

ST. ALPHONSUS CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

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St. Alphonsus Catholic Church

210 E. Logan, Lemont

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Business Hours:

Monday thru Friday: 8 am - 4 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

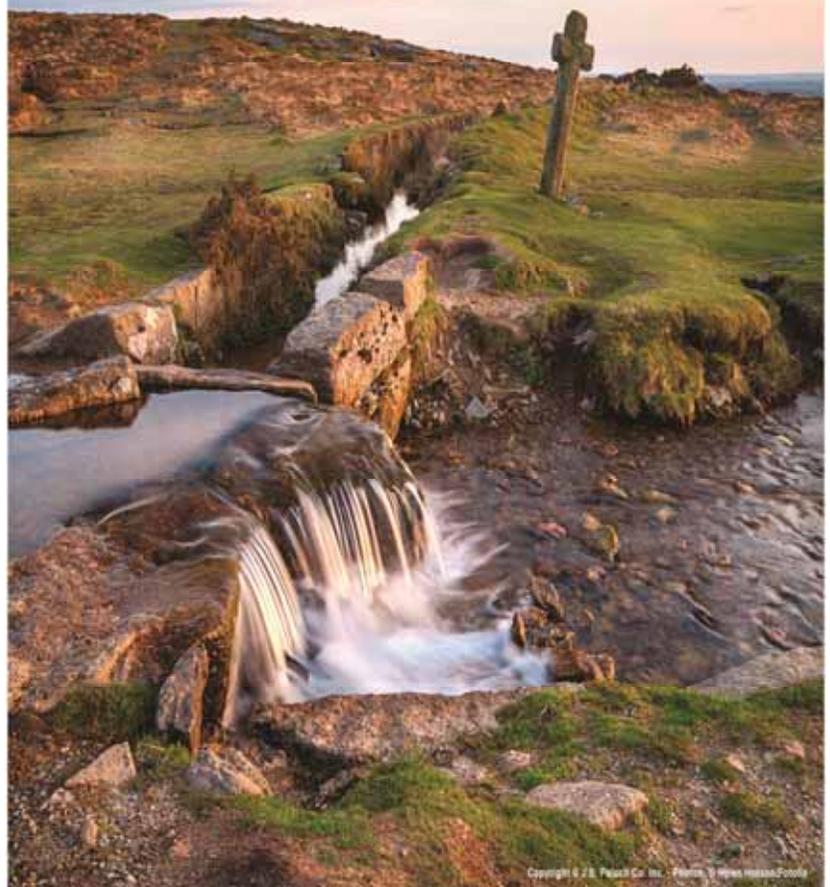
Contact the office, 257-2414 to receive a visit from a Minister of Care

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NOVEMBER 8, 2015

This poor widow put in
more than all the other
contributors to the treasury.

Mark 12:43



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.

Parish Staff

Pastor

Fr. Brian Ardagh

Tri-Parish Associate Pastor

Fr. Tom Hoffman

Resident

Fr. Robert Rohrich

Weekend Celebrant

Fr. Lou Zake

Diaconal Ministry:

Deacon Terry McGuire

Deacon Dan Rittenhouse

Director of Religious Education

Kevin Cody

Admin. Assistant for Religious Ed.

Melanie Terrazas

School Principal:

Renee Payne

Pastoral Associate:

Linda O'Connor

Office Coordinator:

Roseann Lucas

Accountant:

Carol Levas

Music Director

Joseph Martorano

Music Staff

Diane Marelli

SPRED: Carol Levas

Parish Pastoral Council Members

Mike Bruno

Bill Doherty

Diane Kaye

Deborah Kornacker

Sharon Kostas

Roy Tam

Terese Turner

James Zuccarelli

From Father Brian's Desk

Veterans Day

Every year on November 11th, we celebrate **Veterans Day**. We thank God for those men and women who have served in our United States of America Armed Forces, especially those who have faced combat and war. Obviously, they have sacrificed a great deal in order for us to celebrate our freedom and we thank them for their strength and courage. We also pray for those who are presently serving our country that they may avoid violence and conflict.

