

**St. Eugene
Parish**
Chicago, IL 60656

THE VOICE

Fourth Sunday of Lent

March 31, 2019

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SUNDAY MASSES: (5:30 PM
Saturday), 7:00, 9:30, 11:30
AM, 4:30 PM

WEEKDAYS: 6:30, 9:00 AM
(8:30 AM Saturday)

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays
from 4:00—5:00 PM in the
Reconciliation Room.

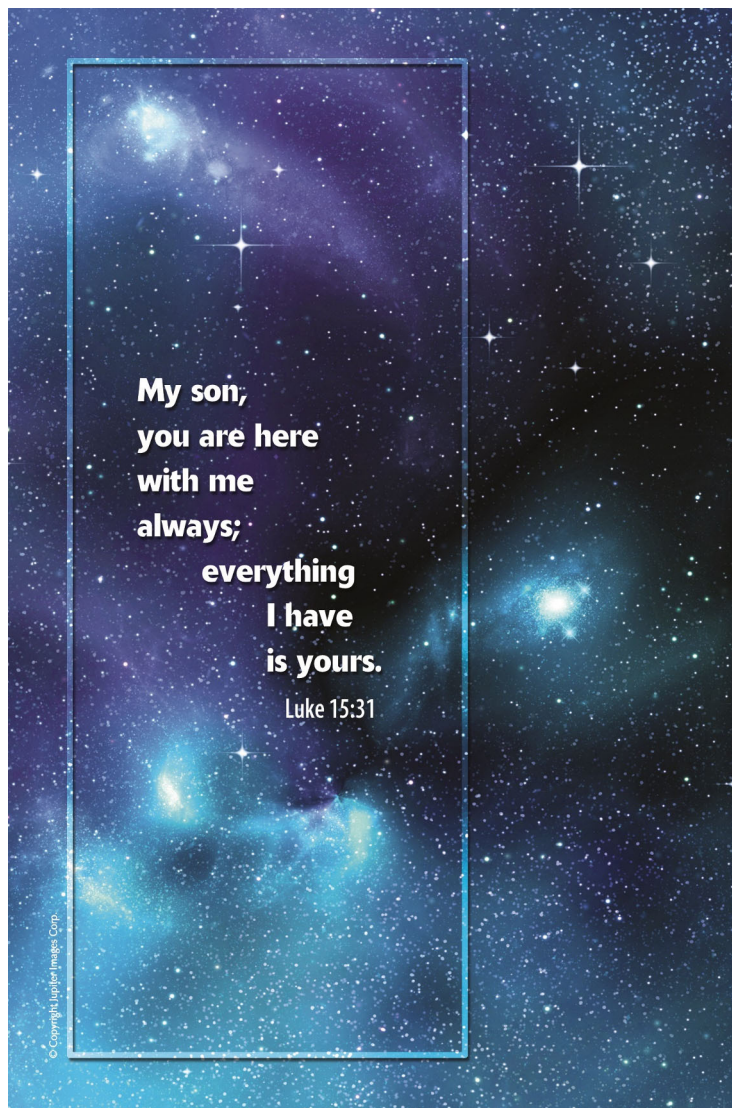
BAPTISMS: 1st & 3rd Sun-
days at 1:00 PM. Baptismal
Preparation Class the first
Tuesday of each month at
7:30 PM in the rectory. Please
telephone the rectory to reg-
ister.

WEDDINGS: Arrangements
must be made 6 months in
advance with one of the
Priests. Weddings are cele-
brated for registered parish-
ioners of St. Eugene Parish.

PARISHIONERS: When
moving in or out of
St. Eugene Parish, please
notify the rectory.

YOUR WILL: Remember the
church in your bequests.

CHURCH ETIQUETTE: The
priest should be the last in,
and first out of church.



Parish Staff

Rev. Richard M. Yanos, Pastor
Rev. James J. O'Brien, Pastor Emeritus
Rev. Greg Wojcik, Associate Pastor
Rev. John G. Hetland, Associate Pastor
Rev. Ed Pacocha, Retired Visiting Priest
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Ms. Christine Jassak, Mrs. Rita Kopf &
Mrs. Terri Swiderski, Receptionists

Please TURN OFF any electronic devices before entering the church for Mass or any other Liturgical service.
Please do NOT park in front of church to ensure emergency vehicle access.
There are ample parking spaces provided on the north side,
to the rear of the church and the Shaunnery Center parking lot.

