



St. Scholastica Parish

April 28, 2024

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Welcome to St. Scholastica Parish Office!

Visitors will check in at the front desk, and the staff member on duty will direct all visitors to their meeting room or appointment.

As a gentle reminder please do not come to the parish facilities if you are not feeling well.

Parish Office Hours

Monday and Tuesday, 8 am to 6 pm

Wednesday through Friday, 8 am to 4 pm

Saturday and Sunday, Closed

Please call the office at 630.985.2351x122 before you come, as office hours are subject to change.

Bearing Much Fruit.

It is the start of May and, in the northern hemisphere, some of us are about spring planting. The tasks today look to future fruit and vegetables. By analogy, God is the gardener. We are the branches, the seeds, the fruit. To be healthy, we let ourselves be tilled around, watered, weeded.

† Because of how I behave now, how will I be tomorrow and in the future?

† what tending work will I let God do to me?

† what can I do to be a more fruitful Christian?

Our Mission

As a welcoming people, with Jesus as our foundation, we are the Catholic Community of St. Scholastica Parish.

Guided by the Holy Spirit and the Scriptures and strengthened by the Eucharist, we humbly and joyfully accept our baptismal call to share our time, talents, and treasures to support and nurture each other and those in need.

Welcome

All those visiting the parish are invited to stop by the “Welcoming Center” in the Breezeway of the Church to pick up information about our parish. Registration forms can be found in this area and once completed can be placed in the offertory basket at Mass. The form can also be downloaded from our web site. If you need any assistance in completing the form, please don’t hesitate to contact us at 630.985.2351, ext. 122. We would also be happy to take your information over the phone.



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My fellow Stewards—“Stewardship our Way of Life”

- ◆ **Receive God’s gifts gratefully**
- ◆ **Cultivate them responsibly**
- ◆ **Share them lovingly in justice with others**
- ◆ **Return them with increase to the Lord**

Teach us to be the very building....the people of God.



We encourage everyone to consider using the Sunday Offertory Envelopes or Online Giving as a way of giving to the Lord the “first fruits” of the “treasure” you have received.

April 20 & 21, 2024

Total Envelopes	223
Amount Collected-Envelopes.....	\$9,133.00
Amount Collected-Loose.....	<u>\$3,644.00</u>
Total Amount Collected	\$12,777.00
Total On Line Givers	142
Total On Line Gifts.....	<u>\$6,205.50</u>
Total Weekend Stewardship.....	\$18,982.50

Easter Collection, 2024

Total Collected as of April 14 \$32,662



Online Giving is a great way to help our administrative staff while supporting your church. Signing up is easy—you can use a computer, tablet, or smartphone. Just go to our church website: www.stscholasticaparish.org and click on the Online Giving logo to get started.

Need help setting up Online Giving?

Contact:

Our Sunday Visitor

800-348-2886, ext. 2 or onlinegiving@osv.com

Scan the QR code and you will be taken to our online giving portal at Our Sunday Visitor - OSV. Set up one time or recurring donations for Sunday Offerings (Stewardship) or peruse the site for special collections and set them up too! Thank you and God Bless you for your continued support and generosity!



SCAN ME



Your Weekly Message from Fr. Norbert, CR

This Sunday we learn from the selection from the Acts of the Apostles about St. Paul being introduced by Barnabus to the members at the local community of

Christians at Jerusalem. I am sure that this was a delicate moment for those believers and Barnabus because Paul had been a highly active persecutor of the followers of Christ until he had personally experienced the Risen Lord Jesus. After that experience he became completely dedicated to spreading the news of Jesus' resurrection by sharing his faith and conversion experience with others. Although he had this powerful conversion experience he continued to grow with the Lord as he traveled to spread the news of the Resurrection of Jesus with others not only in person, but also by writing letters to the various communities of believers. We too must remain open to the ways in which we can share our experience of the Lord with others. Among the many ways for us to share our faith is to become actively involved in our parish where we encounter other believers, fellow Catholics. One of the several ways available to us is to become a member of our parish council. It is at this time that I

How Can I Get to the Parish During Road Construction?

