



ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE PARISH

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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2023

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE



“Come, you who are blessed by my Father. Inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world.” - Mt 25:34

THE MISSION OF OUR PARISH

*As members of the Diocese of Joliet,
we are a faith community united in Christ
by a common bond to the universal
Catholic Church.*

*Our words and actions are a reflection of
Christ's presence among us.*

*We manifest God's Word through
active participation in spiritual, liturgical,
educational, service, and social ministries
directed at bringing all people to Christ.*

Please join us for:

*Masses at 8:00 a.m. on
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday*

*Communion Service at 8:00 a.m.
on Wednesday*

Rosary at 8:30 a.m. on Monday-Friday

*Individual Rite of Penance at 4:00 p.m. &
Mass at 5:00 p.m. on Saturday*

Sunday Masses at 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE PARISH DIRECTORY & INFORMATION

Rectory Office Hours: Monday through Thursday (8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.), Friday (8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.)

School Office Hours: Monday through Friday (8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.)

Website: st-phil.org

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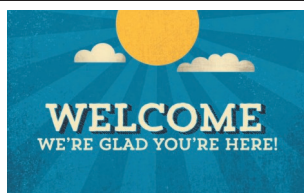
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***If you are a new visitor
to our church today,
welcome!***

***If you would like more
information about our
church or would like to***

***register in the parish, please contact any of the
staff members listed above or fill out a simple
online registration form at st-phil.org.***

PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENTS & BULLETIN DEADLINES

Parish staff reserves the right to accept/decline/edit
pulpit announcements and bulletin submissions.

Please submit pulpit announcements to Deacon Phil Heitz
(pheitz@st-phil.org; 630-628-0900 x104) no later than the
Thursday preceding the desired weekend.

Please send bulletin submissions to Cathy Jaskey
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to desired publication date.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 1:1-6, 8-20/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56/Lk 21:1-4
Tuesday: Dn 2:31-45/Dn 3:57, 58, 59, 60, 61/Lk 21:5-11
Wednesday: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28/Dn 3:62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67/Lk 21:12-19
Thursday: Rom 10:9-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 4:18-22
Friday: Dn 7:2-14/Dn 3:75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81/Lk 21:29-33
Saturday: Dn 7:15-27/Dn 3:82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87/Lk 21:34-36
Sunday: Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7/Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19 (4)/1 Cor 1:3-9/Mk 13:33-37

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR THE WEEK OF November 27 to December 3, 2023

Monday 11/27/23	8:00 a.m.-Mass (Church) 6:30 p.m.-Legion of Mary (Vesting Room) 7:00 p.m.-Discovering Christ Training (Room 1)
Tuesday 11/28/23	8:00 a.m.-Mass (Church) 7:00 p.m.-Contempo Choir Practice (Church)
Wednesday 11/29/23	8:00 a.m.-Communion Service (Church) 4:15 p.m.-RE Classes for Grades K-5 5:45 p.m.-RE Home Study Parent Meeting 6:45 p.m.-RE Classes for Grades 6-8
Thursday 11/30/23	8:00 a.m.-Mass (Church) 9:00 a.m.-Art & Environment (Church) 3:00 p.m.-School Children's Choir Practice (Church) 6:30 p.m.-School First Reconciliation (Church)
Friday 12/1/23	8:00 a.m.-School Mass (Church)
Saturday 12/2/23	<i>Craft Show & Bake Sale 9:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.</i> 9:00 a.m.-RE First Reconciliation (Church) 10:00 a.m.-Art & Environment (Church) 4:00 p.m.-Confessions (Church) 5:00 p.m.-Mass (Church)
Sunday 12/3/23	<i>Craft Show & Bake Sale 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.</i> 8:00 a.m.-Mass with Traditional Choir (Church) 9:00 a.m.-OCIA (Room 1) 10:00 a.m.-Mass (Church)

**PLEASE JOIN US FOR
A NIGHT IN
HOLLYWOOD**

**St. Philip
Gala
2024**

RAFFLES **OPEN BAR** **SILENT AUCTION** **DINNER AND DANCING**

February 2nd, 2024 at 6:00 pm
Empress Banquets

**Purchase your ticket or table before December 14, 2023
for \$100/ticket! After this date tickets \$120/person.**

In our celebration of the Eucharistic Revival, St. Philip the Apostle Parish is presenting an
Advent Mission with Fr. John Kartje,
 Rector and president of Mundelein Seminary

"The Eucharist: Source, Summit and Empowerment of Our Lives"
 December 10, 11 and 12 at 7 PM each evening.



