

*One Family
in Faith Making*

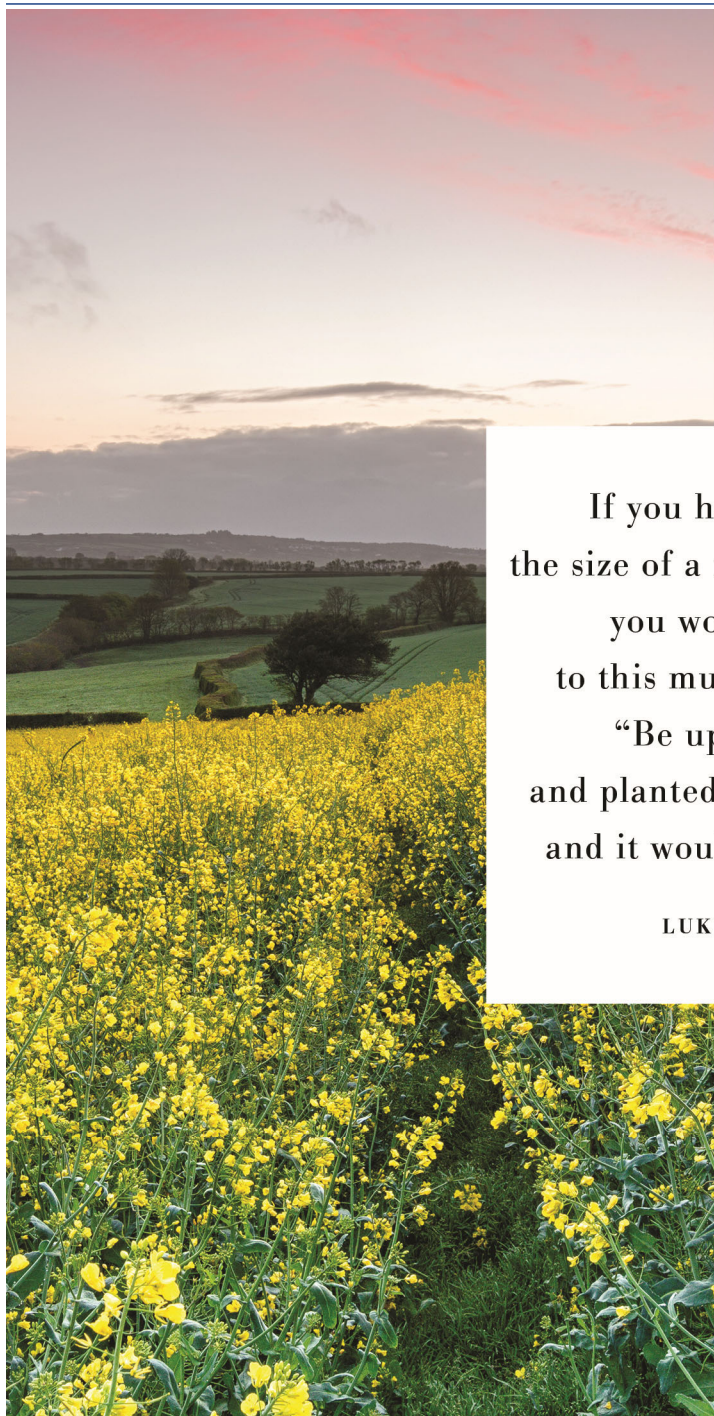


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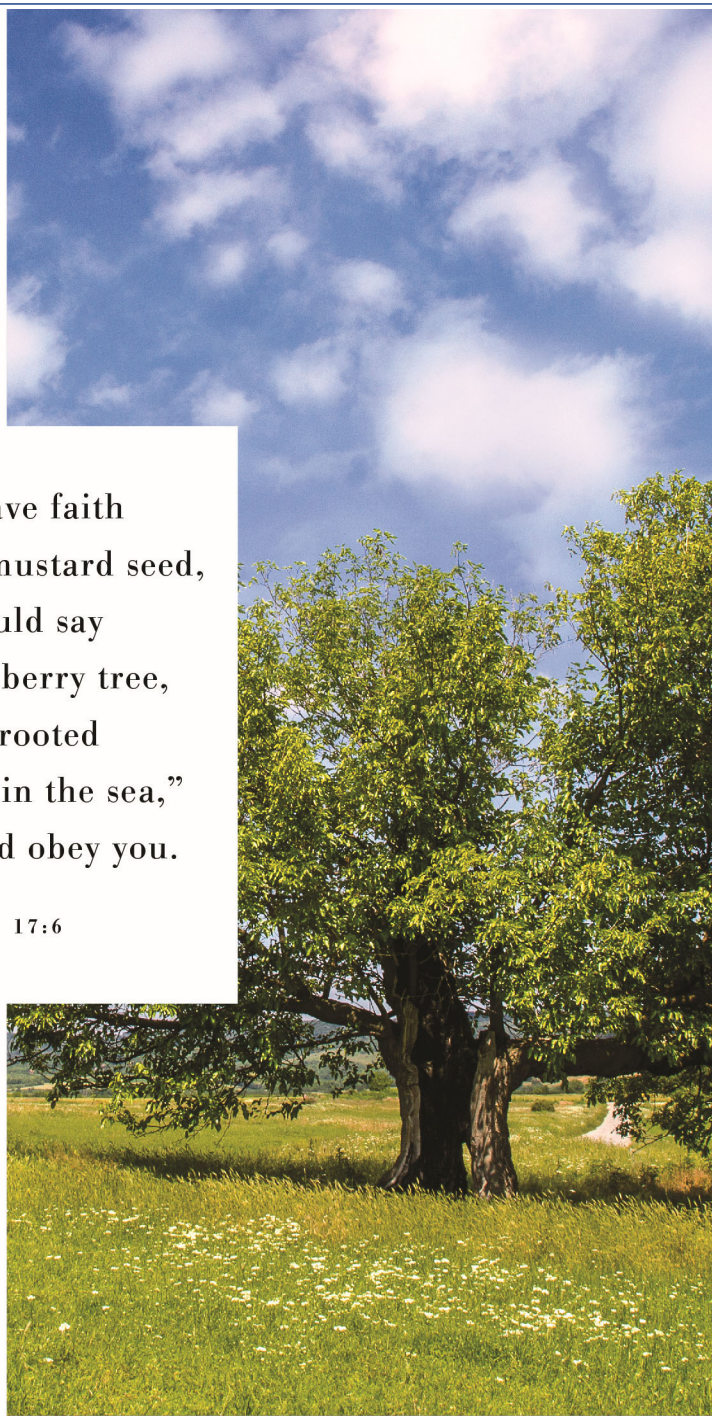
The Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 6, 2019



If you have faith
the size of a mustard seed,
you would say
to this mulberry tree,
“Be uprooted
and planted in the sea,”
and it would obey you.

LUKE 17:6



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“We need others in order to live and to share the love and trust that the Lord gives us.”

