



# ST. PAUL VI PARISH



*The shepherds  
went in haste  
to Bethlehem  
and found*

**MARY AND JOSEPH,  
AND THE INFANT  
LYING IN  
THE MANGER.**

*Luke 2:16*

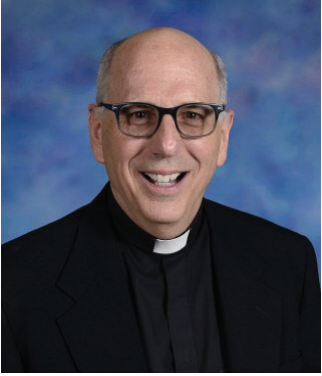
January 1, 2023 • Mary, the Holy Mother of God

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St. Mary Church  
105 Herrick Road  
Riverside

Mater Christi Church  
2401 S. 10th Avenue  
North Riverside

## *A message from our Pastor*



Happy New Year!

Today we celebrate the feast of the Solemnity of Mary, Holy Mother of God. This is actually one of the oldest titles the Church gave to Mary, and in true fashion, points us to Jesus, not to her. Jesus is both God and Man in one person, not two separate entities; he is both divine and human. By saying “yes”, Mary becomes the Holy Mother of God.

It is Mary’s faith and her willingness to be part of God’s plan that we celebrate today – and how fitting that we do this on the first day of a new year! Let us turn to our Blessed Mother today and ask for her guidance and protection this year so that we may be drawn ever closer to her son, Jesus Christ.

*“O Mary, Mother of God  
As You are above all creatures in Heaven and Earth,  
more glorious than the Cherubim,  
more noble than any here below,  
Christ has given You to His people,  
firm bulwark and Protectress,  
to shield and save sinners who fly unto You.  
Therefore, O Lady,  
all embracing refuge,  
we solemnly recall Your sweet protection,  
and beg Christ forever for His mercy.  
Amen.”*

I want to thank everyone for the beautiful evening of worship and celebration that took place on December 12 for the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Matt Brophy and the St. Paul VI Latino Committee did an outstanding job of coordinating a beautiful mass at St. Mary Church and festive potluck in the Parish Center. If you were not able to attend, mark your calendar for next year; it truly is not an evening to be missed!

Fr. Matt and I would also like to thank all of you who have so generously supported our parish Christmas collection. If you have not yet made your gift – there are 12 days of Christmas – so you still have time!

And finally, Bishop Birmingham, Fr. Matt and I would like to thank everyone who has dropped off treats and sweets to the rectories. (It might be a good thing that in just a few short weeks we will be fasting for Lent!)

*Fr. Tom May, Pastor*

## *A message from our Associate Pastor*



This New Year we aim to pursue many different goals. We may be pursuing better health or relationships. Elizabeth Scalia of Aleteia encourages us to pursue holiness or sainthood with the help of St. Philip Neri. St Philip was a contemporary of St. Ignatius of Loyola, and he yearned to become a missionary, but Ignatius suggested Rome was itself mission territory and that Philip, a Florentine, had a peculiarly effective way with Romans. Philip took his friend's advice as a prompting of the Holy Spirit and wholeheartedly ministered in Rome for his whole life. He is called "the Apostle of Rome" and is a patron of that city.

He is known for his cheerfulness and sense of humor, but Philip was a serious confessor and preacher, and a mystic whose heart, like St. Teresa of Avila's, was physically altered as a grace-filled manifestation of his fervent love. His sainthood was centered on his complete surrender to the Providence of God, to whom he referred every matter, saying to heaven, "Lord, don't trust Philip!"

This might be called a "25-Bullet Homily on How to Pursue Sainthood", taken from the maxims of St. Philip Neri.

