

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

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time August 18, 2019



*Jesus said to his disciples,
"I have come to set the earth on fire,
and how I wish it were
already blazing!"*

*Jesús les dijo sus discípulos,
He venido a traer fuego a la tierra
y ¡cuánto desearía que ya
estuviera ardiendo!*

"Bringing Jesus to Everyone and Everyone to Jesus!"

GOLDEN PRIESTHOOD: An Open Letter to Fr. Joel Fortier

Dear Fr. Joel,

I remember knocking the rectory of St. Isidore Church in 2000, the year when I arrived here in the United States, to introduce myself to the pastor of my home parish, as I started studying for the priesthood for the Diocese of Joliet. I was greeted by a gentleman wearing a white polo shirt and khaki short pants. He had a very friendly face, a sparkle of joy in his eyes and a welcoming smile. He led me into his office and asked me to introduce myself, and also asked me questions about my family, and wished me well with my seminary formation. I left the rectory that day feeling encouraged about serving the Diocese of Joliet, and being part of its presbyterate. Being new in this country then, moments like that meant a lot. Meeting people like that priest helped me build my own circle of relationships and definitely set a good tone in my journey to the priesthood in this part of the world. That priest was you, Fr. Joel.

From that moment forward, whenever situations allowed it, and I got to greet you or speak to you even for a moment, I always received encouragement, inspiration and even affirmation.

During the past four years of transition here in Kankakee, I have had the privilege of counting you among my greatest gifts during the most challenging times of my priestly ministry so far. You have taught me so much about building relationships, focusing on the things that matter most, knowing where to seek resources, valuing and nourishing relationships, and being a leader. I know that you have also been an advocate for my wellbeing, to the diocese, especially the bishop. You made yourself available to help and serve even though you could have chosen to go to Florida, France or somewhere else more relaxing for your "so-called" retirement years. We would spend hours talking about the importance of relationality in the priesthood, and you would share your insights derived from your years of experience of ministry, of dealing with people and administration, and you told me to be confident that God is guiding me along the way. I could not have accomplished what I was asked to do by the Bishop if not for your guidance and generosity. My heartfelt thanks to you, for being such a dear mentor, friend, pastor, but most of all, my brother priest.

Being a priest for fifteen years, I cannot even begin to imagine what it might be like to be a priest for fifty years. The many masses celebrated over the years, the sacraments administered, the conversations with every soul that you have come to encounter on the crossroad of life, the bearing of mystery that your priesthood upheld through the years. Where do I even begin to imagine what it might be like to be a priest for fifty years?

Together with the rest of your church family here in Kankakee, I congratulate you for the eternal gifts that came with your priesthood, the fruits that have been borne from your faithfulness. I also pray that you somehow get to see a glimpse of the fruits of your priestly work now, and a full vision of it all in the Kingdom. After all, wherever you have been, you endeavored to build the church and to plant seeds of community among the faithful, from the parishes where you have served, including your seven years as pastor of St. Teresa, to the churches and communities where you assist these days. Please know that our community here in Kankakee, where you are its son, is very proud of you and love you very much. God bless you, Fr. Joel. May he keep you happy, healthy and holy through these golden years of your priesthood.

Ad multos annos,
Fr. Sunny Castillo



SACERDOCIO DORADO: Carta Abierta para el Padre Joel Fortier

Estimado P. Joel,

Recuerdo tocar la puerta de la rectoría de la Iglesia San Isidoro en el año 2000, cuando llegue a Estados Unidos y me presenté al pastor de mi parroquia hogar, cuando principiaba mis estudios del sacerdocio para la Diócesis de Joliet. Me recibió un caballero con camisa polo blanca y pantalones Kaki cortos. Era muy amable, con ojos brillantes de alegría y sonrisa de bienvenida. Me llevó a su oficina dónde me preguntaba acerca de mí y mi familia, y me deseaba éxito en mi formación seminarista. Salí de la rectoría sintiéndome animado al servir en la Diócesis de Joliet, y ser parte del presbiterado. El estar en este país por primera vez, estos momentos eran de gran significado. Conociendo gente como este sacerdote, me ayudó a formar mi propio círculo de amistades y definitivamente el tono en mi jornada hacia el sacerdocio en esta parte del mundo. Ése sacerdote eras tú, Padre Joel.

