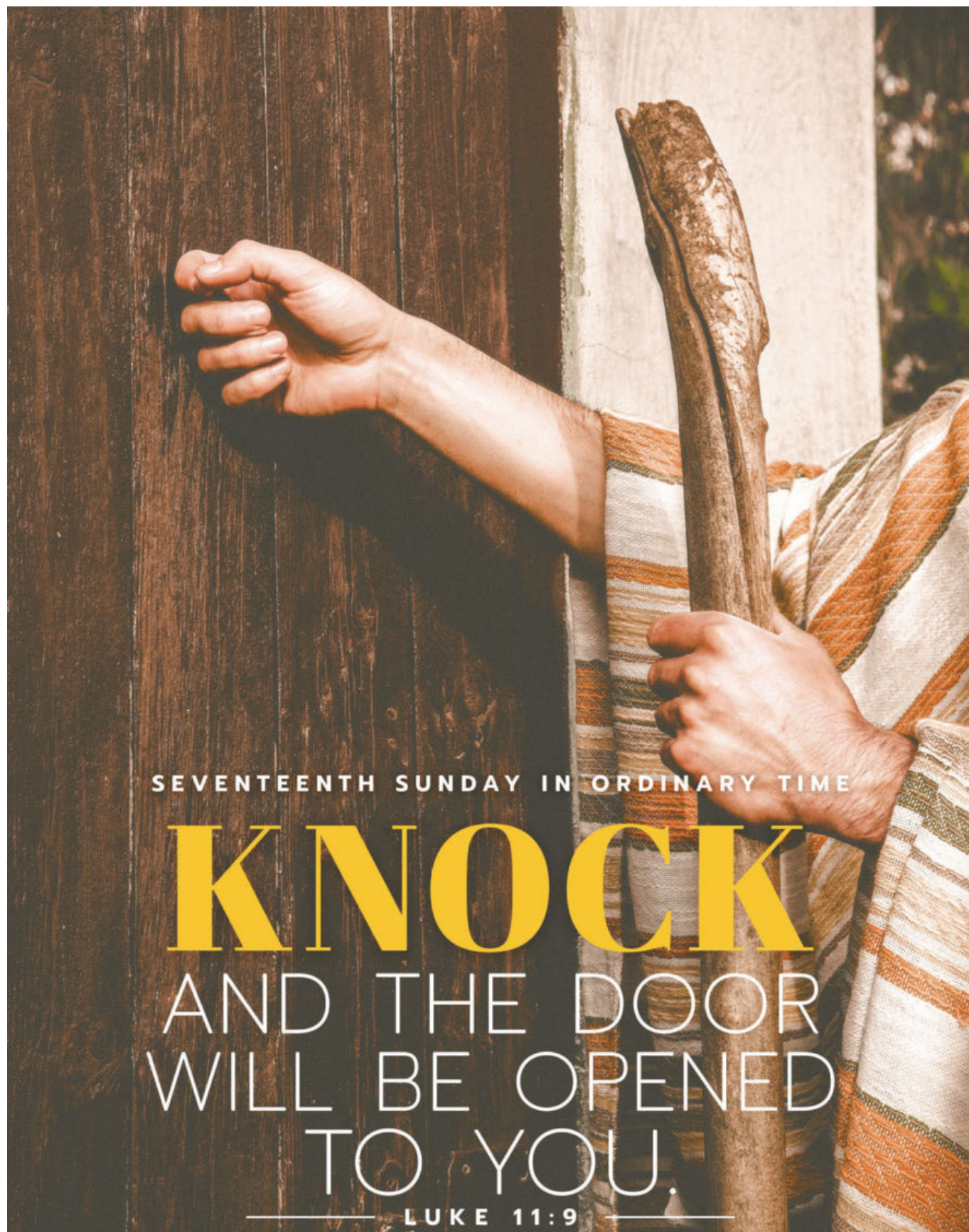




Saints Thomas Becket and Alphonsus Liguori Parish

Sunday, July 27, 2025 ♦ Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE

ST. THOMAS BECKET CHURCH

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday & Thursday— 9am
Wednesday & Friday: 7pm—Polish

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Mass: 4pm
Sunday: 9am & 12:30pm
7:30am & 10:45am—Polish

CONFESSION

Friday: 5:30pm—6:45pm

ADORATION

Friday: 5:30pm—6:45pm

ST. ALPHONSUS LIGUORI CHURCH

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, Wednesday, Friday
& Saturday 8:15am

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

1st Saturday Healing Mass: 8:15am
Saturday: English 5pm & Polish 7pm
Last Saturday: Polish Youth Mass 7pm
Sunday: 8:30am & 11:00am

