

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time — July 22, 2018

ST. ALICE CATHOLIC CHURCH
Santa Alicia Iglesia Católica

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ST. ALICE MISSION STATEMENT

Seek Jesus, build relationships, and share the joy of the Gospel.

Busca A Jesus, construye relaciones, y comparte la alegría del Evangelio.

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Mass/Misa de Vigilia de Sábado
5:00pm English/Inglés

Sunday Mass/Misa Dominical
9:30am English/Inglés
12:15pm Spanish/Español

Weekday Liturgy (Chapel)/Liturgia semanal (capilla)
Mon/Lun: 8:30am Parish Wkday Prayer (English)/Oración semanal en Inglés
Tue/Mar: 6:00pm Spanish Mass (Church)/Misa en Español (En la iglesia)
Wed/Mier: 8:30am English Mass /Misa en Inglés
Thur/Juev: 8:30am English Mass/Misa en Inglés
Fri/Vier: 11:00am English Mass/Misa en Inglés

Sacrament of Reconciliation/Sacramento de reconciliación
Tue/Mar: 5:00 - 5:45pm - With Adoration/Con Adoración
Saturday: 3:30 - 4:30pm

1st Saturday Each Month/Primer Sábado de cada mes
Reconciliation/Reconciliación: 7:00 - 7:45am
Extraordinary Form Mass/Misa de forma extraordianaria
8:00 - 9:00am
9:00 - 9:30am Rosary/Rosario

The Rosary (El Rosario) (Ed. Center Chapel)/en la capilla
Wed and Thur/Mier y Juev 8:00am English/Inglés

Adoration of the Holy Eucharist/Adoración de la Santa Eu Caristía:
1st Friday in Ed. Center Chapel/Pimer Viernes (capilla)
12:00pm - 7:00pm

Office Hours/Horario de la oficina
Monday/Lunes: 9:00am - 4:00pm
Tuesday/Martes: 1:00pm - 4:00pm
Wednesday - Friday: 9:00am - 4:00pm
Office Closed Daily from/la oficina Cierra diario de 12-1pm

Office Email/correo electrónico de la oficina:
evelasquez@archpdx.org

JULY 28-29, 2018

First Reading 2 Kings 4:42-44
Responsorial Psalm Psalms 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18
Second Reading Ephesians 2:4-1-6
Gospel John 6:1-15

Sat. 5:00 PM - **Reader:** Jeff Ross

Extraordinary Minister 1: Barbara Ross

Head Host: Diane Soik

Extraordinary Ministers 2: Carol Sirois

Sun. 9:30 AM - **Reader:** Don Nau

Extraordinary Minister 1: Frank Wikle

Head Host: Cheryl Gesik

Extraordinary Ministers 2: Jeanne Smith, Patrick Sawyer, Whitney Salgado, Blanca Berguin

Sun/Dom 12:15 PM - **Lector 1:** Ferdinando Montes

Lector 2: Elba Solano

Ministro Extraordinario 1: favor de ver horario

Leader de Hostia: favor de ver horario

Ministro Extraordinario 2: favor de ver horario

Altar Servers	Sat. 5pm	Sun. 9:30am	Sun. 12:15pm
Cross	Darrel	William	Marco
Book	Dawn	Daniel	JD
Candle	Jose	Finn	Jesus
Candle		Elijah	Johanna

Intentions for the week of July 22nd -July 28th

July 22	9:30 am	COMMUNITY OF ST. ALICE
July 22	12:15 pm	BILL PICOLET +
July 24	8:30 am	JOSE TRINIDAD ESPINOZA +
July 25	8:30 am	BILL PICOLET +
July 26	8:30 am	RANDY WARREN +
July 28	5:00 pm	ADAM & STELLA KLOCEK +

Parish Staff

Father Mark Bentz:	Ext: 204	Pastor
Eva Velasquez:	Ext: 200	Admin. Assistant
Danielle Plantz:	Ext: 203	Pastoral Associate
Peg Ries	Ext: 210	Business Manager
Norma Ouellette:	Ext: 206	Director of Religious Ed & Coord. Of Hispanic Ministries

