



ST. PAUL OF THE CROSS

AS FOR ME AND MY HOUSE, WE WILL SERVE THE LORD

JOSHUA 24:15

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2019

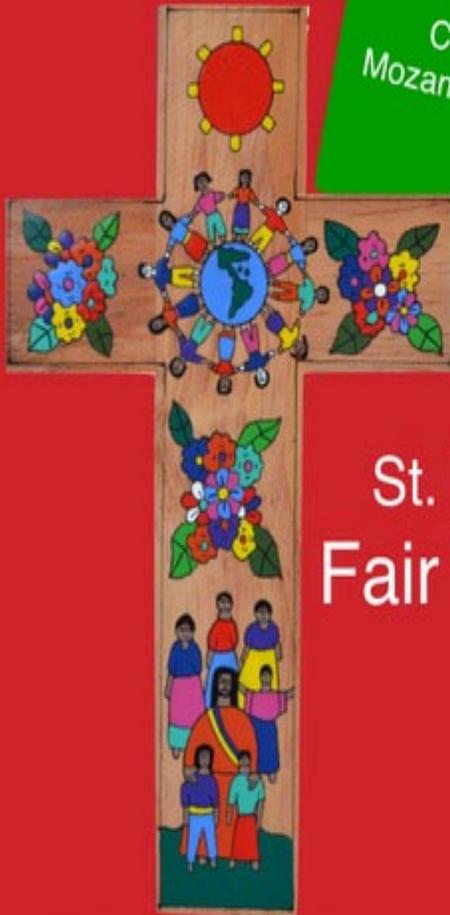
31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



**NEW PARISHIONER
REGISTRATION
TODAY!**

**IN THE
MORELLO PARISH LIFE
CENTER
IN ROOMS A & B
8:30 AM UNTIL 12:00 PM**

*Pastoral Council members and
Parish Welcoming Ministry
will be on hand to give out
parish information packets and
answer any questions.*



Products from:
Colombia, Kenya, U.S., Ghana,
Mozambique, Peru, Mexico, Nepal, Bali,
and elsewhere

St. Paul of the Cross Fair Trade Market

Sunday, November 3
8:30 - 1:30 p.m.
Parish Life Center

Baskets Jewelry Ornaments Scarves Coffee
Chocolate Christmas Gifts and so much more!

HONOR
our **VETERANS**

11.11.2019



*Making Fair Trade purchases, allows us to have a hand
in changing the lives of God's children across the world*



St. Paul of the Cross Welcomes...

Every Sunday at 1:15 PM



Wedding Banns

I Andrew Norte & Kristen O'Machel



Fr. Britto, Fr. Matt and Fr. Peter would like to thank all the parishioners for their wishes and prayers. We are privileged to minister to you and we hold all of you in our daily prayers. God bless!



Early Bulletin Deadline!

Please submit early for the November 24th bulletin.

Articles for the Bulletin of November 24th are due to me by:
12pm on Friday, November 15th.

Thank you!

Lisa Pasquinelli lisapasquinelli@spc-church.org

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED HOSPITALITY MINISTRY



For many years our parish had greeters to welcome our parishioners to Mass each weekend.

We are looking to revive this practice as part of the Usher Ministry.

If you have served as a greeter in the past or would like to serve now, please contact one of the ushers to let them know that you are available.

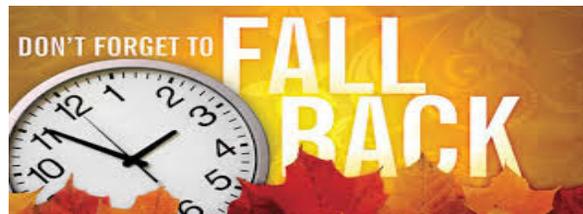
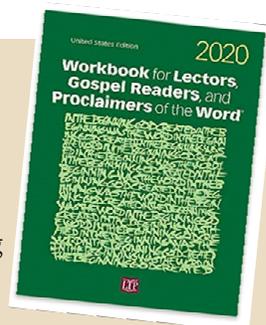
You can leave your contact information with the parish office at 847-825-7605.



Did you remember to turn in your Baby Bottles?

ATTENTION LECTORS!

The Lector Workbooks for the 2020 Liturgical year are now available. You may pick up your copy in the rectory during regular office hours, including Saturday and Sunday.



Daylight saving ends Sunday at 2am, remember to set clocks back before bed on Saturday.



PARISH EDUCATIONAL ENDOWMENT FUND

Where there is a Will there is a way to be an angel for our school.
Make a planned gift to our Educational Endowment Fund.
For more information, please contact Joan Macpherson at St. Paul of the Cross: 847-825-7605, ext. 249.



Dear St Paul of the Cross Parishioners,

Four years ago in an unprecedented gesture, Pope Francis canonized a married couple, Louis and Marie-Zelie Martin on October 18 as part of the Extraordinary Synod on the Family. Rarely have married couples been canonized, especially parents who had children. By doing this our Holy Father once again reminds us that holiness is within the reach of everyone, no matter our state in life. This couple reached heroic holiness in their own life and at the same time gifted a great saint to the Church, St Therese of Lisieux.