CONFESSION

Saturday: 4pm—4:45pm

ADORATION

Tuesday: 6pm—7pm

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday: 9am—4pm (*Becket Closed Tues.*)
Friday: 9am—12pm



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Liturgy at St. Alphonsus Liguori Church

Masses / Observances	Mass Intentions	Presider	Readings
Saturday, 7/26, 8:15am Sts. Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary	*Parishioners of SS. Thomas Becket and Alphonsus Liguori Parish †Stanisław Twaróg	Fr. Steven Dombrowski	Ex 24:3-8/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15/Mt 13:24-30
Saturday, 7/26, 5:00pm	†Joseph Boffa, †Kenneth Marcotte, †George Fine, †Louis Fiedler, †Ann Cozzone, †Anna Knaup, †Thomas Brown	Fr. Gus Belaskas	
Saturday, 7/26, 7:00pm--Polish Mass	†Peter Wisniewski	Fr. Slawomir Kurc	
Sunday, 7/27, 8:30am 17 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	†Teresa Gallagher, †John Cotugno	Fr. Slawomir Kurc	Gn 18:20-32/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8 (3a)/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13
Sunday, 7/27, 11:00am	†Irene Hendricks *For Benefactors & Donors of our Parish	Fr. Slawomir Kurc	
Monday, 7/28, 8:15am	*Esperanza Morales, mother of Grace	Fr. Slawomir Kurc	Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23/Mt 13:31-35
Tuesday, 7/29,—NO Mass at St. Alphonsus Sts. Martha, Mary and Lazarus	<i>Intentions will be read at St. Thomas Becket</i>		Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday, 7/30, 8:15am St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	†Jean Perkowitz	Fr. Steven Dombrowski	Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9/Mt 13:44-46
Thursday, 7/31,—NO Mass at St. Alphonsus St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest	<i>Intentions will be read at St. Thomas Becket</i>		Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11/Mt 13:47-53
Friday, 8/1, *8:15am - *Saint Alphonsus Feast Day Mass St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	†Teresa Gallagher	Fr. Greg Wojcik	Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-4, 5-6, 10-11ab/Mt 13:54-58
Saturday, 8/2, 8:15am - Healing Mass St. Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; St. Peter Julian Eymard, Priest	*Parishioners of SS. Thomas Becket and Alphonsus Liguori Parish	Fr. Steven Dombrowski Fr. Greg Wojcik	Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8/Mt 14:1-12
Saturday, 8/2, 5:00pm	†Joseph Boffa, †Kenneth Marcotte, †George Fine, †Ann Cozzone, †Chester Szyska, †Frank Petro, †Dan Amico, †Mike Ricard, †Arnold Blaszyński, †Amico & Petro Families	Fr. Steven Dombrowski	
Saturday, 8/3, 7:00pm--Polish Mass	†Peter Wisniewski	Fr. Greg Wojcik	
Sunday, 8/3, 8:30am 18 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	†Joseph Kozmel, †Mike Ricard, †Frances Neary	Fr. Steven Dombrowski	Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17 (1)/Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21
Sunday, 8/3, 11:00am	†Irene Hendricks, †Margaret Harnett, †Czesław Kopp	Fr. Steven Dombrowski	

CHANGES TO THE MASS SCHEDULE FOR JUNE - JULY - AUGUST

9am: Tuesday and Thursday at St. Thomas Becket, 7pm in Polish: on Wednesday and Friday at St. Thomas Becket.
8:15am: Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday at St. Alphonsus Liguori.
Weekend Mass times stay unchanged.



ZMIANY W HARMONOGRAMIE CODZIENNYCH MSZY ŚW NA LATO: CZERWIEC - LIPIEC - SIERPIEŃ

8:15am u Św. Alfonsa Liguori: poniedziałek, środa, piątek, sobota w jęz angielskim 9am u Św. Tomasza Becketa: wtorek, czwartek w jęz angielskim 7pm u Św. Tomasza Becketa: środa i piątek w jęz polskim
Msze św. w weekendy pozostają bez zmian.