-Pope Francis @Pontifex

Mass Intentions

Monday – 7:30 a.m.	October 7, 2019 Scott Goettert – (Family)
Tuesday – 7:30 a.m.	October 8, 2019 Robert Brown – (Wayne & Barb Olson) Ruben A. Castillo-Gomez – Living Intention – (Mariana Gomez)
Wednesday – 7:30 a.m.	October 9, 2019 Harry Whitney – (Sobieski Family)
Thursday – 7:30 a.m.	October 10, 2019 Guillermina Gomez – Living Intention – (Mariana Gomez) Frances Marciniak – (Robert L. Donegan)
Friday – 7:30 a.m.	October 11, 2019 Mille Brewster – (Pat & Bill Kettman)
Saturday – 7:30 a.m. 4:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m. (Spanish)	October 12, 2019 James Graham – (Family) Carol Kovats – (Family) Jose Acasaenz – (Wife & Son)
Sunday – 7:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. (Polish - Cana) 10:45 a.m. 12:15 p.m. 12:15 p.m. (Spanish – Cana) 6:00 p.m.	October 13, 2019 Robert C. Schwab – (Wife & Family) Michelle Maloney – (Maloney Family) S.P. Edward Sawiniec, Stanislaw & Michael Lesniewski Grace & James Schuringa – (Schuringa Family) Mary Kovats – (Family) Marina Inglesias – (Maria Villaseñor) People of the Parish

Offerings

Weekly Offering September 29

\$31,032



2019 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal

Parish Goal \$221,300
Amount Pledged \$208,073
Amount Paid \$175,850
Balance: \$32,253
Donors: 862

Please continue to fulfill your pledges!

Readings for the Week

Sunday	Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14; Lk 17:5-10
Monday	Jon 1:1 – 2:2, 11; Jon 2:3-5, 8; Lk 10:25-37
Tuesday	Jon 3:1-10; Ps 130:1b-4ab, 7-8; Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday	Jon 4:1-11; Ps 86:3-6, 9-10; Lk 11:1-4
Thursday	Mal 3:13-20b; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 11:5-13
Friday	Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Ps 9:2-3, 6, 16, 8-9; Lk 11:15-26
Saturday	Jl 4:12-21; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12; Lk 11:27-28
Sunday	2 Kgs 5:14-17; Ps 98:1-4; 2 Tm 2:8-13; Lk 17:11-19



The Word from Fr. Pat / La Palabra del Padre Pat / Słowo od Ojca Pat

*You are indeed Holy, O Lord,
and all you have created
rightly gives you praise,
for through your Son our Lord Jesus Christ,
you give life to all things and make them holy,
and you never cease to gather a people to yourself,
so that from the rising of the sun to its setting
a pure sacrifice may be offered to your name.
(The beginning of Eucharistic Prayer III)*

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Today we celebrate Respect Life Sunday, a day when we rally the troops, as it were, to proclaim that all life – from conception to natural death – is sacred. The Third Eucharistic Prayer, cited above, gives voice to the sacredness of life, as all life is the work of God and the image of God who made us out of love.

This is a critical time for our society. We can certainly recognize a “culture of death” in our time, where abortion and euthanasia are seen as rights and euphemized to the point that if they are opposed, it is viewed as disrespectful, intolerant or hateful. When death becomes the goal like this, then Satan has won. Christ came to take us away from sin and death, that we might have life and have it abundantly (cf. John 10:10b).

“All that is necessary for the triumph of evil is that good men do nothing.” (Edmund Burke) It’s not okay for us to ignore the issue, safe in the knowledge that we have never procured an abortion or considered euthanasia. That alone does not make us pro-life people. Instead, we must fervently pray for the flourishing of life that Christ calls us to. We must oppose legislation that cultivates the culture of death. We must make our voices heard by those running for public office, especially in this important election year.

Then too, we need to engage in corporal works of mercy that support life. We must visit the sick and by our presence give them hope in a loving God. We must reach out to the poor and homeless, so that women in these situations won’t have to see abortion as their only option. We must be willing to listen to women who are pregnant and scared so they won’t seek out death to shelter them from the issues of life.

God gives us life and makes us holy. Let us reverence that life every day we have breath.

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

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*En verdad eres Santo, oh Señor,
y todo lo que has creado
te alaba correctamente
porque por tu Hijo nuestro Señor Jesucristo,
das vida a todas las cosas y las haces santas,
y nunca dejas de reunir un pueblo para ti,
para que desde la salida del sol hasta su puesta
se puede ofrecer un sacrificio puro a tu nombre.
(El comienzo de la oración eucarística III)*

Queridos Hermanos y Hermanas en Cristo:

Hoy celebramos el Domingo de Respeto a la Vida, un día en que reunimos a las tropas, por así decirlo, para proclamar que toda vida, desde la concepción hasta la muerte natural, es sagrada. La Tercera Oración Eucarística, citada anteriormente, da voz a lo sagrado de la vida, ya que toda vida es obra de Dios y a imagen de Dios que nos hizo del amor.

Este es un momento crítico para nuestra sociedad. Ciertamente podemos reconocer una "cultura de muerte" en nuestro tiempo, donde el aborto y la eutanasia son vistos como derechos y eufemismos hasta el punto de que si nos oponemos, se nos considera irrespetuosos, intolerantes u odiosos. Cuando la muerte se convierte en la meta como en estos casos, entonces Satanás ha ganado. Cristo vino para alejarnos del pecado y la muerte, para que tengamos vida y la tengamos en abundancia (cf. Juan 10: 10b).



The Word from Fr. Pat / La Palabra del Padre Pat / Słowo od Ojca Pat

"Todo lo que es necesario para el triunfo del mal es que los hombres buenos no hagan nada". (Edmund Burke) No está bien que ignoremos el tema, a sabiendas de que nunca hemos tenido un aborto o considerado la eutanasia. Eso por sí solo no nos hace personas pro-vida. En cambio, debemos orar fervientemente por el florecimiento de la vida a la que Cristo nos llama. Debemos oponernos a la legislación que cultiva una cultura de muerte. Debemos hacer oír nuestra voz a quienes se postulan para cargos públicos, especialmente en este importante año electoral.

Entonces también, debemos participar en obras corporales de misericordia que apoyan la vida. Debemos visitar a los enfermos y con nuestra presencia darles esperanza en un Dios amoroso. Debemos comunicarnos con los pobres y las personas sin hogar, para que las mujeres en estas situaciones no tengan que ver el aborto como su única opción. Debemos estar dispuestos a escuchar a las mujeres embarazadas y asustadas para que no busquen la muerte para protegerlas de los problemas de la vida.

Dios nos da vida y nos hace santos. Reverenciemos esa vida todos los días mientras tengamos aliento.

