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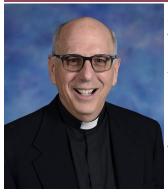
FAITH, HOPE, LOVE REMAIN, THESE THREE; BUT THE GREATEST OF THESE



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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



January 30th marks the beginning of Catholic Schools Week 2022. This week is a time for us to recognize and celebrate the ways Catholic schools have served the mission of the Church and the good of society through the centuries.

It is a time to remember and pray for all those who have served our Catholic schools: principals and administrators, teachers and aides, facilities workers, and the multitudes of volunteers. We remember too, all the generous benefactors who have made our Catholic Schools possible.

Catholic Schools Week is also a time to pray for and to thank those who serve our St. Mary School of St. Paul VI Parish. We are grateful to have Mrs. Nolazco, our Principal, leading our school, along with Mrs. Garza our Assistant Principal. We are blessed with an outstanding faculty and staff to whom we owe a debt of gratitude. Our school is clean, warm, and safe, thanks to our Facilities Team. Thanks too, to the School Board members and the Family School Association who help keep us strong academically and fiscally.

The theme for this year is Catholic Schools: Faith. Excellence. Service. St. Mary School strives to be a vibrant community of faith within the parish community. The faculty endeavors to continue developing the faith life begun in students' homes through learning their faith, and celebrating that faith in Mass, the Sacraments, and service to the parish and the larger community.

Excellence in our academic programs is consistently directed at the development of the whole student: mind, body, and spirit. St. Mary School has been chosen by parents who have reviewed our record of fine educational quality and rich curriculum.

Service is an integral dimension of Catholic education. Service flows from our discipleship to Jesus who asked us to serve others. Students are encouraged to identify the gifts God has given them. They are led to use those gifts to make their homes, their parish, their school, their neighborhoods, and the world a better place.

Thanks to the parents who send their children to our school and who support our school and sometimes sacrifice a great deal to provide what is best for their children.

Catholic Schools, of course, are nothing without students. We are so proud of the 338 students who are being formed and educated in St. Mary School. Thank you, students, for your faith, your dedication to learning, and your use of your God-given talents to serve others and to make the world more like the Kingdom of God! We pray for you that, like all the Catholic students before you, you will grow in wisdom and age and grace.

Please come over to the Open House at our school on Sunday, January 30, from 9-12. Feel the joy and see some of the accomplishments of our students and learn what St. Mary School offers.

A message from our Associate Pastor



During the annual celebration of Catholic Schools Week in the United States, it is important to take the time to remember what makes Catholic schools "different": an embrace of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, lived every day. There are many different types of Catholic educational settings, from pre-K to the university. Focusing on K-12 Catholic education, here are eight surprising facts and statistics about Catholic education during Catholic Schools Week. (All of these figures are courtesy of the USCCB's Committee on Catholic Education, the University of Notre Dame's Alliance for Catholic Education, and the Archdiocese of Hartford [Connecticut]'s Office of Education, Evangelization, and Catechesis.)

- 1. The Catholic Church runs the largest private educational system in the United States.
- With 200,000 members, the National Catholic Educational Association is the world's largest private professional educational organization.

3. Of the nearly 150,000 teachers in Catholic schools, only around 3% are clergy and religious brothers or sisters. This makes the laity comprising 97% of teachers in Catholic schools that much more crucial when it comes to supporting and promoting a Catholic school's Gospel-centered mission and fostering its Catholic identity.

- Catholic schools have a low teacher-to-student ratio of 1:13.
- 5. 99% of students in Catholic high schools will graduate, and 88% will attend four-year colleges or university.
- 6. Catholic schools save taxpayers over \$20,000,000,000 (yes, billion) annually.
- 7. Graduates of Catholic high schools are more likely to vote in political elections upon turning eighteen.
- 8. 1 out of every 10 Catholic teens in the United States attends a Catholic high school.

Seeing all these wonderful facts about Catholic schools we can recognize how important Catholic schools are in the United States. It is a tradition that began in 1727 with the oldest continuous running school in America. Zelda Calwell of Aleteia tells us about this great school.

