



ST. LAWRENCE CATHOLIC CHURCH



MASS INTENTIONS:

9/26/20 Sat. 4:00pm +Evelyn Ford (Jerry & Karen Grubbs)
 9/27/20 Sun. 10:00am +Frank Mahoney (Nancy Mahoney, Amy Wren & Family, Donnie Mahoney & Family)
 9/28/20 Mon. No Mass
 9/29/20 Tues. 6:30pm +Mary Lou Smolik (The Soto Family)
 +Glenn Burkhardt (Mike & Kelly Myers)
 Hailey Ilibasic-Health & Healing (Mike & Kelly Myers)
 9/30/20 Wed. 7:30am +Bill Hollmeyer (Rodney & Sharon Ford)
 +Alice Jirmasek (Rodney & Sharon Ford)
 10/1/20 Thurs. 7:30am +Jacob Pantaleone (Matt & Delores Pantaleone)
 +Janis Winchell (Bruce & Deb Tjelle)
 10/2/20 Fri. No Mass
 10/3/20 Sat. 4:00pm +Cyril Finn (Ed Finn)
 10/4/20 Sun. 10:00am +Mary Kaye Yatuni (Judy McElroy & Family)

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	Greeter	Usher
9/26 Sat. 4pm	T. Peterson	Ford	Residori/Phillips
9/27 Sun. 10am	M. Pfeifer	Holohan	Chase/Pfeifer
10/3 Sat. 4pm	A. Wargo	Ford	Residori/Perkins
10/4 Sun. 10am	M. Pfeifer	Chase	Chase/Pfeifer

Holy Father's Intention for the month of October:

General Intention: The Laity's Mission in the Church. That by the virtue of baptism, the laity, especially women, may participate more in areas of responsibility in the Church.



Weekly Income:
Sunday Collection \$ 994.00
Children Envelopes \$ 0
Improvement \$ 285.00
Thank you! Your support is appreciated.

To donate **online please go to www.dioceseofjoliet.org** and select Donate (green button) then select Universal Offertory Giving. To be of assistance, the Diocese has set up a universal offertory fund for any Diocese of Joliet parish. All monies will be directed to the parish of your choice. Thank you.

Parish Staff:

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Hall Rentals - Call the Office

Mass Schedule:

Sat. - 4:00pm
 Sun. - 10:00am
 Tues. 6:30pm
 Wed. & Thurs. - 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!

FROM AROUND THE PARISH

Baptism- Congratulations to the parents & family of Magdalena Zofia Kaczmarzyk who received the Sacrament of Baptism. May God always hold her in the Palm of His Hands!

Natural Disasters Collection-This weekend, September 26/27th, we will be taking up a collection for the natural disasters relief efforts that have been experienced in the United States recently. If you feel comfortable giving what you can, your contributions are very welcome. Please place your donation in an envelope marked "Natural Disasters". Thank you to our parishioners who have continued to support the Church and her charitable efforts during the time of this pandemic.

Thank you to the volunteers who gave their time to help out at the Catholic Charities Mobile Food Truck last Monday. We assisted **115** families with food. Thank you to the NHS Students for helping. We really appreciate your assistance. The next Mobile Food Truck will be coming October 19th at 4pm.

RE Update-Our next Virtual RE session will be October 4th. Online registration will stay open though September 30th. Visit our website for more information.

St. Lawrence Parish and the Diocese of Joliet are overjoyed to invite all the people of the Diocese of Joliet and throughout the Church to join us in celebrating the installation of our new bishop, Most Reverend Ronald A. Hicks, later this month. On the eve of the Installation, Bishop Hicks will join our priests for a **Vespers Service of Welcome** at the Cathedral of St. Raymond Nonnatus. This will begin at **7:00 p.m. on Monday, September 28, 2020**. Bishop Hicks will be installed as the sixth Bishop of Joliet by the Apostolic Nuncio to the United States, the Most Reverend Archbishop Christophe Pierre, on **Tuesday, September 29, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.** The **Installation Mass** will also take place at the Cathedral of St. Raymond Nonnatus. Due to the gathering limitations in place during COVID-19, participation will be by invitation only. **Both events will be livestreamed for all to join us virtually at <http://www.dioceseofjoliet.org/> or <http://www.youtube.com/DioceseofJolietLL>.** Bishop Hicks will begin his service to the Diocese of Joliet on Wednesday, September 30.

"Love Our Lady and make her loved; always recite the Rosary and recite it as often as possible."

— St. Padre Pio

News & Upcoming Events

R.C.A. Butter Braid Fundraiser-The Reddick Community Auxiliary (R.C.A.), a volunteer organization affiliated with the Reddick Firefighter's Association, is having their annual Butter Braid and Cookies Fundraiser. The R.C.A. is responsible for hosting a variety of community events as well as supporting the community's volunteer firefighters. The selection this year is as follows: **Butter Braids** - Cream Cheese, Strawberry Cream Cheese, Blueberry Cream Cheese, Apple, Cinnamon, Bavarian Cream, Cherry, and Four Cheese and Herb with Marinara Sauce **Cookies** - Triple Chocolate, Classic Chocolate Chip, Cranberry Oatmeal Medley, Peanut Butter Perfection, Snickerdoodle, and Sweet Macadamia Nut **Cinnamon Rolls** and **Caramel Rolls** are also available. **Cost: \$15.00 (All to be delivered before the holidays!)** Please see one of the following members if you are interested in ordering: Rosemary Brooks, Jane Arends, Kelli Joyce, Gail Joyce or call 815-365-4489 to place an order. Thank you for your ongoing support for our organization!

If you would like a Missalette to use at Mass, please don't hesitate to ask one of the greeters or ushers for one. Once you have received your Missalette, please know that it will be your responsibility to take it home with you after Mass and bring it back for your own personal use each week. Missalettes are not to be returned after Mass or left in the pews from one week to the next, due to Covid 19 restrictions. Thank you!

The Word of Life-"Suicidal individuals—with or without a terminal illness—typically do not want to die... The patient requesting assisted suicide is often asking, 'Does anyone want me to be alive, or care enough to talk me out of this request and support me through this difficult time?'" USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "Every Suicide is Tragic"

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 27 Sept 2020
 Ezekiel 18:25-28. Psalm 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9. Philippians 2:1-11. Matthew 21:28-32.

I Don't Want To! Sometimes we bristle at being told what to do. We may say a yes or a no, then do something else. The demands of Christian living are not easy. But we look to Jesus for guidance, for encouragement, for example. Reread Philippians all week. It is a longer version of what we heard on Palm Sunday. It urges us to be like Christ.

- What attitude-adjustment do I need to be more like Christ?
- What will I do to be more compassionate and merciful?
- What interest of another will be important to me this week?