

All Souls



November 2, 2024

We remember our faithful departed family members and friends

Maria Corrales	Jim Picek	Armando Armenta	Patricia Woods
Thelma Amira Lopez	William "Glenn" Clark	Elizabeth "Betsy" Panozzo	Geraldine "Gerry" Marie Cloud
Joan Names	Agnes Prusa	Robert White	Edmund Folta
Marjorie Kowal	Frank Risky	Valerie Chentorycki	Eugene Rogoz
Jeanette Shearer	Henry Chentorycki	Patricia Lonask	Beatrice Walsh
Elizabeth Marrone	Janet Leifel	Rustica Reyes	George Rehor
Karen Rehor	Diane Carik	Georgia Rutherford	Thomas Chwierut
Martha DeFily	Susan Specht	Joyce Dillavou	James Patterson
James Hruska	Minnette Terlep	Robert Zavala	Robert Skogh
Valerijonas "Val" Svirtun	Enriquito DeGuzman	Charles "Chuck" Fehling	Debra "Debbie" Patrey
Agnes Gupana	Maria Svihla	Paula D'Adamo	



Monday, November 4th

No Scheduled Evening Meetings

Tuesday, November 5th

- 4:00 pm—Confirmation Prep Session in Youth Room
- 4:15 pm—Religious Education Rosary in Church
- 4:30 pm—Religious Education Sessions in Classrooms & Room 112
- 5:45 pm—Confirmation Prep Sessions in Youth Room & Room 201B
- 6:00 pm—Religious Education Rosary in Church
- 6:15 pm—Religious Education Sessions in Classrooms
- 6:30 pm—Council of Catholic Women Rosary in Room 112
- 7:00 pm—Council of Catholic Women Meeting in Room 112
- 7:00 pm—School Board Meeting in Library
- 7:00 pm—Handbell Ensemble Rehearsal in Church
- 7:30 pm—S.T.O.R.M. Youth Ministry Discovery Teams Meeting in Youth Room

Wednesday, November 6th

- 6:30 pm—Cub Scout Den 4 Arrow of Light Meeting in Room 112
- 7:00 pm—“Be Formed” Session in Office Meeting Room
- 7:00 pm—S.T.O.R.M. Youth Ministry Unleashed Small Group in Youth Room

Thursday, November 7th

- 6:00 pm—Legion of Mary Prayer Group in Room 113
- 7:00 pm—S.T.O.R.M. Youth Ministry Fall Retreat Team Evaluation & Dinner Off Site
- 7:00 pm—Young Adult Team Meeting in Room 112
- 7:00 pm—Handbell Solo Rehearsal in Church
- 7:30 pm—Adult Choir Rehearsal in Church

Friday, November 8th

- 12:00 pm—Religious Education Catechist Meeting in Room 114
- 7:00 pm—Young Adult Game Night in Activity Center

Saturday, November 9th

- 4:00 pm—Knights of Columbus Membership Drive at Welcome Kiosk
- 5:30 pm—S.T.O.R.M. Youth Ministry Trivia Night in Activity Center

Sunday, November 10th

- 7:30 am—Knights of Columbus Membership Drive at Welcome Kiosk
- 10:15 am—Children’s Liturgy of the Word in Gym
- 11:00 am—Order of Christian Initiation of Adults in Parish Office Meeting Room
- 4:00 pm—Boy Scout Troop 512 Meeting in Activity Center
- 7:30 pm—S.T.O.R.M. Youth Ministry Small Group Meetings in Parish Center

For a complete calendar, visit the calendar page on the Parish Web Site at www.stscholasticaparish.org

Presider’s Schedule November 4-10, 2024

- 8:30 am—Monday through Wednesday and Friday—Fr. Mark Cote
- 8:30 am—Thursday and Saturday—Fr. Juan Hernandez
- 4:30 pm Saturday and 8 am Sunday Masses—Fr. Juan Hernandez
- 10 am & Noon Sunday Masses—Fr. Mark Cote



† denotes deceased...

