



ST. PAUL VI PARISH



15th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“The seed sown on rich soil is the one who hears the word and understands it, who indeed bears fruit and yields a hundred or sixty or thirtyfold.” - Mt 13:23

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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



I am not really a gardener. I do yard work; need the patio weeded, I'm your guy. Need a deck washed, I'll get the power-washer. Need some flowers planted, tell me where you want the holes, and I will dig them. But the actual art of gardening is not my thing. If I plant something, I expect it to grow. I will water it, and weed around it, a little, but that's about it; the last thing I want to do is spend a day or weekend outside and tend a garden, I would much rather just sit and enjoy it. But that is not how real gardening works.

The art of gardening is constant, hard work. It is not just about planting, weeding and watering. It is about observing and planning and tending and re-arranging. It is about soil and sun and shade and water. It is about hope and dreams and success and failure. Every gardener has their wild success stories countered by other stories of plants that just never "took" even though they should have. And then there are the "miracles" - plants that technically shouldn't have worked based on temperature zone or light, but for some reason just took root and become superstars!

The parable of the sower is not so much about the seed as it is about the garden and the gardeners. Rich fertile soil does not just happen; it must be analyzed and amended. Once sunny spots can grow shady because of maturing trees – great for the trees but what about the sun-loving plants underneath them that now cannot grow? If St. Paul VI is the garden and we are the gardeners, how are we doing?

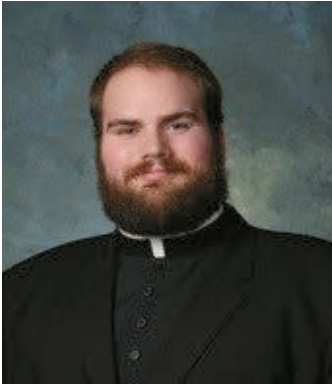
As we begin our third year as a parish community, what positives do you see? What seems to be growing and doing well? What isn't thriving at all no matter how much attention we give it? What seems to be taking root that is the biggest surprise? We all need to ask ourselves these questions and see how we can make the garden fruitful. More importantly, what is each of our roles – are we planters, weeders, waterers or gardeners? Hopefully we aren't the weeds!

In just a few short weeks, the parish will become increasingly active again. There will be many opportunities and events to attend, participate in and join. Pray to have the Holy Spirit help you to see where your talents can best be used for the health of our garden.

Speaking of actual gardens, I want to take this opportunity to thank Sallie Boge for her tireless efforts beautifying our campus gardens. Thank you to all the garden angels who so generously support our outdoor campus spaces through monetary and shared plant donations. If you haven't seen the new plantings at the Mother of Mothers Shrine, make your way over to that beautiful space. I hope you can all take some time to "stop and smell the roses" and enjoy the wonder of God's creation in our parish yards.

Fr. Tom May, Pastor

A message from our Associate Pastor



In our tumultuous times, we need a great saint to turn to — a saint who knows how to handle a world where the faith is out of favor and the future looks bleak. This past Friday the 14th we celebrated St. Kateri Tekakwitha. A great Native American/Indigenous saint that we can turn to in our needs. Tom Hoopes of Aleteia has four reasons why we need St. Kateri.

1. Because the Pope entrusted the renewal of our faith to her.

Pope Benedict XVI said it clearly the day he canonized Kateri in 2012: “We entrust to you the renewal of the faith in the first nations and in all of North America!”

With God, there are no coincidences, and the Church gives us saints suited to our times: St. Gianna Molla in the age of abortion; married saints Luis and Zellie Martin later this year as marriage comes under attack.

Kateri Tekakwitha was canonized in 2012, as a surge in cultural atheism swept America.

That was the year that sex selection abortions were embraced in Great Britain for parents who wanted to kill their girls, and abortionist Kermit Gosnell’s house of anti-woman horrors was exposed in Philadelphia.

