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Regular Mass Times

*For Holy Day or civic holiday Mass time changes,
please check the bulletin or call the Parish Office.*

Weekend Masses

Saturday	4:00 PM
Sunday - (Church)	7:30 AM
	9:00 AM
	10:45 AM
	12:15 PM
	6:00 PM

Spanish Masses

Saturday - (Church)	5:30 PM
Sunday - (Cana Hall)	12:15 PM

Polish Masses

Sunday - (Cana Hall)	9:00 AM
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Special Needs Masses

2 nd Sunday of the Month - (Cana Hall)	10:30 AM
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Weekday Masses

Monday - Saturday	7:30 AM
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Sacrament of Reconciliation

English	Saturdays	Begins at 3:00 PM
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Spanish		4:30 PM <i>When a priest is available</i>
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Polish	Sundays	8:30 AM
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Or by appointment with the priests.

Chapel Hours

Continuous exposition of the Most Blessed
Sacrament from Sunday 7:00 PM through
Friday 9:00 PM except on First Fridays
when exposition continues overnight to
Saturday 7:00 AM.



*The Eighth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
March 3, 2019*

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"In the darkest moments of our history, the Lord draws near, opens paths, lifts up discouraged faith, anoints wounded hope, and awakens sleeping charity."
- Pope Francis @Pontifex

Mass Intentions

Monday — 7:30 a.m.	March 4, 2019 Pat Anderson — (<i>Ed & Arlene Kauzlarich</i>)
Tuesday — 7:30 a.m.	March 5, 2019 Virginia Nickels — (<i>Family</i>) Patricia Schmitz — (<i>Dorothy & Ron Colbert</i>)
Wednesday — 7:30 a.m. 8:45 a.m. (<i>School Mass</i>) 12:00 p.m. (<i>Noon</i>) 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. (<i>Spanish – Gym</i>) 7:00 p.m. (<i>Polish – Cana</i>)	March 6, 2019 — <i>Ash Wednesday</i> Joseph Fernandez — (<i>Fernandez Family</i>) For our School Families Mary Singleton — (<i>Monica & Moises</i>) Helen Parisi — (<i>Parisi Family</i>) Narciso Pulido — (<i>Monica Harness</i>) Lecniak Family
Thursday — 7:30 a.m.	March 7, 2019 Gerald Barry — (<i>Guybarry Family</i>) Marion Burnett — (<i>Kurzawa Family</i>)
Friday — 7:30 a.m.	March 8, 2019 Edward Zivec — 35 th Anniversary of Death — (<i>Daughter Phyllis Weaver</i>)
Saturday — 7:30 a.m. 4:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m. (<i>Spanish</i>)	March 9, 2019 Michelle Maloney — (<i>Maloney Family</i>) Dominic Lombardo — (<i>Tom & Margaret O'Connell</i>) German Ocegueda — (<i>Margarita Ocegueda</i>)
Sunday — 7:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. (<i>Polish - Cana</i>) 10:45 a.m. 12:15 p.m. 12:15 p.m. (<i>Spanish - Cana</i>) 6:00 p.m.	March 10, 2019 People of the Parish Juan Vega-Herrera — (<i>David Gonzalez</i>) SP Maria Drozd Patricia Carlsen — (<i>Arlene Hannon</i>) Frank Murray — (<i>Wife</i>) Jose Maria Nuñez — (<i>Olivo-Nuñez Families</i>) Carlos Trujillo — (<i>Trujillo Family</i>)

Offerings

Weekly Offering February 24

\$30,056.00

Readings for the Week

Sunday	Sir 27:4-7; Ps 92:2-3, 13-16; 1 Cor 15:54-58; Lk 6:39-45
Monday	Sir 17:20-24; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 10:17-27
Tuesday	Sir 35:1-12; Ps 50:5-8, 14, 23; Mk 10:28-31
Wednesday	Jl 2:12-18; Ps 51:3-6ab, 12-14, 17; 2 Cor 5:20 — 6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday	Dt 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 9:22-25
Friday	Is 58:1-9a; Ps 51:3-6ab, 18-19; Mt 9:14-15
Saturday	Is 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-6; Lk 5:27-32
Sunday	Dt 26:4-10; Ps 91:1-2, 10-15; Rom 10:8-13; Lk 4:1-13



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I pray not only for them, but also for those who will believe in me through their word, so that they may all be one, as you, Father, are in me and I in you, that they also may be in us, that the world may believe that you sent me. And I have given them the glory you gave me, so that they may be one, as we are one, I in them and you in me, that they may be brought to perfection as one, that the world may know that you sent me, and that you loved them even as you loved me.

John 17:20-23

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I want to pick up on last week's column, in which I began to outline the vision for our Parish Pastoral Council, by reflecting on the vision of unity. Unity was the thing that Jesus was concerned about on the night before he went to the cross, as we can see from the quote above. He wanted us to be one. Certainly this is a quality that we continue to yearn for, even two thousand years later.

It's a daunting goal, to be honest. From Jesus' standpoint, the sadness of Christian division is an affront to what he prayed for on that night. He wouldn't have embraced the number of Christian denominations that we have right now, so the work of evangelization and ecumenism are not optional things for believers.

But even within our own community, there can be sad divisions. One of the things I love about the Saint Mary's community is the multi-cultural aspect. At its best, we should appreciate the various cultures represented in our community for the way they add vibrancy to our worship and fellowship. But at their worst, they can be sources of division through the sins of stereotyping and racism. And it's not just the multi-cultural aspect that provides sources of division: we can often see the division between school and parish, or between any two ministries. None of this is what Jesus intended.

So a major focus for the Parish Pastoral Council will be to encourage, foster and work toward unity in our parish and in our community. It's a daunting issue, but when we take it up, we can be sure of the grace given by our Lord who prayed for that very issue on the night before he died. The guidelines for Parish Pastoral Councils in the Diocese of Joliet says this about unity:

As a group of Christian leaders, the council is a witness to the parish that diverse beliefs, values and expectations can be pulled together and when needed, barriers can be removed. The council models Christianity-in-action, strives to be a faith-filled community and is caring and responsive to itself as well as to the parish at large. It makes decisions and serves the parish community in a spirit of collaboration, with the entire faith community in mind.

So please pray for this important work of our Parish Pastoral Council. Your prayers are part of our work! More on the Council next week.

Yours in Christ and His Blessed Mother,
Father Pat Mulcahy, Pastor

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Ruego no solo por estos, sino también por aquellos que creerán en mí a través de su palabra. Que todos sean uno, como tú, Padre, estas en mí y yo en ti. Que ellos también sean uno en nosotros, para que el mundo crea que tú me has enviado. Yo les he dado la Gloria que tú me diste, para que sean uno, como nosotros somos uno: yo en ellos y tú en mí. Así alcanzarán la perfección en la unidad, y el mundo conocerá que tú me has enviado y que yo los he amado a ellos como tú me amas a mí.

Juan 17: 20-23

Queridos Hermanos y Hermanas en Cristo:

Quiero retomar la columna de la semana pasada, en la que comencé a delinear la visión de nuestro Consejo Pastoral Parroquial, reflexionando sobre la visión de la unidad. La unidad era lo que a Jesús le preocupaba la noche antes de ir a la cruz, como podemos ver en la cita anterior. Él quería que nosotros fuéramos uno. Ciertamente, esta es una cualidad que seguimos anhelando, incluso dos mil años después.

