

# TRI PARISH NEWS

## ST. JOSEPH, OLNEY

### Mass times

Wed. & Fri 8:00 am  
Sat. 5:00 pm  
Sun. 8:00 am

## HOLY CROSS, WENDELIN

### Mass times

Thurs. 6:30 pm  
Sat. 4:00 pm  
Sun. 10:00 am

## ST. JOSEPH, STRINGTOWN

### Mass times

Mon. 6:30 pm  
Sun. 8:00 am



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STRINGTOWN**

## AROUND OUR PARISHES

### Sunday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>

Holy Cross Parish Picnic, 10am-10pm.

### Tuesday, August 5<sup>th</sup>

Final CYM softball and pizza party at Holy Cross 6:30pm.

### Sunday, August 10<sup>th</sup>

Backpack Blessing at St. Joseph, Stringtown during 8:00 am mass.

### Sunday, August 10<sup>th</sup>

Come and join your fellow parishioners for donuts and coffee after the 8 am mass at St. Joseph, Olney. Don't miss these yummy donuts and fellowship. All are welcome!

### Monday, August 11<sup>th</sup>

Confirmation meeting 5:30 pm at St. Joseph Olney in the MPR.

### Saturday, August 16<sup>th</sup>

Fr. Jerry 5K – Time to sign up for this year's annual Fr. Jerry 5K. This 5K run/walk and the 1-mile fun run will start at the entrance to the Musgrove Aquatic Center on August 16, 2025. The 5K race begins at 8 am and the 1-mile fun run will follow. The first 125 youth sign ups are free, but hurry there are only 18 free spots left! Sign up here!



### WELCOME FR. LEVI

Warm welcome to our new Parochial Vicar, Fr. Levi James.

## AROUND OUR PARISHES

### Sunday, August 17<sup>th</sup>

Blood Drive at St. Joseph, Stringtown Parish Center. 7-11:30 am.

### Saturday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>

Middle School Youth Group meets after the 5pm mass in Olney.

### Sunday, August 24<sup>th</sup>

CYM kickoff BBQ at Holy Cross. Start time 12 noon.

### Sunday, August 24<sup>th</sup>

Young Adults Gathering, location and topic TBD.

### Tuesday, August 26<sup>th</sup>

Newton Knights of Columbus August Stag at Holy Cross, Wendelin, 7:00 pm.

### Wednesday, August 27<sup>th</sup>

Family Catechesis Opening Mass at Holy Cross, 6:30 pm.

*Please join us for the*

## HOLY CROSS PICNIC

**Holy Cross Parish Hall**

**Wendelin, IL**

Sunday, August 3, 2025

10am – 10 pm

Chicken Dinner!!

Serving from 10:45 am-3:45 pm

Adults: \$12 Kids (6-12): \$6

Kids 5 and under: FREE

Raffle, bingo, games, live entertainment, & MORE!

Raffle Starts at 6:30 PM

## Sisters in Christ

Our New Book will be, "The Story of the Soul" the life of St. Thérèse of Lisieux. In this short work, full of Thérèse's joyful spontaneity and fervor, you will discover the great themes of her spirituality, called the "Little Way": joy and confidence, complete abandonment to God's merciful love, and her passion for the Church's missions, for which she is the patron saint. If you are interested in joining, contact Caroline Trimble Pastoral Associate at ctrimblepa@gmail.com.

Olney: August 19<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm

Wendelin: August 20<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm

Stringtown: August 19<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am

## ADORATION

There must always be at least 2 people in the church

### St. Joseph, Stringtown

Prayer service & adoration every Tuesday at 9:30 am.

### Holy Cross, Wendelin

Thursdays at 5:30 pm until mass time at 6:30 pm.

### St. Joseph, Olney

Every Tuesday from 12-3 pm

## Contact Us

### Parish Offices

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618-392-8181

Holy Cross, Wendelin  
618-752-5671

St. Joseph, Stringtown  
618-754-3676



### Young Adults Bible Study

Meets every Monday at 7:00 pm at Holy Cross in Wendelin.



### St. Joseph School News

August 11: Open House 4-6 pm

August 13: First day attendance K-8

August 14-15: First days for Pre-K

August 27: Early Dismissal, 1:50 pm