

February 5, 2023
FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

LIGHT



“You are the light
of the world.”

MATTHEW 5:14A

SAINTS
PETER



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CATHOLIC CHURCH

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INTRODUCTORY RITES

PRAYER TO SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

Lumen Christi Missal (LCM) pg. 1085

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise; (SMH) #578

ORDER OF MASS

LCM pgs. 804—809

GLORY TO GOD

Missa Simplex



Glo-ry to God in the high - est, and on earth peace to peo-ple of good - will. We praise You, we bless You,
 we a - dore You, we glo - ri - fy You, we give You thanks for Your great glo - ry, Lord God, heav-en - ly King,
 O God, al-might-y Fa - ther. Lord Je-sus Christ, On-ly Be-got-ten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther,
 You take a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy on us; You take a-way the sins of the world re-ceive our prayer;
 You are seat-ed at the right hand off the Fa-ther, have mer-cy on us. For You a-lone are the Ho-ly One, You a-lone are the Lord,
 You a-lone are the most high, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir - it, in the glo-ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

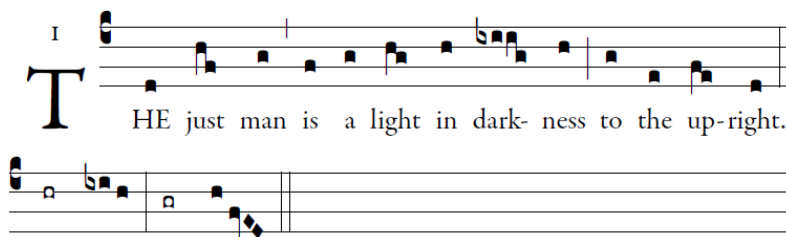
THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

THE READINGS OF THE DAY

LCM pgs. 367—369

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 112 (111):4—5, 6—7a, 8a and 9; Setting: Adam Bartlett (b. 1983)



HE just man is a light in dark- ness to the up-right.

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION HYMN

Christ is the World's Light; CHRISTE SANCTORUM

*Christ is the world's light, Christ and none other;
 Born in our darkness, He became our brother.
 If we have seen Him, we have seen the Father;
 Glory to God on high.*

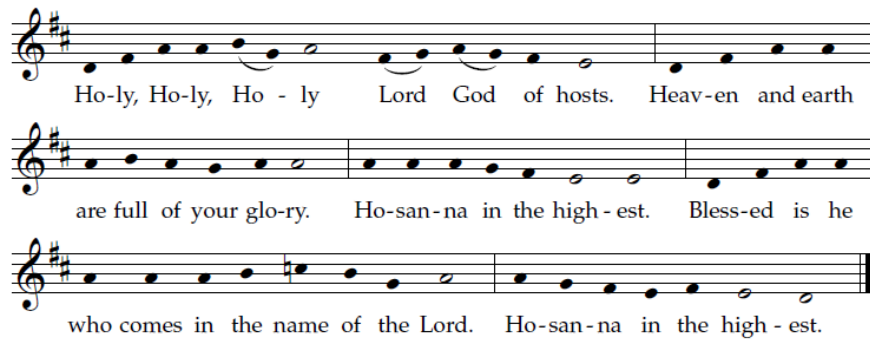
*Christ is the world's peace, Christ and none other;
 No one can serve Him and despise another;
 Who else unites us, one in God the Father?
 Glory to God on high.*

*Christ is the world's life, Christ and none other;
 Sold once for silver, murdered here, our brother.
 He, who redeems us, reigns with God the Father.
 Glory to God on high.*

*Give God the glory, God and none other;
 Give God the glory, Spirit, Son and Father;
 Give God the glory, God with us, our brother.
 Glory to God on high.*

SANCTUS

Missa Simplex



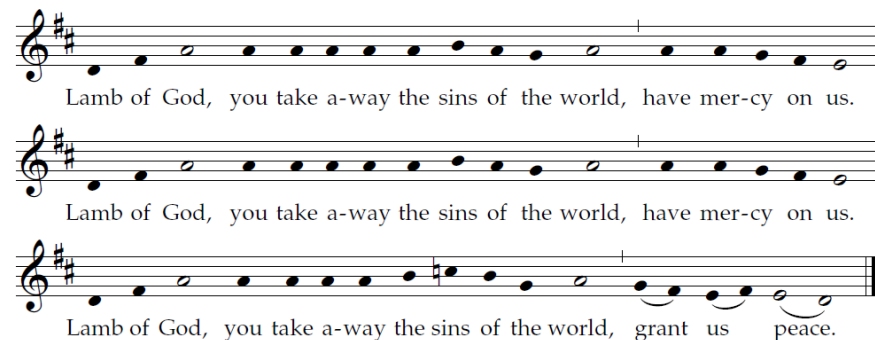
Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and earth
are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san-na in the high - est. Bless-ed is he
who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high - est.

