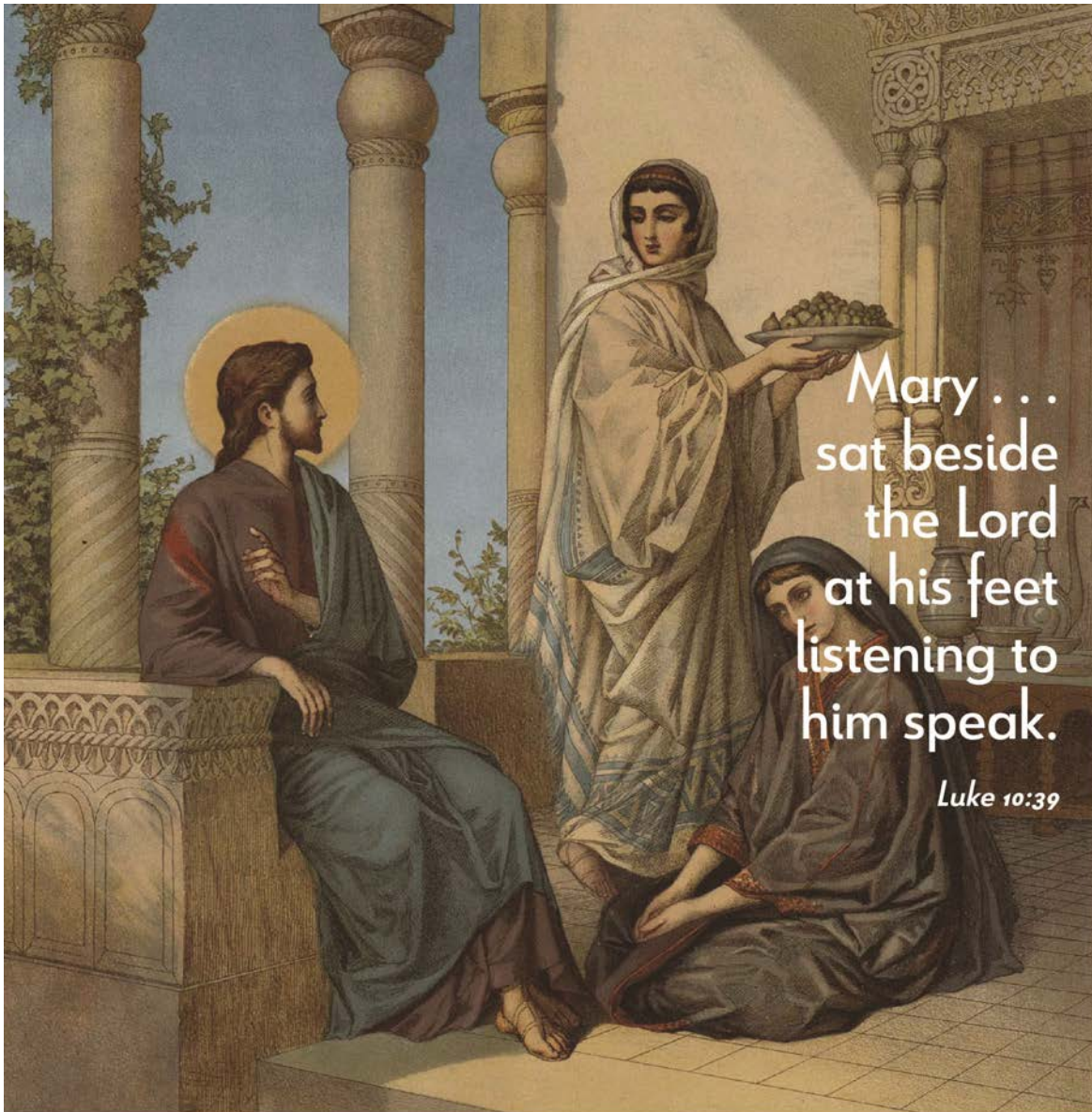


Christ the Servant Catholic Church

Our Faith in Action—Serving God. Serving Others.



Mary . . .
sat beside
the Lord
at his feet
listening to
him speak.

Luke 10:39

**SIXTEENTH
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

JULY 17, 2022

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Our Mission

Christ the Servant Parish is a welcoming Catholic faith community gathered together to gratefully share and live the Eucharist, the inspiration of the Gospel, the presence of the Holy Spirit, and to follow Christ's example in service of others.

Pope Francis' Tweet for the Week
Taking on another person's history, taking the time to get to know them without labeling them, putting them on our shoulders when they are tired or wounded like the good Samaritan: this is known as fraternity.

