



St. Lawrence Parish
Greenville, IL
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Diocese of Springfield, IL
Most Reverend
Thomas John Paprocki, Bishop



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Mass Times

Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday at Church 8am

Friday 8am HSHS Chapel

Saturday 5:30pm * Sunday 8 & 10am

Sacrament of Reconciliation: 4:45-5:15pm Saturday or
by appointment

Holy Rosary: Weekends prior to Mass * Weekdays after
Mass

Budget Goals as of April 27, 2026

Total Regular*	\$4,003
Regular Support Goal weekly plus fundraising	\$3,730
Surplus/ Deficit	\$273
Fundraising Account 11/25/2025	\$50,943
Annual Support Needed (Budget) 7/25-6/26	\$194,000
Cumulative Support Actual 7/25-6/26	\$174,271
Season of Stewardship Paid out of GF-FYTD	\$9,322
Season of Stewardship Paid out of FR-FYTD	\$692
Season of Stewardship collected here FYTD	\$7,323

Parish Support April 25 & 26, 2026

*Envelopes/ Online Giving	\$3,802.00
*Loose Cash	\$186.00
*Vigil Candles	\$15.00
Season of Stewardship	\$235.00
Cemetery Fund	\$20.00
Improvement Fund	\$15.00
Religious Education Fund	\$20.00
Sister Parish	\$160.00
Catholic Charities	\$10.00
Catholic Relief Services	\$10.00
Rice Bowl	\$5.00
Seminarians	\$10.00
Catholic Home Mission Appeal	\$75.00
TOTAL	\$4,563.00

St. Vincent DePaul Society know of someone in need? Get help @ svdpgreenvilleil@gmail.com or 618-704-3760

Dear Parishioners,

In the Gospel this week Christ reveals an essential part of the faith and how it works in us. He stated: "You have faith in God, have faith also in me (Jn14:1)," An essential part of the faith of Christians is indeed to recognize and accept Christ Jesus as the Eternal Son of God and to trust in Him. Jesus comforts his disciples as he tells them that he is returning to the Father in heaven. "And I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back again, and take you to myself, so that where I am you also may be (Jn14:3)." God sent Jesus to the world to make us ready to share life in God. Jesus reveals that in himself he carries the life of his Father.

God's presence is among us and even though he returns to the Father in heaven, he will come back for his disciples. He will take us to be with God. He shows us the way as he says: "I am the way the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me (Jn14: 6)." Jesus came to show us the way of unity with God and through him and the Church. Believe in the Son and believe in the One who sent him and believe in the Church as the sign and sacrament of his kingdom! With faith in Jesus, we live in unity of the Church and await the fulfillment of all the promises of Christ that leads us in salvation.

Peace,
Fr. Jeff

Beware of Scams/Suspicious Emails

It has been reported that someone is sending out messages in Father Jeff's name asking for a "swift response" to a request for help of some sort. We would not ask for financial support via email. Our official emails are listed in the bulletin if the source is from somewhere other than that please use caution. If you have questions about any request that looks like it is from someone in our office please feel free to give us a call at 618-664-9149 or confirm at our published email account bookkeeper@stlawgreenville.org

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR BROTHERS & SISTERS IN YOUR PRAYERS

Mark Marchello	Taylor Marti	Virginia Pollman
Carmen Koonce	Sarah Wells	Cyndi Weiss
Mary Siebert	Leo Rakars	Paul Tully
Fran Heimann	Bill Hart	Dean Coleman
Joanne Carter	Ginny Hay	Kaleb Durbin
Mike Willeford	Lily Wells	Isabel McLaughlin
Alice Kreher	Richard Morgan	Cory Elam
Evelyn Thies	Harold Thull	John Jackson
Melissa Marti	Mary Margaret	Regina Bellitto
Doreen Whalen	Roberts	

Tuesday 5	Wednesday 6	Thursday 7	Friday 8 @ HSHS	Saturday May 9	Sunday May 10
8am Leo & Bernice Houpt	8am Sullivan Family	8am Ken Disch	8am Michael DeMoulin	5:30pm Bernice Houpt	8am Bill Steiner From Dan Steiner
From Don & Kathy Reed 7pm Adoration	From Kathy Sullivan	From Eric & Karen Reelitz	From Dan Steiner	From Outreach Committee	10am People of STL

Sacred Heart of Jesus Icon program with exposition and adoration May 5 at 7pm sponsored by the KofC

Date	Mass	Lector	Servers	Eucharist	Gift Bearers
5/9/2026	5:30PM	Joanna Wilhite	Griffin Rehkemper Volunteer	Diane Bingham Mike Bingham	Rehkemper Family
5/10/2026	8:00AM	Kristy Schaefer	Ava Schaefer Colt Schaefer	Sherri Beckham Elaine Cripe	Schluckebier Family
5/3/2026	10:00AM	Dale Hastings	Joey Sanchez Mathan Sanchez	Alicia Gamino Maria Bemis	Gamino Family

Mother's Day Roses May 9 & 10

The Bond County Right to Life will have roses available for Mother's Day weekend after all Masses. A free will offering will be taken, the donations will be used to pay for the roses & a donation will be made to the Pregnancy Support Center.

Graduate Mass May 17th 10am

St. Lawrence would like to recognize all those parishioners graduating this spring from junior high, high school and college. Please submit student's name, parent's name and where the student is graduating from to the parish office by May 13 for inclusion. We will celebrate all with a special blessing at the 10am Mass on May 17th.

Book Club

We will break from meeting for the summer, here is our summer reading list:

- Plain Truth* by Jodi Picout
- The Magic Hour* by Kristin Hannah
- Sisterhood of Ravensbruck* by Lynne Olson
- Killers of the Flower Moon* by David Grann

Thank you

The McAteer & Campbell families would like to thank everyone for the prayers, memorials and memories that have been shared of the last month in honor of John McAteer.

Congratulations to Cann/Willey Families

Welcome Lily Cann to our church family. Lily celebrated the Sacrament of Baptism after 10am Mass last Sunday. Lily is the daughter of Dustin Cann and Molly Willey. Let us continue to pray for her as she grows as a child of God. May God bless her, her parents and Godparents.

If you would like to have something included in the bulletin, please send the information to bookkeeper@stlawgreenville.org or call the church office. **Please note: All items must be received by 10am on Thursday to be included in the bulletin that same week.** To view online go to flock-note.com/stlgreenville.com

PSR News/Updates

DRE/CRE Mary Beth Kuentler
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All PSR classes begin at 6:30pm

May Calendar:

May 6--PSR Class
May 13--PSR Class--May Crowning Mass will be at 6:30 PM--please join us as we celebrate the Blessed Virgin Mary and our last PSR mass of the school year.
May 20--PSR Class--Last Class of the school year!

Wednesday night meal Apr! 29 5:30-6:30-join us for food & fellowship. This week's menu: Hamburgers & hot dogs

To report allegations of sexual abuse of a minor by clergy, even if in the past, individuals are encouraged to call the Diocese's Child Abuse reporting and investigation number at 217-321-1155. Individuals may also contact the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services Abuse Hotline at 1-800-25ABUSE.

Celebrating this week May 3-8

Birthdays

Brian Bircher
Alec Gamino
Kathy Gullo
Troy Gullo
Levi Harley
Sebastian Henkel
Kelly Knox-Henkel
Cheryl Marchello
Nora Marcoot
Donna Riedemann
Mary Zeeb

