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Teacher



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Teacher



Ms. Bober
Teacher



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Asst Principal



Mrs. Nolzco
Principal



Fr. May
Pastor



Fr. Nemchausky
Assoc. Pastor



Sr. Josephine
Teacher



Ms. Peterson
Teacher



Mr. Wallace
Teacher



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Ruiz



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Michaelina Romero



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ST. PAUL VI PARISH

SUNDAY, JUNE 2, 2024

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

TAKE IT; THIS IS
MY BODY.

— MARK 14:22 —



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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



This past week has been very busy at St Paul VI! We celebrated Sister Josephine's 25th Anniversary, we hosted the annual Riverside Memorial Day service in the Parish Center, and St. Mary School held graduation for the 8th grade Class of 2024!

As I looked out into the audience during the ceremony, I was struck by how quickly time goes by. I was just beginning my second year as pastor at St Mary when some of these students were beginning their educational journey in 3-day Pre-School! As they go off to their respective high schools, I hope they carry with them and put into practice the many lessons they have learned from their time at St Mary School. We wish them all the best of luck and will keep them in our prayers!

This coming week will mark the end of the school year. Thank you to all of our teachers, our aides, our administration, and all of the parents who volunteered their time to serve on committees, coach and raise funds for our school. We hope you all have a restful and peaceful summer – August will be here before you know it!

Teen Alpha is beginning this week on June 3. Let us keep these young people in our community in our prayers as they discuss some of life's big questions. The world is not the easiest place to navigate these days and we need to create spaces, especially for our young people, to be able to come and see how faith, prayer, and Jesus Christ can change their lives.

I hope you will consider coming to No Bug Bingo on Friday June 14 in the Parish Center. It promises to be a casual evening of fun, indoors with no cicadas! You must be 21 and above to attend.

Don't forget to mark your calendars for June 23 for our Sending Forth Farewell for Fr. Matt. It will be at the Mater Christi campus after the 11:00 am mass and last until 3 PM.

Happy June! As always, our doors we will be open all summer and we hope to see you around at Mass and our events.

Fr. Tom May, Pastor



**Congratulations
on your Ordination to
the Priesthood**

Father Timothy Berryhill

Welcome to St. Paul VI Parish!
(Serving the Communities of
Riverside, North Riverside,
and Lyons.)

 **ST. PAUL VI PARISH**

St. Paul VI Parish
40 E. Burlington Street
Riverside IL 60546
www.stpaulviparish.org



"... I heartily thank Mr. & Mrs. Watylyk from Pope Paul VI Parish for making this celebration a joy-filled one. Thank you all for beautifully animating today's liturgy... St. Mary School Community, please accept my deepest gratitude for all you do and have done for me." - Sr. Josephine

A message from our Associate Pastor



In “abandoning ourselves to Jesus, the Lord will be the great providence, [...] let us merely put ourselves at His command with docility of spirit.”

This weekend as we celebrate Corpus Christi, Isabella H. de Carvalho of Aletheia reminds us of the words of Pope Francis. In order to “make the Church the Body of Christ” we must keep our eyes on “the Transfigured Christ present in the Eucharist.” This was Pope Francis’ advice to Spanish seminarians from Madrid, whom he met at the Vatican on February 3, 2024. He encouraged these possible future priests to focus on the Eucharist and adoration, as a source of inspiration and faith for their mission.

“Trust in He who called you to this beautiful task, and prostrate yourselves in adoration so as to be able to build with docility the temple of God in your people and in your communities,” the Pope told the seminarians, who were accompanied by Cardinal José Cobo Cano, archbishop of Madrid.

To guide them, he cited the ideas of a Spanish bishop from the late 1800s, St. Manuel Gonzalez. The Pope explained that this bishop wanted “a seminary in which the Eucharist would be: in the pedagogical order, the most effective stimulus; in the scientific order, the first teacher and the first subject; in the disciplinary order, the most vigilant inspector; in the ascetical order, the liveliest model; in the economic order, the great providence; and in the architectural order, the cornerstone.”

After mentioning this vision, the Pope then launched into his own explanation of it, breaking down the different points to help the seminarians understand how the Eucharist can help make God the “cornerstone” of their lives.