Liturgy at St. Thomas Becket Church

SATURDAY, JULY 26, 2025

4PM—FR. STEVE DOMBROWSKI

†MARZENA STOLARZ

†ARLENE DEULING

SUNDAY, JULY 27, 2025

7:30AM—FR. JAROSŁAW NOWASZCZUK

†MARIA I ANTONI ZAUCHA

†ADELA I WACŁAW POPIEŁUSZKO

†STAŚ, KATARZYNA I WOJCIECH CIELOCH

†JÓZEF DOBEK

†IRENA I STANISŁAW ROGÓŻ

†MIECZYŚLAW STĘPIEŃ

†KAZIMIERZ KOZIOŁ

†ARTHUR KOSIBA

†TADEUSZ BĄK

†JOANNA SZKARŁAT

†ANNA KOZICKA

†KRZYSZTOF KOZICKI

†JACEK BEDNARSKI

†DANIEL GIBAŁA

DANIEL I MAREK—O POTRZEBNE ŁASKI

ANDRZEJ KUBIŃSKI—O ZDROWIE

EWA I DZIECI—O SZCZĘŚLIWE WAKACJE I POWRÓT DO DOMU

KRZYSZTOF—38 URODZINY

JANINA I STANISŁAW—39 ROCZ ŚLUBU

9AM—FR. STEVE DOMBROWSKI

†LARRY LADENDORF

†BOGUSŁAW BARTNIK

10:45AM—FR. JAROSŁAW NOWASZCZUK

†WŁADYSŁAW ZIOMEK

†MARIA I JÓZEF HORBA

†WIESŁAWA I ALEKSANDER SASAK

†CZESŁAW MICUN

†DUSZE W CZYŚĆCU CIERPIĄCE

†WŁADYSŁAW KIEŁBASA

†PRZEMYSŁAW GAŁA

†ANIELA DUDZIK

†MARIA WSÓŁ

†HALINA SOKÓŁ

†JÓZEF LUTO I ZAMORDOWANI TOWARZYSZE

†GENOWEFA KOCHANEK

BOGU WIADOMA INTENCJA

ADAM SOKÓŁ—18 URODZINY

DANIEL SOKÓŁ—17 URODZINY

12:30PM—FR. STEVE DOMBROWSKI

†FR. JOHN ROLLER

†JOHN & MARY KAY FLYNN

†JOHN & JOAN THOMAS

TUESDAY, JULY 29, 2025

9AM—FR. STEVE DOMBROWSKI

†JESSIE MAMALIO

WEDNESDAY, JULY 30, 2025

7PM — FR. SŁAWOMIR KURC

†JANUSZ TYNKIEWICZ

†ZOFIA RADZIEMSKA

†ZMARLI Z RODZINY TYNKIEWICZ I RADZIEMSKI

THURSDAY, JULY 31, 2025

9AM—FR. STEVE DOMBROWSKI

†JOE JAGIELLO

†JESSIE MAMALIO

FRIDAY, AUGUST 1, 2025

7PM—FR. GREG WOJCIK

†ELŻBIETA DAVIS

†ARTHUR KOSIBA

SATURDAY, AUGUST 2, 2025

4PM—FR. SŁAWOMIR KURC

†MARZENA STOLARZ

SUNDAY, AUGUST 3, 2025

7:30AM—FR. GREG WOJCIK

†MARIA I ANTONI ZAUCHA

†ADELA I WACŁAW POPIEŁUSZKO

†STAŚ, KATARZYNA I WOJCIECH CIELOCH

†ARTHUR KOSIBA

†MARIA WILK

DANIEL I MAREK—O POTRZEBNE ŁASKI

TERESA KARDAŚ—URODZINY

ANDRZEJ KUBIŃSKI—O POWRÓT DO ZDROWIA

9AM—FR. SŁAWOMIR KURC

†FR. JOHN ROLLER

†BOGUSŁAW BARTNIK

10:45AM—FR. GREG WOJCIK

†MARIA I JÓZEF HORBA

†KAZIMIERZ KOZIOŁ

†BEATA DEC

†MIECZYŚLAWA CIERPIK

†WŁADYSŁAW ZIOMEK

JÓZIO—1 URODZINY

JOANNA I JAN—2 ROCZ ŚLUBU

LUCYNA I JANUSZ—34 ROCZ ŚLUBU

12:30PM—FR. SŁAWOMIR KURC

†FR. JOHN ROLLER

ŻYWA RÓŻA RÓŻAŃCA

Zmiana Tajemnic—pierwsza niedziela miesiąca:
3-ci sierpień po Mszy Św o godz. 10:45am.

Trwają zapisy do nowej Żywej Róży
Różańcowej.

Na pytania odpowiada Beata:
773-443-9205.

Rosary Group in Polish



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13 wrzesień w godz. od 9am do 3pm w jęz. polskim.

Kurs poprowadzą Ks. Sławomir Kurc oraz Renata i Jacek Sosin. Pytania i rezerwacja miejsca:

847-827-9220.

