

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

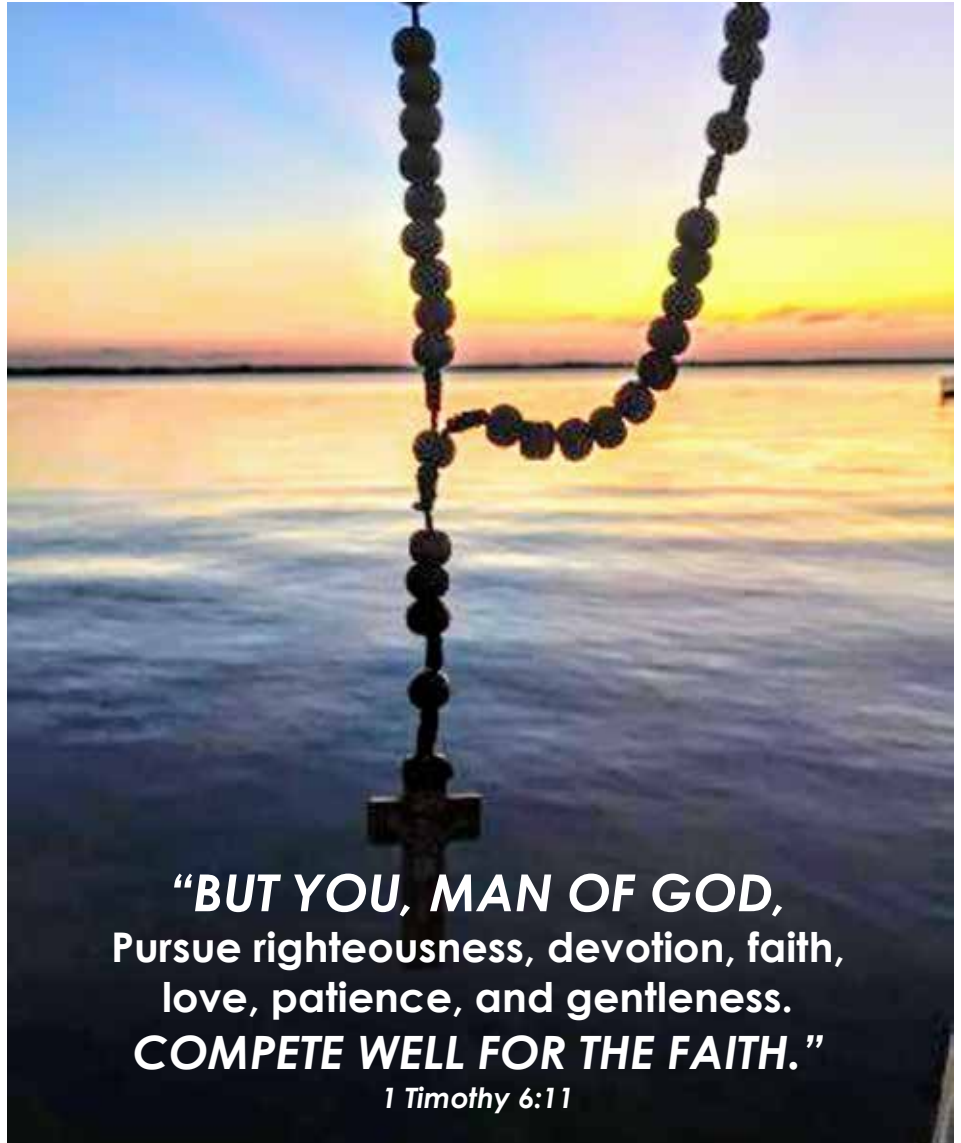
8:00 am

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 3:30 pm or by appointment

3:30 pm los sábados o por cita

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time Sept. 29, 2019



**“BUT YOU, MAN OF GOD,
Pursue righteousness, devotion, faith,
love, patience, and gentleness.
COMPETE WELL FOR THE FAITH.”**

1 Timothy 6:11

“Bringing Jesus to Everyone and Everyone to Jesus!”

