

ST. LAWRENCE CATHOLIC CHURCH
South Wilmington, IL



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Hall Rentals - Call the Office

Mass Schedule:

Sat. - 4:00pm
Sun. - 10:00am
Tues, Wed. & Thurs. - Mass at 7:30am

Reconciliation:

Saturday 3:30pm - 4:00pm.

SACRAMENT of BAPTISM - Baptisms are celebrated during the 10:00 am 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!

Funeral Dinner Co-Chairs for August
Jean Naretto 237-8100
Sue Suddick 584-2174

MASS INTENTIONS:

8/11/18 Sat. 4:00pm +Judy Ahearn (Lin Hopwood)
8/12/18 Sun. 10:00am +Sheriff Terry Marketti (Friends)

8/13/18 Mon. No Mass

8/14/18 Tues. 7:30am No Morning Mass

Tues. 7:00pm Vigil Mass for Parishioners

8/15/18 Wed. 7:30am Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8/16/18 Thurs. 7:30am No Mass

8/17/18 Fri. No Mass

8/18/18 Sat. 4:00pm +John Austin (Dave & Debbie Wollgast)

8/19/18 Sun. 10:00am +Esther Sorensen (Lou & Jean Naretto)

If you would like a Mass Intention said please contact the Rectory.
Suggested donation 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 we may live in freedom and in peace!

Liturgical Schedule Lector E. Minister Servers

8/11 Sat.	4pm	C. Frobish	S. Myrick	N. & O. Siano
8/12 Sun.	10am	A. Simms	D. Wollgast	L. & K. Scheuber/M. Simms
8/14 Tues.	7pm	Volunteer s Needed for this Mass		
8/18 Sat.	4pm	C. Mathison	M. Noeth	C. T. W. Brooks
8/19 Sun.	10am	T. Peterson	L. Himes	A. Meredith/A. & N. Himes

Holy Father's Intention for the month of August:

General Intention: The Treasure of Families. That any far-reaching decisions of economists and politicians may protect the family as one of the treasures of humanity.



Weekly Income:
Budget (Needed) \$ 3200.00
Sunday Collection \$ 2109.52
Children's Envelopes \$ 0

Thank you for supporting our parish!

FROM AROUND THE PARISH

Assumption Mass Schedule

Tuesday, August 14th
5:30pm St. Mary's -Reddick
7:00pm St. Lawrence-S. Wilmington
Wednesday, August 15th
7:30am St. Lawrence-S. Wilmington
9:00am Sacred Heart-Kinsman

Fr. Stanley will be going on a much needed vacation. He will be gone August 16th—August 31st. There will not be daily Mass during this time. We are happy to have the Passionists Mission come celebrate Mass with us on August 18/19. August 25/26 we will celebrate with the Carmelites. Please keep Father Stanley in your prayers for safe travels.

If you have an immediate need for a priest while Fr. Stanley is away, please call the Rectory.

Improvement Collection—This weekend, Aug. 11/12 there will be a second collection for our monthly improvements. Thank you for your generosity.

Ice Cream Social—Just a reminder that the St. Lawrence traditional procession of the Blessed Mother and Ice Cream Social is coming up next Sunday.

2018 Quilt Raffle—Please drop off your Quilt Raffle tickets to the parish office or bring to the Ice Cream Social.

Religious Education Registration—Registration for 2018-2019 RE classes will be held at the Annual Ice Cream Social on August 19th.

Parish Office Closed— On Wednesday, August 15th.

Fr. Stanley would really appreciate if parish families would provide fresh flowers every weekend to decorate our Tabernacle area. You can use a florist of your choice or flowers from your garden.

Mission Collection -Father Febin Barose, C.P., a Passionist Missionary, will preach the annual mission appeal at all of the Masses on the weekend of August 18/19. Father will present the needs of the Passionist Missions of Holy Cross Province. The American Passionists have missions in India, Korea, Japan, the Philippines, the West Indies, and in Alabama. This annual collection gives us the opportunity to participate in the Missionary Work of the Church. Please be generous. Checks should be made out payable to the parish because the collection will be counted in the parish and a single check will be forwarded to the mission office.

News & Upcoming Events

Mobile Food Truck—Monday, August 20th will be the next Mobile Food Truck. Volunteers are asked to arrive by 3pm on this day. Please make sure to wear your purple volunteer shirt. Please help us spread the word to those in need. With the expense of children going back to school many families may be in need of a little help this month to get by. You do not have to be Catholic to participate. Catholic Charities helps people of all faiths and beliefs.

An invitation to all the men in the Diocese of Joliet. "Catholic Man Night-Men meeting Jesus." at St. Ann Catholic Church 24500 Navajo Dr., Channahon, IL, on Tuesday, August 14th from 6:30pm to 9:00pm. A night of faith, fellowship and feast. Topic: Leading our Families to Heaven as True Men." Free will offering.

Golf Outing September 15th -Sacred Heart Church, Kinsman has their Annual Golf Outing and Dinner at the Dwight Country Club. Registration Forms can be found in the vestibule. If you register by September 1st you will receive a discount per person.

The Knights of Columbus Council 1574 is selling mums to help raise funds for Living Alternatives Pregnancy Resource Center in Coal City. Please consider ordering your fall mums through us! Fall mums are \$8.00 each. Order forms available in the back of the church. Please return completed forms with payment to the collection basket or mail them to the address on the form. Orders are due by Sunday, September 16th and the mums can be picked up the following weekend, September 22nd at the parish or parish hall of your choice.

ASSUMPTION of Mary—Why was Mary's body received into heaven instead of remaining in the earth like the rest of mankind? The grave had no power over one who was immaculate. Her flesh could not see corruption. Her body had been overshadowed by the Holy Ghost; it had been the sacred temple in which had dwelt God Incarnate, and so it had a claim to ascend whether the body of her Son had already gone before. But the chief reason was that, as she had shared in each detail in the sorrows and agony of her Son, so it was right that she should take part in His triumph. To her it was due that she should without delay enter into the joy of her Lord, her Son, her God. O happy Mary! What were all her dolours compared with the joy of that first moment in heaven! How light are all our sorrows compared with the eternal weight of glory prepared for us!

"Don't be discouraged. It is often the last key in the bunch that opens the lock." -Unknown