Monday, November 4, St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop

- 8:30 a.m.—† Beatrice Walsh—*Counters Group*
- 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.—Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in Chapel

Tuesday, November 5, Weekday in Ordinary Time

- 8:30 a.m.—† Carlito Ramos—*Manahan Family*
- John Menear—*Church Friends*
- † Michael Brown—*Terry Brown & Family*
- † Suzanne Connely—*Jerry & Mary Jane Munley*

Wednesday, November 6, Weekday in Ordinary Time

- 8:30 a.m.—ALL SCHOOL MASS
- † Deacon Frank Kozar—*Sue & Lisa*
- † Adrian Aguilar—*Bernie Kestler*
- † Chuck Fehling—*Dennis Family*
- Charles Buntenschach [Healing]—*Mary Ann Fogarty*

Thursday, November 7, Weekday in Ordinary Time

- 8:30 a.m.—Kathy Nartnick—*Joanne Porazinski*

Friday, November 8, Weekday in Ordinary Time

- 8:30 a.m.—† Leonard Karp—*Mary Ann Missak*

Saturday, November 9, The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

- 8:30 a.m.—† Mark Walker—*Marj Nicoletti*

Vigil: Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 4:30 p.m.—† Dorothy Macal—*Macal Family*

Sunday, November 10, Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00 a.m.—Intentions from Mothers’ Day Spiritual Bouquets
- † Sam Nicoletti—*Marj Nicoletti*
- 10:00 a.m.—The Parish Family of St. Scholastica
- 12:00 p.m.—Dane & Melanie Mc Elroy [Anniversary]
- 6:30 p.m.—STORM MASS

Please Note Upcoming Bulletin Deadlines

Publish Date	Copy Due Date	Send to Publisher
November 17	November 7	November 12
November 24	November 13	November 18
December 1	November 20	November 22
December 8	November 26	December 3



CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT WORKING ON THE MARGINS

November 2024

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Our diocese will soon take up the national collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD). Your support for this collection November 16/17 brings change to communities across the country and empowers those living in poverty to transform their communities into reflections of the Kingdom of God. In addition to making a national impact, you empower those living in poverty in our own diocese, because one quarter of our collection stays within the Diocese of Joliet.

Local grant recipients in our diocese include emergency assistance and food pantry supplies for St. Vincent De Paul chapters, vocational job training for adults with disabilities, and community outreach programming for at-risk youth and families. You can find more information on our local grants at <https://catechesis.diojoliet.org/cchd> or by scanning the QR code below.

When you contribute to CCHD in your parish, not only do you help address the symptoms of poverty, but your donation also helps alleviate the root causes of poverty—both globally and locally. Twenty-five percent of your donation stays in your diocese to support organizations making a difference in the lives of your neighbors.

Please prayerfully consider how you can help CCHD this year. If you would like more information about the national collection and the people it supports, visit the “CCHD Collection” section on the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops’ website at usccb.org/cchd.

Thank you for joining us to work on the margins. With every good wish, may God bless you.

As I remain –
Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Ronald A. Hicks
Bishop of Joliet

National Effort, Local Impact

When you support CCHD, you help local communities across the country innovate and work together to solve their own unique challenges. Twenty-five percent of your contribution stays in the Diocese of Joliet to support the organizations addressing our parishioners’ needs for housing, jobs, and educational opportunities. To learn more about the collection for the CCHD and the way CCHD upholds the moral and social teachings of the Catholic Church, visit the “About” section at usccb.org/cchd.

