:30 am	Sunday May 1 11:30 am	Sunday May 1 1:00 pm Español	Sunday May 1 5:00 pm
<b>Lector</b>	Ryan Carter	Teresa Lopez Serafin Lopez	Linda Kerness	Judy Smead	George Arocha	Jorge Flores Claudia Avila	Jacob Levy
<b>Ushers Ujieres</b>	Ron Dressler Laura Carter S/U Mary Causer	Eloisa Ayala Jennifer Sanchez Lucy Canales Manuel Duarte Erika Duarte	Bob Kerness John Lilenthal Kerri Lilenthal	David Montague Deb Groth Janice Shenk W-Kathy Griffitha	Beth Arocha Silvia Barajas <b>Need Volunteer</b>	Maria Calderon Veronica Calvillo Lucy Canales Jesus Candelario	Mickey Kreissler Sharon Jackson
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Need Volunteers	Need Volunteers	Need Volunteers	Need Volunteers	Rebecca Pardy Ben Bilderback	Litzy Avila Mariana Cabrales	Need Volunteer
<b>Disinfecting Limpieza</b>	<b>Not Needed</b>	Manuel Duarte Erika Duarte	<b>Not Needed</b>	<b>Not Needed</b>	Beth Arocha Silvia Barajas	<b>Not Needed</b>	<b>Not Needed</b>

### Weekday Ministers

#### Ministros de la Semana and Linen Cleaning Schedule

April 25-30: Daily Mass: Lector: Desiree Grant Sacristan: Ken Klipp  
May 2-7: Daily Mass: Lector: Teresa Mahoney Sacristan: Linda Libby

#### Martes Noche Misa Española:

Abrial 19: Lectores: Rosario Lira Sacristan: Daniel Varela, Ema Elvir  
Abrial 26: Lectores: Teresa Lopez Sacristan: Flor Rojas

Linens: April 24/May1: Marcia Klasey May 8/15: Frances Powers



**Lectors**



**USHERS**

#### Liturgy Needs:

Saturday, 4:30 pm mass Lectors and Lectors and Ushers for the Sunday, 11:30 am & 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.



### St. John Paul II Council of Catholic Woman Woman of the Year

#### MICKEY KREISSLER

Congratulations Mickey! Thank You for your dedication to the CCW and our parish.

Mickey will also be honored at the Cathedral in Joliet at a later date.



### St. John Paul II CCW MOTHER-DAUGHTER LUNCHEON

All women and daughters  
are cordially invited  
to the luncheon.

**WHEN: SUNDAY, MAY 1, 2022**

**2:00 p.m.**

**WHERE: JPII SETTLES CENTER**

**COST: \$5.00 per person (3 and under are free)**

Reservations are required

by APRIL 25, 2022

Sign up on the board

Tickets will be sold

after mass



## 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



Words of Wisdom Book Club

Friday, May 20

6:30 pm

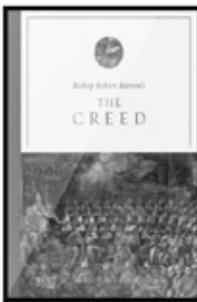
JP2 Family Center

Breakthrough: Miraculous True Story of a Mother's Faith & Her Child's Resurrection  
By Joyce Smith

Questions? Call Laurie Mau 815-933-8859

Join us for this online discussion series:

### THE CREED Video Series



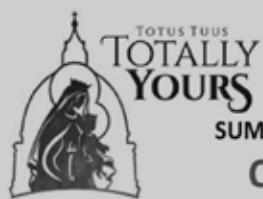
Using this new film series blending documentary conversations and dynamic talks, we will view Bishop Robert Barron as he guides us into the depths of the Nicene Creed, a 4th-century statement of faith that has profoundly influenced Christian spirituality, theology, and liturgy. Sr. Myra Lambert, sscm, will facilitate the viewing of the video and a follow up discussion for each session.

Sponsored by:  
*Servants of the Holy Heart of Mary*

DATES:      Wednesday, April 27  
                Wednesday, May 25  
                Wednesday, June 22

TIME:        6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

For more information about our programming,  
please contact Susan Amann:  
[samann@sscm-usa.org](mailto:samann@sscm-usa.org)



St JOHN PAUL II  
CATHOLIC PARISH

SUMMER CATECHETICAL CAMP FOR  
CHILDREN & TEENS

#### DAY PROGRAM

Entering Grades 1-6

June 13-17 Monday – Friday

9:00 am - 2:30 pm

*Cost: \$45 » Family Rate: \$100 / 3 +*

What to Bring Daily:

Bagged lunch, snack & water bottle.

#### EVENING PROGRAM

Entering Grades 7-12

June 12-16

Sunday - Thursday

7:00 pm to 9:00 pm

*Cost: \$15*

What to Bring Daily: Snack and water

Find the registration form at:

- FFP Office      - JP2 Website

- Main Office      - JP2's Facebook

For questions contact Sr. Evangeline at  
[srevangeline@jp2kankakee.org](mailto:srevangeline@jp2kankakee.org), or call  
815-932-7911.



Order of  
Carmelites

### Seeking a Deeper Spiritual Life?

Prayerfully consider attending a  
Lay Carmelite Community meeting.  
Join us any first Saturday of the month.  
Our next meeting is

Saturday, May 7  
9:00 am in the JP2 Conference Room  
All are Welcome!!

More Info?  
Call/Text 815-592-1181

St. John Paul II was a third order Carmelite



Join us for this online presentation:

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WHEN: Thursday, April 28, 2022  
6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

For more information about our programming,  
please contact Susan Amann:  
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<b>Azzarelli Outreach Clinic:</b>	Judy Busato/Kathy Wade	815-928-6093	azzarellclinic@yahoo.com
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April 30, at 3:00 P.M. in the Chapel

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