

# ST. ALPHONSUS CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

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## St. Alphonsus Catholic Church

210 E. Logan, Lemont

Parish Office Center 630-257-2414  
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Website: [www.st-als.org](http://www.st-als.org)

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### Summer Business Hours:

Monday thru Thursday: 8 am - 4 pm  
Friday: 8 am—2 pm

### Mass Schedule

#### Weekend Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 pm Vigil Mass  
Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:00 am and 11:00 am

#### Weekday Schedule

Monday-Friday 7:30 am in the chapel

Holy Days to be announced

### Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday—8:00 am—8:00 pm, chapel

### Sacramental Life

#### Reconciliation

Saturday—4:00 to 4:30 pm  
Or by appointment

### Baptism

Baptisms are usually celebrated the second  
and third Sunday of every month.  
No Baptisms during Lent

### Marriage

Prospective bride and groom must be  
registered parishioners for at least 6 months  
before a wedding date may be scheduled

### Sick and Homebound

Contact the office, 257-2414 to receive a  
visit from a Minister of Care

# Pentecost Sunday

Jesus breathed on  
them and said to them,  
"Receive the Holy Spirit.  
Whose sins you forgive  
are forgiven them,  
and whose sins you  
retain are retained."

*John 20:22-23*

May 24, 2015

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## St. Alphonus Catholic Church *Parish Registration*

Everyone 18 years and older should register for the parish.

To register, please call the Office Center, 257-2414 or you can register online at [www.st-als.org](http://www.st-als.org).

### *Parish Staff*

*Pastor:* Fr. Brian Ardagh

*Weekend Celebrants:*

Fr. Robert Rohrich

Fr. Lou Zake

*Diaconal Ministry:*

Deacon Terry McGuire

Deacon Dan Rittenhouse

*Director of Religious Education*

Kevin Cody

*Admin. Assistant for Religious Ed.*

Tricia Latz

*School Principal:*

Renee Payne

*Pastoral Associate:*

Doreen Dabney

*Office Coordinator:*

Roseann Lucas

*Accountant:* Carol Levas

*Music Director:*

Joseph Martorano

*Music Staff*

Diane Marelli

Maureen McCoy

*SPRED:* Carol Levas

### *Parish Pastoral Council Members*

Mike Bruno

Bill Doherty

Diane Kaye

Deborah Kornacker

Sharon Kostas

Terese Turner

James Zuccarelli

## *From Father Brian's Desk*

This weekend we celebrate **Memorial Day**. It is a time in which we remember, pray and give thanks for those who have been dedicated to serving our country. I found a beautiful prayer that really captures the idea of this celebration:



*O God, as we recall those who have made sacrifices for the freedoms we enjoy every day, we think of how they have followed the path of your son, Jesus Christ. Please keep our servicemen and women in your prayers. Protect them with your grace and Your presence as they work for our protection.*

*We also pray for their families. We ask for your blessings to fill their homes, and we pray your peace, support, and strength will fill their lives. May the members of our armed forces be supplied with courage to face each day and may they trust in the Lord's guidance to help them accomplish each task. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

Some other notes for your information:

- Next weekend there will be a special second collection for Victims of the earthquake in Nepal.
- Please be aware that our *Tri-Parish Weekday Mass Schedule* will begin on Monday, June 1<sup>st</sup> at St. Alphonus Church. There will be only one weekday Mass for all three Parishes at 7:30 a.m..
- And finally, I would like to inform you that we have a new Tri-Parish Associate Pastor and his name is **Fr. Tom Hoffmann**. Fr. Tom was ordained in 1980 and is currently the pastor of Our Lady of Humility Church in Beach Park (near Zion). He will arrive around July 1<sup>st</sup> and will share his time between our parish, St. Patrick and Ss. Cyril and Methodius. We look forward to welcoming Fr. Tom as he joins our Lemont Catholic community!

