

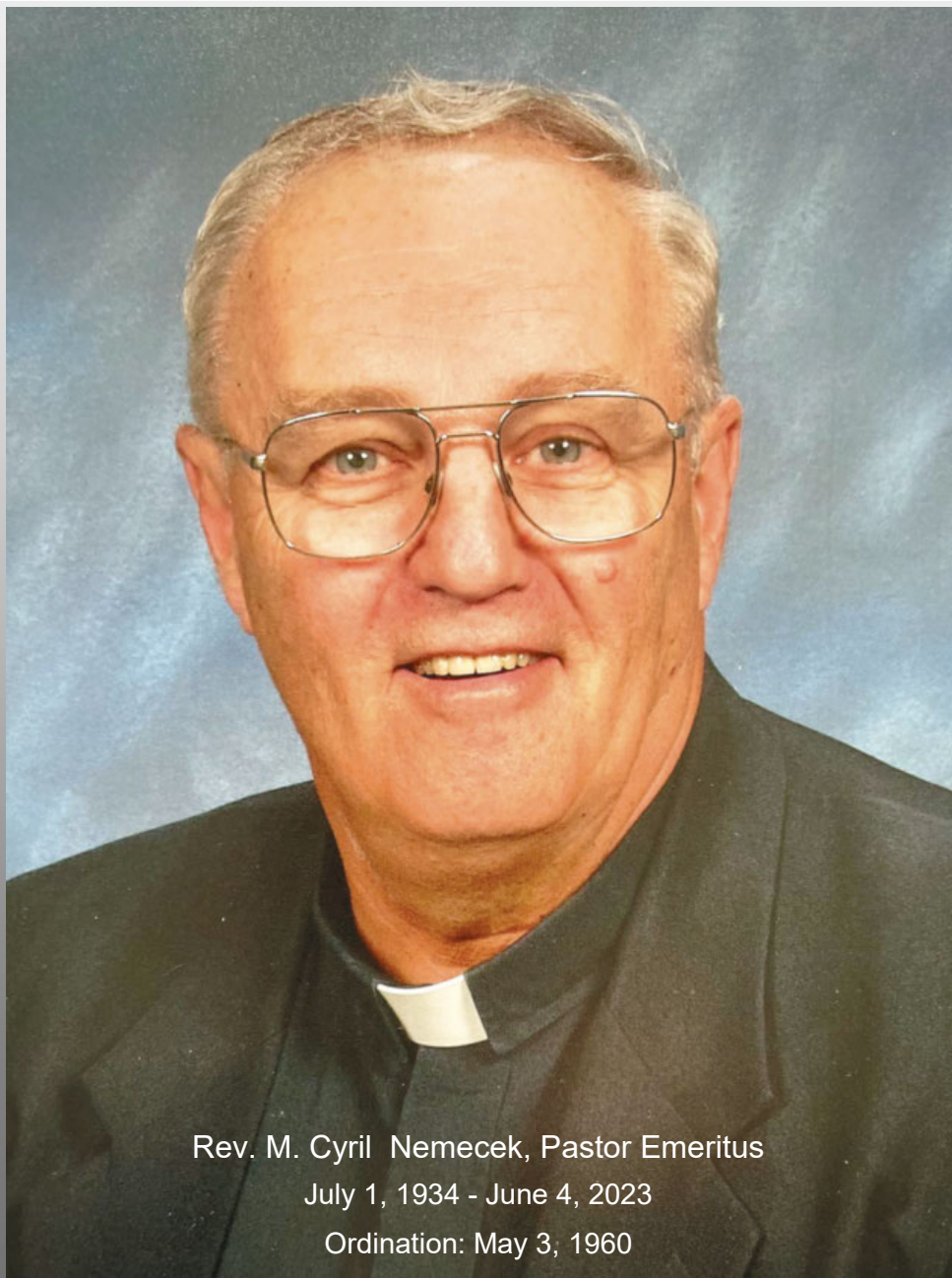


ST. PAUL VI PARISH

SUNDAY, JUNE 11, 2023

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

“Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him.” - Jn 6:56



Rev. M. Cyril Nemecek, Pastor Emeritus

July 1, 1934 - June 4, 2023

Ordination: May 3, 1960

**St. Mary Church
105 Herrick Road
Riverside**

**Mater Christi Church
2401 S. 10th Avenue
North Riverside**

A message from our Pastor



Happy Summer! Although it is not the official calendar date of Summer, school is out and the long, warm days are here. As this is being written, I am hoping that it will rain a bit – not like the storm we had almost one year ago, but some nice, long, gentle rains would be good for our gardens, lawns, and water bills!

What are you going to do this summer? We have approximately 4 weeks until July 4th and 11 weeks until the Parish Block Party on Sunday August 27th. Just putting these dates on paper seems to make the time fly, doesn't it? Don't let the time just slip by. Take some time in the next few days to make a list of some things you would like to do this summer; not big things like a vacation, but some of the little, fun things, you keep saying you want to do but never seem to get around to doing.

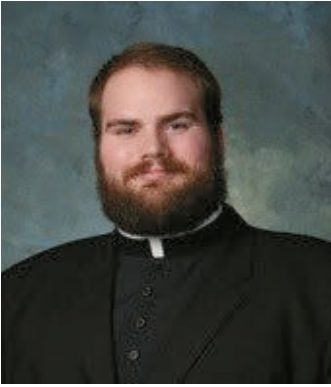
Here is my list: 1.) Read a Book – I am not a big book reader, it may have had something to do with “required” summer reading way back in the day, but I am going to find something that interests me and read it! 2.) Eat some ice cream! There are several places around here that I have never tried and this summer I am going to try them out! 3.) Take a new path on my walks. I love walking outdoors but get stuck in the same routine. I am going to try some different ways to go – and hope my GPS can get me back to the rectory if I am walking in Riverside! 