

# Christ the Servant Catholic Church

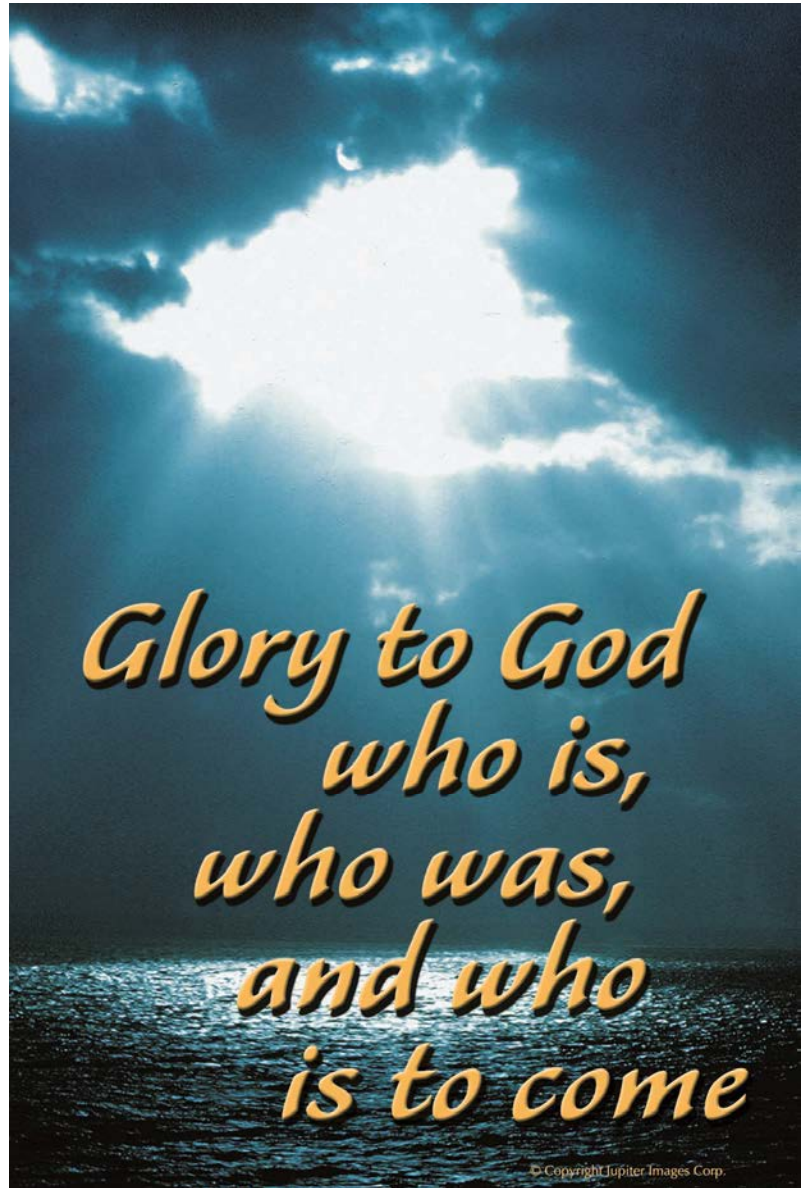
The Joy of Living a Giving Life

May 22, 2016  
The Most Holy Trinity

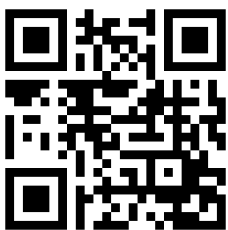


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## Our Mission

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.

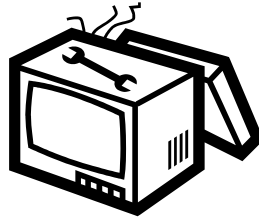
Our Parish ~ Our Spiritual Home

Pope Francis Tweet for the Week! If our hearts and actions are inspired by charity, by divine love, then our communication will be touched by God's own power.

