

(NPBW); 23, Thatcher Wds FP (Cook Co), 7 May (RAM, ALM, JPL, RCB); 18, Elsen's Hill FP (DuPage Co), 21 Apr (SDB, PAM); 14, LeVasseurPk, 8 Apr (JBH); 12, CarlL-C, 23 Apr (DMK). **LD:** 29 May, Montrose (CLW); 28 May, JP (RLS); 25 May, NoP (NPBW); 24 May, GrantPk (DEW); 11 May, Sangamon (HDB); 7 May, HL (FRH).

Eastern Bluebird

EA: 17 Feb (♂), Ryerson (EWW); 5 Mar, Champaign (RD); 19 Mar (2), CarlL-C (DMK); 10 Apr (2 ♀), JP (PRC); 17 Apr, nw.Cook (GAW, ILYB). **MC:** 50, MermetL, 22 May (VMK, CLH, et al.); 25, Union, 7 May (SDB, PAM); 15, Big Rock FP (Kane Co), 27 Mar (SAC); 13, Pope, 19 Mar (KAM); 13, Jackson, 22 Mar (KAM); 11, Johnson, 12 Mar (KAM); 6, CarlL-C, 1 May (DMK); 4, LeVasseurPk, 20 May (JBH). **LD:** 30 May (♂), JP (PRC).

MOUNTAIN BLUEBIRD

Towanda (McLean Co) (♂), 9-12 Apr (MJW:ph, SDB, m.ob.); Wauk (♂), 8 May (NS, AS:ph).

Veery

EA: 26 Apr, Beall Wds (KAM, MSS); 27 Apr, LaRue-Pine Hills (KAM, MSS); 28 Apr, Ft. Massac (KAM, MSS); 28 Apr, se. Illinois (CLH); 1 May, Sangamon (HDB); 1 May, JP (PRC); 4 May (banded), Adams (VMK). **MC:** 11, Glenview (Cook Co), 14 May (ABA); 7, Thatcher Wds FP (Cook Co), 7 May (RAM, ALM, JPL, RCB); 6, JP, 7 May (PRC); 6, Swallow Cliff FP (Cook Co), 28 May (BMW). **LD:** 28 May (2), JP (RLS); 21 May, LincPk (GAW); 21 May, IBSP (KAM, CAT, TLK); 20 May (2), ClinL (MEF); 16 May (2), Sangamon (HDB); 16 May, HL (FRH); 15 May, CarlL-C (DMK).

Gray-cheeked Thrush

EA: 25 Apr (banded), Adams (VMK); 28 Apr (2), Ft. Massac (KAM, MSS); 30 Apr, Spfld (HDB); 1 May, JP (PRC); 4 May, se. Illinois (CLH). **MC:** 9, Union, 7 May (SDB, PAM); 5, Bloomington, 14 May (RGH); 4, Glenview (Cook Co), 14 May (ABA); 3, Clinton, 7 May (KAM). **LD:** 30 May, West DuPage Wds FP (DuPage Co) (AA); 29 May, JP (PRC); 29 May (2), LincPk (GAW); 27 May, Bloomington (DB); 20 May (banded), Adams (VMK); 20 May, LeVasseurPk (JBH); 17 May, Clay (MSS).

Swainson's Thrush

EA: 11 Apr, JP (*PRC, Y-YP:ph); 19 Apr, Jackson (KAM); 24 Apr, CarlL-C (DMK); 26 Apr, Spfld (HDB); 30 Apr, se. Illinois (CLH). **MC:** 27, Union, 7 May (SDB, PAM); 24, LaBagh Wds FP (Cook Co), 10 May (GF, DK); 20, Sangamon, 9 May (HDB); 17, Ryerson, 15 May (BJS); 15, Clinton, 7 May (KAM); 14, LincPk, 21 May (GAW). **LD:** 10 Jun (2), IIT Campus, Chi (GAW); 1 Jun, NoP (NPBW); 1 Jun, Montrose (RDH); 31 May, Reckfd (LGB); 30 May (2), JP (PRC); 28 May, O'Fallon (St. Clair Co) (KAM); 26 May, Sangamon (HDB); 15 May, CarlL-C (DMK).

Hermit Thrush

EA: 6 Mar, Herrick Lake FP (DuPage Co) (DFS); 6 Mar, Big Rock FP (Kane Co) (SAC); 7 Mar, LeVasseurPk (JBH). **MC:** 24, Montrose, 10 Apr (GAW); 20, JP, 23 Apr (RLS); 10, Lyons Wds FP (Lake Co), 19 Apr (EWW); 10, Bloomington, 8 Apr (MJW); 7, LeVasseurPk, 8 Apr

(JBH); 6 (banded), Adams, 23 Apr (VMK). **LD:** 27 May, Montrose (JIE, DKA, SBB); 20 May, Les Arends FP (Kane Co) (AA); 7 May (5), JP (m.ob.); 5 May, Sangamon (HDB); 30 Apr, Lusk Crk Canyon NP (Pope Co) (GL, CLW, GAW); 26 Apr, Beall Wds (KAM, MSS).

