

January 23, 2022
Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
“Sunday of the Word of God”

+Eucharistic Celebrations+
Mon. January 24
6:30pm at St. Joseph-Stringtown
Tues. January 25
NO MASS
Wed. January 26
NO MASS
Thurs. January 27
8:00am at St. Joseph Olney
6:30pm at Holy Cross-Wendelin Gilbert J. Volk+
Sat. January 29
4:00pm at Holy Cross-Wendelin Harold & Rosemarie Buerster+
5:00pm at St. Joseph-Olney
Sun. January 30
8:00am at St. Joseph-Olney
8:00am at St. Joseph-Stringtown
10:00am at Holy Cross-Wendelin Alphonse, Frieda & Tom Weishaar+
10:00am at St. Lawrence-Lawrenceville

THE DIOCESE OF BELLEVILLE REQUIRES ALL PEOPLE ATTENDING MASS TO WEAR A MASK.
Thank you for your cooperation

****HOLY CROSS OFFICE HOURS:****
Monday, Wednesday and Friday.....9:00am to 3:00pm

SUNDAY COLLECTION – Sun. Jan 16, 2022
Loose \$5.00
Envelopes (52) \$1863.50
Building (4) \$160.00
First Offering (4) \$20.00
CYM (1) \$50.00
Total: \$2103.50

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS *OUR SICK
*Seth Weber (son of Ted & Kara Weber);
*Evelyn McCreery *Mrs. Deana (Mark) Schafer;
*Devin Deisher (son-in-law of Ben & Gail Niebrugge)
*Floyd Carter
KEEP CONNECTED with the church and receive important messages and updates via text and email! Sign up for Flocknote by texting **stjoeholycross to 84576 to get connected.**

January Liturgical Ministers
Saturday Sunday
Open/Lock/Greet:
Marty Klingler Sharon Edwards
Marge Kessler
Eucharistic Ministers:
Rusty Hall Kristi Sandschafer
Lectors:
Melissa Weidner Tony Kuentler
Money Counters:
Kelly & Sherry Geier
Ushers:
Carl Weider Eric Sandschafer
MASS SERVERS:
Sat., Jan. 29: Levi Rudolphi, Ian Kessler
Sun., Jan. 30: Grace Ochs, Karly Deckard
Sat., Feb. 5: Ben & Isaac Street
Sun., Feb. 6: Noah & Victoria Rudolphi

MASS SERVERS: If you are interested in serving mass (as a new mass server or if you have served before)– please see Fr. Mark, Jason Warfel (618-752-5473) or Holy Cross parish office (618-752-5671) as soon as possible. We are in the process of appointing mass servers and want to include everyone again.

Journey Onward Ye Sojourners
Caroline Trimble Pastoral Associate

One only needs to listen to the news, and conversations from family and friends to understand that we need to be praying. Our Lord wants us to tell him everything- to talk to him with child-like simplicity. There is infinite graces and mercy that await-so this day pray-seriously pray! May the words of these great saint serve to remind us to pray.
We must speak to God as a friend speaks to his friend, servant to his master; now asking some favor, now acknowledging our faults, and communicating to Him all that concerns us, our thoughts, our fears, our projects, our desires, and in all things seeking His counsel. St. Ignatius of Loyola
You pay God a compliment by asking great things of Him. St. Teresa of Avila

Live a life of Love and journey onward in prayer! *Our Lady of Fatima, pray for us! Keep to the J.O.Y.S*

WOMEN’S BIBLE STUDY GROUP: Sisters in Christ Group, Wednesdays at **5:30pm**, at Holy Cross - Contact Kristi Sandschafer, or Caroline Trimble, Pastoral Associate

HOLY CROSS PARISH EVENTS:

CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS Feel free take one home after mass next weekend, January 29 & 30.

American Red Cross: Blood Drive at the Holy Cross Church Parish Hall in Wendelin. MONDAY, January 31, 2022 from 2:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

CYM Spaghetti Lunch
Sunday February 6 10:30-12:30. Basket/Dessert Raffles. Contact Kim Kessler @ 1 (217) 663-3420

Married Catholic Couples there is an adventure beginning for you- **Married Catholics 4 Christ: otherwise known as M.C.4.C. Be certain to attend Mass** on the weekend of **February 5th & 6th**. More information will be in Flocknote, and in the bulletin very soon. There is an adventure coming and it will be a great Catholic Sacramental journey!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR for UPCOMING MARCH EVENTS **PARISH-MISSION**** March 13-14** offered to us by Fr. Joseph Oganda, it will be held at St. Joseph Olney. There will be more details in the weeks ahead. ****** Lenten Book Study-Seriously God- by Ave Marie Press ******This will be offered at every parish in the evening after the Mass. There will be more information in the weeks ahead.

