

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
Monday and Thursday –
4:00 pm

Phone & Fax (217) 784-4671

General Information

office@ololgc.org

Website www.ololgc.org

Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 11:00 am

Wednesday 8:00 am

Eucharistic Adoration

Every Wednesday

(Following 8:00 am Mass)

Confession

Wednesday—8:30 am-9:30 am

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

Tuesday 5:30 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

Thursday 5:30 pm

Confession - Sunday 7:30am

May 11, 2025 Fourth Sunday of Easter



Jn 10:29-30

My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all, and no one can take them out of the Father's hand. The Father and I are one."

Eucharistic AdorationEvery Wednesday Mass—8:00 am Followed by the Rosary, Confession, Adoration 8:30 to 9:30 am

If you cannot commit to a time, please come when you can. Jesus will be waiting for you ! There are books/pamphlets at the back of the church for you to read and ponder while you adore Jesus.

(Please return the reading materials when you are finished)

If you have any questions, please call Fran Mardis at (217) 784-8515



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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.		
Monday, May 12	(OLOL)	No Mass
Tuesday, May 13	(OLOL)	No Mass Mass
	5:30 pm (STM)	
WED May 14	8:00 am	Our Lady of Lourdes Parishioners Adoration
(OLOL)		
THURS May 15	5:30 pm (STJ)	Mass
FRI May 16	8:00 am (STM)	Mass
SAT. May 17	5:00 PM (OLOL)	+Pete Hartford (by Jerry and Marj Brown)
SUNDAY May 18	8:00 am (STJ) 9:30 am (STM) 11:00 am (OLOL)	Mass Mass +Doc Meyer (by Michelle Meyer)
	5th Sunday of Easter	

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GIFTS OLOL	
May 3/4	\$ 3,300.00
Capital Imp. May2025	\$ 516.00
CMAA 2025 (goal:\$13,000) As of Apr.27	\$ 9,110.00
Food Pantry May Total	\$53.00
Yr to Date FP	\$1,616.00
Special Collections ***** Catholic Missions April 26/27 \$ 437.00	

*Ministry
Schedules*

Date	Altar Servers	Lector	Euch. Minister / Sacriston	Ushers/Greeters	Homebound Ministry
Ministry Volunteers Contact Patti Huppert (217-778-4574)					Deacon Paul (217) 781-1440
SATURDAY May 17 5:00 pm		Marj Brown	Jerry Brown	(May)	Deacon Paul Sarantakos
SUNDAY May 18 11:00 AM (5th Sunday of Easter)	(May Needed	Maggie Davis	Lisa Heap	(May) Jerry Brown Fred Sarantakos	

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. Nestor at
 fr.nestor@stmarypaxton.org

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

Mass Attendance **May 3 Saturday (55)** **May 4 Sunday (65)** = **Total 120**
 3rd Commandment: Remember to keep holy the Sabbath day.

Parish Calendar and MORE (Subject to change)

Every Wednesday (4 pm) Choir practice ...14th, 21st, 28th

Thursday, May 15—GC Pentecostal Church presents Joseph Habedank ‘Live in Con-
 cert’ with Hymnal Sing at 6:15 pm followed by the Concert at 7:00 pm

Tuesday, May 20, 2025—Bishop Spies presents ‘Being a Strong Man of Faith’ 6:00
 pm at St Michael, Wheaton

Wednesday, May 21– Staff meeting 5:15 pm

Saturday, May 24—4:00 –7:00 pm Knights of Columbus fundraiser –Gibson City.
 This fundraiser is to raise \$ for the 15 kids and 2 sponsors going to the Steubenville
 Conference in Joliet.

Monday, May 26—Memorial Day, Mass at 9:00 am St. Mary’s Cemetery, Champaign

JUBILEE YEAR 2025 MAY CELEBRATIONS



On May 10-11, our Holy Father will be remembering in prayer and celebrating with those who provide and use their gift of music. Musicians bring the splendor of sound and words that can fill our days with wonder and reflect the grandeur of God's presence in our world. As a reflection of our gratitude, we give thanks and pray for those who share their talent of making music with our communities.

August 2025 Pilgrimage
Catholic Spirit Radio (89.5FM) has a few bus seats available for their August 2025 pilgrimage to The Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Hanceville, Alabama. The registration deadline is May 31, 2025. Contact Carolyn Wenning at (309) 830-4164 for more information OR see their website catholicspiritradio.com



Father Nestor and **Liam Monjego**, following Liam receiving his 1st Holy Communion on Sunday, May 4.
God Bless you and your family, Liam !!!