Here is an inspiring prayer from the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (U.S.C.C.B.) for those who have given their life to serve our country:

*Lord God, Almighty Father,
creator of all life and author of peace,
as we are ever mindful of the cost paid for the liberty we possess,
we ask you to bless the members of our armed forces.
Give them courage, hope and strength.
May they ever experience your firm support,
gentle love and compassionate healing.
Be their power and protector,
leading them from darkness to light.
To you be all glory, honor and praise,
now and forever. Amen.*

St. Alphonus/St. Patrick School News

St. Alphonus/Patrick School is also sponsoring a raffle for tickets to the **Chicago Bears vs. Denver Broncos** game on Nov. 22nd @ 12:00 p.m.. Raffle tickets are only \$10 and they can be returned to the Parish Office or in the blue "**Chicago Bears Box**" in the back of church. The drawing for the Bears tickets will take place on Monday, Nov. 9th at St. Als/St. Pats School.

On **Monday, Nov. 9th**, **Gelsosomo's Pizzeria** will host a St. Als/St. Pat's family night from 5:00 -10:00 p.m.. **Gelsosomo's Pizzeria** will donate 50% of all dine-in food orders to St. Alphonus/St. Patrick School. Come enjoy a wonderful meal and support our school!

Tri-Parish Anointing of the Sick Mass

On **Saturday, Nov. 14th** at 11:00 a.m. the Lemont Catholic parishes will sponsor an **Anointing of the Sick Mass** at Ss. Cyril & Methodius Church. Anyone who would like to receive the sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is invited to attend. There will also be a luncheon provided immediately following the liturgy.

If you would like to attend the luncheon, we ask that you please R.S.V.P. to Trish Nickleski of Ss. Cyril & Methodius at (630) 257-9314 or emailing her at religed@stcyril.org no later than noon Tuesday, November 10th.

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

My earliest memory of a widow was Aunt Lizzie: white-haired, seemingly very old, but kindly. (I was four, so she was probably in her sixties then—how one's perspective on age changes with time!) She lived with my godmother and uncle, having contributed some of her savings to help them buy a house. My second memory was of Lana Turner playing *The Merry Widow* in the 1952 movie of the same name. Both were light years away, historically and culturally, from the widows in today's readings.

The widows in biblical times were imperiled. If they did not have sons who would care for them, their very lives could be endangered. The widow in the first reading has a young son; she is collecting sticks to build a fire to prepare the last of her flour so they can eat and die. When Elijah asks her to prepare a cake for him, she generously does so—which proves to be her salvation. Later he even restores her son to life.

Jesus watches a widow put in her last—literally—two cents in the temple's coffers. He has previously warned about the scribes who "devour the houses of widows" while reciting lengthy prayers (Mark 12:40). Some say Jesus is lamenting the foolishness of this widow, like the prophets of the past who railed against the neglect of widows and orphans. But most think he is praising her generosity in giving "all she had, her whole livelihood" (12:44). Like her, Jesus will soon put all his trust in the Father.

—James A. Wallace, C.Ss.R.

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Living God's Word

*God of all, you have called to your people from the time of Moses
and through your prophets past and present,
but most especially through your Son, Jesus, to care for your little ones, for the poor, and the stranger.
Help us today to be attentive and active doers of your word.*

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*The Lord keeps faith forever, secures justice for the oppressed,
gives food to the hungry.*

— Psalm 146:7



GIVING ALL

Trusting widows play a significant role in this weekend's readings. At the point of poverty, when giving even the smallest amount of what they had could imperil their health and well-being, they trusted God and gave anyway. What is important about their giving is not what or how much they gave, but how they gave it. Without selfishness, they gave to help others. Their giving was from the heart, with little hope or intention of receiving any sort of reward or recognition for their generosity. The monetary values of the widows' gifts were small, but their value measured in the Kingdom was priceless.

There is a significant similarity between their gift and the gift Jesus gave each of us. The widows offered their lives for God. Jesus offered his life for us.

