

ST. JOHN VIANNEY Catholic Church

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September 4th, 2022

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Fr. Steven J. Bondi, Pastor Deacon Rev. Mr. Joseph Dalpiaz

Masses

Tuesday - Friday 8:00 am

Saturday 8:00 am (Only on first Saturday)

4:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am - English

10:30 am - Polish

Baptisms

Baptisms are held on the 2nd Sunday of the month. Attendance at Pre Baptism Class is Required. Call to Make Arrangements.

Confessions

Prior to Saturday Mass at 4:00pm in English

Every First Friday, Confessions at 6:00pm and

Mass at 7:00pm in Polish

Every First Saturday, Confessions at 8:30am and

Mass at 9:00am in Polish

Weddings

Call for appointment



LECTORS FOR NEXT WEEKEND:

4:00 p.m. - Charlie 9:00 a.m. - Henry

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, September 3 at 4 p.m.

†Jozef Karpinski

†Jack Waxweiler by Sharon Morelli & Family

†Barb Dapriele by Nick Hernandez, Madeleine Hernandez & Darlene Krause

For All Living & Deceased St. John Vianney Parishioners

Sunday, September 4 at 9:00 a.m.

†Lt. Michael Nedelsky Jr. US Navy by Ted & Shellie

†Barb Dapriele by Nick Hernandez, Madeleine Hernandez & Darlene Krause

10:30 a.m.

Intention of the Presider

Tuesday, September 6 at 8:00 a.m. (St. Monica Prayer Group) †Jack Waxweiler by Sharon Morelli & Family

Wednesday, September 7 at 8:00 a.m. **Intention of the Presider**

Thursday, September 8 at 8:00 a.m. **Intention of the Presider**

Friday, September 9 at 8:00 a.m. **Intention of the Presider**

Saturday, September 10 at 4 p.m.

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For All Living & Deceased St. John Vianney Parishioners

Sunday, September 11 at 9:00 a.m.

†Fr. Andrew Buczyna by Laura Pluta

†Josephine Lortz by Barbara, Kathy, Tony, Frances, and Sue

†Louise Davis by Ted & Shellie Hylek
†Michael & Sophie Nedelsky by Ted & grandchildren
†Barb Dapriele by Nick Hernandez, Madeleine Hernandez & Darlene Krause

10:30 a.m.

†Maria Chowaniec

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

O God, by whom we are redeemed and receive adoption, look graciously upon your beloved sons and daughters, that those who believe in Christ may receive true freedom and an everlasting inheritance. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

FOLLOW YOUR PATH

You have to do your own growing no matter how tall your grandfather was.

-Abraham Lincoln

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Who can ever know God's counsel unless God gives wisdom and sends the Holy Spirit from on high? (Wisdom 9:13-18b).

Psalm — In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge (Psalm 90).

Second Reading — Paul asks Philemon to accept back his slave Onesimus, not as a slave but as a brother (Philemon 9-10, 12-17).

Gospel — To be a disciple of Jesus one must carry one's own cross and renounce all possessions (Luke 14:25-33).

LIMITS

Today's readings continue the theme of humility explored last Sunday. All three readings today encourage us to admit that we have limits, and God has none. The poignant poetry of Wisdom resonates with all of us who have ever struggled for peace in situations we cannot control: "For the corruptible body burdens the soul and the earthen shelter weighs down the mind that has many concerns." Saint Paul recognizes his own limitations, both physically (he is in prison) and spiritually: he cannot compel his friend to obey his wishes; he can only propose his request and respect Philemon's free will. In the Gospel, Jesus reminds us that God alone can complete the good we wish to do in the world. While we thank God for the gifts we receive—and the families we love—we acknowledge that they are temporary, and humbly cling to God.

Announcements:

Please checkout The Catholic Faith at: FORMED.ORG Password: BJKGVD

Join us on Facebook at St. John Vianney Catholic Church

September 10-11 second collection will be for Utilities. Thank you & God bless!

Now is the time to register your child for the 2022-2023 CCD program at St. John Vianney Sign-up sheets are in the back of the church.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: Labor Day

Thursday: The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Friday: St. Peter Claver Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

THE ETERNAL FLAME FOR THIS WEEK

Will burn in memory of Adolph & Goldie Kilian By Clif and Elaine Kilian

† WE LIFT UP IN PRAYER

Long Term Needs: Ann Marie Nawrocki, Naia Peña, Rachel Colabello, John Sims, Keith Schranz, Lucas Milo, Ted Hylek, Heather Pajak, The Eaton Family, Dixie Wiles, Romana Davila, Marilyn Zlogar, Cathy McManamey, Lucille Catherine Russler (baby), Henryka Sztoncel, Tom Swierkowski, Matthew Pajak (baby), Carlene Miller, Matlage Family, Kathy Grant

Immediate Needs: Ashley Schultz, Joan Fajkucy, Lynn Marie, Roberto Davila, Nicole Neubauer, Joann Baan, Marcella Tumang, Salvadore Garcia, Ralph Drong, Frank Pagano, Dorothy Carrescia, Krzysztof Komar, Easton Bleuer, Gloria Castillo, Romana Davila, Rosa Maria Santos, Adam Sztoncel, Lynn Swierkowski, Owen Neubauer, Cora Zgrabik, Rosemary Burian, Christopher Hozjan, Brian Villanova, Dustin Burnett, Matthew Weck, Megan Weck, Dominick Strom, Marybeth Egan, Cindy Dempsey, Terrill Family, Allyson Serdiuk, Josephine Haltner, Wieslaw Koscielniak

† We hope that you will pray for them each day, privately or with your family. Prayer for those in need is an important responsibility of the Christian Community.

