

August 8, 2021
19th Sunday In Ordinary Time
+Eucharistic Celebrations+

Thurs., Aug. 5, 6:30pm: Robert N. & Bernadette Kocher +
Sat., Aug. 7, 4:00pm: Kay Frohning & Sister M. Kate Kuenstler, P.H.J.C.
Sun., Aug. 8, 10:00am: Sharon Correll

Thurs., Aug. 12, 6:30pm: Rosa & Leo Volk +
Sat., Aug. 14, 4:00pm: Cesar Co +
Sun., Aug. 15, 10:00am: Ferd & Stella Westendorf +

SUNDAY COLLECTION – Sun., Aug. 1, 2021
Loose 80.00 (43) Sun. Env. 1,220.00; (10) Building 690.00; (1) Bequest 500.00; (1) Religious Education 45.00 **TOTAL: \$2,535.00**

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS *OUR SICK
**Sam Mederach; **Franklin Hinterscher; **Ronnie Fehrenbacher; **Seth Weber (son of Ted & Kara Weber); *Evelyn McCreery *Mrs. Deana (Mark) Schafer; *Elizabeth Weidner; *Brenda Watkins

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS –Francis “Bud” Schackmann, who died July 29. Our sympathy and prayers to his children Mrs. Lisa (Mike) Huston and Kevin Schackmann, grandchildren, all family & friends. “May Francis rest in the Peace and Love of our Lord.”

ATTENTION ALL PARISHIONERS: An evening with Fr. Felix Chukwuma and Fr. Mark Stec to understand what team ministry in solidum means and its impact on the Parishes of St. Joseph-Olney, Holy Cross-Wendelin, St. Lawrence-Lawrenceville and St. Joseph-Stringtown. **Evenings will begin with 6:30pm mass** in each of the churches with discussions following in the parish halls.
**Tuesday, August 10, at St. Lawrence-Lawrenceville
**Thursday, August 12, at Holy Cross-Wendelin

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY (CYM): Canoe Trip on Sugar Creek at Turkey Run State Park in Indiana. Contact Marcia Street for further information: marciastreet@gmail.com

HIGH SCHOOL RELIGION CLASS:
Wednesday evenings at 7:00pm at Holy Cross Parish Hall Wednesday, August 18 through Wednesday, September 29. A look at the Roman Catholic Mass and the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist contrasted with other Christian denominations who also gather on Sundays for Praise and Worship Services and may even have Communion Sundays.

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.**

CELEBRATION OF THE LITURGY: Liturgical ministers may resume full participation in Mass and the liturgies regardless of age. We need your help! We’re compiling a new list of Liturgical Ministers as we resume full participation in Mass. Please prayerfully consider assisting at Mass in the various ministries. Please contact the parish office if you are interested in serving our church family as a (We will offer training); Lector; Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion; Altar Server: Usher/Greeter; Gift Bearers.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY GROUP: (will meet later this fall) --at Holy Cross Parish Center. Contact Kristi Sandschafer or Caroline Trimble, if interested.

St. Joseph School, Olney News:
Open House, Saturday, August 14, 10:00am to Noon
Open House, Sunday, August 15, 9:00am to 11:00am
Parents of Confirmandi – meeting in church, Sunday after 8:00am Mass, St. Joseph, Olney.

Journey Onward Ye Sojourners

Caroline Trimble Pastoral Associate

I am the Living Bread...whoever eats of this will live forever! The bread (manna) that those in exile ate was heavenly bread-so why did they die? They grumbled-they complained-they were not satisfied-appreciative or thankful! This will be our fate too-if we live with these characteristics. One cannot be grumbling-complaining-unappreciative and know God. This precious Bread from Heaven that gives Life in abundance must be adored-loved-valued. This precious Bread from Heaven – is our crucified-buried-resurrected-ascended GOD! It is alive-it gives Life-it provides Life Eternal! So let us, not be like the grumblers in the desert, but joyous and grateful disciples of the One and True Lord. Journey onward and stay true to the journey of Living a Life of love.

St. Joseph pray for us! Our Lady of Fatima, pray for us!

Keep to the J.O.Y.S

PARISH EVENTS

Holy Cross Feast Day is September 11, with 4:00pm Mass with Bishop McGovern. Meal following and music. Please sign-up in back of church, if you plan to attend, or call Kristy Weidner, 618-843-8320 or Marty Klingler 618-843-4305 by Sunday, August 29.

