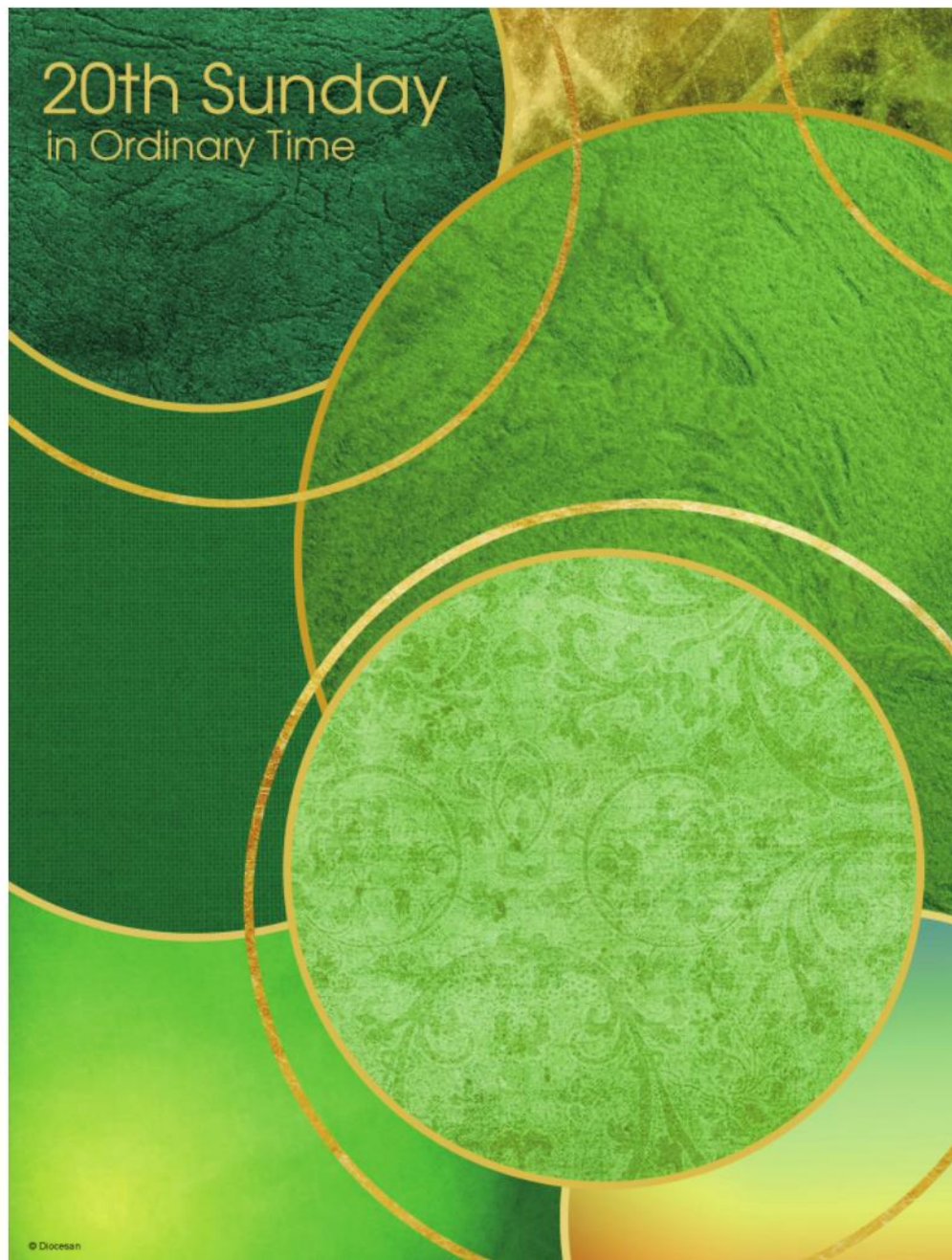




CATHEDRAL OF SAINT RAYMOND NONNATUS



August 17, 2025

Liturgical Schedule: Weekdays: Mon, Tues, Wed 6:30am | Thurs, Fri, Sat 8:00am

Weekends: Sat. 4:00pm and Sunday 8:00 & 10:30am

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CATHEDRAL OF SAINT RAYMOND NONNATUS