1. The true servant of God acknowledges no other country but heaven.
2. Our enemy, the devil, who fights with us in order to vanquish us, seeks to disunite us in our houses, and to breed quarrels, dislikes, contests and rivalries because while we are fighting with each other, he comes and conquers us and makes us more securely his own.
3. He who continues in anger, strife and a bitter spirit has a taste of the air of hell.
4. One of the most efficient ways of keeping ourselves sinless is to have compassion for those who fall due to frailty, and never to boast of our rightness, but with real humility acknowledge that if we are in a state of grace, it is by the mercy of God.
5. There is nothing more dangerous to the spiritual life than to wish to rule ourselves after our own way of thinking.
6. There is a liberality to creation, and it shows the goodness of the Creator: the sun scatters its light; the fire spreads its heat; the tree throws out its arms, which are its branches, and reaches to us the fruit it bears; water, and air, and all nature express the liberality of the creator. Meanwhile, we who are his lively image do not represent him, but through our uncharitable and degenerate manners deny him in deeds, even as we confess him with our lips.
7. Hate no one. God never comes where there is no love for our neighbors.
8. If you really wish to become a saint, never be defensive and always acknowledge yourself in your fault, even when what is alleged is untrue.
9. Scruples are an infirmity that will make a truce with us, but rarely peace; humility alone defeats them.
10. Force yourself to be obedient, even in the smallest things that appear so inconsequential; this will make it easier to be obedient in the larger things.
11. Be often reading the lives of saints for inspiration and instruction.
12. In order to persevere in the life of faith, learn discretion; we cannot do everything at once nor become saints in four days.
13. We must not become so attached to the means [of the pursuit of holiness] as to forget the end. We mortify the flesh but we must also mortify the brain, which is the chief means by which we become sinners or saints.
14. Cheerfulness strengthens the heart and helps us to persevere. A servant of God ought always to be in good spirits. Charity and cheerfulness, or charity and humility, should be our motto.
15. Obtain humility through sincere and frequent confession.
16. The skin of self-love is fastened strongly on our hearts, and it hurts to flay it off. And the more we get down to the quick of it, to what is real in our hearts, the sharper and more difficult it is to bear.
17. A most excellent means of learning how to pray? Acknowledge that we are unworthy to pray, and so place our efforts entirely in the hands of the Lord.
18. That we are generally the carpenters of our own crosses is a truth sadly easier to recognize in others than in ourselves.
19. All of God's purposes are to the good, although we may not always understand this we can trust in it.
20. Scripture is better learned through prayer than through study.
21. If you are ill and cannot fast, be more generous in almsgiving.
22. To petition Our Blessed Lady in our most urgent need, repeat, after the fashion of the Rosary, "Virgin Mary, Mother of God, pray to Jesus for me."
23. The hour is finished — we may say the same of the year — but the time to do good is not finished yet.
24. God takes an especial delight in the humility of those who believe that they have not yet begun to do good.
25. WELL! And when shall we begin to do good?

May God continue to Bless you this New Year and always!

*Fr. Matt Nemchausky, Associate Pastor*

## MASS SCHEDULE

### Mater Christi Church

Daily Mass  
Monday-Saturday 8:00 am  
Church (Live replay on YouTube)

Anticipated Mass  
Saturday 5:00 pm Church

Sunday Mass  
8:00 am Church  
(Live replay on YouTube)  
9:30 am Church  
11:00 am Church\*

### St. Mary Church

Daily Mass  
Monday-Friday 8:30 am Church

Anticipated Mass  
Saturday 4:00 pm Church

Sunday Mass  
8:00 am Church  
10:00 am Church\*  
5:00 pm Church

\*Children's Liturgy of the Word

### MASS LIVESTREAM LINK ON YOUTUBE:

[youtube.com/channel/UC1KACprstDfNk-Zy8MOAeaA](https://youtube.com/channel/UC1KACprstDfNk-Zy8MOAeaA)

### Sunday Drive-Up Holy Communion

St. Mary Church side parking lot near the elevator entrance

9:15 to 9:30 am

Please remain in your vehicle and the volunteers will guide you.

