## ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

## Leading Souls to Heaven

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Pastor: Rev. Christopher Lankford Deacon: Rev. Mr. Alex Lorang

#### **MASS TIMES**

#### Mondays

5:30 pm

#### **Tuesdays**

8:15 am

#### Wednesdays

5:30 pm

#### **Thursdays**

8:15 am

#### **Fridays**

12:00 pm

#### Saturdays

5:00 pm (Sunday Vigil)

#### **Sundays**

7:30 am 9:30 am 11:30 am

#### CONFESSIONS

#### **Saturdays**

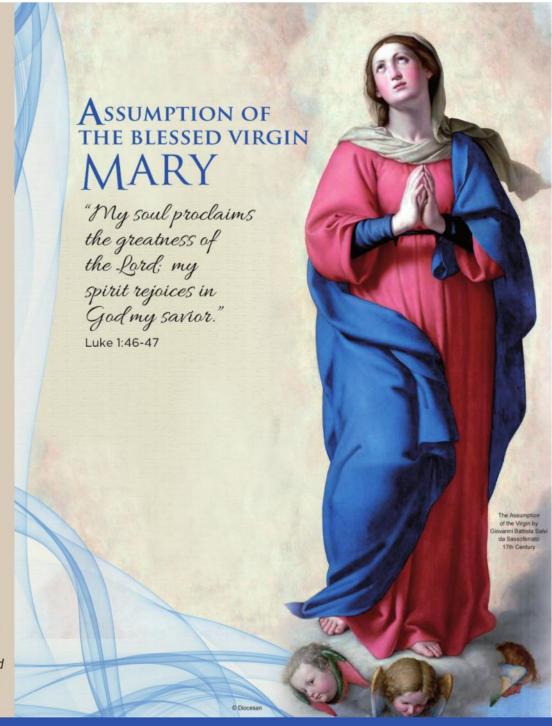
3:30-4:30 pm (Church)

#### ADORATION

#### **Thursdays**

following 8:15 am Mass & Rosary, to 8:00 pm (Chapel)

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is Monday, August 15th, 5:30 pm Mass



Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time, August 14, 2022

#### FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Friends in Christ.

We've completed the removal of the asbestos in our grade school for this particular Pardon Our Dust project. The air tests came back perfect and our school is safe for our students for their first day of school on August 17th.

Pictured here are some before photos as well as an in-progress photo with all the asbestos removed. I can't wait to show you photos after all the new tile and flooring is installed.

All of this great work is due to your generosity and prayers. Without your financial support, but most importantly your spiritual support, none of these projects could take place. If you would like to help specifically with projects on campus like the one mentioned here, please consider donating at Mass or on our website at www.stjohnwinfield.org. Click on "Give Online with WeShare," then see the "Pardon Our Dust" logo. With your help and prayers, our facilities are receiving the upgrades they need to continue our mission, Leading Souls to Heaven.



To view this bulletin, or to subscribe go to www.DiscoverMass.com

#### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, August 13, Vigil, Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

† Lucille Vogt (Ronald & Sharon Kammes Family) 5:00 p.m.

† Geraldine Petrucci (Debbie Moore)

† Jack & Elaine Duggan (The Duggan & Holbrook Families)

† Arlene Grisanzio (SJB RE Staff & Families)

† Dr. John Heitzler (Terrence L. Denniger)

† Cyndi A. Vivoda (Joan Cleary)

Sunday, August 14, Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. ♥ † The People of the Parish

† Giuliana Capigatti (Andrew Capigatti) 9:30 a.m.

11:30 a.m. ♥ † Knights of Columbus, Living & Deceased (K of C)

Monday, August 15. The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

♥ † The People of the Parish 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday, August 16

† Jeanne Ptak (Al Ptak & Family) 8:15 a.m.

