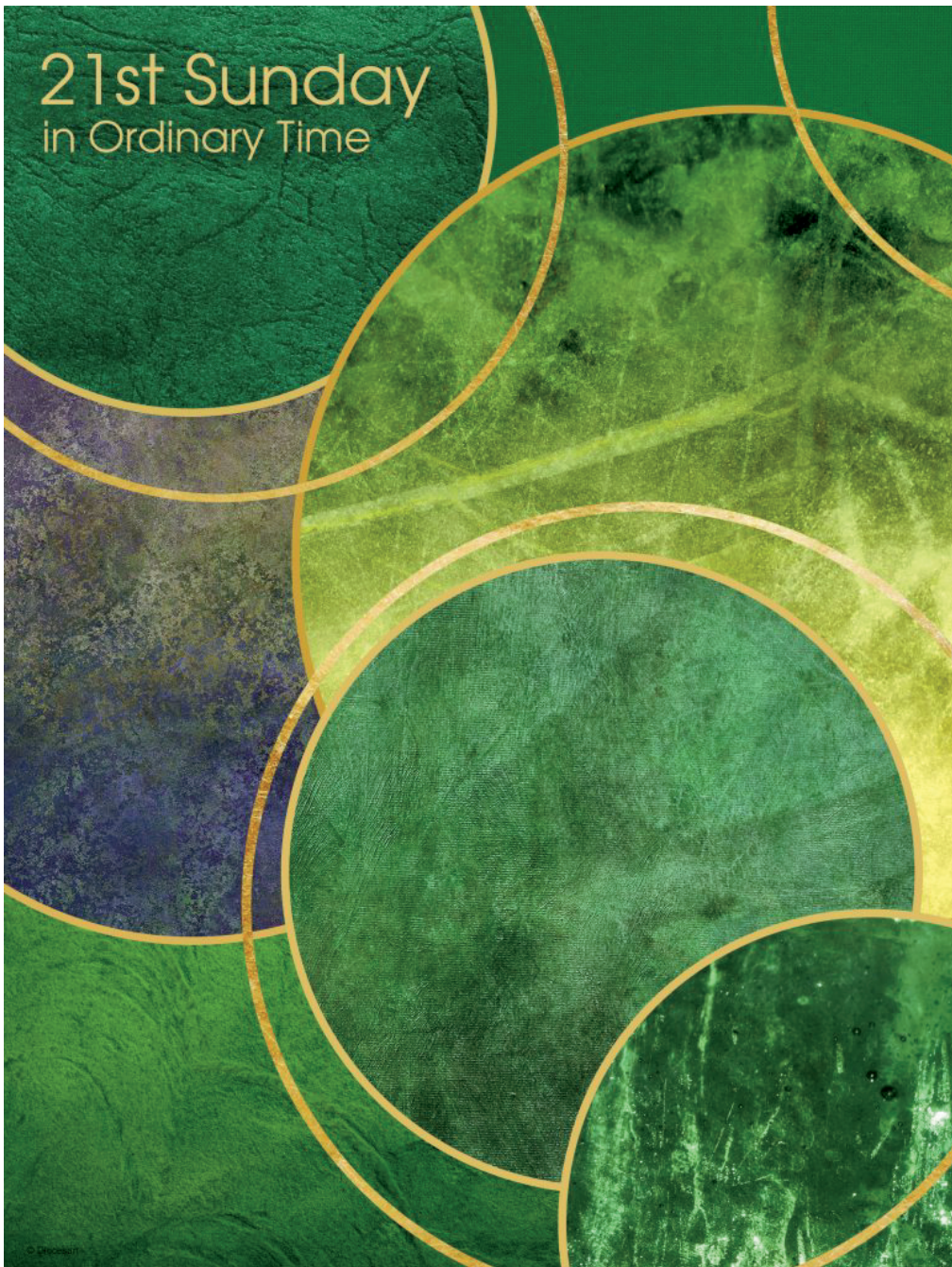




CATHEDRAL OF SAINT RAYMOND NONNATUS

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time



August 24, 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.

