

*Welcome to Annunciation of the
Blessed Virgin Mary Catholic Church
Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 12, 2026*

~ Our Mission Statement ~

We, the parish of Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, are a Roman Catholic Church of Missionary Disciples. United to Christ through Liturgy, Stewardship, and Service, we seek to evangelize by invitation to personal encounters with Christ and accompany each other on the way home to heaven.



Mass Schedule:

**Weekends: Saturday Evening: 4:30pm
Sunday: 7:30am, 9:30am and 11:30am
Weekdays: Monday, Wednesday & Friday:
8:45am; Tuesday and Thursday: 6:30am, Satur-
day, 8:00am.**

Confessions will be heard after the 6:30am Mass on Tuesday and Thursday, they will also be heard after the Saturday 8:00am Mass. You may also call the parish office and speak to Fr McFadden to schedule a time for confession.

Adoration: Tuesday from 8:30am-5:30pm. First Friday of the month, from 8:30am-4:00pm.



We will be praying the rosary at the Grotto behind church every Tuesday night at 6:30pm.

The Pictorial Directories are here. We will be out after the Masses this weekend, or you may pick them up at the parish office during office hours. If you see Bob Kresz, Nancy Weistroffer, or Linda Wrona, be sure to thank them for the beautiful directory, also thank you to the hostesses and to everyone who had their pictures taken.

We Pray for our Sick and Suffering

Anna Adams	Bob Klein	Norb Rozanski
Bill Aloisio	Patrick Lavigne	Fred Runge
Joan Bassak	Jacqueline Lehy	Pat Silvestri
Irene Bezroukoff	Margie May-Carte	Geri Smith
Michelle Bezroukoff	Carrie Mitchell	Lyle Smith
Martin Brosas	Joe Pascolini	Sally Thayer
Mary Aloisio Cummings	Mark Phillips	Jack Watson
May Beth Erickson	Ken Podsiadlik	Connie Weber
Mark Huettner	Kathy Rapp	Linda White
Imelda Johnson	Maria Rodriguez	

Please note:

Due to the government legislation regarding patient privacy, names of people to be prayed for at Mass or in the Bulletin can be listed only if that **person, or, in the case of their incapacitation, the person delegated to their medical care**, calls the parish office to give permission. The above also pertains to the **Sacrament of The Anointing of the Sick**.

Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary will continue to pray for all the sick and suffering, even if unable to list by name.

Our parish has joined a Catholic website called **FORMED**. This website is loaded with articles, videos, eBooks, and much more—all of which are thoroughly Catholic. You simply go to this website: <https://formed.org> (This is a secure site, which is why there is an “s” in the address). Once there, you will want to click on “Sign Up” (do not click on “Sign In”). In the next prompt, choose “Sign up as a parishioner.” The next prompt will ask you to “Create a New Account.” In the search box, put in the parish’s zip code: 60505. That will give you Annunciation as your choice. Click on that, and then click “next.” From there, you’ll put in your personal information.

RESCHEDULED

Lourdes Virtual Pilgrimage

This event has been postponed till Fall.
Please mark your calendars for this event on SEPT. 12, 2026.
Please watch the bulletin for updates on this upcoming event.
Looking forward to seeing you at this wonderful event.

CONTRIBUTIONS

Thank you for your generosity to the parish!

Sunday, June 28

4:30pm	\$2,186.00
7:30am	\$2,022.00
9:30am	\$2,242.63
11:30am	\$1,131.00
Mail-ins	\$460.00

TOTAL: \$

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Sanctuary Candle

This week the sanctuary candle is in Memory of Jerry & Delores Franck by Family. If you would like to sponsor a sanctuary candle, please fill out this form or call Mary in the parish office.

In honor or memory of: _____

A \$25.00 donation is requested.

From the Desk of Father McFadden:

Dear Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish Family,

This weekend, I am away at a conference with several of our young people from Annunciation called the Steubenville Youth Conference. It was begun decades ago to help young people experience the love of Jesus in His church.

These conferences began in the 1980s by the late Fr. Michael Scanlon to bring young people together to experience and meet Christ through worship, friendships, and the sacraments.