Let us review these points so as to place God at the center, or rather, to allow Him to be the foundation, the plan and the architect, the cornerstone. This is obtained only with adoration. Jesus – our saint [Manuel] tells us – will do so as a pedagogue — patient, severe, gentle and firm according to what we need in our discernment, because He knows us better than we know ourselves, and He waits for us, He encourages us and He sustains us throughout our journey. He is our greatest stimulus, because we have consecrated our lives to follow Him.

Letting Jesus guide us

The Pope explained how in adoration Christ can especially reach the heart of every person and guide him or her on the best path. This helps us see that Jesus is at one and the same time the most important teacher and most important subject matter of study.

“From Jesus we do not learn things, we welcome Him, we hold on to Him in order to be able to bring Him to others,” he continued. “The great lesson that the Lord gives us is humility, He became flesh, earth, man, humus [latin for earth, ground,] for us, out of love.”

Entering in a true relationship with God

Then the Pope explained that through adoration Christ helps one reflect on his worldly desires. “For discipline, confronting the Eucharist every morning – the most vigilant inspector – makes us reflect on the futility of our worldly ideas, our desires to ascend, to appear, to stand out,” the Pontiff said. “He who is immense makes a total gift of Himself and in my hands, before communion, He asks me: Have you reconciled with your brother? Have you dressed yourself in your festive garb? Are you ready to enter my eternal banquet?”

The Pope then explained that in order to answer those questions and do what God has planned for our lives, we must put in some work — “asceticism” — and confront things directly. “It is necessary to enter into the desert, so that He may speak to our heart,” Francis said.

“If [our heart] is filled with worldliness, with things, however ‘religious’ they may be called, God will not find room, nor will we hear Him when He knocks on our door. Therefore, silence, prayer, fasting, penance, and asceticism are necessary to free ourselves from what enslaves us, and to be fully God’s.”

Fr. Matt Nemchausky, Associate Pastor

Worship

MASS SCHEDULE

Mater Christi Church

Daily Mass
Monday-Saturday 8:00 am

Anticipated Mass
Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday Mass
8:00 am (en español)
9:30 am
11:00 am

St. Mary Church

Daily Mass
Monday-Friday 8:30 am
Anticipated Mass
Saturday 4:00 pm

Sunday Mass
8:00 am
10:00 am
5:00 pm

MASS LIVESTREAM LINK ON YOUTUBE:

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 8:00 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 JUNE 8 & JUNE 9:

St. Mary Church

	President:
Saturday June 8	4:00 PM Fr. Laurant Mhagama
Sunday June 9	8:00 AM Fr. Brian Taber, SJ
	10:00 AM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky
	5:00 PM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

Mater Christi Church

	President:
Saturday June 8	5:00 PM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky
Sunday June 9	8:00 AM Fr. Vittorio Bruscella, CMF
	9:30 AM Fr. Robert Banzin
	11:00 AM Fr. Thomas May

**Presider schedule is subject to change.*

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE READING

Sunday: Ex 24:3-8/Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18 (13)/
Heb 9:11-15/Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

Monday: 2 Pt 1:2-7/Ps 91:1-2, 14-15b, 15c-16/
Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday: 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18/Ps 90:2, 3-4, 10, 14 and 16/Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12/Ps 123:1b-2ab, 2cdef/
Mk 12:18-27

Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15/Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14/
Mk 12:28-34

Friday: Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9/Ps 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 (3)/
Eph 3:8-12, 14-19/Jn 19:31-37

Saturday: 2 Tm 4:1-8/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd/
Lk 2:41-51

GOSPEL MEDITATION

ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

By Father John Muir

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

The best way to understand the Eucharist is to recall God's long, careful teaching process beginning in the Old Testament. This week in Exodus 24, we learn the basic pattern. Moses reads the dictates of God's law to the people, who profess their allegiance to it. Then Moses takes representatives of Israel's twelve tribes and splashes the sacrificed blood of animals in two directions: on the altar and on the people. It's clear and serious business: clear, because the participants are entering a blood-bond with God Himself; serious, because the dead animals symbolize the life-and-death stakes at play.

