



ST. LAWRENCE CATHOLIC CHURCH

South Wilmington, IL



MASS INTENTIONS:

2/12/22 Sat. 4:00pm Parishioners
 2/13/22 Sun. 10:00am +Pete Schultz (Cindy, Kailyn & Chelsea)

2/14/22 Mon. No Mass
 2/15/22 Tues. 6:30pm +Todd Sandeno (Duane & Donna Lewis)
 +Ellen Romanetto (Jim & Joylene Fair)

2/16/22 Wed. 7:30am +Delores Mack (Sue Spreitzer)
 +Albert Doglio Sr. (Family)

2/17/22 Thurs. 7:30am +Tom Perkins (Ken Villiger)
 +Lucille Lenzie (Denis & Wanda Lardi)

2/18/22 Fri. No Mass
 2/19/22 Sat. 4:00pm +Lou & Jean Naretto (Denis & Wanda Lardi)
 2/20/22 Sun. 10:00am +Harry Wollgast (Dave & Debbie Wollgast)

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	Euch. Min.	Servers
2/12 Sat. 4pm	D. Wollgast	S. Myrick	K. & S. Scheuber
2/13 Sun. 10am	T. Staab	D. Pfeifer	L. & A. Staab
2/19 Sat. 4pm	C. Frobish	R. Chase	K. & R. Shute
2/20 Sun. 10am	D. Wollgast	L. Himes	M. & E. Simms

Holy Father's Intention for the month of February:

General Intention: For religious sisters and consecrated women. We pray for religious sisters and consecrated women; thanking them for their mission and their courage, may they continue to find new responses to the challenges of our times.



Weekly Income:

Sunday Collection \$ 2168.00
Improvement \$ 60.00

Thank you! Your support is appreciated!

Statement of Contributions-If you would like a statement of your contributions for 2021, please call the Parish Office 815-237-2230. Thank you!

Parish Staff:

Father Stanley Drewniak, *Pastor*
 Linette Hopwood, *Secretary*
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 Anne Simms & Tiffany Staab *CCD Directors*

Office Hours: 9-1 Monday -Friday

St. Lawrence Rectory (815) 237-2230
 Maria Hakey, *Bulletin* (815) 237-2230

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!

Funeral Dinner Co-Chairs for February
 Thalia Wilson 237-8595
 Janet Anderson 237-8545

FROM AROUND THE PARISH

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

Support the works of the Lord through the 2022 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal

-The 2022 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal (CMAA) is now underway, and we are asking everyone to pledge their support to this important effort for our diocese, and our parish. This year's CMAA theme, *Devoted to the Works of the Lord*, illustrates how the many ministries our annual appeal supports allow us to join together to do God's work throughout our diocese. From helping the poor and vulnerable to forming future priests and educating people of all ages in the faith, the ministries funded through your gifts are far more extensive than our parish could provide on its own. Our parish's goal for the 2022 CMAA is \$10,700, and 70 percent of any amount we raise over our goal will be returned to us. This is a great opportunity for our parish! Please review the materials and prayerfully reflect on your gift to this year's annual appeal. If you do not receive a CMAA mailing, please contact the parish office to request one.

Improvement Collection-Next weekend there will be a second collection for our monthly Improvements. Thank you for your generosity.



RE Save the Dates—
 Confirmation Retreat and Practice -Sat., March 12th.
 Confirmation -Wednesday, March 16th at 7:00pm.
 First Communion- Sunday, May 1st at 1:00pm.
 Last RE & May Crowning—May 1st.

"I love thee, O Lord, my strength. The Lord is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer, my God, my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield, and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold. I call upon the Lord, who is worthy to be praised, and I am saved from my enemies." -Psalm 18:1-3

News & Upcoming Events

Check out Bishop Hicks Column for February, Kindness: the antidote to a cold heart Visit www.dioceseofjolieta.org

Micro Pantry- will continue to remain open through the winter, but because the weather is colder, please avoid leaving glass jars or cans. Dry goods would be the best for the winter, such as Mac and cheese, cereal, boxed meals, dry soups, anything that will not freeze. The Micro Pantry is located on the corner by our Church. "Take what you need" and "Leave what you can". Free to those in need. Thank you!



Roses are red,
 Violets are blue,
 Somebody loves You,
 Here's a clue.

Read John 3:16

St. Valentine in the early centuries of Christianity, St. Valentine became the heavenly patron of teenagers and young people. In our country the traditional meaning has expanded to include all persons to whom a special affection is felt. Happy St. Valentine's Day!

Word of Life- "Married love differs from any other love in the world. By its nature, the love of husband and wife is so complete, so ordered to a lifetime of communion with God and each other, that it is open to creating a new human being they will love and care for together." USCCB, *Married Love and the Gift of Life*

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time - 13 February 2022

Jeremiah 17:5-8. Psalm 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6. 1 Corinthians 5:12, 16-20. Luke 6:7, 20-26.

Believing Justice and Mercy. In Luke's Sermon on the Plain, Jesus speaks to more than just his own people. We hear four **blesseds** and four related **woes**. He first calls all those in the crowd, and now calls us to rejoice and leap for joy at the blessed activities dealing with justice and mercy. The implication: do the **blesseds**; avoid the **woes**.

- How will I be just in dealing with others all week long?
- How will I be merciful to everyone just as God is merciful?
- What mercy work will I do? It will be _____ for _____.