

Kendall County Community Food Pantry School Supply Collection



Saturday and Sunday July 15-16



- Please bring only these specific items to the church narthex when you come for Mass
- All donations will benefit families at the Kendall County Community Food Pantry

ITEMS NEEDED

- 17" Backpacks
- #2 Pencils
- Spiral Noteboks Wide Ruled (Red, Blue, Green or Yellow)
- Wide Ruled Filler Paper(for notebooks)
- Highlighters
- Crayola Broad Markers



A NOTE FROM FATHER EICKHOFF

Later this month on Wednesday, July 26 our parish will celebrate the feast day of our patron saint. I hope that you will be able to join us here at church for a celebratory Mass in honor of St. Anne, the mother of Mary, at 7pm. The Mass will be followed by an outdoor reception in the back parking lot and grassy areas along Lombardy Street. The parish will provide the snacks and refreshments and the parishioners will provide the lawn chairs. If you are wondering why we are holding an outdoor reception, it is because the parish hall will be set up that week for Vacation Bible School.

You might be wondering about all the attention that the Catholic Church pays to the saints of God. You might even call such attention a "cult." Don't worry I won't be offended if you are thinking that for the Church refers to the attention paid to the saints as the "cult of the saints." Simply put, it is a part of our Christian faith that all of the baptized share a common bond through Jesus Christ. This bond brought about in the Sacrament of Baptism makes us a single, united people no matter where we are in the world; or whether we are living or deceased. This second part might confuse some people, but to the Christian why should it matter if a fellow Christian is living or dead. After all, Jesus Christ is the victor over the power of death. No one who has died in the grace of Jesus Christ is truly dead for they are actually alive in God. Death cannot break the bond of Baptism for death has no power over Jesus Christ.

If in life we often ask our fellow Christians to pray for us or for others, then why should we not ask our fellow Christians, who though dead in the eyes of the world are actually alive in God, to pray for us? In particular, we seek out those holy men and women who have lived lives of outstanding Christian virtue (we call them saints for short) to intercede for us before Almighty God. Sometimes we might foster a singular devotion towards a particular saint: perhaps a saint who had experienced similar trials to ourselves, or perhaps a saint who worked in a similar profession, or perhaps a saint we simply admire for their faithfulness to Jesus Christ. In such cases we focus our prayers towards that particular saint asking him or her – whom we know stands always before God in His Kingdom – to join our prayers to their own in asking God for help and assistance. Such a saint we often refer to as our patron saint.

Here at St. Anne Parish we have adopted Anne, the mother of Mary, the mother of Jesus Christ as our patroness. Her feast day in the liturgical calendar of the Catholic Church is July 26. Therefore, on that day we will celebrate the fact that God showed her such favor as to grace her with the strength to live a virtuous life dedicated to God and that we have a great champion in heaven speaking up on our behalf before God

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Stephen Eickhoff Pastor

Mass Intentions

Monday, July 3

8:00 AM-Clarice Pearce req. Carl & Terrie Sternberg

Tuesday, July 4

7:00 AM-Kenneth Hermann req. Joann Daters

Wednesday, July 5

8:00 AM-Betty Nance req. Judy & Karen Benjamin

Thursday, July 6

7:00 AM-Irene Muntner reg. Eileen Dunne

Friday, July 7

8:00 AM-Edith Barajas (Living Intention) req. Jacqueline Wagner

Saturday, July 8

5:00 PM-Glenn & Florence Rebenstorf req. Don & Karen Banks

Sunday, July 9

7:30 AM-Barbara Schimmel req. Carolyn Swiatek

9:15 AM-Brett Suter req. Grandmother & Family 11:00 AM-For the Parishioners

Mon

8:30 AM-Rosary

Wed

8:30 AM-Rosary

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

Events

7:00-8:00 PM-Confessions

Thur

6:30 PM-Knights of Columbus Council #16720 meeting

Fri

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

Sat

9:30 AM-Prayer Shawl Ministry 3:30-4:30 PM-Confessions

Sun

12:30 PM-Baptisms

Readings for the Week

Scripture Readings For the Week of July 2, 2023

Sunday Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a; Ps 89:2-3, 16-17, 18-19; Rom 6:3-4, 8-11; Mt 10:37-42

Monday Feast of Saint Thomas, Apostle

Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 20:24-29

Tuesday

Gn 19:15-29; Ps 26:2-3, 9-10, 11-12; Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday Memorial of Saint Anthony Zaccaria, Pope, and Saint. Elizabeth of Portugal

Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13; Mt 8:28-34

Thursday Memorial of Saint Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr

Gn 22:1b-19; Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Mt 9:1-8

Friday

Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67; Ps 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5; Mt 9:9-13

Saturday

Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Ps 135:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mt 9:14-17