Many centuries later, God uses the experience at Sinai to teach us something new. At the Last Supper, like a new Moses, Jesus proposes to "pour out" blood as a new covenant. It will land on the altar of the cross and the lips of his disciples. They have promised to be obedient to him who is God's law in flesh. This renews and elevates the breath-taking romance God wants with His people, unfolding from Sinai to this Supper. The Body and Blood of Christ is the sacrificial action whereby this covenant is strengthened.

How hopeful that, like us, the Israelites and the apostles repeatedly fail to live up to their promises and discover that the blood of the covenant continually renews and refreshes them. Today the blood of Christ faithfully flows, to unite and renew, moving us forward toward where our great teacher is taking us. This week, we should say a renewed "amen" to God who so carefully teaches us how to be one with Him in this new covenant.

Worship

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 1 - St. Justin

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

(SM) 4:00 pm † Celestine Casper, David Todd (Carolyn Boch), Jim & Del Burns (Pennachio Family)

(MC) 5:00 pm † Jim Burns (The Pennacchio Family), Del Burns (Pat & Ron Borow), Daniel Dulik (Ron & Pat Borow)

Sunday, June 2 - THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † St. Paul VI Deacons & their families

(MC) 9:30 am † Fr. Cyril Nemecek (Ludmila Vavrinec), Daniel Dulik, Rudolf, Yolana & Miroslav Vavrinec (Ludmila Vavrinec), Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jasso, Andrew Garcia, Maria Pura

(SM) 10:00 am † Charlotte Lindauer (Drummond/Bialas Families), Eva Kunkel (Frank Gazzolo)

(MC) 11:00 am † Alberta Peruzzo, Margaret Yung (James & Joanne Wenzbauer), Thomas Gill, Jr. (Dvorak Family)

(SM) 5:00 pm † Therese Reniche for healing (Anne Lysaught), Alfonso Corral, Elizabeth Gazzolo (Frank & Kathleen Gazzolo), Jaime Galindo, Socorro Esparza, Maria Luisa Galindo

Monday, June 3 - St. Charles Lwanga

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Fr. M. Cyril Nemecek (SPBM)

Tuesday, June 4

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Don & Mary Miller (Bob & Judy Finn), Tom Lysaught IV for healing (Anne Lysaught), Fr. M. Cyril Nemecek

Wednesday, June 5 - St. Boniface

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Rosemary McDonald (MC Rosary Group)

Thursday, June 6 - St. Norbert

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Marsha Olson (SPVI Bereavement Ministry), Tom & Eileen Herbstritt (John & Susie O'Brien)

Friday, June 7 - The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † School Sisters of Notre Dame Benefactors, Richard Rozewski (SPVI Bereavement Ministry), Fr. Aloysius Menarik

Saturday, June 8 - THE IMMACULATE HEART OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

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

(SM) 4:00 pm † Freda & James Murphy (Patricia Madai), Guy Belmonte (Sharmayne Stach), Dorothy Kraus (Carl & Cheryl Ferraro)

(MC) 5:00 pm † Celestine Casper, Alfred Spagnoletti, Del Burns (Fr. Michael L. Zoufal), Jim Burns, Kerry Sieck

Sunday, June 9 - TENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Barbara Blazina (Blazina Family), Apolonio Avalos, Andrea Monteverde, Guadalupe Cavazos

(MC) 9:30 am † Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jasso, Andrew Garcia, Edwin Dulik, Guy Belmonte (Ted & Jeanine Watylyk), Maria Cora Pura (Ted & Jeanine Watylyk)

(SM) 10:00 am † Thomas Franzak (Franzak-Hopper Families), Mary Rossi (Gloria & Rich Rossi), Eva Kunkel (John & Michele Showel & Family), Baby Lysaught (Anne Lysaught)

(MC) 11:00 am † Women's Society Mass, Dick Vabro (Santoro & Watylyk Families), Irene Horacek (Santoro & Watylyk Families)

(SM) 5:00 pm † Joseph & Leona Carrabotta (Anne Lysaught), Elizabeth Gazzolo (Frank & Kathleen Gazzolo), Alfonso Corral, Jaime Galindo, Socorro Esparza, Maria Luisa Galindo