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

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>



- 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
Picnic Committee—Commons—6:00pm
- 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
Sunday After Mass—Cathedral—12:00pm
- Sept. 1 Labor Day—Offices Closed
- Sept. 3 Youth Choir Rehearsal—Cathedral—3:00pm
Back -to-School Night Jr. High—School—6:00pm
- Sept. 4 GS Mass—Cathedral—8:00am
BEHOLD Adoration—Cathedral—6:00pm
- Sept. 5 Picnic Set Up—Volunteer on page 5
- Sept 6 Picnic Set Up—Volunteer on page 5
Adoration—Cathedral—8:30am
PICNIC—All are Welcome—Invite your friends and family!
2:00—10:00pm
Family Mass—Cathedral—4:00pm
- Sept 7 First Day of Religious Education Classes—9:00—10:15am
Youth Group—Gym—11:30am
OCIA—Tower—6:00pm



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Fellowship Sunday



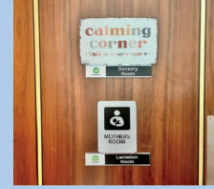
Join us in
celebrating the

**Feast Day of
St. Raymond
Nonnatus**

**Sunday,
August 31!**

We invite you
to gather for
cake and
fellowship
after
**8:00 &
10:30am
Mass
in the Parish
Commons.**

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.



St. Raymond & the Others



CATHEDRAL OF SAINT RAYMOND NONNATUS
A ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH OF THE DIOCESE OF JOLIET



Today, we celebrate the Feast Day of St. Raymond Nonnatus and will reflect upon this extraordinary man and the rich tapestry of holy men and women whose relics, statues, and images are venerated within these walls. Each figure holds a unique place in the spiritual heritage of our community, their lives offering us wisdom, inspiration, and the enduring presence of God's grace.

August 31, 2025

**The Feast of
St. Raymond Nonnatus
Noon in the Church
St. Joseph Transcept**

THE CATHEDRAL WINDOWS *Part 3*



CATHEDRAL OF SAINT RAYMOND NONNATUS
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Monday, August 25, 6-8pm

presentation by Katie Choudhary

Katie will conclude
her windows
presentation &
reflection with the
final 3 Cathedral
windows.

Anyone is welcome—
no need to have attended
previous presentations.
Reservation not required,
but maybe let us know
you're coming..



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re@straymond.net




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STACY@STRAYMOND.NET
815-722-6653 EXT.253

**FIRST REHEARSAL:
WED, OCT 1
6:30PM**



OPERATION ANDREW DINNER

"What are you looking for?"
John 1:38

September 25, 6-8pm
Queen of Apostles Parish
18 Woodlawn Ave, Joliet, IL
60435

Young men and their fathers are invited to **join Bishop Dennis Spies and several area priests for dinner, conversation, and testimonials about their own vocation stories.** There will be opportunity for a question-and-answer session and meeting other young men open to the priesthood.

Open to high school and young adult age men and their fathers.



Scan the QR code to RSVP.



