

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Sunday, February 3, 2019

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, February 4
6:00 p.m.

Oconee – Stephen Schmitz

Tuesday, February 5
8:00 a.m.

Robert Spalding
By Bill & Mary Chernisky
Prairie Rose – Robert “Bob”
Kindermann By Richard & Eileen
Dudra

10:00 a.m.

Wednesday, February 6
8:00 a.m.

John “Jack” Hrabak
By Ronald & Joan Beyers

Thursday, February 7
8:00 a.m.

Betty Ann McManamon
By Jack & Doris Nollman

Saturday, February 9
4:00 p.m.

Edward Roth
By Family

Sunday, February 10
7:30 a.m.
9:00 a.m.

Oconee – Don Vits
Mary Schwartz
By Tina Perkins
Parishioners

10:30 a.m.

SERVERS

Tues.-Thurs. 8:00 a.m.
Saturday 4:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m.
10:30 a.m.

Cole Nollman & Joel Deere
Delaney Epley & Hayleigh Manuel
Jaycie Funneman & Paige Morrell
Aaliyah Henschen & Grace Fitzpatrick

GIFT BEARERS

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	Roth Family
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Matthew Clavin Family
	10:30 a.m.	McFarland Family

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Commentators

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	Leland Schmitz
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Chris Butkauskas
	10:30 a.m.	Cindy Duez

Extraordinary Ministers

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	Leland Schmitz, Tom Latonis, Rosemary Horsthemke
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Chris Butkauskas, Ann Cottrell, Marilyn Endris
	10:30 a.m.	Cindy Duez, Kayla Duez, Shelby Lehman

Lectors

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	Tom Latonis
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Nancy Elledge
	10:30 a.m.	Kevin Duez

HOMEBOUND

Doris Nollman

NOTICE

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO BE A GIFT BEARER, EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER, LECTOR, HOMEBOUND EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OR SERVER AT YOUR ASSIGNED TIME, PLEASE FIND A REPLACEMENT.

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

PANA KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #896

On the back page of our bulletin is a suggested Business Directory. Please consider these businesses for their products or services. Because of them, this bulletin is cost-free to the Parish. When you patronize one of them, tell them you saw their ad on our bulletin.

CALENDAR WINNERS

1/28	Phil Holthaus	Pana, IL	\$25
1/29	Patricia Spracklen	Pana, IL	\$25
1/30	Eric Arnold	Pana, IL	\$25
1/31	Joan Stannard	Springfield, IL	\$25
2/1	Tony & Jamie Glick	Tower Hill, IL	\$25
2/2	Melvin & Madolyn Green	Pana, IL	\$25
2/3	Brad Simpson	Mt. Zion, IL	\$75

Weekly Contributions

Jan. 26 - Jan. 27, 2019

We Need \$6,500 Each Week

Regular	\$4,617.00
School	\$45.00
Major Repairs	\$47.00
Needy	\$50.00
Buildings & Grounds	\$20.00
First Offering	\$41.00
Catholic Times	\$120.00
Church in Latin America	\$140.00
Children's Home	\$20.00
Utility Fund	\$20.00
Loose	\$497.00

MEETINGS

RCIA: Mon., Feb. 4 – 7:00 p.m., Rectory Basement

SPY: Wed., Feb. 6 – 6:45-8:00 p.m., Parish Hall

PSR: Wed., Feb. 6 – K-5 grade 3:30-4:30 p.m. and 6-8 grade 7:00-8:00 p.m., Parish Hall

BAPTISMAL SESSIONS

According to Canon Law, we ask parents to attend a Baptismal Session prior to their child's Baptism. We at St. Patrick's offer parents the opportunity to attend a Baptismal preparation session six times throughout the year. **If you are expecting a child and anticipate Baptism, we urge you to attend a session as soon as possible. There is no need to wait until the child is born.** Please call the parish office at 562-5396 to register and attend a session that is most convenient for you. **ALL SESSIONS ARE HELD IN THE RECTORY BASEMENT, Immediately** after the 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass on the appointed date. The schedule for the next session is **Sunday, April 7, 2019.** **REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED AND MUST BE DONE NO LATER THAN THE FRIDAY BEFORE THE CLASS.** If no one registers for a class, then that class will be cancelled.

SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Sanctuary Candle, the Eternal Light, will be lit the week of February 3 for Kenny Horsthemke by Rosemary Horsthemke.

LOAVES & FISHES FOOD PANTRY

The Loaves & Fishes Food Pantry is collecting food and nonperishable items **EVERY** Saturday and Sunday. Baskets are located in the church vestibule for your convenience. Please remember those who have very little. One canned good/item from each family one weekend a month can make a difference. Food Pantry is open on Mondays 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon and Fridays 3:00-5:30 p.m. Next working day Monday, February 11.