Para ser honesto, es un objetivo desalentador. Desde el punto de vista de Jesús, la tristeza de la división cristiana es un insulto a lo que él oró esa noche. Él no hubiera acogido el número de denominaciones cristianas que tenemos en este momento, así que el trabajo de evangelización y ecumenismo no son cosas opcionales para los creyentes.

Sin embargo, incluso dentro de nuestra propia comunidad, puede haber divisiones dolorosas. Una de las cosas que amo de la comunidad de Saint Mary es el aspecto multicultural. En el mejor de los casos, deberíamos apreciar las diversas culturas representadas en nuestra comunidad por la forma en que añaden vitalidad a nuestra adoración y compañerismo. Pero en el peor

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de los casos, pueden ser fuentes de división a través de los pecados de los estereotipos y el racismo. Y no es solo el aspecto multicultural lo que proporciona fuentes de división: a menudo podemos ver la división entre la escuela y la parroquia, o entre dos ministerios. Nada de esto es lo que Jesús pretendía.

Por lo tanto, un enfoque importante para el Consejo Pastoral Parroquial será fomentar, fomentar y trabajar hacia la unidad en nuestra parroquia y en nuestra comunidad. Es un tema de enormes proporciones, sin embargo, cuando lo abordamos, podemos estar seguros de la gracia dada por nuestro Señor, quien oró por ese tema la noche antes de su muerte. Los lineamientos para los consejos pastorales parroquiales en la diócesis de Joliet dicen esto acerca de la unidad:

Como grupo de líderes cristianos, el consejo es testigo de la parroquia de que se pueden reunir diversas creencias, valores y expectativas y, cuando sea necesario, se pueden eliminar las barreras. El consejo modela el cristianismo en acción, se esfuerza por ser una comunidad llena de fe; se preocupa y es sensible a sí mismo, así como por la parroquia en general. Toma decisiones y sirve a la comunidad parroquial en un espíritu de colaboración, teniendo en cuenta a toda la comunidad de fe.

Por favor, oren por este importante trabajo de nuestro Consejo Pastoral Parroquial. ¡Sus oraciones son parte de nuestro trabajo! Más sobre el Consejo la próxima semana.

Suyo en Cristo y su Santísima Madre,
Padre Pat Mulcahy, Pastor

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Modłę się nie tylko za nich, ale także za tych, którzy uwierzą we mnie przez ich słowo, aby wszyscy stanowili jedno, tak jak Ty Ojczy, jesteś we Mnie, a Ja w Tobie, aby I oni stanowili w Nas jedno, aby świat uwierzył, że Ty mnie posłał. I także chwałę, którą mi dałeś, aby byli jednością, tak jak my jedno stanowimy. Ja w nich a Ty we Mnie, aby zostali doprowadzeni do doskonałości jako jedno, aby świat dowiedział się, że Ty mnie posłałeś i żeś ich umiłował tak jak mnie umiłowałeś.

Jan 17: 20-23

Drodzy Bracia i Siostry w Chrystusie,

Chciałbym odnieść się do zeszlotygodniowej rubryki, w której zacząłem zarysować wizję naszej Duszpasterskiej Rady Parafialnej, zastanawiając się nad wizją jedności. Jedność była tym, o co martwił się Jezus w noc przed ukrzyżowaniem, jak to widać z powyższego cytatu. Chciał, żebyśmy byli jednością. Z pewnością jest to cecha za którą wciąż tęsknimy, nawet dwa tysiące lat później.

To dobry cel. Z punktu widzenia Jezusa smutek chrześcijańskiego podziału jest obrazą tego, o co modlił się tej nocy. Nie przyjąłby liczby chrześcijańskich denominacji, które mamy teraz, więc dzieło ewangelizacji i ekumenizmu nie jest rzeczą opcjonalną dla wierzących.

Ale nawet w naszej własnej społeczności mogą istnieć smutne podziały. Jedną z rzeczy, które kocham w społeczności Świętej Marii, jest aspekt wielokulturowy. W najlepszym razie powinniśmy docenić różnorodność kultur reprezentowanych w naszej społeczności w taki sposób, w jaki dodają energii do naszego kultu i wspólnoty. Ale w najgorszym wypadku mogą być źródłem podziału poprzez grzechy stereotypów i rasizmu. I nie tylko aspekt wielokulturowy zapewnia źródła podziału: często widzimy podział między szkołą a parafią lub między dowolnymi dwiema służbami. Żadne z tego nie jest zamierzone przez Jezusa.

Głównym celem Duszpasterskiej Rady Parafialnej będzie zachęcanie, wspieranie i praca nad jednością w naszej parafii i naszej społeczności. To trudna sprawa, ale kiedy ją podejmujemy, możemy być pewni łaski udzielonej przez naszego Pana, który modlił się o tę sprawę w noc przed śmiercią. Wytyczne dla duszpasterskich rad parafialnych w diecezji Joliet mówią o jedności:

Jako grupa chrześcijańskich liderów, rada jest świadkiem dla parafii, że różne wierzenia, wartości i oczekiwania mogą zostać zebrane razem, a w razie potrzeby należy usunąć bariery. Rada modeluje chrześcijaństwo w działaniu, dąży do tego by być wspólnotą pełną wiary i jest troski i wrażliwości zarówno dla siebie samej, jak i dla całej parafii. Podejmuje decyzje i służy wspólnocie parafialnej w duchu współpracy, z myślą o całej społeczności wyznaniowej.

Proszę więc, módlcie się o tę ważną pracę naszej Duszpasterskiej Rady Parafialnej. Wasze modlitwy są częścią naszej pracy! Więcej o Radzie w przyszłym tygodniu.

Wasz w Chrystusie i Jego Najświętszej Matce,
Ojciec Pat Mulcahy, Pastor

MEET OUR 2019 CATECHUMENS!

Antoinette Galvan: “My name is Antoinette Galvan, I am married to Michael Galvan; we have one son and happy to be expecting another. There are many reasons I am choosing to be baptized and follow life in the faith, but mostly because of the strength and sense of purpose it provides. My family and myself are so happy to start this journey into the faith and community.”

Jason Hernandez: “My Name is Jason Hernandez, I was born and raised in Chicago and now live in Plainfield. As I grew older, I knew that no matter where I went or what I did, God would always love me. This love led me to want to be baptized in the Catholic Church.”

Tim Fleenor: “Hello, my name is Timothy Fleenor and I have been married to my wife Gloria for 18 years. We have 5 children, four boys, Adam, Brian, Timothy, and Marc and one girl, Isabelle. We moved from the city of Chicago to Plainfield in the summer of 2004 and we love the town and surrounding communities. I’ve entered into the formation process seeking to be closer to God and become a part of the religious community that my wife and children have enjoyed since birth. My hope is one day my life will be filled with the love and peace of Jesus. “

The Tomar Family: Vikas & Birjesh (married 18 years), Aryan (15), and Ananya (13) immigrated to the U.S. from northern India and quickly involved themselves in our SMI Community. Although the entire family was Hindu, Vikas experienced a healing after attending a healing service at a Catholic Church in New Delhi and this led him to begin a journey of conversion to Christ and Christianity. He served the poor in India with various Christian organizations before immigrating to the U.S. The whole family has chosen to be baptized and began the RCIA process in September 2017 here at SMI. We look forward to their baptism!

