

ST. STEPHEN DEACON & MARTYR

CATHOLIC CHURCH



4th SUNDAY OF EASTER

"Whoever enters through the gate is the shepherd of the sheep. The gatekeeper opens it for him, and the sheep hear his voice, as the shepherd calls his own sheep by name and leads them out." - Jn 10:2-3

17500 84th Avenue
Tinley Park, IL 60487
708-342-2400

MASS SCHEDULE

Mass of Anticipation

5pm Saturday (English)
Live-streamed weekly
through parish website.

Sunday Masses

7:30am, 9am, 11:00am (English)
12:30pm (Polish)

Daily Mass

Monday-Friday at 8am (English)

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays

4pm to 5pm (English and Polish)

First Fridays

6pm to 7pm (English and Polish)
And by appointment.

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS

TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Adoration & Reconciliation

6pm to 7pm (English and Polish)

Mass

7pm (Polish)

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday - Thursday

8:30am to 7pm

ROSARY

Monday - Friday

8:30am

Second & Fourth Tuesdays

5:30pm

April 30th, 2023

| www.ststephentinley.com

Pastoral Staff

To reach or leave a message for pastoral staff, please contact the Parish Office at 708-342-2400.

Rev. Michael Wyrzykowski—Pastor

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Parishioner Registration

We warmly welcome new members to St. Stephen. To register, please stop by the Parish Office during regular business hours.

Active Parishioner Status

In order to be considered as a godparent for the Sacraments of Baptism and/or a sponsor for the Sacrament of Confirmation, a person must be verified as an “active member” of a Catholic parish. While assessments of the inquiry will be made individually, the following factors are considered when making the determination of whether or not a person is an active parishioner. Is the person:

- Properly registered and supporting the Church?
- Faithfully attending Mass on Sundays and Holy Days?
- Participating in parish activities when possible?
- Using the parish envelope system or electronic giving system in support of our parish?

Adult children living at home are required to register separately from their parents as parishioners.

Sacrament of Baptism

New parishioners are required to register and a baptism preparation class is required. Start the inquiry process at www.ststephentinley.com/baptism-prep

- English baptisms are celebrated at 2:30pm on the first and third Sunday of every month.
- Polish baptisms are celebrated at 2:00pm on the second Sunday of the month and during the 12:30pm Polish Mass on the fourth Sunday of the month.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Couples interested in the Sacrament of Matrimony can start the process by completing the Marriage Inquiry form found on our parish website:

ststephentinley.com/sacrament-of-marriage

Religious Education

St. Stephen offers a First through Eighth grade religious education program. We also offer a Pre-K program called Growing with God. Please see our parish website for details. The RE Office can be reached at 708-342-1544.

Dee Zvejnieks - Religious Education Coordinator.

dee@ststephentinley.com

Religious Education Office Hours:

Monday through Thursday: 8:30am—4:30pm

(closed daily for lunch from 12:30pm-1pm)

Friday: 8:30am—12:30pm

Cardinal Joseph Bernardin Parish School (CJB)

St. Stephen is a co-sponsor of CJB School in Orland Hills, along with St. Francis of Assisi (Orland Park), St. Julie (Tinley Park), and St. Elizabeth Seton (Orland Hills). Our school is located at 9250 West 167th Street, Orland Hills, IL 60487

Phone: 708-403-6525

website: cjbschool.org

Kelly Bourrell - Principal

kbourrell@cjbschool.org

Cynthia Devlin - Enrollment Director

cdevlin@cjbschool.org

Anointing of the Sick

If you or a loved one needs the holy sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, please call the Parish Office.

Funerals

Please contact the Parish Office to make funeral arrangements. Funeral dates and times are dependent upon clergy and church availability.

Mass Intentions

Please stop by the Parish Office during regular business hours to secure a date. Intentions can be requested for a deceased person or offered for a special intention, anniversary blessing, birthday blessing, good health, etc. for a living person.

