

Welcome

We are glad you are here with us today. If you would like to join our Faith

Community, please contact our parish office at

office@ololgc.org or stop by any time after scheduled Masses.

Our Lady of Lourdes

Established – 1875

534 N. Wood Street

Gibson City, IL 60936

Parish Office Secretary

Phone & Fax (217) 784-4671

General Information

office@ololgc.org

Website www.ololgc.org

Mass Schedule

Saturday 5 pm

Sunday 11:00 am

Wednesday 8:00 am

Thursday 4:00 pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Every Wednesday

8:30 am – 4:00 pm

Confession

4:30 pm before Saturday Mass

Any time by Appointment

❖ FOR YOUR INFORMATION ❖

St. Mary

407 W. Pells Street

Paxton, IL 60957

Phone—217-379-4033

Mass Schedule

Sunday 9:30 am

Wednesday 7:00 pm

Friday 8:00 am

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday following 8AM Mass

Confession

Friday following 8AM Mass



St. Joseph

312 N. Hickory Street

Loda, IL 60948

Mass Schedule

Sunday 8:00 am

Tuesday 5:30 pm

Confession - Sunday 7:30am

August 7, 2022 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Heb 11:17-19 By faith Abraham, when put to the test, offered up Isaac, and he who had received the promises was ready to offer his only son, of whom it was said, "Through Isaac descendants shall bear your name." He reasoned that God was able to raise even from the dead, and he received Isaac back as a symbol.

I Am Here.



Come Visit Me.



Eucharistic Adoration—Every Wednesday

Mass 8:00am, followed by Adoration

8:30 am – 9:00 am Confession

3:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet

4:00 pm Benediction

If possible, please sign up when you can be at Adoration. The sign-up sheet is on the podium inside the entrance of church. If you cannot commit to a time, please come when you can., Jesus will be waiting for you !

Adoration is a great summer activity to try with your family.

There are books/pamphlets in the back of the church.

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THIS WEEK'S INTENTIONS		
If you wish to have a Mass intention for a loved one, anniversary death, birthday or other occasion, please contact the parish office or Lori Gale at 309 475-9261.		
MON August 8 <i>(St Dominic, Priest)</i>		No Mass
TUE August 9 <i>(St. Teresa Benedicts of the Cross)</i>	8:00 AM (OLOL) 5:30 PM (STJ)	Our Lady of Lourdes Parishioners
WED August 10 <i>(St. Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr)</i>	8:00 AM (OLOL) (NOTE) Adoration 8:30 am to 4:00 pm	+Francis Kollross (by Mike and Tannie Smith)
THURS August 11 <i>(St. Clare, Virgin)</i>	4:00 PM (OLOL)	+Romerico and Raymond Astronomo (by Denis /Cherry)
FRIDAY August 12 <i>(St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious)</i>	4:00 PM (OLOL)	Our Lady of Lourdes Parishioners
Saturday August 13	5:00 PM (OLOL) <i>(St. Pontian, Pope and St. Hippolytus, Priest)</i>	+Jasper Mercer (by Margy Shambrook)
SUN August 14 <i>(20th Sunday Ordinary Time)</i>	8:00 AM (STJ) 9:30 AM(STM) 11:00 AM (OLOL)	Our Lady of Lourdes Parishioners

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GIFTS OLOL	
July 30/31	\$2302.00
Capital Imp. July 2022	\$481.00
CMAA 2022 (thru July 31) (goal:\$11,700)	\$12,647.00
Food Pantry July Total Yr to Date FP	\$56.00 \$260.00 \$2356.00

Special Collections

 Aug 6/7
Capital Improvement

 August 13/14
Assumption

Ministry Schedules

Date	Altar Servers	Lectors	Euch. Minister	Ushers	Homebound Ministry
	Contact Tannie Smith (309) 893-0073	Contact Tannie Smith (309) 893-0073	Contact Sarah (217) 781-0528	Contact Craig Davis (815) 848-5554	Deacon Paul (217) 781-0528
SATURDAY August 13, 2022 5:00 PM	Needed	Patti Huppert	Fran Mardis	Needed	Jerry and Marj Brown
SUNDAY August 14 11:00 AM 20th Sunday Ordinary Time	Victoria Davis Marie Davis	Maggie Davis	Lisa Heap	Needed	

Baptism
 Call the Rectory at least four weeks before the baptism. Instruction for the parents and God-parents is required.

Sick??
 If you or a family member is sick or admitted to the hospital or makes a trip to the Emergency Room, please contact Fr. Dong at (217)784-4671

Emergency (630)456-5406

Marriage/RCIA
 Call the Rectory at least six months before. A six month preparation time is required.