THE COMMUNION RITE

The Lord's Prayer and the Sign of the Peace

AGNUS DEI

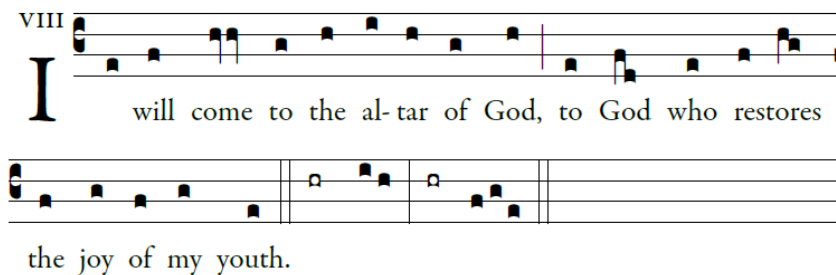
Missa Simplex



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy on us.
Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy on us.
Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, grant us peace.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Ps 43 (42):4, Setting: Adam Bartlett



I will come to the al-tar of God, to God who restores
the joy of my youth.

COMMUNION HYMN

Draw Near; Steven Janco (b. 1961)

*Draw near! Draw near!
Take the body of your Lord.
Draw near, draw near!
Drink the blood for you outpoured.*

THE CONCLUDING RITES

RECESSIONAL HYMN

All My Hope on God is Founded; SMH #416

Mass Schedule

Monday/Wednesday/Thursday

8:00am and 5:15pm

Tuesday

6:45am, 8:00am and 5:15pm

Friday

6:45am and 8:00am

Saturday

8:30 a.m. and 5:00pm (Vigil)

Sunday—Church

6:45, 8:30, and 10:30am
12:30 and 7:00pm

Tridentine (Latin) Mass
4:30pm

Sunday—Holy Family Chapel

9:00am

(Labor Day to Memorial Day)

Reconciliation/ Confession Schedule

Held in Holy Family Chapel
Located in the Ministry Center

Monday

4:15pm - 5:15pm

Thursday

11:00am - 12 noon

Saturday

3:00pm - 5:00pm

Eucharistic Adoration Schedule

Held in the St. Francis Eucharistic
Adoration Chapel

Located in the St. Paul Center
Open to all:

Monday—Friday

8:00am-6:00pm

Saturday

8:00am—3:00pm

Access code needed after hours.

Parish Office Hours

Monday to Friday

8:30am - 4:30pm



Mass Intentions

Saturday, February 4

8:30am † Bradley Tufts

5:00pm Harry & Lillian Adams

Sunday, February 5

6:45am Intentions of Bob Gabler

8:30am † Pat Hilger

10:30am † Deborah Verdico

12:30pm † Ginny Gerald

4:30pm The People of Saints Peter & Paul Parish

7:00pm Intentions of Michelle Mammarella

Holy Family Chapel

9:00am Leonard & Margaret Tobin

Monday, February 6

8:00am † Costinel Barbarasa

5:15pm † Souls in Purgatory

Tuesday, February 7

6:45am † Effie J Smith

8:00am Harry & Lorraine McArdle

5:15pm † Norman Penwell

Wednesday, February 8

8:00am † Marilyn Pallott

5:15pm † Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, February 9

8:00am † Frances Eraci

5:15pm † Souls in Purgatory

Friday, February 10

6:45am Intentions of Theresa & Christopher Russo

8:00am † Peter Kozan

Saturday, February 11

8:30am † Dorota Zaba

5:00pm † Angela Giammarco

Sunday, February 12

6:45am Madeline & Anthony Mazzone

8:30am † Deceased Members of Schuster Family

10:30am † Chinnappan Devadas

12:30pm † Jim Hirchak

4:30pm † Peter Laseau

7:00pm People of Saints Peter & Paul Parish

Holy Family Chapel

9:00am † Frank Glowaty



Readings for the Week

Sunday

Is 58:7-10/Ps 112:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (4a)/

1 Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16

Monday

Gn 1:1-19/Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10 and 12, 24
and 35c/Mk 6:53-56