**NEXT SATURDAY!!!  
Electronic Recycling  
Event  
and Book Collection  
Saturday, May 28, 2016  
From 8:30-11:30 am  
Christ the Servant Parking Lot**

**Bring all old electronics:**

- computers
- printers
- fax machines
- rechargeable batteries
- televisions
- copy machines
- hard drives
- extension cords
- almost anything with a cord



We are able to accept old televisions, and respectfully request a donation of 20 cents per pound (minimum donation \$5). There is a **limit of one television** per vehicle driving through.

**Not acceptable:**

White Goods, air conditioners, hazardous waste, radioactive waste, batteries, bio-hazardous waste or mercury containing devices like light bulbs or thermostats.



**Book Collection:**

All types of paper backs and hard covered books will be collected: fiction, non-fiction, reference, school books. There is a **limit of 2 boxes of books** per vehicle.

*Over 55 Ladies Club*  
**Ladies Nite Out**  
Tuesday, May 24, 2016, 4:30 PM at  
**Capri RISTORANTE**  
**1001 W 75th, Suite 157**  
*(In the corner by the movie theatre)*  
  
*Call Donna M  
or Shirley W*  
  
*New members welcome!*

**Prayers for Special Intentions:**

CTS is forming a Prayer Tree. If you or a family member have a special request for prayers whether it be for illness, a job interview, travel plans, etc.; email your request **by Monday** to

[prayertree@ctswoodridge.org](mailto:prayertree@ctswoodridge.org)

Monday evening your request will be forwarded to our Prayer Tree members.

Your special intention will be prayed for a one-week period. If you would like to extend the time frame, please indicate or resubmit request after your initial week.

Details of your prayer request are not necessary. All information will be confidential and will be shared with only CTS Prayer Tree members.

**Do you want to be a part of CTS Prayer Tree?**

Send your email address to [prayertree@ctswoodridge.org](mailto:prayertree@ctswoodridge.org)



1 Thessalonians 12: NIV

**2016 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES ANNUAL APPEAL  
Pledge Report (as of 5/13/16)**

*It is very important that these pledges be paid so that our parish will reach our goal. Once we have reached our goal in paid pledges, 65% of the additional funds received will be returned to the parish for our use.*

PARISH GOAL:	\$36,755	AMOUNT PLEDGED:	\$39,083
AMOUNT PAID:	\$29,668	REMAINING BALANCE:	\$9,416
DONOR COUNT:	244 (1 more than last year!)	REBATE AMOUNT:	NONE YET.

We have met our goal in pledges! Thank you! Now be sure to keep your commitment if at all possible. Once the amount paid exceeds our goal, we will qualify for rebate!



### LOST AND FOUND

Our "Lost and Found" basket is overflowing. To fix this, we have the contents spread out on a table in the narthex, and anything remaining by June 10 will be donated to the Clothing Drive. So please stop by the

table to look for any items mislaid since probably last summer's clothing drive.

### St. Vincent de Paul Society Clothing Drive Christ the Servant Parish JUNE 11 & 12, 2016

The St. Vincent de Paul truck will be in our parking lot the weekend of June 11 & 12, 2016. Summer is coming soon so this is a good time to go through your closets and drawers and donate any unwanted Spring & Summer clothing!!



**We will accept.....**

- **Clothing, shoes, linens and books** in good or bad condition. Unusable clothing, shoes, linens and even books generate income for the needy because they are sold for rags or in bulk.
- No baby equipment such as cribs, walkers, strollers, playpens, etc. **ALL BABY CLOTHES ACCEPTED!**
- **Small housewares**--toasters, blenders, mixers, etc.
- **Electronics**-- The SVdP Thrift Shops are now electronic recycling centers! We can take small electronics and computers at clothing drive. **For larger item donations, please call for a home pick up. SORRY NO TELEVISIONS.**

Your donations go to the St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Shops where much of your donations are given away free to needy families in the community. Some are sold at reasonable prices at the thrift shops so that needy families can shop with dignity. "Proceeds" from the thrift shops go into a general assistance fund where St. Vincent de Paul Conferences at the churches help folks with rent, mortgage or utility assistance.

