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**Office Hours: 9-1 Monday -Friday**  
**(Due to the Pandemic our office is open by appointment only at this time).**

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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!

ST. LAWRENCE CATHOLIC CHURCH



**MASS INTENTIONS:**

5/29/21 Sat. 4:00pm Parishioners  
 5/30/21 Sun. 10:00am +Merrill Harvey (Jim & Diane Hibler)

5/31/21 Mon. No Mass  
 6/01/21 Tues. 6:30pm Duane & Donna Lewis—Health & Blessings  
 +Pat Kiska (Rich & Thalia Wilson)

6/02/21 Wed. 7:30am +Constantine Family  
 6/03/21 Thurs. 7:30am +Mary Maher (David & Sara Wollgast) AND  
 +Mildred Dinelli (David & Sara Wollgast)

6/04/21 Fri. No Mass  
 6/05/21 Sat. 4:00pm +Mary & Joe Bacigalupo (Bill Bacigalupo)  
 6/06/21 Sun. 10:00am +Peter J. Schultz (Cindy, Kailyn & Chelsea)

**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	Greeters	Ushers
5/29 Sat. 4pm	T. Peterson	Homerding/Lutz	Residori
5/30 Sun. 10am	T. Staab	Pfeifer/Chase	Pfeifer
6/05 Sat. 4pm	A. Wargo	Homerding/Ford	Residori
6/06 Sun. 10am	T. Staab	Himes/Himes	Himes

**Holy Father's Intention for the month of June:**

*General Intention:* The beauty of marriage. Let us pray for young people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a Christian community: may they grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness and patience.



**Weekly Income:**  
**Sunday Collection \$ 972.00**  
**Improvement Collection \$ 50.00**

**Thank you! Your support is appreciated!**

To donate **online please go to [www.dioceseofjoliet.org](http://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.

FROM AROUND THE PARISH

**Congratulations** to Emmy May Thompson, our newest member Baptized into God's family. Congratulations to the parents, Bradley & Ainsley.



The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity -May 30, 2021  
**“The Feast of the Most Holy Trinity leads us to contemplate the mystery of God who unceasingly creates, redeems and sanctifies, always with love and through love.”—Pope Francis, May 27, 2018**

The mystery of the Holy Trinity is the central mystery of the Christian faith and life. God reveals himself as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. The doctrine of the Trinity includes three truths of faith.

First, the Trinity is One. We do not speak of three gods but of one God. Each of the Persons is fully God. They are a unity of Persons in one divine nature.

Second, the Divine Persons are distinct from each other. Father, Son, and Spirit are not three appearances or modes of God, but three identifiable persons, each fully God in a way distinct from the others.

Third, the Divine Persons are in relation to each other. The distinction of each is understood only in reference to the others. The Father cannot be the Father without the Son, nor can the Son be the Son without the Father. The Holy Spirit is related to the Father and the Son who both send him forth.

All Christians are baptized in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. The Trinity illumines all the other mysteries of faith.

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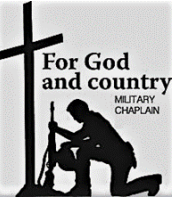
If you would like a Missalette to use at Mass, please don't hesitate to ask one of the greeters or ushers for one. Once you have received your Missalette, please know that it will be your responsibility to take it home with you after Mass and bring it back for your own personal use each week. Missalettes 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 Parish Office is closed Monday, May 31st. Have a safe and Happy Memorial Day!

News & Upcoming Events

**Pass the Helmet!**

The Knights of Columbus are collecting donations at St. Lawrence on the weekend of June 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> to benefit Seminarians at the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA. The Archdiocese of the Military serves 220 installations in 29 countries around the world, our wounded men and women in 153 Veteran Medical Centers, and federal employees who are currently serving outside the U.S. in 134 countries. The Priests of the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA serve more than 1.8 MILLION men, women and children! Like all diocese there is a shortage and dire need for priests. Currently there are only 210 active duty priests to fill the 800 chaplain positions. Many dioceses around the country provide priests on temporary assignments to fill some of chaplain positions, but there is still a great need. We take great pride in supporting the men and women who are continually sacrificing themselves to sustain our freedom, but how often do we consider the Chaplains who are providing the most essential services to those serving us? Learn more about our Military Chaplains at [www.milarch.org](http://www.milarch.org)



Still needing your COVID-19 vaccine? Visit [www.grundyhealth.com](http://www.grundyhealth.com) or call 815-941-3404 at the start of each week to learn of available appointments for Grundy residents.

*Help yourself and God will help you. -St. Joan of Arc*

**Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity – 30 May 2021**

Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40. Psalm 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20, 22. Romans 8:14-17. Matthew 28:16-20.

**Go!** In Matthew's gospel, the last words of Jesus to the disciples before ascending have three key elements: go, baptize, I'm with you. Therefore, living after the resurrection of Jesus means three things. (1) Do not stay where it is safe; shed your doubt; go everywhere to everyone. (2) Baptizing into and teaching about resurrected life go together. That is why the baptismal catechumenate (RCIA) always spends so much time and effort in formation before an Easter Vigil. Time with parents and their babies, too. (3) We are not alone. Matthew ends with Jesus declaring, "I am with you always" just as this gospel began with the Virgin's birth of Emmanuel (God is with us).

- What doubt do I have about God, about belief, about Church, about living in this world? Where can I turn?
- What ongoing formation in baptismal living do I need now?
- To whom am I called to "go" – someone to be with, to do for?