



# ST. PAUL VI PARISH

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER

2

2022

**If you have faith the size  
of a mustard seed,  
you would say to  
this mulberry tree,  
“Be uprooted and  
planted in the sea,”  
and it would obey you.**

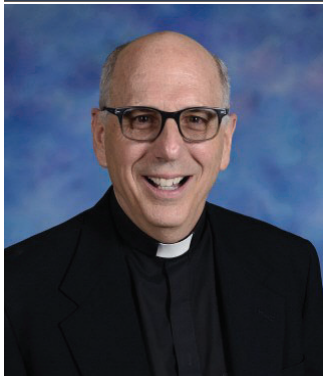
**Luke 17:6**

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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*



And so we begin the month of October. We will enjoy our final days of warm weather this month as well as the crisp days of the winter to come. The leaves will begin to change color and pumpkins, mums and Halloween decorations will appear.

For the Church, the month of October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary, Respect Life and Domestic Violence Awareness. It is fitting to observe these important social justice issues under the umbrella of one of the Church's most early prayers to our Blessed Mother, the beginning of the *Sub tuum praesidium* – "Beneath your compassion we take refuge".

Jesus reminds us over and over again that we are to take care of one another, to love our neighbor as ourselves. We just heard the story of Lazarus last week, the poor man on the steps of the rich man's house, comforted only by dogs licking his wounds. The Good Samaritan parable recounts the story of the man beaten and left for dead on the side of the road taken care of by an "enemy" stranger. Is it no wonder that some of our most beloved saints are the ones who took care of people, those that were the hands and smile of Jesus to those overlooked by society?

In the coming weeks we will pray for all who struggle with life and death questions: those who must endure abuse in their homes at the hands of "loved" ones, those who are praying for the courage to face the unknown, those who are fleeing poverty, violence and war, those who are being dropped off in unknown places, those who are facing daily hunger, those who are homeless, those who are in prison, those who make laws to address these challenges and especially for all those who are accompanying and helping those in need.

Today, October 2, we celebrate the Feast of the Guardian Angels. Usually, these angels are associated with newborn babies and young children, a heavenly presence watching over them and keeping them from harm. However, the role of the guardian angel is to represent the individual before God, to watch over them always, to aid their prayer and to present their souls to God at death.

We are constantly surrounded by God's love and grace. Let us ask for the help of our Guardian Angels to be able to see and feel this love and for the courage to show that love to others.

**Angel of God,  
my guardian dear,  
to whom God's love commits me here,  
ever this day, be at my side,  
to light and guard, to rule and guide.  
Amen.**

*Fr. Tom May, Pastor*

## *A message from our Associate Pastor*



The month of October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary. This devotion has been used to teach about scripture and about the beliefs of the Catholic Faith. Our friend Philip Kosloski of Aleteia gives us some insight about the “Rosary Priest”. No, he is not talking about Fr. Rocky and his Family Rosary Across America on Relevant Radio at 7:00 pm. He is talking about Fr. Peyton. In the midst of World War II, Father Patrick Peyton, a priest of the Congregation of the Holy Cross, knew that there was only one thing families across the nation needed to do to ensure peace at home and abroad.

Pray the Rosary.

His parents had taught him the importance of the Rosary back in Ireland, kneeling together as a family every day to pray the rosary. Additionally Father Peyton believed the Blessed Mother miraculously healed him from tuberculosis while studying as a seminarian and made a vow to spread her love to all the world.

But how could he, an insignificant Irish immigrant, reach millions of people and tell them about the power of the Rosary?

Without having any background or influence in mass media, Father Peyton went to New York and convinced a woman from the Mutual Broadcasting System that the nation needed a Catholic radio program. The non-Christian woman decided to give Father Peyton a chance on one condition: he needed to enlist the help of Hollywood stars.

Father Peyton nervously called Bing Crosby and somehow, with the help of Our Lady, was able to win him over for the cause. The radio show hit airwaves on May 13, 1945 and featured “Archbishop Spellman of New York, President Harry Truman, Bing Crosby and the parents and sister of the Sullivan family of Iowa leading the Rosary... Father Peyton finished the program with an impassioned plea for families to pray the Rosary together for peace.”

The success of the first show was overwhelming and listeners were asking for more.