Construction on Janes Avenue began Wednesday, April 24 and will continue through the end of the summer. During Phase I, only northbound traffic will be allowed on Janes Avenue from 83rd Street to the driveway closest to Dunkin Donuts south of 75th Street. Southbound traffic will be diverted to Woodward Avenue, where you will be allowed to come north on Janes Avenue (traffic may be slow due to construction) to the front entrance to the parish parking lot. Another way to access our parking lot from the north is to take Woodridge Drive south (this is the stop light between Janes Avenue and 53rd) to Jonquil, where you will turn left. Jonquil ends at Chestnut, where you will follow the road, curving right. You can then access the parking lot to the left.

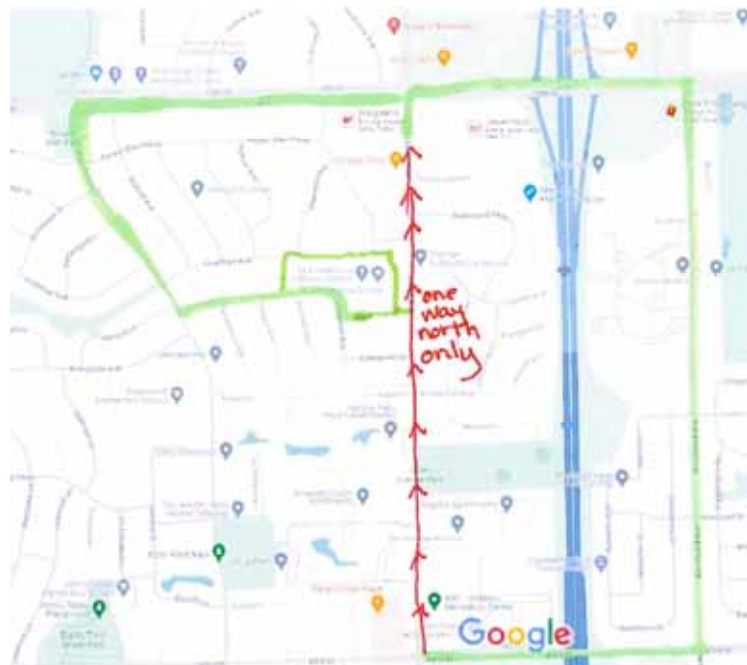
Please share this information with friends and family who may be planning on attending First Communion, Funerals, Weddings, or 8th Grade Graduation.

Visit the Village web site for more information.

www.woodridgeil.gov

want to thank Michelle Greco and Jackie Aldrich for their service to our parish by being active members of the parish council for several years. At the same time, I welcome Esmeralda Yambao and Roy Peterson as new members to the parish council. Additionally, I must offer a word of thanks to Jackie Aldrich and Dawn Kunz for conducting the discernment process in which new members are brought to the parish council. As I reflect upon the sharing of faith in our parish, I must thank Chris Hannigan-Wiehn for stepping forward during this past academic year to guide our Religious Education program. A last-minute vacancy left our parish without a Religious Ed director, and Chris, who is very well experienced in the field of religious education, came forward and directed our program. This coming academic year Alison Chandler will be our new Religious Ed director. She has the experience and the credentials for this position. It is by stepping forward and sharing our faith that each one of us can grow closer to the Lord. Before I make my concluding remarks, I wish to acknowledge that last Saturday, April 20th at our Cathedral Church, St. Raymond Nonnatus in Joliet, Margaret Wagner received an award from the annual presentation of the Council of Catholic Women [CCW]. Congratulations! I pray that you all have a wonderful week and ask you to keep our First Communicants in your prayers.

Fr. Norb, C.R.