Please continue to check our parish website www.ctswoodridge.org, and facebook, for up to date information about what we are able to offer to help keep our community connected.

At this time, we continue to record the mass for people who are not able to make it to church, posting it by 4:30 pm Saturdays on the YouTube channel [christtheservant](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC1tHeservant).



Congratulations Bishop Hicks

Today is the Anniversary of Appointment, of Bishop Ronald A. Hicks, Bishop of the Diocese of Joliet.



Thank You for Your Generosity!

Your June grocery donations of 438 pounds of food to the Downers Grove Area FISH Pantry made a difference.

On Friday morning in three hours the FISH Pantry provided donations to 91 households. Your contributions make a very real difference and the people receiving your help through FISH, are truly grateful.

Please remember too, if you know someone in need, ask them to come to the pantry or contact FISH at phone number: (630) 964-7776

Recovery & Empowerment Calls Available Monthly-

No Fee.

Uniquely for education and support through the IDPH Illinois Department of Public Health. Each call will provide listeners the opportunity to hear directly from and be inspired by individuals in recovery.

For all persons living with mental health conditions and receiving mental health services.

Each call will highlight employment opportunities where you can put lived experiences to work.

This month's focus is: **"Making Waves: Mobile Crisis Response Teams in Illinois."**

**July 28, 2022 10-11 am.
(4th Thursdays)**

Peer Support Presentations/
Panelists—

Handouts available

For more information-Patti Crimer 630-205-0654

The diocese is looking for the donors of shares of Arthur J. Gallagher & Co. (9/23/21), Merck & Co. (11/29/21), and Wintrust Financial Corp. (12/15/21). If

you donated any of these stocks, please contact Annette Morrison at the Diocese of Joliet: amorrison@dioceseofjoliet.org or 815-221-6214.



Cheerful Givers

Find us (and like us!) on Facebook. www.facebook.com.
Type "Christ the Servant Catholic Church" into the search bar.

Laundry Opportunity!

Each week, the linens used for mass need to be laundered. For the last several years, a pair of ladies has taken turns doing this job, switching off odd and even months. We thank Janet Augustyn for her many years of serving the Christ the Servant family with doing the linens on even numbered months, and wish her the best as she retires from this ministry. If you enjoy doing laundry, would you consider joining this ministry? Cindy Fish will be glad to share with you what is involved. Please give Cindy a call at 630-728-7237, and discover whether this is something you want to do.



Sacramental Information

rites of Christian Initiation Adults interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith, the celebration of Baptism, Eucharist and/or Confirmation are invited to contact the parish office.

BAPTISM OF INFANTS Baptisms are usually celebrated on the first and third Sundays of each month (except during Lent) at 11:30 AM. A Baptism Preparation Class must be attended if you are planning your first child's baptism or if three years have passed since your last child was baptized. Call the Parish Office to register and to check whether adjustments have been made to the schedule.

MARRIAGE Marriage arrangements must be made at least six months in advance by contacting the Parish Office to set the date and reserve the church. Reserve the church before you reserve the reception hall.

HOLY ORDERS: Are you thinking of becoming a priest or religious? Talk with Fr. Bob or email Fr. Steven Borello vocations@dioceseofjoliet.org.

RECONCILIATION Available Saturdays from 4:00-4:30 pm (except Holy Saturday), or by appointment with Fr. Bob.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK Please contact the parish office for a visit from a priest when sickness occurs or death is imminent for the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick. To arrange for Communion to be brought to the sick/homebound members of the parish community, call Deacon Tom Fricke at 630-985-5266.

FUNERALS Arrangements for funerals are usually made in cooperation with the attending funeral home. Contact the parish office for pre-planning of funerals.

**Baptism Preparation Class:
Thursday, August 4, 7:00 PM**

*Over 55 Ladies Club
To participate, be sure to call
the number listed below
by Monday, July 25, 2022.*

**Ladies Lunch Out
Tuesday, July 26, 2022,
1:30 PM at**



**Grand Duke's Restaurant
980 75th Street, Downers Grove**

*You must call
Carol Hendrich at 630-464-5175
or Alie Phillips at 630-649-3466
to confirm your attendance.*

New members welcome!

Job Opportunity

RECEPTIONIST/ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Christ the Servant Church

Part-time, non-benefitted position

The Receptionist Assistant will be responsible for greeting visitors, assisting people who call on the telephone, sacramental record-keeping and other duties as assigned by the Business Manager. Hours are 1:30-4:30, Monday through Thursday. The ability to maintain confidentiality is required as well a knowledge of the Catholic faith and must be Protecting God's Children compliant. The Receptionist/Assistant reports to the Business Manager. Submit cover letter and resume to FrBob@ctswoodridge.org.

