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ST. PAUL VI PARISH

I give you a new commandment: love one another.

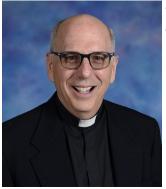
John 13:34



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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



The months of April and May are traditionally the time of Ordinations to the Priesthood and the Diaconate in the Archdiocese of Chicago. Happy Anniversary to:

Deacon Peter Brown - 2nd Anniversary Fr Brian Taber - 5th Anniversary Deacon Randy Belice - 7th Anniversary Fr. Matt Nemchausky - 13th Anniversary Deacon Bob Boharic - 23rd Anniversary Bishop Kevin Birmingham - 25th Anniversary

Fr. Tom Unz - 39th Anniversary Fr. Tom May - 39th Anniversary Fr. Ed Foley - 49th Anniversary

Fr. Bob Banzin - 58th Anniversary
Fr. Cy Nemecek - 62nd Anniversary

Please keep all of us in your prayers as we strive to continue to grow in our ministry in God's service. Please continue to pray for vocations to the Priesthood, Diaconate, and Religious Life.

Prayer for Vocations

Loving and Generous God, it is You who call us by name and ask us to follow You. Help us to grow in the Love and Service of our Church as we experience it today.

Give us the energy and courage of Your Spirit to shape its future

Grant us faith-filled leaders who will embrace Christ's Mission of love and justice.

Bless the Church of St. Paul VI Parish by raising up dedicated and generous leaders from our families and friends who will serve Your people as Sisters, Priests, Brothers, Deacons, and Lay Ministers.

Inspire us to know You better and open our hearts to hear Your call. We ask this through our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

A message from our Associate Pastor



This past weekend we crowned Mary, but I never knew of the tradition of a Marian Garden. George Ryan from uCatholic has more about this tradition. It's a pious and treasured tradition to crown the Blessed Mother with flowers in early Spring by planting a Mary Garden during the Marian month of May.

The tradition of planting Mary gardens is old: it stretches back to the 7th century in early medieval Europe, originating as a practice among convents and monasteries. During the time, people saw religious symbolism in the herbs and flowers around them, and priests, religious brothers, and sisters would use them as tools to teach others about the Faith, especially the illiterate, reminiscent of stained-glass windows being used to tell Biblical stories.

The first historical reference to a Mary Garden dates to the 7th century when Saint Fiacre of Breuil emigrated from Ireland to France to build a hermitage there. During his time in the monastery where he was raised and became a monk, Fiacre "imbibed knowledge of herbal medicine."

When he arrived in France, he built his hermitage with a personal dwelling, a vegetable & herb garden, a hospice to care for strangers, and a gardened oratory to the Virgin Mary – the first historical example of a Mary Garden.

Fiacre was known for his life of devotion to prayer, fasting, vigils, and tending to his garden, earning himself the patronage of gardeners and herbalists.

"His fame for miracles was widespread. He cured all manner of diseases by laying on his hands."

The second historical example of a Marian connection to flowers is found in a 1373 English recipe for a potion to ward off the plague, featuring the Saint Mary gouldes, otherwise known as Saint Mary's Gold or the Marigold.

Over time, flowers in Mary's gardens developed symbolism for the events in Mary's life:

<u>Lily</u>

Mary was associated with this passage from the Song of Songs: "I am the Rose of Sharon, the lily of the valleys." (2:1) A legend from the second century says that when Mary's tomb was opened to show Thomas that her body had been assumed into heaven, it was filled with roses and lilies.

Columbine

Also known as "Our Lady's Shoes," Columbine is said to have sprung up wherever Mary's foot touched the ground on her way to visit her cousin Elizabeth.

Lavender

Known as "Mary's Drying Plant," lavender was said to have received its scent after Mary laid Jesus' clothes on it to dry.

Madonna Lily

The angel Gabriel is said to have been holding a lily, representing purity when he appeared to Mary to announce she would bear a child – lilies are often included in artistic renditions of the annunciation.

Marigold

The marigold was called "Mary's Gold" by early Christians who placed the flowers around the statues of Mary, offering the blossoms in place of coins. A legend says that during the flight into Egypt the Holy Family was accosted by a band of thieves. They took Mary's purse and when they opened it, marigolds fell out.