MAMA'S FOUR-PART WISDOM

My mother returned to the Philippines on Wednesday evening, but a couple of days before that, I asked her a question: "What would you like to tell our parishioners?" She gave me four instant answers to reflect on:

ENGAGE IN MINISTRIES. It is timely that she said something like that, because we have just embarked in an ongoing invitation to participate in our ministries. Since I was a child, my mother was always involved in the ministries of the Church, all the way to the diocesan level. Through the years, she has been involved in music ministry, lecturing, cleaning the church, training catechists, being a catechist, visiting the sick with the priest for First Friday sacraments, gardening for the church, fundraising and soliciting for projects of the church, heading the Biblical Apostolate, decorating the church, managing repairs of the chapel facilities. These are just some of the things she has done through the years. Why? She says, "Participating in ministries will inspire others to worship the Lord, because doing these things is like a form of prayer, just like singing is praying twice." Engaging in the ministry of the church is a form of prayer, because it is done to glorify God.

LOOK AFTER YOUR PRIESTS. Mama clarified that she is not only talking about now, because I am her son, but this is a sacred responsibility of parishioners for all priests who come and go. I am not surprised that she said that because I have seen my mother take care of our parish priests in whatever way she could. She has always prepared well for the priest's meal whenever they would come to our barrio for mass. She even volunteered to clean the priest's rectory in our parish for a while. She always had, through the years, a sincere and fervent devotion to the priest of our community, and she also held them to a high standard, and called them out when she thought that they were overlooking a specific need of the community. Why? She said, "...because we believe that they are the presence of Jesus to the people, and they need the people to encourage them to serve. When we surround them with love, our priests will be more enthusiastic to serve God's people. The priests should be treated as part of our family, because indeed we are supposed to be one happy family in God."

INVITE MORE YOUNG PEOPLE TO BE INVOLVED IN THE CHURCH. "The youth are the hope of tomorrow," my Mama said. "If we don't do it now, our children will not know how to be active Catholics in the future." This must be the reason why my mother invested on teaching us about the faith at a very early age, and showed us the importance of having a real relationship with God. She opened our eyes at a very early age about the gift of God's providence. No wonder also that through the years, my mother always hung out with young people at church and fostered them to serve our parish.

WORK TOWARDS UNITY BY BEING PATIENT WITH ONE ANOTHER. It is understandable that our church is diverse, and everyone has a different story and a different pace in their journey to God. Unity doesn't mean that everyone should be in the same place and everyone should be exactly like all the others. Rather, it is a unity in diversity, like God as Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Mama says, "Unity is what Jesus wants for His Church, as he prayed to His Father in the Gospel of John for His disciples to be one as 'You and I are one'." Unity will help us achieve our goals as a parish if we have unity, to build the Kingdom of God.

Then she turned to me and said, "If you accomplish these things as a parish, this will be your best legacy for being a priest in Kankakee." Thank you, my dear parishioners, on behalf of my mother. Mabuhay po! With devotion and gratitude, *Fr. Sunny Castillo*



LA SABIDURÍA DE MAMÁ EN CUATRO PARTES

Mi madre regresó a las Filipinas el miércoles por la tarde, pero días antes le hice una pregunta: "Que te gustaría decir a nuestros feligreses?" En seguida me dio cuatro para reflexionar:

COMPROMETETE EN MINISTERIOS. Es oportunamente lo que decía, porque estamos invitando a los feligreses a participar en los ministerios. Desde que yo era niño, mi madre siempre ha estado comprometida en los ministerios de la Iglesia local y hasta al nivel diocesano. A través de los años, ella se ha comprometido al ministerio de la música, la lectura, limpieza de la iglesia, entrenando catequistas, visitando a los enfermos con el sacerdote para los sacramentos del Primer Viernes, trabajando en el jardín de la iglesia, recaudando fondos y solicitando para proyectos de la iglesia, encabezando el Apostolado Bíblico, decorando la iglesia, haciendo reparaciones en la capilla y sus facilidades. Estas son algunas cosas que ella ha hecho a través de los años. ¿Porque? Ella dice, "Participando en ministerios inspirará a otros a dar culto al Señor, porque haciendo estas cosas es como una forma de oración, así como el cantar es orar dos veces." Ocupándonos en el ministerio de la iglesia es una forma de oración, porque se hace para glorificar a Dios.