Father Peyton then went on a crusade to make his show a regular program, and established Family Theater Productions in 1947 with Hollywood stars eager to support him in his work. His various productions would go on to feature stars such as “Grace Kelly, Gregory Peck, Rosalind Russell, Jimmy Stewart, Helen Hayes, Ronald Reagan, James Dean, Natalie Wood, Robert Young, Raymond Burr, Lucille Ball, Bob Newhart, Jack Benny, Loretta Young and Frank Sinatra.”

Radio was just the beginning for Father Peyton, who branched out into television and film production with the help of his Hollywood friends. His new company would go on to produce more than 800 radio programs and 83 TV specials featuring some of the biggest stars around. According to Family Theater Productions, they even “gave noted film producer/director George Lucas (*Star Wars*) his first film credit — as an assistant cameraman — in the mid-1960s for a short, *The Soldier*, starring William Shatner.”

Additionally, Father Peyton would go on to lead Rosary Rallies across the world, attracting massive crowds anywhere he went. He soon became known as the “Rosary Priest” and popularized the phrase “The family that prays together stays together.”

Father Peyton would continue his work spreading the Rosary up until his death in 1992. His life remains an inspiration to all, especially those who want to use mass media for the promotion of the Gospel.

On June 1, 2001, Cardinal Sean Patrick O’Malley officially opened his cause for canonization and in 2015 the Positio, “a 1,300 page report that studied his life and ministry for heroic virtue and sanctity of life,” was presented to the Vatican. It is currently under review and once approved, Father Peyton would be declared Venerable. There are already two potential miracles through his intercession that may be considered once this phase of the process is concluded.

*Fr. Matt Nemchausky, Associate Pastor*

## Worship

### 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 (Livestream on YouTube)

5:00 pm Church

#### MASS LIVESTREAM LINK ON YOUTUBE:

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

#### Sunday Drive-thru Holy Communion

40 E. Burlington St., Riverside

11:00 to 11:30 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:** Gal 1:6-12; Ps 111:1b-2, 7-9, 10c;  
Lk 10:25-37

**Tuesday:** Gal 1:13-24; Ps 139:1b-3,  
13-15; Lk 10:38-42

**Wednesday:** Gal 2:1-2, 7-14; Ps 117:1bc, 2;  
Lk 11:1-4

**Thursday:** Gal 3:1-5; Lk 1:69-75;  
Lk 11:5-13

**Friday:** Gal 3:7-14; Ps 111:1b-6;  
Lk 11:15-26

**Saturday:** Gal 3:22-29; Ps 105:2-7;  
Lk 11:27-28

**Sunday:** 2 Kgs 5:14-17; Ps 98:1-4; 2 Tm  
2:8-13; Lk 17:11-19

### PRESIDER SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF October 8 & 9:

#### St. Mary Church

Saturday **Oct 8**

Sunday **Oct 9**

#### Presider:

4:00 PM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

8:00 AM Fr. Brian Taber, SJ

10:00 AM Fr. Thomas May

5:00 PM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

#### Mater Christi Church

Saturday **Oct 8**

Sunday **Oct 9**

#### Presider:

5:00 PM Fr. Thomas May

8:00 AM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

9:30 AM Fr. Thomas Unz

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

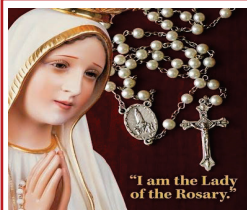
#### St. Mary Church

Divine Mercy Chaplet & Rosary

Thursday 3:00 to 4:00 pm

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

3:00 to 9:00 pm



#### Hail Mary Challenge

**1,260,074**

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=eG80RGRkREdyN0RieUJLVFVhYWVhYUJl)

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### VIRTUAL PRAYER WALL

Share your prayer request so others can pray for you, or pray for the needs on the wall. Remember, this is a public forum. Be sure you have permission to share the personal details of others, especially names.

All prayer intentions will be moderated before posting.

We encourage you to also post prayers of praise and thanksgiving, sharing when prayers have been answered.

Virtual Prayer Wall requests can be made by visiting [www.stpaulviparish.org](http://www.stpaulviparish.org) or call the parish office at 708-447-1020.

