

# **HOLY CROSS - WENDELIN**

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

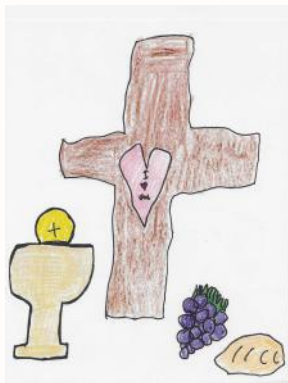
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	<b><u>Holy Cross Ministries 2025</u></b>	
<b>APRIL</b>	<b>MAY</b>	<b>JUNE</b>
<b><u>Servers</u></b>	<b><u>Servers</u></b>	<b><u>Servers</u></b>
<b>Sat. April 5</b> - Mattux Hart, Levi & Noah Rudolphi	<b>Sat. May 3</b> - Mattux Hart, Levi & Noah Rudolphi	<b>Sun. June 1</b> - Stella Warfel, Nora & Alex Street
<b>Sun. April 6</b> - Lane Smithenry, Kaleb & Kelby Iffert	<b>Sun. May 4</b> - CYM	<b>Sat. June 7</b> - Ian Kessler, Levi & Noah Rudolphi
<b>Sat. April 12</b> - Hank, Clara, & Boyd Weidner	<b>Sat. May 10</b> - Hank, Clara, & Boyd Weidner	<b>Sun. June 8</b> - Lane Smithenry, Brooke & Braden Weidner
<b>Sun. April 13</b> - Cora Warfel, Blaine & Brooke Bergbower	<b>Sun. May 11</b> - Lane Smithenry, Brooke & Braden Weidner	<b>Sat. June 14</b> - Hank, Clara, & Boyd Weidner
<b>Sat. April 19</b> - Ian Kessler, Levi & Noah Rudolphi	<b>Sat. May 17</b> - Ian Kessler, Blaine & Brooke Bergbower	<b>Sun. June 15</b> - Karly, Ethan, & Chloe Deckard
<b>Sun. April 20</b> - Stella Warfel, Brooke & Braden Weidner	<b>Sun. May 18</b> - Stella Warfel, Nora & Alex Street	<b>Sat. June 21</b> - Mattux Hart, Ellee Nettleton, & Ian Kessler
<b>Sat. April 26</b> - Karly, Ethan, & Chloe Deckard	<b>Sat. May 24</b> - Karly, Ethan, & Chloe Deckard	<b>Sun. June 22</b> - Alex Street, Blaine & Brooke Bergbower
<b>Sun. April 27</b> - Lane Smithenry, Nora & Alex Street	<b>Sun. May 25</b> - Ellee Nettleton, Kaleb & Kelby Iffert	<b>Sat. June 28</b> - Mattux Hart, Levi & Noah Rudolphi
	<b>Sat. May 31</b> - Hank, Clara, & Boyd Weidner	<b>Sun. June 29</b> - Cora Warfel, Kaleb & Kelby Iffert
<b><u>Open/Lock/Greet</u></b>	<b><u>Open/Lock/Greet</u></b>	<b><u>Open/Lock/Greet</u></b>
<b>Sat.</b> - Rusty & Tonya Hall	<b>Sat.</b> - Marge Kessler/Marty Klingler	<b>Sat.</b> - Pam & Keith Blank
<b>Sun.</b> - Eric & Kristi Sandschafer	<b>Sun.</b> - Cindy Blank	<b>Sun.</b> - Jason Warfel
<b><u>Eucharistic Ministers</u></b>	<b><u>Eucharistic Ministers</u></b>	<b><u>Eucharistic Ministers</u></b>
<b>Sat.</b> - Celia Rudolphi, Lynn Weidner, Tammy Rudolphi, Kristy Weidner	<b>Sat.</b> - Jeannie Nix, Beverly Weidner, Sherry Geier, Christine Hall	<b>Sat.</b> - Kathy Kuenstler, Dave Rauch, Emma Rudolphi, Josy Hart
<b>Sun.</b> - Phyllis Eggers, Breanne Buerster, Ginny Zwilling, Penni Kuenstler	<b>Sun.</b> - Kim Smithenry, Diane Schackmann, Missy Buerster, Marcia Street	<b>Sun.</b> - Martha Deimel, Travis Weber, Jason Warfel, Ellen Weber
<b>Please note (4) EMHC are now being scheduled. One will need to take communion to choir.</b>		
<b><u>Lectors</u></b>	<b><u>Lectors</u></b>	<b><u>Lectors</u></b>
<b>Sat.</b> - Victoria Rudolphi	<b>Sat.</b> - Maria Rudolphi	<b>Sat.</b> - Jennifer Rudolphi
<b>Sun.</b> - Tony Kuenstler	<b>Sun.</b> - Robin Deckard	<b>Sun.</b> - James Kistner
<b><u>Money Counters</u></b>	<b><u>Money Counters</u></b>	<b><u>Money Counters</u></b>
Dave & Michelle Rauch	Mark & Jeannie Nix	Herb & Martha Deimel
<b><u>Ushers</u></b>	<b><u>Ushers</u></b>	<b><u>Ushers</u></b>
<b>Sat.</b> - Dave Rudolphi, Mark Rudolphi, Dave Rauch, Carl Weidner	<b>Sat.</b> - Toby Hall, Michael Kuenstler, Kelly Geier, Daniel Baker	<b>Sat.</b> - James Rudolphi, Tim Weidner, Hank Weidner, Maria Rudolphi
<b>Sun.</b> - Eric & Victor Sandschafer, Aaron Eggers, Austin Zwilling	<b>Sun.</b> - Dusty Smithenry, Shad & Ben Street, Danny Quinn	<b>Sun.</b> - Kevin Blank, Gary D. Fehrenbacher, Michael Kistner, Jim Rauch
<b>*Please Find A Substitute If You Cannot Attend As Scheduled*</b>		