CUIDA DE TUS SACERDOTES. Mamá clarificó diciendo que no esta hablando de ahora, porque soy su hijo pero esto es una sagrada responsabilidad de feligreses para todos los sacerdotes que van y vienen. No me sorprendió que dijera esto porque he visto a mi madre ayudar a los sacerdotes de nuestra parroquia en todo lo que le es posible. Siempre se preparaba muy bien con los alimentos cuando venían al barrio para la misa. Y por una temporada se voluntario a limpiar la rectoría del sacerdote. Ella siempre ha tenido una sincera y ferviente devoción para el sacerdote de nuestra comunidad, y los mantenía en alto nivel, y les llamaba la atención cuando pasaban por alto alguna necesidad de la comunidad. ¿Por qué? Ella dijo, porque creemos que ellos son la presencia de Jesús a la gente, y es necesario animar a la gente a servir. Cuando los envolvemos en amor, nuestros sacerdotes estarán más entusiasmados en servir al pueblo de Dios. A los sacerdotes se les debe tratar como parte de nuestra familia, porque en realidad debemos ser una familia alegre de Dios."

INVITAR A MÁS JÓVENES A COMPROMETERSE EN LA IGLESIA. "Los jóvenes son la esperanza de mañana," dijo mi Mamá. "Si no lo hacemos hoy, nuestros niños no sabrán como ser Católicos activos en el futuro." Esto ha de ser la razón porque mi madre invirtió tiempo en enseñarnos acerca de la fe desde que éramos muy pequeños, y nos enseñó la importancia de tener una relación íntima con Dios. Cuando muy pequeños, nos abrió los ojos acerca del don de la providencia de Dios. Con razón a través de los años, mi madre siempre andaba con los jóvenes para animarlos a servir en nuestra parroquia.

TRABAJA HACIA LA UNIDAD AL SER PACIENTE UNO CON EL OTRO. Reconocemos que nuestra iglesia es diversa, y cada uno tiene una historia diferente y va a diferente paso en su jornada con Dios. La unidad no quiere decir que todos debemos estar en el mismo lugar y todos seamos exactamente iguales a los demás. Al contrario, es una unidad en diversidad, como Dios es Padre, Hijo y Espíritu Santo. Mamá dice, "La unidad es lo que Jesús quiere para Su Iglesia, cuando rezó a Su Padre en el evangelio de Juan por Sus discípulos que sean uno como "TÚ y Yo somos uno." La unidad nos ayudará en adquirir nuestras metas como parroquia si tenemos unidad, para edificar el Reino de Dios.

Luego ella me miró y dijo, "Si tu realizas estas cosas como parroquia, esta será tu mejor legado por ser un sacerdote en Kankakee." Gracias, mis queridos feligreses, de parte de mi madre. ¡Mabuhay po!

Con devoción y gratitud,
Fr. Sunny Castillo

Liturgical Schedule	Saturday October 5 4:30 pm	Saturday/Sábado October 5 6:00 pm	Sunday October 6 8:00 am	Sunday October 6 9:30 am	Sunday October 6 11:30 am
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Jerry Holohan	Denis Andrade Edwin Perez Melani Perez	Richard Hemza	Colin Furrow Katelyn Furrow	Sara Gonzales Joseph Osborn Danial Osborn
Lectors/ Lectores	Jack Klasey (Both Readings)	Rosario Lira Jose Lopez Gustavo Flores	1) Cheryl Heldt 2) Desiree Grant	1) Maureen Haller 2) Kathy Dummer	1) Steve Kelley 2) Sister Evangeline
Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	*Mary Causer Irene Granger Tracy Douglas Chet Brandon	Vanessa Lopez Ofelia Carmona Marcela Andrade	*Bev Kohan Cathi Willi Linda Kerness Kathy Bessette	*Char Nolte *Amy Anderson *Mickey Kreissler Bob Crane Tom Martin Delynn Geistwhite	*Pedro Gonzales Rosa Gonzales Oriana Gonzales Jan Glazer
Ushers Ujieres	*Joe Martino Lynne Martino Annie Syrstad Vic Peregrine	Virginia Ayala Antonio Serna Maria Guerrero Maria Medina	*Bob Kerness John Guimond	*Jason Depatis Jane Gerth Rende Langlois Wendy Langlois	*Silvia Barajas Arturo Barajas David Osborn Juana Osborn
Welcoming/ Bienvenida	Judy Endres Cindy McBarnes	Martin Calderon Marichuy Calderon	Sandy Kuntz	Caron Burgess Janice Shenk Kathy Griffiths	Fernandez Family

