

Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord

May 12, 2024



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**Saint Petronille Catholic Parish**

May 7, 2024

Dear Parishioners of Saint Petronille,



### Mother's Day

As a nation, we remember mom this weekend. Moms are amazing people. They, along with our fathers, gave us life. They seem to understand us in ways no one else does and they love us despite our faults. It is fascinating that God chose to bring us into the world not like an orange plucked from a tree but in a relationship of love and intimacy like no other. Please remember your mom today in a special way, thank her for the gift of life and the gift of faith.

Let us also remember the Mother of Jesus. Just as our Lord is our Savior and Redeemer, the one who won for us eternal life, Mary is the font of Grace by which salvation Himself came into the world. Let us honor her as God does and ask her intercession upon all of our mothers, living and deceased.

### Ch...ch...ch...changes!

We will have a few more changes on parish staff as the parish looks to the future:

**Julie Knox** will be leaving the parish staff in July. Julie has served faithfully as the Director of Religious Education for the last five years and will be sorely missed. We wish Julie well. Please take an opportunity in the coming months to thank her for her service.

**Jessica Payne** will be moving on from Saint Petronille as of **June 30<sup>th</sup>**. Contrary to popular belief, she will **not** be taking on a position at my new parishes but blazing her own trail.

**Jenna Hojnicki** will be taking on the role of parish office manager, the position being vacated by Jessica Payne. Jessica has been an integral part of the team, hard-working, competent, attentive and patient. She will be sorely missed; however, I know that Jenna will be a great asset to the activity of the front office at the parish. Please take a moment to thank Jessica for her five years of service and welcome Jenna to her new position.

### Open Positions

We are looking for a new **Director of Religious Education** and an **Assistant Director of Religious Education** which are both full-time benefited positions. The requirements for the Director position requires a degree in Catechetics or related field and both positions require a devoted Catholic faith, strong communication skills, facility with the computer and high executive function. For a more complete job description, please reference the Diocese of Joliet webpage: <https://www.diojoliet.org/offices/careers/parish-opportunities>. The director position will be posted early next week. If you are interested, please send your resume to Fr. Milota ([fathermilota@outlook.com](mailto:fathermilota@outlook.com)); however, the final decision will be made by Fr Kish.

May Almighty God bless you and keep you.

Prayers.

In Christ,

Fr. Milota

#### From Fr. John Sullivan:

Once again, we are overwhelmed by your generosity in so many ways, as we humbly give God the credit for His many blessings, gifts and graces and thank you for your prayers and greetings, etc, especially I will mention the overcoat I received from all the parishioners of our parish.

May God, the giver of all good things, bless each and everyone of you, as we continue to mutually work to honor our God.

Our prayers are with you.

Fr. John Sullivan

## Thank you Letter to Father Milota

Dear Fellow Parishioners,

Please join us in sharing our appreciation to Father Milota for his extraordinary service to St. Petronille. We are grateful to Father Milota for guiding us with his fervor and acumen in preaching the gospel, administering our blessed sacraments, and leading our parish. He served us with great strength and courage when we needed it the most while enduring a pandemic. Father Milota's kindness and compassion helped console and heal us in our hour of need, and his passion, enthusiasm, and energy served as a much-needed catalyst for progress. In just five years of service, Father Milota's contributions to our parish are numerous, and he will turn over St. Petronille in very good standing to our new pastor, Fr. Jerome Kish, Ph.D.

A number of parishioners have asked what they can do for Fr. Milota as a thank you for his service to the parish. Members of the Parish Council are pleased to coordinate a table with a gift box after all Masses on June 1st and 2nd. Monetary thank you gifts can be made by check (payable to Fr. Thomas Milota) or sent electronically through Zelle to [fathermilota@outlook.com](mailto:fathermilota@outlook.com).

We invite you to join us in thanking Father Milota.

With much appreciation,

Joe Dougherty  
Parish Council President



## THE SOLEMNITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI

The Most Holy Body  
and Blood of Christ

June 2, 2024

Eucharistic Procession

following the 11:30

Mass

Walk with Jesus Christ,  
truly present in the  
Eucharist!



## Calling all Gardeners

Would you like to join the "Garden Angels", tending the flowers in



front of church? We're looking for help, watering the planters once or twice a week as well as the annuals in the flower bed. Just bring a gallon or two of water when you go to Mass.