<u>Violet</u>

The violet is associated with humility and became known as "Our Lady's Modesty." It was said to have blossomed when Mary replied to the Angel Gabriel, "I am the handmaid of the Lord."

Irises

Irises were used in Mary Gardens. The blade-shaped foliage denotes the sorrows that 'pierced her heart.'

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

MASS LIVESTREAM LINK ON YOUTUBE:

<u>youtube.com/channel/UC1KACprstDfNk-</u>Zy8MOAeaA

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: Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-4, 15-16;

Jn 14:21-26

Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-13ab, 21;

Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-5; Jn 15:1-8

Thursday: Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11

Friday: Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-10, 12; Jn 15:12-17

Saturday: Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-3, 5;

Jn 15:18-21

Sunday: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29; Ps 67:2-3, 5-6, 8;

Rv 21:10-14, 22-23; Jn 14:23-29

PRESIDER SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF May 21 & 22:

St. Mary Church

Presider:

Saturday May 21 4:00 PM Fr. Thomas Unz

Sunday May 22 8:00 AM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

10:00 AM Fr. Robert Banzin 5:00 PM Fr. Thomas Unz

Mater Christi Church Presider:

Saturday May 21 5:00 PM Fr. Thomas May Sunday May 22 8:00 AM Fr. Brian Taber, SJ

9:30 AM Fr. Thomas May 11:00 AM Fr. M. Cy Nemecek

*Presider schedule is subject to change.

ROSARY, DIVINE MERCY & EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

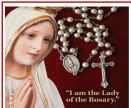
Mater Christi Church EUCHARISTIC ADORATION Monday 6:00 to 8:00 pm

St. Mary Church

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

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION 3:00 to 9:00 pm





Hail Mary Challenge – On our way to 2 Million

1,105,321

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 on this link: Meeting ID: 812 1056 2468

Passcode: 949134

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81210562468?

pwd=eG80RGRkREdyN0RieUILVFVhYWVBQT09

You belong here!



ST. PAUL VI PARISH

Join our vibrant community of Faith that offers many opportunities to enrich your spiritual life, serve those in need, educate your family, and most importantly, to belong. Whoever you are, no matter where you find yourself on the journey of faith, you are welcome and wanted here! Please take time to discover for yourself an authentic and welcoming community that you can call home.

Learn more and visit stpaulviparish.org.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 14 - St. Matthias

(MC) 8:00 am † Healing for the sick of St. Paul VI Parish

(SM) 4:00 pm † Myra L. Brennan (Patrick Brennan)

(MC) 5:00 pm † Happy 90th Therese Dolmant (John LoCigno & Susan Kahler), Jim Burns (Del Burns), Ronald Gryzlak (Mr & Mrs George Zdarsky & Elvera Macey)

Sunday, May 15 - 5th Sunday of Easter

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Members of the Stumpo Family (D. Conjura), Bill McCarthy, August & Helen Ondrejka, Ronald Nemchausky (Kathy Burns)

(MC) 9:30 am † Dalton Lee Brown (Patricia Brown), Daniel Mokrzycki, Edward & Lillian Mokrzycki, Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jaso, George R. Zdarsky

(SM) 10:00 am † Nicoline Shields, Joan L. Walsh (Christine & Robert Ricker)

(MC) 11:00 am † Margaret F. Gavelda, Maria Flores

(SM) 5:00 pm † For peace in Ukraine

Monday, May 16

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Wendell Jisa (Judy Jisa), Frank Horacek Sr. (Olga Horacek)

Tuesday, May 17

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Children of St. Paul VI Parish

Wednesday, May 18 - St. John I

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Thomas Flood

Thursday, May 19

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Gene Holzmeister (Kathleen Holzmeister), Mary DeRose, Gregory Bartnik (Denise Strahm)

Friday, May 20 - St. Bernardine of Siena

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † St. Paul VI Parishioneers

Saturday, May 21 - St. Christopher Magallanes

(MC) 8:00 am † St. Paul VI Volunteers

(SM) 4:00 pm † James O'Brien (John & Susie O'Brien)

(MC) 5:00 pm † Jim Mehr (Alice Kenar), Irena & Marian

Mazurkiewicz, Jim Burns (Del Burns), Charlie Jr., Fran and Joe Zenkus (Geraldine Zenkus)