Sunday Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Zec 9:9-10; Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14; Rom 8:9, 11-13; Mt 11:25-30

Please Pray For

Lilia Adaya Maximiliano Ballesteros Trica Barron Arlene Bartkowicz Roman Cybulski Jim De Vos Paula Dohonge John Duprey Virgilio Dungo James Feeley Peggy Flanigan
Deane Goldstein
Nicholas Gross
Samantha Harkins
J. J. Heinemann
Bob Hettinger
Martha Hettinger
Mark Hums
Dean Knott
Bea Koehler

Bob Lindsey
Rick Llanes
Ramiro Martinez
Jean Sanchez
Mary Ann Soszynski
Jay Vidmar
Doug Westbrook
John Wossner

And all who are experiencing illness and are not listed by name.

Names will be kept on listing for six weeks

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

- † Are you or do you know someone unable to attend Mass regularly due to age or illness?
- † Do you wish to receive Communion at home?
- Pastoral Care Ministers are available to bring the Eucharist to you.



dcnperry@stanneparish.org, 630-383-2314 or contact the Parish Office stanne@stanneparish.org, 630-554-3331



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



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 1 gifts. Thanking, however, is not done in word only, but in deed, also.

Total Offering	\$14,439.26	
E-Giving	\$ 5,659.50	129 Transactions
Sunday Offering	\$ 8,779.76	\$22,500.00
Total Parish Offering June 18, 2023	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>
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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 <u>transfer funds</u> 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."



WE BELONG TO GOD THE 2023 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES ANNUAL APPEAL IS NOW UNDERWAY

Pledge your gift to the CMAA

If you have already pledged your support to the Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal, THANK YOU! If we all participate, we can meet our parish's CMAA goal of \$109,300.00. Each and every gift, large or small, makes a difference. To date we have received pledges totally \$119,993.00 with \$98,850.00 made towards pledges.

If you have not yet made your pledge, it's not too late. Please prayerfully reflect on how you can best support the CMAA this year and ensure all in our Diocese know that we belong to God. There are many options for giving, from pledging to monthly recurring gifts. Pledge envelopes are still available in the literature racks, or your can return the pledge card you received in the mail from the Diocese or make a gift online at jolietdioceseappeal.org.

Remember, if we raise more than our goal, the Diocese will return to us 70 percent of the amount over goal. This is an amazing opportunity for our parish.



In the words of Pope Francis, "Every year the feast of Corpus Christi invites us to renew the wonder and joy for this wonderful gift of the Lord, which is the Eucharist." This year, we receive a special call from the Holy Spirit to respond to this invitation in an especially concrete way as a Church family.

On Sunday, June 11, the **Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**, every parish across the country embarked on the Year of Parish Revival. Throughout the next year, the Catholic Church in the United States will experience profound renewal in Eucharistic faith and love of this most precious gift. Our Lord promises to reinvigorate our communities with his Real Presence, setting our hearts on fire with his love and lavishing new graces upon our communities.

A highlight of the Eucharistic Revival movement will be the 10th National Eucharistic Congress in July 2024. This milestone moment will propel our country into a new chapter of faith and mission. Join us in praying for profound renewal, starting in our own hearts and permeating the lives of our families, communities, and culture. Come, Holy Spirit!

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 Gary Wooley

Hannah Ruthie Duey

Henry Clifford Duey

Arthur Robert Gillingham



FIRST ANNUAL RETREAT FOR PARENTS OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

- ♦ Sponsored by the Department of Catechesis and Evangelization of the Diocese of Joliet
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish, 8040 Cass Avenue, Darien, IL
- Saturday, September 23, 2023
- ♦ Two Sessions to choose from:

Session I begins with Mass at 9:00 AM and goes until 12:30 PM Session II begins at 1:30 PM and ends with Mass at 4:30 PM

To receive updates on the planning and other events,

please complete the survey at the QR code or email

rcichowicz@dioceseofjoliet.org.





COME GROW WITH US



The St. Anne Faith Formation Commission seeks to welcome parishioners with a love of knowledge & learning, sound vision, and a deep desire to share in the meaningful growth of our Christian faith within our church family and beyond.

- Our commission functions as an advisor to our Pastor through identifying the educational needs of our entire parish within all backgrounds and age groups.
- Our commission consists of several ministry representatives including Adult Faith Formation, Religious Education K-5/DASH, Youth Ministry, O.C.I.A, Baptismal/Marriage Preparation, as well as our Bible Study and Adult/Youth Library programs.
- We typically meet 4 times per year (more if needed)

We currently seek anyone interested in serving as an <u>at-large member</u> and a <u>commission</u> <u>leader</u>.

If you feel the call to serve, please contact Kari Urban, 630-452-8107; kpejskar@gmail.com

PREVIEW THE BIBLE SCHOOL IN OUR DIOCESE!