PreCana—marriage preparation in Polish



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Public Action to Deliver Shelter

1x a month, a few times a season or 1x a season

Under age 13 are not allowed on site with PADS guests / 14-17 years old must be with an adult

www.SaintAlphonsusPH.org/pads

1st Shift

6:45 pm – 11:00 pm

- “Sign-in” PADS guests & lunch orders
- Mingle with guests after sign in

2nd Shift

11:00 pm – 3:00 am

- Make lunches
- Just be here for the guests
(who are usually sleeping at this time)

3rd Shift

3:00 am – 7:00 am

- Breakfast (no cooking involved) and set out lunches for guests
- Wake up guests at 6:00am

Contact:
frank@themattisonfamily.com
224-402-1964

Set Up & Clean Up

- Set Up: Saturday, 3:00 pm
- Clean Up: Sunday, 6:00am -7:00am

Sunday Donations

Saints Thomas Becket and Alphonsus Liguori Parish Collections

Y-T-D Sunday Collection: \$ 38,059.00
(For Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 2025)

Weekly Collection: \$ 9,816.00

Religious Ed. Collection: \$ 2,430.00

Thank you to all our donors and benefactors
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St. Thomas Becket



St. Thomas Becket Church

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St. Alphonsus Liguori



St. Alphonsus Liguori Church

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MANNA—PARISH FUNDRAISER

PLACE YOUR ORDER BY AUGUST 3 - PICK UP ORDER ON AUG 9/10

Clothing & Accessories					
Product		%	QTY	Total	
Burlington	\$25	8%		\$	
Marshalls	\$25	6%		\$	
Old Navy	\$25	14%		\$	
Ross Dress for Less	\$25	8%		\$	
T.J.Maxx/ Marshalls/ HomeGoods/ Sierra		\$10	\$25	6%	\$
JCPenney	\$25	\$100	7%	\$	
Kohl's	\$25	\$100	7%	\$	
Macy's	\$25	\$100	10%	\$	
Dining - Casual					
Buffalo Wild Wings®	\$10	\$25	8%		\$
Cheesecake Factory	\$25	5%		\$	
Chili's Grill & Bar	\$25	10%		\$	
Chipotle Mexican Grill	\$10	\$25	9%		
Darden Restaurants	\$25	8%		\$	
Denny's	\$10	7%		\$	
Lettuce Entertain You	\$25	12%		\$	
Olive Garden	\$25	8%		\$	
Panda Express	\$25	8%		\$	
Texas Roadhouse	\$25	\$100	8%		\$
Entertainment					
AMC Theatres	\$25	8%		\$	
Barnes & Noble	\$10	\$25	8%		\$
Dave & Buster's	\$25	13%		\$	
Gas					
Shell	\$25	\$50	1.5%		\$
Speedway	\$25	\$50	\$100	4%	\$

Fast Food					
Dairy Queen	\$10	\$25	6.5%		\$
Domino's	\$10	\$25	8%		\$
Dunkin'	\$10	\$25	3.5%		\$
McDonald's	\$10	\$25	2%		\$
Panera Bread	\$5	\$10	\$25	8%	\$
Starbucks	\$5	\$10	\$25	4.5%	\$
Subway Restaurants	\$10	4.5%		\$	
Taco Bell	\$5	\$10	\$25	5%	\$
Wendy's	\$25	6%		\$	
Grocery					
Jewel Osco	\$25	\$50	\$100	4%	\$
Mariano's (IL)	\$25	\$50	4%		\$
Health & Beauty					
Bath & Body Works	\$10	12%		\$	
Great Clips	\$25	8%		\$	
Sally Beauty	\$25	12%		\$	
Home Improvement					
Home Depot®	\$25	\$100	4%		\$
Lowe's	\$25	\$100	4%		\$
Menards	\$25	\$100	3%		\$
Amazon	\$25	\$50	\$100	1.7%	\$
PetCO	\$25	9%		\$	
PetSmart	\$25	6%		\$	
Discount Store & Outlets					
Sam's Club	\$25	\$100	2.5%		\$
Target	\$10	\$25	\$50	2.5%	\$
Walmart	\$25	\$50	\$100	2.5%	\$
Visa Gift Card-No activation Fee	\$25	\$50	\$100	1.25%	\$

of cards _____ TOTAL \$ _____

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Name: _____

Phone: _____

Tickets: _____

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St. Alphonsus Liguori Feast Day August 1



**Did you know that we have relics of
Saint Alphonsus Liguori in the church?**

**Join us Friday, August 1 at 8:15am Mass
to commemorate his Feast Day at
St. Alphonsus Church.**

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**Sessions Begin
Saturday, September 6**

Ages 3-6 | 10:00am-10:45am

Ages 6-15 | 11:00am-12pm

For more information contact
Margaret Tys, Parish Manager
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847-255-7452 x 117

Are you ready to binge watch...

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Dates: August 13, 20, 27, September 3

9am—11am or 6:30pm-8:30pm

2 episodes per session

Snacks and brief discussion

St. Alphonsus Meeting Rooms in Aug.