4.) Mark the first day that I see fireflies. Now this might seem easy but in fact I do not usually stay up late and watching for fireflies means I can't be watching Netflix...let's watch for fireflies! 5.) Learn a new form of prayer. Now that may seem like an easy one for a priest, but I can assure you, everyone can get stuck in a rut and sometimes we need to do things differently to see how God is at work in our lives.

I don't know what your lists might have on them, but I hope that this summer you are able to take some time for some rest and spiritual re-charge...and ice cream!

As many of you may have heard, Fr. Cy Nemecek passed away last Sunday, June 4th. Fr. Cy was a faithful servant of God for over 63 years. A celebration of his life is being planned for later this summer. Please keep his family and all those who loved and cared for him in your prayers.

Fr. Tom May, Pastor

A message from our Associate Pastor



Fr. Cy's life is a great testament to our celebration of Corpus Christi. The Feast celebrates Our Lord's gift of Himself to us in the Eucharist. Fr. Cy as a priest for 60+ years gave himself to our community. He was so generous with his time and came to celebrate Mass with us as long as he was able and concelebrated when it was difficult. He did his just to be with the community as he did so many times for house calls and sick visits. Fr. Cy is such an inspiration of love and presence as a priest. That love and presence is such a great connection to Eucharist as well as how we look towards the future. Fr. Cy worked hard to keep the future of the parish in mind whether it was Catholic Education or making sure the parish was financially stable. I was so honored and blessed to learn from him and see firsthand his great love for the parish, the Church and our Lord. I am also grateful to steal some great homily ideas and have Fr. Cy's Hawaiian Our Father continue to play. May the Lord welcome Fr. Cy into paradise.

