



SAINT JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH

103 Savanna Road • Hanover IL 61041

The mission of St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church is to provide a place of Catholic worship, sacraments, spiritual guidance, education, love and support of all ages throughout our parish and community.

Parish Mission Statement

Mass Schedule

Weekday

Tuesday: 5:00pm

Thursday: 8:30am

Weekend:

Saturday: 4:00pm

Sunday: 10:15am

Your Intentions

Maggie Richmond

Jennifer Sullivan

Mark Puls

Casey Sullivan

Louise McCormick

Donna Stotler

Jeanne Ohms

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tues. 4:00 to 4:45 or by appointment. Contact the office or Father for an appointment.

Sacrament of Marriage

Engaged couples must call the office to set up an appointment to start the Marriage Preparation Process.

Sacrament of Baptism

Please call the office to set up an appointment to start the Baptism Preparation Process.

Sick or Hospitalized

Please notify the office of family members who are ill or in the hospital.

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*I walk
before
the Lord.*

PSALM 116

8-9

**For my soul has been freed from death,
my eyes from tears,
my feet from stumbling.
I shall walk before the Lord in the land
of the living.**



Please join us every first Thursday of the month for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament From 9:00 to 9:30 am, after 8:30 am Mass.

Sept. 11th and 12th
2021



Mass Intentions

For SJ 4:00 pm Sat. Sept 11

† Jason Zeal

By The Dollar General Employees

SM 6:00 pm

† Maury Berlage

By Deb Altfillisch family

SM 8:30 am Sun. Sept 12

**For the People of St. Mary Parish
24th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

SJ 10:15am

† Joan Sullivan

By Bob Gable

SJ 5:00 pm Tues. Sept 14

The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

† Julius Flynn

By Jim Irwin

SM 8:30 am Wed. Sept 15

† Ken Berlage

By Marilyn Berlage

5:00 to 5:45

Adoration & Reconciliation

SM 6:00 pm

**For the living members of the Buckley
Family**

SJ 8:30 am Thurs. Sept 16

St. Cornelius and St. Cyprian

**† St. John Purgatorial Society
2020**

SM 8:30 am Fri. Sept 17

St. Monica

† Ken Berlage

By Marilyn Berlage

SJ 4:00 pm Sat. Sept 18

For the People of St. John's

SM 6:00 pm

† Benjamin Duffy

By The Duffy Family

SM 8:30 am Sun. Sept 19

† Ricky and Jesse Reese

By Karla Grube

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

SJ 10:15am

Wally & Leah Duzansky Wed. Anniv

By the Duzansky's

The Catechism of the Catholic Church defines Mass in this way: "The Eucharist is the heart and the summit of the Church's life, for in it Christ associates His Church and all its members with His sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving offered once and for all on the cross to His Father; by this sacrifice he pours out the graces of salvation on His Body which is the Church" (No. 1407).

We are the body of Christ and through the celebration of the Mass, we participate in the most important act during our earthly lives and by receiving His Body and Blood we become more fully reunited with Christ. Through the celebration of the Eucharist the Church becomes most fully what she is.

How to get something out of mass? In Post Vatican II Church, being a critic of the Mass has become somewhat of a hobby. Many Catholics prefer the Latin language used during mass. In any case, we ought not to allow ourselves to be distracted from the gifts that God wishes to bestow upon us during the sacred celebration of the Mass. We have to realize that at the root of whatever our heart desire may be it is our communion with God!

There is time, during mass, to hear what the word of God has to say to us. When we refuse to recognize Him as the expert of what is best for us, we are like those in Luke's Gospel: "Let me go and bury my father" (9:59). In other words, what we say, is this: I like what you are saying, but you know, I

know what I need right now." Our churches would have been different places if we would only remember that in an atmosphere of expectancy, Jesus can make miracles! In the synagogue at Nazareth, Jesus was unable to do any of his wonderful deeds because the local people were scandalized that Jesus, the one they knew, the one who came from a background like themselves, should have anything to say to them (Mark 6:5). They rejected the Prophet, and they rejected the miracles. Jesus' intent is to promote faith through his miracles. The people of Nazareth despised them because they knew his family. When we gather together for worship and see no other point of view but our own, we will see no other. If we come together with open hearts, loving Christ, with a desire to love each other, even the most widely separated will come together in Jesus Christ.