### RECONCILIATION

#### Mater Christi Church

Saturday 4:00 to 4:45 pm, before 5:00 pm Mass or by appointment

#### St. Mary Church

Saturday 3:00 to 3:45 pm, before 4:00 pm Mass or by appointment

### This Week's Scripture Reading

**Monday:** 1 Jn 2:22-28; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 1:19-28

**Tuesday:** 1 Jn 2:29 — 3:6; Ps 98:1, 3cd-6; Jn 1:29-34

**Wednesday:** 1 Jn 3:7-10; Ps 98:1, 7-9; Jn 1:35-42

**Thursday:** 1 Jn 3:11-21; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 4:14-22a

**Friday:** 1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Mk 1:7-11 or Lk 3:23-28 [23, 31-34, 36, 38]

**Saturday:** 1 Jn 5:14-21; Sal 149:1-6a, 9b; Jn 2:1-11

**Sunday:** Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12

## PRESIDER SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF January 7 & 8:

### St. Mary Church

Saturday **Jan 7**

Sunday **Jan 8**

### Presider:

4:00 PM Fr. Thomas May

8:00 AM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

10:00 AM Fr. Brian Taber, SJ

5:00 PM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

### Mater Christi Church

Saturday **Jan 7**

Sunday **Jan 8**

### Presider:

5:00 PM Fr. Thomas Unz

8:00 AM Fr. Thomas May

9:30 AM Fr. Thomas May

11:00 AM Fr. Robert Banzin

*\*Presider schedule is subject to change.*

### ROSARY, DIVINE MERCY & EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

#### Mater Christi Church

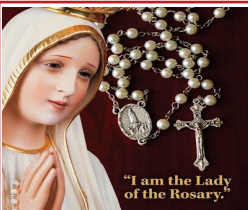
Rosary  
Saturday 7:30 am

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION  
Monday 6:00 to 8:00 pm

#### St. Mary Church

Divine Mercy Chaplet & Rosary  
Thursday 3:00 to 4:00 pm

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION  
3:00 to 9:00 pm



### Hail Mary Challenge

**1,349,942**

Come pray the Glorious Mysteries of the Holy Rosary of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary.

Please keep sending in your prayers for healing and join us for the Zoom Rosary Sundays at 7:30pm.

Join us on this link: Meeting ID: 812 1056 2468

Passcode: 949134

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81210562468?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81210562468?pwd=eG80RGRkREdyN0RieUJLVFVhYWVhYVBQT09)

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## EPIPHANY

Saturday, January 7, 2023

Sunday, January 8, 2023

Regular Weekend Mass schedule



# Worship

## Mass Intentions

**Saturday, December 31 - St. Sylvester I, New Year's Eve**  
(MC) 4:00 pm † Walter E. Smithe, Jr. (Judy Jisa), Lou Vitullo (Judy Jisa), Flavio Gentile (Judy Jisa)  
(SM) 5:00 pm † Jim Burns (Del Burns)

**Sunday, January 1 - SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD, New Year's Day**

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † For All Mothers  
(MC) 9:30 am † Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jaso  
(SM) 10:00 am † Laverne Hansen (Drs. Frank & Carla Orland), Richard Dunleavy (Tom Dunleavy)  
(MC) 11:00 am † St. Paul VI Parishioners

**Monday, January 2 - St. Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen**  
(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † St. Paul VI Parishioners

**Tuesday, January 3 - The Most Holy Name of Jesus**  
(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Thomas Wilcox (Margaret O'Brien)

**Wednesday, January 4 - St. Elizabeth Ann Seton**  
(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Joseph & Leona Carrabotta (Adriana Karen Goetz)

**Thursday, January 5 - St. John Neumann**  
(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Emil Wengren (Patricia Madai)

**Friday, January 6 - St. André Bessette**  
(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Ignacius Gulczynski, Barbara Dilelio (St. Paul VI Bereavement Ministry), Horgan & Otmanowski Family (Bob Dedowicz), Charmain Prepura, Joseph Prepura, Bill McCarthy, Meg McSheehy O'Brien

