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ST. PAUL VI PARISH

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



with me because I have found my lost sheep."

Luke 15:6

SEPTEMBER 11, 2022

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

A message from our Pastor



This weekend we welcome all of the families and their children who have registered for the 2022-2023 St. Paul VI Children's Religious Education Program, as classes begin today. We are blessed to have over 200 students registered so far, many who will be preparing for and receiving the sacraments of Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation this year. Just like our school campus, the St. Hugh Faith Formation Center will be a busy place, and how wonderful is that? If you have not yet registered your children, there is still time to do so. Please call the Parish Office at 708-447-1020 and someone will be happy to assist you.

Do you know someone who has expressed an interest in learning more about the Catholic faith? Please encourage them to sign up for our RCIA program that will be starting in a couple of weeks. Just as it is important to pass the faith on to our children, it is equally important to help all those who are seeking to find a relationship with Jesus Christ on their faith journey.

Speaking of finding - do you know a family member, friend or neighbor who has not returned to Mass since the COVID shut down? Please reach out and encourage them to come back to Mass. Offer to pick them up and go back to church together. Sometimes all it takes to get one of our missing friends back into the pews is a friendly offer of accompaniment.

As is always the case when you try and thank everyone who helped pull off a successful parish event, you miss people. The Parish Block Party that was held on Sunday August 28th was a wonderful event. A big overdue thank you to the Village of North Riverside for their support and sending representatives from the Fire and Police Department. The kids loved the big trucks! Also, thank you to Tony Stankus for the donation of all the signage at the party.

On a final note, I would be remiss to not call attention to the anniversary of the tragic events of September 11, 2001. Let us remember all those who lost their lives that day. Let us remember all of the families and friends that have lived every day since missing a loved one. Let us remember all of the first responders who rushed toward those in need. And at this time when our country seems so divided by political discourse, let us remember what it felt like to be united.

Fr. Tom May, Pastor



A message from our Associate Pastor



Over the centuries there grew a custom of devoting certain months of the year to specific spiritual themes. September became known as the month of "Our Lady of Sorrows."

Initially this might seem like a strange designation, as Our Lady of Sorrows is usually connected to Jesus' crucifixion, which in the Church's liturgical year is celebrated in March or April. Philip Kosloski of Aleteia has more about Our Lady of Sorrows.

However, early on there developed a feast on September 14 named "The Exaltation of the Holy Cross." The *Saint Andrew Daily Missal* explains, "Originally this feast celebrated the finding of the Holy Cross by St. Helena and the consecration, on September 14, 335, of the basilicas built by Constantine on the

sites of the Holy Sepulchre and Calvary at Jerusalem."

This brought into September a particular meditation on the cross of Jesus Christ, and by the 17th century there developed a complementary Marian feast on September 15.

In the 17th century the Servites celebrated a solemn feast of the Seven Sorrows of Our Lady, which in 1817 was extended to the whole Church by Pius VII as a memorial of his sufferings in exile and captivity and of his deliverance through the Blessed Virgin's intercession.

Furthermore, "Pope St Pius X transferred this feast from the third Sunday of September to this octave-day of Our Lady's Nativity (September 8th), in 1912."

Originally this feast was more concerned with Mary's sufferings throughout her early life, excluding the Passion of Jesus, her Son, but over time it has come to represent all of Mary's suffering.

On account of these two central feasts September has become known as a month dedicated to Our Lady of Sorrows.

Here are some prayers to help you contemplate the Exultation of the Cross.

But the Prince of Darkness was himself conquered by a tree — the tree of the cross. Here, an excerpt from the preface to pray with:

You placed the salvation of the human race upon the wood of the cross, so that where death arose, there life might rise again; and the one who conquered on a tree, might also be conquered on a tree: through Christ our Lord. Through whom the Angels praise your majesty, Dominions adore, Powers tremble. Heaven and the Virtues of heaven, and the blessed Seraphim, unite to celebrate together with exultation. Graciously grant, we pray, that our voices may be joined to theirs, in humble praise ...