Wednesday, August 17

5:30 p.m. † Richard Aylward, Sr. (Jack Aylward)

Thursday, August 18

8:15 a.m. † Evelyn Zawislak (Lois & Chuck Kirk)

Friday, August 19

12:00 p.m. † Colette Miller, Anniv. (Marianne & Jim Russell)

† Fr Arno Dennerlein

† Lester Hitchner (Maureen Garro)

† John Grubisic (Dan Conley)

† Sr. Philomena Stuzke (The Vermillion Family)

Health & Intentions, George Bolger (Pat & Jim Marino)

Saturday, August 20, Vigil, Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. † Fred Dusza (Butch Hansen)

† Chuck Johnston (Butch Hansen)

† Patti Bentley (Mike Bentley)

† Gloria & Stan Fortman (Patricia & Werner Welz)

† Kevin Blackwell (Jim & Rose Effinger)

† Dr. John Heitzler (Margaret Hussey)

Sunday, August 21, Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time † Carol Connors (Dan & Helen Lutzenkirchen) 7:30 a.m.

9:30 a.m. \*† The People of the Parish

11:30 a.m. † John Pohodich (John Pelican )

Mass Intentions: The donation for a Mass Intention is \$10; the 5:00 pm Sat. Vigil Mass and 12:00 pm Friday Mass are free-will donations. Please note: the 2023 Mass book is open.



please pray for

#### Florence Hrynko

who passed away on August 2, 2022. Our sympathies are extended to her daughter & son-in-law, Tammy & Bob Camp, and to all of her family & friends.

Please keep in your prayers our Deacon who is preparing for the Priesthood:

#### Rev. Mr. Alex Lorang

Please pray for all the Seminarians who are studying in the Diocese of Joliet.

#### Please pray for our sick

Praying for our sick is one of the most important things we can do as a parish community. Please pray for the following people. The entire sick list will be featured on our website, www.stjohnwinfield.org.

If you or someone in your family is sick & would like to be included in this list or prayed for by our confidential Prayer Line, please contact the parish office at 630-668-0918, ext. 0

\*Bill Talz\*

Aaron Erickson

William Ferdinand

Patrocinia Fernandez

Marie Flores

Valerie Fraser

Kyle Freed

**Dolores Gabriel** 

Monica Garcia

**Gregory Garit** 

Darlene Gedvilas

Danny Gonzalez

Judy Gonzalez

**Dawn Grant** 

Destin Green

Marcia Grisanzio

Daniel Guzman

Jennifer Hammerschmidt

Deborah Lynn Harris

**Betty Hass** 

Jeremy Heintz

John Heitzler, Jr.

Joseph & Joy Henczel

Baby Luke Hougan

Mike Hraha

Edy Jacobs

Pat Jakubiec

Monique Jakubielski

Jason Jensen

Margarita Jimenez

Shawn Jurgensen

Mary Kallas

Kathy Kamphaus

Brandon Karimi

Ken Kasnicka

Carter Kettner

Donna Kevil Larry Zengri

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## Please pray for those who defend our nation, those who serve in Active Duty

Pvt James Luigi Akin **SRA Francis Beifuss** Major John Berg Sqt. Tyler Bowling, US Army Sgt Melissa Brooker **Pvt Timothy Conley** 

Lt. Jr. Gr. Nicholas Daly Major Daniel Durbin LCPI Ciro Esquivel, Jr.

Sqt. Nicholas Gedvilas Pv2 Nicholas Gorman

Sqt Pamela Gray

Colonel Eric Hass, US Army Colonel Erica Haas, USAF

A1C Seth Kelley

Airman Nicholas Kostecka

Lt. Crystal Kotvan Sqt Major Carrie Kwiatkowski Sqt. David Lawless SrA Robert Lawless Navy Marco Angelo Lomibao

Commander Matthew Luff WO1 Jake Miller

CMDCM (SW/SS/AW) Timothy A. Newell ABH2 Sean PhillipsCaptain Colleen Rezabek Captain Kevin Rezabek

A1C Alejandro Luis Sanchez

Cpl Riley Santoyo Sqt Ian Sarlitto

AN Michael Schieve

2LT Allyson Serbick

PFC Keegan Serbick Major Jim Smolucha

Major Mike Smolucha

SPC Thomas Stanhope AFSSgt Zachary Ushman

### Lt. Keith Wolfe

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC

## SUNDAY, AUGUST 21ST

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE 11:30 MASS

#### WHAT TO BRING:

A HOT OR COLD DISH TO PASS - SALADS/VEGGIES/FRUIT (PLEASE BRING IN A DISPOSABLE CONTAINER) A BLANKET OR LAWN CHAIR IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO SIT OUTSIDE

