



St. Mary of Vernon Catholic Church

236 US Hwy 45
Indian Creek, Illinois 60061

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 28, 2018

Welcome!

*We are pleased that you have come
to worship with us.*

*The doors and hearts of
our parish family of faith are
always open, and we invite you
to contact us at any time:*

Parish Office:
847-362-1005

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847-362-6375

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847-362-0653

Youth Ministry:
847-362-1021

Parish Website:
www.maryofvernon.org



Assistive Listening Devices are
available at the Reception Desk in the
Church Narthex. Please ask the
receptionist for more information.

Parish Office Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 8:30 AM—7:00 PM

Thursday 8:30 AM—4:00 PM

Friday 8:30 AM—3:00 PM

Saturday 8:30 AM—Noon

Sunday 9:00 AM—12:30 PM
(In Narthex)

*Come,
let us
sing
joyfully
to the
Lord*

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RCIA Update: Raising your hand

Are you (or is someone dear to you) considering becoming Catholic? Do any of these apply to you (or someone dear to you)?

- Raised Catholic, but never completed Confirmation
- Married into the Catholic Church
- Led to faith by friends or family
- Enjoy Catholic Traditions
- Disenchanted with your current denomination?

Whatever your reason for becoming Catholic, we'd be glad to meet with you. Any non-Catholic wishing to learn more about the Catholic faith and the Catholic Church - now is the time to step forward - the time to connect with our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) program is here.

Individuals who would like to know more can drop in on weekly open discussion meetings – currently held on Wednesdays at 7:30 PM in the Lower Level of the Rectory. Or to connect with someone on our team for basic information or to set up an appointment to discuss specific questions or goals, contact Maureen Evers (847-362-1005 or mevers@maryofvernon.org) or Mark Zwolski (847-644-7073 or mrzwolski@gmail.com).



St. John Bosco

1815- 1888

Feast Day: January 31

Giovanni Melchior Bosco, known to most Americans as St. John Bosco, was born to poor parents in August 1815. His father died when he was only two, so John spent the early years of his life working as a shepherd to help support his family. However, he did have a love for study from an early age as well. At the age of 20, he entered the seminary and was ordained six years later.

Seeing the poor and destitute around him, he was determined to make a difference in young people's lives. He started an "oratory," a place of prayer and learning for these unfortunates. Not only did he instruct his students in the reception of the Sacraments, especially Penance and Eucharist, but he eventually started a school for shoemaking and tailoring. In 1859, he formed the Salesian Society which still exists today. The Salesians conduct Sunday Schools, technical schools, run hospitals, have prison ministries, and publish catechetical material. Not surprisingly, he is the patron saint of youth. Pope Pius XI canonized him in 1934.

From www.newadvent.org and www.franciscanmedia.org

2018 Annual Catholic Appeal

"Come, Follow Me"

Please spend some time this week reflecting on the Annual Catholic Appeal brochure that you received with your bulletin. Please remember that the Annual Catholic Appeal is **much different from a one-time special collection. It is a pledge campaign** where you can make a gift payable in installments.

The ACA theme for 2018 is **"Come, Follow Me"**.

Each pledge makes a difference because all parishes participate in the campaign and the gifts of many enable our Archdiocese to deliver needed ministries and services to answer Jesus' call to **"Come Follow Me"**.

After our parish goal of \$64, 415.00 is reached in cash, 100% of any additional funds comes back to our parish to help fund our needs.

If you received your pledge form in the mail, please complete it and mail it back or bring it to Mass next weekend. For those of you who did not receive a mailing or have not had time to respond to it, we will conduct our in-pew pledge process at all Masses next weekend.

Thank you for your prayerful consideration and generous response.