For another meditation, St. Paul of the Cross invites us:

When you are alone in your room, take your crucifix, kiss its five wounds reverently, tell it to preach to you a little sermon, and then listen to the words of eternal life that it speaks to your heart; listen to the pleading of the thorns, the nails, the precious Blood. Oh, what an eloquent sermon!

As the ancient English poem *The Dream of the Rood* tells us, as if the Cross itself is speaking:

Now the time has come that I will be honored far and wide by men over the earth and all this glorious creation; they will pray to this beacon.

On me the Son of God suffered for a while; because of that I am glorious now, towering under the heavens, and I am able to heal each one of those who is in awe of me.

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 (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: 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Lk 7:1-10

Tuesday: 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Ps 100:1-5; Lk 7:11-17

Wednesday: Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-38; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17

Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-11; Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28; Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

Friday: 1 Cor 15:12-20; Ps 17:1bcd, 6-8b, 15; Lk 8:1-3

Saturday: 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Ps 56:10c-14; Lk 8:4-15

Sunday: Am 8:4-7; Ps 113:1-2, 4-8; 1 Tm 2:1-8; Lk 16:1-13 [10-13]

PRESIDER SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF September 17 & 18:

St. Mary ChurchPresider:Saturday Sept 174:00 PM Fr. Thomas UnzSunday Sept 188:00 AM Fr. Robert Banzin10:00 AM Fr. Thomas May5:00 PM Fr. Matthew NemchauskyMater Christi ChurchPresider:Saturday Sept 175:00 PM Fr. Thomas MaySunday Sept 188:00 AM Fr. Thomas May9:30 AM Fr. Brian Taber, SJ

11:00 AM Fr. Thomas Unz

*Presider schedule is subject to change.

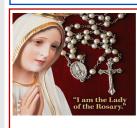
ROSARY, DIVINE MERCY & EUCHARISTIC ADORATION Mater Christi Church Rosary Saturday 7:30 am

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION Monday 6:00 to 8:00 pm

St. Mary Church Divine Mercy Chaplet & Rosary Thursday 3:00 to 4:00 pm

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION 3:00 to 9:00 pm





Hail Mary Challenge 1,243,689

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

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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.

We encourage you to also post prayers of praise and thanksgiving, sharing when prayers have been answered.

Virtual Prayer Wall requests can be made by visiting <u>www.stpaulviparish.org</u> or call the parish office at 708-447-1020.

Worship

Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 10

(MC) 8:00 am † Frank Horacek Jr. (Olga Horacek) (SM) 4:00 pm † Madeline Solik (Bill), Marilyn Smutny (Pat Splittgerber), Deborah Prusiecki (Ann & Stephen Kubiczky) (MC) 5:00 pm † Daniel Mokrzycki, Klara & John Grzelak, Ron Gryzlak,

St. Paul VI Women's Society, Joseph Sblendorio 10th Anniversary (Teresa West)

Sunday, September 11

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Rudolf, Yolana, Miroslav Vavrinec (Ludmila Vavrinec), Members of the Stumpo Family (D. Conjura), Daniel Hoff (Patricia Madai)

(MC) 9:30 am † Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jaso, George R. Zdarsky, Dalton Lee Brown, William Polich (Shirley Polich)

(SM) 10:00 am † John Leo Wilson (The Kraman Family), William Polich (Shirley Polich)

(MC) 11:00 am † Robert & Elizabeth Fox, Bill Fox (Fox Family) (SM) 5:00 pm † Luigi Gattuso (Gattuso Family)

Monday, September 12 - The Most Holy Name of Mary (MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Dorothy Gargano (Patricia Gargano),

Delia & Louis Crosoli (Marchetti & Hoving Family), Joan O'Brien (Cathy and Pat Carone), Jim Burns (Del Burns)

