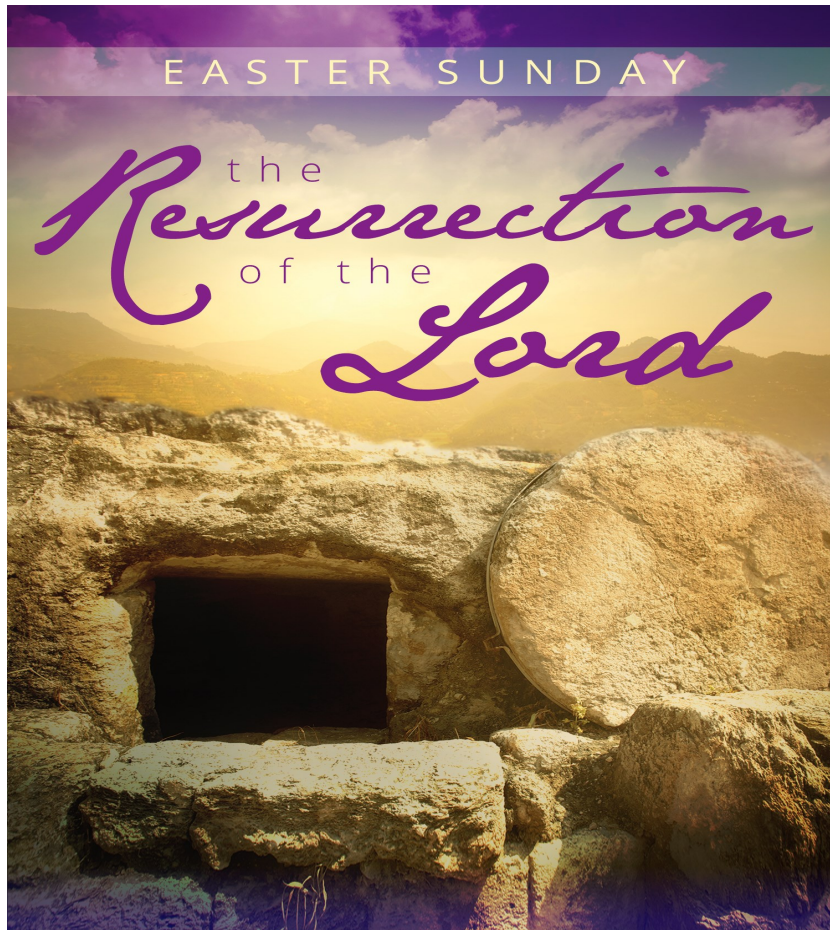



April
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St. Mary Nativity Catholic Parish Holy Cross Mission


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 706 N. Broadway St., Joliet, IL 60435

 815-726-4031

 info@stmarynativity.org

 Monday-Thursday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm
Friday 8:00—3:00pm

 <https://stmarynativityholycross.com>

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 www.facebook.com/SMNandHC/

Welcome!



Mass Schedule

St. Mary Nativity Church

Saturday - 4:00 pm
Sunday - 7:00 am
11:00 am 12:30 pm
5:30 pm
Weekday -
Tuesday 8:30am
Wednesday (School Mass)
8:30am
Thursday 8:30am

Holy Cross Church

Saturday - 4:00 pm English
and 7:00 pm Polish
Sunday - 9:00 am English
and 10:30 am Polish
Weekday - Monday and
Friday 8:30 am English
Tuesday 8:30 am Polish
Monday Wednesday
Thursday Friday
7:00 pm Polish

St. Mary Nativity
and Holy Cross Confessions:

Saturdays
3:15pm to 3:45pm
or by Appointment.

Also 30 minutes before all
Polish Masses at Holy Cross

Parish and School Centers

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706 North Broadway Street
Joliet, Illinois 60435



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Meet Our Staff...

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CATHOLIC CHURCH



HOLY CROSS CHURCH

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Friday - 8:00 am to 3:00 pm

Office Hours



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Submit Articles by
Monday no later than
2 pm for the upcoming
Sunday Bulletin.

Please send all articles
for the bulletin to
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Thank you for your
cooperation!