**Saturday, January 7 - St. Raymond of Penyafort**  
(MC) 8:00 am † St. Paul VI Volunteers  
(SM) 4:00 pm † Frank J. Silhavy (Buckley Family), Kenneth Lee (St. Paul VI Bereavement Ministry), Vincent M. Lyons, Sr. (Children & Grandchildren), Barbara Dilelio (Dilelio Family)  
(MC) 5:00 pm † Tim & Eileen Sweeney (Mary Sweeney), Jim Burns (Del Burns), Cece Caladrino - Celebrating 80th Birthday (Family)

**Sunday, January 8 - THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**  
(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Joseph & Leona Carrabotta (Jerry & Christine Palcian), Barbara Dilelio (Dilelio Family)  
(MC) 9:30 am † Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jaso, Edwin Dulik, Ofelia Villafuerte (Evelia Villafuerte)  
(SM) 10:00 am † Barbara Dilelio (Dilelio Family)  
(MC) 11:00 am † Healing for the sick in our parish  
(SM) 5:00 pm † Lola Vasquez (Cuevas Family), Barbara Dilelio (Dilelio Family)

**In our hearts and prayers, we pray...**

### For the deceased

#### **PRAYER FOR THE ETERNAL REST**

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,  
and let perpetual light shine upon them.  
May the souls of all the faithful departed,  
through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

**For all those who have died, especially  
for Elizabeth Czarnowski.  
May they rest in Peace.**

### For the sick and homebound

Virginia Alba	Theresa Kledek
Cheryl Albertsen	Mary Kratochvil
Christine Alvarado	Joseph Kratochvil
Jim Arndt	Diane Kretz
Arlene Batek	Christina Lee
Deacon Bob Boharic	Ramon Lehnen
Jennifer Borow	Charlotte Lindauer
Linda Bronsteader	Eileen Marquetti
Del Burns	Emily Martinez
Raybon Carroll	Harper Faith McGee
Gloria DeSanto	Spencer Mehr
Margarita Diaz	Lizzie Mooney
Therese Dolmant	Freda Murphy
Carol Dvorak	Irene Nelsen
Elliott Franche	Fr. M. Cyril Nemecek
Midge Galloro	Annie Nystrom
Jayne Girard	Beth Pennacchio
Mimi Gnolfo	Dean Pennacchio
Bern Gordus	Rafaela Perez
Anthony Gorski	Elsie Piszczor
Elena Gorski	Dennis Raleigh
Irene Gorski	George Rieber Sr.
Bob Gurski	Rogelio Rojas
Katie Hassberger	Bridget Sarley
Thomas Higgins	Carol Schaffer
Marilynne Higgins	Lorraine Schmecht
Robert Holas	Nicholas John Stiso
Irene Horacek	Erin Stobaugh
Olga Horacek	Ethan Tkalec
Wassyl Kalin	Maria Villafuerte
Noel Keen	Jennifer Walden
Bill Kernan	Carina Willems
Patricia King	Pat Zdarsky
Norman Kirkley	

If you have a loved one that you would like to be remembered for a special intention during Mass, please visit our parish office located at 40 E. Burlington St., Riverside or call 708-447-1020 to schedule one.

To request your Mass Intention to be included in the bulletin, please submit at least 2 weeks prior to the requested Sunday bulletin date.

# Stewardship: Gifts of Time, Talent & Treasure

## Prayer of Generosity

“Lord Jesus, teach me to be generous. Teach me to serve as you deserve, to give and not to count the cost, to fight and not to heed the wounds, to labor and not to seek to rest, to give of myself and not ask for a reward, except the reward of knowing that I am doing your will.” - St. Ignatius of Loyola

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### Second and Special Collections 2023

