



ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH

~ *St. Charles Borromeo, Haiti, Sister Parish* ~

THE LOVE OF CHRIST IMPELS US TO BE
A UNITED PEOPLE TO SERVE OUR GOD

February 14, 2021



6th

SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

A leper came to Jesus and kneeling down begged him and said, "If you wish, you can make me clean." Moved with pity, he stretched out his hand, touched him, and said to him, "I do will it. Be made clean." - Mk 1:40-41

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MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday : 4:00 pm & 5:30 pm
Sunday: 7:00 am, 8:30 am
10:00 am

DAILY MASSES

Mon.—Fri: 7:00 am
T & Th: 8:20 am School Mass

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:00-until all are heard
OR Anytime by appointment

Our Mission

Embrace the God who loves you;
Engage in our community that
journeys with you;
Serve the world that needs you.
This is the heart and soul of what
we are about as faithful followers of
Jesus Christ at St. Paul Parish in
Highland, Illinois.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday:
8:00 am—4:30 pm
Friday: 8:00 am—3:00 pm

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Fr. Pat's Pen

Fr. Pat Jakel, Pastor



ASH WEDNESDAY MASSES - FEB. 17 7:00am, 8:20am, 9:20am, 6:30pm

DISTRIBUTION OF ASHES this year can be sprinkled on the crown of your head (a long standing tradition in the Catholic Church) as a Covid 19 precaution or, be imposed on the forehead as is our custom, if you are comfortable with that. We will have several stations for ashes on the forehead and one station for sprinkling ashes on top of heads. You choose!



LENTEN EVENTS:

- ◆ Extra Wednesday Mass at 6:30pm with Adoration and Benediction to follow, including Confessions.
- ◆ Friday, 7:00am Mass, with Adoration until 11:00am.
- ◆ Stations of the Cross on Fridays at 2:30pm and 6:30pm

PARISH TITHING VS. ACSA (Annual Catholic Services Appeal) In October of last year every parish household received a letter from Bishop Paprocki requesting donations to the "Parish Tithing Appeal." This caused confusion among parishioners throughout the Diocese. **This appeal IS the same as the Annual Catholic Services Appeal.** Due to this confusion our parishioners have contributed \$18,919.50 to the appeal, while last year at this time our gifts to the appeal were at \$38,464. While many families can give more, and certainly have in the past, if each household contributed \$100, we would come very close to reaching our goal of **\$110,387**. You will be receiving a second letter from Bishop Paprocki soon, asking for your generous gift. Thank you for helping!



"RECEIVE JESUS INTO YOUR HEART"

Bishop Paprocki has requested that this be the norm from now on; to replace the blessing of those who are now receiving a blessing as they come forward in the Communion Procession; those not receiving Holy Communion.

Basically, the Bishop informs us that the blessing during Mass comes at the very end, not any other time during the Mass. So, the priests, deacon and extra-ordinary ministers of Holy Communion will now say these words instead of offering a blessing, with a cross on the forehead. Please be mindful of this change.

In the love of Christ, Fr. Pat

CAMPUS GROWTH & CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

The campus growth team continues daily meetings, to the point of finalizing several critical pieces of our campus build. We are at the point of eliminating some wants, for we must consider the amount of pledges that have been made and what funding we are anticipating. For those who are still praying and considering a pledge after we start our construction, it will be too late to affect the decisions we are facing **NOW**.



!!!Faithful Volunteers Reupholstered 155 Chairs!!!

Missing: Jim & Suzie Gallatin, Joan Wilkinson

We are in urgent need of your commitment as soon as possible. Due to Covid-19, building materials and maintenance costs are skyrocketing! Please join the many parish families who have pledged, and are contributing to that pledge, to insure the future and growth of St. Paul Parish.