150th SESQUICENTENNIAL CELEBRATION
RELIGIOUS FROM WENDELIN

We will honor all past deceased priests and sisters from Holy Cross parish. The 17-week schedule includes:

****May 8 & 9-**Rev. Urban O. Iffert, C.PP.S.
****May 15 & 16-**Rev. Frederick L. Fehrenbacher C.PP.S.
****May 22 & 23-**Rev. William A. Volk, C.PP.S.
****May 29 & 30-**Rev. Henry W. Nix
****June 5 & 6 –** Rev. Wilbert J. Iffert
****June 12 & 13-**Rev. Joseph M. Feldmann
****June 19 & 20-**Sister M. Celesta (Josephine) Nix
****June 26 & 27-** Sister M. Josephine Iffert P.H.J.C.
****July 4 –** Sister M. Loretta Volk, P.H.J.C.
****July 11-**Right Reverend Monsignor Charles S. Nix, V.F.

****July 18-**Sister Liberata Kuhl, ASC
****July 25-**Sister Adelheid Bangert, ASC
****Aug. 8—Sister M. Kate Kuenstler, P.H.J.C.**
Fliers for each priest/sister available each Sunday.

“DVD’s HAVE ARRIVED”: Holy Cross Parish Series DVD’s have arrived. DVD’s are located in back of church (east side/choir steps) for anyone who placed an order. Please pick up pre-orders and sign the sheet with the name (whoever placed the pre-order) and quantity you picked up. A limited quantity of DVD’s will be available for sale (\$10 each). Will also be available at church rectory (office hours), Kuhl’s Trailer Sales.

COOKBOOKS HAVE ARRIVED “and are all sold!!” 800 some recipes--\$20.00 for each book. A new order of more cookbooks will be placed soon and will be for sale (as soon as they arrive)--hopefully by Thanksgiving or Christmas for sure.

AROUND & ABOUT:

90TH BIRTHDAY CARD SHOWER: Eleanor Buerster will celebrate her **90th Birthday on Wednesday, August 11.** Send her birthday wishes to: 124 Donoho Street, Salem, IL 62881
“Happy Birthday Eleanor”!

ST. ANTHONY PARISH PICNIC – Effingham, IL (St. Anthony High School) Saturday & Sunday, August 14 & 15th. Grand Prize - New Car, or \$15,000 Cash! Other Prizes as well. Sunday dinner, 11:00am to 4:00pm.

LADIES QUIET RETREAT at the King’s House is coming up – **October 8-10 or October 15-17.** Please call Lynn Weidner @ 618-843-0361 by August 15, 2021.
MEN QUIET RETREAT, at King’s House coming up **November 5-7.** As of now the retreats are maximum of 36 people. Call Hank Weidner at 618-843-4864.

TOURS OF TEUTOPOLIS MONASTERY MUSEUM:
 behind St. Francis Church. Open Sunday, 12:30
 to 4:00pm - from April thru November. Go to:
www.stfrancischurch.com-- or Call (217) 961-
 6404, Ext. 236 for more info.

**“THE NEWTON KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
 AUGUST STAG”** rotates yearly between Holy
 Cross in Wendelin and St. Mary’s in Sainte Marie.
 This year the Stag will be **held in Wendelin on
 Tuesday, August 24, at 7:00pm** and coincides with
 the Holy Cross Parish 150th Anniversary
 Celebration. Traditionally Knights of Columbus
 Stag dinners are a meal of fellowship open to all
 Knights of Columbus members and any interested
 Catholic Men. **IN SERVICE TO ONE, IN SERVICE
 TO ALL.”**

OLNEY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:
 Thurs., August 12--3rd Degree meeting, 7:00pm.
 Sunday, August 15, K.of C. Family Free Meal &
 Games at Doll’s Cabin at 5:00pm.
 Thurs., August 19 --4th Degree meeting at 7:30pm
 8:00am -Olney Mass-KofC lead Rosary, 7:40am.
 Sun., Aug. 29, KofC lead Rosary, 7:40am with 4th
 Degree Volunteers Ministry at 8:00am Mass.
 Fellowship Breakfast to follow.

