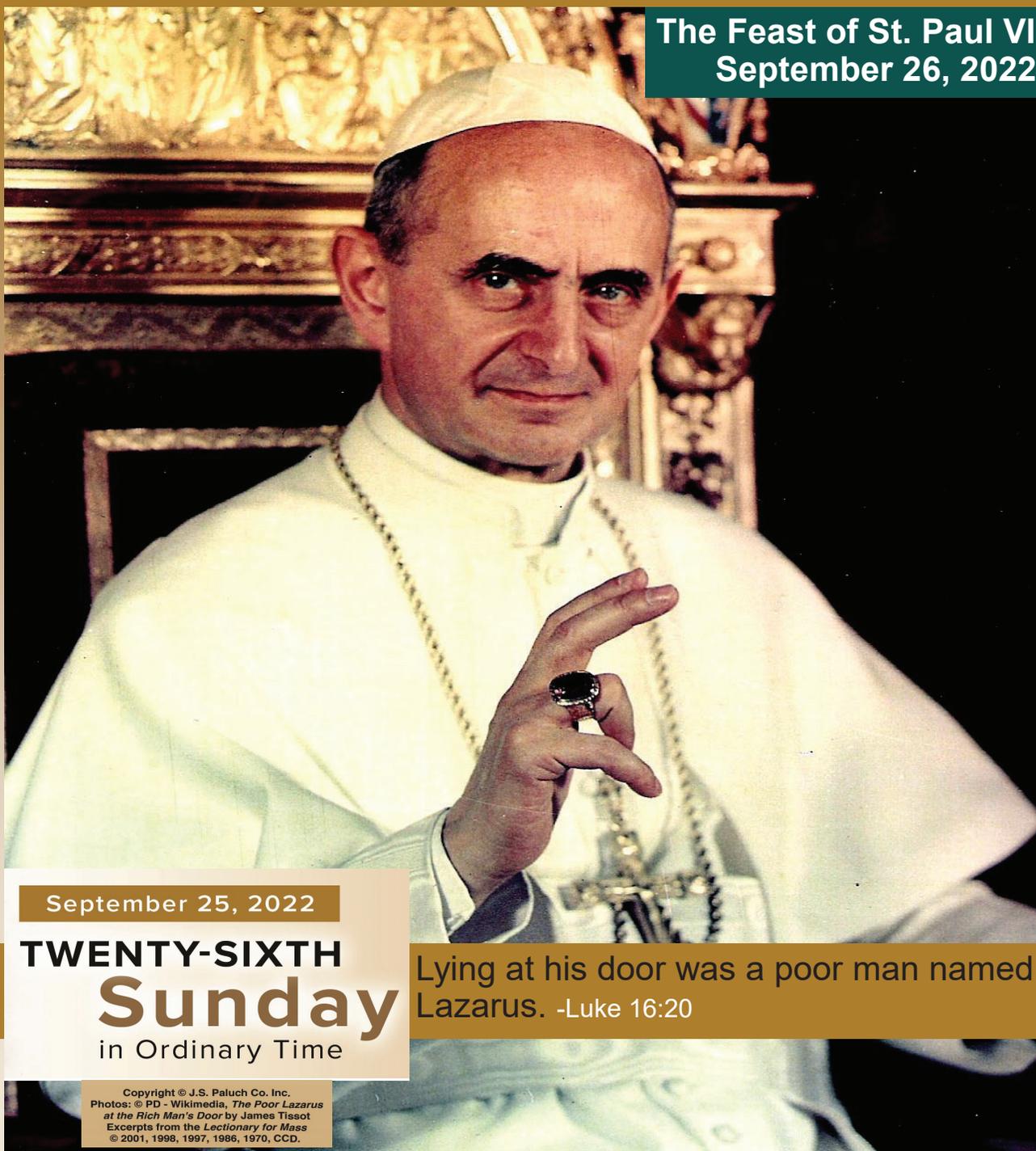




ST. PAUL VI PARISH

The Feast of St. Paul VI
September 26, 2022



September 25, 2022

TWENTY-SIXTH
Sunday
in Ordinary Time

Lying at his door was a poor man named Lazarus. -Luke 16:20

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St. Mary Church
105 Herrick Road
Riverside

