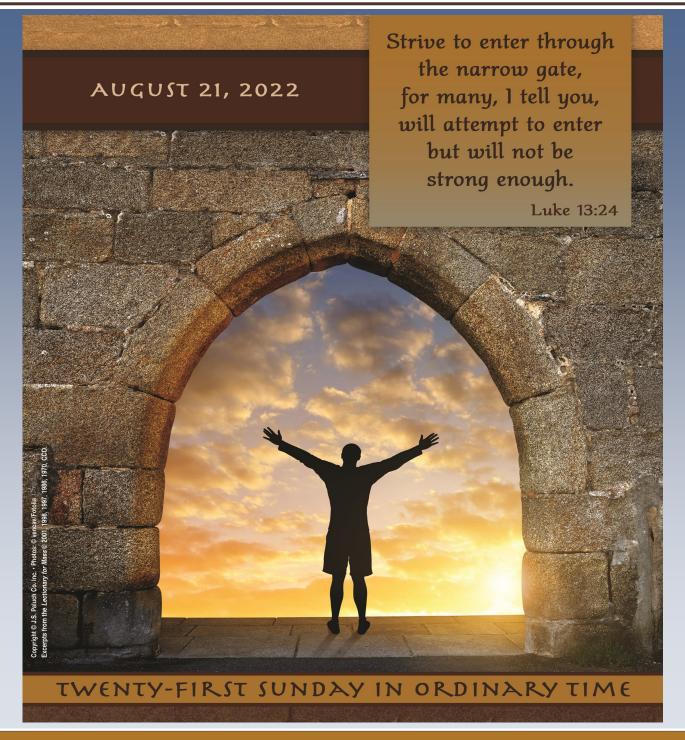
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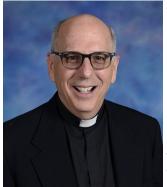


ST. PAUL VI PARISH



St. Mary Church 105 Herrick Road Riverside Mater Christi Church 2401 S. 10th Avenue North Riverside

A message from our Pastor



This week we welcome our students, teachers, and staff back to St. Mary School for the 2022-2023 school year. This begins the 96th year that our parish school has provided a faith-based educational option to area children and their families. When the school opened in September 1926, there were 49 total students enrolled in grades one through six, all taught by Sister Austin and Sister Winifred of the Sisters of St. Joseph in LaGrange. This year, there are 342 students enrolled from Pre-School to Eighth Grade. We have two classes for every grade level and due to

overwhelming demand, opened an additional Pre-School class this year. The school provides Before and After school care to accommodate our working parents' schedules. Beginning this school year, St. Mary school children will have a 1:1 computer ratio – a tremendous milestone for our technology plan and program. We are blessed to have Mrs. Nicole Nolazco back for her fourth year as Principal and Mrs. Lisa Garza, beginning her second year as Assistant Principal. Mrs. Nolazco and Mrs. Garza have an amazing team of teachers, aides, staff, and parent volunteers ready to make this school year a great one!

Our Religious Education program begins Sunday, September 11. We are blessed to have Mrs. Maria Ramos as our new Youth Faith Formation Director. She is excited to meet you and your children and has a wonderful year planned! There are still openings in every grade level for the Religious Education program; register today!

The continued and always generous support given by so many to ensure that the Catholic faith and tradition is passed down to our children is truly impressive. Let us continue to nurture and grow the seeds of faith planted at Baptism. Through our children's lessons and efforts, may we all continue to grow in faith and strengthen our love for Jesus Christ.

This prayer from The Catholic Catalogue beautifully sums up our request to God for this coming school year for all of our children, from Pre-School to college:

God of wisdom and might, we praise you for the wonder of our being, for mind, body and spirit.

Be with our children as they begin a new school year.

Bless them and their teachers and staff.

Give the strength and grace as their bodies grow; wisdom and knowledge to their minds as they search for understanding; and peace and zeal to their hearts.