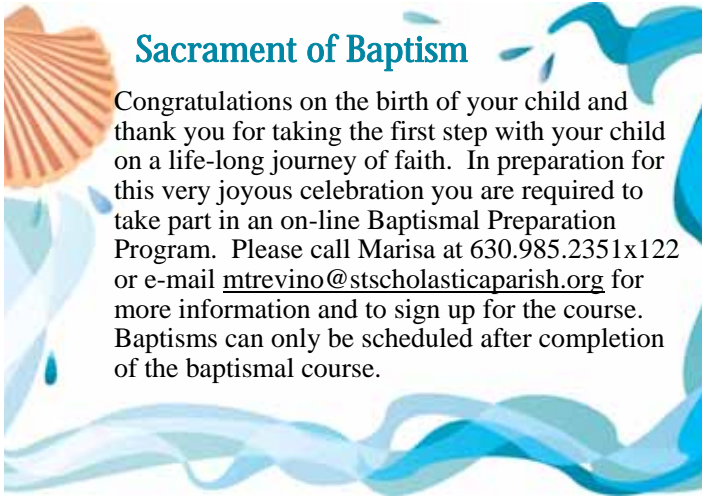


Local grant information:



Sacrament of Baptism

Congratulations on the birth of your child and thank you for taking the first step with your child on a life-long journey of faith. In preparation for this very joyous celebration you are required to take part in an on-line Baptismal Preparation Program. Please call Marisa at 630.985.2351x122 or e-mail mtrevino@stscholasticaparish.org for more information and to sign up for the course. Baptisms can only be scheduled after completion of the baptismal course.



PRAY FOR THE DEAD

Let us not hesitate to help those who have died and offer our prayers for them.

- St. John Chrysostom

Prayer for Our Deceased

Dear Lord,
Comfort us in our grief as we mourn those no longer with us on earth. Free those in purgatory quickly, and guide us in Your will, so that one day we may all be united with You, for eternity.
Amen.

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Please Pray for Our Friends and Family Battling Cancer

To request to be added or removed from the cancer list, please contact the office at 630.985.2351, ext.122. In order to keep the list up to date, names will be removed automatically after six months.

St. Peregrine



Pray for Us

Paul Anadappa, Kim Harrington, Fiorella Husnal, Pat Wright, Tom Feliksik, Catherine Tallon, Paul Rotella, Paul Gorsline, Walter Shiffer, Donna Prepejchal, Marilene Mariano, Bruce Schaffer, Jennifer Bailey, Barbara Knierim, Jim Fus, Johnny Andrews, Richard Buban, Heather McMillen, Nora Sanstad, Mary Joy Germo, Deb Sharbak, Marlene Talaski, Sonja Rudny, Sandra Woodring, Clem Campbell, Judy Retterer

Arranging a Funeral

Arrangements for a Funeral Mass are made through the Funeral Home you choose. The Funeral Home will contact the Parish Administration Center to schedule the Mass. If arrangements will not be made through a funeral home, please contact the Parish Administration Center at 630.985.2351x122 for assistance. More information can be found on the Parish Web Site: www.stscholasticaparish.org

Sacrament of Marriage

Preparation for marriage involves special instruction for the couple. **Notification to the Parish Administration Center is required at least 6 months in advance.** Please call Sue at the Parish Administration Center, 985-2351, ext. 124, for more information.



What Matters the Most to God?

The answer is simple: love God and love your neighbor as yourself. The practice is harder. Recall the Good Samaritan who cares for the beaten man on the roadside. (Luke to love everyone. That kind of loving keeps us near the Kingdom of God.

- † What of my actions show that I am loving God?
- † What of my actions show that I am loving myself?
- † What of my actions show that I am loving my neighbor, that is, everyone?

Continue to Pray for Our Friends and Family who are in Active Duty in the Military.

If you would like loved ones who are on active duty in the military to be included on the bulletin board in the Breezeway, drop pictures off in the Parish Office.



IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS:

SP4 Brian Dilger, Lance Corporal Jaleasia Reed, Captain Joe Chambers, 1st Lt Rachel Schlitter, Corporal Donte Reed, Airman Robert Rouille, VT Claire Gieseke, PVT Michaelangelo Zaucha Fernandez, ET 1 Kim Bellavia, LT Michael Bellavia, Sargent Daron J. Reed, SPC Matthew Aubele, PFC SGT Eric Kuchta, Staff SGT Kyle Gulley, PFC Sebastian Elapumkal, SGT Trent Johnson, SPC Samantha Rapp, PVT Jake Higley, Captain Mark F. Luneburg, PFC Michael Jacobson, EMF-K Karl Gieseke, NSM Larry J. Threadgill, LTC Noel Sioson, Major Brady Sexton, Ensign Randall Jacob Hopkins, MFN Jesse Kolek, Major Kenneth Schlorf, Sergeant Donald J. May, Staff SGT Ryan Gulley, Major David G. Mack

The Tabernacle Candle

"In accordance with traditional custom, near the tabernacle a special lamp, fueled by oil or wax, should be kept alight to indicate and honor the presence of Christ." (General Instruction of the Roman Missal 316) If you would like to make a donation in honor or in memory of a loved one, please call the Parish Office. The donation is \$10. The candle offering is for one week.



The Tabernacle Candle

is offered this week for:

Joanne Biga

By: Ron Krusinowski



Diana Fichter, Judy Retterer, Russ Retterer, Mary Campbell, Doug Bakshis, Paula Crow, Archie Corder, Terry Brown,

Dolores Rieber, Kathy Nartnick, Thomas Kammer, Marcella Fanning, Carol Bevignani, Isabella Casillas,

Frances Vienne, Rudy Vrchota, Rita Ramsey,

Alexander Napierkowski

Please Continue to Pray for Our Sick Friends

If you or a member of your immediate family are in need of prayer, please contact the Parish Office at 985-2351, ext. 122, and we will place the name in the bulletin. Names will remain in the bulletin for 4 weeks unless you call to have prayers extended.

Would you like to provide a fresh floral arrangement to adorn the sanctuary of our church on a given Sunday?

This is a wonderful opportunity to commemorate a special event, i.e. a birth, wedding anniversary, anniversary of a loved one's death, etc. Your name and the occasion will be published in the bulletin. To order your arrangement and secure the date you wish simply contact The parish office at 630.985.2351, ext. 122. Seventy-five dollars will cover the cost and the Art and Environment Committee will take care of the rest!

Mass Schedule

Weekend

Saturday (*eve of Sunday*) 4:30 P.M.

Sunday..... 8 A.M., 10 A.M. and 12 NOON

Daily

Monday through Saturday 8:30 A.M.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

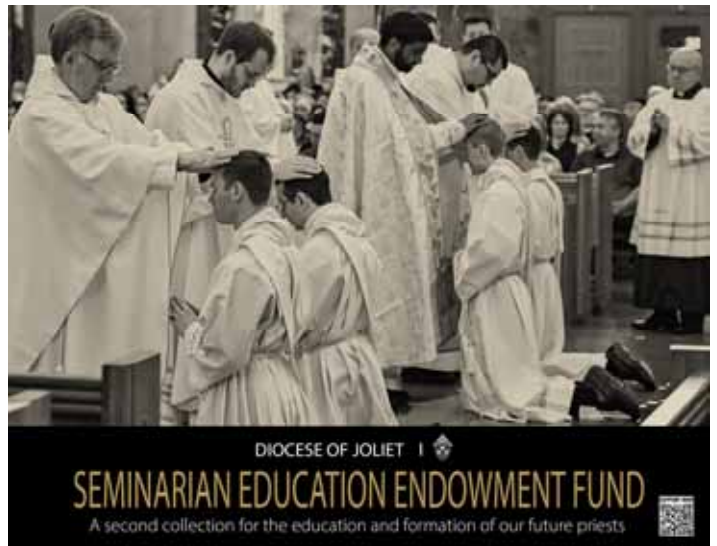
Saturday 3:30 – 4:15 P.M.

or call the Parish Office to make an appointment

Pulpit Announcements need to be to Lisa Riedl:

riedl@stscholasticaparish.org

by 9 am the Tuesday before the weekend



Support Our Future Priests Through the Second Collection for Seminarian Formation November 9-10

Priests are essential to our Catholic faith, as only these holy men can transform bread and wine into the life-giving Body and Blood of Christ. The Holy Spirit has blessed the Diocese of Joliet with an abundance of vocations to the priesthood.

