Congratulations to our new Neophytes!
Celebration of Baptism: Kirk Allen, Jessica Braun, Carolina Saiz
Reception into Full Communion: Chris Arnold, Brent Bell, Gary Hammelmann
Catholics Completing Their Initiation Sacraments: Gina Aiello, Anthony Aiello, Stacie Davis, Allison Guttman

Thank you to those sponsors who accompanied the new Neophytes on their journey toward receiving the sacraments at the Easter Vigil. Their support and commitment to the RCIA program was outstanding. A special thanks to the choir for the beautiful music and to Parish Council for a wonderful reception after the Vigil. It is hard to imagine any parish making the evening more special in welcoming these new members to the Catholic Church!

The St. James RCIA Team
A Reflection…
from Deacon Matthew Hahn

April 19, 2015

We are two weeks down the road from the Resurrection of Jesus…when we learned that the stone had been rolled away from the tomb. Have you allowed the stone to STAY rolled away from the tomb? Or has the daily grind of life put that stone right back where it was on Good Friday?

Holy Week is busier for our family than the week leading up to Christmas; there were rehearsals for Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Easter Vigil. We anticipated family coming over on Easter Sunday to celebrate the Risen Lord with us; the meal was prepared, the house (pretty much abandoned for the week) was cleaned; last minute details worked out. Yet with all that activity going on, the entire day we all felt energized…as though the stone was rolled away for us.

Monday morning however, getting the family up and going was a bit more difficult than usual. It took me awhile to get myself going, too. It got me to thinking…is the stone still rolled away for us? Or are we like the disciples in the Gospel for today? Are we troubled? Are there questions that have arisen in our hearts?

“Peace be with you.” The last two Sundays we’ve heard Jesus offer peace to His followers. What will it take for the peace of Christ to take hold in our hearts and in our minds and in our souls…and for that peace to stay there? What will it take for us to believe that the stone is truly rolled away from the tomb?

Here in this great country, we are able to exercise the God-given right to worship…or not worship…as we please. But our sisters and brothers in Christ elsewhere in the world are not able to exercise that right. Has the stone been rolled away from the tomb for them? Yes, the stone has been rolled away from the tomb for them, too!

Our persecuted brothers and sisters in Christ proclaim that the stone has been rolled away from the tomb, and in some cases that proclamation has and will cost them their earthly life…but great is their reward in heaven! Please keep our persecuted sisters and brothers in your prayers.

We don’t have the benefit of being able to see with our eyes…to touch with our hands…the holes in the hands and feet and side of Jesus. But we did, at the Easter Vigil, see the five incense pins driven into the Paschal Candle…the candle that represents for us “The Light of Christ.” That Light of Christ was then spread throughout the community as we began the Service of Light. Standing in the middle of the community, watching that light spread from candle to candle, made me think of how the light must have entered, and then spread throughout the tomb of Jesus, when the stone was first rolled away on the first Easter morning.

Truly, the stone was…and IS…rolled away from the tomb. But that doesn’t mean there aren’t challenges in our lives. Physical challenges…emotional challenges…spiritual challenges that we must overcome. But the Light of Christ has spread from the tomb!

Our history is filled with difficulties. Our lives are filled with difficulties. Yet we shall overcome. We are an Easter people! The stone has been rolled away from the tomb, and it shall STAY rolled away!

- Deacon Matthew Hahn

Next Sunday’s Scripture

Acts 4:8-12; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18

(A podcast of this week’s reflection is available on the St. James website and mobile website.)
St. James Parish accepts online gifts through GiveCentral. You can donate by using your credit/debit card OR checking account, making either one-time or recurring donations. We understand that most transactions today are done electronically, so we want to provide you with that same convenient option here at St. James! There were 209 parishioners who donated $35,044 during March via GiveCentral. Please consider joining this trend! You can choose to enroll yourself, or have the business office help you. Regardless of the enrollment process, you can always visit the GiveCentral site at any time to make changes to your donations or personal information (or have us help you).

ENROLL YOURSELF

1. Go to www.stjamesah.org and click “ONLINE GIVING”, then “DONATE ONLINE/click here”.
2. Check the box next to each “Event” to which you would like to donate. Enter the frequency, date range and dollar amount for each; click “NEXT”.
3. When finished entering events, click “ADD TO MY GIFT BASKET”.
4. Verify the donations you have entered and click “CHECKOUT”.
5. Create your online giving profile and payment information. The fields marked with asterisks are required. Click “REGISTER & CONFIRM GIFT” to complete the process.

LET US PROCESS YOUR ENROLLMENT

Not comfortable on the computer? Call Tricia in the business office 224.345.7211. She’ll ask you to provide your payment information and donation choices and set up your account login for you.