The U.S. bishops responded with the first Fortnight for Religious Freedom in response to Obama’s HHS mandate attacking Catholic conscience rights. The Vatican convened a Synod on the New Evangelization and declared a Year of Faith.

Then, into this dark culture rejecting God, the Church inserted a new saint: A native American born in the same city that saw the Catholic missionaries St. Isaac Jogues, René Goupil and John Brebeuf martyred brutally 10 years before her birth.

2. Kateri lived the Catholic identity her neighbors rejected.

“May her example help us to live where we are, loving Jesus without denying who we are,” prayed Pope Benedict. Unfortunately, we American Catholics are not very good at that.

We want to accommodate with “where we are” as much as possible. We try to partake of the frat-house pleasures of modern America as much as we can without crossing the “mortal sin” line. But dancing on the edge of bare minimum morality makes us unhappy legalists, not joyful witnesses to freedom and hope.

St. Kateri showed a better way. She was self-possessed and firm in her convictions — even “in spite of the absence of external help,” said Pope Benedict, “by the courage of her vocation, so unusual in her culture.”

After learning about Jesus Christ initially from her mother, she rejected the arranged marriage her family had planned for her. She had to study the Catholic faith in secret, and when she was baptized as a young woman she was ridiculed and scorned by her people.

Her response was to live her faith anyway, regardless of what they said, and then to enter consecrated virginity.

3. Kateri embraced what was best in her culture.

“She worked, faithful to the traditions of her people, although renouncing their religious convictions, until her death at the age of twenty-four,” said Pope Benedict.

Kateri’s method is important to note: She embraced her personal Christian principles in the midst of her people, without turning her back on them or rejecting their legitimate ways.

Pope John Paul II in his beatification homily added the beautiful detail that Kateri was baptized “when following her tribe in the hunting seasons” and that she made her first Catholic devotions “before a rough cross carved by herself in the forest.”

Pope Francis in *Laudato Si* praises indigenous people’s values. The Mohawks had many virtues to recommend them: Not only harmony with nature, but harmony with the nature of things — they had no desire to redefine marriage away from its primary purpose of parenthood, for instance.

We can follow her example and embrace what our culture gets right: concern for the marginalized, desire for transparency and authenticity, etc. while rejecting what it gets wrong.

4. She was a living witness to Jesus.

“Leading a simple life, Kateri remained faithful to her love for Jesus, to prayer and to daily Mass,” said Benedict. “Her greatest wish was to know and to do what pleased God. She lived a life radiant with faith and purity.”

The simple life of Kateri, at first in her village and later in Montreal, shows that the first step to take in the New Evangelization is personal conversion.

Kateri was known for her gentleness, kindness, and good humor. Her favorite place was in front of the Blessed Sacrament. She was also known for her harsh penances — whipping herself in reparation for sins and to build self-discipline (which sounds a bit harsh).

When Kateri died on Wednesday of Holy Week in 1680, her last words were *Iesos konoronkwa* — “Jesus, I love you.”

Let us pray this July 14 that her last words will be the first words in the renewal of faith in America.

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*
5:00 pm Church

*Children's Liturgy of the Word

MASS LIVESTREAM LINK ON YOUTUBE:

[youtube.com/channel/UC1KACprstDfNk-Zy8MOAeaA](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC1KACprstDfNk-Zy8MOAeaA)
(no set Mass time for livestream)

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

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Mater Christi Church

Monday 6:00 to 8:00 pm

St. Mary Church

Thursday 3:00 to 9:00 pm

ROSARY

Mater Christi Church

Monday - Saturday 7:30 am

St. Mary Church

Monday - Friday After 8:30 am Daily Mass

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

PRESIDER SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF JULY 22 & 23:

St. Mary Church

			Presiders & Deacon
Saturday	July 22	4:00 PM	Fr. Robert Banzin
Sunday	July 23	8:00 AM	Fr. Thomas May
		10:00 AM	Fr. Brian Taber, SJ
		5:00 PM	Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

