

Welcome

We are glad you are here with us today. If you would like to join our Faith Community, please contact our parish office at office@ololgc.org or stop by any time after scheduled Masses.

Our Lady of Lourdes

Established - 1875

534 N. Wood Street
Gibson City, IL 60936

Parish Office Secretary
Monday and Thursday -
4:00 pm

Phone & Fax (217) 784-4671
General Information
office@ololgc.org

Website www.ololgc.org

Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 11:00 am

Wednesday 8:00 am

Eucharistic Adoration

Every Wednesday
(Following 8:00 am Mass)

Confession

Wednesday—8:30 am-9:30 am
4:30 pm before Saturday Mass
Any time by Appointment

❖ FOR YOUR INFORMATION ❖

St. Mary

407 W. Pells Street
Paxton, IL 60957

Phone—217-379-4033

Mass Schedule

Sunday 9:30 am

Tuesday 5:30 pm

Friday 8:00 am

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday following 8AM Mass

Confession

Friday following 8AM Mass



St. Joseph

312 N. Hickory Street
Loda, IL 60948

Mass Schedule

Sunday 8:00 am

Thursday 5:30 pm

Confession - Sunday 7:30am

June 2, 2024 Corpus Christi The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ



Mc 14:24-25

He said to them, "This is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed for many. Amen, I say to you, I shall not drink again the fruit of the vine until the day when I drink it new in the kingdom of God."

Every Wednesday

Mass 8:00 am

Eucharistic Adoration 8:30 am to 9:30 am

Jesus will be waiting for you! There are books/pamphlets at the back of the church for you to read and ponder while you adore Jesus. (Please return the reading materials when you are finished.) If you have any questions, please call Fran Mardis at (217) 784-8515

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THIS WEEK'S INTENTIONS		
If you wish to have a Mass intention for a loved one, anniversary death, birthday or other occasion, please contact the parish office or Lori Gale at 309 475-9261.		
MON June 3 (LOLO) <i>(St Charles Lwanga and companions)</i> <i>(St Joseph Parish, Manteno)</i>	No Mass	
TUE June 4 (LOLO) 5:30 pm (STM)	NO Mass Mass	
WED June 5 8: 00am (LOLO) <i>(St Boniface, Bishop)</i> <i>(St Joseph Parish, Manhattan)</i>	Our Lady of Lourdes Parishioners <i>Adoration 8:30 to 9:30 am</i>	
Thursday, June 6 (LOLO) <i>(All Deacons in the Diocese)</i> 5:30pm (STJ)	No Mass Mass	
FRIDAY June 7 8:00 am (STM) <i>(Most Sacred Heart of Jesus)</i>	Mass	
Saturday June 8 5:00 PM (LOLO) <i>(Immaculate Heart of Blessed Virgin Mary)</i>	+Bob Shambrook (by Margy Shambrook)	
SUNDAY June 9 8:00 am (STJ) 9:30 am (STM) 11:00 am (LOLO) <i>(10th Sunday of Ordinary Time)</i>	Mass Mass +James Meyer, DVM (by Barb Owens)	

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GIFTS OLOL	
May 25/26	\$ 1,500.00
Capital Imp. May 2024	\$ 486.00
CMAA 2024 (goal:\$14,000) (As of May 26)	\$12,055.00
Food Pantry May Total Yr to Date FP	\$40.00 \$ 166.00 \$1,787.22

Special Collections

 Capital June 1/2

 Father's Day June 15/16

Ministry Schedules

Date Ministry Volunteers Contact Patti Huppert (217-778-4574)	Altar Servers	Lector	Euch. Minister / Sacriston	Ushers/Greeters	Homebound Ministry Deacon Paul (217) 781-1440
SATURDAY June 8 5:00 pm		Lloyd Powers	Fran Mardis	(June) Bob Bode Jerry Brown	Deacon Paul Sarantakos
SUNDAY June 9 11:00 AM <i>(Tenth Sunday of Ordinary Time)</i>	(June) Joey Goodin	Fran Mardis	Fran Mardis	(June) Brian Goodin	

Baptism
 Call the Rectory at least four weeks before the baptism.
 Instruction for the parents and God-parents is required.

Sick??
 If you or a family member is sick or admitted to the hospital or makes a trip to the Emergency Room, please contact Fr. Nestor at fr.nestor@stmarypaxton.org

Marriage/RCIA
 Call the Rectory at least six months before. A six month preparation time is required.