From the Pastor's Desk...



As we begin this Fourth Week of Lent I just wanted to offer my sincere thanks, gratitude and amazement at the hard work that was put in to provide one of the most spectacular St. Joseph Tables I have ever seen last weekend. I thank the Sal, Russell and Anthony Sparacino brothers for their leadership with this huge endeavor and the many parishioners along with their extended family members and friends that put in countless hours of their time and culinary skills. It truly was a labor of love!! St. Joseph was truly honored by the almost 600 attendees who enjoyed some wonderful fellowship along with a great meal. I also want to thank and acknowledge the many individuals and businesses that contributed food products, ingredients, breads, baked goods, pastas, seafood, paper goods, services, and financial contributions that helped make this day the phenomenal experience that it was. God Bless You All!!

Last week I shared an article that was entitled, "Why Not?" Throughout my life I have always tried to live my life by choosing to ask this "Why Not?" question as opposed to asking the question, "Why?" I have always found that responding to life and others with the response of "Why Not" opens up more opportunities and possibilities than it closes or shuts down. I have always been a person that tries to look at life with all of its twists and turns as a glass half full rather than half empty. I also prefer to work alongside folks of the same open and positive disposition and attitude -- especially in parish life where people's opinions about one issue or topic can vary greatly. Working with parishioners who look at and respond positively to new ideas, concepts and suggestions makes life and ministry so much more meaningful and enjoyable.

As we began the season of Lent on Ash Wednesday, I shared in both my bulletin article and Annual Lenten/Easter letter sent to your homes that our holy water fonts at the doors of our church would be emptied this year throughout the forty day period that is Lent. My hope was that our parish community would be able to think creatively enough to see the connection between the dry sand-like material in the fonts with the forty days that Jesus spent fasting and praying in the dry Judean desert after his baptism in the Jordan and before his journey to Jerusalem and the cross. I had hoped that finding sand instead of water in our fonts would be a real tangible sign to us all that we are entering a period of time that is supposed to be radically different than any other time of the year. Symbols speak to us in beautiful ways. I had hoped that this "symbolic" reality -- this "temporary" change in our regular routine would speak to us in a way that would make each of us stop and think every time we put our fingers in the dry fonts and signed ourselves with the sign of the cross. It would remind us of what Jesus encountered and went through for us throughout his forty day sojourn in the desert.

Creativity is something I encourage in all those I work with. Because creativity adds spice to our often mundane lives; creativity calls forth the gifts God has given each of us; creativity spawns new ways of seeing, appreciating, approaching and living our lives. Creativity encourages and responds to those who prefer asking "Why Not?" as opposed to those who are always asking "Why?"

My hope was that those who might be asking the question, “Why?” after hearing the rationale and reasoning behind this temporary replacement of water with desert-like material might be moved to now say, “Why Not?” if only for this short period of time. I do want to thank those in our parish that got the connection and the symbolism of the sand-filled fonts and who let me know that they appreciated the temporary change/reminder. For those who have written, texted or emailed me with your honest and heart-felt comments expressing your displeasure at this attempt, please know that making the Sign of the Cross as you enter church is just as valid with or without water and is still a reminder of our being baptized in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

If we want to be technical and theologically correct about when the water from the fonts should be emptied, it would be from the evening Liturgy of Holy Thursday until the blessing of the new water during the Easter Vigil. Again, as I have shared earlier in this article, as a priest and pastor for many years now, I have come to better appreciate those who think outside of the box in an effort to help others look differently and more meaningfully at realities that sometimes are never really understood but done only because “that’s the way we’ve always done it”.

We are now more than halfway through the season of Lent. These days go by so quickly. Hopefully, the external signs and symbols of this penitential season have and will continue to encourage an internal change of heart, mind and attitude aligning us that much closer to the heart, mind and mission of our Lord, Jesus Christ, as we accompany Jesus through his suffering, crucifixion and death, but then ultimately to his resurrection from the dead on Easter.