Ministry of Care

Holy Communion for homebound parishioners can be arranged by calling Barbara Black in the Parish Office at x137.

Prayer List

To be added to our bulletin prayer list, please contact Patrick Sheehan at 708-342-2400 ext.122

Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA)

is a spiritual journey of faith for adults who would like to become Catholic. If you are interested in starting this faith and education process, please contact Barbara Black in the Parish Office at x137.

Scripture Study

Fridays from 8:45am until 10am - Room 153

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, May 1	8:00 AM
+ Teena Joyce	Elisa Ponnezhan
S.I. Emily Johnson	Steve and Melissa Mangan
Tuesday, May 2	8:00 AM
+ Walter and Mary Wozniak	Grandsons
S.I. Margaret Wendt	Steve and Melissa Mangan
Wednesday, May 3	8:00 AM
+ Andrea Schultz	Dcn. Pete and J. VanMerkestyn
+ Marie Balestri	Rox and Tony Pantano
Thursday, May 4	8:00 AM
+ Robert Cwalinski	Brother
S.I. Bill and Arlene Beavan	Steve and Melissa Mangan
Friday, May 5	8:00 AM
+ Mary Ann Frederick	Family
+ Howard Kuzelka	Wife
Saturday, May 6	5:00 PM
+ Casey Kowal	Family
+ Patricia Savage	Family
+ Theresa Manikowski	Family
S.I. Jeanette Klein	Ray and Mary Garbaciak
+ Michael J. Cahill	The Yedwofski Family
Sunday, May 7	
7:30 AM	
S.I. For Parishioners	
+ Wladyslaw Dlugopolski	Family
+ Ruth Urban	Natalie Sims
9:00 AM	
+ Patricia Mitus	Tom Mitus
+ Roland and Josephine Haynes	Grandsons
11:00 AM	
+ Mary Busch	Carol Lyn Theis
+ Barbara Anne Hoyt	Maria Gonzalez
12:30 PM (po polsku)	
S.I. Intencje Zbiorowe	
+ Arline Legerski	Gene and Luann Odum
+ Josef Kruzel	
S.I. Jim McGee	Anna Piekarczyk
S.I. Int. Dziękczynna - Anita Stanek	

† Deceased

S.I. Special Intention

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE IN NEED OF HEALING

Annabelle Beedle, Gerald Bernson, Regina Bukowski, Michael Clavio, Jamie Hitz, Kenneth Weissmann, Anthony LaCassa, Patricia Weissmann, Dolores Wilson, Frank Valderrama, and the sick of our parish.

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

Submissions for Bulletin Articles, Facebook Posts, Website Inclusion and Flocknote must

Submit Content to
the Weekly Bulletin



Ststephen@ststephentinley.com for review before publishing. Any submission is due by Thursday noon one week prior to publication. For holiday schedule please call parish office. We are requesting this of all parishioners to assure consistency and accuracy in our social media posts and bulletin. Please do not send any of these materials to individual employees. We thank you all for your cooperation.

PARISH OFFICE

17500 South 84th Avenue, Tinley Park, IL 60487
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REGULAR PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Thursday 8:30am to 7:00pm
Friday 8:30 am to 4:30pm
Closed daily for lunch from 12:30pm until 1pm.



Weekly Prayer

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

"Let the whole house of Israel know for certain that God has made both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified." (Acts 2:36)

Psalm:

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.
(Ps 23)
Or Alleluia.

