

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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September 3, 2017

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

| Mass Schedule | | | | Mass Intentions | Collections - 8/27/17 |
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| Sun. | - Sept. | 3 | 8:00 a.m. | Robert & Catherine Carey - Pat & Susan Carey | Sunday.....\$ 682.00 |
| Wed. | - Sept. | 6 | 8:30 a.m. | Don Bartman - Rich & Sandy Roenfeldt | "Your offering is most appreciated!" |
| Sun. | - Sept. | 10 | 8:00 a.m. | Bill & Rose Sisk, Bud & Bernadine Sisk, Emmett & Rosemary Sheedy, Gus Sisk & Billy Sisk - Donna Gabehart | |

Food Pantry Item(s) for the month of September - Pancake mix and/or syrup

"My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God"

Sunday Mass:

September Stewardship

Lector: P. Siedentop Servers: T. Krull & C. Jany Eucharistic Ministers: H. Bierle, B. Sulzberger & 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.
- ◆ Happy Birthday, Fr. Stan!!! We hope you have a wonderful day....and many blessings to celebrate!!!
- ◆ Second collection today, as per the following correspondence from Bishop Conlon - "August 29, 2017 - My brother priests: Over the past several days, all of us have been following the historic flooding in southeast Texas and surrounding areas. Hurricane Harvey has created an unprecedented and catastrophic weather event of immense proportions. Twelve million persons were under a flash flood warning over the weekend. Rivers will be rising and will be at historic flood stages for some time. Our hearts and prayers go out to the families that have lost loved ones and to all who have lost homes and businesses along with their sense of peace and normalcy. We also stand with our brother pastors in the region who have the difficult task of providing pastoral care in these most trying times while managing their own losses. Our prayerful and financial support is urgently needed. In cooperation with the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, I ask that an emergency collection be taken on September 2nd-3rd if possible, or next weekend September 9th-10th if necessary. This emergency collection will be used both to support the humanitarian and recovery efforts of Catholic Charities USA and to provide pastoral and rebuilding support to impacted dioceses. Please remit the emergency collection to our Finance Office as soon as possible! The Finance Office will accumulate and forward these funds to the Catholic Charities USA, Disaster Relief Fund. Please know that I am grateful for your many actions of generosity and prayerful solidarity. May the Lord bless you and those who are dear to you. Most Reverend R. Daniel Conlon Bishop of Joliet." (Checks should be made out to "Sacred Heart Church". If you want to put a notation of "Disaster Relief Fund" on the memo line, please feel free to do so.)
- ◆ There's only one Sunday left before the Sacred Heart Parish Golf Outing/Hog Raffle (Sept. 16th)!!! Have you made your door prize donation yet?! Need more Hog Raffle tickets? Please contact Pete (815-545-8525) or Katie (815-353-4008).
- ◆ Donna Gabehart is on the move...and doing good things...again!!! - "I'm walking in the Illinois Valley Walk to End Alzheimers over in Ottawa on September 9th. It starts at LaSalle and Main Streets downtown. Registration is at 8AM and the walk starts at 9AM. It's 2 miles. If anyone wants to walk or donate they can grab me before or after church or call me at (815) 237-8202 and I can give them more information. They can also find it online. Just trying to get the word out more than anything. I think just about everybody has someone these days. I'm so late with this - didn't know if I could walk it cause my knees are killing me, but hey, what's 2 miles, right? Now, I'm committed, tho.....Lord, help me....."
- ◆ Braidwood Knights of Columbus #1574 Fall Mum Sale - Order forms are available in the vestibule - Orders/payment due by Sept. 17th - Checks should be made out to "Braidwood Knights of Columbus" - Give your order to Lee Miller or place it in the offertory basket - Mums delivered to Sacred Heart on Sun., Sept. 24th.
- ◆ Attention CCD parents - Registration next Sunday, Sept. 10th, after Mass. Please fill out registration forms in advance. (Registration forms are in the back of the church.) A form is required **for each child**. Classes begin Sun., Sept. 17th.
- ◆ Wonderful news! Michael Macini and Marylou Knauss have received good reports from their doctors! Sr. Mary Loyola is also doing well at this time. Thank you all for the prayers on their behalf!
- ◆ 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 - "The sufferings caused by chronic or terminal illness ...cry out for our compassion, a word whose root meaning is to 'suffer with' another person. True compassion alleviates suffering while maintaining solidarity with those who suffer. It does not put lethal drugs in their hands and abandon them." - USCCB, "To Live Each Day with Dignity: A Statement on Assisted Suicide," © 2011, <https://goo.gl/BVQ3dE>.
- ◆ Stewardship - September 3, 2017 - Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time - "Doing God's will demands to make personal sacrifices as Christian stewards. We hear this in each of today's readings. All of us are to be willing to undergo suffering for the sake of God's Kingdom. In fact, each day stewards can consciously find sacrifices we make an offering to God, showing that we are willing to give our all for him.