Wednesday Mornings Before School Never Made You Feel so Good!

Saint James School students in grades 6-8 are always invited to drop-in on Wednesday morning bible study with Cyndi Constertina and Pat Farrell. The group starts by sharing how they are feeling that day and how God’s grace was shown in their lives that week. The students share stories, pray for and support one another, and then dive into the bible. The students study the bible to get to know the God who loves us; learn from the stories and experiences of others; gain insight on how to live their lives; and to read God’s many promises that give us hope, peace and confidence. What a great start to the school day!
A Reflection….from Deacon Matthew Hahn

October 15, 2017

Last night was the Homecoming football game at Hersey High School. It was a bit rainy, but God is indeed good! We need the rain! Tonight is the homecoming dance. With four Hersey students in our family, preparations for the dance have been well underway for several weeks now.

As the Homecoming Court paraded around the track to cheering family and friends, I couldn’t help but wonder…“If God was on the Homecoming Court, would he be voted Homecoming King?” As my wife, Zuly (rhymes with Julie, but with a ‘Z’), and I worked together this morning to get the house ready for the flood of teenagers that would descend upon our home this evening, we discussed this very question. Sadly, the answer we came up with was “No, God would not be elected Homecoming King.”

Back in the day at good old Arlington High School, the Homecoming King and Queen were generally the most popular kids in the school, and I tend to think it is the same nowadays. That being said, God just doesn’t appear to be the most popular aspect of life for many of us. The Gospel for today teaches us that it was the same way back in the days when Jesus walked among us as a human being. He tells the story of a king who invites many people to the wedding party for his son. The invited guests simply refused the first invitation. After the second invitation, we get a glimpse of the thoughts of the invited guests. Some simply ignored the invitation. Others went back to their farms and businesses. Would a popular person be treated this way? I dare say not!

How is it with us? When we are invited to the Eucharistic celebration that is Sunday Mass, how do we respond? Do we ignore the invitation because we need a break from the busy and stressful week we just concluded? Do we hear the invitation but decide to do something else? Soccer matches; La Cross matches; football games and the tail-gating that goes along with it? Maybe we have too much homework and just can’t fit God into our schedules? Maybe we travel for business, and Sunday is your get-away day, and it is too much effort to find a Catholic church when we arrive at our destination?

Guess what? I don’t think it IS that way for YOU! You see, I caught you reading the bulletin. You’re here…or were…at the celebration! So that makes you the servants of the king, dispatched to invite the guests. And for that…thank you!

Continue to come and celebrate with God…the REAL Homecoming King. And call your family, friends, and neighbors to do the same. Nothing we do is more popular (read that as “more important”) than being with God.

I vote God for King!

Deacon Matthew

(A podcast of this week’s reflection is available on the St. James website and mobile website.)
Liturgy and Worship

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

Holy Hour
All are invited to the 7pm Thursday Holy Hour in the Church with Deacon Matthew Hahn.
This 7pm Holy Hour includes Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Evening Prayer, Rosary, and Benediction.

Anointing of the Sick at Mass this Weekend
We will offer the Sacrament of Anointing after two Masses this weekend, October 14th and 15th. Anointing will take place after the 5pm Saturday and 11:30am Sunday Masses in the Parish Center. If you wish to receive Anointing at either of these Masses, please just move forward to the front of the Parish Center immediately after Mass. You will be invited to come up to receive the Sacrament.

Change in Confession on 10/21
Confessions will be available AFTER THE 8:30am Mass in the CHURCH, but NOT at 3:30-4:30pm in the Chapel.
Please mark this change on your calendar for only Saturday, October 21st.

Women’s Opus Dei Morning of Reflection
The Opus Dei Women’s Morning of Reflection will take place at 9:30am in the Church on Wednesday, October 18th. Women of St. James Parish are welcome to attend.

Children’s Rosary Group
The Children’s Rosary Group will meet in the CHAPEL at 4:00pm each Monday afternoon. Please join us!

