

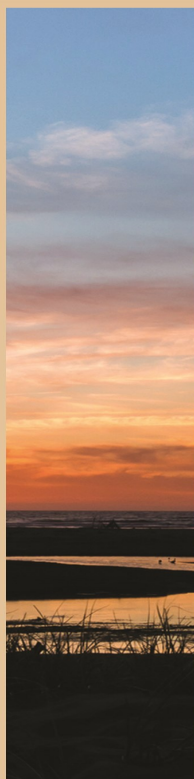


ST. PAUL VI PARISH

October 23, 2022

THIRTIETH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

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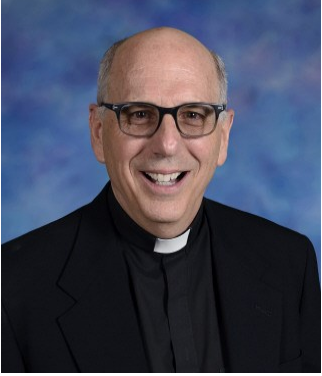
Jesus said to them,
“I tell you, the tax collector went home justified,
not the Pharisee; for whoever exalt themselves
will be humbled, and those who humble
themselves will be exalted.”

Luke 18:14

St. Mary Church
105 Herrick Road
Riverside

Mater Christi Church
2401 S. 10th Avenue
North Riverside

A message from our Pastor



If you are a gardener, the last weeks of Fall are the final hurrah before winter settles in and the garden sleeps. All spring and summer you work at watering, pulling weeds, planting varieties of flowers and plants to enjoy while the weather is nice. It can seem at times, especially when the thermometer tips 90 or above, that the work is never-ending; but then Fall sets in and another growing season has come to an end. Or has it?

A good gardener knows that this time of rest can be very beneficial to the garden (and the gardener!) The soil needs time to be replenished; the gardener needs time to plan for next season. What flourished, what did not? What is trying to grow but perhaps not in the right place? What invasive plant is taking over that needs to be eradicated?

In Luke's gospel, Jesus tells the story of the fig tree that does not bear fruit. The owner of the garden tells the gardener to cut it down – why should it take from the soil if it does not give anything back? The gardener asks for one more year to fertilize and nurture the tree so that it might bear fruit; if it does not, then the gardener will cut it down.

We do not know if the gardener got the tree to bear fruit or it ended up in the mulch pile; what we do know is that something was going to be done intentionally to try and get that tree to bear fruit. In the coming months, you will be hearing a lot about evangelization and “tilling the soil” of the parish. We are starting on an intentional journey to help strengthen each and every one of us in our relationship with Jesus Christ, thereby strengthening our ability to be witnesses to our faith and proclaim the Good News.

There is a saying in gardening when planting: Year One, sleeps; Year Two, creeps; Year Three, leaps! As we enter our second year as St. Paul VI Parish, please pray that our hearts and minds can be open to the work of the Holy Spirit in our parish community. If we are willing to this openness, we will truly be part of the amazing things God has planned for us!

Speaking of gardens...I would like to thank Sallie Boge for her never-ending efforts tending to many of the gardens and beds at the St. Mary rectory, around St. Mary Church and the Garden of Eden. There will be more information on some of the most recent plantings, as well as plans for some installations and repairs on both campuses in the upcoming weeks.

Fr. Tom May, Pastor

A message from our Associate Pastor



This Friday the 28th we celebrate the feast of Ss. Simon and Jude whose names occur together in the Canon of the Mass and are also celebrated on the same day. Possibly this is because they both preached the Gospel in Mesopotamia and Persia where it is said they had both been sent, but in actual fact we know nothing for certain about them beyond what is told us of their being called as Apostles in the New Testament. St. Jude is the author of a short Epistle which forms part of the New Testament. Catholic culture's website has more about these two great saints.

However meagre in details is the history of these glorious apostles, we learn from their brief legend how amply they contributed to this great work of generating sons of God. Without any repose, and even to the shedding of their blood, they "edified the body of Christ"; and the grateful Church thus prays to our Lord today: "O God, through the work of the apostles you have spoken your Word of love, your Son, into our world's

deafness. Open our ears to hear; open our hearts to heed; open our will to obey, that we may proclaim the good news with our lives."