Pastor's Corner



This week, the office will be closed for our annual staff in-service/retreat. This time is very precious, as it allows us to calendar for the year, chart a course for our ministries, and do some necessary 'deep cleaning' that gets neglected in the frenzy of the daily rhythm. As we have also gone through a lot of staff changes in the past few months, the in-service will give us time to do some team building and get to know each other better. We won't be answering the phones (or the door) except for genuine emergencies, such as last rites or death via the emergency line on our answering machine. Please save all other inquiries for next week or leave a message and we'll get back to you when we can. We will have daily mass in English at 8:30am each day, with Morning Prayer afterward. There will also be the chaplet of Divine Mercy at 3pm and Evening Prayer at 4:30pm each day. All are welcome to join us. For those who are bringing Holy Communion to the Homebound, please plan on coming in the morning for Mass/Morning Prayer or at 3pm to the Chapel. If neither of these times work for you or the people you visit, please do spiritual communion with them this week. Thank you for your understanding and your prayers for us during this time.

This weekend, we celebrated our 70th anniversary of dedication. As a reminder, there is a plenary indulgence available if one comes to mass this weekend, receives communion in a state of grace, and goes to confession at least 2 weeks before or after with complete detachment from sin, praying for the intentions of our Holy Father. God opens the floodgates of grace for us on our parish feast days to inspire our hearts to be thankful for this community of grace. Our life is centered around the Eucharist, which means 'thanksgiving'. If we let the power of that Thanksgiving penetrate our lives, it naturally overflows into every moment of our day. I am so tremendously thankful to so many of you who live lives of service and charity, giving back to God who has been so generous with you. Everything we do here depends upon your belief in the mission of the Church. Without your sweat, prayers, and financial contributions, we would never have made it 70 years. Thank you!

A special thank you is due to all of our donors who gave to the roof project, as well as those who have been giving silently to various beautification projects in our church. All the lovely things in the sanctuary (candlesticks, incense thurible, processional cross, ciborium for hosts, and really anything 'new') has been lovingly donated by our parishioners—I am grateful and edified by your desire for more beautiful things for God. How we pray reveals what we believe, and we should want to give our best to God. Thank you for leading by example! Not only that, but people have been giving office furniture, painting, and lending their time to run errands to help take pressure off our staff. From the bottom of our hearts, thank you! This is your house and a temple consecrated to God's service; may all of us take care of it in the measure that we can so that our parish will continue for many years to come.

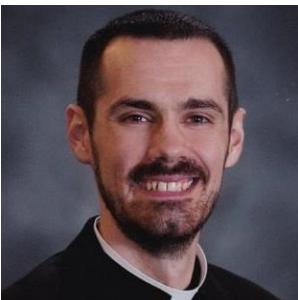
God Bless,

Fr. Mark

POPE FRANCIS—PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR JULY

Evangelization – Priests and their Pastoral Ministry. That priests, who experience fatigue and loneliness in their pastoral work, may find help and comfort in their intimacy with the Lord and in their friendship with their brother priests.

Esquina del Pastor



Esta semana, la oficina va estar cerrada por nuestro retiro de Personal en Servicio. Este tiempo es muy apreciado, ya que nos permite hacer nuestro calendario anual, trazar el curso para nuestros ministros y algunas necesidades de limpieza profunda que hemos dejado para después en el frenesí de nuestro ritmo diario. Así como también hemos pasado por muchos cambios en el personal en los últimos meses, la semana de servicio nos va a permitir conocernos mejor y hacer equipo. No vamos a estar contestando los teléfonos o la puerta excepto por emergencias genuinas, tales como: Los Santos Oleos o que alguien se esté muriendo, puede dejar un mensaje en nuestra línea de emergencia en nuestra contestadora y le devolveremos la llamada. Por favor guarde todas las demás inquietudes para la próxima semana o déjenos un mensaje y le devolveremos la llamada cuando podamos. Vamos a tener misa diaria en inglés a las 8:30 de la mañana todos los días. Con la oración de la Mañana después. También vamos a estar rezando la Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia a las 3:00 de la tarde y la Oración de la Tarde a las 4:30 de la tarde cada día. Todos son bienvenidos a acompañarnos. Para aquellos que les llevan la Sagrada Eucaristía a los confinados en casa, por favor planeen venir a misa en la mañana o a la Oración de la Mañana ó a la Oración de la Tarde. Si ninguna de estos horarios funciona para ustedes o la gente que visitan, por favor hagan comunión espiritual con ellos esta semana. Gracias por comprender y por sus oraciones por nosotros durante este tiempo.

