

CHRIST THE KING

*Catholic Church
Wonder Lake, IL*



Christ the King Steeple & Flag
Photo by: Charles Valle

Parish Mission Statement

Christ the King Parish Catholic Church is a growing community celebrating life through holy, healthy and happy families for the greater honor and glory of God.

**14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 4, 2010**

POINTS TO PONDER

From our Pastor—Fr. Sabo

The Lord's power shall be known to His servants. Isaiah 66:14

How much do we as friends of our Father God, depend upon the Divinity of Christ, who humbled Himself to share in our humanity? We bear many burdens on our burro-shaped backs: **taxes, temptation, and time limitations** to name a few. This weekend we celebrate the fourteenth Sunday in ordinary time on the Church calendar, while the rest of the country celebrates Independence Day (the Fourth of July). These celebrations are both based on a fundamental belief that: **freedom is not free!** Several Saturdays in Wonder Lake I encountered people accepting donations at a prominent intersection for the Fourth of July fireworks show. I fondly referred to this as a *sinner's toll booth*. While some may choose to ignore the toll booth at certain street corners, it is quite expensive to travel on our so-called superhighways, especially for vacationing families heading toward the east coast. In this great country of ours, I am distressed to discover so many people still dependent upon the Government, while independent of God! Independence Day is not a celebration of freedom from a relationship with God, but rather the freedom to celebrate our relationship with a God who is depicted in trustworthy terms in the first reading: *As nurslings, you shall be carried in her arms ... as a mother comforts her child, so will I comfort you ... The Lord's power shall be known to His servants (Isaiah 66:13, 14).*

We are our best, when we confess that we are blessed! What is the pressing question facing us today? How much do we as friends of our Father God, depend

upon the Divinity of Christ, who humbled Himself to share in our humanity? I propose three simple steps to take each and every day to experience **the Lord's power** - the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ:

(A) admit your guilt: *May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world (Galatians 6:14);*

(B) accept His gift: *Let all the earth cry out to God with joy (Psalm 66);*

(C) acclaim His greatness: *rejoice because your names are written in heaven (St. Luke 10:20).* As dual citizens, hopefully of heaven and earth, we need to learn the meaning of the words: **the Lord's power shall be known to His servants (Isaiah 66:14).**

The first way that our Blessed Lord desires to deliver our burro-shaped backs from the burden of **taxes**, is to turn our gaze from the Government to the grace of God, found in Christ Jesus our Lord! Are we willing to fight for our freedom to form a formidable friendship with our Father God? There are new dictators assembling all around us, they are intent on influencing our way of thinking (modernism), our way of thirsting (consumerism), and our way of trusting (atheism). On the other hand, we find a hope for relief in the patriotic hymn: *He has sounded forth the trumpet that shall never call retreat; He is sifting out the hearts of men before His judgment-seat: Oh be swift, my soul, to answer Him! Be jubilant, my feet! Our God is marching on (1862: Battle Hymn of the Republic).* Like the wounded warriors that return bandaged from Iraq, we must admit that freedom is not free! We are all guilty of favoring something or someone instead of our fabulous faith from time to time. However, in the Church confessionals we find complete comfort for our overburdened backs, whenever we admit our guilt: *May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ (Galatians 6:14).* We share in His power whenever we are willing to stand up or speak out against the injustices all around us (modernism, consumerism or atheism).

Secondly, our Blessed Lord desires to deliver our burro-shaped backs from the burden of **temptation**. Thus Christ by conquering our sin on the Cross at Calvary transforms human weakness into a wonderful witness. This is first

discovered in the opening prayer taken from the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass: *Father, through the obedience of Jesus, your servant and your Son, you raised a fallen world. Free us from sin and bring us the joy that lasts forever.* To experience the Lord's power we need to also accept His gift: *Say to God: How tremendous are your deeds (Psalm 66)!* What are His deeds? How about bringing His gift of peace to broken hearts, broken homes and broken hands?! Every time we make praise of God a priority, we discover the Lord's power, proclaimed by the Psalmist: **He has changed the sea into dry land; through the river they passed on foot; therefore let us rejoice in Him. He rules by His might forever (Psalm 66).**