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Religious Education Update

FALL FAMILY SESSIONS THIS WEEK FOR GRADE-LEVELS 1 & 2



The sessions will take place this week in the classrooms on Track A & B, and in the Church Hall on Track C. Parents join their children for the lesson, discussion, and activities. In this session, we will take a look at a man who has been in the news a lot lately.. Pope Francis. We will discuss how he and the Church helps families live out our mission to love.

Our 4th & 5th Grade-level young people and their parents learned about and made their own rosaries, then used them for the first time.



RELIGION AND FAMILY STABILITY

There is a growing consensus that America needs to pursue policies aimed at re-strengthening the family. The beneficial effects of religious worship on family stability clearly indicate one way to help accomplish this. Professors Darwin L. Thomas and Gwendolyn C. Henry of Brigham Young University's Department of Sociology sum up research on the quest by young people for meaning and love: "Research on love clearly indicates that for many, love in the social realm cannot clearly be separated from love that contains a vertical or a divine element.... Young people see love as the central aspect of the meaning of life; they believe that religion is still important in helping form judgments and attitudes." Their conclusion: "family and religious institutions need to be studied simultaneously in our efforts to understand the human condition better." There is a relationship between family solidarity -- family health if you will -- and church affiliation and activity. In their studies churchgoing people were more likely to be married, remain married and to be highly satisfied with their marriages.

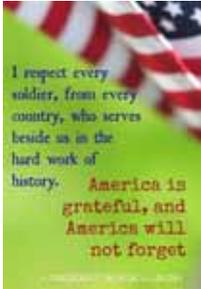


FIRST RECONCILIATION PARENT MEETING Tuesday, 11/17 at 7:00 P.M. in the Church Hall

All parents of children preparing for the sacrament (RE, St. Al's/St. Pat's, Everest Academy) are expected to attend to discuss the preparation and celebration of the sacrament of Reconciliation.

St. Alphonsus-St. Patrick School News

Check out our website: www.stals-stpats.org



America is founded on the principle of freedom, justice, and liberty for all. Our nation’s soldiers serve every day to protect our country and its ideals. On Veteran’s Day, take a sacred moment to remember those who sacrifice their lives every moment to achieve peace and democracy. St. Alphonsus/St. Patrick School would like to honor veterans at our Veteran’s Day Prayer Service on Wednesday, November 11, at 8:30 a.m., followed by a reception. If you know of a veteran that could be included on this day, please invite him or her, or email school with the veteran’s name and phone number and we will be pleased to extend an invitation.

Please send names and numbers to schooloffice@stals-stpats.org no later than Tuesday, November 10.

Name	School Relationship	Service	Years	War
Sgt. James Doe	Mary Doe’s Grandfather	Army	1970-1974	Vietnam

Last chance to you get your raffle tickets!

**Bears vs. Broncos
November 22nd
Soldiers Field**



St. Alphonsus/St. Patrick School is sponsoring a raffle. Purchase a \$10 raffle ticket — “raffle ticket” envelopes are at the back of church. Place your **“completed raffle ticket envelope”** in the **“Bears Collection Box”** at the back of church or bring it to the Parish Office. The drawing will be November 9. And don’t forget to cheer on our Chicago Bears – they could use all the help they can get!!! Additional “raffle tickets” are available in the school office.



Too busy to prepare dinner? Gelsosomo’s will donate 50% of **ALL** dine-in food orders **Monday evening, November 9th, from 5:00-10:00 p.m.** to St. Alphonsus/St. Patrick School! Come out to visit with friends, neighbors and family...hope to see you there!



The Book of the Dead

November is the month we traditionally remember all our departed friends and family. We have the Book of the Dead in the back of church. Please write the name of those you would like remembered and they will be prayed for. The book will be out for the month of November.

Tri-Parish Anointing of the Sick Bilingual Mass



On Saturday, November 14th, SS. Cyril & Methodius Parish will celebrate the Anointing of the Sick at the 11 AM Mass. This will be a bilingual (English-Polish) Mass.

We extend an invitation to those in our Tri-Parish Family who feel that the Celebration of Anointing

will provide help for them in sickness and aging of their bodies.

In the past, the Anointing was done near the time of death. Theology today understands Anointing as the Sacrament of the sick rather than at the time of approaching death. The Anointing of the Sick is the prayer of Christ and His Church for the physical and spiritual health of the sick person.