A coalition of national pro-life groups, organized by Priests for Life, have urged people to observe this past March 25th (The Feast of the Annunciation) as the “Day of the Unborn Child” (already celebrated in various countries around the world), and then to journey through the nine months of pregnancy, until Christmas Day, with prayer, outreach, and education, so that people may learn about the development of the unborn child.

They will be using the app called “**See Baby Pregnancy Guide**”. Check it out on the app store. You will see video footage of the unborn child far more powerful than anything ultrasound can accomplish. With each week of pregnancy, basic fetal development facts are shared. You can see a sampling of what is on the app in the website address below.

During this nine month journey, they will provide you with information, social media updates, and prayers. We want the whole country to see the baby in the womb, our youngest neighbor. By seeing these children and knowing more about their development, people can see more clearly that these are our brothers and sisters, and need to be protected and cherished.

You can follow the project at **www.BabyChris.org**.

Wishing you all a wonderful week ahead!

Fr. Rich

Multi-Parish Lenten Mission

All are warmly invited to join us as *Immaculate Conception Parish* unites with our neighboring parishes, *St. Eugene* and *St. Monica*, to present a special opportunity for spiritual renewal during Lent.

"I Want To Walk With Jesus..."



A Spiritual Journey with Rev. Richard Fragomeni

Rev. Fragomeni is a priest, theologian, author and professor at Catholic Theological Union. He is also a nationally acclaimed presenter and preacher of parish missions.

Monday, April 1st

*"Getting To Know Jesus In
Our Families...In Good
Times And In Bad."*

Tuesday, April 2nd

*"Getting To Know Jesus In
Our Parish Family."*

Wednesday, April 3rd

*"Getting To Know Jesus In
Our World."*

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Please visit www.icparish.net for more information.

All Presentations will be
hosted at IC from
7:00 P.M. to 8:30 P.M.
in our Church.

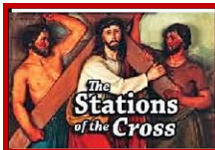
Lent and Easter 2019

Living Stations of the Cross 2:15 pm Fridays: April 5, 12



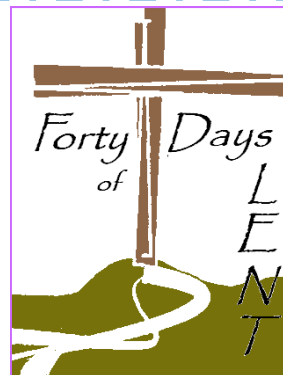
Stations of the Cross - 7:00 pm

Fridays:
April 5, 12



Events during Lent

Knights of Columbus Fish Fry:
April 12



The Sacrament of Reconciliation - Saturdays - 4:00 pm

Wednesday, April 10 - 1:00 - 2:00 pm (English & Polish)

Communal Lenten Reconciliation Service

Monday, April 15 - 7:00 pm (English & Polish)

No Confessions will be heard on Holy Saturday - April 20

Combined Parish Mission

Immaculate Conception,
St. Eugene, & St. Monica
at
Immaculate Conception
7211 W. Talcott Ave.
Chicago, IL 60631

"I Want to Walk with Jesus - a
Lenten Journey:"

Monday, April 1 at 7 pm
"Getting to Know Jesus in Our
Families"

Tuesday, April 2 at 7 pm
"Meeting Jesus in Our Parish
Family"

Wednesday, April 3 at 7 pm
"Working with Jesus in Our
World"

Presenter:
Fr. Richard Fragomeni

Holy Week and Easter Schedule

Palm Sunday Saturday, April 13 - 5:30 pm (Mass of anticipation)

Sunday, April 14 - 7:00 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am, and 4:30 pm

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**Holy Thursday**, Mass of the Last Supper - 7:30 pm

**Good Friday**, Stations of the Cross - 3:00 pm

Celebration of the Lord's Passion - 7:30 pm

**Holy Saturday**, Blessing of Easter Baskets - 1:00 pm

Easter Vigil Mass - 7:30 pm

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Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

Sunday, April 21 - 7:00 am, 8:30 am, 10:00 am and 12:00 pm

(no 4:30 pm Mass)

THE ICON OF OUR LADY HELP OF PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS



PLEASE JOIN US TO PRAY THE ROSARY
FOR PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS
THROUGHOUT THE WORLD

SUNDAY MARCH 31, 2019

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE 11:30 AM MASS



IN SOLIDARITY WITH THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, THE
PEOPLE OF THE CROSS UNITED MINISTRY WILL MAKE
AVAILABLE ORANGE RIBBONS AT THE ICON



PLEASE TAKE A RIBBON AND WEAR IT TO RAISE
AWARENESS OF THE CONTINUING PERSECUTION
OF OUR CHRISTIAN BROTHERS AND SISTERS
AROUND THE WORLD.