If you have any large items or furniture you would like to donate, you can call and schedule a pick up at your home at **630-231-4658** or email us at **saintvincentdonate@gmail.com**.

**Thanks to all our friends at Christ the Servant for your generous donations!**

*Society of St. Vincent de Paul*

**Thank you for Helping Us to Help People.**

### In Honor of Mary...

Please join us on all the Mondays of May at 6:00 P.M. outside of Christ the Servant Church at the Peace Pole prayer garden for the Rosary in honor of Mary. Any group who would like to lead the rosary on one of these days is welcome. Thank you and hope you can join us.



*Respect for Life Committee...*

### Protecting God's Children for Adults

This program was developed to help caring and responsible adults in keeping children safe. PGCA is mandatory for all adults who work with children in the parish. All parents are encouraged to attend this program.

Many parishes in the Diocese of Joliet are offering this program during the summer. To view a list of available opportunities, visit [www.virtus.org](http://www.virtus.org). Select Registration > View list of sessions > Joliet IL (Diocese)



### THIRD ANNUAL MEN'S CONFERENCE

On June 4, 2016 men of all ages from around the diocese will gather at Benedictine University in Lisle for a day of renewal, reflection and recommitment to following Jesus in everyday life. This "Fishers of Men" conference will include Mass with Bishop Siegel and keynote presentation by the founder of Battle Ready Strong, Doug Barry. There will also be an opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and breakout sessions on a variety of topics. For more information or to register, visit [www.fishersofmenonline.com](http://www.fishersofmenonline.com)

Registration online is preferred, or you may call the Joliet Diocese Office of Lay Formation David D. Spesia, Director, (815) 221-6140

### Operation Andrew Dinner



Dinner with Bishop Conlon

Tuesday, June 7, 2016

6-8 pm

St. Mary Parish

140 N. Oakwood Ave.

West Chicago, IL 60185

For Registration visit [www.vocations.com](http://www.vocations.com)

For young men 13 yrs of age and older

## Religious Formation



### Grades K-8 HAPPY SUMMER!

Remember that God hears our prayers  
all year long.

Please return any RF textbooks  
that may still be at home.



**MARK YOUR CALENDARS.....**  
Service Opportunity!

**F.A.C.T. Families with Active Catholic Teens**  
Car Wash  
Saturday, June 18th – 9am to Noon



**Registration forms for 2016/17**  
**Religious Formation Classes** will be  
available soon in the narthex and on the  
parish web-site; [www.ctswoodridge.org](http://www.ctswoodridge.org)

### CLOW Presiders & Shepherds



Thank you to our Children's  
Liturgy of the Word  
Presiders: Chris Bosacki,  
Donna Ciolek, Lisa Gumina,  
Gayle Herce and Mary  
Rybicki. Each week they  
shared the stories we heard

about Jesus in church with the children; helping  
them to understand the Scripture message at  
their level. If you would be interested in joining  
the CLOW team (as a presider/leader or a  
shepherd/helper) for next year, please contact  
Liz Jesse.

High school age volunteers are welcomed to help!

**Christ the Servant Religious Formation**  
has a  
**Facebook page!**  
[www.facebook.com/ctswoodridgerf.org](http://www.facebook.com/ctswoodridgerf.org)  
"Like" us!

### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults



- If you simply want to know more about the Catholic Church...
- If you are interested in our Catholic Faith and Traditions....
- If you have questions about the Catholic Church....
- If you seeking a sacrament...Baptism..Eucharist.. Confirmation
- If you feel that the Lord is calling you into deeper relationship....

Maybe the RCIA is the next step on your journey.

