

## Collection Total for July 4, 2021

Envelopes: \$1310.00  
Loose: \$36.00  
Total: \$1346.00

Weekly Amount Needed: \$1,400.00

Religious Education: \$85.00 (4)  
Building Fund Donations: \$160.00 (2)

**July Bulletins: In Memory of Charles & Helen Zuber**

**July Missalettes: Neil & Dorothy (Zwilling) Kocher family, living & deceased**

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### \*AROUND OUR PARISHES\*

**CYM (High School) Softball**, every Monday night at 7:00pm at the Ball field at Holy Cross-Wendelin. All incoming freshmen to outgoing seniors are welcome.

**INTO MY VINEYARD: Administration and Management** a one-year program (6 Saturdays) to increase the number of well-trained Lay Ecclesial Ministers for servant leadership in Parish Administration and Management—to renew and rebuild Catholic life in our Parish Partnerships according to the Pastoral Plan for Parish Renewal and Restructuring. For further information, contact Fr. Mark Stec.

### **CELEBRATION OF THE LITURGY:**

Liturgical ministers may resume full participation in Mass and the liturgies regardless of age. We need your help! We're compiling a new list of Liturgical Ministers as we resume full participation in Mass. Please prayerfully consider assisting at Mass in the various ministries. Please contact the parish office if you are interested in serving our church family as a (We will offer training): Lector Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion; Altar Server; Usher/Greeter; Gift Bearer;

### \*Contributions to the Parish\*

If you are attending Sunday Mass in any of Four Partnership Churches: St. Joseph-Olney, St. Joseph-Stringtown, Holy Cross-Wendelin, or St. Lawrence, please use your contribution envelopes. Your contribution will be credited to the parish stated on the envelope.

**KEEP CONNECTED** with the church and receive important messages and updates via text and email. Sign up for Flocknote by texting **stjoeholycross to 84576** to get connected

### PARISH NEWS:

**Bulletin News:** Deadline Wednesday 3:00PM

**Parish Office Hours:** Hours for public are limited to necessity only. Please call first.

### Mass will be celebrated at:

**4:00pm Saturdays at Holy Cross Wendelin**

**5:00pm Saturdays at St. Joseph-Olney**

**8:00am Sundays at St. Joseph-Olney**

**8:00am Sundays at St. Joseph-Stringtown**

**10:00am Sundays at Holy Cross-Wendelin**

**10:00am Sundays at St. Lawrence-Lawrenceville**

**Also:**

**Monday at 6:30pm at St. Joseph-Stringtown**

**Tuesday at 6:30pm at St. Lawrence**

**Lawrenceville**

**Wednesday at 8:00am at St. Joseph-Olney**

**Thursday at 6:30pm at Holy Cross-Wendelin**

### **Picnic News:**

We are accepting donations for any of the raffles, glasses for the glass toss, and any items for the country store. If you have a donation please get it to a member of the picnic committee.

Raffle books are in the back of church if you have not already picked yours up please do so.

The Stringtown Picnic is fast approaching (July 18<sup>th</sup>) and it's not too late to donate unopened bottles of wine to this year's Wine Pull stand. So far, our donations are a little low for this, but with your help we can make this a successful stand. If you are interested in donating to this stand, you may put your unopened bottles of wine in the special box in the back of church or contact Janice Zwilling (618-562-1990) to make arrangements for drop off. Please have all donations dropped off or contact Janice by **Wednesday, July 14<sup>th</sup>**.

### Basket Raffle

Stringtown Picnic will be Sunday, July 18, with one of the stands being the Basket Raffle. Tickets for this raffle will be \$1 each. Watch for the 24 theme basket pictures and write-ups on the "St. Joseph Picnic" Event Facebook Page as well as the St. Joseph Stringtown Catholic Church Facebook Page. Presale tickets are now available for these baskets by contacting Mona Kocher at 618-843-6662 (call/text). Also, the Basket Committee will be selling tickets outside after 8 am Mass today.

### St. Joseph School – Olney

It is a great time to use our bonus bucks program to save money! You can simply order online at [www.shopwithscrip.com](http://www.shopwithscrip.com). You will set up an account and enter the school's enrollment code: **5781883187LL** to get started. Call the office for more information.

Mark your calendars: School registration dates: Monday, July 19th and Tuesday, July 20th.

The Father Jerry 5K will take place Saturday, August 21st at 8am at Musgrove Park in Olney. Register by August 1st to get your t-shirt on the day of the event. The first 125 Richland County youth registrants are free. To register, go to our Annual Father Jerry 5K & Fun Run Facebook page.