Collection for the Church in Latin America	January 22, 2023
Annual Catholic Appeal	February 4-5 February 11-12 February 18-19
Aid for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe	February 22, 2023
Holy Land	April 7, 2023
Catholic Charities - Mother's Day	May 14, 2023
Priests' Health & Retirement	June 11, 2023
Peter's Pence	July 2, 2023
Missionary Co-Op	Sunday in July/August
Seminarian Education	September 17, 2023
World Mission Sunday	October 22, 2023
Catholic Campaign for Human Development	November 19, 2023
Retirement Fund for Religious	December 10, 2023
CRS Rice Bowl	During Lent

## - W A Y S T O G I V E -

### MAIL - DROP OFF - CALL

- Bishop Lyne Pastoral Center  
40 E Burlington St.  
Riverside IL 60546
- (708) 447-1020

### ONLINE

- Click the donate button at [www.stpaulviparish.org](http://www.stpaulviparish.org) to set up an EFT or credit/debit card donation.

### TEXT-TO-GIVE

- Text **DONATE** to 708-55-4PAUL (708-554-7285).
- A verification and an email will be sent to you.



### SCAN TO DONATE

How to scan a QR code using your iPhone or Android phone:

- Open the Camera app on your phone.
- Then point your phone on the QR code to scan.
- Tap on the pop-up banner to open St. Paul VI Donate page.



### Vincentian Reflection

Today is the feast of Mary, Mother of God. Like Mary may we always treasure the events in our life and reflect on them in our heart.

**Please remember to support the Society of St. Vincent de Paul in 2023 so that together we can continue to bring comfort and peace to our brothers and sisters who are poor and suffering. May the peace and joy of the New Year be yours!**

Thank you!

## Stewardship: Gifts of Time, Talent & Treasure



### The Giving Tree

The St. Paul VI Parish Giving Tree would like to thank our parish community on behalf of the Veterans, St. Eulalia, St. Agatha, and the Lyons Community. Because of your generosity we were able to bring the joy and magic of Christmas to hundreds of families.



## Support High-Quality Catholic Education

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### INVEST IN KIDS TAX CREDIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM



[www.stmaryschoolriverside.org/tcs](http://www.stmaryschoolriverside.org/tcs)

### TAX CREDIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - 1-for-1 Matching Gift is Now Open!

Did you know we have 24 children that want to attend St. Mary school?

We can help make it a reality by participating in the Kids Tax Credit Scholarship Program.

As of Dec. 1, 2022, for a limited time, you can take advantage of a 1-for-1 Matching Program that will double the impact of your gift! Some limitations apply. A donation can be made using cash, check, appreciated stock, or credit card.

Donate now, reduce your state income tax and invest in our children's future! Take advantage for a limited time of a 1-for-1 matching gift. The Illinois Invest in Kids Tax Credit Scholarship Program awarded scholarships to more than 11,000 students since it was created five years ago.

You can decrease what you owe the state at tax time and potentially increase your refund. You can help fund a student's St. Mary School education!

For more information please contact Mrs. Nicole Nolzco at St Mary School at [nnolzco@stmaryriverside.org](mailto:nnolzco@stmaryriverside.org), the TCS hotline at 312.534.2617, [tcs@archchicago.org](mailto:tcs@archchicago.org), or visit [archchicago.org/tcs](http://archchicago.org/tcs).



ST. MARY SCHOOL  
ST. PATRICK'S DAY ANNUAL FUNDRAISER

# SAVE THE DATE

MARCH 4, 2023  
5:00-MIDNIGHT @ ST. MARY

TICKETS @ [STPATS2023.GIVSMART.COM](https://stpats2023.givesmart.com)

Please join us for this beloved St. Mary tradition!

The **St. Patrick's Day Party Annual Fundraiser** is one of the most fun and important nights of the school year.

Please join us for **dinner, raffles, entertainment**, and most importantly, to **celebrate** St. Mary's friendship and community.