Ursuline Academy, in New Orleans, Louisiana, enjoys the distinction of being the oldest continuously operating Catholic high school in the United States. It's also the country's oldest school for girls.

According to an account of the history of the school in <u>Country Roads Magazine</u>, the school for girls came to be because the town of New Orleans needed a hospital to serve its French settlers.

In 1726, five years after New Orleans' colonial administrator Jacques de la Chaise's sought out "four good gray sisters to come and settle here and take care of the sick ...," King Louis XV decreed that three Ursuline Nuns from Rouen should travel to New Orleans to establish a hospital for the poor.

The king also tasked the sisters with establishing something the town didn't ask for: a school for girls, which was the particular mission of the order and its founder, St. Angela Merici, in Brescia, Italy.

Thus in 1727, 12 Ursuline nuns from France established the first boarding school in the state of Louisiana. At its start it served the daughters of wealthy families from Central and South American countries. As Anne Craven reports in *Country Roads*, in addition to serving their paying students, the school took in orphans and Native American and Black girls who came for catechism classes during the day.

The sisters had a most civilizing effect on the town of New Orleans, which when they arrived was known for its vices more than its virtues.

Sister Marie-Madeleine Hachard wrote of her adopted town:

"In the end, the devil has a great empire here, but this does not take away from us the hope of destroying him, with God's love ... not only do debauchery, bad faith and all the other vices reign here more than in any other place, but they do so in abundance."

Within a few years, New Orleans became known for its higher-than-average levels of literacy and property ownership, according to Craven.

In her book *Masterless Mistresses*, which Craven quotes, Tulane professor Emily Clark credits the Ursuline nuns with improving life for both the wealthy, and the poor, and for both Black and white girls. "By the end of the colonial era they had facilitated the creation of a large Afro-Catholic community and an integrated congregation," she writes.

Over 200 years later the school continues to serve girls and young women from New Orleans. Located on 11.5 acres in Uptown New Orleans, Ursuline has a student body of 620 girls, from pre-kindergarten through high school. Following in the tradition of the founder of the Ursuline order, and the sisters who established the New Orleans school, the school strives to provide "a nurturing environment for the learning and development of the whole person."

According to the school's mission statement, Ursuline Academy continues to be "dedicated to the moral, spiritual, intellectual and social growth of each individual, and these values are validated by our educational approach."

MASS SCHEDULE

Mater Christi Church

Daily Mass

Monday-Saturday 8:00 am

Church (Live replay on YouTube)

Anticipated Mass

Saturday 5:00 pm Church

Sunday Mass

8:00 am Church

(Live replay on YouTube)

9:30 am Church 11:00 am Church

St. Mary Church

Daily Mass

Monday-Friday 8:30 am Church

Anticipated Mass

Saturday 4:00 pm Church

Sunday Mass

8:00 am Church

10:00 am Church (Livestream on YouTube)

5:00 pm Church

Sunday Drive-thru Holy Communion

40 E. Burlington St., Riverside

11:00 to 11:30 am

Please remain in your vehicle and the volunteers will guide you.

RECONCILIATION

Mater Christi Church

Saturday 4:00 to 5:00 pm or by appointment

St. Mary Church

Saturday 3:00 to 3:45 pm, before 4:00 pm Mass or by appointment

This Week's Scripture Reading

Monday: 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Ps 3:2-7;

Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday: 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30 - 19:3;

Ps 86:1-6; Mk 5:21-43

Wednesday: Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 [22-32]

Thursday: 1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12; 1 Chr 29:10-12;

Mk 6:7-13

Friday: Sir 47:2-11; Ps 18:31, 47, 50, 51;

Mk 6:14-29

Saturday: 1 Kgs 3:4-13; Ps 119:9-14;

Mk 6:30-34

Sunday: Is 6:1-2a, 3-8; Ps 138:1-5, 7-8; 1 Cor 15:1-11 [3-8, 11]; Lk 5:1-11

PRESIDER SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF FEBRUARY 5 & 6:

St. Mary Church Presider:

Saturday Feb 5 4:00 PM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

Sunday Feb 6 8:00 AM Fr. Brian Taber, SJ

10:00 AM Fr. Robert Banzin

5:00 PM Fr. Thomas May

Mater Christi Church Presider:

Saturday Feb 5 5:00 PM Fr. Thomas May

Sunday Feb 6 8:00 AM Fr. Thomas Unz

9:30 AM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky 11:00 AM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

*Presider schedule is subject to change.