Hotline Numbers for Help

Family Shelter Service Domestic Abuse	630-469-5650
National Domestic Abuse Hotline	800-799-SAFE
Illinois Adult Protective Services	866-800-1409
Will County Crisis Line	815-722-3344
Mayslake Ministries	630-852-9000
Diocese of Joliet Sexual Abuse Victim Assistance Coordinator	815-263-6467
Waterleaf Women's Center	630-701-6270

Religious Formation News



Early Registration! For Religious Formation

This year we are offering early registration for the 2022-2023 Religious Formation classes at a discount! Tuition for students registered for

classes before August will only pay \$150 per student. (Sacrament fees separate.) After August tuition will increase to \$175. RF registration information forms can be found at www.ctswoodridge.org and at the back of church.



Sacraments

Christ the Servant Church and Religious Faith Formation are genuinely happy to be able work with your family to prepare and receive the Sacraments. The Sacraments are God's great gift to mankind and so there is great joy in being able to share this wonderful gift and work of God with your family. The seven sacraments touch all the stages and all the important moments of Christian life: "They give birth and increase, healing and mission to the Christian's life of faith. There is thus a certain resemblance between the stages of natural life and the stages of the spiritual life." (St Thomas Aquinas)

Sacrament Reminder

Don't forget if your child is planning on making a sacrament that the Diocese of Joliet requires that children complete a minimum of two consecutive years of religious formation before receiving sacraments. Typically, in 2nd grade, our children receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation in the late fall and the Sacrament of Eucharist in the spring. (Children must have participated in RF in first and second grade or two other consecutive years of preparation). Preparation for the sacrament of Confirmation, which will be conferred at the end of 8th grade according to the Bishop's schedule begins in 6th and 7th grade. (Full participation in RF in 7th and 8th grade is the minimum enrollment required.)



Parish Enrichment Series- Wednesday's 7:00-8:15 pm Presence: The Mystery of the Eucharist

Although the Eucharist appears to be simple bread and wine, it is actually the "source and summit" of the Christian life. Presence: The Mystery of the Eucharist explores the truth and beauty of Christ's real presence in the Eucharist, from its origins in Sacred Scripture, to its profound role in the life of the Church and her members. It is the crescendo of the entire story of salvation.

Participants our invited to meet every week, starting Wednesday, July 13 thru August 3, to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship.

July 20 - Episode 2: The Story of the Eucharist

July 27 - Episode 3: Bread for the Journey

August 3 - Bonus Episode: Biblical Foundations with Dr. Tim Gray



Religious Formation Up Coming Dates

Early Registration (discount) for 2022-2023 continues

June 30-Sept. 1, 1:30-2:45p - Adult Bible Study

June 30-August 18, 7:00-8:15p - Youth Bible Study

Parish Enrichment Series- Presence: The Mystery of the Eucharist on Wednesday's 7:00-8:15p

July 13 - Episode 1: God Is with Us

July 20 - Episode 2: The Story of the Eucharist

July 27 - Episode 3: Bread for the Journey

August 3 - Bonus Episode: Biblical Foundations

August 1- Religious Formation Registration 2022-2023 begins (Tuition Increases)

Adult Bible Study



Thursday's 1:30-2:45 pm

Our Story: A Basic Introduction to the Bible for Catholics

In this study series get the Bible's big picture, along with a uniquely Catholic approach to the Scriptures. Participants will meet every week to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship. The study started June 30, but you are still welcome to join!

Contact Christine Goba at 630-910-0770 or email-cgoba@rcdoj.org

Youth Bible Study- Thursday's 7:00-8:15 PM

Venture: The Bible Timeline for High School

You are about to embark on a new Venture, a journey of sorts. You will hear and learn a lot of Bible "stuff" that on the surface may sound a little random or even slightly confusing. If you stick with it, though, and lean into the Bible rather than pulling away, when this journey—this Venture—is complete, you will know and understand more about how to approach and read the Bible than most of the people in our world. The Bible is one book that you cannot judge by its cover. Sacred Scripture is far from boring or antiquated ... that is, if you know where and how to look. In this study you will be taken on a rapid-fire journey through the Bible, one that will lead you straight to God.



Participants will meet every week to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship. The study meets on Thursday's 7:00-8:15 pm from June 30 through August 18. Contact Christine Goba at 630-910-0770 or cgoba@rcdoj.org



MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Save the date, Pax Christi Illinois is hosting the Pax Christi Anti-Racism Team for an anti-racism workshop on Saturday, October 12th at 9:00 am—3:00 pm at St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church, 1500 Brookdale Road, Naperville, IL 60563.

