



*Holy Spirit*

**CATHOLIC CHURCH**

Naperville, Illinois

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OF LIFE**

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August 4, 2024 • 18th Sunday Ordinary Time

## Mass Intentions

(+Deceased, L-Living)



### August 3– August 7, 2024

#### Saturday, August 3

4:30pm People of Holy Spirit Catholic Church

#### Sunday, August 4

8am + Joe Juliano  
9:30am + Peter Scavetta  
11am + Peter Scavetta

#### Monday, August 5

9am + John Arnold Jr.

#### Tuesday, August 6

9am + Mary Jo Anderson

#### Wednesday, August 7

9am + Lorraine Comparato

## Eucharistic Adoration

Every Tuesday, following the 9am mass.

## Let us Pray...

**For all who are facing illness.**

We ask our Lord Jesus Christ to bring healing, comfort, and peace to them. Calm their fears and let them experience the healing power of His love.



**For all who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith.**

O Lord, may they find light, happiness and peace in Your presence.

**For all first responders and law enforcement officers, who put their lives on the line to keep us safe at home.**

**For all active duty military service members who have been deployed, and their families.**

**For all veterans—past and present.**

**The Pope's Monthly Intention (August 2024)**

The Maritime World

We pray for all those who work and live from the sea, among them sailors, fishermen, and their families.



### August 7-8, 2024

HSCC will be serving dinner on Wednesday, August 7 and breakfast Thursday morning, August 8, plus provide bag lunches. We are in need of volunteers to provide and/or deliver food, or serve meals. Scan the QR Code to volunteer or donate.

Food donations are to be brought in through the rear doors near the Parish Hall/ Meeting space by 4pm Monday, August 5.

For more information see the parish website, [www.hsc.us](http://www.hsc.us), or contact Danielle Plotke: 630-877-7951 (text)



## ANNOUNCING THE 46TH ANNUAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS



August 25, 2024

2 p.m.

Cathedral of St. Raymond

604 N Raynor Ave., Joliet, IL

Registration Required

The 46th Annual Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass will be celebrated on Sunday, August 25, at 2 p.m. at the Cathedral of St. Raymond in Joliet. Couples celebrating anniversaries of 25 years, 50 years, and more than 50 years, are welcome to attend. Bishop Ronald A. Hicks will celebrate the Mass and will lead all couples in a special renewal of wedding commitment.

Pre-registration is required by July 28, 2024. Scan the QR code or click link below.



<https://forms.office.com/r/Zc5nE3Nma7>

Office of Lifelong Lay Formation  
Questions? Contact Jim Elias  
(815) 221-6134  
[jelias@dioceseofjoliet.org](mailto:jelias@dioceseofjoliet.org)

DIocese OF JOLIET



# HOLY SPIRIT FALL FEST

Sunday, August 25th  
12 NOON – 2PM



FOOD TRUCKS






GAMES



BLESSING OF  
BACKPACKS  
11:00 MASS

## JOIN US

-  Lil' Deb's Food Truck will have food for purchase.
-  Kona Ice complements of Holy Spirit.
-  Games, laughter and music to share.

**EVERYONE IS WELCOME!**  
And bring a friend

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FOR MORE INFORMATION  
TEXT JIM KRZMARZICK 630-624-9962

"Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms."

We would love to have your help as a Catechist, Hall Monitor, or Office Assisitant. Please prayerfully consider using your God-given gifts to volunteer in our RE Program this year.



### We need help in these areas:

#### Sunday 6pm

Sixth Grade (1 Catechist)

#### Tuesday 5pm

Seventh Grade (2 Catechists)

#### Office Volunteers

Various times available, please contact us.

#### Hall Monitors

Sunday 4pm, Sunday 6pm, or Tuesday 5pm

Contact us:  
Lauren at [lnelson@hsc.us](mailto:lnelson@hsc.us)  
for Grades K-5

Kim at [kkroeze@hsc.us](mailto:kkroeze@hsc.us)  
for Grades 6-8

# SAVE THE DATE RE OPENING MASS AND SOCIAL

## SUNDAY AUGUST 25, 2024

11am Mass  
with social to follow

Meet your  
catechists, get  
lesson previews  
& meet some  
new friends!  
PLUS Kona Ice!



10TH ANNUAL

## Nativity House FARM TO TABLE CELEBRATION



\*All proceeds go toward the direct service of mothers in need. Nativity House is a non-profit; all donations are tax deductible.