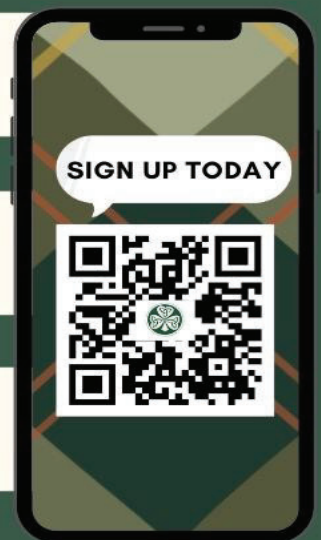


# St. Pat's Party Annual Fundraiser

FAMILY AND BUSINESS SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES

	<b>PLATINUM</b>	<b>\$6500</b>
	<b>GOLD</b>	<b>\$2500</b>
	<b>SILVER</b>	<b>\$1000</b>
	<b>BRONZE</b>	<b>\$500</b>
	<b>SHAMROCK</b>	<b>\$250</b>

Join us at any level!



## ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARTY ANNUAL FUNDRAISER

**Building a stronger school in  
our community.**

St. Mary School's annual fundraiser, The St. Pat's Party, is organized by parent volunteers and held in the school Parish Center. With the support of generous donors like you, this fundraiser allows St. Mary School to continue to invest in excellent educators, new technology and classroom tools, and keep tuition affordable for any child in our community.

## WHY SPONSOR?

**Every child deserves access to the  
highest level of education.**

Sponsoring the St. Patrick's Day Party is a powerful way to associate your brand with an exceptional organization - and one that continues to achieve the highest academic outcomes. For this year's party we anticipate more than 400 guests. As a sponsor, you will gain unique and valuable exposure to the St. Mary School community while sending a strong message to your customers, clients and employees that you care about the academic, social and emotional health of our most valuable asset - our children. Thank you for your consideration.

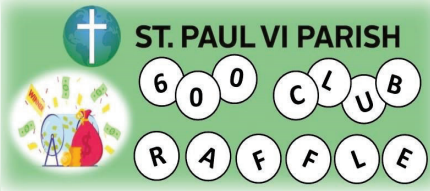
2022

**CHRISTMAS FLOWERS AND MUSICIANS  
IN MEMORIAM**

This Christmas parishioners were invited to assist in creating a small, yet tangible, remembrance of their family members and/or friends while helping to fund Christmas Flowers and Musicians that enhance our parish liturgies.

*Parishioners have taken the special opportunity to remember the following people:*

David, Mary Jo, Gay, Gage, and James Marino



**BUY YOUR  
RAFFLE  
TICKETS  
TODAY!**

**CONGRATULATIONS!**

Winners for 600 Club 12/19

**1<sup>st</sup> Prize (\$75):**

Ken & Karen Rouleau (#157)

**2<sup>nd</sup> Prize (\$25):**

Linda Wawzenski (#63)

**The next raffle drawing will be tomorrow,  
Monday, January 2.**

Come by the parish office and grab a raffle ticket. The winner will be notified by email/phone, bulletin. Pick one up at the parish office. 40 E. Burlington St. Riverside. All proceeds from the fundraiser will be credited toward the parish fundraising goal of \$45,000 for the fiscal year 2022-2023.

Any questions? Please contact Jane Birmingham at [jbirmingham@stpaulviparish.org](mailto:jbirmingham@stpaulviparish.org) or 708-853-1421.



**HIGH SCHOOL SACRAMENTAL PREP**

*Do you know a teen who have not received First Communion or Confirmation?*

We would love to help him or her grow in their faith. High school sacramental preparation classes will begin in December and January on Tuesday evenings from 5:30-7 pm. All teens that want to dive into their faith and receive the sacraments are welcome to join us! Please call the Faith Formation Office at 708-447-1020 or email Maria Ramos at [marramos@archchicago.org](mailto:marramos@archchicago.org) for more information.