☑ Would you like to help design the seasonal outdoor arrangements? We'd love to have your help with that too!

**Please email Rita Doyle.**

**[rita.doyle@att.net](mailto:rita.doyle@att.net) if you'd like to help, even a bit, or for more information.**

# Parish Life

## MASS *Intentions*

### Monday, May 13 *Our Lady of Fatima*

6:15am **Andy Karas(d)** r. Foley Family  
 8:00am **David Sullivan(d)** r. Lois Hoffman

### Tuesday, May 14 *St. Matthias, Apostle*

6:15am **Rosemary Rice(d)** r. Jim & Georgia Johnson  
 8:00am **David Sullivan(d)** r. Lois Hoffman

### School Mass **Intentions of the Celebrant**

### Wednesday, May 15 *St. Isidore*

6:15am **Roxy Korolis(d)** r. Kerry & Robert Johnson Family  
 8:00am **Dennis Finamore(d)** r. Morning Rosary Group

### Thursday, May 16

6:15am **Intentions of Tracey Bounds** r. Mary Ann Golla  
 8:00am **Intentions of Mark Semon** r. Family

### Friday, May 17

6:15am **Rick Garrity, Jr.(d)** r. Family  
 8:00am **Marion Tansley (d)** r. Tom & Claire Tansley

### Saturday, May 18 *St. John I*

8:00am **Mary Ann Faith(d)** r. Joanne Travers  
 5:00pm **St. Petronille Parishioners**

### Sunday, May 19 *Solemnity of Pentecost*

7:30am **Patricia Steiner(d)** r. Megan & Tony Payne  
 9:30am **Dorothy Conoscenti(d)** r. Marilyn Conoscenti  
 11:30am **Jim & Nancy Higgins(d)** r. Family & Friends  
 5:00pm **Jonathan Weiner(d)** r. Family

(d)=deceased

#### COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

Trained Ministers of Care are available to bring Communion to the homebound or those in hospital. Contact the Christian Service Office at 630-469-0404, x2108, or [christianservice@stpetschurch.org](mailto:christianservice@stpetschurch.org).



We welcome the following children recently baptized into our Church family of faith:

**Mia Lenore**  
 daughter of James & Sara (Greeno) Howard

## Readings Week of May 12

**Monday:** Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab/Jn 16:29-33  
**Tuesday:** Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/Jn 15:9-17  
**Wednesday:** Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68: 29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab/Jn 17:11b-19  
**Thursday:** Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/Jn 17:20-26  
**Friday:** Acts 25:13b-21/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab/Jn 21:15-19  
**Saturday:** Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4, 5 and 7/Jn 21:20-25  
**Next Sunday:** Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 (see 30)/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15



*Congratulations to the following couples celebrating their milestone wedding anniversary!*

**Daniel & Lisa Minning**  
 May 13 - 35 yrs

**Patrick & Nancy Meyers**  
 May 14 - 30 yrs

**Michael & Denise Kilker**  
 May 15 - 53 yrs

**Robert & Mary Ann Byrne**  
 May 15 - 53 yrs

**Joseph & Anna Aliperta**  
 May 15 - 52 yrs

**Michael & Sally MacDonald**  
 May 15 - 25 yrs

**Ryan & Michelle Blentlinger**  
 May 15 - 25 yrs

**Jim & Jane Hatfield**  
 May 16 - 54 yrs

**Jeffrey & Amy Wloszek**  
 May 16 - 15 yrs

**John & Wendy Gillen**  
 May 17 - 45 yrs

**Kyle & Kimberly Bowman**  
 May 18 - 5 yrs



We pray for this couple as they look forward to their wedding day:

**Teresa Simeo & David Czaplewski**  
 June 1, 2024

# In Loving Memory of

We pray for:

**Fr. Edward Mumper  
John Zavodny**

that they may now enjoy the great blessings of eternal life. We pray also for their families and friends, that they may find peace in the promises of Christ.



Remember members of the military, especially relatives of our own parishioners, in your prayers.