Currently, our diocese has 27 men in seminary formation, which costs \$52,350 a year per seminarian. To ensure we are always able to support our seminarians both prayerfully and financially, the Diocese of Joliet has established this second collection.

At Masses next weekend, our parish will take up a second collection for this effort. Gifts will be invested in an endowment designated specifically for seminarian education.

Please prayerfully consider supporting this second collection. To learn more about this campaign, or to make a gift online, please go to giving.diojoliet.org/seminarian-endowment.

Social Concerns & Service Programs



Important Phone Numbers

Confidential Emergency Financial Assistance 630.985.2351x3
 West Suburban Community Pantry (food assistance) 630.512.9921
 For Sick, Homebound and Hospital Visits..... 630.985.2351x122
 Birthright (*Crisis Pregnancy*)630.355.9888
 Catholic Charities (*Crisis Pregnancy*).....630.495.9850
 Domestic Violence Hotline630.469.5650
 Hope's Front Door.....630.322.9803
 F.I.S.H. Food Pantry & Clothes Closet.....630.964.7776



Council of Catholic Women

CCW Ladies - Mark your Calendars -
 All women of the parish invited !

Nov. 5, 2024 - 6:30 Rosary - 7 pm meeting - Room 112
 Dec. 3, 2024 Christmas dinner meeting in the A/C 7 to 9 pm
 Angel Ornament Weekends - First Two weekends in
 December



Thank you to all who donate blank all occasion, cards, blank Christmas cards, and calendars. We never stop collecting! You can drop these useful items to the office or to Shawn. Thank you so much; our pen pals on the inside appreciate your gestures of kindness!

sdenning@stscholasticaparish.org



Please consider making a donation for a family in need in our community. Your gift will be used to provide a Thanksgiving dinner. Donations may be made by check, payable to St. Scholastica and marked "Thanksgiving." You may deposit them in the Sunday collection or mail to the parish. You may also donate online at <https://osvhub.com/stscholasticaparish/giving/funds> -- Select "Outreach Program" THANK YOU!!

Sponsored by Christian Outreach



ARE YOU SMARTER THAN YOUR 8th GRADE NUN? HIT COMEDY COMING TO CHRIST THE SERVANT CHURCH ONE-NIGHT ONLY! NOVEMBER 8, 2024



Continuing her series of religious comedies, including the hit Late Nite Catechism, writer and actress Vicki Quade brings her latest comedy to Christ the Servant Church, Woodridge, IL, a new game show called Are You Smarter Than Your 8th Grade Nun?

The hit comedy will be performed Friday, November 8. The play begins at 7 pm and runs approximately 2 hours with a 15-minute intermission. Ticket sales begin Saturday, September 28 after all Masses. Tickets are \$30, children under 12 will be \$20, children 5 and under free.

Around the Town, Chicago, reviewer Frank Meccia gives the show "Five Stars!", adding, "This show is great, well worth it. The show is loosely based on the TV show, Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?, but it's more like, Who Wants to Get Out of Purgatory?! Lots of fun, and you can bring the whole family!"

**A VOCATION VIEW
THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Love of God and love of neighbor are not mutually exclusive, but rather are mutually enriching. Demonstrate the love you have for God by acting in service to your neighbor in Christ.

(Mark 12:28-34)

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Spend some quiet time with our Lord.

Monday, November 4, 2024
1 pm – 5 pm, in the chapel



In this busy world and in our busy lives, it is comforting to know that there is a time and place where we can quiet ourselves, strengthen our relationship with our Lord, and find peace.