Parish Office Hours

Monday—Thursday 8:30am—4:30pm

Friday 8:30am—12:00pm

Saturday 9:00am - 12:00pm



St. Raymond Grade School

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Sacramental Information

Anointing of the Sick

To arrange a pastoral visit or for those that would like their name added to the bulletin please call the parish office.

Baptism of Children

Please call the parish office to make arrangements or visit our website to complete a Baptism Request Form. First time parents will need to attend a Baptism Preparation Workshop. In order to serve as a Catholic Godparent, one must be a practicing Catholic who has been confirmed.

Marriage

Couples requesting a wedding must be registered for a minimum of six months before the date can be reserved. Please contact the parish office a year in advance.

OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Contact us for further information regarding the instruction for those discerning whether to become members of our Catholic community and how to begin the process.

Join Us For Prayer!

St. Peregrine Devotion

Join us in praying for those who suffer with cancer or incurable disease or condition **Monday, September 15 at 7:00pm** or every third Monday for St. Peregrine Devotion in the Cathedral.

Prayer Connection

Have a special need for prayer? The Cathedral Prayer connection will assist by praying for your intention. Please call Yvonne Callans 815-723-4495 with your requests or your desire to join the prayer ministry.

Welcome! We are truly blessed by your presence with us today. *United by baptism, our parish family gathers together for worship and support. Empowered by the spirit of God's Love, we will preach, teach and live the Good News of Jesus Christ.* If you are new to the parish, we invite you to register by calling us at 815-722-6653 or visiting our website straymond.net.

Sign up for our weekly Flocknote email blast for information about upcoming events within our parish community and ministries by texting CSRN to 845-76 from your smartphone or visit csrn.flocknote.com to subscribe.

Like us on Facebook @ CathedralofStRaymond.

Download Our Parish App text APP to phone number 55321 or visit myparishapp.com to download.

Explore our Parish Website straymond.net for sacramental preparation, ministry opportunities and contact information.

Parish Directory

Our online password-protected directory can be accessed anytime, anywhere; upload or change your information within minutes. To access you will need to create a login using your email address on file. <https://members.instantchurchdirectory.com/signup>



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| Aug 17 | Diocesan Anniversary Mass—All facilities—2:00pm
OCIA Information Meeting—Cathedral—6:00pm |
| Aug 18 | St. Peregrine Devotion—Cathedral—7:00pm |
| Aug 19 | First Day of School K-8
Permanent Diaconate Rehearsal—Cathedral—5:00pm
Parish Council Meeting—Commons—7:00pm |
| Aug 20 | First Day of School PS & PK
Be My Witness—Tower—9:00am
Children's Choir Rehearsal—Cathedral—3:00pm |
| Aug. 21 | GS Mass—8:00am
Adoration—Cathedral—6:00pm |
| Aug 23 | No Adoration due to scheduled event
Permanent Diaconate Ordination—Cathedral / Commons—11:00am |
| Aug 24 | CSRN @ Daybreak—5:00am
Baptisms—Cathedral—11:30am |
| Aug 25 | CSRN @ Shepherd's Table—9:00am
Cathedral Window Tour Part 3—Cathedral—6:00pm |
| Aug 27 | Children's Choir Rehearsal—Cathedral—3:00pm
Small Christian Community (Judie Renz) - Tower—5:00pm |
| Aug 28 | GS Mass—Cathedral—8:00am
Back to School Night PS—5th—6:00pm
Adoration—Cathedral—6:00pm |
| Aug 30 | Adoration—Cathedral—8:30am |
| Aug. 31 | St. Raymond Nonnatus Feast Day
Fellowship Sunday—Commons A/C — following 8 & 10:30am Masses |
| Sept. 1 | Labor Day—Offices Closed |



HOURS FOR PRAYER

Monday

6:30am—4:30pm

Tuesday

6:30am—7:00pm

Wednesday

6:30am—2:30pm

Thursday

8:00am—7:00pm

Friday

8:00am—4:30pm

Saturday

8:00am—5:00pm

Sunday

7:30am—11:30am

CONFESSION

Thursday

Starting at 6:00pm
(during Adoration)

Saturday

Starting at 3:00pm

Holidays and special events may affect these times.