Weekday Ministers:

Sept. 30-Oct. 5 Daily Mass: Arnie Joubert Comm. Ministers: Desiree Grant/Ann Wheeler Altar Server: Mickey Kreissler
October 6-12 Daily Mass: Lector: Bob Pfeiffer Comm. Ministers: Sr. Elizabeth/Mickey Kreissler Altar Server: Sharon Jackson

Linens: September 29/October 6: Mary Talamantes October 13/20: Diane Devine October 27/November 3: Sandy Girard

Liturgical Schedule	Sunday/Domingo October 6 1:00 pm
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Alexsandra Quintana Yael Calderon Guadalupe Valadez
Lectors/ Lectores	Maria Flores Sanjuana Valadez Marina Reza
Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	Kathy Griffiths Elia Lopez Rosa Chavez Sandra Diaz David Jimenez Maria Beck Christopher Lopez
Ushers Ujieres	Octavio Garcia Ruth Montoya Martin Calderon Marichuy Calderon
Welcoming/ Bienvenida	Rosalina Tonacatl Jose Hernandez

Liturgical Schedule	Sunday October 6 5:00 pm
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Paula Muhlstadt
Lectors/ Lectores	Janet Hanson
Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	Juana Ayala (S)
Ushers Ujieres	Luis Ayala Need Volunteer
Welcoming/ Bienvenida	Need Volunteers

Liturgical Schedule	Tuesday/Martes October 8 6:00 pm
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Itzel Jaimes
Lectors/ Lectores	Patricia Martinez Maribethla Tercero
Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	
Ushers Ujieres	Veronica Carmona
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.

September 28, 2019

† Richard Ortman (*Mr & Mrs Kenneth Hortsman*)

4:30 p.m.

† Edward & Dolores Safiran (*Their children*)

† Mark Ryan (*JP2 Family*)

6:00 p.m.

† Jose Aaron Hernandez (*Hermana*)

Sunday

8:00 a.m.

September 29, 2019

Betty Harstad (*Dave & Brenda Lystila*)

9:30 a.m.

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

† Robert Worth (*Betty Azzarelli*)

11:30 a.m.

† Betty Grant (*Dan & Carla Peters*)

Troy DeChenne (*Kathy DeChenne*)

1:00 p.m.

† Obdolio Zavala de Calderon (*Blanca Calderon*)

† Miguel Mendez (*Mendez Family*)

5:00 p.m.

For All the People of St. John Paul II

Monday

7:30 a.m.

September 30, 2019

† Ethel Lamie (*Paul & Karen Miller*)

Tuesday

7:30 a.m.

October 1, 2019

† Bill Powers (*Richard & Chris Nichols*)

6:00 p.m.

† Animas del Purgatorio (*Perez Family*)

Wednesday

7:30 a.m.

October 2, 2019

† Richard Ortman (*Rita DesMarteau*)

Fr. Jesús Oliveros Birthday Intention (*JP2 Family*)

Thursday

7:30 a.m.

October 3, 2019

† Gwen Lockman (*Betty Azzarelli*)

Friday

7:30 a.m.

October 4, 2019

† Gwen Lockman (*Betty Azzarelli*)

Saturday

8:00 a.m.

October 5, 2019

† Patricia Kohl (*Allan Kohl*)

4:30 p.m.

