

# St. Mary's Catholic Church

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Sunday, July 17, 2022

## Parish Staff:

Father Stanley Drewniak, *Pastor*  
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## Office Hours: 9-1 Monday—Friday

St. Mary Rectory (815) 237-2230

## Mass Schedule

Sat.— 5:30 pm Mass  
Thurs.—8:30am Mass

## Reconciliation:

Before Mass or by Appointment

**Sacrament of Baptism** – Baptisms are celebrated during the Saturday 5:30p.m. Mass. Please call the Rectory to make arrangements.

**Marriages** – Diocesan Policy require at least a six month preparation process. Couples who are planning to marry should speak directly with the Pastor before setting a date. No Weddings are scheduled on Sundays.

**Hospitalized Parishioners** – Due to a change in the privacy law, Father cannot go to the hospital and ask for a list of parishioners for him to visit. As a patient, you must ask the hospital to notify the Rectory that you are requesting a visit. For our homebound parishioners, if you would like Father to visit, please call the Rectory and Father will be more than happy to come and visit you. Thank you!

## Mass Intentions:

7/16/22 Sat. 5:30pm +Fr. Kostelz (Don & Norma O'Brien)  
**7/21/22 Thurs. 8:30am No Mass**  
7/23/22 Sat. 5:30pm +Bill Ryan (Dan Ryan Family)

If you would like a Mass Intention said, please contact the Parish Office. Suggested Donations is \$10.

**Remember in Prayer** our deceased relatives and friends, the ill of our parish and community, nursing home residents, the homeless, hungry and unemployed, those living alone and our own special intentions we hold deep in our hearts. Keep in prayer all men and women serving our country, the injured and those being held prisoners. Let us not forget all men and women who gave up their lives so that we may live in freedom and peace!

## Liturgical Schedule for Lectors

7/16/22 Sat. 5:30 pm-Lector-Melinda  
7/23/22 Sat. 5:30 pm-Lector-Bill



**Holy Father's Intention for the month of July:** *General Intention:* For the elderly. We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.

## Weekly Income:

Sunday Collection \$ 675.00

Your Offering is most appreciated!

## Prayers for Sick

John Deane, Kay Kersch, Heidi Ehrhardt, Donna Masching, Debbie Turner, and Michael Mullen

**Welcome!** We welcome all new individuals, couples and families to St. Mary's Parish. If you haven't already done so, please register with the rectory office. Registration forms can be found on the bulletin board or on our website swkrcatholics.org Thank you!

Wanting to keep up with news and/or announcements from the Diocese?! Visit [www.dioceseofjolieta.org](http://www.dioceseofjolieta.org) for the latest information and resources.

## No Mass on Thursday, July 21st.

"When you pray, you only have to ask for two things: You should ask for the light to see the will of God, and you have to ask for the courage to be able to do the will of God." -*Venerable Msgr. Aloysius Schwartz*

**Monday, July 18 at 4pm is the next Mobile Food Pantry** coming to South Wilmington. St. Lawrence Church parking lot (rain or shine). **Participants are asked to remain in their cars.** Take Action to solve hunger by volunteering to sort and pack boxes, help us distribute food to neighbors in need. If you can volunteer, please arrive by 3pm to help pack boxes. Please pass the word to those in need. Thank you!

*St. Patrick's Altar & Rosary Society in Dwight, IL, invites you to join us in a group recitation of the Holy Rosary with our brothers and sisters at Heritage Health & Rehab, 300 E. Mazon Ave., Dwight, IL, every Thursday afternoon at 3:30 p.m. For more information please contact Patti (Finn) Drechsel, 815-374-0298.*

**Friday, July 22, 2022 "Movie On the Court" sponsored by the Reddick Community Auxiliary.** This year our outdoor movie is "Onward" rated PG. The movie will be shown on the court adjacent to the former Reddick Lions Hall on Wabash Street. In case of inclement weather, it will be shown in the Reddick gymnasium. This is a community event; there is **no charge**. Bring bug spray, lawn chairs, or blankets. Concessions will be available.

**Join us at One Heart, One Soul Spirituality Center for this morning of prayer: Fantasy Prayer** -Fantasy prayer is one way of using memory and imagination to deepen our prayer experiences when praying with the Gospel scenes from the life of Jesus. But there are many other ways to use memory and imagination to enhance our prayer experiences and see the powerful presence of God in all the events of our lives—past, present, and future. Imagine being able to recapture past joys and relive them again! Come and discover the power and life you have within you when you use your memory and imagination in prayer.

**WHEN: Thursday, August 4, 2022, 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. LOCATION: One Heart, One Soul Spirituality Center, 2041 W. State Route 113, Kankakee, IL 60901. Sponsored by: Servants of the Holy Heart of Mary** Presenter: Sr. Loretta Finn, sscm  
**To register, please visit our website: <https://www.sscm-usa.org/Workshops-Retreats> For more information about our programming, please contact Susan Amann: [samann@sscm-usa.org](mailto:samann@sscm-usa.org) • (708) 790-8141.**

**Word of Life--**"Because of our belief and hope in the Resurrection, we can face death not with fear, but with preparation.... We prepare for eternal life by choosing to love and follow God now, in our daily lives and decisions." Read more at [www.respectlife.org/end-of-life-considerations](http://www.respectlife.org/end-of-life-considerations). USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "Catholic Considerations for Our Earthly Passing"

**Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 17 July 2022** Genesis 18:1-10a. Psalm 15:2-3, 3-4, 5. Colossians 1:24-28. Luke 10:38-42.  
**About Worry and Anxiety.** Jesus is invited to a home. Martha bustles about. Mary sits and listens. We do not know that Lazarus does. What worries me, make me anxious? How does this rate in the scheme of Kingdom of God values? If I sit and listen to Jesus, what is he telling me?