Este fin de semana celebraremos nuestro 70 Aniversario de Dedicación. Les recuerdo, que hay una indulgencia plenaria disponible a los que vengan a misa este fin de semana, reciban comunión en estado de gracia y vayan a confesión por lo menos 2 semanas antes o después en completo despojo de pecado y orando por las intenciones de nuestro Santo Padre. Dios abre las compuertas de agua de gracia para nosotros en los días de fiesta de nuestra parroquia para inspirar nuestros corazones y estar agradecidos por esta comunidad de gracia. Nuestra vida está centrada alrededor de la Eucaristía, que significa "Acción de Gracias". Si dejamos que el poder de esa acción de gracias penetre nuestra vida, naturalmente va a rebalsarse en cada momento de nuestro día. Estoy tremadamente agradecido con tantos de ustedes que viven una vida de servicio y caridad, devolviéndole a Dios quien ha sido muy generoso con ustedes. Todo lo que hacemos aquí depende de su creencia en la misión de la iglesia. Sin su sudor, oraciones y su contribución financiera, no hubiéramos podido nunca haber llegado a los 70 años. ¡Gracias!

Especialmente debemos dar las gracias a todos los que donaron para el proyecto del techo, igualmente a todos aquellos que silenciosamente dan para los varios proyectos embellecimientos en nuestra iglesia. Todas las cosas lindas en el santuario (candeleros, incensario, cruz procesional, ciborio para las hostias y realmente todo lo que es 'nuevo') ha sido amorosamente donado por nuestros feligreses-Estoy muy agradecido y edificado por sus deseos de más cosas bellas para Dios. Como oramos lo que creemos y debemos darle lo mejor que tenemos a Dios. ¡Gracias por dar el ejemplo! Y no solo eso, la gente también ha donado muebles de oficina, pintando y dando su tiempo para hacer mandados para ayudar a quitar la presión de nuestro personal. ¡Desde el fondo de nuestro corazón, Gracias! Esta es su casa y el templo consagrado al servicio de Dios; que todos podamos cuidarlo en la medida que podamos para que nuestra parroquia continúe por muchos años por venir.

Dios los bendiga,

Padre Mark

**St. Alice Events for the Week of
July 22 through 29**

Sunday, July 22/Domingo 22 de Julio

- 8:30 am Daily Mass (English) /*Misa diaria en Ingles*
- 12:15 pm *Misa en Español (iglesia)*/ Spanish Mass
- 3:00 pm Council & Parish Leadership Retreat w/ Interactio/
Retiro de Consejo y líderes con Interactio
- 4:00 pm CHDMS intercession/*CHDMS intersección*
- 5:30 pm *NDC noche de comunidad*/NDC community night.