Second Reading:

For you had gone astray like sheep, but you have now returned to the shepherd and guardian of your souls. (1 Pt 2:25)

Gospel:

"I am the gate.
Whoever enters through me will be saved, and will come in and go out and find pasture."
(Jn 10:9)

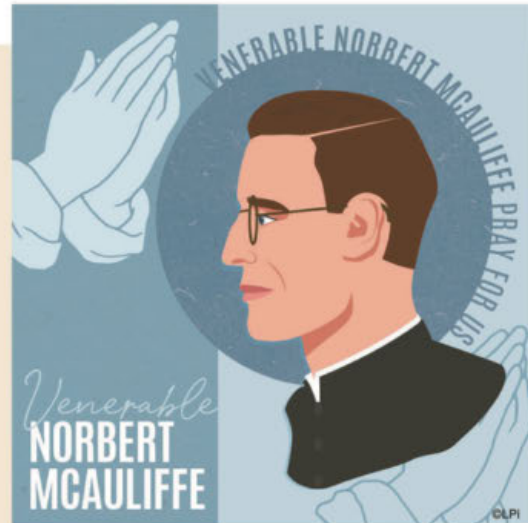
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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

We know the voice of our shepherd. We know he speaks a language of love, of patience, of long-suffering sacrifice. The voice of the thief will offer us freedom, but it is a freedom that ends in destruction. There is only one gate that leads to everlasting life.

Observances for the week of April 30, 2023

- Sunday:** 4th Sunday of Easter
Monday: St. Joseph the Worker
Tuesday: St. Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Wednesday: Sts. Philip and James, Apostles
Thursday: SNational Day of Prayer
Friday: Cinco de Mayo
Next Sunday: 5th Sunday of Easter



Saint of the week

An American-born missionary known for his work in Uganda with the Brothers of the Sacred Heart, Venerable Norbert McAuliffe was nicknamed The Man Who Always Prays by those he served. His work continues to this day through the leadership of the many African Brothers he formed.

Prayer

Prayer for the Canonization of Venerable Norbert McAuliffe

Most Holy Trinity, you granted to Your servant Venerable Norbert McAuliffe the gifts of administration and of vision, that he should be a spiritual guide for all he met, a joyful herald of the Gospel, and a devoted servant of the one Church of Christ. For his love of everyone You put in his path, his formation of many young men, and his dedication to education and evangelism across the U.S. and Africa, we pray that he may soon be numbered among the canonized saints. Through our Lord Jesus Christ Your Son, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

Worship & Meditation

Readings for the week of April 30, 2023

Sunday:

Acts 2:14a, 36-41/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)/1 Pt 2:20b-25/Jn 10:1-10

Monday:

Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4/Jn 10:11-18

Tuesday:

Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday:

1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Jn 14:6-14

Thursday:

Acts 13:13-25/Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 and 27/Jn 13:16-20

Friday:

Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab/Jn 14:1-6

Saturday:

Acts 13:44-52/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Jn 14:7-14

Next Sunday:

Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 (22)/1 Pt 2:4-9/Jn 14:1-12



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Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

I recently rescued a dog. She's a terrier and rather adorable. And she's crazy about me. She could spend all day with me. But I'm a pastor at a parish and sometimes I leave her at the front desk of the church office. She constantly amazes me by her ability to distinguish between my voice and that of everyone else. If I say one word, even if I'm hidden around a corner, she'll sprint toward me and jump up into my arms.

This week the readings focus our attention to the voice of the risen Jesus Christ. Comparing his disciples to sheep and himself to a shepherd, he says, **"They recognize his voice."** He speaks to us and wants us to respond. When we hear his voice, we follow. Throughout this coming week, we will experience many interior promptings to receive God's love, and to love Him in return. That's his voice. Follow it into the safe and tender arms of Christ.

By contrast, some voices we will hear do not convey God's concern and love for us, but rather produce fear, despair, and other harmful mischief. Jesus calls these voices those of robbers. Does an idea or thought make it harder for you to love God? If so, run away. Let it go. It is most likely not the voice of the Risen Lord. Keep waiting for him to speak. You will recognize his voice. Then run to him as fast as you can.

