

Parish Directory

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Youth Ministry: Jose Luis Favela is in charge of Youth Group. Meetings are every second and fourth Friday of the month from 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm.



St. Patrick Catholic Church

www.stpatrickrockford.org

(815) 965-9539

2505 School Street, Rockford, IL 61101

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday– Friday: 9:00am-1:00pm

MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 8:00am (In the chapel)

Wednesday: 6:30pm (Spanish ~ In the church)

Saturday: 4:00pm (Bilingual)

Sunday: 8:00am*, 10:00am, 11:30am* (* in Spanish)

FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH

No Mass and confession in the morning.

Confession 5:00pm-6:00pm

Mass with Anointing of the Sick 6:00pm

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8:30am (Parish office)

Wednesday 5:30pm

Saturday 3:00pm-3:45pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Tuesday & Thursday 8:30am– 6:00pm
(In the chapel)

Fr. Ariel A. Valencia
Parochial Administrator

Baptism

Please call the parish office to schedule a baptism class in English and date of baptism. Los papas y padrinos deben asistir una platica pre-bautismal (cada primer Sábado del mes, 1:00pm en la oficina). Donación de \$50 cada familia. Favor de no traer niños. Celebramos el Bautismo durante las Misas Dominicales.

Sacrament of Marriage

Engaged couples should call the office to begin the process of marriage preparation. A minimum of six months is required.ayer and participation in the sacraments are helpful.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

Please call the parish office to make arrangements to receive this sacrament of healing.

For emergency, call Fr. Ariel (815) 505-7471.

Presentation of a 3-year old/Las Presentaciones

Presentaciones

This blessing is done at a Sunday Mass. Please call the parish office to schedule.

Financial Blessings



May 17, 2026

Sunday Envelopes.....\$ 1,644.00
 Offertory.....\$ 1,664.00
 Holy Day.....\$ 169.00
 Total.....\$ 3,477.00

2026 Diocesan Appeal:

Diocesan Appeal Goal.....\$ 24,400.00
 Diocesan Appeal Paid.....\$ 12,744.00
 Diocesan Appeal Balance.....\$ 11,656.00

En la colecta Diocesana un porcentaje de cada dolar apoya en las siguientes areas:

- 15% Formando y apoyando el credo
- 62% anunciando el Evangelio y transmitiendo la fe
- 23% Cuidando a los pobres y vulnerables

Comparta su Alegria y haga la diferencia!

The Diocesan Appeal a portion of every dollar given to these key areas:

- 15% Forming and Supporting Clergy
- 62% proclaiming the Gospel and passing of the Faith
- 23% Caring for the Poor and vulnerable

Share your Joy and make a difference!

All Saints Catholic Academy Rockford, IL is an area Catholic grade school.

All Saints Catholic Academy is proud of their teachings and values, rooted in community, Tradition and faith.

Please check the website for more details. www.allsaintsrockford.org

Christ with me,
 Christ before me,
 Christ behind me,
 Christ in me,
 Christ beneath me,
 Christ above me,
 Christ on my right,
 Christ on my left,
 Christ when I lie down,
 Christ when I sit down,
 Christ when I arise,
 Christ in the heart of every
 man who thinks of me,
 Christ in the mouth of everyone
 who speaks of me,
 Christ in every eye that sees me,
 Christ in every ear that hears me.
 I arise today
 Through a mighty strength,
 the invocation of the Trinity,
 Through belief in the Threeness,
 Through confession of the Oneness
 of the Creator of creation.
 (St. Patrick's Breastplate)



MAY 24, 2026 ~ PENTECOST SUNDAY



Reflecting on the Word:

Jesus sends his followers to continue his work, but he does not send them empty handed. He pours out his own Spirit on Them, empowering them for the work he asks them to do. Today we celebrate the great gift of the Holy Spirit, poured out on us too! God has given us his Spirit and called each one of us to play a particular role in continuing his saving mission on earth. As we contemplate and rejoice in the gift of the Holy Spirit, we might also reflect on how God is calling us to answer in his mission. What gifts has the Spirit given you to answer that call?

Living the Word:

Jesus has sent us! This might be intimidating, but we celebrate today that we are never alone. The Holy Spirit is with us, giving us strength and help for whatever we are called to do. Have a family conversation this week about who you might particularly be called to help. Maybe there is someone at school who seems a little lonely. Maybe you have a neighbor or friend who is going through a hard time. As a family, ask for the help of the Holy Spirit to reach out to those people you bring up in this conversation.