Isabella, Brody and Brooklyn Hedberg: Isabella, Brody and Brooklyn are being presented for full initiation into the Catholic Church by their parents, Caitlin and Adam Hedberg. Isabella and Brody are 3rd graders and Brooklyn is a 4th grader at Walnut Trails Elementary Grade School and they attend Religious Education classes here at St. Mary Immaculate on Wednesday evenings. Isabella is looking forward to experiencing this wonderful evening alongside her Godparents Rebecca Callender and Dan Maffeo. Brody is looking forward to experiencing this wonderful evening alongside his Godparents Jessica Hoiden and Gerry Sears. Brooklyn is looking forward to experiencing this wonderful evening alongside her GodparentsCarolynn Davis and Ryan Hedberg.

These individuals have been preparing for the past year to be initiated into the Catholic Church. This weekend, we celebrate the **Rite of Sending**. At the Rite of Sending, the godparents testify and the catechumens affirm their intention to join the Church.

The Church then makes its "election" of these catechumens to receive the Sacraments of Initiation, and sends them to the Bishop to celebrate the **Rite of Election**. Now they are called "the Elect" meaning "those who will be enlightened". They begin a final, intense period of preparation called the Period of Purification and Enlightenment. This period concludes with the celebration of the Sacraments of Initiation – Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist at Easter Vigil. **Please keep these brothers & sisters in your prayers!**

Our Family in Faith

Recurring Meetings*

Parish Pastoral Council and All Commissions:

1st Monday of every month from 7:00 – 8:30 PM

Liturgy & Worship:

First Saturday Devotion - 1st Saturday of every month after the 7:30 AM Mass

Holy Hour of Reparation - every Thursday from 2:00 PM to 3:30 PM in the Church

Choirs

Adult Choir - Wednesdays at 7:00 PM from the week after Labor Day through Pentecost

Youth Choir - Tuesdays at 6:45 PM from the week after labor day through Pentecost

Handbell Choir - Wednesdays from 5:30 to 7:00 PM from the week after Labor Day through Pentecost

Spanish Adult Choir - Wednesdays at 7:00 PM

Spanish Teen Choir - Saturdays at 1:00 PM

Lewship & Social Events:

New Parishioner Welcoming/Registration - every Sunday at 10:15 AM

SMI Catholic Moms' Group - 2nd Thursday of every month from 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM

Sacredness of Life:

Rosary for Life - 4th Wednesday of every month, at 6:15 PM in the Church

Rosary for Life - 3rd Saturday of every month, from 12:00 to 2:00 PM in North Wing rooms B & C

Reverence for Life - 4th Wednesday of every month, Sep. through May, at 7:00 PM

Men & Women:

Brothers in Christ - every Saturday at 8:05 AM

Council of Catholic Women (CCW) - 1st Thursday of the month, Sep. - Dec. & Feb. - May from 12:30 to 2:30 PM

Fishers of Men - every Saturday at 7:00 AM

Knights of Columbus Business Meeting - 2nd Thursday of every month at 7:00 PM

Knights of Columbus Social Meeting - 4th Thursday of the month, Jan. through May & Sep. through Oct., at 7:00 PM

Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary Meeting - 2nd Thursday of every month, Jan. through May & Sep. to Oct., at 7:00 PM

Christian Service, Pastoral Care & Social Justice:

Blood Pressure Screening - 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM in the gym each month the same day as Sunday Hospitality, Sep. to May

St. Anne's Sewing Circle - 2nd Saturday of every month, 9:00 AM to 1:30 PM

St. Vincent DePaul - 3rd Wednesday of every month, 7:00 PM

Education & Formation:

Charismatic Prayer Group - every Tuesday at 7:00 PM

Lay Apostles Prayer Group - 2nd Tuesday of every month at 12:30 PM

LIFETEEN High School Youth Ministry - every Sunday at 7:00 PM

Evangelization & Communication:

Legion of Mary - every Thursday at 7:00 PM

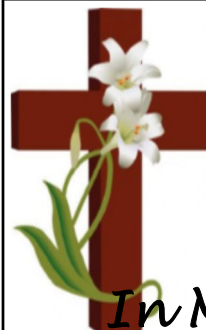
* Occasionally meeting days or times may change. Please watch the bulletin for special announcements.

If you do not see your regular weekly or monthly ministry meeting listed here, please contact the bulletin editor at bulletin@snip.org with the day, time and frequency of meeting. Thank you.

Please remember the sick and the confined of our parish community, especially...

John Arduino, Ed Biggins, Margaret Birmingham, Stefania Bitt, Frank Carino Jr., Luz Contreras, Gloria Cook, Lois Costablile, Pat Cremeens, Concordio Dela Cruz, Lynette Dattomo, Mary Dickerson, Megan Dolan, Delphine Dombroski, Maureen Dranger, Rick Erwin, Deborah Fadden, Jean Fiaoni, Sue Flynn, Brandon Franklin, Dana Freund, Paul Gadomski, Frances Galasinski, Wayne Galasinski, Margaret Gee, Mary Lou Gist, Janice Gregoire, Jennifer Grimm, Mary Hanna, Josephine Hayes, Erinn Heines, Matt Hoch, Sue Hoch, Ken Hood, Pat Hood, Gloria Francisco Huerta, Joe Jonish, Carmella Justice, Grant Justice, Michael J. Kelly, Derek Khan, Donna Knight, Colleen Kowalke, Lenita Krall, Ken Kurtz, Zachary Loeffler, Rita Maksimik, Michael Mardula, Margaret McCarthy, Shirley McBride, Gregory Mendoza, Amparo Mireles, Carmen Mireles, Elena A. Mireles, Raul Mireles, Benjamin Mollandin, Erik Mollandin, Dave Monnot, Kevin Moore, Michael Moravec, Wally Moskwa, Cheryl Muscato, Betty Nichols, Bob Nichols, Bobby Nichols, Sr. Roselyn Nichols, Lawrence Nonnie, Steve Obremski, Maria T. Olvera, Ella Page, Nick Peceniak, Corrine Pieroni, Jim Ptak, Jared Pyatt, Jime Rife, Joel Rivera, Mary Rzonca, Hayley Schwartz, Rose Marie Selke, Amy Sheehan, Tim Slayman, Roseanne Smith, Dan Sochan, John Szklarski, Maria Tejeda-Ortega, Gerard Titchenal, Bruce Trevillian II, Al Urban, Keith Urban, Aurora Vargas-Rubi

If you would like to add or remove a name from the prayer cross, please contact Pat Mander, Pastoral Minister at 815-436-2651 ext 893.



Please keep
Gaetano Campobasso
Richard A. Hehl
Wayne Edward Keefner
and their families in your prayers.

In Memoriam



Congratulations to the Newly Baptized...



MATILDA BARRAZA

Daughter of Martin & Julia (Mendez) Barraza

FRANCISCO JAVIER MERINO

Son of Francisco & Martha (Garnica) Merino

JOVAN MATEO CARBAJAL

Son of Santiago & Gabriela (Maya) Carbajal

Welcome to Our New Parishioners

Nnanna & Chioma Akabogu
Plainfield, IL

Jose & Araceli De Leon
Plainfield, IL

Jose & Maria Ortiz
Plainfield, IL

Antonio & Cindy Andere
Plainfield, IL

Alejandro & Sarah Lopez
Plainfield, IL

Bartlomiej & Malgorzata Wacławik
Plainfield, IL

Brent & Stephanie Biernbaum
Romeoville, IL

7 new households have registered at St. Mary Immaculate since February 24, 2019.

FORMED PICK



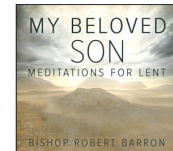
My Beloved Son: Meditations for Lent

By Bishop Robert Barron

Make This Lent Meaningful

Bishop Barron reflects on the spiritual discipline we must cultivate in the Lenten season. He covers topics such as finding our identity in God, prayer as the key to mission, and how to embrace the way of happiness joyfully.