THE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED FOR STAFF IN SERVICE RETREAT

LA OFICINA CERRARA POR RETIRO DE PERSONAL EN SERVICIO

Monday July 23 through Friday July 27

Lunes 23 de Julio hasta el Viernes 27 de Julio

Monday, July 23/ Lunes 23de Julio

- 8:30 am Daily Mass/*Misa diaria*
- 3:00 pm Divine Mercy with chaplet with staff/*Coronilla De la Divina Misericordia con el personal*
- 4:45 pm Evening Prayer with staff/*Oración de la tarde con el personal*
- 6:00 pm *Grupo de Alabanza Luz y Vida*/ Group Light of Life

Tuesday, July 24/Martes 24 de Julio

- 8:30 am Daily Mass/*Misa diaria*
- 9:00 am St. Alice Mom's Group/*Grupo de Madres Sta. Alicia*
- 4:00 pm Confessions w/Adoration/*Confesiones y adoración*
- 4:45 pm Evening Prayer with staff/*Oración de la tarde con el personal*
- 5:30 pm Healing Group (chapel) *Grupo de sanación (capilla)*
- 7:30 pm HMS Choir Practice/*HMS práctica del coro*

Wednesday, July 25/Miercoles 25 de Julio

- 8:00 am Rosary/*Rosario*
- 8:30 am Daily Mass/*Misa Diaria*
- 3:00 pm Divine Mercy chaplet with staff/*Coronilla De la Divina Misericordia con el personal*
- 4:45 pm Evening Prayer with staff/*Oración de la tarde con el personal*
- 7:30 pm *Hijos De María Santísima* /Children of the Holy Virgin Mary

Thursday, July 26/Jueves 26 de Julio

- 8:00 am Rosary/Rosario
- 8:30 am Daily Mass (English) /*Misa diaria en Ingles*
- 3:00 pm Divine Mercy chaplet with staff/*Coronilla De la Divina Misericordia*
- 4:45 pm Evening Prayer with staff/*Oración de la tarde con el personal*
- 6:45 pm Choir Practice (English)/*Practica del coro en Inglés*

Friday, July 27/Viernes 27 de Julio

- 8:30 am Morning Prayer/*Oración de la mañana*
- 11:00 am Daily Mass (English) /*Misa diaria en Ingles*
- 7:00pm *Renacer con Jesus*/To revive with Jesus

Saturday, July 28/Sabado 28 de Julio

- 1:00 pm *Misa para Quinceañera*/Quinceañera Mass
- 3:30 pm Confessions/*Confesiones*
- 5:00 pm Daily Mass (English) /*Misa diaria en Ingles*

Sunday, July 29/Domingo 29 de Julio

- 9:30 am Daily Mass (English) /*Misa diaria en Ingles*
- 12:15 pm Spanish Mass/*Misa en español*
- 3:00 pm Middle School Youth Group/*Grupo de Jóvenes de escuela intermedia*
- 4:00 pm CHDMS Intercession /*CHDMS Intercesión*
- 5:00 pm High School Youth Group/*Grupo de jóvenes de*

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

	Offertory	Budget	+/-
July 14/15			
Envelopes & eGiving	\$10,294.28	\$10,830.06	-\$435.78
Maintenance Fund	\$267.00	\$392.16	-\$125.16
Poor Fund	200	\$172.55	\$24.75
Raise the Roof!	\$20,000.00	N/A	N/A
Raise the Roof! Match Collected to Date	\$18,224.00	\$ 20,000.00	
Pledges Receivable	\$5,581.00	N/A	N/A
TOTAL Raise the Roof!	\$23,805.00	\$20,000.00	\$3,805.00

* Match Collected + Pledges Receivable

Thank you for your stewardship
(and thank you for using your envelopes and eGiving)!

MONEY MATTERS

Ordinary Income Property. When you donate stocks, bonds, or mutual funds to a non-profit such as St. Alice, you can usually deduct the full fair market value of appreciated long-term assets you have held for more than one year. In addition, you pay no capital gains tax.

Donating investments—especially highly appreciated securities—instead of cash can be a very effective and tax-efficient way to support St. Alice. Generally, if your assets have appreciated in value, it is best *not* to sell securities to generate the cash you need for a donation. Contributing the securities *directly* to St. Alice increases the amount of your gift as well as your deduction. An important rule to remember is that the deduction is *limited to 30%* of your adjusted gross income.

EL DINERO IMPORTA

Ingreso ordinario de Propiedad. Cuando usted dona acciones, bonos o fondos mutuos a una organización sin fines de lucro como Sta. Alicia usted puede deducir el valor razonable del mercado apreciativo a largo plazo por más de un año. Adicionalmente podría no pagar impuestos a las ganancias.

