



ST. PAUL VI PARISH

SUNDAY, JUNE 23, 2024

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

EVEN THE
WIND & SEA
OBEY.

MARK 4:41



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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



Today we celebrate the blessing that Fr. Matt has been to St. Paul VI parish and our legacy parish of Mater Christi before that.

It seems like yesterday that we found out he was going to be the new pastor at St. Stephen in Tinley Park. I know these past couple of months have been a time of getting our minds and hearts wrapped around the fact that we will no longer be seeing Fr. Matt and Christi walking around the neighborhood of the Mater Christi campus greeting everyone they meet. After next week, we won't be able to read his "Message from the Associate Pastor" column or hear his homilies sprinkled with his observant sense of humor of life around us.

What we can do is wish him well, keep him (and Christi) in our prayers as he begins his new chapter and most of all be so very grateful for the gift he has been to all of us!

Fr. Matt is a quiet and steady presence. He has been instrumental in helping to build bridges within our community by always keeping the bigger picture of God's plan first and foremost in all discussions, meetings and celebrations. We would not be the parish we are today without Fr. Matt's gentle leadership and thoughtful guidance.



Fr. Matt has made me a better pastor and person. I am so thankful that he very graciously accepted the role of Associate Pastor of St. Paul VI and that we had time to get to know one another and work together these past four years growing a brand-new parish.

Fr. Matt you are always welcome at St. Paul VI. I know we will see you in the future. May your next assignment as pastor at St. Stephen bring you much joy and fulfillment. I am sure that Christi will help you get to know your new flock very quickly. The prayers and good wishes of the St. Paul VI community will be with you always!

Fr. Tom May, Pastor

A message from our Associate Pastor



I will be leaving officially in a short week. My time at St. Paul VI and Mater Christi before that has been fantastic. I have worked with a fantastic staff. I have had great priest mentors in Fr. Tom May and Fr. Cy Nemecek and all our weekend priests have been such a blessing in my life. Thank you so very much for everything especially your gift of priesthood. I have been so blessed to know all of our wonderful parishioners. As John Francis Bongiovi Jr. once said, "I've seen a million faces and I've rocked them all." We have not yet had a million parishioners at St. Paul VI but we are working on it if I haven't rocked them all I have tried to love them all. Much love and continued prayers to everyone at St. Paul VI. There is a great letter to Katrina Fernandez of Aletheia about priest moving and being reassigned. I hope this helps to welcome Fr. Timothy Berryhill and continue the prayers for Fr. Tom May and all the priests currently and formerly serving this great place.

Dear Katrina,

I have two questions for you. What are the reasons for frequent priestly reassignments? We seem to get a new priest at our parish every three years or so. Also, what is the best way to welcome our new priest? I would like to do something nice to make him feel welcomed. Ideas?

M.M.R

Dear M.M.R,

Both are great questions.

I asked a few priest friends of mine what are some ways their congregation can make them feel welcome and their replies were as varied as their personalities. Most suggested inviting Father over for dinner, but keep in mind that some priests may be more introverted or extremely busy settling into their new assignment. Feeding Father seemed to be the most suggested and welcomed advice, though, because who doesn't appreciate a nice meal? My favorite comment came from a local priest who said "If you feed me, I'll remember your name." Tip noted, padre.

There were also a few suggestions that a nice card welcoming the priest was a genuine and simple effort they often appreciated. You could even slip in a \$10 gift card for gas or coffee in the card. It doesn't need to be an extravagant effort to still be sincere. Other ideas included spiritual bouquets (like this beautiful example) or offering to help out or volunteer at the parish.

Now let me add how to make a priest NOT feel welcome. Don't tell Father "This is how it's always been done" or "That's not how Fr. Previous Priest used to do things." Don't complain to other parishioners or publicly voice your objections if the new priest does something you don't like or don't agree with; basically don't be a gossip. Patiently give each new priest the chance to find his footing in this new environment. Patience is probably the best gift you could give to any new priest.

As for your other questions, there can be several reasons for reassigning a priest to a new parish and the frequency in which it's done varies from diocese to diocese. In my own diocese, pastor reassignments happen every six years and in other dioceses it can be without any terms at all. When it's without terms a pastor can request to stay or be reassigned with the bishop giving the final approval.

For the parochial vicar, or assistant pastor, they typically have no terms and can be moved around more frequently, generally every 1-3 years. I've been told the reason for this frequency is so they can gain experience in preparation for their more permanent role as pastor. The circulation of priests typically serves practical reasons. It helps priests broaden their experience and perspectives but it also can prevent cults of personality from forming around priests.

