



All Saints Parish

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**No one who sets a hand to the plow
and looks to what was left behind
is fit for the kingdom of God.**

LUKE 9:62

**THIRTEENTH
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

JUNE 26, 2022

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays, 11AM - 12:00PM

Sacrament of Matrimony: Must be registered for six months prior to setting the wedding date with an additional six months for necessary preparation.

Note: The following wedding times can be scheduled:

Friday at 5:00 p.m.

Saturday at 1:00 and 3:00 p.m.

Sunday at 3:00 p.m. (Ceremony only)

Sacrament of Baptism: Second and fourth Sunday of each month at 1:30 PM. Baptism Preparation Session must be completed before Baptism. Contact the Parish Office as soon as possible for details.

Reflections from Fr. Dennis

Dear Friends and Fellow Parishioners:

According to today's first reading, the prophet Elisha had to kill twelve yoke of oxen and use a fire made from his plowing equipment in order to roast their flesh and throw a big farewell party for his loved ones as a component of starting his career as Elijah's successor. I am sure many of you have seen the overloaded dumpsters next to the rectory during the past couple of weeks. With the help of our tremendously hard working staff, I have filled a couple of dumpsters with all the detritus left throughout the rectory after my last 21 years here. It's not that I am a hoarder: I have just neglected to throw anything out. That has changed now. The getting rid of stuff had to come first. Now Father Tom can move in and begin his term as pastor of our united parish. I have mentioned to you in the past that the bishop has asked me to remain on as rector of the Shrine of All Saints. I will fully embrace that role on January 1st. In the meanwhile, some of you who have generously volunteered to be docents for our Shrine will welcome and guide the pilgrims, who are now visiting several times a week. For six months, between July 1st and January 1st, I will be living at St. Mary of the Woods rectory, 7033 North Moselle in Edgewater. This will give Father Tom a chance to do what he needs to do to further the process of uniting our two church communities into one parish. I know you will be glad help him with this, and I would be grateful – in the event that any special things happen during the last half of this year – e.g. funerals, weddings, baptisms, etc. - that you would bring the matter to Father Tom, rather than to yours truly.

I understand that any change is not easy, but it happens all the time. It was not easy for Elisha to see Elijah be carried away from him - off to heaven in a fiery chariot. But I am not being carried off to heaven – yet – just to Edgewater. And the only similarity I have to Elijah is that I will return – God willing – and remain living in my old rooms and doing whatever I can to serve you. I will return here to celebrate a Mass in conjunction with my retirement on Saturday, July 30th. And, God willing, we will celebrate our years together in this parish family then and during a reception afterwards. That weekend will also be the end of Kevin Wood's splendid 20 years here as our director of music and liturgy. We will be honoring and thanking him as well. Most of all, we honor and thank God for this wonderful parish community and ask that God and all his saints continue to shower us with choice blessings as we move trustingly and faithfully forward.

SPIRITUAL REFLECTION: From a sermon by St. Augustine (*Solemnity of Sts. Peter & Paul is June 29*)

"This day has been made holy by the passion of the blessed apostles Peter and Paul. We are, therefore, not talking about some obscure martyrs. *For their voice has gone forth to all the world, and to the ends of the earth their message.* These martyrs realized what they taught; they pursued justice, they confessed the truth, they died for it.

St. Peter, the first of the apostles and a fervent lover of Christ, merited to hear these words: *I say to you that you are Peter, for he had said: You are the Christ, the Son of the living God.* Then Christ said: *And I say to you that you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my Church.* On this rock I will build the faith that you now confess, and on your words: *You are the Christ, the Son of the living God,* I will build my Church. For you are Peter, and the name Peter comes from *petra*, the word for 'rock,' and not vice versa. 'Peter' comes, therefore, from *petra*, just as 'Christian' comes from Christ.

