## 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

Cucharistic Adoration
Friday following 8AM Mass
Confession

Friday following 8AM Mass



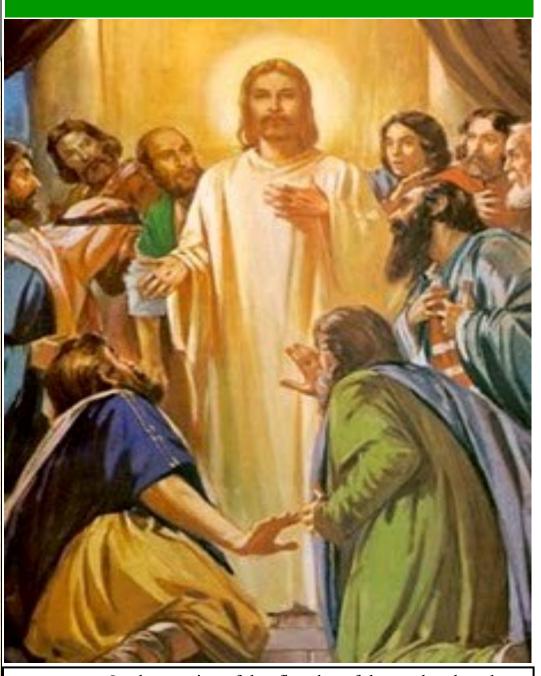
## St. Joseph

312 N. Hickory Street
Loda, IL 60948

Mass Schedule
Sunday 8:00 am
Thursday 5:30 pm

Confession - Sunday 7:30am

# June 8, 2025 Pentecost Sunday



Jn 20:1 On the evening of that first day of the week, when the doors were locked, where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you.".

Eucharistic Adoration ....No Adoration June 11th,18th, 25th Will resume in July......Every 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

### **Pastor**

Rev. Nestor Sanchez 217-784-4671 (OLOL) 217-379-4033 (STM) Fr,Nestor@stmarypaxton.org

### Deacon

Paul Sarantakos 217-781-1440 psarantakos@parkland.edu

## Parish Secretary/ Hall Rent

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#### **Bulletin Editor**

Carla Moxley 217-552-9013 office@ololgc..org

# **Religious Education**

Marj Brown—217-377-3132

## **Youth Ministry**

Maggie Davis 217-848-8985

# **Music Director**

Margy Shambrook 217-781-0089

## **Parish Council President**

Pam Aubry 217-781-1237

### 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, June	9 (OLOL)	No Mass	
<b>J</b> ,			May 31/June 1
Tuesday, June (OLOL)	5:30 pm (STM)	No Mass Mass	Capital Imp. May 2025
WED June 11	8:00 am (OLOL)	NO Mass	1
	8:30—9:30 am (OLOL)	NO Adoration on June 11th, 18th, 25th	CMAA 2025 (goal:\$13,000) As of June 1
THURS June 11	2 5:30 pm (STJ)	Mass	V2 OI JULIE I

FRI June 13 8:00 am (STM) Mass

SAT. June 14 5:00 PM (OLOI

SUNDAY June 15

5:00 PM (OLOL) +Emma Davis

8:00 am (STJ) 9:30 am (STM)

11:00 am (OLOL) (Most Holy Trinity) (by Stanley and Terri Davis)

Mass

Mass **Barre and Leola Henry**62nd Anniversary

# Capital Imp. \$ 576.00 May 2025 CMAA 2025 \$ 9,610.00 (goal:\$13,000) Bal. Due As of June 1 \$2,645.00 Food Pantry \$56.00 June Total \$56.00 Yr to Date FP \$1,875.00 **Special Collections** Capital June 7/8

**THANK YOU FOR** 

**YOUR GIFTS** 

**OLOL** 

\$ 2,763.00

# Ministry Schedules

<u>Date</u> Ministry Volunteers Contact Patti Huppert (217-778-4574)	Altar Servers	<u>Lector</u>	Euch. Minister / Sacriston	<u>Ushers/Greeters</u>	Homebound Ministry Deacon Paul (217) 781-1440
SATURDAY June 14 5:00 pm		Patti Huppert	Paul Sarantakos	(June) Bob Bode	Deacon Paul Sarantakos
SUNDAY June 15 11:00 AM (Most Holy Trinity)	(June) Needed	Lisa Heap	Paul Sarantakos	(June ) Dallas Glazick	

## **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 31** Saturday (62) **June 1** Sunday (42) = Total 104 3rd Commandment: Remember to keep holy the Sabbath day.

# Parish Calendar and MORE (Subject to change)

June 10—June 27—Father Nestor vacation (see next page notice)
Saturday and Sunday, June 14/15—Bishop Conlon celebrating Mass
Saturday and Sunday, June 21/22—Father Luis Ron celebrating Mass
Saturday and Sunday, June 28/29—Father Nestor celebrating Mass
June 27-29—Stubenville Joliet Youth Conference, attending will be
Our Youth Group and Sponsors and Father Nestor
Wednesday, June 25 to June 30—Lori Gale, Parish secretary vacation

### Apply Scholarship

# **NOTICE** to those who are applying for the **2025 Sunderland Scholarship**,

your application needs to be received in the Parish office no later than **June 12, 2025**. The deadline has been extended. Letters were mailed to those students who qualify. The committee needs time to review the applications.