While in the presence of Jesus at Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament pray in any way that is comfortable for you or simply sit quietly in His True Presence.

If thoughts and words fail you, meditate on the following -

You are not an accident. The God who created the universe, who set the moon and stars in place, loves YOU and chose YOU, even before the world was formed.

He knows you better than you know yourself, and he loves you simply because you are YOU. There are no conditions on his love: at every moment you are infinitely loved by him. You are dear to him.

The original harmony between us and God was shattered when sin entered the world. Even though God's understanding is beyond human reason, Adam and Eve took it upon themselves to be their own gods, choosing themselves above their creator.

We continue to turn our back on God, distorting the good gifts he has given us. Our relationship with God has been broken. Refusing to follow God's plan of love, we have been confined to sin.

God loves us so much that he became man and died for us. Christ outstretched his arms and submitted to death to reconcile us to his Father. Death and sin do not have the final word: Christ's Resurrection opens for us the doors to new life in him.

Christ's sacrifice and victory transcends space and time, and it is made present on the altar at every Mass! No one is excluded from his offer of love and mercy! This includes YOU.

Jesus has opened the door for you, and through his Church, he invites you into a personal relationship with God.

Christ comes to us in the Eucharist, offering himself to us: Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity. He nourishes us, offering himself as "our daily bread." It is easy for us to overlook this extraordinary gift. Even people who go to Mass each Sunday forget that Jesus is not merely symbolically present, but truly and substantially.

Let us to entrust ourselves to the One who gave his life for us and invites us to encounter him in the Eucharist.

Oh, come, let us adore Him !

*Adapted from The Greatest Love Story -
www.eucharisticrevival.org*

ST SCHOLASTICA PARISH
NIGHT RECEPTIONIST

WE ARE HIRING

JOB POSITION:

- 1-2 Evenings per Week
- Weekends and Special Events as Scheduled
- Greeting Ministries, Clerical, Building Security, Room Setup

REQUIREMENTS:

- Love Serving in Ministry
- Active, Practicing Catholic
- Ability to perform limited physical activities
- Part Time, unbenefited, flexibility as needed

CONTACT US:
We look forward to hearing from you! 630-985-2351



Where would you send a woman who is pregnant and needs help? What if she needed diapers and other material assistance?

If you know of someone that would benefit from these services, please call or text **815-725-3411** or our 24/7 Helpline 1-800-550-4900.

Our office is located at 310 N. Hammes Ave., Suite LL1, Joliet, Illinois, 60435. We also can be found on Facebook or Instagram.



Are you great at trivia? Do you enjoy the thrill of competition?
Or are you just looking for something to do on a Saturday night?

TRIVIA NIGHT

St. Scholastica Parish

Please join us Saturday, November 9th for a team trivia night.
St. Scholastica Parish Gym, 7800 Janes Avenue, Woodridge
Doors open at 5:30 pm and Trivia Starts at 6 pm.

Grab a few friends (18 & Up) and join us for this Trivia Night.
There will be 7 rounds of 10 questions about general knowledge
where you will work to outsmart your competition.

The winning table will win cash and 2nd Place will win prizes.
There will be other ways to win including a 50/50 Raffle &
Intermission Games.

Light snacks will be provided. Dinner will be sold.
Cash Bar. Credit Cards Accepted.

All Proceeds Support Youth Ministry in Your Community

Contact Jennifer Olson for more info: 630-885-6439 or
youthministry@stscholasticaparish.org

Tickets: \$15 for Individual Tickets, \$100 for Table
If you register by November 4
\$120 for a table after November 4

You can register with the teens after Mass or
fill out this Google Form:
<https://forms.gle/z4SG5hSzrsUwc8KK8>



Join other parishioners this weekend in the Parish
Gym following all Sunday Masses for Hospitality
and Fellowship!

