



VOCATION PRAYER CALENDAR

OCTOBER 2025

*Please remember these men and women in your daily prayers
—Priests, Deacons, Seminarians and Women & Men Religious in the Diocese of Joliet*

- 1 Br. Lawrence Fidelus O.CARM, Br. Dominic Saganich O.CARM, Br. Edward Marc Arambasich OFM
- 2 Dcns. Richard McCowan, Douglas McIlvaine
- 3 Sr. Lucille Krippel OSF, Sr. Kathy Salewski, OSF, Sr. Janice Keenan OSF, Sr. Louise K. Bernier OSF
- 4 Fr. Gregory Rothfuchs
- 5 Sr. Madelyn Gould OSF, Sr. Barbara Rowan OSF, Sr. Carol Stevens OSF
- 6 Dcns. David Prete, Edward Ptacek, Joseph Pusateri, Victor Puscas
- 7 **Seminarian Jared Beltz**
- 8 Sr. Paula Bingert OSF
- 9 Sr. Anita Beloin OSF
- 10 Fr. Néstor F. Sánchez
- 11 Fr. Terry Deffenbaugh O.S.A., Fr. Joseph McCormick O.S.A., Fr. John Merkelis O.S.A.
- 12 **Seminarian Joshua Solarz**
- 13 **Seminarian Colin McGarel**
- 14 Mark Santschi, Justin Sommer, Kyle Stern (Deacon Candidates)
- 15 Sr. Lourdes Boyer OSF, Sr. Sue Bruno OSF, Sr. Maria Bui OSF
- 16 Sr. Mary Ann Clark OSF, Sr. Mary Agnes Cross OSF
- 17 Fr. John Sebahar, Fr. Greg Skowron
- 18 Very Reverend Richard Smith, Fr. Danilo Soriano
- 19 Sr. Laura Filipas OSF, Sr. Rosemary Fonck OSF
- 20 Dcns. John Rex, John Ripoll, David Ritter, Timothy Roberts
- 21 Sr. Sharon Frederick OSF, Sr. Ann Freiburg OSF
- 22 Fr. Robert Schoenstene, Fr. James Schwab
- 23 Fr. John Sponder
- 24 **Seminarian Giovanni Gonzalez**
- 25 Fr. Maciej Stelmach, Fr. Daniel F. Stempora
- 26 Dcns. Thomas Ross, Michael Ruddell, Kevin Ryan, Terry Safko, Thomas Sagenbrecht, Luis Saltigerald
- 27 Sr. Verene Girmscheid OSF, Sr. Mary Jane Griffin OSF, Sr. Mary Ann Hamer OSF
- 28 **Seminarian Samuel Bergmann**
- 29 Fr. Gerald Nicholas O.S.A., Fr. John Ohner O.S.A., Fr. John Sotak O.S.A.
- 30 Dcns. Thomas Rachubinski, Donald Randolph, David Raskowski, Thomas Rehak, Philip Rehmer
- 31 Sr. Barbarine Houdek OSF

*Vocations are born in prayer and from prayer; and only through prayer can
they persevere and bear fruit.*

-- Pope Francis