We left from St. Peter in Geneva at 5:30 a.m. yesterday morning and will arrive at Missouri State where we joined 5,000 of our closest high school friends this evening around 3 or 4 p.m. Over the next two days, we have daily Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, time on the bus together, lots of opportunity for confession and the gift shops with Catholic books, clothes, and sacramentals, a block party, keynotes addresses, men and women's talks, and breakout sessions!

I ask you to keep myself, our chaperones, and our young people in prayer as we experience the joy of being together in the Lord.

Check the Facebook account for updates of pictures throughout the weekend

Joyfully and gratefully your pastor,
Fr. McFadden



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Annunciation's next monthly Food Drive will be held the weekend of July 11 and 12. Please bring donations to the bins in front of the altar, near the organ. Donations are accepted during designated weekends only. Also, please check the dates on all items. Thank you for your continued support of the Annunciation Food Drive.

SILVER & GOLD ANNIVERSARY MASS

Registration is now open for our **Silver & Gold Wedding Anniversary Mass** at St. Mary Parish in Huntley, IL, on **Sunday, August 16, at 2:30 p.m.**, celebrated by **Bishop David J. Malloy**. Couples celebrating a milestone anniversary for their marriage in 2026 are invited. A reception with cake will immediately follow. Commemorative certificates to mark this special occasion will be available to those who pre-register in English or Spanish by **Monday, August 3**.

On Friday, August 21, Annunciation Parish will head out to a **Kane County Cougars baseball game**. Join us for an evening of great baseball, fun, and post-game fireworks! For more information or to buy a ticket for \$10.00, please call Mark Fletcher in the parish office at 630.851.1436 or email him at mfletcher@rockforddiocese.org to put your reservation for the ballgame in.

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**CLASS
REUNION**

**SATURDAY,
NOVEMBER 14,
2026**

EVENT HIGHLIGHTS:

- 4:30 - Mass at Annunciation
- 5:30 - tour of school
- 6:00 - Ach-N-Lou's

CLASS OF

86






RSVP:

- Jeaneen Esposito Benhart
- jbbenhart@yahoo.com

Rediscovering Your Catholic Faith

From the Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church

PART ONE: THE PROFESSION OF FAITH

Section Two: The Profession of Faith

Chapter Three: I Believe in the Holy Spirit

“I Believe in the Holy Catholic Church”

The Church in the Plan of God

147. What does the word *Church* mean?

The word *Church* refers to the people whom God calls and gathers together from every part of the earth. They form the assembly of those who through faith and Baptism have become children of God, members of Christ, and temples of the Holy Spirit.

148. Are there other names and images with which the Bible speaks about the Church?

In Sacred Scripture we find many images which bring out various complementary aspects of the mystery of the Church. The Old Testament favors those images that are bound to the *people of God*. The New Testament offers images that are linked to Christ as the Head of this people which is his Body. Other images are drawn from pastoral life (field, olive grove, vineyard), from construction (dwelling place, stone, temple), and from family life (spouse, mother, family).

149. What is the origin and the fulfillment of the Church?

The Church finds her origin and fulfillment in the eternal plan of God. She was prepared for in the Old Covenant with the election of Israel, the sign of the future gathering of all nations. Founded by the words and actions of Jesus Christ, fulfilled by his redeeming death and Resurrection, the Church has been manifested as the mystery of salvation by the outpouring of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. She will be perfected in the glory of heaven as the assembly of all the redeemed of the earth.

150. What is the mission of the Church?

The mission of the Church is to proclaim and establish the Kingdom of God begun by Jesus Christ among all peoples. The Church constitutes on earth the seed and beginning of this salvific Kingdom.

151. In what way is the Church a *mystery*?

The Church is a mystery in as much as in her visible reality there is present and active a divine spiritual reality which can only be seen with the eyes of faith.

152. What does it mean to say that the Church is a *universal sacrament of salvation*?

This means that she is the sign and instrument both of the reconciliation and communion of all of humanity with God and of the unity of the entire human race.

All ladies of Annunciation and their friends are invited to participate in the **summer book club**. These evenings offer great conversations, tasty treats, and a fantastic way to connect with other parishioners.