New Assistive Listening System (ALS) Installed in the Parish Center!
Hearing aids equipped with a t-coil can now listen to the sound system directly through their hearing aids with the assistance of an ALS receiver on a neckloop. Please check with your hearing care professional to see if your hearing aid is equipped with a t-coil and properly adjusted. Non-hearing aid users can pick up a receiver and listen through an earpiece, headset or their own earbuds.

** SIMPLE INSTRUCTIONS after every Mass in the PC on October 21st & 22nd.

Upcoming Lector Training and Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist Training

Lector Training Workshop: Saturday, November 18th, 2017
at St. Raymond de Penafort Church, 301 S. I-Oka, Mount Prospect, IL
Check in at 8:30am; Training from 9:00am until Noon

Lectors play a critical role in the celebration of the Mass. Since lectors proclaim not just any word, but the Word of God, it is essential that they develop the skills required to communicate God’s message competently. This training will provide the skills needed for those who wish to become lectors in their own parish or for any lector who would like a ‘refresher’ course. Register at: awww.vic1chicago.org Questions: Contact Mandy Dillon at pastoralassociate@olwparish.org or Marie Paul at mariep@sttheresachurch.org

Formation and Training for New Eucharistic Ministers:
Saturday, November 18, 2017 at St. Raymond Parish 301 S. I-Oka, Mt. Prospect, IL
Check in at 8:30am; Training from 9:00am until Noon
The theology of the Eucharist, its roots, and historical aspects of the celebration of the Eucharist, a review of the Liturgy of the Eucharist, and Questions and Answers will be included in the workshop. A follow-up session will take place in your parish. Register at: awww.vic1chicago.org Questions: Contact Mandy Dillon at pastoralassociate@olwparish.org or Marie Paul at mariep@sttheresachurch.org
**Remember with Love Mass**

On **Saturday, November 4th, at the 8:30am Mass in the Church**, we will remember all those in our families and our parish community who have gone before us and are enjoying the presence of God. (We will celebrate using the All Souls Day Liturgy.)

We invite all parishioners of St. James, especially those who have lost a loved one during the past year to gather with one another as we remember their deceased family members in a special way. The names of those who have died and were buried from St. James in the past year will be mentioned at this Mass. (However, as the departed are always remembered with love in our hearts, participation is not strictly limited to those who have lost someone in the past year. All are welcome to attend the Mass.)

If there are any questions, please call Maureen Ruane at 847-398-3907.

- The Care and Bereavement Ministers of St. James

Please fill out and return to the Parish Office, by October 30th.

The family of

will be present at the 8:30am Remember with Love Mass on November 4th.

The number attending the Mass will be: ________________

** Please note: Only those deceased who died between October 16, 2016 and October 15, 2017 and who were buried from St. James will be listed in the program.

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**Please Note!**

On **Saturday, Nov. 4th**, Confessions will be heard from 3:30-4:30pm **IN THE CHURCH**.

Our **5:00pm Saturday Mass** will also be celebrated **IN THE CHURCH** on November 4th, due to Jubilation at James taking place in the Parish Center.

Please mark this change on your calendars.

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**ALL SOULS + NOVEMBER**

If you would like to have a loved one who has passed away remembered during the month of November, you are invited to submit their picture for November’s All Souls display in the Church. Participation is not limited to just those who have passed away this year nor do they have had to have been a parishioner. We remember all departed souls.

To be part of the display, please follow these instructions:

- Legibly print the loved one’s name and their year of birth and death on the back of the photo (or as an attached note).
- Photos should be no larger than 4” x 6” (if larger they will be cropped).
- Send to “Environment & Art / All Souls” in care of the St. James Parish Office or by emailing an image file (.jpg, .bmp, .pdf, .png) to kborresen@hotmail.com. The email’s subject line should read “All Souls”.
- Photos or emails need to be received by Monday, October 16.
- Regretfully, pictures cannot be returned (not used for any other purpose).
All Souls Service
Prayers for the Faithfully Departed
Presented by St. James Parish Music Ministry

Thursday, November 2 • 7:00 pm
St. James Catholic Church
With Special Music: Featuring St. James Choirs and Orchestra
There Will Be a Free Will Offering

An Evening of Reflection....
for St. James Liturgical Ministers

Thursday, October 26th, 7-8:15pm in the Church

“Why we do What we do”

with Fr. Derek Ho

Join us for reflection, music and personal prayer, including Adoration and Benediction.