The acclaimed Biblical Institute in the Diocese of Joliet is registering students for Years 1 and 2 this Fall: Attend in person classes at *Visitation Catholic Church* in Elmhurst for Year 1 on Mondays 7:00-9:00 PM OR Zoom in *Live Online* classes for Year1 on Wednesdays 7:00-9:00 PM. Year 2 in person classes will be held at *St. Mary Immaculate Parish* in Plainfield on Tuesdays 7:00-9:00 PM. Both sites are open to new students. If you want to learn the Bible from a Catholic perspective, come and see if this program is for you.

In Person Preview Events:

•	Holy Ghost (Wood Dale)	July 24 (Monday)	7:00-8:30 PM
•	St. Pius X (Lombard)	July 31 (Monday)	7:00-8:30 PM
•	Ascension (Oak Brook Terrace	August 7 (Monday)	7:00-8:30 PM
•	St. Mary Immaculate (Plainfield)	August 8 (Tuesday)	7:00-8:30 PM
•	Visitation Parish (Elmhurst)	August 14 (Monday)	7:00-8:30 PM
•	Immaculate Conception (Elmhurst)	August 21 (Monday)	7:00-8:30 PM
•	Holy Family (Shorewood)	August 22 (Tuesday)	7:00-8:30 PM
•	St. Mary Immaculate (Plainfield)	September 5 (Tuesday)	7:00-8:30 PM
•	Visitation (Elmhurst)	September 11(Monday)	7:00-8:30 PM

Meet an instructor, talk to current students, see the books, get a feel for a typical class!

For more information contact Mayslake Ministries 630-852-9000 or 630-698-8961; jgorski@mayslakeministries.org. Mayslakeministries.org.

KNIT—CROCHET—PRAY

- Saturday July 8, 2023
- 9:30-11:00 AM
- Joachim Center
- All knitters and crocheters are welcome



KNIT. CROCHET. PRAY.

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
- Shawls have been knitted or crocheted, blessed and bagged with an enclosed prayer ready to be given to someone in need

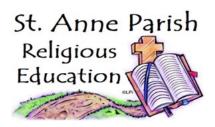


ROSARY



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 Oblazney630-518-7387





Monday, July 3 Tuesday, July 4 Wednesday, July 5 Thursday, July 6 Friday, July 7

8:30 AM-12:00 Noon Closed 10:00 AM-6:00 PM 10:00 AM-4:30 PM Closed

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

2023-2024 Registration Now Open!

Check out the "RE Registration 2023-2024" page under the "Learn the Faith" tab of the parish website for all the information and forms you need to register your child(ren) for RE/DASH classes for next year.



"Marvelous Mystery" VBS

Vacation Bible School is scheduled for July 24-27 from 9:00AM to Noon each day. Registration is now open for children entering Kindergarten through 5th grade. Look for information and forms under the "Learn the Faith" tab of the parish website.

Living the Gospel!

In the Gospel this weekend, Jesus says, "Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me." WHAT?!?! This means we need to follow the 1st Commandment and put God first! When we love God with all our mind, heart, and strength, we will be able to love others better, too. How will YOU show your love for God this week? Adults, you can reach out to the RE Office to learn more about how you can help to love and serve others!



- Adults are needed to help make VBS safe and successful.
- Catechists and Aides are needed for many of our Kindergarten through 8th grade classes.
- Want to help but not comfortable in a classroom? Consider serving as a hallway monitor.
- Have a passion for children with special needs? Consider volunteering for our SPICE program.



Love of a Parent

Our DASH 2 youth watch The Chosen and reflect on it.
One question asked, after James and John were called, is:
would your parents be as open to you following Jesus?
Some youth say yes. Many say no, they couldn't give up
their family that easily. Today's readings tell us that we
need to love God above all things, even more than our



Image from Freepik

parents (or parents to their kids). How in your family can you better help each other follow and love Jesus more?

Share your faith with our Youth: Please consider sharing the strength and love of God to our Jr. High youth as a **DASH 1** teacher (Mondays 4:45 – 5:45 PM) or **DASH 2** (Fall Sundays 5:00–7:00 PM) or **DASH 3** (Winter Sundays 5:00–7:00 PM) small group leaders.



Week of July 02, 2023



Maria Goretti: The Story of the Patroness of Modern Youth

Learn more about the holy life and martyrdom of St. Maria Goretti in this moving documentary. In particular, the film highlights her ultimate act of love: forgiving her murderer on her deathbed.



The Annie Moses Show - Salute To America

Based on the historical records and the personal testimony of his fellow friars, this is the amazing true story of the life of the famous stigmatic monk, St. Padre Pio, a contemporary saint who died in 1968.