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	Roberto Medina
Richard Alvarez	Domingo Martinez
Chad Barner	Spencer Mehr
Arlene Batek	Christopher Mounts
Mary Binder	Patricia Mounts
Renee Collins-Marah	Roake Mounts
Alex Dynako	Cecylia Noveli
David Dynako	Ofelia Pelaez
Elaine Dynako	Beth Pennacchio
Barbara Gurski	Dean Pennacchio
Bob Gurski	Elsie Piszczor
Dolores Gryzlak	Bryan Poehler
Marilynne Higgins	Richard Ptak
Tom Higgins	Albert Riebock
Terry Hunt	Elizabeth S.C.
Aurora Infante	Maripat Scanlon
Patricia King	Jack Silhavy
Jerry Kosik	Ethan Tkalec
Diane Kretz	Maria Villafuerte
Ramon Lehnen	Miguel Villafuerte
Anthony Lindauer	Carina Willems
Barb Marszewski	Pat Zdarsky
Emily Martinez	

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- 1,892,527

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>

Meeting ID: 812 1056 2468 **Passcode:** 375243

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

Stewardship: Gifts of Time, Talent & Treasure

2024 LEGACY PLANNING

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



A Tax-Savvy Way to Support St. Paul VI Parish

Please help us cover our increased operating costs by considering a direct gift of securities or mutual funds that have appreciated in value and have been held for more than one year.

When you donate appreciated securities or mutual funds to our parish, you can reduce or even eliminate federal capital gains taxes on the transfer. You may also be entitled to a federal income tax charitable deduction based on the fair market value of the securities at the time of the transfer. For more information about donating stock or securities, please contact your financial advisor.

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



Second and Special Collections 2024

Priests' Health & Retirement	June 9, 2024
Peter's Pence	June 30, 2024
Missionary Co-Op	July 27-28, 2024
Seminarian Education	September 22, 2024
World Mission Sunday	October 20, 2024
Catholic Campaign for Human Development	November 17, 2024
Retirement Fund for Religious	December 8, 2024

TICKETS ARE STILL AVAILABLE! GET YOURS TODAY!

ALL proceeds from this fundraiser will help defray regular operating costs in the parish budget. **Help us reach our FUNDRAISING GOAL of \$35,000.**

For the official rules, terms and conditions, visit our website at www.stpaulviparish.org.

Tickets will also be available for purchase at 40 E. Burlington, Riverside.

[Visit our website to download and print the order form.](#) Ticket numbers are assigned in the order payments are received.

Any questions? Please contact Jane Birmingham at jbirmingham@stpaulviparish.org or 708-853-1421.

Thank you in advance for supporting the parish and GOOD LUCK!



May 27, 2024
WINNERS!

1st Place (\$75) # 122 Joseph Jeras	2nd Place (\$25) # 002 Michael Filisha
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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 email will be sent to you.

Una gran noticia! ¡Nuestra comunidad de fe está creciendo con nuevas familias más jóvenes! Damos la bienvenida a nuestros hermanos y hermanas latinos a la Parroquia St. Paul VI. Los miembros de la comunidad latina están invitados a reunirse para discutir las necesidades de la comunidad de fe latina en la parroquia.

Con la introducción de una misa en español en Mater Christi, la naturaleza de la comunidad latina ha ido creciendo. Nos gustaría saber de nuestras familias latinas sobre sus necesidades en nuestra comunidad de fe. Todos son bienvenidos a unirse a nosotros para la reunión de la comunidad latina el miércoles 12 de junio a las 7:00 p.m. en el Salón Marian (sotano) de la Iglesia Mater Christi. Si no puede asistir y desea compartir sus ideas, envíe un correo electrónico a Matt Brophy a mbrophy@archchicago.org o Maria Ramos a marramos@archchicago.org



Great News! Our Faith Community is growing with new younger families! We welcome our Latino brothers and sisters to St. Paul VI Parish. Members of the Latino Community are invited to meet to discuss the needs of the Latino faith community at the parish. With the introduction of a

Spanish mass at Mater Christi, the nature of the Latino community has been growing. We would like to hear from our Latino families regarding their needs in our faith community. All are welcome to join us for the Latino Community Meeting on Wednesday, June 12th at 7:00 PM in the Marian Room (lower level) of Mater Christi Church. If you are unable to attend and would like to share your ideas, please email Matt Brophy at mbrophy@archchicago.org or Maria Ramos at marramos@archchicago.org