ROSARY, DIVINE MERCY & EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Mater Christi Church

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION Monday 6:00 to 8:00 pm

St. Mary Church

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

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION 3:00 to 9:00 pm





One Million Hail Mary Challenge

As of January 20, 2022 we have prayed **976,071** Hail Marys.

Come pray the Glorious Mysteries of the Holy Rosary of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary on Sunday evenings at 7:30 p.m. Join us on this link: Meeting ID: 812 1056 2468 Passcode: 949134

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81210562468? pwd=eG80RGRkREdyN0RieUILVFVhYWVBQT09



February 19, 2022

I Denis Block and Jennie Baron

SIGN-UP!

Stay connected! Subscribe now to get the latest weekly news & event information delivered to your email.

Visit us at

https://www.stpaulviparish.org/join-our-parish.html

Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 29

(MC) 8:00 am † Soucek Family (Robert Dedowicz)

(SM) 4:00 pm † Anne Marie Bellavia (Mom & Michael)

(MC) 5:00 pm † Jim Burns (Del Burns), Helen Giblin

Sunday, January 30

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Jenny Dituri (Joanne Suba) (MC) 9:30 am † Rosa Guzman Jaso, Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Ray Rompala (Karen & Cliff Evitt), Daniel Mokrzycki & Klara & John Grzelak (SM) 10:00 am † Margaret Birmingham (Patricia Madai) (MC) 11:00 am † Ed Paitl (Bernadine Gordus), Henry

(SM) 5:00 pm † St. Paul VI Parishioners

Monday, January 31

Kaluzny, John Dunajcik

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Maria Poungpet Sriwan, Aloysius Prapat Sriwan

Tuesday, February 1

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Mark Brown (St. Paul VI Bereavement Ministry

Wednesday, February 2

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Charles Zdany, Claudia Prete (Mary Prete), Blessing for Karen Sacco (Sharon Schiavone)

Thursday, February 3

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Steven Pavlik, Raymond Blazina

Friday, February 4

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Beverlee L. Reyes (St. Paul VI Bereavement Ministry), School Sisters of Notre Dame Benefactors (Sr. Julice)

Saturday, February 5

(MC) 8:00 am † Edward J. Paitl (Patricia Madai) (SM) 4:00 pm † Natalie Anderson (Ann & Stephen Kubiczky), Joseph Staszel (MC) 5:00 pm † Jim Burns (Del Burns)

Sunday, February 6

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Luke Pfeiffer (Tina Lubrano), Raymond Blazina (Debbie Blazina)

(MC) 9:30 am † All Guild Members, Ronald Nemchausky (M&M George Zdarsky & Elvera Macey), Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jaso

(SM) 10:00 am † Teachers, Staff & Students at St. Mary School (Catholic Schools Week)

(MC) 11:00 am † Ray Hickey

(SM) 5:00 pm † St. Paul VI Parishioners

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 Raymond DeBoth, Joseph Blackaller, Joseph Carrabotta, Ernest (Ernie) Kopecky, and for all those who have died,

May they rest in Peace.

For the sick and homebound

Virginia Alba Cheryl Albertsen Christine Alvarado Leo Augustinas Arlene Batek Deacon Bob Boharic Linda Bronsteader John Brophy Del Burns Mary DeRose Dorothy Dunajcik Midge Galloro Anthony Gorski Elena Gorski Irene Gorski Robert Holas Irene Horacek Olga Horacek Juan Infante Noel Keen Patricia King Norman Kirkley Theresa Kledek

Mary Kratchovil Joseph Kratchovil Ramon Lehnen Charlotte Lindauer **Emily Martinez** Spencer Mehr Dolores Messlein Lizzie Mooney Freda Murphy Irene Nelsen Annie Nystrom Beth Pennacchio Dean Pennacchio Rafaela Perez Elsie Piszczor Carol Schaffer Lorraine Schmecht Eugenia Valdivia Infante Jorge Valdivia Jennifer Walden

John Leo Wilson

Tommy Witteman Pat Zdarsky

If you have a loved one that you would like to be remembered for a special intention during Mass, please visit our parish office located at 40 E. Burlington St., Riverside or call 708-447-1020 to schedule one.