Parish Calendar

Every Wednesday— August 10, August 17, August 24, August 31
 Eucharistic Adoration beginning with 8 am Mass, Confession 8:30 am—9:00 am, 3:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet , 4:00 pm Benediction (Please sign up)

Every Wednesday - August 10, August 17, August 24, August 31
 Choir practice 4:00 pm-5:00 pm (Contact Margy if you are interested)

Thursday, August 18—Dinner for One—Country Kettle (see back page)
 Sunday, August 28—Gibson Music Foundation Hymn Fest—3:00 pm (see announcement)
 Monday, Sept 5—Labor Day (**National Holiday**) Office will be closed
 Thursday, Sept 15 - Feast of Our Lady of Seven Sorrows (Pray 7 Sorrows Rosary before Mass)
 Sunday, Sept. 25—OLOL Homecoming Picnic (after 11:00 am Mass)



National Eucharistic Revival

The United Bishops, under the leadership of Bishop Andrew Cozzens, have put forth a three year plan to revive our understanding of and devotion to the Most Holy Eucharist ! The Eucharist is the source and summit of our faith. It is the saving Sacrifice of Christ our Lord, made present to us in the celebration of the Holy Mass, and communicated most intimately through devote reception of Holy Communion.

The timeline of this National Eucharistic Revival is as follows:
The Feast of Corpus Christi—June 19, 2022

Year of Diocesan Revival—June 19, 2022 to June 11, 2023

Year of Parish Revival—June 11, 2023 to July 17, 2024

National Eucharistic Congress—July 17-21, 2024 (Indianapolis, Ind)

Thank you for signing up for **2023 Altar Flowers** ! All the weekends are accounted for. We do still need a few more to sign for flowers at *Easter and Christmas 2023*. The list is at the back of the church, so please consider making a donation for these special Holidays.



August -Month of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

One of the most popular Marian devotions in the Catholic Church today is that of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, often honored alongside the Sacred Heart of Jesus. This devotion has its roots in Sacred Scripture, which makes frequent mention of Mary's contemplative heart, for example in: **Luke 2:19: "But Mary treasured all these words and pondered them in her heart."**

According to Catholic doctrine, **Mary is the Immaculate Conception**, not Jesus. that is, in preparation for the Incarnation of the Second Person of the Holy Trinity in her womb, Mary was conceived without the corruption of original sin, and was preserved from committing any actual sins throughout the course of her life through the infinite merits of her Son, Jesus Christ. She was virginal not only of soul, but also of body, both before and after giving birth to Our Lord.

Gibson Area Music Foundation's Annual Hymn Festival will be held August 28, beginning at 3 p.m. at the fully accessible United Methodist Church of Gibson City (Church & Tenth St.). Admission is free and open to everyone. Milt Kelly of Fisher will talk about chosen hymns and direct singing. Special music is also planned. Plus, a free ice cream social featuring Crowridge Ice Cream will follow in the parking lot!



Please help! I am looking for other parishioners to lead the Rosary on Sunday's at 10:30 am before Mass. Contact Sarah Sarantakos at 217-781-0528.

I would appreciate others getting involved in this beautiful prayer. Please pray the Rosary every day for Peace!
Mary Queen of Peace , Pray for Us.

Carol Obert's Memorial Candles
Located in the Grotto by the Rectory

Donations to light a candle can be put in the small candle box at the back of the Church.



OUR LADY OF LOURDES PRAYER CHAIN

We have organized a PRAYER CHAIN for those in need of prayer support.

If you would like to be a 'prayer warrior' in the prayer chain OR

if you have a need for prayers,

contact Alyce Hafer

at (217) 745-2411 or

joenalyceh@cawi.org

(your specific prayer need does NOT need to be disclosed to activate the prayer chain).



(PS 33)

"Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own"



Rosary Prayer Schedule August (Immaculate Heart of Mary)

Tuesday 7:30 am before Mass

Wednesday 8:30 am

Thursday 3:30 pm before Mass

Friday 3:30 pm before Mass

Saturdays 4:15pm before Mass

Sundays 10:30am before Mass

2021—2022 Parish Council

President-Fred Sarantakos (217-781-1813)

Vice President -Marj Brown (217-377-3132)

Secretary-Alyce Hafer (217-745-2411)

Craig Davis (815-848-5554)

Parker Hathaway (217-784-8193)

Jody Goodin (217-377-5208)

Please contact these dedicated people if you have any concerns or suggestions about church related issues.