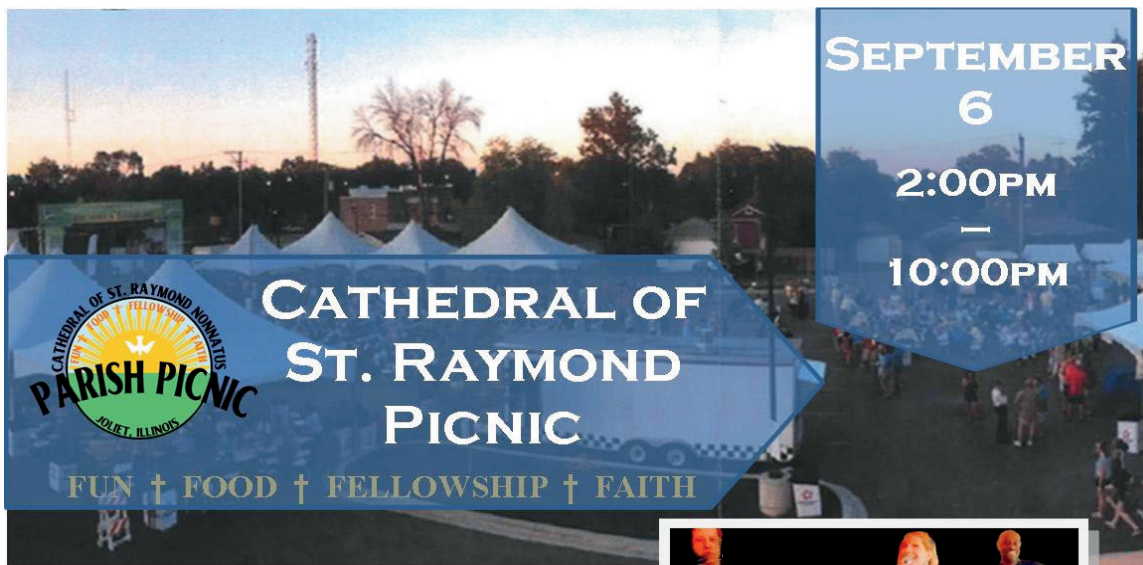

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Ages 4 through 8th Grade

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**SEPTEMBER
6
2:00PM
—
10:00PM**



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**EVERYONE IS WELCOME!
WE HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!**

**FOOD
TRUCKS**



**BAKERS
NEEDED!**

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

Questions or to
volunteer to bake
please email
info@straymond.net



**Bake Sale
during the Parish
Picnic**

**September 6
from 2:00—7:00pm
Or until the last
crumble remains!**

**All goodies can be
dropped off in the
Parish Commons
on Friday,
September 5
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.**

Parishioner / Friendship Sponsor

Strengthening old friendships, creating new ones, and helping to build our family of faith.

Recognition in the parish bulletin

No gift is too small!

Use the QR code or
please make check payable to the
CSR Parish Picnic.

Thank you in advance for your generous support!



✿ We need YOU! ✿

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09.06.25

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

Questions? 815-722-6653





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!



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Tuesdays, 6-8pm
beginning September 16
Contact Kevin@straymond.net
815 722-6653, ext. 217
straymond.net/alpha

Alpha



We come to St. Raymond's to seek and
understand Jesus Christ. Whether we've
been Catholic our whole lives or are just
at the beginning of a journey of faith, this
Alpha program will be an opportunity to
connect with others, get some basic
content about faith in Jesus Christ, and
have meaningful conversations.
Be interested- this will be good.

Cathedral of St. Raymond Nonnatus

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Donation
DRIVE

Before and after Masses



4:00pm 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.

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the community. Some are sold at
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that needy families can shop with
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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.

Mass Intentions

Monday, August 25, 2025

6:30 AM Greg Renz (anv.), req. Family

Tuesday, August 26, 2025

6:30 AM Lois Bucciferro, req. Family

Wednesday, August 27, 2025

6:30 AM William E. Fay, Sr.

Thursday, August 28, 2025

8:00 AM St. Raymond's Memorial Mass Society

Friday, August 29, 2025

8:00 AM JoAnn Dutka, req. Husband, Ken

Saturday, August 30, 2025

8:00 AM Rev, Francis Scanlan

4:00 PM Amparo Ramirez, req. Maria Acosta and Pat Greenan

Sunday, August 31, 2025

8:00 AM St. Raymond Parish Family

Tom Geary, req. Family

10:30 AM Luisa Velasquez Ramirez, req. Tania Hidalgo

Please Pray For...

WE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Gerald Pasteris

Nancy Wruk

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
Patricia McShaffrey

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 30 • 4:00pm

Lectors: Kelly Alt

EM's: Jan Kopman, Pat McShane, Jeanne Lindholm

Servers: Logan Schoenherr, Mike Smith, Hunter Hepfinger

Sunday, August 31 • 8:00am

Lectors: Steve O'Connor

EM's: Jen Errrthum, Ava Pritz, Mary Lawson, Alex Flood

Servers: Meghan Russ, Ciaran O'Connor, Roisin O'Connor

Sunday, August 31 • 10:30am

Lectors: Billie Terrell

EM's: Kristin Drain, Judy Stengele, Veronica Rodriguez, Francisco Rodriguez

Servers: Vinnie Thomas, Jack Jaworski, Keira Connolly



Stewardship



Date	08/17	YTD
Collection Offering	\$ 22,259	\$ 130,703
Budgeted	\$ 20,098	\$ 140,886
Overage / Shortage \$	\$ 2,161	(\$10,183)
Overage / Shortage %	10.8%	(7.2%)
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
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Bishop Emeritus

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