June 30, 2024

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

<u>+Eucharistic Celebrations+</u>
Saturday, June 29, 4:00pm at Holy Cross-

Wendelin "Wayne Kessler+"

Sunday, June 30, 10:00am at Holy Cross-

Wendelin "Richard Weidner+" "Ernest & Dorothy Kuhl+"

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Monday, July 1, 6:30pm at St. Joseph-Stringtown Tuesday, July 2, 5:00pm at St. Lawrence-

Lawrenceville

Wednesday, July 3, 8:05am at St. Joseph-Olney 1:30pm at Carle RMH "Special Intention"

Thursday, July 4, 6:30pm at Holy Cross-Wendelin NO MASS

Friday, July 5, 8:00am at St. Joseph-Olney Saturday, July 6, 9:00am at Holy Cross-Wendelin

"For the Parish"

4:00pm at Holy Cross-Wendelin "Tom Buerster & Eric Dietrich"

5:00pm at St. Joseph-Olney

Sunday, July 7, 10:00am at Holy Cross-Wendelin "William & Sophia Volk Family Living & Deceased" "Judy, Scott, & Leonard Kessler+"

8:00am at St. Joseph-Stringtown 8:00am at St. Joseph-Olney

10:00am at St. Lawrence-Lawrenceville

SUNDAY COLLECTION - Sun. June 23, 2024

(70) Envelope Collection: \$2,362.00

Loose: \$206.00 Total: \$2,568.00

(6) Building Fund: \$415.00(1) Cemetery: \$100.00(1) Rebuild: \$100.00

HOLY CROSS REBUILD & IMPROVEMENT

FUNDRAISING UPDATE: As of Wednesday, June 26^{th} - **\$213,943.51** has been received from 246

donations – thank you!

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS *OUR SICK

JULY LITURGICAL MINISTERS

SATURDAY SUNDAY
Open/Lock/Greet: Open/Lock/Greet:

Dave & Tammy Cindy Blank

Rudolphi

Eucharistic Ministers: Eucharistic Ministers:

Celia Rudolphi Marcia Street
Tammy Rudolphi Penni Kuenstler
Lynn Weidner Travis Weber
Lectors: Lectors:

Tony Kuenstler

Jennifer Rudolphi

Money Counters:

*Gerald & Diane Schackmann *

Ushers:	Ushers:
Daniel Baker	Michael Kistner
Michael Kuenstler	James Kistner
Dave Rudolphi	Austin Zwilling
Mark Rudolphi	Gary D. Fehrenbacher

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 29 – Hank Weidner & Ian Kessler Sun. June 30 – Brooke & Braden Weidner

Sat. July 6 – Clara & Boyd Weidner Sun. July 7 – Nora & Alex Street

PARISH EVENTS:

Sunday, June 30 – Young Adult Ministry BBQ and Theology on Tap

Tuesday, July 2 – ASAP Prayer Service and Adoration at St. Joseph-Stringtown, 9:30am. There will not be Stringtown Study this week! Eucharistic Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament of St. Joseph-Olney, 12pm-3pm

Wednesday, July 3 – Sisters in Christ at Holy Cross-Wendelin, 5:30pm

Thursday, July 4 – Happy Independence Day! Parish offices will be closed.

Friday, July 5 – Parish Office will be closed. Saturday, July 6 – First Saturday Mass at Holy Cross-Wendelin with Confession beginning at 8:15am.

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY:

Our deepest sympathy to Kathy Kuenstler on the death of her sister, Patty Kuhlig. *May Patty rest in God's love*.



CONGRATULATIONS:

Congratulations to Andy & Emily Kessler on the baptism of their daughter Carlie Jo on Sunday, June 23rd. Godparents were Jamison & Cassie Nattier.

YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY:

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 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:

Whoever had much did not have more and whoever had little did not have less. A powerful line of scriptures from 2 Corinthians and a daily

reminder in our faith journey. Take a moment - pause and re-read these words. It is of extreme importance for one's souls because our culture places extreme emphasis of having, doing, acquiring, wearing, appearing, as means of identifying as "better than you." However, our gracious Father knew we would need- truthful reminders- to keep us graciously focused on "higher things" – Him -God alone! Where is your focus? Whoever had much did not have more and whoever had little did not have less. Journey onward and excel in faith, discourse, knowledge, all earnestness, and love! 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!

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 15th - July 17th - Down Payments Due

The school has a large number of metal folding chairs available for sale. Please call the school office (395-3081) for details/to purchase.

Mrs. Josy Hart assumes the role of St. Joseph School principal July 1st. Thank you, Josy, for your eighteen years of committed service to our school, families, and parishes! We look forward to your continued dedication as our principal.

Welcome to our newly hired staff members!
Rachel Zwilling Foerster – Kindergarten Teacher
DeAnn Dorn – 3rd Grade Teacher (welcome back)
Shanna Ginder - Classroom Aide.

Thank you to Samantha Foust, Holly Nettleton (Holy Cross representative), and Marissa Runyon for joining our Board of Education for the 2024-25 school year.

Thank you to Christy Blank, Tammy Rudolphi, and Kathy Davis for their years of service on the St. Joseph Board of Education!

OLNEY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:

Thursday, July 11: 3rd Degree meeting, 7PM. Please attend and meet the 2024-2025 Officers! Pizza also! During each meeting, members drop their name in for an annual attendance incentive drawing - Congratulations Steve Kuenstler! Thursday, July 18: 4th Degree meeting, 7PM. 2024-2025 Officers begin their new year! Congratulations to the 2024-2025 4th Degree Officers; Friar-Very Rev. Fr. Steven Beatty, Navigator-Steve Kuenstler, Comptroller-Jim Gibson, Purser- Hank Ginder, Scribe-Mike Ginder, Captain-Don Seger, Admiral-Dan Zwilling, Pilot-Bill Denham, Sentinel's-Ben Weiler & Matt Zuber, Trustees-Deacon Jack Shuster, Elmer Weiler, & Dan Kuenstler.

ST. JOSEPH-OLNEY BIBLE STUDY:

9:15 AM Bible Study, Room B. Deacon Jack will take you through the Bible readings for the Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time and we'll hear a lot about rejection. Those with closed minds never did find out who Jesus really was. Many close-minded people today continue to

reject Jesus. Bring someone who rejects Jesus to this Bible Study!

CYM UPCOMING EVENTS:

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 4th: Lemon Shake-Up stand fundraiser at HC Picnic

Middle School Nights for 6th-**8**th **Graders**: Friday, July 19th at 6:30 at St. Joseph Olney; Saturday, August 24th following Mass at St. Joseph Olney

2024 CATHOLIC SERVICE & MINISTRY APPEAL:

Serve the Lord with gladness -Psalm 100
"Psalm 100 reminds us that we are called to serve
the Lord and our service is not just done out of
obligation but with a spirit of joy and gladness.
With confidence in Jesus, I am turning to you
asking for your support of this year's Catholic
Service and Ministry Appeal. Sharing our
resources together we can truly 'serve the Lord
with gladness' throughout southern Illinois." Bishop Michael McGovern Please consider making
your gift today!

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!

HEAD OF STANDS MEETING:

A head of stands meeting will be held on July 10th at 6:45pm. Meeting location at Holy Cross to be determined.

CAKE/CRAFT DRAWING:

Cake/craft drawing will be held next weekend, July 6^{th} and 7^{th} !

CHURCH ITEMS:

Several items removed from the church have been placed under the west pavilion. On Monday, July 1, we will dispose of any remaining items.

PETER'S PENCE:

Today is the Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the activities of the Holy See through which Pope Francis governs the Church and exercises his charitable works. When used for charitable outreach, funds from the collection help those most in need. Take the opportunity to join with Pope Francis and 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.

Sunday, June 30, 2024 Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

All peoples, clap your hands! Cry to God with shouts of joy!



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Mass Schedule: Thurs., 6:30pm Saturday 4:00pm, Sunday 10:00am

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