Who may be Anointed?

- ❖ A sick person may be Anointed before he/she undergoes surgery, whether or not the surgery is serious.
- ❖ Persons with chronic illness.
- ❖ Older persons, even if they are not suffering from dangerous illness.
- ❖ Mentally disabled persons and chemically dependent persons.
- ❖ A sick child may be Anointed in order to be comforted and uplifted by the Sacrament.

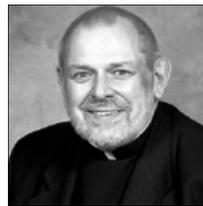
After the Mass there will be a luncheon for all those who attend in our school gym. In order for us to prepare for this luncheon we ask that you RSVP by calling Trish at 630-257-9314 or emailing her at religed@stcyril.org by noon on Tuesday, November 10th..

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DEVELOPING YOUR MORAL COMPASS: IS THERE AN OBJECTIVE MORAL TRUTH AND, IF SO, WHERE WILL YOU FIND IT?

**Tuesday, November 10, 2015 AT 7-8:30 PM
St Christina Parish Ministry Center
11005 S. Homan, Chicago 773/779-7181**



Speaker: Rev. Ronald Mass

Is there a value to having a moral compass, especially when your life is under stress and duress - and you're likely to make impulsive choices?

This presentation will give you ways to strengthen your conscience so it is reliable in crisis, rather than just shooting from the hip in each and every situation. We will work on developing tools for applying a moral standard to your day to day decision making - as well as how to filter what the modern culture says through this Catholic moral perspective.

We appreciate your registration in advance so we have enough space and handout for you. You can register by calling St Germaine Parish or going to the Vicariate V Website. <http://www.ministrycommissionv5.com>



CHILDREN'S CHOIR FOR CHRISTMAS

All children in third grade and older are invited to participate in the special children's choir at the 3:30 pm Christmas Eve Mass.

Rehearsals will begin on Thursday, December 3rd from 5:00 –6:00 p.m. in the Religious Education Building.

For more details please contact Joe Martorano at 708-828-5095.

Lemont TRI-PARISH ADVENT MISSION 2015

Reflections on Jesus, the Messiah: "Who He Was and What He Wanted For Us and the World"

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 29
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 30
& TUESDAY DECEMBER 1
 7:30PM EACH NIGHT

WITH **F. LARRY GORSKI**

ST. PATRICK CHURCH
 200 E. ILLINOIS STREET, LEMONT
 630-257-4640
www.StPatrickLemont.org

All Are Welcome



Eucharistic Adoration Is...

- ...a privileged time for growing in Christ.
- ...a source of healing, wholeness and fulfillment.
- ...a way to deepen our living of the Eucharistic Celebration in all its fullness.

St. Alphonsus offers Eucharistic Adoration to all parishioners and non-parishioners every Tuesday from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm in the Chapel of Mercy, located in the Parish Center. Come for an hour, half-hour or even just a quick visit.

Our Lord welcomes every one.

SOJOURN TO A JOYFUL HEART
The Francis Effect
 Presented by Dr. Mary Amore
 Executive Director Mayslake Ministries

Join us as we explore the inspirational writings of Pope Francis and the ways in which he is calling us to live as joyful disciples in this world. This presentation will include the following topics: friendship with Jesus, a response of love and mercy, and spirit-filled discipleship.

Tuesday
November 17th ~ 7-9pm
St. Patrick Parish ~ 200 E Illinois St
COST: \$20.00

Presenter:
Dr. Mary Amore ... holds a Doctor of Ministry Degree in Liturgy and Master of Arts in Pastoral Studies from Catholic Theological Union. Dr. Amore is the author of *Primary Symbols of Worship* and the *Call to Participation*, as well as the creator of the DVD Series: *Eucharist: Pathway of Transformation, Healing and Discipleship* published by Pauline Media. A Cardinal Bernardin Scholar and distinguished member of the North American Academy of Liturgy, Mary has been a presenter at the RE Congress, University of Dallas Ministry Conference, Diocese of New Hampshire Ministry Conference, as well as conducting parish missions, retreats, and adult faith formation programs. A monthly blogger for Catholic Mom. com, and a columnist for Ministry and Liturgy magazine, Dr. Amore serves as the Executive Director of Mayslake Ministries.