Sacrament of Baptism

Congratulations on the birth of your child and thank you for taking the first step with your child on a life-long journey of faith. In preparation for this very joyous celebration you are required to take part in an on-line Baptismal Preparation Program. Please call Marisa at 630.985.2351x122 or e-mail mtrevino@stscholasticaparish.org for more information and to sign up for the course. Baptisms can only be scheduled after completion of the baptismal course.

Sacrament of Marriage

Preparation for marriage involves special instruction for the couple. **Notification to the Parish Administration Center is required at least 6 months in advance.** Please call Sue at the Parish



Isabella Casillas,
Alexander Napierkowski,
Lila Ramos, Rita Ramsey,
Mary Coghlan, Jess Santos,
Lynn Gasmen, Mary Reynolds,
Marcella Fanning

If you or a member of your immediate family are in need of prayer, please contact the Parish Office at 985-2351, ext. 122, and we will place the name in the bulletin. Names will remain in the bulletin for 4 weeks unless you call to have prayers extended.

Please Pray for Our Friends and Family Battling Cancer

To request to be added or removed from the cancer list, please contact the office at 630.985.2351, ext.122. In order to keep the list up to date, names will be removed automatically after six months.

St. Peregrine

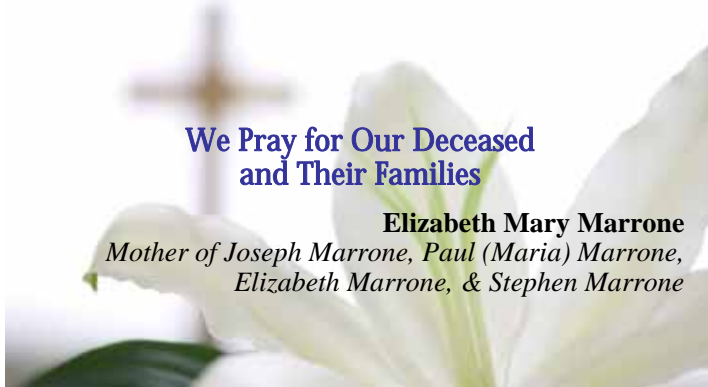


Pat Wright, Tom Feliksik,
Catherine Tallon, Paul Rotella,
Beatrice Walsh, Paul Gorsline,
Walter Shiffer, Donna Prepejchal,
Marilene Mariano, Bruce Schaffer,
Jennifer Bailey, Barbara Knierim,
Jim Fus, Janet Leifel, Johnny Andrews,
Richard Buban, Heather McMillen,
Carol Knott, Nora Sanstad, Jerry Munley,
Mary Joy Geramo, Deb Sharbak,
Marlene Talaski, Sonja Rudny,
Celeste Aguzino, Sandra Woodring,
Clem Campbell, Judy Retterer

Pray for Us

Arranging a Funeral

Arrangements for a Funeral Mass are made through the Funeral Home you choose. The Funeral Home will contact the Parish Administration Center to schedule the Mass. If arrangements will not be made through a funeral home, please contact the Parish Administration Center at 630.985.2351x122 for assistance. More information can be found on the Parish Web Site: www.stscholasticaparish.org



We Pray for Our Deceased and Their Families

Elizabeth Mary Marrone
*Mother of Joseph Marrone, Paul (Maria) Marrone,
Elizabeth Marrone, & Stephen Marrone*

A SOLDIER'S PRAYER

By John E. Kleiman

Dear Lord,

I'm just a soldier, a protector of our land. A servant called to battle when my country takes a stand. I pray for strength and courage and a heart that will forgive. For peace and understanding in a world for all to live.

My family's prayers are with me, no matter where I roam. Please listen when I'm lonely and return me safely home.

Continue to Pray for Our Friends and Family who are in Active Duty in the Military.

If you would like loved ones who are on active duty in the military to be included on the bulletin board in the Breezeway, drop pictures off in the Parish Office.



IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS:

SP4 Brian Dilger, Lance Corporal Jaleasia Reed,
Captain Joe Chambers, 1st Lt Rachel Schlitter,
Corporal Donte Reed, Airman Robert Rouille,
VT Claire Gieseke, PVT Michaelangelo Zaucha Fernandez,
ET 1 Kim Bellavia, LT Michael Bellavia,
Sargent Daron J. Reed, SPC Matthew Aubele,
PFC SGT Eric Kuchta, Staff SGT Kyle Gulley,
PFC Sebastian Elapumkal, SGT Trent Johnson,
SPC Samantha Rapp, PVT Jake Higley,
Captain Mark F. Luneburg, PFC Michael Jacobson,
EMF-K Karl Gieseke, NSM Larry J. Threadgill,
LTC Noel Sioson, Major Brady Sexton,
Ensign Randall Jacob Hopkins, MFN Jesse Kolek,
Major Kenneth Schlorf, Sergeant Donald J. May,
Staff SGT Ryan Gulley, Major David G. Mack

Pulpit Announcements need to be to Lisa Riedl: lriedl@stscholasticaparish.org by 9 am the Tuesday before the weekend

Mass Schedule

Weekend

Saturday (*eve of Sunday*) 4:30 P.M.
Sunday 8 A.M., 10 A.M. and 12 NOON

Daily

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday... 8:30 A.M.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 – 4:15 P.M.
or call the Parish Office to make an appointment



The Tabernacle Candle
"In accordance with traditional custom, near the tabernacle a special lamp, fueled by oil or wax, should be kept alight to indicate and honor the presence of Christ." (General Instruction of the Roman Missal 316) If you would like to make a donation in honor or in memory of a loved one, please call the Parish Office. The donation is \$10. The candle offering is for one week.

The Tabernacle Candle
is offered this week for:
Patricia L. Citro
By: Frank Citro



Altar Flowers for the weekend of April 27 & 28 are in Loving Memory of Jeffrey Mytys



Would you like to provide a fresh floral arrangement to adorn the sanctuary of our church on a given Sunday? This is a wonderful opportunity to commemorate a special event, i.e. a birth, wedding anniversary, anniversary of a loved one's death, etc. Your name and the occasion will be published in the bulletin. To order your arrangement and secure the date you wish simply contact The parish office at 630.985.2351, ext. 122. Seventy-five dollars will cover the cost and the Art and Environment Committee will take care of the rest!



Just a Reminder:

If you or anyone that you know is experiencing a situation where Immediate Prayers is desired, please contact Beverly Murphy at murphy807@aol.com with the words Prayer Request in the subject area. Your request will

immediately be sent to those of the parish who have volunteered to be part of this ministry.

If anyone feels led to become a link in this immediate Prayer Chain, please contact Beverly at the above email address with Prayer Request in the subject line. We currently have fifteen links in our chain, and additional links are always welcome.

The parish office personnel will still need to be contacted at 630.985.2351x122 if you wish for the request to appear in the weekly bulletin.



Are you, or someone you know, widowed?

If you have been recently widowed and are still struggling with the loss, or if you have been widowed for some time and need something to get you "over the hump" because you seem stuck in one spot, this program is designed to help you move on with life while still treasuring your past and its precious memories.

This unique retreat/workshop will be held at **St. Julie's Parish**. The **Joyful Again!** program is for both men and women (all ages) who have been widowed and are still trying to find hope and new joy in life. All are welcome.

What: **Retreat/workshop for Widowed Men & Women**
When: June 23rd and 24th, 2024
Where: St. Julie's Parish, 7399 W 159th St, Tinley Park, Illinois 60477

For further information, **call: 708-354-7211**
e-mail us **at joyfulagain7211@gmail.com**
website: **www.joyfulagain.org**

Social Concerns & Service Programs



Important Phone Numbers

- Confidential Emergency Financial Assistance 630.985.2351x3
- West Suburban Community Pantry (food assistance) 630.512.9921
- For Sick, Homebound and Hospital Visits..... 630.985.2351x122
- Birthright (Crisis Pregnancy)630.355.9888
- Catholic Charities (Crisis Pregnancy).....630.495.9850
- Domestic Violence Hotline630.469.5650
- Hope's Front Door.....630.322.9803
- F.I.S.H. Food Pantry & Clothes Closet630.964.7776