Mater Christi Church
2401 S. 10th Avenue
North Riverside

A message from our Pastor



This week a long-held dream for St. Mary Church was realized. Through a very generous gift made to the parish, carillon bells have been installed in the church. I must admit, I feel a bit like Bing Crosby to make this announcement! I want to thank Mel Lozin and Odelia Gozdziaik for making this possible; from this weekend forward the bells of St. Mary will ring in Riverside!

The association of bells with church goes back to 400 AD. In the year 604, Pope Sabinianus sanctioned their use in church worship. By the Middle Ages, bells were closely associated with churches throughout northern Europe, largely showing the influence of Irish missionaries. Church bells were rung as a way to warn people of fires, storms, war or other major events. If you watched anything of the events following the Queen's death, you have surely heard the tolling bells from Big Ben, Westminster and St. George's Cathedral. Clearly, the people of Great Britain were made aware of a major happening.

The primary purpose of ringing church bells in modern times is to call worshippers to gather for church service. Many Catholic, Anglican and Lutheran churches also ring their bells three times a day – at 6 a.m., noon and 6 p.m. – summoning the faithful to recite the Lord's Prayer. This tradition was influenced by the Jewish practice of praying three times a day; it is similar to the Islamic tradition of the adhan in which the faithful are called to prayer from the minaret.

We are most accustomed to hearing bells during Mass in preparation for the Eucharist when a small bell is rung shortly before the consecration of the bread and wine and again when the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ are elevated before the congregation.

The sound of church bells ringing call out to the world that something is happening. Whether it is the call of the Angelus, joyfully ringing after a wedding or breaking the winter's night on Christmas Eve to announce that our Savior is here, the sound of bells stirs something in mankind's hearts.

We are thrilled to be able to call our worshippers to Mass with the installation of the carillon bells at St. Mary beginning this weekend. And it is in God's providential timing that this has happened now as next weekend, October 1st and 2nd marks the beginning of the October count at Mass. This is a practice in the Archdiocese to have every church count the number of people attending Mass at a particular service for the entire month. At the parish level, this count helps to determine Mass schedules and we will be paying close attention at St. Paul VI this year to see if there are times we may have to tweak the schedule at St. Mary and Mater Christi.

Thank you again Mel Lozin and Odelia Gozdziaik for this wonderful gift. Our parish is blessed to now be able to ring bells from both of our churches!

Fr. Tom May, Pastor

A message from our Associate Pastor



The Bible mentions 3 archangels, Michael, Gabriel and Raphael. Each angel had a specific mission in salvation history, but they continue their protective help in the world, even though we may not see their invisible spiritual work.

The Roman Rite of the Catholic Church has assigned September 29 to be the feast of Sts. Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael, archangels. Philip Kosloski of Aleteia has more about angels.

Angels are all around us, though we may never see them with our physical eyes. God created them in the beginning and appointed them to be his messengers to humanity.

The Bible has many stories of these angelic messengers, such as St. Gabriel announcing the birth of Jesus to the Virgin Mary.

However, archangels and the angelic hierarchy can be a bit confusing to some people.

Here is a brief rundown of the most common questions about archangels and the ranks of angels in the heavenly court.

First of all, the English word “**angel**” comes from the Latin *angelus*, meaning “**messenger of God.**” The Latin stems from Greek ἄγγελος *ángelos*, which is a translation of the Hebrew *mal’ākh*, meaning “messenger,” or “delegate,” or “ambassador.”

When it comes to the term, “**archangel,**” the word includes the prefix “*arch-*,” used to denote something as “**chief**” or “**principal.**” An “arch-angel” then is a “**chief messenger**” of God.

These angels are higher in rank than guardian angels, but are still part of the second lowest rank. It is believed that these two lowest ranks of angels are the only ranks who interact with humans.