We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

A message from our Associate Pastor



This past Monday we celebrated the Assumption of Mary. This elicits two questions: what is the Assumption and why is it important?

The answer to what is the Assumption we can look at the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, the Assumption refers to an event that occurred at the end of the Virgin Mary's life.

"Finally, the Immaculate Virgin, preserved free from all stain of original sin, when the course of her earthly life was finished, was taken up body and soul into heavenly glory, and exalted by the Lord as Queen over all things, so that she might be the more fully conformed to her Son, the Lord of lords and conqueror of sin and death." The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin is a singular participation in her Son's Resurrection and an anticipation of the resurrection of other Christians. (CCC 966)

Philip Kosloski of *Aleteia* continues that this belief in the Catholic Church has its origin in the first few centuries of Christianity, finding its source in early stories of the Virgin Mary's "death."

St. John Damascene, an 8th-century Christian author, wrote about how fitting it was for the Virgin Mary to be assumed into Heaven.

It was fitting that she, who had kept her virginity intact in childbirth, should keep her own body free from all corruption even after death. It was fitting that she, who had carried the Creator as a child at her breast, should dwell in the divine tabernacles. It was fitting that the spouse, whom the Father had taken to himself, should live in the divine mansions. It was fitting that she, who had seen her Son upon the cross and who had thereby received into her heart the sword of sorrow which she had escaped in the act of giving birth to him, should look upon him as he sits with the Father. It was fitting that God's Mother should possess what belongs to her Son and that she should be honored by every creature as the Mother and as the handmaid of God.

Pius XII details in his apostolic constitution, *Munificentissimus Deus* how this belief has been handed down over the ages and finds evidence even in scripture.

Moreover, the scholastic Doctors have recognized the Assumption of the Virgin Mother of God as something signified, not only in various figures of the Old Testament but also in that **woman clothed with the sun** whom John the Apostle contemplated on the Island of Patmos. Similarly, they have given special attention to these words of the New Testament: "Hail, full of grace, the Lord is with you, blessed are you among women," since they saw, in the mystery of the Assumption, the fulfillment of that most perfect grace granted to the Blessed Virgin and the special blessing that countered the curse of Eve.

The Assumption is an ancient celebration, one that honors the Virgin Mary and her role in salvation history and the eternal destination prepared for her by her Son, Jesus.

Pope Francis as told by Kathleen N. Hattrup of *Aleteia* helps understand why the Assumption is important. Pope Francis took a moment to **nourish the virtue of hope** in the faithful today, as at the end of the August 10 general audience, he reflected on the upcoming feast of the Assumption of Mary.

This feast celebrates God taking Mary into Heaven with both her body and soul. It is celebrated on August 15.

In greeting French-speaking pilgrims, the Pope said that the celebration of the Assumption helps us be brave even as **life on earth is full of difficulty**.

"May she, who has entered the glory of heaven, sustain our courage in this time of pilgrimage that we have yet to experience here on earth," he said.

Addressing the German-speaking pilgrims, the Pope noted how Mary's victory came after her time of suffering.

"The Blessed Virgin Mary suffered with Jesus under the Cross," he said, "so that she could **then follow him as the first creature into his heavenly glory.** From heaven, Mary looks upon each of us with motherly love. Let us, therefore, turn our gaze toward her that she may lead us to salvation."

To the Portuguese-speaking faithful, the Pope reflected that "the best is yet to come," as this feast of Mary confirms. "May the Holy Spirit increase our faith," he prayed, "so that we may truly believe that **the best in our lives is yet to come.** God bless you!"

