

TRUST GOD BECAUSE HE HAS BEST PLAN FOR US.
God says - I know the best plans I have for yu. Plans for peace,
and not evil, to give you Hope and a Future ~ **Jeremiah 29:11**

STATIONS OF THE CROSS @ Fridays in LENT
*The STATIONS OF THE CROSS prayed on Fridays.
*This prayer service will begin Friday, February 20th, 6:00 p.m.

LORD JESUS, I WANT TO BE RENEWED IN 40 DAYS OF LENT.
JESUS invites us to be more active in alms giving, in praying, and in fasting.
Do so with a sincerity heart: GOD the FATHER will reward you ~ **Matthew 6**

FISH FRY IS FRIDAY, MARCH 27TH
*Check the signup sheets in the back of the church
*Posters and tickets are at the back of the church

JESUS IS SAYING - I HAVE PRAYED FOR YOU - Luke 22:32
Jesus told Simon: I have prayed for you that your faith may not fail.
And when you have turned again, you must strengthen your brethren.

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR PARISH FAMILY.
Thank you very much for the prayers and all support you have given
to our Parish Family. Thank you for your constant attendance at Mass.

PRAYING FOR PRIESTLY VOCATIONS @ Belleville Diocese
O GOD bless your priests, enrich in them in their prayer, and in their work.
LORD JESUS raise up many priestly vocations for our Belleville Diocese.

PRAYING FOR BELLEVILLE DIOCESE TO GET NEW BISHOP.
GOD we pray you provide for us a New Bishop to lead Belleville Diocese.
GOD says: I will give you a shepherd after my own heart ~Jeremiah 3:15

LORD SEND YOUR SPIRIT +CREATE US ANEW: Psalm 104:30
Come Holy Spirit and anoint our Church gathered here. Holy Spirit
invite others to come and join our church, or to come back to Church.

PARISH TRUSTEES, PARISH COUNCIL, PARISHIONERS, VISITORS.
I thank God through Jesus Christ for you all and for your faith. ~**Romans 1:8-9**
The friends here greet you. Greet friends there each by name ~ **3 John v15**

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CHRIST LOVES YOU

~ John 15:9

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Gn 2:7-9, 3:1-7 *** Ps 51:3-6, 12-13, 17 *** Rom 5:12-19 *** Mt 4:1-11

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

February Birthdays

**Dylan Fairchild—Feb. 1; Carl Schmidt—Feb. 7; Judi Anagnos—Feb. 9;
Elizabeth Rojas—Feb. 12; Len Maggio—Feb. 15; David Anagnos—Feb. 16;
Jerry Burnett—Feb. 19; John Snyder—Feb. 2**

No Anniversaries in February

St. ROSE OF LIMA PARISH & ST. PATRICK PARISH.
Psalm 80:19 says

O LORD, restore us: Let your face shine on us and we shall be saved.

Matthew 5:6 says

LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE BEFORE OTHERS

so that seeing your good works they may give glory to God the Father

GOD BLESS BELLEVILLE DIOCESE

The LORD bless you!

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

REV. FATHER GODFREY MULLEN — Belleville diocesan Administrator.

We pray for Rev. Godfrey Mullen, Pastor of St. Peter Cathedral Parish, Belleville. Priests elected him to serve as Diocesan Administrator till a new Bishop is appointed. O GOD give your strength, your guidance and your wisdom to Father Godfrey Mullen.

**BELLEVILLE DIOCESE 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**

February 14th & February 15th, 2026

Parishioners Envelopes	\$1080.00	Building & Maint.	\$817.00
Candles	\$20.00	Fish Fry Donations	\$1267.94
St. Patrick Insurance	\$1800.00	RummageSale(transfer)	\$208.00
Messenger	\$160.00	TOTAL	\$5352.94

February 7th & February 8th, 2026

Parishioners Envelopes	\$1325.00	Building & Maint.	\$ 2637.00
Candles	\$20.00	Outreach	\$50.00
Messenger	\$50.00	Fish Fry Donations	\$330.68
		TOTAL	\$4412.68

GOD BLESS YOU FOR YOUR CHURCH CONTRIBUTIONS.

~LORD GOOD loves a cheerful giver! ~**C Corinthians 9:7**

~I MYSELF will bless you abundantly. ~**Hebrews 6:14**

GOD BLESS PARISH LEADERS

GOD has chosen you to know His will, to be His witness to all. ~**Acts 22:14-15**

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

LaFont & Jackson families-Feb.21; Danny Webber-Feb. 22; Hanns Bell-Feb. 26;
Betty Tockstein-Feb. 28; Hanns Bell-Feb. 28; Hanns Bell-March 8;
LaFont & Jackson families-March 21; Hanns Bell-March 22

Masses are available for weekdays, Saturday, and Sunday

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

*We pray for the sick of our families, our parish and in the whold world.

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