****Pie! “Did someone say Pie?”**
“A Pie Baking Contest”. The event will be held on
Saturday, September 11 - after the 4:00pm mass
with Bishop McGovern. Check in with Cindy
 Blank on the details. (843-8018)

UPCOMING – “BLOOD DRIVE”- Sunday, August 15
Holy Cross Parish Center, 7:00am to 11:00am.
 Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) to
 schedule an appointment.

PICNIC LOST/FOUND!
Ball Cap - World Series”-2011-St. Louis Cardinals
And (1) Pair of Glasses (Navy/White Flowers)
 Please claim - - Rectory 752-5671.

PICNIC - - “HEADS-OF-STANDS” Meeting:
 Wednesday, August 11, 7:00pm, in Parish Center.

HOLY CROSS 150TH/PICNIC WEEKEND!!!
 What a fun/busy weekend. The “ Wine
 Tasting Event” was a success and a good
 crowd out-doors. The parade was a “little
 damp” but it seems no one let the rain stop
 them from having a nice parade! Of course –
 one hour later - sun was shining!
 And Picnic Day & the Museum – what a
 crowd of people. It was wonderful to see
 everyone come together again and have a
 good time! **“THANK YOU” to everyone**
 involved in each and every event.
 Holy Cross had a good, wonderful
 150th/Picnic Celebration weekend!!

“HOLY CROSS PARISH PICNIC – Results:
Raffle Book Sales:

	# Books Sold	Amount
1 Place-Anita Scott-Hataway	110 Books	\$551.00
2 Place-Bill Hinterscher	104 Books	\$520. 00
3 Place-Sherry Phillips	102 Book	\$510.00
4 Place-Bob Ochs	100 Books	\$500.00

HOG DONATIONS BY:
 Chris & Melanie Waller Tony & Missy Buerster
 Brad Rudolphi Gerald Schackmann
 Ken Rudolphi Leonard Kessler
 Julia Hemrich Henry & Lynn Weidner

50/50 DRAWING WINNERS & AMOUNT WON:
 1:00pm Drawing – Charlie Kuhl \$597.50
 3:00pm Drawing-Frances Ehlerding 977.00
 5:00pm Drawing-Jennifer Pritchard 1,174,00
 7:00pm Drawing-Rhonda Kuenstler 1,203.00

DINNER TICKET SALES:
 Adult Plate – 1,077
 Child Plate -- 100

TAKE-A-CHANCE STAND WINNERS:

1. Coca Cola Refrigerator – John Stephens
2. Wood Cow Bank Emma Buerster
3. Pineapple Doily Helen Donsbach
4. Blue Afghan Austin & Ginny Zwilling
5. Stain-Glass Window Quilt Laura Eckl
6. Cupcake Quilt Gloria Byrd
7. Star Quilt Harold & Lisa Boehl
8. Blue Flower Quilt Eric & Kristi
Sandschafer
9. Pink Flower Afghan Michelle Rauch
10. Two Bird Houses Gloria Byrd
11. Jewelry Rack Kathy Kuenstler
12. Church Pencil Drawing Lisa Flowers
13. Coca Cola Refrigerator Diane Herdes
14. Wood Bowl/Turntable Dale & Shelby
Weidner

BIG RAFFLE - First Nine Winners:
 \$1,500 Cash Joel Buerster, Salem, IL
 \$1,000 Cash Tim Bower
 \$750.00 Cash Sawyer Herdes
 \$100.00 Cash Doug Frohning
 \$250.00 Cash Mary Newton
 \$200.00 Cash Darlene Richardson
 \$100.00 Cash LeAnn Bradley
 \$100.00 Cash Brian Hinterscher
 \$75.00 Cash Misty Wilson
Complete list on bulletin board soon.

Please stop by rectory and pick up prizes, Theme
 Baskets, and etc. as soon as possible. Call before
 coming 752-5671.

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 Look to your covenant, O Lord, and forget
 not the life of your poor ones for ever. Arise,
 O God, and defend your cause, and forget
 not the cries of those who seek you.



1871 – 2021 150th Sesquicentennial
Holy Cross Church-Wendelin
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Website - - www.holycrosswendelin.com
Mass Schedule: Thurs., 6:30pm
 Saturday 4:00pm, Sunday 10:00am
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