REGISTER:

- Online: Paypal www.mayslakeministries.org
- Phone: 630-852-9000

Mail: Send your full name, complete mailing address, phone number and email address along with the date and name of the program you wish to attend with your check payable to:

Mayslake Ministries
 718 E Ogden Ave, Suite 200
 Downers Grove, IL 60515



For all who Love and Proclaim
The Word of God
for Seasoned and New Lectors !

**Vicariate V Ministry Commission presents
Lector Enrichment
The Word of God: In the Heart and On the Lips
(and Always in that Order !)**

**Presenter: Graziano Marcheschi
Monday, November 16th, 7:00—8:30 PM
St. Xavier University (McDonough Chapel)
3700 W. 103rd St., Chicago, IL 60655
Contact: Mary Rita Insley, 773-298-3900**

Being a Minister of the Word is a call to transformation. Our parents knew that those we spend our time with rub off on us. Spending time with God's Word changes us; it makes us look more like Christ, which is the goal of the Christian life. During our time together we will explore this wonderful ministry and discuss the sometimes surprising, sometimes challenging themes we will encounter during the coming liturgical year going to the Well of God's Word for refreshment and renewal.

Graziano Marcheschi has an M.A. in Theater from the University of Minnesota, an M.Div. from Loyola University Chicago and a D.Min from University of St. Mary of the Lake Seminary. Currently, Vice President for Mission and Ministry at St. Xavier University, Graziano is a former advisor to the Subcommittee on Lay Ecclesial Ministry of the USCCB and member of the Board of Directors of the National Assoc for Lay Ministry. As an author, educator and storyteller, Graziano speaks frequently at national gatherings on ministry and catechesis. He has authored nine volumes of Workbook for Lectors and Gospel Readers, including the 2016 edition (LTP). He and his wife, Nancy, lead prayer through the performing arts at conferences and prayer gatherings locally and nationally.

**To register contact Kathy McNicholas at kmenicholas@incarnationcatholic.com,
Phone 708-388-4004, Fax 708-597-2452**



MANY THANKS

A most grateful and heart felt "Thank You" to all who contributed to the Knights of Columbus Intellectual Disabilities Drive (Tootsie Roll Drive) on October 18, after all the Masses. Your generosity overwhelmed all who are associated with the event. Know that every penny is used to help those people with Special Needs and that 90% of the money collected in Lemont is distributed to organizations which provide services to people with special needs in Lemont. The remaining 10% is used by the State Council of Knights of Columbus to support major Charities across the state of Illinois. Thank you once more from us and all who will benefit from your generosity. God Bless you and your families.

Lemont Knights of Columbus

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY AT THE WOMEN'S CENTER

The Women's Center (a Catholic-based organization helping women in crisis pregnancies offering life-affirming alternatives to abortion) needs YOU! Are you a college student, retired adult, or servant-hearted person with M-F 9am-5pm availability, looking to build your resume or lend a hand? Starting immediately, your help is needed to prepare bottles (clean, tag, and box them) for our next Baby Bottle Campaign so they can be sent to churches and schools. The spare change we collect in this campaign is our biggest fundraiser! It is a perfect project for a group of folks that wants to talk while working on a project or for single volunteers. We are located at 5116 N. Cicero Ave. Hours are flexible but regular weekly hours are ideal. Or make a day of it: clean bottles 9am-12noon, attend Mass in our chapel at noon, eat lunch, then help till 5pm. Please let me know if you are interested. Reach out to Paige at pscarlett@womens-center.org or 773.794.8807 for more details or to learn of other volunteer opportunities at The Women's Center.