#### WAYS TO VOLUNTEER:

WE NEED POP/WATER DONATIONS AND SEVERAL **VOLUNTEERS SIGN UP:** ONLINE: https://signup.com/go/SgRfanT OR ON THE POSTER IN THE NARTHEX

#### **FUN EVENTS:**

FOOD - KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS WILL SERVE BBQ AND SWEET CORN ENJOY A PARISHIONER POT LUCK BEVERAGES - BEER, WINE, POP AND WATER MUSIC - LIVE MUSIC BY SJB CONTEMPORARY ENSEMBLE

BINGO - GAMES - OBSTACLE COURSE & HAYRIDES

#### **Our Sanctuary Lamps**

This week, our Sanctuary Lamps\* burn in Memory of (†) /Honor of (♥):



CHAPEL † Manuel Garza, Jr. CHURCH † Jeanne Ptak

\*If you would like to request a sanctuary lamp to burn inmemory of/in honor of a loved one, please contact the parish office. The cost is five dollars per week.



#### SACRIFICIAL GIVING

We are ever grateful for your loving generosity & sharing in the Ministries of serving the Lord at St. John the Baptist Parish.

Please help us meet our weekly needs of \$22,941. Thank you for your generosity and support!

July 24...\$13,696

July 31...\$13,367



#### Sign Up to Give Online!

If you've never donated online before, signing up is easy! Visit our church website at www.stjohnwinfield.org and click Give Online

Select the collection or event of your choice. Set up your donation or payment. That's it!

Once you've added your account information, donations will automatically deduct from your account. It's that easy!

> Questions? Contact Jim Nolan, 630-668-0918, ext. 604.

#### REGISTRATION FOR THE 2022-2023 RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

Registration Dates: Any day, Monday through Thursday 9–2PM (or call and make an appointment for special time)

Current email address, as all correspondences are made using email (no registration without an email) Baptismal certificates for new students. Payments may be made by cash, check, or credit card. There is a \$5 processing fee if paying by credit card. If billing is required when paying by cash, a \$25 fee will be added after September 15th.

Tuition May 16 - June 30 \$300 for one child \$400 for two children \$500 for 3 or more children

**OTHER FEES:** 

Sacrament Fee for Gr. 2, Yr. 2, Conf. 1 & 2: + \$75 6th grade activity fee: + \$30 Any class changes: + \$10

**Registrations on or after July 1 are put on a waiting list.** You will be notified if a class becomes available. Tuition and fees are to be paid at the time of enrollment. If you are unable to do so, payment plans are available, but a minimum of \$100 deposit (non-refundable) is asked to hold your registration for your specified class time.



#### SEEK ANSWERS AT DISCOVERING CHRIST.

Seven Thursday Nights Sept. 15th-Nov. 3rd, 2022 6:30 pm-8:30 pm Sebahar Hall

Also, mark your calendars for a special retreat day on Saturday, October 22nd.

Learn more and register: stjohnwinfield.org/discovering-christ

## SCHEDULE A TOUR AT OUR ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

St. John the Baptist Catholic School offers Preschool 3 through 8th grade classes including full day Preschool and Kindergarten.

Contact Joanne Policht, Principal, at 630-668-2625, extension 617 or Jpolicht@stjohnwinfield.org to schedule a tour.

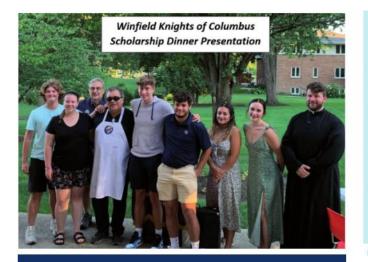


#### **NEWS FROM OUR SCHOOL**

2022 state income taxes to our school!

I am happy to let you know that we have awarded 50 tax credit scholarships for the 2022-2023 school year which is 11 more since the last update. The 51st scholarship should be awarded soon. Thanks to the generosity of 37 donors, over \$265,000 has been donated for scholarships for St. John's students. Please know how grateful we are for these donations. They truly make a difference for our students and families. Thank you, thank you!

