



**Sunday, June 21,
2026
Mass Intentions**



Monday, June 22nd

7:30AM OSF with Fr. Deus

Tuesday, June 23rd

8:00 AM For Kari & Luis Gonzalez

Wednesday, June 24th

8:00AM For Zelda Page by the Dodd Family

Thursday, June 25th

8:00AM For Al Sheeter by the Dodd Family

Friday, June 26th

8:00AM For Chuck Schroeder by Candy Langert

Saturday, June 27th

5:30PM For The People

Sunday, June 28th

7:30AM For Will & Freda Mis by the Dodd Family

10:00AM For The People

Prayer Devotions

Rosary

Monday 6:30 PM at Holy Family for cancer patients

Confessions

Saturday 4:00 - 5:00 PM

Church Open for Prayer

Monday - Friday 8:30 AM - 4:00 PM

"Through the prophet Isaiah, the Lord promises that he will never forget any of us. He assures us that he has engraved our faces on the palms of His hands (cf. Is 49:16) and that His love is greater than a mother's love for her child (cf. Is 49:15)."

Food Pantry:

We are extremely low on supplies. If you are able, please give a little extra. May God bless you.

Needs: We are in need of cereal, oatmeal, canned fruit, canned vegetables, canned chicken, canned tuna, pancake mix, syrup, soup, rice, boxed potatoes, and beef stew.

Wants: We could use ramen noodles, baked beans, canned beans, peanut butter, jelly, pasta, and pasta sauce.

Thank you to everyone who donates and volunteers!

Sunday Collection for Sunday, June 14, 2026



Sunday Collection \$12,674.05
Online Giving \$1,528.00
Total \$14,202.05

Thank you for your generosity!

Remember our Sick & Homebound † Joyce Melton, Sissy Romack, Paul Gilbert, Nyla Neal Hicks, Rowan Huffman, Taylor Huffman, Hart Williamson, Libby Beninati, Christy Lowery, Donna Kennedy, Jayne Donahue, Lily Harden, Karen Selvin, Carol Koebrich, Neil Newman, Faye Williamson, Keaton Wilkerson, Ron Masengale, John Beninati, Briget Kleiss, Pam Lane, Jim Reuther, Francis Lane, Janet Elliott, Mike Roark, John Roark, Jeffery Sparks, Bill Dressler, Michael Miller, Lincoln Downing, Scott Burgess, Mary Ann Merchen, Harvey Bryant, Pieternella Jenkins, Traca Shahan Zorns, Chase Rouse & family, Jay Huffman, Vicky Simons, John Hampton. ***Contact the office to be placed on this list, to add someone other than yourself, and please ask permission of the person or their family.***

Sympathies for John Hampton and his family

The parish office is currently working on updating the Parish mailing list. If you, or anyone you know, has moved or passed away, please call or email the office to alert us. Also, if you are a new parishioner, please contact the office, so we can add you to our list. Contact Kari at 217-442-5313 or office@stpauldanville.org. Thank you to everyone who has already responded.



Enrollment is open at both our North and South Campuses.

Visit Schlarman.com and click on the Perspective Student Inquiry Form. Classes are open for Pre K-twelfth grade. Enroll your new or returning student now for the 2026-2027 school year. We look forward to seeing you and helping your child grow in academics and their spiritual life.

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Pope Benedict XVI described St Joseph Cafasso as a “formation teacher of parish and diocesan priests, indeed of holy priests such as St John Bosco.” Other priests of his time founded religious institutes; St Joseph Cafasso’s “foundation” instead was a “school of priestly life and holiness.”

St Joseph Cafasso lived in the city of Turin, Italy, in the 19th century, and was known as a model of priestly life. It was there that he was given the nickname “the Priest of the Gallows,” for his pastoral care of criminals, especially those condemned to death. He stood by their side as they were led to the execution, bringing them to repentance by showing them the mercy and compassion of God. It was particularly for his commitment to prisoners that he is numbered among the so-called “social Saints” of Turin – a group of religious and lay faithful dedicated to addressing the most pressing social issues of the day.

The model of a good priest

Joseph Cafasso was born in the countryside in the town of Castelnovo d’Asti in 1811. In 1834 he was ordained to the priesthood in Turin. In the Piedmontese capital, he became attached to the ecclesiastical college in the city, which was dedicated to forming diocesan priests. Among his students was another future saint, John Bosco, who had been born in the same town as St Joseph, and whom he had known from childhood.

While teaching at the major seminary, St Joseph was also known for guiding his flock with kindness and serenity. His fellow citizens had such high regard for this devout priest that they suggested he take a place in the legislative assembly. He refused, however, saying, “In the day of judgment, the Lord will ask me if I was a good priest, not a good deputy.”

A true pastor

As a true shepherd, St Joseph was renowned for his rich interior life and his profound zeal for the pastoral care of his flock. He was faithful to prayer, committed to preaching, and dedicated to the celebration of the Mass and the ministry of the Confessional. St Joseph strove to inculcate this spirit in the young priests he formed, so that they in turn might become formators of others. His legacy can be seen in the deep devotion to the Saint, who died in Turin on June 23, 1860, at the age of 49. His relics can be found in the Sanctuary of the Consolata in Turin.



VATICAN NEWS

THE WORDS OF THE POPES:

In this Sunday’s Gospel (cf. Mt 10:26–33) the invitation that Jesus addresses to His disciples resonates: to have no fear, to be strong and confident in the face of life’s challenges, as he forewarns them of the adversities that await them. Today’s passage is part of the missionary discourse, with which the Teacher prepares the Apostles for their first experience of proclaiming the Kingdom of God. Jesus persistently exhorts them to “have no fear”. Fear is one of the most terrible enemies of our Christian life. Jesus exhorts: “have no fear”, “fear not”. And Jesus describes three tangible situations that they will find themselves facing. (...)

They are like three temptations: to sugar-coat the Gospel, to water it down; second: persecution; and third: the feeling that God has left us alone. Even Jesus suffered this trial in the Garden of Olives and on the Cross: “Father, why have you forsaken me?”, Jesus asks. At times one feels this spiritual barrenness; we must not fear it. The Father takes care of us, because our value is great in His eyes. What matters is frankness, the courage of our witness, our witness of faith: “recognizing Jesus before men” and going forth doing good. (Pope Francis, Angelus, 21 June 2020)

CATHOLIC KIDS CAMP

When: July 20–24th 8:30–Noon

Where: Holy Family Church, Danville, IL

How: Register at Holy Family or call 217-249-7124 or 217-431-5100.

Needed: Many people have asked if we have any needs for Kidz Camp. If you would like to help we could use monetary donations or the following items:

1. Bean bag chairs (for skit)
2. Mouse ear head bands
3. Large pieces of cardboard (for props)
4. Silk roses
5. Large marshmallows
6. Plastic toy mice

We are also recruiting teens to help with our opening skit each day. This participation can be used for Confirmation/school service hours. Your commitment also includes practice as a head of camp. Please call 217-431-5100 or text 217-249-7124 to find out more, Thank you!



Membership Meetings are this Monday, June 22nd at St. Paul’s Motsett Center.

The 4th Degree members meet at 6:30 pm followed by the council meeting at 7 o’clock.

All members are encouraged to attend.

ADOPT-A-BED.... If you’d like to adopt one or more of the planting areas around the church or school grounds to care for, a sign up sheet is located in the Walnut Street entrance of the church. Parishioners, families, and students have adopted areas in the past as part of their contribution to beautify the areas surrounding the church. Most beds need an occasional weeding and possibly watering during dry spells. Feel free to add colorful plants if you’d like. Questions?

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