When we come to Mass, hungry to hear Jesus' words, enjoy each other's company, He will fill us with a wealth that will satisfy our deepest desires.

Is there an area in your life that is keeping you away from God?

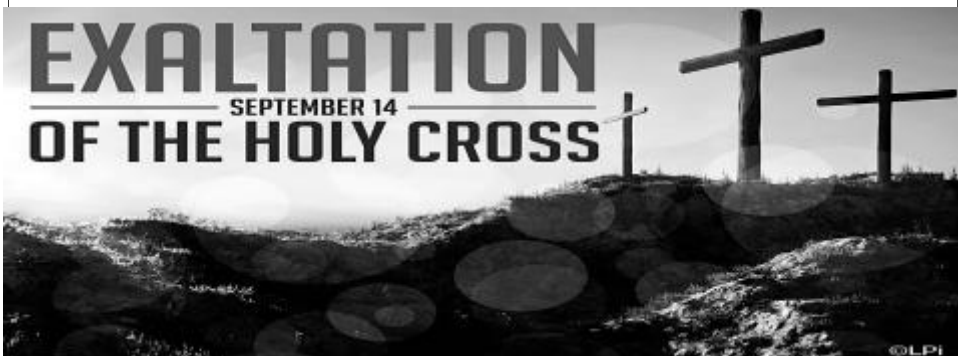
Fr. Joachim

Respect Life Corner

Word Of Life

"By our baptism, we are members of Christ's body and sharers in His mission. Imitating Christ, we must care for all members of our communities, honoring each person as unique, sacred, and created in the image of God.."

USCCB "Open wide our Hearts" Bulletin Insert





Stewardship Report

No Report at time of Transmission

Food Pantry

Monetary donations or items can be placed in the baskets in the Vestibule.

Please join us at 9:45 am for the Rosary before the Sunday 10:15 am Mass



Parish News

Fr. Doyle from St. John the Baptist in Savanna is looking for a bookkeeper and Secretary. Twelve to Fifteen hours per week Starting salary \$15. per hour. If interested please call him or email at: 815.273.3961 www.stjohnsavanna.org

St. Josphe and St. Mary Parishes in Freeport are looking for a part-time bookeeper. Please contact Fr. Barr at 815 232-8271 ext 7

We are in need of **Weekend and Weekday Mass intentions**, please call the office or place an envelope in the collection basket.

Anyone interested in becoming a **Lector or Sacristan** to enhance our worship at St. John's please see Father after Mass, we need you.



St. Anne Society

St. Anne Society meets Quarterly in Hanover at St. John's church hall.

Liturgical Rolls

September 18th

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| JoAnn Nolan | Lector |
| Maria Kmiec | Sacristan |
| Joe Kmiec | Usher |

September 19th

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| Matt Wild | Lector |
| Nellie Bainbridge | Sacristan |
| Mike Kuzniar | Usher |

Gospel Readings Week of Sept. 12

Sunday: Mk 8:27-35

Monday: Lk 7:1-10

Tuesday: Jn 3:13-17

Wednesday: Jn 19:25-27
or Lk 2:33-35

Thursday: Lk 7:36-50

Friday: Lk 8:1-3

Saturday: Lk 8:4-15

Next Sunday: Mk 9:30-37



Knights of Columbus

Fr. Ron Conro Knights of Columbus meet the third Tuesday of each month at 6:30pm in the church hall at The Church of St. Mary in Elizabeth . Welcoming All!


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