## Mass Intentions



*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,**

***May they rest in Peace.***

### For the sick and homebound

|                    |                     |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| Virginia Alba      | Norman Kirkley      |
| Cheryl Albertsen   | Theresa Kledek      |
| Christine Alvarado | Mary Kratochvil     |
| Arlene Batek       | Joseph Kratochvil   |
| Deacon Bob Boharic | Christina Lee       |
| Jennifer Borow     | Ramon Lehnen        |
| Linda Bronsteader  | Charlotte Lindauer  |
| Del Burns          | Emily Martinez      |
| Raybon Carroll     | Spencer Mehr        |
| John Chavez        | Lizzie Mooney       |
| Margarita Diaz     | Freda Murphy        |
| Therese Dolmant    | Irene Nelsen        |
| Alice Ewald        | Annie Nystrom       |
| Elliott Franche    | Beth Pennacchio     |
| Midge Galloro      | Dean Pennacchio     |
| Jayne Girard       | 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      | Ethan Tkalec        |
| Olga Horacek       | Maria Villafuerte   |
| Wassyl Kalin       | Jennifer Walden     |
| Noel Keen          | Carina Willems      |
| Bill Kernan        | Deborah Yetter      |
| Patricia King      | Pat Zdarsky         |

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.

### **Saturday, October 1 - St. Thérèse**

(MC) 8:00 am † Faith Formation Catechists and children

(SM) 4:00 pm † Delwin & Elaine Stednitz, Edward & Henriette Kwiek-Wedding Anniversary (Nancy Kwiek), Barbara Dilelio (Dilelio Family)

(MC) 5:00 pm † George T. Buenik, Jim Burns (Del Burns)

### **Sunday, October 2 - Respect Life Sunday**

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Howard Houcek (Dolores Houcek), Members of the Stumpo Family (D. Conjura), Joseph & Leona Carrabotta (Zen & Dorothy Cichon)

(MC) 9:30 am † Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jaso

(SM) 10:00 am † Mary R. Baker (Pat Olivet), Glenda M. Bair-Dusik (Ken & Marcia Diubek)

(MC) 11:00 am † Jeanne Dvorak Nolden (Del Burns)

(SM) 5:00 pm † St. Paul VI Parishioners

### **Monday, October 3**

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Brian Greenwood (Tish Murphy)

### **Tuesday, October 4 - St. Francis of Assisi**

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Kay Vabro (Betty Dvorak), Jack Magrini (Jackie)

### **Wednesday, October 5 - St. Faustina Kowalska**

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † St. Paul VI school children & teachers

### **Thursday, October 6 - St. Bruno**

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Gene Holzmeister (Kathleen Holzmeister), Yolanda Avelar (Irma Jimenez)

### **Friday, October 7 - Our Lady of the Rosary**

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Ron Buczek (St. Paul VI Bereavement Ministry)

### **Saturday, October 8**

(MC) 8:00 am † Healing for the sick of our parish

(SM) 4:00 pm † Marie Haggerty

(MC) 5:00 pm † Jim Burns (Del Burns)

### **Sunday, October 9**

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Reverend Edward S. Stockus, Soco Salgado (Patricia Salgado), Robert & Elizabeth Fox

(MC) 9:30 am † Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jaso, George R Zdarsky, Dalton Lee Brown (Pat Brown), Edwin Dulik

(SM) 10:00 am † Nicoline Shields, Jackie Cowan, Virginia Lacerte, Jose Cruz Alba (Virginia Alba)

(MC) 11:00 am † Audrey & Jim Mehr (Gloria Pennacchio Family), Patricia Poremba (Lauren Letterman)

(SM) 5:00 pm † Marie Haggerty (Kathy Lipinski)

## Stewardship: Gifts of Time, Talent & Treasure



Dear Friend,

Thank you for your generous gift to Catholic Relief Services. Your recent donation of \$1,991.37 received on July 21, 2022 provides vital support to CRS. Your contribution is essential to our efforts to alleviate human suffering and ease the burdens of overwhelming poverty overseas.

It is clear to me that you are as compassionate as the Good Samaritan in the Gospels of Jesus Christ. Rest assured your good deed is a godsend to our most vulnerable brothers and sisters around the world. We are blessed to have you as a member of the CRS family.

I am inspired that you have chosen to reach far beyond the bounds of your own community to care for perfect strangers in such great need. On behalf of all those touched by your compassion, I offer my deepest gratitude and wish you an abundance of blessings and joys.

Peace and Light,

Sean L. Callahan  
President & CEO

## 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 my self and not ask for a reward, Except the reward of knowing that I am doing your will.

-St. Ignatius of Loyola



### Vincenian Reflection

In today's Gospel Jesus tells his disciples, "When you have done all you have been commanded, say: We are unprofitable servants; we have only done what we were obliged to do."

This week, please help the Society of St. Vincent de Paul to bring the love and mercy of Jesus to those who feel left out and abandoned, for indeed we are only doing "what we are obliged to do". Thank you!

