

## August 9, 2026

### Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Weekly Mass Schedule

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|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>Monday, Aug. 10</b>    | <b><u>Intention</u></b> |
| 8:00 am                   | Celebrants Intention    |
| <b>Wednesday, Aug. 12</b> |                         |
| 5:30 pm                   | Faithful Departed       |
| <b>Thursday, Aug. 13</b>  |                         |
| 8:00 am                   | Celebrants Intention    |
| <b>Friday, Aug. 14</b>    |                         |
| 8:00 am                   | Faithful Departed       |
| <b>Sunday, Aug. 16</b>    |                         |
| 10:00 am                  | Tom Beck                |
| 5:30 pm                   | All Parishioners        |

#### St. Isidore Weekly Mass Schedule

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|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>Tuesday, Aug. 11</b> | <b><u>Intention</u></b> |
| 8:00 am                 | Nicole Berger           |
| <b>Sunday, Aug. 16</b>  |                         |
| 8:00 am                 | Martne McCoy            |

**Mobile App:** Our Lady of the Holy Spirit

**Website:** [www.mtzolhs.org](http://www.mtzolhs.org)

**Facebook:** Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Catholic Church and St. Isidore Catholic Church – Bethany

**Eucharist Adoration:** Held every month at OLHS on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after 10 am Mass.

**ONLINE GIVING** Go to [www.mtzolhs.org](http://www.mtzolhs.org) and click on the link under the Online Giving button.

**Remember your church** in bequests and insurance policies.

**A locked dropbox** is located by the parish office door for 24/7 drop offs

**Traveling?** In need of an area Mass times and place? Go to [masstimes.org](http://masstimes.org) to find location and time

**Email:**

Father: [rpyrchla@dio.org](mailto:rpyrchla@dio.org)

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**OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)**  
**Interested in becoming Catholic?** OCIA will start again in September 2026. Contact Dr. Katherine Leo ([katherine.m.leo@gmail.com](mailto:katherine.m.leo@gmail.com)) or the Parish Office for details.

**Congratulations to Sadie Lou Rogers**, daughter of Steven and Shelby Rogers of St. Isidore parish, who was recently baptized. May she always walk with the Lord.



*An email from Father Zach Samples,*

On Sunday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>, I will be at St. Isidore and OLHS to preach on vocations and ask folks to consider making a contribution to our Good Shepherd Society for Priestly Vocations. Looking forward to seeing the great parishioners at St. Isidore and Our Lady of the Holy Spirit!

#### Our Gifts to God and Our Parish

|                                    |               |
|------------------------------------|---------------|
| <u>Our Lady of the Holy Spirit</u> | <u>Aug. 2</u> |
| Offertory                          | \$ 3,397.     |
| General Donations                  | 250.          |
| Little Doves                       | 125.          |

**Capital Campaign Deposit: Aug. 2 was \$1,710..**

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| <u>St. Isidore</u> | <u>Aug. 2</u> |
| Offertory          | tbd           |

Thank you for your blessings to our parishes



**Do you know someone who wants to become Catholic?** OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) is a spiritual journey for adults interested in learning more about their faith and receiving the sacraments of initiation into the Church. **Classes begin September 13, 2026 after the 10am Mass** in the classroom off the Parish Hall. All are welcome! Email Dr. Katherine Leo ([katherine.m.leo@gmail.com](mailto:katherine.m.leo@gmail.com))



## 11th Annual Night at the Movies

Tuesday, September 15th

6:30 p. m.

Lincoln Square Theatre

**"TRIUMPH OF THE HEART**

**THE PASSION OF ST. MAXIMILIAN KOLBE"**

True story of illuminating hope

by a man who gave up his life for

his fellow Auschwitz prisoner.

Not recommended for ages under 13.

Tickets \$5 each

For tickets call WDCR (217) 464-1099

Or download a flyer [wderradio.com](http://wderradio.com)

## WDCR NIGHT AT THE MOVIES



A powerful true story about St. Maximilian Kolbe, the Franciscan priest who chose sacrifice over survival and love over hatred during his imprisonment in Auschwitz.

Strong content not recommended for ages under 13. A 2-hour movie.

Free shuttle service available from the Civic Center parking lot to the Lincoln Square Theater from 5:30 pm - 6:15 pm. Shuttle return from 8:30 pm - 9:15 pm.

*"Love is the realest thing. No one can take that from us. Even now."*  
- St. Maximilian Kolbe

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141 N. Main St. • Decatur, IL 62523

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2026 • 6:30 PM**  
TICKETS: \$5 EACH

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Yes! I will attend.

☐ I am unable to attend, but I would like to make a donation to WDCR to help with continuing their promotion of strong Catholic theology and values.

☐ Enclosed is a check for \$\_\_\_\_\_. Please send me \_\_\_\_\_ tickets.

We accept credit cards.  
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Have you noticed the traffic lately during the day? People are out and about getting those last minute summer fun events in, getting school supplies, and preparing for school. Be alert and safe.

August 9, 2026

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

*"He said, 'Come.' Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus." – Matthew 14:29*

When you hear Jesus calling, do you responded immediately and trust that He knows what He's doing? If so, you are walking on water! When we say "yes" to Jesus, we feel the power of his presence in our lives. We can feel the freedom it gives us! Listen how Jesus is calling you to live the extraordinary life He has intended for you.



Our Lady of the Holy Spirit will be celebrating 50 years with an event in September. More details soon. Plan on joining us to celebrate 50 years! Together for 50!



**Have you been married 50+ years? Time to celebrate you!**

On October 4 at 2 p.m. at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Springfield, all couples married 50 years or more are invited to attend a special Mass honoring their marriage vocation! The Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Thomas John Paprocki. A reception will follow after Mass. Please register for the Mass by going to [dio.org/events](http://dio.org/events) and clicking on the Oct 4 Mass. The deadline to register is September 21<sup>st</sup>. The reception will showcase all photos submitted in the last two years. Any questions? Call Ruth Staab at 217-698-8500.

**Invite someone to Mass or any event!**

Been gone during the summer? We have a seat waiting for you!

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