To request your Mass Intention to be included in the bulletin, please submit at least 2 weeks prior to the requested Sunday bulletin date.

Stewardship: Gifts of Time, Talent & Treasure

Prayer of Generosity

"Lord Jesus, teach me to be generous. Teach me to serve as you deserve, To give and not to count the cost, To fight and not to heed the wounds, To labor and not to seek to rest, To give of myself and not ask for a reward, Except the reward of knowing that I am doing your will."

- St. Ignatius of Loyola

\$ 67,576
30,047
<u>200</u>
\$ 97,823
<u>96,160</u>
\$ 1,663
1.7 %
\$

Fiscal Year to Date (7/1/2021-12/31/2021) YTD Sunday Collections \$ 486.121 YTD Budgeted Collections 507,040 Greater/ (Less) Than Budget \$ (20,919) Percent Greater/(Less) Than Budget (4.1%)

Special Collections December 2021	_	
Capital Improvement	\$	11,040
Building for the Future	\$	5,261
Christmas Flowers/Music	\$	2,179
Energy, Building & Grounds	\$	55
Mother of Mothers Shrine	\$	140
St. Mary School Education Fund	\$	1,164
RE & Lifelong Faith Formation Fund	\$	1,802
Sharing Parishes	\$	2,469
Archdiocesan Special Collections	\$	5,906

\$ 110,193
<u>130,000</u>
\$ (19,807)

Thank you to everyone who so generously contributed to our Christmas collection via envelope, mail or online gift.

We realize that many parishioners were unable to attend Christmas Masses due to Covid and related concerns. Please know that we are still accepting Christmas contributions toward our budgeted goal.

- Fr. Tom and Fr. Matt

-WAYS TO GIVE-

MAIL - DROP OFF - CALL

- Bishop Lyne Pastoral Center Click the donate button at 40 E Burlington St. Riverside IL 60546
- (708) 447-1020

ONLINE

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.

Stewardship: Gifts of Time, Talent & Treasure



A NOTE ABOUT THE ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO 2022 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

The mailing for the 2022 Annual Appeal is arriving in mailboxes; you may have already received yours. If you did receive your mailing, please check the enclosed card to make sure that St. Paul VI is the parish being credited for the gift. This information can be found right above your name and address on the enclosure card.

More information about the Appeal will be provided at all masses the weekend of February 12-13. The Annual Appeal helps to support parish communities and ministry efforts throughout the Archdiocese. The Appeal also supports Catholic Relief Services and their efforts to help those suffering from natural disasters around the world.

Thank you in advance for your consideration and support of the Annual Catholic Appeal.

UNA NOTA SOBRE LA ARQUIDIÓCESIS DE CHICAGO LLAMAMIENTO CATÓLICO ANUAL 2022

La correspondencia para la Campaña Anual 2022 está llegando a los buzones; es posible que ya hayas recibido el tuyo. Si recibió su correo, verifique la tarjeta adjunta para asegurarse de que St. Paul VI sea la parroquia a la que se acredita el regalo. Esta información se puede encontrar justo encima de su nombre y dirección en la tarjeta adjunta.

Se proporcionará más información sobre la Campaña en todas las misas el fin de semana del 12 al 13 de febrero. La Campaña Anual ayuda a apoyar las comunidades parroquiales y los esfuerzos ministeriales en toda la Arquidiócesis. La Campaña también apoya a Catholic Relief Services y sus esfuerzos para ayudar a quienes sufren desastres naturales en todo el mundo.

Gracias de antemano por su consideración y apoyo a la Campaña Católica Anual.





