

## June 23, 2024

### 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### +Eucharistic Celebrations+

Saturday, June 22, 4:00pm at Holy Cross-Wendelin "Joseph Weber & Lorraine Smithenry Families"

Sunday, June 23, 10:00am at Holy Cross-Wendelin "Gerald Kuentler and Patricia Berger+"

Monday, June 24, 6:30pm at St. Joseph-Stringtown

Tuesday, June 25, 5:00pm at St. Lawrence-Lawrenceville

Wednesday, June 26, 8:05am at St. Joseph-Olney

Thursday, June 27, 6:30pm at Holy Cross-Wendelin "JV & Florine Weidner Family"

Friday, June 28, 8:00am at St. Joseph-Olney

Saturday, June 29, 4:00pm at Holy Cross-Wendelin "Wayne Kessler+"

5:00pm at St. Joseph-Olney

Sunday, June 30, 10:00am at Holy Cross-Wendelin "Richard Weidner+" "Ernest & Dorothy Kuhl+"

8:00am at St. Joseph-Stringtown

8:00am at St. Joseph-Olney

10:00am at St. Lawrence-Lawrenceville

#### SUNDAY COLLECTION – Sun. June 16, 2024

(59) Envelope Collection: \$2,038.25

Loose: \$164.00

**Total: \$2,202.25**

(6) Building Fund: \$215.00

(1) Cemetery: \$20.00

(5) CSMA: \$620.00

(1) Rebuild: \$100.00

#### HOLY CROSS REBUILD & IMPROVEMENT

**FUNDRAISING UPDATE:** As of Wednesday, June 19<sup>th</sup> - **\$213,843.51** has been received from 245 donations – thank you!

#### \*JUNE LITURGICAL MINISTERS\*

<u>SATURDAY</u>	<u>SUNDAY</u>
<u>Open/Lock/Greet:</u> Holly Nettleton	<u>Open/Lock/Greet:</u> Dusty & Kim Smithenry
<u>Eucharistic Ministers: Eucharistic Ministers:</u>	
Tammy Rudolphi	Kim Smithenry
Josy Hart	Jason Warfel
Sherry Geier	Ellen Weber
<u>Lectors:</u>	<u>Lectors:</u>
Jennifer Rudolphi	Paul Kocher
<u>Money Counters:</u> *Kevin & Heather Blank*	
<u>Ushers:</u>	<u>Ushers:</u>
Carl Weidner	Ben Street
Kelly Geier	Kevin Blank

#### REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS \*OUR SICK

Devin Deisher, Carl Klingler, MaryAnn Bierman (Sister of Ruth Rauch), Mary Beth Scherer, Don & Norie Staley

#### CRMH COMMUNION:

Jun. 30 – Diane Herdes (618)-723-2506

July 14 – Ellen Weber (618)-752-5225

July 21 – Maria Rudolphi (618)-752-5900

Aug. 11 – Martha Deimel (618)-663-8275

Aug. 18 – Lynn Weidner (618)-723-2426

#### MASS SERVERS:

Sat. June 22 – Ellee Nettleton, Levi Rudolphi

Sun. June 23 – Grace & Stella Warfel

Sat. June 29 – Hank Weidner & Ian Kessler

Sun. June 30 – Brooke & Braden Weidner

#### PARISH EVENTS:

Tuesday, June 25 – ASAP Prayer Service and Adoration at St. Joseph-Stringtown, 9:30am and Stringtown Study, 10am

Eucharistic Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament of St. Joseph-Olney, 12pm-3pm

Wednesday, June 26 – Sisters in Christ at Holy Cross-Wendelin, 5:30pm

Thursday, June 27 – Brothers in Christ at Holy Cross-Wendelin, 7pm

#### OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY:

Our deepest sympathy to the Myron & Rhonda Weidner family for the accident and death of their grandson, **Caide Weidner**. *May Caide rest in God's love.*

#### YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY:

**No Bible Study this week (June 24th) due to VBS at Stringtown!**

Meeting at the Holy Cross rectory on Monday's at 7pm. Anyone ages 18-30 are welcome to join! (No longer in high school to those around the age of 30!) If you are interested or have questions, please contact Tyler Timm at [ttimm@stjoeolney.com](mailto:ttimm@stjoeolney.com) or 507-530-2911.