The Sacrament of Baptism

For Baptisms at St. Mary Nativity Church, please call the Faith Formation Office for more information. Baptisms are scheduled on the third Sunday of the month after the 12:30 PM Mass. Baptism preparation classes are scheduled upon need.

For Baptisms at Holy Cross Mission, contact Fr. Tomasz Sielicki



The Sacrament of Holy Matrimony (Marriage)

Please call the Parish Office before setting a date for your wedding. The diocese requires a six month preparation prior to the wedding.



The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

Contact the parish office if you or someone you know are in need of the sacrament.

Funerals

Call the Parish Office before placing any obituary notices.



St. Mary Nativity Catholic School

702 North Broadway Street Joliet, Illinois 60435
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Office Hours:

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Easter Sunday Message from Bishop Dennis E. Spies April 2026



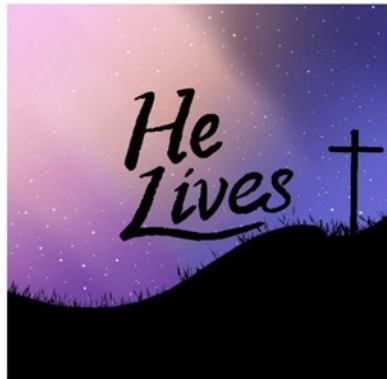
Happy Easter everyone! This is the greatest of all the celebrations. Everything we celebrate all year culminates Easter Sunday. Have you ever considered that the whole point of Christmas is that Easter Sunday needs to happen?

Sometimes we forget in our life that Easter Sunday is real. We think a lot about the passion that Jesus had to go through on Good Friday and how we participate in it. When life is difficult and we're struggling, we sometimes forget about Easter Sunday during the year. It's important for us to remember that any time we're going through something and we're struggling, and then somehow we get through it, and it's extraordinary afterwards—that's Easter Sunday in your life.

Our Lord Jesus participated in Easter Sunday to let us know that he has power over life and death. His life wasn't taken from him. He gave it away—the same with rising from the dead. He chose to rise from the dead. Why would he do that? To let us know that we're next. We get to participate in this resurrection when we follow Him throughout our whole life. And the whole point of the resurrection is the proclamation of eternal life, that we will rise from the dead when we die. Thanks be to God that He saw fit to give us such an example.

This witness is apparent as we enter into this Easter season when we see the apostles boldly testifying to the resurrection from the dead—most of them with their lives. They were martyred on account of their testimony, so it's not just an expression. Jesus actually rose from the dead, and they gave their lives to testify to it.

So, this year, remember that celebrating Easter is about celebrating Jesus' rising from the dead, and the hope that he gives us. Rather than filling up on chocolate Easter bunnies and eggs because you gave up chocolate for Lent, celebrate the resurrection of the Lord Jesus in your life, rising out of the many challenges you face to give you hope in this life and in the life to come. Thanks be to God.



May the Resurrection of Jesus Christ
be a constant reminder of His love
and promise of eternal life.
May our Lord bless you and
your family during the Easter Season.



Fr. Clive, Fr. Tomasz,
Fr. Jerry, Fr. Johnus,
Deacon Emmanuel, and
our entire parish staff.

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Saturday - April 4 - Holy Saturday

8:00 pm Mass (SMN) Solemn Easter Vigil Liturgy

† Richard Serdar by Lorraine Rolih

† Mary Ann O'Brien by Family

No Easter Vigil Mass at HC, moved to 5:00am Easter Sunday

Sunday - April 5 - Easter Sunday

5:00am Mass (HC) Solemn Easter Vigil Liturgy

O zdrowie Boże błogosławieństwo dla Janiny i Stanisława Ciulańców oraz syna Andrzeja

† Władysław Mąka (33. rocznica śmierci)

7:00 am Mass (SMN)

† George M. Weiskop by Family

9:00 am Mass (HC)

† Phillip Torres by Larry & Laurie Pottorff

† Ray & Sophie Levek by Family

10:30 am Mass (HC)

† Danuta Mąka

11:00 am Mass (SMN)

