

St. Patrick, Kankakee ~ A Viatorian Parish

18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 2, 2026



Nourish Others

Today we are reminded of God's desire
for all people to share in the bounty of food produced in our world.
In today's Gospel everyone ends up with more than enough to eat.

The problem in our world is not one of scarcity but of distribution.
There is enough for all.

The miracle of the Scriptures is a miracle of sharing –
a miracle of distribution –
a miracle of justice
for the whole community of hungry people.

Education for Justice

The media remind us almost daily
of the hunger for food in many parts of the world.

There is also much spiritual hunger,
hunger and thirst for values,
for something to hold on to and to hope for.

Jesus gave to the people the food of compassion,
his word of forgiveness, and especially the food of himself, of his body.
He invites us, his disciples today, to give ourselves away as the food and drink of others.
Today, let us ask for the courage to do this!

Liturgy Alive



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**As you shop for your own meals,
please remember the hungry and the
*FOOD PANTRY!***



Be with them, Lord, and keep them safe!

Charlie Benoit

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Dustin Foltz

Will Benoit

Scott Riegel

Hannah Chaney

Erik Schultz

***With Christ,
we will always have more than enough.
We just have to offer him what we have!***

Reflection Reflection

Adults: To whom could you bring the
assurance of Christ's love this week?

Children: Jesus fed the crowds today. How
does he offer you spiritual nourishment?

Adultos: ¿A quién podrías brindarle la
seguridad del amor de Cristo esta semana?

Niños: Jesús alimentó a la multitud hoy.
¿Cómo Él te ofrece alimento espiritual?

Sunday Stewardship July 19, 2026

Envelopes – 62	\$ 4,767.00
Loose cash and checks	\$ 912.25
Online Giving – 14 families	\$ 560.50
Total collections	\$ 6,239.75

*Amount needed each week
to have a balanced budget:* \$8,135.00

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



For individuals as well as for nations,
development is both a duty and a right.

Minimum conditions are required for enabling every person and people to flourish in accord with their dignity, without being kept in a state of dependence or excluded from access to necessary goods.

Development is truly human when it places people at the center instead of the accumulation of wealth, and when it concerns peoples as well as individuals. Justice demands the recognition of the rights of society and the rights of peoples, and includes a responsibility toward future generations.

Development is not truly human if it increases consumption for some while shifting costs and burdens onto others, or relegates entire regions to subordinate roles, preventing them from realizing their full potential.

Development is integral when it is not limited to the economic sphere, but promotes quality of life in its spiritual, cultural, moral and relational dimensions, while respecting our common home, the diversity of peoples and their ways of life.

Pope Leo in *Magnifica Humanitas* (p. 83)

Read Pope Leo's encyclical *Magnifica Humanitas* in full, and free, using this link:
<https://www.vatican.va/content/leo-xiv/en/encyclicals>

Pope Leo's global prayer intention for August 2026: For evangelization in the city.

Let us pray that in large cities often marked by anonymity and loneliness
we find new ways to proclaim the Gospel, discovering creative paths to build community.

Intención de oración universal del Papa León para Agosto 2026:
Por la evangelización en la ciudad.

Oremos para que, en las grandes ciudades, a menudo marcadas por el anonimato y la soledad,
encontremos nuevas formas de anunciar el Evangelio,
descubriendo caminos creativos para construir comunidad.





AUGUST 22 – PARISH PORK CHOP DINNER AT THE KANKAKEE BOAT CLUB

*We had a wonderful Parish Family Picnic ...
NOW it is time for the adults to have an evening out!*

Plan to attend and join your fellow parishioners at the Kankakee Valley Boat Club for the Pork Chop Dinner on Saturday August 22, 2026. Tickets are \$20 each and can be purchased after Mass as well as from the office.

Reminder - this Parish event will be an adult only evening. Doors will open at 4:00 and dinner will be served from 4:30 to 6:00 p.m. Dinner will include one thick cut, bone in pork chop, baked potato, vegetables, lettuce salad, roll and a cookie. **Reminder: that the winning tickets will be drawn this evening** for our parish fundraiser. Looking forward to seeing everyone!

20 days until the Pork Chop Dinner and the drawing! Don't miss your chance to win big! Our raffle fundraiser is still going strong, and everyone has a chance to take home the **\$2,500 Grand Prize** when the winning ticket is drawn on August 22. Get your raffle tickets today at the rectory and share the excitement with your friends, family and coworkers! Tickets are \$25 each or 5 for \$100.



¡Faltan 20 días para la cena de chuletas de cerdo y el sorteo! ¡No pierda la oportunidad de ganar en grande! Nuestra rifa de recaudación de fondos sigue en marcha, y todos tienen la oportunidad de llevarse **el gran premio de \$2,500** cuando se realice el sorteo el 22 de agosto. ¡Compre sus boletos hoy mismo en la rectoría y comparta la emoción con sus amigos, familiares y compañeros de trabajo! Los boletos cuestan \$25 cada uno o 5 por \$100.

This Week at St. Patrick Parish:

Monday, August 3– Staff Luncheon and Meeting at 12:00 noon.

Saturday, August 8 – Wedding at 12:00 noon.



ICE CREAM SOCIAL –TODAY, SUNDAY, AUGUST 2. Join us from 2 .m. until 4 p.m. at St. James Parish Hall in Irwin. Enjoy ice cream, cookies, Bingo, raffles, and an afternoon of fun! A free will offering will be accepted.