Wood Thrush

EA: 13 Apr (2), Jackson (KAM); 21 Apr, Urbana (MM-L); 24 Apr (3), CarlL-C (DMK); 24 Apr, se. Illinois (CLH); 27 Apr, LeVasseurPk (JBH); 30 Apr, JP (PKD et al.). **MC:** 27, Union, 7 May (SDB, PAM); 11, Clinton, 7 May (KAM); 9, Thatcher Wds FP (Cook Co), 7 May (RAM, ALM, JPL, RCB); 9, COLSP, 7 May (JRRS); 9, e. Bureau, 7 May (DEW); 6, CarlL-C, 7 May (DMK). **LD:** 22 May, NoP (JIN); 13 May (2), JP (RLS).

American Robin

EA: 2 Mar (2), JP (PRC). **MC:** 488, JP, 10 Apr (PRC); 455, DeWitt, 7 Mar (DFS); 402, ShabonnaL, 27 Mar (DJS); 320, Busse Wds FP (Cook Co), 25 Mar (ABA); 303, NoP, 23 Mar (NPBW); 280, IBSP, 10 Apr (EWW); 205, Thatcher Wds FP (Cook Co), 7 May (RAM, ALM, JPL, RCB); 200, CarlL-C, 19 Mar (DMK); 186, ClinL, 4 Mar (MEF); 170, LeVasseurPk, 17 Mar (JBH); 144, St. Clair, 15 Mar (KAM).

Gray Catbird

EA: 12 Apr, CIPS L (CLH, RES); 16 Apr, CarlL-C (DMK); 17 Apr, ClinL (MEF); 27 Apr, Spfld (HDB); 29 Apr, GrantPk (JIE); 30 Apr (12), JP (PKD et al.). **MC:** 47, sw. Bureau, 7 May (DFS); 41, JP, 11 May (PRC); 28, e. Bureau, 7 May (DEW); 26, GrantPk, 12 May (DEW); 22, LincPk, 21 May (GAW); 20, LCal, 7 May (WJM, SBB, JIN); 20, Montrose (KAM, CAT, TLK). **Remarks:** "fairly large migratory numbers," with 63 banded in Adams 27 Apr - 24 May (VMK).

Northern Mockingbird

EA: 7 Mar (2), O'Fallon (St. Clair Co) (KAM); 19 Mar, CarlL-C (DMK); 10 Apr, Montrose (CBT). **MC:** 23, Massac, 7 May (MM-L); 6, Union, 7 May (SDB, PAM); 4, Jackson, 23 Apr (KAM); 4, CarlL-C, 25 Apr (DMK); 4, CONWR, 29 Apr (CAT). **LD:** 30 May, LincPk (LGM).

Brown Thrasher

EA: 6 Mar, se. Illinois (CLH); 7 Mar, Richland (MSS); 9 Mar, Pope (MSS); 30 Mar, LeVasseurPk (JBH); 6 Apr, LincPk (JWL); 7 Apr, IBSP (EWW). **MC:** 14, Massac, 7 May (MM-L); 10, GrantPk, 29 Apr (JIE); 10, sw. Bureau, 7 May (DFS); 8, CarlL-C, 9 Apr (DMK); 8, BraidwoodL, 19 May (JBH). **LD:** 6 Jun, Montrose (JNN); 5 Jun (3), JP, (PRC); 18 May (2), NoP (NPBW).

European Starling

MC: 8000, CarlL-C, 20 Mar (DMK); 1156, Gallatin, 18 Mar (CAT); 1000+, Hennepin Canal Parkway (Bureau Co), 18 Mar (EWW); 327, ClinL, 4 Mar (MEF); 176, JP, 23 Mar (PRC); 170, NoP, 19 Mar (GAW).

American Pipit (1st passage)

EA: 23 Feb, Kane (EES); 27 Feb, se. Illinois (CLH); 3 Mar, Peabody (TJD); 4 Mar (15), s. Clinton (KAM); 13 Mar (12), SantaFe (DMK); 18 Mar, WhisperingWillows (JBH). **MC:** 150+, Bellrose Rsv, 12 Mar (KAM); 60, New Athens (St. Clair Co), 26 Mar (TJD); 60, CarlL-C, 27 Mar (DMK). **LD:** 3 Apr, CarlL-C (DMK).



Mountain Bluebird. Towanda, McLean County. 11 April 2011.
Photo by Karen Lund.



Molting American Pipit. Heron Park, Vermillion County. 3 April 2011.
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