



ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

Joliet, Illinois

JUNE 14, 2026 | 11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Welcome!

St. Joseph Church Catholic Church

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Joliet, IL 60432
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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:00 pm Vigil
Sunday 8:30 am, 10:30 am, 7:00 pm

Weekday Masses

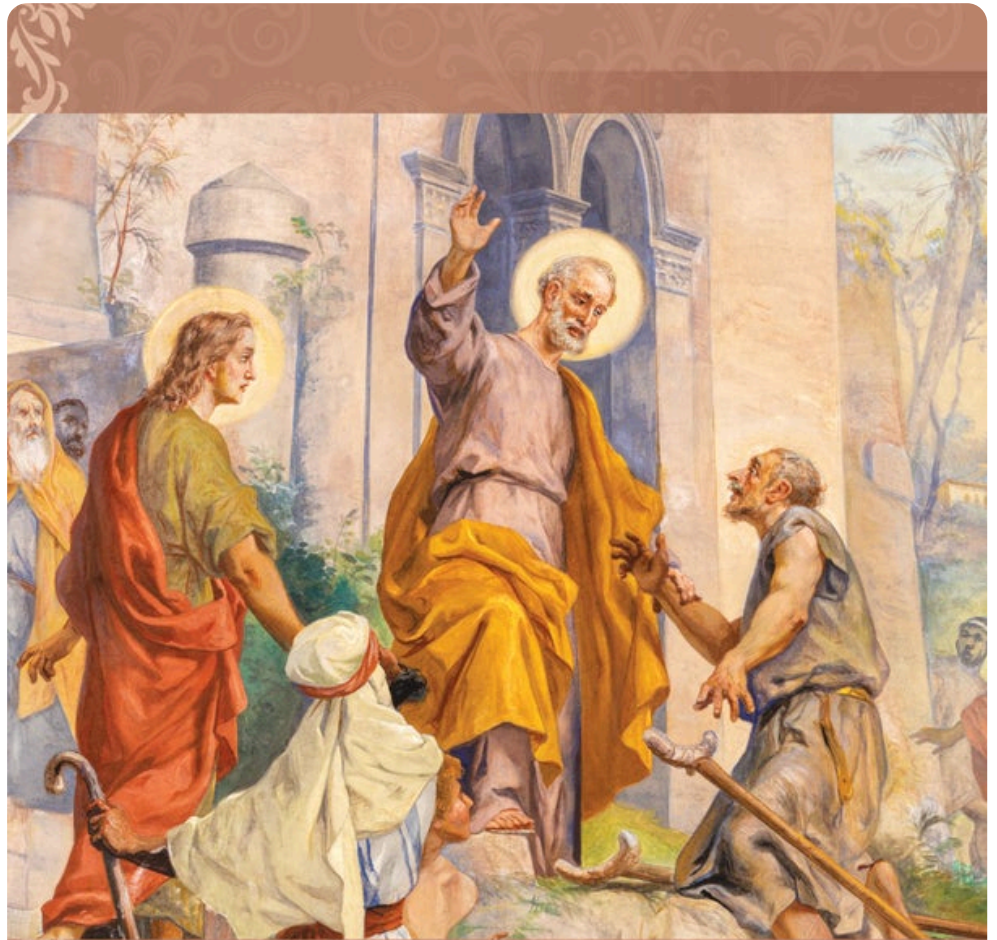
Monday 8:30 am
Tuesday 8:30 am
Wednesday 8:30 am
Thursday 8:30 am
Friday 8:30 am

Confession

Wednesday Noon-1:00pm
Saturday 3:00 pm - 3:30pm
Other By Appointment

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11th Sunday

IN ORDINARY TIME

"As you go, make this proclamation: 'The kingdom of heaven is at hand.' Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, drive out demons." Matthew 10:7-8

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OUR MISSION

"As living members of the Body of Christ, the people of St. Joseph Parish embrace the Traditions of the Church as given to us by Christ. Empowered by the Holy Spirit we teach, live, and love one another as brothers and sisters in Christ, and celebrate the Word of God as a faith-filled community that welcomes all who seek the truth. We celebrate the presence of God in our midst through worship, service, and catechesis. In accordance with the teachings of the Church, we work to assist all parish members in discerning the truths of our faith and the moral obligation to which we are called to live the Gospel."