Tuesday

Gn 1:20—2:4a/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mk 7:1-13

Wednesday

Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17/Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-
30 Mk 7:14-23

Thursday

Gn 2:18-25/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/Mk 7:24-30

Friday

Gn 3:1-8/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7/Mk 7:31-37

Saturday

Gn 3:9-24/Ps 90:2, 3-4abc, 5-6, 12-13/
Mk 8:1-10



Vocation Prayer Calendar

- 5 Fr. Daniel Torson C.P.P.S. Fr. Edward Howe C.R.
- 6 Sr. Maria Catherine Rethwisch, Sr. Marie Isaac Staub OP
Dcns. Ronald Brown, Rocco Busato, Michael Butz, Bruce Carlson, Robert Cassey
- 8 Fr. Shaun C. Cieslik
- 9 Fr. Robert Coleman, Fr. William J. Conway
- 10 Dcns. Dominic Cerrato, Arturo Chacon, Lorenzo Chaidez, John Chan, Gerald Christensen, Arnulfo Cisneros
- 11 Dcns. William Ciston, Raymond Clark, Anthony Clishem, Gregory Clodi, Christopher Cochran
- 12 Sr. Patricia Francis, Sr. Linette Howard, Sr. Mary Carr OP

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday

St. Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs

Wednesday

St. Jerome Emiliani;

St. Josephine Bakhita, Virgin

Friday

St. Scholastica, Virgin

Saturday

Our Lady of Lourdes



Prayer Intentions

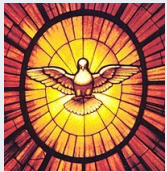
THE SICK

Please remember in your prayers the following people who are seriously ill, and others who are suffering with long-term or terminal illnesses:

Beatrice Agnetti	Brenda Hayden	Tom Priz
Jeanette Barczak	Lynn Higgins	Frank Prucha
Hyacinth Bracken	Penny Holtz	Ramona Race
Kathy Brown	Bob Hoole	Ray Ritter
Chris Bruni	Diane Janovayk	Lisa Roberts
Edward Bruni	Edmund Kurzawa	Madeline Rott
Judith Buonassissi	Tony Manzella	Donna Ryan
Bill Burlein	Joseph Marchese	Mary Sagen
Marybeth Cesare	Matilda Marchese	Amalraj Santigu
Julie Chard	Mike Marra	Margaret Shachter
Joe Condon	Sam Marra	Shari Simone
Kathy Condon	Lori McCambrey	Paul Sobczak
Michael Condon	Jeanette McCann	Lee Spranger
Daniel Crowley	Chris McCarthy	Jeanette Steiner
Nancy Dabish	Kathy McConaghy	Stan Szachnitowski
Carmen DePoalo	Kathleen Meier	Don Tadda
Finley Edgar	Eleni Mirmingos	Lena Taylor
Margaret Egan	Callie Lauren Moore	Sharon Tworek
Katherine Evans	Luca Morreale	Sonja Vogel
Tricia Gannon	Bob Mucerino	Matthew Weidner
Ken Garhan	Samuel Mulay	Jim Weidner
Dominick Gervasi	Tracy Murphy	Maurice Willis
Dennis Gorecki	Ursula Pasquerella	Pam Willis
Roberta Grimes	Olivia Pate	Bob Woulf
Chuck Gusich	Ronan Perich	David Wulffe
Sue Gusich	Carolyn Preston	

PRAYERS FOR OUR BELOVED DECEASED

We offer sympathy and the promise of our prayers to the family and friends of:



Bryan Joseph
Stefani Seifts

PRAYER FOR THE DEAD



Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May they rest in peace.

May almighty God bless us with
His peace and strength.

MASS PETITIONS & BULLETIN

If you would like to have the name of a family member or friend included in the Petition for the Sick, read at weekend Masses, please call the Parish Office by 9:00am on Friday.