Stewardship: Gifts of Time, Talent & Treasure



PRIESTS' HEALTH and RETIREMENT

June 8 - 9, 2024

Next weekend, we will be having a special collection for our Priests' Health and Retirement fund. Priests have dedicated their lives to ministry, serving our needs as Catholics from the moment we are baptized until we receive last rites before entering eternal life. Priests' Health and Retirement/PRMAA provides for the health and well-being of 411 active and 253 retired archdiocesan priests.

Today, with healthcare and retirement costs rising, there is an urgent need for your support. Your generosity to the Priests' Health and Retirement/PRMAA ensures our priests can continue their meaningful work in our parishes by providing funds for

- Health insurance
- Medication
- Wellness costs
- Nursing care
- Independent retirement living residences
- Priests' retirement funds

The archdiocese is committed to caring for our priests, but we need your assistance. Your generosity will not only ensure the health and well-being of our priests, but also support their ability to continue meaningful work in our parishes and communities.

You can make a gift online, https://give.archchicago.org/site/Donation2?df_id=1940&1940.donation=form1&mfc_pref=T or you may send your contribution to:

Priests' Health and Retirement/PRMAA
1400 South Wolf Road, Bldg 3, Flr 2
Hillside, IL 60162

Or call, 708.449.8026

Your generous contribution is greatly appreciated. Know that you are remembered in the prayers of the priests of the Archdiocese of Chicago.

ST. PAUL VI MIGRANT FAMILY NEEDS OUR HELP! FEEDING THE HUNGRY!

If the Lord moves your heart to help feed this family, please use the link or the QR code for this corporal work of mercy.

Please use the link below or the QR code to make donations.

<https://giving.parishsoft.com/App/Form/cd784709-33c7-42e0-b450-292ab66952ea>



If you have any questions as to how you can help Jose and Andreina and their family, please contact Matt Brophy at mbrophy@archchicago.org or the parish office at 708.447.1020



HELP SUPPORT YOUTH MINISTRY!



We are so excited to announce that 21 students and 8 adults will be attending the [Appalachian Service Project](#) trip for St. Paul VI Parish from June 23-29! We are headed to Perry County, Kentucky and have four teams of kids ranging from incoming eighth graders to incoming seniors in high school from St. Mary, Hauser, Fenwick, and RB! We have been working hard to learn carpentry and home building skills to prepare for our trip and now, we need your help!



The approximate cost for one participant to attend this trip is \$700. Our students have been fundraising all year to help reduce the cost of the trip.

Through the generosity of the **Knights of Columbus** and the **Holy Name Society**, we are well on our way to meeting our fundraising goal.

We hope that you can help us fund the gap for our 21 student participants, so our goal is to raise **\$3000 by June 1st!** As St. Paul VI works to build our youth ministry program, we hope you will join us in supporting these young Catholics!

Please use this link to give: <https://giving.parishsoft.com/App/Form/83307fb4-78da-4ae0-9915-0023956b5e27>



Any funds raised over the \$3000 will be used for our ASP Trip in the summer of 2025!



Parish Announcements & Events



SCHOOL OF PARISH LEADERSHIP & EVANGELIZATION

University of
Saint Mary of the Lake

Are you passionate about serving your parish community and making a positive impact? A Certificate of Lay Leadership with the University of Saint Mary of the Lake (USML) is your gateway to enhancing your skills, deepening your faith, and becoming a confident leader within the Catholic Church. USML provide academic courses and formative experiences for those seeking to build the Kingdom of God in our world through our School of Parish Leadership and Evangelization (SPLE).

Enroll in one of the Parish Ministry programs today and unlock the doors to a transformative experience. The program is open to all individuals who are passionate about their faith and eager to contribute to the Church's mission.