Eucharistic Adoration

THURSDAY ~ FEBRUARY 1ST

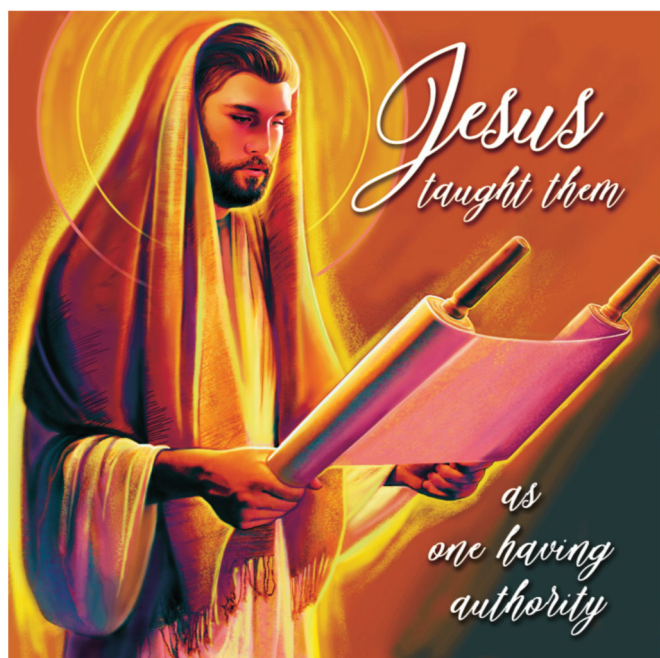
"The time you spend with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is the best time that you will spend on earth."

—Saint Teresa of Calcutta



Beginning at 9:30 am in the Day Chapel
following the 9:00 am Mass,
concluding at 7:30 pm with Benediction

Being a Committed Adorer at SMV Eucharistic Adoration involves spending just one hour in prayer on the first Thursday of each month. If you are interested in spending more time with Jesus, please contact Miriam Preussner at miriam406@att.net or 224-628-1187.



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MASS FOR THE DEAF

At 4:00 p.m. on the 4th Sunday of every month Mass is celebrated in our chapel for the deaf and hearing impaired. Fr. Joe Mulcrone from the Archdiocese Office for the Deaf celebrates Mass in sign and speech. All are welcome, whether hearing or not. On the 4th Sunday of the month we do not provide deaf interpreters at the 11:15 Mass.

Mass for the Deaf is today, Sunday, January 28.

BeLoved Retreat

March 2-4, 2018



Be real.

Be renewed.

BeLoved.

This should make your day: God loves you! You are his beloved creation. Even more awesome news is that your baptism actually immersed you in God's cleansing love. Matthew 3:17 tells us that God called out Jesus' belovedness at his baptism, saying, "This is my beloved son, in whom I am well pleased." And God proclaims the same of you and me!

Our parish offers you a priceless opportunity to take a closer look at your own belovedness and to return to the waters of your baptism. It's called the BeLoved Retreat **March 2-4** on the gorgeous grounds of St. Mary of the Lake Seminary on Rt. 176 in Mundelein. All of your food, two-night's lodging and activities are included in the \$110 fee, or \$160 for a married couple sharing a room. As a bonus, a \$20 discount per person is offered when you book before February 12!

Reserve your spot today! Registration forms are available online at MaryOfVernon.org, and in the parish office. Payment can be made in person, through the mail, and through the parish website with the GiveCentral link.

Be Real. Be Renewed. BeLoved.

Here is our **BeLoved of the Week, Joyce Farley**, to describe what the BeLoved retreat meant to her: "I used to gloss over the word 'beloved' when listening to the readings at Mass. Now that I have spent time reflecting and connecting with others on matters of the heart, when I hear 'beloved,' it makes me beam and think: Yes, that's me — His beloved!"





PREP News ... There are no classes this week.
Next classes are February 4, 5, 6 and February 11, 12, 13.

Registration for the 2018-19 summer and school year sessions has begun.
Registration forms are available online on the PREP page of the SMV website
and in the PREP Office. Please call 847-362-0653 or
email mwinegard@maryofvernon.org if you need more information.

Mystagogy for our Newly Confirmed Teens

Sunday, February 18th from 6:30-9pm in the Great Hall of the Parish Center. **Required of all 8th graders.**

This special evening is for our newly confirmed teens to enter into and examine the sacramental mystery of Confirmation.
It is just the beginning of a life-long journey of growing closer to God and a deepening understanding and practice of their faith as Catholics.
Are you ready to take the next step?

February PREP Highlights

- ♥ 2 - Confirmation Dinner & Rehearsal (6:30-8:30pm)
- ♥ 4, 5, 6 - Classes
- ♥ 10 - Confirmation (10am in Church)
- ♥ 11, 12, 13 - Classes
- ♥ 14 - Ash Wednesday
- ♥ 18 - Confirmation Mystagogy for newly Confirmed teens (6:30-9pm)
- ♥ 24 - First Reconciliation (10am)



TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION



This is the year of St. Paul, and so one of the most visited churches of Rome is also one of the most beautiful: the Basilica of St. Paul Outside the Walls. Like so many other churches, it was founded by the master-builder (or financier) Emperor Constantine about the year 315. Paul was martyred outside the walls of the City of Rome at a place called Tre Fontaine, probably on June 29, in the year 65, perhaps the first anniversary of St. Peter's crucifixion. Christians buried him in a quiet place about two miles away, and visited to pray. Constantine was running low on bricks, apparently, because the first church was tiny. In 386 it was demolished and today's basilica begun. This vast and towering space looks much the same today as it did in the fourth century.