Parish Office Hours

Located at the Rectory next to the church,

534 N Wood, Gibson City

Monday: 8am to Noon

Thursday: 8am to Noon

Lori Gale, Church Secretary

Phone: 217-784-4671

Note— the office will be closed on Federal Holidays

Altar Flowers provided by :

August 6/7—Lisa Heap

August 13/14—Chuck and Pam Aubry

August 20/21—Mark and Becky Doran

August 27/28—Regina Johnson

The flowers are now \$35.00 a bouquet.

Thank you !!!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

John Swearingen (8/13)
Melvin Fischer (8/13)

Happy Anniversary

Greg and Nancy Kurtenbach (8/5)
Andrew and Heather Killian (8/7)
Robert and Sandy Kollross (8/8)
Corey and Erin Nuss (8/10)

God Bless all of our families !

Pray for the Sick & Homebound

Brian Sullivan / Emma Davis
Terry Hutchcraft / Joyce Pearson
Fran Mardis / Rosanne Miller
Connie Cimino / Ken Freehill
Mae Gardner / Pat Huth



If you wish to add the name of a loved one who is sick, please contact the parish office at 217-784-4671 or office@lolgc.org.

NOTE ** Bulletin submissions should be received by WEDNESDAY at 5:00 pm.
Call the parish at 784-4671 or email to office@ololgc.org.**



Divine Mercy Daily

Daily Reflections from the
Diary of Saint Maria Faustina Kowalska

Completely in My Care

May 1, [1938]. This evening, Jesus said to me (**St. Faustina**), My daughter, do you need anything? I answered, "O my Love, when I have You, I have everything." And the Lord (**Jesus**) answered, if souls would put themselves completely in My care, I (**Jesus**) Myself would undertake the task of sanctifying them, and I would lavish even greater graces on them. There are souls who thwart My efforts, but I have not given up on them; as often as they turn to Me, I hurry to their aid, shielding them with My mercy, and I give them the first place in My compassionate Heart (Diary, 1682).

(Prayer) Lord Jesus, I desire to put myself completely in Your care. Please undertake the task of sanctifying me. Without Your grace, I can do nothing! But with Your grace, I can do anything, because then all things are possible: "In Him I have strength for everything through Him who empowers me" (Phil 4:13).

Please try to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet every day at 3:00pm for this is when Our Lord Jesus Christ gave us his life for sins. If you cannot pray at that time, take at least a moment at 3:00pm to feel the inconceivable, abundant Mercy that falls from heaven every day at 3:00pm for the whole world. **Jesus I Trust In You!**



Save the Date—September 25

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish — Homecoming Picnic
Sunday September 25, 2022
after 11:00 am Mass

Mass will be celebrated with Bishop Conlon, Fr. Bui
and a few other former Priests from Our Lady of Lourdes.

Homebound Ministry is always available for Catholics who can not come to Mass because they are in the hospital, sick / recovering at home, or have moved to a care facility .

Please contact Sarah Sarantakos at 217-781-0528
to have a Eucharistic Minister bring **Holy Communion** to you.



Confession/Reconciliation

Fr. Dong will hear your confession
Every Wednesday at 8:30am after Mass
Every Saturday at 4:30pm before Mass
Second Saturday of every month 10:00-11:00am
By Appointment 630-456-5406

The Catechism of the Catholic Church says, (No.1457), that all Catholics should go to confession at least once a year. Don't miss out on this incredible grace that Our Lord wants to bestow upon you.

Love one
ANOTHER
as I have
LOVED
you
-JOHN 15:12

Invitation : Dinner for One

When: Thursday **August 18**
(RSVP by Aug 17)

Where: Country Kettle
810 S Sangamon Ave. Gibson City

Social time: 4:30pm-5:00pm

Dinner: 5:00pm

Cost: Depends on what you order from the menu

Alcohol : Available

Please Call or Text Sarah Sarantakos (Coordinator):
217-781-0528 or email Sarah.Sarantakos1@gmail.com



Monday

AUGUST 8

St. Dominic, Priest

Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c

Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday

AUGUST 9

Weekday

Ez 2:8-3:4

Mt 18:1-5, 10,
12-14

Wednesday

AUGUST 10

St. Lawrence,

Deacon and Martyr

2 Cor 9:6-10

Jn 12:24-26

Thursday

AUGUST 11

St. Clare, Virgin

Ez 12:1-12

Mt 18:21-19:1

Friday

AUGUST 12

Weekday

Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63

or 16:59-63

Mt 19:3-12

Saturday

AUGUST 13

Weekday

Ez 18:1-10, 13b,
30-32

Mt 19:13-15

Sunday

AUGUST 14

Twentieth Sunday

in Ordinary Time

Jer 38:4-6, 8-10

Heb 12:1-4

Lk 12:49-53