For those of us who are in our third year of pledge payments, some may be able to pay this year forward. By fulfilling your commitment for 2021, you will aid us in our funds received, which allows us to fund projects right now. Pray on this: Any amount will support the parish campus build.
\$5 a week x 52 weeks = \$260 x 3 years = \$ 780
\$10 a week x 52 weeks = \$520 x 3 years = \$ 1560
\$50 a month x 12 months = \$600 x 3 years = \$1800
\$100 a month x 12 months = \$1200 x 3 years = \$3600

Recently a parishioner reminded me that a bequest inside a personal will is certainly an option to help with the future needs of our parish. We have approached the diocese to consider a loan to cover the short fall of our campaign. If the parish has knowledge of a bequest to the parish, this will reassure us that we have the funds we need to make the right decisions for the future with the funds you are entrusting to us.

Jacksonville Stained Glass company will return the middle of February to complete the upper windows and start installing the lower windows. The parish continues to get compliments on these beautiful life images of St. Paul.

While doing my campaign contacts, I received requests from so many willing parish families that wanted to know how they could help with our campus build. Of course, I reviewed the options with them for making a pledge or contribution to the campaign. This made the family visits rewarding.

However, there were some disappointing comments, very few of which I will add here. The most disconcerting response was that, a parishioner did not like something that took place years ago and made them unhappy. Several times I heard the comment, "I will contribute to the school but would not direct my money to the new campus build". I feel some of those comments could be construed as excuses. **Our school, church, parish staff/parish life center is our parish, for ALL of us, including the school!** Please put your grievances aside and be a supportive part of one parish family.

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Matthew 18: 21-22 Then Peter approaching asked him, "Lord, if my brother sins against me, how often must I forgive him? As many as seven times?" Jesus answered, "I say to you, not seven times but seventy-seven times."

Let the past go, forgive, and share Our Lord's love and gifts that He has given you, with your parish family.

Please continue to pray for the Campus Growth Team as we make difficult decisions in the coming months, and make every effort to support our campaign of *Growing Our Family, Growing Our Faith*.

We cannot let up; we are so close! Those who have yet to support our efforts on behalf of the parish, please join us, as this parish serves us all. **WE NEED YOU!**

WILL YOU SHARE YOUR FAITH WITH YOUR PARISH FAMILY?

Sincerely, Terry Zeisset,
Capital Growth Chairman



Business Office

Dineen Czar
Executive Manager



Laurie Scott
Accountant

From Dineen: Our Parish Tithing Appeal (formerly the Annual Catholic Services Appeal or "ACSA") is currently underway. This year our goal is \$110,387. This is the first year that the Diocese has instituted its new method of calculation. To date we have received \$18,919.50, leaving St. Paul with a current shortfall of \$91,467.50. Thank you to all who have so generously contributed to this appeal and for being a living example of your Christian faith. Shine on!!



From Laurie: We are currently working on our annual Safety Audit report for the Diocese, which requires us to ensure all St. Paul volunteers are in compliance with Protecting God's Children training and updated background check requirements. While the PGC training is required to be taken only once, background checks expire every 5 years. After sending numerous communications, we still have nearly 100 parishioners who need to complete background checks. If you have received a notification, please complete the background check form, and return it to me at the Parish Office as soon as possible. Forms may be hand delivered or mailed to my attention at the St. Paul Parish Office (1412 Ninth Street, Highland, IL 62249), or may be emailed to me at lscott@stpaulhighland.org. Please note that we will be required to remove you from your ministry without a current background check on file. Thank you for your cooperation and for all the volunteer hours that you give to our Parish; we couldn't operate without you!!

The 2021 Catholic Times collection is now underway, with our assessment being \$15,240. Each family is asked to make a one-time \$15 donation for their annual Catholic Times subscription by the end of March. As always, thank you for your generous support!

MEETINGS CAN RESUME!

A step in the right direction...let's pray that it stays that way! Based on the positive direction that we are headed in our area, the reduced number of new Covid cases in our area, and our own good safety measures, we have reached a point that we can open back up for small meetings and gatherings. The guidelines for those meetings and gatherings will be:

- ◆ Social distancing measures must be followed
- ◆ Facemasks must be worn if participants will come within 6 ft. of each other for more than 15 minutes
- ◆ Groups must be 50 attendees or less
- ◆ Spaces that are used must be completely disinfected
- ◆ As always, all meetings must be scheduled through the parish office

Please call the parish office with any questions.