ADORATION



Thursday

6:00—7:00pm

Saturday

8:30—9:30am



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RE Sundays


Free Coffee Bar



Join us in the Parish Commons for a **chill coffee experience** every Sunday morning RE is in session from 9-10:15!

Enjoy free coffee and time to unwind. Connect with others, enjoy one-on-one time with your spouse, or simply rest in a relaxing atmosphere.

The Cathedral will also be open for quiet prayer.



Are you or someone you know interested in becoming Catholic?
Do you still need to be confirmed in the Cathedral Faith?
Are you curious about the Cathedral Faith?

We will have an information session on the process of becoming Catholic as well as information on completing your sacraments as an adult.

Sunday, August 17, 2025 at 6:00pm in the church.
 If you need additional information or cannot attend but are interested, please contact
Deacon Darrell Kelsey at deacondarrell2011@gmail.com.

Come and see... The Cathedral Sensory Room



After all weekend Masses August 23rd and 24th

- This room has been lovingly prepared for individuals who experience sensory sensitivities or developmental differences, including those with autism, ADHD, dementia, or anxiety.
- This room will also serve as a space for nursing moms.



What is Alpha

(connection - content - conversation)

Join an info session this week

Sunday the 17th - in the **Bell Tower** after each Mass
 Monday the 18th - 1pm in the **Bell Tower** & via **Zoom**
 Monday the 18th - 8pm via **Zoom**
 Tuesday 19th - 6pm via **Zoom**
 Thursday 21st - 7pm via **Zoom**

Register if picking Zoom



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 815 722-6653, EXT. 217 KEVIN@STRAYMOND.NET

BAKERS NEEDED!

SHOW OFF YOUR BAKING SKILLS WITH
COOKIES, PIES, CUPCAKES,
BROWNIES AND MORE!



Bake Sale during the Parish
Picnic on September 6th, 2025
from 2-7pm or until the last
crumble remains.

All goodies can be dropped off
in the Commons on Sept. 5th
from 8:30am-5:00pm.

Please individually wrap all
items or bring them in a
disposable container. If
applicable, please label them
gluten free, dairy free or nut
free.



✿ We need YOU! ✿

PARISH PICNIC VOLUNTEERS

09.06.25



<https://tinyurl.com/7pj8rdw8>

Questions? 815-722-6653



Sponsorship Opportunities

Parish Picnic Partner (Presenting Sponsor) Stage, Sound & Production Company name/logo printed on banners displayed at picnic Recognition in bulletin and at event Featured on Electronic Sign in Front of Parish	\$3,500
Seating Specialist (Major Sponsor) Tables, Chairs & Tents Company name/logo printed on banners displayed at picnic Recognition in bulletin and at event Featured on Electronic Sign in Front of Parish	\$3,000
Keeping the Party Going (Entertainment Sponsor) 3 opportunities available Providing the community with memorable music Company name/logo printed on banners displayed at picnic Recognition in bulletin and at event Featured on Electronic Sign in Front of Parish	\$1,500
Kids Zone Keeping the kids happy Company name/logo printed on banners displayed at picnic Recognition in bulletin and at event Featured on Electronic Sign in Front of Parish	\$1,500
Connector (Power Sponsor) Let there be Light - Providing the Generator Company name/logo printed on banners displayed at picnic Recognition in bulletin and at event Featured on Electronic Sign in Front of Parish	\$1,000
Contributor (Odds & Ends) The glue that holds it all together Company name/logo printed on banners displayed at picnic Recognition in bulletin and at event Featured on Electronic Sign in Front of Parish	\$500
Parishioner / Friendship Sponsorship Strengthening old friendships, creating new ones, and helping to build our family of faith. Recognition in the parish bulletin	No Gift Is Too Small

Name: _____

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Sponsorship Level: _____

AMOUNT ENCLOSED: _____

Please make your check payable to the
Cathedral of St. Raymond (Attn: Parish Picnic)
Thank you in advance for your generous support!