† Robert & Genevieve Susner by Frank LaBuda & Daughter, Caryn

† Richard W. Serdar by Family

† Albert W. & Catherine P. Hochevar by Albert P. Hochevar

12:30 pm Mass (SMN)

For the People of the Parishes

NO 5:30 pm Mass (SMN)

Monday - April 6

8:30 am Mass (HC)

† Joseph Hesch by Friend

7:00 pm Mass (HC) Polish

† Cezary Gałagus

Tuesday - April 7

8:30 am Mass (SMN)

† Sr. Marty Conrad by The Gudac Family

8:30 am Mass (HC) Polish

† ks. Władysław Dobroć SChr (5. rocznica śmierci)

Wednesday - April 8

8:30 am Mass (SMN)

† Connie Mazur by Family

† Ray Page by Family

7:00 pm Mass (HC) Polish

† Tony Suchorabski (1. rocznica śmierci)

Thursday - April 9

8:30 am Mass (SMN)

† † John & Kathryn Gudac by The Gudac Family

† Edith Krok by Family

7:00 pm Mass (HC) Polish

O powołania do kapłaństwa i życia zakonnego

Friday - April 10

8:30 am Mass (HC)

† Kevin Hansen by Mike & Elizabeth Hansen

7:00 pm Mass (HC) Polish

O dary Ducha Świętego dla Kapituły Generalnej Sióstr Misjonarek Chrystusa Króla

Saturday - April 11

4:00 pm Mass (HC)

† Darlene Bistry by Laurie & Larry Pottorff

† Ann Buldak by Family

4:00 pm Mass (SMN)

† The Holy Women, Ritzi, Erlinda, Martha, Teresa and Sr. Miriam
by Rosamaria & Richie

† Maria Davila

† Jim Putrich "7th Anniversary" by Mary Lou

7:00 pm Mass (HC) Polish

† † Ewa, Helena i Wacław Sędaccy

Sunday - April 12

7:00 am Mass (SMN)

† Leo Ardaugh by Family

9:00 am Mass (HC)

† † Shirley Lambert & Norma Pottorff by Laurie & Larry Pottorff

10:30 am Mass (HC)

O zdrowie i Boże błogosławieństwo dla Mikołaja z okazji 11. urodzin

O zdrowie i Boże błogosławieństwo dla Piotra i Karoliny Tulakz okazji urodzin

† Józef i Helena Piorun

11:00 am Mass (SMN)

† MacZura & Plisich Families by George MacZura

† Merle Hoebing by The Salas Family

† Frank LaBuda by Daughter, Caryn

12:30 pm Mass (SMN)

Joe Jelinek "Anniversary" By Family

5:30 pm Mass (SMN)

For the People of the Parishes



Divine Mercy Yard Signs

Available for purchase on
Sunday, April 12th before and after
morning masses & before Holy Hour
in the Nativity Room.
(2 Sizes available)
Large \$40, Small \$20



THE NINE MONTHS OF THE CHILD, JESUS IN THE WOMB OF MARY

Each year on December 25th we celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ. For centuries the Church has also celebrated his conception on March 25, the feast of the Annunciation.

Our parishes have once again begun our "Spiritual Adoption" program. Each month we will be keeping you up to date with the development of your baby.

THE FIRST MONTH - MARCH 25 TO APRIL 25

"Hail Mary, Full of Grace, the Lord is with thee..." With her acceptance of God's will, Mary's body prepares to carry Jesus in her womb. During this first month of pregnancy, the baby's heart is beating, and by the 20th day, the brain, spinal cord and nervous system are developed. He has arms, legs, eyes, ears, kidneys, a liver, a mouth and an umbilical cord. A placenta forms as a barrier to keep his mother's blood separate, while allowing nourishment and oxygen to pass through. The awesome news that a mother is with child can be greeted with great joy or dread-filled sorrow. Each year in the U.S. some 1.6 million mothers and fathers choose to still those beating hearts and reject those budding lives. Pray for all mothers and fathers that they may choose life for their unborn children.

