

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

Father Stanley Drewniak, Pastor
Father Stanley / Clerical needs: 815-237-2230
Kinsman Parish House (CCD): 815-392-4245

Bulletin Editors: Laurie & Lee Miller: 815-287-2387, 815-228-4645 or miller@csky.net
Prayer chain requests: Laurie Miller: 815-228-4645 - Back-up contact: Bobbi Brockman: 815-287-2294
Website address: www.swkrcatholics.org

October 2, 2016

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule	Mass Intentions	Collections - 9/25/16
Sun. - Oct. 2 8:00 a.m.	For Parishioners	Sunday.....\$ 623.00
Wed. - Oct. 5 8:30 a.m.	NO MASS - Fr. Stan on vacation	Mixing Bowl.....\$ 1.00
Sun. - Oct. 9 8:00 a.m.	Marilyn Kruger - Steve & Michelle Baudino	Christ Is Our Hope Magazine...\$ 221.00 "Your offering is most appreciated!"

Food Pantry Item(s) / October - Canned Soup, Canned Pasta or Canned Stew

"The word of the Lord remains forever."

Sunday Mass:

October Stewardship

Lector: L. Miller Servers: P. & J. Baudino Eucharistic Ministers: H. Bierle, R. Briscoe & C. Sulzberger

- ◆ 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.
- ◆ October is Respect Life Month in the United States. Today, Oct. 2nd, is Respect Life Sunday. In observance of the day, there will be many "Life Chains" throughout the Diocese. "Life Chain is a peaceful and prayerful public witness of pro-life individuals standing while praying for our nation and for an end to abortion. It is a visual statement of solidarity by the Christian community that abortion kills children and that the Church supports the sanctity of human life from the moment of conception until natural death." One location of a Life Chain being held today, Oct. 2nd, is in Braidwood - IL Rt. 53 at IL Rt. 113 - from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. (For further information about this location, contact Dave Wollgast Jr. 815-287-2036.) Another Life Chain will be held next Sunday, Oct. 9th, in Morris, from 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. - Rt. 47 (Division St.) at 118 E. Jefferson St. (The contact person for further information for that location is Annie Rasmusson 214-608-7446.)
- ◆ As was announced, Fr. Stanley is on vacation through Oct. 7th. There will be no Wednesday morning Mass here at Sacred Heart this Wednesday, October 5th. We wish Fr. Stan safe travels and enjoyment of family! While he is gone, we will have visiting Priests from the Salvatorian Fathers from Indiana. Please help make them feel welcome!
- ◆ In celebration of the Jubilee Year of Mercy...Immaculate Conception Parish in Morris presents... "Spotlight on Mercy" - this Tuesday, Oct. 4th at 6:30 p.m. in the Church - "Divine Mercy" - A presentation by Fr. Andy Davy, MIC. There will also be a presentation in honor of Mother Teresa's Canonization and Work on Sunday Oct. 9th at 3:30 p.m. in the Church. (Flyer posted in the vestibule.)
- ◆ Immaculate Conception Church of Braidwood is hosting "A Nite at the Races" next Saturday, Oct. 8, 2016, at the Gardner American Legion. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. The first race is at 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$10.00 each and can be purchased at the door. "Join us for a fun 'Halloween' themed night! Be sure to wear your costume for an extra \$10 in 'Funny Money'!" Racing - Food - Raffles - Auction. Proceeds will help fund renovations to their Parish Hall. (Flyer posted in the vestibule.)
- ◆ **WHITE MASS:** The Mass will be held at the Cathedral on Sunday, October 9, at 11:00 a.m. All health care professionals are cordially invited to be present and receive a special blessing from Bishop Conlon. The White Mass celebrates those who serve as guardians and servants of human life: physicians, nurses, health care providers, along with their families and friends. Refreshments will follow in the Commons. RSVP Respect Life Ministry at (☎815-221-6251) or prolife@dioceseofjoliet.org.
- ◆ 2016 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES ANNUAL APPEAL PLEDGE REPORT - **Monthly pledge payments for the CMAA pledges should be made in the next few days. It is very important that these pledges be paid so that our parish will reach our goal. Once we have reached goal in paid pledges, 65% of the additional funds received will be returned to the parish for our use.**
PARISH GOAL: \$ 4,922.00 AMOUNT PLEDGED: \$ 6,390.00 AMOUNT PAID: \$ 5,905.00
REMAINING BALANCE: \$ 485.00 REBATE AMOUNT: \$ 639.00
- ◆ 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 - "We are called to show mercy because mercy has first been shown to us." - Pope Francis, *Misericordiae vultus*, www.goo.gl/uwk5e4 © 2015. Libreria Editrice Vaticana. Used with permission.
- ◆ Courtesy of the Diocese of Springfield...some thoughts during this Jubilee Year of Mercy - October 2, 2016 - **"Increase our faith.** This request of the apostles is ours as well. We want more faith. I want more faith. One would think Jesus would surely comply - here it is, more faith. But, no, today he talks of mustard seed faith. Less about thoughtful prayer or silent meditation, important as they are. More about action, more about waiting tables, more about attending to other's needs first. *How can my prayer and meditation prepare me to serve? *Whom shall I wait on, whom shall I serve? *In what little ways can I act?"