Light refreshments afterward, in the Laramie Room.
An Invitation for New Parishioners

We’re happy that you’ve chosen St. James Parish as your faith community! To become better acquainted, we’d like to invite you to our New Parishioner Welcome Event. Fr. Matt and Fr. Derek will be hosting the event. If you’ve registered this year at St. James and have not yet attended a Welcome Event, we look forward to hosting you and your family.

This casual Welcome Event will be held at the St. James Rectory on Sunday, October 22 after the 5:00pm Mass. The rectory is the red brick building just to the north of the Church. You’ll have a chance to meet other new parishioners and enjoy appetizers, sweets, beverages, and activities for children.

Please join us! RSVP to your Parish Ambassador or fmb57@sbcglobal.net
We look forward to welcoming YOU!

Ladies of St. James are invited to run or walk Lake Arlington to benefit Jubilation at James*

After the 2 or 4 mile jog, there will be refreshments and a group photo at the Reddin House: 1615 E Peachtree Dr.

Participants receive a t-shirt and goody-bag!

*All proceeds from the jog will support live/silent auction and/or raffle prizes

October 21st, 2017
Run begins at 7:30am
Meet at 1615 E Peachtree in A.H.
$40 per adult $20 for school-age daughters

Register by October 15th at the Parish Office 820 N. Arlington Hts Rd, Arl Hts, IL 60004
Cash or check made out to: “St. James Parish” (with “Jubilation” in the memo line)
Include your name, cell number & t-shirt size
Parish Life Commission ~ Jubilation at James

Jubilation at James presents
AN EVENING IN THE GARDEN
AT THE
Magnolia Ball
Saturday, November 4, 2017
6:00 PM to 12:30 AM
Please reply by October 23, 2017

JUBILATION RESERVATION FORM
If paying by cash or check, please fill out this form and return to the St. James parish office by Oct. 23.
Tickets purchased after October 23, will be $20 extra per person.
Please make checks payable to St. James Church, Memo: Jubilation

Name: ________________________________  I am not able to attend but I would like to make
Phone: ________________________________  a tax deductible donation of $ ____________
Email: ________________________________

Please select entree below:
______ Braised short rib $150.00
______ Pan seared crab cakes $150.00
______ Grilled chicken breast $135.00
______ Purple potato lasagna $135.00

For those Paying by credit card:
1. Visit stjamesah.org
2. Click on Jubilation at James.
3. Choose EVENT TICKETS.
You will be directed to Gesture.com where you can purchase your tickets, raffle tickets and indicate your
guests names and entree choices.

JUBILATION RAFFLE TICKET ORDER FORM
If paying by cash or check, please fill out this form and return to the St. James Parish office.
Please make checks payable to St. James Church, Memo: Jubilation

Second Prize
Large Flat Screen TV

GRAND PRIZE
Trip for two to New York City!

Third Prize
Two tickets to Hamilton

Tickets are $100 each or 3 for $250. Only 600 will be sold!
Attendance not necessary for purchase. Winner does not need to be present to win.

Name: ________________________________  Phone: ________________________________
Email: ________________________________  I would like _______ tickets for a total of $ ________

Questions please call (224) 345-7203
Healing from Domestic Violence: Finding Financial Footing After Abuse

When an abuser controls your money, it can feel impossible to start over. Abusers thrive off power and control, and controlling victim’s finances is one way to achieve this.

Kristen Paruginog, a survivor and executive director of Break the Silence Against Domestic Violence states that in her experience “the number one reason they can’t leave their abuser is because their financial situation doesn’t allow them to.”