Archangels are also given the **most important messages** that must be delivered to humans. Such was the task of St. Gabriel, when he delivered the news to Mary that she was to bear the Messiah.

The Bible only gives names to three spirits who belong to the “archangel” class of angels. These are **Michael (Rev. 12:7), Gabriel (Luke 1:19), and Raphael (Tob. 12:15).**

The Bible is our definitive list of archangels. As Catholics we only know *for certain* three names of God’s angels. Any other name is suspect because it is not part of divine revelation. We do not know if the name Uriel is inspired by God, a human invention, or the name of a **malevolent spirit.**

It is believed that each of these choirs was given a specific task by God. Theologian and philosopher Dr. Peter Kreeft gives a nice summary of these different choirs and their roles in his book *Angels and Demons*:

The first three levels see and adore God directly:

The seraphim, the highest choir, comprehend God with maximum clarity, and therefore their love flames the hottest. (“Seraphim” means “the burning ones.”) Lucifer (“Light-bearer”) was once one of them. That’s why he’s still very powerful and dangerous.

The cherubim contemplate God too, but less in himself than in his providence ... (“Cherubim” means “fullness of wisdom.”)

The thrones contemplate God’s power and judgments. (Thrones symbolize judicial, juridical power.)

The next three choirs fulfill God’s providential plans for the universe, like middle management personnel:

The dominations or “dominions” (“authority”), command the lesser angels below them.

The virtues receive their orders from the dominations and “run” the universe, so to speak, especially the heavenly bodies. (“Virtue” used to mean power, might, or energy.)

The powers serve the virtues by fighting against evil influences that oppose the virtues’ providential plan.

The last three choirs directly order human affairs:

The principalities care for earthly principalities, that is, cities and nations and kingdoms.

The archangels (such as Gabriel) carry God’s important messages to man.

Ordinary angels are the “guardian angels,” one for each individual.

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: Jb 1:6-22; Ps 17:1bcd-3, 6-7;

Lk 9:46-50

Tuesday: Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23; Ps 88:2-8;

Lk 9:51-56

Wednesday: Jb 9:1-12, 14-16; Ps 88:10bc-15;

Lk 9:57-62

Thursday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a;

Ps 138:1-5; Jn 1:47-51

Friday: Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5; Ps 139:1-3, 7-10,
13-14ab; Lk 10:13-16

Saturday: Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Ps 119:66, 71,
75, 91, 125, 130; Lk 10:17-24

Sunday: Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9;

2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14; Lk 17:5-10

PRESIDER SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF October 1 & 2:

St. Mary Church

Saturday **Oct 1**

Sunday **Oct 2**

Presider:

4:00 PM Fr. Thomas May

8:00 AM Fr. Robert Banzin

10:00 AM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

5:00 PM Fr. Thomas Unz

Mater Christi Church

Saturday **Oct 1**

Sunday **Oct 2**

Presider:

5:00 PM Fr. Matthew Nemchausky

8:00 AM Fr. Thomas May

9:30 AM Fr. Thomas May

11:00 AM Fr. Brian Taber, SJ

**Presider schedule is subject to change.*

ROSARY, DIVINE MERCY & EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Mater Christi Church

Rosary

Saturday 7:30 am

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

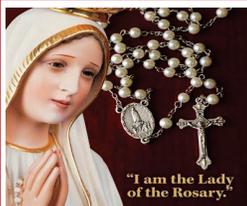
Monday 6:00 to 8:00 pm

St. Mary Church

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

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

3:00 to 9:00 pm



Hail Mary Challenge

1,257,695

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

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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 www.stpaulviparish.org or call the parish office at 708-447-1020.

Worship

Mass Intentions



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
Barbara Ruska and Laura Carolan,**

May they rest in Peace.