Mass Attendance May 25/26 Saturday (42) Sunday (58) = Total 100
 3rd Commandment: Remember to keep holy the Sabbath day.

Parish Calendar and MORE (Subject to change)

Every Wednesday (4 pm) Choir practice....
 June 5th, June 12th, June 19th, June 26th

June 2nd to June 14th—Deacon Paul will not be available
June 5th to 16th Lori Gale (secretary) will be on vacation
 Sunday, June 16—Father's Day—Mass 11:00 am
 Friday, June 21— Sunday, June 23—Youth Conference—Stubenville, Ohio

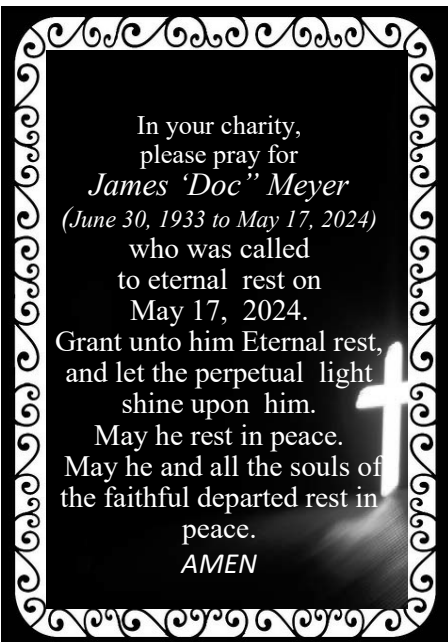
More dates to be announced

**9 month Novena—March 15 to December
Reflection Six- May 26, 2024**

In these early day of the novena , carry the events of the first apparition in your hearts as you pray the following each day:

Let us continue to reflect on the Third Apparition, and on the Bishop’s request that St. Juan Diego present a sign. Our Lord calls “blessed” those who have not seen and still believe. And yet, in His mercy, Our Lord accords us an abundance of signs of His love, so that we may grow in ever greater love for Him. The tilma upon which God miraculously imprinted the image of Our Lady for us, her children, is one such sign, a truly remarkable sign of His love. Let us take a moment to examine the signs God has given to each of us. Have we allowed our souls to grow dulled and jaded by the myopia of materialism that pervades our society? Or do we believe that God shows signs of His Love for us each and every day? Are we putting the Lord Our God to the test by demanding exact results according to our own, limited understanding? Or do we work to appreciate God’s grace according to our present station in life? We should know and believe that, even if we are struggling to see the signs God has shown to us, we can always turn to the wonder and love that are available to us here and now in the miracle of the Sacraments through which God the Son Incarnate acts directly to sanctify us, to bestow immeasurably and unceasingly upon us His grace and life. He is offering His mercy right now in the sacramental encounter with Him in Confession. He is offering His very life— His Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity— in the Holy Eucharist. Our Lady leads us to love ever more and more Her Divine Son. So, I implore you: as we continue in this novena of nine months, set aside more time to spend in adoration before the Most Blessed Sacrament, reposed in the tabernacle or exposed for us in the monstrance. The Sacred Host is the greatest sign of God’s love, which we have; may our love for Our Lord in the Most Blessed Sacrament grow livelier and stronger each and every day. **Let us pray...**

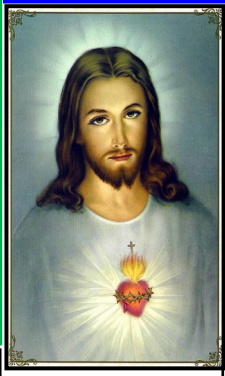
This special novena is being initiated by
Father Cardinal Burke as a special prayer for the return of our country back to God and the end of war, etc.
Check out the website and learn more:
<https://novena.cardinalburke.com/#watch-the-video>



In your charity,
please pray for
James ‘Doc’ Meyer
(June 30, 1933 to May 17, 2024)
who was called
to eternal rest on
May 17, 2024.
Grant unto him Eternal rest,
and let the perpetual light
shine upon him.
May he rest in peace.
May he and all the souls of
the faithful departed rest in
peace.
AMEN

**MASS
INTENTIONS –**
What a wonderful
way to remember a
birthday, anniversary,
special occasion or to honor our
loved ones who have
gone before us.
A free-will offering
is requested.
Contact Lori or
Carla at the rectory
to schedule your
special intention.

Parish Council Election Time Soon
Ballots are in the pews to nominate 2 new members to our Parish Council for a 3 year position. Please fill out and put in the collection basket.
(you can nominate yourself — don’t be shy)
Thank you to those who are stepping up to serve ! And thank you to ALL the current Parish Council !
God bless you all !!!