Father John Kartje was appointed as rector/president of the University of Saint Mary of the Lake/Mundelein Seminary in 2015. A native of East Chicago, Indiana, Father Kartje was ordained a priest of the Archdiocese of Chicago in 2002. He earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Mathematics and a Bachelor of Science degree in Physics in 1987 from the University of Chicago. In 1995, the University of Chicago's Department of Astronomy and Astrophysics conferred a Ph.D. degree on Father Kartje. In addition, he earned a Doctorate in Sacred Theology from the Catholic University of America's Department of Biblical Studies in 2010.

Opening Liturgy Livestream

Watch the Opening Liturgy from the Cathedral of St. Raymond Nonnatus at 6 p.m. on Monday, December 11, 2023.



YouTube channel
youtube.com/c/
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75th Anniversary Series

Faith into Action

Sponsored by the
Diocese of Joliet

Podcast

The 75th Anniversary podcast series launched in November; new episodes will be released the first Monday of each month. Watch on YouTube or listen on your favorite podcast platform (search "Faith Into Action"):



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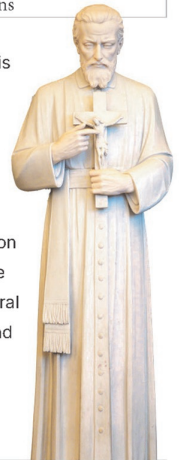
COMMEMORATING 75 YEARS OF CATECHESIS,
EVANGELIZATION AND SERVICE

75th Anniversary Timeline

Visit diojoliet.org/75th
for the full list of events and activities
surrounding the 75th anniversary



DATE	EVENT	LOCATION	DETAILS
November 6, 2023	Episode 1 podcast release	YouTube (Diocese of Joliet) and podcast platforms (Faith Into Action)	Guests: Bishop Hicks and Fr. Tom Paul
November 25–December 3, 2023	Novena of Grace	diojoliet.org/75th	Featuring excerpts from St. Francis Xavier letters and daily prayers/reflections
December 3, 2023 1 p.m.	Blessing and dedication of St. Francis Xavier statue	Blanchette Catholic Center, Crest Hill	The statue will serve as a constant reminder of the patron saint of our diocese, since its founding in 1948
December 4, 2023	Episode 2 podcast release	YouTube (Diocese of Joliet) and podcast platforms (Faith Into Action)	Facts about St. Francis Xavier
December 11, 2023 6 p.m.	Opening Liturgy	St. Raymond Nonnatus	Representatives from all parishes and religious institutions
January 1, 2024	Episode 3 podcast release	YouTube (Diocese of Joliet) and podcast platforms (Faith Into Action)	The St. Francis Xavier statue that will be dedicated on December 3 is modeled after the patron of the diocese in the Cathedral of St. Raymond Nonnatus
February 5, 2024	Episode 4 podcast release	YouTube (Diocese of Joliet) and podcast platforms (Faith Into Action)	
March 4, 2024	Episode 5 podcast release	YouTube (Diocese of Joliet) and podcast platforms (Faith Into Action)	
April 1, 2024	Episode 6 podcast release	YouTube (Diocese of Joliet) and podcast platforms (Faith Into Action)	
April 18, 2024	Theology on Tap	TBD	
May 6, 2024	Episode 7 podcast release	YouTube (Diocese of Joliet) and podcast platforms (Faith Into Action)	Featuring three newly ordained priests (Fr. Alex, Fr. Jared and Fr. Jeremy)
June 1, 2024	Steubenville Youth Event	Lewis University Register: https://bit.ly/3N44OTB	
June 3, 2024	Episode 8 podcast release	YouTube (Diocese of Joliet) and podcast platforms (Faith Into Action)	For parishioners in Ford, Grundy, Iroquois and Kankakee Counties
June 13, 2024	Theology on Tap	Blanchette Catholic Center, Crest Hill	
June 22, 2024 4 p.m.	Regional liturgy	Bishop McNamara High School, Kankakee	For parishioners in DuPage County
July 1, 2024	Episode 9 podcast release	YouTube (Diocese of Joliet) and podcast platforms (Faith Into Action)	
August 5, 2024	Episode 10 podcast release	YouTube (Diocese of Joliet) and podcast platforms (Faith Into Action)	For parishioners in Will and Kendall Counties
September 2, 2024	Episode 11 podcast release	YouTube (Diocese of Joliet) and podcast platforms (Faith Into Action)	
September 14, 2024 4 p.m.	Regional liturgy	Montini Catholic High School, Lombard	All parishes and various religious entities will be asked to celebrate a day of service
September 28, 2024 4 p.m.	Regional liturgy	Lewis University, Romeoville	
October 2024	Service Day	All parishes and various religious entities will be asked to celebrate a day of service	Featuring Bishop Hicks
October 7, 2024	Episode 12 podcast release	YouTube (Diocese of Joliet) and podcast platforms (Faith Into Action)	
October 24, 2024	Theology on Tap	TBD	
November 4, 2024	Episode 13 podcast release	YouTube (Diocese of Joliet) and podcast platforms (Faith Into Action)	
December 2, 2024	Episode 14 podcast release	YouTube (Diocese of Joliet) and podcast platforms (Faith Into Action)	Representatives from all parishes and religious institutions
December 8, 2024 4 p.m.	Closing Liturgy	St. Raymond Nonnatus	