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SRA Michael Wilson Arellano
2nd Lt Kevin A'Hearn
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Captain Marcos Aguilera, USMC
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Tommy Hanks, USMC
Sgt. Christina Hanks, USMC
Jonathon Schroll, USMC Special Forces
Petty Officer 1st Class Tyler Hintzsche, Navy
Airman Jack Maurer, Air Force



Heavenly Father, we pray for...

Ann	Janet Horvath	Gliceria Nunez
Bill	Jacqueline H.	Parnell
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Vietta Bews	Harriet Kazlauskas	Phyllis Popek
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Christopher Borsom	James Kozar	Armando Rodriguez
Denise Boudreau	Dan Kramerich	Father Pete Rossa
Stephanie Cavanagh	Bernadette (Lajcin)	Kimberly Schlegel
Tyler Centorbi	Marilyn Lajcin	Steve Senisais
Dianne Cerpen-Verlare	Jerry Lakota	Ashly Smith
Bob DeLach	Don Legerski	Scott & Adam
Anthony Deredita	Kathleen Lepacek	Elizabeth Mary Sobolak
John Drnek	Darlene Likar	Mary Suarez
Gerald Drobick	Ann Marie Linko	Thomure Family
Linda Eck	George MacZura	Joseph Trubich
Dosse Houseaj Elise	Gerald L. Mahalik	Jim Thompson
Mark Fumagalli	Phil May	Margaret Thompson
Kelly G.	Alex McKeel	Sister Elaine Teders
Anthony Gregory	Charlene Molnar	William Treasure
Anthony Harmes	Robert Nasenbenny	Tommy Turner
Alba Hensley	Raymond John Nickel	Susan Ward
Janet	Paul Norris	

Need prayers or know someone who does, please call
Pat Weiskop 815-723-7141





Joyful congratulations to **Valentino Israel Perez** who was fully initiated into the Church receiving the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation at St. Mary Nativity's Easter Vigil.

Please pray for Valentino and for all new members of the Church as they continue on their journey of faith, hope, and love. We pray that they will persist in their faith and commit their lives to the teachings of Jesus Christ.

Catholic Kids Column The Empty Tomb

Imagine you are one of the disciples of Jesus. You had followed him for three years and had been energized by his message. You had been filled with joy at his explanation of God as a loving Father. And you had believed that the kingdom of God could be real. And you even thought he might be the Messiah.

But then it all fell apart. Jesus had been arrested and executed like a common criminal. God had not saved him after all. Your hope turned into despair.

Some of the women are going to the tomb to complete the burial ritual. They invite you along. You hesitate. What if the officials start coming after Jesus' followers also? The morning air is cool. You put on your jacket and pull the hood over your head. That way nobody will recognize you if there is trouble.

What a beautiful sunrise! The earth seems so alive this morning. The sky is a vibrant pink and orange. The grass is a bright green. You have a memory of sitting on a hillside on a beautiful day, soaking in Jesus' words. But that will not happen again.

They were saying to one another, "Who will roll back the stone for us from the entrance to the tomb?" You are getting closer. The tomb is just around the corner and you still don't know how you will get it. A huge stone has been rolled in front of the door. Maybe if you all push on it, you can move it just enough to squeeze in. But that doesn't seem likely.

When they looked up, they saw that the stone had been rolled back; it was very large." This is a mystery. Who moved the stone? It is not just moved a little. It is all the way to the side. It must have taken at least half a dozen strong men to do it. But who has been here? Why would somebody else have gone into the tomb?

You are stunned! Jesus' body is not here. The strips of linen which had wrapped the body were neatly folded up. And a young man is just sitting there, as if he had been waiting for you. He wearing a bright white robe which doesn't have a spot on it, even though the empty tomb is dusty. And the man himself almost seems to shine.

He said to them, "Do not be amazed! You seek Jesus of Nazareth, the crucified. He has been raised; he is not here. Behold the place where they laid him.

But you are amazed! Jesus had spoken of resurrection, but that just seemed like a fantasy. But you are sure now that this is an angel speaking to you. And he is right. Jesus is not here.

Could it be true? You saw him die. And it was such a brutal, ugly death. But through it all, Jesus never stopped trusting in the love of the Father. You cry tears of joy at just the hope that Jesus is alive.

