

Masses:
Wednesdays - 8:30 a.m.
Sundays - 9:00 a.m.

~ Sacred Heart Church ~
Kinsman, IL
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After Sunday & Wednesday Mass
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September 27, 2026

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule		Mass Intentions	Collections – 9/20/2026
Sun.	- Sept. 27	9:00 a.m. Loisanne O’Connell - Don & Mary Pfeifer	Sunday.....\$ 1,606.00
Wed.	- Sept. 30	8:30 a.m. Jim Phelan - Ed & Jean Condon	“Your Offering is most appreciated!”
Sun.	- Oct. 4	9:00 a.m. Scott & Sean Blair - Blair Family	
“Remember your mercies, O Lord.”			
Sunday Mass:		October Stewardship	
Lector: Lee Miller		Servers: Emma & June McDonald	Eucharistic Minister: Kathy Vint

- Please remember in your prayers all the deceased of our parish and communities, all of our nursing home residents and those living alone, all those that are battling illness, along with their families and care givers, all of the brave and selfless men and women serving in the armed forces, their families and all of the innocent souls affected by war. Please also pray for all that are in need, materially and spiritually, those that have suffered and died at the hands of others, those that have been affected by recent natural disasters, all first responders, and all of our dear friends and neighbors that have asked for our prayerful support. (Please see the list of those in need of ongoing prayerful support posted on the bulletin board in the vestibule. If any additions or corrections need to be made, please contact Laurie Miller - e-mail address & phone number listed above.)
- Please turn off all electronic devices before Mass begins. Thank you.
- The 2026-27 CCD year is underway!!! Welcome back to all our CCD students and our faithful volunteer teachers, aide and coordinator!!! Those wonderful individuals include...Melissa Brockman and Katie Yusko (Katie served as a volunteer aide last year). Melissa & Katie will be teaching the K through 2nd Grade Students, along with McKenna Brockman (one of you young adults, who has stepped into aide position). Cassie Siedentop will be teaching the 3rd through 8th Grade students, along with serving as our CCD Coordinator. Sadly, not returning with the CCD program this year is Trevor Jensen, who served as one of our teachers. We want to thank Trevor for his time and talents and wish him well!!! It was wonderful to see this young man step up when it was needed, without hesitation, and do a terrific job of preparing his students for their First Communion for the past several years. Again, thank you, Trevor, and God bless you!!!
- If you’re new to Sacred Heart and you would like to register your child for CCD, please send an email to our Religious Education Director, Cassie Siedentop at cassiesiedentop@gmail.com.
- We received notification that it’s time to start thinking about the MVK Christmas Basket Project. (A date for the actual collection that we will take up here will most likely be Nov. 22nd, as Gift Card Pick up is scheduled for Dec. 6th...just to give you a heads up.) Applications for those in need will be taken by Tina Brookman until Oct. 10th. I (Laurie) asked if there were people in need, how would they apply and what are the qualifications. This was the information I received: There are several ways to qualify for the basket. Tina Brookman reviews all applicants. If you have someone that may qualify, they can contact her at 815-735-4895.
 1. Must be in the MVK school district (elementary or high school) and qualify for the free or reduced lunch program.
 2. MVK Food Pantry recipient.
 3. Qualify for assistance at We Care.
 4. Get state funded insurance.
 5. On disability
 6. On social security and live in low-income senior housing.

Laurie note: I’m not sure if there’s a single qualification that needs to be met, or a certain number of qualifications that need to be met. Please call Tina with questions. She’s been doing this for a number of years.
- Don’t’ forget...per parishioner Donna Gabehart...**The Veteran's Day card project will be starting today, 9/27,** and ends on 10/25. There will be cards in the pews for you to sign if you would like and you can put them in the white container marked as such in the hallway.
- Wanting to keep up with news and/or announcements from the Diocese?! Visit www.diojoliet.org for the latest information and resources.
- We would like to welcome all new individuals, couples and families to Sacred Heart!!! We are a worship site in service of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish. If you’d like to become a member of our parish, a registration form can be made available upon request, or by visiting the Parish website at www.stmaryassumptionparish.org. If you have questions or need further assistance, please contact our parish secretary, Laura, at 815-634-4171 Ext 1. (If you wish to read the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary/Coal City bulletin, you can do so by going to: www.stmaryassumptionparish.org and click on the bulletin tab.)
- Word of Life - “Suicidal individuals—with or without a terminal illness—typically do not want to die... The patient requesting assisted suicide is often asking, ‘Does anyone want me to be alive, or care enough to talk me out of this request and support me through this difficult time?’” - USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, “Every Suicide is Tragic”.
- Stewardship – Sept. 27, 2026 (26th Sunday in Ordinary Time) - Compliments of the Diocese of Dodge City, KS – “The first son in today’s Gospel said he would do his father’s bidding, but did not. The second son balked at first, but then repented and did as he was asked. What service is God calling me to do? Which son am I more like?”