FAMILY LIFE Wine Tasting at Holy Cross: Saturday, June 25

NEW COOKBOOKS
The 1871-2021 Cookbooks are available for purchase (\$20.00 each) at Wakefield Mill, Ingraham Bank, and Kuhl’s Trailer Sales

150th SESQUICENTENNIAL ITEMS: are available
Please contact the parish office or Clinton Rauch (843-2694) to order.

2022 Ladies Alter Sodality Holy Cross of Wendelin:
Brenda Slover Theresa Smith
Tonya Hinterscher Ashley Hinterscher
Anna Land Kim Kessler
Stacy Kessler Karla Volk
First meeting for old and new members is January 24, 2022, at 6:30pm

All **Church Directories** are in the Holy Cross Parish Office, please stop by Mon, Wed or Fri from 9:00am to 3:00pm for pick up.

The Messenger Newspaper Subscription Renewal Weekend is Feb. 5-6.

Please stay connected with your Diocese through a subscription to The Messenger Catholic Newspaper. Payments can be made via your Messenger envelope or on-line at www.bellevillemessenger.org
Please make checks payable to the Messenger
The cost is still only \$25 for print or digital and \$30 for both!

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL NEWS:

Please note: School mass this week will be on Thursday, January 27th, instead of Wednesday, January 26th.

Thursday, January 27th - Camp Ondessonk
Representatives to meet with students

Saturday, January 29th and Sunday, January 30th -
Catholic Schools Week Kick-Off masses

Wednesday, February 2nd - Alumni Mass - Please
call the school office so that we can recognize all
Catholic School alumni in our parishes

Empower IL: Families still have time to apply for
an Empower IL Scholarship.
Like last year, the application process includes two
steps: a reservation and an application. Families
should visit Empowerillinois.org to find the
reservation page link and more information.
Simply click the "How do I apply?" link.

OLNEY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:

Sunday, January 30: K of C Mass Ministry, 8AM
at St. Joseph-Olney, followed by a fellowship
breakfast at a local restaurant.
*K of C led Rosary at 7:40AM.

St. Thomas Church in Newton: would like to invite
you to their annual Wine Tasting event, hosted by
their Angel's group! Saturday, January 29th at 5:30

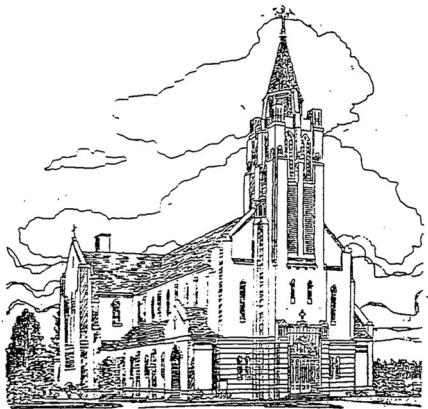
p.m. at the Newton KC Hall. There will be a quilt
raffled off, as well as an auction of various
alcoholic drink baskets taking place at 8:00 p.m.
Admission is \$10 per person.

Fundraiser Fish Fry: Clay City Fire District
(Ingraham Station) is hosting a fundraiser on
Saturday January 29th from 5-8pm at the Ingraham
Community Building. Meal by donation only! They
hope money raised will allow the department to
purchase items needed around the station and
update equipment to better serve the community.
They are asking for dessert donations. If you can
donate, please have them at the community
center by 4pm on the 29th. If you would like to
volunteer/help with the event call Jordan Weidner
@ 618-843-9322

"A one-day PreCana will be held at St. Mary of the
Assumption Church in Sainte Marie on March 12,
2022. There is a fee of \$50.00 for the day, which
includes meal and materials. If you would like to
attend, please see our website at:
www.stemariechurch.org and find the Registration
Form, or call St. Mary's Parish Office (618-455-
3155)

Sunday January 23, 2022

O sing a new song to the Lord; sing to the Lord, all
the earth. In his presence are majesty and
splendor, strength and honor in his holy place.



Holy Cross Church-Wendelin

5782 Ingraham Lane, Newton, IL 62448

Website - - www.holycrosswendelin.com

Mass Schedule: Thurs., 6:30pm

Saturday 4:00pm, Sunday 10:00am

**** Very Rev. Fr. Mark D. Stec, V.F., Pastor**

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**** Martha Buerster Administrative Assistant**

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Monday-Thursday 8:30am-12:00 Noon

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Cindy Blank, Gregg Weber, Sheryl Klingler