St. Alphonsus Library in Sept.

Material Fee: \$10 per person payable at first session.

Registration Deadline: Friday, August 8

Questions: Contact Doreen Kelly

d.kelly@stbal.org 847-255-7452

Register here:



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Fatima Procession

August 13

7:00pm

St. Thomas Becket
Church

Join us for 7:00pm Mass at St. Thomas Becket Church. The Fatima Procession will follow Mass with the prayers of the Rosary. All families, parish groups, Knights of Columbus, lectors, altar servers and ushers are invited. We invite people in regional costumes and First Communion children in their outfits. Please bring candles or lanterns with you.

Msza Św. w jęz angielskim i procesja Fatimska odbędzie się 13 sierpnia o godz. 7pm w kościele Św. Tomasza Becketa. Zapraszamy wszystkie rodziny, grupy parafialne, Rycerzy Kolumba, lektorów, ministrantów i marszałków. Zapraszamy osoby w strojach regionalnych oraz dzieci pierwszokomunijne. Prosimy o przyniesienie ze sobą świec lub lampionów.

What is Alpha?

Alpha is a series of sessions exploring the Christian faith, typically run over eleven weeks. Each talk looks at a different question around faith and is designed to create conversation. Alpha is run all around the world, and everyone is welcome.

What's happening with Alpha at SS. Thomas Becket and Alphonsus Liguori Parish?

In mid-May our first Alpha course began as the start of our Alpha experience here. A group of Parish Staff members, Unification Team members, and Ministry Leaders engaged in a project of both learning how Alpha works and experiencing the Alpha content. Each Wednesday evening we gather to share dinner together, watch a video that explores a question of faith, followed by table conversation. We sit at a table with the same people every week. So far it's been a wonderful experience of connection, curiosity, joy, discovery, and peace...and good food!

What's next for Alpha in our parish?

Our second Alpha course will start in September. This Alpha will be open to anyone who would like to give Alpha a try. Alpha provides the opportunity to: 1) Connect with new people, 2) watch an episode on a question of faith, 3) share your thoughts in a non-judgmental environment and hear from others. Consider it.

Stay tuned for more information on the next **Alpha** at our parish!
Questions? Contact Doreen Kelly, Director of Evangelization and Ministry,
at d.kelly@stbal.org or 847-255-7452.



MSZA DLA MŁODZIEŻY

Zawsze w ostatnią sobotę miesiąca o
godz. 7:00 pm z oprawą muzyczną
zespołu młodzieżowego

Kościół St. Alphonsus Liguori

26 LIPIEC - KOŚCIÓŁ ŚW. ALPHONSA
LIGUORI – GODZ. 7:00 PM

MSZA ŚW. W JĘZYKU POLSKIM DLA
MŁODZIEŻY Z OPRAWĄ MUZYCZNĄ W
WYKONANIU ZESPOŁU MŁODZIEŻOWEGO.

KAŻDA OSTATNIA SOBOTA MIESIĄCA.
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Od nowego roku szkolnego 2025/2026 Szkoła im. gen.
Wł. Andersa będzie funkcjonowała pod adresem:

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Parafia św.T.Becketa i A.Liguori to nasze nowe miejsce

Drodzy Rodzice!

Pierwszy rok w organizacji szkoły może być trudny.
Zapisując dzieci do naszej szkoły i Waszej szkoły, w nowej
lokalizacji pokażecie, że bliski Waszemu sercu jest rozwój
i kontynuowanie tradycji Szkoły im. Wł. Andersa.

DZIĘKUJEMY!

**Z gen. Andersem - silni korzeniami i otwarci
na świat.**

ZAPRASZAMY!

Więcej informacji można uzyskać pod tel: 773-474-6295



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IM. WANDY RUTKIEWICZ



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Oprócz języka polskiego, lekcji historii, geografii Polski i polskich tradycji szkoła prowadzi zajęcia religii, czym jednocześnie przygotowuje dzieci i młodzież do sakramentu Pierwszej Komunii Świętej oraz Bierzmowania. Uczniowie przystępują do tych sakramentów z ramienia naszej szkoły.

Nasza parafia św. Tomasza Becketa z księdzem proboszczem Grzegorzem Wójcikiem roztaczają merytoryczną i duchową opiekę nad wychowaniem dzieci i młodzieży Akademii Imienia Wandy Rutkiewicz w duchu katolickim.

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Akademia Imienia Wandy Rutkiewicz – to szkoła dla ambitnych. Zapraszamy.