St. Simon is represented in art with a saw, the instrument of his martyrdom. St. Jude's square points him out as an architect of the house of God. St. Paul called himself by this name; and St. Jude, by his Catholic Epistle, has also a special right to be reckoned among our Lord's principal workmen. But our apostle had another nobility, far surpassing all earthly titles: being nephew, by his father Cleophas or Alpheus, to St. Joseph, and legal cousin to the Man-God, Jude was one of those called by their compatriots the brethren of the carpenter's Son. We may gather from St. John's Gospel another precious detail concerning him. In the admirable discourse at the close of the last Supper, our Lord said: "He that loveth Me, shall be loved of My Father: and I will love him and will manifest Myself to him." Then Jude asked Him: "Lord, how is it, that Thou wilt manifest Thyself to us, and not to the world?" And he received from Jesus this reply: "If any one love Me, he will keep My word, and My Father will love him, and We will come to him, and will make Our abode with him. He that loveth Me not keepeth not My word. And the word which you have heard is not Mine, but the Father's who sent Me."

The churches of St. Peter in Rome and Saint-Sernin at Toulouse dispute the honor of possessing the greater part of their holy remains.

—Excerpted from *The Liturgical Year*, Abbot Gueranger O.S.B.

St. Jude

Patronage: Desperate situations; forgotten causes; hospital workers; hospitals; impossible causes; lost causes; diocese of Saint Petersburg, Florida.

Symbols: Bearded man holding an oar, a boat, boat hook, a club, an axe or a book; nearly every image depicts him wearing a medallion with a profile of Jesus, and usually with a small flame above his head; often carries a pen or sits at a writing location to make reference to the canonical Epistle; sailboat; inverted cross; square; halbert; club; loaves and fish; long cross; knotted club; boat hook; fuller's bat; lance; saw; flail; closed book; shield: red with sailboat with a cross on the mast.

St. Simon

Patronage: Carriers; sawmen; sawyers; tanners.

Symbols: Boat; fish; man being sawn in two longitudinally; fish and book; oar; saw; two fishes; lance; fuller's bat; axe; cross; saw and oar saltire; fish on a boat hook; sword; shield: red background with two oars and a hatchet.

Things to Do:

- Both of these apostles have struggled with mistaken identities with other apostles. Simon is also the name of Simon Peter, and Jude was often spelled "Judas" and so confused with Judas Iscariot, the traitor. Because of the mixup of names, St. Jude was not invoked for a long time. But through his intercession St. Jude helped several saints in very large or hopeless matters, so his reputation began as the patron of impossible causes. Traditionally Christians used to begin to prepare food such as bread of the dead and soul cakes for the feast of All Souls beginning on this day. In some areas people would beg for ingredients to make these cakes on this day.

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

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: Eph 4:32 — 5:8; Ps 1:1-4, 6;
Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday: Eph 5:21-33 or 5:2a, 25-33;
Ps 128:1-5; Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday: Eph 6:1-9; Ps 145:10-14;
Lk 13:22-30

Thursday: Eph 6:10-20; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10;
Lk 13:31-35

Friday: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 6:12-16

Saturday: Phil 1:18b-26; Ps 42:2, 3, 5cdef;
Lk 14:1, 7-11

Sunday: Wis 11:22 — 12:2; Ps 145:1-2, 8-11,
13-14; 2 Thes 1:11 — 2:2; Lk 19:1-10

PRESIDER SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF October 29 & 30:

St. Mary Church

Saturday **Oct 29**

Sunday **Oct 30**

Presider:

4:00 PM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

8:00 AM Fr. Thomas May

10:00 AM Fr. Robert Banzin

5:00 PM Fr. Thomas May

Mater Christi Church

Saturday **Oct 29**

Sunday **Oct 30**

Presider:

5:00 PM Fr. Thomas May

8:00 AM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

9:30 AM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

11:00 AM Fr. Brian Taber, SJ

**Presider schedule is subject to change.*

ROSARY, DIVINE MERCY & EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Mater Christi Church