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| Michael Boatright  | Emily Martis       |
| Peter Carey        | Brian McDevitt     |
| Christopher Cavoli | Christopher Melka  |
| Mitch Chmielarz    | J.J. Miller        |
| Patrick Daigle     | Mike Misner        |
| Robert Donnelly    | Thomas John Norris |
| Joe Doyle          | Joseph O'Carroll   |
| Meagan Doyle       | Paul Orbegoso      |
| Liam Farrell       | Eric Peterson      |
| Andrew Gyomory     | Robert Piper       |
| Joel Gyomory       | Tyler Rauch        |
| Nick Hamilton      | Tony Russo         |
| John Hatfield      | John Ryan          |
| Anthony Iovinelli  | Mark Ryan          |
| Francis J. Koykar  | David Stefanik     |
| David Laird        | Steven Tutaj       |
| Bobby Lendabarker  | Jack Ryan Vos      |

## Saint Petronille Stewardship

*Thank you to all those who support the mission of Saint Petronille Parish with their time, talent and treasure.*

|   |                     |
|---|---------------------|
| <b>Sunday collection; total YTD,</b><br>including electronic giving<br>through April 2024 | \$ 1,389,697.56     |
| <b>Sunday collection budget</b><br>through April 2024                                     | \$ 1,379,008.24     |
| <b>Over</b>   | <b>\$ 10,689.32</b> |
| <b>Drop-off/Mail-in collection</b><br>(not including electronic giving)<br>April 29-May 5 | \$ 13,989.50        |
| <b>Building in Faith Goal:</b>  | \$ 7,000,000.00     |
| <b>Building in Faith Pledged:</b>   | \$ 5,824,430.81     |
| <b>Building in Faith Collected:</b>   | \$ 2,785,088.68     |

Please notice that reporting of Sunday collections is only updated the first weekend of each month. This allows more accurate reporting due to the fact that electronic giving and mail-in deposits are typically received on a monthly, not a weekly basis.

Call Parish Office (630) 469-0404 x0,  
with names to be added/removed from this list.



### Prayers Needed For Those Who are Sick

Gina Adduci, Tom Allison, John Allison, Lois Allison, Fr. Javier Almanza, Amadeo, Julia Anderson, Constantinos Athanassakis, Ernie Avellana, Baby George, Gemma Bailey, Zuza Beine, Mili Bertrand, Louise Biltgen, Gina Buhr, Bill Blair, Kevin Bauler, Pam Brickey, Richard Bridgewater, Barbara Bright, Michel Brown, Fr. Donald Buggert, Daniel Burke, Emmarie Burger, Mary Burke, Maggie Burzawa, Bernie Caro, Sandy Carra, Maria Luz Caro, Teresa Caro, Marcie Casey, Noel Casino, Paul Cassidy, John Caturano, Julie Caturano Ben Cavanaugh, Alyssa Chappell, Randy Rinehart Chase, Dolores Clement, Lonela Cojocar, Mary Comstock, Jeanne Cremer, James Chambers, Michael Clifford, Bernard Cuevas, Kathy Davit, Myra Anne Dean, Joe DeMarco, Baby Brian Deschamps, Barbara Dodd, Mary Ann Doherty, Logan Donahue, John Dreyer, Marlys Dunlap, Joni Dunley, Becky Elbrecht, Patricia E, Adam Farley, Daniel Farley, Janice Farley, Kevin Feil, Chris Fiebig, Jerry Fleischfresser, Scott Fleming, Stephanie Follin, Judy Fontana, Karin Formento, Garrett, Ann Geraghty, Maryanne Gilmore, Andrew Gisriel, Anthony Giunta, Ben Glaser, Lorraine Grabner, Sam Graunke, James Gregory, Erica Gustafson, Christine Hellman, David Higgins, Elizabeth Hwang, Bernadette Hotze, Frank Hounihan, Edna Ignacio, Jill Jackson, Julie James, Laura Jay, Cindy Jilek, Theodore Kalchbrenner, Rosie Kieskowski, Donald Kruse, Sarah Kukulski, Gail Lewellyan Johnson, Jackie Johnson, **Sharon Johnson**, Nikki Juhas, Vicky Judd, Max Kelderhouse, Mary Kelly, Marianne Kelly, Stanislaw Kempa, Mike Kilker, Sr., Violet Kenney, Nancy Kirkwood, Jill King, Janice Knudson, Myron Kopaszewski, Becky Kreidler, Donald Kruse, Patrick Kuefler, Kim Kuhnle, Jim Kulick, Amy Lambert, Guy Lapore, Evelyn Lechner, Marites C. Leal, Baby Cameron Leeberg, Rick Lewellyan, Melissa & Emily Litzinger, Joy Loboda, Bob Lowrie, Ernestine Lowrie, Robert Charles Lescher, Mary Anne Luczak, Doug MacPhail, Diane Makowski, Sue Mancini, Mekdes Manno, Sam Matthews, Rita Matthews, Barb Mayer, Chrissy McAleer, Mary McGinty, Michelle McGovern, Marilyn Melichar, Yadira Mendoza, Mary Merkl, Andrew Meyers, Cheryl Miceli, James Michel, Paul Michel, Mary Ann Mikus, Steve Miller, Margaret Monnier, Lauren Montenegro, Ethan Moon, Richard Moskal, **Jack Murray**, Simon Nabeti, Marianne Nelson, Ronald Nelson, Clementina Niemann, Patrick Nolan, Angela Novak, John O'Brien, Sue O'Connor, Linda O'Malley, Andrew Olmstead, Mike Osterfeld, Vinny Pasquale, Jamie Pecoraro, Ryan Pemberton, Catherine Quinn Perry, Baby Carter Polizzi, Annette Pope, Marylin Pozdol, Richard Pozdol, Rose Pugliese, Michael Quinn, Jacqueline Radke, Scott Radke, Dee Rankin, Ray Rasmussen, Mary Rathunde, Don Rauch, Mary Rauch, Valerie Rauch, Ron Ray, Peter Reijula, Mary Jane Renschen, Dan Rinaldi, Dave Ritter, Deacon Peter Robinson, Raymond Ross, John Rossi, Bob Sadler, Lucia Schumacher, Ginny Scruggs, Ronald Serpe, Nancy Sidener, John Sienkiewicz, Marty Sikorski, Fr. Rich Simon, Jean Simpson, Anu Singh, B Wanda Slupik, Jean Smith, Kay Smith, James Spalo, Diane Spanos, John Stafford, Michael Stinn, Peter Stone, Frances Stoughton, Julia Suchomski, David Tansley, Darin Tenuto, Ellen Thomas, Jake Towle, Sylvia Van Witzenburg, Eric Vargas, Kenia Vargas, Nancy Vis, Maria Waring, Jason Weiner, Jim Weiss, Baby Mila Weiss, Tom Whitmarsh, Erik Williams, Evelyn Hoyt Winder, Dave Wulffe, Ray Young, Adeline Zientara, Tom Zur





# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION

for the 2024-2025 school year is  
coming soon!

Registration forms will be mailed to all current RE students with 2023-2024 progress reports, and will also be available on the parish website next week.



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION BOARD

The Religious Education Board is seeking new members for 2024-2025. Members serve a 3 year term and meet monthly September through May. The Religious Education Board is advisory for all members of the parish community, including **Grades K - 8 Religious Education** **Young Adult / Youth Ministry Adult Faith Formation**

Please consider applying for this valuable ministry!

Questions: Julie Knox, Director of Religious Education [knoxj@stpetchurch.org](mailto:knoxj@stpetchurch.org)

## This Week's YM Events

Middle & High School

**Outdoor Game Night: 7pm-8:30pm in the North Parking Lot.** Join Us for Nine Square and Gaga Ball! We'll have an evening outside as we celebrate the end of the year.

### Catholic Sports Volleyball League

From mid-March to the end of April, St. Pet's YA hosted a volleyball league with Catholic Sports in the gym. We hosted 70 young adults through a series of games! Participants will have playoffs at Sacred Heart in Lombard. Catholic Sports is a nationally-growing faith-based community. They build authentic community through their sports leagues, but you will find more than sports as part of their mission to create authentic community. They host social events, bible studies, and more.

**St. Petronille is happy to have a partnership with them!**

**Gabi McMahon,**  
Director of Young  
Adult &  
Youth Ministry  
[youngadults@stpetchurch.org](mailto:youngadults@stpetchurch.org)





# We're Hiring!

St. Petronille is a vibrant school and a wonderful place to help teach and inspire students to pursue spiritual growth, academic excellence, and service to others!



The St. Petronille School Board is seeking candidates to join the School Board for a 3-year term beginning June 2024. Being a part of the board is a great opportunity to contribute to the success of St Petronille School! We are seeking diverse skillsets to add to our team to contribute to current projects to improve teacher compensation, classroom technology, curricular resources, and tuition assistance as well as to promote new initiatives to help to forge our school's future. We look forward to what the future holds and prayerfully hope to attract new School Board members who share our enthusiasm for creating a bright future for our students, school, and community. Please know that School Board members do not need to be school parents and we are open to applications from all individuals who share our investment in the future of our parish school.