Sunday November 26, 2023
Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

We have come to the end of another liturgical year. Before we jump too far into the freshness of Advent, let us pause and take stock of this past year of Christian living. Where did we encounter Christ? When did we act as Christ for another? In what ways did we succeed—and fall short—in answering the Christian call? Today's gospel reminds us of our core Christian practices: feeding the hungry, giving drink to the thirsty, welcoming the stranger, clothing the naked, caring for the sick, and visiting the imprisoned. Each of these actions makes the love of Christ known in the world. As we reflect back on the past year, may God draw our awareness to the people and places that benefited from our Christian practices and the areas in which we can grow in the year ahead.

When we envision royalty, we think of glamour and adventure, of triumph and power. Kings and queens are people set apart, people greater than others. In this gospel, Jesus offers us a radically different image. He comes in glory and power, yes, but underlying this is a radical solidarity with the least ones of his kingdom. Christ's power is used to encourage just and compassionate treatment of those we are all too quick to overlook: people who are poor, unfamiliar, and imprisoned. His power lies not primarily in shaming and banishing those who do not obey this command, but in his deep identification with those in need. We would probably claim that we would treat Jesus with the utmost respect, deserving of his unique place in the cosmic kingdom. Here he tells us, though, that we have opportunities to do so all the time. How we treat the least ones we encounter is how we treat Christ, our King.

Today's gospel paints a vivid picture of the end times. Over the past few weeks, we have heard Jesus preach about the ways we are to live as we await the coming of God's kingdom. Matthew leaves little to the imagination in this final scene. When the Son of Man comes in glory, we will be judged by how we treated the poor and the marginalized Christ in our midst. Caring for our neighbors in need is challenging work. How easy it is to walk by the person asking for grocery money or to keep at arm's length the immigrant family new to town. Yet easy is not the Christian way. Guided by the Holy Spirit, we can do the hard work of loving our neighbors. Source: Living Liturgy, Liturgical Press

2023 St. Philip the Apostle School presents

CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR and BAKE SALE



Crafts, jewelry, food, direct sales vendors, home decor, raffles, baked goods and So Much More!!