Rosary

Saturday 7:30 am

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

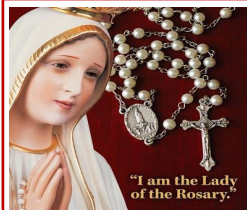
Monday 6:00 to 8:00 pm

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

1,277,886

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

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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 or call the parish office at 708-447-1020.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 22 - St. John Paul II

(MC) 8:00 am † Healing for Victims of Domestic Violence, Angela Cimino (Al Cimino & Family)

(SM) 4:00 pm † Nushardt & Jes Families (Sharmayne Stach)

(MC) 5:00 pm † Jack & Theresa Roebuck, Jim Burns (Del Burns), Angela Cimino (Al Cimino & Family)

Sunday, October 23 - World Mission Sunday

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † John & Connie Tangorra (Joanne Suba), Joseph & Leona Carrabotta (Jerry & Christine Palcan), Faylene McDowell (Joan & Jack Wiaduck)

(MC) 9:30 am † Raymond Rompala "Ray" (St. Paul VI Bereavement Ministry), Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jaso, Bernard Cunningham (John & Susie O'Brien), Efen Rodriguez (Evelia Villafuerte)

(SM) 10:00 am † St. Paul VI Women's Society, Mildred Server (James Server), Barbara Ruska (Jack & Joan Wiaduck)

(MC) 11:00 am † St. Paul VI Women's Society, Donna Lou Basaillon (Cantors, Ministers & Lectors of SM), Jeanne Dvorak Nolden (Carol Dvorak)

(SM) 5:00 pm † Diann Seagrave (Ray & Carol Borowski), Maria Socorro Galindo (Jaime Galindo)

Monday, October 24 - St. Anthony Mary Claret

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Natalie Anderson (St. Paul VI Bereavement Ministry), Marty Lindstrom, Don & Mary Miller (Bob & Judy Finn), Lucille & Charles Castrogiovanni (Hoving & Marchetti Families), Thomas Murphy (Tish Murphy)

Tuesday, October 25

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Emmanuel Kujawa (Robert Dedowicz), Ann Karasek (St. Paul VI Bereavement Ministry), Charlie Basek (Jeri Basek)

Wednesday, October 26

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Joseph & Stephanie Dziobas (Ray & Carol Borowski)

Thursday, October 27

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Shirley Nelson (Annette Palmiere & Family), Ernest D. DiMonte, Gene Holzmeister (Kathleen Holzmeister)

Friday, October 28 - Ss. Simon and Jude

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Phillip Avelar (Irma Jimenez)

Saturday, October 29

(MC) 8:00 am † Healing for Victims of Domestic Violence

(SM) 4:00 pm † Anele Kebleris (Genevieve Wright), Ken Wright (Genevieve Wright)

(MC) 5:00 pm † Robert & Elizabeth Fox, Olga Lorenz (Rosann Lorenz), Jim Burns (Del Burns), Joseph Tranauskas, Charles Zdany

Sunday, October 30


(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Raymond Blazina (Debbie Blazina), Jenny Dituri (Joanne Suba), Jose Murguia

(MC) 9:30 am † Noreece Nemecek (St. Paul VI Bereavement Ministry), Ray Rompala (Chet & Celeste Pedziwiater), Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jaso

(SM) 10:00 am † Msgr. R. George Sarauskas, Patrick Malone (Brooke & Marigold Angelopoulos), Richard D. Hooley (Jack & Joan Wiaduck)

(MC) 11:00 am † Marie Haggerty (Kathy Lipinski)

(SM) 5:00 pm † Healing for Victims of Domestic Violence

 ***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
John Edwin Cochran.**

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	Diane Kretz
Jennifer Borow	Christina Lee
Linda Bronsteader	Ramon Lehnen
Del Burns	Charlotte Lindauer
Raybon Carroll	Emily Martinez
John Chavez	Harper Faith McGee
Gloria DeSanto	Spencer Mehr
Margarita Diaz	Lizzie Mooney
Therese Dolmant	Freda Murphy
Alice Ewald	Irene Nelsen
Elliott Franche	Annie Nystrom
Midge Galloro	Beth Pennacchio
Jayne Girard	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	Ethan Tkalec
Olga Horacek	Maria Villafuerte
Wassyl Kalin	Jennifer Walden
Noel Keen	Carina Willems
Bill Kernan	Pat Zdarsky
Patricia King	

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

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



October 23, 2022

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

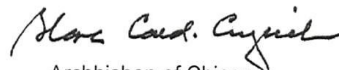
Today we join Catholics worldwide in the annual Eucharistic celebration of World Mission Sunday. We remember our common call to both live the mission that is entrusted to us and proclaim the person of Christ and His message. Pope Francis reflects on this year's theme: "You shall be my witnesses" (Acts 1:8). He emphasizes the call to every Christian to bear witness to Christ, to participate in a mission of universal evangelization, and to seek strength and guidance from the Holy Spirit.