AN IMPORTANT NOTE FOR CURRENT GIVECENTRAL USERS:

Please verify your donation schedule online – your donations may have ceased if they were set up for a specific timeframe.

If you are using GiveCentral and wish to no longer receive church donation envelopes, please let us know – you’ll still receive regular church mailings, but NOT the donation envelopes. If you donate via GiveCentral but would still prefer to place an (empty) envelope in the collection basket, simply check the “electronic fund transfer” box on your envelope and leave the amount blank.

Please contact the business office with ANY questions at 224-345-7211 or 7212.

Thank you for your generosity and support. Your contributions are greatly appreciated!
St. James Parish Stewardship Funds Request
Needs Assessment Form 2015

The St. James family is a welcoming Catholic community sent forth from our celebration of the Eucharist to walk in faith, to live in hope, and act in love. The Stewardship Fund presents the opportunity for St. James as a parish, and as individuals, to contribute time, talent and treasures to charitable organizations.

We seek to make grants to organizations that we can partner with to provide opportunities for St. James parishioners to get involved in and energized about the organizations’ missions, as well as create opportunities for those organizations to be active with St. James. Funds will be awarded to those organizations that demonstrate a commitment to the following values embodied by St. James Parish:

- Faith filled
- Evangelizers
- Transparent visionaries
- Accountable stewards
- In service to all
- Bold and courageous
- Compassionate and humble

Please provide the requested information and return the completed application questionnaire to the Parish Office. You may pick up a copy of the questionnaire in the Parish Office now, and it will be available shortly on the website. The application deadline is May 15, 2015.

Name of organization:
Contact name and title:
Tax exempt number:
Address:
Please describe your organization’s mission or purpose:
Religious affiliation of organization
- If you are a Catholic organization, how are you supporting the St. James values listed above?
Dollar amount requested for 2015:
What percentage of funds will be used for administrative purposes and/or fundraising?
Number of paid employees:
If St. James Stewardship Funds are awarded, how will they be used?
What services does your organization provide?
Who are the primary beneficiaries of the services?
What is your primary service area?
What is the total number of people served?
If awarded, the St. James Stewardship Fund grant would be what percentage of your total budget for 2015?
Please describe your organization’s volunteer opportunities for youth, families and adults/number of full and part-time volunteers.
To increase St. James Parish’s community outreach, please describe ways your organization could expand opportunities for volunteers.
- How many St. James parishioners participated in your organization this past year?
Has your organization received financial support (donations or in-kind contributions) from St. James in the past? If so, please briefly describe.

Please return the completed questionnaire to St. James Parish by May 15, 2015.
Thank you.
ST. JAMES THEATRE MINISTRY 45TH YEAR
WE PROUDLY PRESENT OUR 2015 SHOW

PETER PAN
A Musical Based on the Play by
SIR J.M. BARrie

Lyrics By
CAROLYN LEIGH MORRIS
Additional Lyrics By
BETTY COMDEN and ADOLPH GREEN
Originaly directed, choreographed and adapted by
JEROME ROBBINS

Music By
(MOOSE) CHARLAP
Additional Music By
JULE STYNE

AUDITION WORKSHOP APRIL 18TH, AUDITIONS APRIL 21ST & 24TH
FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT
STJAMESTHEATRE.ORG

SHARE
Job & Networking Ministry
Are you in transition or looking for a better job? At each meeting, we have a speaker on various topics, followed by networking.

Our Lady of the Wayside
434 W. Park St., Arlington Hts.
Monday, April 20th—Keith Owens—"Creating a Job Search Project Plan"
For information about upcoming meeting dates, please contact:
Jim Pekarek at 847-767-7859, or Beth Ann Finis at 312-813-9162.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP
The St. James Grief Support Group meets from 7-8:15 pm in Conference Room 1 at the Parish Office.
The next session will run from April 21st to May 26th. The group offers support through sharing, listening, and learning from each other’s story of grief and loss. You do not need to commit to all of the sessions, but may attend as many as you find helpful.

For information, call MaryJo at 224-345-7200, ext. 8512 and leave a message.

St. James Over 50 Social Group presents:

A Spring Event: An Illinois Master Gardener will speak on "Container Gardening".
Date: Monday April 20th
12:45 pm—O’Brien Room
Snacks will be served.
Come and enjoy the talk and make new friends.
Please RSVP Mary Jo 847 259-3560

Rosary Group
Pray the Rosary both before and after daily Mass:
Monday: Human Life
Tuesday: Military
Wednesday: Marriage
Thursday: Priests and Religious
Friday: Sick
Saturday: Souls of the faithful departed

Eucharistic Adoration
Adoration takes place from 8:15am to 4pm every Thursday in the Church.
Contact: Jo Jozwiak 847-259-2433
An Invitation…

Newly Registered Parishioners: SAVE THE DATE!