[Listen on smip.formed.org](http://smip.formed.org)



"Bishop Barron weaves Scripture, prayer and practical experience into a seamless whole that uplifts, challenges and inspires."
—Michael, York, PA

Daylight Saving
Time Begins



Time Change - Spring Forward

Remember to set your clocks forward one hour on
Saturday night, March 9th.

The official beginning of Daylight Savings Time is
2:00 AM on Sunday, March 10th.



INTERFAITH FOOD PANTRY is in need of the following items:
CANNED VEGETABLES, TUNA, CANNED MEATS, JELLO and PUDDING
Thank you for your continued support.

Our Family in Faith

Collecting Old Palms for Ash Wednesday

We will be collecting old palms through March 5.

These palms will be burned on March 5 and the ashes will be used on Ash Wednesday, March 6. Please bring your old palms to the Commons, Narthex, or Cana Hallway and place them in the designated baskets.



Ash Wednesday - March 6, 2019

This year we will NOT have continual distribution of ashes throughout the afternoon. We will only be distributing ashes at Masses and at three services conducted in the afternoon as follows:

TIME	SERVICE	LOCATION
7:30 AM	Mass	Church
8:45 AM	School Mass	Church
12:00 PM	Mass	Church
2:00 PM	Ash Distribution Service	Church
4:00 PM	Ash Distribution Service	Church
6:00 PM	Ash Distribution Service	Church
7:00 PM	Mass	Church
7:00 PM	Spanish Mass	Gym
7:30 PM	Polish Mass	Cana

Lenten Regulations

1. Everyone 14 years of age or over is bound to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and all the Fridays of Lent.
2. Everyone 18 years of age and under 59 years of age is bound to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.
3. On these two days of fast and abstinence, only one full meatless meal is allowed. Two other meatless meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to each one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted on these two days, but liquids, including milk and fruit juices are allowed. When health or ability to work would be seriously affected, the law does not oblige.
4. To disregard completely the law of fast and abstinence is seriously sinful.
5. Lent is the principal season of penance in the Christian year. All of the faithful are strongly urged to develop and follow a program of voluntary self-denial (in addition to following the Lenten regulations), serious prayer, and a performance of works of charity and mercy.



F.Y.I. Daybreak Update

March meal

Our next meal is Tuesday, March 5, 2019. The pick up time is 5:30 - 6:00 PM in front of the church. We will be serving a meatloaf dinner including mashed potatoes, vegetable casseroles and salad. The sign up poster will be in the Commons after all Masses through March 5th. Please check the poster for further details. If cooking is not for you, consider donating one of following: fresh fruit, salad, dessert, 2 liter bottles of soda, orange juice or fruit juice, dry cereal, hot cereal, eggs, bacon, tea, and coffee.

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to this ministry by cooking, donating, or serving. Our meals are successful as a result of your generosity.

Questions?

Feel free to contact Cindy Mayfield 815-370-8304, Donna Giancarlo 815-436-7166 or Linda Polnik 815-436-5069.

Join us for our 12th Annual
SMI Family Pizza Night!

Fat Tuesday – March 5, 2019

SMI Gym: 5-7:30pm

**\$5 per Person
\$20 per Family**



**St. Mary Immaculate
Family Pizza Night**

is made possible due to generous donations of local
restaurants and businesses



smimensclub@smip.org

CCW HAPPENINGS

As shown in the picture on the right, the “CCW Birthday Bag Donations” collected at our February meeting were a huge success; and we’re hoping these fun items will put lots of smiles on the faces of children at the Daybreak Shelter.



To help us on our Lenten journey, **Father John Regan**, our CCW **Spiritual Moderator**, will be presenting a “Lenten Reflection” at our upcoming March meeting. It should be a very spiritual presentation.

Because this is such a wonderful spiritual opportunity; **St. Mary Immaculate’s Council of Catholic Women (CCW)** would like to invite **all the women of the parish** to join us at **12:30 on Thursday, March 7th** in the Faith Sharing Harvester Rooms.

In addition, “**The 2019 Woman of the Year**” will be announced to add to the whole experience. **Also, if possible, try to bring a friend!!!!** We hope to see you there!!

All this plus **prayer, fellowship and desserts**. WOW! What a deal! How could you go wrong???? If your schedule doesn’t allow you to be there from 12:30 to 2:30, please don’t worry about coming late or leaving early. Sometimes that’s just what you have to do to fit everything into your day. We understand!!



Please contact Mary Jeanne Pazin, CCW President, at mjpazin1949@att.net or 708-606-7515 for assistance!

Donuts, Coffee & Chat with Fr. Pat Saturday, March 9th, 9:30 -10:30 A.M.

Come for an opportunity to meet and get to know Fr. Pat Mulcahy, Pastor at SMI. Held in the Harvester Room. Please RSVP by March 6th to smip.org/news or to Pam Angelus at 815-436-2651 ext. 849



St. Anne’s Sewing Circle

We regret we will NOT be available for your sewing needs in March. We are completing the costumes for the Youth Ministry for Good Friday. We invite you to come on Good Friday for the Stations of the Cross at 7:00 PM.

The next date we will be available for your sewing needs is **April 13th**. Bring in clean, unsoiled items only, Limit of 3 per family.

Drop-Off: 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Pick-Up: 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM

If you would like to join our Ministry or have any questions, please contact Pat Arendt at 815-609-8033 or Diane Ziemba at 815-609-9224; raz5733@aol.com.

Young Church Presents...

**the GLOW
GAMES**

Let YOUR LIGHT SHINE!

**March 9th from 7-8:30 pm
For all 6th-8th Graders**

More Eucharistic Miracles on Display! March 9/10 after all Masses in the School Hallway

Catalogue of the Vatican International Exhibition

The Eucharistic Miracles Of the World

Jesus is truly present in the Holy Eucharist! This month's Exhibit shares photographic historically and scientifically documented Eucharistic miracles from the countries of Germany, Portugal, Austria, Belgium and Switzerland.

Learn how consecrated hosts have bled, glowed, imprinted with the face of Christ, and one that contains the blood of Christ from the spear that pierced Him by viewing these 31 posters on display. Spanish translations will be available.

Miracle of Regensburg, Germany, when a priest doubts the Real Presence



Hosted by the Right to Life Ministry.



The Crucified Christ is clearly distinguished under ultra violet lighting



Sunday March 10th is National Girl Scout Sunday and the troops of St. Mary's Parish School will be selling cookies in the Commons after Mass.

All varieties are \$5.00 per box.
Cash & carry or electronic orders are available.

Chipotle Home & School Dining Out Event

When: 03/11/2019

Where: Chipotle, 12720 S Route 59, Plainfield

Event Time: 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Make dinner a selfless act by joining us for a fundraiser to support SMI Home & School. When ordering, tell the cashier that you're supporting the cause to make sure that 33% of the proceeds will be donated to SMI Home & School.



CHIPOTLE

MEXICAN GRILL

SCHOOL SPIRIT TASTES GREAT





LENTEN PARISH MISSION DR. MARY AMORE

MARCH 11-13, 2019
7:00 pm—8:30 PM

Join us for a three-day parish mission as Dr. Mary Amore explores the Eucharist as a pathway to spiritual transformation, healing and a renewed call to discipleship.