Beginning in 1822, the universal fund of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith provided approximately seven million dollars in help to the new and growing Church in the United States. Blessed Pauline Jaricot began this work 200 years ago and established a network of prayer and collections for missionaries so that the faithful could actively participate in the mission "to the ends of the earth." Her vision would lead to World Mission Sunday, which helps the Pope support global missionary activity.

Your prayers and generous support today sustain communities of faith in more than 1,100 mission dioceses in Asia, Africa, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe as they proclaim the Gospel, build the Church, and serve the poor. When you contribute to the World Mission Sunday collection, you provide for the formation of our seminarians and religious men and women. You assist in building the schools and orphanages that care for children in places few visit. Missionaries can build churches in areas with scarce resources. Priests, religious Sisters and Brothers, and lay leaders can buy food and the bare essentials that make it possible to proclaim the Gospel and celebrate the Sacraments.

In this bicentennial anniversary year, I encourage your generosity on World Mission Sunday. Your prayers remain your greatest gift, and your financial support is life-giving to our brothers and sisters in the world's most vulnerable communities. Wishing you every blessing, with kind regards I remain,

Sincerely yours in Christ,


Archbishop of Chicago

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

-WAYS TO GIVE-

SCAN TO DONATE



ONLINE

- Click the donate button at www.stpaulviparish.org to set up an EFT or credit/debit card donation.

MAIL - DROP OFF - CALL

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

TEXT-TO-GIVE

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

World Mission Sunday - October 22-23, 2022

"You shall be my witnesses." (Acts 1:8)

We recommit ourselves to our common vocation through Baptism to be missionaries, through prayer, participation in the Eucharist, and by generously sharing our gifts. The annual World Mission Sunday collection provides critical financial support to missionaries and communities of faith in the most economically disadvantaged regions of the globe through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith and the Catholic Near East Welfare Association. Working with limited means, local churches bear witness to the Gospel amid scarcity, conflict and instability. Missionaries address all forms of material and spiritual needs to build up the church, affirm human dignity, alleviate poverty, encourage dialogue and inspire hope.

When it seems that so much divides us, World Mission Sunday rejoices in our unity as missionaries by our Baptism, as it offers each one of us an opportunity to support the life-giving presence of the Church among the poor and marginalized in more than 1,100 mission dioceses. If you are able, place a donation to support World Mission Sunday in the collection basket, or you can make a donation online at WeAreMissionary.org/wms.



October Reflection

In the past few months, a common concept has been popping up for me repeatedly and that is **TIME**. I have heard the concept through the last month regarding life, relationship, work, and other scenarios that I have never thought about time being important. Recently, I decided to slow my pace at work and think about all the possible reasons this concept is popping up in all conversations lately. Of course, I told myself "It must be because we are already in October, and we often look back at our resolution list to see what we have done for almost a year" or maybe we are still

grieving and processing because we have experienced so many events in the past few years. True, each of us perceives time differently, and has an individual relationship with time. I grew up in the countryside of Puerto Rico where time seems to go slow.

I grew up surrounded by the same friends since grade school. As a routine, I usually stop by the beach near my college and think often about the future and the things I've achieved by then. Time seemed to go slow, it felt like it was giving me the opportunity to absorb my surroundings. Later, I moved to Chicago. The great impact of change for me was time because it does seem to move differently in a big city. It seems like there is no "time" to stop and look at the sunset or have a nice conversation with family and friends. It seems like there is no "time" to admire the leaves changing and the temperature changing. Sure, we feel it and see it, but we don't absorb it.