The Pax Christi USA Anti-Racism workshop will help identify the many ways in which the history structures, policies and practices of racism impair our ability to form the "more perfect union", aspired in our Constitution. The workshop will also provide insights and tools necessary to eradicate the scourge of racism.

More information coming in September.

Peace, Pax Christi Illinois Planning Committee

2021 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal as of 7/11/22

Your participation in the CMAA is important. The Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal helps our parish and the Diocese of Joliet to provide countless ministries, programs, and services to support our friends and neighbors in immeasurable ways.



Our goal is \$43,400. 70% of gifts received over goal will be returned to our parish for our use. A mailing has been sent to parishioners who have not yet made a gift to the 2022 CMAA. If you have not done so already, please prayerfully consider supporting the CMAA.

A gift to the CMAA, no matter the amount, will make a difference! Together, we can continue to spread the Gospel message in our diocese through our ministries and help others in need. Thank you for your support!
If you would like to make your pledge/payment online, visit jolietdioceseappeal.org or text DONATE to (815) 205-1949.

2022 GOAL	\$43,400	AMOUNT PLEDGED:	\$45,054	PLEDGES NEEDED TO GOAL: We made it!
AMOUNT PAID:	\$37,194	REMAINING BALANCE:	\$7,860	Congratulations on achieving our goal!
DONORS THIS YEAR:	208	REBATE AMOUNT:	none yet	Remember to keep up on pledges!

Thank you so much for your generosity!!!! God bless you!!!

Mass Intentions for the Week

TABERNACLE LIGHT
Harold Nemece & Dolores Joppa

MASS & PRAYER INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 16
4:45 PM *Bruce A. Deron, req. Barry Deron*
Wally Silunas, req. Darlene Januska
Almaia Custodio, req. Zenaida Cruz
Rosalina Correa, req. Zenaida Cruz

Sunday, July 17
8:30 AM People of the Parish
10:00 AM People of the Parish

Monday, July 18
8:30 AM *Charlie Dennis, req. Pat Savage*
Kevin Goering, Sp. Int.

Tuesday, July 19
8:30 AM People of the Parish

Wednesday, July 20
8:30 AM *Donna Buonamici, req. Mary Kiser*

Thursday, July 21
8:30 AM *Frank Neal, req. Darlene Neal*

Friday, July 22—Communion Service
8:30 AM

Saturday, July 23
4:45 PM *Richard Peslak, req. Helene Peslak*
Richard Kellner, req. Donna Ciolek

Sunday, July 24
8:30 AM *Richard Kopp, req. Marge Buch*
10:00 AM People of the Parish

*To request a mass, or the Tabernacle Light,
call the parish office at 630-910-0770.*



Bible Readings—July 17-July 23

- SUNDAY:** Gn 18:1-10a / Col 1:24-28 / Lk 10:38-42
- MONDAY:** Mt 6:1-4, 6-8 / Mt 12:38-42
- TUESDAY:** Mi 7:14-15, 18-20 / Mt 12:46-50
- WEDNESDAY:** Jer 1, 4-10 / Mt 13:1-9
- THURSDAY:** Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13 / Mt 13:10-17
- FRIDAY:** Sg 3:1-4b or Cor 5: 14-17/ Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
- SATURDAY:** Jer 7:1-11 / Mt 13:24-30
- SUNDAY:** Gn 18:20-32 / Col 2:12-14 / Lk 11:1-13

We pray for the Sick

Barbara Bayro	Fred Huth	Anthony Nowak
Sharon Bhaskar	Rayna Januska	Linda Pennock
Jim Brabec	Ed Jascewsky	Kim Peterson
Pat Chang	Madeline Jascewsky	Alie Phillips
Donna Ciolek	Jeanne Jordan	Bob Pluta
Vic Cordes	Mike Joyce	Lolit Rancho
Marge Felix	Derek Kaunelis	John Rossi
Edwina Feret	Jaxxon Kelner	Jim Sanders
John M. Foresman	Ida Kenny	Jennifer Stile
Marty Foy	Stephen Kolpack	Patty Stluka
JoAnn Frale	Zoe Kolpack	Dan Szymanski
Dcn. Tom Fricke	Barb Kosiek	Frank Tiesenga
Leona Falk Gordon	Karen Kripas	Hanh Truong
Robert Gripp	Francisco Legaspi	Mary Vanderplow
Joan Haffner	S.Suzanne Lesniewski	Bill Wagner
Michael Harris	Robert Losik	Nicole Wilker
Carolyn Heinrich	Joyce Maples	Andie Wolfe
Carol Hendrich	Jan May	
Peggy Howard	Chuck Neal	