The centuries have not been kind to ancient Rome, but until the early 1800s St. Paul Outside the Walls survived beautifully, perhaps because it has been assigned for nearly a thousand years to Benedictine monks. It was therefore a vibrant place of daily prayer even through the centuries when Rome was a poor and nearly abandoned city. In 1823 a great fire resulted from a botched repair job to lead on the roof, and St. Paul's was destroyed. It is said that the whole world contributed to its restoration. Even the Russian czar and the viceroy of Egypt gave alabaster, malachite, and lapis lazuli for the pillars and the tabernacle. Several of the precious mosaics were able to be restored, bringing the ancient basilica back to life. One of the great treasures of the basilica is a set of prison chains, said to have been worn by the Apostle in the last days before his martyrdom. Unlike other Roman churches, St. Paul's stands in a garden-like suburban neighborhood, surrounded by stately palm trees, gardens, and parks.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



ALPHA OMEGA

ST. MARY OF VERNON HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

Medical and Permission Forms, if required, can be found on the parish website: www.maryofvernon.org or in the Kiosk (wooden tower) in the Narthex (gathering space of the Church).



WINTER OLYMPICS Sunday, January 28th 6:30—9:00 PM



Join us for an evening of great Winter Olympic Games, SMV style!* There will be a Sled Race, an obstacle course, a Snowman Building Contest, Reindeer Feeding and lots more games that'll be tons of fun! Help your team push its way to Bronze, Silver, or Gold! As always, your friends are welcome to come, and snacks and hot chocolate will be provided.

***Please dress warmly (with winter boots, hat, and gloves)! The first hour of games will be outdoors!**



ALL-NIGHT LOCK-IN At the Enchanted Castle Friday, February 2nd 9:20 PM to Saturday, February 3rd 7:00 AM



High school teens and 7th & 8th graders can sign up for this **all-night, no-sleep, game-filled** night. For the cost of \$50 you get *Laser Tag, Karaoke, Video games (40 free tokens), indoor Go-Kartz, pizza at midnight, a bus ride there and back, Krazy Bumper Kars, Lazer Frenzy, a light breakfast* and more...

We leave from the Parish Center at 9:45 PM on Friday night. We return around 7:00 AM Saturday morning. Permission Forms are required and are available in the Kiosk (wooden tower) in the Narthex (gathering space), and in the PREP and Youth Ministry Offices.

**** Forms and money are due by Monday, January 29th! ****



SERVICE DAY Sunday, February 11th 2:00-4:30 PM

Newly Confirmed 8th Graders are encouraged to attend along with all High School Teens!
More details regarding Service Day will be available soon.



2018 Summer Mission Trip Registration is OPEN

Sign-up ASAP to get the "early-bird" discount! After February 2nd, the price will go up \$50! We only have 50 slot available this year. Please note that our 1st Bake Sale is coming up the weekend of February 10th & 11th. We need all participants going to bake for the Bake Sale!

SAVE THE DATE!



SAINT MARY OF VERNON PARISH GOLF OUTING
JUNE 24, 2018



St. Mary of Vernon Alpha Omega SUMMER MISSION TRIP

**July 8-15, 2018
Detroit Lakes, MN**

All current High School Teens and those entering high school in the fall of 2018 are eligible to participate.

*** REGISTRATION IS OPEN ***

*** COST GOES UP AFTER FEBRUARY 2nd ***

Registration Forms can be found: in the Teen Room, PREP Office, Church Office, Wooden Kiosk in Church Narthex, & ONLINE at www.maryofvernon.org/youth-ministry

You will WORK, SERVE TIRELESSLY, THINK DEEPLY, CELEBRATE MASS and build relationships. You will dance, laugh till your side hurts, pray, change on the inside, and be a part of transforming lives and communities FOR CHRIST!



