

## The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

*“Because there is one bread, we, who are many, are one body, for we all partake of the one bread.” 1 CORINTHIANS 10:17*

As disciples of Jesus, we are called to lead holy lives and invite others to join us. We are called to be fed and to feed others. Living a stewardship lifestyle, being grateful and generous with our gifts, serves a twofold purpose. One, it helps build God’s kingdom here on earth. Two, it helps us strengthen each other’s relationship with God the Father, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit. It becomes our roadmap to Heaven. Let’s help each other get there!

**Coalition Life Circle is the Nation’s Largest 9-Day Public Prayer for Life**, a movement uniting believers across America in public, faithful prayer outside, anywhere in the public square. This could be sidewalks outside abortion facilities, or the street corner of the busiest intersection in your town. Learn more about opportunities to pray or lead a circle campaign in your community at: [CoalitionLifeCircle.com](http://CoalitionLifeCircle.com) Sign up to pray June 11<sup>th</sup> through 19<sup>th</sup>.

**When submitting a donation to the cemetery** please specify which cemetery you’re donating to. Please write a separate check for the cemetery donations. This will ensure we use funds according to your intentions. Thank you!

**American Red Cross is having a Blood drive on Monday, June 22 from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at St. Joseph gym in Ridgway.** Please visit [RedCrossBlood.org](http://RedCrossBlood.org) and enter code: **St Kateri** to schedule appointment or call 1-800-733-2767. American Red Cross Blood Services

**“Most Holy Sacred Heart of Jesus, help my heart to persevere in all that is holy.” – St. Rita of Cascia**

**Hawks Lunch Bunch Summer Youth Program for Gallatin County Sponsored by City of Shawneetown begins June 3<sup>rd</sup> and will end early August:** If anyone is interested in donating, **please make checks to Hawks Lunch Bunch and mail to P.O. Box 427, Shawneetown, IL 62984.** If you need more information, you may contact Anita Golden, Program Coordinator, call/text 618-525-4128. Thank you for supporting the Hawks Lunch Bunch.

### Congratulations to:

Oliver Abell-USI  
Abbie Keasler-U of I Champaign

## The 2026 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal

*Those who are kind to the needy honor Him*

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul truly serves the poorest of the poor through its Hubbard’s Haven Soup Kitchen, SVDP Thrift Store, Help Center and Night Drop-In Center. Men, women and children are provided the basic necessities of life – food, clothing and shelter – and the hope and the tools they need for a better tomorrow. Help St. Vincent de Paul serve those who have no place else to turn. Please make your gift to The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal today.

**St. Kateri & St. Joseph Child Protection Information:** If someone wants to volunteer for PSR, Vacation Bible School, Mission Trip or anything like that, you need to contact the Parish Office 272-7059 to get information on being in compliance with the Child Protection guidelines. There is a process to go through **so please don’t wait till the last minute to sign up** because you may not be able to attend until all paperwork is approved by the Diocese. Sometimes this can take a month or so to get through the process. Thank you so much to every parishioner who makes the effort to stay up with the training and paperwork. Our Parish appreciates all you do and so grateful to everyone willing to help. As many of you know, The Diocese of Belleville requires all volunteers who work with or around children (in any capacity) to be in compliance with the Diocesan Child Protection Policy: More information about this policy can be obtained at the Diocesan website at [www.Diobelle.org](http://www.Diobelle.org)

**Vocation Corners:** Today we celebrate the great gift of the Eucharist. This gift is what truly defines us as Catholics. We rejoice that Jesus gave His Body and Blood for our redemption. This is the remembrance we commemorate during each Liturgy, which is only possible through the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, celebrated by a priest. We are challenged to pray for more priests and are challenged to encourage those who may have a calling to Holy Orders. Consider posing the question: “Have you ever considered becoming a priest?”

### Your Calendar:

**June 10, Wednesday:** St. Joseph of the Woods-#3936 KofC Meeting Harrisburg 7:00 p.m.

**June 17, Wednesday:** Knights of Columbus 4th Degree Meeting at 7:30 p.m. at the Columbus Club in Ridgway

**June 19, Friday:** Adoration after Mass at St. Kateri

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**June 23, Tuesday:** **St. Kateri Parish** Council Meeting at 7:00 p.m.

**June 24, Wednesday:** Help Center 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at Equality Parish Hall

**June 26, Friday:** Adoration after Mass at St. Kateri

If anyone has a person that needs a card, please text name and address to Jane Bond 618-313-1817

Care Bears with cards are available in the Narthex for those that are sick or shut in. If you visit someone at home or in the hospital, please take them a bear and note from the parish.

Compassionate Miscarriage Bundles are available for anyone in need. Please contact Emily York 618-841-9076

**St. Kateri**

Pray for those who are sick or in hospital: Beverly Mills, Jeff Dearmon, Charlie Wargel, Alice Duvall, Tim Duvall, David Schmitt, Ty Hollingsworth, Gregg Drone, Kay Johnson and Tracy Russell.

