Whoever loves me will keep my word, says the Lord, & my Father will love him & He will come to him.

John 14:23



ST. PATRICK PARISH

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Mass Times

Monday - Friday | 7 AM Downtown 8 AM Crane Rd Thursday | 6 PM Downtown (ESP) Saturday | 8:30 AM Downtown, 4 PM Crane Rd, 4:30 PM Downtown Sunday | 7:30 AM Downtown, 8 AM Crane Rd, 9 AM Downtown, 9:30 AM Crane Rd, 10:30 AM Downtown, 11 AM Crane Rd, 5 PM Crane Road 5 PM Downtown (ESP)

Reconciliation Times

Monday, Thursday, Friday | 8:30 AM Crane Rd Tuesday | 7:30 AM Downtown 6-6:30 PM Crane Rd Wednesday | 7:30 AM Downtown Saturday | 9-9:30 AM Downtown 3-3:30 PM Crane Rd

Adoration

Wednesday | 7:30 AM-6:45 AM Downtown Daily | 12 PM Sunday - 12 PM Saturday in St. Michael Chapel, St. Pat's Crane Rd

From the Pastor

Dear Parishioners,

All Saints and All Souls are celebrated this Wednesday and Thursday on November 1/2.

These great celebrations remind us that we are a part of a much greater family than just the people we live with or even the people that walk the Earth with us. Our family in heaven and our family in purgatory are just as real and present to us. All those who have died and have achieved the beatific vision, or are in heaven, from St. Francis to our grandmothers are part of the Communion of Saints. And the people who have died and are still satisfying justice and being purified or readied to enter heaven are part of our family as well. All Saints



Day, a Holy Day of Obligation, is this Wednesday and is a celebration of our family in heaven. All Souls Day is this Thursday and celebrates and prays for our family in purgatory.

Here's a great way to remember what really constitutes the Church. It's the Church Triumphant or heaven, the Church Militant or the Church on Earth, and it's the Church Suffering or the Church in purgatory.

The Saints in heaven pray for us and the poor souls. We pray to the Saints and for and to the poor souls. The poor souls pray for us and to the saints. We are one big happy family united in our love for Christ and one another. And we are always together and never alone!

Peace,

Msgr

P.S. We will be having a special Mass of Remembrance on All Souls Day for all those members of our families who have died, especially in this last year. The Mass is at 7 PM at Crane Rd. followed by a social gathering in Dempsey Hall. We encourage people to bring a picture of their loved ones to put in the entrance to Dempsey Hall. We will recite the names of those who died in the past year during the intentions. Anyone who has ever lost a loved one (practically everyone) is invited.

P.S.S. I'll be on a visit to Portugal, Fatima and Santiago Compostella coming up. During this time our great priests, Fr. Pacer and Fr. Arnold will be assisted by our annual Missionary Appeal priest.

We're Hiring!

We're looking for a Director of Development to join our team. Looking for a candidate with a winsome attitude who can take the lead on fundraising, events, grant writing, and more. There is so much untapped potential to develop new partnerships within the community. If you're a dynamic go-getter who has a heart for a Parish, contact Olivia at *oayon@stpatrickparish.org* for more information.

Giving

Current Week

Oct 21-Oct 22

4 Week Average

Oct 1-Oct 22

Weekly Goal

through October 2023 \$54,507

2023 Diocesan Appeal

Stewardship Goal	\$274,038
Stewardship Pledges	\$260,196
Stewardship Paid	\$216,089

Community News

Baptisms

Michael James Mara, son of Tyler and Julie Mara

Leighton Lucia Weaver, daughter of Austin and Christina Weaver

Weddings

Mr. & Mrs. Dante & Allison Macaluso

Funerals

Truman Link

Vocations Crucifix

Each week, two St. Pat's families take a relic of the True Cross into their homes to pray. Email *danner46@yahoo. com* (DT) or *ann_kennedy@ymail.com* (CR) to sign up.

CR: The Bolster Family

Flame of Faith

CR	† Lee Lochmann
DT	† Dolores & Leonard Wolpoff

Parish Stewardship

Stewardship in Action

Thanks to your generous donations, we were able to purchase a laptop for our RCIA program to use. They will use this laptop to record their sessions, organize data, and communicate with participants. Thank you for helping us serve our ministries the best we can.

Matching Gifts

Does your employer provide a matching gift? Find out at *bit.ly/DioGiftMatch*.

Weekly Intentions

Monday

\$50.908

\$52.116

Monuay		
7 A M	† Quinn Mulligan	NP
8 AM	† Brian Freda	NP
Tuesday		
7 A M	† Claire Jolly	NP
8 AM	† Palasz Family	NP
7 PM	Arianna Fernandez (S.I.)	AR
Wednesd	ау	
7 A M	† Terry Brennan	AR
8 AM	Mark Filipski (S.I.)	NP
12:15 F	M For the People of St Patrick	AR
7 PM	† Michael Kimmer	NP
Thursday		
7 A M	† Eric Malaker	NP
8 AM	† Wade Poziombka	AR
7 PM	All the faithful departed	AR
Friday		
7 AM	† Lorraine Birnbaum	AR
8 A M	† Harold & Adele Hubbe	AR
Saturday		
8:30 A	M † Sharon Rivera	NP
4 PM	Frank Monteleone (S.I.)	MP
4:30 F	M For the People of St Patrick	AR
Sunday		
7:30 A	1	AR
8:00 A	M † Janet Ochala	NP
9 AM	† Deceased Members of the	
	Brandonisio Family	AR
9:30 A	•	MP
10:30	•	NP
11 AM	† Gil Ybe	MP
5 PM	† John Jackiewicz & Elizabeth Winters	MP



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Revival's in the Air

be there?