Saturday, Dec. 2
9 a.m. – 8 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 3
9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

45+ Vendors **School Fundraiser** **RAFFLE**

Admission: adults \$2, students & seniors \$1, children under 5 free

Free ample parking

For information contact Val Scocchitti at (773) 789-6669

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St. Philip the Apostle Catholic School

CURIOUS ABOUT THE MEANING OF YOUR LIFE?

Seek answers at Discovering Christ.
Tuesday Nights from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. in Room 1



A great (free) dinner



An engaging video message



Conversation about the message

Join us for Discovering Christ. Enjoy a free dinner, listen to a dynamic teaching, and join in a small group discussion about the meaning of life in Jesus Christ. Discovering Christ is a seven-week series from Tuesday, January 9 to February 20 at the St. Philip Parish Center. Also mark your calendars for a life-changing retreat on Sunday, February 11, 2024.

FOR MORE INFO & HOW TO REGISTER, VISIT ST-PHIL.ORG OR SCAN THE QR CODE:



Interested in joining the Knights of Columbus? Please call 708-415-7719 or visit <http://kofc650.org> for more information.



JULIE NOONAN
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With the first trimester over, the school year is well underway. There are so many exciting things happening at St. Philip the Apostle School!

The 7th and 8th grade girls volleyball team won the Championship for the Big West Volleyball League! We are so proud of their effort and talent!

Our third graders did a fantastic job dressing up as their chosen saint and presenting some information on them for our school Mass and again at a Sunday Mass.

Our second graders are preparing for the sacrament of Reconciliation and learning what it means to have their sins forgiven and to receive God's grace.

The Parent Association has hosted some wonderful events so far this year including a Halloween luncheon for the students, luncheons for the teachers and a Ladies' Day Out fashion show and brunch for the women of our parish. Planning for other events are underway including our largest fundraiser - the Hollywood Gala to be held on Friday, February 2nd at the Empress.

We are blessed to be part of St. Philip the Apostle School! It is a great place to learn, grow in faith and be part of an active Catholic community.



Left: 7th & 8th grade girls volleyball team after winning the Championship for the Big West Volleyball League
Right: 7th & 8th grade boys volleyball team after winning third place in their League.



Dine Out Addison

Monday, Nov. 27, 2023
3 – 8:30 p.m.



Dominick's Pizza & Pasta
139 St. Charles Road
Villa Park, IL
630-832-6929

This is a fundraiser for St. Philip the Apostle School in Addison.
20% will be donated back to St. Philip on all regular priced orders.



- Pick up, Delivery and limited Quick Service Dining – must mention St. Philip the Apostle School when ordering.
- If ordering online, please include "Dine & Donate for St. Philip's" in the order notes section. www.dominickspizza.net
- Not valid with specials or coupons



U.S. MARINE CORPS RESERVE

The St. Philip the Apostle Kindergarten class will be coordinating a Christmas Toy Collection with the U.S.M.C. Toys for Tots program. The children are excited to show their love, generous spirit, and sense of service by collecting a wondrous number of toys to help support families in need, particularly this year. We are encouraging fellow students and the parish community to participate in this important opportunity to share our blessings with those in need.

Thank you for your generous support!

WHAT: Toys for Tots - Please bring a new, unwrapped toy.

WHEN: Friday, December 8th from 7:30 – 8:00am

WHERE: School East entrance



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Hope your Thanksgiving Holiday was filled with God's blessing of family, friends, great memories, good food...oh yeah, football too!

There is a meeting for all Home School Families on Wednesday, November 29th from 5:45 to 6:45 p.m. Please meet in the room next to the Religious Education Office. Looking forward to hearing about the awesome things your children are learning from you. If you have any questions, please call me.

To Religious Education 2nd Grade Families, 1st Reconciliation is Saturday, December 2nd at 9:00 a.m. in the Church. Please come a little early so we can start promptly at 9:00 a.m. You will present your child to the priest before Reconciliation and then step back so your child has some privacy. It is recommended that you, as parents, also receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation as an example to your child of your faith in Jesus and the forgiveness that He gives each of us. Looking forward to celebrating the Sacrament of Reconciliation with all of you as we gather as one Community of Faith.