Thank you for your generous support for last week's Collection for the Church in Latin America. Your donation will be used to share the faith of our brothers and sisters in Latin America and the Caribbean, so they in turn can share the good news in their communities. If you missed the collection, it's not too late to give! To learn more, please visit www.usccb.org/latin-america. Your gift makes a difference!

Gracias por su generoso apoyo a la semana pasada Colecta para la Iglesia en América Latina. Su donación se utilizará para compartir la fe de nuestros hermanos y hermanas de América Latina y el Caribe, para que ellas a su vez puedan compartir las buenas nuevas en sus comunidades. Si te perdiste la colección, ¡no es demasiado tarde para darla! Para obtener más información, visite www.usccb.org/latin-america. ¡Tu regalo hace la diferencia!

THANK YOU TUESDAY SUPPER VOLUNTEERS!

Thank you to all who volunteered for the January 2022 Tuesday Supper. The Oak Room had a wonderful aroma from the meals prepared. We had 130 meals of lasagna, green beans, garlic bread & dessert, that were loaded in the cars and delivered to the Catholic Charities location. We know that those who come through the CC drive thru are thankful and appreciative for the meals they are provided.

St. Paul VI Parish is sponsoring a Catholic Charities Tuesday Supper on the 3rd Tuesday of every month. Here is the link to next month's supper signup on 2/15/22. https://www.signupgenius.com/tabs/93D7EDC04AFCAE4C71-catholic



ABMY

ST. PAUL VI PARISHIONERS GIVE BACK TO THE GREATER CHICAGO FOOD DEPOSITORY

On Saturday, January 8, 2022, St. Paul VI parishioners joined others in helping feed the hungry of Cook County. The group in part helped inspect, box and stack pallets of 6,938 pounds of green peppers that was transported from Mexico over a thousand miles away then delivered to the depository.

Join us on the next repack session on Saturday, March 5 from 1:00 pm to 3:45 pm.

Come beat the winter blues by helping others and shaving seven years off of purgatory at the same time! Must be 11 years or older with a parent or guardian. Age 16+ can come on their own. Only 15 slots available so sign up fast! For question or to register, contact John Legan at bishopse5a@gmail.com or call/text 708-870-0045.

Meet the Staff



Hi, my name is Patricia Madai, and many may recognize my picture, as I am a cantor and choir member at St. Paul VI Parish. I'm also a former member of the Lira Singers, a Polish Classical and Folk Ensemble, having toured Poland twice and recorded with them. As one of the afternoon/evening receptionists at the Lyne Pastoral Centre, I work with wonderful staff from St. Hugh, Mater Christi and St. Mary where we do our best to answer any questions and concerns presented to us. As a longtime member of the Service Outreach Group, one of the many projects was Sunday suppers at Cooke's Manor & Bishop Goedert residence on the Hines VA Campus before Covid, which many of our parishioner's brought food and helped serve. Now Service Outreach provides the Catholic Charities Tuesday suppers where I will try my hand at preparing something that has 3 items or less in the recipe, organize the food pantry collection which goes to Catholic Charities in Cicero for distribution. I'm helping collect socks for the homeless which goes to Guardian Corp of America for homeless veterans. I am overwhelmed by the generosity, kindness and support of the St. Paul VI Parishioners. I always feel we have the best helpers in the world.

Parish Announcements

REQUEST FOR TAX STATEMENT OF DONATIONS

If you wish to receive a statement of your donations, please stop by the parish office located at 40 E. Burlington St., Riverside or call 708-447-1020. You can also complete this form and place it in the collection basket. You can choose to pick it up at the office, mailed to your home address or emailed to you. You can also submit it online by using the QR code or by visiting our website.

(Please print clearly)		
Name		
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City	ZIP	
Phone #		
Email		

Check here to have your statement emailed.

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

On Friday, February 11 from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm, the parish office will be closed for a Staff Christmas luncheon that was rescheduled from January 7.

Parish Events

WOMEN'S SOCIETY TO MEET IN MARCH, NOT FEBRUARY

The St. Paul VI Women's Society is canceling their Feb. 2 meeting in keeping with an Archdiocesan recommendation to avoid in-person meetings until the end of February. The next meeting will be Wed., March 9.