As you are aware, Jesus chose his disciples before his passion and called them apostles; and among these almost everywhere Peter alone deserved to represent the entire Church. And because of that role which he alone had, he merited to hear the words: *To you I shall give the keys of the kingdom of heaven.* For it was not one man who received the keys, but the entire Church considered as one. Now insofar as he represented the unity and universality of the Church, Peter's preeminence is clear from the words: *To you I give,* for what was given was given to all. For the fact that it was the Church that received the keys of the kingdom of God is clear from what the Lord says elsewhere to all the apostles: *Receive the Holy Spirit, adding immediately, whose sins you forgive, they are forgiven, and whose sins you retain, they are retained.*

Rightly then did the Lord after his resurrection entrust Peter with the feeding of his sheep. Yet he was not the only disciple to merit the feeding of the Lord's sheep; but Christ in speaking only to one suggests the unity of all; and so he speaks to Peter, because Peter is first among the apostles. Therefore do not be disheartened, Peter; reply once, reply twice, reply a third time. The triple confession of your love is to regain what was lost three times by your fear. You must loose three times what you bound three times; untie by love that which your fear bound. Once, and again, and a third time did the Lord entrust his sheet to Peter.

Both apostles share the same feast day, for these two were one; and even though they suffered on different days, they were as one. Peter went first, and Paul followed. And so we celebrate this day made holy for us by the apostles' blood. Let us embrace what they believed, their life, their labors, their sufferings, their preaching and their confession of faith."

NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL: "My flesh for the life of the world" (John 6:51)

Mission – To renew the Church by enkindling a living relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist.

Vision – A *movement* of Catholics across the United States, healed, converted, formed, and unified by an encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist – and sent out in mission "for the life of the world."

Pillars – 1) Foster encounters with Jesus through kerygmatic (gospel) proclamation and experiences of Eucharistic devotion;

2) Contemplate and proclaim the doctrine of the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist through the Truth of our teaching, Beauty of our worship, and Goodness of our accompaniment of persons in poverty and those who are vulnerable

3) Empower grassroots creativity by partnering with movements, apostolates, parishes, and educational institutions

4) Reach the smallest unit: parish small groups and families

5) Embrace and learn from the various rich intercultural Eucharistic traditions

**PRAYER FOR THE
NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL**

My God, I believe, I adore, I hope and I love You!
I beg pardon for those who do not believe, nor adore,
nor hope, nor love you.

Most Holy Trinity, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
I adore You profoundly.
I offer You the most precious Body, Blood, Soul and
Divinity of Jesus Christ,
present in all the tabernacles of the world in
reparation for the outrages,
sacrileges and indifference by which He is offended.
And, through the infinite merits of the
Sacred Heart of Jesus and the
Immaculate Heart of Mary,
I beg of You the conversion of sinners. Amen.

St. Isaac Jogues
Upcoming Events

UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS

Sunday – Second Collection for Peter's Pence (Charities of the Holy Father)

Tuesday – Liturgy Board Meeting, 7 p.m., Rm. 26 (enter at outside door #9 by RE Office)

Wednesday – Bible Study, 7 p.m., Rm. 26

First Friday – Adoration and Benediction begins at end of 8 a.m. Mass and concludes by 9:30 a.m. Welcome to All Saints Parish, Fr. Tom!

Saturday -- Sacrament of Reconciliation in HFR, 11 a.m.- Noon.

Monday, July 4 – Parish Independence Day Mass, 9 a.m., here at SIJ in Holy Family Room

*ACT OF SPIRITUAL
COMMUNION*



*Even if we are unable to
physically receive Holy
Communion at times we can
enter into spiritual Communion
with the Lord by praying:*

My Jesus, I believe that You
are truly present in the Most
Blessed Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire
to possess You within my soul. I am
sorry for ever having offended you.

Since I am unable now to receive You
sacramentally, come at least spiritually
into my heart.

I embrace You as being already there,
and unite myself wholly to You.

Never, never permit me to be separated
from You.

Amen.



SAVE THE DATE

The 13th Annual Buddy Charles Tribute *honoring Scott Urban:*
"Something Old Something New" to benefit All Saints Parish!

Sunday, August 14th, 2:00 p.m., St. Martha Church
\$25 per person and all monies come to the parish as the performers do this as a gift!
 Beer, wine and snacks will be sold.

Artists include: Joel Barry, Anne Burnell, Mark Burnell, Bill Demis, Gina Masland, Carla Gordon, Ester Hanna, Ernie Lane, Daryl Nitz, Bob Solone, Denise Tomasello, and Fr. Andrew.

Tickets on sale soon or call Dee Stanton, 847/966-1180, to reserve your tickets. Join us for a great afternoon of music and fun and support our parish!

