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ST. JUDE EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Sunday Obligation

Saturday: .....Vigil: 5:30 p.m.
Sunday: .....9:00 a.m.
Holy Days of Obligation .....6:00 p.m.

Weekday Masses

Tuesday .....7:15 a.m.
Thursday/Friday .....7:15 a.m.

RECONCILIATION

Sunday: .....8:00 a.m.
Friday after Mass until 8:30 a.m.

ST. RITA EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Sunday Obligation

Saturday: .....Vigil: 4:00 p.m.

Weekday Masses

Wednesday .....7:15 a.m.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday: .....3:20 p.m.

ST RITA STAFF

Patricia Anderson, Secretary
Jamie Springman, Music Liturgist



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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We are children of God and members of the One, Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic Church, under the guidance of the Diocese of Springfield in Illinois. We are united in Christ, devoted to the Eucharist, prayer, and service. Guided by the Holy Spirit, we strive to proclaim the Gospel with love, uphold the dignity of every person, and nurture spiritual growth through worship, catechesis, and compassionate outreach. Inspired by our patrons, St. Jude and St. Rita, we bring light to the suffering, strength to the weary, and hope to the hopeless, building God's kingdom in faith and unity here in Rochester and Kincaid communities Come, Let's Journey Together.

Fr. Peter Chineke JCL.- Pastor

The Pilgrimage Corner

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 11, 2026







My Reflection

My Pilgrimage across Italy with the St. Jude parish is something I will never forget. It was a great 7-day adventure that helped me realize the beauty in Christ and what he has to offer for each of us. I saw many beautiful basilicas and learned so much about ancient Church history. If I had to pick a moment and feeling when I really felt moved and drawn in by Christ's love, it would be walking on my knees and praying up the holy stairs in the archbasilica of St. John Lateran. It helped me to realize just how much pain Jesus went through during the passion just out of pure love for the people of the world. Even though the pain of slowly walking on your knees up wooden stairs isn't close to what Jesus went through, I felt a closeness that I never felt before. Because of this pilgrimage I now have the opportunity to go out and tell people about Jesus's love for us and just how great it really is. Without this pilgrimage, who knows where my faith would be, but I can confidently say this trip has brought me closer to my religion than ever before! I am also very grateful to Father Peter and to the St. Jude parish for welcoming me and my brother with open arms during the pilgrimage, I enjoyed getting to meet all of you! Thank you, Father Peter, for inviting me on this special trip!

-Grant Reid

PRAYER REQUESTS

Vickie Bertoldo, Johnny Corso, Don Cousins, Retta Fortner, Betty Fritch, Kenneth Gatton, Chuck Heiple, Jackie Hosto, Ayla Hughes, Mundhenke Family, Donna Norris, Kathy O'Brien, Georgianna Pagliai, Joseph J. Pop, Frank Sedlock, Gary Sinnard, Nell Smock, Kimberly, Springer, Rita Springer, Linda Vono, Bonnie Wagner, Bobby Warren, Brian Wolanski

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, October 10, 2026, 4:00 p.m.
Gloria Foster by Rose Coady
&
Josephine Magos by Anita Lucas

Wednesday, October 14, 2026, 7:15 a.m.
Edgene Gudgel
by Melissa & Dave Cappellin

Saturday, October 17, 2026, 4:00 p.m.
Iris Cappellin
by
Melissa & Dave Cappellin

Diocesan Assessment

P&L Ins. 2023,2024-2027	$9,020.43
ACSA 2019 - 2024	$10,623.00
Priest Hlth. Ins. & Retirement 202 - 2024 CCIRP	$10,331.81
Total:	$29,975.24

Centennial Capital Campaign

Please complete the pledge cards for the Capital Campaign and drop them in the collection basket if you haven't already done so. When fulfilling your pledge be sure to write Capital Campaign on the check or envelope. Please add your name and envelope number when giving cash. Thank you for all your continued support!

Ministers

Saturday, October 17th, 2026, 4:00 p.m.
Lector - Linda Lauher
Extraordinary Ministers - Dave Cappellin, melissa Cappellin, extra : Alan Lauher
Counters - Martha, Linda B, Steve

OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD

ACCOUNT	10/3/26	YTD
Adult Envelopes	$1,199.00	$21,111.00
Total Budget Goal	$1,310.00	$10,480.00
Variance	$111.00	$2,485.00
Candles	$0.00	$16.00
Second Collection	$94.00	$2,156.18
Maintenance	$120.00	$3,006.00
Centennial Campaign	$6,918.00	$40,168.00
Mission Fund Co-Op Fund	$0.00	$255.00
Donation P&L Insurance	$0.00	$2,100.00
Black & Indian Mission	$2.00	$2.00
Catholic University	$3.00	$3.00

HAPPENING AT ST. RITA

10/16/2026
We will have our pork chop dinner. Adults $12 includes: Butterfly pork chop, scalloped potatoes, green beans and a roll. If eating in, dessert will be included. Kids $5 hotdog meal available.

