

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 still 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

The Most Holy Trinity May 30, 2021



**“Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them
in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit,
teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you.”**

“Bringing Jesus to Everyone and Everyone to Jesus!”

A NOTE FROM THE PASTOR

UNA NOTA DEL PASTOR

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

This weekend we celebrate Trinity Sunday. The doctrine of the Holy Trinity may seem abstract when we first think about it: there is one God consisting of three divine persons, to whom we refer as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. However, it comes from practical experience. God has revealed Himself to us as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. The disciples witnessed Christ praying to the Father. Jesus said that He Himself was sent by the Father and has come to do the Father's will. He promised that He would send an advocate, the Holy Spirit, from the Father. When Jesus was baptized, the Holy Spirit descended upon Him in the form of a dove and the voice of the Father was heard from the clouds. However, Jesus always spoke of them as one. They are one in mission, majesty, will, and substance. God is a Trinity, a communion of equal persons, who perfectly relate to and love one another. This is not self-enclosed and static, but dynamic and perfect. God, out of love for us whom He has made in His image and likeness, sent the Holy Spirit upon us at the moment of baptism to dwell within us, uniting us to the Son and thus making us adopted children of the Father. We participate in this relationship, this union; we share in the life of the Trinity. Living in relationship with God, or in friendship with God, is known as living in a state of grace. May we continue to care for that beautiful gift of grace by avoiding sin, living virtuously and charitably, and staying close to our Lord through prayer and the devout reception of the sacraments. May we continue to grow in friendship with God, who extends friendship to us.

Next weekend we celebrate the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, the Body of Christ. We give special attention and honor to our Lord Jesus Christ present in the Holy Eucharist. Our children are receiving their first Holy Communion on Saturday, and on Sunday, on the feast itself, we will have a special outdoor, bilingual Mass at 1pm. It will be on 10th Street, in front of the parish office. Following the Mass, we will have a Eucharistic procession with ice cream afterwards. In the case of inclement weather, there will be two simultaneous Masses, one in the church and the other in the Settles Center.

We are beginning a Year of the Eucharist in the parish (June 1, 2021-May 31, 2022). There are prayer cards for everyone. At 6:30pm every Sunday during the Year of the Eucharist, I will lead Vespers (Evening Prayer) with Benediction as well as give a short talk about the Eucharist, the Mass, and different aspects of our liturgies and rituals. Our faith is profound and rich, and there is so much to reflect on. The first one is June 6th. I hope you can come. Know of my continued prayers for you, and let us continue to remember one another each day in prayer.

In Christ,
Fr. Matt



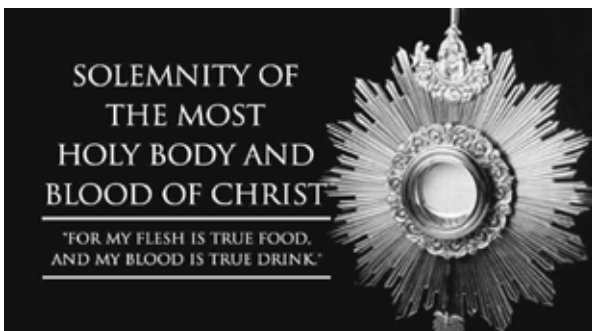
Queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo:

Este fin de semana celebramos el Domingo de la Trinidad. A veces la doctrina de la Santísima Trinidad parece abstracta cuando lo pensamos por primera vez: hay un solo Dios formado por tres personas divinas, a quienes llamamos Padre, Hijo y Espíritu Santo. Sin embargo, lo sabemos por la experiencia práctica. Dios se ha revelado a nosotros como Padre, Hijo y Espíritu Santo. Los discípulos vieron a Cristo orando al Padre. Jesús dijo que él mismo fue enviado por el Padre y que ha venido para hacer la voluntad del Padre. Él prometió que enviaría un abogado, el Espíritu Santo, del Padre. Cuando Jesús fue bautizado, el Espíritu Santo descendió sobre él en forma de paloma y se escuchó la voz del Padre desde las nubes. Sin embargo, Jesús siempre habló de ellos como uno solo. Son uno en misión, voluntad y sustancia. Dios es una Trinidad, una comunión de personas iguales, que se relacionan perfectamente y se aman. No está encerrado en sí mismo, ni estático, sino dinámico y perfecto. Dios, por amor a nosotros que nos ha hecho a su imagen y semejanza, ha enviado al Espíritu Santo sobre nosotros en el momento del bautismo para que vivamos en Dios, uniéndonos al Hijo y haciéndonos hijos adoptados del Padre. Participamos en esta relación, esta unión. Vivir en relación con Dios, o en amistad con Dios, es vivir en un estado de gracia. Que nosotros sigamos cuidando ese hermoso don de gracia por evitar el pecado, vivir virtuosamente y con caridad y acercarnos al Señor por la oración y la recepción devota de los sacramentos. Que sigamos creciendo en amistad con Dios, quien nos ofrece la amistad.