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:

youtube.com/channel/UC1KACprstDfNk-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: 2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12; Ps 96:1-5;

Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday: 2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17; Ps 96:10-13;

Mt 23:23-26

Wednesday: Rv 21:9b-14; Ps 145:10-13, 17-18;

Jn 1:45-51

Thursday: 1 Cor 1:1-9; Ps 145:2-7; Mt 24:42-51

Friday: 1 Cor 1:17-25; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 10-11;

Mt 25:1-13

Saturday: 1 Cor 1:26-31; Ps 33:12-13, 18-21;

Mt 25:14-30

Sunday: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Ps 68:4-7, 10-11; Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a; Lk 14:1, 7-14

PRESIDER SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF August 27 & 28:

St. Mary Church Presider:

Saturday **Aug 27** 4:00 PM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

Sunday Aug 28 8:00 AM Fr. Thomas May

10:00 AM Fr. Brian Taber, SJ

5:00 PM Fr. Thomas Unz

Mater Christi Church Presider:

Saturday **Aug 27** 5:00 PM Fr. Thomas May

Sunday Aug 28 8:00 AM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

9:30 AM Fr. Robert Banzin 11:00 AM Fr. Thomas May

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 1.216.936

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.

^{*}Presider schedule is subject to change.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 20 - St. Bernard

(MC) 8:00 am † Healing for the sick of St. Paul VI Parish (SM) 4:00 pm † Nushardt & Jes Families (Sharmayne Stach), Norbert Kretz (Julie Cooney), Donald Ivansek (Friends from SMC '83) (MC) 5:00 pm † Yolanda Cardolopoli (Mary Jane Miller), Irena & Marian Mazurkiewicz, Jim Burns (Del Burns), Amber Fuller (Pat Borow)

Sunday, August 21

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † John & Connie Tangorra (Joanne Suba), Joseph H & Leona H Carrabotta (Alice Skorupa), Members of the Stumpo Family (D. Conjura), William Thomas Nolan Jr.

(MC) 9:30 am † Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jaso, Donna Tuider (The Tuider Family), Randy Czajka (Debbie Czajka) (SM) 10:00 am † Kenneth Lee (Rossi Family), Joseph Carrabotta, Norbert Kretz (Kretz Family), Valerie Kosin (Michele Boyce) (MC) 11:00 am † St. Paul VI Parishioners

(SM) 5:00 pm † Kenneth Pogwizd (Marcia & Kenneth Diubek), Valerie Kosin (Elise George)

Monday, August 22 - The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary (MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † School children of St. Paul VI Parish, James Marchetti (Marchetti Family), Paul Ross (Gloria Maruska)

Tuesday, August 23 - St. Rose of Lima (MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Gertrude & George Gallagher (Maloney & Gallagher Families)

Wednesday, August 24 - St. Bartholomew

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Fr. Vito Marziliano, Don & Mary Miller (Bob & Judy Finn)

Thursday, August 25 - St. Louis, St. Joseph Calasanz (MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Gene Holzmeister (Kay Holzmeister)

Friday, August 26

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Valerie Fitzgibbon (Hoving Family), Irene Kolar (Rosann Lorenz)

Saturday, August 27

(MC) 8:00 am † Healing for victims of violence (SM) 4:00 pm † Mariana & Vincente Zukowski

(MC) 5:00 pm † Jim Burns (Del Burns), Anne Zavoral (Rosann Lorenz),

Theresa Pobuda (Rosann Lorenz)

Sunday, August 28

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Jenny Dituri (Joanne Suba), Jose Murguia, Joseph H & Leona H Carrabotta (Adrian & Karen Goetz), Georgiana E Struble

(MC) 9:30 am † Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jaso (SM) 10:00 am † Msgr. R. George Sarauskas, Paul Proteau, Sr. (Jacobson Family), Bob & Pat Walt (Paula Jo Belice)

(MC) 11:00 am † Eustalia Leal Guarado (St. Paul VI Bereavement Ministry)

(SM) 5:00 pm † Seamus Brennan (John & Debbie Hogan), Peace in our World, Guillermo Salgado Jr., Gloria & Guillermo Salgado, Sr.

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 Frederick Nkemdi.

May they rest in Peace.