SEPTEMBER
6

2:00PM

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10:00PM



CATHEDRAL OF ST. RAYMOND PICNIC

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8	28	41	50	62
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John Condron
6:30-8:00PM

FOOD
TRUCKS



Japos Tacos y Antojitos



EVERYONE IS WELCOME!
WE HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!



SAVE THE DATE
Thursday, September 18

Welcome Back Cathedral Senior Club **All are welcome**

Thursday, September 18
12:00 noon in the COMMONS

Catering by Bella Cucina
Parmesan Crusted Chicken, Potato, Vegetable, Salad,
Dessert & Bottled Water
\$18.00 per person

RESERVATIONS due by Sunday, September 14
(Please adhere to deadline)

ENTERTAINMENT: TBD

Please place reservations in the Sunday collection basket,
mail to Parish office or register online at straymond.net

Split the Pot and Door Prizes

Membership Dues of \$10.00 will be collected
at the door unless pre paid.

Flu and Pneumonia Vaccine
shots will be available on site starting at 11:30am

Questions please call or email
Glenda Gumina 815-730-1344 ggumina04@gmail.com



Glenda Gumina, President
Carol Voigts, Vice President
Carol Embling, Treasure

Cathedral Seniors is a group of men and women 55 years and older, that meet in our Commons (unless otherwise noted). It is one of the longest standing ministries at the Cathedral and we are very proud of that! We gather for lunch, followed by entertainment and socialization among friends.

We gather every 3rd Thursday of the month, September—May, and whether enjoying a lunch and entertainment in the Commons or at a local restaurant the Cathedral Seniors know how to have a good time and brighten anyone's day!

Yearly membership is just \$10 and helps to offset the cost of our events. Dues are payable once a year in August.

We encourage members to come regularly but we understand that is not always possible so we are happy to welcome you whether it is once a year or every month.

If you are interested in making friends or just like to socialize and eat, this is the group for you!

Cathedral of St. Raymond Nonnatus
Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Donation

DRIVE

Before and after Masses 

5:00pm Saturday, September 27
8:00am & 10:30am Sunday, September 28

We will accept...
Clothing, shoes, linens and books in good condition.
No baby equipment such as cribs, walkers, strollers, playpens, etc.
ALL BABY CLOTHES ACCEPTED!
Stained items and broken electronics will be accepted.
PLEASE LABEL "STAINED" OR "BROKEN" ON ITEM.

WE WILL NOT ACCEPT...
Furniture and large items.
Items can be dropped off at 1820 W Jefferson, Joliet ☎ 815-729-4585.

Your donations go to the St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Shops where many donations are given away free to needy families in the community. Some are sold at reasonable prices at the thrift shops so that needy families can shop with dignity. "Proceeds" from the thrift shops go into a general assistance fund where St. Vincent de Paul conferences at the parishes help families with rent, mortgage or utility assistance.

PLEASE SPREAD THE WORD TO YOUR FAMILY & FRIENDS!

Please contact us with any questions or concerns by emailing SVDP@straymond.net.