Please join our Pastor, Fr. Matt Foley, at the 5:00pm Mass on Sunday, April 26th. Following Mass, you are invited to a casual reception at the rectory, located right next to the Church. Our parish Priests will personally welcome you, our very newest St. James parishioners!

Who? Newly Registered Parishioners
What? Mass and casual reception of appetizers and beverages
When? Sunday, April 26th, following the 5:00pm Mass
Where? Reception at St. James Rectory, just north of the Church

Please RSVP...to your Ambassador or Kathy at 847-253-0484.

We look forward to seeing you!

Sunday, May 10th
(Mother’s Day)

with
Mark Forrest
International Irish Tenor

7:00pm in the Church

Join us this Mother’s Day evening!

You are invited to
A MOMENT IN TIME
“Come Walk with Me”
A time of Meditation · Music · Prayer · Healing"
St. James invites you to join our Liturgical Ministry Team!

Liturgical ministers offer their time and talent serving in various capacities at our weekend, holy day and holiday liturgies. Consider becoming a part of our team of Greeters, Ushers, Lectors (adults and teens) Eucharistic Ministers and Mass Coordinators (adults and teens), Liturgy Writers, Altar Servers (student servers and adult funeral servers), the Environment & Art team, Choir members (adults and teens!), members of Music Ministry (adults and teens), Children’s Liturgy of the Word team, and other ministers who serve our parish. Liturgical ministers serve on teams, and are often scheduled on a monthly basis, although many serve each weekend or whenever needed.

Training is available for EMs and Lectors through our Vicariate, and our ministry representatives will be glad to meet and speak with you regarding your ministry preference, and explain training opportunities.

Come join us. We welcome both adults and teens!

Liturgical Ministry Recruitment Weekend

April 25 & 26

Members of our liturgical ministries will be available after Masses on April 25th & 26th. (They will have clipboards and pencils; please find them after the Masses.) They will be in the vestibule in the Church and in the Gathering Space in the Parish Center.
“LET MY PEOPLE GO” Detention – A Matter of Conscience

Saturday, May 9, 2015
St. James Parish Center/School at 820 N. Arlington Heights Road in Arlington Heights, Ill.
8:15 - 8:45 a.m. Registration
8:50 a.m. Welcome, Opening Prayer
12:45 p.m. Closing
9:00 a.m. Keynote Speaker: Most Rev. Gerald F. Kicanas, Bishop of Tucson, Ariz.

Workshops:
   Gwen Farry, BVM & Greg McPhee, MM, 8th Day Center for Justice

B. Living in the ICE Age: Legal Aspects of Detention
   Bernadine Karge, OP, Attorney at Law, Chicago Legal Clinic

C. Understanding Detention Through the Eyes of the Corrections Officer
   Patrick Firman, Former McHenry County Deputy Chief of Corrections

D. Unaccompanied and Alone: Children in the Immigration System
   Marisa Chumil, LCSW, and Jahja Wu, Attorney at Law, The Young Center

Panel: Immigrants’ Stories

REGISTRATION FORM

Name: __________________________________________ Amount enclosed: _________

Phone: (____) __________________________ E-mail: __________________________

Parish / Congregation / School / etc. ________________________

Workshop selection (circle two): A  B  C  D

Registration Deadline: Wednesday, April 26, 2015

Cost: $25 per person with pre-registration; $20 per person in group of 10 with pre-registration; $30 at the door
FREE for students with ID - Pre-Register and show ID at the door

Please make checks payable to: SISTERS AND BROTHERS OF IMMIGRANTS
Mail this form, with payment to: Dorothy Pagosa, SSJ TOSF
8th Day Center
205 W. Monroe #500
Chicago IL 60606

To reserve a display table or for questions: Call Dorothy Pagosa, SSJ TOSF, at (312) 641-5151 Ext. 113
Cluster Ministers of Care

Evening of Reflection

“How to Pray with Art”

with Joseph Marco, Chaplain at Northwest Community Hospital

Thursday, April 23
7:30-9:00pm
St. Thomas Becket Church
1321 N. Burning Bush Lane, Mt. Prospect

A special evening of reflection as art is introduced as a prayer path. Learn how the creative process can be a form of deepening your own prayer.

If questions:
Deacon Tom Westerkamp—847-253-3090

Misericordia Candy Days

Join family and friends of Misericordia Home by donating to Candy Days on
Saturday, April 25 and
Sunday, April 26, 2015 after all Masses.

Misericordia is home to 600 children and adults with physical and mental disabilities. Misericordia offers quality lives to this very deserving population.
STEM & IMaST Education

Starting in the early grades, Saint James School provides a student-centered, inquiry-based science program that utilizes the Scientific Method. Saint James School is committed to provide students with opportunities that support their growth and interest in STEM areas: science, technology, engineering, and math. We are looking to the future and exploring ways to provide our students with the strongest foundation in science and math to give them a competitive advantage in high school and beyond.