For the sick and homebound

Virginia Alba	Norman Kirkley
Cheryl Albertsen	Theresa Kledek
Christine Alvarado	Mary Kratochvil
Arlene Batek	Joseph Kratochvil
Deacon Bob Boharic	Christina Lee
Jennifer Borow	Ramon Lehnen
Linda Bronsteader	Charlotte Lindauer
Del Burns	Emily Martinez
Raybon Carroll	Spencer Mehr
John Chavez	Lizzie Mooney
Margarita Diaz	Freda Murphy
Therese Dolmant	Irene Nelsen
Alice Ewald	Annie Nystrom
Elliott Franche	Beth Pennacchio
Midge Galloro	Dean Pennacchio
Jayne Girard	Rafaela Perez
Anthony Gorski	Elsie Piszczor
Elena Gorski	Dennis Raleigh
Irene Gorski	George Rieber Sr.
Bob Gurski	Rogelio Rojas
Katie Hassberger	Bridget Sarley
Thomas Higgins	Carol Schaffer
Marilynne Higgins	Lorraine Schmecht
Robert Holas	Nicholas John Stiso
Irene Horacek	Ethan Tkalec
Olga Horacek	Maria Villafuerte
Wassyl Kalin	Jennifer Walden
Noel Keen	Carina Willems
Bill Kernan	Deborah Yetter
Patricia King	Pat Zdarsky

Saturday, September 24

(MC) 8:00 am † All our teachers, staff and school children
(SM) 4:00 pm † Dean Henkel
(MC) 5:00 pm † St. Paul VI Parishioners, Jim Burns (Del Burns)

Sunday, September 25

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Jenny Dituri (Joanne Suba), Juanita Murguia,
Msgr. R. George Sarauskas (Jack & Joan Wiaduck), Daniel M Cantillon,
Jr. (Jack & Joan Wiaduck)
(MC) 9:30 am † Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jaso, Carmen
Orozco (Evelia Villafuerte)
(SM) 10:00 am † Joseph Carrabotta, Msgr. R. George Sarauskas
(MC) 11:00 am † Guillermo Nuñez (Artemio Gonzalez), Florinda
Gonzalez (Artemio Gonzalez), Jeanne Dvorak Nolden (Bob & Barb
Gurski)
(SM) 5:00 pm † St. Paul VI Deacons and families, Maria Goretti
Kanakporn Burtrat

Monday, September 26 - Ss. Cosmos and Damian

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

Tuesday, September 27 - St. Vincent de Paul

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Dorothy Gargano (Patricia Gargano),
Joseph & Leona Carrabotta (Adrian & Karen Goete)

Wednesday, September 28 - St. Wenceslaus

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Robert & Elizabeth Fox

Thursday, September 29 - Ss. Michael, Gabriel, Raphael

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Anele Kebleris (Genevieve Wright),
Ken Wright (Genevieve Wright), Gene Holzmeister (Kathleen
Holzmeister)

Friday, September 30 - St. Jerome

(MC) 8:00 am & (SM) 8:30 am † Chuck Kavlock (Judy Jisa), Michelle
Miller, Mildred & John Kisel (Sue Kisel)

Saturday, October 1 - St. Thérèse

(MC) 8:00 am † Faith Formation Catechists and children
(SM) 4:00 pm † Delwin & Elaine Stednitz
(MC) 5:00 pm † George T. Buenik, Jim Burns (Del Burns)

Sunday, October 2 - Respect Life Sunday

(SM/MC) 8:00 am † Howard Houcek (Dolores Houcek), Members of
the Stumpo Family (D. Conjura), Joseph & Leona Carrabotta (Zen &
Dorothy Cichon)
(MC) 9:30 am † Jose Gonzalez Monroy, Rosa Guzman Jaso,
(SM) 10:00 am † Mary R. Baker (Pat Olivet), Glenda M. Bair-Dusik
(Ken & Marcia Diubek)
(MC) 11:00 am † Jeanne Dvorak Nolden (Del Burns)
(SM) 5:00 pm † St. Paul VI Parishioners

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.