Sunday, May 22 - 6th Sunday of Easter

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Tony Gargano (Charlie & MaryLou Rubel), Luke Pfeiffer (Tina Lubrano), John & Connie Tangorra (Joanne Suba), Paul Anthony & Kimberly Carrabotta (Marta & Andy Rog)

(MC) 9:30 am † John Charnevsky (Ann Weber & Pam Rozhon), Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jaso, Mike Guereca, Jr. (Humberto Alaniz & Evelia Villafuerte), Kay Vabro (M. A. Kratochvil), Edwin Nieves (Edith)

(SM) 10:00 am † Roger Kowalski (John & Chris Flasza), Denyse Heffner, Howard Maskill

(MC) 11:00 am † Peace in our World, Intentions of the Chuck and Betty Dvorak Family

(SM) 5:00 pm † Joseph Carrabotta, Bob Berg, Javier Galindo, Dave Cavallo



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 Cheryl Albertsen Christine Alvarado Leo Augustinas Arlene Batek Deacon Bob Boharic Jennifer Borow Linda Bronsteader Del Burns Raybon Carroll John Chavez Margarita Diaz Therese Dolmant **Dorothy Dunaicik** Lee Emetti Midge Galloro Jayme Girard Anthony Gorski Elena Gorski Irene Gorski Robert Holas Irene Horacek Olga Horacek Noel Keen Bill Kernan Patricia King Norman Kirkley Theresa Kledek

Mary Kratochvil Joseph Kratochvil Christina Lee Ramon Lehnen Charlotte Lindauer **Emily Martinez** Spencer Mehr Lizzie Mooney Freda Murphy Irene Nelsen Annie Nystrom Beth Pennacchio Dean Pennacchio Rafaela Perez Elsie Piszczor George Rieber Sr. Rogelio Rojas Barbara Ruska Carol Schaffer Lorraine Schmecht Barbara Silvestri Nicholas John Stiso Ethan Tkalec Jennifer Walden Carina Willems 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

Knights Thank You for Supporting Aid to Ukraine

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank the members of St. Paul VI Parish for your generous support of our Easter Lamb Cake Sale. Because of you, we raised over \$1,150.00. 100% of the donations will be sent to the Knights of Columbus Ukraine Solidarity Fund which

goes directly to support humanitarian aid in Ukraine. Please continue to remember to keep our sisters and brothers of Ukraine in your prayers. Vivat Jesus! Bishop Ketteler Council 1628.



Vincentian Reflection

In the Gospel today, Jesus says "I give you a new commandment: love one another.... This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."

By your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul you show that you have love for one another, especially those suffering and poor, and that indeed you are the hands of Jesus.

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



Stewardship and Development

Second and Special Collections 2022

Priests' Health and Retirement June 12
Peter's Pence June 26

Missionary Co-Op Sunday in July/August Seminarian Education September 18

World Mission Sunday
Catholic Campaign for Human Development
Retirement Fund for the Religious
October 23
November 20
December 11

PLEASE NOTE: When mailing to the Parish office, please confirm you are using our correct address. We have recently had mail dropped off from St Paul Church on Akenside Rd, thankfully they have been bringing the envelopes over to us.

Our correct mailing address is 40 E Burlington in Riverside.

Remembering our Veterans - "Cradle to Grave"

The St Paul VI Women's Society Respect Life Committee will be having a special collection in the month of May to celebrate our Veterans. Our Society has adopted a "cradle to grave" stance so we choose to respect all life. 3 years ago we were able to raise over \$2000. Working with Hines VA and a low cost cremation service we were able to help cremate 4 veterans whose families were in dire need of assistance. Veterans receive free internment at any national cemetery such as Abraham Lincoln in Elwood IL., but funeral arrangements are up to the families. So many of our Vets are forgotten, homeless, suffer from

illness and destitute. So please help us out during the month of May. See the special envelope "Help homeless veterans" or donate online. Place your donation in the collection basket anytime during the month of May. We will keep the Parish posted on our progress as we identify Vets who need our help. It's our way of saying, "Thank you for your service and our Freedom!" God Bless.

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.

-WAYS TO GIVE-

ONLINE

 Click the donate button at <u>www.stpaulviparish.org</u> 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 and an email will be sent to you.