The STEM Education Caucus states "America’s global competitiveness will increasingly depend on our ability to better educate our young people in math and science and to encourage more of our students to pursue technological careers."

SAINT JAMES SCHOOL
ARLINGTON HEIGHTS
RE is offered to all children grades 1st - 8th. Classes offered Tuesday at 4:30PM and 6:30 PM during the school year.

REGISTER NOW!

stjamesah.org

DON'T DELAY

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

VBS is open to all children going into PreK 4 - 5th grade...
Space is limited

JUNE 15-19 2015

Sunday School takes place on Sundays during the 10AM mass September - April. Classes offered for 3,4 & 5 year olds
Put your commitment where your ❤️ is...

St. James Parish Registration Weekend - May 2/3

Did You Know...
- that in the last 6 months, 78 new singles, couples, and families have become newly registered parishioners at St. James Parish?
- that they have been personally welcomed by Frs. Matt, Joji, Gilbert and our St. James Parish Ambassadors at Welcome Receptions?
- that you, too, can register to become a St. James Parishioner on May 2/3?

Now’s your chance to register without putting it off or making a special trip to the Parish Office. You don’t even have to register online (though you always can at stjamesah.org). On May 2/3 Parish Ambassadors will have Registration Forms available at the Church and Parish Center after all the Masses. Stop by where you see the ❤️ and register. Nothing to bring, never anything to pay, no hassle!

Put your commitment where your ❤️ already is…Register to become a new parishioner at St. James after Masses on May 2/3.
Good Friday Living Stations, 2015

Living Stations were such a blessing this year due to all the youth who gave so much of their time, talent and energy for this presentation!

A huge Thank You to Colleen Gaughan and Tom Hussey for all their hard work with the Junior High actors. This year’s presentation was moving and helped all who attended to prayerfully enter into Good Friday in a profound way.

Please enjoy some photos from the presentations.
Fleece Donations Needed!!

Project Linus
St. James RE Service Project

May 5th 6:30
May 6th 4:30
Parish Center

Fleece Size Requirements:
1 yard for a baby blanket
1 1/2 - 2 yards for a pre-teen blanket
2 1/2 - 3 yards for a teen blanket

Note: The one-layer blankets we make will be donated to local kids in need. The fleece used MUST be new and free from smoke, pet hair/dander, and nut products.

Donate a yard of fleece! Donations collected at Religious Ed during the month of April.
**SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 2015**

**Three Sundays or Easter Every step of the way**

In Luke’s gospel, an effect of the Resurrection is that the Risen One opens the eyes of his disciples to see how the scripture they’d always known had all along been pointing to Jesus and his Resurrection. For Jesus and the early believers, what we know as the Hebrew scriptures were the only texts they knew. But now, having come to believe in what God had done in Christ, those scriptures take on new richness and meaning. Having walked closely with Jesus since Ash Wednesday, have you felt yourself drawn deeper into your own life by the ancient stories of Lent and Easter? Have you come to see how God has been with you every step of the way? How does the Resurrection continue to change you?


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**MONDAY, APRIL 20**

**What's your sign? Love.**

Have you ever asked God for a sign? In the midst of big decisions or distress, a sign of God’s presence can bolster your faith. But faith is based on more than signs and wonders, it comes from experiencing a boundless love that fills and reflects your soul. In that experience, you are fed and called to go feed others, in body and in spirit. Love as you have been loved, and in a world that is hungry and longs to be fed, you can be the bread that people need.

**TODAY’S READINGS:** Acts 6:8-15; John 6:22-29 (42). “Do not work for food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life.”

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**TUESDAY, APRIL 21**

**Feast of Anselm, bishop, doctor of the church; Easter weekday Growing old with grace**

Ask most Catholics who were the big thinkers in church history, and two names come easily to mind: Augustine and Thomas Aquinas. Most theologians add a third name without hesitation: Anselm. A great defender of the faith through reason, Anselm had a high estimation of the human mind’s capacity to discover God. And the older the mind, the better: “As the flesh falters, the soul advances; out of the body’s infirmity springs the soul’s health.” Got time on your hands in retirement? Seek wisdom through the power of the Holy Spirit.

**TODAY’S READINGS:** Acts 7:51-8:1a; John 6:30-35 (42). “I am the bread of life; whoever come to me will never hunger.”

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**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22**

**Easter weekday Sustainable spirit**

Pope Francis has made many strong statements about stewardship of the environment, including, “You are called to care for creation not only as responsible citizens, but also as followers of Christ!” His message is clear: Catholics must protect what he calls “a gracious gift” with efforts “set at the service of our brothers and sisters, including future generations.” Use today’s annual Earth Day to commit to what you can do to help the environment—through supporting causes and in your daily routine—all year long, and encourage others to do the same.