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

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*Prawdziwie jesteś Święty, o Panie,
i wszystko co stworzyłeś
słusznie Cię chwali,
albowiem przez Twojego Syna, Pana naszego Jezusa Chrystusa,
dajesz życie wszystkim i czynisz świętym,
gromadzisz ludzi,
tak, że od wschodu słońca do zachodu
czysta ofiara może być złożona w Twoje imię in Twoją chwałę.
(Początek III Modlitwy eucharystycznej)*

Drodzy Bracia i Siostry w Chrystusie,

Dziś obchodzimy niedzielę Szacunku dla Życia (Respect for Life), gromadząc się aby głosić, że całe życie - od poczęcia do naturalnej śmierci - jest święte. Trzecia Modlitwa eucharystyczna, o której mowa powyżej, daje wyraz świętości życia, ponieważ całe życie jest dziełem Boga i obrazem Boga, który stworzył nas z miłości.

To krytyczny czas dla naszego społeczeństwa. Z pewnością możemy rozpoznać „kulturę śmierci” w naszych czasach, w której aborcja i eutanazja są postrzegane jako prawa i eufemizowane do tego stopnia, że jeśli się im sprzeciwi, postrzega się je jako brak szacunku, nietolerancję lub nienawiść. Kiedy śmierć staje się takim celem, Szatan zwycięża. Chrystus przyszedł, aby wybawić nas od grzechu i śmierci, abyśmy mieli życie i mieli je w obfitości (por. J 10, 10b).

„Wszystko, co jest konieczne do triumfu zła, polega na tym, że dobrzy ludzie nic nie robią.” (Edmund Burke) Nie możemy zignorować problemu, myśląc, że jeśli sami nigdy nie dokonaliśmy aborcji lub nie rozważaliśmy eutanazji to jesteśmy zwolnieni z odpowiedzialności. To za mało aby uważać się za obrońców życia. Zamiast tego musimy żarliwie modlić się o rozkwit życia, do którego wzywa nas Chrystus. Musimy sprzeciwić się przepisom, które kultywują kulturę śmierci. Musimy wyrazić swój głos osobom ubiegającym się o urząd publiczny, szczególnie w tym ważnym roku wyborczym.

Także i my musimy angażować się w uczynki miłosierdzia, które wspierają życie. Musimy odwiedzać chorych i dzięki naszej obecności dawać im nadzieję w kochającego Boga. Musimy dotrzeć do biednych i bezdomnych, aby kobiety w takich sytuacjach nie musiały postrzegać aborcji jako jedynej opcji. Musimy być gotowi na wysłuchanie i pomoc kobietom w ciąży, które są często osamotnione i wystraszone aby nie szukały rozwiązania problemów w śmierci.

Bóg daje nam życie i czyni nas świętymi. Czcijmy każdy nasz oddech dany nam od Pana.

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

Crash Course in Catholicism



Join us at St. Mary Immaculate Church for a **CRASH COURSE IN CATHOLICISM**

Topics:

- ♦ Our God Saves | Our God Heals
- ♦ Connecting with God | The Power of Prayer
- ♦ Sharing Good News | Everyday Discipleship
- ♦ What happens when we die? | The End Times

A time for asking questions and learning more about our Catholic faith after each Mass.

The Crash Course in Catholicism will be a preaching series at our weekend Masses from **October 12 to November 3**.

English Masses on Saturday at 4:00 PM & Sunday at 7:30, 9:00, 10:45 AM and 12:15 and 6:00 PM

Spanish Masses on Saturday at 5:30 PM & Sunday at 12:15 PM

Polish Mass on Sunday at 9:00 AM

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It is time!

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

Fellowship & 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

Nourish—Health & Spiritual Well Being of Caregivers
- 3rd Thursday of every month, 7:00 PM

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

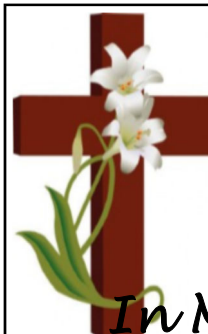
* Occasionally meeting days or times may change. Please
watch the bulletin for special announcements.

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...*

Rosario Anaya, John Arduino, Margaret Birmingham, Stefan Bitt, Marsha Bysak, Frank Carino Jr., Luz Contreras, Gloria Cook, Lois Costablile, Pat Cremeens, Lynette Dattomo, Mary Dickerson, Megan Dolan, Delphine Dombroski, Maureen Dranger, Rick Erwin, Deborah Fadden, Jean Fiaoni, Sue Flynn, Brandon Franklin, Dana Freund, Paul Gadowski, Frances Galasinski, Wayne Galasinski, Margaret Gee, Mary Lou Gist, Avery Gladkowski, Janice Gregoire, Jennifer Grimm, Donald Hahn, Mary Hanna, Erinn Heines, Matt Hoch, Sue Hoch, Ken Hood, Pat Hood, Gloria Francisco Huerta, Chris Jalove, Joe Jonish, Carmella Justice, Grant Justice, Michael J. Kelly, Derek Khan, Donna Knight, Colleen Kowalke, Lenita Krall, 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, Kevin Moore, Michael Moravec, Wally Moskwa, Cheryl Muscato, Betty Nichols, Bob Nichols, Bobby Nichols, Sr. Roselyn Nichols, Lawrence Nonnie, Tim Oberg, Steve Obremski, Maria T. Olvera, Ella Page, Nick Peceniak, Corrine Pieroni, Jim Ptak, Willard Pisto, Jared Pyatt, Jime Rife, Joel Rivera, John Rogalski, Catherine Ryba, Hayley Schwartz, Rose Marie Selke, Mya Singh, 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
Richard Chapas
Claudia Jachim
Anna Marie Stratz
and their families in your prayers.

In Memoriam

PARISH COUNCIL AND COMMISSION MEETING DATE CHANGE

Parish Council and Commission meetings scheduled for October 7th have been changed to October 14th at 7:00 PM. Thank you for your cooperation.



CAN YOU FIND HER?

QUEEN OF HEARTS
50/50 RAFFLE

ST. MARY
IMMACULATE
Parish

Live Drawings
Wednesdays at 7 PM
Backroads
Pub & Grill

Jackpot
(estimate)
\$4,834.00

Tickets sold after weekend Masses
and at Backroads

Welcome to Our New Parishioners

Cyrus Doroy
Naperville, IL

Mark Jarnagin & Danielle Blake
Plainfield, IL

Oscar Sanchez & Lissette Aguilera
Joliet, IL

Greg & Stephanie Gruzik
Plainfield, IL

Patrick & Jamie Kilroy
Plainfield, IL

5 new households have registered at St. Mary Immaculate since September 29, 2019.