*Fr. Brian Ardagh*

**Welcome Guests and Visitors . . .** We're so glad that you're here and invite you to join us in thanksgiving for God's action in our lives. Our goal is to provide a spiritual home where all are welcome, where the healing, reconciling, liberating love of God flows through us to all people. In this way, we believe that the Church is the sacrament of God's saving presence in the world.

*"Please come to Mass early enough not to disrupt. Leave late enough not to insult (the Mass does not end until the final blessing). Worship reverently enough not to distract. And dress proudly enough not to offend."*

## Reflecting on God's Word

Sighs allow us to sit there for a moment or two without breathing—just being there at peace and without whatever it is that we just exhaled, without our worry or our confusion or maybe even our inner pain. It's almost as if a sigh is a prayer for new spirit. On the other hand, hiccups are almost like breathing with potholes and speed bumps, like gulps of roughage to keep the good air flowing—or maybe they're gulps of spirit to get the body into balance when it's quite content to stay out of balance, a kind of forced prayer.

Lately I've been thinking about sighing and hiccupping. Maybe it's because I've grown older and sigh more often. Now when I sigh, I find myself deciding to live with life the way it is and saying to myself that it's got to be okay, because like it or not, it's all I've got. I've begun to realize that after fighting with some of my sins for sixty-some years without much ever seeming to change, maybe I just need to let God do whatever God is going to do. And so the Spirit sighs, which is another way of saying, "Jesus is Lord."

On the other hand, after sixty-plus years of living I also keep discovering new sinfulness in my life, little corners that I've allowed to get dusty by staying out of them. Like greed that I had labeled "being practical." Like protecting myself from being used, which turns out to be no more than selfishness. And every once in a while, in a moment of honesty, I'll come across one of those dusty corners, and it's a bit like trying to swallow a peanut butter sandwich without any milk. It's hard to get down, and then you start to hiccup.

—Rev. Joseph J. Juknialis

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## Living God's Word

*We pay much more attention to hiccups because they are disruptive.*

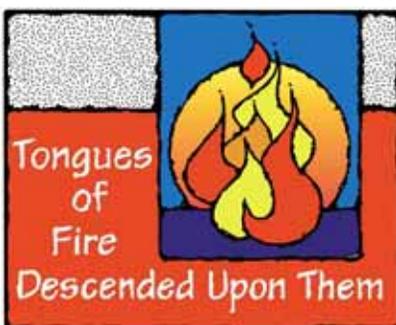
*Sighing comes easily. It settles us and heals.*

*There's good in both of them: hiccups direct our thoughts to what may need attention, sighing provides a moment of peace.*

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*There are different kinds of spiritual gifts  
but the same Spirit.*

—1 Corinthians 12:4



## A SIGNIFICANT DAY

"And suddenly there came from the sky a noise like a strong driving wind, and it filled the entire house in which they were" (Acts 2:2). The Holy Spirit's arrival on that first Pentecost was signaled by a rush of wind. We all know what it's like when our windows are open just as a summer storm rises up. Curtains fly, papers become airborne, house plants shudder, dust is scattered. A rush of wind disrupts the orderliness of our home. The coming of the Holy Spirit, as celebrated each year at Pentecost, can also disrupt ways that have become comfortable and orderly. The Church always needs Pentecost. We need the breath of God's Spirit to blow away any complacency or malaise that has settled into our faith. Jesus breathes on his disciples and they receive the Holy Spirit. With that reception comes the power to share the Good News of salvation. Today, this is no less true for us.

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# Religious Education Update

## REGISTRATION FOR 2015-2016

Registration forms for returning families were given to the youngest child in each family. Contact the RE Office if the forms weren't received or lost. **Families who have an open tuition balance with no payment plan will need to contact Kevin Cody to set an appointment to register.**

Families who want to register their child for the first time contact the RE Office to set an appointment to register. Visit our website, [www.st-als.org](http://www.st-als.org), for information on our programs.

## VACATION BIBLE CAMP



Contact the RE Office if you are interested in being part of the team. The camp will be the week on July 13<sup>th</sup> from 9:00am – Noon.