Please make sure you have permission from the person you want listed, before you call us to add their name. We will add your loved one's name to the bulletin sick list the following weekend. If you add a name at Mass, please follow-up with a phone call to the Parish Office on Monday so the name can be included on the sick list in the bulletin. Call the Parish Office at 630-718-2110 to add to or remove someone from the sick list. Any names received after 9:00am on Friday will be included in the following weekend's prayers. Names will be kept on for three months unless otherwise noted.



PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER OUR MEN AND WOMEN SERVING IN THE MILITARY

U.S. Air Force

Sgt. Cory Bassett
Staff Sgt. Joseph Burns
2nd Lt. Daniel Caddigan
Lt. Col. Frank Girdwain
Lt. Theodore M. Jackson
Master Sgt. Mike McDonnell
Sgt. Zachary McKenty
Sr. Airman Patrick Neis
Sr. Airman Daniel Shea
Sr. Airman Amanda Shea
Sgt. Dan Steenstra

U.S. Army

PFC Sam Allard
PVT Justin Bielefeld
Captain Michael Caddigan
Major John J. Case
Major Sydney Case
Major Eileen Cassidy
Major Mary Cassidy
Major Tom Crane
SPC Joshua Adam Demerin
Col. Edward Fisher
2nd Lt. Matthew Quinton Frame
Sgt. Nick Gedvilas
Major Thomas E. Goerling
SPC Trevor Gomoll
SPC Jarred Hampton
Lt. Col. Sean Hermick
Sgt. Kellen Jones
SPC Mark Keough
Major Stephen Laz
1st Lt. Connor Mulhere
SPC Steven Powell
Lt. Col. Michael Predny
Captain Daniel Rickert
1st Lt. David Rickert
SPEC 4 Harrison Ruzicka
Sgt. 1st Class Pamela Schmecht
SPC John August Sopuch IV
Sgt. Craig Vladika
2nd Lt. Samuel Wehrli
2nd Lt. Joseph Zolper

U.S. Navy

LCDR Thomas Bock
LCDR Dustin Flaum
Captain Anthony Giglio
Captain Michael Jelinek
LCDR Tom Kuhrt
Commander Chris Kurgan
Lt. Patrick Marsh
SN Jenny McLaughlin
LCDR Caleb Moore
LCDR Kasey Scheel
LCDR Matthew Scheel
Ensign Michael Schmitz

U.S. Marine Corps

CPL BJ Boren
CWO2 John Crites
Major Donald J. Carlsen
Sgt. Richard DiBiao
PFC Jonathon Dragovan
Sgt. Luke Focer
CPL Ryan Goralski
2nd Lt. Eric Hovey
Sgt. Ivan Karamyev
Major Pete Keough
LCPL Matthew Prasse
LCPL Thomas Dakota Reber
PVT Maddox Ritter
Corporal Luke Russell
Corporal Joseph Taylor
PVT Chris Vazquez

U.S. Air National Guard

Major Scott Paeth

U.S. Coast Guard

P.D. John McNellis
B.M.3 Andrew Parent

U.S. Space Force

Major Nick DuPre

To arrange a welcome home for your soldier, contact Donna Morsovillo of Operation Welcome You Home at 630-302-2638/



✝ *Women's Morning
of Recollection*
Tuesday, February 7th
10:00am-Noon

All women of the parish are cordially invited to attend a Morning of Recollection on Tuesday, February 7 from 10:00am to Noon in the **Holy Family Chapel**

Recollection includes

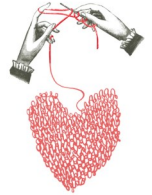
- two meditations
- a practical talk
- Benediction.

This will be directed by priests of Opus Dei. The Sacrament of Reconciliation is also available.

Feel free to invite/bring your friends!



Prayer Shawl Ministry



We will meet on February 8 at 10:00AM in the St. Paul Center. Please join us!

For more information, please contact
Paulette Shea 630-718-2127



YOUNG AT HEART LUNCH GATHERING

February 13, 2023

Join the YAH Group

at Noon on the 2nd Monday of each
month for a buffet lunch at Golden Corral
4270 East New York Street in Aurora.
We hope to see you there!

Help make lives better.



Please remember
our hard-working
families in your
thoughts and prayers.