I know reassignments can be stressful for all involved, the priest and the congregation, and adjusting to change can be harder for some than others. Some priests transition with little effort and some parishioners can become very anxious when they receive word that a priest they've become attached to is moving. We could argue either way about the necessity for such frequent change. But in the end, it's important to remember that the main relationship is always between the People of God and Jesus Christ.

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 29 & JUNE 30:

St. Mary Church

Presider:

Saturday **June 29** 4:00 PM Fr. Thomas May

Sunday **June 30** 8:00 AM Fr. Thomas May

10:00 AM Fr. Robert Banzin

5:00 PM Fr. Thomas Unz

Mater Christi Church

Presider:

Saturday **June 29** 5:00 PM Fr. Laurant Mhagama

Sunday **June 30** 8:00 AM Fr. Vittorio Bruscella, CMF

9:30 AM Fr. Laurant Mhagama

11:00 AM Fr. Thomas May

**Presider schedule is subject to change.*

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE READING

Sunday: Jb 38:1, 8-11/Ps 107:23-24, 25-26, 28-29, 30-31 (1b)/ 2 Cor 5:14-17/Mk 4:35-41

Monday: Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15/Acts 13:22-26/ Lk 1:57-66, 80

Tuesday: 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36/Ps 48:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 10-11/Mt 7:6, 12-14

Wednesday: 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3/Ps 119:33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 40/Mt 7:15-20

Thursday: 2 Kgs 24:8-17/Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9/Mt 7:21-29

Friday: 2 Kgs 25:1-12/Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6/Mt 8:1-4

Saturday: Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Gal 1:11-20/ Jn 21:15-19

Day: Acts 12:1-11/34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/ Mt 16:13-1

GOSPEL MEDITATION

ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

By Father John Muir

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Right now, you and I are only worried about one of only two things: wind or water. Bear with me. This week we hear the account of the terrified disciples waking Jesus in a sea-storm. He chastises them for their lack of faith, and then, "rebuking the wind, he said to the sea, 'Quiet, be still!'" He rebukes the wind and stills the water. In the Bible wind and water represent the two most fundamental poles of our experience of creation. Wind means heaven, spirit, that which gives identity, unity, order, light. Water stands for earth, variation, potential, that which can be drawn into identity, darkness, chaos.

Too much "wind" is when things get way too rigid, abstract and ideological — when we face oppressive leaders and tyrants, when we get addicted to our own way of doing things, when our attention is too narrowly focused on one thing. Too much "water" is excessive novelty, passivity, indifference, and chaos — when our attention is too broadly diffused on many things, when things seem to be crumbling without direction into the dark abyss. We know both terrifying experiences all too well.

The point of the miracle is that God in Christ is the One who brings final cosmic harmony between these two vital but threatening forces. He ultimately does so from the wood of the cross, when he breathes forth the wind of his spirit and pours forth the water from his side to establish a new creation, filled with harmonious peace. When the wind and water are out of control, trust him. ©LPI

Worship

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 22 - St. Paulinus of Nola, Sts. John Fisher, and Thomas More
(MC) 8:00 am † Safety for all travelers
(SM) 4:00 pm † Bob & Charlotte Byrnes (Sharmayne Stach), Edward Look (Sharmayne Stach), Carolina Barone (SPVI Bereavement Society)
(MC) 5:00 pm † Margie Sweeney (Mary Sweeney), Del Burns (SPVI Women's Society)

Sunday, June 23 - TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Charlotte Lindauer (Lindauer Family), Crispin Guajardo, Juanita Jaramillo, Rosemary Quesada
(MC) 9:30 am † Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jasso, Andrew Garcia, Celestine Casper, Dorothy Hruby (St. Paul VI Bereavement Min.), Dick Vabro (Rosann Lorenz)
(SM) 10:00 am † Wilbur Gage (Bradt Family), Mary R. Baker, Carole Eipers (Jack & Joan Wiaduck)
(MC) 11:00 am † Carole Eipers (Susan Storcel), Wilbur Gage (Bradt Family), Mary R. Baker, Carolina Barone (Watylyk Family)
(SM) 5:00 pm † Elizabeth Gazzolo (Simmons Family)

Monday, June 24

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Maryanne Carrabotta (Anne Lysaught), Howard Houcek (Dolores Houcek)

Tuesday, June 25

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

Wednesday, June 26

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Charles Batek (Arlene Batek)