*Set me as a seal upon your heart, as a seal upon your arm...
Deep waters cannot quench love, nor rivers sweep it away.
Song of Solomon 8:6-7*

*Congratulations on the Anniversary
of your Marriage!*

John and Arlene Kranz, July 29, 1967 - 58 years
John and Anne Balzanto, July 30, 1983 - 42 years
Bill and Carole Hogan, July 30, 1960 - 65 years
Al and Mary Kulikowski, August 1, 1964 - 61 years
Ron and Terry Wendell, August 6, 1966 - 59 years
Leonard and Francine Digate, August 8, 1970 - 55 years
Deacon Steve and Debbie Stecker, August 10, 1974 - 51 years
Frank and Wendy Mattison, August 18, 1998 - 27 years
Louis and Janet Schroeder, August 25, 1973 - 51 years
Bob and Mary Ludtke, August 19, 1961 - 64 years
John and Sarah Wysocki, August 20, 1988 - 37 years
Mike and Pam Platt, September 2, 1989 - 36 years
Ed and Nancy Brown, September 3, 1960 - 65 years
Perry and Renee Morelli, September 8, 1984 - 41 years
Mike and Marian Malek, September 11, 1976 - 49 years
John and Margaret Jocius, September 11, 1993 - 32 years
Andy and Toni Wunsch, September 14, 2002 - 23 years
Jeff and Robin Boesen, September 15, 1990 - 35 years
Mariusz and Anna, September 22, 1999 - 26 years

Your Parish Family wishes you peace and joy as you celebrate your life
together and your commitment to one another.

God Bless You!





What is the Jubilee 2025?

We are excited for Jubilee Year 2025, a time of grace, renewal, and celebration for Catholics around the world! This special Jubilee, declared by Pope Francis, calls us to reflect on God's boundless mercy and embrace our mission to live out the Gospel in everyday life.

Here in the Archdiocese of Chicago, we will join with the Universal Church in prayer and pilgrimage throughout the year. Cardinal Cupich opened the Jubilee Year locally by celebrating a special Mass at Holy Name Cathedral on December 29, 2024, at 12:30 p.m. Throughout the year, from December 29, 2024 through December 28, 2025, all are invited to participate in the Jubilee by visiting designated Pilgrimage Sites below.

St. Anne Parish

120 North Ela Street
Barrington 60010
stannebarrington.org

Our Lady of the Wayside Parish

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Arlington Heights 60005
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Wheeling 60090
stjosephworker.com

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Hoffman Estates 60169
sainthubert.org

St. Matthew Church

1001 East Schaumburg Road
Schaumburg 60194
stmatthewparish.org

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish

1775 Grove Street
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To learn more about the history of the Jubilee and about THIS Jubilee, and Plenary Indulgence and more Pilgrimage Sites, scan the QR code, or visit our website: saintalphonsusPH.org.



Prayer for the Jubilee Year

Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom. May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally. May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever.

Amen

—Pope Francis

<https://pvm.archchicago.org/jubilee-2025>

Grief Group

As much as happiness is a part of life, so is loss, and its burden may feel a little lighter when it is shared. If you have experienced a loss recently or even long ago, we would like to journey with you.

Gatherings are the Second & Fourth Tuesday of the Month from 6:30pm—8:00pm in St. Thomas Becket Hall

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FOOD PANTRY NEWS...

8 Families were provided bags of food at the last Food Pantry Distribution.



As always, we are most appreciative for your continued support of the Food Pantry, with your donations which help the needy in our community.

The Food Pantry is in need of the following items:

Canned/Jarred Fruit
Beans
Rice
Spaghettios
Pasta Sauce
Tuna/Chicken
Peanut Butter
Jam/Preserves



Ministers of Care visit the sick and homebound, bringing the Word of God, the Eucharist, and the comfort of human connection.

Ministers of Care in our parish serve hundreds of parishioners in their homes and in living facilities every week. We would love to have more people bringing God out from our churches to those in need.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help is offering a two-day basic training course for Ministry of Care on **Saturdays, Oct. 25 & Nov. 1, 8:30am—1:00pm**. Both sessions are required for mandation by the Archdiocese.

Please contact Doreen Kelly at 847-255-7452 or d.kelly@stbal.org for more information on Ministry of Care and getting registered for this training. Space is limited.



Healing Mass

Join us at St. Als for the Sacraments of Reconciliation & Anointing the **first Saturday of the Month at 8:15am**.

Pierwsza Sobota Miesiąca—podczas Mszy Św. o godz. 8:15am sakrament pojednania i namaszczenia chorych—zapraszamy do kościoła Św. Alfonsa.

Rosary led by the American Heritage Girls after Mass, followed by Hospitality in the Meeting Rooms.

SUMMER SCHEDULE! - Every First WEDNESDAY of the Month!



Join us
Wednesday,
AUGUST 6!