THIS WEEKEND



**SECOND COLLECTION
EASTER FLOWERS
FOR OUR SANCTUARY**



SOCIAL CONCERNS MINISTRY FOOD DRIVE

*Today, we will begin loading the truck
with our food collection at 11:15 am
(15 minutes prior to the 11:30 am Mass).*



*Spare Change
Saves Babies*



**Baby Bottles
should be returned this weekend.**

The funds collected will be given to support the
work of the Women's Center

PRAYER FOR PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS

O God of all the nations,
the One God who is and was and always will be,
in your providence you willed that your Church
be united to the suffering of your Son.

Look with mercy on your servants
who are persecuted for their faith in you.
Grant them perseverance and courage
to be worthy imitators of Christ.

Bring your wisdom upon leaders of nations
to work for peace among all peoples.

May your Spirit open conversion
for those who contradict your will,
that we may live in harmony.

Give us the grace to be united in truth and freedom,
and to always seek your will in our lives.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Our Lady Help of Persecuted Christians, pray for us.

KNIGHTS OF  COLUMBUS

Prayer composed by Archbishop William E. Lori, Supreme Chaplain

HAPPENINGS

SUNDAY 31

**PLEASE RETURN YOUR BABY BOTTLES
AFTER ANY MASS**

**THE ICON OF OUR LADY HELP OF PERSECUTED
CHRISTIANS WILL BE IN OUR CHURCH
SANCTURAY UNTIL APRIL 3**

MONDAY 1

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, NOON - 8:00 PM

7:00 pm Tour Group: SH.MR

TUESDAY 2

11:30 am Young at Hearts Club: SH.CTR

7:00 pm Altar & Rosary Society: SH.CTR+MR

WEDNESDAY 3

4:00 pm Youth Athletics: SH.CTR

6:30 pm School Advisory Committee: SCH.110

THURSDAY 4

3:00 pm Girl Scouts: SH.MR

4:00 pm Youth Athletics: SH.CTR

7:00 pm RCIA: REC.DR

FRIDAY 5

1:00 pm Spring Fling set-up: SH.CTR+MR

SATURDAY 6

10:00 am AA: SCH.RH

6:30 pm Spring Fling: SH.CTR+MR

SUNDAY 7

NO ACTIVITIES

GOD FORGIVES

The Lord said to Joshua, "Today I have removed the reproach of Egypt from you." After forty years of wandering in the desert, this hard-headed people have finally reached the Promised Land. No more do they eat the manna in the desert, but they partake of the fruits of their new homeland. God has kept the promise to their parents in Egypt. Even though they were a sinful people, many times questioning God and even worshipping false gods, God has forgiven them and fulfilled the promise. The "take-away" for us is that there is no sin that is unforgivable. We may have offended our neighbors, given a bad example to someone, even worshiped the false gods of money and power. But God is a merciful God, true to the words spoken to us. God forgives all and calls us back to love.

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FACILITY CODES

CH	Church
CV	Convent
REC.LL	Rectory Lower Level
SCH.110	School Room 110
SCH.RH	Ryan Hall
SH.CTR	Shaunessy Center
SH.CTR+MR	Shaunessy Center & Meeting Room
SH.MR	Shaunessy Center Meeting Room



**Find St. Eugene on
Facebook!**

**ST. EUGENE SCHOOL
IS STILL COLLECTING *BOX TOPS***

Parishioner Contact Update

To help us keep our records current, please print the information below and drop the form in the collection basket or at the rectory. Thank you.

