

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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August 5, 2018

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

<u>Mass Schedule</u>	<u>Mass Intentions</u>	<u>Collections - 7/29/18</u>
Sun. - Aug. 5 8:00 a.m.	Marjorie Kruger - Kruger Family	Sunday.....\$ 631.00
Wed. - Aug. 8 8:30 a.m.	Florence Dunn - Mr. & Mrs. Donald Muffler	Utilities..... 100.00
Sun. - Aug. 12 8:00 a.m.	Evan Vint - John & Jodi Walsh & Family	Church Repair.... 25.00

“Your offering is most appreciated!”

MVK Food Pantry items for the month August:
Breakfast cereals and/or Oatmeal

“I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger and whoever believes in me will never thirst.”

Sunday Mass:

August Stewardship

Lector: D. Brockman Servers: A. Sulzberger & P. 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, all first responders, 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.

◆ We offer our sincere condolences to Herman and Susan Bierle, in regards to the recent passing of Herman's mom Charlotte. Please know the thoughts and prayers of Sacred Heart Parish are with you.

◆ 2018 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, 70% of the additional funds received will be returned to the parish for our use.

PARISH GOAL: <u>\$ 4600.00</u>	AMOUNT PLEDGED: <u>\$ 5630.00</u>	AMOUNT PAID: <u>\$ 5455.00</u>
REMAINING BALANCE: <u>\$ 175.00</u>	REBATE: <u>\$ 599.00</u>	

◆ Classes start this coming week! - **A Matter of Balance: Do you have concerns about falling?** - Many older adults experience concerns about falling and restrict their activities. A MATTER OF BALANCE is an award-winning program designed to manage falls and increase activity levels. This program emphasizes practical strategies to manage falls. Classes will be held on Tuesday afternoons from 1:30pm – 3:30pm on August 7, 14, 21, 28 and September 4, 11, 18, 25, 2018 at First Presbyterian Church 200 E. Jackson Street Morris, IL 60450. A Matter of Balance is FREE and available to individuals age 60 or older. For more information and to register, please call Amanda at 815-523-9918. For more information about the programs and services provided by Catholic Charities, Diocese of Joliet, visit catholiccharitiesjoliet.org.

◆ Love Outreach Walk Update - “I just wanted to let you know that we had our walk and we had a great day. I received a letter from Senator Tammy Duckworth to read and Sara Dady and Heidi Henry walked with us and spoke at the courthouse. Sara is running for Congress and Heidi is running for the State Senate. Sara is an attorney from Rockford and she says they are number two in the state for trafficking and Illinois is number eight in the country. Heidi is a farmer from Marseilles and is also working to help eliminate this problem. We really appreciated the letter and the support of these two women who are trying to make a difference. They have offered to help support us in the future and we are so grateful. They can open a lot of doors for us. We also had a speaker from SelahFreedom and he explained how their safehouses work and everything they do to help these girls. They are a great organization and we are happy to work with them. We met a person from a new organization called Newname and they work in the Chicago area and suburbs. They are a ministry outreach program to help women who are being trafficked to get out safely. Monday night Esther and I were in Palos Hills and met a lot of great people including the group Bikers Against Child Abuse (BACA). We are going to work together in the future, also. Last, BUT NOT LEAST, I really appreciate all of the support from you all here in this church. You know who you are and thank you so much. We raised almost \$1,000 and I actually raised over \$600 (much better than last year). I'm not good at the money part of it, but you need it to do the work. No rest for the weary, tho - we are now starting work on our first walk in Joliet on September 22nd. I have information about all of the groups mentioned here, so if you have any questions, please stop me - you all know I like to talk!! We can always use more volunteers, too. Again, thank you so very much for supporting me in this. God bless you all! Donna Gabehart”

◆ 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 felt we had no control, but God reminded us again that He is always in control and that we could trust in Him. ...Andrew* is two years old now, and... we can't imagine loving a child whom we conceived more than we love Andrew.” - *Name changed for privacy. - “An Adoption Love Story” - 2014-15 Respect Life Program - USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities.

◆ Stewardship - Aug. 5, 2018 - Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - “When the Israelites escaped Egypt and sought a new life, God gave them quail in the evening and manna in the mornings so they could be strong for their journey across the desert. Similarly, Jesus gives us the gift of himself in the Eucharist so that we might have the strength and grace needed to persevere as we walk our pilgrim journey of faith on earth. We are dependent on God as Stewards of his creation.”