Parish Announcements



CAROL DVORAK, ST. PAUL VI WOMAN OF THE YEAR FOR 2022

The recently unified St. Paul VI Women's Society is proud to honor Carol Dvorak as our first Woman of the Year! Carol is the co-president from the Mater Christi Women's Guild with her counterparts from the St. Mary CCW and St. Hugh SCW.

Carol stepped in as president of the Guild in 2018 when it was floundering. Since 2021, she has been a welcoming presence to the women of all three legacy parishes attending our St. Paul VI monthly gatherings at Mater Christi. Her vivacious personality and sense of humor are thoroughly engaging!

One of 7 children, Carol received the sacraments at Mater Christi and attended middle school there. She grew up in the family home on Country Club Lane in North Riverside, where she has been caregiver for her mother, Betty Dvorak, since 2014. Carol first started attending Guild meetings with her mother. Encouraged by her mentors, she volunteered to run the raffle portion of the group's raffle/bake sale. Then one year, she ran the Guild's mission dinner.

It was her mother who urged Carol to volunteer as president. Betty herself had held many Guild offices and was 2004 Woman of the Year. While Carol was president from 2018-2021, the Guild launched a parish outreach that funds the cremation of deceased indigent veterans. Carol steps up when she sees a need, as when she took charge of Mater Christi's Giving Tree for St. Eulalia. She has been a lector since high school. Carol and Betty cook for the homeless through Housing Forward, which Betty sponsored for 15 years when it was soup and sandwiches.

Her career has taken her from working in a water testing lab to doing accounting to serving as personal executive assistant to the chairman emeritus of Sunbeam and Encyclopedia Britannica. She holds a master's in public health.

A world traveler, Carol has done photo safaris in six African countries. Ironically, she first met her friend Susan Storcel of Mater Christi taking a photo on Table Mountain in South Africa on a trip that featured the total eclipse. They've been back to Africa and to Peru, Alaska, and elsewhere. Carol is also an avid gardener.

Carol's fun-loving family enters the West Suburban Irish parade in Naperville as the Houlihan Clan—this year with 7 cars and 2 floats. Each August, Carol takes some of her 21 nieces and nephews on a "cousin camp" weekend and appoints a director of fun. Her youngest niece, Gracie, wrote an essay about Carol being her hero. It is one of five finalists in an essay contest that will be judged this month.

Carol, we cherish your friendship and salute your leadership. Congratulations!

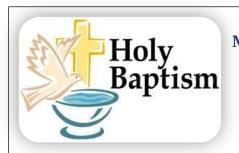
Parish Announcements



Ministry of Care

Ministry of Care to the sick is a pastoral ministry of caring for those who are hospitalized, in nursing homes or confined to private homes. This ministry is provided by trained and certified lay men and women, ordained deacons, vowed religious sisters and brothers and priests within the Archdiocese of Chicago. Ministers are trained and formed to conduct pastoral visits with time to listen and pray about the concerns of the sick or shut-in person and to share Eucharist with them.

Additional information regarding how to be part of this ministry, please contact Fr. Matthew Nemchausky at 708-447-1020.



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

May 1, 2022

Adelyn Belen Flores Vivian Marie Lambert Giovanni James Marousek Leon Henry Sitkiewicz



OFFICE CLOSED

Please note that the Lyne
Parish Office will be closed on
Monday, May 30, in observance
of Memorial Day. We will
reopen on Tuesday, May 31
at 10:00 am.



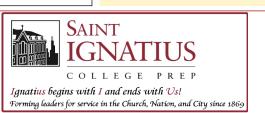
Thank you to everyone who supported the St. Mary School Golden Ticket Reverse Raffle.

We sold 266 tickets and were able to put \$19,000 toward the school fundraising goal of \$105,000.

Congratulations to our following winners:

Amanda Hagins
Michael Mullen
Laurel Anderson
Selene Cepeda
Joan Wiaduck
Dee Gozdziak
Jim Toriello
Elizabeth Cabrera

Angelica Cabello Sandy Vomacka Jennifer Fangmann Barbara Zak Liz Durkin Anthony Belcaster Amy Kintigh Bob Thompson





St. Mary Alumni honored at NHS

On April 28, 2022, six St. Mary School alumni Class of 2019 was inducted to the Arnold Damen Chapter of the National Honor Society. We are proud to announce the following students:

Sebastian Alvarez
Olivia Bahena
Isabela Cabrera
Mary Duffy
Nuala McMahon
Alexa Sandoval

For your excellence in Scholarship, Service, Leadership and Character, *Congratulations!* Keep making us proud.