Young Adult St Scholastica Game Night

November 8, 2024 7pm-10pm

Activity Center
Young Adults 20s-30s

Bring your favorite Games to share. Come to Play
games and Fellowship. Tables and
chairs provided. Bring your own drinks.



Questions: email Alison Chandler
religiousformation@stscholasticaparish.org
630-985-9255 x117

St. Scholastica Parish
7720 Janes Ave.
Woodridge, IL 60517
Please come to door 18



BE FORMED

A 90 DAY DISCIPLESHIP EXPERIENCE
FOR MEN AND WOMEN

EXPERIENCE PRAYER,
SCRIPTURE,
THE SACRAMENTS,
COMMUNITY,
AND THE TEACHINGS &
TRADITIONS OF
THE CATHOLIC CHURCH!



Please join us for "Be Formed" Wednesday Nights in the
Office Meeting Room from 7pm-8pm. Learn more about
part 2 of Life in Christ. Watching part 1 is not necessary for
part 2. If you have any questions, please contact Alison
Chandler at:

religiousformation@stscholasticaparish.org
or 630-985-9255 x 117

Joy to the World:

Monday Morning Bible Study

We will be reading and discussing "Joy to the World". In the book, the birth of Christ is recorded in two of the Gospels; Matthew 1-2 and Luke 1-2. In Joy to the World the two versions of the birth of Christ are explored and explained. Dates for the sessions are Monday November 11, 18, 25 and December 2, 9, 16; in the Parish Office Meeting Room from 11:00 am-12:30 pm.

Copies of the book may be purchased from the website:
<https://store.loyolapress.com/matthew-1-2-luke-1-2-joy-to-the-world>

Please register with Alison Chandler:
religiousformation@stscholasticaparish.org or
630-985-9255 x117





On October 16, the new Saint Scholastica student council was inducted after mass. This year the student council has planned monthly fundraisers and service projects. We are very proud of their leadership and dedication to help make our school great!

MONTINI CATHOLIC REPRESENTED AT THE ILMEA CHORAL ENSEMBLE IN NOVEMBER



Montini Catholic music students, sophomore **Maryfaith Considine** and junior **Jonathan (Jonny) Kosinski** were recently chosen to represent the Lasallian college preparatory high school at the Illinois Music Education Association District Choral Ensemble. The festival, which will take place on Saturday, November 9 at Dundee Crown High School, Carpentersville, is an annual event sponsored by the Illinois Music Education Association. (ILMEA, or the Illinois Music Education Association, is an organization widely known by musicians statewide. This program ranges for all high school aged musicians. From chorus singers to members of an orchestra, ILMEA accepts a variety of musicians who excel in their craft.)

Maryfaith and Jonny, who both most recently performed at Montini's Fall Concert, are very excited about the upcoming concert. According to Mr. Donnie Glowinski, Music Director, Montini Catholic's District, #9, is one of the most competitive districts in the state. "I could not be more happy for Jonny and Maryfaith! These two students work hard, put in the work outside of class, and really help lead their sections. They are wonderful assets to Montini and the Music Department!"

"I was so happy when I found out that I got into ILMEA," said Jonny. "Last year I didn't make it and I vowed to myself that I would try my hardest to make my audition the best that it could be. It all paid off in the end and I was so glad that I made it." Maryfaith is singing in her second festival after being selected as a freshman last year. "I was overjoyed to make it into ILMEA for my second year in a row! After spending nearly an entire day putting my audition together, I felt such a sense of relief knowing that all that hard work paid off. The first time was an incredible experience, and I can't wait to relive it and connect with other talented musicians again."

Both Maryfaith and Jonny are no strangers to performing and being in the spotlight. Both are members of Montini's Chamber Choir and both participate in Montini Theatre as well. Maryfaith played the leading role (Maria) and gave a stunning performance in the 2024 Spring musical, *"The Sound of Music,"* while Jonny equally impressed audiences as Rolf Gruber. Jonny will be starring in Montini's upcoming November Fall Play, *"Murder on the Orient Express,"* and both musicians plan on being on stage in March for the Spring Musical.