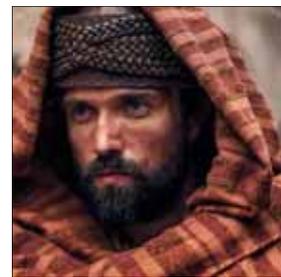
## PASS IT FORWARD



We have a number of people who have been catechists in our program for many years, and others who left for some years and returned to once again serve in this ministry. Mrs. Diane Kaye has been a catechist at St. Al's for over 30 years! This kind of dedication shows that there must be something about this ministry that has people coming back. These catechists say they feel like they get as much out of it as the children. As you nurture the faith of our young people, you will learn and grow as well! We provide you with materials, training opportunities and support. If are interested or want more information, contact Kevin at the RE Office.

## CATHOLIC Q & A ~ Why did Saul change his name to Paul?

If you are watching the TV series *A.D.: The Bible Continues*, you have seen Saul tenaciously and viciously persecuting the followers of Jesus. At the end of the last episode, Saul sets out for Damascus because that is where he is told that Peter is in hiding. In the episode this Sunday, you will see that he encounters the risen Jesus enroute, and Jesus calls him "Saul". So, why did his name change? We know that names have been changed in Scripture because of a change in vocation or status, such as Abram to Abraham, and Simon to Peter. However, this doesn't seem to be the case with Saul. First of all Paul is the Latin spelling and pronunciation of the Jewish name, Saul. So, it's not really a change of name, linguistically. It makes sense for him to go with the name Paul since he was beginning his outreach to the gentiles. St. Augustine speculated it was Paul's own choice to go by Paul rather than Saul, since "Paulus" in Latin means "small." Paul would later call himself the "least of the Apostles" (1 Cor 15:9) because he had persecuted Christ.



This is the first of the *Catholic Q&A* bulletin series I will be running over the summer. If you have questions related to faith or religious education at St. Al's, feel free to email me at the address below, or submit it anonymously through the *Feedback/Suggestions Box* on our webpage.

# St. Alphonsus-St. Patrick School News

Check out our website: [www.stals-stpats.org](http://www.stals-stpats.org)

## EIGHTH GRADE CIRCUS



Ms. Wenzel, our Physical Education teacher, teamed up with her 8<sup>th</sup> grade students to create a Circus performance for the youngest students in the building! Each group of 8<sup>th</sup> graders was charged with the responsibility of creating their own "circus act" complete with music and props. After some rehearsals during their gym classes, they were ready to take their show to their audience and they performed



an exclusive engagement for the Kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> grade students on Wednesday, April 22. There were jugglers, gymnasts and even a unicycle rider! The older students had a great time both staying fit while practicing their acts, as well as bringing enjoyment and entertainment to their Kindergarten buddies and the 1<sup>st</sup> graders.



## More Playground Fun



Ms. Renee Payne, Principal



### Memorial Day Reminder

We will celebrate Memorial Day, this Monday, May 25th, with mass at 7:30 am in the church. Parish offices will be closed in observance of the holiday. We will reopen on Tuesday, May 26th.

## Lemont Tri-Parish Summer Weekday Masses At St. Alphonsus, SS. Cyril & Methodius & St. Patrick

June 1st thru August 31st  
Weekday Mass will be at 7:30 a.m.  
Monday ~ Saturday

Monday, June 1st thru Tuesday, June 30th  
St. Alphonsus — 7:30 a.m.

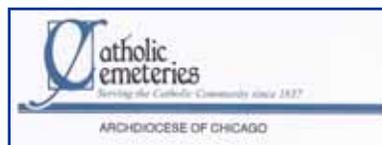
Wednesday, July 1st thru Friday, July 31st  
St. Patrick — 7:30 a.m.

Saturday, August 1st thru Monday, August 31st  
SS. Cyril & Methodius — 7:30 a.m.

Other area churches:

**Our Lady of the Woods** — 131st St. , Orland Park  
Weekday Morning Mass: 6:30 a.m. & 8:30 a.m.

**St. James Parish at the Sag Bridge**  
Weekday Morning Mass:  
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday — 8:15 a.m.  
Wednesday Evening Mass — 7:00 p.m.