### **Journey Onward Ye Sojourners**

**+JOYS+**

**Caroline Trimble Pastoral Associate**

*Jesus sends us out -two by two- to journey through this life- to proclaim and preach the Good News. How often do you share the Good News? How often do you tell someone what Jesus has done for you? How often do you even think or realize all that you have is due to HIM? Jesus knew the journey would be hard and that we would need help- companionship-spiritual support- along the way. Who shares the Catholic journey with you? Are you telling- sharing the love- joy- blessings- mercies of God? Or just living life... Journey onward - two by two- sharing- telling- living- the Good News that sets you apart from this world! St. Joseph, pray for us! Our Lady of Fatima, pray for us! Keep to the J.O.Y.S*

### Knights of Columbus

Thursday, July 15: 4<sup>th</sup> Degree meeting, 7:30PM.

Sunday, July 25: K of C led Rosary at 740AM. St. Joe, Olney.

Sunday, August 15: Mark your calendar! K of C Family Free Meal & Games! At Doll's Cabin 5PM.

### **DIOCESE OF BELLEVILLE: PHASE 5 UPDATED MASS AND LITURGY GUIDELINES**

The past 15 months have been an extremely challenging time for everyone—physically, mentally, emotionally, and spiritually. The Diocesan Committee on Reopening Churches greatly appreciates your patience, understanding and hard work as we navigated the waters of the unknown with the pandemic. As the State of Illinois moves into Restore Illinois Phase 5, we are updating current mitigation protocols per the CDC and state and local health department guidelines. We will continue to review our guidelines per local, state and CDC guidance. These guidelines could revert at any time based on their specific guidance. We want to continue to stress that we established these guidelines with the most vulnerable in mind; parishes should always err on the side of caution. Beginning the weekend of June 12-13, 2021, the following updates pertaining to Mass, sacramental celebrations and social events include:

### CHURCH CAPACITY

Churches can resume to 100% capacity.

### MASKS/FACE COVERINGS

Vaccinated individuals are not required to wear masks unless they feel more comfortable doing so. Unvaccinated individuals should wear a mask and maintain social distancing.

Vaccination status will be based on the honor system.

### RESERVATIONS

Reservations/sign-up is not required.

### DISPENSATION FROM SUNDAY OBLIGATION

The obligation to attend Mass will be reinstated soon by Bishop McGovern in coordination with the Bishops of the Province.

Worshippers are to be reminded that if they are experiencing symptoms or feel ill, they should stay home from Mass—even after the obligation is reinstated.

### CELEBRATION OF THE LITURGY

Liturgical ministers may resume full participation in Mass and the liturgies regardless of age. Holy Communion will remain ONLY under the form of the consecrated HOST for the foreseeable future.

Priests, deacons and extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion are required to wear masks during the distribution of the Eucharist.

Communicants should continue to sanitize their hands right before receiving Communion. Churches should maintain sanitizing stations in the Communion procession aisle. Communion on the tongue will be permitted, but those wishing to receive in this manner should present themselves at the end of the Communion procession.

Funerals and Weddings are to follow the same guidelines as Mass.

### Funeral Lunches, Meetings, Social Events, Parish Festivals/Picnics

Capacity is 100% of area/building space.

Unvaccinated individuals should wear a mask; however, this will be based on the honor system.

If serving food, food safety precautions must continue to be maintained per the local county health department.

Any food should be served in ways requiring the least amount of contact as possible. Buffet-style and potluck meals are discouraged.

Staff and volunteers serving food are highly encouraged to wear masks and gloves.

### Remember in our prayers . . .

Kim Dallmier, Marcia (Hahn) Zanellato, Bob Dallmier, Harold Zuber, Lori Wehrheim Davidson, Donna Zwilling



## SUNDAY JULY 11 FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE FOR WEEK OF July 12

**Mon. July 12 6:30PM (at Stringtown)  
Elmer & Elfredia Zwilling, Ralph  
Zwilling”**

Tue. July 13 6:30PM (at Lawrenceville)

Wed. July 14 No Mass

Thu. July 15 6:30PM (at Wendelin)

Sat. July 17 4:00PM (at Wendelin)

5:00PM (at Olney)

6:00PM (at Stringtown)

**Sun. July 18 8:00am (at Olney)**

**8:00AM (at Stringtown) “For the  
Parish”**

10:00am (at Wendelin)

10:00am (at Lawrenceville)

### ADDED MASS ON PICNIC

**WEEKEND:** Mass will be celebrated at  
**6:00pm on Saturday, July 17** at St.  
Joseph-Stringtown in addition to the  
8:00am mass on Sunday, July 18.

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