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*Welcome  
New  
Parishioners*

Benjamin, Maria, Benjamin Jr, Brian,  
Jonathan Vargas & Maria Carmen  
Mondragon

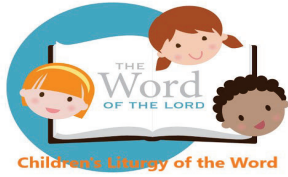


**PARISH MINISTRY  
OPPORTUNITIES**

Connect with us and  
join us!

At St. Paul VI Parish, we have an abundance of ministry opportunities and ways in which you or your family members can get involved. For a list of ministries, visit [www.stpaulviparish.org](http://www.stpaulviparish.org) (click Engage, then Get Involved), or call the Parish Office at 708-447-1020 to sign up.

## Service Opportunities



### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for adults who would like to work with children during the 10:00 am Mass at St. Mary or the 11:00 am Mass at Mater Christi, please reach out to Elizabeth Kos at

[ebkos@stpaulviparish.org](mailto:ebkos@stpaulviparish.org).

No experience is necessary, and we will provide all materials you need! Teens are also needed to help!



### REPACK VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The next session is Saturday, January 7<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 - 11:15 am. Kids 11+ must be accompanied by a responsible adult.

For questions or to register contact John Legan via text or call at 708-870-0045 or email at [bishopse5a@gmail.com](mailto:bishopse5a@gmail.com).

### CATHOLIC CHARITIES (CC) - TUESDAY SUPPER

CC Cicero began the Tuesday Supper program at the beginning of the pandemic in October, 2020. The geographic area that is served is mostly the near west suburbs of Berwyn, Cicero, and South Oak Park. The CC clients served are seniors and the working poor. **St. Paul VI Parish is a monthly sponsor.** The Service Outreach Committee coordinates a supper on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of every month; different menus are planned. Thank you to all who have helped us to help others, especially those who help on a regular monthly basis.



### Volunteers are needed on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of every month

1. **Cooks & Bakers** – Prepare food for 24, ready to serve in disposable trays delivered between 4:45 – 5 pm to St. Mary's Parking Lot near the entrance off of Herrick Street.
2. **Drivers** – needed at 4:40 pm to meet at St. Mary's Parking Lot to load up prepared food and drop off by 5:30 pm at the CC Cicero location where the food is served.

**Our next supper will be on Tuesday, January 17<sup>th</sup>.** Check the SignUpGenius link for more info: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904054eaea62aaafc1-catholic46>

### FOOD PANTRY - STOCK THE PANTRY!!



Please bring your donation for the Catholic Charities Pantry items to the Parish Office at 40 E. Burlington, Riverside. Canned goods: soup, vegetables, fruit, tuna, and pasta, pasta sauce, rice, cereal, mac n cheese are welcome. In addition, gift cards can be placed in an envelope and dropped at the office mailbox. Please label the envelope CC Food Pantry Collection.

Thank you for your generosity and continued support!



### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DIAPER DRIVE FOR CATHOLIC CHARITIES

The Knights of Columbus are collecting diapers of any size for Catholic Charities in Cicero. Your donation will help many families and babies in need. Please drop off your donation at the parish office located at 40 E. Burlington St., Riverside, or Mater Christi Church at 2401 S. 10th Ave., North Riverside.

Thank you for your generosity!

### housing FORWARD

ending homelessness

### FEEDING THE HUNGRY

Do you enjoy cooking? There is an opportunity and need for volunteers to help feed the hungry for a homeless shelter located on Lake Street in Oak Park.

On the first Friday of each month, generous cooks provide 40 dinners to Housing Forward. Volunteers make 5-10 dinners on a menu of their choosing comprising of an entree, a vegetable, and a dessert. Containers are supplied. Meals are delivered.

If you are interested in this worthy deed, please contact Kathy Burns, [burns.kathleen@comcast.net](mailto:burns.kathleen@comcast.net)

Sponsored by the St Paul VI Women's Society.