St. Scholastica CCW

You are Invited !
 St. Scholastica CCW May Banquet
 Tuesday, May 7, 2024
 At the Parish ~ Activity Center

Cocktails 5:30 pm and Dinner at 6:45 pm
 Dinner catered by:



Broasted Chicken
 Pork Tenderloin w/ brown gravy on the side
 Mashed Potatoes Homestyle Green BeanGreek Salad and
 Rolls w butter

IF a special meal is needed, please let Marlene know.
 Event Price is \$20 / person

You are invited to bring a dessert or a beverage.
 RSVP by April 29^h 2024 to: MarleneClark@hotmail.com or
 224-531-2622

Spouses are WELCOME !

Bucket Brigade THANK YOU!

Thank you to all those who filled a bucket with cleaning supplies for our neighbors in need. Through your generosity, 110 buckets of supplies were donated to the West Suburban Community Pantry for distribution.



"DRY BOTTOM" DIAPER DAYS May 1-31



For those finding it difficult to keep food on their family's tables, diapers become an even greater struggle. The cost of keeping a baby in diapers has been estimated to be as high as \$100 per month.

St. Scholastica Christian Outreach is conducting its' annual *Dry Bottom Diaper Days* during the month of May, and is asking for donations of diapers, especially sizes 3 through 6.

We are most in need of diapers, but you may also drop off baby wipes, baby shampoo and lotion, and other baby care items, as well as formula.

Your donation may be left in the playpen or the boxes by the gym doors.



NEW THIS YEAR - How about including some small gifts for the Moms for Mother's Day? Cologne, body lotion, hand cream and similar items would be much appreciated!

Thank you for your generosity!
 Christian Outreach



RECYCLE YOUR PLASTIC BAGS

ELIGIBLE ITEMS

- ✓ Grocery Bags
- ✓ Bread Bags
- ✓ Bubble Wrap
- ✓ Dry Cleaning Bags
- ✓ Newspaper Sleeves
- ✓ Ice Bags
- ✓ Plastic Shipping Envelopes
- ✓ Ziplock/Food Bags
- ✓ Shrink wrap
- ✓ Stretch Film
- ✓ Produce Bags
- ✓ Other Pliable Plastic Film
- ✓ Outside plastic casing for water bottles

Tired of forgetting to bring your plastic bags to the grocery store for recycling?

Now you can bring them with you to church, and help both the environment and those in need of food.

The collection barrel is in the breezeway. Feel free to drop off your plastic at any time!

HELP US EARN A BENCH



Bench will be auctioned off to raise funds to purchase reusable bags for our market participants.

 **Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital**

Volunteers Needed
 Catholic Communion Ministry
 Good Samaritan Hospital – Downers Grove
 Contact: Gail Miskowicz-Retz at
Gail.Miskowicz-Retz@aah.org
 or
 630-852-5347



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Did you know St. Scholastica Parish has an App?

You can find readings of the day, weekly bulletins, and monthly calendars, as well as Links to FORMED, Eucharistic Revival, and On-line Giving! There is also a button you can use to read about the Saints! Follow the simple instructions below to get the App for St. Scholastica Parish, Woodridge!



St. Vincent DePaul Clothing Drive

April 27 & 28

The St. Vincent DePaul truck will be in the upper parking lot on April 27 & 28 for our Spring Clothing/Housewares drive!

We accept: clothing, shoes, linens, books, baby clothes, small housewares and electronics.

We cannot accept – baby equipment, televisions, CRTs, or computer monitors.

Your donations go to the St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Shops where much of your donations are given away free to needy families in the community. Some are sold at reasonable prices at the thrift shops so that needy families can shop with dignity.

If you don't have any items to donate we would happily take a cash or check donation that will go toward needy families in the community.

Thank you for your generous donations!