Desde ése entonces en adelante, según se presenta, y lo permite la situación, te he podido saludar o Hablar aunque sea por un momento, siempre he recibido ánimo, inspiración y afirmación.

En los pasados cuatro años durante la transición aquí en Kankakee, he tenido el privilegio de considerarte como uno de mis más grandes regalos durante los tiempos de gran desafíos en mi ministerio sacerdotal a ésta fecha. Me has enseñado bastante en cómo formar relaciones personales, enfocarme en cosas de más importancia, localizando recursos, valorando y nutriendo amistades, y ser un líder. También has sido abogado para mi bienestar, con la diócesis, especialmente con el Obispo. Siempre has estado dispuesto en ayudarme aún en tiempos cuando estabas por ir a Florida, Francia o simplemente descansando ya que estas "jubilado". Pasábamos horas hablando sobre la importancia en relaciones sacerdotales, y compartías tus percepciones de tus años de experiencia en el ministerio, tratando con la gente y administración, y que tuviera confianza en Dios quién sería mi guía. No podría haber cumplido con lo que me pedía el Obispo si no fuera por tus consejos y generosidad. Estoy profundamente agradecido por ser mi estimado mentor, amigo, pastor, pero sobre todo, mi hermano sacerdote.

Siendo sacerdote por quince años, no puedo imaginarme lo que sería el ser sacerdote por cincuenta años. Tantas misas celebradas a través de los años, los sacramentos administrados, las conversaciones con cada alma que encuentras en el camino, el misterio del sacerdocio sostenido a través de los años. ¿Por dónde empiezo a imaginarme que sería ser sacerdote cincuenta años?

Junto con la familia eclesial aquí en Kankakee, te felicito por tus dones que llegaron con eternos tu sacerdocio, los frutos procedentes de tu fidelidad. También ruego que se te conceda por la visión a los frutos actuales de tu sacerdocio, y a la completa en el Reino futuro. Además, donde quiera que has estado, siempre has tratado de edificar la iglesia y plantar semillas de comunidad entre los fieles, en todas las parroquias donde has servido, incluyendo tus siete años de pastor en Sta. Teresa, a las iglesias y comunidades donde ayudas actualmente. Quiero que sepas que nuestra comunidad aquí en Kankakee, donde tú eres su hijo, orgullosamente te ama muchísimo. Que Dios te bendiga, Padre Joel. Que él te mantenga feliz, saludable y santo a través de estos años dorados de tu sacerdocio.

Ad multos annos,
Fr. Sunny Castillo

Liturgical Schedule	Saturday August 24 4:30 pm	Saturday/Sábado August 24 6:00 pm	Sunday August 25 8:00 am	Sunday August 25 9:30 am	Sunday August 25 11:30 am
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Abby Medina	Manuel Velazquez Justin Prado Sabrina Prado	Need Volunteer	Andrew Shepherd Ryan Shepherd Dylan Shepherd	Estefany Mendez Danielle Lockwood
Lectors/ Lectores	Joe Martino (Both Readings)	Jose Lopez Serafin Lopez Maria Toledo	1) Linda Kerness 2) Cathi Willi	1) Pat Hansen 2) Mary Simmons	1) Sister Evangeline 2) Darby Thomas
Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	*John Brill Jan Brill Tracy Douglas Sue Dytkiewicz	Norma Sanchez Eloisa Ayala Antonio Serna	*Cathy Willi Desiree Grant Dave Lystila Brenda Lystila	*Deb Groth *Jan Anesi *Sheryl Scanlon Julie Busken Amy Anderson Char Nolte	*Marianna Parra Guadalupe Fernandez Maria Fernandez Sara Fernandez
Ushers Ujieres	*Vic Peregrine Minta Crump Annie Syrstad Lynne Martino	Aydee Palma Manuel Velazquez Maria Medina Virginia Ayala	*Maureen Kambic Bob Kerness	*Jason Depatis Ron Hansen Tom Martin Jane Gerth	*Isidoro Fernandez Leo Donath Gloria Mendez Edgardo Mendez
Welcoming/ Bienvenida	Norma Vaughn Julie Johnson	Salvador Martinez Jose Toledo	Joanne Whitman Sandy Kuntz	Caron Burgess Mary Talamantes Linda Libby	Gonzales Family