*Names remain on this list approximately three months, unless specifically requested otherwise. **To update the list, call the Parish Office at 630-910-0770 or email bryn@ctswoodridge.org. Thank you.***

We pray for those who Serve

- Andrew McGraw**, nephew of Ann & Mike Andreshak
 - Nolan Bowers**, grandson of Daniel & Karen Bowers
 - Christopher Durkovic**, grandson of Joan Kurtz
 - Chase Halik**, son of Tim & Peggy Halik
 - Avery Jackson**, grandson of Steve & Karen Jackson
 - Ben Jalove**, nephew of Chuck & Linda Jalove
 - Cole Jirgl**, nephew of Corby & Sheri Schmitz
 - Brock Ketcham**, cousin of Jean Durran
 - Kade Ketcham**, cousin of Jean Durran
 - Joshua Plucinski**, grandson of Joan Kurtz
 - Raleigh Redinger**, nephew of Mike Magee
 - Dan Ward**, nephew of Sister Rosemary Ward
- If you have a family member serving overseas, please let us know. Please also let us know when they return home.*



Office Hours & Staff

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Woodridge, Illinois 60517
Phone: (630) 910-0770
Fax: (630) 910-6060
www.ctswoodridge.org



Office Hours

Monday—Thursday.....8:30 AM—4:30 PM
Friday.....8:30 AM—1:30 PM

Mass Schedule

Monday through Thursday.....8:30 AM
Friday Communion Service.....8:30 AM
The Rosary is recited following daily Mass.
Saturday.....4:45 PM
Sunday.....8:30 and 10:00 AM
Holy Days....consult bulletin or call

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday, 4:00-4:30 or by appointment

Pastoral Staff

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Nova Baranski, Bookkeeper *Ext. 102*

Commission Chairpersons

Tom Swik, Pastoral Council Chair
Ed Koch, Administration/Finance
Position Open, Christian Service
Donna Ciolek, interim Parish Life Chair
Bill Ciolek, Religious Formation
Chris Bojanowski, Worship

Calendar of Events

Sunday, July 17

8:30 am—mass
10:00 am—mass
11:00 am—Baptism

Monday, July 18

8:30 am—daily mass

Tuesday, July 19

8:30 am—daily mass
12:30 pm—Mah Jong

Wednesday, July 20

8:30 am—daily mass
7:00 pm - Presence Study

Thursday, July 21

8:30 am—daily mass
9:30 am—Yoga
1:30 pm—Bible Study
7:00 pm—Venture Teen Study

Friday, July 22

8:30 am—Communion Service

Saturday, July 23

4:45 pm—mass

Sunday, July 24

8:30 am—mass
10:00 am—mass

Upcoming Events

Sept 10/11: St. Vincent DePaul Clothing Drive

Sept 24/25: Cash For Food Drive

Nov 4: Parish Social Event with Grand Raffle

Nov 19: Electronics Recycling Event (also textiles & coats), 8:30-11:30 am

Parish Giving

Today's readings speak of hospitality. Abraham, who cheerfully did for his guests all that desert hospitality required, was rewarded with his heart's desire — a son. Martha also busied herself with all the details of hospitality, but grudgingly and with complaint. Am I a cheerful or a grudging giver?

NEEDED WEEKLY: 2021-2022

Parish Expenses	\$ 7,700.00
Debt Payment	2,600.00
Total Needed	\$ 10,300.00

CONTRIBUTIONS: July 6 - July 12:

Sunday 7/10	\$ 4,829.00
Sunday other forms	3,255.00
General Funds	1,020.00
Restricted	50.00
Debt Reduction	495.00
Total Contributed	\$ 9,649.00

Differential this period:

Needed	\$ 10,300.00
Reported	9,649.00
Deficit this period:	\$ 651.00

General Funds includes Holy Days, All Souls, mass intentions, etc.

OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS:

Diocesan Priests Care	\$ 0.00
Peter's Pence	0.00

Debt to Diocese 6/30/2022 \$171,440.
Registered Households—781

God bless you, and thank you for your generous support!

Did you know....We are still seeking an afternoon receptionist, Mon-Thursday, 1:30 to 4:30. Please send your information to Father Bob if interested. FrBob@ctswoodridge.org



A free, online will-writing tool is available through the Diocese of Joliet. Visit FreeWill.com/DioceseofJoliet.

saint snippets

I have seen the Lord!

St. Mary Magdalene

Jewish woman from whom Jesus cast seven demons. She is known as "the Apostle to the Apostles" because she was the first one to see the Risen Lord.

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