**Meetings begin in the Fall. Contact Liz Jesse, Director of Religious Formation, for information about the RCIA Process or if you are interested in serving on the RCIA Team and sharing your faith. 630-910-0770 x12 or [liz@ctswoodridge.org](mailto:liz@ctswoodridge.org)**

### Offering of Letters

**"Mothers and Children Surviving and Thriving"**  
Weekend of June 4-5, 2016

**Can we bring to life God's Vision of a world in which people "hunger... and thirst no more?"**

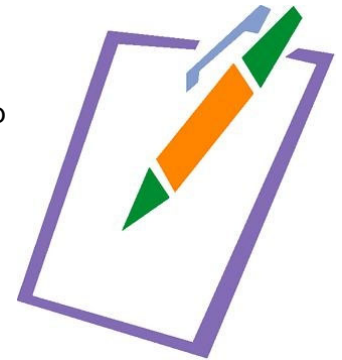
As we join efforts to help mothers and children survive and thrive, we are part of God's vision of a world without hunger and thirst for all God's children. (Revelation 7:16) We are also following Jesus' example of caring for the poor and vulnerable of our world.

To achieve this new reality, we need to engage in advocacy urging our nation's leaders to support programs that help women and infants survive childbirth and early childhood and then thrive so they can reach their full potential.

Providing nutritious food, showing how to prepare it, food supplements, pre-natal and post-natal care, hygiene, vaccines, and medicines have been proven to have a huge impact on saving lives.

By 2020, 15 million children and 600,000 women will be saved if Congress supports the budget increase in USAID's (U. S. Agency for International Development) global health account.

See the insert in today's bulletin for more facts about hunger here and globally.



Tired of seeing the same names over and over? One of the names you see could be yours—and then you wouldn't see the other names as often! It doesn't take any longer to serve at mass than it does to come, and the role you fulfill is needed and satisfying. Find out how!



Next Weekend's **MINISTERS**—Body & Blood of Christ  
(Liturgical color: White)

Contact Corinne Hanson, 630-910-0770, or email [ctsoffice@ctswoodridge.org](mailto:ctsoffice@ctswoodridge.org), for information on how to get started in a liturgical ministry. Scheduling is based on your availability. When you see a name lots of times on the lists to the right, it's because we need more people like you helping out!

	<b>Saturday May 28 4:45 PM</b>	<b>Sunday May 29 8:30 AM</b>	<b>Sunday May 29 10:00 AM</b>
<b>ALTAR MIN:</b>	M Family	C Family	An Family
<b>EXT. MINISTERS:</b>	Ramon J Mary K Donna M Rita S Annie T	Cheryl F Cindy F Jose S Melania S Lee W	Maria F DEACON F Madeline H Dan R Jesse T
<b>LECTORS:</b>	Vince D Debi S	Paula R Virginia A	Judy E Toni M
<b>HOST TEAMS:</b>	Cathy B Maryrose G	Greg F Mathew M	D Family

## Respect for All Life

### Help for Veterans Available

Supportive Services for Veteran Families (SSVF) is a program by Catholic Charities which assists eligible veterans who are homeless or imminently at risk of homelessness by helping them stabilize their housing situations. Catholic Charities SSVF program provides case management, vocational counseling, employment assistance, educational assistance, budgeting assistance, housing counseling and support, daily living counseling, linkage to behavioral health services, and linkage to VA benefits or additional Veteran services available in the community. SSVF temporary financial assistance can help with rental back payments, security deposits, utility assistance or deposits and moving costs. Catholic Charities in the Joliet diocese is a member of Illinois Joining Forces (IJF), a statewide public-private network of veteran and military service organizations. Get more information about IJF at: [www.Illinoisjoiningforces.org](http://www.Illinoisjoiningforces.org), or call 815-774-4663.



~ submitted by Dave A

### Baby Bottles for Life



Take home a Baby Bottle, fill it with cash/change/check (your choice, or combination!), and return it to church the weekend of June 4/5. Donations will benefit Woman's Choice Services/Waterleaf Center

to assist women in crisis situations. Checks may be made payable to Woman's Choice Services.

## 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. Burke Masters at [frburke23@aol.com](mailto:frburke23@aol.com).