Thursday, June 27 - St. Cyril of Alexandria

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Carole Eipers (John & Susie O'Brien)

Friday, June 28 - St. Irenaeus

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Daniel Luethje (St. Paul VI Bereavement Min), Thomas Murphy (Tish Murphy)

Saturday, June 29 - Sts. Peter and Paul

(MC) 8:00 am † St. Paul VI Parishioners
(SM) 4:00 pm † Roger Kowalski (Alice Kowalski), Dorothy Kraus (Buckley Family), Jack & Joan Wiaduck - 60th Wedding Anniversary, Robert Carey (Carey Family), Charles Zdany (Danya Trenauskas)
(MC) 5:00 pm † Helen & August Ondrejka (Ludmila Vavrinec), Del Burns (Pat Borow)

Sunday, June 30 - THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Raul Avalos, Juan Luis Avalos, Teresa Weglarz
(MC) 9:30 am † Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jasso, Andrew Garcia, Dick Vabro (Dennis Raleigh)
(SM) 10:00 am † Celestine Casper, Baby Lysaught (Anne Lysaught), Charles J. Brom III (Jack & Joan Wiaduck)
(MC) 11:00 am † Thomas Gill, Jr. (Dvorak Family), Ted & Leona Rumpala (Nancy & Rich Sima)
(SM) 5:00 pm † Peter B. Scaramuzzo (Mary Pechous)

MASS INTENTION BULLETIN REQUEST

Starting July 1st, the name of the person/organization requesting a Mass Intention will no longer be printed in the bulletin. This will allow us to print larger and more legible fonts. However, we will continue to obtain names to be recorded in our official Mass Book.



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
Kenneth Benes.**

May they rest in peace.

FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

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

**We will keep names on the sick list for two months to keep it current. If you or your loved one needs to be added back, please call or email the parish office at stpaulviinfo@stpaulviparish.org.*

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- 1,916,449

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



Do not be afraid. What will your legacy be? We hope you will consider including a gift to our parish in your will or trust to support the future of our faith community and let your legacy live on. A bequest can be made to our parish using the following language:

"I give [insert specific dollar amount, or percentage of net or residuary] to The Catholic Bishop of Chicago, Tax ID #36-2170826, a corporation sole located in Chicago, Illinois, to be used for the benefit of St. Paul VI Parish located in Riverside, Illinois. However, if St. Paul VI Parish ceases to exist in its current form, then to the new parish or parishes erected in its stead."

If you would like more information on how to make a Legacy Planning 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

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!



June 17, 2024 WINNERS!

- 1st Place (\$75)
#223
Johnny McGovern
- 2nd Place (\$25)
#99
Joanne Guastella

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.



St. Paul VI Parish Migrant Ministry

The Herrera family is extremely grateful for all the support and assistance. They are diligent in their quest to become independent. Until then, they need our help. Parishioners have assisted with appointments, writing resumes, connecting them to the community, and weekly grocery shopping. Purchasing household goods in the local stores can be quite pricey. To help offset this cost, we are asking for donations of some of the more frequently used items. A Sign-Up Genius has been created to help offset this expense.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904054EAEA62AAAF1-49969687-migrant#/>

In addition, gift cards to Aldi and Jewel are appreciated. Monetary donations are used for their monthly bills, including Ventra passes for the CTA to get to job interviews and appointments.

Please use the link below or the QR code to make a donation.

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

Thank you for your continued support. Keep them in your prayers. If you have any questions on how you can help Jose and Andreina and their family, please contact Matt Brophy at mbrophy@archchicago.org or call the



Parish Announcements & Events

Sue Jones: St. Paul VI 2024 Woman of the Year

On June 5, the St. Paul VI Women's Society honored Sue Jones as its 2024 Woman of the Year! Sue has been a leading light in parish life, Catholic Charities projects, and humanitarian causes. She is a true servant leader.

Sue has been a committed parishioner of St. Mary and now St. Paul VI since 1987. An active member of our Women's Society, she is always there to help with our events and projects and to share her talents and friendship.

Notably, Sue has chaired the Parish Pastoral Council since 2022. She has served on the Service Outreach Committee (originally called the Social Action Committee) since 2002. For 12 years, she has co-chaired Parish Action Day, a morning of fellowship and service sponsored by the Service Outreach Committee.

Sue's volunteer work with Catholic Charities includes co-chairing our parish's monthly sponsorship of a Tuesday Supper, feeding more than 150 working poor and needy seniors in Cicero and the surrounding area. Sue has also chaired other Catholic Charities projects, such as collection drives for food, coats, and cleaning supplies.

