

The Calumet City Historical Society presents:

Our Lady of Knock Parish



By Pastor Emeritus, Fr. Pat Lyons

**Our Lady of Knock Parish** was founded in 1957, encompassing the southern part of Calumet City when hundreds of homes were being constructed during the 1950s and '60s, to serve Calumet City's very large Catholic community. Calumet City already had two parishes, St. Andrew the Apostle, a Polish national parish established in 1892, and St. Victor, organized in 1925; both were bursting at the seams. Our Lady of Knock school opened in 1958 and by the 1960s had 700 pupils. The Sisters of St. Dominic of Adrian, Michigan, staffed the school. In 2019, the three parishes combined to form one new Catholic parish, named *Jesus, Shepherd of Souls Parish*. Our Lady of Knock church, with its Marian stained-glass windows, continues as one of two worship sites for Mass and several activities.

## <u>Sunday, March 13, 2022 ~ 3:00 p.m.</u>

Location: Calumet City Historical Society Center 760 760 Wentworth Avenue Open Tuesday 2-4 p.m., Thursday 1-4 p.m., and 2nd Sunday 1-5 p.m.

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## Schedule:

2:00 p.m. – General Membership Meeting, followed by refreshments.

3:00 p.m. – Program begins. St. Patrick's Basket & 50/50 Raffle.

Center open 1:00-5:00 p.m.

♦ Admission Free ♦