More Upcoming events - Save the dates!

Fr. Dennis & Kevin Wood
Retirement Mass

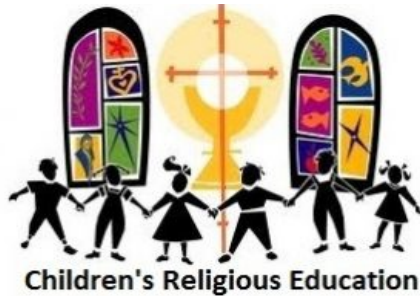
Fr. Dennis will celebrate his retirement on Saturday, July 30th at 4pm. All are welcome.

Depending on the Covid infection rates in a few weeks, we are planning to serve a buffet dinner to honor Fr. Dennis & Kevin. We will be placing sign-up sheets in all churches to help plan for food. More information will be available in the coming weeks.



Our Second Unified Parish Picnic will be held at the same place, Morton Grove Park District on Dempster St. on Sunday, August 21st. Bounce houses, music, games & more will be available. We are in the planning stages and will again be asking you to sign up to help in food planning. More information will be available soon.





Children's Religious Education

Time to Register of RE Classes

If you haven't received a family/student registration form for the 2022-2023 school year, or if you are registering for the program for the first time, please email liz@saintmarthachurch.org. Our classes are for students in grades 1-8, and meet on Monday evenings from 6:30pm to 7:45pm.



You can safely make your Annual Catholic Appeal & church donations electronically by logging into givecentral.org register today! And keep up with the most current information via flocknote.



Altar Flowers

Altar flowers are a lovely way to remember a loved one or a special occasion. Flower arrangements are \$55 each and two can be purchased after Pentecost until Thanksgiving. Your intention and name will be placed in the bulletin each weekend. If you would like to purchase an arrangement, please call the rectory. Available dates go quickly, so you may want to reserve your date soon.



Altar Flowers

"In Thanksgiving for Blessings for the Cataldo & Affatati Families"

DISCIPLESHIP'S COSTS

In today's first reading, God tells the prophet Elijah to prepare Elisha to succeed him. Succeeding Elijah will be no easy task; he has spent his life facing threats from the kings he has confronted about their infidelity to the God of Israel. The psalm illustrates the emotional and spiritual distress that the prophets' steadfast faithfulness to God brought them. Paul's description of the Christian's freedom from the law as opposed to "the desire of the flesh" puts this struggle at the very heart of Christian identity. The reading from Luke's Gospel recounts Jesus' decision to journey toward Jerusalem, where he knows he will meet his earthly fate. Following Jesus—like succeeding Elijah as prophet—will now become more difficult. Unlike his calls to the first disciples, Jesus encounters those who are not ready or are not strong enough to journey with him.

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

O God, who through the grace of adoption chose us to be children of light, grant, we pray, that we may not be wrapped in the darkness of error but always be seen to stand in the bright light of truth. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Reflection question:

Am I someone whom others see as standing in the bright light of truth?



Pray for

KERMIT TURNER	TONY LIVORSI
MICHAEL NOBLE	JOHN ROMANO
CARL AFFATATI	AUDREY JANS
EMILY SITKOWSKI	DAVID FORST
CYNTHIA MELNICK	KIMBERLY KNOX
MICHAEL FOLISI	NONA YOAKUM
DOROTHY BEZDON	ROBERT STEPHENSON
LORNA ALBA	HENRIETTA SAGARIO
CINDY NOLAN	MATTHEW PONDER
MARTHA DEMKO	MARY SUNSHINE PONDER
REMEDIOS MAGPANTAY	LAURA & DANNY MORA
TIM DENDOR	SHARON KILIKEVIC
CAROLYN BEIL	PELAGIA SAJULGA
FRANK BEIL	PATTY ZEMAN
NELSON PETINES	ALEXANDRA LAQUAGWA
TERRY GAZDZIAK	IRENE LINGAYA
FR. DAN FALLON	CATHY FORST
CURT NAPRAVNIK	BERNITA DEL ROSARIO
JOHN FOLISI	ROSE SIMPSON
DAVID NUCCIO	KATHY EGLOFF
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VICENTE F. CASTILLO	BRENDA WHITEHEAD
MELISSA MCKNIGHT	CHERYL HEYDENBURG
DIANE AHMEND-MULROE	FR BERNARD KENNEDY
	OLIVIA TARSNEY
	JIMMY RANCICH
	PATRICIA DRABEK

