



CATHEDRAL OF SAINT RAYMOND NONNATUS

World Mission Sunday is the Church's annual worldwide celebration of prayer, solidarity, and support for Catholic missions. In 2026, it marks its 100th anniversary, inviting all Catholics to participate in sharing the Gospel through prayer, sacrifice, and generosity. Contributions help support mission communities, future Church leaders, evangelization efforts, and the needs of the Church in mission territories around the world.



WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

"I have made you a light to the Gentiles,
that you may be an instrument of salvation
to the ends of the earth."

Acts 13:47



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October 18, 2026

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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Welcome!

We truly believe that your presence with us today is a blessing. United by baptism, our parish family gathers for worship and support. Empowered by the spirit of God's Love, we will preach, teach, and live the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Register by calling
815-722-6653
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Parish Directory

CATHEDRAL OPEN
Monday & Tuesday 6:30am-4:30pm
Wednesday 6:30am-2:30pm
Thursday & Friday 8:00am - 4:30pm
Saturday 8:00am - 5:00pm
Sunday 7:30am - 11:30am

CONFESSIONS
Tuesday starting at 7:30am
Saturday starting at 3:00pm

ADORATION
Saturday 8:30am - 9:30am



Calendar

	Unday Sunday Collection Weekend Fellowship Sunday - Commons - following Masses Be Formed - tower - 9:00am Religious Education Classes - Grade School - 9:00am Parent First Reconciliation - Cathedral - 9:30am OCIA / Adult Formation - Commons - 11:30am
Oct. 18	
Oct. 19	St. Peregrine Devotion - Cathedral - 6:00pm
Oct. 21	GS Living Rosary - Cathedral - 2:15pm
Oct. 22	Men of Frassati - Tower - 8:00pm
Oct. 23	High School Youth Ministry - Tower - 7:00pm
Oct. 24	Adoration - Cathedral 8:30am St. Raymond Class of 1976 Reunion Oktoberfest! 5:00 - 10:00pm
Oct. 25	SRN @ Daybreak - 5:00am Be Formed - Tower - 9:00am Religious Education Classes - Grade School - 9:00am OCIA / Adult Formation - Commons - 11:30am Baptisms - Cathedral - 11:30am
Oct 26	CSRN @ Shepherd's Table - 9:00am
Oct. 28	Catholic Men's Night - see next page Small Christian Community (Renz) - Tower - 4:30pm
Oct. 29	No School Mass Men of Frassati - Tower - 8:00pm
Oct. 31	Adoration - Cathedral - 8:30am
Nov. 1	All Saints' Day Be Formed - Tower - 9:00am Jr High Youth Ministry - Gym - 9:00am Religious Education Classes - Grade School - 9:00am Family Mass - Cathedral - 10:30am OCIA / Adult Formation - Commons A - 11:30am Call to Continuing Conversation - Cathedral - 1:00pm
Nov. 2	All Soul's Day Mass of Remembrance - Cathedral - 7:00pm

Parish Office Hours

Monday—Thursday 8:30am—4:30pm
Friday 8:30am—3:00pm
Saturday 9:00am -12:00pm

St. Raymond Grade School

608 N. Raynor Ave, Joliet, IL | 815-722-6626

Sacramental Information

Anointing of the Sick: If you or a loved one is in need of the Anointing of the Sick, please call the Parish Office to arrange a visit with a priest.

Baptism: 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 a date can be secured. 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, October 19 at 6:00pm** 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 us.

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WELCOME

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**Thursday,
November 19, 2026**

12:00 NOON

Parish Commons

Catering by Bella Cucina
Menu

Chicken Tetrazzini Squares,
Garden Salad,
Green Beans, Fall Dessert &
Bottled Water

\$18.00 per person

ENTERTAINMENT



MANNY J

Musical Variety Show

**Reservations due by Sunday
November 15, 2026**

Please adhere to deadline. Place
reservations in Sunday collection
basket, mail to parish office, or
register online at straymond.net.

Split the Pot and Door Prizes!

If you have questions please call
or email Glenda Gumina at
412-999-8854 or
ggumina04@gmail.com

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**OCT 28
2026**

CATHOLIC MAN NIGHT

**TOPIC: Making room for your
faith through a busy life**



Keynote
Mike Blackburn
Knights of Columbus
State Secretary

Featuring
Dr. Ryan Hendrickson
President
University of St Francis
Joliet



Cathedral of St. Raymond | Joliet

Wednesday, October 28, 2026

5:30-8:30 pm

Dinner provided

Scan QR code to register or visit

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Calendars for Our Veterans

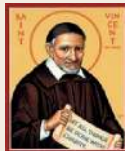


Ever open your mailbox to find that a local
business of charity has sent you a yearly calendar
only for you to place in the recycle bin?

We will again be collecting these (or New) 2027
calendars for the Illinois Veterans Home of
Manteno. Donations can be dropped off at the
Parish Office or can be placed on the welcome
tables at all church exits.

*Thank you for helping to make a
difference in the lives of those
who have served us!*

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CALL FOR HELP

In need of assistance, or know someone who is?
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Call our Helpline:
815-773-4167

A volunteer will return your call within 48 hours.