**“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:

“A Time to Heal” —

Joetta Karlos	Patty Baldrige	Dorothy Goushas	Melanie Williams	Patricia Dedek
Nora McDonnell	Baby Kenneth	Robert Trock	Karl Knasiak	Sue Dyer
Mary Tadda	Bill Sullivan	Bonnie Posey	Tina Ruiz	Jim Musial
Nathan Parry	Greg Hoger	Ken Convalle	Ashley Smith Kitzer	Carson Lee Umentum
Debra Walden	Mary Tomy	Virginia Henry	Randy Nowak	Marilyn Ransford
Ray DeNardis	Kandice Marie Sasak	Clemns Goushas	Dan Herzing	David Nenn
	John Cacciato	Linda Heeg	Duane Billedeau	Jim Kulikauskas
		Annamarie		
		Challenger		

“A Time of War” --

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

St. Elizabeth Seton Fair Trade Craft Fair

SATURDAY & SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21st & 22nd

Light a candle of hope this Christmas with the Social Action Ministry of St. Elizabeth Seton Parish as they turn their church hall into a Fair Trade Artisan craft store on Saturday, Nov. 21 from 9am to 7pm and Sunday, Nov. 22 from 8am to 2pm.

Hundreds of handmade baskets, ornaments, toys, jewelry, teas, coffees, chocolates, musical instruments, candle holders, home décor, lotions, knits, dips, soups, cd's and more will be offered – all created by artisans from developing countries around the world and marketed by Ten Thousand Villages (one of the oldest Fair Trade nonprofit organizations). The term "fair trade" means developing a trading partnership aimed at sustainable development. For this to happen, fair wages must be paid, safe working conditions provided and the middle man does not consume the profits.

Stop in to sample fresh brewed fair trade coffee, chocolates, dips and a variety of olive oils. Your purchase can create new possibilities and dignity for those living in need by alleviating poverty through trade rather than aid.

St. Elizabeth Seton Church is located at 9300 W. 167th St. in Orland Hills, IL. Free refreshments served. For more information on Ten Thousand Villages please visit www.tenthousandvillages.com.

Weekly Offering

October 31 & November 1, 2015

Week's Need	\$12,869.00
Sunday's Collection	\$ 9,965.31
All Saints	\$ 872.25
All Souls	\$ 578.00
Electronic Fund (EFT)	\$
Surplus (Deficit)	(\$ 1,453.44)
Fiscal Year to Date	
Surplus (Deficit)	(\$36,532.45)
Last Year's weekly	
Collection	\$ 10,244.00

Thank you for your support of our parish.

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 **November we will collect "baking products such as flour, sugar, cake mixes, frosting, 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.



Parish Offices will be closed on Wednesday, November 11th in observance of Veterans Day. We will reopen on Thursday, November 12th.

Solemnity of Christ the King and Celebration of the Our Lady of the Angels House of Prayer Anniversary November 22, 2015

The School Sisters of Christ the King invite you to join them in their celebration of the 25th Anniversary of the Our Lady of the Angels House of Prayer.

This ministry of prayer has blossomed beyond our imaginations and become for many a place of special meeting with our loving God. We rejoice together that the Lord has blessed our hopes and dreams and allowed us to minister to others through our prayer and service in this very needed ministry.

- 1:45—5:00 PM Our Lady House of Prayer open for prayer and tours.
- 2:00PM Benediction
- 2—5:30PM Refreshments in the cafeteria Mt. Assisi Building

For more information or questions, please contact Carrie Peters 630-25778441, ext.223 or carriepeters2@sbcglobal.net



featuring
Patrick McCaskey

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2015
8 am -11am

Sports
and
Faith

Join us for Mass, Breakfast and this Inspirational Talk!



DATE/TIME: Saturday, 11/21/2015; 8-11am
LOCATION: St. Mary of Gostyn Parish
445 Prairie Ave
Downers Grove, IL 60515
PRESENTER: Pat McCaskey
COST: \$35.00 per person or \$250.00 for table of 8




Register online or by phone
www.mayslakeministries.org
630-852-9000

Lemont Chamber of Commerce & Amita Health Adventist Medical Center, Bolingbrook

4th Annual Ladies' Night Out Celebrating Women

Thursday, November 12th, 5:30 pm — 8:30 pm

Crystal Grand Banquets
12416 Archer Avenue, Lemont

Food, Fashion, Fun & Friends
Appetizer Buffet/Cash Bar
Boutique Shopping open all evening
Fashion show at 6:30 pm
Ticket price \$30

Register on line at www.lemontchamber.com or call the Chamber office at 630-257-5997.