Mater Christi Church

			Presider:
Saturday	July 22	5:00 PM	Fr. Thomas May
Sunday	July 23	8:00 AM	Fr. Matthew Nemchausky
		9:30 AM	Fr. Matthew Nemchausky
		11:00 AM	Fr. Thomas Unz

**Presider schedule is subject to change.*

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE READING

Sunday: Is 55:10-11/Ps 65:1, 11, 12-13, 14 (Luke 8:8)
Rom 8:18-23/Mt 13:1-23 or 13:1-9

Monday: Ex 1:8-14, 22/Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8/
Mt 10:34—11:1

Tuesday: Ex 2:1-15a/Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34/
Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday: Ex 3:1-6, 9-12/Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 6-7/
Mt 11:25-27

Thursday: Ex 3:13-20/Ps 105:1 and 5, 8-9, 24-25,
26-27/Mt 11:28-30

Friday: Ex 11:10—12:14/Ps 116:12-13, 15 and 16bc,
17-18/Mt 12:1-8

Saturday: Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2, 3-4,
5-6, 8-9/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

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.

Virtual Prayer Wall requests can be made by visiting www.stpaulviparish.org or call the parish office at 708-447-1020.

HAIL MARY CHALLENGE

1,533,485

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 at this link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81210562468?pwd=eG80RGRkREdyN0RieUllVFVhYWVhBQT09>

Meeting ID: 812 1056 2468

Passcode: 949134

Please submit your count to stmarymarys@gmail.com. The counts received at are tabulated for inclusion in upcoming communications.

Worship

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 15 - St. Bonaventure

(MC) 8:00 am † St. Paul VI Parishioners

(SM) 4:00 pm † James W. Heilenbach (Ann & Stephen Kubiczky)

(MC) 5:00 pm † Irena & Marian Mazurkiewicz, Jean Folz (Pat Borow), Jim Burns (Del Burns), Kathleen & Eugene Holzmeister, Victor Julio Roa (Marie & Chris Battaglia)

Sunday, July 16

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Joseph & Leona Carrabotta (Rogelio Guico & Family), Kathleen & Eugene Holzmeister

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

(SM) 10:00 am † Lorraine Kwiatkowski, Nicoline Shields, Timothy Richards

(MC) 11:00 am † Raymond Grabarczyk (Chet)

(SM) 5:00 pm † Leo Augustinas, Jr. (Augustinas Family)

Monday, July 17

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Delwin & Elaine Stednitz (Camille Berg), Alice Hanskiewicz & Anna Berg (Camille Berg)

Tuesday, July 18 - St. Camillus de Lellis

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † John Hanskiewicz, (Camille Berg), Robert & Joseph Berg (Camille Berg)

Wednesday, July 19

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Richard Melanson (John & Susie O'Brien), Brendan Melanson

Thursday, July 20 - St. Apollinaris

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Helen Prepura, Jim Zak (Myra Zak), John Biba (Arlene Biba)

Friday, July 21 - St. Lawrence of Brindisi

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Joan Reilly (SPVI)

Saturday, July 22 - St. Mary Magdalene

(MC) 8:00 am † Healing for those sick in our parish

(SM) 4:00 pm † Peggy Lee, Jovita Sandoval, Katherine Jeans (Ann & Stephen Kubiczky)

(MC) 5:00 pm † Jim Burns (Del Burns), Kathleen & Eugene Holzmeister

Sunday, July 23

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Kathleen & Eugene Holzmeister, Jacqueline Offerman (Glenn Kozeluh)

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

(SM) 10:00 am † Edward Jacky (Pat Hanna), Celestine Casper, James A Bigane

(MC) 11:00 am † St. Paul VI Parishioners

(SM) 5:00 pm † Antonina Gulli (Gattuso Family), Luigi Gattuso (Gattuso Family), Andrea Gattuso (Gattuso 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
Raymond Ciesel, Albina Mladenoff,
and Andrew Garcia.**

May they rest in peace.

FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Virginia Alba	Russell Klemp
Cheryl Albertsen	Joanne Kosey
Christine Alvarado	Jerry Kosik
Jim Arndt	Donald J. Kotrba, Sr.
Neenah B.	Mary Kratochvil
Arlene Batek	Joseph Kratochvil
Alberto Blasi	Diane Kretz
Anita Blasi	Dorothy Kraus
Deacon Bob Boharic	Christina Lee
Jennifer Borow	Ramon Lehnen
Lauri Bukowski	Anthony Lindauer
Del Burns	Charlotte Lindauer
Raybon Carroll	Ashley Marlow
Al Cimino	Eileen Marquetti
Victorino Herrera Corral	Emily Martinez
Glen Cox	Harper Faith McGee
Gloria DeSanto	Spencer Mehr
Margarita Diaz	Dolores Messlein
Therese Dolmant	Lizzie Mooney
Carol Dvorak	Freda Murphy
Alex Dynako	Irene Nelsen
David Dynako	Annie Nystrom
Elliott Franche	Russ O'Brien
Midge Galloro	Beth Pennacchio
Lindsey Gavin	Dean Pennacchio
Jayne Girard	Rafaela Perez
Dawn Gmitro	Elsie Piszczor
Mimi Gnolfo	Maria Pura
Bern Gordus	Maria Retana
Anthony Gorski	Roberto Requena
Elena Gorski	Dolores Rieber
Irene Gorski	George Rieber Sr.
Bob Gurski	Al Riebock
Katie Hassberger	Rogelio Rojas
Thomas Higgins	Maria Consuelo Serrano
Marilynne Higgins	Carol Schaffer
Robert Holas	Lorraine Schmecht
Irene Horacek	Ann Stauffer
Olga Horacek	Nicholas John Stiso
Peggy K	Ethan Tkalec
Wassyl Kalin	Maria Villafuerte
Noel Keen	Jennifer Walden
Bill Kernan	Carina Willems
Patricia King	Henry & Dorothy Zalabak
Norman Kirkley	Pat Zdarsky
Theresa Kledek	

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 minimum 2 weeks prior to the requested Sunday bulletin date.

Stewardship: Gifts of Time, Talent & Treasure

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



2023 LEGACY PLANNING

Bring Christ to the World Through Your Legacy

As we stand before God's promise to make all things new, please consider one of the greatest acts of stewardship by including a gift to our parish in one of the following ways:

- Will or Trust
- Retirement Assets
- Life Insurance Policies
- Charitable Gift Annuity

If you would like more information on how to make a QCD gift to St. Paul VI Parish, please contact Jane Birmingham at 708-447-1020 or jbirmingham@stpaulviparish.org.

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



Missionary Cooperation Plan

We will soon be hosting a missionary visitor! The summer Missionary Cooperation Plan is an opportunity for our parish to learn about, support, and be inspired by the work of missionaries ministering in another part of the world. We are pleased to receive a visit from Rev. Savio J. Samala, a representative of the SOCIETY FOR FAITH AND CHILDREN'S EDUCATION (SFACE) on the weekend of July 22-23. The primary goal of SFACE is to provide post-secondary education to young adults in developing countries. Over the past 13 years, SFACE sponsored 500 College students with a three-year of scholarship. We also completed SFACE Mission Center in India where further Faith Formation and retreats will continue to nourish the spiritual life of the young adults.

Please pray for missionaries worldwide who empower local leaders to form and nourish communities of faith where the Church is young, struggling, or economically strained. If you are able, place a donation to support this mission cause in the second collection basket. Please make checks out to the parish. Or you can make a donation online at

WeAreMissionary.org/give.



Rev. Savio Samala, co-founder

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 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.

Parish Events & Announcements



Congratulations!