I think that we often see time as an enemy, as something that is taking something from us. But what if we are taking something from time? If so, what are you taking from time? And, for what purpose? I'd like to think that we are indeed taking something from time. For me, that is **QUALITY**. I guess that today just want you to slow down a moment and think about what are you taking from time, and how are you spending that something.

Damaris Colón-Soto, M.A CMHC
Counselor Resident at Claret Center
773-313-2492/ damariscolon.claret@gmail.com



Frequently those who suffer abuse, whether as a child or an adult, feel guilty or responsible for the abuse, and, consequently, may even feel shame and embarrassment. But we know that victims of abuse are not responsible for the abuse they have experienced. They did not cause the relationship to fail, but the attitude and behavior of their partners did.

If you need to heal, find professional assistance by calling the National Domestic Violence Hotline, 800-799-7233. Chat with a service provider and find the domestic violence services nearest you.

If you are in immediate danger, call 911.

Excerpt from the booklet,
You Are Not Alone, God Is With You
available from ACDVO,
email cdahm13@gmail.com
www.domesticviolenceoutreach.org



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OUTREACH
— ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO —
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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."

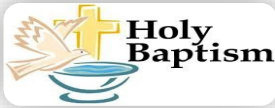
Pope John Paul II wrote, "the Gospel of God's love for man, the Gospel of the dignity of the person and the Gospel of life are a single and indivisible Gospel." The Gospel of Jesus is the Gospel of Life, and to love Jesus is to love and serve life. As followers of Christ, may we strive to continually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

MES RESPETEMOS LA VIDA

Se nos llama a respetar y amar a cada ser humano como a nosotros mismos. Constituye nuestra responsabilidad cuidar y proteger la vida humana, en especial la vida de los más vulnerables entre nosotros. Evangelium vitae nos enseña que "el deber de acoger y servir la vida incumbe a todos y ha de manifestarse principalmente con la vida que se encuentra en condiciones de mayor debilidad".

El papa Juan Pablo II escribió: "El Evangelio del amor de Dios al hombre, el Evangelio de la dignidad de la persona y el Evangelio de la vida son un único e indivisible Evangelio." El Evangelio de Jesús es el Evangelio de la Vida, y amar a Jesús es amar y servir la vida. Como seguidores de Cristo, que nos esforcemos por responder continuamente a las necesidades de los pobres y vulnerables que Dios nos ha confiado.

Announcement



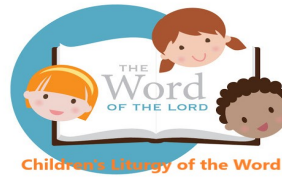
May the Lord Bless You and Keep You, and continue to watch over you.

October 16, 2022

Leo James Michelini

Myla Izel Avila

Henry Vincent Palmisano



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



Knights of Columbus Christmas Greenery Sale

It may seem far off, but it is time to begin thinking about Christmas. The Knights of Columbus are starting a new St Paul VI tradition. We will be selling Balsam Fir and Fraser Fir Christmas trees, garland, various Balsam wall displays and Balsam wreaths from 14 inches to 60 inches.

The trees will be harvested and the wall displays, garland and wreaths will be made during the week prior to delivery to the Parish Office so that they will be very fresh.

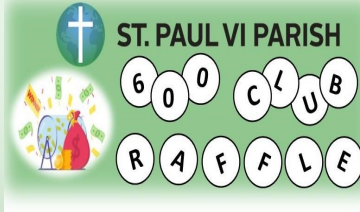
Sales will be pre-order, pre-paid only and open to everyone in our local communities. Orders can be submitted in the collection baskets at mass or online by visiting the [St Paul VI Parish website](http://StPaulVIParish.org). Items will be on display at Mater Christi and St. Mary Churches during the weekend masses on Oct 22-23, Oct 29-30 and Nov 5-6. Pickup will be at the Parish Office Saturday, Nov. 26 or Saturday, Dec 3. Proceeds will be used to fund St Paul VI Parish activities. Questions, contact Roger Jensen at 630.418.3308.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Winners for 600 Club 10/17

1st Prize (\$75):
Ann Weber

2nd Prize (\$25):
Mike Zdarsky



The next drawing will be on Monday, Oct. 24. Got tickets?! Grab your raffle ticket while they last. 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 or 708-853-1421.