### - WAYS TO GIVE -

#### 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.

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Stewardship and Development

### Second and Special Collections 2022

World Mission Sunday

October 23

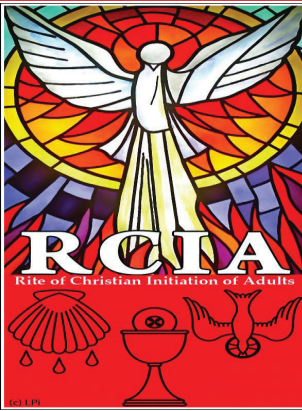
Catholic Campaign for Human Development

November 20

Retirement Fund for the Religious

December 11

## Faith Formation



### The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

St. Paul VI parish is preparing to begin the journey with those adults who are interested in exploring the Catholic faith and entering into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ and the Church He founded through our R.C.I.A. program.

R.C.I.A., The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a process of inquiry and conversation for unbaptized adults, adults baptized in another Christian faith tradition and adults baptized as Catholic, who are seeking to know more about the Catholic faith and for Catholics who have not yet received the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation.

If you are an adult or a young adult 18 years or older and are interested in exploring the possibility of deepening your faith through the Sacraments of Initiation as a disciple of Christ and entering into full communion with the Catholic Church or if you know of someone who might be seeking more information or has not yet received the Sacraments of Confirmation or Eucharist contact Deacon Randy Belice via e-mail to: [rbelice@archchicago.org](mailto:rbelice@archchicago.org) or call the parish office at (708) 447-1020. You can also visit our website at [www.stpaulviparish.org](http://www.stpaulviparish.org), select >Learn > RCIA Adult Sacrament.

## Announcement

### WEDDING BANNES

October 1, 2022

II

CIARA STRAGAPEDE  
&  
IVAN VAZQUEZ



October 14, 2022

II

KRISTEN SCHAEFER  
&  
JOHN ONSTWEDDER IV



ST. PAUL VI PARISH



Welcome  
New  
Parishioners

Deacon Ronald & Alyce Pilarski

Michael, Sandra, and  
Olivia Clarahan

David, Julianne, Leo, and  
Grace Bertalmio

Allison, Joel, and Vaeda Janecek

Laura, Michael, Edith, and  
Finn Gabel

Luis, Diana, Anthony, Jocelyn, and Evelyn Alejandra Leon



ST. PAUL VI PARISH



600 CLUB  
RAFFLE

### CONGRATULATIONS!

Winners for 600 Club 9/26

1<sup>st</sup> Prize (\$250):  
Linda Wawzenski

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize (\$100):  
Rosann Lorenz

THERE ARE STILL TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR THE  
600 CLUB RAFFLE!

The next drawing will be on Monday, Oct. 3.

**Got tickets?!** Grab your raffle ticket while they last. The winner will be notified by email/phone, bulletin, and eblast. A special mailer was sent to your home address with an order form. You can drop it in the collection basket or parish office, or mail your order form to 40 E. Burlington St. Riverside IL 60546.

All proceeds from this 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.



### ST. PAUL VI HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Turkey Shoot?

The Holy Name Society will be busy in November. Our goal is to tackle the new and the old. On Sunday, November 13th, the 3rd TURKEY SHOOT BASKET RAFFLE and SPLIT THE POT will take place. Sunday, November 20th, the much anticipated TURKEY SHOOT will return to Menarik Hall. Turkeys, turkeys, turkeys!!! More information to follow. PLEASE SAVE THE DATES!



### ALL SOUL'S DAY Art & Environment Ministry

In honor of All Soul's Day, the Art & Environment ministry will be creating a photo display of deceased loved ones during the month of November.

The photo display will be at both the St Mary and the Mater Christi sites. If you would like to remember loved ones in prayer, please send digital photo images to:

[StPaulVIArtEnviron@gmail.com](mailto:StPaulVIArtEnviron@gmail.com) by October 17th.

### DIA DE LOS MUERTOS Ministerio de Arte y Medio Ambiente

En honor al Día de Todos los Almas, el ministerio de Arte y Medio Ambiente creará una exhibición de fotografías de seres queridos fallecidos durante el mes de noviembre.

La exhibición de fotos estará en los sitios de St Mary y Mater Christi. Si a usted le gustaría recordar a sus seres queridos en oración, envíe fotografías digitales a:

[StPaulVIArtEnviron@gmail.com](mailto:StPaulVIArtEnviron@gmail.com) antes del 17 de Octubre.