Thirdly, our Blessed Lord desires to deliver our burro-shaped backs from the burden of **time limitations**. As they teach in basic theology, God is not bound by space or time. What occurs at every Holy Mass transcends space and time. This is why I remove my watch as I climb the three steps into the sanctuary (the hill to Calvary). Our greatest claim to fame is His name! Since we are baptized, we share in the fame associated with His name: Christian! In the Gospel, we find the admonition: **Lord, even the demons are subject to us because of your name. Jesus said, I have observed Satan fall like lightning from the sky. Behold, I have given you the power to tread upon serpents and scorpions and upon the full force of the enemy and nothing will harm you (St. Luke 10:17-19).** How about our accountability as it relates to such authority? There is nothing greater than the power that we possess in our personal relationship with the Lord! Jesus responds by giving us all the more reason to acclaim His greatness: *do not rejoice because the spirits are subject to you, but rejoice because your names are written in heaven (10:20).* In the words of our Holy Father, Pope Benedict XVI: *The more we allow ourselves, through the liturgy, to be transformed in Christ, the more we will be capable of transforming the world, radiating Christ's goodness, His mercy, and His love for others (September 13, 2006).*

Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Americas, pray for us!



Scripture Readings For the Week Ahead

5	Mon	Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22 Mt 9:18-26
6	Tue	Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Mt 9:32-38
7	Wed	Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Mt 10:1-7
8	Thu	Hos 11:1-4, 8c-9/Mt 10:7-15
9	Fri	Hos 14:2-10/Mt 10:16-23
10	Sat	Is 6:1-8/Mt 10:24-33
11	SUN	Dt 30:10-14/Col 1:15-20 Lk 10:25-37

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Not Just for R.E. Families!

Join us for Friday Night Bonfire, Bocci Ball and Burgers! Bring any and all family and friends. These Friday night feasts—Franciscan style (meaning simple and fun!) are NOT JUST FOR RELIGIOUS ED.



FAMILIES. Please just throw together a dish or drinks to share and come over to these outdoor potluck gatherings a 6:00 p.m. (We'll move indoors if it should rain).

Teachers, Teacher's Aides, Substitutes and Hallway Volunteers Needed

If you would like to become a Religious Ed Teacher, Teacher's Aide, Sub or Hallway Volunteer, forms are available in the back of the church which you may fill out and slip under the door of the Religious Ed office in the school hallway. No experience is needed! We will provide training. This is wonderful work for the Lord, most spiritually rewarding, and the youth are eager to learn!

LADIES SODALITY

Ladies, there will be no meeting in July!



Woman of Inspiration

A few weekends ago the bulletin contained a form to nominate a woman from the parish who is an inspiration to you and other members of the Christ the King family. If you have not yet voted for your

“Woman of Inspiration,” extra forms are available on the magazine rack in the main entry. This is an event sponsored by our Deanery Diocesan Council of Catholic Women. We are thrilled that over the past 3 years our pool of nominees continues to grow. Please get your nominations in as quickly as you can. The **deadline** for submitting nominees is **July 11th!** Please pick up the form for further details.

STEWARDS OF THE LAND

Monthly Guided Walks

July 11, Aug. 8, Sept. 12, and Oct. 10

Parish members are invited to join in guided interpretive walks this summer on parish grounds. The twenty three acres of CTK parish includes several wild areas that are slowly becoming more ecologically healthy. These have received volunteer management work by parish members and neighbors over the past five years and are beginning to show it. Monthly walks after ten o'clock mass will focus on the appearance of numerous native prairie species at their appointed times.



Guidelines for seed collecting for personal use will also be given. The lands will be interpreted by parish member John Shiel, following the late mass on July 11; August 8; September 12; and October 10.

KNIGHTLY NEWS



Next Meeting—July 19 at 7:30 p.m. in the church hall, includes installation of officers. Gentlemen, be sure to join us!

Make a Difference

Every day, Knights all over the world are given opportunities to make a difference--- whether through community service, raising money or prayer. We celebrate each and every Knight for his strength, his compassion and his dedication to building a better world.

Patriotism-Charity-Unity-Fraternity

are the 4 pillars of Knighthood. Join us, won't you? Call Grand Knight Bill Pilarski 815-653-3144

MAKE A JOYFUL NOISE

Life in the Spirit Charismatic Prayer Group Wednesday Evenings at 6:30 p.m. in the Father Tranel Meeting Room (back of church)

Come raise your voice in jubilant song, share important Scripture passages suggested by the group, join together in spontaneous prayer for the needs of the group, the parish, the community and the world! We also welcome anyone who is learning guitar or currently plays guitar. The music is simple and easy to learn. We'd love to see you and pray with you each Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m.