It will be special getting together again after 3 months! What we will do in February is a virtual "Women, Wine, and the Word," a St. Hugh tradition in which we read a Bible story and share our thoughts. Our story will be Ruth and Naomi: Love Lights the Way (Ruth 1-4). Stay tuned for details!

ALPHA MEETING CANCELLED

The Alpha series was to begin on February 3rd. Due to weather concerns and covid protocols, the February Alpha meetings have



been canceled. Thanks to the fifty-plus people who have participated in the Alphas offered so far—in person and online. Talk to someone who has experienced Alpha and watch for the next Alpha to be coming soon!

For questions, contact: Carole Eipers at ceipers@stpaulVlparish.org, Rich Sima at richsima@gmail.com or call 708-447-1020.

What's your story?...Chapter 3

Saturday, February 12
2:00 - 4:00 pm
St. Mary School Music Room
(Please enter the church doorway by the elevator and we will direct you.)

The meetings are "stand-alone," so even if you haven't joined us yet, come and share with other women. The conversations are rich, and we grow together in faith and in our relationships with each other.

Contact Carole Eipers at ceipers@stpaulviparish.org or 708-447-1020 for more information.



What Does It Mean To Be Chosen?

"But now thus says the Lord, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: "Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine." — Isaiah 43:1.

Join us for an interactive Bible study in conjunction with The Chosen, the groundbreaking streaming television series about the life of Jesus. Each session works in tandem with an episode of the show, bringing the Old and New Testament to life in a fresh way. While the episodes are loosely chronological in the life and ministry of Jesus, attendees shouldn't feel obligated to attend all the sessions.

What: The Chosen Interactive Bible Study - Video presentation followed by group discussion. Open to all but may not be appropriate for children under 12. No materials are needed. A Bible and a notebook should be useful.

When: Sunday, February 20 – Sunday, April 10 (Eight Sessions) 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm

Where: St. Mary Church (Lower Level – Oak Room)

Please contact the group facilitators for more information:

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

Watch the preview on YouTube Channel: https://youtu.be/K1-FoFj8Jbo



ST. PAUL VI PARISH LENTEN MISSION 2022 SAVE THE DATES!

Please plan to join us for the Lenten Mission to enrich your experience of this season. We have beautiful prayer and dynamic speakers who will share their wisdom and insights for your reflection.

Tuesday, March 8, Mater Christi Church

Dr. Mark Nimo, speaker, at 5pm for RE and St. Mary school students grades 4-8. At 7pm for parishioners followed by a reception in the Marian Room.

Tuesday, March 15, Mater Christi Church

Mr. Todd Williamson, speaker, at 3pm for senior citizens followed by a reception in the Marian Room. At 7pm for parishioners followed by a reception in the Marian Room.

Tuesday, March 22, St. Mary Church

Dr. Rachel Hart Winter, speaker, at 7pm followed by a reception in the Oak Room.

Tuesday, March 29, St. Mary Church

Sr. Christine Nantaba, speaker, at 7pm followed by a reception in the Oak Room.





CATHOLIC CHARITIES (CC) TUESDAY SUPPER

The CC Cicero office and Service Outreach provides monthly hot meals to those in need in the local community every third Tuesday of the month. Volunteers are needed to cook, bake, shop, assemble containers, clean-up and food delivery.

The next Tuesday Supper will be on **Tuesday**, February 15. Job details and food items needed for supper can be found on the Sign-Up Genius. Please use this link to sign up: https://www.signupgenius.com/

qo/904054eaea62aaafc1-catholic47

FOOD PANTRY - STOCK THE PANTRY!!

The Food Pantry collection will continue in 2022. Please bring your items to the Parish Office at 40 E. Burlington, Riverside. Canned goods: soup, vegetables, fruit, tuna, and pasta, pasta sauce, rice, cereal, mac n cheese are welcome. In addition, gift cards can be placed in an envelope and dropped at the office mailbox. Please label the envelope CC Food Pantry Collection.