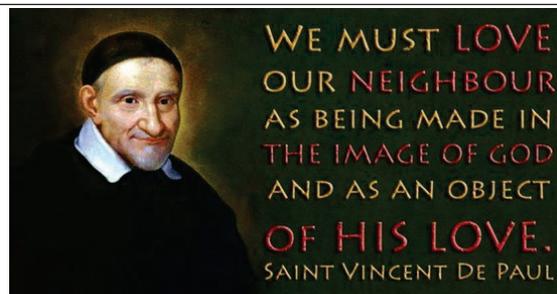
Stewardship: Gifts of Time, Talent & Treasure

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

<u>Month Ending August 2022</u>		<u>Special Collections YTD (7/1/2022– 8/31/2022)</u>	
Sunday Collections	\$ 55,737	Capital Improvement	\$ 6,386
Online/Text Offerings	<u>26,337</u>	Building for the Future	\$ 1,388
Total Received	\$ 82,074	Energy	\$ 1,625
Budget	<u>81,000</u>	Building & Grounds	\$ 2,711
Greater/(Less) Than Budget	\$ 1,074	Mother of Mothers Shrine	\$ 266
% Greater/(Less) Than Budget	1.3%	Arts & Environment	\$ 869
<u>Fiscal Year to Date (7/1/2022-08/31/2022)</u>		St. Mary School Education Fund	\$ 2,781
YTD Sunday Collections	\$ 159,714	RE & Lifelong Faith Formation Fund	\$ 2,941
YTD Budgeted Collections	<u>157,000</u>	Fund to Bury Veterans	\$ 335
Greater/ (Less) Than Budget	\$ 2,714	Sharing Parishes	\$ 3,623
Percent Greater/(Less) Than Budget	1.7%	Archdiocesan Special Collections	\$ 6,167

St. Paul VI Society of St. Vincent De Paul
Thank You to our Parish Community!



2022 has been a challenging year; so far, we have helped 34 individuals with financial resources of \$10,294. In addition to financial assistance, we connect people to community resources that can further help them to get back on their feet. Most importantly we deliver a message of Christian hope, faith, and charity.

Our Society has merged the passion and resources of St Hugh, St Mary, and Mater Christi. We stand as a testament to the fact that we are stronger together. We are an organization that assists individuals and/or families facing financial difficulties. We help to cover everyday costs like rent, utilities, and groceries.

The St Vincent de Paul Society is a very discreet organization. We do not draw attention to our activities. We respect our neighbors' privacy. We are diligent custodians of the funds entrusted to us.

Currently, we are a membership of about 15 people with representation from our legacy churches. Most of our funds come from committed monthly contributors as well as parish organizations and 97% of the funds we receive stay in our local communities.

This past year we helped several families avoid eviction by covering rent payments; others were helped by paying utility bills, household repairs, health care needs, and food. We also had a clothing drive that benefited the greater Chicagoland St Vincent de Paul Society.

We are all familiar with the saying being a paycheck away from being out on the street. The continuing challenges caused by the pandemic coupled with rising prices for rent, gas and groceries have put many more people in this kind of precarious state. Thankfully, through your constant prayer and support, we continue to be a resource in the community to quietly help those in need.

If you need assistance or know someone who does, please do not hesitate to call the parish office and ask for the St. Vincent de Paul extension.

St. Vincent de Paul – pray for us.

Feast Day of St. Vincent de Paul: September 27

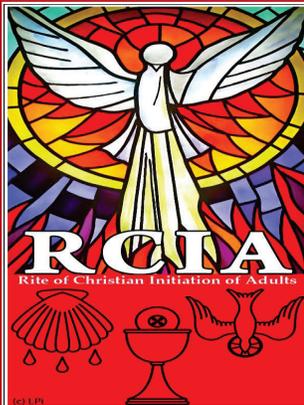


Vincenian Reflection

On **September 27**, the Church will celebrate the feast of St. Vincent de Paul, who knew that “God had sent him to bring good news to the poor.” Together with your gifts, the members of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul continue his work and mission in our parish.

Have you considered answering the call to help serve the poor by joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul? Thank you!

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

Announcement

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.

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.



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.