This is where the gospel which is read at the Easter Vigil Mass ends. But there is one more, very surprising, verse:

Then they went out and fled from the tomb, seized with trembling and bewilderment. They said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.

Spend a few minutes in quiet prayer at this point.

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**Please note:
Confirmation will
be at the 12:30 PM
Mass on April 19.**

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He Is Risen! The Power of the Resurrection

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Dear Parishioners, We would like to invite you to continue fanning the flames of the Eucharistic Revival alongside fellow parishioners through the brand-new 8-part small-group study, **The Heart of Prayer**. This study was created by the National Eucharistic Congress in partnership with the Augustine Institute and designed as an intimate, peaceful retreat, led by Bishop Andrew Cozzens. Through his practical, down-to-earth guidance, participants will learn to quiet their hearts and minds to hear God's voice calling to them.

Thursdays after the 8:30 AM Mass in the Nativity Room.

Donuts and Coffee will be available!

If you're looking to provide a spark in your prayer life, then this is the study for you! We really hope you'll join us!

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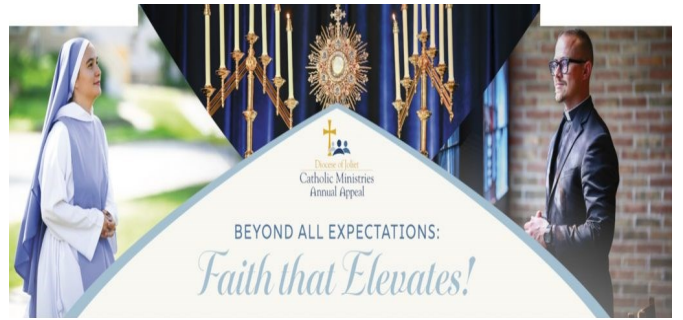
Due to early bulletin submission, the parish weekly collection for March 29, 2026 will be posted later.



Thank you for attending. Thank you for serving.

Thank you for giving.

Thank you for growing with us.



2026 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal

If you have already pledged to the Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal (CMAA), we sincerely thank you! Let's join together to meet our parish goals. Every gift makes a difference.

If you still plan on making your gift, please prayerfully consider how you can elevate your faith beyond all expectations in support of those in need. Pledge envelopes are still available in back of church, or you can use the envelope you received in the mail from the diocese. We also welcome online gifts at Jolietdioceseappeal.org

Remember, we receive 70% of any amount raised over our goal to reinvest in our own parishes. This is an incredible opportunity and blessing!

Our 2026 CMAA goals are:

St. Mary Nativity \$39,800 Holy Cross is \$13,700

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DEPARTMENT OF
VOCATIONS**

Jeremiah Day

SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 2026
Open to grades 7-10

The Diocese of Joliet Vocations Department of Vocations is thrilled to invite young men (grades 7-10) for our annual Jeremiah Day. Join us for a day for a day of exploring, prayer, and games with our Joliet Seminarians currently studying at Mundelein Seminary. Learn more about what being in Seminary is like at Jeremiah Day!

Cost to attend **\$10**
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<https://tinyurl.com/sacbye7j>

Location: University of St. Mary of the Lake
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Please email vocations@dioceseofjoliet.org or call (815) 221-6171 for questions

O God, eternal shepherd, who govern your flock with unflinching care, grant in your boundless fatherly love a pastor for your Church of Joliet who will please you by his holiness and to us show watchful care. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

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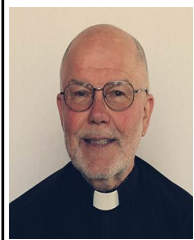
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Upcoming Events