Last Name _____ First Name _____ M/M, Mr., Mrs., Ms., Miss

Last Name _____ First Name _____ M/M, Mr., Mrs., Ms., Miss

Address _____ City _____ Zip code _____

Email address: _____ Email address: _____

Phone # (Home) _____ Cell # _____ Cell # _____



**ADORATION of the
BLESSED SACRAMENT**
Mondays in church
12:00 NOON - 8:00 pm
with Benediction at 7:45 pm

**God showed his intense,
perfect love for each of us
through the suffering,
death,
and resurrection of his only son.**

PLEASE COME — VISIT JESUS

PEOPLE OF THE CROSS UNITED

We are all members of the Body of Christ.
If one member suffers, all members suffer.

(1 COR: 12:26)

Please pray for our brothers and sisters who suffer
persecution in many countries throughout the
world because of their Christian faith.



Prayer with Scripture

We invite you to an encounter of prayer where you can stop from the hurry of the moment and listen to God through God's Word, in silence, meditation, adoration and contemplation. In this short but intense time, we listen to a talk that introduces us into the understanding of the Word of God, which later, we reflect on and meditate in an attitude of faith, discovering what God is trying to reveal to us. The prayer is accompanied by the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with songs to help the faithful enter more into prayer.

Every Tuesday in Spanish - 7:00 pm

Every Wednesday in English - 7:00 pm

Every Thursday in Polish - 7:30 pm

St. Eugene Convent

7920 W. Foster, Chicago IL 60656

For more information please contact the
convent at: 773-467-0295

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BECOME
A PARISHIONER OF ST. EUGENE PARISH,
WE WELCOME YOU TO PLEASE STOP
BY THE RECTORY OFFICE DURING
REGULAR OFFICE HOURS.
M-F 9 am - 8 pm, SAT – SUN 9 am - 1 pm**

**CRISIS PREGNANCY HELPLINE
1-800-400-4205**

YOUNG AT HEARTS CLUB

Tuesday, April 2

Doors open 11:30 am Meeting at noon

Shaunessy Center

After a short meeting, coffee and cake will be
served followed by games. For more information,
contact Dan Gols at: 773/774-0471

ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY

Tuesday, April 2

Doors open at 6:30 pm

Meeting at 7:00 pm

Shaunessy Center

Hostess: Jesse Noronha

Theme: Spring is in the Air

Mission Collection: Pro Life Action League



St. Eugene Parish

Spring Fundraiser

Cash Raffle 2019

For the Benefit of the School

Drawing at 10pm Saturday, April 6th

Shaunessy Center

Donation \$20

Tickets available at the rectory.

+ MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK +***Saturday, March 30 - Vigil: Fourth Sunday of Lent***

5:30 Joseph Swiderski, Jr.

Sunday, March 31 - Fourth Sunday of Lent

7:00 People of the Parish

9:30 Joseph Kuzara, LaPietra Fam. & Fri.,
Frank Nadile, Jr., RoseMarie Nardi11:30 Albert & Angie Barone, Carmen Melendrez,
Hillard & Michael Michalek,
Giuseppe Militello

4:30 Jennifer Cicinelli

Monday - Friday: 6:30 am & 9:00 am***Saturday: 8:30 am******Monday, April 1***

6:30 Francis D'Souza

9:00 Kade Shipper

Tuesday, April 2 - St. Francis of Paola, Hermit

6:30 Lisa Koziol

9:00 Barbara Bronski

Wednesday, April 3

6:30 Fr. Phil Grib, S.J.

9:00 Dominick DiRe, Rocco Falco, William J. Kohut,
Leonardo & Rubio Fams.***Thursday, April 4 - St. Isidore***

6:30 Purgatorial Society

9:00 Robert P. Reilly, Jr., Joanne Santella

Friday, April 5 - St. Vincent Ferrer, Priest

6:30 Cindy Adamson, Maria DiRe, Dave Rogers

9:00 Michael Savino

Saturday, April 6

8:30 Kwilas Fam.