If you haven't made a contribution yet, please prayerfully consider making a contribution to the tax credit scholarship program and receive a tax credit on your 2022 state taxes while making it possible for eligible current and new students to attend our school. We have 10 students on our waitlist and we would love to help them. Taking advantage of this opportunity yields a tax credit of 75% of the donation on Illinois state income taxes. If you have questions about the tax credit scholarship program, contact Principal Joanne Policht, at Jpolicht@stjohnwinfield.org or Fr. Jeff Putthoff at Jputthoff@dioceseofjoliet.org. You can also text Fr. Jeff at 347-788-8463. With a text or an email you can direct your



## Knights Scholarship -

On August 1st, the Knights presented scholarships to the following 2022 winners at a barbeque at St. John's Pavilion: In photo-Hayden Janavich, Victoria LaCroix, Ryan Lyngaas, Norby Herbert, Dolce Reyes, Bridget Weber. Not present: Madison Thomas, Anne Otto. Congratulations, Scholarship Recipients! If you are interested in attending the Knights Scholarship Fundraising Dinner on Thursday, September 8, from 5:30-8:30 pm during Good Old Days, please contact Sean Conley at 630-752-0624/ seanpconley1@comcast.net or Tony Reyes at 630-669-0501/tonyreyes@cartoncraftinc.com

#### SVDP GROCERY NEEDS

While you are out shopping, consider picking up any of the items listed on the St. Vincent de Paul grocery list included here. You can

bring the item to Mass and place it in the barrel at each Church entrance inside the doors or drop off at the parish office vestibule.

Questions? 630-668-0918, ext. 692.

Thank you!

The items they need currently are.
Paper Towels
Toilet Paner

Laundry Detergent
Dishwasher Soap
Pasta

Sugar Flour Cooking Oil

BOOK CLUB

St. John's Book Club: All are welcome at our next monthly meeting, Wednesday, August 17th, 7:00 pm at the home of Jean Daniell. We will discuss the book, *Back of the Yard* by Meg Lelvis.

Please inquire for directions or with any questions & RSVP Jean at tjdaniell@att.net. Upcoming dates and title: Sept 21st *Princess Daisy* by Judith Krantz; Oct 19th *Project Hail Mary* by Andy Weir



MOPS

## SJB MOPS

SJB MOPS is in need of a paid childcare employee. Duties include providing child care for children from birth to 5 years old alongside another worker. Care is needed the first and third Friday of each month from 9:00-12:00. Inquiries can be sent to c09emily.schaffer@gmail.com.



Transportation - We are riding in a 24
Passenger Air-conditioned Mini Motorcoach
provided by Chicago Classic Coach

- · Arrive at Sebahar Hall by 8:45am
- Bus departs at 9:00am promptly and will return about 3:00pm
- The drive to St. John, IN is about 90 minutes. We arrive at 10:30am and depart about 1:30pm. CCW is providing water bottles for the bus ride.
- · We are limited to 24 passengers!

St. John's Council of Catholic Women is sponsoring a visit to The Shrine of Christ's Passion in St. John, Indiana on Wed. Sept. 14th. Make your reservation to enjoy this day-trip by September 1st. Information and reservation form below:

#### Visiting the Shrine

- Walking the Shrine takes about 1 1/2-2 hours. Golf cart tram rides can be reserved for a cost of \$6. Wheelchairs available for free
- Bring your own lunch to enjoy on the patio with tables & chairs. Pack your lunch in an insulated bag if it needs to be kept cool!
- Visit their fabulous Gift Shoppe—we have allowed plenty of time to browse and make purchases if you like.
- Any questions?—please contact Sheila Hornyak at : hornyak921@gmail.com or 630-234-3792