Donando Inversiones-Especialmente aquellas de títulos fiables calificados-en lugar de dinero en efectivo y una manera más eficiente de apoyar a Sta. Alicia. Generalmente si sus acciones han crecido en valor, lo mejor es no vender seguridad con tal de generar efectivo para donar. Contribuyendo con valores *directamente* a St. Alice, aumenta la cantidad de su regalo, así como su deducción tributaria. Una importante regla a recordar es que su deducción tributaria es *limitada* al 30% de su ingreso bruto ajustado.

BRING ON THE BUCKET BRIGADE!

The St. Alice Conference **Bucket Brigade** will accept donations on July 28th and 29th after masses. St. Alice has had an active St. Vincent de Paul (SVdP) conference since the 1950s. Our Conference serves the poor of our area by making home visits to individuals and families and providing SVdP store vouchers for clothes, household items, and beds. We are able to do this through **your** generous support — the members of St. Alice Parish.



You may also be a regular donor to St. Alice SVdP Conference. Envelopes are available in the church pews. Just place your donation in the envelope and drop it in the donation basket or at the office.

Are you engaged?

Congratulations! Please call Eva at the parish office right now to make an appointment. Spiritual and practical marriage preparation can take upwards of nine months.

Baptism for Children Age 3 Months through 6 years

If your child was not baptized as a newborn, you are encouraged to bring him or her for baptism on one of our regularly scheduled baptism dates, **Aug. 11/12 or Nov. 18/19**. Readiness to have your child baptized involves registering at the parish, attending mass faithfully for at least four months and participating in baptism preparation classes. To register call Norma at 541-747-7041 ext .206.

Religious Education Educación Religiosa



REGISTER NOW

Though it may seem early to be thinking of registering your children for Religious Education for the next school year, registration *has* begun. Our hope is that it helps you by allowing you to get it done now so there is one less thing to remember to do in the fall along with getting children back into the school routine and schedule. It also helps us in planning and budgeting. Registration forms can be found in the vestibule (on the forms rack) or online at www.stalice.org.

¿Esta usted comprometido?

¡Felicitaciones! Por favor llame a Eva a la oficina hoy para hacer una cita con Padre Mark. La preparación de espiritualidad y matrimonio práctico puede tomar por lo menos nueve meses de preparación.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you would like us to announce new births, please let the office know so we can give thanks publicly in the bulletin.



In this Gospel, Jesus tells his disciples to “Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest a while.” Vincent de Paul, a great man of action was also a contemplative. His contemplation of God’s love overflowed into practical love for the poor.

Please say a special prayer for the poor and forgotten, as you place your gift in the Society of St. Vincent de Paul envelope.

En este evangelio, Jesus le dice a sus discípulos: "Vayan a un lugar apartado y descansen un poco" Vicente de Paul, un gran hombre de acción era tambien contemplativo. Su contemplación del amor de Dios se derramó en un amor práctico amor por los pobres.

Por favor diga una oración por los pobres y olvidados mientras pone su regalo en el sobre de la sociedad de San vicente de Paul

Bautizo de niños de 3 meses hasta 6 años

Si su niño no fue bautizado de recién nacido lo alentamos bautizarlo en horario regular a una de nuestras fechas de bautizo. Ya sea para el **11 y 12 de agosto ó en noviembre 18 y 19**. Alistamiento para el bautizo require de registrarse en la parroquia, asistir a misa regularmente por lo menos cuatro meses y participar en las clases de bautismo. Para registrarse llame a Norma al 541-747-7041 ext 206.

ANÚNCIOS DE NACIMIENTOS

Si le gustaría anunciar nacimientos, favor de llamar a la oficina para anunciarlo públicamente en el boletín.

EYCA CAMPING TRIP!

Young adults (ages 21-39) are invited to join us for a weekend of outdoor fun! Camping July 28-29. No previous camping experience needed.