Sue's humanitarian efforts have reached beyond our area. In 2005, she served as St. Mary's representative on a Riverside Covenant of Churches project to relocate a family from Hurricane Katrina to a rental home in Maywood, for which they collected and delivered furniture, appliances, and household items. Later, she served on St. Mary's Refugee Committee for 5 years, helping legal refugees from Iraq, Afghanistan, Myanmar, and the Republic of the Congo as part of the Catholic Charities Refugee Resettlement Program.

Sue and her husband, Jerry, have lived in Riverside for 37 years, raising their three sons. She worked at Marshall Field's for 21 years as Group Manager of Food Manufacturing. For the next 21 years, Sue held a variety of positions at DesignPac, a gourmet gift division of 1800flowers.com. She retired as Director of Merchandising in 2019. She also served as a volunteer with Boy Scout Pack/Troop 24 for 18 years.

We are clearly blessed to have Sue Jones as a treasured friend and member of our Society and parish. We confer this well-deserved distinction with our gratitude and affection. Congratulations, Sue!

-Teresa Hall



Sue Jones said that Sister Margaret Sannasardo, former pastoral associate at St. Mary, has been her inspiration. (Photo by Rose Smith)

Parish Announcements & Events



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30% of all orders benefit...



ST. PAUL VI PARISH

Order Window:

Now - June 26, 2024

Pick Up Days:

July 1, 2, 3

Pick Up Location:

Home Run Inn - Berwyn
6825 W Cermak RD Berwyn IL 60402

*Proceeds to
benefit
the
St. Paul VI
BLOCK PARTY*

Place Your Orders At:
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They are pizzas made fresh at our restaurants daily, ready to be cooked in your home oven! Home Run Inn brings delicious, all-natural ingredients to your table. Cook the pizza now or refrigerate and save for later!

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Guest Participation = 100 orders
Organization Profits = \$750

*All pizzas must be pre-ordered through the link to receive a 30% donation to your organization

Steps to Place Your Order



Visit your link.
Browse the Menu



Pre-order your fresh
Take N' Bake Pizza



Select your Pick Up Date



30% of your pre-tax
purchase will go back to
your organization



Pick up your fresh Take N' Bake
pizzas from the restaurant
on your designated day.
Enjoy!

Parish Announcements & Events



THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS INVITES YOU TO THE 5TH SUNDAY OF JUNE ROSARY

Members of St. Paul VI Knights of Columbus Bishop Ketteler Council 1628 and their family members recite the Rosary on the Fifth Sunday of the Month after the 5 PM Mass at St. Mary Church. In 2024 this occurs only four times. We invite all parishioners to take 15-20 minutes out of their busy schedules to prayerfully close out Spring, welcome in Summer, and pray for our country as we prepare to celebrate our nation's 248th Birthday. Join us in reciting this beautiful prayer to our Lord's Mother Mary on Sunday, June 30th. FYI, members recite the rosary at 6:30 PM prior to our meetings which are held at 7 PM on the first Wednesday of the month in the Oak Room. All

men 18 & older are invited to attend our meetings to find out more about our Order. See our article in the parish bulletin under "Parish & Community Resources" for more information. Vivat Jesus!.... which translates into Jesus Lives!



ST. PAUL VI PARISH



Sponsored by
St. Paul VI Holy Name Society

JOIN US!

Tuesday, July 23rd

5:00 pm

St. Mary Oak Room

All Seniors are invited to dinner hosted by St. Paul VI Holy Name Society. Enjoy some dinner and great company with other senior parishioners.

Please RSVP so we can get an accurate attendance count.

Chef Dan Schoen at

dschoen325@gmail.com (312-320-7324)

or

Chef Kevin Tabor at

kevintabor248@gmail.com (708-334-8536)



20% OF SALES WILL BENEFIT

St. Paul VI Block Party

July 25th, 2024

Buona Berwyn

6745 Roosevelt Rd, IL 60402

(708) 749-2555



ST. PAUL VI PARISH

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ST. PAUL VI PARISH

SAVE THE DATE

SUMMER
BLOCK PARTY

Sunday, August 25
2pm to 7pm

MATER CHRISTI CAMPUS
2401 S. 10TH AVENUE
NORTH RIVERSIDE

FREE ENTRY



More details to follow

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 16th. Check the SignUpGenius link for more info:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904054EAEA62AAFC1-49953196-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!

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.



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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