Financial Stewardship February 7, 2021

WEEKLY REPORT FOR:	FEB. 7, 2021
PARISH SUPPORT	
Church Envelopes	\$15,951
Online Giving	5,726
Loose Collection	230
Repairs & Maintenance	807
Children's Collection	34
TOTAL PARISH SUPPORT	\$22,748
NEEDED FOR BUDGET WEEKLY	\$20,510

OTHER COLLECTIONS

Sister Parish	\$1,095
St. Vincent dePaul	635
Catholic Times	335
Church in Latin America	87
Church in Cen/Eastern Europe	65
Catholic Charities	121
TOTAL OTHER COLLECTIONS	\$2,338
TOTAL SUPPORT	\$25,086

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE

WEEKLY REPORT FOR:	FEB. 7, 2021
CAPITAL CAMPAIGN	
TOTAL CAMPAIGN GOAL	\$7,500,000
Pledged (incl. non-pledged contributions)	\$6,595,550
Received	\$4,538,215
Expenditures:	
Capital Campaign Expense	334,870
Phase 1 (School West Wing Reno)	621,489
Phase 2 (Parish Center & Gym AC)	224,119
Phase 2.5 (Windows, Ramp, Auto Doors)	317,757
Phase 3 (New Bldg. & Church Reno.)	197,593
Total Expenditures	\$1,695,828



2020 contribution statements were e-mailed to all parishioners with an e-mail address on file with the Parish Office. **(Please be sure to check your junk and spam folders, if you do not see it in your Inbox.)** Hard copy contribution statements were mailed via the Post Office to everyone who does not have an e-mail address on file and to those who requested that a hard copy be mailed to them. **Please contact the Parish Office if you have not received your statement by February 1st.** Thank you!



St. Paul Catholic School

Haidee Todora
Principal



St. Paul student wins **First Place** in National 'Keep Christ in Christmas' contest

Camille Winkler, a 3rd grader at St. Paul School won 1st place in the "Keep Christ in the Christmas" poster contest sponsored by the Catholic War Veterans of the United States.

"We were surprised and truly honored to hear that one of our St. Paul School students was the winner of the 'Keep Christ is Christmas' poster contest," said Haidee Todora, the principal. "Camille is an amazing student, and we are excited that she had this opportunity to be recognized for her talents. We are all very proud of her!"

The first-place prize included a certificate for the school, a gold medal, and \$100. Second- and third-place winners were in Ohio.



Caption: Camille Winkler's picture that won her first place in the "Keep Christ in Christmas" poster contest sponsored by the Catholic War Veterans of the United States.

Congrats to Wilson and Brock



Congratulations to St. Paul School 6th grader, Wilson B. (runner-up) and 8th grader, Brock H. (third place) for placing at this year's Spelling Bee contest held at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Sunday, February 7th.

Way To Go!

Nine students from St. Paul School participated.



Caption: Members of the Catholic War Veterans of the United States praise the picture drawn by Camille Winkler (center) during a visit to St. Paul Catholic School in Highland.

Congratulations



ST. PAUL CATHOLIC SCHOOL

PRESCHOOL ▪ JUNIOR KINDERGARTEN ▪ KINDERGARTEN
3-Year-Old & 4-Year-Old Preschool

As students learn to interact with other students their age in a classroom environment, social skills are a big part of the curriculum. Fine motor and gross motor activities are reinforced, along with foundation principles of academics.

- ✚ Our three-year-old preschool offers three options for parents: three half days (M,W,F), three full-days (M,W,F), or five full days per week.
- ✚ Our four-year-old preschool offers three options: three half days (M,W,F) and three full days, (M,W,F).
- ✚ Three-day preschool programs are the perfect alternatives for students who need some time in a classroom situation, but are not quite ready for five full days of school.

ENROLLING NOW FOR FALL 2021

4-Year-Old Junior Kindergarten

Our four-year-old Junior Kindergarten program is a five full day option for children who are ready for the challenges of a full week schedule. Junior Kindergarten is a perfect program for students with a late birthday that are too young for Kindergarten, but are ready for more academic skills within a structured environment.