For the sick and homebound

Virginia Alba Cheryl Albertsen Christine Alvarado Arlene Batek Deacon Bob Boharic Ramon Lehnen Jennifer Borow Linda Bronsteader Del Burns Raybon Carroll John Chavez Margarita Diaz Therese Dolmant Elliott Franche Midge Galloro Jayme Girard Anthony Gorski Elena Gorski Irene Gorski Bob Gurski Katie Hassberger Thomas Higgins Robert Holas Irene Horacek Olga Horacek Infante-Anguiano Family Wassyl Kalin Noel Keen Bill Kernan

Patricia King

Norman Kirkley

Theresa Kledek Mary Kratochvil Joseph Kratochvil Christina Lee Charlotte Lindauer **Emily Martinez** Spencer Mehr Lizzie Mooney Freda Murphy Irene Nelsen Annie Nystrom Beth Pennacchio Dean Pennacchio Rafaela Perez Elsie Piszczor Dennis Raleigh George Rieber Sr. Rogelio Rojas Barbara Ruska **Bridget Sarley** Carol Schaffer Tim Schiel Lorraine Schmecht Nicholas John Stiso Ethan Tkalec

Maria Villafuerte

Jennifer Walden

Carina Willems

Deborah Yetter

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

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Stewardship and Development

Second and Special Collections 2022

Seminarian Education

World Mission Sunday

Catholic Campaign for Human Development

Retirement Fund for the Religious

September 18

November 20

December 11

-WAYS TO GIVE-

MAIL - DROP OFF - CALL

- Bishop Lyne Pastoral Center 40 E Burlington St. Riverside IL 60546
- (708) 447-1020

ONLINE

Click the donate button at 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.

ST. PAUL VI PARISH SUMMER BLOCK PARTY

SUNDAY, AUGUST 28

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

WE NEED YOUR HELP FOR THIS FUN EVENT!

SIGN-UP at St. Mary Church (elevator entrance), Mater Christi vestibule, call 708-447-1020, or email stpaulviinfo@stpaulviparish.org.

For a better unity, help your community!

Give your time and talent while having fun.

SIGN-UP TODAY!



PARISH MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Connect with us and join us!

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

Parish News & Announcements



Welcome Maria Ramos

Our new Youth Faith Formation Director, Maria Ramos, will be speaking to us and making a brief introduction after communion at all masses at Mater Christi Church on August 27 & 28.

We invite you to join us and welcome Maria into our parish.

Bienvenida María Ramos

Nuestra nueva Directora de Formación de Fe Juvenil, María Ramos, nos hablará y hará una breve introducción después comunión en todas las misas en la Iglesia Mater Christi el 27 y 28 de agosto.

Te invitamos a unirte a nosotros y dar la bienvenida a María a nuestra parroquia.





Felicidades

Sofía Alvarez July 30, 2022

Congratulations, Sofia on renewing your Baptismal vows and rededicating yourself to Mary, Mother of God.



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

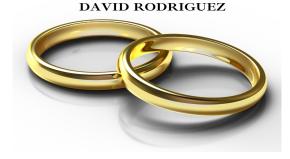
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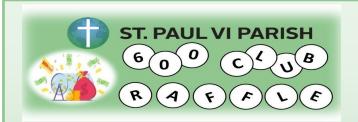
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WEDDING BANNS

September 3, 2022

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THE 600 CLUB RAFFLE IS BACK! ONLY 600 TICKETS WILL BE SOLD!

As we begin our second year as St. Paul VI Parish, we want to continue incorporating fun traditions, events, and fundraisers from our legacy parishes. Many people have asked if and when the Mater Christi 300+ Club Raffle would be re-instated. We are happy to announce that the raffle is back with a few updates! A special mailer was sent to your home address with an order form. You can drop it in the collection basket or parish office, or mail your order form to 40 E. Burlington St. Riverside IL 60546.