**If you are interested, please contact School Board President, Steve Remelius, via email at [steven.p.remelius@gmail.com](mailto:steven.p.remelius@gmail.com) for further details on the application process.**

Eric Schmidt, Principal || (630) 469-5041 || [schmidte@stpetschool.org](mailto:schmidte@stpetschool.org)



The St. Petronille School Class of 2020 is invited to:  
Walk the Halls 2024!

**Our class of 2020 alumni are invited to once again walk the halls of St. Petronille before walking out into the world!**



Join us on Wednesday, May 22nd at 2:30 pm to celebrate your accomplishments and new chapters starting with a walk through the corridors and ending with a reception and send-off in Bakhita Hall.



**5.22.2024, 2:30 PM**  
**St. Petronille School, Door 6**  
**425 Prospect Ave.**  
**Glen Ellyn, IL**

Let us know your future plans and if you can come!



St. Petronille Catholic School  
Welcomes You!

*Our new families are invited to join us for sunshine, sprinkles, and sweet treats!*

Come to our Ice Cream Social  
Saturday, May 18, 2024 1-3 pm  
St. Petronille Courtyard  
425 Prospect Ave.  
Glen Ellyn, IL

Tell us you're coming!



# Christian Service

## MARY'S CLOSET

### Most Needed Items

|                             |              |
|-----------------------------|--------------|
| Shampoo                     | Highchairs   |
| Conditioner                 | Diaper Bags  |
| Toothbrushes                | Potty Chairs |
| Facial Tissues              | Safety Gates |
| Sanitary Napkins            | Bed Rails    |
| Band-Aids & First Aid Cream | Backpacks    |

*Thank you for helping us restock our shelves!*

## CATHOLIC FAMILY SUMMER VACATIONS

Catholic Familyland is located 20 minutes from Franciscan University in Ohio (about a 7.5 hour drive from Glen Ellyn). Holy Family Fest, held seven times this Summer, is a week-long family camp experience where Catholic families reconnect with God and have fun—together. Every member of your family will be drawn to a life-changing encounter with God that makes the Faith come alive. This year, don't leave God behind when you go on vacation. Instead, meet Him there. Keep in mind that these week-long vacations sell out quickly.



Catholic Familyland and Holy Family Fest 2024! Scan the QR code for Information!

*We have been coming to Familyland for the last 10 years. My daughter is on the Alumni Corp. this year. Best place ever! Body and soul are refreshed and renewed. This is the best place to go on vacation especially for teens. They have an amazing teen program! Mass is beautiful everyday, the talks are interesting and relevant, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every day, the Rosary etc. Plus, volleyball, basketball, softball, pony rides, trail rides and the best snack shack ever! You must come and experience it! Maryann*

*Our family had an amazing time! The Holy Family Fest was a wonderful opportunity to grow in faith, build community with other Catholic families, and have fun. We are so grateful that a place like this exists and for the apostolate that makes it all possible!*  
Jessica

June 22, 10:00am-12:00pm, North Parking Lot

## KITCHENWARE DRIVE

If you have extra kitchenware, specifically flatware, plates, bowls, glasses, small appliances and other clean kitchen items that you are looking to re-home, we are partnering with the Chicago Furniture Bank and holding a kitchenware drive. Saturday, June 22, a truck will be parked in the north parking lot along Duane Street (opposite the Parish Office). Volunteers will be available to unload the items from your car.

The Chicago Furniture Bank (CFB) provides an entire home's worth of furniture to those transitioning into permanent housing (primarily refugees and individuals facing homelessness and/or domestic violence). Their belief is that everyone should have the dignity and comfort of a bed to sleep in and table at which they can share a meal.

## FAMILY SUMMER MISSION TRIPS

Approximately 2,000 years ago, Jesus sent his disciples out as missionaries to the ends of the earth. Today, His words are as true as they have ever been.

Preparation for missions starts as a slow-growing realization that perhaps you're ready to do more than love the nations from a distance, give, and pray for missionaries. Serving in missions with your children builds great memories and helps them develop hearts for serving.

