

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

Fourth Sunday of Easter May 12, 2019



HER CHILDREN
ARISE UP
AND CALL HER
BLESSED

Proverbs 31:28

"Bringing Jesus to Everyone and Everyone to Jesus!"

LESSONS FROM MAMA

Dear parishioners, it's Mother's Day weekend! Happy Mother's day to the amazing mothers in our community. I am sure that most of you have heard at least one or two of my homilies where I talk about my mother, and some of the things that I have learned from her, or maybe a little story that has taught me some important lessons in life. And so, this weekend, in honor of all our mothers, I want to share some of her most memorable lessons that have shaped my life as a human being, hoping that you pick a thing or two from her wisdom.



- 1. Have confidence in God's providence.** This is a lesson that we learned at the heart of our poverty - to look at the obvious blessings and account for the other blessings that are yet to be revealed.
- 2. Use your gifts generously.** Take every opportunity to use the gifts that God has given you. If you can sing, sing. If you are good with gardening, look for opportunities to be in the garden. If you have the gift of cooking, cook enough for more to share with.
- 3. Learn to make a sacrifice.** Not everything will go your way, and that's fine, as long as God's way prevails. Sometimes, we have to carry a cross that we don't understand; carry it anyway. That's sacrifice. It makes life holy. Sacrifice for your loved ones; you can never go wrong with doing good for others.
- 4. Use your prophetic voice.** Do not be afraid to make a correction or to offer a perspective that might help someone to be better. Sometimes, other people will hate you for using your prophetic voice, but find peace in knowing that being persecuted for speaking the truth of God, it's part of your prophetic calling.
- 5. Do everything well.** Don't settle for half-done, half-hearted effort. Strive always for excellence, even if it is just folding your clothes, setting the table or doing little things that others may not even notice. What is important is to know that you have given it your best. Study hard. Wash your socks well. Clean every corner.
- 6. Keep your integrity.** God sees everything. So be honest in every situation. You need to be exactly who you are at all times, no matter who is with you, wherever you are, and whatever may be happening. God knows you, and that is enough. We live on this earth to please God and serve God, and no one else.
- 7. Forgive and/but remember the lessons learned.** Nobody is perfect, but it is important to learn from your mistakes and the mistakes of others. This is how you grow as a person, and how you make something good out of something bad. You don't have to be vengeful for offenses done. God will bless the merciful heart.
- 8. Feel free to sing, dance, laugh and eat.** There's enough to celebrate and be grateful for. Honor God, the Great Giver, by enjoying your life and having a good time with your loved ones.
- 9. Remain humble.** It does not make sense to have faith and God and not be humble. The more you know who God is, the more humble you become.
- 10. If there is no rice, go for the dessert.** This is funny, but I see the wisdom hidden in this, as well. Don't leave even a piece of rice on your plate, because it's a gift that should not be wasted.

After all of that, I am left with just these words to say: Thank you, Mama!

In honor of my loving mom,
Fr. Sunny Castillo

LECCIONES DE MAMA

Queridos feligresa, es fin de semana de Día de Las Madres! Feliz Día de Las Madres para las maravillosas madres en nuestra comunidad. Estoy seguro que la mayoría de ustedes han escuchado por lo menos una o dos de mis homilias donde he hablado de mi madre, y algunas cosas que he aprendido de ella o quizás una pequeña historia que me ha enseñado lecciones importantes en la vida. Y así, este fin de semana, en honor a todas nuestras madres, quiero compartir algunas de las lecciones mas memorables que han moldeado mi vida como ser humano, espero que tomes una o dos de su sabiduría.