#### YOUNG ADULT GATHERING:

Young Adult Ministry BBQ and Theology on Tap, June 30th at Rotary Park from 6 pm - 8 pm. Topic: "Making Big Decisions as a Christian" - Fr. Steven Beatty. Food provided, but adult beverages are to be brought by yourself (for 21+ only, please enjoy responsibly!) Ages 18-35 welcome! Please contact Tyler Timm if you plan on going so that we can plan for food, or if you have any questions!

#### CAROLINE TRIMBLE PASTORAL ASSOCIATE:

This is the voice of authority- that proclaims- *Quiet- Be Still!* Our Lord speaks and nature responds. Our Lord is still speaking to each one of us. Do you hear his voice? Do you respond or dismiss it? Quite possibly, the voice of True Authority is needed in your own heart, and not the noise of the world. Quite possibly, our response needs to be- *I Will Be Quiet- I Will Be Still-* and wait to hear the voice of authority-the voice of the one who loves- the voice of the one who died so that I would live! Take time to be Quiet- and *Be Still with Our Lord.* Journey onward responding to the one who speaks, and nature responds. Our Lady of Perpetual Help, *pray for us!*

#### SISTERS IN CHRIST:

Wednesdays at 5:30pm at Holy Cross-Wendelin

#### BROTHERS IN CHRIST:

Thursdays at 7:00pm at Holy Cross-Wendelin

#### FAMILY CATECHESIS:

This is for ALL ages: birth, pre-school, grade school, high school kids, even for you ADULTS! This is for the WHOLE FAMILY that wants to be involved, participate, and kept aware of ALL THINGS FAMILY CATECHESIS. A LOT of Catholic Learning, Fun, Gatherings, Activities, Events, Speakers and so much more on the Horizon. This will surely be the BEST one YET! Family Catechesis is held October-May, monthly or bimonthly! **Please remember to register!**

#### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: Begins Sunday!

**VBS – Scuba – Diving Into Friendship With God**  
**St. Joseph Stringtown**  
**June 23-25 from 6:00-8:00pm**

**Sunday:** God is a friend who's real.

**Monday:** God is a friend we can trust.

**Tuesday:** God is a friend for everyone.

**Tuesday evening ALL are invited to attend the Fin-Tastic Finale at 7:45pm with a special reception afterwards.**

#### SAINTS IN TRAINING:

Every Sunday in July. You will pick up your packets weekly at Mass. This is for all ages!

#### ST. JOSEPH OLNEY SCHOOL NEWS:

**Summer Office Hours: Mondays and Thursdays 8am-3pm** Registration dates: July 15<sup>th</sup> - July 17<sup>th</sup> - Down Payments Due

#### OLNEY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:

**Sunday June 30:** Knight led Rosary at 7:40AM. 8AM Knight Ministry at St. Joseph-Olney Mass followed by a fellowship family breakfast at a local restaurant. **Knight of the Month** - Ken Blank - Fish Fry Volunteer **3<sup>rd</sup> Degree 2024-2025**

**Officers:** Grand Knight - Carl Sager, Deputy Grand Knight - Rodney Ochs, Chaplain - Very Rev. Steven Beatty, Financial Secretary - Mike Ginder, Treasurer - Steve Kuenstler, Recorder - Scott Seiler, Lecturer - Deacon Jack Shuster, Chancellor - Kyle Kuenstler, Advocate - Ben Weiler, Warden - Dan Zwilling, Guards - Matt Zuber & Preston Kuenstler, Trustees - Elmer Weiler, Dan Kuenstler, and Hank Ginder.

**BIBLE STUDY:**

**9:15 AM Bible Study, Room B.** Deacon Jack will take you through the Bible readings for the Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time and we'll hear a lot about death. But we'll also hear about healing, lots of healing. And touching. Life-giving touching which strengthens us and gives us a sense of unity and belonging. Don't miss this Bible Study!

**CYM UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**No Softball this week (June 25th) due to VBS at Stringtown.**

**June 23-25:** VBS-CYM will be assisting.

**July:** July 2, 16, 23, 30 (Pizza party at 6:30pm on the 30th) - Softball at Holy Cross at 7:00pm, July 7-13: Mission Trip

**August:** August 4<sup>th</sup>: Lemon Shake-Up stand fundraiser at HC Picnic

**Middle School Nights for 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Graders:**

Saturday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> following Mass at St. Joseph Olney; Friday, July 19<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 at St. Joseph Olney; Saturday, August 24<sup>th</sup> following mass at St. Joseph Olney

**2024 CATHOLIC SERVICE & MINISTRY APPEAL:**

*Serve the Lord with gladness -Psalm 100*

Each year the success of The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal depends upon the generous response of every Catholic household – it depends on you!! Every dollar donated to The Appeal is restricted and supports only the work of 17 diocesan ministries which serve thousands of people throughout southern Illinois each year. To

learn more about the good works your gift makes possible, visit [www.diobelle.org](http://www.diobelle.org) and click on The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal. poster or call Judy Phillips at 618-722-5007 – she'd love to hear from you!