— *Father John Muir*

CREATION CARE ART EXHIBIT

DAYS/HOURS:

SATURDAY, APRIL 29, 4:30-6:00 PM

SUNDAY, APRIL 30, 7:30 AM-12:30 PM

Right in time to celebrate Earth Week, St. Elizabeth Seton Parish invites all to its first-ever Creation Care Art Gallery Exhibit. In offering this art exhibit, Fr. Bill Corcoran, pastor, recognized the educational opportunity this art contest could provide to explain what is meant by Care for Creation—its relationship to environmental sustainability and to reinforce the connection to the Catholic faith. The gallery exhibit includes a total of 45 creative artworks that were submitted by adults as well as students from local public high schools, Providence Catholic High School, Cardinal Joseph Bernardin School, and St. Elizabeth Seton Religious Ed Program (with permission). This juried art contest offered cash prizes to First and Second Place winners from two categories (Digital and Traditional Art) and three age levels (Youth, Teen, and Adult).

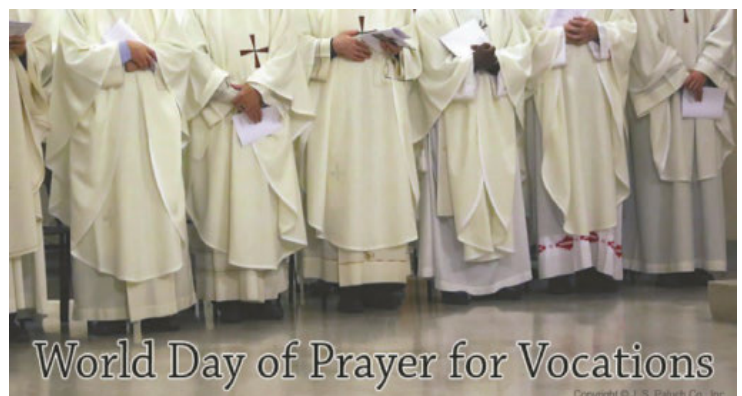
Pope Francis in his encyclical *Laudato Si'*: On Care for Our Common Home, discussed the importance for all people to recognize that all living things on Earth, human and non-human, and the resources that support life, are inextricably interconnected. And that when we act in a way that harms nature, we are really harming ourselves. Francis made the point that it is a social justice issue because those who will suffer the most from the ecological degradation that is occurring are the poor and future generations, who are least responsible for causing the problems. It becomes clear when reading the encyclical that we have a moral obligation to be less wasteful, more mindful of the impact of our lifestyles, and towards living in a way that allows future generations the ability to flourish. This, in part, is what is meant by Care for Creation. It is one of seven themes of Catholic Social Teaching, and a way for us to show our respect to the Creator for this great gift that has been given to us.

The free gallery of Creation Care artwork will be on display in the St. Elizabeth Seton Church Narthex, 9300 W. 167th St., Orland Hills, on April 29, from 4:30-6:00 pm, and Sunday, April 30, from 7:30 am-12:30 pm.

All are welcome! For information/questions please contact Andy Panelli at 708-508-3111.



2nd - Erin Dilger & Dillon Maass





Mother's Day Spiritual Bouquets



Give an eternal gift this Mother's Day...Spiritual Bouquets

Would you like to honor the women in your life? Prayers will be offered at all the Masses on Mother's Day weekend for all these women being remembered. Please consider taking a card for those special women, living or deceased.

*The cards are on a table in the Narthex.



Duszpasterstwo w Parafii pw. św. Szczepana Diakona i Męczennika w Języku Polskim

MSZA ŚWIĘTA W JĘZYKU POLSKIM:

w każdą niedzielę o godz. 12:30pm

SAKRAMENT POKUTY I POJEDNANIA

soboty od godz. 4-5pm oraz w pierwsze piątki miesiąca od godz. 6-7pm

ADORACJA NAJŚWIĘTSZEGO SAKRAMENTU

od pon. do czwartku od 8:30am

(po zakończeniu Mszy świętej) do 7pm w kaplicy oraz w pierwsze piątki miesiąca od 6-7pm

NABOŻEŃSTWO PIERWSZYCH PIĄTKÓW MIESIĄCA

Wystawienie Najświętszego Sakramentu od godz. 6:00pm.