- 1. Tener confianza en la Providencia de Dios.** Esta es una lección que aprendimos en el corazón de nuestra pobreza - de mirar las bendiciones obvias y contar con las otras bendiciones que están aún por ser reveladas.
- 2. Utiliza tus dones generosamente.** Toma cada oportunidad para utilizar todos los dones que Dios te ha dado. Si puedes cantar, canta. Si eres bueno en jardinería, busca las oportunidades de estar en el jardín. Si tienes el don de cocinar, cocina más para compartir.
- 3. Aprende hacer un sacrificio.** No todo ira como tu quieres y esta bien, mientras Dios prevalezca. A veces tenemos que cargar una cruz que no entendemos; cárgala de todas maneras. Eso es sacrificio. Hace la vida santa. Sacrifica por tus seres queridos: nunca puedes hacer mal en hacer bien por los demás.
- 4. Utiliza tu voz profética.** No tengas miedo en hacer una corrección u ofrecer una perspectiva que pueda ayudar a alguien a mejorar. Algunas personas te detestaran por utilizar tu voz profética, pero encuentra la paz al saber que ser perseguido por hablar la verdad de Dios, es parte de tu llamado profético.
- 5. Haz todo bien.** No te conformes con la mitad, esfuerzo a medias. Lucha siempre por excelencia, aún cuando es solo en doblar tu ropa, poner la mesa o hacer pequeñas cosas que quizás otros ni cuenta se den. Lo que es importante es saber que has dado lo mejor de ti. Estudia mucho. Lava tus calcetas bien. Limpia cada rincón.
- 6. Mantén tu integridad.** Dios lo mira todo. Así que se honesto en cada situación. Necesitas ser exactamente quien eres todo el tiempo, no importa quien este contigo, donde quiera que estés y cualquier cosa que este pasando. Dios te conoce y eso es suficiente. Vivimos en esta tierra para complacer a Dios y servir a Dios y a nadie mas.
- 7. Perdona y/pero recuerda las lecciones aprendidas.** Nadie es perfecto, pero es importante aprender de tus errores y los errores de los demás. Así es como creces como persona y como haces algo bueno de algo malo. No tienes que ser vengativo por ofensas hechas. Dios bendecirá al corazón misericordioso.
- 8. Siéntete libre de cantar, bailar, reír y comer.** Hay mucho que celebrar y agradecer. Honra a Dios, EL QUE NOS DA TODO, celebrando tu vida y disfrutando con tus seres queridos.
- 9. Mantente humilde.** No tiene sentido tener fe en Dios y no ser humilde. Entre mas conoces a Dios, mas humilde serás.
- 10. Si no hay arroz, come un postre.** Esto es gracioso, pero también veo la sabiduría escondida en ello. No dejes ni un solo grano en tu plato, porque es un regalo que no debe ser desperdiciado.

Después de todo esto, solo me queda estas palabras por decir: Gracias, Mama!

En honor a mi querida madre,
Fr. Sunny Castillo

Liturgical Schedule	Saturday May 18 4:30 pm	Saturday/Sábado May 18 6:00 pm	Sunday May 19 8:00 am	Sunday May 19 9:30 am	Sunday May 19 11:30 am
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Kevin O’Gorman	Kimberly Sanchez Manuel Velazquez Erika Molina	Paula Muhlstadt	Abby Medina Abigail Richey Michaela Richey	Joseph Osborn Danial Osborn Sara Gonzales
Lectors/ Lectores	Jack Klasey (Both Readings)	Gustavo Flores Teresa Lopez Karina Toledo	1) Desiree Grant 2) Cheryl Heldt	1) Judy Smead 2) Bob Sowell	David Osborn (Both Readings)
Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	*John Brill Jan Brill Mary Causer Jan Rodgers	Angelica Maria Antonio Serna Ofelia Carmona	*Cathi Willi Patrick O’Connor Bev Kohan Brenda Boudreau	*Laura Shellie *Delynn Geistwhite *Fran Powers Dolores O’Connor Sister Krystyna Sister Elizabeth	*Pedro Gonzales Rosa Gonzales Oriana Gonzales Carolyn Gonzales
Ushers Ujieres	*Minta Crump Ron Dressler Joe Martino Lynne Martino	Erika Duarte Manuel Duarte Maria Guerrero Virginia Ayala	* Sharon Jackson Maureen Kambic	*Jason Depatis Mickey Kreissler James Marion Charlene Russell	*Chuck Juarez Juana Osborn Leo Donath Steve Kelley
Welcoming/ Bienvenida	Judy Endres David Stejkowski	Luci Canales Veronica Carmona	Sandy Kuntz	Linda Libby Birdie Blanchette Mary Talamantes	Fernandez Family

Weekday Ministers:

May 13-18 Daily Mass: Lector: Teresa Mahoney Comm. Ministers: Desiree Grant/Cathi Willi Altar Server: Sharon Jackson
 May 20-25 Dailey Mass: Lector: Bev Kohan Comm. Ministers: Diane Sheehan/Sister Magdalena Altar Server: Kathy Griffiths

Linens: May 12/19: Frances Powers May 26/June 2: Julie Busken

Liturgical Schedule	Sunday/Domingo May 19 1:00 pm	Liturgical Schedule	Sunday May 19 5:00 pm	Liturgical Schedule	Tuesday/Martes May 21 6:00 pm
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Manuel Velasquez Yael Calderon Anthony Matinez Alexsandra Quintana	Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Ashanti Quezada	Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Manuel Velasquez
Lectors/ Lectores	Elizabeth Suarez Rogelio Benitez Irma Tinajero	Lectors/ Lectores	Irma Tinajero	Lectors/ Lectores	Maria Flores Serafin Lopez
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Ushers Ujieres	Ricardo Esparza Albert Valladares Jr. Rosalina Tonacatl Yoana Hernandez	Ushers Ujieres	Penny Trout Ryan Trout	Ushers Ujieres	Aydee Palma
Welcoming/ Bienvenida	Magda Salazar Albert Valladares	Welcoming/ Bienvenida	Need Volunteers	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.