Tuesday, September 13 - St. John Chrysostom

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Tony Gargano (Patricia Gargano), Gertrude & George Gallagher (Maloney & Gallagher Families), Jim, Molly & Amelia Hubert in honor of their birthday (Ben & Maria Pura), Joseph Sblendorio (Teresa West)

Wednesday, September 14 - The Exaltation of the Holy Cross (MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Eileen Mullen, Debbie Slowinski (Joyce Krasowski)

Thursday, September 15 - Our Lady of Sorrows

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Gene Holzmeister (Kathleen Holzmeister), Joseph & Leona Carrabotta (Rogelio Guico & Family), Gloria Jones (Family)

Friday, September 16 - Ss. Cornelius and Cyprian

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am + St. Paul VI Volunteers, Wedding Anniversary of Steve & Kathy Leurck, Matthew & Paul Leurck, Gloria Jones (Family)

Saturday, September 17 - St. Robert Bellarmine, St. Hildegard (MC) 8:00 am † Healing for the sick of our parish, Charles Batek (Arlene Batek)

(SM) 4:00 pm † Nushardt & Jes Families (Sharmayne Stach) (MC) 5:00 pm † Irena & Marian Mazurkiewicz, Jim Burns (Del Burns)

Sunday, September 18

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Soco Salgado (Patricia Salgado), August & Helen Ondrejka (Ludmila Vavrinec), John & Connie Tangorra (Joanne Suba), Joseph & Leona Carrabotta (Jerry & Christine Palcan)

(MC) 9:30 am † Edwin Dulik, Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jaso, Deacon Ron & Alyce Pilarski- 45th Wedding Anniversary (Deacon Ron Pilarski)

(SM) 10:00 am † Nicoline Shields, Marco Navarro, Rosina Grano, Faylene McDowell (St. Paul VI Women's Society)

(MC) 11:00 am † St. Paul VI Volunteers

(SM) 5:00 pm † Regina & Alfred Nowatarski (Nowatarski Family)

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 Pauline Trombetta-Nicoletti and Cathy Butusov.

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 Alice Ewald Elliott Franche Midge Galloro Javme 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



SEMINARIAN EDUCATION FUND

The archdiocesan collection for the education and formation of our future priests.



MAIL - DROP OFF - CALL

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

- WAYS TO GIVE -ONLINE

 Click the donate button at <u>www.stpaulviparish.org</u> to set up an EFT or credit/debit card donation.

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.



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

Got tickets?! Grab your raffle ticket while they last. The first drawing will be on Monday, September 26. The winner will be notified by email/ phone, bulletin, and eblast. 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.

Any questions?

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

On September 17 & 18, 2022, there will be a special collection for the Seminarian Education Fund. Your gift provides support for the training and education of men studying for priesthood in the Archdiocese of Chicago. The fund helps to cover the cost to educate each archdiocesan seminarian as they proceed through the various stages of formation before ordination as a priest for Chicago.

Please support the men seeking to answer God's call to a life of service as a priest for the Archdiocese of Chicago.

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.

(708-554-7285).

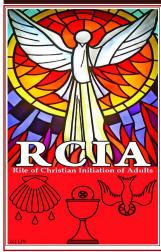
be sent to you.

-St. Ignatius of Loyola

Text DONATE to 708-55-4PAUL

A verification and an email will

Faith Formation



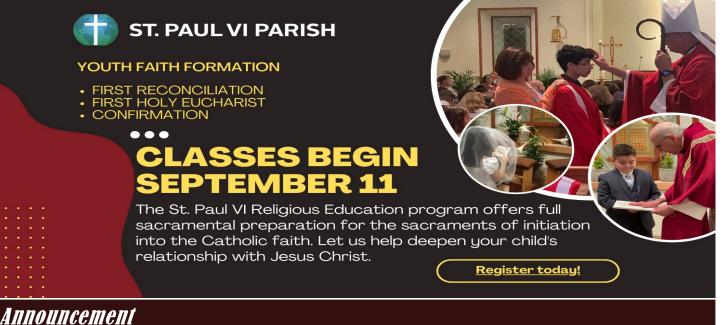
The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

St. Paul VI parish is preparing to begin the journey with those adults who are interested in exploring the Catholic faith and entering into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ and the Church He founded through our R.C.I.A. program.