ON YOUR WEDDING DAY

July 15, 2023

Christine Vassos & Danijel Golub



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

July 9, 2023

Reese Daley Bulleri
Enzo Joseph Marousek
Connor John Mitchell
Erika Kathleen Spizzirri



NATIONAL
**Eucharistic
Revival**

This weekend on the Feast of Corpus Christi, the National Eucharistic Revival designated by the USCCB draws to a close the *Year of Diocesan Revival* and begins the *Year of Parish Revival*. This period will last from the Feast of Corpus Christi 2023 to July 17, 2024. This means that individual pastors around the world will engage their staff and parishioners with community-specific activities and events throughout the year.

The Holy Spirit's call to renewal can be broken down into four invitations based on the pillars of the Revival: reinvigorate worship, create moments of personal encounter, engage in robust formation, and send Catholics forth as missionaries.

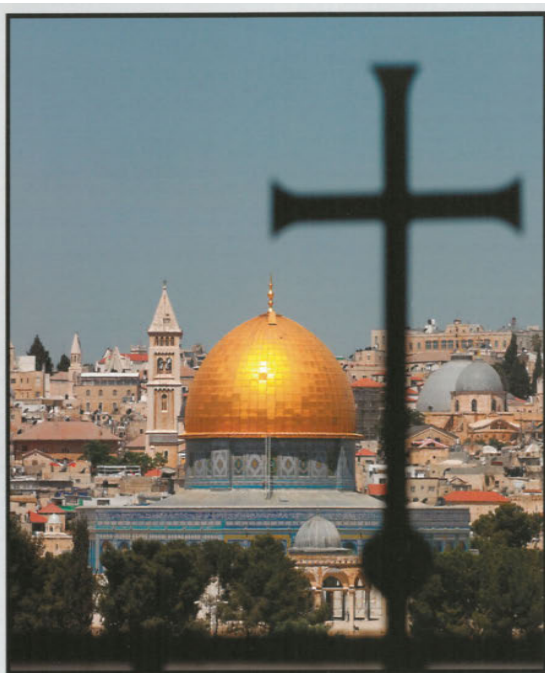
St. Paul VI Parish will host events such as catechetical formation on the Real Presence of Christ, opportunities to better understand and enter more deeply into the Paschal Mystery through the celebration of the Mass, and extended opportunities for Adoration and Reconciliation. Be sure to check the bulletin and our website for more information.



Please mark your calendars for:

- **October 17- Fr. Timothy Anastos**, Kerygmatic Eucharistic Speaker, will speak to our parish at 7pm in St. Mary Church.
- **October 19-23rd- Blessed Carlo Acutis Eucharistic Miracle Exhibit** will be on display at our parish. Please look for more information in the bulletin and on our website.

If you want more information about the National Eucharistic Revival, scan the QR Code.



Biblical Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

~ February 18 - 29, 2024 ~

visiting: Bethlehem, Sea of Galilee, Mount of Beatitudes, Nazareth, Cana,
Caesarea-by-the-Sea, Jerusalem, Jericho, The Dead Sea and more!

Hosted by:

Fr. Tom May

Fr. Carl Morello

St. Paul VI Catholic Parish
Riverside, Illinois

St. Giles Catholic Parish
Oak Park, Illinois

See our parish website for complete details:

<https://www.stpaulviparish.org/news--events/travel-with-fr-tom-to-the-holy-land>

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July 24th, 25th & 26th, 2023

Pick Up Location

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AUGUST 3RD, 2023



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ST. PAUL VI PARISH

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2023 Summer Block Party

FREE ADMISSION

FAMILY FUN!

50/50 RAFFLE

Sunday, August 27

2:00 - 8:00 PM

MATER CHRISTI CAMPUS
2401 S. 10TH AVE, NORTH RIVERSIDE

FOR MORE DETAILS, VISIT WWW.STPAULVIPARISH.ORG.



Scan the QR Code to order your tickets online.