June Rosary Schedule
Wednesday 8:30 am (after Mass)
Saturday 4:15pm
Sunday 10:30am
Please try to pray the Rosary every day with your family.
Mary Queen of Peace Pray for Us.



Psalm 130
“With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.”

NOTE—Lori Gale will be out of the office June 5th - 16th. If you need something during that time, call Carla Moxley (217-552-9013) Monday to Friday 9am to 5 pm and she will try to help you .

RE Director Needed
We are still looking for a Director of Religious Education for Our Lady of Lourdes Parish., which is a paid position. Please search your heart and contact Fr. Nestor ASAP. We don’t want to close our RE program and send the kids to Paxton when we have capable people here.

NOTE ** Bulletin submissions should be received by WEDNESDAY at 5:00 pm.
Email to office@ololg.org. Or call and leave message at the parish office (217) 784-4671**

2023—2024 Parish Council

Marj Brown (217-377-3132)
Jody Goodin (217-377-5208)
Roy Acree (217-649-2263)
Fran Mardis (217-784-8515)
Jodi Beyers (815-848-3371)
Bernie Campos (217-898-3448)
Please contact these dedicated people if you have any concerns or suggestions about church related issues.

June Altar Flowers provided by :

June 2/3—Gene and Lisa Heap
June 8/9—Alyce Hafer
June 15/16—Brett and Jodi Beyers
June 22/23—Rob and Sandy Kollross

The flowers are \$35.00 a bouquet.
*You will be billed by the florist
Rural Rose of Fisher (217-897-1604)*

MONDAY
June 3
St. Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs
2 Pt 1:2-7
Mk 12:1-12

TUESDAY
June 4
Weekday

2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18
Mk 12:13-17

WEDNESDAY
June 5
St. Boniface, Bishop and Martyr
2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12
Mk 12:18-27

THURSDAY
June 6
Weekday
2 Tm 2:8-15
Mk 12:28-34

FRIDAY
June 7
Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9
Eph 3:8-12, 14-19
Jn 19:31-37

SATURDAY
June 8
Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary
2 Tm 4:1-8
Lk 2:41-51

SUNDAY
June 9
Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Gn 3:9-15
2 Cor 4:13-5:1
Mk 3:20-35

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Kevin Seymour (June 1)
Alyce Hafer (6/1)
Allison Andreae (6/3)
Sophia Helmig (6/3)
Enrique Gonzalez (6/6)
Josh Parsons (6/9)
Alyssa Bane (6/9)

Happy Anniversary

Mike and Gina Medernach (6/1)
Rob and Janet Hoffman (6/8)
Chuck and Pam Aubry (6/9)

God Bless all of our Families !!



Pray for the Sick & Homebound

Brian Sullivan / Emma Davis
Terry Hutchcraft / Joyce Pearson
Fran Mardis / Rosanne Miller
Ken Freehill / Pat Huth
Gary Gale / Peter Hartford / Chuck Aubry
Sarah Sarantakos



If you wish to add the name of a loved one who is sick, please contact the parish office at 217-784-4671 or office@ololg.org.

Our Lady of Lourdes Social Media Sites

Please check them out for an abundance of information.

Facebook:

www.facebook.com/ololg.org
Website: www.ololg.org

Office Email: office@ololg.org
(Lori Gale & Carla Moxley)
Fr. Nestor Sanchez Email:
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Deacon Paul Sarantakos Email:
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OUR LADY OF LOURDES PRAYER THREADS

This PRAYER THREAD is for those in need of prayer support.

If you would like to be a 'Prayer Warrior' in the prayer threads OR if you have a need for prayers, contact Alyce Hafer at (217) 745-2411 or joenalyceh@cawi.org

(Your specific prayer need does NOT need to be disclosed to activate the prayer thread).



Homebound Ministry

is always available for Catholics who cannot come to Mass because they are in the hospital, recovering at home, sick at home, have moved to a care facility.

Please contact :

Deacon Paul Sarantakos (217-781-1440) to have a Eucharistic Minister bring Holy Communion to you.

From Queen of Peace Productions :

Dear Children,

I am with you to tell you that I love you and to encourage you to prayer; because Satan is strong and every day his strength is stronger through those who have chosen hatred and death.

You, little children, be in prayer and my extended hands of love for all those who are in darkness and seek the light of our God.

Thank you for responding to my call.