Thank you for your generosity and continued support!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Catholic Charities is looking for volunteers to help in the food pantry at 1400 S. Austin Blvd., Cicero. Staff, volunteers, and clients are screened for COVID and wear masks.

Volunteer shifts:

Mondays: 9:15-11:15 a.m.; 12:15-2:15 p.m. and

2:15-4:15 p.m.

Tuesdays: 9:15-11:15 a.m. and 12:15-2:15 p.m. Thursdays: 1:45-4 p.m. and 4-6 p.m.

Volunteers also are needed on delivery days: 2nd and 4th Friday of each month from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Wednesdays from 10:30 to 2:30 p.m.

For information, contact Claudia Andrade at candrade@catholiccharities.net or (708) 329-4023.



ARE YOU 16+ AND LIKE WORKING WITH KIDS? ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BEING A MENTOR?

SMART AFTER-SCHOOL TUTORING PROGRAM OFFERS HOMEWORK HELP TO MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS IN CICERO

EVERY MONDAY AND TUESDAY FROM 3-5:30 P.M.

CONTACT GILLIAN FITZGERALD. SMART PROGRAM COORDINATOR

Email: gfitzgerald@catholiccharities.net Phone: 708-329-4027



















St. Mary School OPEN HOUSE!

Join us on Sunday, January 30th from 9 am - 12 pm for our Open House for the 2022-2023 school year. No Sign Up Required!

This is your chance to learn about our advanced faith-based curriculum and meet our amazing faculty.

Call the school office at (708) 442-5747 or visit www.stmaryriverside.org/ openhouse for more information.

Prospective families can visit www.stmaryriverside.org/ newfamilies to fill out an online interest form.





ALL AREA CHESS TOURNAMENT Saturday, February 12, 9:30 AM to 2:30 PM St. Mary School, 97 Herrick Road, Riverside (Parish Center and Oak Room) **Grades K-8**





2 Divisions: Grades K-3 and 4-8; everyone plays 5 rounds \$45 includes wrapped pizza lunch and beverage; packaged snacks available for sale

Top ten players in each division will receive trophies and medals Best School Team in each division will receive a trophy

A guardian must be present for any child 11 and under Check-in 9:30-9:45 am; 1st round starts at 10 am

SIGN UP INFO: https://www.learningmeansfun.com/signup Enter code SMR2.12.22

Register by 2/12 for the price of \$45

MORE INFO: Chess Scholars, (847) 482-9999 or registration@learningmeansfun.com

No advance refunds will be made due to illness or other circumstances. NO admittance allowed with signs of illness. Masks must be worn with the exception of eating lunch in a designated area. Tournament volunteers will be required to show proof of vaccination or a negative Covid test.



Parish & Community Resources

ST. PAUL VI PARISH WOMEN'S SOCIETY

The new St. Paul VI Women's Society monthly meetings will be held on the first Wednesday of every month. Rosary begins at 6:30 pm in the Mater Christi Church followed by a meeting at 7:00 pm in the Marian room (lower level). To join, contact Teresa Hall, 708-525-3082, hallrts@comcast.net; Carol Dvorak, 708-280-6406, ccdvorak123@yahoo.com; and Susan Kahler, 708-805-1007, sclarekahler@amail.com.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Bishop Ketteler Council 1628 Catholic men 18 and older are invited to our monthly meeting held the first Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.



For information: http://stmaryriverside.org/kofc or contact Roger Jensen at (630) 418-3308.

HISPANIC MINISTRY / MINISTERIO HISPANO

The St. Paul VI Latino Advisory Council Meets every third Friday of every month. Join us 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.

El Consejo Asesor Latino se reúne cada tercer viernes de cada lunes. Únase a nosotros para hablar sobre la promoción de 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 Phil Santoro at phil.santoro2@gmail.com



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For information, call Marilyn Havlik at 708-485-7538.



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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.



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If you would like to receive an anointing, or you know someone who would like to receive this Sacrament, please call the parish office

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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.

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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.

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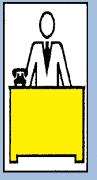
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