**TODAY’S READINGS:** Acts 8:14-26; John 6:55-60 (42). “I am the bread of life: whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst.”

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**THURSDAY, APRIL 23**

**Feast of Adalbert, bishop, martyr Take a stand**

Back in the year 983, a young man of 27 named Adalbert was thrust into the role of bishop of Prague at a time of controversy and strife between the newly baptized and those who did not accept Christianity. Adalbert opposed the slave trade and the polygamy common among the people, making him unpopular. After unsuccessfully attempting to protect a woman convicted of adultery from a mob, he responded by excommunicating the murderers. He was forced into exile for standing up for his beliefs, but he created ethical standards that later generations could point to and take as their own. It takes courage sometimes to stick to your beliefs. But you have role models!

**TODAY’S READINGS:** Acts 8:26-40; John 6:44-51 (42). “It is written in the prophets: ‘They shall all be taught by God.’”

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**FRIDAY, APRIL 24**

**Feast of Fidelis of Sigmaringen, priest, martyr Imagine, if you can**

Before Fidelis of Sigmaringen (b. 1577) became a Capuchin friar in 1612 he studied and practiced law. He was known as “the poor man’s lawyer” for his willingness to advocate for those who had no advocate. Pro bono (no charge) legal service has a long history in western nations. Lawyers in the U.S. are urged under American Bar Association ethical rules to contribute at least 50 hours of pro bono service each year, an ideal worthy of being adopted by all professions and walks of life. If we each gave some of our time and skills to those who can’t afford to pay, we would all be rewarded. Imagine a pro bono world!

**TODAY’S READINGS:** Acts 9:1-20; John 6:52-59 (42). “Whoever eats this bread will live forever.”

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**SATURDAY, APRIL 25**

**Feast of Mark, evangelist Write the gospel of your life**

Saint Mark the evangelist was one of the first 70 disciples. He is believed to have written the Gospel of Mark, our earliest gospel. But he didn’t stop there. He also founded the Church of Alexandria in Egypt back in the year 42, a scant few years after Jesus’ death. Alexandria became one of the great centers of early Christianity. Today three churches claim to be the direct heirs of the original Church of Alexandria: Coptic Orthodox, Eastern Orthodox, and Coptic Catholic. Saint Mark looms large behind them all, a giant of our tradition. Take him as your inspiration as you write your own “gospel” by living your faith in the world.

**TODAY’S READINGS:** 1 Peter 5:5-14; Mark 16:15-20 (42). “Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature.”
**Community Groups and Events**

**Respite Care—Gero Solutions**  
Gero Solutions has trained volunteers who are available to provide up to 3 hours of respite care per week for family members caring for an older adult in their home. This free service is available by calling the Gero Solutions Office at 847-705-2123.

**Lunches by Catholic Charities**  
Lunches are served daily for seniors 60 and older at Arlington Heights Senior Center, 1801 W. Central. Suggested donation of $4.00 on a reservation basis. Call 847-797-5354 for reservations.

**Mended Hearts** - a national non-profit support group for cardiac patients and families meets monthly at Alexian Bros. Hospital in Elk Grove Village on the first Tuesday of each month in 2015. Call Jack Hanahan at 847-398-0791 for the schedule, information and support.

**Senior Health Insurance Program**  
Volunteers trained by the Illinois Department of Insurance offer a free counseling service to help you compare alternative Medicare, Medicare Supplement, Medi-care Drug, HMO or Long Term Care Insurance Plans and to assist in processing billing or appealing denied claims for these plans. Call 847-253-5532 for an appointment.

**Community Resources**  
Alcoholics Anon. 312-346-1475  
Alanon/Alateen 847-358-0338  
Narcotics Anon. 708-848-4884  
Families Anon. 847-795-8320  
A self-help program for family and friends of those with substance abuse and/or behavioral problems. Meets regularly at 7:30pm on Wednesday evenings at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Arlington Heights. Call 847-222-9227 to volunteer to drive and be a part of this outreach team.

**Escorted Transportation**  
Escorted Transportation Services Northwest (ETS/NW) - is a service available for older adults in our community who are in need of rides to medical or dental appointments. It is a non-denominational outreach service to seniors. If you are in need of such assistance, please call Kelly at 847-222-9227. To volunteer to drive and be a part of this outreach team call Kelly at 847-222-9227.

**Annulment Support Ministry**  
Richard Nagengast  847-732-0970

**AA (Alcoholics Anonymous)** - meets in the old St. James School Basement, 821 N. Arlington Heights Rd. (east side of Arlington Hts. Rd.) every Monday and Wednesday evening. (Monday is a Men’s Meeting.) Both the Monday and Wednesday meetings start at 8:30pm. Enter through Door A5. AA is a self-help group for people with a drinking problem.