† Fr. Dennis Settles (*Dennis & Cindy Funk*)

† George Faber (*Andy & Elizabeth Nicholas*)

6:00 p.m.

For All the People of St. John Paul II

Sunday

8:00 a.m.

October 6, 2019

† Mary Lemer (*JP2 Family*)

9:30 a.m.

† Lorenzo Marsalli (*The Family*)

† Sam Azzarelli (*Betty Azzarelli*)

11:30 a.m.

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

† Richard Ortman (*Nancy Ostrowski*)

1:00 p.m.

Donacioniano & Cindy Perez (*Family*)

Agradecimiento a la Virgen de Guadalupe

(*Fam. Mendez*)

5:00 p.m.

† Caridad Bautista (*Gloria Mendez*)

† Joyce Mayo (*LaVonne Linneman*)

SACRAMENTS

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.

DAILY MASS READINGS

Monday, September 30 (St. Jerome)

Zechariah 8:1-8

Luke 9:46-50

Tuesday, October 1 (St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus)

Zechariah 8:20-23

Luke 9:51-56

Wednesday, October 2 (The Holy Guardian Angels)

Nehemiah 2:1-8

Matthew 18:1-5, 10

Thursday, October 3

Nehemiah 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12

Luke 10:1-12

Friday, October 4 (St. Francis of Assisi)

Baruch 1:15-22

Luke 10:13-16

Saturday, October 5

Baruch 4:5-12, 27-29


Luke 10:17-24

Sunday, October 6 (27th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4

2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14

Luke 17:5-10

 The candle in the sanctuary is burning for
Bonnie Gregg
Requested by the St. John Paul II Prayer Line

PRAYING WITH INTENTION FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH



Azzarelli, Barb	Beedle, Jim
Borem, Yvonne	Brandon, Carl
Burnett, Mack	Butler, Mike
Clocksins, Mary	Crane, Pat
Delaney, Ethel	Dubuque, Maureen
Emling, Kenneth	Gianotti, Francis
Goselin, Eula Mae	Hamilton, Hal
LaPierre, Jonette	Licon, Arthur
Marion, James	Martinez, Sylvia
Mosby, Yair Nunez	Murphy, Mary Lou
Papineau, Bruno	Piper, Mary
Raut, Francis	Robinson, Craig
Senor, Nicholas	Smith, Jackson
Vaughn, Norma	Wulffe, Daniel

Call, Kathy-

Kreitzer, Gabriel

Pagano, Agnes

Ramirez, Jose

Saindon, Jim

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

Homebound & Nursing Home Parishioners

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

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OUR LADY OF VICTORY: Frank Hart

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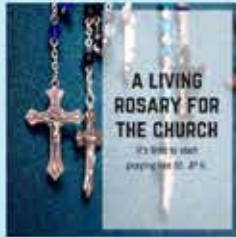

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Isidoro Fernandez is in his last year of Diaconate Formation and will participate in the Rite of Acolyte Mass St. Mary Immaculate Parish Plainfield

Friday, October 4
7:30 pm

Parishioners are welcome to attend the mass in his support.



Living Rosary with St. John Paul II CCW

Wednesday, October 9
6:30 p.m.

St. John Paul II Church

We are in need of many people to lead just one prayer of the rosary. In the back of church there are sign-up sheets on the blue board. Someone will then contact you to remind you and tell which decade you will be with.

It would be wonderful to "pack the church" praying the rosary together. Please plan to join us. Refreshments for all will follow in the Family Center.

Following the rosary and refreshments, we will have our October CCW meeting in the Family Center.

Thursday, October 3rd
MARY at 8:00pm
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Winner need not be present to win

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Name (required) _____
Address (required) _____
Phone (Telephone) _____

SEPT. 28/29



Liturgy of the Word is held during the 11:30 and 1:00 masses each Sunday. All children are welcome to participate during these masses.



Young on Fire Ministry Kick-off event
Campfire, prayer time, and s'mores!
They usually meet twice a month. All youth 3rd grade to High Schoolers are invited to join in the fun and fellowship.