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The Week Ahead

Monday, April 6 Easter Monday
Easter Break - SMN No School / Parish Office Closed
 8:30am Mass - Holy Cross
 7:00pm Mass in Polish at Holy Cross
Tuesday, April 7 Easter Break - SMN NO SCHOOL
 9:30am Bible Study - SMN Nativity Room
 1:00pm Rosary - SMN Church
Wednesday, April 8 Easter Break - SMN NO SCHOOL
Thursday, April 9 Easter Break - SMN NO SCHOOL
 1:00pm Rosary in Spanish - SMN Church
Friday, April 10 Easter Break - SMN NO SCHOOL
 12:00pm Eucharistic Adoration - SMN Church
 5:00pm Polish School - SMN School
Saturday, April 11 Food Pantry Collection-SMN Church
 10:00 Baptisms - SMN Church
 3:00pm Holy Cross Family Portraits - SMN Gym
Sunday, April 12 Divine Mercy
Food Pantry Collection - SMN Church
 Hospitality Sunday - SMN Nativity Room
 9:15am Religious Ed - SMN School
 9:45am Holy Cross Family Portraits - SMN Gym
 3:00pm Divine Mercy Holy Hour - Not a Mass
 SMN and HC Church



REV. BOB BONNOT

"Working with Unbound will make real my desire to do work with the poor in a global dimension."

Next weekend, please welcome Rev. Bernard Robert Bonnot who will be with us to celebrate Masses and tell us about the work of Unbound, a lay Catholic sponsorship ministry that helps children and elderly in 16 developing countries. To learn more, call (800) 875-6564 or visit Unbound online at www.unbound.org.

Sunday, April 12th in the Nativity Room after the morning masses.



Sweet! HOSPITALITY SUNDAY
 Bring the Family!
 All Are Welcome



Non Perishable items may be dropped off at St. Mary Nativity Church vestibule on April 11th & 12th
 Thank you!



PRAYER GROUP



Join us every Thursday morning for coffee and donuts after the 8:30am mass in the Nativity Room.

All Are Welcome



SPEND TIME WITH JESUS

Eucharistic Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at Saint Mary Nativity every Friday - Noon to 3:00pm
 All are welcome!

Both regular adorers and substitutes are needed for these times.

The church is open for personal prayer Monday - Thursday 8:00 am to 4:00 pm and Friday 8:00am to 3:00 pm.



Pro-Life Rosary Every Month Third Sunday

Holy Cross before the 9 am Mass, starting at 8:35 am
 St. Mary Nativity before the 11 am Mass, starting at 10: 35 am.

The next meeting of the St. Mary Nativity Pro-Life Committee:

Next date to be determined.

We are thankful for your continued help and look forward to your participation in our events from now until that date. For questions or for more information, contact Mike Hansen at 815-212-3661 or mikehansen@mikehansenlaw.com



Happy Easter! He has risen! Let us welcome Jesus even more into our marriages by participating in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Experience on April 10-12 at St. Mary's in Lemont, May 16-17 at St. Mary of the Angels in Chicago, or June 12-14 in Arlington Heights.

For more info go to: wwme.org or call (888) 574-5653



Join the St. Mary Nativity Choir!

If you like to sing, then we invite you to consider joining the St. Mary Nativity Choir. The choir meets for rehearsal every Sunday from 10am to right before the 11am Mass which is the Choir Mass.

The Choir also sings for special and Holy Day Liturgies. We meet from the First Sunday of September to the Last Sunday of May and break for the months of June, July and August. We currently have approximately 12 members and would like to double that to about 20. If you are interested in joining, please contact Tony Brandolino at 815-531-9257.



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Friday - March 27

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Terminy sesji zdjęciowych

Sobota, 11 kwietnia | **3:00-7:00 PM**
Niedziela, 12 kwietnia | **9:45 AM-1:45 PM**
Sobota, 6 czerwca | **3:00-7:00 PM**
Niedziela, 7 czerwca | **9:45 AM-1:45 PM**

Lokalizacja: sala gimnastyczna w St. Mary Nativity

Kontakt

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Holy Cross
Celebrating 125 Years
of the Dedication
of the New Church

We are looking for pictures of the church or various events that took place through the years at Holy Cross Church as we celebrate this milestone this year. Contact the Parish Office with any questions. All pictures can be dropped off at the Parish Office.

Save the Date -
September 13, 2026



PHOTOGRAPHY DATES

Saturday, April 11 | **3:00-7:00 PM**
Sunday, April 12 | **9:45 AM-1:45 PM**
Saturday, June 6 | **3:00-7:00 PM**
Sunday, June 7 | **9:45 AM-1:45 PM**

Location: Gymnasium at St. Mary Nativity

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