No gear? No worries! Contact Eugene Catholic Young Adults for events coming up:

eugeneyoungadults@gmail.com
541-270-9329
facebook.com/EugeneCYA

Jesus invites us to build the civilization of love together in the situations we are called to live every day.



Jesús nos invita a construir una civilización de amor juntos, en las situaciones que nos toque vivir dia con dia.

Pope Francis @ Pontifex—July 17

SAFETY GRANT MATCHING GIFT UPDATE

As many of you know, St. Alice has received five grants totaling \$10,000 from the Archdiocese "Safety First" grant program for projects that protect people and property by reducing exposure to risk. **A dollar for dollar match is required for all Safety First grants awarded, and therefore, the \$10,000 in funds granted represents only half the cost of the projects.**

We are pleased to report that matches for three of the five projects have been confirmed:

- Installation of 24-hour keycard access will allow the parish to move forward toward our goal of offering Perpetual Adoration in the Chapel.
- Replacement of the offertory deposit safe in the Sacristy will increase the security of offertory funds stored there over the weekends.
- Re-striping and improvements to our parking lots will help to more clearly delineate driving lanes, parking slots, and ADA stalls, and repair surface cracks to prevent potholes and trip-and-fall hazards.

**THANK YOU TO THE ST. ALICE PARISHIONERS WHO HAVE SO GENEROUSLY FUNDED
THE MATCHES FOR THESE IMPORTANT PROJECTS!**

Matches for two of the projects remain uncommitted:

OUR HIGHEST PRIORITY PROJECT in terms of parishioner safety: Safety Modifications to Confessional and Cry Room will improve safety and security for our priest and penitents in the confessional and parents and children in the cry room by constructing alternative exits in both.

Estimated Cost: \$10,649.70 Grant Award: \$5,324.35

And our Campus-wide Rekeying Project that will establish a true master key system by standardizing interior and exterior locks, modifying unnecessary exterior doors in two buildings to make them "exit only," and implementing a comprehensive key management program.

Estimated cost: \$3,435.30. Grant Award: \$1,717.65.

For more information, please contact Business Manager Peg Ries at 541-747-7041, ext. 210.

Dear St. Alice friends and family!

We just wanted to send a nice hello and a BIG thank you from our new home in El Paso, TX. We are settling in nicely and have found a new home parish (of course, no church has compared to you, but nonetheless we are finding our way). We wanted to say how moved we were by your amazing farewell to our family. It was such a blessing that Christine's dad was able to participate in the Mass along with the rest of our family in some way. It was also such an honor to receive the gift of the reception! We felt so special and loved! You sure made it difficult to leave to Oregon! Our icon of Mary is hanging proudly in our new home and serves as such a beautiful memory of our time with all of you. We miss you so very much and thank you once again for all your love, prayers, and support. Our prayers are with you always!

Please keep in touch:

The Beldner Family, 1105 Talon Pl, El Paso, TX 79912
beldner@bellsouth.net

With love and hugs,

Aaron, Christine, Max, Mia and Xavier

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

July 22: JER 23:1-6 PS 23:1-3,3-4,5,6 EPH 2:13-18
MK 6:30-34

July 23: MI 6:1-4,6-8 PS 50:5-6,8-9,16 BC 17,21 AND 23
MT 12:38-42

July 24: MI 7:14-15,18-20 PS 85:2-4,5-6,7-8
MT 12:46-50

July 25: 2 COR 4:7-15 PS 126:1 BC-2AB,2CD-3,4,5,6
MT 20:20-28

July 26: JER 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13 PS 36:6-7AB,8-9, 10-11
21 MT11:28-30

July 27: JER 3:14-17 JER 31:10, 11-12 ABCD,13
MT 13:18-23

July 28: JER 7:1-11 PS 84:3,4,5-6 AND 8A, 11
MT 13:24-30

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Julio 22: JER 23:1-6 PS 23:1-3,3-4,5,6 EPH 2:13-18
MK 6:30-34