All proceeds from this fundraiser will be credited toward the parish fundraising goal of \$45,000 for the fiscal year 2022-2023.

Tickets will be sold at both worship sites at Masses on August 20 & 21 and the Parish Block Party on August 28th.

Any questions?

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



Women look forward to a magical night

Women of St. Paul VI: <u>Save the date Wednesday, Sept. 7</u>, for the Women's Society's first monthly gathering of 2022-2023. It promises to be a magical evening! The gathering will start at 7:00 p.m. at Mater Christi in the lower-level Marian Room. Those who would like to pray the rosary should come to the church at 6:30. More details to follow. Members of the Women's Society and other women of the parish who are interested in joining are invited!



Special PreSale Preside Preside Preside President Presid	<u>ricing</u> 🛆 Name	
\$5 for 6 tickets	Tickets	
\$10 for 12 tickets	can be picked Email	
\$20 for 25 tickets	up at the	
	Block Party. Phone	Number
# of Tickets		All Presale Ticket orders are due by August 21.
		ckets can also be purchased online: www.stpaulviparish.org
Total Cost \$	Make checks pay	/able to St. Paul VI Parish.
\$	I am not able	to attend, please accept my donation for the Block Party.
All Tickets will cost \$1 each after August 21 and at the Block Party.		

Christmas Markets in Germany and France

including visits to:
Aachen, Strasbourg, Colmar, the Black Forest, Stuttgart, Esslingen and more!

9 Days ~ November 28 - December 6, 2022



Aachen Cathedral, Germany



Strasbourg, France



Colmar, France



Hosted by:

Fr. Carl Morello

St. Giles Catholic Parish Oak Park, IL

Fr. Tom May

St. Paul VI Parish Riverside, IL

Join Fr. Tom and Fr. Carl for 9 days and explore Christmas Markets in Germany and France!!

November 28 - December 6, 2022 The deadline for enrollment is August 24, 2022. The final payment is due September 15, 2022.

Program Highlights

- Round trip air transportation from Chicago, including taxes and fees in effect as of July 2022.
- 7 nights' accommodations in first class (3 & 4 star) hotels.
- Breakfast daily and 3 dinners as in the itinerary (pick up a flyer at the Lyne office or <u>click here</u>).
- Professional tour manager to accompany the group in Europe.
- European transportation via private motorcoach.
- Comprehensive sightseeing as outlined in the itinerary, including applicable entrance fees.
- Masses to be scheduled during the tour.
- Porterage of one suitcase per person at European hotels.

For details and information, stop by the Lyne office and pick up a copy or visit or click here.

Service Opportunities



SERVICE OUTREACH SERVICE FAIR SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11TH

St Paul VI Service Outreach Committee will be hosting a Service Fair at St Mary's after the 8 and 10 a.m. masses and at Mater Christi after the 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. masses. Weather permitting it will be outdoors in front of the main church entrances (if raining, it will be in the Oak Room and Marian Room).

We will have volunteers manning tables with information and sign-up sheets for all of our ongoing service projects which include Greater Chicago Food Depository, Housing Forward Suppers, Catholic

Charities Tuesday Suppers and Food Pantry Collections, St Vincent de Paul, Project CURE sending medical supplies to needy countries including the Ukraine, BedsPlus homeless shelter supplies.

Please bring your calendars and see what you may be able to fit into your schedules. Let the Holy Spirit inspire you to emulate Jesus as a servant to help others.

We will also have information and sign-up sheets for all of the Parish Action Day projects which will be held on Nov. 5th this year.



Saturday, November 5, 2022

St Paul VI Parish Action Day Saturday, November 5, 2022

Mark your calendars for November 5th! Parish Action Day is a service day that has been held at St Mary's from 2012 thru 2019. It is sponsored by the Service Outreach Committee and its purpose is to build community and camaraderie with all parishioners as they serve a few hours together to help the needy, the military, and the environment.