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## Parish & Community Resources

### ST. PAUL VI PARISH WOMEN'S SOCIETY

The St. Paul VI Women's Society holds its monthly gatherings on the first Wednesday of every month, September through June, unless otherwise noted. The meetings begin at 7:00 p.m. in the Marian Room (lower level) of Mater Christi Church. Prior to the meeting, everyone is invited to church for the Rosary at 6:30 pm. To join, contact Carol Dvorak, 708-280-6406, [ccdvorak123@yahoo.com](mailto:ccdvorak123@yahoo.com); or Susan Kahler, 708-805-1007, [sclarekahler@gmail.com](mailto:sclarekahler@gmail.com).

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

*Bishop Ketteler Council 1628*  
Catholic men 18 and older are invited to our monthly meeting held on the first Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the basement of St. Mary Church (Oak Room).  
Info: Roger Jensen at (630) 418-3308.



### HISPANIC MINISTRY / MINISTERIO HISPANO

Join the St. Paul VI Hispanic Committee to talk about promoting our Latino faith and share with the parish community.

For questions, contact Matthew Brophy  
[mbrophy@archchicago.org](mailto:mbrophy@archchicago.org) or call 708-447-1020.

Únase al Comité Hispano de St. Paul VI para hablar sobre promover nuestra fe latina y compartir con la comunidad Parroquial.

Si tiene preguntas, comuníquese con Matthew Brophy  
[mbrophy@archchicago.org](mailto:mbrophy@archchicago.org) o llame al 708-447-1020.

### ST. PAUL VI HOLY NAME SOCIETY

St Paul VI Parish Holy Name Society (HNS) meets monthly from September through May each term. General meetings are held on the second Friday of each month with a Mass celebrated the Sunday immediately following the meeting. Other HNS events are held throughout the calendar year with information posted in advance in the bulletin. For information contact Ted Watylyk at [stpaulvihns@gmail.com](mailto:stpaulvihns@gmail.com).



### PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Prayer Shawl Ministry meets twice a month to pray, knit and crochet. Please let us know when someone in your family or neighborhood is in need of the comfort these prayer filled shawls, hats & scarves provide.

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### BAPTISM OF INFANTS

Second and fourth Sundays at St. Mary, first and third Sundays at Mater Christi. Register for Parent Preparation Session by calling the Parish Office at 708-447-1020.



### MARRIAGE PREPARATION

This process begins with an interview with a Pastoral Staff member. No date for the ceremony can be reserved until this interview is completed. For more information, call the Parish Office at 708-447-1020.



### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If you would like to receive an anointing, or you know someone who would like to receive this Sacrament, please call the parish office (708-447-1020) to schedule an appointment to arrange a visit.



### FUNERAL PLANNING & ARRANGEMENTS

St. Paul VI Parish will assist you in preparing and customizing the Funeral Mass for your loved one. We are here to be of service to you during your time of sorrow.

Please contact the parish office at 708-447-1020 to make arrangements.

There is a simple outline of choices you may use to personalize the Mass for you and your family. All of these are suggestions; you may choose any sacred music that is familiar or important to you.

Contact Cheryl Skoda at [cskoda@stpaulviparish.org](mailto:cskoda@stpaulviparish.org) for assistance in any musical questions or special requests.

For a complete list of the Outline of Funeral Mass, please visit <https://www.stpaulviparish.org/funerals.html>

### COUNSELING SERVICES

St. Paul VI offers counseling services to our parishioners. All issues are treated with respect and confidentiality. Appointments are set at your convenience and are held at the Pastoral Center or other suitable location.

Clients are served on a sliding scale and whenever possible insurance reimbursement will be encouraged and supported.

Meet our parish counselor Damaris Colón-Soto. She is now available for confidential counseling in person at the Lyne Pastoral Center or St. Hugh Faith Formation Center from 9 am-4 pm. To schedule an appointment, please email [damariscolon.claret@gmail.com](mailto:damariscolon.claret@gmail.com) or call 773-313-2492 (Se habla español). She will be available to meet in person at the Lyne Parish Office on Fridays.

For reading resources, visit [stpaulviparish.org](https://stpaulviparish.org).



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