INFORMATIONAL TRAVEL MEETING
MONDAY, JANUARY 29 AT 7:00 PM
at St. Mary of Vernon Parish Center
Two Destinations:

2019: HOLY LAND and JORDAN: 13 Days - March 25 ~ April 6, 2019 - Hosted by Frs. Joe Curtis and Rich Sztorc - Jerusalem ... Bethlehem ... Sea of Galilee... Nazareth ... Tiberias ... Caesarea-by-the Sea ... Jericho ... Masada ... Aqaba ... Wadi Rum ... Petra ... Mt. Nebo ... Jerash...

2020: OBERAMMERGAU PASSION PLAY: 11 days - September 11 ~ 21, 2020 Day - Hungary ... the Czech Republic, Germany and Slovakia Hosted by Frs. Joe Curtis and Rich Sztorc - Budapest ... Bratislava ... Prague... Nurnberg ... Rothenburg... Heidelberg and Rhine River Cruise and Oberammergau...

For further information contact Fr. Joe at jcurtis@maryofvernon.org or 847-362-1005.



PADS NEEDS YOU

Our PADS Homeless Shelter finds itself in need of several volunteers to serve on the 1st shift from 6 PM until 8:30 PM (setting up PADS and making beds, preparing and serving supper), the 2nd shift from 8:30 PM until 11 PM (clean-up after supper, prepare lunches for the next day) and the 5th shift from 5:15 AM until 6:30 AM (prepares and serves breakfast, clean up kitchen and the sleeping area). This is a great opportunity to build the Kingdom on earth. Volunteers normally serve just 1 shift per month, though can work more if preferred. Initial commitment is only for 3 or 4 shifts total, since we close at the end of April for the summer. If interested and you wish to answer the gospel call to shelter the homeless and feed the hungry, contact Jim at 847-726-1980 or Jane at 847-367-5676.



The Unemployment Line

The Job Search in 2018 – thoughts from Recruiter.com

Some recent tips from Recruiter.com regarding your 2018 job search:

- **Think Outside the Box to Gain New Skills:** Volunteering, entrepreneurial ventures, and side gigs are great ways to gain new job experiences and skills. Don't accept "You don't have the experience" as the final word. Go get that experience.
- **Stay Engaged:** The modern job seeker remains perpetually engaged in the job search in a number of ways: networking, consulting, training (as both trainee and facilitator), professional development, and social media promotion. Take every opportunity you can to build your personal brand.
- **Get Past the ATS:** Some reports suggest that more than 70 percent of resumes are rejected by applicant tracking systems (ATSs) before they're ever seen by a human being. To ensure your resume gets through the gate, check out tools like Jobscan, which compares your resume against the job ad and suggests ways to improve your resume accordingly.

The purpose of our Wellspring Employment Resource Community (WERC) ministry is to provide a safe and effective forum for sharing work search tools and techniques which can enable unemployed, underemployed, and job-searching parishioners in their efforts to find meaningful and rewarding work. All are welcome – from recent graduates looking for that first job to the individual looking to make a change in their career or current role to the seasoned job hunter.

Upcoming "WERC" Events

Next Meeting: Monday, February 26th at 7:30 PM –WERC Support Group

WERC members and guests will have the opportunity to meet to ask questions of our team and each other, network, share success stories and advice, and discuss some of the challenges of the job search. This meeting will take place in Rooms 110-112 of the Parish Center. All are welcome.

Our team of experienced job seekers and HR managers provides a range of services including job search strategy/planning, resume reviews, practice interviews, and networking recommendations.

Refer to the SMV website for additional links to resources for job seekers. Questions? Contact the WERC team at SMVWERC@gmail.com. Any Parishioner is welcome to join the WERC LinkedIn Group to share/post job information – on LinkedIn, search for the WERC (Wellspring Employment Resource Community) Group and complete a "Request to Join."



Sharing Hands Food Pantry Item For January: *Pancake Mix & Syrup*

Please bring your donations to Mass or to the Sharing Hands drop-off door on the side of the Parish Center (please call for the daily code). We will see that the items get to needy families. **Please ensure that food items are not past their expiration date. We must dispose of them if they are.**



SMV LAKE COUNTY UNITED MEETING
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2018 FROM 1:00—3:00 PM
JOHN P. FINNEGAN PARISH CENTER ROOM 118

Consider getting more involved with Saint Mary of Vernon's Lake County United Ministry. The main goal of the meeting will be to begin a conversation about how we listen at SMV, and how we might be able to start connecting real need with real possibilities through the resources of Lake County United. Deacon Dan Moore, Patrick Phalen, Barb Gosh, and Gary Schiappacasse will be joined by Amy Lawless Ayala, Lead Organizer of Lake County United. Lake County United is currently focused on:

Affordable Housing

Mental Health Care:

- Assist Lake County officers to receive Critical Incident Team Training (CIT)
- Establish a Crisis Care Center
- Increase affordable supportive housing

Education

Developing an Immigration policy.

