

St. Paul VI Holy Name Society

40 E. Burlington St., Riverside, Il 60546

September 2022

May Meeting Recap

Our May meeting was attended by 45 members. A dinner of steak and potatoes was served. Thank you to our grilling crew: Ken Rouleau, Bob Tuider, Leon Stachewicz, Tim Mayyou, Jon Rouleau, Jason Rouleau, and Matt Rouleau. Also, a big thank you for Tischler's for providing the delicious steaks. Cannot wait to see everyone in September for Italian sausage night

Congrats to the 50/50 winners. \$112 Matt Rouleau, \$10.00 George Zdarsky, \$5.00 Nick Tricoci

During the May meeting, the NHS membership approved the new officers Ted Watylyk (President) and Kevin Lukwinski (Treasurer). Dave Tomalis (Vice-President Membership), Adam Endriukaitis (Vice-President Social) and Eddie Marquez (Secretary) will continue for another year.

Thanks to our outgoing officers Phil Santoro (President) and Fernando Flores (Treasurer) for their service to the organization

Membership recap

We had one new member, Welcome Nick Tricoci!! HNS Mass on May 15th at the St Mary's parish campus had 12 members attend. A special thanks to Dave Tomalis for taking the initiative and organizing this Mass. Okay turnout for hospitality but it was a beautiful day so people scattered after Mass. Thank you to Phil, Matt Binder, and Andy for helping out plus all the members who attended! Leftover cookies were given to the St Mary's students having the car wash that day. The new HNS swag was delivered the week of May 30th and Dave Tomalis delivered swag to those who pre-paid.

September Meeting

Our next Holy Name Meeting will be held on Friday, September 9th, 2022.

The doors open at 7:00 and the meeting starts at 7:30. A meal of Italian sausage and chips will be served.

We will welcome members of the St. Mary's Men's Club who will speak to us about their Senior Dinner event, as well as their history, and activities of their organization.

Wearing a mask during the meeting continues to optional.

Monthly Mass

Our September Holy Name Mass will be celebrated on **Sunday, September 11, 2022, at 9:30 am. The Annual Membership Breakfast** will be after the Mass.

Annual Membership Breakfast

The Annual Membership Breakfast will be held on Sunday, September 11, 2022 in Menarik Hall following the 9:30 AM Mass. If you know of any men who are new to the parish or who would be interested in joining our group, please encourage them to attend our Mass and delicious membership breakfast.

This year, we are fortunate to have Julie Papievis as our guest speaker. Julie is a survivor of a severe brain stem injury. As a result of her death experience and miraculous recovery she now speaks to various schools through an international injury prevention program called ThinkFirst, as well as to countless medical, community and spiritual organizations. Julie is the Brand Ambassador for Fairhaven Wealth Management. She advocates for others who face sudden physical, emotional, and financial changes in their lives. Her story has been featured in Women's Day, Chicago Women, First for Women magazines. She has made various television appearances on Lifetime, TLN television; ABC, CNN, WGN's WB, CBN's 700 Club Show, and most recently the Dr. Oz show. She has been featured in the Chicago Tribune, Chicago Sun-Times, and The Daily Herald. In Julie's book "Go Back and Be Happy", she illustrates how tragedy can be turned into triumph. Dying into living. Despair into hope. Her story can be an inspiration for a real-life tragedy in how to overcome it.

We look forward to having Julie Papievis as our guest speaker. Please join us at Mass that day and afterwards at the Annual Membership Breakfast for camaraderie, laughs, and delicious food to kick off another great year with St. Paul VI Holy Name Society.

Sick and Vigil

Thank God, Again, nothing to report.

Golf Outing Recap

On Friday, June 10th, the Holy Name Society held our annual Golf Outing at Gleneagles Country Club for the last time. Since 1991, Gleneagles has been home to our outing. It was an emotional day as there were many connections with staff at the course and the good times experienced over the years. Stephen Piszczor will have more details and a report during our September meeting.

CAHNS Spiritual Assembly Recap

On Friday, June 17th, the Chicago Association of Holy Name Societies held its annual Spiritual Assembly at Immaculate Conception Parish, in Chicago. There was a contingent of our membership present: Phil Santoro, Ted Watylyk, Matt Binder, Stephen Piszczor, Rich Sima, and David Tomalis. Check out our photo in the Chicago Catholic at https://www.chicagocatholic.com/chicagoland/-/article/2022/07/07/holy-name-societies-gather-for-annual-mass. All members are encouraged to participate in this event next year.