The Resurrection of Jesus: Luke 24 | The Bible Project | Book Collection

This video concludes Luke's epic portrait of Jesus of Nazareth. The disciples discover the empty tomb and eventually have their entire view of the world turned upside-down as they meet the risen Jesus. Luke shows how Jesus' kingdom of God mission to its climactic moment, and he sets the stage for its continuation in Luke's second volume, Acts.

Our parish has a FORMED subscription. Visit signup.formed.org and select our parish name.





St. Vincent de Paul Society Gospel Reflection

In today's Gospel, hear Jesus tell us: "Whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because the little one is a disciple—Amen, I say to you, he will surely not lose his reward."

This week, know that you will bring hope to the poor through your prayers and gifts to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

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

Hotline-630-383-2322

Email 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.

Interesting Statistics:

2,201 neighbors served with 939 being new in 2022

♦ 6,540 includes all family members of the neighbors fed in 2022

♦ 280 families (on average) were served per week in 2022 with a recent week serving 315

◆ 14,560 shopping carts were loaded up

♦ 72,800 meals provided per shopping cart. This assumes 5 meals can be made with each cart

(which is a low number)

♦ \$175 assumption of what each cart is worth (again a low number), then...

♦ \$2,548,000 was saved by all households through food distribution at KCCFP

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

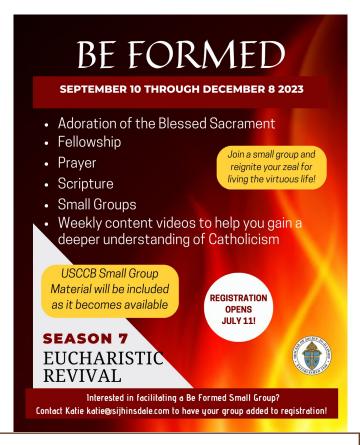
Donations may be mailed directly to:

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/





The Relics of Padre Pio will be displayed for veneration at Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Naperville on Tuesday, July 11, 2023.

All are invited to venerate the relics from 9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. The relics will be displayed near the altar, with pews reserved for silent prayer and devotion. Recitation of the Holy Rosary and talks on the life and intercession of Padre Pio will occur throughout the day. Devotional items and books will also be available for purchase. The day will conclude with a special Mass in honor of Padre Pio at 7 p.m.

Tuesday, July 11, 2023

9:00 AM Relic veneration begins

6:30 PM Veneration line closes

7:00 pm Mass in honor of Padre Pio

Saints Peter and Paul will host the only 2023 Padre Pio Relic Tour in Illinois

For more information, visit sspeterandpaul.net/events/padrepio

36 N. Ellsworth St. | Naperville, IL 60540 | 630-355-1081

VOLUNTEERS

NEEDED!

We are grateful many parish organizations for supporting this event, including the Knights of Columbus, the Legion of Mary, the Parish Life committee, and others. Many volunteers are needed throughout the day; most shifts are one hour long. Volunteers may sign up for multiple shifts as time allows.

Volunteer roles include relic guardians, ushers, Knights of Columbus Honor Guard, food servers for volunteers, and clerks to help visitors purchase devotional items.



Sign up for one or more shifts here:

grco.de/PIO2023

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Parish Office	
Phone	(630) 554-3331
Fax	
Email stanr	
Monday-Thursday	8:30 AM-4:00 PM
Friday	remote
Religious Education O	Office
Phone	
Fax	
Summer Hours	
Mon, Tues, Th	8:30 AM-4:30 PM
Wed	10:00 AM-6:00 PM
Fri	8:30 AM-1:00 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

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Director of Religious Education, 6-8	Julie Krakora
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EUCHARISTIC	LITURGY
Saturday	5:00 PM
Sunday	
Monday-Wednesday-Friday	8:00 AM
Tuesday—Thursday	7:00 AM
SACRAMENT OF RE	CONCILIATION
Saturday	3:30-4:30 PM
Wednesday	7:00-8:00 PM
EUCHARISTIC A	ADORATION
Wednesday	7:00-8:00 PM

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 for more information.

STEWARDSHIP PARISH

We are a stewardship parish. This means that every parishioner with an income is asked to use a Sunday envelope, since we expect to meet our needs from the one collection at the Presentation of the Gifts.

NEW PARISHIONERS

All new families are warmly welcomed to Saint Anne Parish and we ask that you register your family through our website at http://stanneparish.org/registration-form/.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

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 using Microsoft WORD.

AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DIFIBRILLATOR AED

Located Across from Parish Offices and On Outside Wall of Gathering Room of Church.

PARISH MAILING ADDRESS

Reminder: anything <u>mailed</u> to parish offices must be addressed to: P. O. Box 670, Oswego, IL 60543-0670