## Parish Resource



### RESPECT LIFE MONTH

We are called to reverence and love every human person as ourselves. It is our responsibility to care for and protect human life, especially the lives of the most vulnerable among us. Evangelium vitae teaches us that “the task of accepting and serving life involves everyone; and this task must be fulfilled above all towards life when it is at its weakest.”

Pope John Paul II wrote, “the Gospel of God’s love for man, the Gospel of the dignity of the person and the Gospel of life are a single and indivisible Gospel.” The Gospel of Jesus is the Gospel of Life, and to love Jesus is to love and serve life. As followers of Christ, may we strive to continually respond to the needs of the poor and vulnerable entrusted to us by God.



Many victims or survivors of domestic violence ask:

“What did I do wrong?

Why is my marriage not working?

I’m afraid for my children.

Why does God not answer my prayers?

I have no one who understands or who will help me.

If I am more patient and understanding, things might work out. But I have done all that and nothing changes.

Maybe I just need to try harder.”

If you have had these thoughts, you are not alone.

Find professional assistance by calling the National Domestic Violence Hotline, 800-799-7233.

Chat with a NDVH service provider and find the domestic violence services nearest you.

If you are in immediate danger, call 911.

Excerpt from booklet, *You Are Not Alone, God Is With You* available from ACDVO, email [cdahm13@gmail.com](mailto:cdahm13@gmail.com)



 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE  
AWARENESS MONTH

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OUTREACH  
— ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO —  
AWARENESS-SERVICES-PREVENTION

## Parish Events

### ST. PAUL VI SENIOR DINNERS RETURNING!

**St. Mary's Oak Room 5 PM Wednesday, October 5th**

Hello Fellow Parishioners! We are bringing back our "Senior Dinners." Going forward, the dinners will be sponsored and supported by our St. Paul VI Holy Name Society. For those who have not attended, this dinner event started around 10 Years ago, Bi-Monthly to thank all of our Senior Parishioners for their support over the years to our Parish. This October 5th event will be our 50TH Dinner with a very special meal to celebrate. Your attendance is required, to experience the culinary delights from our "chefs!!!"

We hope to have dinner 4 times per year going forward. The next one will be close to Christmas.

Considering it has been 2 plus years since our last dinner due to the Pandemic, please RSVP so we can get an accurate attendance count:

Chef Dan Schoen at [dschoen325@gmail.com](mailto:dschoen325@gmail.com) (312-320-7324) or  
Chef Kevin Tabor at [tabor316@comcast.net](mailto:tabor316@comcast.net) (708-334-8536)





## Parish Events



### St. Francis of Assisi Feast Day and Pet Blessing

Francis of Assisi, patron saint of animals and ecology, was born in Italy around 1181-1182. Families in many countries bring their pets to Church to be blessed on St Francis' feast day because of his love for animals.

**St. Paul VI Parish will celebrate the Feast of St. Francis on Sunday, October 2 at 12:00 pm in Mary Park at St. Mary Church, and at 1:00 pm at the Mother of Mothers Shrine at Mater Christi Church.**



### Walk with us in spirit!

On Friday October 7th, St. Mary School will hold our annual Walkathon – Year #10!! The entire school Pre-K through 8th grade will participate in different age-appropriate walking routes in

Riverside. This much anticipated event is a wonderful way for our whole school community to work together to keep St. Mary School vibrant and affordable.

This year the school's fundraising goal is \$105,000.

All funds raised will directly offset the cost of Catholic school education.

Celebrating our 96th year, St. Mary School continues to be a vital ministry of the parish and we are blessed to be part of this faith community. We kindly ask for your consideration in donating to Walkathon.

We are also looking for business sponsors to help boost our success. All sponsors are highlighted on the back of the official Walkathon T-shirt, proudly worn by over 300 students, faculty, staff and administration! If you would like to be a business sponsor, scan the QR code below with your smartphone.

We also kindly ask that you pray for nice weather on October 7th.

Thank you for your continued support of St. Mary School!

We want to walk with you in Spirit! Please accept this donation for the overall success of Walkathon #10!

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Donation \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 My donation is enclosed

Please deliver/mail to  
 St. Mary School, 97 Herrick Road, Riverside, IL 60546, attn: Jane Wiaduck Birmingham  
 OR visit [www.stmaryschoolriverside.org/walkathon](http://www.stmaryschoolriverside.org/walkathon) to make an online gift.



