

Masses:
Wednesdays - 8:30 a.m.
Sundays - 8:00 a.m.

~ Sacred Heart Church ~
Kinsman, IL

Reconciliation:
Before Sunday Mass
By appointment: 815-237-2230

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March 5, 2017

First Sunday of Lent

Mass Schedule

Mass Intentions

Collections - 2/26/17

Sun. - Mar. 5	8:00 a.m.	Jack Baudino - Jim & Mary Baudino
Wed. - Mar. 8	8:30 a.m.	Don Bartman - +William Kruger Sr.
Wed. - Mar. 8	5:00 p.m.	Stations of the Cross
Sun. - Mar. 12	8:00 a.m.	Bill Kruger Jr. & Marilyn Kruger - Family

Sunday.....	\$ 665.00
Church Repairs.....	\$ 25.00
"Your offering is most appreciated!"	

Food Pantry Item(s) of the Week -

Paper products - paper towels, napkins, facial tissues, toilet paper

*"The Lord, your God, shall you worship
and him alone shall you serve."*

Sunday Mass:

March Stewardship

Lector: B. Sulzberger

Servers: J. Jany & T. Krull

Eucharistic Ministers: H. Bierle, L. Miller & B. Walsh

- ◆ Please remember in your prayers all the deceased of our parish and communities, all of our nursing home residents and those living alone, all those that are battling illness, along with their families and care givers, all of the brave and selfless men and women serving in the armed forces, their families and all of the innocent souls affected by war. Please also pray for all that are in need, materially and spiritually, those that have suffered and died at the hands of others, those that have been affected by recent natural disasters and all of our dear friends and neighbors that have asked for our prayerful support.
- ◆ Please turn off all electronic devices before Mass begins. Thank you.
- ◆ This past Wednesday (Ash Wednesday), the collection was for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. Your donation helps **restore the Church and build the future** in 20 countries, many of which still struggle to recover in the aftermath of Soviet rule. Funds from this collection help support reconstruction, education, formation, and poverty outreach. For more information, please visit www.usccb.org/cee. Thank you for your generosity.
- ◆ Stations of the Cross will be observed here at Sacred Heart on Wednesdays at 5:00 p.m., starting this coming Wednesday March 8th. Stations will also be observed at St. Lawrence in South Wilmington on Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. and at St. Mary's in Reddick on Thursday mornings after their 8:30 a.m. Mass.
- ◆ You're invited!! - St. Lawrence's 8th Annual "Nite at the Races" Fundraiser - March 18, 2017 - American Legion Hall in Gardner - Doors open at 5 p.m. - First race begins at 6:30 p.m. - Always a fun time!!!
- ◆ During the season of Lent, and in the spirit of the season, we will have a Food Pantry "Item of the Week" rather than just the usual Item of the Month. Please check the bulletin weekly to see what next week's item will be! Thank you!
- ◆ Memorial envelopes for Fr. Matthew are available in the vestibule, if you would like to make a donation. If you have questions as to what is being considered or would like to make a suggestion, please see Fr. Stanley.
- ◆ Little Black Books with daily spiritual readings for the season of Lent are available in the vestibule. Donations to help defray the cost of the books are appreciated, but are not mandatory.
- ◆ The \$50.00 WATCH (We Are The Church) raffle winner for Feb. 28th was Ticket 24382 St. Mary's Parish - Painting Project, Wenona, IL.
- ◆ Got a little free time on your hands??? Morris Hospital is looking for volunteers. A flyer listing opportunities available, along with contact information, has been posted on the bulletin board in the vestibule.
- ◆ The P.A.D.S. (Public Action to Deliver Shelter) Program is in need of volunteers. If you can help out, please contact Phil Wardlow at 815-685-8098.
- ◆ **Dedicated Catholic Elementary School Educators Needed** - Openings are currently available for dedicated Catholic school teachers and administrators in many of the Diocese of Joliet's 45 elementary schools. An applicant must hold a current Illinois Professional Educator License as well as a Bachelor's Degree from an accredited college or university. In addition to current postings, the Catholic Schools Office anticipates 125 instructional and 2-3 administrative openings for the coming (2017-18) school year. Substitute teaching positions are also available. Please complete an online Frontline Applicant Tracking application at <https://www.applitrack.com/diocesefjoliet/onlineapp/>. Should you have questions, please contact Karen Udell, Assistant Superintendent of Leadership & Personnel at 815-221-6123.
- ◆ We would like to welcome all new individuals, couples and families to Sacred Heart! If you haven't already done so, please register with Fr. Stanley after Mass. Blue registration forms are on the bulletin board in the vestibule.
- ◆ Word of Life - "It is important to remember that no matter what you have done, you retain your dignity as a son or daughter of God, loved by the Father. What sin has disintegrated, grace can reunite and make whole." - "Wash Me Thoroughly": *Healing from Pornography Use and Addiction* Daniel Spadaro / USCCB Committee on Laity, Marriage, Family Life and Youth.
- ◆ Stewardship - March 5, 2017 - First Sunday of Lent - "The serpent in the Garden and the Devil in the desert offer us shortcuts in the spiritual life. Their words lead to dead ends as Paul might say. The singular disobedience of Adam and Eve began the sad story of evil entering our world. Only through one man's obedience can we begin to overcome lies, deception, false promises and death."