Kindergarten

Our goal for St. Paul Kindergarten is to enhance learning, foster a healthy self-esteem, and develop creative individuals and problem solvers in a faith-filled environment. Kindergarten students need many opportunities for hands-on learning. By the age of five, many children are ready to be introduced to new skills, work habits, and concepts that are the building blocks for future success in school and in life.

Registration begins February 1st! To learn more about our programs, please visit our website at www.stpaulhighland.org and take a virtual tour of our classrooms. To schedule a private tour, please contact the school office at 654-7525. Students must be age eligible by September 1st of the current school year.



Relevant Pregnancy Center Banquet

This past year has been full of many challenges and it is continuing into the new year. **Due to COVID 19 WE ARE UABLE to hold our annual Celebration of Life Banquet, our**

largest fundraiser of the year. Abortions continue to rise in our state. Granite City alone does 3,000 abortions a year. With your continual support we can reach more women and men facing an abortion decision. Your support can help keep this vision alive.

PLEASE, if you can support this wonderful cause of a one time donation or a monthly pledge by March 30th to help reach our goal, it would be greatly appreciated.

All donations are tax deductible. You can give in person, by mail (Relevant Center 2653 Plaza Dr., Highland, IL 62249), or electronically, go to IMPACTRELEVANT.ORG CLICK ON DONATE, INSTRUCTIONS ARE ENCLOSED ON THE FORM.

Check out our testimonies tab and see the effect the Relevant continues to make. If you have any questions please feel free to give me a call Pat Korte 618-920-7088. Thanks so much!!!

tinysaints.com

"The Mission Camp team at Fr. McGivney Catholic High School is raising money for their Summer '21 mission by partnering with Tiny Saints, an organization that sells mini keychain-sized saints. From February 1-28, 25% of all purchases are donated directly towards the costs needed to participate in the mission trip! Shop at tinysaints.com and click on "Fr McGivney" to direct your proceeds to our team!"



Knights of Columbus Lenten Drive-Thru Fish Fry

Ash Wednesday and Every Friday through Lent

Drive-Thru and Pick up at first west door 4 p.m. to 7.00 p.m.

2 Dinners offered:

- 3 Piece Fried Cod, French Fries, Coleslaw & Baked Beans OR
- 3 Piece Baked Cod, Steamed Vegetables, Macaroni Salad & Coleslaw
(please no mix and match)

- Donation \$10.00 Cash or Credit ▪



Drive-Through Chicken Dinner

Immaculate Conception Church, Pierron, IL
Sunday, March 7th

Served 11:00 am—5:00 pm
All Dinners—\$10

CLEAN UP CEMETERY...

Please remove all Christmas flowers and seasonal decorations at St. Joseph's Cemetery so we can get the grounds ready for spring clean-up.

Granite City 40 Days for Life Spring 2021 Campaign

This Lent join us in peaceful silent pray on the sidewalk at the Granite City Abortion facility. Be the visible sign many women are looking for.

We have the opportunity to pray and fast for life. Ash Wednesday is the first day of our Spring campaign and runs through Palm Sunday. During Lent is a time to offer sacrifice and prayer. Praying in cold weather saves MORE LIVES! (According to the National 40 Days for Life podcast) Women see that you care enough to be out there.

Have questions? Come to our **Informational Meeting** on Thursday, February 4 at 6:30pm at Abundant Life Community Church, 3986 Humbert Road, Alton, Illinois 62002. Email vigil@40daysgc.com to register. Meeting will be in person and offered virtually.

Want to Adopt a Day? Go to 40DaysGC.com to Adopt a Day for your church to pray. Dates are available on a first come, first serve basis.



**Pastoral Associate for
Youth Faith Formation**
Molly Cowgill



Grief Support for Parents

Parishioners Judy Hereford and Gail Holthaus offer grief support for parents who have lost a child

For more information, please contact Gail, (618) 301-7455, gmholthaus@charter.net, or Judy, (618) 779-2181.

PSR CALENDAR- FEBRUARY

February 17th- Ash Wednesday, no PSR. Please attend mass as a family.