Summary of Program Offered by SPLE

All programs focus on the integration of human, spiritual, intellectual, and pastoral development, as well as formation. www.usml.edu/sple for more information

Lay Leadership: A Certificate in Lay Ministry

- Intended primarily for volunteer ministers and adult Catholics who wish to grow in their faith.
- Prerequisite: None
- 2-year program of academics and formation
- Location: Monday nights in English at Sacred Heart, Palos and Thursday nights in Spanish at St. Augustine, Midlothian.
- Additional Proposed Sites: University of Saint Mary of the Lake, Mundelein. Vicariate 2, Diocese of Joliet (online option available if enrollment requirements are met) Vicariate 5, St. Paul VI Parish.

Cost: \$550/semester plus fees (we encourage all parishes to seek any available budget funds to support your parishioner's faith formation and provide some type of scholarship. If extra funds are needed that the applicant cannot cover, USML has limited funds available for further financial assistance).

Free informational sessions are being offered. These mornings will include an interactive session where you will get a sample of our academic style, formation days, and more information about all our parish programs. RSVP to rcastillon@usml.edu with your name, parish, phone number, email address, and which workshop(s) you will be attending.

- June 8, 9am-Noon Listening and Discernment St. Giles 1045 Columbian Ave, Oak Park
- July 13, 9am-Noon Eucharist and Mission SS Genevieve and Stanislaus 4835 W Altgeld St, Chicago

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

2024-25 RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN

The St. Paul VI Religious Education program offers full preparation for the Sacraments of Initiation into the Catholic faith: Baptism, First Holy Eucharist, and Confirmation. Just as important, we prepare kids to live their Catholic faith every day!

Our goal at St. Paul VI Religious Education program is to help your child ignite their relationship with Jesus Christ. We are forming missionary disciples!

Scan the QR to register online.

For questions, contact Chris at (708) 853-1424 or calfred@stpaulviparish.org.

ST. PAUL VI PARISH

Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

FAREWELL

Mass & Party

As he embarks on a new journey, let's gather to celebrate the wonderful memories and his years of faithful service to our community, and wish him all the best in his future endeavors.

Sunday June 23, 2024 11:00 AM - Mass 12-3 PM - Party	Mater Christi Campus 2401 S. 10th Ave. North Riverside
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If you would like to help, please call Jane or Bryant at the parish office at 708-447-1020.

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, June 18th. Check the SignUpGenius link for more info: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904054EAEA62AAFC1-48346237-catholic#/>



FOOD PANTRY - STOCK THE PANTRY!!

The Food Pantry stays open year round. Please continue to support the Food Pantry by keeping it stocked year round. 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!

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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.



PARISH MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

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



FEEDING THE HUNGRY

Looking for volunteers to help feed 40 meals to the hungry for a homeless shelter located on Lake Street in Oak

Park on the first Friday of each month. Each volunteer makes 5-10 dinners on a menu of their choosing comprising of an entree, a vegetable, and a dessert. Containers are supplied. Meals are delivered.

Interested? Contact Kathy Burns, burns.kathleen@comcast.net
Sponsored by the St Paul VI Women's Society.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Please consider helping serve the poor by joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul or by making a donation in the donation box found in the back of both Churches. Thank You for your generosity!

If you know of someone who needs assistance, or would like to join St. Vincent DePaul, please call the office at 708-447-1020, X217.



LOOKING FOR GARDENERS, VOLUNTEERS, AND HELPERS!

Come celebrate life with us!
Volunteer with St. Paul VI Garden Ministry as we tend the gardens located next to St. Mary Church. All are welcome. Children under the age of 21 must be accompanied at all times by a parent or legal guardian.

For complete information, contact Sallie Boge at gardenministry@aol.com.



REPACK VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The next session is Saturday, July 20th, from 1:00 - 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. Please sign up by Wednesday, July 17th.

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. For information, contact Co-President Nicki Mendez, 708-539-6575, nicki828@myyahoo.com; or Co-President Theresa Mendez, 815-383-8841, thrmndz2055@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.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

St. Paul VI's Conference of the St. Vincent DePaul Society helps those in the surrounding areas with assistance. If you need assistance or know someone that needs assistance, please call the parish office and leave a message for St. Vincent DePaul and a volunteer will contact you.

BAPTISM

Second and fourth Sundays at St. Mary, first and third Sundays at Mater Christi. To make arrangements or for more information call 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 after you have contacted the funeral home.

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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