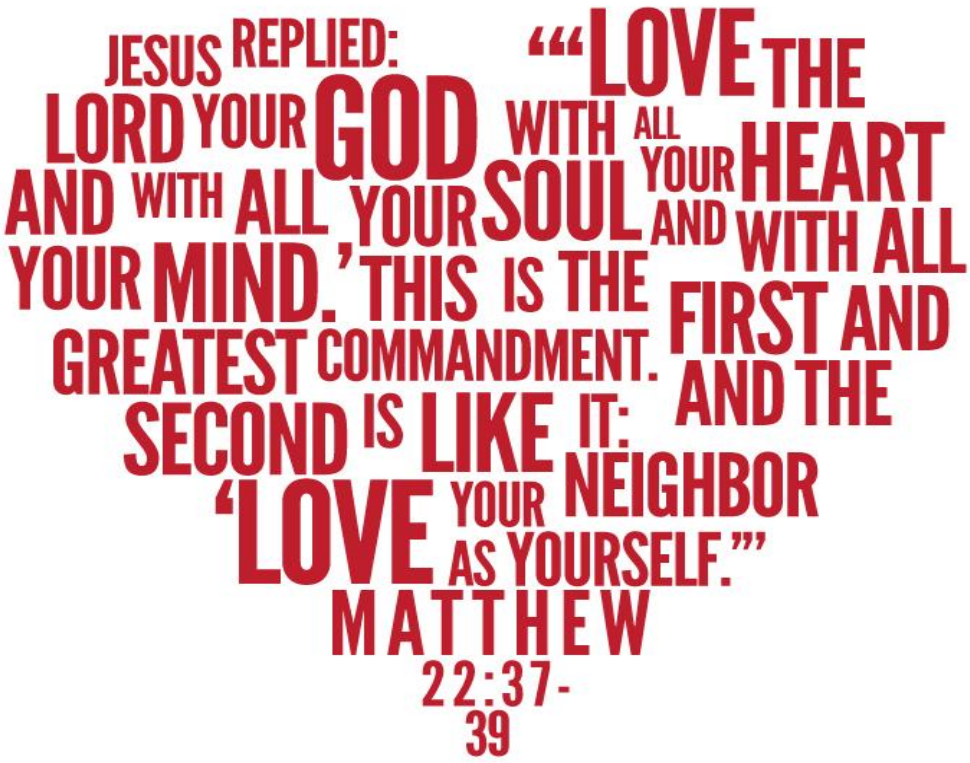
St. Patrick, Kankakee ~ A Viatorian Parish

30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME **OCTOBER 25, 2026**



Your love, O God, is an active love: engaged, involved, immersed.

Your love, O God, is seen in what you do, not just in what you say:
in the blessing of children, in the meals with outcasts,
in the touching of the untouchable, in your presence, and your self-giving,
in your opening of the way to life to all who will come.

And your love, O God, is expressed through people like us:
as we share our wealth in simplicity and generosity …
as we share wholeness in care and healing of the sick and broken …
as we share hospitality by being truly present to the lonely and the marginalized …
as we share peace in kindness, listening, and acceptance
with those who challenge us, confront us, and threaten us.

As you actively love us, O God,
may we learn to be little incarnations
through whom your love is expressed and experienced in action.
Amen.

John van de Laar

You Will Be Known By Your Love

Do people say of our Christian communities today what they said about the first Christians, "See how they love one another"?

How different our world would be if we had put into practice a love like that of God and the first Christians!



Christian love, the one with which we love God and people and ourselves, is a love that has God as its source and force. It is this love which Jesus teaches us and asks of us.

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Be with them, Lord, and keep them safe!

Charlie Benoit Katie Benoit Will Benoit
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Reflection

Adults: In a practical sense, what is one thing that would change in your life if you loved your neighbor as yourself?
Children: Why is it hard sometimes to love your neighbor?
Adultos: En un sentido práctico, ¿qué cosa cambiaría en tu vida si amaras a tu prójimo como a ti mismo?
***Niños*:** ¿Por qué a veces es difícil amar al prójimo?