St. Mary School News



St. Mary School
Riverside, IL

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Follow Us On Social Media!



The National Junior Honor Society is a national organization that recognizes outstanding junior high students. NJHS goes beyond just having an honor roll to recognize achievements in our youth.

Our school has had an NJHS chapter for several years and this organization has become an important part of our school community

Our NJHS chapter helps create academic excellence and kids who are willing to serve the greater community both within and outside our school. NJHS also offers opportunities for leadership development.

Congratulations to the following 2022-2023 seventh grade inductees: Michelle B., Erin W., Jacob Z., Liam D., Leo F., Simran H., Erin D., Ava A., Sarai B., Jaymes C., Jayden E., Nate K., Tommy S., Michaelina R., Elsa P., Harmon H., Wyatt S.

Our current eighth grade NJHS members are: Jane C., Sarah D., Jack H., Oliver L., Alec L., Danny O., Dominic P., Juan R., Sophia R., Brennan W., Connor B., Laura F., Ava M., Sophia O., Ava S., Kacie R., Lexi R., Isabella G., Jonathan R. and Nikolas R.

Parish Events



WINTER COAT & CLOTHING DRIVE (PARISH ACTION DAY)
Catholic Charities West Regional Services in need of the following new or gently used items for their Clothing Room:

Winter Coats, Sweaters, Warm Pants, Sweatshirts, Hats, Scarves, Mittens, and Gloves

**Drop-off at St. Mary Parish Center Lobby
Saturday, November 5th
9:00 - 11:00 am**

For further information call: Sue Jones at 708-516-5741

 ST. PAUL VI PARISH



Saturday, November 5, 2022

St Paul VI Parish Action Day Saturday, November 5, 2022

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!

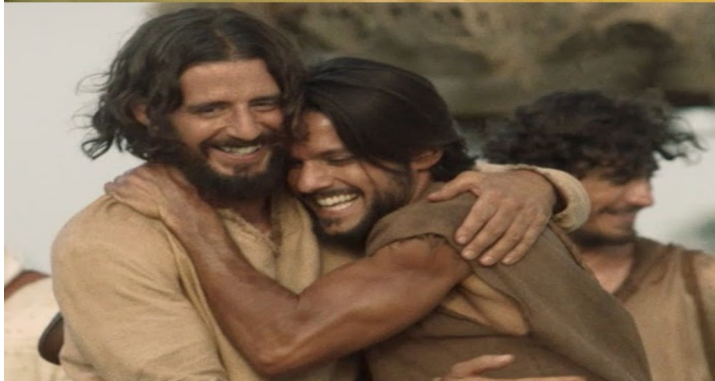
To sign up online, go to Sign-up Genius: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904054eaea62aaafc1-parish3>

- **Veterans program at Hines VA** – brighten the day of senior Vets at Bishop Goedert residence with patriotic songs, refreshments, and recognition certificates.
Leader - Berni Austin; berni_austin@comcast.net
- **Random Acts of Kindness** – decorate candy-filled notes with uplifting messages from St Paul VI Parish and distribute them around town to brighten people's days – great for tweens and teens! St Mary Parish Center.
Leader - Mary Komperda; komperda.mary@gmail.com
- **Spruce Up our Worship Areas** – help with specialized cleaning in both of our churches – sign up for St Mary or Mater Christi
Leader - Bryant Rouleau; brouleau@stpaulviparish.org
- **Assemble Laundry Bags for BEDs Homeless** – pack bags filled with laundry pods, dryer sheets, and quarters so the homeless can do their laundry. We also need donations of laundry pods and quarters. St Mary Parish Center Lobby
Leader - Pat Cuevas; patcuevas35@gmail.com
- **Catholic Charities Sorting Coats & Clothing and Assembling Snack Packs** - sorting donated new and gently used coats & warm clothing & making after-school snack packs. St Mary Parish Center Lobby
Leader - Sue Jones; suejonesriverside@gmail.com
- **Assemble Toiletry/Essentials Kits for Guardian Corps Of America for the Chicago area homeless** - these kits will be distributed directly to the homeless on the streets by the Guardian Corps. St Mary Parish Center
Leader - Pat Madai; pmadai@stpaulviparish.org
- **Fall Park Cleanup with Riverside Forester** - environmental landscape work around town. Great for young people and adults who like working outdoors.
Leader - Bob Finn; finbob@gmail.com

Please email the project leader to sign up for one of these projects if you have not signed up yet or go to the Sign-up Genius. Bring your friends, neighbors, and fellow parishioners to 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.