Saturday, April 6 - Vigil: Fifth Sunday of Lent

5:30 Lisa & Richard Majewski

Sunday, April 7 - Fifth Sunday of Lent

7:00 People of the Parish

9:30 LaPietra Fam. & Fri., Virginia Laskowski,
Richard Ringa, Domenica Saglimbeni,
Helen & Walter Wojtas, In memory of 9th
Anniversary of Polish plane crash in
Smolensk on April 10, 201011:30 Dominic & Marietta Barone,
Dabros & Wytrwal Fams., Gertrude Faneline,
Anna Laudadio, Hillard & Michael Michalek,
Lois & Frank Silhanek

4:30 Vincenzo Di Iorio

OBERAMMERGAU PASSION PLAY**May 31 - June 10, 2020****Meeting April 1, 2019 - 7:00 pm****Shaunessy Center Meeting Room**

Might you be interested in going to Oberammergau for the Passion Play with us next year? Father Rich Yanos and myself will be hosting the tour. Two dozen folk have signed up for the tour thus far and there is room for a few more. An information meeting is scheduled here at the Shaunessy Center meeting room (corner of Foster & Canfield), for those who are interested but have not signed up. Everyone is most certainly welcome. Brochures are available at the rectory. If you are coming to the meeting on Monday, April 1, please let St. Eugene Rectory know, 773/775-6659. If you are in need of more information, please call Trans World Travel@ 847/432-2400. Thank you.

Father Jim O'Brien



Welcome, visitors and guests, to St. Eugene Church and Parish. Please sign our guest register in the rear vestibule and let our ushers know if you need a taxi or need to use a phone.



**BULLETIN COPY FOR THE BULLETIN OF
APRIL 14**

**NEEDS TO BE IN THE RECTORY OFFICE
BY WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3**

&

**BULLETIN COPY FOR THE BULLETIN OF
EASTER, APRIL 21**

**NEEDS TO BE IN THE RECTORY OFFICE
BY MONDAY, APRIL 8 - 9:00 AM**

A REMINDER

To make sure a Mass Intention is included in the bulletin, it must be made **2 weeks** in advance. To make sure a Mass Intention is read at Mass, it must be made at least **1 week** in advance of the date requested.

YOUNG AT HEARTS **ST. JOSEPH** & **ST. PATRICK** PARTY



GOD'S CAPACITY FOR FORGIVENESS

Where is the foolish person who would think it in his or her power to commit more than God could forgive?

St. Francis de Sales



FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Today, "Laetare Sunday," breaks the somberness of Lent for a little rejoicing, and the readings all summon us to an awareness of reconciliation. One of the best-loved stories of our tradition is today's Gospel story of the runaway son and the prodigal father. Prodigal, of course, is an adjective meaning "spendthrift or extravagant to a degree bordering on recklessness," and although the boy maxes out the credit cards, it is really the father who is prodigal with forgiveness.

Part of the excitement of this Laetare Sunday is rooted in the ancient catechuminate. Long ago, midway through Lent, the "elect" were focusing more and more on the gift of reconciliation accomplished for them by Christ and about to be realized in the Easter sacraments they were preparing to celebrate. In some places, the elect were even bedecked with roses on this day. A person bedecked with roses sticks out in a crowd; a person formed by the Eucharist and committed to living a life of reconciliation does, too. That's you!

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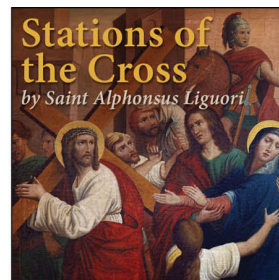
Stations of the Cross

By Saint Alphonsus Liguori

Journey with Christ to Calvary

Personally follow Christ and His Sorrowful Mother on their journey to Calvary with the Stations of the Cross. Moving meditations by Saint Alphonsus Liguori accompanied by the beautiful Latin hymn, *Stabat Mater*, draw you into a more intimate experience of the Church's powerful Lenten prayer.

[Listen on formed.org](https://www.formed.org)



"Holding a crucifix while meditating on the Stations of the Cross... so moving. Thank you, Jesus, for the Cross."