Domesticshelters.org offers these tips to get started toward financial freedom:

- **Believe in Yourself**: Despite how your self-esteem was shattered by verbal abuse, try to believe that you are good enough to begin working.
- **Get Creative**: Start thinking about your unique skillsets and talents. Ask employed friends to help you create a resume. If you have little ones and can’t afford childcare, *The Penny Hoarder* has a great list of “103 Ways to Make Money at Home.”
- **Become Financially Literate (for free!):** Learn how to make a budget, repair your credit, and set financial goals via many free online courses offered by companies like Allstate.
- **Don’t Go It Alone**: A domestic violence advocate in your area can help connect you to assistance programs in your community. There may be housing assistance, childcare programs and job placement help that can speed up your financial freedom.
- **Apply for a Grant of Hope**: The **Grants of Hope Financial Empowerment Program** through Break the Silence Against Domestic Violence organization helps survivors long term. **Modest Needs** is another program that helps with unexpected or emergency expenses.

The St. James Community prays for your success, and services throughout the northwest suburban area are here to support you.

St. James Over 50 Social Group

We are having a Northwest Community Hospital Physical Therapist to talk about "Balance and How to 'Prevent Falls". 

Date: Wednesday, 10/18 at 1:00 PM. 
Refreshments will be served. 
Please RSVP: Mary Jo 847-259-3560 
Bring your questions.
St. James Peace & Justice

Pope: protecting children in the digital world top priority

Pope Francis received the participants in the first-ever World Congress on Child Dignity in the Digital World...which brought experts in child care, internet security, law enforcement, education, and a host of other fields...with a view to addressing the problem of the effective protection of the dignity of minors in the digital world.

Child dignity – a crisis and a response in context: Pope Francis placed the challenges...in the context of the struggle not only to articulate, but effectively to guarantee, the rights and dignity of every person – especially the weakest and most vulnerable, and chief among these, children and young people...“The spread of printed pornography in the past was a relatively small phenomenon compared to the proliferation of pornography on the net.” He went on to say, “[W]e must not let ourselves be overcome by fear...nor let ourselves be paralyzed by the sense of powerlessness that overwhelms us before the difficulty of the task,”...“we are called to join forces, realizing that we need one another in order to seek and find the right means and approaches needed for effective responses.”

Painful lessons - profound commitment: Pope Francis also spoke of the painful lessons the Church has learned through her recent experience with clerical sex abuse, saying that the Church has come to acknowledge her own failures in providing for the protection of children...as a result of these painful experiences and the skills gained in the process of conversion and purification, the Church today feels especially bound to work strenuously...not only within her own ranks, but in society as a whole and throughout the world.”

The pernicious effects of mainstreaming pornography: The Holy Father also discussed the pernicious effects that the so-called “mainstreaming” of pornography...on adults. “We rightly insist on the gravity of these problems for minors,” he said, “but we can also underestimate or overlook the extent that they are also problems for adults.” The Pope noted that the spread of ever more extreme pornography and other improper uses of the internet not only causes disorders, dependencies and grave harm among adults, but also has a real impact on the way we view love and relations between the sexes...

Warning against a “technocratic” approach to the problem: “The second mistaken approach would be to think that automatic technical solutions, filters devised by ever more refined algorithms in order to identify and block the spread of abusive and harmful images, are sufficient to deal with these problems,” ...

What the internet is, and is not: A third risk of which we must be aware in our approach to the digital world is the deluded notion that “the net” is or should be a realm of unlimited freedom...“This,” said Pope Francis, “has nothing to do with the exercise of freedom: it has to do with crimes that need to be fought with intelligence and determination, through a broader cooperation among governments and law enforcement agencies on the global level, even as the net itself is now global.”


Thank You!

The St James Blood Drive Committee wants to thank the 28 blood donors who gave their time and blood at our recent Blood Drive. We also want to thank those who came and were willing to donate but were unable due to various issues. It is amazing to think that our donations helped up to 84 cancer, burn and trauma patients.

We really appreciate the support of St James for this needed service.

St. James Divorce Ministry

The St. James Divorce Ministry is offering the Divorce Care program. Divorce Care is a 13-Session journey aimed to provide education, support, and healing. This free video seminar presented over multiple sessions meets on most 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of every month. Attend one or all sessions.