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PICK OF THE WEEK

Divine Mercy

Episode 6: Fatima

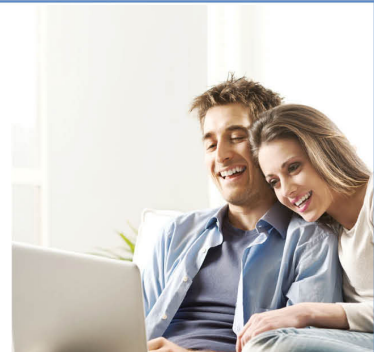


Grasp the Historical Importance of Fatima

Against the backdrop of a world engulfed in war, the prophetic drama of Our Lady's appearance in Portugal captures the hearts of believers and unbelievers.

"The story of Fatima here is quite powerful!"
—Mariann G., Trenton, NJ

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Healing Prayer Service Sunday, October 6th, 1:30 PM

Join us in the Church for a scripture reading & prayer followed by the opportunity to receive the sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, which conveys special graces and strength of the Holy Spirit.



October is Pro-Life Month

Throughout most of the month of October, 330 crosses will be on display on the parkway on Route 59 in front of St. Mary Immaculate Church. Each cross represents 10 babies killed by abortion in our country each day. Please pray for our babies lost through abortion, their mothers and their fathers. **The crosses will be on display beginning October 7 through October 27, 2019.**

Please join us to pray the "Rosary for Life" at the crosses on the following days:

Sunday October 13 at 1:30 PM (after 12:15 PM Mass)

Sunday October 20 at 1:30 PM (after 12:15 PM Mass)

Sunday October 27 at 1:30 PM (after 12:15 PM Mass)

You may also pray at the crosses anytime you wish. Our witness will make many people who pass by see the effects of abortion in our country. Each baby is created in the image and likeness of God with a soul.

Blessed Mother Mary intercede for us to save the unborn and guide all mothers.

Protecting God's Children Workshops Scheduled

Day	Date	Time	Location
Wednesday	October 9, 2019	7:00—10:00 pm	Faith Sharing / Harvester Room
Tuesday	October 22, 2019	7:00—10:00 pm	Stewardship / Unity Room
Wednesday	February 10, 2020	7:00—10:00 pm	Faith Sharing / Harvester Room

Please call the Religious Education Office at 815-436-4501 to register. Please call our Protecting God's Children Workshop Facilitator, Pat Mander, at 815-436-2651 who is also our Pastoral Minister, if you are hesitant or cautious about attending a large group workshop.



GOOD SHEPHERD LADIES AUXILIARY OCTOBER MEETING 10-10-19 at 6:00 PM

All women of the parish are invited to the Good Shepherd Ladies Auxiliary meeting on **Thursday, October 10, 2019**, in the **Grey House at the NW corner of the parking lot**. We will have Fall Fun as we welcome in the crisp cool days of the glorious season. We ask everyone who attends to bring wrapped Trick or Treat candy which we will donate to the Plainfield Food Pantry. We will share a light meal at 6:00 PM, followed by our meeting and more at 7:00 PM. Let's have some fun and bring some Halloween joy to children. For more information contact Annemarie Burns 815-254-9878, annemariejb@gmail.com or Grace Blaszak 815-254-7078, gblaszak@sbcglobal.net



Prayer Vigil

October 12 (12:01 am - 11:59 pm)
3051 E. New York Street, Aurora IL

From Now to November 3, Christians around the world will join together for the most powerful pro-life effort the world has ever seen. During these 40 days, churches in our area will participate in our local effort; **40 DAYS FOR LIFE FOX VALLEY**. Each day, one church will commit to praying for an end to abortion outside of the Aurora Clinic.

St. Mary Immaculate will hold our monthly prayer vigil, as part of **40 DAYS FOR LIFE**, on **Saturday, October, 12**. Please sign up at smip.org/40days to pray with us for one hour during our **24-hour vigil, beginning at midnight on the morning of October 12th**.

If you are unable to join our group on October 12, please consider praying with other groups on another day during the 40 day period. You can also show your love and support through daily prayer and fasting.

For more information please text Don Hrdlicka at 630-415-6603 or send an email message to pharmdon@hotmail.com



Rosary Rally

October 12th at 12:00 Noon

On October 12 we will be praying the rosary outside the Planned Parenthood Clinic at 3051 E. New York Street, Aurora, Illinois. This is a parish wide event and the rosary will be led by Deacon Tom O'Connell, Don Hrdlicka and Bill Gallagher. Won't you please join us?

Contact Tom at 815-230-2241, Don Hrdlicka at 630-415-6603 or Bill Gallagher at 815-609-9148 for more information.



St. Mary Immaculate Presents

TrivVia Night

Saturday, October 12, 2019

Doors open at 6:30 PM, trivia is 7:30-9:30 PM

Cost is \$10 per person OR \$70 for a table of 8.

Feel free to bring your own snacks and beverages!

Teams can be any size up to 8!

Prizes from local businesses from food to golf and more!

Register at smip.org/trivia or by contacting Dianne Rostollan at drostollan@smip.org





Free Blood Pressure Screening
October 13th in the SMI Gym from 8:00 AM—12:00 Noon
Contact Pat Mander R.N., Pastoral Minister, at 815-436-2651 ext. 893 or
pmander@smip.org with any questions.

Flu Vaccines Offered at St. Mary Immaculate October 13 8:00 AM - 12:00 Noon in the Parish Gym



The Best Way to Prevent The Flu?

Getting the vaccine each year! The flu virus changes each year, and different strains are predicted to be worse—the flu vaccine is updated each year to protect against the worst strains!

Flu Symptoms

“The flu” differs from a regular cold virus—it is much more severe! Symptoms can include:

Fever and or chills — Headache — Fatigue — Sore throat — Muscle/Body aches

Coughing — Diarrhea and Vomiting — Runny/stuffy Nose



Once again that staff from Jewel-Osco will be coming to SMI to offer flu and pneumonia vaccines. The date will be Sunday October 13 from 8:00 AM - 12:00 Noon. We accept Medicare and most insurances. Bring any insurance information with you. Cash price is Quad = \$43.42 and high dose = \$72.71.

Get your flu shot and receive a coupon for 10% off your groceries

Please contact Pat Mander RN, Pastoral Minister, at pmander@smip.org or 815-436-2651 ext. 893 if you have any questions.

You do not have to walk this journey alone.



Are you a caregiver?
Do you spend time caring for
another person?

Nourish for the
Health and Spiritual Well-being of
Caregivers.

Please join us October 17th
the 3rd Thursday at 7:00 PM
in the Small Meeting Room
each month to be a part of
a community who understand.

Dcn. Mike Perkins 815-436-2651 x 480
Pat Mander 815-436-2651 x 893

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, October 18th** 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@ankura.com



17th Annual Undy Sunday - Catholic Charities

In Conjunction with Make a Difference Day, St. Mary Immaculate will again be participating in Catholic Charities 17th Annual Undy Sunday Drive.

Beginning Monday, October 14th and through Undy Sunday, October 20, 2019, there will be a box in the Commons for drop off. We will be collecting new underwear, new undershirts and new socks for people of all ages as well as diapers.