In particular, pray for the children who are part of our current client families. While the mothers we work with certainly struggle with their current homelessness and uncertain future, the children often are impacted in a much greater way. They have had to deal with moving to a new home (our apartments), a new city, and oftentimes a new school. For them the changes can be dramatic. Your prayers for the health and welfare of those young children are very much appreciated

Car Needed!

One of our families is in need of a reliable used car. If you have one that you are willing to donate, please contact Tom Dorn.

**Thank you so much for your
ongoing support.**



**Transitional
Housing Ministry**

GET INVOLVED TODAY!
Tom Dorn (630) 270-7303
tdorn@sbcglobal.net

Youth Group

Sundays 6 to 8 p.m.

Saint Paul Center

*Bring a
friend!*

Our nights include prayer, scripture,
large and small group discussions, games,
activities, and so much more.

**Encounter God,
make new friends,
and have fun!**

To see what we are doing this Sunday
and beyond, check out our webpage:

sspeterandpaul.net/high-school-youth-ministry

Questions? Contact Daniel Obendorf
dobendorf@sspeterandpaul.net, 630-718-2154



Hallow Lenten Challenge

Kickoff Event
Thursday, February 23



Hallow, the #1 Catholic prayer app in the world, is partnering with Saints Peter and Paul this Lent as one of only a handful of parishes to pilot a new Lenten program. As part of this partnership, we will be journeying through Hallow's Lenten Challenge together as a parish, centered around the spiritual masterpiece, *The Imitation of Christ*, written by Thomas à Kempis in the 15th century.

Mark your calendars as Hallow will be visiting the parish and kicking off the Challenge with dinner, drinks, and discussion at 7 p.m. in the Social Hall on Thursday, February 23.

Please spread the word and bring your friends with you! We look forward to praying with you this Lent.

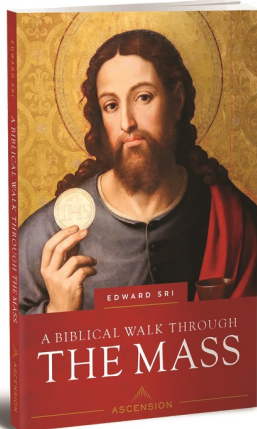
HALLOW IS COMING!

To learn more about the Challenge, please sign up at hallow.com/lentenchallenge



If you are unable to attend the event, but would still like to participate in the program, please fill out the form. The challenge is built to allow for fully remote participants and we would love to have you journey through this content with us even if you are unable to make the kick-off event or any of the in-person sessions.

Hallow



BOOK CLUB

A Biblical Walk Through the Mass

By Edward Sri

Sri explores the extraordinary biblical roots of the Liturgy and reveals what it all means and why it all matters. This fascinating tour of the Mass will renew your faith and deepen your love for and devotion to the Holy Eucharist.

Book Club begins Monday, February 13 in the Ministry Center, Room 217/218, from 9 to 10 a.m. for 12 weeks. Interested participants should purchase the book on their own and **RSVP by February 6** to Mary Beth Kerner, mkerner@sspeterandpaul.net, 630-718-2135.

February 13 to May 8, 2023

Sign Up To Receive Our Emails

Visit www.sspeterandpaul.net and click on the sign-up link at the bottom of the page. Receiving our emails will keep you up-to-date on the latest Saints Peter and Paul happenings. You will also receive our online bulletin.



Bible Study

Books of Exodus, Leviticus, and Numbers

Mondays 7-9 p.m. in the Ministry Center

Tuesdays 9:15-11:15 a.m. Social Hall



WINTER/SPRING 2023

January 23 to May 9

Scan for a full schedule and more details



Seasons of Hope

Bereavement Support Group

COME AND BE COMFORTED

“PRAYER - SCRIPTURE - FAITH SHARING - FELLOWSHIP”

A NEW SEASON OF HOPE IS BEGINNING

FEBRUARY 6, 2023

Seasons of Hope is a unique, Christ-centered Catholic support group for the bereaved. Sessions are intended for those who have lost a spouse, family member or close friend through death. The program is divided into four, six-week sessions, called *Seasons*, which are held throughout the year. Participants may join at the beginning of any Season by registering with either Deacon Joe Verdico, 630-718-2155 or our parish nurse, Paulette Shea, 630-718-2127.

You may attend any or all Seasons.