Weekday Ministers:

August 19-24 Daily Mass: Lector: Wendy Langlois Comm. Ministers: Sister Teresa/Ann Wheeler Altar Server: Sharon Jackson
August 26-31 Daily Mass: Lector: Ann Wheeler Comm. Ministers: Sister Evangeline/Desiree Grant Altar Server: Kathy Griffiths

Linens: August 18/25: Teresa Doehring September 1/8: Tracy Douglas September 15/22: Cheryl Shultz

Liturgical Schedule	Sunday/Domingo August 25 1:00 pm	Liturgical Schedule	Sunday August 25 5:00 pm	Liturgical Schedule	Tuesday/Martes August 27 6:00 pm
Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Cassandra Valtierra Damian Jaimes Itzel Jaimes	Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Isabel Velasco	Altar Servers/ Monaguillos	Manuel Velasquez
Lectors/ Lectores	Sanjuana Valadez Miriam Gaytan Veronica Santoyo	Lectors/ Lectores	Lori Ciaccio	Lectors/ Lectores	Veronica Santoyo Serafin Lopez
Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	Maria Beck Angelica Maria Rosa Calderon David Jimenez Antonio Serna Celene Valtierra Rosa Chavez	Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	Jaymie Falkenhan (S)	Communion Ministers/ Ministros de la Comunión	
Ushers Ujieres	Octovio Garcia Patricia Martinez Eva Mora	Ushers Ujieres	Magdalena Velasco Penny Trout	Ushers Ujieres	Virginia Ayala
Welcoming/ Bienvenida	Magda Salazar Brian Valladares	Welcoming/ Bienvenida	Ushers Greet	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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Martes a Jueves 9am-4pm Viernes 9 am—1 pm

Pastor

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David Marlowe, Greg Clodi, & Rocco Busato

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and you need a priest, please call the parish office,
815-933-7683 and PRESS the # button**

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday

August 17, 2019

8:00 a.m.

† Sandra Longtin (*Rita Fredrickson*)

† Leonardine Curry (*Ancilla Allen*)

4:30 p.m.

† Ronald Bialas (*Friends*)

† Joseph & Patricia Ryan (*JP2 Family*)

6:00 p.m.

† Raquel Vela (*Family & Friends*)

Leticia Gonzalez (*Family*)

Sunday

August 18, 2019

8:00 a.m.

† Ronald Bialas (*Friends*)

† Sandra Longtin (*Judy Berdahl*)

9:30 a.m.

Fr. Joel Fortier (*JP2 Family*)

† Bud Bates (*Mary Lou Bates*)

11:30 a.m.

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

† Jim Kresl (*Katy Kresl*)

1:00 p.m.

For All the People of St. John Paul II

5:00 p.m.

† LaVern Morrival (*Les & Donna Morrival*)

† Nijole Poskus (*Teresa Poskus*)

Monday

August 19, 2019

7:30 a.m.

† Loretta Pretty (*Marie, Paul & Mary Schore*)

Sally Sippel (*Bernice Bukosky*)

Tuesday

August 20, 2019

7:30 a.m.

† Robert Sirois-C-Roy (*Lori Ciaccio*)

† Joseph (*Missionary Sisters of the Holy Family*)

6:00 p.m.

Nicolas Perez (*Perez Family*)

Wednesday

August 21, 2019

7:30 a.m.

† Bonnie Gregg (*Kevin, Sonda, & Dylan Clocksin*)

† Joseph (*Missionary Sister of the Holy Family*)

Thursday

August 22, 2019

7:30 a.m.

† Bill Powers (*Don & Shirley St. Germaine*)

† Joseph (*Missionary Sisters of the Holy Family*)

Friday

August 23, 2019

7:30 a.m.

† Eileen Buckley (*Donald LaFond*)

Amber & TJ James (*Kathy Dummer*)

Saturday

August 24, 2019

8:00 a.m.

† Perdella Denault (*LaVonne Linneman*)

4:30 p.m.

For All the People of St. John Paul II

6:00 p.m.

Nicolas Perez (*Perez Family*)

Fr. Nestor Sanchez (*JP2 Family*)

Sunday

August 25, 2019

8:00 a.m.