LEGION OF MARY

It's Not Just for Ladies!

Frank Duff, the founder of the Legion of Mary, said that each day we should try to come into contact with each person of the Blessed Trinity through prayer. It means that each day in our prayer life we should converse individually with God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit. They are One God, yet three Divine Persons. We should come to know each of those Persons intimately, for God willing, we'll be living in eternity with Them. Obviously, the more we come to know Them now the greater our love and appreciation for Them will be in Heaven. (Rev. Francis J. Peffley). Gentlemen, the Legion can really boost your prayer life. Join us each Saturday morning at 10-11 a.m..

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

We are looking for new members to join our ranks in serving the poor and needy families in this area.

I ask you to pray about your becoming a member of our St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Please attend one of our meetings; you will be most welcome. We meet on the second and fourth Saturday of each month, immediately after the 8:00 a.m. mass in the classroom on the south end of the school building. We try to end our meetings no later than 10:15 a.m. Our next two meetings are:

Saturday, July 10, 8:30 a.m.

Saturday, July 24, 8:30 a.m.

If you would like more information about the Society St. Vincent de Paul, please call me at (815) 653-4509.

Joe Ziemann, President

LOCAL & LIVELY

Four Seasons Seniors welcomes all newly-retired, long time retired and not-yet-retired men and women who like meeting others and having an enjoyable time. Join us. Wednesday, July 17 for lunch on the deck (weather permitting) at Snug Harbor Restaurant in McHenry. Call Doris Kuta at (815) 385-6198 for more information.

Teaching Vacancies

St. Mary Catholic School in Woodstock is seeking:

Part Time Computer Teacher for grades K-8 for Monday-Thursday mornings only. Candidate must have an Illinois teaching certificate and preferably a computer education degree/endorsement.

7th-8th Grade Algebra/Math Teacher for the junior high. Candidate must be a practicing Catholic with a degree in mathematics and holds an Illinois teaching certificate.

Please send resumes and credentials to:
St. Mary Catholic School
313 N. Tryon Street
Woodstock, Illinois 60098
or call the school office at 815-338-3598.

Looking for Job Opportunities?

Stop by the job fair at Church of Holy Apostles, 5211 W. Bull Valley Rd. in McHenry on:

**Wednesday, July 7
from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.**

The job fair will be held in Bell Tower Place, the parish's community center. This fair is sponsored by John O'Neill, Holy Apostles parish member. For more information on this event, contact Holy Apostles Parish Office at 815-385-5673.

LIFE IS SACRED

Fiesta Days Parade Sun., July 18,
The Respect Life Committees of the McHenry Area Catholic Churches are sponsoring a float in this year's Fiesta Days Parade. We invite YOU to donate non-melting candy to hand out to the spectators along the parade route. A donation bin is on the table in the school corridor. We've also ordered a few extra T-shirts, if anyone would like to walk along with the float on parade day. If you are interested or have questions, please contact Mary K. Yager at the Parish Office 815-653-2561 during regular business hours.

Healing After an Abortion

Project Rachel has a hotline for people who are suffering from the spiritual, emotional and psychological effects of an abortion. All you have to do is call 815-877-5433 and let them know you need some help from Project Rachel. Once you have had time for healing, you can help others prevent the pain you have already experienced as well as help someone else through the healing process. Today could be the first day toward the peace you have been seeking.

Monthly Pro-Life Mass

**Tuesday, July 6,
2010**

**St. Mary Church
East Dubuque,
Illinois**

**Rosary for Life:
6:40 pm.
Holy Mass
7:00 p.m.**

**Refreshments to
follow.**

**Call the Diocese for
more information at 815-877-LIFE.**



CALLED & CHOSEN

"Put the fireworks back into your marriage! Are you looking for a way to rekindle that excitement of falling in love?"



The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are:
July 16-18 in Madison,
August 6-8 in Milwaukee and
Sept. 17-19 in Crystal Lake, IL.

Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: alifetimeoflove.org or call (888) 574-5653. For a Weekend en Español:
Sept 3-5 or Nov 19-21
Contact Hugo & Gaby at 630-690-2094.

A Blueprint for Our Lives

Jesus tells us that we are stewards of the gifts God has given us, and that just as he managed well what and whom the Father gave Him, we are to accept the role of manager in faith. What do we manage? We manage our time, our special talents and the possessions we have to love and help others and we recognize that this sharing is a response, in thanksgiving, for God's beneficence to us!