**WOODRIDGE GARDEN CLUB
 PLANT SALE**

SATURDAY, MAY 4TH | 8:00 AM-1:00 PM

**LOCATION:
 DUFFY PAVILION (OUTSIDE OF THE ARC),
 8201 JANES AVE. WOODRIDGE, IL 60517**

Plants will be sold, rain or shine.

PRICES

- Perennials in 1/2 gallon pots and smaller: \$4
- Perennials in 1 gallon pot: \$6
- Bushes/trees in larger pot: \$10

*Cash only | Proceeds after costs (pots, soil, signage and supplies) will go to a garden club speakers and charitable causes

TYPES OF PLANTS

Bushes: Forsythia, Red Twig Dogwood, Lilac, Hydrangea, Spirea, Arrow-wood Viburnum...
 Bridal Wreath Trees: Ginkgo
 Grasses: Reed Grass
 Perennials: Aster, Columbine, Coral Bells, Daylilies (various), Ferns, Hostas (various), Bearded Iris, Bee Balm (Monarda), Peonies, Phlox, Sedum,
 Ground Covers: English Ivy, Vinca Minor, Yellow Archangel.

QUESTIONS?
 Contact Woodridge Garden Club member
 Pam Alexander at (630) 985-1184





Opportunities for Indulgences

“It is with gratitude to the Holy Father that we receive his Apostolic Blessing upon the participants in the National Eucharistic Congress, and for the opportunity for Catholics in our country to obtain a plenary indulgence by participating in the events of the Eucharistic Revival,” said Archbishop Timothy P. Broglio, president of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops. Fostering encounter, sparking personal conversion, and forming disciples will be opportunities for a personal revival in the faith and the fruits of the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage and National Eucharistic Congress to be held this summer.

The National Eucharistic Pilgrimage and National Eucharistic Congress are milestone moments in the U.S. bishops’ three-year Eucharistic Revival initiative. Archbishop Broglio requested the Apostolic Penitentiary (the office within the Roman Curia that is charged with the granting and use of indulgences as expressions of divine mercy) that a [plenary indulgence](#) be granted to Catholics who participate in the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage. It was also requested that he or another prelate be designated to impart the Apostolic Blessing with a Plenary Indulgence to the Christian faithful present at the National Eucharistic Congress.

“Through the efforts of the revival over the last two years, we have been building up to the pilgrimage and congress that will offer Catholics a chance to experience a profound, personal revival of faith in the Eucharist. Pope Francis continues to encourage and support us as we seek to share Christ’s love with a world that is desperately in need of Him,” said Archbishop Broglio, upon receiving the news that Pope Francis had recently granted the requests.

Plenary Indulgence for National Eucharistic Pilgrimage

A decree issued by the Apostolic Penitentiary and approved by Pope Francis indicates that the plenary indulgence will be granted to the Christian faithful who participate in the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage at any point between May 17 and July 16, 2024. It will also be granted to the elderly, infirm, and all those who cannot leave their homes for a

serious reason and who participate in spirit with the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage, uniting their prayers, pains, or inconveniences with Christ and the pilgrimage. This indulgence is granted under the usual conditions of sacramental Confession, Eucharistic Communion, and prayer for the intentions of the Holy Father. The faithful may also apply this indulgence through suffrage for the souls of the faithful departed in Purgatory. In recognition of this extraordinary event, the Apostolic Penitentiary also requests that all priests who have been endowed with the appropriate faculties for hearing Confessions present themselves willingly and generously in administering the Sacrament of Penance to all who participate in the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage.

Papal Blessing with Plenary Indulgence for National Eucharistic Congress

The second decree issued by the Apostolic Penitentiary and approved by Pope Francis, says that Archbishop Broglio or another prelate of episcopal rank assigned by him, following the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, may impart the Papal Blessing with a Plenary Indulgence to the Christian Faithful who participate in the National Eucharistic Congress, who are truly repentant, and who are motivated by charity, if the usual conditions for indulgences—sacramental Confession, Eucharistic Communion, and prayer for the intentions of the Holy Father—have been met. Faithful individuals who, due to reasonable circumstances and with pious intention, have participated in the sacred rites and received the Papal Blessing through media communications, may also obtain a Plenary Indulgence.