February 24th- PSR pickup. In-person class for 7th & 8th grade. Confirmation Saint & Sponsor forms due!

Remains, Inc. Clothing Trailer Has Moved!

The clothing trailer has now moved to Highland Hope UMC, please continue to support this ministry.



Just a reminder that our St. Paul Drop Box is located on the west side of the Parish Center. Feel free to make use of it if you have anything to drop off at the Parish Office. Thank you.



My name is Judy Hereford.

I have lived in Highland and have been a member of St Paul Parish for the last 30 years.

I have 8+ children. I say + because I was a foster mother for 13 years.

One of my 4 originals, my second son, Graham, was diagnosed with Burkitt's Lymphoma in 2007 and, after a difficult year-long battle, succumbed to this cancer in 2008.

Grief upon losing someone, particularly your own child, remains with you, but does not define who you are; it travels with you on your journey through life. I feel as though my personal intention within this group is to travel with you on YOUR grief journey as we learn from one another and support each other.



My name is Gail Holthaus.

I have lived in Highland and have been a member of St. Paul Parish for 29 years. My husband Mark lost his first wife in 1988. In 1991, we married and I became the mother of his 3 children. Together we had 2 more.

Our youngest child, Greg, was a seemingly healthy 18 year old when he went into sudden cardiac arrest and died.

Grief strikes us all in very different ways but for anyone who has lost a child, we know that there will always be a part of our heart missing. My goal with this group is to be there for each other, whether you like to talk about your loved one or just listen, know that we are there for each other. We are all parents on a journey we didn't choose.



Please call or text Judy, (618) 779-2181, or Gail, (618) 301-7455, for more info.





**Pastoral Associate for
Faith Formation**
Deanna Harlan

St. Paul Lenten Worship Opportunities

Ash Wednesday, Feb. 17th

Masses—7:00, 8:20, 9:20 am & 6:30 pm

Evening Mass w/Exposition & Confessions—Wednesdays

(Feb. 17, 24, Mar. 3, 17, 24, 31) @ 6:30 pm

Morning Mass w/Exposition until 11:00am—Fridays

(Feb. 19, 26, Mar. 5, 12, 19, 26) @ 7:00 am

Stations of the Cross - Fridays

- ◆ 2:30 pm (led by students) Feb. 26, Mar. 5, 12, 26
- ◆ 6:30 pm Feb. 19, 26, Mar. 5, 12, 19, 26

RCIA Scrutinies at Mass - Sundays, Mar. 7, 14, 21

RECONCILIATION SERVICES

- ◆ Wed., March 10 @ 6:30 pm w/Exposition
- ◆ Thurs., March 11 @ 9:30 am w/ school grades 2 - 4
- ◆ Thurs., March 11 @ 10:30 am w/ school grades 5 - 8
- ◆ Confessions after every Wednesday evening Mass

HOLY WEEK

Palm Sunday ~ Sat., Mar. 27 @ 4:00 & 5:30 pm

Sun., Mar. 28 @ 7:00, 8:30 & 10:00 am

The Passion Play (St. Paul students) ~

Wednesday, Mar. 31 @ 2:00 pm

Mass of the Lord's Supper ~

Thursday, Apr. 1 @ 7:00 pm

Night Watch ~

Thursday, Apr. 1 @ 8:00 pm until Midnight

The Lord's Passion ~

Friday, Apr. 2 @ 3:00 pm

Friday, Apr. 2 @ 7:00 pm

w/ The Passion Play (St. Paul students) ~

Easter Vigil ~

Saturday, Apr. 3 @ 8:00 pm

Easter ~

Sunday, Apr. 4 Mass Times @ 7:00, 8:30, 10:00,
11:30 am

GLPI



**Celebrating the
Rite of Sending &
Rite of Election**

Next Sunday at the 8:30 Mass, we will celebrate the **"Rite of Sending for Election"** with our **catechumens, Shelby Ruemmler, Elise Thompson & Everett Thompson**. We will also present our baptized **candidates, Michael Henschen & Brooke Magary**. The Church has discerned their readiness for reception of the initiation sacraments this Easter. After this rite is celebrated here next Sunday morning, the catechumens, along with their godparents and sponsors, will be sent by our parish to the bishop for the **"Rite of Election"**. Due to Covid, the Call to Continuing Conversion will not be celebrated with the candidates this year.

