

**GOD'S GREATEST MIRACLE: JESUS' RESURRECTION  
GOD**

has raised up this JESUS from the dead, the one you crucified, GOD has made him both LORD and CHRIST. Of that, we all are witnesses: says Peter. ~ Acts 2:22-36 ~

**CHANGE @ MASS TIME @ SATURDAY: 4-6-2024.  
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On Saturday afternoon April 6th, the Priest will celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage at our Sister Parish of St. Patrick Church, Cairo, IL. The Priest may not be able to be back in time for Mass at the usual time @ 4p.m. Therefore be informed that at St. Rose Church the Saturday evening Mass will begin later: at around 4:20 p.m.

Thanks for your patience and understanding the change of Mass times 04-06-2024

**DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY, April 7th 2024**

Come for  
DIVINE MERCY SERVICE + DEVOTION.

**It will begin at 3:00 p.m.**

Parishioners have asked for this time:  
A TIME FOR PRAYER + ADORATION  
@St. Rose of Lima Church

**ST. ROSE OF LIMA PARISH + ST. PATRICK PARISH.**

GOD says:

But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for GOD's own possession, so that you may proclaim the goodness of LORD your God who called you out of darkness into his WONDERFUL LIGHT.

~ 1 Peter 2:9 ~

**GOD BLESS YOU FOR YOUR ATTENDANCE AT MASS**

The LORD bless you, and keep you!

The LORD let his face shine on you and be gracious to you!

The LORD look upon you kindly and give you peace! ~Numbers 6:24-26~

# St. Rose of Lima Parish

Sharing in One Faith for 152 years  
1872—2024



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## CHRIST LOVES YOU

~ John 15:9

## SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY

Acts 4:32-35 \*\* Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 \*\* 1 Jn 5:1-6 Jn 20:19-31

**For Mass Readings:** <http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings>

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## MASS TIMES

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

Weekday Mass

Sunday @Cairo

Sunday: 8:30 a.m.

Tues-Fri: 8:00 a.m.

Mass 11:00 a.m.

*Come & Pray with Us*

**April Birthdays**

Gloria Schmidt—5; Collin Andrew Schupp—5; Dianna Jaramillo—11;  
Michael McDuffee—11; Don Smith—11; Eli James Schmidt—16;  
Hannah Rojas—24; Juan Rojas—26; Ben Bajuyo—28; Alice Smith—28

**April Anniversaries**

Carl & Melody Schmidt—12; Stephanie & Michael McDuffee—22;  
Mike & Karen Umberger—23; Steven & Valerie LaFont—30

Please notify the office if your birthday or anniversary is not listed and you would like it to be included in the bulletin.

**PRAYING FOR PRIESTLY VOCATIONS: BELLEVILLE DIOCESE**

GOD says,  
And I will select some of them also to be Priest & Levites

*Isaiah 66:22*

**COME HOLY SPIRIT, ANOINT OUR PARISH FAMILY - Ezekiel 36:26**

We pray for God’s anointing on this Church Family gathered here, to take courage and invite others to come join our Church, or to come back to our

**BISHOP M. McGOVERN’S RESPONSE**

**TO THE ILLINOIS ATTORNEY GENERAL REPORT**

Article & Video: on Belleville Diocese website—<http://www.diobelle.org>

**Belleville Diocese & Child Protection Policy**

**SEXUAL ABUSE HOTLINE**

To report an allegation of sexual misconduct by a priest or other diocesan personnel please call the hotline: **800-640-3044**

**St. Rose of Lima Parish & St. Patrick Parish**

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**LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE BEFORE OTHERS**

so that seeing your good works, they may give glory  
to GOD THE FATHER who is in heaven ~ **Mat 5:16**

**Weekly Offerings for March 23rd & 24th, 2024**

Parishioner’s Envelopes	\$765.00	Candles	\$19.00
Building & Maintenance	1231.50	Fish Fry Tickets Sold	170.00
St. Patrick Insurance Payment	43.54	Fish Fry Donations	185.00
Easter Flowers Memorials	265.00	Outreach	15.00
Holy Thursday	25.00	Good Friday	25.00
Easter Offering	50.00		
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2794.04</b>

**Weekly Offerings For March 30th & 31st, 2024**

General Fund/Easter Offering	\$1355.00	Building and Maintenance	\$258.00
Candles	3.00	Easter Flower Memorials	10.00
Holy Thursday	260.00	Fish Fry Tickets Sold	105.00
Good Friday/Holy Land	355.00		
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$4052.50</b>

**WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS**

Hanns Bell—April 6 (in honor); Channing Swertfeger— April 7;  
Channing Swertfeger—April 13; Diane Croach—April 14;  
James Gebel—April 16; Carol Gunn-April 17; Benjamin Bell-April 17;  
LaFont & Jackson families-April 20; Channing Swertfeger-April 21;  
Channing Swertfeger-April 27

Masses are available for weekdays & Saturday & Sunday

**GOD BLESS PARISH LEADERS**

GOD says:

As I was with Moses, I will be with you, not forsake you.

~Joshua 1:5

**PRAY FOR ONE ANOTHER so you too may be healed—James 5:16**

\*We pray for the sick in our families, our parish and in the whole world.

\*We pray for our brothers, sisters who died, and are gone to the FATHER.