Sakrament Pokuty i Pojednania 6:00pm - 7:00pm

Litania do Najświętszego Serca Pana Jezusa

Msza Święta w języku polskim 7:00pm

ODWIEDZENIE CHOREGO ORAZ SAKRAMENT

NAMASZCZENIA CHORYCH

Prosimy o kontakt z biurem parafialnym. W każdym przypadku poważnej choroby lub wypadku należy wezwać księdza. Komunia Święta oraz/lub oleje święte zostaną udzielone chorym na żądanie.

SAKRAMENT CHRZTU ŚWIĘTEGO

W drugą niedzielę miesiąca o godz. 2pm oraz w czwartą niedzielę miesiąca podczas Mszy świętej. Prosimy o kontakt z biurem parafialnym w celu rejestracji i wypełnienia potrzebnych form.

SPOSOBY WSPIERANIA DUSZPASTERSTWA PARAFII

ŚW. SZCZEPANA DIAKONA I MĘCZENNIKA

GiveCentral - przez www.GiveCentral.org parafianie mogą dokonywać automatycznych darowizn w wybranym przez siebie czasie i częstotliwości. Rejestracja zajmuje tylko kilka minut. Wejdź na naszą parafialną stronę internetową www.ststephentinley.com i przeczytaj instrukcję jak się zarejestrować lub zeskanuj kod QR za pomocą aparatu w smartfonie.

Koperty tygodniowe - Zarejestrowani parafianie otrzymują pocztą specjalne kopertki, w których ofiarowują swoje donacje. Pakiety kopert są wysyłane co drugi miesiąc.

Bóg zapłać za wszelkie formy wsparcia.

Świętemu Szczepanowi powierzamy nasze rodziny i naszą parafialną wspólnotę.



INTENCJE NA MSZE ŚWIĘTE

Zachęcamy Państwa do składania intencji na Msze Święte.

Prosimy o kontakt z biurem parafialnym

BIULETYN

Aby umieścić ogłoszenie na ostatnich stronach biuletynu dzwonić do Nancy Krzystek lub wysłać jej email: krzystekn@jpaluch.com

Wszystkie materiały do biuletynu proszę przysyłać na email: ststephen@ststephentinley.com

SPOTKANIA GRUPY AA W JĘZYKU POLSKIM

Czwartki o godz. 7pm

DRUGA SKŁADKA

W każdą pierwszą niedzielę miesiąca zostanie zebrana druga składka przeznaczona na konserwację i naprawy oraz utrzymanie budynków parafialnych.

Bóg zapłać za hojność.

BŁOGOSŁAWIEŃSTWO URODZINOWE ORAZ Z OKAZJI ROCZNICY MAŁŻEŃSTWA

Zachęcamy do otrzymania błogosławieństwa z okazji rocznicy ślubu, które jest udzielane w drugi weekend miesiąca oraz do błogosławieństwa z okazji urodzin w czwarty weekend miesiąca.



**Zapraszamy na Nabożeństwa Majowe
od poniedziałku do piątku
o godzinie 7 wieczorem w kaplicy.**

Drodzy, Kochani Parafianie,

W dniu **14 maja** będziemy ponownie gościć w naszej Świątyni Misję dla Ubogich działającą od 5-ciu lat przy Bazylice Św. Jacka w Chicago.

“Misja dla Ubogich” wspiera dzieła misyjne polskich misjonarzy pracujących w Ugandzie i Tanzanii.

Tak jak w ubiegłym roku, wolontariusze Misji proponują Wam kupno własnoręcznie zrobionych Kremówek Papieskich. Wraz z nimi przybędzie do nas, przebywający w Chicago na zaproszenie Misji o. Maciej Braun CR, misjonarz pracujący w Buhembie w Tanzanii, którego pracę Misja wspiera od początku swego istnienia.