R.C.I.A., The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a process of inquiry and conversation for unbaptized adults, adults baptized in another Christian faith tradition and adults baptized as Catholic, who are seeking to know more about the Catholic faith and for Catholics who have not yet received the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation.

If you are an adult or a young adult 18 years or older and are interested in exploring the possibility of deepening your faith through the Sacraments of Initiation as a disciple of Christ and entering into full communion with the Catholic Church or if you know of someone who might be seeking more information or has not yet received the Sacraments of Confirmation or Eucharist contact Deacon Randy Belice via e-mail to:

<u>rbelice@archchicago.org</u> or call the parish office at (708) 447-1020. You can also visit our website at <u>www.stpaulviparish.org</u>, select >Learn > RCIA Adult Sacrament.



VIRTUS - SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING

All volunteers working with children and youth are required by the Archdiocese to attend the "Protecting God's Children" class. This training is required before you volunteer. Choose one of the training sessions:

Monday, September 19th at 6:30 pm in the Oak Room (lower level of St. Mary Church) Wednesday, September 28th at 6:00 pm in the Marian Room (lower level of Mater Christi Church)

For more questions or information, contact Chris Alfred at calfred@stpaulviparish.org or 708-447-1020.





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

September 4, 2022

Hayley Michelle Villarreal Sienna Ingrid Pimentel Breanne Hope Ruckman

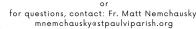
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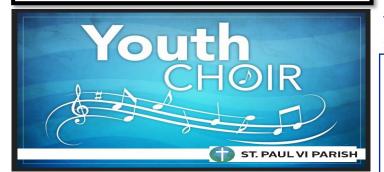


grades 4th - 8th. We are looking for reverent, committed students with strong leadership skills. If you are interested in becoming an altar server, please attend our upcoming training at St. Mary Church after school. Students will be dismissed in front of the Church on Herrick Rd.

New Server Training September 13th & 15th 3:00 to 4:00 pm "must attend both days

Scan the QR code with your phone to sign-up





ST. PAUL VI PARISH CHOIR

Do you love to sing? We are looking for interested 4th-8th graders to join our Parish Youth Choir.

Our Youth Choir will begin rehearsing on Tuesday, September 20th after school. Students may attend either location: St. Mary Church from 3:05 to 3:50 pm or at Mater Christi Church from 4:35 to 5:20 pm.

Our Youth Choir members will sing together on the third Sunday of each month during the school year, alternating between the 10:00 am Mass at St. Mary Church one month and the 11:00 am Mass at Mater Christi Church the following month. Our first Mass will be on Sunday, October 16th at 10:00 am at St. Mary Church.

For more details, please visit our website at <u>www.stpaulviparish.org.</u>



ALL SOUL'S DAY Art & Environment Ministry

In honor of All Soul's Day, the Art & Environment ministry will be creating a photo display of deceased loved ones during the month of November.

The photo display will be at both the St Mary and the Mater Christi sites. If you would like to remember loved ones in prayer, please send digital photo images to:

StPaulVIArtEnviron@gmail.com by October 17th.

We will not be using the past years photos unless requested.

DIA DE LOS MUERTOS Ministerio de Arte y Medio Ambiente

En honor al Día de Todos los Almas, el ministerio de Arte y Medio Ambiente creará una exhibición de fotografías de seres queridos fallecidos durante el mes de noviembre.

La exhibición de fotos estará en los sitios de St Mary y Mater Christi. Si a ti te gustaría recuerde a sus seres queridos en oración, envíe imágenes fotográficas digitales a:

StPaulVIArtEnviron@gmail.com antes del 17 de Octubre. No usaremos las fotos de los últimos años a menos que se solicite.