Parish Events



Holy Name Society Mass

Please join us for Mass on Sunday, May 15, 2022 at 10:00 am Mass at St. Mary Church. All men of the parish and their families are invited

to pray together with the Holy Name Society, A reception will be held following Mass in the Oak Room. All are welcome!



May Crowning Schedule

May Crowning is a traditional Roman Catholic ritual held during the month of May. It is a solemn procession and at the close of the procession a statue of the Blessed Virgin is crowned with a garland or crown of flowers honoring Mary as "the Queen of May."

There is a special honor attached to being chosen to crown the statue.

May 17, 2022 at 9:30 am St. Mary School at the all-school Mass and 8th Grade Ribbon Ceremony





Faith Formation Board Forming

Are you interested in faith formation for our new parish? Please join us for an informational meeting on May 19th at 7:00 pm in Menarik Hall in the St. Hugh Faith Formation Center on Mater Christi Campus. We are looking for people that

are willing to walk with people of all ages on their faith journeys and people that feel joy and comfort in their own faith. If you think that this might be you, please come hear us out on the 19th. We will discuss what we are trying to accomplish with this board and expectations for board members at this meeting. Attending the meeting is not a commitment, so all those that are curious are welcome! If you have questions or if you are interested, but cannot be at the meeting, please contact Elizabeth Kos, Director of Youth Faith Formation at ebkos@stpaulviparish.org.



ST. PAUL VI PARISH 33RD ANNUAL LIMITED RAFFLE

"BENEFIT ST. PAUL VI PARISH"

(Sponsored by the Holy Name Society)

Dinner & Raffle May 25, 2022 at 7:00pm **Mater Christi Church** Menarik Hall (lower level)

200 Tickets @ \$75.00 each 1st Place - \$5,000 2nd Place - \$1,500 Plus other additional money prizes

For tickets: Call the Parish Office at 708-447-1020 or Guy Belmonte at 708-447-9212. Also available after Masses at the times & locations below.

Mater Christi Church (lower level): May 14th & 15th May 21st & 22nd

Women's Society Member Appreciation Dinner

The final Women's Society gathering of the 2021-2022 year will be our Member Appreciation Dinner and officer installation on the evening of June 1st.

Members, please RSVP by Thursday, May 26, if you will join us for our Italian-themed dinner from Paul's in Westchester by contacting Teresa Hall at hallrts@comcast.net or 708-525-3082.



Parish Events



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

June 27 - July 1 9:00am until 12:00pm St. Hugh Faith Formation Center (Mater Christi Campus) 2400 S. 10th Avenue North Riverside IL 60546

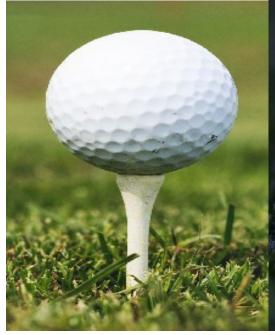
Start your family's Southwest Adventure with us this summer!

Go off-road for a Monumental adventure through the colorful canyons and sunbaked trails of the southwest. We will go off-road to explore God's awesomeness and build a rock-solid foundation of faith while blazing trails to new adventures with Christ!

For information or to register, visit our website at https://www.stpaulviparish.org/news--events/vacation-bible-school

Information about our teen program, held the same week, will be out soon!





Save The Date!

Polish your putting iron and practice your swing, it's time for the Annual Golf Outing fundraiser for St. Mary Athletics. This year our event will be held at Village Greens of Woodridge, 1575 West 75th Street, Woodridge, IL 60517. All proceeds will go to St. Mary Athletics. Stay tuned for more updates!

Ticket Price: \$90 - Individual | \$360 - Foursome

Hole Sponsorship: \$200

Check In and Registration: 11:00am

(golfers will receive their voucher for lunch that includes a burger, chips, cookie, and their choice of soda or beer.)

Shotgun Start: 12:30pm



Contact the school office for corporate sponsorship information.