Every year on November 1st we celebrate the Feast of All the Saints. It is an occasion to remember all those who have been glorified. These are the unsung and unrecognized heroes of holiness. They are not officially canonized by the Church and no altars or churches are built in their honor. They are fathers and mothers, brothers and sisters, husbands and wives, single, married and celibate. They hail from all sorts of vocations and occupations and have reached their God-given destiny in spite of the challenges they faced in their respective call in life. Everyone who is in heaven is a saint.

On November 2nd we remember our dear departed as we pray for the souls in purgatory. These are the saints on the way. Right now they are undergoing a process of purification but they endure their testing sustained by the hope that they will be with the Lord soon. Even as we admire them, we pray that their sojourn in that intermediary place will be short. We loved them in life and now we must assist them in death with our prayers.

November 1st also reminds us that each one of us is called to be holy. Often St Paul reminded his Christians that they were called to be saints. In the Old Testament, God reminded the people of Israel:

For I am the LORD your God; sanctify yourselves therefore, and be holy, for I am holy. You shall not defile yourselves with any swarming creature that moves on the earth. For I am the LORD who brought you up from the land of Egypt, to be your God; you shall be holy, for I am holy. (Leviticus 11:44-45)

In the New Testament, St Peter reiterates the call of God in Leviticus:

Therefore prepare your minds for action; discipline yourselves; set all your hope on the grace that Jesus Christ will bring you when he is revealed. Like obedient children, do not be conformed to the desires that you formerly had in ignorance. Instead, as he who called you is holy, be holy yourselves in all your conduct; for it is written, "You shall be holy, for I am holy." (1 Peter 1:15-16)

In the concrete, how do we become holy? There is only one place in the gospels where Jesus issues the call "Learn from Me." The Master says, "Learn from Me for I am meek and humble of heart." To be holy means to become like Jesus. The Lord asks us to imitate especially His humility and His compassion. If we can be humble and compassionate like Jesus, then we are holy.

To be humble we need to become a servant. Others' needs should be more important to us than our own. We should be ready to wash others' feet. We should allow ourselves to be treated like servants and not protest. As the gospels say, we should be willing to humble ourselves just like Jesus and Mary.

To be compassionate, we need to learn to love like the Father. At the end of the Sermon on the Mount Jesus challenges His disciples: "Be perfect as your Heavenly Father is perfect." Can we even dream that we can be perfect like our Heavenly Father? No. What does Jesus mean? The Father loves everyone, without any discrimination. He makes the sun shine on the just and the unjust, and makes the rain fall on the just and the unjust. We too must imitate the Father and love everyone, no matter who they are. When we become like Jesus who welcomed everyone including sinners, prostitutes and tax-collectors, then we become holy.

As we recall the saints we have known – in our families, parishes and communities – let us not forget to pray for those who may be still awaiting their reward. Let us dedicate the month of November to all the souls in purgatory. It is a commendable Catholic practice to offer Masses for our dearly departed during this month.

To become saints is the ultimate goal of our lives. All other choices and decisions that we make should be geared towards the realization of that singular goal. It is so easy to get distracted and forget that our final home is in heaven. As parents, as spouses, our fundamental duty is to ensure that our children and our spouses will get to Paradise. The words of Jesus in the gospel should ring constantly in our ears: "What does it profit a man if he gains the whole world but suffers the loss of his soul?"

May we – both as individuals and as the parish family – constantly grow in holiness!

Yours warmly,

Fr. Brito



The St. Paul of the Cross Academic Team is having a busy and exciting Academic Bowl season!

They competed in three bowls on October 15th and 16th at Notre Dame College Prep, St. Viator, and DePaul College Prep.

During competitions, teams of 4 or 5 compete against each other like in Jeopardy. The team that answers each toss-up style question correctly first, gets control of a set of 3-4 bonus questions. They then can talk to each other and confirm answers. The team with the most correct answers at the end of the match wins the game.

On October 15th, the team went to Notre Dame College Prep for their first tournament. They went 2-3, placing 4th for the day. There were many close games including one that came down to the last question. On the 16th, the team went to two different schools. In the morning they went to St. Viator winning their first three matches. The 4th match came down to the last question, where the other team was able to buzz in faster and answer correctly. The team ended up tying for third place. Later that night they went to DePaul College Prep, where they went 3-0 in the preliminary rounds. In the semi-final round they again came down to the last question. Again the other team was able to buzz in first. The team finished the night getting 4th place.

The team is comprised of nine 8th graders, and two 7th graders. They include: Caroline A, Tyler D, Ian D, Maggie D, Charlotte F, Jimmy J, Molly N, Max Q, Joseph R, Maggie S, and Everett S.