Married Couples Retreat Aug. 14-15—McHenry

Time: Sat. 8 a.m. - 9 p.m. and
Sun 8 a.m.- 4 p.m.

Cost: \$55 per couple
Register: 815-399-4300 x 379
www.familylife.dpsrfd.org
Other dates are also available

Family Faith Night—July 31

Come enjoy Auto Adrenaline "Unplugged" with Audio Adrenaline's songs and stories Concert at Petersen Park in McHenry at 7:00 p.m. Saturday, July 31. Arrive early to enjoy quality entertainment, kid's fest, radio celebrities, and family friendly activities. Gate opens at 4 p.m. For more information call 815-385-4300. Tickets are on sale at the McHenry Area Chamber of Commerce Office or at:

www.mchenrychamber.com
through PayPal. Tickets are: \$7 for adults (presale), \$10 at the gate. Children 10 and under are admitted free. Sign up for the chance to win and autographed guitar signed by Audio Adrenaline "Unplugged." Guitar is donated by Pearl Street Music.



Diocesan Stewardship Continues

A mailing has been sent to all those who have not yet responded to our Annual Diocesan Stewardship Appeal. If you mailed your response to us during this past week, we thank you most sincerely and ask your understanding for the secondary mailing you might have received.

We are extremely grateful for the families that have already contributed so generously and responded so quickly. Thus far, 100 families have pledged \$21,425. If you forgot your pledge envelope, extras are available on the magazine rack in the main entry to church. We still need \$8,146 to reach our goal and not take funds from our regular operating budget. We know this is a tight economy and that unemployment is high; so please, if you have a job and can donate \$5, \$10, \$20 or \$25 each month for the next 10 months, we truly need your pledge!

How can I share MY Talents?
Call for more information about:

Bereavement Ministry

Michael-Maria Leary 815-728-1989

Building & Grounds

Lou Karmas 815-728-8047

Choirs

5 p.m. Mary Beth Valle 815-337-1952

8 a.m. Sue Keener 815-728-0672

10 a.m. Marie McQuillin 815-728-0254

Door-to-Door Ministry Contact

Bob Anderson 815-653-9865

Extraordinary Ministers

Terri Gilmer 815-728-0900

Finance Council

Bill Pilarski 815-653-2514

Knights of Columbus Council #8473

Tom Armbrust 815-451-6649

Land Stewardship Committee

John Shiel 815-653-9377

Legion of Mary

Phyllis Hartline 815-728-7279

Life in the Spirit Charismatic Prayer Group

Phyllis Hartline 815-728-7279

Liturgical Environment

Alice Ziemann 815-653-4509

Liturgy

Father Sabo 815-653-2561

Library

Carole Woodward 815-728-1271

Meals on Wheels

Barb Dicker 815-653-9524

Public Action to Deliver Shelter (P.A.D.S.)

Lynn Bauer 815-728-0150

Parish Council

Chuck Valle 815-337-1952

Parish Photographer & Publicity

Bill McKinney 815-728-1878

Respect Life Ministry

Colleen Dumais 815-648-4911

Religious Ed./Youth Ministry

Karen Verr 815-653-2581

R.C.I.A.

Father Sabo 815-653-2561

Sacristy

Phyllis Hartline 815-260-3637

St. Vincent de Paul Society (for Assistance)

Help Line 815-653-2501

St. Vincent DePaul Soc. (become a member)

Joe Ziemann 815-653-4509

Society of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Nancy Russo 815-653-2075

Sunday Coffee Socials

Call Parish Office 815-653-2561

SHARING TALENTS THIS WEEKEND

Bulletin Inserts – July 2—Peggy Miller
Saturday and Sunday July 3- 4

Lectors: 5 p.m. Lynn Bauer
8 a.m. Pat Stilling
10 a.m. Jenny Nellessen

Extraordinary Ministers:

5 p.m. Randy Hartline
8 a.m. Deacons
10 a.m. Trudie Gohl

Altar Servers:

5 p.m. Ben Valle
8 a.m. Kenneth Knapik
10 a.m. Glen Gilmer
Andrew Anderson

Money Counters:

Juan Enriquez, Tom Armbrust, Steve Saunders

SHARING TREASURE



*That He may be Lord
of our lives and King
of our hearts!*

Income 6/24/10 through 6/30/2010

Envelopes & Offertory..... \$3,948.00

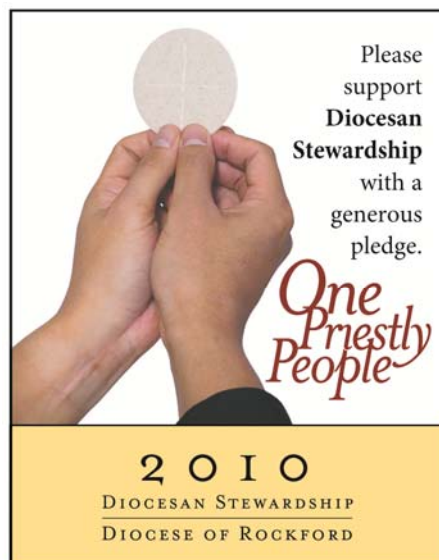
Diocesan Appeals..... \$315.00

St. Vincent dePaul..... \$170.00

Baptism Donation..... \$50.00

Bills Paid 6/23/10 thru 6/29/2010... \$2,490.08

Our Lady of Good Remedy, pray for us!



Our Target this year is:

\$29,571

Make YOUR pledge today!

Weekday Masses:

Monday 7:00 p.m.

Tues, Wed., Thurs., and Fri.: 8:00 a.m.

Saturday: 8:00 a.m.

To fulfill Sunday/Holiday Obligation

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.

Holy Day: 8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Confessions:

Saturdays: 8:30 a.m. and at 3:45 p.m.

Sundays: 9:30 a.m.

Mondays: 6:30 p.m.

Tuesdays from 7:15 p.m.

Wednesdays through Fridays 7:30 a.m.

First Fridays: 8:30 a.m.

Also by appointment,
call Father Sabo 815-653-2561.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Mondays 7:30-8:30 p.m.

Tuesdays 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Wednesdays through Sundays 7-8 a.m.

Saturdays also at 3:45-4:45 p.m.

Also, on the First Friday of each month,
adoration begins immediately following the
8:00 a.m. Mass and ends at Noon

Religious Education

Classes for Grades Pre-K through High School
begin in September and end in May. Call R. E.
Office 815-653-2581 to register. Classes for
Grades 5-High School, Confirmation & RCIA
meet 6:45-8 p.m. on Wednesdays and Grades
PK-4 meet from 9:00-9:50 a.m. every Sunday.

Staff

Pastor:

Father Steven Sabo 815-653-2561

Deacon:

Deacon Mark Raz 815-653-2561

Coordinator of Religious Education:

Mrs. Karen Verr 815-653-2581

Secretary/Bookkeeper:

Mrs. Mary K. Yager 815-653-2561

Parish Office Information

Address: 5006 E. Wonder Lake Rd.
Wonder Lake, IL 60097

Hours: 8:30 a.m.—3:00 pm.

Mon., Tues., Wed., & Friday

Phone: 815-653-2561

Email: Mary K. Yager—
ctksecretary@comcast.net

Fax: 815-653-9401

Website:

<http://www.christthekingchurch.org>

R. E. Office Information

R. E. Office Phone: 815-653-2581

Church Hall Phone: 815-728-1259

Mass Intentions for the Week Ahead Monday, July 5—St. Anthony Mary Zaccaria

NOTE SPECIAL MASS TIME

9 a.m. Mary McCarty req. by
Bob & Tammy Hartmann

Tuesday, July 6—St. Maria Goretti

8 a.m. John McDougall req. by
Doug and Melissa McDougall

Wednesday, July 7

8 a.m. Patrick Charles Sweeney req. by
Zina O'Callaghan

Thursday, July 8

8 a.m. Henry Bednarek
req. by Valle Family

Friday, July 9—St. Augustine Zhao Rong & Companions

8 a.m. Rosario DiFranco
req. by Zina O'Callaghan

Saturday, July 10

8 a.m. Rita Stygar req. by
Roman Stygar
5 p.m. Wanda Sieh req. by
Randy & Phyllis Hartline

Sunday, July 11—15th Sun. in Ordinary Time

8 a.m. For the People of the Parish
10 a.m. Earl Schuster & Healing for
Sara Schuster req. by
Phyllis Schuster



Ministry Schedule Next Week July 9-11

Bulletin Inserts –July 9—Coventri Lorenz Saturday and Sunday July 10-11

Lectors: 5 p.m. Michael-Maria Leary
8 a.m. Jim Bronson
10 a.m. Joe Ziemann

Extraordinary Ministers:

5 p.m. Colleen Dumais
8 a.m. Deacons
10 a.m. Vickie Romme

Altar Servers:

5 p.m. Volunteer Needed
8 a.m. Billy Hartmann
10 a.m. Darrian Greene

Money Counters: July 11

Alice Castillo, Joe Kotarba, Barb Pilarski



Sanctuary Light Dedication

June 21 through July 4

Paul and Lottie Konczak through the request of
Paul and Gerri Konczak

July 5 through July 18

Raymond Schmidt through the request of Paul
and Gerri Konczak

Each candle is blessed before it is burned.