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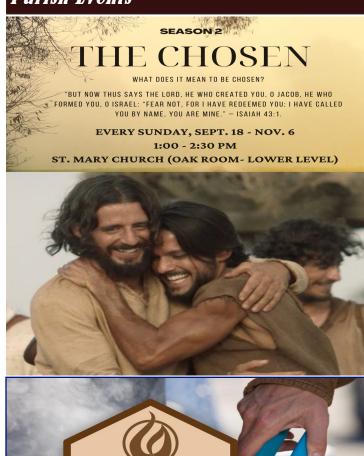
Each Fall, the Knights of Columbus hold a Tootsie Roll Drive to support individuals with physical and /or intellectual disabilities.

The funds collected are distributed to organizations in our parish and community for persons with disabilities including SPRED (**SP**ecial **R**eligious **Ed**ucation), Misericordia Home, Seguins and WSSRA (West Suburban Special Recreation Association). During this challenging time, it is particularly difficult for persons with disabilities as well as their families. Your generous donation will help the Knights of Columbus in their commitment to these charities. Each person contributing to this fund will receive a tootsie roll.

The Knights will be outside both Churches after each Mass on September 10 & 11.

Thank you for your support!

Parísh Events





St. Mary School

www.stmaryschoolriverside.org

Come out and celebrate the start of our 96th school year. Pack your car with the essentials: a cooler, food, refreshments, a table & chairs (NO fire pits, please).

Proceeds support St. Mary School's Annual Fundraising Goal.

All Tickets are \$50/space, collected in advance. Visit https://tinyurl.com/2s3fchnb to reserve your parking spot or make a donation.

This event runs from 5:30 - 10:00 pm. Parking spaces are first come, first served. This is a 21+ event.

What Does It Mean To Be Chosen?

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

What: The Chosen - Season 2 Interactive Bible Study -Video presentation followed by group discussion. Open to all but may not be appropriate for all children. No materials are needed. A Bible and a notebook should be useful.

When: Sundays from 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm. Sunday, September 18 – Sunday, November 6 (Eight Sessions)

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

Please contact the group facilitators for more information:

Deacon Peter Brown -pebrown@stpaulviparish.org Jane Birmingham – jbirmingham@stpaulviparish.org Trey VanDyke - tvandyke@pga.com

To preview the program, please visit the App Store -The Chosen.



Bring Your Own Baptized Baby-BYOBB Party

Baptism In the first year as St. Paul VI Parish, 100 children have been baptized. To celebrate this

milestone, there will be a BYOBB party for those who were baptized in the past year. It is such a blessing to have you and your family be part of our parish and thankful you chose St. Paul VI as your faith community.

Please join us at the 4:00 PM Mass on September 24th. Reception to follow:

> Saturday, September 24, 2022 St. Mary Parish Center (located behind the Church by the flagpole) 5:00 - 7:00 PM

(pizza, snacks, and refreshments will be served)

Godparents and grandparents are welcome to attend!

RSVP by September 18th to Chris Alfred at

stpaulviinfo@stpaulviparish.org, call 708-447-1020, or scan the QR code.





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Parísh Events

THE FEAST OF ST. PAUL VI September 26, 2022

7:00 pm ^{*Livestream available on} YouTube: St. Paul VI Parish

St. Mary Church

105 Herrick Rd, Riverside (Refreshments to follow in the Oak Room)

Come and celebrate the Feast of St. Paul VI!

The feast day of St. Paul VI represents both an opportunity to celebrate his apostolic achievements and reflect upon practical ways to put his teachings into practice. This year we are delighted to welcome Thomas Howard, DMin, and Sister Christine Nantaba, IHMR who will identify how our patron:

- Established a firm foundation for evangelization and what Pope Francis calls "A Culture of Encounter".
- Made a historic, first-ever papal visit to Uganda that continues to bear fruit today in the form of numerous vocations and organic growth of local faith communities.