Sessions are held on **Monday evenings, 6:30—8:00 in the Saint Paul Center** (on the corner of Benton & Brainard streets). There is no charge to attend the sessions, **pre-registration is required.**

Participants are encouraged to bring a Bible to the Seasons of Hope sessions.



Nourish is for anyone juggling the challenges of life, health and career while caring for a disabled child, an aging parent, grandparent, or spouse, either in your home, in town or at a distance. Nourish provides family caregivers practical and emotional supports, shared experiences and useful tools, all with a Christ-centered view. Discover blessings in caring for another.

Thursday, February 16, 2023
7:00pm in the Ministry Center

This month's topic:
**The Spirituality of Asking for
and Receiving Help**

Asking for help is often one of the most difficult things for us to do. Yet, it is in these times that we can see Christ at work in our lives. Learn to embrace the humility and strength of Christ as we explore the spirituality of asking for and receiving assistance.

Be nourished.

www.nourishforcaregivers.com

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!



CHURCH CLEANING TEAM

Help is needed to clean our church during the week. Do you have a couple of hours each week or month to volunteer? We hope to get enough volunteers that we can set up teams to schedule on a rotating basis. Maybe you and a friend or two would like to be a team. Please consider joining this Ministry. If you would like to help, please call the parish office 630-355-1081 to have your name added to our list.

AUTHENTIC CATHOLIC MEN

What is it like to walk the Camino de Santiago? Come hear the amazing story about a spiritual journey of faith.

ALL MEN ARE INVITED TO A
CATHOLIC MAN MORNING
Saturday, February 11, 2023

Tom Boler (former SSPP finance manager) will share stories about his experiences during the 13 days and 200 miles of his pilgrim journey on the Camino with Fr. Burke Masters.

- Hear why the walk was just not a physical journey.
- Discuss how Faith, Hope, and Love are still alive and well in the world.
- Learn how a pilgrimage can impact someone's spiritual life.

Saints Peter and Paul Ministry Center

Bring your own coffee

6:30 a.m. Welcome, Fraternity and Prayer Requests

6:45 a.m. Rosary

7:10 a.m. Camino Talk

7:40 a.m. Q&A

7:50 a.m. Small-group discussion

8:10 a.m. Wrap up

8:15 a.m. Closing prayer

8:30 a.m. Daily Mass at SSPP



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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12
9:00am –1:00PM
MINISTRY CENTER

Saint Vincent de Paul

The lights in a city create a glow in the sky that can be seen from miles away. However, a light can be hidden—put under a bushel; the light still shines, but its light is blanketed, covered over, kept from doing what it is meant to do. When Jesus says, "You are the light of the world," he is saying that we can choose to cover over the grace that is given us. We can choose to ignore who we are called to be—beloved adopted sons and daughters—and act of "out of character." Then our actions do not square up with who we are. By such choices we compromise both identity and mission. We must live who we are. Identity and mission cannot be separated. (Living Liturgy, p.58) Inspired by Gospel values, the Society of Saint Vincent dePaul, a Catholic lay organization, leads women and men to join together to grow spiritually by offering person-to-person service to those who are needy and suffering in the tradition of its founder, Blessed Frederic Ozanam, and its patron, Saint Vincent de Paul. *Call 630-718-2127 to learn more or to request assistance.*



There is hope.



If you or someone you know needs support now, call or text **988** or chat **988lifeline.org**

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**DINE IN OR
TAKEOUT**

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18
4 to 8 p.m. in the Ministry Center Social Hall

Spaghetti Dinner



Adults

\$12 all-you-can-eat (pasta only) spaghetti dinner—includes two meatballs, Italian bread, salad, and a glass of wine or a soft drink.

Children 12 and under

\$6

Additional meatballs

\$1 each

*Gluten-free pasta option
available upon request*



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Six Piece Jumbo Shrimp Dinner	\$13
All-You-Can-Eat White Fish Dinner	\$13
Senior White Fish Dinner (65+)	\$11
Kids' White Fish Dinner (12 & under)	\$10
Cheese Pizza Meal	\$6

*Dinners include french fries, roll, coleslaw & cookie
Pizza meal includes juice box & cookie*

**CARRYOUTS
AVAILABLE**

WHERE

Ministry Center Social
Hall, 36 N. Ellsworth,
Naperville, IL 60540

TIME

5:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Kitchen closes at 8

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All are welcome!