***A portion of the proceeds to benefit Hope & Friendship's Thanksgiving Meal Program for those in need in Lemont.*



Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 7

5:00 pm — Jerry Lichtenwalter — *Family*
 James Clementi — *Family*
 Bernie Kucharski — *Mr. & Mrs. J. Alexander*
 Ernest Dalpos — *Tony Dalpos*

Sunday, November 8

7:30 am — Jozef Dziaba — *Family*
 Parishioners of St. Alphonsus
 9:00 am — Harriet Bromberek — *Ron & Nita Bromberek*
 Helen & Joseph McElligott — *Jim & Pat McElligott & Anne Nolan*

Mildred & Orville Tessum — *Linn Eldred*
 Rosaline Reed — *Linn Eldred*

11:00 am — Louise Metido — *McGuire Family*
 Helen, Casey & Eric Galasinski — *Family*
 Elaine Bronk — *Ralph & Bonnie Shroyer*
 Mary Wheatley — *Kathleen Mannix & Family*

5:00 pm — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus Parish
 (Mass at St. Patrick Church)

Monday, November 9

7:30 am — Healing for Kathy Gibbons — *Osborne Family*

Tuesday, November 10

7:30 am — Jozef Dziaba — *Family*
 Ernest Dalpos — *Gloria Dalpos*

Wednesday, November 11

7:30 am — Patricia Slaboszewski — *Senior Kindred Spirits*
 All Living and Deceased Veterans

Thursday, November 12

7:30 am — Michael Maruszczak — *St. Alphonsus Parish*
 James Gorman — *Wilms Family*

Friday, November 13

7:30 am — Sam & Josephine DiNovo — *Marie Cannon Dudek*
 Rita Zolecki — *Family*

Saturday, November 14

5:00 pm — Ted & Marie Gancarz — *Butch Gancarz*
 In Thanksgiving 25th Wedding Anniversary of
 Judy & Dan Techman — *Family*

Sunday, November 15

7:30 am — Charlotte & Walter Suda — *Family*
 Jozef Dziaba — *Family*
 Irene Zurowski — *Gasperec Family*
 9:00 am — Joanne Flesvig — *Anne Lichtenwalter*
 Andrea Mustari — *Anne Lichtenwalter*
 Helen & Joseph McElligott — *Jim & Pat McElligott & Anne Nolan*

11:00 am — Joan Kastenholz — *Dalton Family*
 Parishioners of St. Alphonsus

5:00 pm — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus (Mass at St. Patrick Church)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22
 Tuesday: Wis 2:23 — 3:9; Ps 34:2-3, 16-19; Lk 17:7-10
 Wednesday: Wis 6:1-11; Ps 82:3-4, 6-7; Lk 17:11-19
 Thursday: Wis 7:22b — 8:1; Ps 119:89-91, 130, 135, 175; Lk 17:20-25
 Friday: Wis 13:1-9; Ps 19:2-5ab; Lk 17:26-37
 Saturday: Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9; Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43; Lk 18:1-8
 Sunday: Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16:5, 8-11; Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

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
Nov. 14	5:00 pm	B. Waligorski	C. Levas G. Smith A. Pascente	Gorski Family W. Tarazi	Bell Choir
Nov. 15	*7:30 am	KC Wollenberg	B. Rogers M. Main M. Doherty C. Kuhlman (C) G. Umentum (C)	Bozue Family	
	9:00 am	P. Browne	E. Bruno M. Roenitz K. Lambrakis	Meeks Family	Parish Choir
	11:00 am	J. Chiaramonte	D. Chiaramonte D. Rittenhouse G. Rittenhouse K. Gory	A. Mierzycki F. Kula A. Ward	Treble Ensemble
	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.	

Gather Hymnal

Mass of Joy & Peace

Setting Two

- Gloria #207
- Gospel Acclamation #208
- Holy, Holy #211
- Memorial Acclamation #213 (B)
- Great Amen #215
- Lamb of God #216