***On August 15, our long-time Associate Pastor,
Fr. Don Wehnert, CSV,
will be celebrating 75 years of Religious Life!***

God bless you, Fr. Don!

If you would like to send him
a note of congratulations
here is his address:

**Rev. Donald R. Wehnert, CSV
1212 East Euclid Avenue
Arlington Heights, IL 60004**



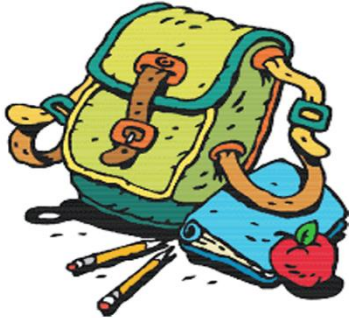


← ← ← *Enjoy these photos from the Youth Group's Hearts of Hope Mission #27.*

You can see more pictures and read more about the Mission in a **FEATURE ARTICLE:**

Raising a Community in Partnership and Service

at: <https://www.viatorians.com/feature-raising-a-community-in-partnership-and-service/p=133849>



Annual Blessing of the Backpacks

Sunday, August 23,

at the Sunday 10 a.m. Mass

and the Sunday 4 p.m. Mass.

Students of all ages, you are invited to participate as the school year begins and as our Parish Community offers special prayers and a blessing for a safe and enlightening school year. Each student will receive a special backpack tag after the blessing.

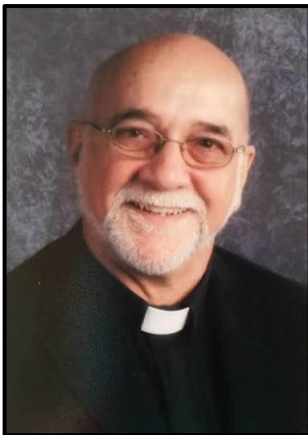
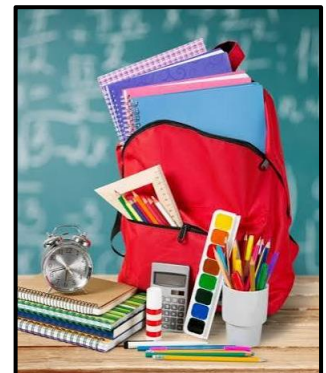
Bendición anual de las mochilas

Domingo 23 de agosto,

en las misas dominicales

de las 10:00 a. m. y de las 4:00 p. m.

Se invita a participar a estudiantes de todas las edades con motivo del inicio del año escolar, mientras nuestra comunidad parroquial ofrece oraciones especiales y una bendición para un año escolar seguro y enriquecedor. Cada estudiante recibirá una etiqueta especial para su mochila después de la bendición.



Paint a Different Future: A One-Day Retreat –

Presenter: Fr. Vern Arseneau,

Retired Priest of the Joliet Diocese

Friday, August 14, 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m

at One Heart, One Soul Spirituality Center.

More information and registration for these programming can be found on our website at: <https://www.sscm-usa.org/Workshops-Retreats.html> or call Susan Amann at (708) 790-8141, or email samann@sscm-usa.org. We look forward to spending the day with you.

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

AUGUST 8 / 9	4:00 P.M.	7:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	4:00 P.M. (Spanish)
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WEEKDAY LECTOR		K. Yohnka		
SACRISTANS		A. Palma	M. Lorenzo	

Envelope No. 207. 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, August 3

7:15 Jose Luis Perez, Jenny Perez (*A Friend*)

Tuesday, August 4

St. John Vianney

7:15 Susan Collins (Ann.) (*Draude Family*)

Wednesday August 5

Dedication of the St. Mary Major Basilica

7:15 Parishioners and Benefactors

Thursday, August 6

Transfiguration of the Lord

7:15 Bill Drennan (*Jane Veers*)

Friday, August 7 ***St. Cajetan, Pope St. Sixtus II***

7:15 Marvin and Sharon Stanley (Wed. Ann.)
(*Stanley Family*)

Saturday, August 8 ***St. Dominic***

12:00 Wedding: Ezequiel Gomez Plya
and Teresa Diaz Serna

4:00 Danny and Irene Jensen (Wed. Ann.)
(*Jensen Family*) /

Hank Draude (Ann.) (*Sharon Draude*)

Sunday, August 9

St. Theresa Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein)

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 Joan Hebert (Ann.) (*Mark Hebert*)

10:00 Wayne Dressler (Birth. Ann.)
(*Dressler Family*) /

Joanne Lambert
as she celebrates birthday (*Marge Hodak*)

4:00 (Sp.) Ashur Toma (Toma Family)



MEMORIAL CANDLES

The Blessed Sacrament Candle
burns in memory of Patricia Gallian
(by the Pete and Denise Schiel Family).

The Holy Family Candle
burns in memory of Patrica Memenga
(by the Pete and Denise Schiel Family).

Our love of neighbor
is the measure of our love of God.
For Christians — and not only for them —
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The love of Christ knows no borders."

St. Theresa Benedicta of the Cross
(Edith Stein)





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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.

Appointments..... Please call to schedule appointments
Reconciliation Please call for an appointment
Baptism..... Parent Session required
Please call for an appointment
Marriage Appointment should be made at least six months prior to desired date of wedding



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