August 11, 2024

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

+Eucharistic Celebrations+

Saturday, August 10, 4:00pm at Holy Cross-Wendelin "Gerald, Steve, & Terry Geier+" "Kay Frohning+"

Sunday, August 11, 10:00am at Holy Cross-Wendelin "Jack & Lavera Bryan+"

Monday, August 12, 6:30pm at St. Joseph-Stringtown

Tuesday, August 13, 5:00pm at St. Lawrence-Lawrenceville

Wednesday, August 14, 8:05am at St. Joseph-Olney

St. Lawrence-Lawrenceville, 6:30pm

St. Joseph-Stringtown, 6:30pm

Thursday, August 15, 6:30pm at Holy Cross-Wendelin "For The Parish"

6:30pm at St. Joseph-Olney

Friday, August 16, 8:00am at St. Joseph-Olney Saturday, August 17, 4:00pm at Holy Cross-Wendelin "Francis & Hermina Zuber & Deceased

Family+

5:00pm at St. Joseph-Olney

Sunday, August 18, 10:00am at Holy Cross-Wendelin "Joan Rudolphi+" "Lowell & Hermina Buerster+"

8:00am at St. Joseph-Stringtown; 8:00am at St. Joseph-Olney; 10:00am at St. Lawrence-Lawrenceville

SUNDAY COLLECTION - Sun. August 4, 2024

(39) Envelope Collection: \$1,438.25 Loose: \$106.00 <u>Total: \$1,544.25</u> (15) Building Fund: \$750.00

(1) Rebuild: \$100.00

HOLY CROSS REBUILD & IMPROVEMENT

FUNDRAISING UPDATE: As of Wednesday, July 28th - **\$217,816.90** has been received from 260 donations – thank you!

AUGUST LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Open/Lock/Greet: Open/Lock/Greet:

Kelly & Sherry Eric & Kristi
Geier Sandschafer

SUNDAY

Eucharistic Ministers: Eucharistic Ministers:

Kathy Kuenstler
Martha Deimel
Emma Rudolphi
Lectors:
Maria Rudolphi
Robin Deckard

Money Counters:

David & Michelle Rauch

Ushers:	Ushers:
James Rudolphi	Eric Sandschafer
Kelly Geier	Victor Sandschafer
Hank Weidner	Ben Niebrugge
Tim Weidner	Jim Rauch

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS *OUR SICK

Devin Deisher, Carl Klingler, MaryAnn Bierman (Sister of Ruth Rauch), Mary Beth Scherer, Don & Norie Staley

CRMH COMMUNION:

SATURDAY

Aug. 18 – Lynn Weidner (618)-723-2426

Sept. 8 – Marge Kessler (618)-843-6841

Sept. 15 – Diane Schackmann (217)-343-6841

Sept. 29 – Sheryl Klingler (618)-843-3083

Oct. 13 – Diane Herdes (618)-723-2506 Oct. 20 – Ellen Weber (618)-752-5225

MASS SERVERS:

Sat. August 10 – Clara & Boyd Weidner Sun. August 11 – Karly & Ethan Deckard Sat. August 17 – Mattux Hart, Ian Kessler Sun. August 18 – Nora & Alex Street

PARISH EVENTS:

Tuesday, August 13 – ASAP Prayer Service and Adoration at St. Joseph-Stringtown, 9:30am. Eucharistic Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament of St. Joseph-Olney, 12pm-3pm

Women's Small Group, 6:30pm at Holy Cross Parish House

Wednesday, August 14 – Sisters in Christ at Holy Cross-Wendelin, 5:30pm

Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Vigil Mass

St. Lawrence, 6:30pm

St. Joseph-Stringtown, 6:30pm

Thursday, August 15 – Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Mass

St. Joseph-Olney, 6:30pm

Holy Cross-Wendelin, 6:30pm Brothers in Christ at Holy Cross-Wendelin, 7pm or Following Mass

YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY:

Meeting at the Holy Cross rectory on Monday's at 7pm. Anyone ages 18-30 are welcome to join! (No longer in high school to those around the age of 30!) If you are interested or have questions, please contact Tyler Timm at ttimm@stjoeolney.com or 507-530-2911.

WOMEN'S SMALL GROUP:

This group will be starting Tuesday, August 13th and will be in the rectory from 6:30-7:30pm. We will be reading Light of Assisi: The Story of St. Clare. Young women interested should contact Amy Sandschafer at 217-240-1599. Thank you!

CAROLINE TRIMBLE PASTORAL ASSOCIATE:

I am the Living Bread... whoever eats of this will live forever! The bread (manna) that those in exile ate was heavenly bread- so why did they die? They grumbled- they complained- they were not satisfied- appreciative or thankful! This will be our fate too- if we live with these characteristics. One cannot be grumbling- complaining- unappreciative and know God. This precious Bread from Heaven that gives Life in abundance must be adored-loved- valued. This precious Bread from Heaven- is our crucified-buried-resurrected-ascended GOD! It is alive- it gives Life- it provides Life Eternal! So let us, not be like the grumblers in the desert, but

joyous and grateful disciples of the One and True Lord. Journey onward and stay true to the journey of Living a Life of Love. Lady of Perpetual Help, pray for us!

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY:

Our deepest sympathy to the family of Mike & Sarah Stevens. Mike's father, Denny Stevens, died on July 25, 2024. Please keep the entire Stevens family in your prayers. *May Denny rest in God's love*.

MASS UPDATE: SEPTEMBER-DECEMBER

First Friday Masses at St. Joseph-Olney, 8:00am and First Saturday at Holy Cross-Wendelin, 9:00am with Confession beginning at 8:15am will continue. There will **NOT** be any other Friday morning masses during these months.