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 recordar a sus seres queridos en oración, envíe imágenes fotográficas digitales a:

StPaulVIArtEnviron@gmail.com antes del 17 de Octubre.

WEDDING BANS

October 1, 2022

I
CIARA STRAGAPEDE
&
IVAN VAZQUEZ



October 14, 2022

I
KRISTEN SCHAEFER
&
JOHN ONSTWEDDER IV



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

The first drawing will be on Monday, Sept. 26.

Got tickets?! Grab your raffle ticket while they last. 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.

SIGN-UP!

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

Visit us at:

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

Parish Events



Altar SERVER TRAINING

BECOME AN ALTAR SERVER

This ministry is offered to girls & boys who are currently in 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 Mater Christi Church.

New & Refresher Server Training
Sunday, September 25th - 12:00 to 1:00 pm

Scan the QR code with your phone to register
or
for questions, contact: Fr. Matt Nemchausky,
mnemchausky@stpaulviparish.org



ST. PAUL VI HOLY NAME SOCIETY



The Annual
Turkey Shoot Basket Raffle
and
Turkey Shoot
coming in November!!!



STAY TUNED!

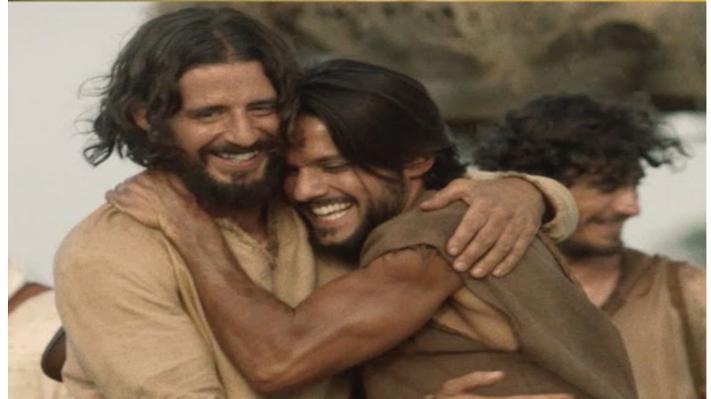
SEASON 2

THE CHOSEN

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.

EVERY SUNDAY, SEPT. 18 - NOV. 6
1:00 - 2:30 PM
ST. MARY CHURCH (OAK ROOM- LOWER LEVEL)



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 25 – Sunday, November 6
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.

ST. PAUL VI SENIOR DINNERS RETURNING!

St. Mary's Oak Room 5 PM Wednesday, October 5th

Hello Fellow Parishioners! We are bringing back our "Senior Dinners." Going forward, the dinners will be sponsored and supported by our St. Paul VI Holy Name Society. For those who have not attended, this dinner event started around 10 Years ago, Bi-Monthly to thank all of our Senior Parishioners for their support over the years to our Parish. This October 5th event will be our 50TH Dinner with a very special meal to celebrate. Your attendance is required, to experience the culinary delights from our "chefs!!!"

We hope to have dinner 4 times per year going forward. The next one will be close to Christmas.

Considering it has been 2 plus years since our last dinner due to the Pandemic, please RSVP so we can get an accurate attendance count:

Chef Dan Schoen at dschoen325@gmail.com (312-320-7324) or
Chef Kevin Tabor at tabor316@comcast.net (708-334-8536)

ST. PAUL VI PARISH

Senior Dinner!

Sponsored by
St. Paul VI Holy Name Society

THE FEAST OF ST. PAUL VI

September 26, 2022

7:00 pm *Livestream available on
YouTube: [St. Paul VI Parish](#)