Monthly Birthdays

The Daily Mass community invites all parishioners to celebrate birthdays the **FIRST WEDNESDAY** of each month **following the 8:15 Mass** in the meeting rooms.

Celebrants are invited for coffee & cake and a special blessing. Even if it's not your birthday, come and enjoy the coffee and conversation!

Please Pray For:

~ Those Requesting Prayers ~

John Balzanto, Shirley Barker, Matthew Fitzgerald Batt, Jamal L. Carraway, Clayton Berrigan, Marie Berrigan, Lawrence Boesen, Thomas Boesen, Lola Bondzinski, Anna Braun, Jeanne Brown, Bernard Buchanan, Maria Budinger, Maria Cacucciolo, Harriett Ciesil, Jennifer Clyder, Terry Condon, Mercirosa DeLeon, John Doherty, Jack Dugan, Mary Dugan, Richard Fallico, Joan Fine, Heather Fischer, Joyce Fitzgerald, Tim Ford, Caryn Garber, Carol Glab, Peggy Gosch, Mary Graff, Johnny Gray, Brian Halpin, Kris Hansen, Liz Hardesty, Judy Hartman, Dale Hay, Kathleen Heinz, Patrick Hendricks, Salvina Hernandez, Jackie Hipelius, Tom Huene, Jr., Itzy, Pam Jackstis, RFK, Terry Kriese, Mary Ann Kudjer, Allan Kulikowski, Carol Lange, Mary Margaret Lazich, Jim Leonard, Carol Lewandowski, Tony Lewandowski, Pat Linhart, Rick Lizars, Bob Ludtke, Harper Lynn, Bernie Majewski, Josephine Mallek, Claudia Marchetti, Mareena Mattison, Wendy Mattison, Michael McDonough, Kathleen McKenna, Jim McGowan, Brian Meschick, Joann Miller, Ann Michals, Gay Miezin, Cathy Moretti, Maeve Morgan, Dolores Murbach, Norine Naselli, John Naughton, Susan Naughton, Marilyn Olson, Bernie Olson, Susan Ostrowski, Sarah Catherine Putman, Xander Quinn, Bonnie Romanowski, Mary Roseri, Bernie Rossbach, Michelle Roti, Halina Rudnicki, Ning Santos, Mary Jo Sheehy, John Shafer, Pat Schaefer, Stan Shafer, Janet Schroeder, Laura Schuerman, Mary Scotkovsky, Robert "Bob" Smith, Stanley, Donna Tadda, Natalie Tadda, Kathy Talken, Barbara Teeple, Bill Teeple, Justin Thompson, Margaret Turansky, Peter Valenziano, Steve Volkodav, Mickey Wallace, Martha Wieland, Richard Wolnik, Michelle Zalewski

To be added to this prayer list, or have your name removed, please call the Parish Office at 847-255-7452.

WEDDING BANNS

DAWID LENART & ALEKSANDRA SPADLO

PETER CZYZEWSKI & FRANCESCA NASCA

~ Our Beloved Deceased ~

Elaine Balahoski

Elaine Lange

Register with our Parish

Call the Parish Office at 847-255-7452 or 847-827-9220, register on our website, or register in person.

If you would like the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, or have an emergency requiring a priest, please contact us at 847-255-7452.

~ Those in the Military ~

We would like to keep Active Duty Military who proudly serve our country in our prayers.



MD LTMC Joshua Junge, USN, *grandson of Sheilya Hackett*
 SMSgt. Bobby Yarnes, U.S. Space Force, *nephew of Gail & Pat McGeever*
 Capt. Peter Straka, U.S. Army, *son of Timothy and Carol Straka*
 Lt. Ryan Pattullo, USN, *grandson of Maria Wirth*
 Capt. Michael K. Yoshino, U.S. Army, *son of Keith & Kristine Yoshino*
 Col Michael B. Sheridan, U.S. Army, *nephew of Anita Thomas*
 Lt. Col Chiara Sheridan, U.S. Army, *relative of Anita Thomas*
 Maj. Christina M. Rudolph, U.S. Army Reserves, *daughter of Julianne Henington*
 LCpl. Tim Haerr, USMC, *great nephew of Joyce Patton*
 LCDR Patrick Mitchell, USN, *son-in-law of Jean and Tom Spiegelhalter*
 CPO, Matthew Lee, USN, *nephew of Patrick Lee*
 FCA2 Andrew Fonseca, USN, *parishioner*
 Sgt. Robert McKavanagh, USMC, *son of Deana McKavanagh*

Add a Person / Update Rank / Remove from List

Contact Deana: 847-255-7452 x 131

d.mckavanagh@stbal.org

Prayer Circle

Ministers offer spiritual and moral support to those experiencing serious concerns in their lives. They want to pray with you for special intentions, such as a serious illness or emergency situation. When called upon, these ministers pass your prayer request to all members. Prayers are kept within the Prayer Circle and are not announced at Mass unless you wish.