† Gertrude “Tootie” Surpeman (*Delmor & Carolee Skeen*)

9:30 a.m.

† Harold Gierke (*Family*)

† Richard Ortman (*LaVonne Linneman*)

† Judy Kohl (*Family*)

11:30 a.m.

† Deacon Rocco Busato (*JP2 Family*)

† Brunell Dupuis (*Family*)

1:00 p.m.

All Deceased Members of JP2 CCW (*JP2 CCW*)

5:00 p.m.

† Joseph & Marion Ader (*Family*)

Deacon David Marlowe (*JP2 Parish*)

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, August 19

Judges 2:11-19

Matthew 19:16-22

Tuesday, August 20 (St. Bernard)

Judges 6:11-24a

Matthew 19:23-30

Wednesday, August 21 (St. Pius X, Pope)

Judges 9:6-15

Matthew 20:1-16

Thursday, August 22 (The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary)

Judges 11:29-39a

Matthew 22:1-14

Friday, August 23 (St. Rose of Lima)

Ruth 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22

Matthew 22:34-40

Saturday, August 24 (St. Bartholomew)

Revelations 21:9b-14

John 1:45-51

Sunday, August 25 (21th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Isaiah 66:18-21

Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13

Luke 13:22-30



The candle in the sanctuary is burning for
Betty Grant
Requested by The Family

PRAYING WITH INTENTION FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH



Azzarelli, Barb
Borem, Yvonne
Burnett, Mack
Clocksin, Mary
Delaney, Ethel
Emling, Kenneth
Goselin, Eula Mae
Licon, Arthur
Martinez, Sylvia
Murphy, Mary Lou
Papineau, Bruno
Raut, Francis
Senor, Nicholas
Wulffe, Daniel

Beedle, Jim
Brandon, Carl
Call, Kathy
Crane, Pat
Dubuque, Maureen
Gianotti, Francis
LaPierre, Jonette
Kreitzer, Gabriele
Miller, Rosemary
O'Connor, Thomas
Piper, Mary
Robinson, Craig
Smith, Jackson
Wulffe, Matthew
Mosby, Yair Nunez
Pagono, Agnes
Ramirez, Jose
Saindon, Jim
Sprimont, Carol

**** 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 Dicarolo, John Surprenant

ASBURY SUPPORTIVE LIVING: Rosalyn Szymborski

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OUR LADY OF ANGELS: Rev. Lloyd Bowden

OUR LADY OF VICTORY: Frank Hart

PRESENCE HERITAGE Lodge: Dick Keethers, Theresa Fisher, Frank Hart, John Hagan

Village: Virginia Gaines

RIVER NORTH: Ted Wheeler

BICKFORD: Bruno Papineau, Carol Sprimont

RIVERSIDE SENIOR LIFE/MEMORY CARE:

Miller:

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

Senior Care: Ardel Norgaard

Westwood Oaks: Eileen Dupuis



Prayer Line Information

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

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**Altar Server Summer Appreciation Gathering
Adventure Commons Mini Golf & Pizza Party!!**



Sept. 13-The Story of a Soul
By St. Therese of Lisieux

Oct. 4-Mother Angelica-Her Grand Silence
By Raymond Arroyo

Nov. 8-The Benedict Option
By Rod Dreher

Dec. 13-Advent with Our Lady of Fatima
By Donna-Marie Cooper O'Boyle

Jan. 10-Heaven-The Heart's Deepest Longing
By Peter Kreeft

Feb. 7-Some Girls, Some Hats, & Hitler
By Trudi Kanter

Mar. 13-The Apostles and Their Times
By Mike Aquilina

Apr. 3-The Long Loneliness
By Dorothy Day

May 8-Broken Mary
By Kevin Matthews

Words of Wisdom Book Club would like to invite any adult who loves reading to join us for our **2019-2020 season.**

One Friday evening a month, we gather to share a meal, friendship, conversation, faith, and of course, a lively book discussion. Check out the schedule for dates and times, get yourself a copy of the month's book, and start reading. We look forward to seeing you there! **For questions call Laurie Mau: 815-933-8859 Mlaur8@verizon.net**

Saturday September 14		2-7 PM Bettles Center Gym/Grounds
Espectáculo de Caballos Antojitos Mexicanos Danzantes Folkloricos Zumba Juegos de Mesa-Soccer-Volleyball Música en Vivo Trajes Típicos Todo en un ambiente familiar!		Horse Show Mexican food Folkloric Dancers Zumba Board Games-Soccer-Volleyball Live Music Traditional Costumes All In a family atmosphere!