Our ministry is geared toward supporting those who are separated/divorced/annulled to provide healing and renewal.

Session 4—October 17, 2017 - 7pm
Topic: “Facing My Depression”
O’Brien Room, St. James Parish Office
820 N. Arlington Heights Road, Arl. Hts.

Contact Deacon Jim Bannon for more information:
224-345-7200   jamesrbannon@sbcglobal.net
Order of Worship

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time    October 15, 2017

Gloria

I believe in one God, 
the Father almighty, 
maker of heaven and earth 
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, 
the Only Begotten Son of God, 
born of the Father before all ages, 
God from God, Light from Light, 
true God from true God, 
begotten not made, consubstantial with the Father; 
through him all things were made. 
For us men and for our salvation 
he came down from heaven. 
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, 
and became man. 

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, 
had risen again on the third day 
in accordance with the Scriptures. 
He ascended into heaven 
and is seated at the right hand of the Father. 
He will come again in glory 
to judge the living and the dead 
and his kingdom will have no end. 

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, 
who proceeds from the Father and the Son, 
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, 
who has spoken through the prophets. 

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. 
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins 
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead 
and the life of the world to come. 

Amen.
Order of Worship

Holy, Holy

Great Amen

Memorial Acclamation

Lamb of God

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rom 1:1-7; Ps 98:1-4; Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday: Rom 1:16-25; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b; Ps 145:10-13, 17-18; Lk 10:1-9
Thursday: Rom 3:21-30; Ps 130:1b-6ab; Lk 11:47-54
Friday: Rom 4:1-8; Ps 32:1b-2, 5, 11; Lk 12:1-7
Saturday: Rom 4:13, 16-18; Ps 105:6-9, 42-43; Lk 12:8-12
Sunday: Is 45:1, 4-6; Ps 96:1, 3-5, 7-10; 1 Thes 1:1-5b; Mt 22:15-21

TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading -- On this mountain the LORD will make for all peoples a feast of rich food and choice wines (Isaiah 25:6-10a).
Psalm -- I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life (Psalm 23).
Second Reading -- God will supply whatever you need (Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20).
Gospel -- I have prepared my banquet, and everything is ready. Come to the feast! (Matthew 22:1-14 [1-10]).

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Gathering Hymn

All Are Welcome

1. Let us build a house where love can dwell
   And all can safely live,
   A place where saints and children tell
   How hearts learn to for-give.

2. Let us build a house where prophets speak,
   And words are strong and true,
   A banquet hall on holy ground,
   Where peace and justice meet.

3. Let us build a house where love is found
   In water, wine and wheat:
   Where God’s children serve
   And give. Built of hopes and dreams and visions,

4. Let us build a house where hands will reach
   Beyond the wood and stone
   To heal and strengthen,
   And meet. Here the love of God, through Jesus,

5. Let us build a house where all are named,
   Their songs and visions heard
   And loved and treasured,
   Known. Here the outcast and the stranger

   Rock of faith and vault of grace;
   And as symbol of God’s grace;
   Bear the image of God’s face;
   Prayers of faith and songs of grace,

   And as revealed in time and space;
   As we wear
   Prayers of faith and songs of grace,
   Let this

   love of Christ shall end divisions:
   one we claim the faith of Jesus:
   share in Christ the feast that frees us: All are welcome,
   bring an end to fear and danger:

   house pro-claim from floor to raft-er:

   all are welcome, all are welcome in this place.

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Tune: TWO OAKS, 9 6 8 7 10 with refrain; Marty Haugen, b. 1950
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Order of Worship

Communion Hymn

We Come to Your Feast

Verses

1. We place upon your table a gleaming cloth of white:
the weaving of our stories,
the fabric of our lives;
the dreams of those before us,
fore our

2. We place upon your table a humble loaf of bread:
the gift of field and hillside,
the grain by which we’re fed;
the gift of sun and vine;
fore our

3. We place upon your table a simple cup of wine:
the fruit of human labor,
we name the stranger “guest.”
we come to taste the feast.
fore our

4. We gather ‘round your table, we pause within our guest,
we stand beside our neighbors,
fore us;
we come to taste the feast.
fore us;

Refrain

We come to your feast, we come to your feast:
the young and the old, the frightened, the bold,
the greatest and the least.
We come to your feast, we come to your feast

We come to your feast:
the fruit of our lands and the work of our hands, we come to your feast.