This year we are having a Year of Parish Revival. This is part of the National Eucharist Revival the first year was Launched on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, or Corpus Christi, the first year invites diocesan staff, bishops, and priests to what Pope Francis has described as "a renewed personal encounter with Jesus Christ"—particularly the transforming power and mercy of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. Each Diocese will offer events that encourage the faithful to grow in their understanding and devotion to Christ in the Eucharist, complemented by online formation and resources that will raise up Eucharistic Missionaries at all levels of the Church! Please join us in prayer for the renewal and healing of the United States as we answer this historic call to revival. This year is the second phase will foster eucharistic devotion at the parish level, strengthening our liturgical life through eucharistic adoration, missions, resources, preaching, and organic movements of the Holy Spirit. These local efforts will help convert hearts and minds to fall more deeply in love with Jesus Christ, truly present in the Holy Eucharist.

Tom Hoopes from Aleteia tells us about the Real Presence, the Catechism puts it: "In the most blessed sacrament of the Eucharist 'the body and blood, together with the soul and divinity, of our Lord Jesus Christ and, therefore, the whole Christ is truly, really, and substantially contained.'"

Christians have always believed in the Real Presence. And it has always been shocking. Jesus taught the doctrine most clearly in the sixth chapter of John:

"Jesus said to them, 'Very truly I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. ... For my flesh is real food and my blood is real drink.'"

After rising from the dead, Jesus dramatically demonstrated that he would remain with us in the Eucharist. In the town of Emmaus, two disciples didn't recognize Jesus until ...

"When he was at the table with them, he took bread, gave thanks, broke it and began to give it to them. Then their eyes were opened and they recognized him, and he disappeared from their sight."

The Eucharist united the first Christians.

"They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer."

The invaluable early Christian teaching book, the [Didache](#) (79), guards the Eucharist, and calls it a "sacrifice": *"Let no one eat or drink of your Eucharist, unless they have been baptized" (Chapter 9). "Every Lord's day gather yourselves together, and break bread, and give thanksgiving after having confessed your transgressions, that your sacrifice may be pure" (Chapter 14).*

Justin Martyr, sometime between 147 and 161, wrote in his First Apology ([Chapter 66](#)) of "this food we call the Eucharist":

Through the years, the Real Presence has been an important part of Christian spirituality.

St. John Chrysostom (347-407) said: "You say, 'I should like to see his face, his garments, his shoes.' You do see him, you touch him, you eat him. He gives himself to you ... to be your food and nourishment."

St. Augustine (354-430) said: "Christ held himself in his hands when he gave us his body to his disciples saying, "This is my body."

St. Francis of Assisi (1181-1226) said: "What sublime humility ... that the Lord of the universe, the divine Son of God, should stoop as to hide himself under the appearance of bread for our salvation."

J.R.R. Tolkien (1892-1973) wrote to his son: "I put before you the one great thing to love on earth: The Blessed Sacrament. ... There you will find romance, glory, honor, fidelity, and the true way of all your loves on earth, and more than that."

Mother Teresa of Kolkata (1910-97) said: "When you look at the crucifix, you understand how much Jesus loved you. When you look at the Sacred Host you understand how much Jesus loves you now."

It's no wonder. When Jesus says we are saved by his blood, he doesn't mean that we are "saved" by his "blood" — he means his real blood really gives us eternal life.

Where do we find it? In the Eucharist.

Fr. Matt Nemchausky, Associate Pastor

Worship

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*
5:00 pm Church

*Children's Liturgy of the Word

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

This Week's Scripture Reading

Sunday: Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/Ps 147:12-13,
14-15, 19-20 (12)/1 Cor 10:16-17/Jn 6:51-58

Monday: 2 Cor 1:1-7/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/
Mt 5:1-12

Tuesday: 2 Cor 1:18-22/Ps 119:129, 130, 131,
132, 133, 135/Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday: 2 Cor 3:4-11/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 8,
9/Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: 2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6/Ps 85:9ab
and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mt 5:20-26

Friday: Dt 7:6-11/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 10
(see 17)/1 Jn 4:7-16/Mt 11:25-30

Saturday: 2 Cor 5:14-21/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10,
11-12//Lk 2:41-51

PRESIDER SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF June 17 & 18:

St. Mary Church

Saturday **June 17** 4:00 PM Fr. Thomas May

Sunday **June 18** 8:00 AM Fr. Thomas Unz
10:00 AM Fr. Brian Taber, SJ
5:00 PM Fr. Thomas May

Presider:

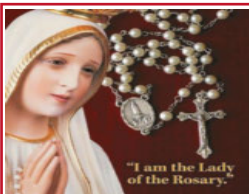
Mater Christi Church

Saturday **June 17** 5:00 PM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

Sunday **June 18** 8:00 AM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky
9:30 AM Fr. Thomas May
11:00 AM Fr. Robert Banzin

Presider:

**Presider schedule is subject to change.*



Hail Mary Challenge 1,504,976

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: **Meeting ID:** 812 1056 2468 - **Passcode:** 949134

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81210562468?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81210562468?pwd=eG80RGRkREdyN0RieUJLVFVhYWVhYUJhbnQ09)
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Please submit your count to stmarymarys@gmail.com. The counts received at are tabulated for inclusion in upcoming communications.

ROSARY, DIVINE MERCY & EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Mater Christi Church

Rosary
Monday - Saturday 7:30 am

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
Monday 6:00 to 8:00 pm

St. Mary Church

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

Rosary
Monday - Friday After 8:30 am Daily Mass

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
Thursday 3:00 to 9:00 pm



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.

Worship

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 10

(MC) 8:00 am † St. Paul VI Parishioners
(SM) 4:00 pm † Roger Kowalski (Alice Kowalski), Delores J. Kiss (Eileen Grimm)
(MC) 5:00 pm † Ron Gryzlak, Jim Burns (Del Burns), Jean Folz (Gloria Pennacchio), Jean Folz (Vivian DeNicola)

Sunday, June 11 - THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † All Fathers in our Parish
(MC) 9:30 am † George R. Zdarsky, Edwin Dulik, Margaret Sweeney (Mary Sweeney), Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jaso, Dalton Lee Brown (Pat Brown)
(SM) 10:00 am † Bob Keehn III (John & Judy Scully), Leo Augustinas, Sr. (Marge Kearney & Hilda Rohmann), Denise Dwyer (Marilyn Havlik), John Kipp (Arlene Batek), Timothy Richards (Carey Family)
(MC) 11:00 am † St. Paul VI Women's Society, Celestine Casper, Walt Koch
(SM) 5:00 pm † Leo Augustinas, Jr. (Augustinas Family), Stephan Rentka (Maddalena Flight)

Monday, June 12

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Edward & Dorothy Dedowicz (Bob Dedowicz), August Nemecek (Sue Kisel), Jean & Roland Hall (Teresa & Raymond Hall)

Tuesday, June 13 - St. Anthony of Padua

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Joyce O'Brien (John & Susie O'Brien), Anthony Rocotello, Jim Burns (Del Burns)

Wednesday, June 14

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Delores Kiss (Patricia Madai)

Thursday, June 15

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Safety for First Responders, John Biba (Arlene Biba)

Friday, June 16 - THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

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

Saturday, June 17 - The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

(MC) 8:00 am † John & William Kisel (Sue Kisel)
(SM) 4:00 pm † Leo Augustinas, Sr. (Gloria Rossi), Timothy Richards (Sharmayne Stach)
(MC) 5:00 pm † Irena & Marian Mazurkiewicz, Jessica Albertsen (Cheryl Albertsen), Jim Burns (Del Burns), Edward Kwiek (Nancy Kwiek)

Sunday, June 18 - Father's Day

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † All Fathers in our Parish, Joseph & Leona Carrabotta (Adrian & Karen Goetz)
(MC) 9:30 am † Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jaso
(SM) 10:00 am † Robert J. Keehn, III (Marc Loyd), James Jones III (Steve Lifka), Wilbur Gage (Wesolowski Family)
(MC) 11:00 am † Anthony Rocotello, Jack Roebuck, Alfred Spagnoletti
(SM) 5:00 pm † Leo Augustinas, Jr. (Augustinas Family), Celestine Casper



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

Fr. M. Cyril Nemecek.