God Bless you Mama Elma...it has been wonderful to have you here for the past three months.
 You have given joy to so many, especially being here for your son!!



First mass...
 at one point after so
 many people were
 gathering around her,
 Fr. Sunny said, "Give me
 my Mama back!"
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Grupo de Oración Carismática RCC

Porque ellos escuchan mi voz y me siguen...

Jesús el Buen Pastor

¡El Grupo de Oración Carismática de San Juan Pablo II te hace una cordial invitación!

Lunes de 7:00-9:00 pm

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**Adult Faith Formation
Week of September 23-27**

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


Tuesday, October 1 Church **10:00 am**
Fatima Novena – Pray the Rosary

Tuesday, Oct. 1 Conference Rm. **11:00 am & 7:00 pm**
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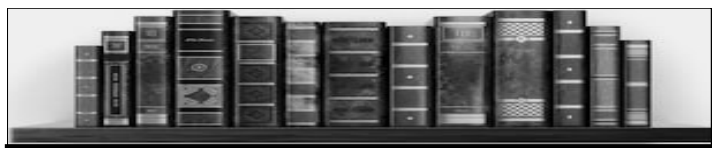
Wednesday, Oct. 2 Conference Rm. **6:30 pm**
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St. John Paul II West
8:00 am – 6:00 pm First Friday of the month/
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1er Sábado del mes/ First Saturday of the month
8:00 pm – 5:00 am Adoracion Nocturnal/
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Words of Wisdom Book Club
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Kankakee Catholic Food Pantry:	Nancy Godin	815-933-7683 Ext. 417	
Lisieux Pastoral Center Director:	Kathy Wade	815-939-2913	
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Week of September 30-October 4

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Friday/Viernes—October 4

9:00 am to 11:45 am



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Sunday, September 29

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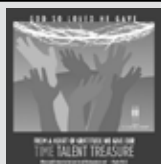
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September 22, 2019

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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

Our goal each week to cover our expenses is:
Nuestra Meta por Semana para cubrir los gastos es de:
\$14,500

THANK YOU GRACIAS



Monday, September 30

- 6:30pm Fishers of Men- Mens Prayer Group
- 7:00pm Charismatic Prayer Group en Espanol
- 7:00pm Choir Practice

Tuesday, October 1

- 10:00am Fatima Novena
- 11:00am Living Word Bible Study
- 6:15pm FFP classes
- 7:00pm Living Word Bible Study

Wednesday, October 2

- 10:00 am Lord Teach Me To Pray
- 6:15pm FFP classes
- 6:30pm GIFT-Growing In Faith Together

Thursday, October 3

- 6:30pm Homebound Ministry Mtg.

Friday, October 4

- 8:00am First Friday Adoration
- 9:00am Food Pantry-East Campus
- 9:30am Clothing Closet @ Lisieux
- 6:00pm 12 Step Program @ Lisieux
- 6:00pm Protecting God's Children Class
- 6:00pm Words of Wisdom Book Club

Saturday, October 5

- 9:00am Hour of Power Prayer time
- 5:30pm Pictorial Directory Signups after masses
- 8:00pm Nocturnal Adoration

Sunday, October 6

- 9:00am Pictorial Directory Signups after masses
- 9:00am Pescador de Hombres Bible Study (Men)
- 10:30am RCIA classes
- 11:00am RICA classes (En Español)
- 11:30am Mentor Sunday

Please Note: Times/Events subject to change as needed.
Visit our website at jp2kankakee.org for the full calendar.

Upcoming All Parish Events:

- October 19 JP2 Octoberfest
- October 22 JP2 Feast Day
- November 16 Chili Cook Off

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Check out these spots to find out the who, what, when or where, or for contact information.

Weekly Bulletin: This can be your main source to find out the details that you hear in the announcements, or see on any of the media links. The bulletin is put on the website and Facebook page each week. It also contains the phone # & extensions for the pastor, office and support staff.

Parish Media Links

Website: jp2kankakee.org

By accessing the website you can also view the bulletin, the church calendar of events, the liturgy schedule and more.

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