# First Holy Communion

Class of 2025  
Holy Cross-Wendelin



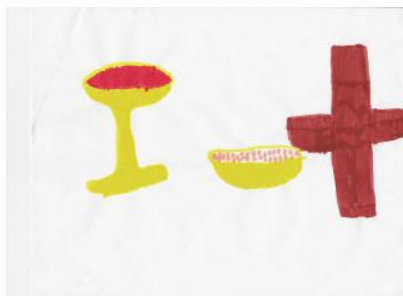
Gracie Lynn



Carly Nettleton



Tate Smithenry



Amyah Amerman



Emmalee Amerman

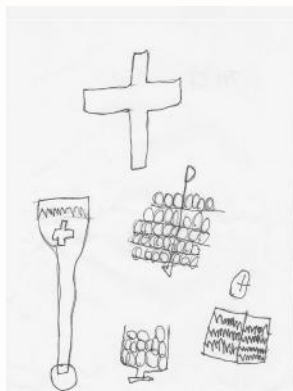


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Liam Kennedy



Jack Baker



Hunter Hall



Nora Volk





## ***Pray for those Preparing for Sacraments***

<b>O.C.I.A.</b>	<b>Confirmation</b>	<b>First Eucharist</b>
David Abell	Andrew Lambird Bennett Padilla	Adalyn Fitch Aliza Sterchi
Jennifer Deimel	Bryer Holtschlag Carly Kessler	Amyah Amerman Emmalee Amerman
Lauren Tibbs	Clara Weidner	Arthur Huddlestun Luke Huddlestun
Lindsey Kapper	Easton Ochs	Matthew Huddlestun Nora Levitt
Alysa Botkin	Elle Bare Gabriel Volk	Carly Nettleton Liam Kennedy
Jordan Jones	Grayson Sterchi Hope Zuber	Gracie Lynn Elliott Dobbs
Emily Kessler	Ian Kocher Kinely Workman	Haven Hemrich Ethan Kocher
Everett Bissy Pamela Mix-Bissy	Knox Dorn Kooper Kuhn	Evan Jennings Bentley Knickey
Trevor Stevens Tracy Stevens	Levi Rudolphi Mattux Hart	Karter Fuson Neil Morris
Ryan Lewis Ashley Lewis	Nathaniel Zwilling Nora McClain	Hunter Hall Nora Volk
	Pipe Mann Nora Street	Pierce White Quinn Sager
	Opal Ridgely Maddie Abell	Raylon Cowman Rose Beyers
	Allyson Helregel Boston Lewis	Rudy Fehrenbacher Paislee Steber
		Tate Smithenry Jack Baker
		Todd Seiler Vance Miller

# Tri-Parish Survey Results

## THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

### **Holy Cross – 56 surveys collected**

*Interest was indicated in the following areas:*

Pastoral Council 13 people  
Finance Council 8 people  
Choir Members 18 people  
Home Bound Ministry 5 people  
Faith Formation Group 26 people  
Funeral Dinners 24 people  
OCIA Team Members 4 people  
Adoration 26 people  
CYM Team Members 8 people  
Children's Liturgy of the Word Ministry 2 people

### **St. Joseph Olney – 60 surveys collected**

*Interest was indicated in the following areas:*

Pastoral Council 12 people  
Finance Council 7 people  
Choir Members 20 people  
Home Bound Ministry 6 people  
Faith Formation Group 24 people  
Funeral Dinners 33 people  
OCIA Team Members 7 people  
Adoration 12 people  
CYM Team Members 5 people  
Children's Liturgy of the Word Ministry 4 people