**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, help driving to appointments, or emergency meals, call Deacon Tom F.

**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, June 2, 7:00-8:00 PM**

## Mass Intentions for the Week

### TABERNACLE LIGHT

Joe Miklosz

### MASS & PRAYER INTENTIONS

#### Saturday, May 21

4:45 PM Claryce Derek, *r. Margot Worfolk*  
Joseph Riedl, Sr, *r. Emily Riedl*  
People of the Parish

#### Sunday, May 22

8:30 AM Frank Kraft, *r. Pat Savage*  
10:00 AM Teresa Ranalli, *r. Nancy Roche*  
Martha Costantini, *r. Loretta Dick*  
Carmen Valliere, *r. family*

#### Monday, May 23

8:30 AM Ramon Almase, *r. Edwin & Jocelyn David*

#### Tuesday, May 24

8:30 AM People of the Parish

#### Wednesday, May 25

8:30 AM Souls in Purgatory

#### Thursday, May 26

8:30 AM Mildred Weems, Sp. Int., *r. Jackie Nemec*

#### Friday, May 27—Communion Service

Pray for Mildred Weems

#### Saturday, May 28

4:45 PM Joseph Riedl, Sr, *r. Donna Mays*  
Wilfred Merriman, *r. family*  
Helen (Mom) Kolodziej, *r. Peslak family*

#### Sunday, May 29

8:30 AM People of the Parish  
10:00 AM Bill Dalton, *r. Nancy Roche*  
Stanley Farbotko, *r. Lee White*

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

## Bible Readings—May 22-May 29

**SUNDAY:** Prv 8:22-31 / Rom 5:1-5 / Jn 16:12-15

**MONDAY:** 1 Pt 1:3-9 / Mk 10:17-27

**TUESDAY:** 1 Pt 1:10-16 / Mk 10:28-31

**WEDNESDAY:** 1 Pt 1:18-25 / Mk 10:32-45

**THURSDAY:** 1 Pt 2:2-5,9-12 / Mk 10:46-52

**FRIDAY:** 1 Pt 4:7-13 / Mk 11:11-26

**SATURDAY:** Jude 17,20b-25 / Mk 11:27-33

**SUNDAY:** Gn 14:18-20 / 1 Cor 11:23-26 / Lk 9:11b-17

For easy internet access to the daily readings, visit [www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org), and click on the calendar on the right side of the page. You can even subscribe to have the readings sent to you via email each day. Just scroll to the bottom of the readings page if you wish to subscribe.

## We pray for the Sick

Jim Cashmore	Joanne Keefe	Jim Sanders
Jack Crosby	Peg Klug	Paula Sedlacek
Bernice Deron	Betty Kozlowski	Roger Terry
Holly Derrico	Peggy Laughlin	Frank Tiesenga
Gloria DuSatko	Katherine Leninger	Mary Vanderplow
Nathaniel Eagleson	James McIlvain Jr	Rick Vendl
Ed Glos	Patricia Moxey	Andie Wolfe
Gabriella Grasso	Jackie Nemec	Joe Zapalac
Tim Hamelin	Alie Phillips	
Nancy Hart	Pauline Popek	
Hannah Jahn	Ron Rydzewski	

*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 [corinne@ctswoodridge.org](mailto:corinne@ctswoodridge.org). Thank you.***

## We pray for the Deceased



**Carol Fuhs**  
(mother of Jennifer Riemer)

## We pray for those who Serve

**Christopher Durkovic**, grandson of Joan Kurtz

**Dan Fialek**, nephew of Jerry Fialek

**Eric Graslje**, cousin of Pauline Ryan

**David Jackson**, son of Cathleen Jackson

**Ben Jalove**, nephew of Chuck & Linda Jalove

**Sam Persin**, nephew of Joe & Mary Testolin

**Joshua Plucinski**, grandson of Joan Kurtz

**Jim Sheehan**, godson of Liz Jesse

*If you have a family member serving overseas, please let us know. We will publish their names in the bulletin to remind everyone to ask for God's blessings on them, that they may return safely to their families. Let us join our prayers for peace and safety with yours. Also, please let us know when they return safely home, so that we may also rejoice with you.*

### PATIENCE

Patience and the passage of time  
do more than strength and fury.