**St. Joseph**

Pray for those who are sick or in hospital: Carolyn Ellis, Susan Williams, Nathan Clark, Filii Tuliao, Steve & Sharon Robbs, Hadley Stowers, Pam & Dickie Pease, Sue Leonberger, Erin Adams, Tom Hirsch, Ronnie & Maryanne Armstrong, Deborah Smoot, Jim Patton, Ken Schimp, Becky Barnard, Erin Armstrong, Rusty Cornell, Christy Busler, Janice Downey, Pat Rochford, Dora Kay Warren, Craig Fuller, Miranda Hutchison, Rachel Martin, Tammy Parkinson, Charlie Joyner, David Helmers, Larry Brugger, Jim & Cheryl Thornton, Lori Price, Dewayne Simmons, Jimmy Summers, Gary Carr, Bob Gibbs, Carol Wolf, Regina & Larry Hall, Ricky Williams, Christie Tetford, Peyton Daymon, Steve Hunt, Jerry Humm, Betty Monroe, Mike Carver, Mike Belford, Danny Sanders, Troy Hirsch, Larry Robinson, Diane Darnell and JoAnn Jordan

**OUR RETURN GIFTS TO GOD LAST WEEK: Thank you for your generosity.**

<b>St. Kateri Parish</b>	<b>(50 Envelopes)</b>
Sunday Envelopes:	\$3510.00
Loose Collection:	\$305.00
Catholic Communication Campaign:	\$20.00
Seminarian Education:	\$50.00
St. Mary Cemetery:	\$20.00
St. Joseph Equality Cemetery:	\$125.00
St. Patrick Cemetery:	\$100.00
St. Joseph Ridgway Cemetery:	\$125.00

CSMA GOAL: \$14,971.00  
 CSMA Collection/Pledges  
 Totals: \$9399.00

<b>St. Joseph Stewardship weekly budget goal</b>	
<b>(Our weekly goal \$1600.00)</b>	
Sunday Envelopes:	\$1685.00
Loose Collection:	\$170.00
<b>Weekly Sunday Envelope Total:</b>	<b>\$1855.00</b>
Building:	\$25.00
Catholic Communication Campaign:	\$100.00

CSMA GOAL: \$4,223.00  
 CSMA Collection  
 Totals: \$3765.00

**Liturgical Ministers Schedule:**

**Saturday, June 13, 2026 - St. Kateri**  
Lector: Jim Neumann  
Eucharistic Ministers: Magan Lydick, Jane Bond  
Servers: Mike McGuire, Ella Lydick, Norah Lydick  
Greeters: Ryan & Magan Lydick

**Sunday, June 14, 2026 – St. Kateri**  
Lector: Jeffrey Drake  
Eucharistic Ministers: Carl Payne, Lisa Berry  
Servers: Wyatt Goebel, Harper Fromm  
Greeters: Pat & Mary York

**Sunday, June 14, 2026 - St. Joseph**  
Lector: Mike Steele  
Eucharistic Ministers: Charlie & Debbie Soward  
Ushers: Jeff Cash, George Sehi

**St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish**  
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**Office Hours:**  
 Monday through Friday  
 8:30am - 12:00pm  
 1:00pm - 4:00pm

**St. Joseph of the Woods Parish**  
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 Elizabethtown, Illinois 62931



**Bishop Godfrey Mullen, OSB**  
 Bishop of the Diocese of Belleville

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***June 6<sup>th</sup>, 2026 & June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026***  
*Mass Schedule for this week*

Saturday	June	6,	<b>5:00 PM</b>	<b>RDWY</b>	<b>For Our Parish</b>
Sunday	June	7,	<b>8:00 AM</b>	<b>ETWN</b>	<b>Steve Pelcha</b>
Sunday	June	7,	<b>10:30 AM</b>	<b>RDWY</b>	<b>Lawler, Mary Nell &amp; Larry McGuire, Michael Abell, Renee Zirkelbach</b>
Monday	June	8,	<b>No Mass</b>		
Tuesday	June	9,	<b>No Mass</b>	<b>RDWY</b>	
Wednesday	June	10,	<b>No Mass</b>	<b>RDWY</b>	
Thursday	June	11,	<b>No Mass</b>	<b>ETWN</b>	
Friday	June	12,	<b>No Mass</b>	<b>RDWY</b>	
Saturday	June	13,	<b>5:00 PM</b>	<b>RDWY</b>	<b>For Our Parish</b>
Sunday	June	14,	<b>8:00 AM</b>	<b>ETWN</b>	<b>William Smoot</b>
Sunday	June	14,	<b>10:30 AM</b>	<b>RDWY</b>	<b>John &amp; Bernice Lawler, Mary Beth Wargel &amp; Nina Wargel</b>