El próximo fin de semana celebramos la Solemnidad del Corpus Christi, el Cuerpo de Cristo. Damos especial atención y honor a nuestro Señor Jesucristo presente en la Sagrada Eucaristía. Nuestros jóvenes recibirán su primera comunión el sábado, y el domingo, en la fiesta misma, tendremos una misa especial bilingüe al aire libre a la 1 pm. Estará en la calle 10, frente a la oficina parroquial. Después de la Misa, tendremos una procesión eucarística, y un helado después. En caso de inclemencias del tiempo, celebraremos dos Misas simultáneas, una en la iglesia y otra en el gimnasio.

Estamos comenzando un Año de la Eucaristía en la parroquia (del 1 de junio de 2021 al 31 de mayo de 2022). Hay tarjetas de oración para todos. A las 6:30 pm todos los domingos durante el Año de la Eucaristía, dirigiré las Vísperas con Bendición y daré una breve charla sobre la Eucaristía, la misa y varios aspectos de nuestras liturgias y rituales. Nuestra fe es profunda y rica, y hay mucho en qué reflexionar. El primero es el 6 de junio. Espero que puedan venir. Estoy rezando por ustedes; recordemos rezar por nuestra comunidad todos los días.

En Cristo,
Padre Mateo



CORPUS CHRISTI OUTDOOR BILINGUAL MASS

**SUNDAY, JUNE 6
1:00 PM**

OUTDOORS (On 10th St. in front of Settles Center)

Eucharistic procession afterwards.

If the weather is bad, we will have mass in the church and gym.



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

Sister Magdalena Grymuza

Sunday Offering/Ofrenda del Domingo

May 16, 2021

\$7,993.00

(161 envelopes)

(Includes \$1,598 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: 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 Rehab. Center: Rita Morris

Butterfield Court: Dorothy Kanosky, Muffy Stamper, Colette Cheffer

Senior Care: Ardel Norgaard, David Africano

Westwood Oaks: Eileen Dupuis

Manteno Veterans Home: Bert White

THIS WEEK AT JP2

Monday, May 31- Memorial Day

12:00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday, June 1

10:00am Fatima Rosary

11:00am Living Word Bible Study

5:00pm Confessions

6:00pm Catechists Training

6:30pm Hispanic Commission Meeting

7:00pm Living Word Bible Study

Wednesday, June 2

6:00pm First Communion Practice

Thursday, June 3

5:00pm Confessions

Friday, June 4

8:00am First Friday Adoration

9:00am Food Pantry-East Campus

9:00am Clothing Closet @ Lisieux

9:30am Home School Group Gathering

10:00am Prayer Shawl Ministry

6:00pm 12 Step Program @ Lisieux

6:00pm Words of Wisdom Book Club

Saturday, June 5

9:30 & 11:30 First Communion

3:30pm Confessions

8:00pm Nocturnal Adoration

Sunday, June 6

9:00am Pescador de Hombres Bible Study (Men)

1:00pm Corpus Christi Outdoor Bilingual Mass

6:30pm Year of the Eucharist Vespers/Teaching

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

Lenzi, Kathy

Marsick, Virginia

Norgaard, Ardelle

Ramirez, Jose

Saindon, Jim

Szymborski, Roselyn

Vallone, Gloria & Sammy

Vazquez, Josefina

Barrett, Rita

Brandon, Linda

Clocksins, Bill

Dechenne, Kathy

Goselin, Eula Mae

LaPierre, Jonette

Licon, Arthur

Mendez, Gloria

Pagono, Agnes

Raut, Francis

Smith, Jackson

Torres, Teresa

Wulffe, Daniel

Dytkiewicz, Susan

Beedle, Jim

Butler, Mike

Clocksins, Mary

Delaney, Ethel

Griffiths, Kathy

LaRoche, Jackie

Martinez, Sylvia

Mosby, Yair Nuñez

Paquette, Donna

Robinson, Craig

Sprimont, Carol

Wulffe, Matthew

*** The Intention of this list is to pray for the seriously ill. Please help us keep the list updated by calling the parish office with any changes. Thank You!