Thank you, Schubie

Family Connection to the Gospel

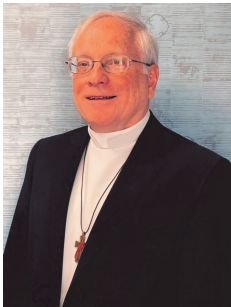
In today's Gospel, Jesus teaches us that we will be judged on only one thing: the acts of mercy we have shown to the least among us. Jesus identifies with the least ones; thus we serve Jesus whenever we serve one of the least ones. The Church calls the actions that Jesus described in today's Gospel the Corporal Works of Mercy. These works are to feed the hungry, to clothe the naked, to bury the dead, to shelter the homeless, to visit the sick and imprisoned, and to give alms to the poor. In these actions we show God's compassion and mercy to those in need.

As you gather as a family, recall the list of the Corporal Works of Mercy. Talk about some concrete examples of how your family might do these actions in your community and then discuss why it is important that we do these things. Read Matthew 25:31-46. Ask: Why does Jesus say we ought to do these works of mercy? (Because whenever we show mercy to another person, we show mercy to Jesus himself.) Choose one Corporal Work of Mercy that your family will act upon this week. Pray together that your family will see and serve Jesus in the least ones among us. Pray the Lord's Prayer or an Act of Love.

Act of Love Prayer

O my God, I love you above all things with my whole heart and soul, because you are all good and worthy of all my love. I love my neighbor as myself for the love of you. I forgive all who have injured me and I ask pardon of those whom I have injured. Amen.





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If Jesus was to return tomorrow to separate the sheep from the goats, in which group would you be? How effective have you been in living the Beatitudes? If we're candid with ourselves when answering those questions, we recognize we may be on somewhat shaky ground. By working together to become more effective disciples of Jesus, we can help each other better answer those questions.

We've been discussing for some weeks now how to become more intentional in our discipleship. Sherry Weddell in her book *Forming Intentional Disciples* has some interesting comments on discerning the charisms or gifts we each have received from the Holy Spirit. She notes it is critical to understand that charisms are given to all the baptized and not to a few extraordinary Christians.

We all need to be open to those gifts and utilize them. The charism of hospitality empowers us to be a generous channel of God's love by warmly welcoming and caring for those needing friendship (i.e. greeters). It also may extend to caring for those in need of food and shelter (i.e. St. Vincent DePaul Society).

The charism of mercy empowers us to be channels of God's love through practical deeds of compassion (i.e. minister to the sick or homebound). Charisms of evangelization or teaching may lead to volunteering to help with Religious Education, the OCIA program, or simply by no longer being afraid of discussing faith with others when the opportunity arises. The charism of intercessory prayer empowers the intense prayer of a Christian for others to be the means by which God's love and deliverance reaches those in need so we may grow in trusting God more (i.e. prayer and worship groups).

Intentional disciples need to change expectations. Catholics often don't expect to see God at work in others and in themselves. Weddell writes, "If we are going to seriously evangelize our own, we

Ministry Schedule for December 2 & 3, 2023		had better be prepared for the holy Spirit to do things in people's lives and in our parishes that are not part of our five-year plans...We have to expect and plan for conversion and the fruit of conversion...We have learned that in the absence of a discipleship-centered Christian community, even the most independent and committed Catholics cannot flourish, and they begin to wither – and even leave."
Saturday December 2 5:00 p.m.	Lector: Kristin Gross Extraordinary Ministers: Joanne Leone, Carol Cesario, Bonnie Daniello Altar Servers: Mason Lofton, Natale Panzeca Ushers: Michael Grigsby, Jim Panzarella, Mike Provinzino, Dave Schwichtenberg Celebrant: Fr. Binu Varghese	I sincerely want to thank all of you who have completed our Parish Survey. I intend to have all the data analyzed by the beginning of the New Year so I can report to you on your responses. In the meantime, let's all work on discerning our God-given talents and improve our discipleship. May God give you peace.
Sunday December 3 8:00 a.m.	Lector: Pamela Reith Extraordinary Ministers: Loy Gonzales, Myrna Gonzales, Ethan Fachet Altar Servers: Carli Fachet, Ryder Reyes Ushers: Janet Baier, Dan Fachet, Jack Ochocinski, one needed Celebrant: Fr. Binu Varghese	
Sunday December 3 10:00 a.m.	Lector: Valerie Kosinski Extraordinary Ministers: Nanette Truppa, Rich Truppa, Deacon Phil Heitz, Lilly Katavic Altar Servers: Bradley Tran, Bryce Tran Ushers: Angela Addante, Pat Corcione, Dave Marshall, Trinh Tran Celebrant: Fr. Binu Varghese	