The team had a fantastic two days. Their next two meets are in November at Trinity High School, and Loyola Academy.



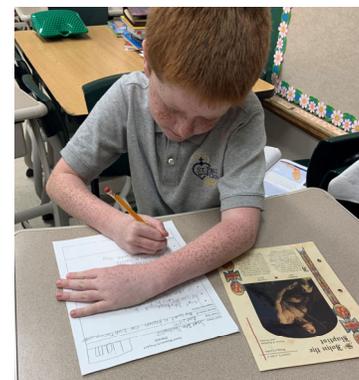
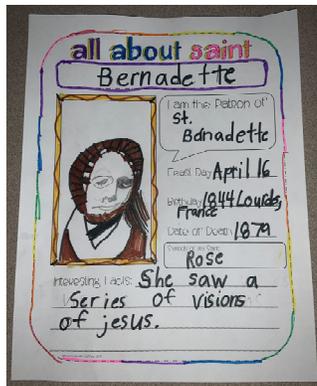
Third Grade Saint Project



The third graders have been hard at work finding important information about a saint of their choosing. We do this project in light of All Saints Day on November 1st. Before researching our own saints, we learned about a few important Saints such as; Saint Paul, Saint Joseph, and Saint Peter. We discussed how these saints became a saint and noticed that they did not all have the same journey. We also went over what a saint's feast day means and what patron saint means. After our class study on saints, the students were ready to research on their own!

For a few weeks we spent some time researching by using different texts and websites. The students had a lot of fun finding information on their saint that they had not known before. They found out their saint's feast day, what they are a patron saint of, important facts and dates, and how they became a saint. We also found images of our saints so that the students could draw a portrait of them.

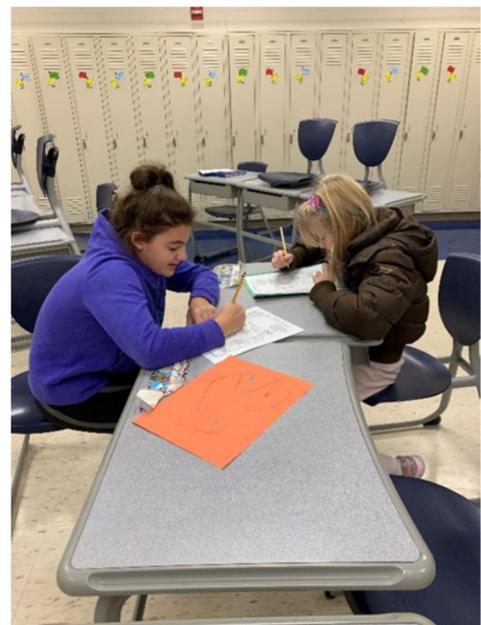
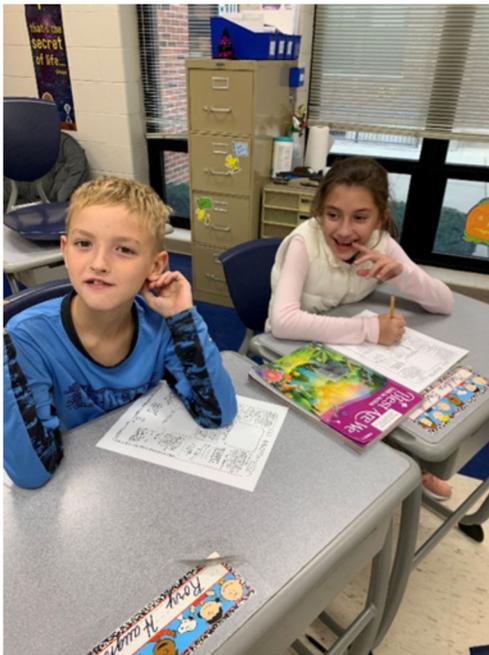
When the research is all done, the students will get to share with the class all the amazing information that they have found about their saint! This project allows the students to share what they have learned and for others to learn about the many saints.



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Our 6th, 7th & 8th Graders are all required to do service.
Here's one of our students helping with garden work
and some of our 4th & 5th graders hard at work in the classroom!



You learn to speak by speaking, to study by studying, to run by running, to work by working; and just so, you learn to love by loving.... ~ St. Francis de Sales



SOCIAL SERVICE
MINISTRIES

ADRIENNE TIMM, DIRECTOR
(847) 692-6767 adriennetimm@spc-church.org

Thanksgiving Food Drive November 16 -17



Social Service Ministry will be collecting Thanksgiving food for needy families in the area. Please deposit non-perishable items in the receptacles at the Church exits.

We will be collecting the following items:



- family-sized boxes of instant mashed potatoes
- stuffing mix
- cranberry sauce
- canned yams
- turkey gravy
- green beans,
- corn

Cash donations are greatly appreciated to defray the cost of perishables and Jewel food certificates which must be purchased.

Checks may be made out to **St. Paul Social Service Ministry** and dropped off at the rectory.

