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# LENT



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St. Anne Catholic Church

First Sunday of Lent

February 26, 2023

## Ministry Highlight

The P.A.D.S. MINISTRY AT HESED HOUSE invites you to learn more.

### Help Serve the Homeless!

Can you spend just few hours once a month to serve the homeless? Details as follows:

- We serve the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of every month.
- We only ask that you try to be available for at least 6 months of the year.
- We start at ~6 PM and end no later than 9:30 PM.
- We serve dinner, make sack lunches, and help the Hesed House staff per their direction.
- We serve at Hesed House in Aurora (659 S. River Street).
- Children under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.
- Hesed House does require volunteers to be vaccinated against Covid and to wear masks.

If this ministry is something you believe you could support, please contact Craig Thompson at [CraigR.Thompson@Comcast.net](mailto:CraigR.Thompson@Comcast.net) or at 630-386-0596.

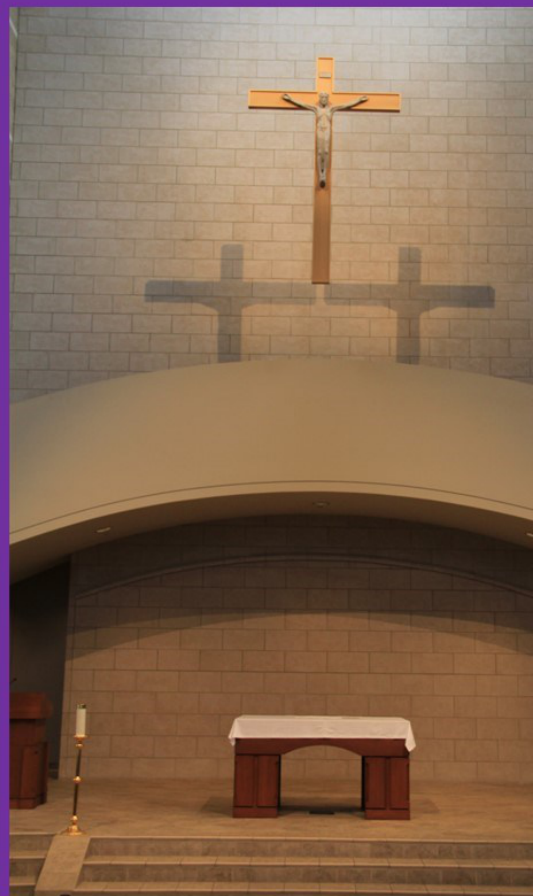
*Doing the Lord's work brings **unexpected** benefits!*

# LENT RECONCILIATION

Sunday, March 5

4:00 PM

Several priests available for  
individual Confessions



## A NOTE FROM FATHER EICKHOFF

We have begun the Season of Lent. You might wonder why I keep on writing “the Season of Lent.” Is it to pad my word count on my bulletin articles? Maybe. Or perhaps it is to recognize that there is an important meaning behind the words “the Season of Lent” that the single word “Lent” just doesn’t cover in enough detail.

When we speak of “the Season of Lent,” we immediately recognize that a significant period of time will be taking place. Lent is not just one day or one week. A short period of time that will quickly come and go. Rather, the Season of Lent will be staying with us for quite a while. This long period of time gives us the chance to truly plan out how we can improve our relationship with God and to put those plans into effect. During the Season of Lent we should be thinking of what we can do to improve our relationship with God. How can we do this?

The first step is to pray. By this I mean take some time – a few minutes is a good start – and turn off all the distractions around you. Turn off the TV, turn off the phone, turn off the computer. You get the idea. Instead of being distracted by all the busyness around you focus on asking God to aid you in getting through the day. Ask the Lord for help, for inspiration in dealing with all of your difficulties. Ask the Lord to point out to you those occasions where you did right by God and your neighbors. And ask the Lord to point out to you those occasions where you did wrong. Ask the Lord to help you do right in the future and avoid the wrong. This prayer needs to be done not just once or twice during the Season of Lent, but rather it needs to be carried out throughout the Lent season.