Jonny has also been interested in music ever for as long as he can remember. "I was part of the choir in my elementary school." (St. Scholastica) He also sings in the St. Scholastica church choir and cantors at Mass. "Music has always been a big part of my life and I really enjoy having the opportunity to sing."

"I was so excited to share the news with my parents, and they were happy to hear it," said Maryfaith. "They couldn't quite attend my audition since it was virtual, but they definitely got an earful of my squawking while walking past my bedroom all day. Their support means the world to me, and I'm still apologizing for all of the vocal warm-ups they had to endure." Jonny's parents were also overjoyed to know that all of his hard work paid off this year. "My mom saw me do my audition. It was an electronic audition that I recorded on my iPad. My parents were so thrilled! They were so proud and happy for me that I get to be part of this festival." Jonny is also grateful to have a music teacher who truly understands the importance of perseverance and encouragement when it comes to music, and especially auditioning for the ILMEA. "I would like to thank Mr. Glow for all that he does for us. He always pushes us to be our best, and especially motivated me to push myself this year in ILMEA. He truly is such a kind and caring person and teacher who strongly believes in, supports, and cares for his students."

"I would like to sing in the choir in whatever school I choose to go to after high school," adds Jonny. "I would like to learn more about music in the professional world and I would like to have the opportunity to sing in college."

Both Maryfaith and Jonny anxiously await performing in November. They also provide words of encouragement to students who may be considering but still on the fence regarding trying out for ILMEA in the future. "I would tell them to try their hardest and to not give up," says Jonny. "Our district is such a competitive district, so it's always best to try your hardest on your audition. Trust me when I tell you that the hard work and dedication always pays off in the end. Keep persevering and work hard!"

We GOT YOU!

WENDY'S[®] COMMUNITY EVENT

Doing something good never tasted better!
We're having a fundraiser, and we need your support. Here's the best part: all you have to do is eat at Wendy's! Drop by, bring your friends, and enjoy a meal while helping us out.

SUPPORTING:

St. Scholastica Catholic Church and School

WHEN:

Tuesday, November 12, 2024
Time: 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM

WHERE:

1925 Boughton Road, #2583
Woodridge, IL

30% of the sales during your designated timeframe on the day of your fundraiser will go back to your organization!

St. Scholastica Parish

The Parish Offices are located in the Administration Center 7800 Janes Avenue, Woodridge, IL

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Welcome to St. Scholastica Parish Office!

Visitors will check in at the front desk, and the staff member on duty will direct all visitors to their meeting room or appointment.

As a gentle reminder please do not come to the parish facilities if you are not feeling well.

Parish Office Hours

Monday and Friday, 8 am to 4 pm

Tuesday through Thursday, 8 am to 6 pm

Saturday and Sunday, Closed

Please call the office at 630.985.2351x122 before you come, as office hours are subject to change.

For the Week of October 16-22, 2024

Weekly Offertory	\$ 16,866.46
Weekly Budget	\$ 22,184.62
Year to Date Offertory	\$320,269.53
Year to Date Budget	\$354,954.00
Average Weekly Blessings	\$ 20,016.85

For the Fiscal Year July 1, 2024 ~June 30, 2025

Our Mission

As a welcoming people, with Jesus as our foundation, we are the Catholic Community of St. Scholastica Parish.

Guided by the Holy Spirit and the Scriptures and strengthened by the Eucharist, we humbly and joyfully accept our baptismal call to share our time, talents, and treasures to support and nurture each other and those in need.

Welcome

All those visiting the parish are invited to stop by the “Welcoming Center” in the Breezeway of the Church to pick up information about our parish. Registration forms can be found in this area and once completed can be placed in the offertory basket at Mass. The form can also be downloaded from our web site. If you need any assistance in completing the form, please don’t hesitate to contact us at 630.985.2351, ext. 122. We would also be happy to take your information over the phone.