If you have any questions please contact Adrienne Timm (847) 692-6767,
adriennetimm@spc-church.org.

Wishlists are now available

Wish lists include coats, boots, casual clothing, household items, books, toys, etc. Families come in all sizes from individuals to families of 6.

We ask that you spend **\$50 per family member** to help make Christmas wishes come true.

If you would like to anonymously adopt a needy family or individual for Christmas, please contact Adrienne Timm, at Social Service Ministry, 847-692-6767 - adriennetimm@spc-church.org



*A great way for a family
to earn service hours!*

Let us continue to hear the cry of the poor while we wait for the Christ child to be born.

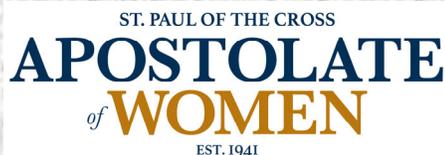


THE SERVANTS OF ST. FRANCIS (SOSF) SUBURBAN OUTREACH FOR ST PAUL OF THE CROSS

Community Dinner at Our Lady of the Angels, Monday, November 4, from 4-9pm

Chicago Outreach Group of the Servants of St Francis will be hosting a Community Dinner at Our Lady of the Angels on Monday November, 4. St Paul of the Cross has a long lasting relationship with OLA and this is another great way to support those in need. We will help set up, cook, serve and clean up a meal for over 200 local neighbors from 4-9:00. Different time slots are available. Below is the Signup Genius for this event.
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0f49a8aa2fabf94-community2>





St Paul of the Cross AOW Woman of the Year goes toMary Lusignan!

St. Paul Of The Cross AOW Woman of the Year, Mary Lusignan, was honored at the Archdiocesan Council Of Catholic Women's Fall Breakfast. **Congratulations Mary!**

The Apostolate of Women (AOW) named Mary Lusignan as their Woman of the Year. It was announced at the AOW's Spring meeting. Recently Mary was honored at the Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women's Fall Breakfast. She will also be recognized this Sunday at the 10:30 am mass in the upper church.

Mary joined the AOW and the Mystical Rose Guild in 1972. She has served as chair or co-chair for many of those years. The members feel, "No one can fill her shoes." Through their labors of love and fundraising efforts, including the bake sale at the St. Nick's Party, Mystical Rose supports many charities including St. Paul of the Cross' Social Services and INFANT, Inc.. Mary and Mystical Rose Guild members actively support the parish by being present and participating in events. Mary also serves the parish as a lector at mass.

Mary is caring, thoughtful and compassionate. She is attentive to anyone in need, and always ready to take action. Mary shared that serving others feels good and is right.

When asked to describe Mary, Kay Schenfeld and Therese Cuitino, past co-presidents of the AOW agreed, "She is extremely humble and never expects recognition for any of her countless acts of kindness. Mary is an elegant person with a warm smile, peaceful presence and a great sense of humor."

Mary and her husband, Lou, joined St. Paul of the Cross 49 years ago. They have three children and four grandchildren.



Lou and Mary Lusignan



Standing: Kay Schenfeld, AOW Past Co-President, Jessica Armour, AOW Co-President, Fr. Britto Berchmans, and Melissa Poindexter, AOW Co-President. Seated: Lou and Mary Lusignan.



Mary Lusignan, St. Paul Of The Cross Woman of the Year, standing front and center with the Woman of the Year recipients from parishes across the Chicago Archdiocese.





Dear Parishioner:

The St. Paul of the Cross women's club – officially named the Apostolate of Women – invites you to renew or initiate your membership for the 2019-2020 year.

We know first-hand how busy schedules can interfere with our desire to serve others, meet others and renew our spirits. However, the Apostolate of Women aims to solve this challenge for our members and all women parishioners by being a central hub for service, social and spiritual growth opportunities. Spend less time seeking ways to fulfill your faith, and spend more time actually doing it with the help of our organization.

As a member of the Apostolate of Women, you may commit as much or as little time as you like, while taking comfort in knowing a supportive community of more than 325 women is within arm's reach – ready to help you enrich your spiritual and social life, as well as “do good” in your community. We plan, promote and participate in a variety of events and initiatives, including:

- Bunco for a Cause
- St. Paul of the Cross Food Pantry
- St. Nicholas Party
- Architectural Tours
- Fair Trade Bazaar
- Blood Drives

The above examples are just the tip of the iceberg in terms of our monthly and annual projects. Truly, something exists for everyone within the Apostolate of Women.

To initiate your 2019 - 2020 AOW MEMBERSHIP, please complete and submit the following form – along with the annual dues of \$20 – to the SPC Rectory by November 10th. Make checks payable to the Apostolate of Women. Dues help fund scholarships, donations to the church, events and so much more.

Should you have any questions, please contact one of us.