The second step is to make right your relationship with God. Our relationship with God is built on our responding to God's call to be disciples of Jesus Christ. These responses are based in the small things that we do on a daily basis such as an act of kindness towards another person or taking those few minutes to pray. These responses also include those actions that we do to mark us out both publicly (such as ashes on Ash Wednesday) or in private (such as abstaining from meat on Fridays). The times of fasting and abstaining from food or meat during Lent is a way of strengthening our relationship with God. They mark a dedication we make to be disciples of Jesus not just in promise, but also in deed.

The third step is to make right any broken parts of your relationship with God by going to confession. Confessions are heard at St. Anne on Wednesday evening between 7pm and 8pm and on Saturday afternoons from 3.30pm and 4.30pm. There will also be a special opportunity for confession on Sunday, March 5<sup>th</sup> beginning at 4pm. A large number of priests will be coming to help hear confessions on that day.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Stephen Eickhoff  
Pastor

## Mass Intentions

### Monday, February 27

8:00 AM-Thomas Lee Tabern req. Susan Lynn McMahon

### Tuesday, February 28

7:00 AM-Edward French (Living Intention) req. Lauri French

### Wednesday, March 1

8:00 AM-Elizabeth Nance req. Jackie Johnson

### Thursday, March 2

7:00 AM-Jean Leganski req. Paul & Rita Leganski

### Friday, March 3

8:00 AM-Lawrence Cowdrey req. Wife

### Saturday, March 4

5:00 PM-Albert P. Hames req. Hames Family

### Sunday, March 5

7:30 AM-For the Parishioners

9:15 AM-Nina Lobo req. Patricia Lobo

11:00 AM-Meghan Bowers req. Family

## Readings for the Week

### Scripture Readings

#### For the Week of February 26, 2023

#### Sunday First Sunday of Lent

Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17; Rom 5:12-19 or Rom 5:12, 17-19; Mt 4:1-11

#### Monday

Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15; Mt 25:31-46

#### Tuesday

Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19; Mt 6:7-15

#### Wednesday

Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19; Lk 11:29-32

#### Thursday

Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8; Mt 7:7-12

#### Friday

Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8; Mt 5:20-26

#### Saturday

Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:43-48

#### Sunday Second Sunday of Lent

Gn 12:1-4a; Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22; 2 Tm 1:8b-10; Mt 17:1-9

## Events

### Mon

8:30-9:00 AM-Rosary

4:45 & 6:15 PM-RE K-6 classes

7:30 PM-Celebration Ringers

7:30 PM-O.C.I.A. (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)

### Tues

9:30 AM-The Search

4:45 PM-RE K-6 classes

7:00 PM-Parish Council meeting

7:00 PM-The Search

7:30 PM-Chancel Choir

### Wed

8:30-9:00 AM-Rosary

9:30 AM-The Search

5:30 PM-RE K-6 classes

7:00-8:00 PM-Eucharistic Adoration in the Chapel

7:00-8:00 PM-Confessions

7:00 PM-The Search

7:30 PM-Heart of Worship

### Thur

4:45 PM-RE Sacrament make up classes

6:30 PM-Knights of Columbus Council 16720

7:30 PM-Adult Confirmation class

### Fri

8:30-9:00 AM-Eucharistic Adoration in Church

7:00 PM-Stations of the Cross

### Sat

10:00 AM-High School Confirmation class

3:30 PM-First Communion Retreat

3:30-4:30 PM-Confessions

4:00-6:30 PM-Religious Goods Store is open

5:00 PM-O.C.I.A. Penitential Rite

### Sun

12:30 PM-The Search

4:00 PM-Lent Reconciliation/Confessions

4:00 PM-RE DASH 3 classes and Reconciliation

### Please Pray For

Emma Bates  
Tyler Brewick  
Melanie Brooks  
Roman Cybulski  
Jim De Vos  
Tom Duprey  
James Feeley  
Peggy Flanigan  
Samantha Harkins

J. J. Heinemann  
Ken Hermann  
Bob Hettinger  
Martha Hettinger  
Mark Hums  
Bill Kassen  
Bea Koehler  
Rick Llanes  
Ramiro Martinez

Carol Preseren  
Bill Pyles  
Breanna Ramirez  
Jean Sanchez  
John Seego  
Norma Seego  
Bob Skeels  
Brady Stevens  
Doug Westbrook

And all who are experiencing illness and are not listed by name.  
Names will be kept on listing for six weeks

## SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

"My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there, and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen."