Venga a celebrar la Independencia de México

Sábado 14 de Septiembre, afuera del GYM en los campos de la parroquia de 2 a 7 pm. 956 S.10th Ave. Kankakee IL.

Los fondos reunidos en este evento se destinaran para la fiesta de nuestra Señora de Guadalupe y el Ministerio Hispano.



The St. Monica Novena - Aug. 18 - 27th

ST. MONICA NOVENA

Praying For Children Who Have Lost Their Faith

Sunday, August 18

5:00 pm: Mass
 6:00 pm: Presentation on St. Monica, St. Augustine, and the book *The Confessions*
 6:45 pm: Introduction of Novena Prayer and intercessory prayer style
 7:00 pm: Adoration and quiet prayer time with the Lord
 7:30 pm: 1st Novena prayer and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday, August 27th St. Monica's Feast Day

6:00 pm: Bilingual Memorial Mass of St. Monica
 7:00 pm: Social and Grace Sharing

ST. MONICA NOVENA

Orando Por Los Niños Que Han Perdido La Fe

Domingo, Agosto 18

5:00 pm: Misa
 6:00 pm: Presentación de Santa Mónica, San Agustín y el libro *Las Confesiones*
 6:45 pm: Introducción de la Oración de Novena y oración intercesora
 7:00 pm: Adoración en silencio con nuestro Señor

Martes, 27 de Agosto día de la Festividad de Santa Mónica

6:00 pm: Misa Conmemorativa de Santa Mónica Bilingüe
 7:00 pm: Tiempo Social y Gracia Compartido

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Registro de formación de fe solo con cita previa:

Llame al 815-932-7911
 para programar una cita para:

Miércoles, 28 de agosto de 5pm a 7pm
O Sábado, 31 de agosto de 10 am a 12 pm

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



Divina Misericordia/Divine Mercy

Cada 2do Sábado del mes
 Each 2nd Saturday of the month

7-9 pm @ St. John Paul II

Para más información llame/for information call
 Maria Toledo 815-935-8359

El Movimiento de

Encuentros Juveniles

Yo y mi casa serviremos
 al Señor. Lucas 14:35



y
La Iglesia
"San Juan Pablo II"

Te invitan al **13vo.**
Encuentro Para Mujeres
(de 18 años en adelante)

del 5 al 8 de Septiembre, 2019



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The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is the process by which adults join the Catholic Church.

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Mission: How we live out what we believe.

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If you or someone you know is interested in finding out more about the Catholic Church, please call Donna Worth in the parish office, 815-933-7683.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament



St. John Paul II West

8:00 am – 6:00 pm First Friday of the month/
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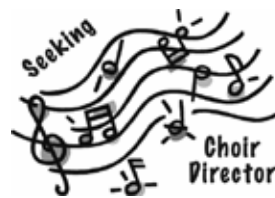
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Kankakee Catholic Food Pantry:	Nancy Godin	815-933-7683 Ext. 417	
Lisieux Pastoral Center Director:	Kathy Wade	815-939-2913	
Lisieux Learning Link:	Bonnie Householter	815-325-8528	
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Family Bridges:	Lorenia Lara	815-549-9191	

Azzarelli Outreach Medical Clinic

Week of August 19-23

Call 928-6093 for current hours and days that the clinic is open.



Kankakee Catholic Food Pantry

341 N. St. Joseph Ave. Kankakee

Friday/Viernes—August 23

9:00 am to 11:45 am



Blood Pressure Screening

Sunday, August 18

After 8:00 am mass, between 10:30-11:30 am and also after 1:00 pm mass

We are Church on the Way

Join us for an Informational Meeting! August 30, 2019 at 7:00 pm
St. John Paul II Catholic Church
907 S. 9th Ave. in Kankakee

We are the Church on the Way is a training/ equipping process for parishioners, focusing on forming groups who can lead their congregations into integrated community transformation among the immigrant community and the least of these. Based on the Word of God and Catholic Social Teaching, We are Church on the Way equips parishioners to live out the mission given to us by the Lord, go and make disciples of all nations (Matthew 28:18-20). Live and express the love of God through justice, loving mercy, and growing in our friendship with Jesus.