### **St. Joseph Stringtown – 39 surveys collected**

*Interest was indicated in the following areas:*

Pastoral Council 12 people  
Finance Council 8 people  
Choir Members 18 people  
Home Bound Ministry 7 people  
Faith Formation Group 9 people  
Funeral Dinners 17 people  
OCIA Team Members 2 people  
Adoration 9 people  
CYM Team Members 6 people  
Children's Liturgy of the Word Ministry 8 people

*In the Easter season NEW ministries, worship opportunities  
and ways to serve within your parish will be coming.*





PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE

# Stringtown Picnic

SUNDAY, JULY 20, 2025

11 AM - 6 PM

RAFFLES, BASKET PULL, BINGO, KIDS GAMES, INFLATABLES, BEER GARDEN,  
LIVE BANDS, ICE CREAM, PORKBURGERS, BRATS, & MUCH MORE!!!  
(RAFFLE DRAWINGS AT 6 PM. FOOD STAND, BEER GARDEN, & ENTERTAINMENT 11-7 PM)

## ALL YOU CAN EAT SMORGASBORD

BEEF, HAM, HOMEMADE NOODLES, & MUCH MORE! (CARRYOUT AVAILABLE)

11 AM - 2 PM

ADULTS: \$13    KIDS (5-10): \$5    KIDS (4 & UNDER): FREE

## Stringtown Parish Center

6342 N. STRINGTOWN RD., OLNEY, IL 63450

GPS - 6342 COUNTY RD 1700 E





# HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC PARISH

WENDELIN, ILLINOIS

## Annual Parish **PICNIC**

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 3, 2025**

**10am – 10pm**

5782 Ingraham Lane Newton, IL 62448

**10AM MASS**



### **CHICKEN DINNER**

*in Parish Hall until 4pm*

**Dinner Ticket Sales**

**Begin 10:45 a.m. – End 3:45 p.m.**

**Adults: \$12.00**

**Children (6-12yrs): \$6.00**

**5yrs & Under: Eat Free!**

**LUNCH STAND FOOD ALSO AVAILABLE!**

**Fun for the  
whole family!**

▶ **Bingo**

▶ **Food**

▶ **Kids Games**

▶ **Inflatables**

▶ **Pedal Tractor Pulls**

▶ **Dunk Tank**

▶ **Live Music All Day**

▶ **Country Store**

▶ **Raffle**



**Raffle Starts**

**at 6:30 PM**

**BEER GARDEN**



**THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING HOLY CROSS!**

*Church Grounds MUST be cleared by 10:00 p.m.*



# *Saints, Eucharist and the Catholic Faith*



*Stringtown Study  
The Four Terezas*

**TUESDAY  
ST. JOSEPH  
STRINGTOWN  
10:00AM**

*Sisters in Christ  
The Devil in the Castle*

**WEDNESDAY  
HOLY CROSS  
5:30 PM**

**OCIA**  
*Order of Christian  
Initiation of Adults*

INTERESTED IN JOINING THE  
CATHOLIC CHURCH OR JUST  
WANT MORE INFORMATION?

WE ARE ALWAYS EXCITED TO  
WELCOME NEW  
MEMBERS/FAMILIES.

MEETINGS WILL BE  
STARTING SOON.

CONTACT  
FR. STEVEN OR CAROLINE  
FOR MORE INFORMATION.



*Olney Study  
The Eucharist*

**WEDNESDAY  
ST. JOSEPH OLNEY  
9:15 AM & 7:00 PM**

*Brother's in Christ  
Into the Breach*

**THURSDAY  
HOLY CROSS  
7:00PM**

**A great way to provide scholarship support for students attending a Catholic School and earn a tax credit for yourself.**

Donate through Empower Illinois

<https://empowerillinois.org/>



Empower Illinois is the state's largest and most comprehensive Scholarship Granting Organization, expanding quality education options for low-income and working-class families through scholarships to private schools.

**You can make a charitable investment in education through the tax credit scholarship program!**

How it works:

- Donate to St. Joseph School's or St. Thomas School's scholarship fund through Empower Illinois.
  - Visit [www.empowerillinois.org/donors](http://www.empowerillinois.org/donors)
  - Find St. Joseph Grade School, Olney or St. Thomas-Newton in Region 5 on the website
- Earn a 75% Tax Credit back to offset your tax liability!
  - For more information, contact an Empower Illinois tax credit specialist at 312-392-0250

Schools can receive a \$10,000 match for donations between February 1-March 31.