**Family Missions Company** offers both short and long-term opportunities for **Catholic** families and individuals to fulfill the Great Commission of Jesus Christ, by preaching the Gospel, serving the poor, and making disciples of all nations. Missionaries serve in the United States and in countries throughout the world, bringing the love of Christ to people through a variety of ministries.

Short-term missionaries play an important part in serving long-term missionaries who are discipling the nations. If you'd like a taste of missionary life with your family, opportunities are available this summer. Scan the QR code to find out more.



*"He said to them, 'Go into the whole world and proclaim the Gospel to every creature.'"*

*Mark 16:15*



# EVENTS May 13-19

**Monday - Friday May 13-17**  
**6:15am & 8:00am** Mass Church

**Monday, May 13**  
**7:30pm** Rosary Chapel

**Tuesday, May 14**  
**6:00pm** Christian Service Mtg Bakhita Hall  
**6:30pm** Religious Ed Brd Mtg Office  
**7:00pm** School Brd Mtg Office  
**7:15pm** St. Vincent DePaul Mtg Bakhita Hall

**Wednesday, May 15**  
**8:30am** Morning Coffee PLC  
**6:00pm** Catechist EOY Social Office

**Thursday, May 16**  
**5:00pm** SparkFest Mtg Parish Office  
**7:00pm** Finance Commission Office  
**7:30pm** Choir Rehearsal Music Rm

**Friday, May 17**  
**3:00pm** Adoration Church  
**7:00pm** Holy Hour Church  
**7:00pm** YM Outdoor Game Night Parking Lot

**Saturday, May 18**  
**8:00am** Mass Church  
**Diocese of Joliet—Priesthood Ordinations** Offsite  
**10:00am** Sudanese Catechism Class Bakhita Hall  
**12:30pm** School Ice Cream Social Parking Lot  
**4:00pm** Confessions Church  
**5:00pm** Mass Church

**Sunday, May 19**  
*Solemnity of Pentecost*  
**7:30am** Mass Church  
**9:30am** Mass Church  
**11:30am** Mass Church  
 Sudanese Liturgy Bakhita Hall  
**1:00pm** Baptisms Church  
**4:00pm** Confessions Church  
**5:00pm** Mass Church

**Weekend Masses:** Saturdays - 5:00pm  
 Sundays - 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am, and 5:00pm  
 The 9:30am Sunday Mass, & 8am Mon - Fri Masses are available by live streaming with a congregation present.

If you wish to carry up the gifts at weekend Masses, please talk to the ushers.

St. Petronille Catholic Daughters  
**CRAFT FAIR**

MADE WITH LOVE

## CALLING ALL CRAFTERS


July 26-27  
in the  
PLC

8 ft. Table Fee  
**\$25**





For more information and/or to Register, scan the QR code




### Morning Coffee

**May 15, 29**  
**June: 5, 12, 19, 26**  
 at 8:30am in the PLC.  
 All are Welcome!



We are in immediate need of **Eucharistic Adorers** to fill **Adoration hour 5AM on First Fridays.** We also need substitutes to cover overnight hours between **midnight and 4AM.** If interested, please call the parish office at 630-469-0404 x0 for more information.



**Join St. Petronille**  
**in praying the Rosary for Peace and Protection of Parish families.**  
**Every Monday evening**  
**7:30 pm, Chapel**  
*Our Mother Mary, Our Queen of Peace*  
*Our Patroness of the Americas... Pray for Us!*

# Directory

## ST. PETRONILLE PARISH

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(630) 469-0404

Web Site: <http://www.stpetschurch.org>

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

8:30AM - 4:30PM M-TH

8:30AM -1PM F

### PASTORAL STAFF

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### Ministry Offices at 420 Glenwood Avenue

(630) 469-0404 :

#### Adult Faith Formation :

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#### Christian Service:

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#### Young Adult/Youth Ministry:

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MRS JENNIFER WARDYNSKI, *ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL*, X3103

[wardynskij@stpetschool.org](mailto:wardynskij@stpetschool.org)

### Parish Office & Ministry Offices at :

420 Glenwood 630 469-0404 fax: 630 469-0412

#### Religious Education (Gr. 1- 8):

MAIN: 630 858-3796 x4000 Fax: 630 858-6232

E-mail address: [religiouseducation@stpetschurch.org](mailto:religiouseducation@stpetschurch.org)

MRS. JULIE KNOX, *DIRECTOR*, X4109

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### Pastoral Life:

#### Adult Faith Formation Inquiries (OCIA):

NANCY & TIM DONAHUE, *COORDINATORS*, X2107

[adultfaith@stpetschurch.org](mailto:adultfaith@stpetschurch.org)

#### Anointing of Sick:

Please phone the Parish Office. **Communion Calls:**

Communion for homebound available. Contact Colleen Foley (630) 469-0404 x2108.

