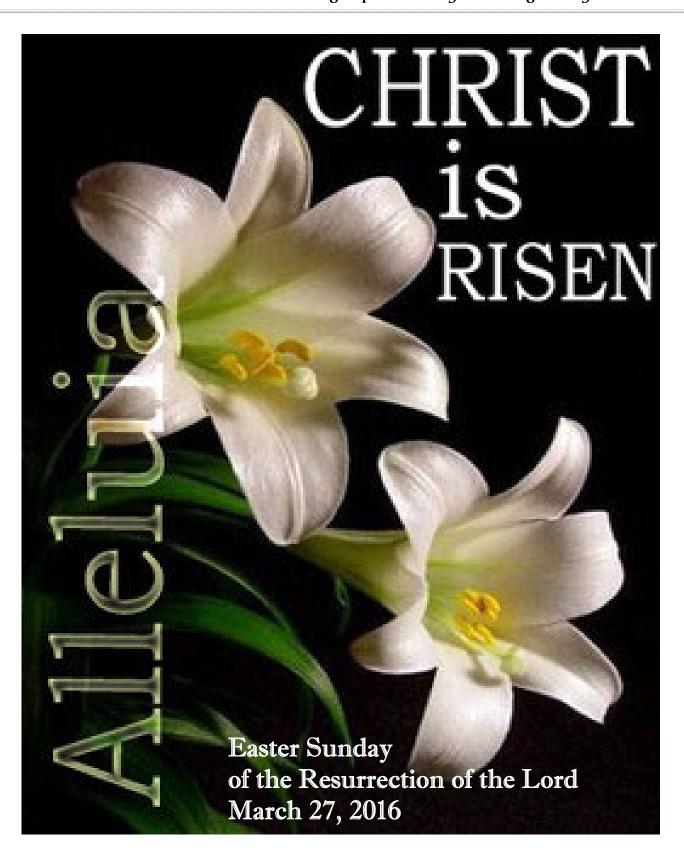
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EASTER: Out of Darkness, Light!



Easter is called the night as bright as day! The Exultet proclaims it the night "dazzling and full of gladness with a sanctifying power that dispels wickedness, restores innocence to the fallen, and joy to mourners." Moreover, the night of the Resurrection "drives out hatred, fosters concord, and brings down the mighty." The Easter Vigil is the beginning of Easter, and yet, by liturgical law, it must begin in the dark. When the Paschal Candle is lit from the "new fire", the priest announces:

May the light of Christ rising in glory dispel the darkness of our hearts and minds.

It is a marvelous moment . . . A miraculous, triumphant revelation! It is as though we are children who have lost our way home in the dark. A single light is there to guide us. Because of it we find our way. In the dark we are then safe and secure. That darkness and light together recall Psalm 139:

If I say, "Surely the darkness shall hide me and the night shall be my light" - - For you darkness itself is not dark and the night shines as the day.

Darkness and light are the same.

No one knows the hour at which Our Lord was raised from the dead. But it had to be at night. We are told that:

Mary of Magdala came to the tomb early in the morning, while it was still dark, and saw the stone removed from the tomb.

Like the Vigil Liturgy, the Resurrection began during a "dark night." Truly there is less paradox here than process. We call that "process" the PASCHAL MYS-TERY - - the Dying and Rising of Christ. Theologian and Poet Thomas Fuller (1608 - 1661) is credited with the proverb "It is always darkest before the dawn." It is cherished wisdom. Our human condition is not exempt from real calamity. It knows defeat, illness, estrangement, and the loss of loved ones through death. We all experience darkness, but we, as Christians know the light of Christ, which can dispel the darkness not only of our perceptions, but of the dark facts of our limited existence. During Our Lord's Passion and Death, "darkness covered the earth." Within that darkness there was the hidden flame of Redemption. On Easter light burst forth in the darkness! "Ex tenebris lux!" "Out of darkness light!" From the night sky, came the first rays of the sun. "From the dark earth, the buried seed emerged a flower. From sorrow came joy and from death, life!