### PARISH BULLETIN EMAIL NOTIFICATION

Stay up to date with what is happening at St. Anne Parish.

Each week Discover Mass will send you an email update with a link to the current week's bulletin.

<https://discovermass.com/church/st-anne-oswego-il/#bulletins>



<https://StAnne26.flocknote.com>



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Text APP to 88202  
Select St. Anne, Oswego



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## God's Share

All of us are recipients of many blessings from God. In return, He expects that we praise Him for His goodness and thank Him for His generous gifts. Thanking, however, is not done in word only, but in deed, also.

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>
Total Parish Offering <b>February 12, 2023</b>		
Sunday Offering	\$11,882.92	\$22,500.00
E-Giving	\$ 5,319.00	145 Transactions
<b>Total Offering</b>	<b>\$17,201.92</b>	

**Thank you to those who are able to continue to support us through EGIVING  
or mailing in your contribution!**

**E-Giving:** If you would like to participate in E-Giving  
<https://giving.ncsservices.org/App/Giving/ncs-1474>

For those signed up for EGIVING, please continue this practice to aide in the processing of the collection.

"Recent Federal Tax changes may make it advantageous for parishioners receiving RMDs (Required Minimum Distributions) to transfer funds from their IRA (Individual Retirement Accounts) to St. Anne Parish. "Please consult your financial planner or tax advisor before making any tax or contribution decision."

### 2022 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

Contribution statements will be available by request only this year. If you would like to receive a statement via email or US Mail, please contact the parish office to make this request.

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jan@stanneparish.org

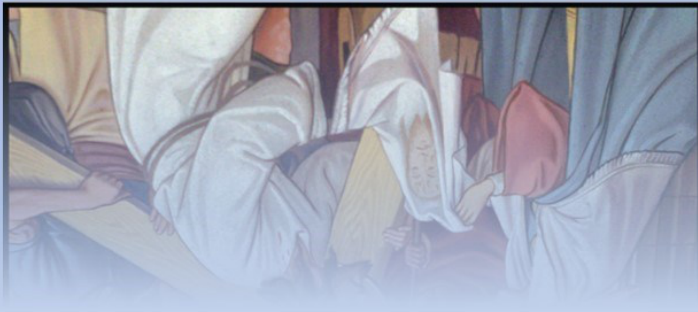
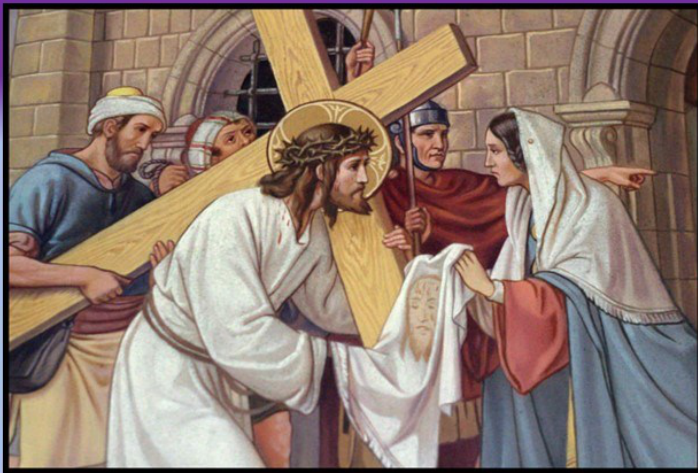
Thank you for your continued generosity to St. Anne Parish.

### THE 2023 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES ANNUAL APPEAL IS NOW UNDERWAY

#### Pledge your gift to the CMAA

This year's CMAA theme is *We Belong to God*. We must work together to ensure all feel included in our community of faith. Through our annual appeal, our parish joins with the other parishes in the diocese to help the poor and vulnerable, form our children in the faith and strengthen vocations. We could not accomplish these and the many other ministries the CMAA supports on our own.