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Call Cindy Nichols 740-547-4637



Grief Support Night

St. John Paul II Bereavement Group
Conference Room

Thursday, August 22, 2019
6-7 pm

For questions call Jane McClin
815-953-3744

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August 18, 2019

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USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

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"Secretariado de Actividades Pro-Vida de la USCCB"

Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreats offer a beautiful opportunity for healing to any woman or man who has struggled with the emotional or spiritual pain of an abortion.

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**Sunday Offering/Ofrenda del Domingo
August 11, 2019**

**\$11,349 (270 envelopes)
\$512 from Online Giving (included in 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

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



Monday, August 19

7:30am St. Monica Novena continues during week
6:30pm Fishers of Men- Mens Prayer Group
7:00pm Charismatic Prayer Group en Espanol
7:00pm Camino Esperanza
7:00pm Choir Practice

Tuesday, August 20

10:00am Fatima Novena
11:00am Living Word Bible Study
7:00pm Living Word Bible Study

Wednesday, August 21

Thursday, August 22

6:00 pm Bereavement Mtg.

Friday, August 23

9:00am Food Pantry-East Campus
9:30am Clothing Closet @ Lisieux
6:00pm 12 Step Program @ Lisieux

Saturday, August 24

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

Sunday, August 25

9:00am Deacon Rocco, Deacon David, Deacon Greg
Anniversary Recognitions at masses
9:00am Pictorial Directory Signups after all masses
9:00am Pescador de Hombres Bible Study (Men)
9:00am Maria Auxiliadora Bible Study (Women)
10:30am Pro-Life Meeting after 9:30 mass
2:30pm Pick up Soccer games-Weather permitting
7:00pm Genesis Journey Bible Study

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

Upcoming All Parish Events:

August 27 St. Monica Feast Day Bilingual Mass
September 7 JP2 at the Kankakee Farmers Market
September 14 Mexican Kermes
October 19 JP2 Fall Festival
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.

Facebook: St. John Paul II Kankakee

Our Facebook page is filled with information on our many minis-
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Diocese of Joliet.

The Mass will be held on
August 23
The Feast Day of St. Rose of Lima
6:00 PM

The Mass will be celebrated by
Fr. Raymond Lescher (Our Chaplain) and concelebrated by former
Pastors of St. Rose of Lima Church and our Deacon, Pat Skelly.
All are invited.

Refreshments will be served in the lower hall after Mass. There
will be an opportunity to meet our Association Board members
and ask questions.


WHERE: St. Rose of Lima Chapel
486 W. Merchant St.
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Dear Church family,
It's time for a New Directory!




If you did not get photographed in June:
Sign up this weekend August 17/18 after all masses
for one of the sessions in Sept. or Oct.
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For those of you who have taken your picture for the Pictorial Directory already and **DID NOT** order any additional pictures, your **FREE 8 X 10** is in the parish office and available for pickup.



Caring for an Older Family Member?



Caregiver Education Series

- Aug. 28th Finding Help and Accessing Services
Amanda Foltz, Catholic Charities, Diocese of Joliet
- Sept. 4th The Legal How To's: Guardianship of the Estate and POA of Property
Ketura Baptiste, Prairie State Legal Services
- Sept. 11th Hands-On Care: How to Safely Care for Your Family Member
Darla Savoie, Hospice of Kankakee Valley
- Sept. 18th 10 Warning Signs of Alzheimer's
Melanie Adams, Alzheimer's Association
- Sept. 25th New Rules for End of Life Care
Darla Savoie, Hospice of Kankakee Valley

Facilitator: Amanda Foltz, BSW
Catholic Charities' Aging and Disability Services

Caregiver Support Group is held on the first Wednesday of each month from 12:00 PM – 1:15 PM at Kankakee First Church of the Nazarene (1000 N. Entrance Ave., Kankakee) in room 107. A light lunch will be provided.

To register or for more information, call 815-523-9918



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