Thank you!!!



'Travelling Mary' is a an event you should consider taking part in. It involves taking the 'Travelling Mary' Statue home for one week, place her in a place of honor, and pray together with your family at least once a day. Make her welcome in your home.

Mary will stay in your home for 1 week....from Sunday to Saturday. She is to be returned to the church before Saturday evening Mass, so the next family can pick her up.

The sign –up sheet is at the back of the church. So far everyone has been very excited over this endeavor. We would like to continue this at least thru this year, and perhaps beyond.

June 8-14—Loretta Power June 15-21—Carla Moxley



## Notice — schedule as of June 10, 2025

Father Nestor will be on vacation June 10 to June 27. <u>Bishop Daniel Conlon</u> will be celebrating Mass with us at the usual times on Saturday, June 14th and Sunday, June 15th. Thank you in advance to Diane and Richard Perkins who will take Bishop Conlon to dinner after Mass.

<u>Father Luis Ron</u> will be celebrating Mass with us at the usual times on Saturday, June 21st and Sunday, June 22nd. Will someone be available to take Father Ron to dinner Saturday after Mass? Thank you in advance!

Father Nestor will be attending the a portion of the Stubenville Joliet Youth Conference with our Youth Group

Saturday, June 28th.....Mass 5:00 pm Father Nestor Sunday, June 29th—Mass 11:00 am Father Nestor

## Note from Sarah Sarantakos: Watering Plants

We are in need of seven people to water the flower pots and hanging flower baskets in the patio area, front of the church and the grotto area. This will take about 15-20 minutes. Contact Sarah at 217-782-0528 (call or text), who will show you what to do. Thank you in advance for helping to keep our Parish grounds beautiful for the summer.

### Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal

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!!!

# Dear Padre

June 8, 2025

My Catholic friend says she speaks in tongues and does not feel she needs an interpretation as she does so. She writes down the exchange as she listens to others. What does the Catholic Church say about speaking in tongues? How should I respond if she asks to pray for me in this way?

Good for your friend. A robust spiritual practice is a real grace from God. At the same time, it seems that a gentle reminder, albeit a respectful one, to your friend might include the wisdom of St. Paul. In 1 Corinthians, Paul cautions that the person who speaks in tongues must ask for interpretation of what is spoken so that it may be confirmed. There is real wisdom offered here. It is also helpful to remember that in the Christian understanding of supernatural gifts, such gifts are not intended solely for the individual person but always for the well-being of the community and the common good (1 Cor 12:7). Keeping this integrated and balanced understanding as an essential component of the manifestation of the charismatic gifts of the Holy Spirit will only lead to good and to a more powerful experience of God's grace and life. In the Christian life, it is never about just the individual, but always inclusive of the experience of our brothers and sisters in Christ.

Fr. Thomas M. Santa, CSsR / DearPadre.org

He never sends you into a situation alone.

He walks before you.

He walks beside you.

He walks behind you.

Have faith.

God is always with you.



June 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.

## 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.



Josh Parsons (6/9) Alyssa Bane (6/9) Daniel Lange (6/11) Regina Johnson (6/11) Kimberly Medernach (6/11) Wanda Swearingen (6/12) Kathy Bittner (6/13 Sandra Hathaway (6/13) Joyce Pearson (6/14) Ryan Weber (6/15)

# Happy Anniversary

Rob and Janet Hoffman (6/8) Chuck and Pam Aubry (6/9) Rob and Linda Schmitt (6/10) Rob and Linda Schmitt (6/10)
Dennis and Cherry Fisher (6/12)
Jerry Lynch, Jr. and Laura (6/12)
Rob and Terry Fields (6/13)
Austin and Teri Eichelberger (6/14)
Willard and Joyce Pearson (6/14)
Barre and Leola Henry (6/15) 62nd Anniversary



## 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).



## Pray for the Sick & Homebound

**Brian Sullivan / Terry Hutchcraft** Joyce Pearson / Fran Mardis Rosanne Miller / Ken Freehill Pat Huth / Gary Gale /Paula Cyphert 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@ololgc.org.

With Sympathy



# **Our Lady of Lourdes Social Media Sites**

Please check them out for an abundance of information.

### Facebook:

www.facebook.com/ololgc.org Website: www.ololgc.org

Office Email: office@ololgc.org (Lori Gale & Carla Moxley) Fr. Nestor Sanchez Email: fr.nestor@stmarypaxton.org

**Deacon Paul Sarantakos Email:** 

p.sarantakos@hotmail.com PSarantakos@Parkland.edu



# **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)



### MONDAY

June 9 The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14 Jn 19:25-34

#### **TUESDAY**

June 10 Weekday 2 Cor 1:18-22 Mt 5:13-16

### **WEDNESDAY**

June 11 St. Barnabas, Apostle Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3 Mt 5:17-19

### **THURSDAY**

June 12 Weekday 2 Cor 3:15-4:1, 3-6 Mt 5:20-26

### **FRIDAY**

June 13 St. Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church 2 Cor 4:7-15 Mt 5:27-32

### **SATURDAY**

June 14 Weekday 2 Cor 5:14-21 Mt 5:33-37

### SUNDAY

June 15 The Most Holy Trinity Prv 8:22-31 Rom 5:1-5 Jn 16:12-15