Please remember your deceased loved ones by attending one of the Catholic Cemeteries Field Masses held on Memorial Day, Monday May 25th in 37 Catholic Cemeteries.

Please call 708-449-6100 or visit [www.catholiccemeterieschicago.org](http://www.catholiccemeterieschicago.org) for a list of masses near you.

### Queen of the Clergy Prayer Group

Please consider joining Queen of the Clergy, a new prayer group that has been formed to pray for our beloved priests, religious, and for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. We meet in the Day Chapel at Our Lady of the Woods, 10731 W. 131st Street, Orland Park every Tuesday evening from 7 to 8pm.

Any questions you may have or if you have a priest, deacon, seminarian, deacon candidate, religious brother or sister that you would like us to place in our intention book and pray for, please call Barb McCague at 708-478-3652.

# "IS THERE MORE TO LIFE?"

THE ALPHA COURSE



[alpha.org](http://alpha.org)

**ALPHA IS COMING TO ST. ALPHONSUS? .....**

**STAY TUNED!**



### JOYFUL AGAIN! Retreat/Workshop For Widowed Men/Women

Beyond grieving there is new life!

Feeling “stuck”? Need something to get you “over the hump”? Have you reached a “turning point” after your loss?

Come join us for a weekend especially designed to help you reflect on and recognize new direction for your life while still treasuring memories of your loved one.

Upcoming programs:  
July 25 & 26 — Holy Family, Inverness  
August 1 & 2 - Mary Queen - Elmhurst  
Space limited – register early.

For more information contact us at Joyful Again!  
Widowed Ministry

Phone: 1-708-354-7211  
E-mail: joyfulagain7211@gmail.com  
Website: www.joyfulagain.org

### Worldwide Marriage Encounter Chicago/Gary/Joliet Area

Today is Pentecost Sunday. Is there evidence that the Holy Spirit is working through us; are the fruits of love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control in our lives and marriage? The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are June 12-14, 2015 or August 7-9, 2015 or October 9-11, 2015, all at Elk Grove Village, IL. Early registration is highly recommended.

For reservations/information, call Jim & Kris at 630-577-0778 or contact us through <http://wwme-chicagoland.org>.

YEAR OF SACRAMENTS • ONE WORD AT A TIME

# Survive



Across a lifetime, if we regularly participate in the Mass, we receive Holy Communion so many times that we can scarcely count them. And this is a very good thing. We keep returning to receive the Eucharist in order to **survive**. An old Latin hymn calls the Eucharist *esca viatorum*, which means “the food of travelers.” It is an apt description of this great and wonderful sacrament.

We find ourselves on the road of life, and a bumpy road it is. We encounter smooth paths but also rough patches. We go straight ahead at times, but we also need to make detours. The journey can be arduous. We need sustenance. We need what it takes to survive. And that is the Eucharist, the sacrament of sustaining love and hope. With the Eucharist, we can keep moving with the knowledge that we are loved. With the Eucharist, we can advance because we know that we have a holy destination. With the Eucharist, we can survive the journey.

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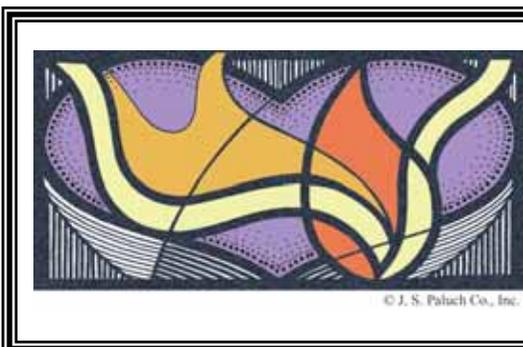
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### A Prayer to the Spirit

*Holy Spirit, who sent Christ Jesus to carry the Good news to the poor, we pray to you:*

*Help us to continue your work by serving the poor, our brothers and sisters.*

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**Let's Fill the Shelves. . . . .  
Food Pantry Update**



Thank you for your continued support of our local food pantry. As part of a service project, the St. Al's Women's Club will be featuring a "product of the month". This item will be a special request from the pantry for an item that is needed most. For **May we will collect "breakfast items, cereal, granola, pancake mix etc."** Any item you are able to give is gratefully accepted. The staples you provide are also necessary.