Here are the details for the next two summer book club events.

July's book is ***The Rocking Chair Prophet*** by Matthew Kelly. This easy to read novel is loaded with nuggets of wisdom. Used copies are available on Amazon or Thrift Books for about \$5 each. We will be meeting on July 30 to discuss this book.

The book for August is ***My Sisters the Saints*** by Colleen Carroll Campbell. This memoir looks at the lives of six popular saints who have influenced the author's life. Again, very reasonably priced used copies are available online. We will meet on August 20 to share this book.

We meet at the parish patio at 6:30 on Thursday evenings. If you need help getting either book, please just let me know and we will make sure that we get you a copy. If you have any questions, please contact Chris Eversole at 630-313-0567.

Please come join us!



Mass Intentions

Monday, July 13

8:45am †Richard Fidler by Family

Tuesday, July 14

6:30am The Waterleaf workers and supporters

Wednesday, July 15

8:45am †Anthony Aloisio by Family

Thursday, July 16

6:30am †Gus Caliendo by Family

Friday, July 17

8:45 am †Patricia Poss

Saturday, July 18

8:00am †Amelia Ignacio

4:30pm †Robert Griffin by Family

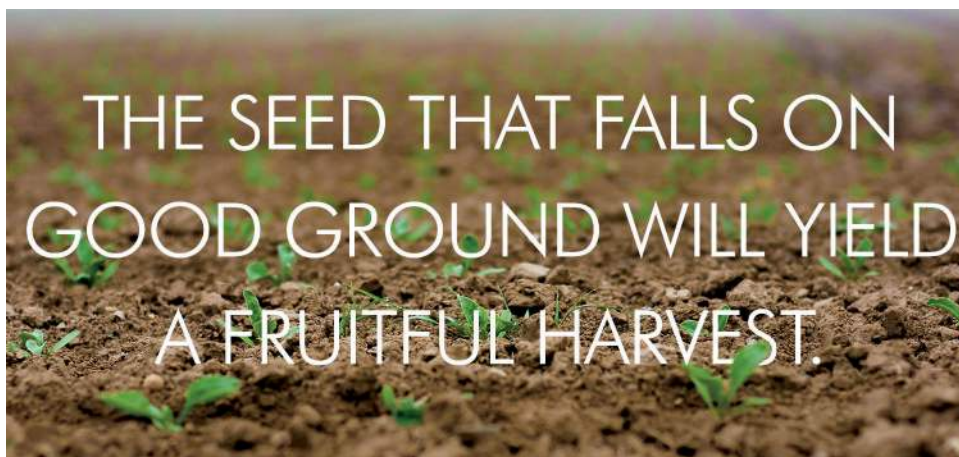
Sunday, July 19

7:30am †Donald Nolde by Toni Nolde

†Rita Evans by Son

9:30am †George Kackert by Family

11:30am Our Parish Family





Parish Office

1820 Church Road, Aurora, IL 60505
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Administrative Assistants.....Lori Pacer...Anhdria Paschoud

We Welcome You!

We welcome you to our parish and our community. If you would like to become a member of Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church, please contact the parish office 630-851-1436 to register. Adult children of current members are also encouraged to register.

Baptism:

Please contact the parish office to schedule. 630.851.1436.

Marriage:

Weddings must be scheduled no less than six months out in order to fulfill the diocesan marriage preparation requirements. If there were any previous marriages that were not annulled by the Church, please let Fr. McFadden know.

Anointing of the Sick:

Whenever someone is seriously ill, hospitalized, or is dying, please contact the parish office immediately.

Communion for the Sick:

Please call the parish office.

Bulletin Deadline:

If you would like something placed in the bulletin, please email the parish office 10 days before the Sunday it is due.
annunciationbvm-aurora@rockforddiocese.org

Catholic Men In The World Today:

Meets every Saturday morning at 6:30am in the Parish Patio. For information on who we are and what we do, please email us at anmmensgroup@aol.com.

The Knights of Columbus Council 736:

They meet on the second Thursday at 7:00pm. For contact information and calendar of events, go to the council website at: knightsofcolumbusil.org/council736.



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