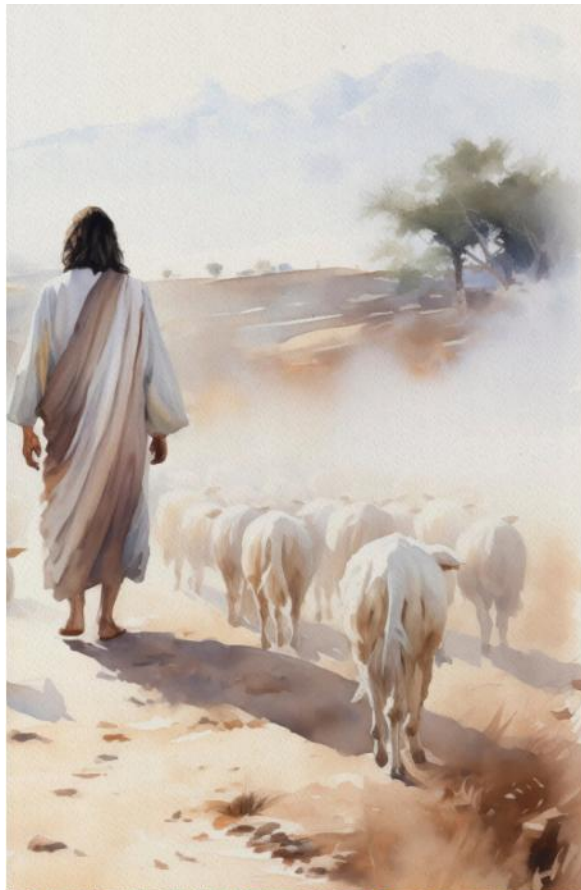
Nativity House is an intentional Catholic community and house of hospitality rooted in Catholic Social Teaching and the Catholic Worker Farm Movement.

September 1, 2024

4PM - Mass  
5PM - Cocktails & Mingling on the Farm, Silent Auction, Kid's Activities  
6PM - 5 Course Farm to Table Feast  
7PM - Live Music

@ Nativity House  
17141 W 143rd  
Lockport, Illinois





# BECOMING CATHOLIC

If you are seeking God...  
 If you have questions about the Catholic faith...  
 If you have questions about the Mass...  
 If you are not baptized...  
 Baptized Catholic and would like to complete your sacraments...  
 If you are adult who missed Confirmation...

**We will walk with you on your journey with Christ towards becoming Catholic.**

CONTACT ROBERTA, DIRECTOR OF FAITH FORMATION  
 RBALSEWICZ@HSCC.US OR 630-922-0081 EXT 7

## Mum Sale

Fundraiser to support October Parish Mission,  
**"60 Minutes for Jesus"**  
 with Fr. Jim Sichko

### HOW TO PLACE YOUR ORDER:

Complete the order form  
 and drop off at the HSCC  
 Welcome Desk with Check or Cash.

Order in the Narthex the weekends of:  
 July 20-21  
 July 27-28  
 August 3-4

Order online at [www.hsccl.us](http://www.hsccl.us)

**LAST DAY TO ORDER:**  
 August 4, 2024

**PICK UP:**  
 September 4, 2024  
 10am-7pm  
 Holy Spirit Catholic Church  
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 Naperville, IL



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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2 GALLON POTS  
 ONLY  
**\$15**

Yellow

Bronze

Red

White

Total

QTY x \$15

## Do you have a child to Baptize?

Next  
**Baptism  
 Prep Class:**  
**Sept. 19**  
 from 7-8:30pm



For more information please see  
 the Parish website: [www.hsccl.us](http://www.hsccl.us)

# This Week's Meetings

## August 4-August 10, 2024

### Sunday, August 4

8am-12pm Mum Sale, Narthex  
1pm Baptisms, Church

### Thursday, August 8

10am Gathered in Prayer, Chapel

### Saturday, August 10

6:30am Men's Ministry, Multipurpose Room

See the parish website for all upcoming event information;  
[www.hsccl.us](http://www.hsccl.us)

 **Get this bulletin emailed to you every week.**

Simply go to [www.DM.CHURCH/1619](http://www.DM.CHURCH/1619) ...or scan 

## DISCOVERMASS

### Consider Electronic Giving

For information and to select the option that works best for you, go to the parish website, [www.hsccl.us/donation](http://www.hsccl.us/donation).

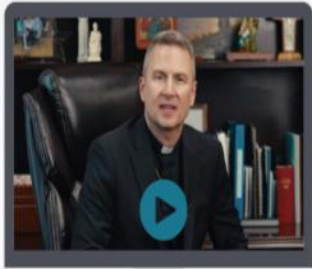
- Automatic Debit/Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)
- WeShare Online Giving
- Donating Stock
- QR Code (one time or recurring offering)



*It is with grateful hearts, we thank you for your continued support of the parish*

# Are you called

## TO THE PERMANENT DIACONATE



*"Are you being called to serve God, and your neighbors in the Church, as a permanent Deacon?"*  
-Bishop Ron Hicks



### UNDERSTANDING THE DIACONATE

Like bishops and priests, deacons are **ordained ministers of the Catholic Church** and share Christ's mission and grace.

### CHARACTERISTICS OF A DEACON

- A deacon is a man **deeply attentive to the Scriptures** as an ongoing encounter with Jesus.
- He **loves the Church** and expresses a willingness to abide by doctrines and morals.
- He **exhibits a desire to evangelize** and publicly proclaim his love of Christ and the Church.

