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 / Rectory / Clerical needs: 815-237-2230

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Dec. 29, 2019

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph

Mass Schedule				Mass Intentions	<u>Collections</u> - 12/22/19	
Sun.	- Dec.	29	8:00 a.m.	Jim & Betty Walsh - Family	Sunday\$	967.00
Wed.	- Jan.	1	8:00 a.m.	New Year's Day - For Parishioners	Retired Religious	20.00
Sun.	- Jan.	5	8:00 a.m.	For Parishioners & Dan Carey -	Children's Offering	2.00
				+Jim & Joanne Grenell	Mixing Bowl	6.00
MVK Food Pantry items for the month of January:				Church Repair	25.00	
Laundry Detergent, Bleach and/or Fabric Softener				"Your Offering is most appreciated!"		

Sunday Mass: January Stewardship

<u>Lector:</u> L. Miller <u>Servers:</u> D. Boucher & B. Kruger <u>Eucharistic Ministers:</u> H. Bierle, P. Siedentop & R. Briscoe

- 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.
- For your New Year's planning....New Year's Eve Dec. 31st St. Lawrence: 4:00 p.m. St. Mary's Reddick: 5:30 p.m. New Year's Day Jan. 1st: Sacred Heart: 8:00 a.m. St. Lawrence: 10:00 a.m.
- SACRED HEART CASH RAFFLE! Tickets are now being sold for a cash raffle being held from February May! Three \$20 winners will be drawn each week as well as a \$50.00 winner each Sunday. On the first Sunday of each month a \$100.00 winner will be drawn. A final drawing (up to \$500) will be held in May. Winning tickets each week are returned to the drawing allowing each ticket to have multiple chances of being drawn! (Tickets are \$10.00 each & can be purchased from any Sacred Heart parishioner.) This is Sacred Heart's only fundraiser this year! Please consider buying some tickets for this fun raffle! (Get tickets now to be included in the first drawing in February!!!)
- Have you noticed the two new cabinets located behind the last rows of middle pews on both the east and west sides of the church?! These lovely, and useful, new additions are in memory of former parishioners Glenn and Marie Kruger, and were gifts to the parish by their family. We'd like to offer our sincere thanks to the Kruger family for their thoughtful gesture!!!
- We would like to point out the two cushioned rocking chairs in the back of the church on the west side. They were placed there for the comfort of anyone who finds the wooden pews extremely uncomfortable, or for those parents that have a child that just needs a bit of rocking. Please...feel free to put them to good use! The donors would be very pleased if you did!
- A couple of other things while we're thinking about them....Would the person that borrowed the MVK Food Pantry donation bin please return it so that we may fill it back up? Thank you! And....we are no longer collecting magazines for the troops, so whoever has been leaving them in the back of the church can just go ahead and recycle them instead. Thank you!
- The Braidwood Knights of Columbus will be sponsoring a Free Throw Championship for all boys and girls ages 9 14 at the Godley Park District Gym, 500 S. Kankakee St. in Godley, on Sunday Jan. 5, 2020. Registration at 1:30 p.m. Competition at 2:00 p.m. Open to everyone. No participation fee. Must show proof of age. Top boy and girl from each age group will advance to district level. For questions or further information, contact Dave Wollgast at 815-287-2036.
- 2019 Christmas Basket Project Report "This year we helped 63 families have a little nicer holiday season. Those families consisted of 110 children and 115 adults, totaling 225 people. Each family received non-perishable foods, household supplies and a gift card to Aldi. We also gave 2 sweatshirts, 2 toys and hats and mittens to each child 18 years old and under. Many volunteers helped with the activities that make this project possible. None of this could occur if it were not for the wonderful support of you, our community and our local churches. Thank you again for your support. Jeanne Madison and Tina Brookman."
- FYI The rectory will be closed Dec. 31 & Jan. 1.
- 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 "Like our Blessed Mother welcomed Jesus, we are called to cherish and protect the gift of human life, at every stage and in every circumstance." USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "Living Out Christmas in the New Year."
- Stewardship Dec 29, 2019 (Compliments of the Diocese of Dodge City, KS) (The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph) "Joseph's obedience to God was not a one-time thing. His attention to the angel's warning kept Jesus from being murdered by Herod and led to the fulfillment of the prophecy that the Messiah would be a Nazorean. Fidelity to God's will assures the best use of my talents, too!"