Parish Events

SEASON 2
THE CHOSEN
WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE CHOSEN?
"BUT NOW THUS SAYS THE LORD, HE WHO CREATED YOU, O JACOB, HE WHO FORMED YOU, O ISRAEL: "FEAR NOT, FOR I HAVE REDEEMED YOU; I HAVE CALLED YOU BY NAME, YOU ARE MINE." – ISAIAH 43:1.
EVERY SUNDAY, SEPT. 18 - NOV. 6
1:00 - 2:30 PM
ST. MARY CHURCH (OAK ROOM- LOWER LEVEL)



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 would be useful.

Please contact the group facilitators for more information:

Deacon Peter Brown – pebrown@stpaulviparish.org
Jane Birmingham – jbirmingham@stpaulviparish.org
Trey VanDyke – tvandyke@pga.com

*Chicks, Coffee,
and Conversation*
hosted by the St. Paul VI
Women's Society

Join us as we gather to pray, read a Bible story,
share our thoughts, and hopefully laugh a lot!

This event is open to all ladies of St. Paul VI Parish.

We will gather on Saturday, November 12, 2022 at 10am
at Mater Christi in the Marian Room (lower level)

Please RSVP by filling out the online link:
www.tinyurl.com/cc111222
or calling: 708-224-9993 by November 5, 2022.

Save the Dates:
February 18, 2023: 7pm (MC)
April 29, 2023: 1pm (SM)
June 17, 2023: 7pm (SM)

Please read the Scripture Passage
(to participate in the discussion):
The Woman at the Well
John 4:7-42 & Luke 17:11-19

Small free-will offerings gratefully accepted.



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. SAVE THE DATE!



FAMILY CHRISTMAS TREE ORNAMENTS

All families of St. Paul VI Parish, including Religious Ed and St. Mary School, are invited to share a Christmas Ornament to be used in decorating the Family Christmas Tree in the Parish Center lobby. Ornaments should represent the family in some way and may be any style, either homemade or store bought. Ornaments may be dropped off at the Lyne Pastoral Center, St. Mary School, St. Mary Church, Mater Christi Church, or the St. Hugh Faith Formation Center from December 1st through December 16th, 2022.



ST. MARY SCHOOL ANNUAL

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There are still slots open for the supper this Tuesday, November 15th.

Visit SignUpGenius for details or to sign-up.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904054eaea62aaafc1-catholic56>

Volunteers are needed on the day of the supper. Any questions, send an email to Service Outreach, ServiceOutreach@stmaryriverside.org.



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!



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 or visit <https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/vz132w>. All aboard!!



On Saturday, 9/24 a small but spirited group of St. Paul the VI parishioners joined others in helping to feed the hungry flock of Cook County. The group packed onions.

The next session is Saturday, November 19th from 1:00 pm - 3:45 pm. 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.



FEEDING THE HUNGRY

ending homelessness

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

Sponsored by the St Paul VI Women's Society.



SHARE THE HARVEST

Share the harvest from your home's garden with SHARE THE HARVEST, an ecumenical ministry that provides home-grown vegetables/herbs/fruit to local food pantries. Please leave any amount of the harvest from your garden in the SHARE THE HARVEST basket at the elevator entrance of St. Mary Church after masses. It will get picked up after the 10 a.m. mass. Or you can leave your harvest on Monday mornings by 9:30 a.m. at the arbor entrance of The Garden of Eden (St. Mary Church's vegetable garden adjacent to the parking lot).

Questions: Contact Sallie at gardenministry@aol.com

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; or Susan Kahler, 708-805-1007, 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 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 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.



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.



Holy Matrimony

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 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 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.



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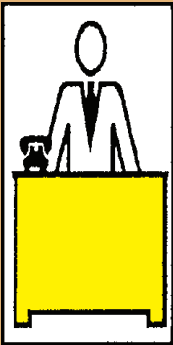
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