May 11, 2019

† Myrl Billadeau (*Mary A. Sterba*)

4:30 p.m.

† Janice Sullivan (*Family & Friends*)

† Betty Grant (*Dennis & Cindy Funk*)

6:00 p.m.

For all Mothers of St. John Paul II Parish

Sunday

8:00 a.m.

May 12, 2019

For all Mothers of St. John Paul II Parish

9:30 a.m.

For all Mothers of St. John Paul II Parish

11:30 a.m.

For all Mothers of St. John Paul II Parish

1:00 p.m.

For all Mothers of St. John Paul II Parish

5:00 p.m.

For All the People of St. John Paul II

Monday

7:30 a.m.

May 13, 2019

† Ileene Dandurand (*Cheryl Heldt*)

† Antonio Celio (*Consuelo Piriecto*)

Tuesday

7:30 a.m.

May 14, 2019

† Stanley & Helene Stejkowski (*David & Maria*)

† Donna Ciaccio (*Don & Lori Ciaccio*)

6:00 p.m.

† Consuelo Avalos (*Antonio Calderon*)

Wednesday

7:30 a.m.

May 15, 2019

† Bill Powers (*Norma Vaughn*)

† Gizella Mollmer (*Ray & Rose Meredith*)

Thursday

7:30 a.m.

May 16, 2019

† George Faber (*Betty Azzarelli*)

† Bonnie Gregg (*Skip & Rita Kanosky*)

Friday

7:30 a.m.

May 17, 2019

† Edward & Dolores Safiran (*Their Children*)

† Kenneth Regnier (*The Family*)

Saturday

8:00 a.m.

May 18, 2019

† Raymond Azzarelli (*Betty Azzarelli*)

4:30 p.m.

† Francis & Patricia LaMarre (*Kevin & Sonda Clocksin*)

† Cecilia Birr (*Bud & Nancy Birr*)

6:00 p.m.

Pilar Mendez (*Maria Guerro*)

Sandra Barrios (*Parish Family*)

Sunday

8:00 a.m.

May 19, 2019

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

† Carol Martin (*Tom & Cindy-Tim & Chris*)

9:30 a.m.

† Francis Boudreau (*Betty Azzarelli*)

† Richard Ortman (*George & Fran Norfleet*)

11:30 a.m.

† Timothy Anderson (*Friends & Family*)

† Jim Kresl (*The Nanos Family*)

1:00 p.m.

For All the People of St. John Paul II

5:00 p.m.

† LaVern Morrical (*Les & Donna Morrical*)

† Carmen Pizano (*Pizano Granddaughters*)

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
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 815-932-4974



Sanctuary Candle

The candle in the sanctuary is burning for

Maria Del Carmen Hernandez Cervano

Requested by
The Clodi Family

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

Please Pray for the Sick of Our Parish

Africano, Shirley	Gianotti, Francis	Raut, Francis
Andrews, Fred	Goselin, Eula Mae	Robinson, Craig
Arseneau, Zoey		Saindon, Jim
Azzarelli, Barb	Harris, Kay	Schafroth, Donald
Beedle, Jim	Hitzen, Elizabeth	Schoondermark, Mark
Blanchette, Birdie	Jensen, Deborah	Senor, Nicholas
Borem, Yvonne	Johnson, Bill	Smith, Jackson
Brandon, Carl	Keiser, Jaime	Sprimont, Carol
Burnett, Mack	LaPierre, Jonette	Sprimont, Kevin
Call, Kathy	Licon, Arthur	
Castillo, Silvia	Longtin, Sandra	Suprenant, Dorothy
Clocksins, Mary	Lopez, Humberto	Suprenant, John
Crane, Pat	Martinez, Dalia	Taylor, Gino
Daily, Abraham	Martinez, Sylvia	Valencia, Ivan James
Darby, Thomas	Murphy, Mary Lou	Valex, Donna
DeChenne, Kathy	Pagano, Agnes	
Decker, Betty	Papineau, Bruno	
Dubuque, Maureen	Peeken, Kay	
Emling, Kenneth	Pfeiffer, Bob	
Flores, Jose		



We are trying to verify our list of the sick in the parish. Some names were on it since the merger in 2017. Please help us by looking at these names and see if there are any additions or others to remove from it. Call the parish office with any changes., 933-7683.