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**

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Pastoral Secretary/Bulletin Editor

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Michael Berger 815-922-8651

Coros Hispanos: Caitlyn Segura

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

VOCATION PRAYER CALENDAR

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

June 1 Brs. Bernard Rapp, Joseph Saurbier, Gustavo Sinco,
Pierre St. Raymond FSC

June 2 Dcns. Kevin Plankinton, Fernando Rubio, Glenn Vanek

June 3 Sr. M. Margaret Anne Spagnola, Sr. M. Louise
Staszewski OSM

June 4 Fr. Jerome Kish, Fr. John Klein

June 5 Sr. Marianne Talian, Sr. Sean Fox OSM

June 6 Sr. Colette Murawski, Sr. Maria Murphy PCC

June 7 Seminarian Tuan Doan



CORNELIA BENSON EDUCATIONAL FUND SCHOLARSHIPS

Applications are now available for
the 2021-22 school year!!

Deadline is June 30, 2021

Applications for the Cornelia Benson Scholarship (formerly known as the
St. Teresa Scholarship) are now available at the Bishop McNamara
Catholic Grade School Bradley campus and the JP2 Parish Office.

St. John Paul II parishioners with students in grades 1 through 8 may
apply and only students in grades 1-8 may receive this scholarship.
PRE SCHOOL, KINDERGARTEN AND HIGH SCHOOL students
are not eligible.



**Please let the parish office know if you have any
changes to your registration information so that
we can update our data base. We want to make
sure our information is correct:
Call 815-933-7683**

**Friendship
is the
greatest
pre-condition
to
Evangelization.**

Fr. Burke Masters

**Amistad
es el
mayor condición
previa
para
Evangelización.**

P. Maestros de Burke

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, May 31-Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Zephaniah 3:14-18a

Luke 1:39-56

Tuesday, June-St. Justin

Tobias 2:9-14

Mark 12:13-17

Wednesday, June 2

Tobias 3:1-11a, 16-17a

Mark 12:18-27

Thursday, June 3-St. Charles Lwanga & Companions

Tobias 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a

Mark 12:28-34

Friday, June 4

Tobias 11:5-17

Mark 12:35-37

Saturday, June 5- St. Boniface

Tobias 12:1, 5-15, 20

Mark 12:38-44

Sunday, June 6-Corpus Christi

Exodus 24:3-8

Hebrews 9:11-15

Mark 14:12-16, 22-26



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday

8:00 a.m.

4:30 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

May 29, 2021

† Stephen Schmidt

† Norma Vaughn (*Jeanne A. Regnier*)

† Consuelo Marmolejo (*Ana Santillan*)

Sunday

8:00 a.m.

9:30 a.m.

11:30 a.m.

1:00 p.m.

3:00 p.m.

5:00 p.m.

May 30, 2021

† Patricia Hunter (*Mrs. Duane McCawley*)

Missionary Sisters of the Holy Family (MSHF)

† George Faber (*Gary & Mary Apel*)

† Tomás & Olga Lidia Castillo (*Silvia Esparza*)

Patti & Larry Van Ham (*Barbara Boudreau*)

For All the Parishioners of St. John Paul II

Monday

7:30 a.m.

May 31, 2021

† Bob Siawrys (*Myron & Dorothy Lemenager*)

Tuesday

7:30 a.m.

6:00 p.m.

June 1, 2021

† Raymond Paul Azzarelli (*Betty Azzarelli*)

† Celerino Rojas Montes (*Rojas Family*)

Wednesday

7:30 a.m.

12:00 p.m.

June 2, 2021

† Violet LaMontagne (*Betty Azzarelli*)

† Maria L. Hernandez (*Martha Aune*)

Thursday

7:30 a.m.

June 3, 2021

† St. Mirosława (MSHF)

Friday

7:30 a.m.

12:00 p.m.

June 4, 2021

† St. Mirosława (MSHF)

† Maria L. Hernandez (*Martha Aune*)

Saturday

8:00 a.m.

4:30 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

June 5, 2021

Sister Magdalena Grymuza (*Bilderback Family*)

† George Faber (*Greg & Amy Faber*)

† Manuel Castillo (*JP2 Family*)

Sunday

8:00 a.m.