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Lead Me, Guide Me

Refrain
Lead me, guide me, a-long the way, For if you
lead me, I can-not stray. Lord, let me walk each
day with thee. Lead me, oh Lord, lead me.

Verses
1. I am weak and I need thy strength and pow’r to
2. Help me tread in the paths of righteousness, Be my
3. I am lost if you take your hand from me, I am

help me o-ver my weakest hour. Help me through the
aid when Satan and sin op-press. I am put-ting
blind with-out thy Light to see, Lord, just al-ways
dark-ness thy face to see, Lead me, oh Lord, lead me.
all my trust in thee. Lead me, oh Lord, lead me.
let me thy serv-ant be. Lead me, oh Lord, lead me.

Text: Doris M. Akers, b.1922
Tune: Doris M. Akers, b.1922, harm. by Richard Smallwood
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Join together with thousands of fellow young adults at UIC Pavilion for an event that will remind you that you are not alone in your faith! Discover how you can live your dream and have an active faith life.

Invite your friends, Catholics and non-Catholics, for a night filled with live music, laughter, and meaningful conversations. Connect with friends and make new ones. Let our thought-provoking speakers inspire you. And prayerfully worship God with the community gathered.

WHEN: Friday, October 20th, 2017
Doors open at 6:00pm
Event starts at 6:30pm
WHERE: UIC Pavilion
525 South Racine Avenue
Chicago, IL 60607
Registration: $15 per person
www.reencounterchicago.org
St. James Parish Groups

Annulment Support Ministry
Richard Nagengast  847-732-0970

Elizabeth Ministry—A ministry of women reaching out to other women in their childbearing years. We offer prayers and support regarding pregnancy, infertility, miscarriage, child loss, adoption, NFP, and other issues. Visit the Rosebud Display in the Parish Center Gathering Space or connect with us: ElizabethMinistry@stjamesah.org or http://bit.ly/ElizMinStJamesAH

Grief Support Group
The St. James Grief Support Group meets on every Wednesday (during session times) from 7pm-8:15pm in Conference Room 1 at the Parish Office. 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.

Next session: Oct 18, 25, Nov. 1, 8, 15; (No Nov. 22 mtg.), and finish on 11/29. For information, call MaryJo at 224-345-7200, ext. 8512 and leave a message.

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.

Wheels to Worship
If you need a ride to Mass or wish to be a volunteer driver, please call Carol at 847-253-4680. carolcerranianderson@yahoo.com

Stepping Stones
Everyone deserves to be in a safe, healthy relationship. If you or someone you know may be in an abusive relationship, a path to safety exists. Get help. Call the National Domestic Violence Hotline at 800-799-SAFE, or locally, contact WINGS 24-hour Hotline at 847-221-5680.

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

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, Medicare 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 information.

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.

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.

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 Hts.

NAMI—National Alliance on Mental Illness—847-899-0195

Office for Protection of Children and Youth www.archchicago.org 312-534-5254

Escorted Transportation for Seniors
Escorted Transportation Services Northwest (ETS/NW) - is a service available to those 60 and over in our community who are in need of rides to medical and dental appointments. It is a multi-denominational outreach to the elderly. If you are in need of such assistance, or if you would like to volunteer to serve seniors in our community as a part of this outreach team, please call Gia at 847-222-9227 or gias@etsnw.org

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. Information is available on the Internet at www.cancer.org

For Post-Abortion Counseling Help:
Project Rachel - Catholic Charities: 312-337-1962
http://www.hopeafterabortion.com

SPECIAL EVENTS

Fr. Patrick O’Malley "Perspectives on the Scriptures" Memorial Conference—10/28/2017
Please register for this event at https://usml.edu/event/omalley/
This conference is designed for all people seeking a deeper relationship with Christ. The focus of the 2017 conference will be on the Gospel of Mark.