Reflexion de la Palabra:

Cuando Jesús envía a sus seguidores a continuar su obra, no los envía con las manos vacías. El derrama su propio Espíritu sobre ellos, facilitándolos para la obra que les pide hacer. ¡Hoy celebramos el gran don del espíritu Santo, derramado sobre nos también! Dios nos ha dado su Espíritu y nos ha llamado a cada uno de nosotros a desempeñar un papel particular en la continuación de su misión salvadora en la tierra. Al contemplar y regocijarnos en el don del Espíritu santo, reflexionemos también en como Dios nos llama a compartir su misión. ¿Qué dones les ha dado el Espíritu para responder a ese llamado?

Vivir la Palabra:

¡Jesús nos ha enviado! Esto que puede resultar intimidante, hoy lo celebramos por que no estamos solos. El Espíritu santo está con nosotros, dándonos fuerza y ayuda para cualquier cosa que estemos llamados a hacer, esta semana hablemos en la familia sobre a quien llamar para brindarle ayuda. Quizás haya un vecino o un amigo que este pasando por un momento difícil. En familia, pidan la ayuda del Espíritu Santo para llegar las personas que mencionen en esta conversación.

Te gustaría ser monaguillo?

Ofreceremos entrenamiento para ser monaguillo

Sábado 31 de mayo 11:00 am

Servir a Dios es un privilegio



Rosario en honor a la Virgen María por el mes de Mayo

Acompáñanos a rezar el Santo Rosario en honor a nuestra Madre María el 29 de Mayo a las 6:30 pm

Las niñas pueden traer flores para ofrecerle a la Virgen María.



DAILY READINGS

Readings for the Week of May 24, 2026

Sunday Acts 2:1-11, 1 Cor 12:3b-7. 12-13, Jn 20:19-23
Monday Acts 1:12-14, Jn 19:25-34
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
Next Sunday Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9, 2 Cor 13:11-13, Jn 3:16-18

Prayer before reading the Bible

+Come, O Holy Spirit, fill my heart and mind and inflame them with the fire of your Divine love.+

MASS INTENTIONS



Tuesday, May 26, 2026

8:00 am Kathleen Cerutti

Wednesday, May 27, 2026

6:30 pm Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, May 28, 2026

8:00 am Souls in Purgatory

Friday, May 29, 2026

8:00 am Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, May 30, 2026

4:00 pm Virginia Corona

Sunday, May 31, 2026

8:00 am Souls in Purgatory

10:00 am People of St. Patrick

11:30 am Souls in Purgatory

What's Happening This Week?—¿Que esta pasando esta semana?

Tuesday, May 26

8:30 am - 6:00 pm - Eucharist Adoration/ Adoracion Eucaristica

Wednesday, May 27

5:30 pm - Confession / Confesion

6:30 pm - Misa en Español

7:00 pm - Grupo de Oracion

Thursday, May 28

8:30 am - 6:00 pm - Eucharistic Adoration/ Adoracion Eucaristica

7:00 pm - Reunion Grupo Emaus

Friday, May 29

6:30 pm - Rosario en honor a Maria

Saturday, May 30

3:00 pm - 3:45 pm - Confession

4:00 pm - Bilingual Mass

Taller de Salud Mental

Ven a compartir y aprender en nuestro nuevo taller de salud mental. Ofrecemos un espacio seguro para encontrar descanso, obtener herramientas para la calma, el equilibrio diario y aprende a gestionar el estrés y fortalecer tu corazón en la presencia de Dios. El taller tomara lugar cada lunes empezando el 1 de

Junio a el 6 de Julio de 5:00 PM- 6:30 PM,

Te esperamos este primero de Junio!!!

Nominate the St. Patrick 2026 Woman of the Year!

Each year the Rockford Deanery Council of Catholic Women sponsors the "Women of Inspiration" event to honor one woman from each parish in the Rockford Deanery. These are women who are 18 years or older and have, over the years, given outstanding volunteer service to their parish, community, or school with satisfaction of serving others as their primary payment. Qualifications for the St. Patrick 2026 Woman of the Year include: a faith-filled woman, a variety of interests, outstanding volunteer service to the parish, school and/or community. Nomination forms are available in the back of the church and at the parish office. Deadline to submit the nomination form is on June 26, 2026.