**Cancer Research Network**  
The American Cancer Society has Cancer Information Specialists available 24 hours a day, seven days a week - call 1-800-227-2345. These specialists can provide: Information about your cancer, tools to help with your treatment, help finding lodging and transportation, help with financial and insurance questions, answer prescription questions, provide clinical trials matching service, assist in finding support groups, identify online community for cancer patients and their families, and offer cancer education classes. Information is available on the Internet at www.cancer.org. You may also call Ron Marwitz, the ACS parish contact, at 847-870-1862.

**For Post-Abortion Counseling Help:**  
Project Rachel - Catholic Charities: 312-337-1962  
http://www.hopeafterabortion.com  
Office for Protection of Children and Youth www.archchicago.org 312-534-5254

**St. Vincent de Paul** - is an emergency source for food and short-term financial help for parishioners and those living within the parish boundaries. Please call 224-345-7200, ext. 8517. Requests will be handled with care and confidentiality.

**Childcare:**  
In my home—please call Grace at 847-398-1797 for information.

**Help USA Troops—One Box at a Time**  
Collection for troops—please see website information below, and list of items needed. There will be a collection box in the Church vestibule starting with the 5:00pm Mass on 4/19, and also one in the Parish Center Gathering Space. The Church box will be collected on 4/23, and the Parish Center box on 4/26. Information at:  
http://www.helpusatroops.com and http://mothergoososalutes.wordpress.com /2013/01/26/a-salute-to-dawn/

**St. Edna Snack Theatre Group**  
St. Edna Snack Theatre Presents 50 Years of Gold…a celebration of St. Edna’s 50th anniversary featuring songs from 1965 to today. Friday and Saturday, April 24th & 25th, at 7:30pm; Sunday, April 26th at 2:00pm; Friday and Saturday, May 1st and 2nd at 7:30pm. Tickets are $15.00. Call 847-398-3362 for tickets. St. Edna Catholic Church is located at 2525 N. Arlington Heights Road, Arlington Hts.

**Springtime in Paris!**  
Join us for an evening in Paris!  
Sponsored by the Women of St. Edna. French themed dinner and cabaret style entertainment. Tickets are $25 each. Festivities begin at 6:00 pm on Thursday, May 21, 2015 in the St. Edna Doherty Center, 2525 N Arlington Height Rd. Must be 21.

**Arise Chicago Breakfast with Martin Sheen**  
Actor Martin Sheen will keynote a fundraising breakfast on Friday, May 1 from 8-10am at Cinespace Chicago Film Studios that will benefit Arise Chicago, an interfaith group that addresses workplace abuse and unsafe working conditions by partnering low-wage immigrant workers with leaders from religious, government, legal, labor, and academic communities. Tickets are $100. Visit arisechicago.org Cinespace is located at 2621 W. 15th Place, in Chicago.

**Come, Holy Spirit.**  
A series of reflections on the Holy Spirit  
Holy Spirit and Baptism  
Three Thursdays in 2015  
April 30  
May 7  
May 14  
10am to 11:30am and 7pm to 8:30 pm  
Led by Barbara Mass, SLW

**Living Word Center**  
800 N. Fernandez, Arlington Hts.  
Freewill offering.  
RSVP to 847-577-5972 or slw@slw.org
In Loving Memory
Alfred (Fred) Branstatter...husband of Dorothy; father of Glenn (Dorene) Brandstatter and Carol (Lou) Magurno; grandfather of six; great-grandfather of eight

Jean Marwitz...wife of Ronald; mother of John, Timothy, Annemarie, Stephen, Joan and Edwin; grandmother of twelve; great-grandmother of seven

Florence Blade...mother of James (Marie) Blade, Susan (Charlie) Musgrove, Debbie (Jim) Gong and Jeff (Susan) Blade; grandmother of six and great-grandmother of two

Ronald Lloyd McCarthy...husband of Barbara, father of Kelly (Michael) Smith, Karen McCarthy, and Kathryn (Kent) Wachlin; grandfather of 6

Baptisms
Melody Grace Emeson...daughter of Derek & Veronica (Sowa) Emeson
Declan Matthew Lamb.....son of Matthew & Erin (Mahony) Lamb
Michael Eugene Delaney......son of Christopher & Julie (Hill) Delaney

Wedding Banns
April 25, 2015
Ryan Wood & Jillian Carlson
April 25, 2015
Kevin Pietro & Bianca Gerardi
May 9, 2015
Jon Kraai & Colleen King

Stewardship
April 12, 2015
Weekend Masses — 600 Envelopes $39,900.48
GiveCentral — 63 OnLine Donations $4,552.25
April 12th Total Collection $44,452.73

Please pray for our sick...
Cardinal Francis George, O.M.I., Edna O. Martin, Bill Glass, Grant Miller, Tom Sheck

Rose for Life
This week’s Rose for Life is donated by Mary Obal in loving memory of her husband, Bill, on the 7th anniversary of his death.