Easter is our greatest hope. Its bright and jubilant celebration should not erase the memory of how it began - - in the darkness that is all too real. But the love of God in Christ is triumphant . . . the night shines "as bright as the day." ALLELUIA!

-Fr. Luczak



Preparation for Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary

According to St. Louis Marie de Montfort

March 2nd begins the 33 days of preparatory prayers that continue through April 4th (this year liturgically moved). Each day of prayer, representing one year in the life of Christ, may be done privately in our own homes using the *consecration preparation books*, available in the Church vestibule and Chapel.

After these 33 days of prayers, all are invited to make or renew their Consecration together on:

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD

Wednesday, April 4th, 2016
7:00 PM Holy Mass
Confessions 5:30 PM
Angelus and Rosary 6:00 PM
St. Catherine Laboure
iw Glenview 847-729-1414

Pope John Paul II said, "Reading this book was to be a turning point in my life...this Marian devotion...has since remained a part of me. It is an integral part of my interior life and of my spiritual theology...and is an effective means for Christians to live faithfully their baptismal commitments."

Consecrate yourselves and your families to Jesus through Mary!



Easter Sunday, March 27

Church - 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m. Holy Family Room - 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m.

•The RE Catechists, Assistants and Families wish everyone a Joyous and Happy Easter! We pray that the new life of Jesus fills all your days!



- •RE Classes will not meet on Easter Monday. We will look forward to being together again on April 4th.
- •Please return completed First Communion Retreat permission slips to the RE Office or your child's catechist by April 4th.
- •Kindergarten RE will meet April 3rd.

FROM THE LITURGY BOARD...

We wish everyone a Blessed Easter and an Easter Season full of deeper understanding of the new life gained for us by Christ!

If anyone has any comments or constructive suggestions regarding our celebration of Lent or Holy Week, we would like to hear from you. Please call the RE Office, 847/9l66-1180, email to sijre2004@yahoo.com or talk with any of the Liturgy Board Members – Fr. Andrew, Julie Higgins, Bill Dexter, Lisa Hall, Helen Kowalik, Dan Sobieski, or Dee Stanton, by Tuesday evening.

Thank you!

2016 Replace the Roof Raffle "Winners Corner"

Booklets are still available. Still lots of chances to win! See the captains or come to the rectory



Monday, March 21	\$50	2594	Janet Zeunert	Des Plaines, Il
Tuesday, March 22	\$50	2308	John & Catherine Maguire	Morton Grove, Il
Wednesday, March 23	\$50	223	Claribel Klawitter	Glenview, Il
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Sunday, March 27	\$100	1483	Maria Swidzinski	Niles, Il



ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO PARISHIONER SURVEY

Archbishop Cupich wants your input.

When Archbishop Cupich announced the "Renew My Church" initiative in January, he invited everyone in the Archdiocese of Chicago to participate in the process of revitalizing our parish communities. Just as Pope Francis asked Catholics across the globe for their input prior to the Synod of Bishops meetings in 2014 and 2015, Archbishop Cupich is asking for your help as the Archdiocese begins a new listening phase of this important effort.

Please take time to respond to a survey designed to help Archbishop Cupich and the Archdiocese better understand the perspectives of Catholics across Cook and Lake Counties. The survey will be available beginning on Easter Sunday at:

www.archchicago.org/renew

We encourage you to complete the survey online. Paper copies will be available.



Excerpt from Archbishop Cupich's article—refer to archchicago.org for the complete article

'Renew My Church' Dreaming Big about the Archdiocese of Chicago

Americans are known as a people who dream, and dream big. As a country of immigrants, dreaming is in our national DNA. The dream of a better life gave immigrants the courage to leave their families and ancestral homes and start over. Their dreams sustained them as they shouldered unimaginable burdens, inspired them to take risks, and gave them the daring to do things never done before.