For security, return calls are from a PRIVATE/BLOCKED line.



CATHEDRAL OF SAINT RAYMOND NONNATUS

CATHOLIC MORAL TEACHING

October 18, 11:30am in the Cathedral

Faith in Action:
Understanding Catholic Morality
Presented by Katie Choudhary

Learn. Most Sundays after the 10:30 Mass we gather for a presentation to learn more about our faith.

Ask Questions. Whether a life-long Catholic, asking questions, or

Make Disciples. in formation to enter the Church, join us for these sessions. No need to RSVP or attend consistently.



Next Topics:

Oct 25- Catholic Social Teaching

Nov 1- Gifts of the Holy Spirit

Nov 8- Discipleship and Mission

Nov 15- Life in the Parish

Contact kevin@straymond.net 815 722-6653, ext. 217

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• Wednesdays
6:30 - 8:00pm

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SUNDAYKIDZ

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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OKTOBERFEST
2026

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2026
5:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Eat. Play. Drink. Enjoy.

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The Living Rosary

Wednesday, October 21
2:15pm
Cathedral

The Living Rosary has been a St. Ray's tradition for over twenty years. Parishioner Cyndi Karges began it with the school children immediately after 9/11.

Our 5th grade class will be leading us through this beautiful Catholic tradition.

All are welcome to join us.

Guests should sit on the Mary or Joseph side of the church.

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Tuesday, October 20th
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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, October 19, 2026

6:30 AM John Rubocki, Sr., req. Rub Family

Tuesday, October 20, 2026

6:30 AM Kevin Reardon (anv.), req. Family
Mary T. Naal (anv.), req. Frances Naal and Family

Wednesday, October 21, 2026

6:30 AM Virginia Moore (anv.), req. Rick Moore
Rosemary Giarrante, req. Family

Thursday, October 22, 2026

8:00 AM Bernice and Tom Carroll, req. Pat and Elbert Carroll
Chris Daniels, req. Friends of the Family

Friday, October 23, 2026

8:00 AM Catherine Ann O'Connor, req. Husband, Stephen
Michael Castagna (anv.), req. Carmie

Saturday, October 24, 2026

8:00 AM Lois Bucciferro, req. Family
4:00 PM Joseph Hornicak (anv.), req. Bill & Kathy Starasinich Family

Sunday, October 25, 2026

8:00 AM Martin Furdek Family, req. Daughter
Wright & Turk Families, req. Jeanette D'Arcy
10:30 AM Joel Kennedy, req. Bill and Mary Oberts
St. Raymond Parish Family

Please Pray For...

OUR DECEASED

James Will

OUR SICK

Megan Arnold	Robert Greenly	Bonnie Salamon
Silvie Belue	Ernest Hankins	Sharon Slavicek
Patricia Buchwald	Aurelie Hagstrom	Joseph Spiech
Anne Casing	David Hampton	Katherine Spiech
Tyler Centorbi	Janet Jurmann	Bernie Spieler
Colleen Cler	Ross Karraker	Chuck Sroka
Mari Condon	Patricia McShaffrey	Colleen & Tom Stonis
Arlene Day	Lydia O'Donnell	Kathy Wise
Judy Delaney	Juan Ochoa	
Patrocino Fernandez	Lillianna Peylo	

OUR MILITARY

2LT Nicholas Zelehovitis PFC	Sgt. Ryan VanderTuuk
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Ryan Grill, SSG	HM3 Danielle M. Wyatt
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Meet Our Staff

Most Rev. Dennis E Spies, Apostolic Administrator for the Diocese of Joliet
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Very Rev. William G. Dewan
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Karen Slattery, Main Office/Baptisms

Mary Wheaton, Bookkeeper

Liturgical Ministers of the Mass

Saturday, October 24 - 4:00pm

Lector: Tiffany Nemanich

EM: Maggie Jakovich, Michele Slake, Jan Novotny, JoAnn McDonald

Servers: Avery Medved, Colin Condron, Mason Banson

Sunday, October 25 - 8:00am

Lector: Sandra Franzen

EM: Kathy DelRose, Maggie Colabuono, Mary Lawson, Jen Errthum

Servers: Ellie Sorg, Julian Nieves, Meaghan Russ

Sunday, October 25 - 10:30am

Lector: Dora Sanchez

EM: Veronica Rodriguez, Erin Benaitis, Rosie & Jeff McCune

Servers: Michael Benaitis, Scarlette Howard, Kyle Kinsella



“THEN REPAY TO
CAESAR WHAT BELONGS
TO CAESAR AND TO
GOD WHAT BELONGS
TO GOD.”

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Stewardship

Date	10/11	Year to Date
Collection Offering	\$ 16,099	\$ 288,183
Budgeted	\$ 20,490	\$ 307,350
Overage / Shortage \$	(\$4,391)	(\$ 19,167)
Overage / Shortage %	(21.4%)	(6.2%)
Annual Budget	\$ 1,045,000	



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 Spies 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 Diocese of Joliet Victim Assistance at 815-263-6467.

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