May they rest in peace.

For the sick and homebound

Virginia Alba	Joanne Kosey
Cheryl Albertsen	Jerry Kosik
Christine Alvarado	Donald J. Kotrba, Sr
Jim Arndt	Sally Kouba
Neenah B.	Mary Kratochvil
Arlene Batek	Joseph Kratochvil
Alberto Blasi	Diane Kretz
Anita Blasi	Christina Lee
Barbara Blazina	Ramon Lehnen
Deacon Bob Boharic	Charlotte Lindauer
Jennifer Borow	Ashley Marlow
Del Burns	Eileen Marquetti
Raybon Carroll	Emily Martinez
Al Cimino	Harper Faith McGee
Victorino Herrera Corral	Spencer Mehr
Glen Cox	Dolores Messlein
Gloria DeSanto	Lizzie Mooney
Margarita Diaz	Freda Murphy
Therese Dolmant	Irene Nelsen
Carol Dvorak	Annie Nystrom
Elliott Franche	Beth Pennacchio
Midge Galloro	Dean Pennacchio
Lindsey Gavin	Rafaela Perez
Jayne Girard	Elsie Piszczor
Dawn Gmitro	Maria Pura
Mimi Gnolfo	Maria Retana
Bern Gordus	Roberto Requena
Anthony Gorski	Dolores Rieber
Elena Gorski	George Rieber Sr.
Irene Gorski	Al Riebock
Bob Gurski	Rogelio Rojas
Katie Hassberger	Bridget Sarley
Thomas Higgins	Maria Consuelo Serrano
Marilynne Higgins	Carol Schaffer
Robert Holas	Lorraine Schmecht
Irene Horacek	Ann Stauffer
Olga Horacek	Nicholas John Stiso
Wassyl Kalin	Ethan Tkalec
Noel Keen	Maria Villafuerte
Bill Kernan	Jennifer Walden
Patricia King	Carina Willems
Norman Kirkley	Henry & Dorothy Zalabak
Theresa Kledek	Pat Zdarsky
Russell Klemp	

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 minimum 2 weeks prior to the requested Sunday bulletin date.

Stewardship: Gifts of Time, Talent & Treasure

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



2023 LEGACY PLANNING

"This is the bread that came down from Heaven. Unlike your ancestors who ate and still died, whoever eats this bread will live forever." (Jn 6:58)

As stewards of our faith, we can express our gratitude for the bread given to us from heaven and help ensure that God's good work on earth continues by considering a charitable gift annuity. When you establish a charitable gift annuity with the archdiocese, not only will you receive fixed payments for life, but you can designate our parish as the remainder beneficiary.

How It Works:

1. Make a gift of \$10,000 or more to the Archdiocese of Chicago. Fund your gift annuity with cash or securities.
2. Receive fixed payments for life – for yourself or a loved one age 60 or older. Payment rates are based upon the age of the annuitant at the time you establish the gift annuity.
3. Enjoy immediate and future tax benefits, including a federal income tax deduction for a portion of your gift, if you itemize. You can schedule payments according to your financial needs, and a portion of each annuity payment will be tax-free (through life expectancy).
4. The funds remaining after your lifetime will support our parish or school – as designated by you.

If you would like more information on how to make a QCD gift to St. Paul VI Parish, please contact Jane Birmingham at 708-447-1020 or jbirmingham@stpaulviparish.org.

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 my self and not ask for a reward, Except the reward of knowing that I am doing your will.

-St. Ignatius of Loyola

-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 and an email will be sent to you.