You Don't Want to Miss This Moment

We know what happens when two or more are gathered in the Lord's name—but what happens with 80,000?! Join us in Indianapolis as we ask him to revive our love of the Eucharist, breathing his life into our dry bones. Then, we will be sent back to our communities to invite others to know Jesus. Our nation and our world will never be the same.

BE A PART OF HISTORY. SIGN UP NOW! eucharisticcongress.org

Events & Fundraisers

Pies by the Guys

Knights of Columbus Council 12497 is selling premium apple pies as its annual fundraiser to assist its charity work throughout the year. All pies will be made fresh on Nov 4. To order online, visit *tinyurl.com/piesbytheguys*.

ORDER: online through Oct 29 CRANE RD PICK UP: Nov 4, 10 AM-5 PM or Nov 5, 9 AM-12:30 PM



St. Vincent De Paul Pick Up

On the first weekend of each month, St Vincent de Paul members will collect non-perishable food items at both church locations before all Masses. Right now, the pantry is specifically looking for cranberry sauce, stuffing, rice, instant mashed potatoes, gravy, corn bread mix, cake mixes, canned fruit, and juice. And we always need laundry detergent, cleaning products & paper goods.

WHEN: Nov 5, after all Masses WHERE: St. Pat's Crane Rd & Downtown

Vocations Cross Sign-ups

If you'd like to pray for vocations in our diocese, please sign up to take home our traveling Vocations Prayer Kit Downtown. We will hold a sign up weekend on November 4 & 5. The downtown Vocations Prayer Kit now includes a beautiful chalice, blessed and given to us by Fr. Jack Reichardt, Director of Vocations for the Diocese of Rockford. If you have any questions, please contact *danner46@yahoo.com*.

WHEN: after all Masses, Nov 4-5 WHERE: St. Pat's Downtown

Holy Hour for Life

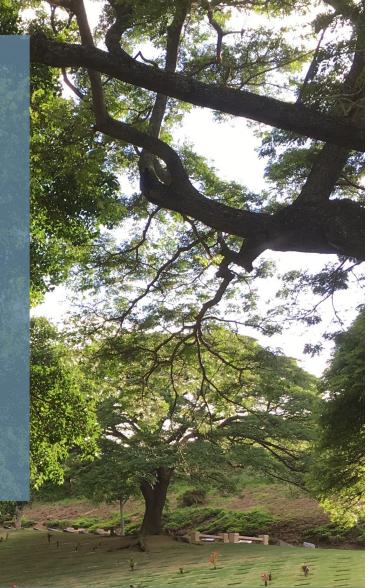
The Diocese of Rockford unites in praying for all hearts to move toward a culture of life. Each 1st Saturday from October 2022–2024, parishes across the diocese will host a Diocese of Rockford Holy Hour for Life. Join us this month at St. John Neumann.

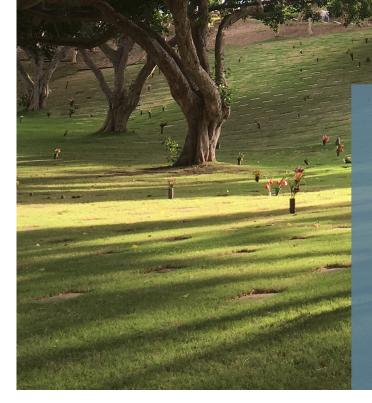
WHEN: Nov 4, 9-10 AM 6 WHERE: St. John Neumann Church in St. Charles

All Saints Day Schedules Holy Day of Obligation

On November 1st, the church celebrates All Saints Day and all those who have lived holy lives before us. This year, All Saints Day is a Holy Day of Obligation. Please join us at one of our Masses. All saints of the church, pray for us.

> ANTICIPATORY MASS: Oct 31, 7 PM Downtown ALL SAINTS DAY: Nov 1, 7 AM Downtown, 8 AM Crane Rd, 12:15 PM Downtown, 6 PM Downtown (ESP), 7 PM Crane Rd ALL SOULS DAY: Nov 2, 7 AM Downtown, 8 AM Crane Rd, 6 PM Downtown (ESP), 7 PM Crane Rd (Mass of Remembrance)





Mass of Remembrance

Join us for this year's Mass of Remembrance. We will come together to honor and remember those we have lost and pray for the repose of their souls. There will be a reception in Dempsey Hall after the mass to share memories and celebrate lives well lived. You are welcome to bring a picture of your loved one for our remembrance table.