And just as dreaming big has distinguished us as Americans, it has also marked the Catholic Church in this country, particularly in this archdiocese. Catholic immigrants came to this land not only with their dreams but also with their deep faith, energizing them to build churches, schools, and hospitals. They formed and sustained vibrant communities, enriched by the cultures of their places of origin. Responding to the Great Chicago Fire of 1871, Catholics drew on the resilience they learned as immigrants to rebuild. Like the mythical phoenix, which today adorns the crest of the Archdiocese of Chicago, these hearty dreamers lifted themselves from the ashes, making the Church even more vibrant and alive.

As the first American pope and a son of immigrants, Pope Francis is calling the entire Church to dream, and dream big. He wrote in "The Joy of the Gospel": "I dream of a 'missionary option,' that is, a missionary impulse capable of transforming everything, so that the church's customs, ways of doing things, times and schedules, language and structures can be suitably channeled for the evangelization of today's world rather than for her self-preservation."

I have long shared this dream. It was a dream that began to stir in me when I entered the seminary just after the close of the Second Vatican Council. Over my 40-plus years as a priest, I have become even more convinced of the great potential of our parishes, when vibrant and alive with the Gospel, to transform lives and make a singular contribution to the world. That conviction has only increased since becoming archbishop of Chicago, as I witness every day a vitality in our parishes that enriches the lives of so many people.

Admittedly, the fulfillment of this dream is a patchwork of success and failure. Every parish has its strengths and weaknesses in fulfilling the mission of Christ. While measuring parish vitality is complex, if I were asked to describe a parish of my dreams, it would be a parish that adopts and pursues these seven priorities:

- 1) We bring people to Christ
- 2) We support each other in knowing Christ more deeply
- 3) We encounter Christ and receive nourishment through prayer and worship
- 4) We build bonds among each other to sustain our life in Christ
- 5) We transform the lives of others through service as Christ's missionary disciples
- 6) We respond to the call to holiness by journeying together with Christ
- 7) We take responsibility for administration and leadership of the parish as good stewards of the gifts Christ has entrusted to us

This is the dream I have for all our parishes, and why I am inviting everyone in the Archdiocese of Chicago to join me in a multi-year planning process to make it a reality. Just as our ancestors responded in faith to their dreams and built the church we have today, it is our time to dream big and to take up this work. It will take a steady faith — a faith that is imaginative, that strengthens us in the knowledge that Christ is leading us. This faith will keep us together. It will steel us to make the bold decisions that will shape the Church for generations to come.

We approach this work at a moment when the church is graced by the leadership of Pope Francis, who has been quite forthright in sharing his hopes and dreams with us. His namesake, Francis of Assisi, did the same in his time. In an era of menacing challenges within and outside of the church, he was given a dream about what the church could be and responded to Christ's urging to renew.

You may know the story. Visiting the dilapidated Church of San Damiano, Francis heard Christ speak to him and urge: "Go rebuild my church." In time, Francis came to understand that Christ was calling him to renew the church, not just rebuild a structure. That is the task before us and the reason this important process takes its name: "Renew My Church."

The San Damiano cross has much to offer in helping us keep our focus as we move forward with this initiative. It portrays Christ dying on the cross, yet still living as he calls to Francis. At the same time, the eyes of the dying Christ are focused above on the scene of the resurrection, and he is surrounded by communities of disciples.

The message of that scene is clear: The dying and rising of Christ continues to take place in every age in the dying and rising of the church. The mission of proclaiming Christ, who died and rose to save the world, will require a church that is made ever vibrant and more vital by the sacrifices of every generation. It also will require a church whose community is united in taking up this work. Indeed, we all have a stake in this renewal.