—Marcia R, St Teresa's Church



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SCHEDULE OF LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Mass Apr. 6 / 7	Celebrant	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Eucharist	Altar Servers
Saturday 5:30 PM	Fr. John Hetland	Patricia Basili	Diane Divello Carolyn Edwards Rosa Fiorante Mary Beth Glynn Janet Horn Mary Kenny Donna Laterza	A. Santucci J. Lara A. Miller
Sunday 7:00 AM	Fr. Rich Yanos	Christine Bobka	Glory Bermas Christine Bobka Tom Curtin Tracy Crivlare Mary Egan Lois Feist Rosemarie Kennedy	A. Jackiewicz K. Jackiewicz C. Meccia
Sunday 9:30 AM	Fr. Ed Pacocha	A & R Lector	A & R Eucharistic Ministers	C. Lacala M. Sclafani O. Orend
Sunday 11:30 AM	Fr. John Hetland	Pat Conlon	Joseph Cardella Pat Conlon Christine Czerwinski Martha Holder Anna LoForte Nancy Mancini Pat Paetsch	J. McGovern M. McGovern K. McGovern
Sunday 4:30 PM	Fr. Greg Wojcik	Rita Kopf	Sr. Ann Marie Angela Forgione Betty Gebhardt John Gebhardt Rita Kopf Molly Tomzik Peggy Tomzik	A. Meier V. Meo N. Crimaldi

Dear Parishioners of Saint Eugene,

I would like to express my great appreciation for your participation in the evaluation process conducted by the Archdiocese of Chicago. Your input is very important to my growth as a priest. The results of the survey showed that you love me as your priest. This is my 5th year here at Saint Eugene and I was very happy to see how positively you evaluated me. I am very grateful for your comments at the end of the survey. When I read these comments, they motivate me to live up to all that you wrote. There were some voices of criticism as well - constructive criticism; I paid attention to those as well and I will try my best to improve. In conclusion, I have to say that I was positively surprised by the results of this survey.

Thank you and God bless.

Fr Greg

At the time of a family member's death, if you would like memorials to be made to St. Eugene Parish, please instruct the Funeral Home to use the following in the death notice:
"In lieu of flowers, a memorial may be made to St. Eugene Parish, Foster Avenue, Chicago."
 Envelopes can be provided by the Funeral Home.



The culture of appearance, which leads us to live for passing things, is a great deception. Because it is a flaring blaze: once it is over, only ashes remain.

ST. JOSEPH MASS, MARCH 19 & ST. JOSEPH TABLE MARCH 23, 2019





PLEASE PRAY

For the Sick: Annabella Amato, Victoria Amelio, Karen Anzaloni, Pat & Bob Apida, Fred & Cahad Ballog, Lawrence Basili, Mary Bloodworth, Anthony Bongiorno, Mary Brassie, Julie Bronski, Margaret Brinlee-Brucken, Helen Bruchalski, Franca Chiappetta, Jim Conlon Jr. & Sr., Brenda Crotty, Lorraine Czerwinski, Connie D'Astice, Leonardo D'Nessio, Nancy Donatello, Marge Dyson, Don Feist, Van Gaetto, Bob & Carol Gasiorek, Rosalie Gazzano, Patricia Gelfond, Ava Geole, Frances Gofron, Erika Arquilla Hlavacek, Tim Heider, Patricia Jackson, Florence Jassak, Eileen Kearns, Janet & Edward Kindybalyk, Olga Kykta, Allie Lim, Rose Mary Maratto, Helen Masley, Phyllis McGarrh, Gregory Patrick Miller, Donna Mizialko, Rich Moellering, Jr., Fr. Jim Murphy, Michael C. & Virginia Muscarello, Joan O'Connor, Aline Papciak, Norma Quilici, Charlotte Rice, Jeannine Riotto, Diane Rizzuto, Rita Rogers, Stella Rombotis, Frances Salvato, Leo & Theresa Samborski, Bernadett Sedlacek, Emily Steckiewicz, Kevin Stenson, Julie Swieicki, Richard Tivilini, Mary Ellen Zyniewicz and for those who are homebound, in hospitals, nursing homes and under hospice care.

Newly added to our sick list:

For the Deceased: Richard Carbonara, Dolores Jarosz-Ortmann, Deacon Ed O'Leary, Marjorie Santangelo

PLEASE CALL THE RECTORY IF YOU WANT TO ADD A NAME TO THE SICK LIST.

When a Family Member is Hospitalized

Please notify the rectory office at: 773/775-6659, when a family member is hospitalized. Because of HIPPA (privacy) laws, Presence Resurrection Medical Center and other hospitals are no longer permitted to notify us when parishioners are admitted to the hospital.