Monthly pledge payments for CMAA gifts should be made in the next few days. It is very important these pledges be paid in order for us to reach our parish **goal of \$13,000.00** this year. Once we have reached our goal in paid pledges, 70% of the amount over our goal will be returned to our parish for our needs. Thank you in advance for your continued support !!!

MEN OF CHRIST | JOLIET
LIVE YOUR FAITH BOLDLY

CATHOLIC MAN NIGHT St. Michael, Wheaton

"Being a Strong Man of Faith"



Bishop Dennis Spies

Tuesday May 20 2025
6 - 8:30 pm
dinner provided
Register with QR code
MenOfChrist.net/Joliet



Saturday, May 24—Knights of Columbus Fundraiser

4:00 –7:00 pm—Gibson City

The Knights of Columbus will be holding a fundraiser to raise funds for the kids going to the Steubenville Conference in Joliet. The meal supplied will be carnitas tacos, chips and salsa for \$10.00 a plate. They will also do a 50/50 drawing. The tickets are \$5.00 each of 5 for \$20.00. All are welcome to attend and enjoy great conversation and company while supporting our youth. Contact Grand Knight, Victor Vasquez at 217-493- 9025 for more information.



May Rosary Schedule

Wednesday 8:30 am (after Mass)

Saturday 4:15pm

Sunday 10:30am

Please try to pray the Rosary every day with your family.

**Mary Queen of Peace,
Pray for Us.**

NOTE ** Bulletin submissions should be received by WEDNESDAY at 5:00 pm.**
Email to office@ololg.org. Or call and leave message at the parish office (217) 784-4671

2024-2025 Parish Council

Pam Aubry (President)
 (217-781-1237)
 Roy Acree (217-649-2263)
 Fran Mardis (217-784-8515)
 Jodi Beyers (815-848-3371)
 Bernie Campos (217-898-3448)
 Beth Baillie (217-954-8003)
 Please contact these dedicated people
 if you have any concerns or suggestions
 about church related issues.

May Altar Flowers provided by :

May 10-11—Paul Obert
 May 17-18—Stanley and Terri Davis
 May 24/25—Margy Shambrook
The flowers are \$40.00 a bouquet.
You will be billed by the florist
Rural Rose of Fisher (217-897-1604)

MONDAY

May 12
Easter Weekday
 Acts 11:1-18
 Jn 10:1-10

TUESDAY

May 13
Easter Weekday
 Acts 11:19-26
 Jn 10:22-30

WEDNESDAY

May 14
St. Matthias, Apostle
 Acts 1:15-17,
 20-26
 Jn 15:9-17

THURSDAY

May 15
Easter Weekday
 Acts 13:13-25
 Jn 13:16-20

FRIDAY

May 16
Easter Weekday
 Acts 13:26-33
 Jn 14:1-6

SATURDAY

May 17
Easter Weekday
 Acts 13:44-52
 Jn 14:7-14

SUNDAY

May 18
Fifth Sunday of Easter
 Acts 14:21-27
 Rv 21:1-5a
 Jn 13:31-33a,
 34-35

Pray for the Sick & Homebound



Brian Sullivan / Terry Hutchcraft
 Joyce Pearson / Fran Mardis
 Rosanne Miller / Ken Freehill
 Pat Huth / Gary Gale / Peter Erdmann
 Sarah Sarantakos / Jerry Lynch, Sr.
 Roger and Edna Huppert
 Robert (Sonny) Meyer / Lloyd Power
 Martha Benefiel Heavilin

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@ololg.org.

Our Lady of Lourdes Social Media Sites
 Please check them out for an
 abundance of information.

Facebook:

www.facebook.com/ololg.org

Website: www.ololg.org

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(Lori Gale & Carla Moxley)

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Aiden Helmig (5/11)
 Joe Bailie (5/13)
 Elizabeth Goodin (5/14)
 Angelica Cullotta (5/18)

Happy Anniversary

Daniel and Jane Lange (5/13)
 Herry and Amy Stoltz (5/15)
 Stanley and Suzanne Vetter (5/19)
 Dan and Sylvia Day (5/19)

God Bless our Parish Family !



OUR LADY OF LOURDES PRAYER THREADS

This PRAYER THREAD is for those
 in need of prayer support.

If you would like to be a 'Prayer
 Warrior' in the prayer threads 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 thread).



Homebound Ministry

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

To have a Eucharistic Minister bring
 Holy Communion to you,
 Please contact :

Deacon Paul Sarantakos (217-781-1440)