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Second and Special Collections 2023

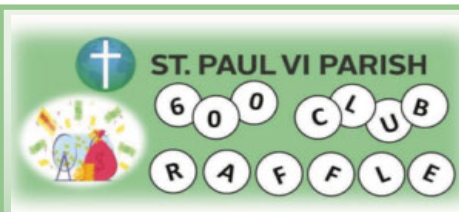
Peter's Pence	July 2, 2023
Missionary Co-Op	Sunday in July/August
Seminarian Education	September 17, 2023
World Mission Sunday	October 22, 2023
Catholic Campaign for Human Development	November 19, 2023
Retirement Fund for Religious	December 10, 2023



Vincenian Reflection

Today as we celebrate the gift of the Body and Blood of Christ let us pray for those who are hungry, malnourished and starving. **Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that together we can help those who are hungry. Thank You!**

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.



**ARE YOU FEELING LUCKY?!
BUY YOUR TICKET FOR THE
NEXT RAFFLE DRAWING,
MONDAY, JUNE 12.**

CONGRATULATIONS!

Winners for 600 Club 6/5
1st Prize (\$75):
Bob & Judy Finn (#140)

2nd Prize (\$25):
Kim Zaabel (#187)

Come by the parish office and grab a raffle ticket. The winner will be notified by email/phone, bulletin. Pick one up at the parish office, 40 E. Burlington St. Riverside. All proceeds from the fundraiser will be credited toward the parish fundraising goal of \$45,000 for the fiscal year 2022-2023.

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

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO
PRIESTS' HEALTH
& RETIREMENT



JUNE 10 & 11

Our Promise to Our Priests



Our annual collection benefitting

HEALTHCARE, WELLNESS AND RETIREMENT

for the priests of the Archdiocese of Chicago.

Your generosity impacts 430 active and
257 retired archdiocesan priests.

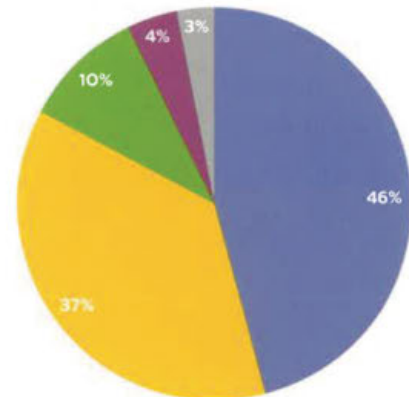
Please give to
prmaa.org.

Thank you for your generosity!

HOW THE FUNDS ARE USED

Priests' Health and Retirement Total Annual Costs

Medical/Pharma and Wellness	\$ 5,884,000
Retirement Benefits	4,711,000
Nursing Care Assistance	1,337,000
St. Benedict's and Bishop Lyne Residences	500,000
Administration and Other	353,000
Total Expenses	\$ 12,785,000



- Medical/Pharma and Wellness
- Retirement Benefits
- Nursing Care Assistance
- St. Benedict's and Bishop Lyne Residences
- Administration and Other

Priests' Health and Retirement/PRMAA

1400 South Wolf Road | Building 3, Floor 2 | Hillside, IL 60162 | 708.449.8026 | prmaa.org

Parish Events & other announcements

Saint Kateri's Closet at St. Paul VI Parish



Our dream is to allow every child making their First Communion to have access to an outfit no matter what their family is able to afford.

We are building a closet of dresses and suits for children and parents to "shop" and "borrow" and then return to Kateri's Closet for the next family.



There is no cost to the families. But we cannot do this without your help.



We are accepting donations of First Communion Clothing (dresses and suits) to create our closet. We ask that all clothing be freshly laundered.



Donations can be sent to:

St Hugh Faith Formation Center
2400 S. 10th Ave., North Riverside, IL

St. Paul VI Parish Pastoral Office:
40 E. Burlington, Riverside, IL



Questions?

Call Chris: 708-224-9993 or email jcvalfred@outlook.com

If you need a First Communion outfit or know a family that does, please call.



Join us as we gather to pray, read a Bible story, share our thoughts, and hopefully laugh a lot!

This event is open to all ladies of St. Paul VI Parish.