Visit Lake County United's website to learn more. <http://www.lakecountyunited.org>
Or contact Gary Schiappacasse 1-847-691-3293 cell or g56reader@aol.com



First Look for Charity – February 9

Zoom on over to First Look for Charity, the exclusive preview night of the Chicago Auto Show, at McCormick Place in **Chicago** on Friday, February 9. Join Catholic Charities pre-event reception with Monsignor Michael M. Boland at 5:30 p.m and enjoy cocktails, gourmet food, musical entertainment, private coat check, and raffle. The Auto Show floor opens from 7 to 11 p.m. with live entertainment, cocktails, hors d'oeuvres, an all-access pass to the premier display of vehicles and a chance to win a new car. Proceeds benefit Catholic Charities Maternity and Adoption programs and Neighbors in Need Fund. Tickets are \$275 per person.

Be sure to select Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Chicago when purchasing your ticket. Tuxedo attire is mandatory. For more information or to purchase tickets, visit www.catholiccharities.net/firstlook.

Nite at the Net – February 16

Brush up on your tennis skills for the annual Nite at the Net, on Friday, February 16! The event begins at 6 p.m. at the Hinsdale Racquet Club in **Hinsdale**. Join Chicago Blackhawks Coach "Q" Joel Quenneville, Eric Ferguson of 101.9FM, and Chicago Blackhawks Hall of Famer Denis Savard for two hours of fast-paced drills, food and beverages all evening, silent auction, raffles, live auction, and DJ in the party tent! Proceeds benefit Catholic Charities *Neighbors in Need Fund*, which provides the financial resources to respond to those who need food, clothing, financial assistance, and other basic needs. Tickets begin at \$100 and sponsorships are still available. For more information, visit www.catholiccharities.net/niteatthenet or contact Rose Marie Lesniak-Mendez, Special Events Manager, at RMLesniakMendez@catholiccharities.net or (312) 655-7290.

Meals on Wheels and More Dinner Dance – March 10

The 20th Annual Meals on Wheels and More Dinner Dance will be held on Saturday, March 10 at 6 p.m. at Maravela's, 4 Washington Street in Ingleside. Come celebrate the national March for Meals campaign and enjoy a night of cocktails, dinner, silent auction, and dancing. The Meals on Wheels 'more than just a meal' model addresses three of the biggest threats of aging: isolation, hunger and loss of independence. Come join the fun and help raise funds in support of Catholic Charities Meals on Wheels and Senior Nutrition Programs in Lake County. Sponsorships are available. For more information and to register, please visit www.catholiccharities.net/mealsonwheels or contact Karen Daniels at (847) 782-4115.

St. Mary of the Annunciation Bereavement Ministry

10 Week Grief Support Group:

"FINDING HOPE/HEALING HEARTS"



*This weekly group will meet at St. Mary of the Annunciation
for 10 consecutive **Wednesdays**:
February 7th through April 11, 2018*

*There is a \$40.00 registration fee which covers the cost of the two books and materials. To register, contact Diane Mulroe in the St. Mary parish office...
the group size is limited so register now!*

dmulroe@stmota.org or call 847-223-0010

Here is what has been said about the experience of the Finding Hope/Healing Hearts group:

"[The group] normalized feelings and situations; felt comfort with new friends; hope was built"

"That I'm not the only one going through this; that slowly it will get better; there will be ups and downs"

"Commonality and continuity; facilitators compassionate and real in their approach; each person has added to the group"

"Enjoyed sharing experiences with others in the group; realizing I'm not crazy after all"

* At the first meeting.....Hesitant, feeling like I couldn't express my sadness or loss to these strangers. I couldn't even read aloud a sentence in support group guidelines... * Found that not only was this a room of warm comfort full of others who were hurting and trying to feel normal and that my bursts of sadness were part of walking this path and that these strangers were becoming to me not strangers anymore. It became very comforting to be at this FH/HH haven. * I learned I need to give back what I learned. It was the best decision to join FH/HH Group. You learn that EVERYTHING you are experiencing you are not alone and it also made me realize that others loss's in some ways were more challenging than mine, but didn't mean that we hurt any different or less. * I always felt God had watched over me in all my child and adult years, but as I listened and learned....I realized that he again was watching me and felt I should walk this journey so I can love my FAITH even more.