 ST. PAUL VI PARISH



**Saturday, November 5, 2022**

### St Paul VI Parish Action Day Saturday, November 5, 2022 **PLEASE SIGN UP NOW**

Parish Action Day is a service day that has been held at St Mary's from 2012 thru 2019. It is sponsored by the Service Outreach Committee and its purpose is to build community and camaraderie with all parishioners as they serve a few hours together to help the needy, the military, and the environment.

#### PARISH ACTION DAY SCHEDULE

Continental Breakfast 8:30 a.m. - St Mary Parish Center (gym)  
 Prayer Send Off 9:00 a.m. - St Mary Parish Center (gym)  
 Groups start their service projects immediately after with most running from 9:00-11:00 a.m.

Thank you to those who have already signed up!

A complete list of projects that we still need more volunteers for can be found on our website at [www.stpaulviparish.org](http://www.stpaulviparish.org). Please email the project leader asap to sign up for one of these projects if you have not signed up yet. Please plan to join your friends, neighbors, and fellow parishioners in a day of fun and service! The projects are great for all ages – preteens must be accompanied by an adult. Great for those who need service hours.

# St. Paul VI Parish TRUNK OR TREAT

Come on out to the grounds of the Mater Christi Campus for a night of **FREE** Family Fun. Decorated vehicle trunks will be available for little goblins and ghouls to “trunk-or-treat” for candy in a safe family atmosphere. There will also be a showing of a “not-so-spooky” Halloween classic on the outdoor movie screen.

Join us for a scary good time!

—TRUNKS NEEDED!!—

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SEASON 2  
**THE CHOSEN**  
WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE CHOSEN?  
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What: The Chosen – Season 2 Interactive Bible Study - Video presentation followed by group discussion. Open to all but may not be appropriate for all children. No materials are needed. A Bible and a notebook should be useful.

When: Sundays from 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm.

Sunday, September 25 – Sunday, November 6

Where: St. Mary Church (Lower Level – Oak Room)

Please contact the group facilitators for more information:

Deacon Peter Brown – [pebrown@stpaulviparish.org](mailto:pebrown@stpaulviparish.org)

Jane Birmingham – [jbirmingham@stpaulviparish.org](mailto:jbirmingham@stpaulviparish.org)

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To preview the program, please visit the App Store – The Chosen.

### AMAZING TIMES FOR WOMEN'S SOCIETY

Were you one of the 50 women of St. Paul VI who gathered Sept. 7 for spirituality, fellowship, and hospitality? If so, you were also amazed by the magic of illusionist Marshall Brodien! Our next gathering is at 7:00 p.m. this Wed., Oct. 5, in the Marian Room at Mater Christi. The evening will include a pumpkin craft project and an activity celebrating the month of the Rosary. We hope you will also join us in church at 6:30 for the Rosary.

Our society will provide hospitality after some Masses at both churches the weekend of Oct. 22-23, and we will raffle theme baskets! Women, please bring an item for a basket to our Oct. 5 meeting. The basket themes are Italian, lottery, chocolate, and wine. See you there!



(left): Marshall Brodien works his magic on Patti Jo Meyer.

(below): Women's Society members are astonished by the illusions.



## Service Opportunities

### St Paul VI Parish Action Day



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**For Further Information contact:**  
**Sue Jones at 708-516-5741**



The train has not stopped! We continue to seek volunteers to make meals for Fr. Cy Nemecek, Pastor Emeritus. Call or text Patti Jo Meyer at 708-334-6263, email her at [pjmeb14@gmail.com](mailto:pjmeb14@gmail.com) or visit <https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/vz132w>. All aboard!!



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

This group is sponsored by the St Paul VI Women's Society.



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Volunteers are needed on the day of the supper.

Any questions, send an email to Service Outreach, [ServiceOutreach@stmaryriverside.org](mailto:ServiceOutreach@stmaryriverside.org).

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES (CC)**  
**TUESDAY SUPPER**

Our next supper will be on **Tuesday, October 18th**. Please sign up using the link below.

More info is available, check the SignUpGenius link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904054EAEA62AAAF1-catholic55>

### 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!

## 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).



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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

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### 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.

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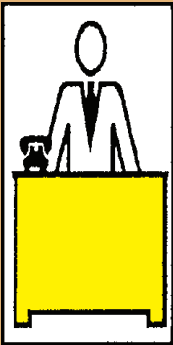
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