Monday March 11: Transformation

Tuesday March 12: Healing

(Sacrament of Reconciliation to follow)

Wednesday March 13: Discipleship

**Parish Mission will be held at
St. Mary Immaculate Church
Plainfield, Illinois**



718 Ogden Ave, Suite 200
Downers Grove, IL 60515
www.mayslakeministries.org

Dr. Mary Amore holds a Doctor of Ministry Degree in Liturgy and a Master of Arts in Pastoral Studies from Catholic Theological Union. Dr. Amore is the author of *Primary Symbols of Worship and the Call to Participation*, as well as the creator of three video series: Eucharist: Pathway to Transformation, Healing and Discipleship; From Mary's Heart to Yours, and the Blessed Sacrament: Fountain of God's Mercy distributed through Pauline Books and Media. A Cardinal Bernardin Scholar and distinguished member of the North American Academy of Liturgy, Mary has been a presenter at the LA Congress, University of Dallas Ministry Conference, as well as conducting parish missions and retreats. A monthly blogger for CatholicMom.com and a columnist for Ministry and Liturgy magazine, Dr. Amore serves as the Executive Director of Mayslake Ministries in Downers Grove, IL.



Saturday, March 16th

Doors Open at 5pm

St. Patrick's Day Party!



Join us for:

- Irish dancing from the Keigher Dance Academy!
- Corned Beef, Beer, & Wine!
- Bagpiper!
- Bags Tournament!
- **Games for the Kids!**
- Bake Sale!
- Raffles, much, much more!

Save Your Spot Today and
Order in Advance!
Send in your order and check/cash to the
Parish office Attn: SMI Men's Club.

Contact with Questions:
Derek Jensen : 630-308-9962
jensendp@gmail.com

Menu:
Corned Beef Dinner: \$11.00 Featuring
Jack and Pat's Famous Corned Beef,
cabbage, vegetables and roll.
Pizza & Chips for the kids: \$3.00

Many thanks to the Keigher Dance Academy
for providing the great entertainment!



Please place your order in advance to help us order enough food.
The number of "walk ups" will be limited!

Saturday, March 16th

Doors Open at 5pm

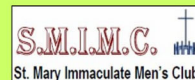
St. Patrick's Day Party Order Form!



- Family Name:** _____
- Number of Corned Beef Dinners (@ \$11ea)** _____
- Number of Pizza & Chips Dinners (@ \$3ea)** _____
- Carry-out order (Circle One):** Yes No
- Total Enclosed:** _____

Cash or check accepted. Please make checks payable to:
SMI Men's Club. Return your order and check to the
Parish office—Attn: SMI Men's Club.

Thank you!



Reconnect with your Faith through Catholics Returning Home

Catholics Returning Home is a program to help Catholics reconnect with their faith and renew their relationship with Christ. There is no obligation or cost. Join us and you will find a:

- **Supportive, non-judgmental group** where you can freely explore your concerns and questions
- **Small community** with others thinking about returning, recently returned Catholics, and clergy
- **Safe haven** in which private issues are identified and dealt with privately, with compassion
- **Warm environment** where you will be welcomed

This 6-week series begins March 18 from 7:30 to 9:00 PM in the North Wing Room A at St. Mary Immaculate Parish.

- March 18th** Welcome, Overview of Series
- March 25th** Presentation on Inactive Catholics
- April 1st** The Church Today: Changes Since Vatican II
- April 8th** The Mass
- April 15th** Explanation of the Sacrament of Reconciliation
- April 22nd** The Creed: What Catholics Believe



Program is open to all. For more information, please call the group's facilitator, Deacon Tom O'Connell, at 815-230-2241 or visit www.smip.org. Over the years, more than 120 people have returned to their faith!

Support Our Military Men and Women with an Hour of Silent Prayer

On the third Friday of each month, all are invited to devote an hour with us to pray for those who wear our uniforms. Come on Friday, March 15th to pray in the St. Mary Immaculate Adoration Chapel at 6:00 PM. Your presence and prayers can help to provide spiritual support to our military families who have loved ones currently deployed. You can also remember those who are giving and have given so much of themselves through their unselfish service to our country. For more information please contact Maria Prekop at maria.prekop@navigant.com



NEW Lenten Opportunity: Presence Series followed by Mass!

Presence™

THE MYSTERY OF THE EUCHARIST



March 19, 26, April 2 & 9
in the church at 7 PM

Followed at 7:45 PM
by daily Mass

Join us in the church 4 Tuesday evenings in Lent to grow deeper in our understanding and love for the Eucharist. The Presence program is comprised of four sessions: God is with US, The Story of the Eucharist, Bread for the Journey, and Biblical Foundations of the Eucharist. Each session is a 30 minute video presentation followed by celebration of daily Mass. No RSVP required, all are invited!

March 19: God Is with Us examines God's saving presence with his people throughout salvation history, culminating in the Incarnation and his abiding Real Presence in the Eucharist.

Easter Basket Ministry Needs Your Help

Are you looking for an opportunity to volunteer during Lent? Easter Basket ministry is a great way for an individual, family or confirmation group(s) to give back.

Every year St Mary's reaches out to help those in need. Our mission is to bring joy and love to those in our community. Easter Basket Ministry donations go to Morning Star Mission, Daybreak Shelter and Plainfield Food Pantry.

Donate (*new items only please*) or Volunteer:

- Sign up on the Easter Board for items to fill bags (*located in the Commons beginning Ash Wednesday*)
- Donations can be dropped off anytime from Saturday April 6th thru Saturday April 13th.
items needed include books, coloring books, stuffed animals or bunnies, small toys, bubbles, toothbrushes & tooth paste, wrapped candy
- Volunteers needed to sort and assemble Easter Bags, Saturday April 13th

Individuals or groups interested should contact laurajbringas@gmail.com.

All are welcome to participate! Thank you and have a Blessed Lent. Laura Bringas

Our Family in Faith

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS & LADIES AUXILIARY GOOD SHEPHERD COUNCIL #5573



2019 FRIDAY FISH FRY



ST. MARY IMMACULATE PARISH SCHOOL GYM

MARCH 8TH, 15TH, 22ND, 29TH

APRIL 5TH & 12TH

4:30 P.M. ~ 7:30 P.M.

MENU

Shrimp Dinner ~ 6 pc ~ \$10.50

Extra Large Cod Dinner ~ 3pc ~ \$10.50

Large Cod Dinner ~ 2pc ~ \$8.75

Small Cod Dinner ~ 1pc ~ \$6.50

Combo ~ 3pc Shrimp & 1 pc Cod ~ \$10.00

Taco Platter ~ \$9.00

Cod Fish Sandwich ~ \$6.00

Grilled Cheese Sandwich ~ \$3.50

Cheese Pizza by the Slice ~ \$3.00

Dinners & Sandwiches include a Baked Potato or Crispy Fries.

You can choose Oven-Baked Cod or Fried Cod Dinners.

Dinners are served from 4:30p.m. until 7:30p.m. in the Gym of St. Mary Immaculate Parish School.

Phone orders for take-out accepted from 4:00p.m. until 7:00p.m. at 815-577-6673.

Please pick up phone orders by 7:30p.m.

Enjoy fantastic raffles!

TICKETS ON SALE FOR THE HILARIOUS INTERACTIVE PLAY-“BIBLE BINGO”!!

THE KNIGHTS REQUEST THAT ALL WHO ATTEND PLEASE BRING A NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEM FOR DONATION TO THE PLAINFIELD FOOD PANTRY. WE HOPE TOGETHER WE CAN RAISE AT LEAST 2,000 POUNDS OF FOOD THIS LENT.