Over the next few weeks and months, you will be hearing more about this effort as we engage various groups in a series of consultations, some of which have already begun with our clergy. As I wrote in a letter to all parishes last October, the archdiocese has changed in significant ways over the past several decades. Demographics have shifted dramatically. Some of our parish buildings are in disrepair. We have fewer priests to pastor our faith communities. The result is that we end up spreading our resources too thinly. We should not be afraid to face these realities, but rather see this moment as a graced opportunity to chart new ways to live out our mission more fully.

Addressing this situation will require a good deal of prayer and humility, hard work, tough choices and new sacrifices. I would be less than honest if I did not acknowledge that by the time this consultative process is complete, we will mourn together the loss of some parishes. But that will not be the final word. By having the boldness to leave behind familiar ways of doing things, we can seize this season as one that is not simply of loss, but rather of renewal. This is the dream God is calling us to, and that will sustain and unite us.

We begin this process during the Jubilee of Mercy, which Pope Francis has defined as a time for the universal church to rise, to renew and reimagine herself. Imagine, having just entered his eightieth year, he is urging Catholics to be young again in our dreams about the future of our church. This is the pathway of people on the move, of immigrants who pursue their dreams, inspired by their faith. This is the pathway the first immigrant and first American pope is charting out for the church in our time. Let his example and his hope for what our parishes should be inspire us as we begin this work:

"I hope that all communities will devote the necessary effort to advancing along the path of a pastoral and missionary conversion which cannot leave things as they presently are," Pope Francis wrote in "The Joy of the Gospel." "Mere administration' can no longer be enough. Throughout the world, let us be 'permanently in a state of mission."

Now that is what it's like to dream big.

AN EASTER MEAL BLESSING

(Have 2 unlit candles on the table)

Leader #1: Blessed are You, Lord our God, who raised up Jesus from the tomb and has gathered all of us around this table.

Leader #2: As the light of God overcame the darkness of death, may these candles we now light be for us a sign of the flame of life that burns within our hearts. (*Light candles*) As these Easter candles call us to the feast of this our table, may the light of Christ call us to Your eternal Easter feast.

#1: With great joy we come to our Easter dinner as we continue our celebration of the ever-newness of the resurrection of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. We rejoice in the resurrection of spring, as birds, flowers and fields come alive after the long sleep of winter. May we, in this Easter Sunday meal, share with them the great joy of life. Let us pause and, in silence, lift up our hearts to God in gratitude for this holy Easter meal.

#2: As our Risen Lord came as a guest and ate with His disciples, may we be grateful for the presence of our family and friends at this table, who bring the holy presence of God and add to our celebration of this great and joyful feast.

#1: May the taste of goodness in this food be a promise of the eternal Easter meal we shall all share together with our Risen Lord. May God's blessing rest upon this table and each of us.

All: Amen! Alleluia!

ST. JOSEPH TABLE THANK YOU

It was a beautiful, prayerful, tasty and satisfying celebration to God's glory and in honor of St. Joseph two weeks ago. However, the committee was so busy that no one had a chance to take many pictures! If there are some folks out there who attended and took some pictures of the altar, we would be happy to have prints or have the images sent to sijre2004@yahoo.com!

Thank you to everyone who came and shared in the prayer, food and community spirit of the day. We are grateful for the donations given to help our St. Vincent DePaul Ministry assist our brothers and sisters in need. We also express our heartfelt gratitude to those who helped provide the food, beverages, time, help, and other things necessary for the St. Joseph Table. May the protection of St. Joseph be upon you and God's blessings fill your lives!