Your kindness and generosity are very much appreciated.

**Counseling By Fr. Rohrich**

Counseling services are available by Fr. Bob Rohrich at the DePaul Center, 212 Custer. Appointment times on weekdays are: 10 and 11 am and 5, 7, 8 and 9 pm. Father Bob counsels the engaged and married, as well as individuals for depression, anxiety, grieving, separation, divorce and other personal problems. The cost is a \$10.00 donation for each session.

Please call, 630-257-9235.

<b>PREGNANT? NEED HELP?</b>	
Waterleaf Women's Center	630-702-6270
National Birthright	1-800-848-LOVE
National Pregnancy Hotline	1-800-535-9947
National Adoption Hotline	1-202-463-7563
Rachael's Vineyard	1-866-99-4-GIVE
Natural Family Planning	1-312-534-8351
DuPage Catholic Charities Children's Services	630-495-6864
Southwest Region Chicago Catholic Charities Children Services	708-430-0428
The Nurturing Network	1-800-TNN-4MOM
Crisis Pregnancy	1-800-NO-ABORT 1-800-67-BABY-6
Woman's Choice Services	630-261-9221
Project Gabriel	1-877-734-2444



Access to education is critical and we know first-hand the impact a high quality education can have on children. **The Illinois Kids Campaign** is a broad, state-wide coalition of public and faith-based organizations, urging lawmakers to **Invest in Kids**.

The Campaign supports investments such as teacher and parental tax credits, scholarships for private school students, and funding for arts and capital programs. It benefits both public and private schools, and can open the doors for families to choose the school that's right for them.

Please lend your support, contact your lawmaker and learn more at [www.illinoiskidscampaign.org](http://www.illinoiskidscampaign.org).

The day begins before the park opens, with Mass at 10:00 a.m. Our new Vicar General, Very Rev. Ronald Hicks, will be the celebrant.

Reduced tickets at **\$35** per person and special prices for food.

Order tickets online at [www.SixFlags.com/GreatAmerica](http://www.SixFlags.com/GreatAmerica). Click on "Enter Promo Code" located at the top of the page on the far right side and enter: **CATHOLIC**.

Please **RSVP** for Mass at [StrategicPastoralPlan@ArchChicago.org](mailto:StrategicPastoralPlan@ArchChicago.org)  
For questions about Catholic Family Day, call 312-534-5316.

**“TO EVERYTHING THERE IS A SEASON  
AND A TIME FOR EVERY PURPOSE UNDER HEAVEN.”**

**“A Time to be Born through Baptism” —**

**“A Time to Love in Holy Matrimony” — Congratulations to: Julie Carbone and Justin Schultz**

**“A Time to Heal” —**

Joetta Karlos	Francis Rittenhouse	Dorothy Goushas	Melanie Williams	Patricia Dedek
Nora McDonnell	Baby Kenneth	Harriet Bromberek	Karl Knasiak	Sue Dyer
Mary Tadda	Bill Sullivan	Robert Trock	Tina Ruiz	Jim Musial
Baby Jordan	Greg Hoger	Keith Donofrio	Ashley Smith Kitzer	Carson Lee Umentum
Skrobot	Mary Tomy	Bonnie Posey	Randy Nowak	Marilyn Ransford
Nathan Parry	Roger B.	Ken Convalle	Dan Herzing	Gene Bozych
		William Bellair	Jay Hanrahan	

**“A Time of War” —**

Scott Bosco, USA, Kuwait	Joshua Plucinski, US Air Force,	Jason Fricka, USAF, Germany
Christopher Durkovic, USA, S. Korea	Germany	Andrew J. Bosko, Jr., USN,
Stanley M. Simrayh III, USN, Japan	David Borkowski, USN, Mississippi	Virginia Beach, VA
Alex Sullivan, USA, Italy	Joseph R. Pociask, USMC, San Diego	And all who serve our country.
Kevin Parker, USA, Fort Campbell	Jacob Christine, US Navy, Guatemala	

**“A Time to Die” —**

The military and innocent civilians who have died in the war.