The National Eucharistic Revival began on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) in 2022 and continues through 2025. Following the congress will be a “Year of Missionary Sending,” in which Catholics from all stages and walks of life will be sent out to share Christ’s love that they have received in encounter with him through the Eucharist. For more information on the revival, pilgrimage, and congress, please visit <https://www.eucharisticrevival.org>.



NATIONAL
**Eucharistic
Revival**

The following testimonial was prayerfully submitted by Richard Marten:

“The scandals of recent memory in the Catholic Church have tested the faith of all of us and we have all suffered. Some have left the Catholic Church altogether. I, after much reflection, have decided to stay. As I considered alternatives to remaining a practicing Catholic, the overriding sense that I could not ignore was that the Catholic Church really did offer answers to life’s most haunting questions (and in our heart of hearts we all know what they are). In a world going mad with relativism and self-invention, I grew stronger in my faith and belief that the Catholic Church is the repository of Absolute Truth for the entire world. The sacraments that the Church offers — the Eucharist being paramount, and the full measure of the love Jesus has for us — draw us deeper into Truth and allow for a peace and understanding that mankind aches for.

“Jesus said repeatedly that He is the Bread of Life; that His body and blood are real food and ‘do this in remembrance of Me.’ He did not deviate or water down this message even when some of his followers could not bear it and left Him. We too must decide whether to leave or stay with Him, and He is most accessible to us and closest to us through the reception of the Eucharist. Christ is life!

“The Last Unreformed Church of Jesus Christ, the Catholic Church — despite all her faults, sins, and detractors — remains, and she continues to offer the sacrifice of Jesus in the Eucharist that allows humanity the salvific energy that leads to Eternal Life. As Catholics we need to remain humble in our reception of this Gift of Gifts, but we are a favored bunch.”

Easter Blessings to all,
Shawn
Shawn Denning-Ross
Parishioner



eucharisticrevival.org



Eucharistic Adoration
1st Monday of the Month
Next date: May 6, 2024
Time: 1:00 PM-5:00 PM
Where: Chapel



HOSPITALITY SUNDAY

Come Join us for Hospitality Sunday. For Coffee, Sweets and Fellowship on Sunday May 4th after all the Masses. If you would like to donate, coffee, juices, milk, or sweets you can drop them off before Mass. We are also accepting paper products. Coffee cups, napkins, plates, and plastic silverware. Hope to see you and spend time with you.

The First-Ever National Eucharistic Pilgrimage

Just as crowds followed Christ throughout his earthly ministry, our nation will process with our Eucharistic Lord from the North, South, East, and West edges of the United States in a historic, cross-country Eucharistic pilgrimage. Thousands will encounter the power of God in an unprecedented way, and an outpouring of healing grace will remind our world that the same Jesus who gave sight to the blind and life to the dead is active today in our midst!

The four branches of the pilgrimage will converge at the 10th National Eucharistic Congress in a powerful symbol of unity. Prepare your heart—and walking shoes—for our national Emmaus moment.

SERRA ROUTE STARTING LOCATION: San Francisco, CA
MARIAN ROUTE STARTING LOCATION: Míchiganopolis, Indiana; Lake Forest, Ill.
INDIANAPOLIS, IN FINAL DESTINATION
SETON ROUTE STARTING LOCATION: New Haven, CT
SAN DIEGO ROUTE STARTING LOCATION: Escondido, CA

SCAN TO LEARN MORE!
eucharisticcongress.org

**If I but touch his cloak
I shall be cured.**
MATTHEW 9:21



† denotes deceased...