Sunday Stewardship
October 18, 2026

Envelopes – 57	$ 3,465.00
Loose cash and checks	$ 978.00
Online Giving – 13 families	$ 496.00
Total collections	$ 4,939.00
Amount needed each week to have a balanced budget:	*$8,135.00*

Thank You for your continued and generous support of our Parish!

God's Blessings on the Harvest

Let us continue to pray for Pope Leo …
for healing and a return to good health.



God, source of all healing and hope,
we lift up in prayer Pope Leo.
May all those who care for him
be guided by wisdom and skill.
God of gentleness and love,
we entrust Pope Leo to your care
and ask you to heal and sustain him.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Pope Leo's global prayer intention for October 2026: For mental health ministry.
Let us pray that mental health ministry be established throughout the Church,
helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination of persons with mental illnesses.

Intención de oración universal del Papa León para Octubre 2026:
Para el ministerio de salud mental
Oremos para que se establezca el ministerio de salud mental en toda la Iglesia,
ayudando a superar el estigma y la discriminación
hacia las personas con enfermedades mentales.

PRAY DAILY FOR VOCATIONS!





All Souls Day Memorial and Altar of Remembrance

Our Annual All Souls Memorial will be held during the 10:00 a.m. Mass, Sunday, November 1.

So that you may plan ahead for our All Souls Remembrance …

We will remember these people buried from our Parish since this time last year during the All Saints Day Mass on Sunday, November 1, at 10:00 a.m. Their names will be mentioned individually as a candle on the altar recalls their continuing presence among us:

Michael Wayer, Thomas Johnson, Nicole "Nikki" Deuschle, Judith A. Meyer, Iven "Pete" Johnson, Linda Morrison, Ila Bridget Kingsnorth, Robert "Bob" Hoevet Richard J. O'Connor, Patricia L. Memenga, Paul L. Gerth, Mary Christine Jarvis, Donald Edward Mortell, Susan "Toby" Olszewski, Michael Adrian Denault

Also … we will be setting up our Altar of Remembrance during the last week of October. Please begin to gather the **PICTURES OF YOUR LOVED ONES**. You may bring your pictures regardless of where or when your loved one died. Drop them off when you come to Mass or bring them to the Rectory Office – during regular Office hours. **Please, as soon as possible, submit the names of your loved ones you would like included in the BOOK OF NEW LIFE.**

Conmemoración del Día de los Fieles Difuntos y altar en su memoria.

Nuestra conmemoración anual de los Fieles Difuntos tendrá lugar durante la misa de las 10:00 a. m. del domingo 1 de noviembre.

Para que puedan prepararse con antelación para nuestra conmemoración de los Fieles Difuntos ...



Recordaremos a las personas cuyos funerales se celebraron en nuestra parroquia desde esta misma época el año pasado durante la Misa de la Solemnidad de Todos los Santos, el domingo 1 de noviembre a las 10:00 a. m. Se mencionarán sus nombres individualmente mientras una vela en el altar simboliza su presencia continua entre nosotros. Asimismo, instalaremos nuestro Altar del Recuerdo durante la última semana de octubre. Por favor, comiencen a reunir las **FOTOGRAFÍAS DE SUS SERES QUERIDOS**. Pueden traer las fotos independientemente de dónde o cuándo haya fallecido su ser querido; pueden entregarlas al asistir a Misa o llevarlas a la oficina parroquial en el horario habitual de atención. Por favor, envíen cuanto antes los nombres de los seres queridos que deseen incluir en el **LIBRO DE LA NUEVA VIDA.**



If you have been coming to Mass here and wish to join St. Patrick Parish, we would love to have you! Simply pick up a **GREEN REGISTRATION FORM** (found at the doors of the church), fill it out, and return it to the Rectory Office. Please call the Rectory Office during regular office hours at (815) 932-6716 for more information or if you have any questions.