Knights of Columbus

Good Shepherd Council #5573

Intercessions for Life

United States Catholic Conference of Bishops

May we know God as our loving Father and always give thanks for the gift of our lives;

We pray to the Lord

Intercesiones por La Vida

United States Catholic Conference of Bishops

Que podamos conocer a Dios como nuestro Padre amoroso y siempre demos gracias por el don de nuestra vidas

Roguemos al Señor

Word of Life

United States Catholic Conference of Bishops

“Heavenly Father, thank you for the precious gift of life. Give us love for all people, especially the most vulnerable, and help us bear witness to the truth that every life is worth living.”

- USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities “Every Life is Worth Living” Prayer, www.usccb.org/worth-living

Palabra de Vida

United States Catholic Conference of Bishops

“Padre celestial, gracias por el preciado don de la vida. Danos amor por todas las personas, en especial los más vulnerables, y ayúdanos a dar testimonio de la verdad que toda vida merece vivir”.

- Secretariado de Actividades Pro-Vida de la USCCB Oración “Cada Vida Merece vivir”, bit.ly/cada-vida-merece-vivir

Education and Formation

Confirmation

Strengthened by the Spirit, Called to Action

Mar 4: **Class: Year 1 & 2** RE students with their Mentors 7:00 - 8:30 PM
Special Needs Class 6:30 - 7:15 PM

Family Church Service Project Opportunities: Visit the Eucharistic Miracle Posters in the gym on March 9/10 or attend a night of the Parish Mission on March 11-13

Mar 18: **Class: Year 1 & 2** RE students with their Mentors 7:00 - 8:30 PM
Special Needs Class 6:30 - 7:15 PM

You can reach us at 815-436-2861 and via email at gwurster@smip.org



Education and Formation (continued)



Ecology Club Needs Your Recyclable Plastic Bags!



Student members of the SMI Parish School Ecology Club are collecting plastic grocery bags for the TREX CHALLENGE. Each year the Ecology Club participates in the school wide collection of recyclable plastic grocery bags to keep our earth clean. This year we are asking the entire SMI Community to help.

Pope Francis, in his encyclical, *Laudato Si'* states, "we come together to take charge of this home which has been entrusted to us, knowing that all the good which exists here will be taken up into the heavenly feast."

The Challenge runs through April 15, 2019, and there will be TREX CHALLENGE boxes in the Commons area after Masses. Please bring your recyclable plastic grocery bags for collection. [Also accepted: dry cleaning bags, bread, produce and food storage bags, package wrap, newspaper sleeves, ice and salt bags] *[please do not include: degradable/compostable bags or packaging, pre-washed salad mix bags, frozen food bags, shredded cheese bags, chip or snack bags, six pack rings]* Our Ecology Club thanks you and so does our Earth!



St. Mary Immaculate Parish School

#SMISaysYes
815-436-3953

Calendar:

- March 6 - Ash Wednesday
- March 7 - Athletic Board Meeting
- March 8 - Early Dismissal 11:30 / Parent-Teacher Conferences

News:

- The Regional Science Fair is at the University of St. Francis on March 8th. At our own Science Fair, there were 37 total projects, and two-thirds received a gold medal from our judges. Our top ten projects have advanced to Saturday's regional competition, and hopefully, will advance again to the State Science Fair in Carbondale, in May.

Did You Know?...

- Registration for the 2019-2020 school year is open. Please call the school office for more information or to set up a tour. 815-436-3953.

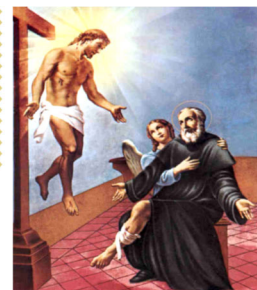
Liturgy and Worship

SAINT PEREGRINE MINISTRY

Liturgy for the Healing of the Spirit

The Mantellate Sisters cordially invite all persons with cancer or chronic illnesses, their families, and their care givers to celebrate the 1st Sunday of Lent with the Saint Peregrine Ministry. Fr. Lee Bacchi, chaplain at Edward Hospital, Naperville, will be our presider. The Sunday scripture readings will be proclaimed. All participants will be individually blessed with a first-class relic of St. Peregrine. "Filled with the Holy Spirit, Jesus returned from the Jordan and was led by the Holy Spirit into the desert for forty days, to be tempted by the devil." (Gospel excerpt.)

Date: March 9, 2019 **Time:** 4 PM
Place: Marian Hall at Marian Lake
Future Meeting Dates: No April Date, May 11, June 8



Mantellate Sisters
Servants of Mary
16949 S. Drauden Rd.
Plainfield, IL 60544
Call 815-436-5796
for further
information.

Liturgy and Worship (continued)

Liturgical Minister Schedule—March 9 - March 10: The 1st Sunday of Lent

	Mar 9 4:00 PM	Mar 10 7:30 AM	Mar 10 9:00 AM	Mar 10 10:30 AM (SPECIAL NEEDS MASS)	Mar 10 10:45 AM	Mar 10 12:15 PM	Mar 10 6:00 PM
Mass Coord.	Richard Blaszk	Mark Stofko	Carla Sanchez	Patti Adams	Geri Buchman Vince Buchman	Bob Lord Shari Lord	Irene Murphy
1st Lector	Doris Trattner	Tony Clark	Mary Ellen Reato	Patti Adams	Ryan Pintoy	Shari Lord	Jerry Palumbo
2nd Lector	Jillian Dzieciol	Denise Rowan	Vic Reato		Abigail Pintoy	Jude Mendoza	Susan Moritz
EM	Lisa Rivera Archuleta Richard Blaszk Marsha Bysak Kathy Darin Margaret Hartwig David Kizorek Barbara Laverdiere Vicki McIntosh John McIntosh Lisa Trishman Brian Trishman	Sherrie Chapman Joan Clark Tony Clark Anton Glavac Kathleen Glavac Casimir Kowalczyk Joseph Murphy Thea Nephew Joanne Pawlowski Jim Rowan Mark Stofko	Beverly Bednark Carrie Heinen Andy Heinen Rick Howat Janet Howat Tony Leazzo Tammy Nolte Crissy Prull Carla Sanchez Mary Anne Woodcock Patty Zimmerman	Patti Adams Cathryn Tack Rosemary Tack	Vince Buchman Geri Buchman Yvonne Cloonan Sandra Fleck (Betsy) Elizabeth Foskaris Carolyn Lemke Mareya Marmoll Al Pintoy Abigail Pintoy Ed Scepkowski Scott Wiacek	Medy Knurek John Knurek Shari Lord Gloria Ramirez Raphael Ramirez Bill Roach Myrna Sison	Mark Bouchard Majel Galang Medz Galang Joan Knight Irene Murphy Tricia Niewoehner Jerry Palumbo
Greeter	Mary (jane) Koerner Geri McCarney Pat Sefcik Robert Selinger	Teresa Benin Sherrie Chapman Cathy Kowalczyk Helen Schwab	Kathleen Kazmar Ronald Kazmar Judi Leazzo NOT FILLED		Alexis Calascibetta Ed Cunningham Patricia Cunningham Joyce Duchek	Andrea Gutierrez Grace Nshuti Nathan Nshuti Jaden Nshuti	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED
Altar Server	Jeffrey Giertych Aidan Medina Madison Medina	Adler Chlebana Sonny Lombardo Jax Norwick	The Knights 1 The Knights 2 The Knights 3 The Knights 4	Jenna Melzacki	Madison Fleck Ben Mestan Emily Pintoy	Isabel Lockowitz Hailey McCoy Kevin Rodriguez	Giancarlo Gonzales Aaron Roerig John Ward
RCIA Breaking open the Word			Grace Blaszk Pat Lombardo				

Nursing Home Ministers—March 10: The 1st Sunday of Lent

	9:00 AM (Harbor Chase)	9:00 AM (Lakewood)	9:00 AM (Rosewood)
Nursing Home Minister	Alicia Malec Glenn Vanek Theresa Vanek	Bob Clark Mike Prekop Maria Prekop	Brian Monaghan Rosemary O'Hara

Weekly Schedules

Fellowship—Sunday, Mar 10		Laundry—Monday, Mar 11
7:15—10:15 AM - Rosine/Towey Conf. Grp. 9:45 AM—12:15 PM - Dwyer Family	Welcome Gathering Event Susan Gutierrez	Altar Linens Pat Flynn/Arlene Kauzlarich



ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

Please attend the Training on
March 18th or March 21st
6:30 p.m. in the Church

This Altar Server Training is for all current 5th, 6th & 7th graders.