For more information please contact Pat Mander, RN, our Pastoral Minister at 815-436-2651 ext 893 or pmander@smip.org.



Undy Sunday

Sponsored by Catholic Charities, Diocese of Joliet

BLOOD DRIVE

Oct. 19
9 AM - 1:30 PM

Be a Beacon of Hope

St. Mary Immaculate's Knights of Columbus Good Shepherd Council #5573 will be hosting a community blood drive in Cana Hall in conjunction with Make a Difference Day on October 19th from 9:00 AM until 1:30 PM.

Appointments are preferred, but walk-ins are welcome. Please contact Rich at 815-254-7078 to book an appointment, or sign-up online at www.versiti.org/IL

Please bring a photo ID and eat a good meal before donating. Donors will receive a \$10.00 Colonial Café gift certificate as a special thank you for donating.



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Blood Center of Illinois

St. Anne's Sewing Circle



Mark your calendars, for October 19th, SMI's Make A Difference Day. The St. Anne's Sewing Circle will be available for your sewing needs in the Small Meeting Room. Bring clean, unsoiled, pre-shrunk items for small repairs, hemming and/or buttons.

Three items per family will be accepted.

Date: Saturday, October 19
Drop-Off: 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM
Pick-Up: 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM

If you would like to join us on MaDD and put your sewing skills to work for our church and our community, sign-up online at www.smip.org/MADD or at church the weekend of Oct 5/6.

If you have any questions please contact Sue Bornemann at 815-436-6617 or email mfbsew@yahoo.com or Diane Ziemba at 815-609-9224 or email raz5733@aol.com.

Make A Difference Day

Sign-Up at:
smip.org/MaDD

Sign up now for a service project on Saturday, October 19!

- Dozens of meaningful, family-oriented service projects are offered here at SMI and all around the community.
- It's a great opportunity for everyone to come together in loving service and fellowship!

Schedule of Events

7:30 a.m. —Daily Mass in the Church

8:00 a.m. —Volunteer Blessing in the Church

8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. — Coffee & Donuts in the Commons

8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. — Perform your service project some time during the day

4:00 p.m. —Vigil Mass in the Church

Make a Difference Day Service Projects

Listed below are over 30 service project options, grouped by where they take place, either inside or outside at SMI, at nursing homes, food warehouse/pantry sites, the Convent, or elsewhere in the community. Projects are scheduled at various start times throughout the morning and afternoon. Visit www.smip.org/MADD to get all the details including specific start/end times, any restrictions, special requests, and contact info for each project. Go online to sign up yourself and your family for a service project.

SMI Indoor Projects

Eucharistic Adoration (Church), 6 30-min. shifts	8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Heartland Blood Drive (Cana), appointments every 20 minutes	9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
New Life for Old Bags (FS/H), 2 shifts	9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Legion of Mary Rosary Making (UR), 2 shifts	9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
St. Anne's Sewing Circle Free Mending (SMR), 2 shifts	9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Hats for Babies (Stewardship), 1 shift	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Kid's Crafts for Homebound and Nursing Homes (Unity), 3 shifts	Noon - 1:30 p.m.
Church Pew Cleaning, 1 shift	Noon - 1:30 p.m.

SMI Outdoor Projects

Donation Station (Bus Lane off Frederick), 2 shifts	8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
SMI Grounds Clean Up (multiple locations), 1 shift	9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Nursing Home Projects

Harbor Chase— Connecting Through Music w/Jean, 1 shift	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Lakewood Nursing & Rehab—Bingo, 1 shift	9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Lakewood Nursing & Rehab—Bingo, 1 shift	2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Rosewood Care Center—Bingo, 1 shift	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Rosewood Care Center—Bingo, 1 shift	2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

"Feed the Hungry" Projects

Feed My Starving Children (Aurora), 1 shift	9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Feed My Starving Children (Aurora), 1 shift	2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Mantellate Sisters Convent Projects

Multiple Projects—Check the website!	9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
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Community Projects

Helping Hearts and Hands Home Assistance (Varies), 1 shift	9:00 a.m. - Noon
Linden Oaks Stress Blankets	9:00 a.m. - Noon
Park District Painting (Painting Cutouts for Holiday Festival), 1 shift	8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Ready Set Ride Barn Cleaning (Essington Rd), 1 shift	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Shelter Dog Walking (Joliet Township Animal Control), 1 shift	8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Shelter Kitten Socialization (Joliet Township Animal Control), 1 shift	8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Scout Projects

Families in Boy Scout Troop 19 (Clean up Cemetery & Mantellate Sisters) sign up with your Scout leader.



Donation Station

- **Extend the reach of your service!**
- **Bring a few items to support any of these 14 stations representing charitable organizations, services & ministries.**
- **Drop off location is behind SMI School in the large circle drive (bus lane).**

Misericordia Home

Items for Misericordia which supports individuals with developmental disabilities in an environment that fosters spirituality, dignity, respect and enhancement of quality of life.

- **New** Baseball hats/visors
- Coloring books/crayons
- Bubbles
- Sunglasses
- Dove soap
- Soap containers
- Toothbrushes
- Nail clippers
- Hair brushes
- Reusable lunch bags (that hook on back of a wheelchair)
- New Children's Books

Plainfield Interfaith Food

Pantry

Items for our local food pantry, which has a substantial need at this time of year. Any items, but especially these.

- Canned pumpkin/yams
- Stuffing mix
- Canned corn/green beans
- Cream of mushroom soup
- French Fried Onions
- Cranberry sauce
- Jell-O/Pudding
- Chicken/turkey broth/gravy
- Turkey size roasting bags
- Instant potatoes

Pop Tabs for Ronald

McDonald House

Items for Deacon Jim's ongoing project to help the families of hospitalized children via Ronald McDonald House Charities. United Scrap Metal matches the tabs to double the amount we give!

- Pop tabs

Waterleaf

Items help young mothers facing unplanned pregnancies; must be new.

- Diapers (size NB-6)
- Bottles
- Onesies (esp. NB-6 mos.)
- Safety First Baby Monitors
- Infant Care Kits (clippers, medicine dropper, thermometer, etc.)
- Bath Care Items: wash, lotion, etc.
- Fleece and receiving blankets

Military Ministry

Items will be used in packages sent to our troops through SMI Military Ministry.

- Slim Jims/Beef Jerky
- Jelly (30 oz. or less; NO Glass Please)
- Peanut Butter (16 oz. or less, NO Glass Please)
- Snack Crackers
- Boxed Crackers
- Breakfast Bars
- Granola Bars
- Foot Powder (max 20 oz.)
- Chap stick
- Dryer sheets
- Dental Floss
- Mouthwash (16.9oz/500ml, (No Glass Please))
- Tums/Rolaids/Antacid
- Fruit Snacks
- Rice Krispy Bars
- Non Chocolate Candy Bars
- Twizzlers
- Gum
- Canned Soup, Chili, Chef Boyardee Pasta
- Pop Tarts

Nursing Homes

Items appropriate for seniors will be delivered to area nursing homes.