9:30 a.m.

11:30 a.m.

1:00 p.m.

3:00 p.m.

5:00 p.m.

June 6, 2021

† Jim Girard (*Fran & Sandy Girard*)

† Chuck Smead (*Judy Smead*)

† Deceased members of JP2 CCW (*JP2 CCW*)

† Luis Jimenez (*Lupita Mendez & Family*)

† Maria L. Hernandez (*Martha Aune*)

For All the Parishioners of St. John Paul II

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 Saathoff

Requested by
Myron & Dorothy Lemanager



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



A FAREWELL LETTER FROM SR. MAGDALENA



Dear St. John Paul II Parish Family,

I would love to take this opportunity to share some words of gratitude with you all. It was a gift from God that I was sent here to this Parish Family. St. John Paul II is the best Patron we could ask for, and He is carrying and guiding you in all your initiatives to grow in faith and love and to build the Kingdom of God here at this part of our world.

May everyone always find a HOME here, just as my Sisters and I have.

Home is where we can gather together with our Sisters and Brothers around our Heavenly Father and receive His teaching, guidance, forgiveness, encouragement, and much more...

Home is where we can embrace our Mother Mary and together with her spend time waiting in prayer and receiving the gifts of the Holy Spirit...

Home is where we gather together knowing that this is a place meant for us in God's plan...

Home is where others are always waiting; ready to accompany you and help if possible.

Thank you for sharing this HOME with me for the last four years.

As a Missionary, I'm being transferred to another place in the country, to another community of Missionary Sisters of the Holy Family. I will carry you in my heart and I will pray for you. I believe God will surprise you, as He always does, with new amazing graces, opportunities, and challenges. ☞ May everything lead to His Greater Glory. As I remember you, please say a little prayer for me and all those who are undertaking religious vocations. May they always be light and salt for this world. God bless our Priests, Deacons, Religious and all the Parishioners at St. John Paul II Parish, especially: The CHILDREN, TEENAGERS, and YOUNG ADULTS!!! Let's continue to have a passion for our youth, just as our patron, St. John Paul II did.

God bless you all,
With Love and Prayers,
Sister Magdalena



Liturgical Schedule	Saturday June 5 4:30 pm	Saturday June 5 6:00 pm Español	Sunday June 6 8:00 am	Sunday June 6 9:30 am	Sunday June 6 11:30 am	Sunday June 6 1:00 pm Español	Sunday June 6 5:00pm
Lector	Ryan Carter	Serafin Lopez	Richard Hemza	Sister Evangeline	Richard Ramirez	Ricardo Valtierra	Julie Koerner
Ushers Ujieres	*Annie Syrstad Bob Thrasher	Marcela & Vicente Andrade	*Cathi Willi Bob Kerness Bob Thrasher	*Lerlita Evans Deb Groth Sheryl Scanlon	*Fernandez Family	Maricela Lorenzo Israel Lorenzo Octavio Garcia Yoana Hernandez	Bob Thrasher
Disinfecting Limpieza	Claudia Noe Family	Veronica Carmona Sanjuana Valadez	Azzarelli Family	Barb & Phil Staniszeski	Fernandez Family	Maricela Lorenzo Israel Lorenzo	Bob Thrasher

Weekday Ministers/Ministros de la Semana and Linen Cleaning Schedule

May 31-June 5 Daily Mass: Lector: Cathi Willi Sacristan: Mickey Kreissler
 June 7-June 12 Daily Mass: Lector: Bob Pfeiffer Sacristan: Sharon Jackson

Martes Noche Misa Española:

June 1 Lector: Teresa Lopez Ujieres:
 June 8 Lector: Marcela Andrade Ujieres:

Linens: May 23/30: Julie Busken June 6/13: Diane Devine June 20/27: Mickey Kreissler

On The Anniversary of Your Ordination To The Priesthood

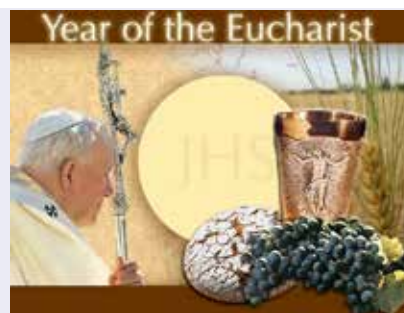


CELEBRATING WITH YOU ON THE ANNIVERSARY OF YOUR ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD.

