



# VOCATION PRAYER CALENDAR

**God our Father, You made each of us to use our gifts in the Body of Christ. We ask that You inspire young people whom You call to priesthood and consecrated life to courageously follow Your will. Send workers into Your great harvest so that the Gospel is preached, the poor are served with love, the suffering are comforted, and Your people are strengthened by the sacraments. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen**

Prayer for Vocations  
by Pope Francis

For an increase of vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life, especially in the Diocese of Joliet, we pray to the Lord.  
Lord, hear our prayer.



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*Remember these men and women in your daily prayers –priests, Deacons, Seminarians and Women & Men Religious in the Diocese of Joliet*

- 1 **Seminarian Aron Minix**
- 2 **Seminarian Christian Sinclair**
- 3 Brs. Philip Johnson, Leo Jones, David Kuebler, Joseph Martin FSC
- 4 Dcns.Armando Jaquez, Anthony Leazzo
- 5 Sr. Carmen Sanchez, Sr. Carmen Sotelo MSCGpe
- 6 Fr. Sebastian Gargol, Fr. Marek Herbut
- 7 Dcns. Robert Lasica, Anthony Lenard, Phillip Lennon
- 8 Fr. Daniel Belanger C.S.V. Fr. James Fanale C.S.V.
- 9 Sr. Mary Joanna Brigan, Sr. Joan Marie Curtin, Sr. Rose Cecile Espinos, SSND
- 10 Sr. Frances Josef Flach, Sr. Mary Lou Henderson, Sr. Mary Juarez, Sr. Dorothy Kunze SSND
- 11 Fr. Gregor Gorsic, Fr. J. Damien Graziano
- 12 Fr. Christopher Groh, Fr. Luis Gutierrez
- 13 Sr. Jeanne Landry, Sr. Donita Mathis, Sr. Joan McGovern, Sr. Jeanne McGue SSND
- 14 Dcns. Thomas Fricke, Leon Fritz, Larry Fudacz, Ronnie Gagnon, Gabriel Gamboa, Stephen Gerding
- 15 Sr. Joan O'Connell, Sr. Jean Phelan, Sr. Gloria Rosales SSND
- 16 Sr. Jenny VandenBergh, Sr. Emily Wollschlager, Sr. Dorothy M. Young SSND
- 17 Sr. Beatrice Baker, Sr. Theresa Galvan, Sr. Kathleen Murphy CND
- 18 Fr. David Hankus, Fr. Douglas Hauber
- 19 Fr. Albert Heidecke, Fr. Eugene Hemrick
- 20 Fr. Daniel Lydon C.S.V. Fr. Jason Nesbit C.S.V.
- 21 Sr. Joan Shields, Sr. Adrienne Weseman SNDdeN
- 22 Fr. John Peeters C.S.V. Fr. Richard Pighini C.S.V.
- 23 Dcns. Milton Leppert, Francis Lillig, Laurence Lissak
- 24 Fr. Burke Masters
- 25 Todd Bly, Carlos Briceño, Stepen Contreras, Michael Doerries (Deacon Candidates)
- 26 Fr. Juan Jose Hernandez, Fr. Daniel Hessling
- 27 Dcns. Thomas Goebel, George Goes, Sergio Gonzalez
- 28 Dcns. Alexander Grozik, Manuel Guerrero
- 29 Fr. Daniel Hoehn, Fr. Robert A. Hoffenkamp
- 30 Sr. Margaret Christi Karwowski OSF

*Vocations are born in prayer and from prayer; and only through prayer can they persevere and bear fruit.*

Pope Francis