**Please keep all these listed, and their families, in your prayers.**

**Are You Registered?**

Registering in a parish is a declaration of your desire to be part of a Catholic community and to make a commitment in all its dimensions. It also brings many advantages, recognition and responsibility. Being a registered parishioner makes the process much easier when it is time for infant baptism, school registration, weddings, when asked to be a baptismal or confirmation sponsor.

Registering here is very simple. You can go to our web page, [www.st-als.org](http://www.st-als.org), look under “Parish Registration,” and fill out the needed information. You can come into the office and fill out a registration form. If your time is limited, you can take the form home and return it via the collection basket on Sundays or mail it to the office.

A registered parishioner receives all parish mailings. Church law advises that territories or boundaries no longer limit parish registration. We accept anyone who wants to share in the life of our parish regardless of where they live.

Remember that you need to be a registered parishioner to partake in all the services that St. Alphonsus offers. Why not sign up?

You are surely welcome!

### Weekly Offering

May 16 & 17, 2015

Week's Need	\$12,869.00
Sunday's Collection	\$ 8,850.03
Electronic Fund (EFT)	\$
Surplus (Deficit)	(\$ 4,018.97)
Fiscal Year to Date	
Surplus (Deficit)	\$15,276.88
Last Year's weekly	
Collection	\$ 8,496.00

*Thank you for your support of our parish.*

### Electronic Fund Transfer

Electronic Fund Transfer, (EFT), is the process of automatically having your contribution offering transferred from your checking or saving account to St. Al's account.

#### What will EFT do for you?

- No more check writing
- No more remembering your envelope
- No more looking for the correct currency
- Automated record keeping

#### What will EFT do for St. Al's?

- Your offering arrives even when you are not able to attend mass
- You help us simplify our record keeping
- We are better able to plan and budget

If your financial situation changes, you may change or stop your payment at any time by calling the parish office. To sign up for Electronic Fund Transfer, complete the request for an EFT form. Return the completed form by mail or place in the collection basket marked Attn. Office Center. You will be sent an EFT form with more information about the EFT process. If you have any questions or concerns, please call the parish office, 630-257-2414.

### Electronic Funds Transfer Request Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone : \_\_\_\_\_

Envelope Number: \_\_\_\_\_

### Nepal Emergency Appeal



Please consider helping and praying for our Nepalese brothers and sisters in peril by donating to CRS to:

**ATTN: Nepal Emergency Appeal  
Catholic Relief Services  
3525 S. Lake Park Ave.  
Chicago, IL 60653**

Thousands of our Nepalese brothers and sisters are suffering death, displacement, and extreme loss due to the massive earthquakes that have affected Nepal and neighboring countries. Please pray for their comfort and peace in the midst of this natural disaster. Please consider donating to Catholic Relief Services:

<http://www.ChicagoPeaceAndJustice.org/NepalEmergencyAppeal>

### GAELIC PARK IRISH FESTIVAL 6119 West 147th Street Oak Forest

### Sponsoring An indoor/outdoor Irish Festival Memorial Day Weekend~

**May 23 thru May 25  
Saturday ~ 2-11pm  
Sunday ~ 1-11pm  
Monday ~ 1-8pm**

There will be two indoor, and four outdoor covered stages and covered seating areas, presenting continuous entertainment, Irish import stores, and unlimited carnival rides, Irish step dancing competition, food and refreshments.

For further information call 708-687-9323 or visit their website at [www.chicagogaelparkirishfest.org](http://www.chicagogaelparkirishfest.org).