Monday, April 29th

- 10:00 am—Council of Catholic Women Executive Board Meeting in Room 113
- 6:00 pm—Knifty Knitters & Crocheters in Room 113
- 7:00 pm—Boy Scout Troop 512 Meeting in Gym

Tuesday, April 30th

- 6:30 pm—First Communion Practice in Church & Gym
- 7:00 pm—Handbell Ensemble Rehearsal in Room 112

Wednesday, May 1st

- 10:00 am—Staff Meeting in Room 112
- 4:30 pm—Youth Choir Rehearsal in Church
- 6:30 pm—Cub Scout Webelos Den Meeting in Art Room
- 7:00 pm—Encuentro Meeting in Room 113
- 7:30 pm—Handbell Solo Rehearsal in Art & Environment Room
- 7:30 pm—Adult Choir Rehearsal in Church

Thursday, May 2nd

- 6:30 pm—First Communion Practice in Church & Gym

Friday, May 3rd

- Half Day of School—11:00 am Dismissal
- 9:30 am—J.O.Y. Break Open the Word Gathering in Room 112
- 12:15 pm—“The Chosen” Viewing & Discussion in Room 112

Saturday, May 4th

- 9:00 am—Staging Area for First Communion in Gym
- 3:00 pm—Hospitality Sunday Set-up in Gym
- 3:30 pm—Christian Outreach Mother’s Day Gift & Diaper Collection in Breezeway
- 4:00 pm—S.T.O.R.M. Youth Ministry Mothers’ Day Spiritual Bouquets for sale in Breezeway
- 4:00 pm—Welcoming Committee at Welcome Kiosk

Sunday, May 5th

- 7:30 am—Christian Outreach Mother’s Day Gift & Diaper Collection in Breezeway
- 7:30 am—Welcoming Committee at Welcome Kiosk
- 7:30 am—S.T.O.R.M. Youth Ministry Mothers’ Day Spiritual Bouquets for sale in Breezeway
- 8:00 am—Hospitality Sunday in Gym
- 3:00 pm—School Auction Prize Activity in Gym
- 6:30 pm—S.T.O.R.M. Youth Ministry Pizza & Closing Small Groups in Parish Center

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Monday, April 29, Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church

- 8:30 a.m.—Bill Broderich [Healing]—*The Lasota Family*

Tuesday, April 30, Easter Weekday

- 8:30 a.m.—† Souls in Purgatory—*Kathy Schmidt*
- † Henry Chentorycki—*Stella Obozo*
- 6:00 p.m.—FIRST COMMUNION PRACTICE

Wednesday, May 1, Easter Weekday

St. Joseph the Worker

- 8:30 a.m.—† Robert Kokandy—*Patricia Kokandy*
- Felix Azcona, Jr.—*Evelyn Columnas*
- † Valerie Chentorycki—*Mimi & Daniel Maloney*

Thursday, May 2, Saint Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

**National Day of Prayer
No Public Mass**

- 6:00 p.m.—FIRST COMMUNION PRACTICE

**First Friday, May 3, Saints Philip and James, Apostles
May Friendship Day**

- 8:30 a.m.—ALL SCHOOL MASS
- † Mary Palcu—*Diane & Steve Bowers*

First Saturday, May 4, Easter Weekday

- 10:00 a.m.—FIRST COMMUNION [RE SESSIONS A & B]
- 1:00 p.m.—FIRST COMMUNION [SCHOOL]

Vigil: Sixth Sunday of Easter

- 4:30 p.m.—† Genaro & Arcadia Ymbong—*Fe Quimbque & Family*

Sunday, May 5, Sixth Sunday of Easter

Orthodox Easter

Jewish: Yom Shoah

- 8:00 a.m.—† Jim Picek—*Eileene Nystrom*
- 10:00 a.m.—† Jose & Rita Villa Corta—*Family*
- 12:00 p.m.—Intentions from Father’s Day Spiritual Bouquets and The Parish Family of St. Scholastica
- 2:00 p.m.—BAPTISMS
- 5:30 p.m.—STORM CLOSING MASS

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