Divine Mercy Chaplet: Saturday, September 3...Day 4

PILGRIM VIRGIN

Invite the blessed Mother, Our Lady of Fatima Statue, into your home and help her evangelize her message of peace



through the Rosary. The intent of the devotion is that the statue travel from house to house. It will be in your home for one week or as long as you want to keep her. You can invite family and friends to say the rosary, or just enjoy her presence in your home and have your own private devotion. Please call Gwen at 708-259-6303.

St. John Vianney Prayer

"O my God, come to me, so that You may dwell in me and I may dwell in you."

OUR WARMEST WELCOME

To all who celebrate with us, whether visitors, long time residents, or newly arrived in the parish. If you are not registered at St. John Vianney or need to make changes, please fill out the form below and place in the collection

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August 21, 2022	\$1,899

Thank You for your continuing support. Please remember St. John Vianney in your Will and Estate Planning.

ST. MONICA PRAYER GROUP FOLLOWING THE 8:00 AM TUESDAY MASS

We, the members of St. Monica Prayer Group, invite you to join us in praying for the spiritual, physical and emotional needs of our children and grandchildren. Please join us as we come together weekly to cover our children with prayer.

Word of Life

May the life of every human person, from conception to natural death, be protected in our laws and cherished in our hearts;

We pray to the Lord:

WHY NOT A MASS INTENTION!

If you are thinking of sending someone a get-well card, or a special occasion is coming up, a birthday or an anniversary, why not have a Mass said for them? Mass intentions are for the living as well as the deceased. There's no nicer way to offer tribute, or better prayer you can offer for those you love.

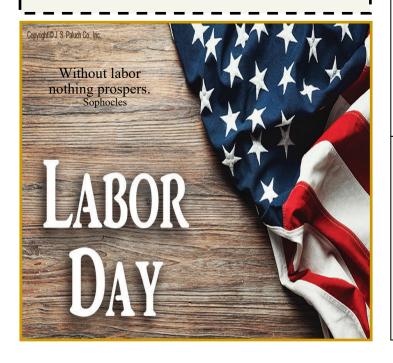
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REQUESTS FOR † MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to have a Mass offered, please fill out this form and drop in the collection basket. There is no better way to offer tribute and no better prayer you can offer for those you love. Please include an offering of \$10 for each intention in the envelope with your Mass request form. Please schedule 2 weeks in advance.

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Funeral Mass Arrangements

Upon the death of a loved one, a family member should contact the parish office as soon as possible (815-723-3291).

You will be contacted by our bereavement coordinator, Lori Pasch, who will assist the family in planning the funeral liturgy for the deceased.

If it is too difficult for you to walk to the front of the church to receive Communion, please know that at each Mass an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion comes to the back of the church to distribute Communion. If you would like to have the Extraordinary Minister give you communion in the back of church, please let an usher know before Mass begins. At Communion time, when you see the Extraordinary Minister come to the back, please raise your hand so that they can see you and give you Holy Communion.

Around the Diocese

General Office Part-time Administrative Assistant – St. Thomas the Apostle Parish, Naperville, IL

St. Thomas the Apostle Parish in Naperville is seeking to hire a part-time administrative assistant for the main office. This individual should possess excellent communication and organizational skills. Experience using Microsoft Office Suite necessary. High school diploma or equivalent required. To view a full detailed job description, visit: The Roman Catholic Diocese of Joliet in Illinois. To apply for this amazing opportunity, please send a resume and cover letter to Janet Simmons at jsimmons at jsimmons.

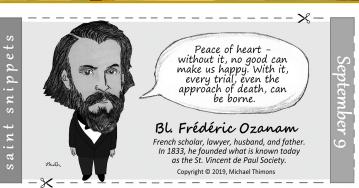
Full-time Custodian - St. Mary Immaculate Parish, Plainfield, IL

St. Mary Immaculate Parish in Plainfield is seeking to hire a custodian to maintain the cleanliness and function of the parish campus, including the parish school. This team member will clean bathrooms, floors/carpets and dispose of garbage and recycling. Also responsible for setting up tables, chairs and other needed items for events, meetings, alternate location Masses, etc. and for clean up afterwards. Must be able to lift 50 lbs., climb ladders and work outside in various types of weather. High school diploma or equivalent required. To view a full job description, visit: The Roman Catholic Diocese of Joliet in Illinois. To apply for this amazing opportunity, please send resume and cover letter to Laura Van Ham at Ivanham@smip.org.

Full-time Maintenance Supervisor – St. Mary Immaculate Parish, Plainfield, Il

St. Mary Immaculate Parish in Plainfield is seeking to hire a full-time maintenance supervisor. This person will coordinate with outside vendors for all overall maintenance and repair of the parish campus and oversee the cleanliness and maintenance of all areas of parish buildings and grounds including school, church, parish center, rectories and cemetery. Previous experience in the field of building maintenance required. Requires a basic knowledge of electrical, plumbing, and HVAC systems to perform minor mechanical repairs and negotiate favorable bids for the parish and oversee their successful completion. Must have a high school diploma and a valid Illinois driver's license. To view a full job description, visit: The Roman Catholic Diocese of Joliet in Illinois. To apply for this amazing opportunity, please send resume and cover letter to Laura Van Ham at lvanham@smip.org.





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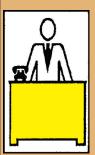
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