We will gather on Saturday, June 17, 2023 at 7pm

at St. Mary in the Oak Room (lower level)

Please RSVP by filling out the online link:

www.tinyurl.com/www61723

or calling: 708-224-9993 by June 12, 2023.

Please read the Scripture Passage

(to participate in the discussion):

Anna;

How to Live a Life Devoted to God

Luke 2:36-38

Small free-will offerings gratefully accepted.



NATIONAL Eucharistic Revival

This weekend on the Feast of Corpus Christi, the National Eucharistic Revival designated by the USCCB draws to a close the *Year of Diocesan Revival* and begins the *Year of Parish Revival*. This period will last from the Feast of Corpus Christi 2023 to July 17, 2024. This means that individual pastors around the world will engage their staff and parishioners with community-specific activities and events throughout the year.

The Holy Spirit's call to renewal can be broken down into four invitations based on the pillars of the Revival: reinvigorate worship, create moments of personal encounter, engage in robust formation, and send Catholics forth as missionaries. St. Paul VI Parish will host events such as catechetical formation on the Real Presence of Christ, opportunities to better understand and enter more deeply into the Paschal Mystery through the celebration of the Mass, and extended opportunities for Adoration and Reconciliation. Be sure to check the bulletin and our website for more information.

Please mark your calendars for:

- **October 17- Fr. Timothy Anastos**, Kerygmatic Eucharistic Speaker, will speak to our parish at 7pm in St. Mary Church.
- **October 19-23rd- Blessed Carlo Acutis Eucharistic Miracle Exhibit** will be on display at our parish. Please look for more information in the bulletin and on our website.

If you want more information about the National Eucharistic Revival, scan the QR Code.





ST. PAUL VI PARISH

More details
to follow

2023
Summer
Block Party

08.27.2023

SAVE THE DATE

2:00 - 8:00 PM

Mater Christi Campus
2401 S. 10th Ave.
North Riverside



St. Mary School Alumni News & Events



DR. KATIE MANIKA, CLASS OF 2010

Congratulations to Katie Manika, a proud graduate of St. Mary Class of 2010 who graduated from the College of Veterinary Medicine - University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign on Friday,

May 12th! While a student at St. Mary, Katie made it abundantly clear that her lifelong dream and ultimate goal was to become a veterinarian! Katie's dream is now a reality! Dr. Katie will be practicing at the Springbrook Animal Care Center in Naperville along side her mentor and Clinic Owner, Dr. Matt Timmons, Mater Christi Class of 2000. Please stop by with your furry friends and say hello to both Dr. Katie and Dr. Timmons!



USAF 2ND LT. ERIK KAZMIEROWICZ, CLASS OF 2014

Erik Kazmierowicz, St. Mary School Class of 2014, received an appointment to the United States Air Force Academy in 2017 and graduated in 2021. He was commissioned as a 2nd Lieutenant and

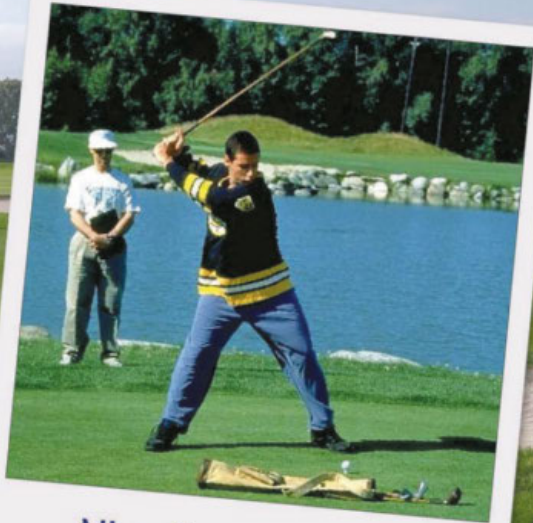
was selected to attend pilot training, receiving his wings in January of 2023. This is a picture of him in front of the T-38 training jet he is currently flying.

After he completes his T-38 training this summer, he will be assigned a fighter or bomber airframe and continue his training to serve our great nation.