Based on the testimony given by the sponsors and our support of their readiness for the sacraments, **the bishop will declare the catechumens to be elect, chosen by God for the sacraments this Easter.**

Before coming next week, recall how you have seen God alive and working in any of the catechumens and candidates you know. Reflect also on ways God has molded you as God's own. Ask yourself: What gifts of God have others told you they recognize in you? Share your responses with your family or a friend before next Sunday.

Please continue to keep the catechumens and candidates in your consistent prayer as they prepare for reception at the Easter Vigil. Pray also for their godparents & sponsors, and the RCIA team as they continue to walk with these folks and, with the Holy Spirit's help, prepare them for a life of discipleship.



Pre Jordan (Baptism class)

Pre Jordan classes are held every other month. **They are typically held on the first Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm in the second floor All Saints room in the Parish Center.** The next class will be: **March 4th**. Pre Jordan class is required for each child you want to have baptized. You must call Deanna Harlan to register for the class: 654-2339 x217.

Pre Jordan is held in a large room that allows for social distancing and masks will be required.

BAPTISM OF BABIES If anyone asks, or if you yourself are wondering, a good age to baptize infants in the Catholic Church is anywhere from three weeks to three months old. This is why it is important to attend the Pre-Jordan session during the pregnancy. You are strongly encouraged to have your baby's baptism before 3 months old. We want to give our children the gift of Jesus and the promise of salvation in Jesus as soon as possible. However, please be assured that we will baptize your child whenever you bring him/her to us.

REMEMBER FOR BAPTISM

3 Weeks to 3 Months

3 Persons – The Trinity

Reminder: As Lent is a penitential and reflective time in the Church year, baptisms are not celebrated during this time. The next available dates for baptisms are May 1 & 2, after having attend a Pre Jordan class.



Pastoral Associate for Pastoral Care
and Spirituality

Lorraine Senci

CONFIRMATION FOR ADULTS – We want to ensure that any adult – **high-school age and older** - who is not yet Confirmed has the opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Some adults “missed” this Sacrament if their family moved or changed schools at a time when formation was offered.



On Saturday, March 27, from 10-noon we will offer a preparation session for those adults who wish to be Confirmed at St. Paul in April.

Confirmation Masses will be celebrated on **Saturday, April 10, at the 5:30 p.m. Mass**, and on **Sunday, April 11, at an 11:30 a.m. Mass**

Please e-mail Lorraine Senci at lsenci@stpaulhighland.org or call her at the Parish Office, 654-2339, ext. 202, if you would like to register for the Confirmation for Adults session that will be **Saturday, March 27, from 10-noon.**

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time – February 14

Making Clean. Jesus was not afraid to touch the untouchable leper today. Jesus was unafraid to be cleaning and healing and teaching – right and good behaviors. Saint Paul makes a clear implication for all of us. Our task: imitating Christ. Our task: doing all things for the glory of God.