POST PICNIC HEAD OF STANDS MEETING:

The post picnic Heads of Stand meeting will be on Wednesday, August 28th at 6:45pm in the Rectory. Please contact a committee member if you can't make it, but have feedback or notes for us to help make Picnic 2025 even better!

THANK YOU:

On behalf of the Picnic Committee, we would like extend our most sincere thanks to all of you who supported us in any way possible. Thank you to everyone who donated items for all the stands, brought in the delicious desserts & cakes, provided monetary donations towards the hogs and various other items for picnic, and to all the workers! We couldn't have done it without each and every one of you & we hope that you know how thankful we are. -With many thanks, Picnic Committee 2024

THANK YOU TO COMMITTEE FROM TAYLOR:

Sending a big Thank You to the rest of the 2024 picnic committee! It was a lot of hard work with lots of hours put in & long days this past weekend, but we did it! I am very thankful for each of you &

for all that you did to make sure our parish picnic was a complete success! None of it went unnoticed & I am very appreciated of each one of you! -Sincerely, Taylor

PICNIC DINNER TICKETS:

There were 1048 adult dinner tickets and 80 kids tickets sold.

50/50 WINNERS:

1:00pm – Winner: Katlin Lidy \$827.00 3:00pm – Winner: Nicole Goff \$729.50 5:00pm – Winner: Michelle Kessler \$1,031.50 7:00pm – Winner: Jeremy Bergbower \$860.00

RAFFLE TICKET CONTEST:

First Place - \$75 - Bill Hinterscher, 192 books Second Place - \$50 - Clara Wilson, 92 books Third Place - \$25 - Doug Frohning, 51 books

FAMILY CATECHESIS REGISTRATION DUE:

Please register your family for the upcoming Family Catechesis year by August 5. We have a whole year planned with family prayer, activities, movie nights, CYM ministry nights, and so much more. Registration form is found on the parish website- look for the Family Catechesis tab. Continue to watch Flocknote, and the bulletin for upcoming schedule, and updates.

ST. JOSEPH OLNEY SCHOOL NEWS:

Monday, August 12 - Open House, 4-6pm; Confirmation meeting 5:30pm

Wednesday, August 14 - First Day of School K-8 Thursday, August 15 - First Day of Preschool Saturday, August 17 - Father Jerry 5K. Signup at https://runsignup.com/2024fj5k.

St. Joseph School has one opening for preschool 2024-25. Please contact the school office for more information.

An opportunity to support the St. Joseph School staff: We enjoy offering the staff a Joe's lunch once/month. If your family or business wants to sponsor the meal, you can simply write a check for the cost (approximately \$300) directly to the school so that you can use it as a charitable donation. Contact Carol Potter for more information.

OLNEY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:

4th Degree Meeting August 15 at 7:00 PM Mark your calendar August 18 is the Annual K of C Family BBQ!

CYM UPCOMING EVENTS:

Middle School Nights for 6th-8th Graders: Saturday, August 24th following Mass at St. Joseph Olney

2024 CATHOLIC SERVICE & MINISTRY APPEAL:

Serve the Lord with gladness -Psalm 100

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul truly serves the poorest of the poor through its Cosgrove's Soup Kitchen, SVDP Thrift Store, Help Center and Night Drop-In Center. Men, women and children are provided the basic necessities of life – food, clothing and shelter – and the hope and the tools they need for a better tomorrow. Help St. Vincent de Paul serve those who have no place else to turn. Please make your gift to The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal today.

PRECANA OPPORTUNITY:

Date: September 14, 2024 Where: St. Mary Immacualte Catholic Church (Fellowship room): 1550 Main Street, Mt. Vernon IL. 62864; Registration: 9:15 – 9:45; Start: 9:45 Close with 5:00 Mass. Cost: \$75.00 per couple. The cost includes materials, lunch and pizza (optional) after 5:00 Mass. To register: Contact Deacon Mark Kabat, 618-316-8027.

RESPECT LIFE CORNER:

"Although we may feel unsure how best to comfort those who mourn, we must stand with them in their time of suffering. Miscarriage touches the lives of many people, yet all too often this tragedy remains unaddressed. This lack of

response not only often leads to unresolved grief, but also fails to clearly manifest our belief that each person, from conception onward, is precious and unique."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "Solace and Strength in the Sorrow of Miscarriage" https://www.usccb.org/resources/solace-and-strength-sorrow-miscarriage

ST. JOSEPH SESQUINCENTENNIAL CELEBRATION:

Let's celebrate! Celebrate good times, come on!
One hundred fifty years and counting! The
celebration weekend is September 6th thru the 8th.
Everyone is invited to join in the celebration On
Friday, September 6th from 6 until 11 PM and on
Saturday, September 7th from 1 until 11 PM at St.
Joseph's Church grounds at Island Grove. Come to
enjoy fellowship with food, live music, soft drinks,
beer, bounce house all on Friday. Then, add yard
games, quilts, church & rectory tours, bingo,
antique tractors, Corn hole tourney, Commode
races, beard/dress contest and Spark Show to that
on Saturday. Representative Adam Niemerg will
present a Resolution from the State of Illinois at 1
PM on Saturday.

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Look to your covenant, O Lord, and forget not the life of your poor ones for ever. Arise, O God, and defend your cause, and forget not the cries of those who seek you.



Holy Cross Church-Wendelin 5782 Ingraham Lane, Newton, IL 62448 Website - - www.holycrosswendelin.com Mass Schedule: Thurs., 6:30pm

Saturday 4:00pm, Sunday 10:00am
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**Ashley Hinterscher – Administrative Assistant

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Edwards, Kelly Geier, Tonya Hall, Tammy Rudolphi, Holly Nettleton, Dusty Smithenry