Seventy percent of any amount we raise over our goal will be returned to us, which is a wonderful opportunity for our parish. Please prayerfully reflect on how you can best support our annual appeal and help our parish reach its \$109,300.00 goal. To make a gift, complete and return one of the pledge envelopes in church today. In advance, thank you for your support!



# Stations of the Cross

**Fridays – 7:00 PM**

Join us in praying the Stations this Lent!

March 3 Led by Blue Army

March 10 Led by RE/DASH Program

March 17 Led St. Vincent dePaul

March 24 Led by Knights of Columbus

March 31 Led by Men's Spirituality & Evening with the Bible

Good Friday, April 7 Led by Worship Commission

## RELIGIOUS GOODS STORE



The Religious Goods Store will be open Saturday, March 4 and 18 from 4:00-6:30 PM. They will have items for First Holy Communion as well as medals, holy cards, Bibles, cards and other religious items.

Future dates the store will be open: Sunday, April 16 8:00 AM-12:30 PM

## ROSARY

Come join us on Monday and Wednesday to recite the Rosary in the church after the 8:00 AM Mass.

Also, Monday evening we do teleconference/ZOOM Rosary at 7:00 PM. To join: Contact Don Oblazney 630-518-7387



## REMINDER . . . . .



**Sessions Resume this week:**

**February 26, February 28 and March 1**

# WELCOME TO THE NEWLY BAPTIZED

We want to warmly welcome and congratulate the following children who were recently Baptized at St. Anne Parish:



By: Deacon Duane Wozek

Walter Nicklas Condon



## ADULT CONFIRMATION 2023

Adult Confirmation classes will be held on Thursdays, March 2, 9, 16 and 23, 2023 at 7:30 PM in the Joachim Center.

Confirmation will be celebrated at 2:00 PM on Sunday, May 21 and Sunday, June 4, 2023 at St. Raymond Cathedral in Joliet.

If you are an adult age 18 or older who has not been Confirmed, please contact:

**Deacon David Brockman**

**630-383-2331**

**Email: [ocia@stanneparish.org](mailto:ocia@stanneparish.org)**

## THANK YOU FROM BIRTHRIGHT OF JOLIET

Dear, St. Anne Parishioners,

Thank you for your gift to Birthright of Joliet. We offer women hope and support during and after their pregnancy. A gift to Birthright offers free pregnancy tests to an uncertain woman, baby items to a needy mom, and referrals for services to support a needy family. You are also giving our volunteer staff and board a healthy dose of encouragement. We are grateful to know you are supporting this work.

We extend our sincere gratitude for your most generous gifts of \$80 and a huge collection of diapers, wipes and needed baby items. We assure you that your contribution will be used wisely as we serve those in need. If you know of anyone in need of pregnancy help, please contact us. We have a Facebook and Instagram account and encourage you to "friend" or "like" us. Share our story with others to expand our outreach efforts so that the regretful words, "if only I'd known" needn't be said.

Thank you again for walking with us as hearts are being touched and lives are being saved.

Karen Hatfield, Director

Mary Spesia, Co-Director

815-725-3411

[joliet@birthright.org](mailto:joliet@birthright.org)

[www.birtheright.org/joliet](http://www.birtheright.org/joliet)

## LENT AND PASCHAL TRIDUUM GUIDELINES Fast and Abstinence Regulations

1. Everyone 14 years of age or over is bound to abstain from meat on **Ash Wednesday** and all the **Fridays of Lent**.
2. Everyone 18 years of age and under 59 years of age is bound to fast and to abstain on **Ash Wednesday** and **Good Friday**.
3. On **Ash Wednesday** and **Good Friday**, only one full meatless meal is allowed. Two other meatless meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to each one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted on these two days, but liquids, including milk and fruit juices are allowed. When health or ability to work would be seriously affected, the law does not oblige.
4. To disregard completely the law of fast and abstinence is seriously sinful.

