



Dear Parishioners,

July is half-over, can you believe it? Also can you believe the relatively mild weather we've been having compared to that of years past? I guess we can thank that global warming thing we've heard so much about. Or is it "climate change?" Remind me to ask the Bud Light people about this. I'm sure they have the correct answers.

As you know, I write these letters the Monday prior to the actual weekend. So I write this on July 10. I'm so glad Father Rickert is pretty much used to the way things go here, since I'll be leaving for

For now, things are gradually getting better in the rectory. The new floor is all installed and just gorgeous. But the chaos generated by the installation of said floors drags on. Yes, as I say, it's getting better but it's an unbelievably big task when one has to "put life back together as it was." Putting books back on the shelves, putting CDs back in their racks, hooking up appliances – if you can find the power cords; and say, didn't I have a phone jack in my sitting room? When will it end. I hope before August 3<sup>rd</sup>.

At least I have a phone in my office, if not in my sitting room – AND, my computer works. Go figure.

Well, we got through our first weekend of Sunday 10AM Low Mass. Yes, I miss the music too but it's good for the choir to have a break. Some of our musicians have very important and urgent work at the moment. It does have its small benefits, though. It allows Father and me to socialize with you a bit "sooner" than usual. But, knowing human nature as we all do, we'll soon get used to "quicker" Sunday mornings, only to have that change back to the way we "always had Sundays."

Hey we won't have to worry about that for long. Know why? Well, we'll be sitting down to Thanksgiving Dinner two weeks from now. Well, it will feel like it, right? God bless Dear Family.

Father Magiera

## Saint Joseph Catholic Church July 15<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup>, 2023



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**Office/Rectory Hours:**  
Monday through Friday  
11:00 AM – 4:00 PM

## 2023 Liturgical Calendar and Mass Intentions

<b>Sanctuary Lamp</b>	For the end of abortion worldwide by Joshua Machel
<i>Sat., July 15<sup>th</sup></i> 4:15 pm	<b><i>Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i></b> + Don Gould by Jan Gould & Family
<b>Sat., July 15<sup>th</sup></b> 6:00 pm	<b>Seventh Sunday after Pentecost (2<sup>nd</sup> cl.)</b> + J.D. Hawkins by Nancy Wilschke
<b>Sun., July 16<sup>th</sup></b> 8:00 am	<b>Seventh Sunday after Pentecost (2<sup>nd</sup> cl.)</b> + John Nevins Sr. by Carla & Tim O'Sullivan
10:00 am	Pro Populo
<b>Mon., July 17<sup>th</sup></b> 7:30 am	<b>St. Alexis, Confessor (4<sup>th</sup> cl.)</b> + Christie Zdzinicki by Nancy Taylor
<b>Tues., July 18<sup>th</sup></b> 7:30 am	<b>St. Camillus de Lellis, Confessor (3<sup>rd</sup> cl.)</b> + Lee Mahner by Justin McCague
<b>Wed., July 19<sup>th</sup></b> 7:30 am	<b>St. Vincent de Paul, Confessor (3<sup>rd</sup> cl.)</b> In repentance and reparation for the sins within our Church and our World
<b>Thur., July 20<sup>th</sup></b> 7:30 am	<b>St. Jerome Emiliani, Confessor (3<sup>rd</sup> cl.)</b> For the most Abandoned Souls in Purgatory by Mary Lynn Panek
5:30 pm	+ Mary and James Dunne by Tim & Debbie Dunne
<b>Fri., July 21<sup>st</sup></b> 7:30 am	<b>St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Doctor (3<sup>rd</sup> cl.)</b> + Christie Zdzinicki by Sylvia Solheim
<b>Sat., July 22<sup>nd</sup></b> 8:00 am	<b>St. Mary Magdalene, Penitent (3<sup>rd</sup> cl.)</b> Dvid Bilot by John & Barb McCague
<i>Sat., July 22<sup>nd</sup></i> 4:15 pm	<b><i>Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i></b> + Gerald Burke (July 23 – Birthday) by Janice Burke
<b>Sat., July 22<sup>nd</sup></b> 6:00 pm	<b>Eighth Sunday after Pentecost (2<sup>nd</sup> cl.)</b> Confraternity of St. Peter by L.T. Lee
<b>Sun., July 23<sup>rd</sup></b> 8:00 am	<b>Eighth Sunday after Pentecost (2<sup>nd</sup> cl.)</b> Pro Populo
10:00 am	Donna Micun by Warren Dorman

## Mass Schedule

### *Ordinary Form*

*Saturday 4:15pm*

### **Extraordinary Form**

Saturday, 6:00 pm; Sunday 8:00 am; 10:00 am; 4:30 pm (Naperville)