**The St. Philip the Apostle
Parish Survey is available
online at
st-phil.org
or by scanning
the QR code:**



Thank you for your time and help



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Today we come to the last Sunday of the Liturgical Year as we celebrate Jesus Christ, The King of the Universe.

In the world's view of royalty we may think of a person set apart, being nobler than others, being separated from others. This sense of nobleness can give a sense of being aloof or in some cases as not caring. The separation by physical distance is for some good reasons such as security from those who may want to harm them, but can also be seen as a disconnection from the everyday lives of others.

Our King, Jesus Christ accepts all of us where we are and wants to have a relationship with all. Nothing of this world can separate us from the love of and relationship with Jesus. The only way not to encounter Him is to intentionally avoid Him. The incarnation of Christ enables us to relate to our God in all aspects of life because we walked the same life paths that we walk.

In today's gospel, we are told how we will be judged, how to be welcomed into eternal life, the life that is waiting for all of God's people. How we respond to the needs of others, do we act in the same manner as Jesus did when he was physically among the people of his time on earth?

At first glance this seems very doable, but when faced with the actual situation sometimes we turn away from doing as this passage states. This is usually caused by the uncertainty of our own ability to really be of assistance. In these moments, does our trust in God to give us the words or courage to be his presence to another. Relying on the Presence of our King who promised never to leave us can and will lead us to the eternal life he offers.

Being conscious of the needs of others and respecting their dignity as sons and daughters of God that we all hold in common can bring us to hearing those words of Jesus, "Come, you who are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world." Peace, Deacon Sean

Weekend Offertory for November 11/12, 2023

Actual Offertory: \$11,506

Budget Offertory: \$13,187

Favorable/(Unfavorable): (\$1,682)

Fiscal Year to Date - July 1, 2023, to June 30, 2024

Actual Offertory: \$237,586

Budget Offertory: \$263,742

Favorable/(Unfavorable): (\$26,156)

Fiscal Year to Date - Current Year Vs. Prior Year

Current Year to Date Offertory: \$237,586

Prior Year to Date Offertory: \$239,886

Favorable/(Unfavorable): (\$2,300)

Thank you for your generosity!



Sponsor an Individual or Family for Christmas

Catholic Charities is providing the opportunity for you to help their clients at Christmas this year. The Gift of Christmas is an annual program that fulfills wish lists for individuals who are served by Catholic Charities.

Read stories about clients and choose who you would like to help this Christmas. Or, if you prefer, you can direct your donation to an individual or family who hasn't been chosen yet.

Donating is simple: visit catholiccharitiesjoliet.org and click on "donate." Or, call 815-724-1140 to make your donation over the phone. To send a check, please note "Gift of Christmas" in the memo and send checks to: Catholic Charities, 16555 Weber Rd. Crest Hill, IL 60403 If you have any questions, please call 815-724-1140 or email msnow@cc-doj.org. Thank you, and God bless you! Merry Christmas!