Remembrances
Saturday Evening/Sunday Morning, April 19
Donald Palmter (1st Anniv.), Cornelius Vanderwiel, Viola Roth, Antoinette Mangold, Bud Foley, Richard “Dick” Henderson, Helen Wickey

Monday, April 20
James Burger (1st Anniv.), Branimir Kucera, Ezio Giorgi, Elsie Leader, Dana Mangi
Tuesday, April 21
Antoinette Pietrolonardo, Robert Sauer (30th Anniv.)
Wednesday, April 22
Rev. Hugh O’Brien, David Lindemann
Thursday, April 23
Eleanor E. & Walter A. Ratajik, Richard Lyons, Catherine Lyons, Dana Mangi, Joanne Destiche
Friday, April 24
Mary Jean Erler, Marianne Krug, Virginia Robinett, Michael Vincenzo, Marie Fitton
Saturday, April 25
Margaret Kett, Edward Hopper
Saturday Evening/Sunday Morning, April 26
Dana Mangi, Bill Figiuolo, Nick Dinielli, Bob Brown, Donald Johnson, Andrew Szott, Kayla Mueller, Thomas Kohn, Marie Fitton, Robert McDermott

OUR CHARITY
Thank you for your generosity to our April collections:
Holy Thursday—monies raised benefit Bonaventure House and the Alexian Brothers Mental Health Center.
Good Friday—this initiative benefits the Shrines and Pilgrims in the Holy Land.

THANK YOU! We wish to extend a big “thank you” to all who donated baked goods, desserts, snacks, fruit and cheese trays for the RCIA reception held for the newly baptized and confirmed, their sponsors and family members and parishioners following the beautiful Easter Vigil on Saturday, April 4.
As a result of your generosity, there was an abundance of delicious food for all who attended.

Easter Blessings to all,
St. James Parish Council
Presiders
Saturday evening:
5:00 pm  Fr. Matt Foley
Sunday:
7:00 am  Fr. Joji Thanugundla
8:30 am  Fr. Gilbert Mashurano
10:00 am Fr. Joji Thanugundla
11:30 am Fr. Gilbert Mashurano
5:00 pm  Fr. Matt Foley
(A signer will be present at 5pm Sunday Mass.)

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Altar Servers
Saturday evening:
5:00 pm  L.Hahn, I.Hahn, T.Haisman
Sunday:
7:00 am  S.Michelini, W.Michelini, A.Hemmingger
8:30 am  N.Dimaro, A.Dimaro, R.Dimaro
10:00 am J.Imhoff, M.Stack, M.Cassady
11:30 am S.Bell, C.Ferriss, A.Ferriss
5:00 pm  P.Jacks, E.Saquin Jr., C.Chambers

Scripture Readings
READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF April 19, 2015

Tuesday: Acts 7:51 — 8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a, 17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35
Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40
Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51
Friday:  Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59
Saturday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14; Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17; Mk 16:15-20
Sunday: Acts 4:8-12; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18

Lectors
Saturday evening:
5:00 pm  D.Greising, J.Fleming

Sunday:
7:00 am  J.Ruane, B. Kragh
8:30 am  L.Matz, G.O’Neill
10:00 am C.Colleran, M.Lombardi
11:30 am J.McDonagh, P.Ruddy
5:00 pm  J.Lee, S.Sykes

Eucharistic Ministers
(A Team)
Saturday: Parish Center
5:00 pm  G.Sherva, M.Dolan, E.Duque, C.Williams
M.Nugent, C.Stansbury
S.Szott, T.Szott
Coordinators:  D.Duque, T.Gallagher

Sunday: Church
7:00 am  J.Van Eck, C.Jensen, D.O’Grady, K.O’Grady
Coordinator: M. Walsh, Jr.