O. Maciej wygłosi kazanie i opowie państwu o swojej 20 -letniej posłudze w Afryce. Oprócz kremówek, będzie można również nabyć książkę autorstwa o. Macieja pt. “Życie jest jedno i musi być piękne.” 100% wszystkich donacji będzie przeznaczonych na dzieła misyjne w Buhembie o których będzie mówił o. Maciej.

Serdecznie zapraszamy na mszę świętą o 12:30pm w dniu 14 maja i prosimy o wsparcie misji w Tanzanii.

Niech Pan Bóg wynagrodzi Waszą hojność i dobre serce.



3 Maja

Uroczystość NMP Królowej Polski



Nabożeństwo Pierwszych Piątków Miesiąca

Wystawienie Najświętszego Sakramentu
od godziny 6:00 pm.

Sakrament Pokuty i Pojednania
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Litania do Najświętszego Serca Pana Jezusa
Msza Święta w języku polskim o godz. 7:00pm



Niedziela Dobrego Pasterza

Dzień Modlitw o Powołania



Collections Weekend of April 8th and 9th

Sunday Collection	8,598.00
Easter Collection	45,786.00
Easter Flowers Collection	264.00
Holy Thursday	2,455.00
Ash Wednesday	5.00
Annual Catholic Appeal	4.00
Holy Land (Good Friday)	3,277.00
Aid Churches Centl/East Europe	105.00
Capital Improvement	735.00
Mass Attendance	4117

SAINT MICHAEL CONCERT SERIES
ORLAND PARK, IL

UPCOMING CONCERTS
SPRING 2023

March 17
Julia Siciliano
piano
"Fabulous Creative Power"
-Bonn General-Anzeiger
"Fine Technique and Natural Musicality"
-Gramophone Magazine

April 30
Michael Finlay
piano
"Sensitive and Commanding"
-WFMT

May 6
Dmitri Mahktin
violin
"He possesses extraordinary virtuosity, making his violin sing and dance!"
-La Voix du Nord

June 4
Bianca Ciubancan
violin
"Excellent, amazing performance!"
-Peter Dugan From the Top

**EXPERIENCE WORLD CLASS ARTISTRY
RIGHT HERE IN ORLAND PARK!**



Shawl Ministry will meet on
Thursday, May 4th at 9:30 in the RE wing Room 174.

All are welcome!

This is a wonderful way to meet great people while bringing comfort to those in need with handmade blessed prayer shawls. Please bring your needles and hooks and share your talent.

Shawl Ministry will provide the yarn.

If you are interested in learning how to crochet or knit we can help you! Please consider joining us to keep our ministry growing! During the month of March Shawl Ministry distributed over 80 shawls and caps to our parish community after Masses. We were very grateful and overwhelmed by the outpouring of support.

There is no cost for the prayer shawls; our ministry continues to thrive through very generous donations from our parishioners. We thank you! If you are unable to attend our meeting but are interested in creating shawls from home or if you are in need of a shawl please contact Dorothy Kuzelka at 708-614-2588 for information.

Shawl Ministry zaprasza na spotkanie
w czwartek, 4 maja o 9:30 w skrzydle RE, sala 174.

Wszyscy są mile widziani!

To wspaniały sposób na poznanie wspaniałych ludzi jednocześnie niosąc pocieszenie potrzebującym za pomocą ręcznie robionych szali modlitewnych.

Przynieś swoje igły i haczyki i podziel się swoim talentem. Shawl Ministry zapewni przędzę.

Jeśli chcesz nauczyć się szydełkować lub robić na drutach, możemy Ci pomóc! Dołącz do nas, aby nasza postuga się rozwijała!

Kontakt:

Dorota Kuzelka
pod numerem 708-614-2588

SENIOR CORNER

Seniors Young at Heart End of the Year Meeting & Luau May 8th, 2023

Meeting 10 am
11 am Entertainment by Hawaiian singer Edizon Dayao
accompanied by his Hawaiian dancer.