Apostolate of Women Co-Presidents,

*Catholic laywomen working together with their Pastor to make
the kingdom of God come alive in their community.*

- AOW Mission Statement
St. Paul of the Cross Church

Apostolate of Women 2019 - 2020 Registration Form

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Were you an AOW member during 2018/2019? YES NO

Are you currently active within a Guild? YES NO

If yes, which Guild? _____

**NEW MEMBERS: Don't fret if you are unfamiliar with the concept of guilds. Upon fulfilling your AOW registration, we will provide you with information about potential opportunities to get involved with these smaller groups or subcommittees within the Apostolate of Women.*

**RENEWING MEMBERS: If you are renewing your membership to the AOW, and you are already involved with a guild, please pay your dues through your guild.*

AOW dues are \$20 annually
Please return this form and a dues check (payable to the Apostolate of Women) to the
SPC Rectory by November 10th

The AOW needs the time and talent of all its members for many upcoming events and activities. I am interested in volunteering for the following events/activities (check all that apply):

Decorate Rectory for Christmas – Dec. 7, 2019 St. Nicholas

Party Set-up – Dec. 7, 2019

Blood Drive – April 5, 2020

Architectural Tour – Spring 2020

Bunco for a Cause Set-up/Take down – April 23, 2020

Sanctuary Helper: Help clean the upper church every Thursday after 8:30 am mass.

Honor Guard: This important on-call ministry supports the AOW membership by honoring deceased members (past and present) at their funerals.

This information will only be shared with committee chairs.



PARISH NURSE NOTES.....

Hi everyone! Having a baby can be one of the most joyful, intense, frightening, exhilarating and important experiences in a woman's life. Caring for a new, tiny human being can be thrilling and rewarding and perhaps a tad overwhelming at times. While experiencing all of the above, there are many physical and emotional changes occurring in the mom's body. Hormones are powerful substances and can be more so during and after pregnancy and birth.

These changes, after the birth, can sometimes cause feelings of anxiety, sadness, confusion and fear in a new mom. For many women, these feelings resolve fairly quickly, generally in about ten days or so and may be part of a relatively normal occurrence known as the "baby blues". There are times though when the baby blues don't resolve and symptoms may become worse. This may indicate postpartum depression. The following are symptoms of postpartum depression but it's important to know that many people may experience some of these symptoms from time to time. When they occur "during or after pregnancy" and last for more than several days, (think weeks here), this may indicate a more serious problem.

The following are symptoms that may occur during postpartum depression, (or to folks in general from time to time): feeling restless, irritable or angry; feeling sad and depressed and crying a lot; feelings of worthlessness, being afraid of hurting the baby or one's self; being overly concerned about the baby or having no concern. There may also be a lack of energy, headaches, chest pain, fast heart rate, numbness in hands or feet; sleep problems; over or under eating; trouble with focusing or making decisions; lack of enjoying things that were once enjoyed.

Postpartum depression is treatable and the type of treatment will depend upon the type and perhaps the causes, in each woman. Medication and psychotherapy can be used in tandem and group therapy may also be an effective mode of treatment.

If drugs are prescribed, and the mom is breast feeding, that will be an important consideration as to which are used. It's important to seek medical help if postpartum depression occurs and not feel guilty, inadequate, or ashamed, etc.. This is a treatable condition. If, after birth, a woman experiences a cold, or other problem, seeking treatment is "normal". And so is seeking help for this problem.

A few women may have a more rare type of postpartum depression known as postpartum psychosis. This is a more severe situation and warrants immediate intervention. Symptoms of this postpartum problem can be those mentioned including hallucinations and/or suicide or homicidal thoughts. Thankfully this is a more rare situation but should be treated asap.

The first few days of new parenthood can be a mixture of so many emotions and feelings from an upside-down routine as compared with life prior to a new born. And, things may go unexpectedly well. Help, support and prior planning is of paramount importance. If family is close by, this can be a great source of help, as can good friends, etc.. It's important to remember that if postpartum depression occurs, help and treatment can be greatly effective. And, time goes by so quickly..... Till next week let's remember that, "wherever you go, go with all your heart".

Fondly, Linda Burk, Your Parish Nurse



ST. PAUL OF THE CROSS DOMESTIC ABUSE ADVOCACY GROUP (DAAG)

Did You Know?

According to the Park Ridge Police Department and Social Worker, there is an average of 5 calls per week in our community pertaining to Domestic Violence.

THE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HOTLINE 1-800-799-7233
1-800-787-3224 (TTY)



Next Weekend!



Time to clean out your closets, garages, toy rooms and kitchens for our 44th annual STUFF THE TRUCK event to benefit St. Benedict the African Parish.

WHEN?	Saturday November 9, 9AM-6PM, Sunday November 10, 8:30AM- 1:30 PM
WHERE?	All donations should be dropped off at the Summit Street entrance to the Parish Life Center (by the large truck) Prior to these dates, donations can be accepted by special arrangement.
WHAT?	Donations that will be accepted-Clothing of all types, gently used kitchen and household items (nothing larger than what one person can carry), jewelry. It is preferred that all donations be in boxes for easy loading and stacking.