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MT 12:38-42

Julio 24: MI 7:14-15,18-20 PS 85:2-4,5-6,7-8
MT 12:46-50

Julio 25: 2 COR 4:7-15 PS 126:1 BC-2AB,2CD-3,4,5,6
MT 20:20-28

Julio 26: JER 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13 PS 36:6-7AB,8-9, 10-11
21 MT11:28-30

Julio 27: JER 3:14-17 JER 31:10, 11-12 ABCD,13
MT 13:18-23

Julio 28: JER 7:1-11 PS 84:3,4,5-6 AND 8A, 11
MT 13:24-30

Comunidad Hijo de María Santísima

Cordially invites you to their group of prayer on **Wednesdays** starting with the **Holy Rosary at 7:15pm—9pm**. We are located at St. Alice, 1520 E Street, Springfield, OR 97477 In the Chapel.

For the moment, kids under the age of 16 are not recommended to attend.



Comunidad Hijo de María

Cordialmente les invita al grupo de oración los **Miércoles** comenzando con el Santo Rosario d **7:15pm a 9pm**. Estamos localizados en: Sta. Alicia 1520 E Street Springfield, OR 97477 En la capilla de Sta. Alicia **Por el momento, no se recomienda niños antes de los 16 años**

ST. ALICE WELCOMES TWO NEW EMPLOYEES

We are pleased to welcome to the St. Alice staff our new **Youth minister, Kristin White**. After having life changing experiences as a teen in her own youth group, she traveled with the youth ministry team REACH and went on to work with them as a contracted employee and as Youth Minister and speaker. With more than 21 years of youth ministry experience, Kristin believes in the impact it can have, as well as the importance of empowering youth to become active members of both our Parish and also future leaders in the Church. Kristin and her husband Chris have been married for 18 years and have four children -- Jonah, Daniel, Micah, and Grace Mary. They joined the community of St. Alice a year ago, and love the diverse, welcoming spirit and Christ-focused community of St. Alice.

We are also pleased to welcome to the St. Alice staff our new **Marriage and Family Life Coordinator, Dr. Angela Miceli Stout**. Angela received her doctorate in political philosophy in 2013 and specializes in Catholic political philosophy. She has spent many years teaching university, and her most recent position was at the Universidad de Navarra in Pamplona, Spain. She has been a parishioner at St. Alice since 2016. Angela is delighted to serve the St. Alice Catholic community as the Marriage and Family Life Coordinator and looks forward to continuing the development of our parish ministries that enable marriages and families to flourish. Angela lives in Springfield with her husband and two sons.

*Con gusto les damos la bienvenida a Sta. Alicia a nuestra Nueva **Ministro de Jóvenes, Kristin White**. Después de tener experiencias que le cambiaron la vida, cuando ella misma era una joven, viajó con el ministerio de jóvenes del equipo REACH donde fue contratada para trabajar con ellos como, Ministra de jóvenes y Oradora. Con más de 21 años de experiencia como Ministro de Jóvenes, Kristin cree en el impacto que puede tener, así como en la importancia de motivar a los jóvenes a que sean miembros activos de nuestra parroquia y tambien posible líderes en la Iglesia. Kristin y su esposo Chris han estado casados por 18 años y tienen cuatro niños-Jonah, Daniel, Micah, and Grace Mary. Ellos se unieron a la comunidad de Sta. Alicia hace un año y aman la diversidad y el espíritu de bienvenida de la comunidad de Sta. Allicia.*

*Tambien Nos complace darle la bienvenida a Sta. Alicia a nuestra Nueva **Coordinadora de Matrimonio y Vida Familiar** a, la Dra. **Angela Miceli Stout**. Angela recibió su doctorado en Filosofía Política en el 2013 y se especializa en Filosofía Política Católica. Ella enseñó muchos años en varias universidades y su posición mas reciente fué en la Universidad de Navarra en Pamplona, España. Ella a sido feligrés de Sta. Alicia desde el 2016. Angela está encantada de servir a la comunidad de Sta. Alicia como Coordinadora de Matrimonio y Vida Familiar y espera continuar desarrollando los ministerios de nuestra parroquia que permitan a nuestras familias y matrimonios florecer. Angela vive en Springfield con su esposo y dos hijos.*

Married Love and the Gift of Life

A publication of the United States

Are couples expected to leave their family size entirely to chance?

