Masses:

Wednesdays - 8:30 a.m.

- 8:00 a.m.

~ Sacred Heart Church ~

Kinsman, IL

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Sundays

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reconciliation:

Before Sunday Mass

By appointment: 815-237-2230

Mass Schedule		Mass Intentions	$\underline{\text{Collections} - 8/6/2023}$
Sun Aug. 13	8:00 a.m.	For Parishioners	Sunday \$ 1,765.00
Tues Aug. 15	6:30 p.m.	Assumption Mass at St. Lawrence -	Utilities
		for all 3 parishes	"Your Offering is most appreciated!"
Wed Aug. 16	8:30 a.m.	Steve Walsh - John T. Walsh	
Sun Aug. 20	8:00 a.m.	Evan Vint - John & Jodi Walsh	"I wait for the Lord;
		and Family	my soul waits for His word."

Sunday Mass: August Stewardship

Lector: Pam Siedentop Servers: Bailey & Kenley Kruger **Eucharistic Minister:** Kathy Vint

- 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; Kathryn Vint, Henry Fink, Pat Bartman, Sherry Lewis, Sarah Windham, John Ribordy, Blane Passini, Jenny Kilmer, Amy Walters, Ed Neikirk, Phyllis Neikirk, Pat Sanders, Nerina Walker & Kevin Ryan.
- Please turn off all electronic devices before Mass begins. Thank you.
- Audio assistance is available in the back of the church, for those who find it difficult to hear Mass. Please feel free to use it!
- Holy Day of Obligation This coming Tuesday, Aug. 15th, the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be celebrated at a 6:30 p.m. Mass for all three parishes, St. Lawrence, Sacred Heart & St. Mary's, at St. Lawrence in South Wilmington. It is a Holy Day of Obligation.
- CCD News!!! Registration for '23-'24 Religious Education classes will be August 20th. Please see Rhea Ann McDonald after mass or anytime before to complete registration. She can also be reached at 815-690-0208. Please remember all students must complete 2 consecutive years of Religious Education before receiving a sacrament. Fees for the year are \$50 for a single student and \$75 for a family. Sacrament years are an additional \$25. Classes will start September 10th. We are still in desperate need of teachers. Please consider volunteering to this excellent program. All ages are welcome!
- Today, Aug. 13th, St. Lawrence will be hosting a "Fiesta" beginning at 11:00 a.m. at the Fr. Matthew Hall in South Wilmington. There will be a taco bar, hot dogs, desserts and ice cream. There will also be kid's games, bingo and fellowship! This will be a free will donation event to which all are invited!!! A drawing for a 91" X 91" handmade "Gathering Stars" design quilt crafted by the St. Lawrence Quilters will also be held!
- Something to think about..."The 2023 Walk to End Alzheimer's for the Illinois Valley area will be held on September 9th at the Jordon Block in Ottawa. It starts at 8:30, ceremonies at 9:30, and the walk at 10:00. It's a nice slow walk to the park and back, so there's no pressure and you can always cut across to make it however short you need it to be. You don't even have to walk at all if you can't. It's the thought that counts. This is a nice little park down by the river with plenty of benches and picnic tables to sit and relax. There is free food when the walk is finished and we all have a nice time remembering our family and friends. We're all in the same boat, so we know what everyone is going thru. Sad, but therapeutic at the same time. There are always lots of kids and pets. No football conflicts this year, so my grandson gets to go with me again this and I am very grateful for that. If anyone wants to donate, there's a container in the hallway. There is a sheet next to it so you can put your name on it and if there's someone you'd like to have remembered that day you can put their name on it also. I'll make sure it gets on my list. If you would like to get a group together (large or small) you can go to klavelle@alz.org to register or just stop me at church. You can always just show up, too. Thanks as usual for your generosity and caring. This disease is cruel and devastating. New medicines are coming out and this money will hopefully help to finally find a cure. If you are going thru this nightmare with a family member and need help, please contact Alz.com for help, but also, don't be afraid to ask your friends. We're here for you. Thanks again......Donna Gabehart."
- The Rectory/Parish Office is open. You may, however, want to call ahead (815-237-2230) to make sure the office is open the day of, or during the hours you would like to stop by, just to save yourself an unproductive trip.
- We would like to welcome all new individuals, couples and families to Sacred Heart!!! If you'd like to become a member of our parish, a registration form can be found on our website; swkrcatholics.org, or can be made available upon request! If you have questions or need further assistance, please contact our parish secretary, Lin, at 815-237-2230. Thank you!
- Word of Life "Although we may feel usure how best to comfort those who mourn, we must stand with them in their time of suffering. Miscarriage touches the lives of many people, yet all too often this tragedy remains unaddressed. This lack of response not only often leads to unresolved grief, but also fails to clearly manifest our belief that each person, from conception onward, is precious and unique." USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities - "Solace and Strength in the Sorrow of Miscarriage".
- Stewardship Aug. 13, 2023 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Compliments of the Diocese of Dodge City, KS) "Elijah recognized the voice of God not in the strong and heavy wind, not in the earthquake, and not in the fire, but in a tiny whispering sound. May we find enough quiet in our clamorous world to hear His voice and discern what He is calling us to do and be.'