Please come visit our Lord Jesus and stay for a while!

Consider joining this beautiful and special ministry!

Perpetual Adoration

Monday 8:00am – Saturday 3:00pm

Access code is not needed during the following hours:

Monday – Friday 8:00am-6:00pm

Saturday 8:00am-3:00pm

Contact Kathy with questions or to sign up

adorerkd@gmail.com or 630-818-7897.

VESPERS on THURSDAYS at 6pm

Join us in the St. Francis Eucharistic Adoration Chapel every Thursday evening starting at 6:00pm for evening prayer of praise and thanksgiving!

ADORATION

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PARISH SACRIFICIAL GIVING

We sincerely thank everyone for their generosity and support. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2024 the weekly Sunday collection budget is \$44,442 (based on 51 Sundays)

December 2022 Sunday Collections Year-To-Date	\$31,656
Compared to Budget-Surplus/(Deficit)	

Actual Fiscal Year-To-Date Average Sunday Collections (22 Sundays)	\$45,659
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PRAY THE ROSARY

- Mondays – 2:00pm Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet at Planned Parenthood in Aurora, For information call Deacon Joe Verdico at 630-718-2155.
- Tuesdays after 5:15pm Mass in the Church
- Wednesdays after 8:00am Mass – Rosary
- First Saturdays of the month after 8:30am Mass Rosary, Fatima Prayers & Meditation

PARISH LENTEN

Mission

FEBRUARY 27-28, 2023

Join us for two evenings as Fr. Ryan fosters a conversation between faith and culture. The Parish Lenten Mission begins both nights in the Church at 7 p.m. and will be livestreamed through YouTube.



Monday, February 27

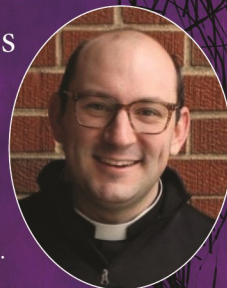
Scrutinizing the Signs—Reading the Culture through a Catholic Lens

◀ NIGHT ONE LIVESTREAM LINK

Sign of the Times

WITH FR. RYAN ADORJAN, KHS

Father Ryan M. Adorjan, KHS S.T.B., M.Div., C.S.M.A., is a priest of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Joliet. He is the Head of School Operations and instructor of theology at Chesterton Academy of the Holy Family, a classical, Catholic high school in Lisle, Illinois. He is also an adjunct faculty member of the University of Saint Mary of the Lake – Mundelein Seminary, teaching courses in the dual sources of revelation, Christian anthropology, moral theology, and Catholic Social Teaching.



Tuesday, February 28

Responding to the Times—Can There Be a Christian Culture?

◀ NIGHT TWO LIVESTREAM LINK

Saints Peter and Paul Religious Education

Marian Home Shrines

Fourth-grade RE students shared pictures of the Marian shrine in their homes, created using the items in the Family Marian shrine bag. A different student takes the bag home each week. There is a prayer journal in the bag



that families use to use to record their intentions and

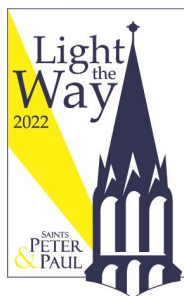


thanksgivings, as well as to pray for others' needs.

Saints Peter and Paul Catholic School

Light the Way Fun

Third grader Molly Sword (*in pink*) recently enjoyed a pizza party with her friends, Mrs. Walker, and Mrs. Weis for winning the Light the Way auction item this past December. Thank you to the entire Sword family for supporting our light the Way project!



This year marked the 25th anniversary of the Light The Way event, which has raised more than \$1.8 million over its history. The 2022 Light the Way proceeds will support



the parish's outdoor lighting project, including the illumination of its historic church.



DIOCESAN FORTY HOURS DEVOTION NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

In celebration of the National Eucharistic Revival year of the Diocese, everyone in Diocese is invited to spend some time in prayer at the Cathedral of St. Raymond Nonnatus in Joliet on February 8, 9, 10. There will be silent adoration of the Blessed Sacrament throughout the day and scheduled communal Prayer Services led by various Diocesan Parishes and Groups. Mass times and celebrants are listed below.