Certainly not. The Church teaches that a couple may generously decide to have a large family, or may for serious reasons choose not to have more children for the time being or even for an indefinite period (*Humanae Vitae*, no. 10).

What should a couple do if they have a good reason to avoid having a child?

A married couple can engage in marital intimacy during the naturally infertile times in a woman's cycle, or after child-bearing years, without violating the meaning of marital intercourse in any way. This is the principle behind natural family planning (NFP). Natural methods of family planning involve fertility education that enables couples to cooperate with the body as God designed it.

What is natural family planning?

Natural family planning is a general name for the methods of family planning that are based on a woman's menstrual cycle. A man is fertile throughout his life, while a woman is fertile for only a few days each cycle during the child-bearing years. Some believe that NFP involves using a calendar to predict the fertile time. That is not what NFP is today. A woman experiences clear, observable signs indicating when she is fertile and when she is infertile. Learning to observe and understand these signs is at the heart of education in natural family planning.

When a couple decides to postpone pregnancy, NFP can be very effective. NFP can also be very helpful for couples who desire to have a child because it identifies the time of ovulation. It is used by many fertility specialists for this purpose. Thus a couple can have marital relations at a time when they know that conception is most likely to take place.

Amor Matrimonial

Y el Don de la Vida

Una publicación de la Conferencia de Obispos Católicos de los Estados Unidos (USCCB)

¿Se espera que las parejas dejen el tamaño de su familia sujeto totalmente al azar?

Ciertamente no. La Iglesia enseña que una pareja puede decidir, generosamente, tener una familia numerosa o, por motivos serios, puede optar por no tener más hijos e hijas por el momento o incluso indefinidamente (*Humanae Vitae*, no. 10).

¿Qué debe hacer una pareja si tiene una razón válida para evitar tener hijos e hijas?

Una pareja casada puede tener intimidad marital durante el período naturalmente estéril del ciclo de la mujer o después de los años de procreación, sin violar el significado del acto sexual marital en forma alguna.

Este es el principio que gobierna la planificación familiar natural (PFN). Los métodos naturales de planificación familiar constan de una educación sobre la fecundidad, que permite que las parejas cooperen con el cuerpo tal como Dios lo creó.

¿Qué es la planificación familiar natural? La planificación familiar natural es un término general para los métodos de planificación familiar que se basan en el ciclo menstrual de la mujer. El hombre es fecundo durante toda su vida, mientras que la mujer lo es solamente durante unos pocos días en cada ciclo menstrual durante sus años de procreación. La mujer tiene señales claras y observables que indican cuándo está fértil y cuándo está estéril. Aprender a observar y comprender esas señales es la esencia de la educación para la planificación familiar natural.

Cuando una pareja decide postergar un embarazo, la PFN puede ser muy eficaz. La PFN también es muy útil para las parejas que desean tener un hijo o hija, porque identifica el momento de la ovulación. De este modo, una pareja puede tener relaciones maritales en el momento en que es más probable que la concepción se lleve a cabo.



A representative from Mater Dei Radio will be speaking at all St. Alice Church Masses on July

28th and 29th to share exciting details about our local Catholic radio station KMME-FM 94.9 and 100.5. Two volunteers are needed at each Mass. If you would like to learn more about helping, please call 1-888-823-5286.

Un representante de la radio Mater Dei va estar en St. Alice a decir unas palabras después de cada misa el 28 y 29 de Julio a compartir detalles exitantes sobre nuestra radio católica local en la estación KMME-FM 94.9 y 100.5 Se necesitan dos voluntaries en cada misa. Si le gustaría saber como puede ayudar, por favor llame al 1-888-823-5686



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