Thank you to: Anonymous, Baker's Square, Barilla America, Candlelight Jewelers, Cardinal Liquors, Catered by Design, Catholic New World, Chalet, Mariano's Glenview, Minelli Meat & Deli, Nancy's Pizza, Omega Restaurant, Ignacy J. Paderewski Polish School, Palm Court Fine Dining, Pesche Garden Center, Chaser's Sports Bar, Colonial Wojciechowski Funeral Home-Golf Road, Fr. Luczak, Parishioners & Staff of St. Isaac Jogues, Fra Noi Newspaper, Hlavacek Florist, Home Depot-Deerfield, Rogers Park Florist, SIJ Fil-Am Group, SIJ Men's Club, SIJ St. Joseph Table Committee, SIJ SVDP Ministry, SIJ Women's Club, Seven Brothers Restaurant, Home Depot-Glenview, Home Depot-Mt. Prospect, Home Depot-Niles, J.F. Morrow & Sons, Inc. Jewel-Dempster St., Jewel-Milwaukee Ave., Kappy's American Grill, Knights of Columbus, Sicilia Bakery, Skaja Terrace Funeral Homes, Tony's Finer Foods, Zoot Cuts, Fran's Cleaners & Tailors.

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Divine Mercy Sunday					1 First Friday Adoration 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm - Church	2 OLPH Novena/Prayer Mig. 2:00 pm - Church/Hall
3 DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY Bible Study - 9:00 am - HFRM Kndergarten RE-10:00 am- Rm.29 FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY MASS AND DEVOTION 12:00 Noon Mass - Church followed with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation 3:00 pm - The Chaptet of Divine Mercy and Benediction	4 ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD Youth Choir - 5:30 pm - Church Religious Education Program 6:45 pm - 8:00 pm - Church, HFRM, Hall, School	5 Baptism Preparation - 7:00 pm Deacon Couple's Home Human Concerns Mig 7:00 pm - RE Office Women's Club - Board Mig. 7:30 pm - HFRM	6 Bible Study - 9:30 am - Rm. 6 Small Faith Sharing Group 10:30 am - HFRM Praise Singers - 6:00 pm Stu Choir - 7:00 pm (both rehearsals in church) SPRED Team Mig.	7 St. Joseph Table Dinner and Mtg 6:00 pm - HFRM Holy Hour Prayer and Benediction 7:00 pm - Church	Finday Night at the Movies 7:00 pm - HFRM (doors open at 6:30 pm) Movies O 1 s. refer to inc.	9 First Communion Retreat 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm Church/HFRM
10 RCIA - 9:00 am Kindergarten RE 10:00 am - Rm. 29 Confirmation Year Il Blessing during 10:00 am Mass	11 Youth Choir - 5:30 pm - Church Religious Education Program 6:45 pm - 8:00 pm - Church, HFRM, Hall, School	12 St. Vincent de Paul Min. Mig. 7:00 pm - Room 26 Spiriual Life Comm. Mig. 7:00 pm - RE Office	13 Bible Study - 9:30 am - Rm. 6 The Praise Singers - 6:00 pm Stu Choir - 7:00 pm (both rehearsals in church) SPRED Group 7:00 pm - HFRM	14 Holy Hour Prayer and Benediction 7:00 pm - Church	15 Patriotic Rosary 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm - Church	16 Women's Club Pasta Dinner 6:00 pm - HFRM Spaghettl Olunce
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24 RCIA - 9:00 am Kindergarlen RE 10:00 am - Rm. 29	25 Youth Choir - 5:30 pm - Church First Communion Practice 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm - Church Religious Education Program 6:45 pm - 8:00 pm - Church HFRM, Hall, School	26 Liturgy Board Mtg. 7:00 pm - RE Office Women's Ckib - Bridge 7:00 pm - HFRM Men's Ckib Board Mtg. 7:00 pm - Room 26 Small Faith Group 7:30 pm - Min. Cent. Kitchen	Bible Study - 9:30 am - Rm. 6 The Praise Singers - 6:00 pm SIJ Choir - 7:00 pm (both rehearasis in church) SPRED Group - Mass and celebration - 7:00 pm - HFRM	28 Holy Hour Prayer and Benediction 7:00 pm - Church	28	3:00 pm - Mass-Reception Church-HFRM