Wednesday, February 8

6:30am Very Rev. William Dewan, Celebrant

11am Led by Rev. Jeff Rath, OSA, St. Jude Church, New Lenox

2pm Led by the 8th Graders, Cathedral of St. Raymond School, Joliet

5pm Filipino Communities led by Deacon Gerrie Mempin, St. Francis of Assisi Parish, Bolingbrook

8pm Hispanic Communities led by St. Andrew, Romeoville, Rev. Eduardo Flores, Celebrant

Thursday, February 9

8am Rev. John Abulag, Celebrant

11am Led by Rev. Steven Borello, Diocesan Director of Vocations, St. Raphael Parish, Naperville

2pm Led by Very Rev. Christopher Groh, St. Bernard Parish & St. Mary Magdalene Parish, Joliet

5pm Special Needs Communities, led by Rev. John Abulag, Celebrant

8pm Polish Communities, led by Rev. Andrzej Maslejak, S. Chr. Divine Mercy Parish, Lombard and
Rev. Tomasz Sielicki, S. Chr., Holy Cross, Joliet, Celebrants

Friday, February 10

8am Most Reverend Ronald Hicks, Celebrant

11am Led by Diocesan Department of Catechesis & Evangelization, Blanchette Catholic Center, Crest Hill

2pm Led by Rev. Burke Masters, St. Isaac Jogues Parish, Hinsdale

5pm African American Community led by Sacred Heart Parish, Joliet Very Rev. William Dewan, Celebrant

8pm Closing of Forty Hours Devotion led by Most Reverend Ronald Hicks, Celebrant, prepared by Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish, Darien

EVERYONE IN THE DIOCESE IS ENCOURAGED TO CONSIDER COMING TO THE CATHEDRAL DURING THESE THREE DAYS TO JOIN WITH OUR DIOCESAN CHURCH TO CELEBRATE A TIME OF SPIRITUAL DEVOTION BEFORE THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AS WE CELEBRATE THE NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL. WHEN YOU COME TO THE CATHEDRAL PLEASE ENTER BY WAY OF THE FRONT AND NORTH DOORS.

SENIORS INVITED TO DEFER PROPERTY TAXES

Qualified senior citizens aged 65 years and older are invited to apply for the Senior Citizen Real Estate Tax Deferral Program. The program allows participants to defer property tax payments until the property is sold. The deferral is treated as a loan and accrues 6% simple interest until paid. To qualify, the applicant's household income cannot exceed \$65,000. Additionally, the property must be used exclusively for residential purposes.

The application period closes March 1, 2023. For more information, contact the DuPage County Treasurer's Office at 630-407-5900 or www.dupageco.org/treasurer.



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Baptisms Held each Sunday of the month at 2 p.m. Prep classes are held every other month on the first Monday in the Parish Ministry Center at 7 p.m. If this is your first child, you must attend a class before receiving a date for your baby's baptism. To register for a class, contact Annmarie Baughman, 630-718-2101, abaughman@sspeterandpaul.net.

First Communion There is a two-year preparation period prior to receiving the Sacrament of the Eucharist. Contact Theresa Pratt, 630-718-2133, tpratt@sspeterandpaul.net.

Confirmation There is a two-year preparation period prior to receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation. Contact Theresa Pratt, 630-718-2133, tpratt@sspeterandpaul.net.

RCIA To inquire about the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults contact Mike Lewandowski, 630-718-2135, mlewandowski@sspeterandpaul.net.

Marriage Diocese requirements include a formal engagement preparation period of at least six months before the date of the wedding. Wedding dates fill up quickly and you must confirm a date as your first step in the process. Visit sspeterandpaul.net/marriage if you are interested in being married here.

Holy Orders Contact any priest to be connected to others exploring a vocation. For more information on formation events, visit dioceseofjoliet.org/vocations.

Reconciliation Confessions are held in the Ministry Center on Mondays (4:15 to 5:15 p.m.), Thursdays (11 a.m. to 12 p.m.) and Saturdays (3 to 5 p.m.).

Anointing of the Sick If you or a loved one are in need of anointing, call the parish office at 630-355-1081.

Eucharistic Adoration The St. Francis Adoration Chapel is open perpetually each week from Monday at 8 a.m. to Saturday at 3 p.m.

Funerals Most funerals are scheduled through area funeral homes. To inquire about a liturgy, call the parish office at 630-355-1081.

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