# Mass Intentions

## Saturday, May 23

5:00 pm — Bernie Kucharski — *Ms. N. Stan*  
Philip Dupont — *McGuire Family*

## Sunday, May 24

7:30 am — Philip Dupont — *Judy & Tom Culcasi*  
9:00 am — Ed Perkey, Sr. — *Jody Sternat*  
Colleen Burns — *Kathy & Nick Lambrakis*  
Margaret Finnegan — *Krzyszowski Family*  
11:00 am — Anna Renc — *Family*  
John & Josephine Salbego — *Barb & Bob Salbego*  
Parishioners of St. Alphonsus  
5:00 pm — Raymond Zolecki — *Family*  
(Mass at St. Patrick Church)

## Monday, May 25, Memorial Day

7:30 am — All Our Deceased Loved Ones  
All Who Died in the Service of Our Country

## Tuesday, May 26

7:30 am — Susan M. Rynne (10th Anniv.) — *Rynne Family*

## Wednesday, May 27

7:30 am — Edward Perkey, Sr. — *Bill & MaryAnne Doherty*

## Thursday, May 28

7:30 am — Michael Dominic — *St. Alphonsus Parish*  
Ray Berst — *Fran & John Berst*

## Friday, May 29

7:30 am — Brian & Robert Cannon — *Marie Cannon Dudek*

## Saturday, May 30

5:00 pm — John Langowski — *Judy Langowski*  
Russell & Elaine Blovas — *Mary Kucharski*  
Peter Josephitis — *David & Phyllis*  
Leonard Kosiek (7th Anniv.) — *Kosiek Family*

## Sunday, May 31

7:30 am — Robert Byerwalter — *Family*  
Parishioners of St. Alphonsus  
9:00 am — Edward A. Perkey, Sr. — *Marge & Rich Bosko*  
Mary L. Stanton — *John A. Stanton, Sr.*  
Bill Sullivan — *Dalton Family*  
11:00 am — Joseph Florczak — *Family*  
Colleen Burns — *Jim & Sandy O'Shaughnessy*  
Deceased Members of the Ladies Auxiliary VFW #5819 —  
*Ladies Auxiliary VFW #5819*  
5:00 pm — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus  
(Mass at St. Patrick Church)

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Sir 17:20-24; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 10:17-27  
Tuesday: Sir 35:1-12; Ps 50:5-8, 14, 23; Mk 10:28-31  
Wednesday: Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13;  
Mk 10:32-45  
Thursday: Sir 42:15-25; Ps 33:2-9; Mk 10:46-52  
Friday: Sir 44:1, 9-13; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Mk 11:11-26  
Saturday: Sir 51:12cd-20; Ps 19:8-11; Mk 11:27-33  
Sunday: Dt 4:32-34, 39-40; Ps 33:4-6, 9, 18-20, 22;  
Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20

**PLEASE NOTE:** If you are celebrating a special event, wedding anniversary, etc. and request a blessing or renewal of vows, arrangements must be made in advance by calling the Parish Office, 630-257-2414. The blessings and/or renewal of vows, will take place after the Mass.

# Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Date	Time	Lector	Ministers	Servers	Music
May 30	5:00 pm	L. Jankowski	D. Rittenhouse G. Rittenhouse J. August	Gorski Family K. Hamilton	Cantor Ensemble & Keyboard
May 31	7:30 am	L. Gyls	M. Doherty D. Dabney M. Main	Pontrelli Family	
	9:00 am	G. Klaff	K. Lambrakis R. Meyer A. Padalik	A. Ascolani Meeks Family	Cantor Ensemble & Keyboard
	*11:00 am	H. Michniak	M. McGuire P. Loisi K. Gory B. Burke (C) D. Dabney(C)	Aiello Family A. Kaye	Cantor Ensemble & Keyboard
	5:00 pm Lemont Tri-Parish Mass at St. Pat's		* Communion under both species	St. Alphonsus Bulletin is a weekly publication of St. Alphonsus Catholic Community of Lemont, Illinois. All rights reserved. Printing by J. S. Paluch Co., Inc., Schiller Park, IL.	

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