Homebound & Nursing Home Parishioners

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

ASBURY SUPPORTIVE LIVING: Rosalyn Szymborski, Betty Decker

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OUR LADY OF ANGELS: Rev. Lloyd Bowden

OUR LADY OF VICTORY: Frank Hart

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Village: Virginia Gaines

RIVER NORTH: Ted Wheeler

BICKFORD: Bruno Papineau

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Good Friday Living Stations/Via Crucis




EASTER VIGIL

**God Bless
the newest
members of our
parish who were
baptized on
Saturday, April 20**

**Lisa Quick
Korayma Guerrero
Alan Guerrero
Jennisha Rambaran**





Congratulations
Fr. Joel Fortier

Fr. Joel Fortier will celebrate 50 years in the priesthood - faithfully serving the people of God.

Come share your thanks and appreciation with him on Saturday, June 1, 2019 at the 4:30 p.m. Mass at St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church, 1500 Brookdale Road, Naperville. Light refreshments will be available in the St. Thomas gym following Mass.

Unable to join us?
Send cards and wishes to...

Fr. Joel Fortier
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50 years

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Our first
ST. JOHN PAUL II
pictorial directory is coming soon!!

Look for opportunities to sign up for a photo session SOON!!



CORNELIA BENSON SCHOLARSHIP FUND

(Formerly known as the St. Teresa Scholarship Fund)

Applications are now available at the Bishop McNamara Catholic Grade School Bradley Campus.

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Las Aplicaciones para la beca de Cornelia Benson Scholarship Fund

(Conocida formalmente como fondo de becas de Sta. Teresa)

están disponibles en la Escuela Primaria Católica Bishop McNamara localizada en Bradley. La fecha límite para aplicar es el 31 de Mayo, 2019. Los padres con estudiantes que ingresaran a los grados 1-8 el próximo año escolar (2019-20) pueden aplicar para la beca.

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



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Jesús el Buen Pastor

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Lunes de 7:00-9:00 pm

!!! Oraremos, Cantaremos y alabaremos al Señor !!!



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Todos los miércoles por la tarde

7:00 a 7:30 pm
San Juan Pablo II

Rezaremos por la armonía y unidad de nuestras familias.

Oremos por la paz en el mundo y la paz en nuestros hogares Rosario Bilingüe

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



Cada Domingo 9:00 -11:00 AM

Salon Ministerial de San Juan Pablo II 956 S. 10th Ave Kankakee IL.
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**Faith Formation
Week of May 13-17**

Monday, May 13 Conference Rm. **6:30 to 8:00 pm**
Men's Faith Sharing - Open to all Adult men


Tuesday, May 14 Church **10:00 am**
Fatima Novena - Pray the Rosary

Tuesday, May 14 Conference Rm. **11:00 am & 7:00 pm**
Living Word Bible Study: St. Paul's Letter to the Romans

Tuesday/Wednesday, May 14/15 **6:15 pm**
FFP- Faith Formation

Wednesday, May 15 Conference Rm. **6:30 pm**
GIFT: The End: A Scott Hahn Series on Revelation

For Bible Study Info call: Jacob Levy: 815-474-2312
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REV. MR. NÉSTOR FRANCISCO SÁNCHEZ-ARRIAGA

to the Sacred Order of the Presbyterate through the imposition of hands and the invocation of the Holy Spirit by His Excellency

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Saturday, the twenty-fifth of May
In the year of our Lord two thousand and nineteen
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A reception will follow.



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We are blessed to have the opportunity to celebrate with **Deacon Nestor** as he becomes **Father Nestor!**

In addition to the ordination mass at the Cathedral in Joliet, (Invitation is to the left), the entire parish community of St. John Paul II is invited to his **First Mass of Thanksgiving on Sunday, May 26, 2019 at 1:00 pm.** This will be a bilingual mass, and a reception will immediately follow at the Settles Center.

Please sign up on the sheets available on the boards in the lobby if you will be coming to the reception, and if you are able to bring a food item or contribute money to help defer the cost of the food that is ordered.

Thank you in advance!!

ESTAS INVITADO!!

Estamos bendecidos en tener la oportunidad de celebrar con

Diacono Nestor

Al convertirse en

Padre Nestor!


Además de la misa de ordenación en la Catedral de Joliet, (invitación a la izquierda), la comunidad parroquial de San Juan Pablo II esta invitada a su **Primera Misa de Agradecimiento, el domingo, 26 de Mayo a la 1:00pm.** Será una misa bilingüe y la recepción en seguida en el Settles Center.

Es importante anotarse en las hojas disponibles en el lobby si vas a venir a la recepción, si puedes traer un platillo para compartir o si puedes contribuir con dinero para cubrir el costo de la comida.

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