- Travel Cup w/Straw
- Toothpaste
- Pens
- Large Print Puzzle Books
- **New** Gloves
- **New** Hats
- **New** Scarves

Animal Shelters

Items for two local animal shelters; Joliet Township Animal Control and Help Save Pets through the Animal Care Center of Plainfield.

- Cat litter
- Cat/kitten dry food
- Dog/puppy dry food
- Old unstuffed blankets/towels
- Toys (slightly used or new)
- Treats

Guardian Angel Home

Items help those affected by domestic violence. October is Domestic Violence month.

- Garbage bags (all sizes)
- Dish soap
- Zip lock bags (all sizes)
- Women's Flip-flops
- Individually wrapped snack items
- Antibacterial wipes
- Lysol wipes
- Containers with lids
- Paper plates/bowls
- Plastic ware

Also October 19th

Free Mending!

Don't forget to bring up to 3 items for Free Mending by our St. Anne's Sewing Circle! Drop off your items in the morning and pick them up by 2:00 PM.

Blood Drive!

Sign up for a time to donate blood from 9 AM-1 PM in Cana Hall and help save a life!

Tattered and Torn Flags

Flags will be collected for proper disposal.

- Old US Flags

Helping Hearts and Hands

Ministry

Item will be used by SMI volunteers providing assistance at parishioner homes.

- Brown Lawn Bags

New Life For Old Bags

Items for SMI volunteers to reuse old shopping bags & make into mats for homeless people.

- Flattened plastic shopping bags (any size or color)

Lions Club

Recycle your old eyeglasses or hearing aids and change someone's life!

- Glasses/sunglasses/clips
- Hearing aids

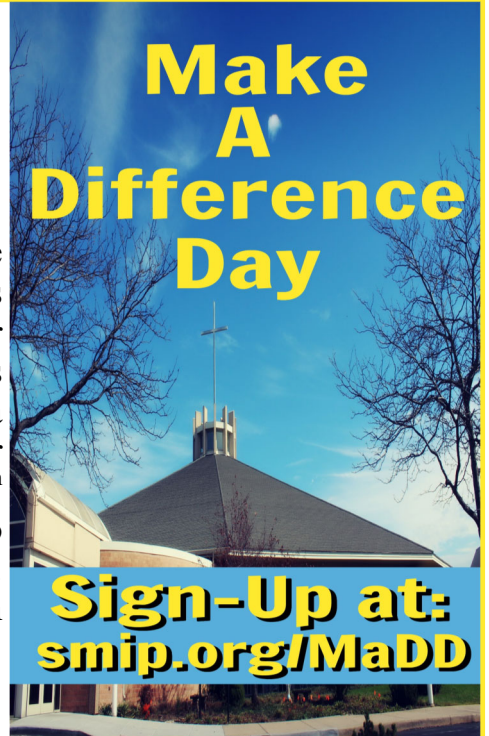
St. Vincent de Paul

- New or Gently used coats - Adult & Children



Calling all previous Make a Difference Day volunteers!!!

Make a Difference Day 2019 is **13 days away** and we don't want you to miss it. Make a Difference Day is our annual Parish-wide opportunity to give back to our community. Please consider one of the many projects still open at www.smip.org/MADD "to shoulder a piece of the load" in our journey and support of our great parish. We look forward to seeing you Oct. 19th and together giving back to "God what belongs to God". Any time you can dedicate is appreciated.... Project times vary. Questions please contact Pam Angelus 815-436-2651 ext. 849 or pangelus@smip.org.



PRISON MINISTRY: CHRISTMAS CARD PROJECT



The SMI Prison Ministry will be hosting the Christmas Card Project. Incarcerated people are isolated. A simple card lets them know they are not forgotten. Many express feelings of gratitude that someone cared enough to send a card. It is usually the only Christmas card they receive.

Will you help us with this project again this year? We would be so grateful. It is as simple as signing cards and adding a message if you wish. Samples are provided. It is a great way to complete a group or individual service project. Caring for the imprisoned is a corporal work of mercy!

How can you help? **You can join us on Sunday October 27th from 12:15 - 2:00 PM, in the Stewardship/Unity Room** on the second floor above Cana Hall to sign cards. A first name only is signed on the card.

We are also looking for Christmas card donations. We cannot accept cards that have raised surfaces, glitter, or foil on the card or envelope. Cards that represent a diverse population are also needed as is the need for postage stamps placed in a separate envelope, not on the card envelope. Religious cards are great, but no Mass cards or Novenas. We will also provide cards for signing.

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact Gloria Cesario at gcrt4@sbcglobal.net.



Cub Scout Religious Emblems Program

The Cub Scout Religious Emblems Program is starting up again!



The Light of Christ Emblem is for Cub Scouts that are Tiger or Wolf rank. The purpose is to help the Cub Scout develop a personal relationship with Jesus. With the parents' active assistance and participation in this program, it is hoped that the Cub will come to see Jesus as a real person and his friend.

The Parvuli Dei Emblem is for Cub Scouts that are Bear or Webelos rank. The purpose of the Parvuli Dei (Children of God) emblem is to help young boys explore a wide range of activities in order to discover the presence of God in their daily lives as members of their families and parishes, and also to develop a good, positive self-image through the contributions they can make to the group or community.

Both programs will involve parental/family participation to help the Scout complete the Emblem process.

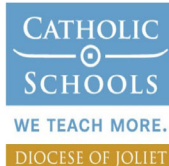
Please contact Bob Lighthiser at 630.965.1497 or at saxman34@me.com to register for the program or for any questions about the programs.

We are looking for sponsors
for Galabration 2020!

Saturday February 1st, 2020
St. Mary Immaculate School
Gymnasium
Entertainment provided by
the dueling pianos of Felix
& Fingers

Many sponsorship levels
available, all with opportunities
to advertise your business
at the event. Over 200
guests expected!

Please email galabration@smip.org with questions
or interest.



State of Illinois "Invest in Kids Act" Tax Credit Scholarship Program

Support Catholic Education and Receive a 75% Tax Credit

The State of Illinois has created a way to fund scholarships for children who choose to attend Catholic schools through the "Invest in Kids Act." Tax Credit Scholarships offered through this program have the potential to cover up to 100 percent of tuition for a year at Diocese of Joliet Catholic Schools.

Under the "Invest in Kids Act" Tax Credit Scholarship Program, individuals and corporations make donations to Scholarship Granting Organizations (SGOs) that distribute scholarships to eligible students.

Thanks to our donors, more than 380 students have been awarded a scholarship to attend a Diocese of Joliet Catholic School this school year! However, **funding is still needed to meet the demand across the Diocese** as there are still more than 2,000 students on the waitlist for a 2019-20 scholarship. Scholarships are still being awarded as funding becomes available.