We are proud of our St. Mary School Alumni. If you have an update you would like to share, send an email to marketing@stmaryriverside.org.



Tickets On Sale!



All golfers welcomed!

St. Mary Athletics Golf Outing

Saturday, June 24
11:00 - 6:00 PM

Village Greens of Woodridge
1575 W. 75th Street
Woodridge, IL 60517

Tickets are still available.
All proceeds will go to
St. Mary School Athletics.

Ticket Price:

\$95 Individual | \$380 Foursome

Meal Package Included, with your
choice of soda or beer!

Purchase tickets here:

<https://e.givesmart.com/events/wJw/>



<https://2023stmgolf.givesmart.com>

Service Opportunities



INTERESTED IN GETTING INVOLVED?

We are looking for volunteers to be a part of our new Building and Grounds Committee. If you have experience in maintaining buildings (contractors, plumbers, electricians, architects, grounds upkeep, etc), we need you.

Your talents would be most helpful in advising the operations team regarding potential projects, prioritizing projects, and reviewing proposals.

We would meet quarterly in the evening at the Lyne Center.

If you are interested, please reach out to Jennifer Pondel at 708-447-1020.

Thank you!



Please help The St. Mary Garden Ministry feed the hungry.

*If you cannot feed a hundred people, then feed just one...
Mother Teresa*

How this works:

We give you free vegetable and herb plants to grow in your own garden.

You donate what you grow to Share The Harvest, an ecumenical ministry that supplies fresh produce to local food pantries.

You deliver what you grow to St. Mary Garden Ministry volunteers at St. Mary Church parking lot on Monday mornings by 9:30 a.m. from mid-May through late October.

Please contact Sallie Boge for complete details at gardenministry@aol.com



FOOD PANTRY - STOCK THE PANTRY!!

Summer is almost here! Families take a break and people go on vacations. But the Food Pantry stays open. Please continue to support the Food Pantry by keeping it stocked this summer. Bring your donation for the Catholic Charities Pantry items to the Parish Office at 40 E. Burlington, Riverside. Canned goods: soup, vegetables, fruit, tuna, and pasta, pasta sauce, rice, cereal, and mac n cheese are welcome. In addition, gift cards can be placed in an envelope and dropped at the office mailbox. Please label the envelope CC Food Pantry Collection.

Thank you for your generosity and continued support!

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Thank You for your generous donations to the ongoing Knights of Columbus Diaper Drive for Catholic Charities. Any sizes will help families and babies in need but **sizes 5 & 6 are the most needed**. Please drop off your donations at the parish office located at 40 E Burlington St, Riverside, or Mater Christi Church at 2401 S. 10th Ave., North Riverside.



SERVICE OUTREACH

How can I volunteer to serve others? Is there a group at St. Paul VI Parish that helps others outside our parish?

These questions may come to mind when you see and hear of hardships that others in our community and in the world are enduring.

The St. Paul VI Service Outreach Committee (SOC) focus is to inspire and lead the parish faith community in ministering to those in poverty, service members in the military, the elderly, community families and the environment. Visit our page on the St. Paul VI [website](#), see what we have done, projects that are ongoing and how you can help.



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

- 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.
- Drivers** – needed at 4:40 pm to meet at St. Mary's Parking Lot to load up prepared food and drop off by 5:30 pm at the CC Cicero location where the food is served.

Our next supper will be on Tuesday, June 20th. Check the SignUpGenius link for more info: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904054eaea62aaaf1-catholic60#/>

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. To join, contact 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 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.

BAPTISM OF INFANTS

Second and fourth Sundays at St. Mary, first and third Sundays at Mater Christi. Register for Parent Preparation Session by calling 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.

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 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.

For reading resources, visit stpaulviparish.org.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE RESOURCE

FOR HELP 24/7

National Domestic Violence Hotline 1-800-799-7233

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For online resources, visit <https://www.stpaulviparish.org/domestic-violence-resources.html>

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