If you are in need of this prayer support, please call or text Diane at 847-630-3564

Community Events and Support Groups:

Vicariate I Adult Confirmation | Fall 2025—



Confirmation preparation is offered to adults in Vicariate I who have not yet had the opportunity to receive the sacrament. **PREPARATION SESSIONS: September 15 to November 3, 2025. Mondays at 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM**

St. Edna Church – Doherty Hall (use Door #2)

2525 N. Arlington Heights Rd., Arlington Hts., 60004

CONFIRMATION MASS: Wednesday, November 5, at 7:00pm

St. Edna Catholic Church, Arlington Heights

St. Emily Parish Jubilee Trip to Rome—



Join a pilgrimage to Rome in this Jubilee Year of Hope, featuring the canonization of Blessed Carlo Acutis and Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati **September 5-13, 2025.**

Scan QR Code for more information.

Pilgrimage to the Shrines of Poland—

Pilgrimage to the Shrines of Poland - October 13-23, 2025 (\$1,597 double occupancy) Contact Info: scwojnar@hotmail.com 224-659-3678 Website: deaconconrad.com/poland-pilgrimage-in-pictures

St. Viator & Sacred Heart of Mary Class of '75 Reunion—



Class of 1975 Reunion! Save the dates of October 3 & 4. Scan QR Code to sign up for email updates.

Questions? Email Meghan Kay '01 - mckay@saintviator.com



**Blessed Carlo Acutis
exhibit at St. Edna!**
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"Eucharistic Miracles
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August 9 & 10, 2025

Witness the awe-inspiring Eucharistic Miracles of the World Exhibit, designed by Blessed Carlo Acutis!

This international, Vatican-approved exhibit features a stunning collection of photographs and historical accounts of Eucharistic miracles that have taken place across centuries and continents. Experience and learn about these extraordinary events, recognized by the Catholic Church, which affirm the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist.

Blessed Carlo is scheduled to be canonized on 9/7/2025. He was a teen who enjoyed soccer, video games, building computer programs, and loved the Eucharist. He died of leukemia in 2006 at the age of 15. He serves as a great role model to all youth and adults of our time!

St. Edna will be hosting the Blessed Carlo Acutis' Exhibit in the Doherty Center on:

Saturday, August 9th: 12 Noon - 7pm

Sunday, August 10th: 8am - 5pm

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends—

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Pregnant? Need help?—

Call Crisis Pregnancy at 1-800-662-2678. **Hopeful Beginnings of St. Mary's Services** Offers **FREE** confidential counseling to assist women with an unplanned pregnancy, depression, miscarriage, stillbirth, post abortion, and a baby closet. 847-870-8181.

LOSS: Loving Outreach to Survivors of Suicide—

Loving Outreach to Survivors of Suicide (LOSS) is a non-denominational program that supports individuals who are grieving the loss of a loved one by suicide offered by Catholic Charities. LOSS offers a safe, non-judgmental environment where survivors of suicide can openly talk about feelings, and find resources for healing. Call 312-655-7283 or visit www.catholiccharities.net/loss

Support for Loss of a Loved One—

Grief and Loss Services at Rainbow Hospice and Palliative Care offers one-on-one counseling, support groups and education for anyone who has lost a loved one. For more information visit www.RainbowHospice.org or call 847-653-3141

Widowed Men & Women's Monthly Support Group—

To Be Joyful Again, a non denominational support group for widows, widowers, or anyone who has lost a significant other, meets the **1st and 3rd Thursday of every month at 7:00pm** at Holy Family Parish, 2515 Palatine Road, Inverness. Get the support you need in this difficult time. All are welcome. Contact Peggy Emerson at 224-595-3613 or Bob Boho at 847-438-2884

Joyful Again! Support for Widowed Men & Women—

For upcoming Retreats and Workshops please check us out at www.joyfulagain.org, or call 708-354-7211

NAMI Support Group at St. Emily Parish—

Family members of individuals living with mental health conditions are invited to the National Alliance on Mental Illness Family Support Group the **second Tuesday of each month 7:00-8:30pm** 1400 E. Central Road in Mt. Prospect. Questions? Contact Mary Rose at 847-496-1415

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NAMI (National Alliance on Mental Illness)—



If you are experiencing a Mental Health Crisis, call or text 988 (24/7)

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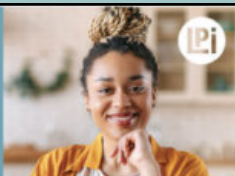
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