Throw under the bus. All he said was, God is for everybody, even the ones who you do not expect! The home town folks get so mad at Jesus, they want to throw him off the hill into the ravine. People get "thrown under the bus" all the time, it seems. People at whom we get mad. People with whom we do not agree. Saint Paul takes a different tack. Love, love, love, he says. Faith and hope are good. But love is the greatest. The list of how we can love is long [1 Corinthians 2:31-13:13]. Let us focus on three this week.

- ◆ Who needs me to be patient and kind? What will I do or not do?
- ◆ What truth will I seek and rejoice over?
- ◆ How can I love the interest of another over my own?

SDCCW SCHOLARSHIP

The Women of the Springfield Diocesan Council of Catholic Women are offering four \$500 college scholarships to 4 outstanding Catholic Senior Young Ladies. For young women who are interested, contact the church office for applications and requirements. Deadline to enter is March 30, 2019, and winners notified by May 1, 2019.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

St. Pat's offers a Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:30 am Mass to help children hear God's message in a way that is more understandable for them. All children, preferably 4 years old -3rd grade, including visitors, are welcome. Parents or older siblings may accompany a child. Prior to the first reading, Fr. Rodney will invite children up front for a short prayer of blessing and present them with their Lectionary. They will proceed to the Sacristy for the Sunday readings, have conversation and prayer centered on the message, and pray their own General Intercessions. Afterwards, they will be escorted back into church, invited to place their own envelopes in the collection basket, and rejoin their families. Please remember this is not a religion "lesson", but a time for prayer and hearing the Word of God. For questions or interest in assisting with this ministry, contact Jamie Glick at 217-823-1561 or jglick76@gmail.com.

DECOLORES WEEKEND

Spring into action: making a DeColores weekend. Say yes to a 3 day beautiful experience at camp Walter Scott, Dieterich, IL. Share in inspiring talks, renew your faith, and make new friends. The Men's Weekend is March 21-24; Lay leader, Brian Koestar; contact at 217-821-4716 (corrected number) or goodwithhands67@yahoo.com. The Women's Weekend is March 28-31; Lay leader, Betty Zumbahlen; contact at 217-844-3328 or bettyzumbahlen@gmail.com.

PANA COUMMUNITY SOUPER BOWL

Please participate in the "Souper Bowl" of caring. St. Patrick's Church and area churches are collecting cans of soup through February 2, with all donations going to the Loaves and Fishes Food Pantry. Boxes are located in the church vestibule or may be dropped off at the school or church office. Join us February 2 at United in Faith Church for a community potluck supper from 4:30-6:30 p.m.

TUITION NOTICE

It is time to apply for financial assistance through our School Tuition Assistance program, FACTS. All applications **MUST** be filled out on-line prior to April 1, 2019. Any applications after this date will automatically be rejected. Grant money is raised through contributions by St. Patrick's Church. Therefore, the following qualifications **MUST** be met: 1) Registered membership at St. Patrick's Church. 2) Participating in mass regularly at St. Patrick's as a family to promote the Catholic faith in your home. 3) Donate to the church whenever possible.

Activity in the church, as well as Sacred Heart School, is mandatory to remain in the tuition assistance program. To apply for assistance visit online.factsmgt.com/aid. Please call Chrisy at the church office (562-5396) for any questions.

NELSON'S DRIVE-THRU CHICKEN DINNER

Sacred Heart School is holding a Drive-Thru Chicken Dinner Fundraiser on Wednesday, February 27 from 4:30 – 6:30 p.m. Pick up will be on the playground in front of school. Meal includes ½ Grilled Chicken, Baked Potato, Vegetable, & Roll. Cost is \$10/meal. Tickets available from SHS parents or the church office. Tickets must be returned by Wednesday, February 21.

SERMON ON THE MOUNT

SUPERB! AMAZING! POWERFUL! Using hilarious anecdotes from his years in Hollywood and his own family's life, TV star Frank Runyeon helps all ages to laugh at the way the media portrays the world. Held Sunday, February 10, 2019, at Taylorville St. Mary Catholic Church at 2:00 p.m. Free will offering. For more information call 217-824-8178.

TRIVIA NIGHT

GET OUT OF THE HOUSE and come to the 3rd Annual **CABIN FEVER TRIVIA NIGHT**. Held at the Nokomis St. Louis Parish Center on Saturday, February 9. Doors open at 5:30 pm with play beginning at 6:30 pm. \$10 per table maximum. All proceeds benefit St. Louis School. For more information call 563-7445.

IN MEMORIUM

Please remember in your Prayers, Terry Swisher, father of Bryan (Jennifer) Swisher; and John W. Morrison, husband of Pam Morrison and step-father of Brandi Reed, parishioners of St. Patrick's Church. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed by the mercy of God rest in peace.