There's still time to claim a 2019 tax credit today and make a gift. Visit <https://mytax.illinois.gov/#1> and sign up today to activate your account!

Visit the Diocese of Joliet Catholic Schools Office website at www.weteachmore.org for more information on the program, step-by-step instructions on how to donate and to see the impact your gift will make. You may also contact Mercy Robb, Director of Catholic School Marketing and Enrollment Management, at (815) 221-6124 or mrobb@dioceseofjoliet.org for details.



Our Family in Faith



Knights of Columbus Good Shepherd Council #5573

Intercessions for Life

For all Catholics: That on this Respect Life Sunday we may recommit ourselves to upholding the dignity of every human life;

We pray to the Lord

Intercesiones por La Vida

Por todos los católicos: que en este Domingo Respetemos la Vida nos podamos volver a comprometer a respetar la dignidad de toda vida humana;

Roguemos al Señor



Word of Life

“When the seas of life swell and we are battered by the waves, hope allows us to remain anchored in the heart of God. May we hold fast to Christ our hope, from the beginning of life to its very end.”

- USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities 2019-20 Respect Life Reflection www.respectlife.org/reflection



Palabra de Vida

“Cuando los mares de la vida se hinchan y las olas nos golpean, la esperanza nos permite permanecer anclados en el corazón de Dios. Aferrémonos a Cristo nuestra esperanza, desde el principio de la vida hasta su fin.”

- Conferencia de Obispos Católicos de Estados Unidos “Vivir el Evangelio de la Vida: Desafío para los católicos de Estados Unidos” Trágico



Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network
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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 October:

A Missionary “Spring” in the Church

“That the breath of the Holy Spirit engender a new missionary “Spring” in the church.”

Suggested Daily Prayer:

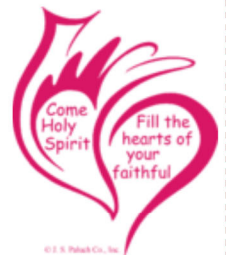
Father, Here I am. I know you are always with me. I place my heart in the Heart of your Son Jesus, who gives himself to us in the Eucharist each day. May your Holy Spirit strengthen me to live the Gospel in everything I do and say. For my part I give you this day—all my prayers, works, joys, and sufferings—all 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.

Education and Formation

Confirmation Corner

Strengthened by the Spirit, Called to Action

- Oct. 7: **Class** for RE students, **Year 1, 2, & 3** with their mentors. 7:00 - 8:30 PM
Special Needs Class- 6:30 –7:15 PM
- Oct. 14: No classes due to Columbus Day Holiday
- Oct. 20: **Year 3 Candidates Retreat** for Students only 12:15 - 5:00 PM. See flyer for complete details. Permission form due by October 15.
- Oct. 21: **Class** for RE students with their mentors. 7:00 - 8:30 PM
Special Needs Class- 6:30 –7:15 PM



Make a Difference Day on October 19th is a great opportunity for families to complete their work of mercy or church service. See www.smip.org/madd to sign up!

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

Liturgy and Worship

Liturgical Minister Schedule—October 12 - October 13: The Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Oct 12 4:00 PM	Oct 13 7:30 AM	Oct 13 9:00 AM	Oct 13 10:45 AM	Oct 13 12:15 PM	Oct 13 6:00 PM
Mass Coord.	Brian Trishman Lisa Trishman	Sandy Kurtz	Patricia Cipriano Tony Cipriano	Marie Reitenbach	Shari Lord Bob Lord	Irene Murphy
1st Lector	Gregory Michalek	Joanne Pawlowski	Larry Wiet	James Hoeflinger	Lydia Jimenez	Abigail Pintoy
2nd Lector	Victoria Huff O'Bryan	Sandy Kurtz	Emmy Lou O'Connor	Marie Reitenbach	Christine Deliva	Ryan Pintoy
EM	James Dugan Marsha Dugan Amy Dye David Krol Cathy McComb Deborah Nona Victoria Huff O'Bryan Brian Trishman Lisa Trishman Tricia Weis Nick Weis	Rich Alberti Joe Brandt Sherrie Chapman Vincent Costanzo Kathleen Glavac Anton Glavac Robert Goettert Conrad Kissel Joseph Murphy Joanne Pawlowski	Beverly Bednarik Michelle Cerrillos Reese Evans Susan Gutierrez Kevin Heron Susan Jones Jennifer Kosowski Collier Tony Leazzo Tammy Nolte Nicole Wanta Patty Zimmerman	Geri Buchman Vince Buchman John Del Carlo Richard Hernandez Donna Infante Todd Lumb Maribeth Lumb Mareya Marmoll Michele Phelps Ted Reitenbach Scott Wiacek	Corazon Garcia Emily Hans Joanne Kelly Shari Lord Raphael Ramirez Gloria Ramirez Carla Sanchez	Medz Galang Majel Galang Maria Teresa Mesina Jerry Palumbo Al Pintoy
Greeter	Mary (jane) Koerner Pat Sefcik Robert Selinger Maureen Sutherland	Teresa Benin Sherrie Chapman Helen Schwab James Wiencek	Judi Leazzo Manny Perez AJ Perez Rosemary Tack	Maria Allen Joyce Duchek Max Tran Carlyn Tran	Yadira Esparza Andrea Gutierrez Adolfo Romo NOT FILLED	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED
Altar Server	Aidan Dolata Natalie Joanis Benjamin Schifo	Adler Chlebana Ella Dwyer Niko Lighthiser	The Knights 1 The Knights 2 The Knights 3	Joseph Djondo Skylar Jadzak Sofia Lombard	Grace Pietras Faith Pietras Jonathan Van Ham	Alexander Ehrenberg Emily Pintoy Matthew Rubik

Nursing Home Ministers—October 13: The Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

	9:00 AM (Harbor Chase)	9:00 AM (Lakewood)	9:00 AM (Rosewood)	10:00 AM (Heritage Woods) Communion Service
Nursing Home Minister	Barbara Taraszka Veronica Taraszka Moises or Patty Valencia	Thomas Ketelhut Madeline Elmusa Omar Elmusa	Colette Henley Brian Monaghan	Rosemary O'Hara

Weekly Schedules

Fellowship – Sunday, October 13		Laundry – Monday, October 14
Sunday Hospitality 7:15 - 10:15 AM—Mardula Confirmation Group 9:45 AM - 12:45 PM—Filipino Ministry		Altar Linens Patti Adams
Welcome Gathering Event Rich & Grace Blaszk		

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 28th Sunday of Ordinary Time with the Saint Peregrine Ministry. Rev. Pat Mulcahy, pastor at St. Mary Immaculate Parish, Plainfield, 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. "Jesus said in reply, "Ten (lepers) were cleansed, were they not? Where are the other nine?" (Gospel excerpt.)

