

July 14, 2019
15th Sunday In Ordinary Time

July 14 , Sun., 10:00am Holy Cross-Wendelin
Harold & Kathryn Fehrenbacher and Ivan Weber +
July 15, Mon., No Scheduled Mass
July 16, Tues., No Scheduled Mass
July 17, Wed., 8:00am St. Joseph-Olney
July 18, Thurs., 8:00am Holy Cross-Wendelin
Harold & RoseMarie Buerster and Robert,
Mike & Jan Kocher +
July 19 , Fri., 10:00am Brookstone Estates
July 21, Sun., 10:00am Holy Cross-Wendelin
Joseph L. Schackmann and Emma Weidner+

SUNDAY COLLECTION Sun., July 7, 2019:
Loose 88.00; (51) Sun. Env. 1,741.00;
(29) Building 953.00; (2) Peter’s Pence 25.00
Total: \$2,807.00

CATHOLIC SERVICE AND MINISTRY APPEAL:
****Holy Cross Parish Goal is \$7,900.** (36) families
pledged \$6,253.80 – balance of \$1,912.00

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS OUR SICK
*Gabe Trimble; *Msgr. Ken Schafer; *Nick
Compton; *Georgia Klingler; *Sister Kate
Kuenstler; *Frank Slichenmyer; *Mrs. Rita
Lakamp *Steve Hodges; * Marie Elwait; *Larry
Fisher; *Bernadette Kocher

FR. MARK’S SCHEDULE OF JULY
Sun., July 14, 8:00am, Baptism at St. Joseph-Olney
10:00am, Baptism at Holy Cross-Wendein
Tues., July 16, 10:30am, Mission International
Meeting at Highland, IL
Wed., July 17, 7:00pm, Adult Faith Formation
Sun., July 21, ST. JOSEPH-STRINGTOWN PICNIC
Mon., July 22, 7:00pm, Tri-Parish Pastoral Council
Meeting at Holy Cross-Wendelin
Wed., July 24, 7:00pm, Adult Faith Formation
Friday, July 26 through Friday, August 2, Personal
Time

MASS SERVERS:

**Sun., July 14, Evelyn Volk +
Ben Street, Victoria Rudolphi
**Sun., July 21, Jackson Dye +
Tyler Edwards, Gus Stark

July 2019 - LITURGICAL MINISTERS:

Eucharistic Ministers: Breanne Buerster, James
Kistner, Diane Schackmann, Jeannie Nix
RMH: 7/14 Bill Weber, 7/21 Marge Kessler
Lector: Jacelyn Street
Gifts: Henry Kessler Family
Ushers: (Head) Henry Kessler, Patrick Slover,
Michael Kistner, Andy Buerster
Collection: Keith & Pam Blank

CHILDREN’S LITURGY OF THE WORD – Class will
cancel for the summer- - start up again in August.
“Additional volunteers needed “ to help with the
children/classes. Please consider and call
Melissa Weidner - 752-5380 or Parish Office
752-5671.

ADULT FORMATION, Wednesday, July 17,
7:00pm , at St. Joseph-Olney. We will discuss
current topics of Catholic News coming from
Vatican City. Bring your lawn chair, something to
drink and snack on and gather in the front lawn of
the rectory (MPR room if the weather does not
cooperate).

****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

CYM EVENTS:

TRI-PARISH SOFTBALL from 7:00-9:00pm at Holy
.Cross. **We will play every Monday all summer.**
All high school students are welcome. Watch for
notes from Flocknote to update the field
conditions – if it is too wet to play.

PARISH EVENTS:

Next Sunday, July 14, our parish

will begin the practice of praying for vocations
with a **“Home Marion Shrine for Vocations”.**
Every week, a family or parishioner will take the
shrine home and use it as a way to focus prayer
each day throughout the week for an increase in
vocations to the priesthood in our diocese. The
purpose of this practice is to increase awareness
and prayers for vocations to the priesthood, and
to present an opportunity to encourage young
men in our parish to consider and pray about the
possible call to the priesthood in our diocese.
Each Sunday, the shrine will be returned and
presented to another family for the next week.
Sign-ups will be available next Sunday after Mass.

PARISH COUNCIL NOMINATIONS:

Men:	Women:
Greg Amerman	Joan Buerster
Dave Klingler	Rita Buerster
Linus Kocher	Sheryl Klingler
Gregg Weber	

Parish Council election will be soon.