***A parent must attend** the first 20 minutes to fill out paperwork about your child & sign up for MSP!

Questions? Contact altarservers@smip.org



VOCATION PRAYER CALENDAR

MARCH 2019

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

- 1 Frs. William Cullen, James Curtin
- 2 Srs. Boguslawa Bladek, Agnieszka Jach, Alicja Jaszczak, Wieslawa Jamrozik, Jadwiga Kokolus
- 3 Dcns. John Gustin, Nabil Halaby, Raymond Hamilton, Philip Heitz, Donald Helgeson, Bradley Hentz, Armando Herrera
- 4 Frs. Philip Danaher, John Dennerlein
- 5 Srs. Paulina Hernandez, Catalina Perez, Monica Rocha, Carmen Sanchez, Carmen Sotelo MSC Gpe.
- 6 Dcns. Karl Huebner, Michael Iozzo, Kenneth Jackson, Thomas Jagielo, James Janousek, Jay Janousek, Michael Januszewski
- 7 Frs. William DeSalvo, William Dewan
- 8 Srs. Libby Dahlstrom, Mary Martin, Kathleen John McLinden, Mary Raphael Schmitz, Mary Elizabeth Sheffer, M. Anthony de Lourdes Veilleux O.Carm
- 9 Paul Nappi, Hung Nguyen (2020 Deacon Candidates)
- 10 Frs. Thomas Dieter, William Donnelly
- 11 Dcns. Julio Jimenez, Joseph Johnson, Paul Jung, Robert Kaminski, Lawrence Kearney, James Kelly, Paul Kelly
- 12 Srs. Emma Calvo, Mary Carr, Patricia Francis, Dorothy Glaister, Loretta Glanz, Denise Glazik OP
- 13 Frs. James Dougherty, John Doyle
- 14 Manuel Perales, Kevin Plankinton (2020 Deacon Candidates)
- 15 Srs. Linette Howard, Felicia Marie Jacobsson, Ellen Marie Keating, Karen Krall, M. Charmaine Kribs, Marilín Llanes OP
- 16 Dcns. Darrell Kelsey, Patrick Kenny, Chang Kim, Ronald Knecht, Paul Kolodziej, Kevin Koster, Michael Kowalchik
- 17 Frs. Stanley Drewniak, Robert Duda
- 18 Fr. John Belmonte S.J.
- 19 Brian Geary (Seminarian)
- 20 Frs. Thomas L. Osborne, Anthony Pizzo, John J. Sotak, R. William Sullivan, Richard Young OSA
- 21 Srs. Maria Catherine Rethwisch, M. Catherine Rice, Marie Isaac Staub, Anne Therese Wilder OP
- 22 Brs. Thomas Dupre, Christopher Ford FSC
- 23 Srs. Magdalena Grymuza, Evangeline Kiambati, Krystyna Kaewiria Kosakowska, Teresa Lawicka, MSF
- 24 Malgorzata Leszczynka, Magdalena Polak, Beata Sawicka, Katarzyna Zaremba MChR
- 25 Abbot Austin G. Murphy O.S.B.
- 26 Frs. James Dvorscak, Stephen Eickoff
- 27 Srs. Mary Bratrsovsky, Mary Alma Bratrsovsky, Johanna Choi
- 28 Brs. James Gaffney, Richard Geimer FSC
- 29 Frs. Herb Essig, Kevin Farrell
- 30 Steven Widlowski (Seminarian)
- 31 Jo Anne Form, Judith Ann Heble, Irene Jasien, Benita Jasurda OSB

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

Pope Francis

Prepared by Diocese of Joliet Vocation Office, Joliet Area Vocation Association (JAVA) Serra Club of DuPage County



Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network
UNITED STATES | CANADA
APOSTLESHIP OF PRAYER



Christians everywhere are asked to unite in prayer for the 2019 intentions entrusted to us by Pope Francis. Apostles of Prayer offer themselves to God each day for the good of the world, the Church, one another, and the Holy Father's Intentions.

Pope Francis' monthly prayer intention for March:

Recognition of the Right of Christian Communities

That Christian communities, especially those who are persecuted, feel that they are close to Christ and have their rights respected.

Suggested Daily Prayer:

Father, Here I am. I know you are always with me. I place my heart in the Heart of your Son Jesus, who gives himself to us in the Eucharist each day. May your Holy Spirit strengthen me to live the Gospel in everything I do and say. For my part I give you this day—all my prayers, works, joys, and sufferings—all I am and possess. With Mary, Mother of the Church, I pray for the mission of the Church, for all Apostles of Prayer, and for the intentions of the Pope this month. Amen.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 9TH
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POLSKA WSPÓLNOTA

Msza Święta w Języku Polskim

Polska Msza ma miejsce w Cana Hall w każdą niedzielę o 9:00 rano.

Różaniec

Polskie Kółko Różancowe gromadzi się w każdy Wtorek o 7:15 wieczorem w Prayer Room. Zbiórka przy recepcji.

Posługa do mszy

Zapraszamy chętnych to posługi na polskiej mszy. Przygotowania do posługi w języku polskim.

Zapisy do parafii

Zapisy do parafii odbywają się również w języku polskim. W recepcji proszę zgłosić chęć rejestracji po polsku.

Intencje

Intencje na polską mszę należy zamawiać u ks. Andrzeja. Poniżej forma zamówienia. Poniżej forma zamówienia.

Date of Mass (data mszy): _____ Time of Mass (godzina): _____

For (intencja): _____

By (zamówiona przez): _____

EVENTOS DEL MINISTERIO HISPANO

Imagen Virgen de Guadalupe

Si gusta llevarse a casa la Imagen de la Virgen de Guadalupe y rezarle el Rosario por una semana, por favor llame a Maria Berducido para registrarse 847-529-3970.

Cómo Rezar el Rosario

¿Le gustaría aprender a rezar el Rosario? Acompañenos los jueves a las 7 PM. En el salón "Upper Room."

Círculo de Oración Carismático

Todos los viernes a las 6:30 PM en Cana Hall, comenzamos con el Santo Rosario.

Adoración Nocturna al Santísimo en la Iglesia

Cada primer viernes del mes, de 9:00 PM a 5:00 AM en nuestra iglesia. Iniciando con la Santa Misa a las 9:00 PM. Los esperamos.

Bautizos en Español

Después de haberse registrado en la parroquia puede inscribirse a la clase de preparación para bautizos. Una vez tomada la clase se puede registrar para un bautizo. Llamar a la parroquia para fechas de clases y bautizos 815-436-2651 ext. 800.