Reservation form—Res	Reservation form—Reservations due by Sept. 1, 2022				
	Cost is \$32 each	Golf Cart Tram is \$6	the Shrine		
Name		Phone#	OF CHRIST'S PASSION		
Name		Phone#			
Will you need to rid	le the Golf Cart Tram	for \$6? Will you need a	wheelchair -no charge?		
Check#	Make check	ks payable to St. John's CCW	Amount enclosed		
Turn reservation in	to offertory at Mass	or parish office by Sept 1st. E	nclose in an envelope marked "CCW". Thank		
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CONTACT INFORMATION:	
Parish Directory:	630-668-0918
Religious Education Office:	Ext 613
Director: Maureen Brennan	Ext 612
RCIA (Convert Preparation)	Ext 600
Parish Secretaries: Jennifer Kurtyka, Rosa Benavides	Ext o or 600
Secretaria Hispana:	Ext 601
Director of Finance, Facilities & Operations: Jim Nolan	
Music Ministry: Adrienne Rose	630-653-1489
Grade School Office:	Ext 618
Principal, Joanne Policht	
Phone 630-668-0918 Press 2	Fax: 630-668-1074
St Vincent de Paul Society:	
Church: www.stjohnwinfield.org School: www.sjbwinfield.org	
For information on joining St. John's, please see our website or call the parish office. Office	ce Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m

#### **Bulletin Articles**

Submissions are due by noon on Tuesday, 12 days prior to the Sunday which you wish the article to appear. Include the name & phone number of the person submitting the article & how long you wish the article to appear. Please email as an attachment using Microsoft Word to jenniferk@stjohnwinfield.org & rosab@stjohnwinfield.org

#### SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

#### **Baptisms**

Baptisms are held on Saturdays. Parents need to be registered parishioners for at least six months and parents will need to attend a Baptism Preparation Class prior to the Baptism. Godparents are to be practicing Catholics! If Godparents are married, their marriage needs to be blessed by the Catholic Church. Please contact the parish office, 630-668-0918, 600.

#### RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)

Our RCIA classes are for any adult wanting to become Catholic. This is the time when questions are answered and formation begins. So, whether you are answering God's call to join the church, seeking to participate fully in the sacraments, or looking to find answers about the Catholic faith, RCIA is for you. RCIA sessions meet weekly from September until Easter. Jim and Rosanne Druckemiller are co-directors and they can be reached by contacting the church office at 630-668-0918. Call soon and get excited about the Catholic faith. We can't wait to meet you!

#### Wedding Information

Getting married? Give us a ring! Please contact one of the parish priests as soon as you become engaged and at least six months before the wedding date. Spiritual preparation begins at least SIX MONTHS in advance. Catholics need to be attending church every Sunday. Please do not set your reception date until you meet with a priest.

#### PRAYERS & SUPPORT FOR THE SICK & THOSE IN NEED

#### Having Surgery?

Give one of our priests a call PRIOR to your surgery, so that anointing can be given at a time when you are less stressed. Call the parish office at 630-668-0918, ext. o, & set a time to come in BEFORE your surgery for anointing.

#### **Hospital Visits**

Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, our priests are unable to make a hospital visit unless the situation is dire. To receive communion while in the hospital, please make the request to a hospital Chaplain. Because of HIPAA Laws the Hospital does not notify Churches when parishioners are there. Please notify the St. John's Parish Office when a loved one is in the hospital so prayers can be offered. We want to do our best to minister to all hospitalized.

#### Homebound

Parishioners who are homebound and wish to receive communion, please call the parish office at 630-668-0918, ext. o, and we will pass your name to the coordinator for Homebound Ministry.

#### Prayer Line, Prayers of the Faithful

If you or someone in your family is sick & would like to be prayed for by our confidential Prayer Line or would like to be mentioned in the Prayers of the Faithfull at Sunday Masses, please call the parish office at, 630-668-0918 ext. o.

#### Grief Support Group

Our Grief Support Group offers emotional support for those grieving a loss - whether by death, divorce, or other significant event in their lives. Support is based on confidentiality, trust, and safety. The next Grief Support meeting will be in September. For more information, contact the parish office, 630-668-0918, ext. o.

#### KNIGHTS & MEN OF ST. JOHN

Come pray the Rosary & stay for a get-together, St. John's Fire Pit, 7:00 pm, Wed., August 24th. Questions? Sean Conley, 630-835-8225

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