

One Parish Family



**October 23rd & 24th 2021
30th Sunday In Ordinary Time**

Welcome to Our Parish!

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Mass Times

Saturday 4:30 pm & Sunday 10:00 am

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Office Hours: Mon 10:00 am-2:00 pm

Tuesday thru Thurs 8:00 am-2:00 pm, Fri. 8:00 am-11:00 pm

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St Andrew Chapel

412 E. Washington St.
Christopher, IL 62822

Walking With Jesus

Blind Faith

Mark 10:46-52

OFFERING COLLECTED

St. Joseph October 17th

Weekly Budget	\$2,374.45
20% Assessment	\$493.80
Envelopes, Loose, & Votive	\$2,469.00
World Mission Sunday	\$20.00

St. Andrew October 17th

Chapel Fund	\$342.00
Parking Lot Reseal Donations	\$150.00

St. Mary October 17th

Chapel Fund	\$202.00
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During the month of October St. Joseph Parishioners are asked to donate Peanut Butter and/or Jelly to the Benton/West City Ministerial Alliance Food Pantry. The donated items can be left at the entrances to the church. Aluminum cans be deposited in the bins on the east side of the Parish.

FUTURE DATES OF IMPORTANCE OCTOBER

St. Joseph Quilt Club, Parish Center,
October 25, Noon to 5:00 pm

NOVEMBER

Christopher Columbia Club Meeting, Wednesday,
Nov. 3rd, Christopher Columbian Club, 6:30 pm

St. Joseph KC's Meeting, Monday, November 8th,
Fr. Joseph Trapp Room, 6:30 pm

Office Closed, Thursday, Nov. 11, Veterans Day

St. Andrew Turkey Raffle and Bingo,
Monday, Nov. 15th, 7:00 pm
Christopher Columbian Club Hall

St. Joseph Finance Meeting, Wednesday, Nov. 17th,
Fr. Joseph Trapp Room, 6:30 pm

**Office Closed November 25 & 26,
Thanksgiving Holiday**

Collection for Pregnancy Matters, Nov 27-Right
before Christmas. All donations can be left at the
entrances to Church

**The Word Among Us for the month of
November is available at all entrances to the
church and also in the front pew by the piano.
Please pick these up at your convenience.**

ST. JOSEPH (Names will be kept
on list for 1 month)

Daniel Gouge, Matt Hoffsuemmer,
Mary Kohlhaas, Harley Kohlhaas, Nancy
Loucks, Scott Lucas, Marie Martin, Simone McCarty,
& Scott Richard.



PRAY FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY

Marco Alvarez, Anthony Clark, Andy
Wolf, DJ DuBravec, Jeremy Knight,
Shane Murray, Aaron Sisk, Landon Wolf,
Christopher Prather, Jami Tedrow,
Carston Sanders, Dustin Richard, & Bryson Wilson.
Pray for Our Veterans!

CHURCH WEBSITE

Stay Connected with Your Parish
Family. For the latest news &
happenings in our parish visit the church
website at
www.catholicchurchesofrendlake.com.



ST. ANDREW CHAPEL RESEALING PARKING LOT PROJECT

St. Andrew Chapel will be holding a fundraising project to help with the cost of resealing the parking lot. If anyone would like to give toward this very needed project there are several ways to contribute to this worthy cause. Place in an envelope that says St. Andrew Parking Lot and place in offering basket, give to Matt Davison, place in mail box by secretary's door, or give to Ellen. So far St. Andrew has received \$2,350.00 in donations. Thank you to everyone who has given.

Holiday Sale Profit	
AREA	AREA NET
CHECKOUT #1	\$1,577.16
CHECKOUT #2	\$393.00
FOOD COURT	\$330.00
BAKED GOODS	\$646.85
JEWELRY	\$48.00
HOME DÉCOR (GARAGE)	\$513.30
HOLIDAY RAFFLE	\$63.00
50/50	\$101.00
TREES	\$150.00
PRESALE (FRI)*	\$114.50
SATURDAY MASS	\$24.30
SUNDAY MASS	\$105.28
MONDAY SALES	\$167.76
TOTAL	\$4,234.15

**ST. JOSEPH WEEKLY
MASS INTENTIONS**

Saturday, October 23rd

Mass will be celebrated at 4:30 pm
Repose of the Souls of
Marsha Stock, George Dawe,
Daryl Chady, & Agnes Semeneck

Sunday, October 24th

Mass will be celebrated at 10:00 am
Repose of the Souls of
Doneita Laur & Leroy & Mazie Walker

Monday, October 25th

No Mass at St. Joseph
Quilt Club, Noon to 5, Parish Center

Tuesday, October 26th

Mass will be celebrated at 5:30 pm
Repose of the Souls of Special Intentions

Wednesday, October 27th

Mass will be celebrated at 5:30 pm
Repose of the Soul of Fr. Joseph Trapp

Thursday, October 28th

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 7:00 am

Mass will be celebrated at 8:00 am
Repose of the Souls of Willie & Billie Kovach

Friday, October 29th

Mass will be celebrated at 8:00 am
Repose of the Soul of Arlene Micheletto

Saturday, October 30th

Mass will be celebrated at 4:30 pm
Repose of the Souls of
Frank Arch & Don & Phyllis Drone

Sunday, October 31st

Mass will be celebrated at 10:00 am
Repose of the Souls of
Larry Allen Flowers, &
Frank & Berniece Vercellino

Monday, November 1st

All Saints Day

Mass will be celebrated at 8:00 am
Repose of the Souls of those departed
Quilt Club, Noon to 5, Parish Center

Tuesday, November 2nd

All Souls Day

Mass will be celebrated at:
St. Andrew Cemetery 10:00 am
St. Joseph Cemetery 12:00 pm (Noon)

No Mass at 5:30 pm



RCIA

Topic for Tues., October 26
Topic: Ten Commandments,
Prayer, Catholic Devotions
Presenter: Sr. Laura Reynolds
& Mike Young

Questions: Sr. Laura Reynolds 618-923-4345

Mass Ministers for Saturday, October 30

Team 5

Mike & Donna Sevenski— Usher/Greeter & Offertory
Gifts

Mike Salmo— Eucharistic Minister

Pat Salmo— Lector/Reader

Mary Beth Dalby— Server

Mary Beth Dalby— Sacristan

Mass Ministers for Sunday, October 31

Team 5

Mike & Laura Young—Usher/Greeter & Offertory
Gifts

Sandy Laur—Eucharistic Minister

Cindy Britton—Lector/Reader

Dominic & Phoenix Lavoie—Server

Barb Waterbury— Sacristan

COLLECTION FOR PREGNANCY MATTERS

St. Andrew Altar Society will once again collect items for Pregnancy Matters. Items such as diapers, baby shampoo, baby lotion, blankets, outfits 0-24 months, wipes, etc or cash donations are greatly appreciated. The collection will take place between Nov. 27— right before Christmas. You can leave all donations by the entrances to St. Joseph Church. Please consider donating toward this very needed project while you are shopping this Christmas Season. Thank You.

LECTOR WORKBOOKS FOR 2022

Lector Workbooks for 2022 are available at the front of church for those who are listed on the new Mass Ministry Teams.

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pew by the piano.**

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Thank You

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NOT BE A REGULAR DAILY MASS**



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