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SEASON 11 - THE CREED - PART I
THE FATHER
September 12th - December 10th, 2025

**Register online July 24th
through August 17th, 2025**

**Late registrations run
through September 3rd, 2025**







Mass Intentions

Monday, August 18, 2025

6:30 AM Donna Pavlich, req. Goss Cousins

Tuesday, August 19, 2025

6:30 AM Joan Staszak, req. Hansen Family

Wednesday, August 20, 2025

6:30 AM William C. Cunningham

Thursday, August 21, 2025

8:00 AM Jeanne Lagger, req. Jim and Rita Kubalewski

Friday, August 22, 2025

8:00 AM Ann Gruender, req. Jerry Gruender

Saturday, August 23, 2025

8:00 AM Sandy Arthurs, req. Larry and Diana Viano

4:00 PM Ray Meader (anv.), req. Mary and Family

Bernard Vidano (anv.), req. Family

Sunday, August 24, 2025

8:00 AM Martin Furdek Family, req. Daughter

St. Raymond Parish Family

10:30 AM Carl Gremling, req. Ann Hintze

Henry and Julia Gruender, req. Jerry Gruender

Please Pray For...

WE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Helas Etienne

WE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Megan Arnold
Silvie Belue
Judy Botka
Dorothy A Brown
Patricia Buchwald
Tyler Centorbi
Colleen Cler
Mari Condon
Judy Delaney
Sharon DelRose

Patrocino Fernandez
Edward Gannon
Robert Greenly
Ernest Hankins
Aurelie Hagstrom
David Hampton
Ross Karraker
Ann Marie Linko
Maria Masterson
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Lydia O'Donnell
Lillianna Peylo
Bonnie Salamon
Joseph Spiech
Katherine Spiech
Bernie Spieler
Chuck Sroka
Tom & Kathy Wise
Patricia Wisniewski

WE PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

2LT Nicholas Zelehovitis PFC
CAPT Faith C.E. Moore D.O.
Brandon Vasquez, PFC
Ryan Grill, SSG
2nd Lieutenant Isabel Izquierdo
Midshipman Victor Izquierdo

Adrianna Soltis SPC
PFC Ryan Vander Tuuk
COL David Conner
LTC Donald Erickson
Danielle M. Wyatt
Midshipman Leo Anastopoulos

Reporting Sexual Abuse: Anyone with reason to believe that a child has been abused or is being abused should report their suspicions to civil authorities. Contact: Illinois Department of Children and Family Services: 1-800-25ABUSE or local police. The Diocese of Joliet Victim Assistance Coordinator is available to help victims/survivors of child sexual abuse by a cleric, employee or volunteer of the Catholic Church. The Victim Assistance Coordinator will report to Bishop Hicks and coordinate efforts of pastoral support and outreach to assist in the healing process. The Victim Assistance coordinator can also assist in making a report to civil authorities. Contact the Diocese of Joliet Victim Assistance Coordinator at 1-815-263-6467.

Liturgical Ministers of the Mass

Saturday, August 23 • 4:00pm

Lectors: Mary P Barney

EM's: Beverly Reeves, Tom Reigser, Grady Smith, Nathan Homolka

Servers: Scarlett Sullivan, Ellie Sorg, Jaime Vargas

Sunday, August 24 • 8:00am

Lectors: Austin Hough

EM's: Katie Choudhary, Marilyn Skelly, Rhonda Callans,
Maggie Colabuono

Servers: Eddie Winarski, Alex Flood, Avery Medved

Sunday, August 24 • 10:30am

Lectors: Maggie Bednarowica

EM's: Kim Bell, Sue Snodgrass, Michelle Slape, Judy Botka

Servers: Colton Cannaday, Carson Boyter, James Johnson



Stewardship



Date	08/10	YTD
Collection Offering	\$ 18,373	\$ 108,444
Budgeted	\$ 20,098	\$ 120,788
Overage / Shortage \$	(\$1,725)	(\$12,344)
Overage / Shortage %	(8.6%)	(10.2%)
Annual Budget	\$ 1,025,000	

Meet Our Staff

Most Rev. Ronald A. Hicks,
Bishop of Joliet
Most Rev. Dennis E Spies
Auxiliary Bishop of Joliet
Most Rev. R. Daniel Conlon,
Bishop Emeritus

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