St. Mary Church

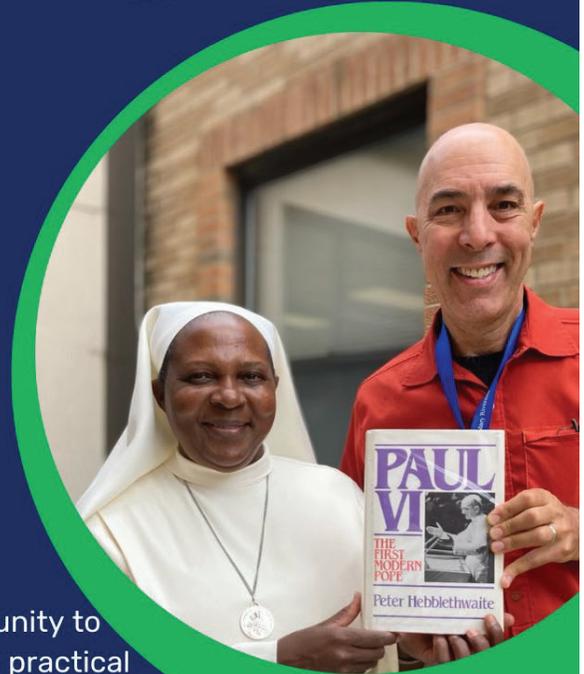
105 Herrick Rd, Riverside

(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.



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.**

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.



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.

Thomas Howard, DMIN

Currently the Junior High Religion teacher at St. Mary School. Dr. Howard has nearly 40 years of experience in parish ministry and 10 years in the Archdiocese as a Director of Religious Education.

Parish Events



Walk with us in spirit!

On Friday October 7th, St. Mary School will hold our annual Walkathon – Year #10!! The entire school Pre-K through 8th grade will participate in different age-appropriate walking routes in Riverside. This much anticipated event is a wonderful way for our whole school community to work together to keep St. Mary School vibrant and affordable.

This year the school's fundraising goal is \$105,000.

All funds raised will directly offset the cost of Catholic school education.

Celebrating our 96th year, St. Mary School continues to be a vital ministry of the parish and we are blessed to be part of this faith community. We kindly ask for your consideration in donating to Walkathon.

We are also looking for business sponsors to help boost our success. All sponsors are highlighted on the back of the official Walkathon T-shirt, proudly worn by over 300 students, faculty, staff and administration! If you would like to be a business sponsor, scan the QR code below with your smartphone.

We also kindly ask that you pray for nice weather on October 7th.

Thank you for your continued support of St. Mary School!



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Saturday, November 5, 2022

St Paul VI Parish Action Day Saturday, November 5, 2022 PLEASE SIGN UP NOW

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.

PARISH ACTION DAY SCHEDULE

Continental Breakfast 8:30 a.m. - St Mary Parish Center (gym)
Prayer Send Off 9:00 a.m. - St Mary Parish Center (gym)
Groups start their service projects immediately after with most running from 9:00-11:00 a.m.

Thank you for the 57 people who have already signed up!

A complete list of projects that we still need more volunteers for can be found on our website at www.stpaulviparish.org. Please email the project leader asap to sign up for one of these projects if you have not signed up yet. Please plan to join your friends, neighbors, and fellow parishioners in a day of fun and service! The projects are great for all ages – preteens must be accompanied by an adult. Great for those who need service hours.

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, ServiceOutreach@stmaryriverside.org.

Volunteers are needed on the day of the supper.

1. **Cooks & Bakers** – 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.
2. **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, October 18th. More info is available, check the SignUpGenius link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904054EAEA62AAFC1-catholic55>



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!

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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! 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 pjmeb14@gmail.com or visit <https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/vz132w>. All aboard!!



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DIAPER DRIVE FOR CATHOLIC CHARITIES

The Knights of Columbus will be collecting diapers of any size for Catholic Charities in Cicero. Your donation will help many families and babies in need. Please drop off your donation at the parish office located at 40 E. Burlington St., Riverside, or Mater Christi Church at 2401 S. 10th Ave., North Riverside.

Thank you for your generosity!



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 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.



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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.



Holy Matrimony

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 Colón-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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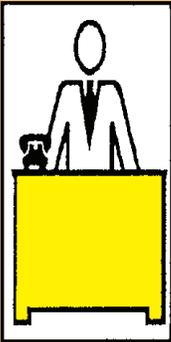
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