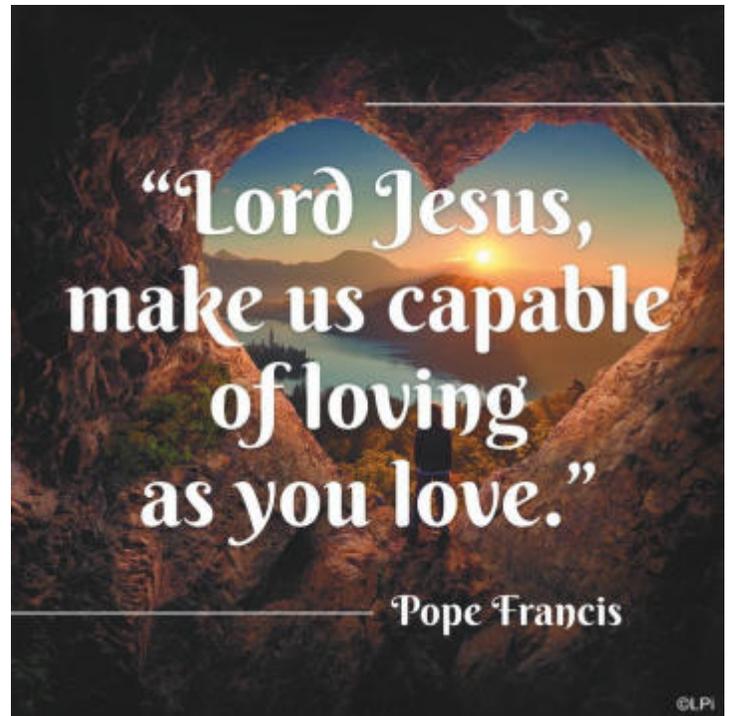


- What mercy works of cleaning and healing can I do this week?
- What will I do, seeking not my own benefit but that of another?
- How will I be like Christ today? Tomorrow? Next Week?



Ash Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Ministers:

Lector	Jerry Morence
Extraordinary Minister	Jay Czar Erin Hopfinger
Hospitality Minister	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED



Feb. 20-21	Saturday, 4:00 PM	Saturday, 5:30 PM	Sunday, 7:00 AM	Sunday, 8:30 AM	Sunday, 10:00 AM
Lector	Margie Duncan	Judy Keeven	Bill Wagner	Debbie Vance	Peg Bodinet
Extraordinary Minister	Jacob Rose	NOT FILLED	Lee Trame	Erin Lamparter	Ray Korte Pat Korte
Hospitality Minister	Bill Duncan Kenny Klaus Vernon Rakers Rick Ringwald	Beth Eller Tim Eller Gregory Venarsky Mark Voegele, Jr.	Jan Abbott Barb Bellm Paul Ray Capelle Jerry Klostermann	Steve Gibbs Jane Holtgrave Andy Jansen NOT FILLED	Carla Bohnenstiehl Jeff Munie Gayla Reynolds NOT FILLED

Wespine RETREATS FOR MEN 2021 IN THE SPIRIT OF ST. JOSEMARIA



March 4-7, April 15-18, May 13-16, 2021
Villa Maria Conference Center
1903 E. Lake Shore Dr
Springfield, IL 62712

SAINT JOSEMARIA ESCRIVA, the founder of Opus Dei, was the "saint of ordinary life" in the words of St. John Paul II. Wespine retreats are conducted in his spirit. They reflect his message that "God is calling you to serve him in and from the ordinary, secular, and civil activities of human life."

Fees: \$370/person. For more information call John Powers at 314-750-8471 or email: jgp@scepterpublishers.org or John Lynch at 314-210-1268 or email: johnlynchattorney@gmail.com



BAPTISM

Please welcome and congratulate the following newly baptized. By water and the Holy Spirit, they have received new life from God through Baptism.

February 6, 2021

Loxtain Clare Kuper
Falon Robert Michael Eilers

February 7, 2021

Aiden Daniel Thiems
Everly Gene Funderburk
Tate Michael Ammann

May they always walk as children of Christ.

Mass Intentions †



Monday, February 15
7:00 am Mass — † **Doris Johnson**

Tuesday, February 16
7:00 am Mass — † **Rita Warnecke**

Wednesday, February 17 ASH WEDNESDAY
7:00 am Mass — † **Charles Isert**
8:20 am St. Paul School Mass — † **Bob Lemp**
9:20 am St. Paul School Mass — † **Heather Potthast**
6:30 pm Mass — † **Bob Baer**



Thursday, February 18
7:00 am Mass — † **Tim Gruenenfelder**

Friday, February 19
7:00 am Mass — † **Virginia Gehrig**

Saturday, February 20
4:00 pm Mass — † **Elizabeth Kantner**
5:30 pm Mass — † **Don Richter**

Sunday, February 21
Mass — 7:00 am **The Parishioners of St. Paul Parish**
8:30 am † **Bob Korte**
10:00 am † **Donna Fischer**



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