Lent is the principal season of penance in the Christian year; all, in addition to following the Lenten regulations, are strongly urged to develop and follow a program of voluntary self-denial, serious prayer, and a performance of works of charity and mercy.

Diocese of Joliet

Office of Divine Worship



Blanchette Catholic Center  
16555 Weber Rd.  
Crest Hill, Illinois 60403  
[www.dioceseofjoliet.org](http://www.dioceseofjoliet.org)

### Help us write our 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary prayer!

The Diocese of Joliet will celebrate its 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary on December 11, 2024, and we want you to help write the official anniversary prayer.

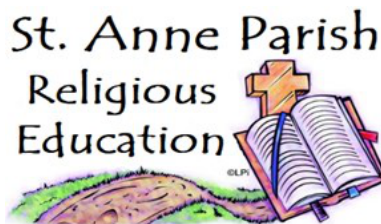
The theme of the yearlong celebration beginning in December 2023 is “Founded in Faith, Called to Witness, Sent Forth to Serve.” We are asking that everyone join in this creative exercise to craft language for a prayer that can be easily prayed aloud in a group setting. The anniversary prayer will be translated into the various languages found in the diocese, so feel free to write your prayer in your native language.

This is a perfect project for religious education and Catholic school students, parents and parish organizations. Fire up your laptops and tablets or sharpen your pencils, and then call upon the Holy Spirit for inspiration in creating poetic anniversary prose.

Send your prayers to Sr. Sharon Stola, OSB, at the Office of Divine Worship at [ssstola@dioceseofjoliet.org](mailto:ssstola@dioceseofjoliet.org) or c/o the Blanchette Catholic Center, 16555 Weber Road, Crest Hill, IL 60403 by **June 1, 2023**. Include your name, address, phone number, email address and name of parish or institution. The 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary committee will look to your submissions for guidance in writing the prayer.

For more information or questions, contact Sr. Sharon at the above email or 815-221-6230.

**Office of Divine Worship and the Catechumenate**  
Phone: 815-221-6230 Email: [ssstola@dioceseofjoliet.org](mailto:ssstola@dioceseofjoliet.org)



Monday	11:00 AM to 7:30 PM
Tuesday and Wednesday	11:00 AM to 7:00 PM
Thursday	9:30 AM to 5:00 PM
Friday	Closed

Contact us by phone (630-554-1425) or email us:  
[reo@stanneparish.org](mailto:reo@stanneparish.org) for Cathy Gillooly, DRE K-5  
[jhdre@stanneparish.org](mailto:jhdre@stanneparish.org) for Julie Krakora, DRE 6-8

### K-5 Family Scripture Connection

You have probably heard it said that in the season of Lent, we focus on prayer (talking and listening to God), fasting (giving up food and other sacrifices), and almsgiving (sharing with those in need). On this 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent, we hear that Jesus himself fasted for 40 days and 40 nights in the desert. Can you imagine going so long without food? Although God is not asking us to give up eating for Lent, we are called to make some sacrifices. Is there something in your life distracting you from God that you can give up? Can you try to break out of a bad habit? Can you sacrifice some of your personal time to connect with your family or help people in need? What will you do this Lent to draw closer to God?



### K-5 Schedule

Classes are in session as usual this week, February 27–March 1. The following week, March 6–8, all students in grades 2–DASH 1 will have the opportunity to receive the sacrament of Reconciliation during their regular class time.



### World vs. The Word

Jesus is the Word of God – capital W because He is God speaking Truth to us. Could the temptations of the world really get to him? Today's readings share some key points. Jesus taught the devil is real and active in life. But with prayer – time staying close to our Creator/God – we are given the strength to conquer temptations. Jesus, though God, was human and still had to choose. This lent, choose who you want to follow, *the Word* or the world.



On March 5 the parish will offer the Sacrament of Reconciliation. All those in **DASH 3** will come that day from 4:00–6:00 PM which will include time for Reconciliation *and* small group session.

Anyone in **DASH 2** is invited (**not required – an error written last week**) to come with parents during the parish Reconciliation times (4:00-5:30 PM).

**DASH 1:** This week, you learn about the prophets – their purpose and how Jesus came to fulfill many of the things they share.