Monday through Friday: 7:30 am

ALSO Thursday 5:30 pm, followed by Holy Hour and Benediction

AND First Friday (ONLY) 6:00 pm; Saturday 8:00 am

### Holy Days of Obligation

*Ordinary Form: 4:15 p.m. anticipated Mass, if a priest is available*

**Extraordinary Form: 7:30 am & 6:00 pm**

### Confessions

30 minutes before Mass

### **WELCOME VISITORS!**

*Worship Aides for both forms of the Mass are in the pew racks. We welcome new parishioners. Census forms are in the back of the church, either in racks or on the tables. Turn in your form to Fr. Magiera or place your form in the collection basket. No need to respond 'Amen' at Latin Mass Holy Communion.*

### **Weddings**



*For parishioners with faithful parish membership for at least one year. Please inquire at least 6 months prior to intended date.*



### **Baptisms**

Any weekday is possible, but Saturdays are preferred. To schedule your family's Baptism, please call or email Fr. Magiera. Thank you very much!

**Prayer Intentions for the living and deceased:**

Christy Becker, Jim Dernulc, Michael Kelly, Mary Lund, Kathleen Mary McNair, Ray Tomanio, Merlin Melnarik, Kaira Paramo, Russler Family, Angie Schuman, Judy Splayt, Fr. Chris Steinle, OSA, Jim Wright, Ken Zabel, Adele Stukas, Aldona Peciura, Nancy Tomanio, Zita Stukas, Hellmann/Roman/Kasperek, Robert Fearncombe, Jr., Isabella Goodrich, Bonnie Reichstadt, Ellen McCague, Mary Mitchell, George Magee, Fr. Christopher Manuele, Susanna Wheeler and James Wheeler, Ricardo Martinez, Ayako Naganuma, Mason Leon Raymond Courney, Cyndy Crane, Isabella Woodsick, Johnny Schutzius, and Ilona Leja, Chris & Theresa Galounis, Marilyn Dolnack, Sandra Surges, Cole Francis Leon, Sue Gorski, Lisa Herron Family: Claudia, Nicholas, Richard and Sandra Pope, Kathy Barthelt, Linda Nace, Susan Sasek, George MacZura, Yolanda Morino, Steven Evets and Delfino Orosco.

**RIP:** Ben Bazik, Joseph Birsa, Glen Dykhuizen, Tahara Dykhuizen, Barbara Schoenberger, Fran Nelli, Dale Bixenmann, Arthur Birsa, Mary Rose Bucciarelli, Diane Wolfe, Bonnie Nagra, Corinne Bowers, Dr. Stephanie Pavnica, Andrew Pavnica, Maria Fairman, George McCague, Linda Stortz, Kevin Hansen, Richard Blaskie, Fr. Vytas Memenas, Ed Bowlan, Rich Goss, Art Johnson, Rod Springer, Fr. Jess Testa, Lenore Anders, Rita Luzbetak, Mark Evans, Ellen Schutzius, Daniel Moreno, Miguel Piña, Adeline Garvy, Mary Shankland, Alex Tomasino, Stephen Sculley, John J. Nevin Sr., Michael Kelly, Anita Goss, Donald Tadda and Nancy Fury, Glen Proud, Robert Mitchell, Kenneth Kierstein, Joseph Carrabotta, John Kish and Carol Galuszka, Fr. Don Buggert, George MacZura IV, Sean O'Connor, Serafino Orozco.



**St. Joseph's Library**

The St. Joseph's Church library is back. Stop by the St. Michael room and take a look at the books and devotional materials.

<b>By the Numbers for July 8<sup>th</sup>/9<sup>th</sup>, 2023</b>		
Regular Collection	Saturday 4:15 PM	\$366.00
	Saturday 6:00 PM	\$852.00
	Sunday 8:00 AM	\$2,735.00
	Sunday 10:00 AM	\$1,362.88
	Naperville 4:30 PM	\$1,581.75
Special Needs	Saturday 4:15 PM	\$60.00
	Saturday 6:00 PM	\$60.00
	Sunday 8:00 AM	\$130.00
	Sunday 10:00 AM	\$295.00
	Naperville 4:30 PM	\$695.00
Building Fund	Saturday 4:15 PM	\$20.00
	Saturday 6:00 PM	\$100.00
	Sunday 8:00 AM	\$130.00
	Sunday 10:00 AM	\$105.00
OLG Seminary	Saturday 6:00 PM	\$20.00
	Saturday 6:00 PM	\$200.00
	Sunday 8:00 AM	\$50.00
Rectory Repairs	Sunday 10:00 AM	\$100.00
	Sunday 8:00 AM	\$40.00
Soundproof Confessionals	Sunday 8:00 AM	\$50.00
Intercom	Sunday 8:00 AM	\$291.00
Votive		\$75.00
Mass Intention		\$21.00
Salt		\$29.10
Donuts		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$9,368.73</b>
<b>THANK YOU VERY MUCH</b>		

**Mass Attendance July 8 & 9**

4:15 PM	28
6:00 PM	63
8:00 AM	190
10:00 AM	197
4:30 PM	194

## SOCIAL MEDIA



Website:

[www.fsspjoliet.wordpress.com](http://www.fsspjoliet.wordpress.com)



Join **Flocknote** our parish communication tool:


Text StJoes to 84576 or

sign up online with [flocknote.com/StJoesRockdale](http://flocknote.com/StJoesRockdale)



Facebook: St. Joseph Catholic Church – Rockdale, Illinois

## St. Joseph's Music News



St. Joseph Church adult chant schola and choir rehearses from 7PM to 9 PM Thursdays after the evening Mass and Holy Hour. New members, both men and women, are heartily welcome to join. The children's choir (for children who are old enough to read) rehearses from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM. The youth choir rehearses from 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM. Both on Wednesday evening. We welcome new members! For information, speak with Daniel Lucetta after the 10 AM Sunday Mass or contact him through the rectory.



## Our Lady of Fatima, Pray for Us.

Our traditional Holy Hour in honor of Our Lady of Fatima will be **Wednesday, September 13<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM.**



## Friday Weekly Eucharistic Adoration

Please join us every Friday for Exposition and Adoration of the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament following the 7:30 AM Morning Mass until 6:00 PM. The Seven Sorrows of Mary Novena and the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary will be prayed until 9:00 a.m. Silent Adoration will follow with the "Changing of the Guards" / (Adorers) at the top of each hour until 6:00 PM. All are welcome to come and adore Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.

## Mass Intentions

Mass Intention envelopes are available in the back of church. Please PRINT and completely fill out the front of the envelope. We will do our best to accommodate your request. Mass Intentions are filled on a first come, first served basis. Our Mass intention dates are filled for 2023 and 2024 is quickly filling up. The Mass Intention Envelope MUST be completely filled out in order to take your request. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the rectory. Thank you very much!

## Registration Forms

Please fill out a registration form, found in the back of the church, to update names, addresses phone numbers, etc. We need your information to update our digital family filing system.

## CMAA Report:

St. Joseph's Goal for 2023:	\$25,100
Amount Pledged to Date:	\$26,764
Amount Paid to Date:	\$24,109
Balance Due to Pledged Amount:	\$ 2,655
Amount Due to Goal Amount:	\$ 991



This just keeps getting better and better. Look at those numbers. Let's keep our terrific record. We can do this!



### **Bulletin Articles**

If you have an article that you would like to be included in our bulletin, please type and email your announcement to [stjosephrep@hotmail.com](mailto:stjosephrep@hotmail.com) at least 10 days in advance. Father Magiera must approve all articles. Thank you very much!

### **Survey Request**

We've been asked to participate in a survey. A researcher at The Catholic University of America is promoting a survey called "US Catholic Liturgy Survey. It aims to gather information about the beliefs and characteristics of Catholics who attend a parish that offers a Latin Mass (whether or not they themselves attend Latin Mass).

The researcher notes: Your participation is voluntary and confidential. It may very well help us to better understand the diversity and richness of our liturgical traditions and to foster a spirit of unity and dialogue among Catholics. The survey will take about 7 minutes to complete and it can be accessed online through this link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/catholicmass>.

He continues: Please take part in this survey, if you wish to share your views and insights with the researcher. Your feedback is valuable and appreciated. Thank you for your cooperation and support.



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31ST ANNUAL

# Back to School Fair

Preparing students from low-income households in Will County for a successful new school year!

**MONDAY, JULY 24, 2023**  
**2:00PM - 6:00PM**

**ST. MARY IMMACULATE PARISH**  
**15629 SOUTH ROUTE 59, PLAINFIELD**

**Participants will drive through to receive school supplies.**

**Online pre-registration is mandatory and begins on May 23!** Please register ASAP as supplies are limited and registration will close once maximum number is reached.



Visit [catholiccharitiesjoliet.org](https://catholiccharitiesjoliet.org) or use the QR code.



If you need help with the online form, please call 815-774-4663.

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Joliet is a faith-based organization providing service to people in need and calling others of good will to do the same.





# 2023 A SWING AND A PRAYER

A DAY OF GOLF TO SUPPORT  
CATHOLIC CHARITIES, DIOCESE OF JOLIET



**THURSDAY  
AUGUST 24, 2023**

**COG HILL  
GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB**

EARLY BIRD PRICING

**\$250** / Golfer

**YOUR TICKET INCLUDES**

18 holes of golf with cart  
grab and go lunch  
drinks on the course  
cocktail hour  
buffet dinner  
on-course contests with prizes!

To register by phone :

**815-724-1140**

or visit [catholiccharitiesjoliet.org](http://catholiccharitiesjoliet.org)

Reserve your spot



You are Cordially Invited!

Diocese of Joliet Grandparents Mass

at the Cathedral of St. Raymond

Celebrated by Bishop Ronald Hicks

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Date: July 23, 2023, Time: 2:00pm

Please RSVP below - QR Code or

Contact Jessica Krejter 815-221-6192



*"His mercy is From Age to Age" Luke 1:50*