I once again would like to thank you for conducting the "Finding Hope/Healing Hearts group. It was a very rewarding journey.

Here are my thoughts on my experience in the FH/HH group:

1) Realizing I was not alone going through this journey

2) Being able to ask others for help

3) Finding hope with the help of others who are making this journey through the forest

1. It's helpful to be in a room with other people who have experienced the same sort of loss. They understand and you can speak to everyone and they will be better listeners. 2. The tips and advice on the grieving process were extremely helpful. It explains what I'm going through and lets me know others are going through the same thing. 3. I got to meet some great people!

Here are my three things that I found most helpful about our Healing Hearts Group;

1. A safe place to talk about my experience of loss with others who experienced that same loss.

2. A wonderful book & journal to keep us on track and to guide our discussions each week.

3. Chances to bring in pictures, special items, to share things we are thankful for as we remember our spouses.

I have had things bottled up for so long after my husband passed away, keeping most everything to myself. This group has helped me to open up and let things out and it has helped me understand and cope much better.



FEBRUARY 9 & 10, 2018
Benefiting Carmel Catholic High School

FEB. 4:
FREE SHOW FOR SENIOR CITIZENS & THEIR GUESTS

FEB. 9 & 10TH:
STREET SCENES EXTRAVAGANZA WITH OVER 50 BANDS, CASINO, THEATER \$20 IN ADVANCE, \$25 AT DOOR, MUST BE OVER 21

FEB. 8TH:
LAKE AND MCHENRY COUNTY 7TH AND 8TH GRADERS STUDENT NIGHT WITH GAMES, STUDENT SHOW AND FOOD \$5 IN ADVANCE, \$6 AT DOOR

OVER 50 BANDS • CASINO • LIVE SHOWS



We welcome the families who joined the St. Mary of Vernon community in mid-November 2017 through mid-January 2018

The Fee-Alvarez Family in Mundelein
The Flores Family in Mundelein
The Freund Family in Indian Creek
The Goettler Family in Buffalo Grove
The Gregg Family in Vernon Hills
The Lowe Family in Vernon Hills
The Machain Family in Vernon Hills

The Mok Family in Vernon Hills
The Piechota Family in Mundelein
The Raispis Family in Vernon Hills
The Rose Family in Lake Villa
The Treu Family in Long Grove
The Trinidad Family in Lincolnshire

COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC NURSES OF LAKE COUNTY PRESENT A LENTEN RETREAT
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17 AT 8:30 A.M.
MARYTOWN RETREAT CENTER ON ROUTE 176 JUST WEST OF BUTTERFIELD

Presentation by Rev. James Merold includes continental breakfast at 8:30 a.m. ~ Reflection Time ~ Confession ~ Mass at Noon ~ Lunch. Members \$25, Non-Members \$35. RSVP by February 14 to Marion Henderson, 847-281-7790.

All Nurses Welcome

READINGS, FEASTS & MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Monday, Jan 29—2 Sm 15:13-14, 30, 16:5-13; Mk 5:1-20

7:00am—No intention

Tuesday, Jan 30—2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30, 19:3; Mk 5:21-43

9:00am—No intention

Wednesday, Jan 31—2 Sm 24:2, 9-17; Mk 6:1-6 *St. John Bosco*

7:00am—Stephen J. Grosko, Jr.

Thursday, Feb 1—1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12; Mk 6:7-13

9:00am—Len Schockling

Friday, Feb 2—Mal 3:1-4; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 *The Presentation of the Lord*

7:00am—All our people

Saturday, Feb 3—1 Kgs 3:4-13; Mk 6:30-34 *St. Blaise, St. Ansgar*

8:30am—Alberto Cu

5:00pm—Al Fiore

Sunday, Feb 4—Jb 7:1-4, 6-7; 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23; Mk 1:29-39

7:45am—Don Wohlrab

9:30am—Rita Pleines, Olga Donahue

11:15am—Greg & Epifania Manaloto, Martin Conese, Jr.