**DASH 2:** Today two items from that past month are due – All About Me and My Faith and Scripture Connections as a teen. I look forward to reading both.

**DASH 3:** Tonight's session (February 26 5:00–7:00 PM) is a treasure, focusing on the Eucharist! Parents of DASH 3 teens are invited to attend. Our closing prayer time will be adoration.



# THIS WEEK ON **FORMED**

## Week of February 26, 2023



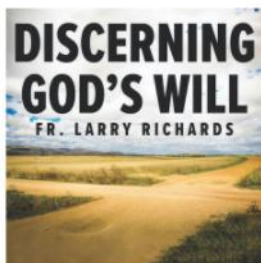
### Father Michael McGivney: An American Blessed

In May 2020, Pope Francis approved a miracle attributed to the intercession of Fr. Michael McGivney, paving the way for his beatification. This documentary highlights Fr. McGivney's fraternal charity, evangelization, and empowerment of the laity.



### Session 1: Jesus: Model and Master of Prayer

In this episode of his course on the Our Father, Dr. Ben Akers teaches us what we can learn from the perfect model and master of prayer: Jesus himself.



### Discerning God's Will by Fr. Larry Richards

Discovering the will of God can be an intimidating challenge in the spiritual life. Join Fr. Larry Richards as he guides us in this task through practical advice and personal stories!

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An offering from the  AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE and  ignatius press

## PRAYER SHAWLS AVAILABLE

- Know a parishioner, family member or friend going through a difficult time?
- Prayer Shawls are available. Please contact the parish office to arrange a time to pick one up to take to them: 630-554-3331 or [stanne@stanneparish.org](mailto:stanne@stanneparish.org)
- Shawls have been knitted or crocheted, blessed and bagged with an enclosed prayer ready to be given to someone in need



### St. Vincent de Paul Society Gospel Reflection

Lent is a call to “give alms for the poor.” Wherever you live in the parish, there are poor families within walking distance of your home. When in need, they ring the rectory bell. They are, in effect, ringing your doorbell.

**Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please suggest they call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that together we can help the suffering and poor.**

If there is anyone you know who needs help,  
our contact information is:

**Hotline—630-383-2322**

**Email [stvincentdp@stanneparish.org](mailto:stvincentdp@stanneparish.org)**



## KENDALL COUNTY COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY

The Kendall County Community Food Pantry continues to serve families from the County in need of food assistance.

The Pantry is still able to “purchase” large quantities of food from the Northern Illinois Food bank to meet their needs. The demands on the pantry have increased and donations are down. Any help provided is greatly appreciated!

Cash donations go a long way. For every dollar donated, the pantry can purchase \$8.00 in food from the Northern Illinois Food Bank.

Donations may be mailed directly to:

**Checks should be made out to Kendall County Community Food Pantry: (not St. Anne Parish)**

Kendall County Community Food Pantry  
208 Beaver Street  
Yorkville, IL 60560

<https://kccfoodpantry.org/donate/>



**2023 SUMMER INTERNSHIP PROGRAM**  
**DIOCESE OF JOLIET DEPARTMENT OF CATECHESIS & EVANGELIZATION (DCE)**

The Department of Catechesis & Evangelization in the Diocese of Joliet is offering an 8-week summer internship program for interested adults ages 18 and up. Responsibilities will include: Participating in department meetings and other relevant events, helping onboard parish staff to key programs, assisting with the development of a diocesan podcast, clerical work as needed. The internship must take place between the months of May and August. The intern will be expected to work during office hours at the Blanchette Catholic Center: 8:00 am to 4:30 pm Monday through Thursday, and 8:00 am to 1:00 pm on Fridays.

Interested candidates should submit a cover letter and resume to [jreyes@dioceseofjoliet.org](mailto:jreyes@dioceseofjoliet.org). Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. To view full job description, please visit [The Roman Catholic Diocese of Joliet in Illinois](https://www.dioceseofjoliet.org/).



No matter how much  
you're hurting

## No Marriage is Beyond Hope

RETROUVAILLE  
OF JOLIET ILLINOIS

There is a light at the  
end of the tunnel.