Bible Study
Bible Study will be held every other Thursday in the Parish Hall. Hosted by Alan Lauher and Beth Surber
from 1:00p.m. - 2:00p.m.
We hope that everyone can make it!

All Souls Day Refreshments
November 2nd at 6:00 p.m.
All families are welcome!
Please join us for cookies, coffee, punch and fellowship!



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#30 St. Rita's Court
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Office Hours:
Monday & Wednesday
8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Fr. Samuel Bagyo
Parochial Administrator

Patricia Anderson - Secretary
Jamie Springman - Music Liturgist

Mass Schedule
Saturday: 4:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 7:15 a.m.
Holy Days: Contact Church

Sacrament of Penance
Saturday: 3:30-3:45 p.m.

Rosary
Saturday, ½ hour before Mass

Pastoral & Finance Meeting
To Be Determined

Knights of Columbus
3rd Monday of month, 6:30 p.m.

Altar & Rosary Society
3rd Monday of month, 6:30 p.m.

Funeral Dinner Committee
Marge Drea (217)287-7015

Prayer Chain Committee
Marge Drea (217)287-7015
Pat Anderson (217)827-1490

Diocesan Chuld Abuse Reporting & Investigation: (217)321-1155

DIOCESE OF SPRINGFIELD IN ILLINOIS
OFFICE OF THE BISHOP

October, 2026

My dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

We are made for mission.

Before ascending to His Father, Jesus commanded His disciples to "go and make disciples of all nations" (Matthew 28:19). That command belongs not only to missionaries who travel to distant lands, but to every baptized Catholic.

On October 18, World Mission Sunday, Catholics throughout the world will unite in prayer and sacrifice for this great work of the Church. This year marks the 100th World Mission Day, with the theme chosen by Pope Leo XIV, "One in Christ, united in mission."

Our diocese itself owes much to generations of missionaries who brought the Catholic faith to Illinois. Today, we have the opportunity to help carry that same faith to places where the Church is too young, too poor, or too persecuted to support herself. Our gifts help provide priests, catechists, churches, schools, and the resources necessary to proclaim Jesus Christ and celebrate the sacraments.

I ask you to pray for our missionaries and persecuted brothers and sisters in Christ and to give generously on World Mission Sunday. In doing so, we answer Christ's call to share the Gospel with all nations.

May God reward you for your generosity and bless the missionary work of His Church.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ Thomas John Paprocki

Most Reverend Thomas John Paprocki
Bishop of Springfield in Illinois

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Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator
This is the liaison between the diocese and anyone with an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor. (217)-321-1155

Fr. Peter's mailing address:
Father Peter Chineke
620 Michigan Avenue NE
(Curley Hall, RM 111)
Washington, DC 20064

Please join us for fellowship, donuts, fruit, juice, milk, and coffee on the following dates: October 25th



October Bunco

Bunco will be on Wednesday, October 14th from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. in the St. Jude Parish Center
Please join us!





Sharing the Word

Do you have religious books that you have read but you can't bear to throw them away? We have a solution for you. There will be a bookcase in the foyer with items you are free to take. You may read them and bring them back or pass them along to a friend or neighbor. Thank you.



PSR Trunk or Treat

It's almost time for one of our favorite PSR traditions! This year, Trunk or Treat is moving to Sunday afternoon, October 25, from 4:00–6:00 PM in the St. Jude parking lot. Costumes are encouraged, and we'll have trunks, treats, and a couple of fun games for the kids. We're also looking for people to host a trunk. There is a signup sheet in the back of church if you would like to host a trunk. Please sign up by October 21st for planning purposes!



Mark Your Calendar! Back by Popular Demand!!!



The St. Jude Sewnsews will have a Craft Sale/Bake Sale to benefit the Youth of St. Jude on the following dates:



Friday, November 6th Noon - 5:00 p.m.
Saturday, November 7th - 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Sunday, November 8th - 9:00 a.m. - Noon

If you are a crafter or baker and would like to donate items to sell, please contact Barb Scoggins at 217-415-0299. Any help is appreciated to make the sale a success! We have a great variety of items. Come and shop with us to benefit our Youth!