A Few Announcements from Bishop Glancy …

❖ On Monday November 2nd, we will have a Bilingual Mass at 6:00 p.m. for ***All Souls Day***. All are welcome to come to this celebration.

❖ **Thursday Schedule Changes – Beginning in November,** with the change of our clocks, we will move the ***Exposition and Adoration*** on Thursdays to the new time of 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. ***Confessions*** will be from 3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. This schedule will allow our priests to get to evening meetings that are often scheduled on Thursdays.

❖ We will have ***Anointing of the Sick at all Masses*** on November 14th and 15th.



Algunos anuncios del obispo Glancy…

❖ El lunes 2 de noviembre tendremos una misa bilingüe a las 6 pm para **el Día de Todos los Santos.** Todos son bienvenidos a asistir a esta celebración.

❖ A partir de noviembre, con el cambio de reloj, moveremos ***la Exposición y Adoración*** los jueves al nuevo horario de 3:00 p.m. a 5:00 p.m.. ***Las confesiones*** serán de 3:00 p.m. a 4:30 p.m. Este horario permitirá a nuestros sacerdotes asistir a las reuniones vespertinas que a menudo se programan los jueves.

❖ Tendremos ***la Unción de los Enfermos*** en todas las misas el 14 y 15 de noviembre.

The 31st Annual Great Lakes Catholic **Men's Conference** will be held at the Holmes Student Center at Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, on Saturday, November 21, from 8:50 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Our own **Bishop Spies will be one of the Speakers.** Registration includes lunch and parking. The cost is $65 at the door, only $25 for college students or younger, and $15 for deacons. For more information, visit the conference website at **thetalk.org**.

Find Your Envelope Number … Win a Prize!

Read the Bulletin carefully each week. If you find your envelope number, call the Rectory Office at (815) 932-6716 – during regular Office hours (9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.) – and you will win a prize.



Are you interested in the Catholic Church?
NEXT SESSION TO BE HELD <u>THIS TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2026.</u>
Call us at (815) 932-6716.

OCIA – Order of Christian Initiation for Adults –
is a process designed for adults
who are considering joining the Catholic Church
or wish to receive, or complete, Envelope Number 605,
their Sacraments of Initiation … *Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation.*

¿Le interesa la Iglesia Católica? Llámenos al (815) 932-6716.
LA PRÓXIMA SESIÓN SE LLEVARÁ A CABO
ESTE MARTES 3 DE NOVIEMBRE DE 2026.

OCIA – Orden de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos –
es un proceso diseñado para adultos que consideran unirse a la Iglesia Católica
o que desean recibir o completar sus sacramentos de iniciación...
Bautismo, Eucaristía y Confirmación.

Would you be interested in serving as a HOMEBOUND MINISTER?
You would be asked to take Communion to someone who is unable to come to Mass.
Interested? Contact the Parish Office at (815) 932-6716.

STEWARDSHIP

Managing God's Gifts To Us

Women – and men – of the Parish are asked to consider serving as SACRISTANS.
On a rotating schedule, you would offer time on Friday mornings at 9 a.m. Training is provided.
Call the Rectory Office at (815) 932-6716 for more information.

Salvation Army - Volunteer Bellringers Are Needed –
Would you consider serving as a Bellringer for 2 hours? ***To see sites and times, visit:***
https://volunteer.salvationarmyusa.org/organization/hJSmBIUv5U/Kankakee%20Salvation%20Army?tags=Bell%2520Ringing

Another way to share your gifts and talents:
BOXES OF JOY

Consider participating in this annual CCW project. Boxes will be available this weekend in the back of church as well as at the Rectory Office. You can also use plastic shoe boxes. Cross Catholic Outreach Ministries will collect the shoe-sized boxes filled with items for children between the ages of 2 and 14, such as small toys, school supplies, and hard candies and distribute them to poor children who are wishing for just one gift at Christmas time. You can also support the project financially by covering the cost of shipping and handling, which amounts to $9.00 per box. ***Filled "Boxes of Joy" should be returned to the church or the Rectory Office by November 1.***

For more information and to find a list of suggested items,
please check out the Cross Catholic website at *BoxofJoy@CrossCatholic.org*.