Sunday: Church
8:30 am  C.Burke, J.Burke, E.Crittenden, MJ.Jarosz, L.Poelking, F.Miess
K.Rayburn, I.Roller, T.Talbot, E.Turney
D.Turney, V.Varchetto
Coordinators: J.Socher, D.Turney

Sunday: Parish Center
10:00 am  K.Imhoff, K.Kelly, S.Lindemann, J.Lippert,  P.Lippert,
T.McDonnell, B.Nielsen, B.Nielsen, M.Purtell, S.Reiss,
D.Vlazny, S.Moekens,
J.Anderson, M.Rutkowski
M.Massa, R.Becker, V.Curtis,
S.Gaske, S.Hussey, J.Lippert,
J.McDermott, R.McDermott, (2 EMs for choir)
Coordinators: D.Adam, T.Adam

Sunday: Parish Center
11:30 am  M.Byrne, B.Gedmin, S.Sharer, A.VandenAvont,
C.Van Den Avont, S.Van Den Avont, M. Van Den Avont, Leslie Behls
Coordinators: Gina & Joe Christophe

Sunday: Church
5:00 pm  P.Farrell, G.Farrell, P.Farrell, E..Jarosz
C.Starr, K.McCarthy,M.Turner, A.Turner,
T. Panzica
Coordinator: P.Farrell

Liturgical Ministers for the Weekend of April 26, 2015

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# MANNA at St. James

1) Submit Order Form to MANNA Rep at table or place in the collection basket.
2) Make checks payable to "Manna @ St. James."
3) Orders rec'd Sunday will be ready the following week before and after Masses (except Sun. 5pm)
4) Manna order envelopes (yellow border) are also available in your monthly envelope packet.

Questions? Call the parish business office at 224-345-7211 or 7212

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### MISCELLANEOUS

- Amazon.com: $25/100
- Groupon: $25
- iTunes: $15/25
- AMC Loews Theatres: $25
- Disney Card: $25/100

### FAST FOOD AND PIZZA

- Buffalo Wild Wings: $25
- Chipotle: $10
- Dunkin' Donuts: $5/10
- Gino's East: $10
- Kentucky Fried Chicken: $5
- Lou Malnati's Pizza: $25
- Red Robin: $10/25
- Subway: $10/25

### FOOD AND DRUG STORES

- Meijer: $25/50/100
- Fannie May: $10/20
- Garden Fresh: $20
- Jewel/Osco: $25/100
- Joe Caputo & Sons: $25
- Mariano's: $25/100
- Ultra Foods: $25/$100
- Walgreens: $25/100

### GAS STATIONS

- BP: $50
- Jiffy Lube: $25
- Marathon: $25/100
- Shell Gas: $25/50
- Speedway/SuperAmer: $25/50/100
- Exxon Mobile: $50

To see a full list go to: [www.MannaGroup.net](http://www.MannaGroup.net) and write in additional orders below

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### HOME AND ELECTRONICS

- Best Buy: $25/100
- Home Depot: $25/100/500
- Lowe's: $25/100/500
- Menards: $25/100

### RESTAURANTS

- California Pizza Kitchen: $25
- Cantina Coffee: $10/25
- Cheesecake Factory: $25
- Chili's: $25
- Egg Harbor Café: $25
- Landry's/Kenforst/Claim Jumper: $25
- Lettuce Entertain You: $25/50/100
- Noodles & Co: $10/25
- Olive Garden/Red Lobster: $25/100
- Panera Bread: $10/25
- Starbucks: $5/10/25
- Sweet Tomatoes: $25
- TGI Fridays: $25

### RETAIL STORES

- Barnes & Noble: $5/10/25
- Bath & Body Works: $10/25
- Bed Bath & Beyond: $25/100
- Carsons: $25/100
- Dick's Sporting Goods: $25/100
- GAP/Old Navy/Amazon: $25
- Hallmark: $25
- JoAnn Fabric Store: $25
- Kohl's: $25/$100
- Mario Tricoci's: $25
- Pottery Barn/Willowson: $25/100
- Target: $25/100
- TJ Maxx/Marshalls/Home G: $25/100
- Walmart/Sam's Club: $25/50/100

### CHECK #

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Weekend Masses
Saturday Evening  5:00pm  Parish Center (Cantor)
Sunday Morning   7am  Church (Cantor)
Sunday Morning   8:30am  Church (Traditional Choir)
Sunday Morning   10am  Parish Center (Contemporary Choir and Children’s Liturgy of the Word)
Sunday Morning   11:30am Parish Center (Contemporary Choir)
Sunday Evening   5:00pm  Church (Teen Ensemble)

Weekday Masses (Church)  831 N. Arlington Hts. Road
Monday – Friday . . . . . . . . . . 7:30am Mass
Saturday . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .8:30am Mass

Holy Day Liturgy
Please refer to publicized special schedules for Holy Days.

Sacramental Celebrations

Baptism
Parishioners must notify the Parish Office of preferred Baptismal date at least one month in advance.

Marriages
Congratulations on your engagement! At least six months prior to your wedding date, we warmly welcome you to contact the Parish Office. Our Office Manager will explain the process of preparing for a Christian marriage and assist you in selecting a date for your wedding liturgy.

Reconciliation
Saturdays . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3:30—4:30pm
In the Chapel—820 N. Arlington Hts. Road, or you may call for an appointment anytime at 224-345-7200.

Parish Office Hours
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