#blessedinRETROspect  
#RetrouvailleJoliet

Retrouvaille is a program designed for married couples who are struggling. Retrouvaille helps couples learn to communicate on a deeper level, and has helped thousands of couples return to a healthy, God-centered marriage.

>>> Our next weekend will be held March 17th - 19th, 2023 <<<

For information please contact:  
**Retrouvaille of Joliet - 1-815-246-2080**



## FAST and PRAY for ILLINOIS

"But this kind is not cast out but  
by prayer and fasting." Mt 17:21

Heavenly Father, You have given us great hope by gifting us with the reversal of Roe v. Wade. Bless the State of ILLINOIS with good and holy leaders to guide and place us on the right path. We offer You our prayers and fasting in thanksgiving and for this intention.

**PRAY & FAST every Friday for the  
CONVERSION of ILLINOIS.**

(Clip out this prayer & keep as a reminder)



A Catholic & Benedictine College Prep High School for Young Men

# MARMION ACADEMY

It's not too late to  
**Become  
a Cadet!**

## Entrance Exam

**SATURDAY March 25, 2023 @ 9 AM**

551 Boulder Hill Pass  
P. O. Box 670 (mailing address)  
Oswego, IL 60543

[www.stanneparish.org](http://www.stanneparish.org)

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**Phone** ..... (630) 554-3331

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**Monday-Thursday** ..... 8:30 AM-4:00 PM

**Religious Education Office**

**Phone** ..... (630) 554-1425

**Fax** ..... (630) 554-9797

**Mon-Wed** ..... 10:00 AM-7:30 PM

**Thursday** ..... 8:30 AM-4:00 PM

**Friday** ..... 8:30 AM-12:00 PM

**MISSION STATEMENT**

**Learn, Live and Nurture –**

**Learn the Faith, Live the Faith and  
Nurture the Faith**

As a welcoming Catholic community, we strive to be disciples of Jesus glorifying His true presence in the Eucharist. Just as St. Anne was called by God, we are called as faithful witnesses to celebrate the Sacraments, honor traditions and nurture the family by studying, praying and proclaiming the Good News through service and evangelization.

**PARISH STAFF**

**Pastor** ..... Rev. Stephen Eickhoff  
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**Director of Religious Education, 6-8** ..... Julie Krakora  
[jhdre@stanneparish.org](mailto:jhdre@stanneparish.org) (630) 554-1425

**EUCCHARISTIC LITURGY**

Saturday ..... 5:00 PM

Sunday ..... 7:30, 9:15 & 11:00 AM

Monday-Wednesday-Friday ..... 8:00 AM

Tuesday—Thursday ..... 7:00 AM

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

Saturday ..... 3:30-4:30 PM

Wednesday ..... 7:00-8:00 PM

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Wednesday ..... 7:00-8:00 PM

Friday ..... 8:30-9:00 AM

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

Baptisms are generally held the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month (some months this may vary) at 12:30 PM. Expectant parents are to call the Parish Office, six months before the birth of their child for preparation information. **Please do not choose Godparents until you receive the established Church guidelines for Godparents.**

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE**

Couples seeking the Sacrament of Marriage should call the parish office at least six months before the date of marriage. A wedding date may not be secured until meeting with the parish Deacon or Priest. At that time, the couple will be secured a date and begin the process of preparation for the Sacrament of Marriage.

**SACRAMENT OF THE SICK**

If there is anyone at home who cannot get to Mass and the Sacraments because of illness or age, please call the parish office at anytime to request the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.

**O.C.I.A. (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)**

Those interested in becoming Catholic or in learning more about the Catholic faith meet weekly. Call the parish office or e-mail [rcia@stanneparish.org](mailto:rcia@stanneparish.org) for more information.

**STEWARDSHIP PARISH**

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Bulletin articles are due into the parish office by 10:00 AM Thursday, 10 days before the Sunday you wish the article to appear. Please email your copy to [stanne@stanneparish.org](mailto:stanne@stanneparish.org) using Microsoft WORD.

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