Date: October 12, 2019 **Time:** 4 PM
Place: Marian Hall at Marian Lake
Future Meeting Dates: November 9, December 14



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



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Sep-Oct-Nov Evangelio de Lucas y Hechos de los Apóstoles



SEP 9 Y 23

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6:45 A 8:30PM

DETALLES 815-221-6247 -
OFICINA DEL MINISTERIO HISPANO

Diversity and Unity (continued)

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*): _____

Around the Diocese

JOB OPENINGS:

Diocese of Joliet Catholic Elementary Schools

Needed: Passionate, committed and faith-filled Substitute Teachers for Diocese of Joliet Catholic Elementary Schools. If you are seeking fulfilling part-time work, hold a current Illinois Professional Educator License or an Illinois Substitute License, and wish to serve as a substitute teacher in one or more of the Diocese of Joliet's 46 Catholic Elementary Schools, please complete an electronic Frontline Applicant Tracking application at: <http://www.applitrack.com/diocesefofjoliet/onlineapp/>

You are eligible to apply for an Illinois Substitute License if you have earned a Bachelor's Degree in any field If you do not have a teaching license but hold a Bachelor's Degree from an accredited institution of higher education in any discipline, you may apply online for a Substitute Teaching License through the Illinois State Board of Education ELIS system. For additional information regarding this process, please contact the Licensure Specialist at your county's Regional Office of Education or call Karen Udell at 815-221-6123.

St. Petronille Parish—Glen Ellyn, IL

Saint Petronille Parish in Glen Ellyn is seeking a self-motivated individual with a desire to help others as Coordinator of Christian Service. This position is part-time (25-29 hours per week) with flexible hours and the ability to work with a wonderful staff and help those in need. The position coordinates the efforts of volunteers in the parish for her charitable outreach including the scheduling of communion ministers and working with local charities as the contact person for the parish. If you are interested in this position, please phone or email Fr. Milota (630-469-0404 or frmilota@outlook.com).

Events This Week

MONDAY October 7	TUESDAY October 8	WEDNESDAY October 9	THURSDAY October 10	FRIDAY October 11	SATURDAY October 12	SUNDAY October 13
7:30 AM Mass (CH) 3:30 - 9:30 PM Athletics (G) 5:30 - 10:00 PM K of C 4 th Degree Meeting (KC) 6:00 - 7:00 PM AA Meeting (NWA) 6:00 - 8:40 PM ESL (ST, UN) 6:30 - 7:15 PM Special Needs Confirmation Class (SMR) 6:30 - 8:00 PM Athletic Board Meeting (UR) 7:00 - 8:30 PM Confirmation Class Yr 1,2 &3 (SCH) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Contemporary Choir (MR) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Parish Council (FSR, HR) 8:00 - 9:00 PM AA Meeting (NWB&C)	7:30 AM Mass (CH) 9:30 - 11:30 AM Women's Bible Study (NWB&C) 12:30 - 2:00 PM Lay Apostles (NWB&C) 3:30 - 9:30 PM Athletics (G) 4:00 - 7:15 PM RE Special Needs Class (CH, SMR) 5:15 - 6:30 PM RE (SCH) 6:45 - 8:00 PM Youth Choir Rehearsal (MR) 7:00 - 8:00 PM RE Parent Mtg (CANA) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Hispanic Charismatic Group (ST & UN) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Women's Bible Study (SMR) 7:00 - 9:00 PM School Board Mtg (WAL) 7:15 - 8:30 PM Polish Rosary (SPR) 7:30 - 9:00 PM Financial Peace University (ST, UN)	7:30 AM Mass (CH) 9:00 - 10:30 AM Bible Study "Psalms" (SMR) 3:30 - 9:30 PM Athletics (G) 5:30 - 6:45 PM Bell Choir Practice (MR) 6:00 - 8:40 PM ESL (ST, UN) 6:15 - 7:30 PM RE (SCH) 7:00 - 8:30 PM Bible Study "Psalms" (FSR) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal (CH) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Spanish Choir Practice (MR)	7:30 AM Mass (CH) 2:00 - 3:30 PM Holy Hour of Reparation (CH) 3:30 - 9:30 PM Athletics (G) 5:00 - 10:00 PM K of C Business Mtg (KC) 5:00 - 6:00 PM Wedding Rehearsal (CH) 5:15 - 6:30 PM RE (SCH) 6:00 - 9:00 PM Ladies Auxiliary (KC) 7:00 - 8:00 PM RE Parent Mtg (CANA) 7:00 - 8:00 PM Spanish Rosary (UR) 7:00 - 8:30 PM Financial Peace University (ST, UN) 7:00 - 8:30 PM Mystery of God Series (HR) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Hispanic Ministry EM's Mtg (FSR) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Hispanic Charismatic Choir (MR) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Legion of Mary (NWA)	7:30 AM Mass (CH) 8:45 AM School Mass (CH) 2:00 PM Wedding (CH) 3:30 - 9:30 PM Athletics (G) 5:30 - 6:30 PM Wedding Rehearsal (CH) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Hispanic Charismatic Group (CANA) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Hispanic Lector Monthly Mtg (HR)	7:30 AM Mass (CH) 4:00 PM Mass (CH) 5:30 PM Spanish Mass (CH) 7:00 - 8:30 AM Fishers of Men (KC) 8:00 AM - 6:00 PM Athletics (G) 8:05 - 9:30 AM Brothers In Christ (NWA) 9:00 - 10:15 AM RE (SCH) 9:00 - 11:00 AM Biblical Scholars Group (UR) 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Baptisms - Spanish (CH) 3:00 - 4:00 PM Confessions (CH) 4:00 - 5:30 PM Spanish Choir (MR) 4:30 - 5:20 PM Spanish Confessions (CH) 5:00 PM Crash Course in Catholicism (SMR) 6:30 - 9:30 PM Trivia Night (G)	7:30 AM Mass 9:00 AM Mass 10:45 AM Mass 12:15 PM Mass (CH) 9:00 AM Polish Mass (CANA) 10:30 AM Special Needs Mass (CANA) 12:15 PM Spanish Mass (CANA) 8:30 AM Polish Confessions (FSR) 8:00 AM - 7:00 PM MADD Sign-up (COM, Narthex) 9:00 - 10:00 AM RCIA (NWA) 10:15 - 11:30 AM Welcoming Registration (MC) 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM Mystery of God Series (ST, UN) 1:00 - 7:30 PM Athletics (G) 1:30 PM Reverence for Life Rosary (Parking Lot) 2:00 - 3:00 PM Baptisms (CH) 4:00 - 6:00 PM Music Practice (CH) 7:00 - 9:00 PM Life Teen (YR) 7:30 - 8:30 PM AA Meeting (NWB&C)
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Saturday Evening Mass: 4:00 PM

Sunday Mass: 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:45 AM, 12:15 PM & 6:00 PM

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.

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. Contact Connie Sanfilippo at 815-603-2350 or conniesanfilippo@sbcglobal.net for questions.

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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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