GOD BLESS YOU BOTH!

**FR. JOHN HORAN
ORDAINED 3 YEARS AGO ON MAY 26, 2018**

**FR. MATTHEW PRATSCHER
ORDAINED 13 YEARS AGO ON JUNE 7, 2008**



Our "Year of the Eucharist" in our parish will begin June 1st, (June 1, 2021-May 31, 2022).

On Sunday, June 6, at 6:30 pm and each Sunday afterwards, you are invited to join us in the church for Vespers (Evening Prayer) with Benediction and then a short talk about the Eucharist, the Mass, and other parts of our liturgies and rituals.



Do you have an interest in knowing more about becoming a Lay Carmelite? If so, you are invited and encouraged to attend our next meeting.

We will be meeting in a classroom here at St. John Paul II this coming Saturday, June 5, following the 8:00 am mass.

Please call or text Theresa Doehring at 815-939-0134 if you have questions.



In honor of those who have selflessly given and valiantly served our Nation-

WE THANK YOU!

Monday, May 31st is Memorial Day. Morning mass will be at 9:00 am. Also, the parish office will be closed.

There will still be Adoration from 12-5.

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

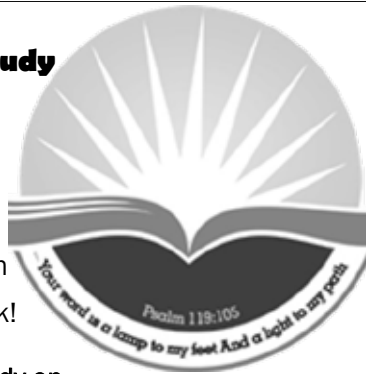
8:00 pm-5:00 am

Living Word Bible Study

Tuesdays

11:00 am

7:00 pm



JP2 Conference Room

Please wear your mask!

(There will be no Bible Study on
Tuesday June 8 & June 15)

May 30, 2021 Trinity Sunday

Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40 Romans 8:14-17

Matthew 28:16-20

Go! In Matthew's gospel, the last words of Jesus to the disciples before ascending have three key elements: go, baptize, I'm with you. Therefore, living after the resurrection of Jesus means three things. 1) Do not stay where it is safe; shed your doubt; go everywhere to everyone. 2) Baptizing into and teaching about resurrected life go together. That is why the baptismal catechumenate always spends so much time and effort in formation before an Easter Vigil. Time with parents and their babies, too. 3) We are not alone. Matthew ends with Jesus declaring, "I am with you always", just as this gospel began with the Virgin's birth of Emmanuel (God with us).

- ◆ What doubt do I have about God, about belief, about Church, about living in this world? Where can I turn?
- ◆ What ongoing formation in baptismal living do I need now?
- ◆ To whom am I called to "go" - someone to be with, to do for?



Faith Formation Program Registrations are
now open for the School Year 2021-2022.

You can register online on our parish website,
JP2kankakee.org, in the FFP office, or the Parish
office during normal working hours.

Recycling Award

THANK
YOU !!
GRACIAS!!



St. John Paul's Faith Formation Prog

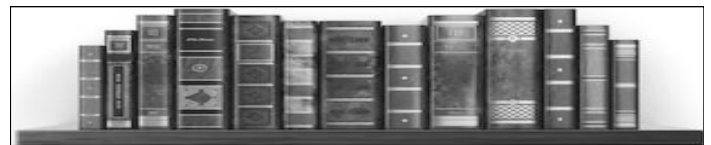
has helped keep our planet healthy and beautiful by:

- Participating in the 2020-21 SCORE Recycling Contest
- Recycling over 14,287 aluminum cans during this school year

Congratulations from Belson Steel Center Scrap, Inc.
April 30, 2021

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO BROUGHT IN THEIR
CANS IN SUPPORT OF OUR FFP PROGRAM.

We received \$34 back from the SCORE Recycling Contest.



Words of Wisdom Book Club

Friday, June 4, 2021 6 pm

Family Center

Book for May:

Mary at the Crossroads of History

By Reverend Francis J. Hoffman

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

Azzarelli Outreach Clinic
Clinica Medica
Semana de Mayo 31-June 4

Vean los anuncios afuera de la clínica para detalles actualizados o llame a la clínica al 815-928-6093.



Las Asociadas de Notre Dame, te invitan a formar parte del Ministerio de tejido Manto de Oración.

Los viernes de 10:00 a 11:00 am en el gimnasio

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