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PARISH CLERGY

Pastor

Rev. John Hornicak
jhornicak@stjosephjoliet.org

Pastoral Vicar

Rev. Roger Kutzner
rkutzner@stjosephjoliet.org

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

June 13 & 14

Lector

4:00 PM S. Vanisko
8:30 AM C. Goetze
10:30 AM L. Orozco
7:00 PM P. Draksler

Extraordinary Ministers

E. Bravo, B. Schelli, M. Schelli
Dcn. Eric, D. Zelinski, T. Osburn
Dcn. Eric, A. Camacho, V. Gale
L. Engelman

June 20 & 21

Lector

4:00 PM M. Mijan
8:30 AM M. Budzinski
10:30 AM C. Kadela
7:00 PM J. Contorno

Extraordinary Ministers

Dcn. Eric, J. Halsne, L. Michalak
A. Bruno, M. Bruno, S. Walters
N. Churnovic, R. Churnovic, G. Dau
Dcn. Eric



STEWARDSHIP

June 7, 2026

Offertory figures were not available at the time of the bulletin submission. Figures will appear in a future bulletin

Thank you for your continued generosity!



FLAME OF FAITH

Frank L. Mali
Luis & Lucia Martinez

HOMECOMING REUNION CLASSES

Anniversary Classes and the pictures we are missing:

25th - Class of 2001
50th - Class of 1976
75th - Class of 1951
(need First Communion (1945) picture)

If you have updated contact information for any of the members of these classes or know where we can get the pictures we need, please contact the rectory or email Ray & Annette Koncar rfjma@yahoo.com.

BULLETIN CONTENT

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Content must be submitted on the Friday, at least two weeks prior to the requested date.

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ST. JOSEPH PARISH SURVEY

We want your feedback!

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**The 2nd Collection
June 20 & 21
is for the Diocesan
Retired & Infirm Priests**



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 13

Vigil

4:00pm Deceased Members of Frank & Frances Koncar Family (Russ Family)

4:00pm Eunice Ward (Joanne Papesh)

Sunday, June 14

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am Jim Olznoi (Maria Prilesnik & Family)

8:30am Fran & Walt Smaron (Mary Fran Smaron)

10:30am For the Living & Deceased Members of St. Joseph Parish

7:00pm Mary Babich (Family)

7:00pm Frank Nemanich (Huston Family)

Monday, June 15

Weekday

8:30am Wedding Anniversary, Mary & John Fornelli (Family)

8:30am Richard Morelli (Wife & Family)

Tuesday, June 16

Weekday

8:30am John W. Horvat (Family)

8:30am For Health & Blessings, William & Lisa Vertin (Family)

Wednesday, June 17

Weekday

8:30am Marie A. Alexander (A)
(Emil & Liz Engelman & Family)

8:30am Thomas Kemp (Wife & Family)

Thursday, June 18

Weekday

8:30am Mike Slovick (Mike Hansen)

8:30am Joann & Ken Stukle (A. Kraus)

Friday, June 19

Weekday

8:30am John Facinelli (Michalak Family)

8:30am Patricia & Jerome Levandowski
(Ann Levandowski)

Saturday, June 20

Vigil

4:00pm Raymond & Vida Jakovich
(Mary Kay & Frank Masterson)

4:00pm Frances J. Smrekar (A) (Family)

Sunday, June 21

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am Joseph & Emerzia Shroba (Barello Family)

8:30am Robert & Jean (B) Wolz (Family)

10:30am Delores Wilson
(Tom & Bev Kotowicz & Family)

10:30am Ronald A. Ziesmer (Daughters, Kathleen Ziesmer & Elizabeth Rehak)

7:00pm For the Living & Deceased Members of St. Joseph Parish

PRAYER & READINGS • 03

WEEKLY READINGS

**For the Week of
June 14 - June 21, 2026**



Sunday

Ex 19:2-6a
Rom 5:6-11
Mt 9:36-10:8

Monday

1 Kgs 21:1-16
Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday

1 Kgs 21:17-29
Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday

2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14
Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday

Sir 48:1-14
Mt 6:7-15

Friday

2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20
Mt 6:19-23

Saturday

2 Chr 24:17-25
Mt 6:24-34

Next Sunday

Jer 20:10-13
Rom 5:12-15
Mt 10:26-33

THOSE IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS

Fr. Tim Andres, O. Carm., Fr. Joe Atcher, O. Carm., Joe Babich, Judy Bolte, Erica Ceballos, Markie Cerda, Joe Cimfe, Vijay Devadas, Walter Ferguson, Sharon Boris Fonck, Amy Gahan, Irene Gordan, Carolyn Grady, Jean Haas, Carrie Harth, Janet Horvath, Ray Horvatin, Jake Jakovich Jr., Bob Keca, Joan Kernc, Kathy Kibler, Gail Kolenc, Michael Kuhel, Richard Lenzen, Mary Loucks, Todd Lukas, Bettie Lustick, Frank Markun, Mary Ann Mavrin, Greg Munich, Sharon Planinsek, Rafael Quiroz, Deacon Dave & Jo Raskowski, Nathan Roszyk, Julia Sarcletti, James Sefcik, Kathleen Smith, Marcia Smith, Mickey Smith, Nancy Sraj, Gerald Tezak, Nasciana Thompson, Diana Tyda, Joyce Vicich, Terry Ziesmer, for those in need of prayers, and those who have no one to pray for them.

OUR MILITARY PARISHIONERS

Spec. Rafael Arias, Andrew Bender, Sgt. Nikolas Borrego, Lindsey Carroll, Matthew Carroll, Cpt. Peter Collins, COL David M. Conner, Dylan Crotty, Michael A. Elmore, Michael J. Elmore, Mitchell Elmore, LTC Donald Erickson, Holly Erickson-Gresens, Anthony Gayton, Melissa Gonzalez, Sgt. John M. Khandzhayan, Sgt. Mariela Sanchez-Khandzhayan, Wyatt Lawson, Jared Anthony Mason, Kannen Mosher, Andres Nunez, Charles B. Ritzler IV, Augie Spoto

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES ANNUAL APPEAL

Beyond All Expectations: Faith that Elevates!

Monthly pledge payments are due in the next few days. These Payments are essential to reaching our parish goal. Once we reach our goal in paid pledges, 70% of the amount over goal will be returned to our parish for our needs.

PARISH GOAL: \$44,700

AMOUNT PLEDGED: \$47,265

AMOUNT PAID: \$39,642

BALANCE DUE: \$7,623

04 • WORSHIP TOGETHER



BAPTISM

Class

The next Baptism Class is scheduled for **Saturday, July 11, 2026**, at 9:00 AM in Ferdinand Hall. To register, please call the rectory at 815-727-9378 at least one week prior.



Members of the Holy Name Society will meet in Ferdinand Hall following 8:30 AM Mass on Sunday, June 21st, 2026. All male parishioners, ages 15 and older are invited to attend.

PRO-LIFE BABY CRIB SHOWER

Thank You

Our Baby Crib Shower was a huge success due to the generosity of our parishioners. Many much needed items were donated and Birthright of Joliet is sincerely grateful. ~The Pro-Life Committee

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ST. JOSEPH SENIOR LUNCHEON

St. Joseph Seniors will meeting on Wednesday, June 17th, for our Luncheon/Meeting at the St. Joseph Park Hall. Most of you made your reservation when you attended the May meeting. (Members/caregivers are \$8; guests, \$10). *In case you did not register, you have until Sunday, the 14th of June, to call/text Marcia Smith at 815.922.1225 to do so.* Also, if you cannot attend and already made a reservation, please contact Marcia ASAP.

Altar and Rosary Society monthly meeting will be held at 10:30AM in the Legion Room on June 17th followed by **Mass at 11:15 am in the Hall**. All are invited to attend. Please enter quietly if you arrive after 11:15 am, as Mass will be going on.

JOYFUL AGAIN – BEREAVEMENT WORKSHOP

Are you navigating life as a widow or widower? We invite you to join us for support, healing and community.

Attend a Joyful Again! 2 day Workshop & Spiritual Retreat **June 27 & 28, 2026**

St. Julie Billiart Parish, Tinley Park, IL

For further information, call: 708-354-7211 or email us at info@joyfulagain.org

For Registration visit: www.joyfulagain.org



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

July 7, 2026, 6PM-7PM

Spend an hour in His presence for Eucharistic Adoration at St. Joseph Church.

Confessions will be available during this Holy hour.



FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION

Next Collection for St. John's Food Pantry is June 27 & 28

Drop off locations for donations include 4PM & 7PM Mass at Church and 11:00 AM Mass at the Grotto

HAPPENING THIS MONTH • 05

Weekly Calendar

June 13

9:00am Baptism Class, Ferdinand Hall
3:00pm Confessions, Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Litany, Rosary
4:00pm Mass
Noon-10PM - St. John the Baptist Parish Picnic, Park

June 14

8:30am Mass
10:30am Mass
11-6:30pm Knights of Columbus, FH
7:00pm Mass

June 15

8:30am Mass
9:00-10:00am Adoration Chapel

June 16

8:30am Mass
9:00-10:00am Adoration Chapel

June 17

8:30am Mass
9:00am-11:00am Adoration Chapel
10:30am Altar & Rosary Society, Park
11:15am Mass, Park
Noon Seniors, Park
Noon -1:00pm Confessions

June 18

8:30am Mass
9:00-Noon Adoration Chapel

June 19

8:30am Mass
Adoration Chapel is closed

June 20

3:00pm Confessions, Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Litany, Rosary
4:00pm Mass
2nd Collection for Diocesan Retired & Infirm Priests

June 21

8:30am Mass
9:30am Holy Name Society Meeting, FH
10:30am Mass
7:00pm Mass
2nd Collection for Diocesan Retired & Infirm Priests

HOMECOMING FAIR NEEDS YOU!

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

Have you signed up to work a shift or two yet?

Volunteers are needed for the annual Parish Picnic & Homecoming Fair on Sunday, June 28th.

A couple hours of your time will make the world of difference to the success of our picnic. There are many areas in which to help: bingo, outdoor kitchen, children's area, beer garden, basket booth, ticket booths, and much more.

Please call the rectory or visit the SignUp Genius link below to reserve your time slot. Thank you!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0F4BAAAF23A7F85-61877353-2026>

PARISH PICNIC & HOMECOMING FAIR NEWS



Liquor Booth

Monetary donations are being sought for the Liquor Booth at the Fair.

Altar & Rosary Booth

Now accepting donations of new and unused prizes for our Fair booth.

Basket Booth Donations Being Accepted

Monetary donations, items for baskets and completed baskets are needed for the Basket Booth. Please call Judy Kendziora (815-545-7024) with questions.

All donations should be dropped off at the rectory by Wednesday, June 24th.

HOMECOMING RAFFLE TICKETS

Congratulations to the Early Bird Winner, Liz Engelman!

Liz graciously donated a portion of her winnings back to the parish. Thank you, Liz.

Thank you to all who submitted their raffle tickets for the early bird drawing. All tickets are included in the big drawing on June 28th.

Don't forget to fill out your tickets and turn them in. You could be the next big winner!




Early Bird Drawing 2026




Bakery donations will be accepted the day of the Fair.

St. Joseph Church *Parish Picnic* & Homecoming Fair



JOHN CHURNOVIC & THE SLIVO EXPRESS
12:30-3:00PM

Fueled by plum brandy & old-world charm, this polka band is the unstoppable party train of the midwest, performing on the small bandstand




RAY KONCAR & THE BOYS
3:30-6:00PM

Polka, ballads, standards, folk, country & rock performing on the small bandstand



THE BAND SUNDANCE
7:00-10:00PM

The best music of the 60's, 70's, 80's, 90's and today, rock, classic rock, R&B, funk and dance performing on the small bandstand



HILLBILLY ROCKSTARZ
6:00-9:00PM

Mashing up influences from Country, Pop, Rock and Dance combined with high energy live music on the main stage on the hill

SUNDAY JUNE 28, 2026 NOON - 10:00PM



Polka Mass at the Grotto 11:00am



Bingo 3-6:00pm



Beer Garden



Pork Dinner 12-3:00pm



Kids games



Pizza, Pepper Steaks, Smokies, Hot Dogs, Chips



Food Drive at the Grotto Chapel 10:30am-12:30pm



Raffles



Reunion years 1951, 1976, 2001



St. Joe's Park 700 Theodore St., Joliet

St. Joseph Homecoming Fair 2026

Classic Car Show



- * Antique
- * Classic
- * Street Rod
- * Muscle Cars

Cash Prizes
 Best of Show
 Participant Judging

Sunday June 28th

10am to 4pm

St. Joseph Park

700 Theodore St.

Joliet

East grass parking lot

- *Food
- *Bar
- *Live Music

- *Kid games
- *Bingo
- *Big Wheel

\$10 entry donation

Car registration from 9am to 11am