ST. ISAAC JOGUES WOMEN'S CLUB GUILD NUMBER SEVEN

WE ARE HAVING OUR ANNUAL PASTA PARTY ON SATURDAY, APRIL 16TH 2016 IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE FIVE O'CLOCK MASS PASTA, MEATBALLS, BREAD, SALAD AND DESSERT ALL FOR \$10.00 PLEASE COME AND ENJOY WITH YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS

, APRIL 16TH 2016 10.00

TICKETS WILL BE SOLD BY THE ST.ISAAC JOGUES WOMEN'S CLUB OR BY CALLING 847-966-9679

FIRST FRIDAY

Observe part of the Octave (8 days) of Easter at the First Friday Adoration and Devotions dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary. We will begin at 6 p.m. and conclude at 9 p.m. The evening includes Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, the Patriotic Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet, various mysteries of the Rosary, a long period of silent reflection and prayer and Benediction.

Come for one hour, two or the whole time!

All are welcome!

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

St. Faustina wrote, "While I was saying the chaplet, I heard a voice which said, "Oh, what great graces I will grant to souls who say this chaplet; the very depths of My tender mercy are stirred for the sake of those who say the chaplet. Write down these words, My daughter. Speak to the world about My mercy; let all mankind recognize My unfathomable mercy. It is a sign for the end times; after it will come the day of justice. While there is still time, let them have recourse to the fount of My mercy; let them profit from the Blood and Water which gushed forth for them." (#848, Diary)

Next Sunday, April 3rd, is Divine Mercy Sunday. The Feast of Mercy Mass will be at Noon followed by the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 3 p.m. Confessions will be heard in English & Polish 2-3 p.m. and the Divine Mercy Chaplet prayed at 3 p.m. followed by Benediction. All are invited to continue the celebration of Easter by participation in all or some part of this feast day!

St. Issac Jogues

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Liturgy Board, Tuesday, March 29, 7 p.m. RE Office.

Human Concerns Commission, Tuesday, April 5, 7 p.m., RE Office

St. Joseph Planning Committee Meeting, Thursday, April 7, 6 p.m., HFR

WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY... will not meet this Wednesday. We will resume on May 6 at 9:30 a.m. in Rm.

BIBLE TALK

The monthly Bible talk will be next Sunday at 9 a.m. in the Holy Family Room and will focus on the Sunday readings of the Easter Season. All are welcome.

SAVE THE DATES

Marian Festival, Sunday, May 1, 1:30 p.m., outside (weather permitting & Church)
Presentation by Fr. Julian von Duerbeck,
Tuesday, May 10th, 6:30 p.m. Soup Supper and talk at 7 p.m. Fr. Julian will speak about the Acts of the Apostles and the early Church.

John 17 Fellowship, Thursday, April 14, 7 p.m. at Messiah Lutheran Church.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

Monday: Monday within the Octave of Easter
Tuesday: Tuesday within the Octave of Easter
Wednesday: Wednesday within the Octave of Easter
Thursday: Thursday within the Octave of Easter

Friday: Friday within the Octave of Easter; First Friday

Saturday: Saturday within the Octave of Easter;

First Saturday

Wedding Banns

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Jeffrey A. Ruzano & Cynthia S. Bartolome



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Peter is an eyewitness: The Lord is risen (Acts 10:34a, 37-43).

Psalm — This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad (Psalm 118).

(1) Second Reading — All who are baptized, set your hearts in heaven (Colossians 3:1-4) *or*

(2) Second Reading — Christ our Passover is sacrificed; therefore let us celebrate (1 Corinthians 5:6b-8). Gospel — Three witnesses, Mary, Peter, and John; each

responds to the empty tomb (John 20:1-9) or

Luke 24:1-12 (or, at an afternoon or evening Mass, Luke 24:13-35).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11;

Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22;

Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9; Lk 24:13-35 Thursday: Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2, 5-9; Lk 24:35-48 Friday: Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-27;

Jn 21:1-14

Saturday: Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1, 14-21; Mk 16:9-15 Sunday: Acts 5:12-16; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24;

Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; Jn 20:19-31



LET US PRAY...