RECTORY HOURS
MONDAY - FRIDAY
9:00 - 11:30 am & 12:30 - 8:00 pm
(closed for lunch: 11:30 am - 12:30 pm)
SATURDAY & SUNDAY:
9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Communion for the Homebound

If you know of any member of St. Eugene Church who is homebound and would like a Minister of Care to bring them the Eucharist please let us know. Just call the Rectory Office at 773/775-6659 and someone will get back to you.

SOCIAL CONCERNS MINISTRY

If you are in need of assistance,
call the rectory.

A member of the **SOCIAL CONCERNS MINISTRY**
(formerly St. Vincent de Paul)
will get back to you.



March 24, 2019

Regular Sunday Offering	\$ 11,448
Electronic Giving	\$ 770
March 18 to	
March 24	
\$770 from 35 families	
Total	\$ 12,218
Sunday Budget 2018-19	\$ 16,000
Over / (short)	\$ 3,782
Sharing Parish	\$ 93

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OUR PARISH. YOUR EFFORTS
ARE GREATLY APPRECIATED.**
Visit our giving page by
going to our web site (www.st-eugene.org)

St. Eugene School 2019 Spring Fling presents...

Holy Roller Casino Night!



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Sponsorship Levels...

Royal Flush - \$5,000

Exclusive sponsorship of gaming table, placard sign advertisement at event, social media recognition, special thanks in the church bulletin, and 4 admission tickets.

Full House - \$1,000

Placard sign advertisement at event, social media recognition, and 2 admission tickets.

High Card - \$500

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Cash Raffle:

Tickets \$20 each. Drawing winnings based on total collected. 1st place = 25%, 2nd place = 15%, 3rd place = 10% of total.

Support our efforts to generate resources focused on maintaining the debt-free status of our school and parish while continuing to invest in affordable high-quality Catholic education. Consider a donation, become a sponsor, and come to our event. This organization is a 5013c and our Federal Tax I.D. number is 36-217-0992.

Admission: \$60 in advance until 3/30 • \$65 until 4/5 at 3pm • \$75 at the door

Includes upscale Vegas themed dinner by Quest Food Management, 1000 Lucky Bucks (equivalent to two prize drawing tickets), DJ entertainment, and much more! Must be 21+.

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High Honors

Hayden Adesso, Vincent Babicz, Fiona Craven, Maura Crimmins, Giuliana DiGenova,
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Abagail Acierno, Nicholas Crimaldi



5th Grade

High Honors

Alison Banaszek, Jacob Kruszewski, Lola Lazic, Kaitlyn McGovern, Dominick Opiela, Gia Vizzini

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6th Grade

High Honors

Maria Cheng, Kelly Fergus, Sofia Sollano

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7th Grade

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Friday Fish Fry

**April 12th
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We ask all of our parishioners, if you have a loved one serving in the military, to please contact the rectory office to give us the name of the soldier, so the whole parish can pray for your loved one.

A book in the church vestibule is available for inscribing the names of all military personnel. This book will be part of the offertory procession from now until the war is over.

A PRAYER

LORD, HOLD OUR TROOPS IN YOUR LOVING HANDS.

PROTECT THEM AS THEY PROTECT US.

BLESS THEM AND THEIR FAMILIES

FOR THE SELFLESS ACTS THEY PERFORM

FOR US IN OUR TIME OF NEED.

WE ASK THIS IN THE NAME OF

JESUS OUR LORD AND SAVIOR. AMEN

We pray for our loved ones

who are serving in any branch of the Armed Forces during this time of conflict.



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If you would like to add a name to the list, please call the rectory.

Also, please call the rectory when your loved one returns home.

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Our mission as Catholics united in faith at St. Eugene Parish is to help bring God to people and people to God. Through evangelization, education and being of service to each other, we strive to make our parish community a holistic community in body, mind and spirit. It is our goal to develop, support, encourage and empower one another in our parish ministries, so that each person can reach their human and Christian potential. We are enthused about the future of St. Eugene and the whole Catholic Church and we pledge our participation in that future. We seek dialogue and open communication with all parishioners in fulfilling the needs of our parish. While recognizing the cultural diversities in our community, we will strive to bring all people together in Christ under a common bond of faith, hope and love.

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