Father of grace and mercy, be with our loved ones and friends as they serve and protect our nation and communities. Bless them and fill them with newness of life. We pray in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

First Responders - Shane Long, Brad Markovich,
Greg Zalewski, Elena McGannon

United States Air Force - Joshua Aujero
Mason Janzen

United States Army - Brian Caplin, Gale Renner,
Jordan Irving, Violet Ennis

United States Marines - Patrick Edward Echavez
Joseph John Zimmerman III
Lance Renner, Kyle Franklin
Gian Patrick Reyes
Christopher Pruden

United States Navy - David Perez,
Paul Matthew Ledesma

Illinois National Guard - Nathaniel Janzen

To add a name to the prayer list please
contact the RE Office at 847/966-1180 or
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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Am 2:6-10, 13-16; Ps 50:16bc-23;
Mt 8:18-22

Tuesday: Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12; Ps 5:4b-8;
Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday: Vigil: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 19:2-5;
Gal 1:11-20; Jn 21:15-19

Day: Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34:2-9;
2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19

Thursday: Am 7:10-17; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 9:1-8

Friday: Am 8:4-6, 9-12; Ps 119:2, 10, 20,
30, 40, 131; Mt 9:9-13

Saturday: Am 9:11-15; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14;
Mt 9:14-17

Sunday: Is 66:10-14c; Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20;
Gal 6:14-18; Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 [1-9]

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The LORD tells Elijah to anoint Elisha as prophet to succeed him (1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21).

Psalm — You are my inheritance, O Lord (Psalm 16).

Second Reading — Use your freedom in Christ to serve one another through love (Galatians 5:1, 13-18).

Gospel — While journeying to Jerusalem, Jesus speaks of the costs of discipleship (Luke 9:51-62).



Trevon Davis Williams

In Memoriam

Mass Intentions

Sunday - June 26, 2022

8:00 a.m.	Living & Deceased Members of SIJ Tony Irmen
10:00 a.m.	Julie Higgins

Monday - June 27, 2022

8:00 a.m.	Purgatorial Society Justin Thomas
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Tuesday - June 28, 2022

8:00 a.m.	Mary & John Affatati - Spec. Intention K.V.
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Wednesday - June 29, 2022

8:00 a.m.	Theresa Brady
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Thursday - June 30, 2022

8:00 a.m.	John Areno
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Friday - July 1, 2022

8:00 a.m.	Thomas Banner
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Saturday - July 2, 2022

5:00 p.m.	Julie Higgins Henry Gazdziak Bradley Charles Bower
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Sunday - July 3, 2022

8:00 a.m.	Cora & Bayani Reyes - In Thanksgiving
10:00 a.m.	Living & Deceased Members of SIJ Eduardo Rodriguez

TESTED BY FIRE

Since gold and silver, which are only corruptible metals, are purified and tested by fire, it is but reasonable that our faith, which surpasses all the riches of the world, should be tried.

—St. Peter Claver

Next Week's Liturgy Schedule July 2nd & 3rd

Reconciliation 11:00 a.m.	TBD
5:00 p.m.	TBD
8:00 a.m.	TBD
10:00 a.m.	TBD

*thank
you*

+Thank you to everyone who helped make this year's **Corpus Christi Mass and Procession** holy, reverent and beautiful – Fr. Anthony, Deacon Leke, Lisa Hall and the SIJ Choir, Deacon Paul, our other liturgical ministers (altar servers, ushers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers), the gentlemen who carried the canopy and banner, the ladies who dropped flower petals, those who assisted with the set up and take down of the sound system, and all the members of the Assembly who participated in the Mass and/or procession. May our witness to Christ truly present in the Blessed Sacrament, as well as our prayers and works, bring joy and hope to our corner of the world to the glory of God.

+Many thanks to our dedicated and faithful food distribution volunteers and co-partners as we continue to serve almost 140-150 households+ each month. Your smiles, warm welcome, and hard work help provide a food bridge to those who are still in need of such support. They are most grateful for your presence and assistance to them. God bless you!

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