**HELP US HELP THE LESS FORTUNATE...
HELP US STUFF THE TRUCK**

For additional info or special arrangements, please contact
Deacon Andy 847-825-7605 or andycameron@spc-church.org





PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION CHAPEL

LIFT THE SOULS OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

November is the month that the Church emphasizes prayers and devotions for the Holy Souls in Purgatory. The Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC) states,

All who die in God's grace and friendship, but still imperfectly purified, are indeed assured of their eternal salvation; but after death they undergo purification, so as to achieve the holiness necessary to enter the joy of heaven. (CCC 1030)

The Church gives the name, Purgatory, to this final purification of the elect.



The Church, from its beginning, has always honored the memory of the dead, the Holy Souls in Purgatory, the Church Suffering. These souls cannot pray for themselves to shorten or alleviate their time of purification. However, as a Work of Mercy, we are asked to be their voices and offer prayers in suffrage such as the Eucharistic sacrifice, helping them to attain sooner, the Beatific Vision! It is also recommended that on behalf of the Holy Souls we may offer almsgiving, indulgence, and works of penance.

Although, the Holy Souls cannot pray for themselves, they can intercede for us while they're in purgatory. ***"Our prayer for them is capable not only of helping them, but of also making their intercession for us effective."*** (CCC 958)

One of the most powerful forms of prayer to help the Holy Souls to reach God is Eucharistic Adoration. In our Adoration Chapel, when we pray before Jesus in the Real Presence for these Souls, we please God and appeal to His Mercy to expedite their release to Heaven. We are being powerful mediators whose prayers not only carry the hopes of the Church Suffering but also give them great comfort.

(EXCERPTS FROM THE WRITINGS OF SUSAN TESSONE)

Eucharistic Adoration					
ONE COMMITTED ADORER HOURS					
Day	Night	Morning	Afternoon	Evening	
Sun	5 am	8 am*	5 pm	10 pm*	
Mon	3 am	10 am*	12 pm	11 pm	
Tues	2 am	8 am*	1 pm*	10 pm*	
Wed	1 am	7 am*	12 pm	6 pm*	
Thur	4 am	9 am*	5 pm*	8 pm*	
Fri	3 am	8 am*	5 pm*	11 pm*	
Sat	2 am	10 am	3 pm	7 pm	

OPEN HOUR – NONE

**This hour has 2 Committed Adorers 1 more Adorer is required*

Can You Share One Hour With Our Lord?
Please contact Vince Ross vrossvr@comcast.net or (847) 692-7565

If you choose an hour which already has one Committed Adorer, this enables the Committed Adorers for that hour to have some flexibility, if they are unable to be at the Chapel for their hour.



BOY SCOUT TROOP 24 WREATH SALE

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23RD

(AFTER THE 4:30 PM MASS)

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24TH

8:30AM –1PM (AFTER ALL THE MASSES)

FRESH CHRISTMAS WREATH AND ROPING SALE

ORDER NOW - Limited Quantities - First Come, First Served

The Boy Scouts of St. Paul of the Cross Troop 24 are selling fresh wreaths and roping this year to raise funds for troop activities.

We are selling Noble Mixed Wreaths made with Noble & Silver Fir, Incense Cedar, Blueberry Juniper, and Cones And then finished with a **red bow**.

The wreaths are available in 22” and 30” sizes. *Great for the Holidays!*

This year we are also offering Balsam Roping in 50 ft. lengths.

Please complete the order form below and include payment in an envelope marked “Boy Scout Wreaths.” Please return your completed form to the rectory office.

Pre-Order Pick-Up available before and after each Mass on November 19th and 17th.

Thank you for supporting the Boy Scouts of St. Paul of the Cross!

If you have any questions, please call Jonie Montalbano (773) 842-2753

Order Early - The Scouts will sell out!

Order Form

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

City _____

NOBLE FIR WREATHS:

22” _____ @ \$30 each.....\$ _____

30” _____ @ \$38 each.....\$ _____

BALSAM ROPING:

50 ft. length _ @ \$56 each..... ..\$ _____

**Please make checks payable to:
Boy Scout Troop 24**



Total enclosed..\$ _____



FIRE DRILL FOLLOW UP

It's been just over a month since the parish held its first-ever fire drill. The drill held at the 9:00 AM masses on September 29th was a success and completed an important step in the church's plans to respond to campus emergencies. Both the upper and lower churches were safely evacuated in just over one minute. Local fire and police department staff were on-hand to observe and offer comments.

FEEDBACK FROM OUR SURVEY:

We also received constructive feedback from the online survey we made available on the church's website. Key comments received included:

- Easy to follow directions.
- I think we need more planning for people with disabilities.
- Very organized and gave everyone a feel for what should happen.
- Too many people left before the drill began.
- I appreciate the volunteers and all the people who worked so hard to put this together.