**INVITATION TO BISHOP BRAXTON'S**

**CELEBRATION:** His Excellency, The Most Reverend Edward K. Braxton, Ph.D., S.T.D., Bishop Emeritus of Belleville, invites you to join him for a Mass of Thanksgiving, on Sunday, July 14, 2024 at 5:00pm in the Cathedral of St. Peter, in Belleville commemorating the 54<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of his Ordination to the Priesthood the 29<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of his Consecration to the Episcopacy and the 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of his birth. The Intention of this Mass will be Prayers for Vocations to the Priesthood in our Diocese. You are invited to greet the Bishop and enjoy Refreshments at a Reception immediately after the Mass in the Undercroft of the Cathedral. RSVP by Wednesday, June 26 to Mary Fleming, [mfleming@diobelle.org](mailto:mfleming@diobelle.org), 618-722-5031.

**2024 WENDELIN PICNIC INFORMATION:**

**The Picnic Committee is accepting hog donations!** Please call/text either Taylor Hall at 217-663-8520 or Mareah Rauch at 618-553-6839 for donations, drop them off in the collection basket at church marked "hog donation for picnic" or you can send your donation directly to the Parish Office. Please make sure that your donation is clearly labeled. Thank you! **COUNTRY STORE:** Please identify each item brought in for the country store. This will help with organizing items day of picnic. Any questions please contact Natalie Hopson 217-240-4281 or Taylor Hall 217-663-8520. **PICNIC ITEMS – DONATIONS:** We are accepting "Luck of the Draw", "Theme Basket Raffle", and "Take-A-Chance Items". Contact Taylor Hall (217-663-8520), Mareah Rauch (618-553-6839), or the Parish Office to schedule a time to drop off items. Items can also be dropped off picnic weekend in parish hall. **REMINDER:** For LUCK OF THE DRAW

prizes, we are looking for unique, one-of-a-kind, quality items for donations (i.e. coffee mugs, pot holders, decorative items, etc.). If you have any questions, please contact Karla Volk at 618-752-7531. **THEME BASKETS:** can be dropped off the week of picnic on Wednesday (July 31st) evening 5-7 or during set up on Friday (August 2nd) and Saturday (August 3rd). Please also list the theme name on each of your baskets. **MYSTERY BOX STAND:** Items \$1.00 or less. Please NO candy (it melts). Bring bagged items to the Rectory, or to the stand day of picnic. **RAFFLE:** Raffle Tickets and Prize Lists available NOW!

**CHURCH ITEMS:**

Several items removed from the church have been placed under the west pavilion. **After Sunday mass on June 23**, parishioners will have one week to take any of the remaining wooden organ pipes, baseboard, and kneelers (new kneelers have been ordered). On **Monday, July 1**, we will dispose of any remaining items.

**PETER'S PENCE:**

Next week, we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, which unites us and Catholics around the world more closely with the Holy Father in two ways: it supports the structures of the Holy See through which the Pope governs the Church as well as his charitable efforts to assist victims of war, oppression, natural disasters and others most in need. Be a sign of mercy; support the Peter's Pence Collection. For more information, visit <https://www.obolodisanpietro.va/en/cos-e-l-obolo.html>.

**SACRED HEART PICNIC:**

Sacred Heart Picnic will be held this Saturday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> 5pm-midnight and Sunday 12pm-11pm! Chicken & Ham dinner (dine in or carry out) from 11am-6pm on Sunday. Check out their Facebook event @SacredHeartCatholicParishEffinghamIL for more details.

**Sunday, June 23, 2024**  
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The Lord is the strength of his people, a saving refuge for the one he has anointed. Save your people, Lord, and bless your heritage, and govern them forever.



**Holy Cross Church-Wendelin**  
5782 Ingraham Lane, Newton, IL 62448  
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**Mass Schedule:** Thurs., 6:30pm  
Saturday 4:00pm, Sunday 10:00am  
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