

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

~ Sacred Heart Church ~
Kinsman, IL

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October 16, 2016

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

<u>Mass Schedule</u>	<u>Mass Intentions</u>	<u>Collections - 10/9/16</u>
Sun. - Oct. 16 8:00 a.m.	Rose Frye - Pat & Susan Carey	Sunday.....\$ 790.00
Wed. - Oct. 19 8:30 a.m.	NO MASS - All Priest Retreat	Mixing Bowl.....\$ 3.00
Sun. - Oct. 23 8:00 a.m.	For Parishioners	“Your offering is most appreciated!”

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

“Our hope is from the Lord,

Sunday Mass:

November Stewardship

who made heaven and earth.”

Lector: J. Jensen

Servers: C. & E. Smith

Eucharistic Ministers: H. Bierle, S. Wilkinson & L. Miller

- ◆ 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.
- ◆ Regarding a special collection next Sunday.... “Next week, we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Its theme this year is “Mercy Changes the World.” Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support the young mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve some of the poorest of the poor. Please keep the Missions in your prayers and be generous in next week’s collection for the Society of the Propagation of the Faith.”
- ◆ Bishop Conlon writes....“My Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ, **World Mission Sunday** will be celebrated in our local church and throughout the world on **October 23**. On this 90th World Mission Sunday, your role is critical in reminding your parish family of our common missionary call. We have the opportunity to **change the world through merciful acts**: our prayers and sacrifices accompanying the good works carried out in Mission Churches across the globe. This annual gift, gathered through the World Mission Sunday collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, supports missionaries serving in more than 1,111 mission dioceses, each of which fervently needs help to provide service and spiritual comfort for the poorest and most vulnerable, sanctifying them with the Sacraments, and offering them the Lord’s hope and peace. A portion of this gift is also shared with our own diocese in support of our mission trips to the Philippines, Bolivia, Africa and the Navajo nation. Each year hundreds of adults and university students donate two weeks to their time and talent to connect with other people in diverse cultures and live their vocation as missionary disciples. ...As Pope Francis reminds us in his Message for World Mission Sunday 2016, ‘Let us not close our hearts within our own particular concerns, but let us open them to all of humanity.’ May you and your parish be blessed with a spirit of God’s mercy through His mission, in this Jubilee Year of Mercy and always! May God bless you and your loved ones. Most Reverend R. Daniel Conlon, Bishop of Joliet.”
- ◆ Word from the MVK Christmas Basket Chairperson.... “**MAZON-VERONA-KINSMAN CHRISTMAS BASKETS** - During the harvest season, we often think of those who do not have enough food to eat. The Mazon, Verona and Kinsman churches are preparing to address that need within our community. The collection of food for the Basket Project will begin on Oct. 23rd and continue thru the month of November. Cash donations will go to purchase meat, cheese, milk, bread, margarine, fresh fruit, and vegetables. (*Editor’s note: We will be taking up a collection here at Sacred Heart, to aid in the project, in early December.*) ...As in past years, we expect to have over 70 families on our list, and we will need your help. Food donations may be brought to your church, and they will get it to us. Thank you for your continued support. Jeanne Madison, MVK Christmas Basket Project.” (Shopping lists for the MVK Christmas Baskets can be found in the back of the church. As a side note...we will make those items the “Food Pantry Items of the Month” for November.)
- ◆ **Administrative Assistance Position Opening** - St. Joseph Parish in Manhattan is seeking to fill an Administrative Assistant position. Some of the responsibilities of this position include: greeting visiting parishioners, answering telephone inquiries, recording and processing documents involving the Sacraments, word processing, mailings, using Excel to update ministry schedules, and some light accounting work. Qualified individuals should have prior work experience, be able to use Microsoft Office products, proven customer service skills and love of the Catholic faith. The position is part-time, unbenefited, four days a week from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Interested individuals, please contact Laura McGuire, Business Manager at (815) 478-3341 or email us at: sjoffice@sjpmanhattan.org.
- ◆ 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 - “Pope Francis stresses, ‘We are speaking of an attitude of the heart, one which approaches life with serene attentiveness, which is capable of being fully present to someone without thinking of what comes next’ (LS 226).” - “Serene Attentiveness to God’s Creation,” www.goo.gl/xdm378 - USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities.
- ◆ Courtesy of the Diocese of Springfield...some thoughts during this Jubilee Year of Mercy - October 16, 2016 - “**Persistent prayer**. You know that person, don’t you? One so relentless, he does not yield, he does not back down? She makes the case and does not let it drop? Persistence personified. God invites us, invites me to take this attitude to prayer. ‘Pray always, without becoming weary.’ Pray not just for myself. Pray, too, for the needs of others. Do not give up. *For what should I pray today? *For whom shall I pray this week? *Can I put it all in God’s care - and with my helping hands?”