NEXT STEPS:

The current evacuation plan is underway following what we learned from our first-ever fire drill. Plans to assist mobility-challenged individuals and training for volunteers and church ministries are being finalized. We will look to expand the plan to include emergency response during Holiday Masses and church campus events.

VOLUNTEERS:

This drill would not have been nearly as successful as it was without the 40 plus volunteers who helped on September 29th. In a large parish such as ours, many volunteers are needed to lend assistance. St. Paul of the Cross' Emergency Response Leadership Team is seeking additional volunteers to participate in future planning meetings, training sessions and future fire drills. If you are willing to join our growing volunteer group, please call or email our business manager, Joan Macpherson via email (joanmacpherson@spc-church.org) or telephone (847) 825-7605.

Thank you All,
Emergency Response Team



Divorce Support Ministry St. Paul of the Cross, Park Ridge

Divorce support—A Ministry for
Healing and Recovery from Divorce

The next Divorce Support Group Meeting will be Thursday,
November 7th at 6:30pm
in the Morello Parish Life Center Library.

We will be discussing financial survival, learn the
strategies to minimize the financial strains of divorce and
how to stabilize a budget.

All experiencing separation and divorce
are welcome to join us.

Any questions or concerns, please contact Karen Benson at
915-204-4426
or karen54@hotmail.com

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

For all young adults
in their 20s & 30s, single or married

Our next meeting:
Monday, November 4th at
7:30pm in the Parish Life Center.

Join us for an evening of fellowship.
We hope to see you there!

TODAYS READINGS

First Reading -- Lord, you love all things that exist (Wisdom 11:22 -- 12:2).

Psalm -- I will praise you name for ever, my king and my God (Psalm 145).

Second Reading -- May the name of Christ be glorified in you and you in him (2 Thessalonians 1:11 -- 2:2).

Gospel -- Today salvation has come to the tax collector Zacchaeus house (Luke 19:1-10).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rom 11:29-36; Ps 69:30-31, 33-34, 36; Lk 14:12-14

Tuesday: Rom 12:5-16b; Ps 131:1bcde-3; Lk 14:15-24

Wednesday: Rom 13:8-10; Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9; Lk 14:25-33

Thursday: Rom 14:7-12; Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14; Lk 15:1-10

Friday: Rom 15:14-21; Ps 98:1-4; Lk 16:1-8

Saturday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22

Sunday: 2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14; Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15; 2 Thes 2:16 -- 3:5; Lk 20:27-38 [27, 34-38]

From our Neighbors.....

TRINITY HIGH SCHOOL HOSTS 'THE BLAZER BOUTIQUE'
A Ladies Night Out Event

River Forest, IL Trinity High School. Mothers Club is thrilled to host its annual shopping extravaganza, *the Blazer Boutique* on **Thursday November 7th from 5:30-9pm** in the Sister Michelle Germanson Athletic Facility, located at 7574 W. Division Street in River Forest (enter through the parking lot on Jackson.) Free admission with a cash bar. For more information, please contact Mary Beth Lavezzorio, Mothers Club Liaison, or visit www.trinityhs.org.

Resurrection College Prep High School
Arts & Crafts Fair
Saturday, November 9th, 10am-4pm
Admission \$5—Adult, Seniors (65+) and students \$2
Children 10 and under free.

You and your family are cordially invited to attend
Loyola Academy's Open House
Thursday, November 7th
5:00p.m. - 8:00p.m.
1100 Laramie Avenue, Wilmette, IL 60091
Phone 847/920-2481
www.goramblers.org



Fall Open House
Sunday, November 17, 2019
12pm—2pm

The St Bonaventure Council of Catholic Women (CCW)

Invites Everyone to play Bingo
11-10-19, 12pm Noon
1625 W Diversey Parkway

\$15 for 15 games, plus specials are available
Lunch and dessert also for sale
For information call Norma: 773-348-7180 or
Pamela: 773-685-8506

COME PLAY WITH US!

BELLARMINE
Jesuit Retreat House

Men's Weekend Retreat:
"Who do you say that I am?"

December 6-8, 2019
Retreat Masters: Mary McKeon
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420 W County Line Rd · Barrington, IL 60010 · 847-381-1261
www.JesuitRetreat.org

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, November 4 St. Charles Borromeo

6:25 Thomas Kean
8:30 Stephen Heckman, Jacques Heileingoetter,
Frank Stanisz, Gordon Mayo

Tuesday, November 5 Weekday

6:25 Jose Almdarez,
Healing & Blessings for Charlene Stege
8:30 Jolanta Bialobrzewski, Jan Bialobrzewski,
Bronislaw Szymanski, Holy souls in purgatory

Wednesday, November 6 Weekday

6:25 Ed Ciebien, Healing & Blessings for Charlene Stege
8:30 Dr. Kenneth w. Misher II, John Newell, Alyce Brunke

Thursday, November 7 Weekday

6:25 Rita, Anna & William Parilla
8:30 Tom & Mary Cooney, John Harrison,
Stanley Kaniewski, John Newell