#### Parish Registration:

A special welcome to our new parishioners. Please introduce yourself, and register your household as soon as possible. Please call the Parish Office at (630) 469-0404 x0.

### Mass Schedule

Weekdays 6:15am & 8am

Saturday 8am

### Sunday Liturgies Celebrated:

Saturday

◆ 5:00pm

Sunday

◆ 7:30am

◆ 9:30am

◆ 11:30am

◆ 5:00pm

### Holy Days:

Vigil 7:00pm

Holy Days 6:15, 8am, Noon,  
and 7:00pm

National Holidays: 9am only

### Eucharistic Adoration:

◆ Fridays 3-10pm

◆ First Friday of each month,  
24 hours following 8am Mass.

Keycard access overnight  
from 10pm-6am

### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

*Fridays:* 7 - 7:45am

*Saturday:* 4 - 4:45pm.

*Sunday:* 4-4:45pm

Other times available by appointment with priest. The Reconciliation Room is located in the southeast corner of the Church.

### Sacrament of Baptism

Pre-Baptismal catechesis held third Monday of the month. Baptisms held Sundays at 1:00pm. For Baptism inquiries, phone the parish office.

### Sacrament of Marriage:

Couple must personally notify the parish office at least six months prior to the preferred wedding date.

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## Eucharistic Adoration Every Friday

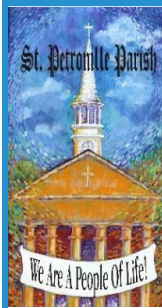


We have the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Church every Friday from 3 -10pm, 24-hour Adoration on First Fridays following the 8am Mass

**Note:** Keycard access overnight from 10pm-6am. The Blessed Sacrament, exposed in the monstrance, brings Jesus very close to us, and all are welcome to come and pray. To make a regular weekly or monthly commitment to prayer, call Parish office at 630 469-0404 x0 for more information.

**PRAYER CONNECTION** (urgent prayer ministry) Prayer requests which are deemed urgent should be emailed to Gert MacPhail at [gertalert3@aol.com](mailto:gertalert3@aol.com). We also invite parishioners to join the Prayer Connection as 'pray-ers'.

**Reporting Sexual Abuse:** Anyone with reason to believe that a child has been abused or is being abused should report their suspicions to civil authorities. Contact: Illinois Department of Children and Family Services: (800) 25ABUSE (800) 252-2873 or local police. The Diocese of Joliet Victim Assistance Coordinator is available to help victims/survivors of child sexual abuse by a cleric, employee or volunteer of the Catholic Church. The Victim Assistance Coordinator will report to Bishop Hicks and coordinate efforts of pastoral support and outreach to assist in the healing process. The Victim Assistance Coordinator can also assist in making a report to civil authorities. Contact the Diocese of Joliet Victim Assistance Coordinator at (815) 263-6467.



## Crisis Pregnancy Resources & Post-Abortion Support

- Abiding Love Charities (adoption support): [www.abidinglovecharities.org](http://www.abidinglovecharities.org)
- Waterleaf: (crisis pregnancy help and support): [www.waterleafwc.org](http://www.waterleafwc.org)
- Birthright International (crisis pregnancy help and support): 1-800-550-4900 (open 7 days a week) <https://birthright.org>
- Rachel's Vineyard (retreats for post-abortive women, counseling, care and support) <https://www.rachelsvineyard.org>
- Support After Abortion (post-abortive counseling for men, women and family members): <https://supportafterabortion.com>

*This corner is dedicated to those in a crisis pregnancy or someone looking for help who has been involved in an abortion*

**For information on how you and your family can get more involved in the St. Petronille Choose Life ministry or for information on our monthly meetings, please call 630 469-0404 and ask to be forwarded to the Choose Life Ministry.**

Keep up on the latest Parish Happenings

## Parish eNews Blast

Text STPETS to 22828 to start receiving the Parish e-mail blast