Where: Univ. of St Mary Lake / Mundelein Seminary. Time: 9:30 am—5:00pm.

St. Edna’s Church at 2525 N. Arlington Heights Road in Arlington Heights is having its annual Craft and Vendor Fair on Saturday, Oct. 21 between 9:00am and 3:00pm and on Sunday, Oct. 22 between 8:00am and 3:00pm. 85 booths, bake sale, raffle prizes, refreshments all day. Free parking and free admission. For information: stednacraftfair@yahoo.com 630-878-7627

St. Edna’s Church
Please pray for our sick…
Linda Mackey, Michael Minogue, Tom Stengren,
Margaret Haerkamp, Evelyn McKeown

In Loving Memory

Helen Sabelfeldt…mother of Christine (Bob) Bunt, Pauline
(Steve) Kuebler, Helene Sabelfeldt, Corinne Sabelfeldt,
Georgie Sabelfeldt, and Charlene (David) Scola; grandmother
of nine; great-grandmother of five

Thomas H. Donohoe…brother of Sister Kathleen Donohoe,
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Baptisms
Annabelle Czernecki, child of Gregory & Christine (Lushniak)
Czernecki

Ava Carman, child of Charles & Martha (Lushniak) Carman

Reed Volpi, child of Michael & Anne (Swanson) Volpi

Wedding Banns
October 21, 2017
Jeffrey Schmidt & Elizabeth Ott

October 28, 2017
Ryan Boyer & Tiffany Adams

Remembrances

Saturday Evening/Sunday Morning, October 15
Dorothy Firnbach, Esther M. Kelly (21st Anniv.),
Jeanene Tarbox, John Glueckert, Sr., Margaret Hopkins,
Ronald Stevens, Stephan Waller, John G. McLoraine,
Frank and Victoria Bosco, Mildred Kaminski

Monday, October 16
Marsha Freitag (1st Anniv.), Jeanne Bartman,
Philip Kummerer, Philip O’Connor

Tuesday, October 17
George Mulcahy, Meggan McDermott,
Catherine Sabay, Gerald C. Breimon, Sr.

Wednesday, October 18
Edward Ignacek, Dana Mangi, Darlene Johnson,
Sylvia Tullo, Dr. Robert Unger

Thursday, October 19
Bob Minaglia, Richard Preiss, Cornelius Vanderwiel, Jr.

Friday, October 20
Helen Kania, Norbert Kania, Lavon Fletcher,
Helen Louise Brack

Saturday, October 21
Josephine Crusnow (1st Anniv.), Adelaide Giorgi,
George F. & Regina C. Bieber, Denny Thune,
Vincent Mangi

Saturday Evening/Sunday Morning, October 22
Josephine Crusnow (1st Anniv.), Dana Mangi,
Dorothy Firnbach, Gertrude Rettberg (1st Anniv.),
Meggan McDermott, Douglas Kaski, J.T. Foley,
Mary C. Hemauer, Rita Hertel

Our Charity

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Our charity this month is the Propagation of the Faith
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**St. Viator High School Halloween Fun Fair**

Pre-School and Grade School (ages 2-10) students are welcome to come and join the fun!

Wednesday, October 25 5:00-7:00pm
Cost: $5.00 per child

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**WOMEN’S BIBLE-RELATED DISCUSSION**

This month, Fr. Charlie Bolser, CSV, will discuss with us the 95 Theses of Martin Luther. The meeting will take place at 2:00pm, October 17th, at the Viatorian Province Center.

For information: Sue French, 847-259-5282 or Maureen Ruane, 847-398-3907.

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If interested, please contact parishioner Marilyn Neuman, 847-398-6265, or cmneuman@aol.com

St. Viator High School Open House
Sunday, October 22nd 1-3pm
Monday, October 23rd 6:30-8:30pm

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

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Monday-Thursday  9:00am—8:00pm
Friday  9:00am—6:00pm
Saturdays  9:00am—1:00pm
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