Atención Niños y Niñas Que Ya Hicieron Su 1. Comunión

Necesitamos de tu ayuda. ¿Te gustaría ayudarle al Sacerdote durante la Santa Misa? ¿Te gustaría ser un Monaguillo o Acolito? Inscríbete con: Eloisa Gonzalez llamándola al 214-714-7016

Comunicación entre Feligrés y Parroquia Santa María Inmaculada

En caso de una emergencia, necesitamos tener sus datos correctos, si usted cambio de dirección o de número telefónico por favor avisenos lo antes posible. 815-436-2651.

Horario de Misas en Español

Sábados 5:30 PM, en la Iglesia. Domingos 12:15 PM, en Cana Hall. La misa de los sábados cuenta como la del domingo. Confesiones sábados de 4:30 a 5:20 PM en el salón que está frente a la capilla de Adoración; únicamente cuando hay sacerdote disponible.

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Si gusta ofrecer una misa o necesita oración por un enfermo llame con anticipación a la parroquia para apartar su misa. 815-436-2651 ext. 800.

Ministros Voluntarios

Si gusta participar en algún ministerio pregunte, al final de la misa en español, a cualquiera de los voluntarios, ellos le orientaran.

Events This Week

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
March 4	March 5	March 6	March 7	March 8	March 9	March 10
7:30 AM Mass (CH) 5:30 - 10:00 PM K of C 4th Degree Mtg (KC) 6:00 - 7:00 PM AA Meeting (NWA) 6:00 - 8:00 PM Athletic Board Mtg (UR) 6:00 - 9:00 PM ESL (ST, UN) 6:30 - 7:15 PM Confirmation Special Needs Class (SMR) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Contemporary Choir (MR) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Confirmation Year 1 & 2 Class (SCH) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Spanish Bible Class (FSR) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Parish Council (CANA) 8:00 - 9:00 PM AA Meeting (NWB&C)	7:30 AM Mass (CH) 9:30 - 11:30 AM Walking with Purpose (NWB&C) 5:00 - 7:30 PM Pizza Night (G) 5:15 - 6:30 PM RE (SCH) 6:45 - 8:00 PM Youth Choir (MR) 7:00 - 8:00 PM Baptism Class (CH) 7:00 - 8:00 PM Greeters Annual Mtg (SMR) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Hispanic Charismatic Group (CANA) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Hispanic Ministry Leaders Mtg (UR) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Walking with Purpose (SMR) 7:15 - 8:30 PM Polish Rosary (SPR)	7:30 AM 12:00 PM 7:00 PM Mass (CH) 8:45 AM School Mass (CH) 7:00 PM Spanish Mass (G) 7:00 AM Polish Mass (CANA) 6:00 - 9:00 PM ESL (ST, UN)	7:30 AM Mass (CH) 12:30 - 2:30 PM CCW Mtg (FSR, HR, SMR) 2:00 - 3:30 PM Holy Hour of Reparation (CH) 3:30 - 9:30 PM Athletics (G) 5:15 - 6:30 PM RE (SCH) 5:15 - 6:30 PM RE Holy Hour (CH) 7:00 - 8:00 PM Spanish Rosary (UR) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Catechist Mentor Retreat (CANA, FSR, HR) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Financial Peace University (ST, UN) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Hispanic Charismatic Choir (SMR) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Legion of Mary (NWB&C) 9:30 - 10:30 PM Men's Club Basketball (G)	7:30 AM Mass (CH) 4:30 - 7:30 PM Fish Fry (G) 6:00 - 7:00 PM Confessions (CH) 7:00 - 7:30 PM Stations of the Cross (CH) 7:00 - 7:30 PM Stations of the Cross – Polish (CANA W) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Hispanic Charismatic Group (CANA) 7:30 - 8:00 PM Stations of the Cross – Spanish (CH)	7:30 AM 4:00 PM Mass (CH) 5:30 PM Spanish Mass (CH) 7:00 - 8:30 AM Fishers of Men (KC) 8:00 AM - 1:30 PM St. Anne's Sewing Circle (SMR) 8:05 - 9:30 AM Brothers in Christ (NWB&C) 9:00 - 10:15 AM RE (SCH) 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Athletics (G) 9:00 - 11:00 AM Biblical Scholars Group (ST, UN) 9:30 - 10:30 AM Chat with Fr. Pat (HR) 10:00 - 11:30 AM Lectors Training (CH) 1:00 - 3:00 PM Hats for Babies (HR) 1:00 - 3:00 PM Rosary Making Class (NWB&C) 3:00 - 4:00 PM Confessions (CH) 4:00 - 5:30 PM Spanish Choir (MR) 5:00 - 7:30 PM Eucharistic Miracles Display (G) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Young Church (G)	7:30 AM 9:00 AM 10:45 AM 12:15 PM 6:00 PM Mass (CH) 9:00 AM Polish Mass (CANA) 10:30 AM Special Needs Mass (CANA) 12:15 PM Spanish Mass (CANA) 8:30 - 9:00 AM Polish Confessions (FSR) 8:00 AM - 8:00 PM Eucharistic Miracles Display (G) 8:30 AM - 12:15 PM Hospitality (G) 9:00 - 10:15 AM RCIA (NWA) 10:15 - 11:15 AM Welcoming Registration (SMC) 10:15 - 11:30 AM H.S. Confirmation Class (HR) 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM The Wild Goose Holy Spirit Study (ST, UN) 2:00 - 3:00 PM Baptisms (CH) 4:00 - 6:00 PM Music Practice (CH) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Lifeteen (YR) 7:30 - 8:30 PM AA Meeting (NWB&C)
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Spanish Mass: Saturday 5:30 PM (Church) &

Sunday 12:15 PM (Cana Hall)

Special Needs Mass: 2nd Sunday of Month 10:30 AM (Cana Hall)

Polish Mass: Sunday 9:00 AM (Cana Hall)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday through Saturday: 7:30 AM

HOLY DAY & CIVIC HOLIDAY MASS TIMES

Please consult the bulletin or call the Parish Office.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

English: Saturday 3:00-4:00 PM (Church Confessionals)

Spanish: Saturday 4:30 PM (NWA) (when a priest is available)

Polish: Sunday 8:30 AM (FSR,HR)

Or by appointment with the priests.

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Contact Parish Office or priests when sickness occurs.

R.C.I.A.: Anyone seeking information about joining the Catholic Faith should contact the Parish Office.

MARRIAGES: Please contact the Parish Office when planning a marriage. Weddings should be scheduled at least six months in advance according to Diocesan norm. A wedding date cannot be guaranteed or added to the parish calendar until you have met with one of our priests to begin your paperwork. **(Weddings are not scheduled on Sundays unless during a regular Sunday Mass.)**

BAPTISMS: Parents of children are required to attend a Baptism Class prior to setting a date for the Baptism of their child. Parents can attend the class before your child is born. Baptisms are usually held on the 2nd and 3rd Sundays of the month at 2:00 PM. Please call the Parish Office at 815-436-2651 to register for a Baptism Class Session.

REGISTRATION: *WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS AND NEW MEMBERS!* Please introduce yourself to one of the priests and to those around you. If you are interested in registering as a parishioner, you are invited to attend our Welcome Gathering Event. This is held almost every Sunday at 10:15 AM and usually meets in the Media Center of the Parish School. Registration for membership generally is not done through the Parish Office but only at the Sunday Gatherings. For information, or if you have questions about becoming a parishioner, please call the Parish Office.

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