Lunch will be served at Noon catered by Chuck's BBQ Burbank IL.

Menu: BBQ Pork, Pasta, Baked Beans, Coleslaw and Dessert
Tickets on sale after all Masses weekend of April 29th and 30th.
Members \$10.00 Non Members \$15.00

ALL ARE WELCOME

We would like to announce our newly elected Officers for our
2023/2024 Year.

They are as follows:

President - Theresa Gamino
1st Vice President - Sharon Waiter
2nd Vice President - Judy Wolfe
Recording Secretary - Pat Weitz
Treasurer - Bill Wolfe
Sergeant at Arms - Jim O'Donnell

Swearing in of these officers will be at a later date.

Seniors Young at Heart

Upcoming Events

- ▶ Our end of year meeting will be held on Monday, **May 8th**. Luau, entertainment by Edizon Dayao and a Hawaiian Dancer. A luncheon including BBQ pork, pasta, baked beans, coleslaw and dessert will be catered by Chuck's BBQ. Cost is \$10 for members and \$15 for non-members. Tickets will be on sale after all Masses on April 29th and 30th.
- ▶ **May 10th** trip to Shrine of all Saints with Lunch
- ▶ **May 11th** Meeting for all the Travelers going on the Branson Mo Trip. 7 pm in the large meeting room on the Religious Education side.
- ▶ May Line Dancing dates: Tues., **May 9th** and Tues., **May 23rd** at 11 am Parish Life Center.

Let's keep in our prayers all seniors who have been unable to attend so far this year because of illnesses.

Any questions please contact Theresa at Theresa@ststephentinley.com
708 342 2400 ext 145.

Our Seniors Young at Heart April Meeting started with a visit and presentation by Father David Medow, from Marian Village in Homer Glen. We want to thank Father Medow and Tracy Lipinski for this and for the wonderful desserts they brought. If anyone was unable to attend this meeting and is interested, please contact Theresa Gamino at 708 342 2400 ext 145, I have brochures and flyers with information and events they are offering.



Our Seniors Young at Heart had a wonderful and entertaining time at their April meeting with Magician John Measner. It was a magical experience for all.

Our thanks goes out to White Castle Hamburgers in Mokena for adding a donation of 250 burgers to our lunch order. In addition to our lunch everyone received an order to go and our Tinley Fire Department members had lunch on us. Thank You Again.



ST. STEPHEN QUEEN OF HEARTS

Our Queen of Hearts final jackpot of \$73,070 was split with one prize winner, a long-time parishioner of St. Stephen who received \$36,535.

The remaining proceeds were added to our parish Capital Improvement Fund.

Thank you to all who participated in this raffle.

Jay Castrogiovanni



**Cardinal Joseph Bernardin Catholic School is a Christ-centered
TWICE Recognized National Blue Ribbon School of Academic Excellence**

WE ARE YOUR PARISH SCHOOL!

Pre-K 3 through 8th Grade



CJB is a cutting-edge, regional Catholic school sponsored by St. Francis of Assisi, St. Julie Billiart, St. Stephen Deacon & Martyr, and St. Elizabeth Seton. In addition to these four parishes, we also welcome children from other parishes or households whose parents are seeking a Christ-centered, excellent educational environment.

Our address is 9250 W. 167th Street in Orland Hills.

We are adjacent to St. Elizabeth Seton Parish. CONTACT US FOR A PRIVATE TOUR!

"OPEN REGISTRATION" for new students is happening NOW! Our online application is available at www.cjbschool.org Submit the online application, then mail or drop off an *original* birth and baptismal certificate (*originals will be returned*), and a one-time family registration fee of \$250. For Grades 1-8, include a copy of the 2022-23 first semester report card and standardized test results.

Questions may be directed to the Enrollment Director, Cynthia Devlin, at 708-403-6525 ext. 127
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