WHEN: Nov 2, 7 PM WHERE: St. Pat's Crane Rd

St. Pat's Catholic School & Preschool



St. Patrick Preschool Congrats Mr. Sal

Congratulations to Sal Calderon on 40 years of dedicated service and loyalty to St. Patrick Schools and Parish! What a blessing Mr. Sal and his family have been to us all these years!

Over the past few weeks, our preschool students have worked hard to make Mr. Sal feel loved through various surprises, gifts, and act of thankfulness.

Thanksgiving Blessing

It is that time of year again where we would like to help families in need by blessing a family with all the Thanksgiving fixings they need to prepare their meal. Thanks to all your kind donations last year, St. Patrick Parish was able to bless and connect the community with 25 families! We would love to exceed that number this year by registering more families to bless and finding more families willing to bless another family this Thanksgiving.

If you would like to be blessed with all the fixings to make a Thanksgiving dinner for your family, know a family/individual in need or would like to bless a family, please contact Olivia at 630.338.8010 or *oayon@stpatrickparish.org* or register by visiting *stpatrickparish.org/ thanksgivingblessing*.



Please register by Nov 9.

Events & Fundraisers

Eucharistic Revival Adoration Night

Pope John Paul II said, "In Eucharistic Adoration we meet the merciful love of God that passes through the Heart of Jesus Christ." Join us for a night of Adoration and fellowship, as we take part in the Revival as a Parish.

WHEN: Nov 6, 6:30-8 PM WHERE: St. Michael Chapel at Crane Rd



VIP Seniors Wild Goose Series

The Holy Spirit brings freedom from fear, anger, and the past. So often Christians find themselves bound by so many things and are not aware that the Holy Spirit wants to bring the freedom of God to them. You do not have to live life like that. In this week's session, we will discuss how the Holy Spirit can bring you greater freedom. Final episodes on Dec 7th and Jan 4th.

WHEN: Nov 2, 8:45-10 AM WHERE: St. Pat's Crane Rd, Dempsey Hall

Men's Conference

Men of the Parish, join close to a thousand other Catholic men at this year's 28th Annual Great Lakes Catholic Men's Conference. Be inspired, be renewed, be changed! Bishop Malloy will also celebrate Mass at the conference. Early bird registration ends October 20. To register, visit *thetalk.org*.

WHEN: Nov 18, 8:50-4 PM. WHERE: NIU Holmes Student Center, Dekalb, IL



The Jewish Roots of Mary Study

Join us for thought-provoking discussions on the Jewish Roots of Mary. This 5-week study will go through Brant Pitre's book, "Jesus and the Jewish Roots of Mary." To register, please email *jewelmsw@aol.com*.

WHEN: Tuesdays, Nov 14-Dec 12, 9-11 AM WHERE: St. Pat's Crane Rd, St. Joseph Room





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New here?

We are so excited that you want to join our parish! Finding a welcoming, vibrant, and faithful community is a step toward your best future. We can't wait to get to know you.

You're home here.

You're welcome here.

You belong here.

Learn more at *stpatrickparish.org/welcome*.

Need Prayer?

Our Prayer Circle accepts intentions and offers them up in prayer. Add your intention by visiting *stpatrickparish.org/prayer* or email laurakennedy@sbcglobal.net.

Homebound Ministry

Unable to attend Mass, but would like to receive the Lord? Our Sick & Homebound Ministry may be able to help you. Contact the Office at 630.338.8000 or email Deacon Jim Mellin at *jmellin@stpatrickparish.org* for details.

Baptisms

Baptism is the sacrament of new life. We become a child of God through this sacrament and enter into God's family, the Church. Visit *stpatrickparish.org/baptism*

Weddings

We love marriage and want to support healthy families to be the bedrock of our community. If you're engaged, we invite you to visit *stpatrickparish.org/marriage* to help you prepare for a wedding at St. Pat's.

Funerals

Losing a loved one is challenging. We are here to help and walk with you in such times.

Visit stpatrickparish.org/funerals for information and assistance.

Adoration

Would you consider spending an hour with Jesus? Visit *adorationpro.org/patrickcharles* to sign up.

Corbella Clinic Women's Healthcare

Hope, support, & resources for unexpected pregnancies. Call 847.697.0200 or text 224.268.5848. Or text HOME to 741741.

Project Rachel

Support to begin post-abortion healing. Call 815.387.3379 or visit *hopeafterabortion.org*.

Catholic Charities 630.820.3220

St. Vincent de Paul

SVDP serves those in need. For assistance, please call 630.338.8270.

Alcoholics Anonymous

630.377.6610

988 Crisis Lifeline

Free & confidential emotional support for people in crisis or emotional distress 24/7. Call or text 988 or visit *988lifeline.org/chat* for an online chat.

National Alliance on Mental Illness

NAMI supports, educations, & advocates for individuals & families affected by mental illness. Call 847.410.9719 for the Kane County North Chapter or visit *namikcn.org*.

Tri City Family Services

Mental health services for clients of all ages and income levels. Call 630.232.1070.

Suicide Prevention Services Batavia 630.482.9696