BAPTISMS LAST WEEK

Made children of God by water and the Spirit:

Alejandro Manuel Guerrero, son of Isaias Guerrero & Beatriz Villarreal

Brayden Oliver Siwik, son of Craig Siwik & Andrea Lafin

Conor John Cummings, son of Jeremy Cummings & Kristin Marquardt

Ella Marie Reppy, daughter of Jonathan Reppy & Tracy Giandonato

We congratulate the proud parents and welcome the newest members of our community of faith.

Please Pray For Our SMV Loved Ones Who Serve in the Military

CPT Jay Althoff, USA

SN1 Trevor A. Amos, USN

COL Steven Carozza, USA

Sgt Michael J. Cinnick, USMC

SGT Thomas Cleary, USA

Capt Brian A. Dillon, USMC

ENS Sara Dillon, USN

SGT Alyssa Eastman, USA

PO2 Swen Erickson, USN

ETV2 Michael Gielczyk, USN

SSgt Nick Halverson, USAF

COL Matthew Hepburn, USA

LTJG Alex Hoersten, USN

ENS Kendall G. Knorr, USN

LTJG Melanie C. Lecaroz, USN

SPC Kimberly Santiago, USA

MAJ Michael Milas, USA

MAJ Paul J. Milas, USA

Cpl Israel Montelongo, USMC

SN Abraham L. Moore, USN

CPT Christian A. Moree, USA

Capt Sean P. Morrow, USMC

Maj Thomas W. Morrow, USMC

CDR Phil Pabellon, USCG

PO1 Vincent Q. Padaoan, USN

PFC Nicholas J. Pagano, USA

SGT Anthony R. Powers, USA

SSG David Ptak, USA

CAPT Katie Schullian, USN

SFC Jason B. Strait, USA

Capt Matthew Tegeler, USAF

CDR Matthew Wauson, USN

HN Anthony J. Wick, USN

OC Michael D. Wick, Jr., USMC

CPT Stephen M. Woldridge, USA

OUR RECENTLY DECEASED

Please pray for the repose of the soul of

George Stoeberl

brother of Sister Rita Stoeberl

We offer our sympathy to the family, and pray that his soul now rests in peace and joy in the arms of God.

OUR SICK WHO HAVE REQUESTED PRAYER

Evelyn Schultz, Dianne Hogan, Gertrude Vale, Tim D'Angelo, Pat Slovak, Patrick Gasey, Al Lovas, Dennis Knauff, Mary Jo Knauff, Strat Barrettsmith, Ray Machalinski, Bob Lapinski, Troy Butler, Jim Wogan, Karen Arends, Stevens Sainte-Rose, Phillip Pagnotta, Sr., Sandy West, Bill O'Shaughnessy, Lisa Visconti, Haig Pedian, Mary Lou Haberkorn, Dianne Tarrington

MASS PRESIDERS, HOMILISTS & CHILDREN'S MINISTERS FEBRUARY 3 & 4, 2018

5:00 PM Presider: J. Curtis

Homilist: J. Curtis

7:45 AM Presider: M. Woldenmichael

Homilist: J. Curtis

9:30 AM Presider: J. Curtis

Homilist: J. Curtis

11:15 AM Presider: D. Olson

Homilist: J. Curtis

N. Buckardt

A. Ruiz

T. Acuna

H. Acuna

SHARING OUR TREASURE

	Actual Collection	Budget Amount	Surplus (Deficit)
Sunday Jan 7 Collection	\$12,020.00	\$18,381.00	\$ (6,361.00)
Sunday Donations Give Central December 2017	\$14,292.00		
Fiscal Year to Date:	\$ 477,833.00	\$478,516.00	\$ (683.00)
Other Collections: Christmas Collection		\$104,426.00	
Retirement for Religious		\$ 9,379.00	
St. Angela School (December)		\$ 1,190.00	

SMV Week at a Glance

Sunday, January 28

- 2:00pm—Teen Choir Practice, Church
- 4:00 pm—Deaf Mass, Chapel
- 6:30pm—Youth Ministry “Winter Olympics”, PC

Monday, January 29

- 5:00pm—Altar Server Training, Church
- 7:00pm—Travel Meeting, NH

Tuesday, January 30

- 6:30pm—Sharing Hands, SHO
- 7:00pm—40th Anniversary Meeting, RMR

Wednesday, January 31

- 9:00am—Bible Study, 118
- 6:00pm—Youth Choir Practice, Church
- 7:00pm—RCIA Discovery, RMG
- 7:30pm—RCIA, 118
- 7:30pm—Adult Choir Practice, Church