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL:

Registration this week – Monday-Wednesday
8:30-3:00pm
Opening Mass-Sun., Aug. 11. Open House 9:00-
10:00am.
Tues., August 13, First Day of School Early
dismissal 11:00am

UPDATE : Ark Encounter Trip
Saturday, October 12, 2019

There is still plenty of room on the bus for the trip
- if interested **contact Cheryl Colwell at 618-843-**
9335 (Text or leave a message) to sign up.
Leave Wendelin at 5:00am. Pick up in Olney at
5:30am at Olney City Parking Lot. Arrive at Ark
approx. 10:00am. Arrive Home at approx. 9:00-
10:00pm.
Cost: \$99.00 (ages 18-59) \$93.00 (age 60+)
**Meals are not included in the cost. There is a
buffet restaurant (under age 60-\$14.99 and Age
60+-\$10.99 next to the Ark and weather
permitting there will be food trucks available as
well. We will make a stop on the way and on the
way home for a light meal.
Complete payment is due September 1st. Make
checks to Holy Cross Ladies Sodality. You may mail
payment to **Cheryl Colwell, 3503 North**
Wakefield Road, Noble, IL 62868

OLNEY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:
****Thurs., July 18: 4th Degree meeting at 7:30pm.**

AROUND AND ABOUT EVENTS
Stringtown, St. Joseph Church Parish Picnic,
Sunday, July 21. “All-You-Can-Eat Smorgasbord”
meal served 11:00am to 2:00pm.
Many attractions all day.

“Bluegrass in the Bend” Ice Cream Social
Sunday, July 28 at St. Valentine Hall, The Bend
(4841 N. 2125th Street, Oblong. Ice Cream starts
at 3:00pm (For free will donation). Music from
3:00-5:00pm by “Generation Gap”.
Porkburgers, chips, and drinks for sale. Rain or
shine bring lawn chairs.
----By the Bend Community Club

“Teutopolis Monastery Museum “

Tours available: The Museum – located behind St. Francis Church in Teutopolis (second floor in the Franciscan Novitiate Building). A chair lift is available. Admissions fee \$5.00 for adults and \$1.00 for children. The Museum is open on the first Sunday of the months April thru November from 12:30 to 4:00pm. Website www.stfrancischurch.com or www.Teutopolis.com and click “Tourism” or (217) 857-6404 – Ext. 236. Also email address: monasterymuseum_st.francis@yahoo.com

HOLY CROSS 2019 PICNIC NEWS:

***Three Weeks* to**

Picnic Day –“Sunday, August 4th”

WORKER’S LIST COMMITTEE: Carrie Kuhl (676-4374) or Krista Buerster (839-3871)

****Raffle Books available in church.**

Worker’s List will be handed out soon.

****Cake/Pie Boxes available in back of church.**

These are for Cake Stand – not for dinner desserts.

****Raffle Book Sales Contest will be again this year.**

****Theme Baskets – be thinking of donating a basket. Contact Ruth Rauch 752-2151**

****Mystery Boxes – Accepting Mystery Boxes, please wrap & Identify- Boy or Girl**

****Country Store Items-Needed--Baked Goods, Vegetables, Noodles, Eggs, Cakes/Pies, etc.**

****Take-A-Chance Items – always nice to have some larger items to raffle.**

****Instant Winner Items” and monetary donations accepted.**

****Please bring “Instant Winner” items now.** Contact the Parish Office 752-5671 and will put items in Parish Center classroom.

“HOG DONATIONS NEEDED” for Picnic.

Please contact Aaron Rauch (618-843-5303) or Michelle Weidner (618-843-5454) to donate.

Next Picnic Committee meetings:

Thurs. July 25 at 7:00pm.

PREPARATIONS: For Beef & Dressing on

Thursday, August 1 at 8:00am. Anyone who would like to come and help prepare the beef (for beef gravy) and (onions/celery) for the dressing, please come. Everyone most welcome!!

Journey Onward Ye Sojourners

+ J.O.Y.S.+ *Caroline Trimble Pastoral Associate*

The one who treated him with mercy – this is the one who is the neighbor! His is the one who loves – who loves God – for it is by their fruits you shall know them! When we show mercy to others – mercy will be extended to us. Sadly, mercy is not something that is shown to often to others, we often spend our time judging – condemning – overlooking other people. Granted, we may not see them lying on the roadside literally, but they are still present! They are there in that reckless driver that passed you – the lady who bumped into you with her large purse and kept walking – the attendant at the store that acted “put out” to give assistance – the family member that always needs more something. There are countless opportunities in our day to show mercy – to extend mercy – to be mercy – to care – to love! So, who is your neighbor? Everyone – Let us Live a Life of Love showing mercy – living mercy – receiving mercy! *We all need mercy* – there is a joy in the journey, and it flows with love and mercy.

Keep to the J.O.Y.S.

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As for me, in justice I shall behold your face I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.

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Ashley Hinterscher, CRE

Mass Schedule: Sunday 10:00am

Thursday 8:00am

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