Block Party Menu & Prices

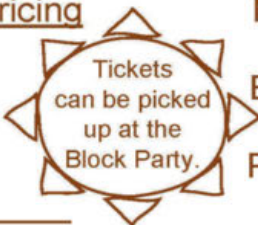
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| Soda & Water - \$1 | Burger & Chips - \$5 |
| Beer & Wine - \$4 | Bratwurst & Chips - \$5 |
| Bakery - \$2 | Hot Dog & Chips - \$3 |
| Ice Cream - \$2 | Nachos - \$3 |
| Freeze Pops - \$1 | Tamales - \$3 |
| Cake Walk - \$2 | |

Tickets can also be purchased on our website: www.stpaulviparish.org.

Presale Tickets for Block Party (for Food, Drinks, & Cake Walk)

Special PreSale Pricing

- \$5 for 6 tickets
- \$10 for 12 tickets
- \$20 for 25 tickets



Name _____

Email _____

Phone Number _____

of Tickets _____

All Presale Ticket orders are due by August 21.

Tickets can also be purchased online: www.stpaulviparish.org

Total Cost \$ _____ Make checks payable to St. Paul VI Parish.

\$ _____ I am not able to attend, please accept my donation for the Block Party.

All Tickets will cost \$1 each after August 21 and at the Block Party.

St. Mary School



St. Mary School
Riverside, IL

OPEN ENROLLMENT!

Still accepting registration for the 2023-2024 school. Please call the school office at (708) 442-5747 to schedule a personal tour, or email our Principal at nnolazco@stmaryriverside.org.



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ST. PAUL VI PARISH

2023/24 RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registration is now open for the 2023/24 catechetical year. The St. Paul VI Religious Education program offers full sacramental preparation for the sacraments of initiation into the Catholic faith; First Reconciliation, First Holy Eucharist, and Confirmation.



Register Now!



www.stpaulviparish.org



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Service Opportunities

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 3rd 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 3rd 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, July 18th. Check the SignUpGenius link for more info: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904054eaea62aaafc1-catholic61#/>



FOOD PANTRY - STOCK THE PANTRY!!

Summer is almost here! Families take a break and people go on vacations. But the Food Pantry stays open. Please continue to support the Food Pantry by keeping it stocked this summer. 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, and 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 COLLECTING DIAPERS FOR CATHOLIC CHARITIES

Thank You for your generous donations to the ongoing Knights of Columbus Diaper Drive for Catholic Charities. Any sizes will help families and babies in need but **sizes 5 & 6 are the most needed.** Please drop off your donations at the parish office located at 40 E Burlington St, Riverside, or Mater Christi Church at 2401 S. 10th Ave., North Riverside.



SERVICE OUTREACH

How can I volunteer to serve others? Is there a group at St. Paul VI Parish that helps others outside our parish?

These questions may come to mind when you see and hear of hardships that others in our community and in the world are enduring. The St. Paul VI Service Outreach Committee (SOC) focus is to inspire and lead the parish faith community in ministering to those in poverty, service members in the military, the elderly, community families and the environment. Visit our page on the St. Paul VI [website](#), see what we have done, projects that are ongoing and how you can help.



housing FORWARD

ending homelessness

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.

FEEDING THE HUNGRY

Do you enjoy cooking? There is an opportunity and need for volunteers to help feed the hungry



Please help The St. Mary Garden Ministry feed the hungry.

*If you cannot feed a hundred people,
then feed just one... Mother Teresa*

How this works:

We give you free vegetable and herb plants to grow in your own garden.

You donate what you grow to Share The Harvest, an ecumenical ministry that supplies fresh produce to local food pantries.

You deliver what you grow to St. Mary Garden Ministry volunteers at St. Mary Church parking lot on Monday mornings by 9:30 a.m. from mid-May through late October.

Please contact Sallie Boge for complete details 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.

For information, call the parish office at 708-447-1020.

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 the parish office 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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