PETITION

Book of Prayer

Please write all your prayer intentions in the book provided near the main entry. In gratitude, we pray for all those studying for service in the Church, especially **Keith Romke, Christopher DiTomo, Gerard Christianson and Jacob Valle**.

Pray For Our Military Personnel

We ask God to bless all those serving in the armed forces:



- Capt. Rosa Castillo (USAF)
- Kenneth Ebacher (ARMY)
- Micah Grosskopf (USAF)
- Laura Hrdlicka (USN)
- Capt. Therese M. Janecke (ARMY)
- Robert Kelly Jr. (ARMY)
- Pvt. John C. Kurchina (ARMY)
- Major Robert A. Lindblom (USAF)
- MSgt. Michael Litt (USAF)
- Christopher Lorr (USAF)
- Michael Lorr (USAF)
- Steve T. Lowe (USN)
- Capt. Derrick Maratea (ARMY)
- Lt. Joseph Mongelluzzo (ARMY)
- CW2 Brent H. Peters (ARMY)
- SPC Eric Roge (ARMY)
- Lt. Col. Daniel Thoele (USMC)
- Capt. Tim Ungaro (ARMY)
- 1st Lt. Nathan Valle (USAF)
- Sgt. Richard J. Vicere (USMC)
- SSgt. William R. Vincent (USAF)
- PFC Rodney Ward (USMC)

To add a loved one's name to this list contact the Parish Office 815-653-2561.

Prayer for Our Troops

*Lord, hold our troops
In Your loving hands.*

*Protect them as they protect us.
Bless them and their families*

*For the selfless acts they perform
For us in our time of need, and
Bring them home safely.*

*May their sacrifices bring about
A lasting and just peace in those lands.*

*I ask this in the name of Jesus,
Our Lord and Savior, Amen*

ROSARY

Come Pray with Us!

- ☪ Monday—8:30 a.m..
(This Monday only)
- ☪ Tuesday through Sunday
at 7:30 a.m.
(before the 8:00 a.m. Mass)
- ☪ Saturday at 4:30 p.m.
(before the 5:00 p.m. Mass)



SCHEDULE This Week

Sunday, July 4—14th Sun. in Ordinary Time

..... Adoration 7-8 a.m.
..... Rosary 7:30 a.m.
..... Masses 8 a.m and 10 a.m.
..... Confessions 9:30 a.m.
..... Coffee Social 9-Noon
..... SVDP Pantry Weekend

Monday, July 5—St. Anthony Mary Zaccaria Special Mass & Devotion Times

..... Parish Office Closed
..... Rosary 8:30 a.m.
..... Confessions 8:30 a.m.
..... Mass 9:00 a.m.
..... Adoration 8 to 9 a.m.
..... NO Evening Mass or Devotions
..... Narcotics Anonymous 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, July 6—St. Maria Goretti

..... Rosary 7:30 a.m.
..... Mass 8:00 a.m.
..... Scripture Study 9:00 a.m.
..... A.A. Meeting 7:00 p.m.
..... Adoration/Confession 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, July 7

..... Adoration 7-8 a.m.
..... Rosary 7:30 a.m.
..... Confessions 7:30 a.m.
..... Mass 8:00 a.m.
..... Life in the Spirit Prayer Group 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, July 8

..... Adoration 7-8 a.m.
..... Rosary 7:30 a.m.
..... Confessions 7:30 a.m.
..... Mass 8:00 a.m.
..... A.A. Mtg. 10:00 a.m.