Friday, November 8 Weekday

6:25 Sister Kathleen Shelly, Enoch Hewitt Family
8:30 Edward Gilgenbach, Sieczka Family,
Birthday Bessings for Sebastian

Saturday, November 9 The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

8:00 Holy Souls in Purgatory
4:30 UP John & Kunegunda Nowak, Michael Ciampanelli
4:30 DN People of the Parish

Sunday, November 10—32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 UP Dolores Hester
9:00 UP Ann Sagan, Domenico, Pasqualina
& Nicholas Fosco
9:00 DN Mary DeMichael
10:30 UP Alyce Brunke, Donna Kotch, Kathy Dorgan Rhea,
Olga, Peter & Mara Pekic, John Clemens,
Gus Nicolopoulos, Richard & Helen Dorgan,
The Dockery Family
10:30 DN Bob Skorinski Sr.,
12:00 UP Dr. Adalberto & Carlota Perez,
Jose & Hortencia Gomez
5:30 UP Renate Andersen

Please Remember....

Those Who Are Ill:

Vincent Albachiaro, Scott Andrews,
John Brunke,
Michael Campanelli,
Bryan Charnot, Patty Dunlavy,
George Fitzsimons, Jim Gerke,
Maggie Gotski, Paul Hinz,
Sherry Ingram, Therese Kodner,
Mary Kurkowski, Mark McCoy,
Kathy McLaughry,
Marlene Matousek,
Jim McMahan, Pat Mulcrone,
Mike O'Donnell, Rose Parisi,
Baby Zahrabelle Pulickal,
Diane Rey, Charlie Selinka,
Edward Scannicchio,
Michael Scannicchio,
Dominick Sharkey, Lois Ann Suter,
Paul Suter, Henry Szapielak,
Patricia Tagliavore,
Maria Rose Talarico.
Dominic A. Vecchio,
Amanda Velez,
John Vittalio, Owen Walker,
Kazimiera Wasylw,
Peter Wasylw,
Carole Williams, Ava Zacharuk,

Those Who Have Died:

Owen Klinger
Anthony Simone
Jeannie Sloat
Domenic Joseph Esposito

Liturgical Ministers' Schedule - November 9 & 10

Day & Time	Presider	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
Saturday 4:30 up	Fr. Britto	Sullivan Nowak	Jack, Kirkland, Kirkland, Korz, Oppedisano, Welton, Wilkening	Golucki Torina Torina
Saturday 4:30 dn	Fr. Matthew	Mordasiewicz Hogan		Jefson Seurynck
Sunday 7:30	Fr. Britto	Machon Lynch	Cooney, Dickerhofe, Dickerhofe, Holmquist, Machon, Orzada Orzada	Diez Fletcher Hormsby
Sunday 9:00 up	Fr. Peter	Scialabba Nowakowski	Alicea, Donovan, Francis, Gaffke, Sernel, Swoboda, Swoboda	Cruz Russell Volunteer
Sunday 9:00 dn	Fr. Matthew	Keenan O'Toole		Romano Sikora
Sunday 10:30 up	Visitor	Soifer Madden	Alpert-Zeunik, Jarzombek, O'Neill, Olyva, Peisker, Shannon, Vallejo	Bazula Lattanzio Snyders
Sunday 10:30 dn	Fr. Matthew	Loeffler Koziol		Behzad Brooks
Sunday 12:00	Fr. Peter	Naum Stachowicz	Adlaf, Adlaf, DePaul, Keefe, Klaes, Mirabelli, Teich	Capitani Gawronski Petrella
Sunday 5:30 up	Fr. Peter	Scheller		Johnston Johnston

*Our prayers go out to all who serve our country....
God bless our men and women in service.*



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Sunday: 7:30 AM
9:00 AM (Up & Down)
10:30 AM (Up & Down)
12:00 PM
5:30 PM

Monday - Friday: 6:25 AM
8:30 AM (confessions 8-8:15 AM)

Saturday: 8:00 AM
4:30 PM Vigil (Up & Down)
(confessions 3:00PM—4:00 PM
Reconciliation Room in vestibule)

BAPTISMS

Every Sunday at 1:15 PM
Baptismal preparation class is required
and provided on The 4th Thursday every
month at 7pm.
(Contact the Parish office to register
for Baptism/Baptismal prep class).

MARRIAGES

Call the Parish Office at least 6 months in advance.

NEW PARISHIONER REGISTRATION

First Sunday of every month in the
Morello Parish Life Center from 8:30 AM—12:00PM

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

First Saturday of each month: After the 8:00 AM Mass.

COMMUNION FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Please call the rectory

ROSARY

Monday - Friday: Prayed after the 8:30 AM Mass.

Saturday: Prayed after the 8:00 AM Mass.

PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENT DEADLINE:

Tuesday by Noon to Madeleine McCoy at
madeleinemccoy@spc-church.org