—Jean de la Fontaine



## Office Hours & Staff

**8700 Havens Drive**  
**Woodridge, Illinois 60517**  
**Phone: (630) 910-0770**  
**Fax: (630) 910-6060**  
**[www.ctswoodridge.org](http://www.ctswoodridge.org)**

### Office Hours

Monday—Friday.....9:00 AM—4:30 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

**Fr. Bob Duda**, Pastor Ext. 15  
[FrBob@ctswoodridge.org](mailto:FrBob@ctswoodridge.org)

**Tom Fricke**, Permanent Deacon  
[dcnfricke@ctswoodridge.org](mailto:dcnfricke@ctswoodridge.org)

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**Corinne Hanson**, Bus. Manager Ext. 10

**Liz Jesse**,  
 Religious Formation Director Ext. 12

**Janet Alikapala**, Music Director  
[janet@ctswoodridge.org](mailto:janet@ctswoodridge.org)

### Commission Chairpersons

**Barb Kosiek**, Pastoral Council

**Debi Savage**, Pastoral Council Co-Chair

**Jim McIlvain**, Administration/Finance

**Jerry Fialek**, Christian Service (scribe)

**Rosada Heintz**, Parish Life

**Jean Durran**, Parish Life Co-Chair

**Marybeth Nunzio**, Religious Formation

**Sister Suzanne Lesniewski**, Worship

## Calendar of Events

### Pick up Walk the Walk Flyers Sunday, May 22

### Monday, May 23

6:00 pm—Rosary (Peace Pole garden)

7:00 pm—Parish Pastoral Council

### Tuesday, May 24

### Wednesday, May 25

### Thursday, May 26

7:00 pm—Adult Choir

### Friday, May 27

6:30 pm—Wedding Rehearsal

### Saturday, May 28

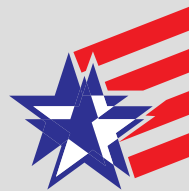
8:30-11:30 am—Electronic Recycling

2:00 pm—Wedding

4:20 pm—Knights of Columbus Rosary

### Sunday, May 29

## Upcoming Events



**May 30:** Memorial Day holiday; offices closed

**June 4-5:** Bread for the World Offering of Letters after masses

**June 11-12:** St. Vincent DePaul Clothing Drive

**June 11-12:** Father's Day card sale

**June 12:** 11:30 am, Manna orders due

## Parish Giving

Today's psalm reminds us that we have been crowned with glory and honor and given rule over the works of God's hands. But we must be good stewards, for the Lord will surely hold us accountable for the use of those gifts!

### NEEDED WEEKLY: 2015-2016

Parish Expenses	\$ 6,820.00
Mortgage Payment	3,350.00
<b>Total Needed</b>	<b>\$ 10,170.00</b>

### CONTRIBUTIONS May 10-May 15:

Sunday 5/15	\$ 6,352.10
Sunday other forms	855.00
General Funds	160.00
Debt Reduction	145.00
<b>Total Contributed</b>	<b>\$ 7,512.10</b>

### Differential report:

Needed	\$ 10,170.00
Reported	7,512.10
<b>Deficit this period</b>	<b>\$ (2,657.90)</b>

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

Debt to Diocese as of 4/30 \$374,949

Registered Households—750

*Thank you for your generous support!*

**Did you know...** we will be improving our electronic contribution site very soon, adding echecks to debit/credit cards. You will have more control, and be able to print a report at any time.

**Leave a Legacy.** Make a planned gift to our parish or diocese. Call the Development Office at 815-221-6100.

To donate stocks, visit [www.dioceseofjoliet.org](http://www.dioceseofjoliet.org) and click on "Donate", then click on Stock Donations for details on the process.

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