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27

8:00 AM Miraculous Mary

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28

8:00 AM Carmella Cronin

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29

8:00 AM (Communion Service)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30

8:00 AM Marilyn Corrado

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1

8:00 AM Ann Panzeca

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2

4:00 PM **INDIVIDUAL RITE OF PENANCE**

5:00 PM **Anticipated Mass for Sunday**

Sandi Milazzo / Irene Scovill / Anton Sotak
John & Stella Kedvesh

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3

8:00 AM People of the Parish

10:00 AM Cathy Stokes / Geri O'Boyle
Michael Furio / Marie De Fazio / Chip O'Brien
Jack Glogowski / Francesco Savaglio
Harold & Ruth Stelzer / Marc Stolfe
Marianne Cairo / John Garrett



Let us remember in prayer
our deceased relatives,
friends, and parishioners,
especially:

Maria Komperda

Our sympathy to her friends and family.



Most people cannot go on pilgrimage
to Fatima, so Mary becomes a pilgrim
to your home. If you would like the
statue of Our Lady of Fatima to visit
your home please call

Peter 630-261-0926 or
Pam 630-674-0541

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*Please pray for our sick & shut-in and
those who are healing & convalescing...*



Jenny Bellezza,
Ray Bugielski,
Alison Carey,
Toni Cheloni,
Brian Cherry,
Tim Kullum Cherry,
Sylvia Culotta,
William Czerniak,
Jack D'Angelo, Rosanna DePinto, Michael
DeStefano, Leo Di Fazio, Todd Gardener,
Lucas Hameau, Anita Harshbarger, Tom
Hemstreet, Ifrena Holtz, Judy Jaskey, Zachary
Kasper, Joyce Klein, Kroll Family, Jim
Lamberti, Domenico Latrofa, Nicholas C.
LaValle, Shirley Legaspi, Janet Lombardi,
Sandra Lundgren, MacMillan Family, Diane
McLaren, Cindy Miles, JoAnne Moberg,
Rhodes Modelski, Vito Montana, Sam Mulay,
Geri Mulcahy, Avery Quarles, Cindy Reboletti,
John Rossi, Rita Seidl, John Silvestri, Bill
Slovik, Wanda Slupik, Josephine Smith, Louis
Sommese, Bella Sosa-Cortes, Mary Taschetta,
Raymond Troksa, Zarko Vecerkovic

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months unless a request is made for a perpetual listing.*

PRAY FOR OUR ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ MILITARY

*Please pray for all of our young men
and women currently serving in the
Armed Forces, especially:*

Richard Avila, Marines
Salvador Bonilla, Jr., Air Force
Elijah Burgins, Marines
Emiliano Carrazco, Marines
Kevin Catano, Marines
Steven J. DeMarco, Army
Matthew Deimling, Army
Jack Domek, Marines
Adam Dorney, Army
Samantha Fallon, Navy
Diego Feros, Army
Blaze Galaray, Air Force
Martin Garcia, Army
Mark Jastowski, Marines
Dylan Johnson, Army
José Juarez, Navy
Paul Keppler, Navy
Ben Krause, Marines
C. J. Loveland, Air Force
Trevor Martin, Marines

Kristofferson Marzo, Army
Andrew Maslanka, Army
Matthew Maslanka, Army
Anthony Milazzo, Navy
Ryan Mills, Air Force
Billy Moncatch, Marines
Jason Okara, Army
Enrique Ospina, Marines
Adam Ostrander, Navy
Cole Parent, Marines
Randall Petrbok, Air Force
James Roman, Marines
Ryan Ruizol, Navy
Andrew Tarchinski, Army
Patrick Tobias, Air Force
Isaiah Wuich, Marines

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Marriage Information: Please call the rectory to make arrangements at least six months (a year is preferred) in advance of the wedding date. It is recommended you do not rent reception facilities until your wedding date is confirmed with the pastor. Your preferred wedding date may be unavailable, and we do not want you to lose your deposit with the reception venue.

Parish Registration: New families are welcome and are asked to register at the rectory. Also, previously registered parishioners are asked to notify us of any address changes.

Emergency Sick or Anointing Calls: Please notify us immediately of any serious illness in your family. If you have a hospitalized loved one who would like a visit, please call the rectory with contact information since the hospitals and hospices no longer notify parishes. Please do not wait until the last minute to have someone anointed. There are always accidents/emergencies, but sometimes there is less panic when the anointing can be done prior to someone passing.

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