Thursday, February 1

- 9:30am—Adoration, Chapel
- 5:00pm—PADS, PC
- 7:00pm—Beloved Small Group, 110/112
- 7:00pm—Small Christian Comm, 118
- 7:00pm—Beloved Retreat Team, RMR

Friday, February 2

- 12:01am—7am—PADS, PC
- 6:30pm—Confirmation Rehearsal, Church
- 6:30pm—Confirmation Dinner, PC

Saturday, February 3

- 9:00am—Rosary, Chapel
- 9:00am—Bible Study, 118
- 5:00pm—Youth Choir at Mass

Sunday, February 4

- 8:45am—PREP Classes
- 1:00pm—Lake County United, 118
- 2:00pm—Teen Choir Practice, Church
- 6:30pm—Youth Ministry, PC

Location Code:

AC=Administration Center
 ACCR= Admin Center Conference Room
 GH=Great Hall, JP Finnegan Center
 NH=North Hall, JP Finnegan Center
 N—Narthex
 O/S—Off-Site
 PC or Numbers= JP Finnegan Center or Classrooms
 PO=PREP Office
 RMR—Rectory Meeting Room (Lower Level)
 SHO—Sharing Hands Office
 TR=Teen Room

NEED HELP?

Alcohol or drug abuse: Call Alcoholics Anonymous 847-362-1811 Al-Anon 847-680-4640; Adult Children of Alcoholics 847-680-4640
Gambling: Call Sarah at 847-927-0265 or 1-800-522-4700 or visit www.gamblersanonymous.org.
Narcotics: www.na.org
Emotions Anonymous: 847-370-6937 Ask for Don.
Drinking or Emotional Problems: Holbrook Counseling Ctr of Mundelein, 312-655-7725
Physical/sexual abuse: Call Jane 847-367-5676 or Lee 847-367-5034. The Zacharias Sexual Abuse Center offers counseling for children & adult survivors of abuse. Call 847-244-1187. Hot line is 847-872-7799.
Reporting Allegations of Child Abuse to Civil Authorities: Contact Matt Chancey, Chief of Criminal Division at 847-377-3000. D.C.F.S. = 1-800-252-2873. **To report sexual abuse of minors by priests or deacons, lay employees, and/or volunteers:** Call Leah McCluskey, MSW, LSW, 312-751-5205. Confidential Hotline: 1-800-994-6200.
Domestic Violence Group Counseling offered in English & Spanish. Monday evenings in Waukegan, Tuesday evenings in Mundelein. Call 847-249-4450
Pregnant and Need Help? Call 847-249-2700 (Aid for Women of Northern Lake County)
Annulment Information/Support: Call Nancy at 847-234-4517; nancy.pag@comcast.net
Veteran Support. vets.archchicago.org

PADS ASSIGNMENTS FEBRUARY 1 & 2 (WEEK 1)

6:00 – 8:30 PM— C. Levitz, G. Reznicek, M. Kelly, E. Brettmann, J., D. & S. Krippinger, A. Karwat, M. Baker, E. Rybicki
8:30 – 11:00 PM— M. Katzner, A. Foley, D. Panek, S. & G. Tumino, R. & R. Steigerwald
11:00 PM – 3:00 AM— J. Hornung, S. Wogan, C. Wagner-Kambara
3:00 – 7:00 AM— B. Reinert, D. Wascow-McGuire, B. Foley
5:15 – 7:00 AM— J. Venard, B. Hogan, M. Augustyn, T. Rieder, C. Donaldson, B. & L. Gosen, C. Brownson, N. Kranberg
If you have called Jane for a sub, disregard your name above.



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and Bereavement
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Sunday Masses: Saturdays at 5:00 PM
Sundays at 7:45, 9:30 & 11:15 AM
*11:15 AM Sunday Mass signed for the hearing impaired.
(Except on the 4th Sunday of the month,
when there is a Mass for the Deaf)
4th Sunday of the month—Mass for the Deaf—4 PM*

Weekday Mass:
Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7:00 AM
Tuesday and Thursday at 9:00 AM
Saturday Morning at 8:30 AM

Holy Day Masses:
7:00 AM, 9:00 AM & 7:00 PM on the Feast

Confessions: Saturdays 4:15 to 4:45 PM, or by appointment.

Baptisms & Weddings: Please call the Rectory to make
arrangements as far in advance as possible.