Masses:

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

~ Sacred Heart Church ~

Kinsman, IL

Reconciliation: Before Sunday Mass

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October 22, 2023

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule		Mass Intentions	<u>Collections - 10/15/2023</u>
Sun Oct. 22	8:00 a.m.	Barb Walsh - Janice Johnson	Sunday\$ 1,427.00
Wed Oct. 25	8:30 a.m.	Tim Walsh - John T. Walsh	Food Truck 20.00
Sun Oct. 29	8:00 a.m.	Eileen Biros - Nerina Walker	"Your Offering is most appreciated!"
Sunday Mass:		November Stewardship	
Lector: Brent Sulzberger		Servers: Abby & McKenna Brockman	Eucharistic Minister: Carrie 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; Kathryn Vint, Henry Fink, Sherry Lewis, Sarah Windham, John Ribordy, Blane Passini, Jenny Kilmer, Amy Walters, Ed Neikirk, Phyllis Neikirk, Pat Sanders, Nerina Walker & Jennifer Jensen.
- 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!
- Second Collection today TODAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY. We celebrate this day by remembering our baptismal call to bring the Gospel to all! The collection today for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith supports the work and witness of the Mission Church, as it provides for priests, religious and lay leaders who offer the Lord's mercy and concrete help to the most vulnerable communities in the Pope's missions. Thank you for your generosity
- <u>Please don't forget to sign Veteran's Day cards & put them in the white container out in the hallway by Nov 5th!!!</u> This project requires only a few minutes of your time...and brings immeasurable happiness!!!
- St. Lawrence will be hosting its next Catholic Charities Mobile Food Pantry, **tomorrow**, **Monday Oct. 23rd.** Spread the word to those in need! The Pantry goes on...rain or shine from 4:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m., or until the food runs out.
- October 22nd thru 29th Homeless Veteran's item collection Help Military Outreach USA to collect household items to assist our Veterans exiting homelessness. Collection bins will be in the back of the church. Examples of items needed are: Personal Hygiene Bathroom Misc.: Bath/Body/Hand Soap, Shampoo/Conditioner, Razors/Shaving Cream, Deodorant, Q-tips, Hair Brushes, Nail Clipper, Toothbrushes/Toothpaste/Mouthwash. Bathroom: Shower Curtain, Toilet Paper, Plunger, Toilet Brush, Toilet Bowl Cleaner, Shower/Tub Cleaner, Bath Mat, Bath Towels, Washcloth, Air Freshener, Clothes Hamper, Trash Can. Misc.: Laundry Detergent, Laundry Basket, Dryer Sheets, Garbage Bags, Silverware, Dishes/Bowls, Pots and Pans, Kitchen Towels/Hot Pads, Broom and Dustpan, Kitchen Cleaner, Swiffer Mop/Duster, Kitchen Garbage Can, Paper Towels, Cutting Board.
- A message from parishioner Donna Gabehart....l got a call out from Wreaths Across America Elwood. This is a huge undertaking every year. They have videos on Facebook showing the trucks lined up for at least a mile or so coming in bringing wreaths if you would like to see what it's like that day. It's amazing. This is a great project for adults and kids of all ages to come and help somehow. I think they also sign off on volunteer sheets for the kids to get their hours credited. They did last year. The request is as follows: "Volunteers are needed for the Wreaths Across America wreath laying event on 12/16 at the Abraham Lincoln Cemetery in Elwood. Please only sign up if you can commit to the hours needed. Parking: 25 volunteers needed to help with parking from 7am till maybe 1:30 at latest. Also, will need at least 6 off-site parking volunteers from 8 till noon. Wreath Guards: For this position you must be able to commit to 8am approximately 2pm to stay at a certain section at the cemetery to hand out sponsorship forms and wreaths. Breaking down of empty boxes and help with loading and unloading them into a trailer. 8:30 till ?. Contact Chris Kanofsky @ <u>Truckin4veterans@gmail.com</u> for box help. If you can be a Wreath guard or parking volunteer, please email me at <u>proudarmysis4@sbcglobal.net</u>. Please put in subject line 'position desired' so I can go through easier. You don't have to sign up for placing wreaths. All are welcome and much needed. Thank you all! This is a large team effort to make it all happen and cannot do it without you!"
- 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 "I would like to say a special word to women who have had an abortion. The Church is aware of the many factors which may have influenced your decision, and she does not doubt that in many cases it was a painful and even shattering decision. The wound in your heart may not yet have healed. ...But do not give in to discouragement and do not lose hope. ...The Father of mercies is ready to give you his forgiveness and his peace in the Sacrament of Reconciliation." Pope St. John Paul II, *Evangelium vitae*, no. 99. © 1995, Libreria Editrice Vaticana. Used with permission All rights reserved.
- Stewardship Oct. 22, 2023 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Compliments of the Diocese of Dodge City, KS) "Each year at tax time, we conscientiously give 'to Caesar what belongs to Caesar.' Does my stewardship indicate that I am as faithful about giving 'to God what belongs to God?""