For the safety and well being of our family members and friends serving us in the military or as first responders. Be close to them, O Lord, and wrap them in your mercy and love. Amen.

First Responders Shane Long, Brad Markovich, Greg Zalewski

United States Air Force
United States Army
U.S. Army Reserves

Mason Janzen, Breanna Dexter
Brian Caplin, Gale Renner
Christopher Dexter

United States Marines Patrick Edward Echavez, Joseph John Zimmerman III, Aisha

Fernando, Lance Renner, Gian Patrick Reyes

United States Navy William B. Dexter, Timothy Kelly, David Perez

Illinois National Guard Nathaniel Janzen

If you have a family member or friend you would like to add to our prayer list, either because they serve in the military or as a first responder (police, firefighter, paramedic/EMT), please contact the RE Office at 847/966-1180 or sijre2004@yahoo.com.



Mass Intentions

Sunday, M	arch 27, 2016	
8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	Church-Joseph & Edith Lukas Church-Hal Yamanaka	
12:00 p.m.	HFR-Living & Deceased Members of SIJ Church-	
,	Special Intention-James Maxwell Pascale	
	HFR-Special Intention-Eddie Waytula	
Monday, M	1arch 28, 2016	
8:00 a.m.	Purgatorial Society	
	Eric Medalle & Veronica Reagan	
Tuesday, M	1arch 29, 2016	
8:00 a.m.	Cosme Abella, Jr.	
Wednesday	y, March 30, 2016	
8:00 a.m.		
0.00 a.III.	Marie Przybylski	
Thursday,	March 31, 2016	
8:00 a.m.	Anna Chlodowski	
Friday, Ap	ril 1, 2016	
8:00 a.m.	Helen Polinski	
	Antonio Bernabe, Jr.	
Saturday, A	April 2, 2016	
8:00 a.m.	Communion Service-No Intentions	
5:00 p.m.	John Hojnacki	
Sunday, April 3, 2016		
8:00 a.m.	Thomas Banner	
10:00 a.m.	Living & Deceased Members of SIJ	
40.00	Lillie Mae Brady	
12:00 p.m.	Marciano Flordeliza Mel Inac	
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Liturgy Next Weekend April 2–3, 2016

Confessions 11:00 a.m.	Fr. Luczak
5:00 p.m.	Fr. Pereira
8:00 a.m.	Fr. Kennedy
10:00 a.m.	Fr. Pereira
12:00 p.m.	Fr. Luczak/Deacon Paul (Feast of Mercy Mass)



April 2-3, 2016

5:00 pm.	Marvin Roque Kristine Roque Rene Dumayas
8:00 a.m.	Kevin Thomas Jude Jimmychan Steve Livingston
10:00 a.m.	Maya Gherman Angelika Dacpano Jeffery Kurian
12:00 p.m.	Anna Koziol Carlos Lasco Athena Lasco Ann Benoy

PASTOR: Rev. Andrew Luczak

ASSOCIATE PASTOR: Rev. Mario Pereira, S.F.X.

PASTORAL STAFF:

Lori Herbert, Business Manager Dolores Stanton, Director of Religious Education Lisa Hall, Director of Music

DEACONS:

Deacon Robert C. O'Keefe, retired (Joan) Deacon Paul M. Stanton (Dolores)

WEEKEND MASS CELEBRANT:

Rev. Bernard Kennedy, O.F.M.

Eucharistic Masses and Communion Services:

Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM & 12:00 PM

Monday - Friday: 8:00 AM Saturday: - 5:00 PM

8:00 AM Communion Service

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday, 11:00 - 12:00 Noon or anytime by request.



PARISH OFFICE HOURS Monday - Friday 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM Saturday 9AM - 5 PM Sunday 9AM - NOON

Sacristans

Theresa Noble Francis Martel Arlene Turek **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.

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