About our speakers

Listen to Dr. Tom Howard and Sr. Christine Nantaba share with the St. Paul VI Parish Community about our Patron Saint and his connection to Uganda and how it can help our community build our new reality. A free-will offering will be taken up at the end of the presentation to support the religious education efforts of Sister Christine's community. Checks can be written to IHMR Sisters in Uganda.

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Sr. Christine Nantaba, IHMR

Resides at the Mater Christi convent at the St. Hugh Faith Formation Center. She is part of the Sisters of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Reparatrix Ggogonya in Uganda, East Africa.



years of experience in parish ministry and 10

years in the Archdiocese as a Director of

Religious Education.

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Parish Action is

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.

Service Opportunities



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, <u>ServiceOutreach@stmaryriverside.org</u>.

Volunteers are needed on the day of the supper.

- <u>Cooks & Bakers</u> 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.
- <u>Drivers</u> 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: <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904054eaea62aaafc1-catholic54</u>



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.

🔒 Meal Train

The train has not stopped! We continue to seek volunteers to make meals for Fr. Cy Nemecek, Pastor Emeritus. Call or text Patti Jo Meyer at 708-334-6263, email her at <u>pjmeb14@gmail.com</u> 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



Parísh & 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 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 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 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 Hold Matrimony



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 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.

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.



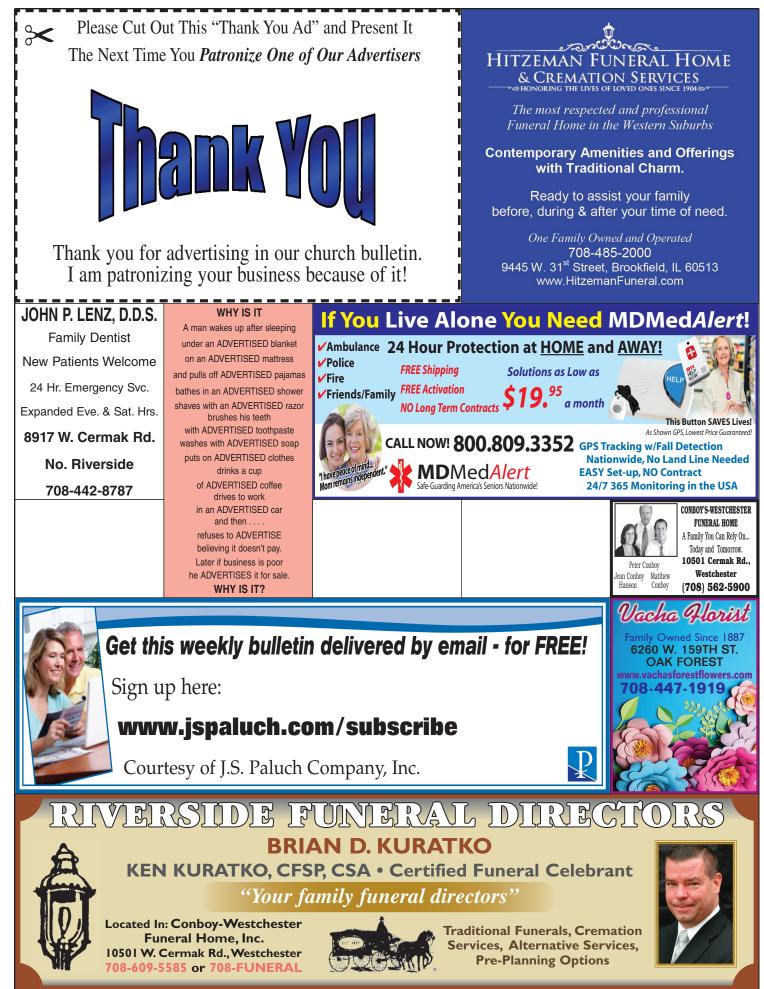
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