Mass Intentions & Times († indicates deceased)

Saturday, October 10th

5:30pm Mass — St. Jude Parish Family

Sunday, October 11th

9:00am Mass — Deceased members of Brandis Family †

Monday. October 12th

No Mass

Tuesday, October 13th

7:15am Mass — Greg & Eric Park †

Wednesday, October 14th

No Mass

Thursday, October 15th

7:15am Mass — Dan Connolly †

Friday, October 16th

7:15am Mass — Wilma Lewis †

Saturday, October 17th

5:30pm Mass — Bill & Evelyn Conboy

Sunday, October 18th

9:00am Mass — St. Jude Parish Family

Thank you all for your generosity and may God bless you.



Sacrificial Giving

ACCOUNT	THIS WEEK	YTD
Sunday Envelopes	$13,780.00	$90,558.00
Weekly Offerings	$760.28	$11,701.28
Capital Campaign	$629.00	$4,760.00
Loose cash	$309.50	$6,528.95
Total	$15,478.78	$113,488.23

Next Weekend Schedule

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday, October 17th at 5:30 p.m.

Eucharistic Ministers: Fr. Samuel Bagyo, Dcn. Tom, M. Mankowski, V. Walker

Lectors: Thomas Bertrand & Emily Prather

Servers: Aidan & Norah Horstman

Hospitality: K. Foster, J. Sponslor, M. & R. McClintock

Sacristan: Isabel Long

Sunday, October 18th at 9:00 a.m.

Eucharistic Ministers: Fr. Samuel Bagyo, Dcn. Tom, L .DeGroot, A. Harney

Lectors: Christopher Schmit & Mark Schudel

Servers: S. Harney, J. Powell, E. & R. Strawkas

Hospitality: L. Drewes, L. McWard, A. & O. Rench

Sacristan: Zana Dahlkamp

October Volunteers

Tuesday, October 13th Counting Day: Team 2

Monday, October 19th Counting Day: Team 3

Church Dusters October Week 2: 10/11
Laurie McWard & Zana Dahlkamp

Church Dusters October Week 3: 10/18
Donna Day

October Aluminum Can Recycling:
Scott Settles

October Food Pantry Collection:
Hartzel & Mary Bruno

October Hearts in Christ Collection:
Dorinda Jeffers & Diane Messmore

Rochester Estates - 2nd Sunday of October:
Eucharistic Minister: Mary & Hartzel Bruno

Rochester Estates - 3rd Sunday of October:
Eucharistic Minister: Zana Dahlkamp

Carriage Crossing - 2nd Sunday of October:
Eucharistic Minister: Beth Auxier

Carriage Crossing - 3rd Sunday of October:
Eucharistic Minister: Christopher Schmit

Spiritual Support for the Sick

Request the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick for yourself or a loved one facing illness or surgery. The Sacrament may be administered privately or after any Mass.If you or a loved one is in the hospital, Father would like to know so it is possible for him to visit. Please call the Parish Office at (217) 498-9197 for the anointing and/or a hospital visit.

Eucharistic Ministers taking communion to Carriage Crossing & Rochester Estates at 9:15am Sundays Frances Yocum is having a Communion Service at 2:30 pm on the 2nd Tuesdays at Rochester Estate

It is a privilege to pray for those who are ill. In hopes of keeping our list current, parishioners and parishioners' family and friends will be on the prayer list for 1 month unless the office is contacted to notify us that additional time is necessary. We are happy to keep people on the list as long as needed.

Please remember the elderly and homebound
of our parish in your daily prayer.
God bless them all, and ….

Pray for Parishioners – Leroy Bozarth, JoAnn Camille, Ann Carel, Morgan Culbertson, Herta Duban, Gary Dumonceaux, Andrea Miller, Ginger Rentschler, Ray Roland, Rene Runions, Brittany and Steve Smith and family, Owen Smith and his family (Kristin, Paisley, and Adam), Bill & Laurie White

Pray for Family and Friends of Parishioners

John Aplington – Beth Yong
Mary Aplington – Beth Yong
Hannah Hall - Neice of Barb Scoggins
Jean Helling - Mother of Gary Helling
Samspon Hill - Mary Bruno
Steve & Pat Jones - Special intentions
Scott Mulford – Friend of Don & Lou Ellen Markovitch
Logan Petrilli - Grandson of Steve and Sharon Petrilli
Myra Shroeder – Jane Molohon
Bill Slingerland - Father of Barb Scoggins
Mark Stout - Brother of Linda Drewes
Terry Stout - Brother of Linda Drewes
Nelly White - Great granddaughter of Bill & Laurie White
Connie & Marc Wilson – Niece and nephew of Ginger Rentschler
Richard Yong – Beth Yong

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