Follow Us On Social Media & Visit stmaryriverside.org/school

Service Opportunities



NEW BABY ITEMS NEEDED FOR CRIB CLUB

The Women's Care Center provides free, confidential

counseling, support, and education for pregnant women. LaGrange has the fastest-growing of 34 locations in 12 states.

Expectant parents who attend the center's parenting classes receive coupons for new items in the Crib Club room, such as strollers, car seats, cribs, clothing, hygiene products, formula, and diapers. Monetary donations and gift cards are also appreciated.

Throughout the month of May, the St. Paul VI Women's Society invites parishioners to donate **new baby items** with tags on for the Crib Club at the Women's Care Center in LaGrange.

Please drop off in the Narthex at both worship sites starting May 1st to June 1st. Or, drop off at the Lyne Parish Office during office hours. Please do not drop off used items!



FEEDING THE HUNGRY

Anne Brokenshire of Mater

Christi, organized a group of parishioners to provide and serve soup & sandwiches to a homeless shelter on the west side of Chicago.

This mission has **continuously** operated thru today, with some changes in locations, volunteers, menus, and protocols (Covid-19).

What is **constant** is the feeding of the hungry.

The first Friday of each month, generous cooks provide 40 dinners to Housing Forward in Oak Park. Volunteers make 5-10 dinners of a menu of their choosing comprised of an entree, a vegetable, and a dessert.

If you are interested in the joyous support of this worthy deed, please contact Kathy Burns at burns.kathleen@comcast.net.

This group is sponsored by the St Paul VI Women's Society.



Join us for the next repack session on Saturday May 21, 2022 from 1 pm - 3:45 pm. Everyone 11 years old or older are welcome!

Registration is required. Please call or text JOHN LEGAN at 708-870-0045 for information, registration or any questions. Come on out and join us!!!!!!



Many thanks to all of those who Meal Train have helped provide meals for Fr. Cy Nemecek.

If you would like to volunteer please call/text Patti Jo Meyer at 708-334-6263 or email at pjmeb14@gmail.com or sign up using the link below. Thank You!

Meal Train for Fr. Cy Nemecek





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.

The February supper was the last one that required food assembly. Going forward, the St.

Paul VI changes to the monthly Tuesday Supper are as follows:

- 1. Food prepared should be for 20 servings and ready to serve in disposable pans.
- Food should be delivered between 4:45 5 pm.
- 3. Food drop-off will be in the St. Mary's Parking Lot, near the entrance off of Herrick Street.
- 4. Drivers should arrive at 4:40 pm, park and open Hatch/Trunk for food to be loaded as it is delivered.
- 5. Food will be loaded into 2 cars and driven to the Catholic Charities site and taken inside, where it will be served indoor as a sit-down supper.

The next Tuesday Supper will be on Tuesday, May 17. Job details and food items needed for supper can be found on the Sign-Up Genius. Please use this link to sign

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904054eaea62aaafc1catholic50



FOOD PANTRY - STOCK THE PANTRY!!

Please 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, 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!



St. Paul VI Parish Garden Ministry

Grow vegetables, fruit and herbs in your own home garden to share with local food pantries. We provide free plants.

For details, contact Sallie at gardenministry@aol.com.



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

Visit us at https://www.stpaulviparish.org/join-ourparish.html

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; or Susan Kahler, 708-805-1007, sclarekahler@gmail.com.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Bishop Ketteler Council 1628
Catholic men 18 and older are invited to our monthly meeting held 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

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 Parroquia comunidad.

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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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MARRIAGE PREPARATION

This process begins with an interview with a Pastoral Staff member. No date for the ceremony can be reserved until this interview is completed. For more information, call the Parish Office at 708-447-1020.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If you would like to receive an anointing, or you know someone who would like to receive this Sacrament, please call the parish office (708-447-1020) to schedule an appointment to arrange a visit.

FUNERAL PLANNING & ARRANGEMENTS

St. Paul VI Parish will assist you in preparing and customizing the Funeral Mass for your loved one. We are here to be of service to you during your time of sorrow.

Please contact the parish office at 708-447-1020 to make arrangements.

There is a simple outline of choices you may use to personalize the Mass for you and your family. All of these are suggestions; you may choose any sacred music that is familiar or important to you.

Fr. Matt Nemchausky will assist in any musical questions or special requests you have.

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 Colòn-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.

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