We will start the day with a continental breakfast at 8:30 a.m. in the St Mary Parish Center (gym). At 9:00 a.m. there will be a send-off prayer by the Pastor and then each group will go off to do the service project that they signed up for. There are 8 different project groups to sign up for this year. Please note that each person participating can only sign up for one group since they are all being held simultaneously.

Projects will include packing supplies for the homeless, a Veterans program at Hines VA, environmental landscape work around town, decorating cookies for the homeless, making holiday cards for the military, specialized cleaning in both of our churches, making Random Acts of Kindness notes to distribute around our neighborhoods, sorting coats and clothing, and making after school snack packs for Catholic Charities.

The Service Outreach Committee will be holding a Service Fair on Sunday, Sept. 11th after morning masses at both St Mary and Mater Christi which will include displays explaining all of the Parish Action Day projects as well as sign-up sheets for each project. We encourage everyone to sign up for a project that will work best for you and your family. We have projects for all ages. Great for those who need service hours. Please plan to join your friends, neighbors, and fellow parishioners in a day of fun and service!



CATHOLIC CHARITIES (CC) TUESDAY SUPPER

CC Cicero began the Tuesday Supper program in October 2020 during the pandemic. Since they began, they have roughly distributed 125 meals a week primarily to low-income families from Cicero and surrounding communities. They are very grateful to St. Paul VI Parish for being a monthly sponsor. Service Outreach is coordinating a Tuesday Supper monthly on the 3rd Tuesday of the month. Thank you to all who have helped us to help others. Any questions, send an email to Service

Outreach, ServiceOutreach@stmaryriverside.org.

Volunteers are needed on the day of the supper.

- Cooks & Bakers Food for 20, 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 to the CC Cicero location where the food is served.



Our next supper will be on Tuesday, September 20th. More info is available, check the SignUpGenius link: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904054eaea62aaafc1-catholic54



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!



ending homelessness

FEEDING THE HUNGRY

Do you enjoy cooking? There is an opportunity and need for volunteers to help feed the hungry for a homeless shelter located on Lake Street in Oak Park.

On the first Friday of each month, generous cooks provide 40 dinners to Housing Forward. Volunteers make 5-10 dinners on a menu of their choosing comprising of an entree, a vegetable, and a dessert. Containers are supplied. Meals are delivered.

If you are interested in this worthy deed, please contact Kathy Burns. burns.kathleen@comcast.net

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



The train has not stopped! Fr. Cy just stepped off briefly for some Physical Therapy. Please consider hopping on to make a meal or more for Fr. Cy Nemecek, Pastor Emeritus. Call or text Patti Jo Meyer at 708-334-6263, email her at pjmeb14@gmail.com or visit https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/vzl32w. All aboard!!

SHARE THE HARVEST

Share the harvest from your home's garden with SHARE THE HARVEST, an ecumenical ministry that provides home-grown vegetables/herbs/fruit to local food pantries. Please leave any amount of the harvest from your garden in the SHARE THE HARVEST basket at the elevator entrance of St. Mary Church after masses. It will get picked up after the 10 a.m. mass. Or you can leave your harvest on Monday mornings by 9:30 a.m. at the arbor entrance of The Garden of Eden (St. Mary Church's vegetable garden adjacent to the parking lot).

Questions: Contact Sallie at gardenministry@aol.com









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 the first
Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.



For information: https://www.stmaryriverside.org/

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.

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

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 Marilyn Havlik at 708-470-9765.



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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.

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Contact Cheryl Skoda at cskoda@stpaulviparish.org 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.

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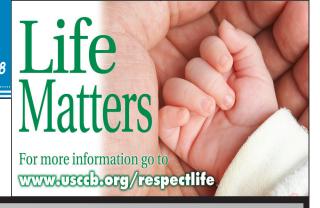
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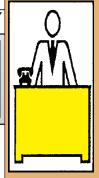
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