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Liturgical Ministers Schedule. Please arrange for a substitute if needed.

OCT. 31 / NOV. 1	**4:00 P.M.**	**7:00 A.M.**	**10:00 A.M.**	**4:00 P.M. (Spanish)**
CANTORS	D. Worth		A. Schneider / Choir	Coro
SERVERS	A. Arrocha Z. Niba		B. Zumwalt A. Zumwalt	
LECTORS	T. Schultz	L. Born	M. O'Brien	
EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS	M. Spilsbury S. Flageole J. Wesoloski	B. Grasser P. Johnson	C. Antognoli R. Bond M. Finks	
WEEKDAY LECTOR		K. Yohnka		
SACRISTANS		M. Lorenzo	T. Schultz	

Please pray for the sick and the dying, and for all those who mourn the loss of a loved one. Also, let us remember in prayer the homebound, those in nursing homes or hospitals, and those who have asked for our prayers.

Prayer Line … please call (815) 932-9423

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, October 26
7:15 Special Intentions for Samuel Hodak as he celebrates his Birthday *(by Marge Hodak*)
Tuesday, October 27
7:15 Patricia Hasemeyer (Ann.) *(Born Family)*
Wednesday October 28
Feast of St. Simon and St. Jude – Apostles
7:15 Sandi Draude (Birth Ann.) *(Draude Family)*
Thursday, October 29
7:15 Bob Boyd, Sr. (Ann.) *(Jamie Boyd)*
Friday, October 30
7:15 Elaine Ziemer *(Ziemer Family)*
Saturday, October 31
4:00 Pete Gooding (Birth. Ann.) *(Mary Gooding)*
Sunday, November 1 ***All Saints Day***
7:00 Kay Serafini *(Serafini Family)*
10:00 Parishioners and Benefactors
4:00 (Sp.) Ashur Toma *(Toma Family)*

Both ***Simon and Jude*** were ordinary men who were chosen by Jesus himself to teach others about God's love and to "make disciples of all nations" (Matt. 28:19). Their lives help us to understand that even the most average people can become saints when they decide to follow Jesus. May their example of devotion, prayer, and service inspire us as we strive to serve with love and perseverance.

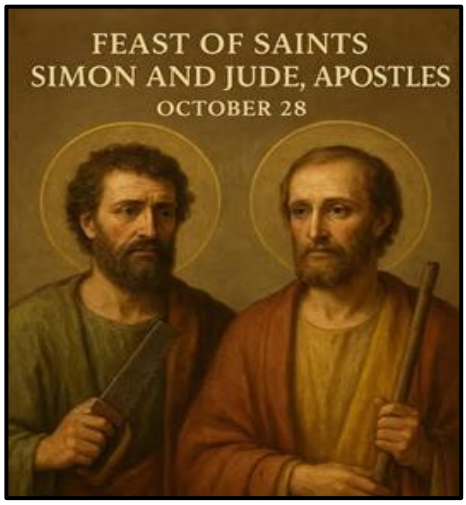


MEMORIAL CANDLES

The Blessed Sacrament Candle burns in memory of deceased Parishioners and Benefactors (by the Parish).

The Holy Family Candle burns for the Special Intentions of the Finks Family (by Mary Finks).

O Lord, hear our prayer!





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MASS SCHEDULE

Daily ..... 7:15 a.m.
Saturday ..... 4:00 p.m.
Sunday ..... 7:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.
Spanish Mass ..... Sunday 4:00 p.m.
Reconciliation ..... Saturday 3:00-3:30 p.m. and by appt.

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