Friday, July 9—St. Augustine Zhao Rong & Companions

..... Rosary 7:30 a.m.
..... Mass 8:00 a.m.
..... Adoration 8:30 a.m. to Noon
..... Confessions/Rosary 8:30 a.m.
..... T.O.P.S. 10:00 a.m.
..... Bonfire & Bocci Ball 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, July 10

..... Adoration 7-8 a.m & 3:45-4:45 p.m.
..... Rosary 7:30 a.m. & 4:30 p.m.
..... Mass 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.
..... Confession 8:30 a.m. & 3:45 p.m.
..... SVDP Meeting 8:30 a.m.
..... Legion of Mary Meeting 10 a.m.
..... SVDP Food Pantry Weekend

Sunday, July 11—15th Sun. in Ordinary Time

..... Adoration 7-8 a.m.
..... Rosary 7:30 a.m.
..... Masses 8 a.m and 10 a.m.
..... Confessions 9:30 a.m.
..... Coffee Social 9 a.m. to Noon
..... SVDP Pantry Weekend

Just Moved into the Area?

New parishioners are most welcome! Register at the parish office or call for a registration form 815-653-2561.

Wish to Enroll in Religious Education Classes?

You and your children are always welcome in our programs. Contact the Parish Office 815-653-2561.

Would you like a visit?

If you or a loved one are homebound and would like to receive a visit so that you may receive the sacraments, just call the parish office 815-653-2561.

Have you moved or changed phone numbers?

We need your help to keep parish information up-to-date. Contact parish office 815-653-2561.

Want more Information about Sacraments?

PLEASE NOTE!!

In the Hospital?

If you or a loved one are in the hospital, please call the parish office 815-653-2561 immediately. Due to privacy laws, the hospitals do not notify us when you are admitted. We want to visit those in the hospital, but need to hear from you.

Baptisms take place by appointment. Meet with Father Sabo at least three months before making any other arrangements 815-653-2561

1st Confession-1st Holy Communion or Confirmation: Contact Father Sabo at the Parish Office 815-653-2561.

Marriage: Preparation for Catholic wedding ceremony in the Diocese of Rockford takes place in steps over a period of at least 6 months. Therefore, meet with Father Sabo at least 6 months before making any other arrangements such as flowers, reception etc.

Anointing of the Sick is a sacrament of healing and comfort. Call the parish office as soon as someone becomes ill. Also, for chronic illnesses, this sacrament is offered twice a year. Watch the bulletin or call the parish office 815-653-2561 for more information.

Holy Orders: If you feel that God is calling you to begin the process of becoming a priest, contact Father Sabo at the parish office 815-653-2561.

Seeking more information about the Catholic faith?

Our R.C.I.A (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) team is always ready to help folks understand the teachings, rituals and practices of the Catholic faith. Call Fr. Sabo 815-653-2561.

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Word of Life

We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and pursuit of Happiness: that to secure these rights, governments are instituted among men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed.

~ *The Declaration of Independence* (1776)

Retreat “Mystery of God”—August 8-14

Michael Morwood, a well known presenter on theological issues with more than 30 years experience in retreat, education, parish and youth ministry will lead this retreat from August 8-14 at St. Mary of the Woods. The retreat is hosted by White Violet Center for Eco-Justice, a ministry of the Sisters of Providence. The theme is “God, Jesus, Prayer and Liturgy in a New Story of the Universe.” Discussion will focus on a Christian spirituality grounded in the belief that everyone and everything is connected to God. Participants will reflect on Jesus at the Revealer of this mystery and how prayer and liturgy affirm participation in the mystery. Cost of the retreat is \$450, which includes room and board. Cost is \$325 for commuters. Registration deadline is July 16 with a \$50 deposit due at time of registration. For more information, contact Sister Maureen Freeman at 812-535-2930 or at mfreeman@spsmw.org

Camp for Catholic Youth—July 23-25 at Bishop Lane Retreat Center

Kids—join us for a summer camp where it’s cool and fun to be Catholic!” Moms and Dads, we are making our Catholic values and beliefs come alive. Children entering 3rd through 6th grades are invited to attend a Totus Tuus Camp which is different from any that will take place in local parishes. The event includes: crafts, games, skits, bonfire, Rosary Walk, water Olympics, Adoration and more. Begins Friday, July 23 at 3 p.m. and ends at 1 p.m. Sunday, July 25. Cost is \$99 per person. For more info or to register go to: www.familylife.dpsrfd.org or call 815-399-4300 ext. 379 or email acoyle@rockforddiocese.org.

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July 19-23	Nov. 1-5
Aug. 23-27	Dec. 6-10
Sept. 27-Oct. 1	Jan. 10-14, 2011

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