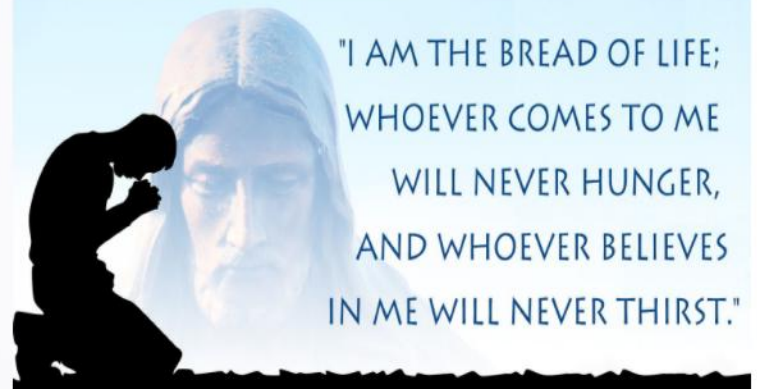


### MINISTRIES OF A DEACON

- **Minister of the Word:** deacons proclaim the Gospel, preach and teach in the name of the Church
- **Minister of Sacrament:** deacons baptize, lead the faithful in prayer, witness marriages and conduct wake and funeral services
- **Minister of Charity:** deacons are leaders in identifying the needs of others

The Diocese of Joliet has begun the process of inviting men to discern the call to the diaconate through a number of informational sessions:

[Learn More: www.vocations.diojoliet.org](http://www.vocations.diojoliet.org)



"I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE;  
WHOEVER COMES TO ME  
WILL NEVER HUNGER,  
AND WHOEVER BELIEVES  
IN ME WILL NEVER THIRST."



## 2024 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal

	As of 7/28/2024	Final 2023
Goal	\$99,000	\$94,300
Amount Pledged	\$132,643	\$135,028
Amount Paid	\$123,301	\$132,798
Balance Due	\$9,342	\$2,230
Donor Count	317	350
2024 Rebate	\$17,010	\$26,949



# Parish Information

## Mass Schedule

### Weekdays:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday... 9am

### Weekend:

Saturday...4:30pm

Sunday...8am, 9:30am, and 11am

## Adoration

Tuesdays, following the 9am mass until 12 noon.

## Sacraments

### Reconciliation

Saturday, 3:30pm -4:00pm

### Baptisms

12:30pm on the 2nd Sunday of each month unless otherwise noted

### Weddings

Please contact the parish office

## Parish Office Hours

**Monday - Thursday** 8am to 4:30pm

(closed 12noon-1pm)

**Friday** 8am to 1pm

## Parish Priests

**Pastor**, Rev. John Sponder

frjohn@hsc.us

**Parochial Vicar**, Rev. Richard Smith

frsmith@hsc.us

## Permanent Deacons

Dcn. Eric Alvarez, deaconeric@hsc.us

Dcn. Steve Boffa, deaconsteve@hsc.us

Dcn. Tim Roberts, deaontim@hsc.us

## Music Ministry

**Music Director**, Christina Eubank

ext. 8, ceubank@hsc.us

**Adult Choir Director**, Debbie Dujsik

ext. 8, ddujsik@hsc.us

**Youth Choir Director**, Sadie Wynne

ext. 8, swynne@hsc.us

## Adult Faith Formation & OCIA

Roberta Balsewicz, ext. 7

rbalsewicz@hsc.us

## Religious Education

**Coordinator Grades K-5**

Lauren Nelson, ext. 61

lnelson@hsc.us

**Coordinator Grades 6-8**

Kim Kroeze, ext. 62

kkroeze@hsc.us

## Business & Administration Office

### **Business Manager**

Leslie Doherty, ext. 91

ldoherty@hsc.us

### **Administrative Assistant**

Kathy Mackowiak, ext 92

kmackowiak@hsc.us

### **Parish Administrative Assistant**

Position Open

### **Maintenance**

Victor Velazquez

maintenance@hsc.us



## Parish Stewardship

	# of	
Monthly Offering	Donors	Jun-24
WeShare Online Giving	130	\$11,584
Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)	162	\$17,853
Envelopes & Loose Cash	200	\$53,170
<b>Total June Collection</b>	<b>492</b>	<b>\$82,607</b>
<b>Special Collections - June 2024</b>		
Mortgage Donations		\$2,757
Diocesan Priest Care		\$3,436
Peter's Pence		\$1,160

Fiscal Year: July 1, 2023 - June 30, 2024		
YTD Budget		\$975,000
YTD Sunday Collection		\$970,196
Surplus/(Deficit)		<b>(\$4,804)</b>
<b>Holy Spirit Mortgage</b>		
	<b>Date</b>	<b>Balance</b>
Original Mortgage	1/1/2005	\$3,590,755
<b>Current Loan Balance</b>	<b>7/15/2024</b>	<b>\$134,079</b>

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