



# ST. ALPHONSUS CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

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## St. Alphonsus Catholic Church

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Business Hours:  
Monday thru Friday: 8 am - 4 pm

### Mass Schedule

#### Weekend Schedule

Saturday: 4:00 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—3:00 to 3:30 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

**Palm Sunday**  
OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

*Blessed  
is the  
king*

who comes in the  
name of the Lord.

LUKE 19:38

MARCH  
20 2016

**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

*Tri-Parish Associate Pastor*

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*Resident*

Fr. Robert Rohrich

*Weekend Celebrant*

Fr. Lou Zake

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Council Members*

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Terese Turner

James Zuccarelli

## *From Father Brian's Desk*

As we celebrate Palm Sunday this weekend, it gives us an opportunity to reflect on the life of Jesus, but also be proud of who we are as Christians. Our 8<sup>th</sup> Graders received the Sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday, March 19<sup>th</sup> and they proclaimed that they desire to be active members of the Catholic Church. We congratulate our newly Confirmed as they continue on their journey of faith!

Palm Sunday was a joyous time for the followers of Jesus over 2000 years ago as they waved their palm branches proclaiming Jesus as their new king. We, as Christians and Catholics, realize that Palm Sunday is the beginning of the holiest weeks of the year. That being said, I would like to invite you to take advantage of some of the opportunities for prayer this **Holy Week**.

On **Monday, March 21<sup>st</sup>**, there will be a wonderful chance to prepare for Easter through the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Our annual **Lemont Tri-Parish Reconciliation Service** will take place at **Ss. Cyril & Methodius** from **5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.** and from **7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.**. There will be a number of priests present who will listen to Confession and share the great prayer of Absolution. Some of the priests will be able to listen to Confession in English and Polish.

**Holy Thursday** is a great celebration of the Last Supper and the idea of service to others. During our Holy Thursday Liturgy on **March 24<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.**, members of the parish are invited to wash the feet of those who are in the congregation as a remembrance of Jesus washing the feet of the Apostles. After the conclusion of the Holy Thursday Liturgy, the church will remain open until **11:00 p.m.** for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

On **Good Friday**, we recall the death of our Lord Jesus Christ. On Friday, **March 25<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 p.m.**, we will offer a **Good Friday Prayer Service with Veneration of the Cross and Holy Communion**.

The **Easter Vigil** on **Saturday, March 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.** is considered by the Catholic Church as the greatest celebration of our faith. Not only do we celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus Christ, but we also welcome our new members into our community through Baptism, First Eucharist and Confirmation.

The commemoration of the Resurrection of Jesus Christ at the Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday is a wonderful occasion to be proud to be called Christian and Catholic. Through prayers, readings, music and song, we come together as a community of believers in Jesus, but we also thank God for everything that we have already.

Please join us for the holiest week of the Church year as we celebrate our faith!

*Fr. Brian Ardagh*

## **Confirmation ~ Class of 2016**

*God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit  
which has been given to us. Romans 5:5*

Congratulations to the following students who received the sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday.  
May the Holy Spirit fill you with happiness and many blessings in the days to come  
and with the wonder of His love always.

**Abbey Ascolani  
William Bozue  
Jack Brady  
Michael Bulanda  
Isabella Calcagno  
Luke Celovsky  
Madison Creamer  
Alyssa Daley  
Delaney DeWalls  
Joey Durkin  
Thomas Faron  
Kyra Feltz  
Maggie Ferguson  
Tyler Filippini  
Tatyana Galarza  
Evan Goodman  
Michelle Graefen  
Jayme Gross**

**Cassandra Hamilton  
Danielle Hanson  
Sarah Kerfin  
Kelsey Klukas  
Kyle Kohn  
Nicole Komendant  
Anthony Leonardo  
Ralphie Loisi  
Sean Lyons**



**Claire O'Malley  
Emily Plaszewski  
Nina Polivka  
Alyssa Quaid  
Grace Re  
Samantha Rodriguez  
Taylor Shimkus  
Mary Ann Shurilla  
Julia Siston  
Gavin Storti  
Grant Sullivan  
John Tomas  
Andrew Ward  
Madeline Wasmund  
Alexis Webb  
Brianna Weber  
Christie Yanku  
Kyle Zator**

**Noah Marino  
Jessica Martinez  
Meredith Mathias  
Nina Mazzotti  
Carson Michniak  
Nicholas Muscolino  
Michael Mussalem  
Matthew Nelson**



# Religious Education Update

## FAMILY SESSIONS FOR 5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

Track A will be in the classroom, and Track C will be in the Church Hall.

Family Sessions for 5<sup>th</sup> Grade will take place this week.

## KEEP CHILDREN IN OUR CHILDREN'S RCIA IN YOUR PRAYERS



Max & Selin Batovski have been preparing for their Baptism and First Communion in our RCIA for Children and as students at Everest Academy. We will welcome them as members of the Catholic Church

and initiated members of our faith community at the Easter Vigil.

## MEET A NEW CATECHIST

We are so grateful for those parishioners who step forward to answer the call to assist parents in raising their children in the faith by joining our catechist team. This is the 2<sup>nd</sup> in a series introducing those people who stepped forward this year.

Lauryn Lellos is one of our former students who has come back to help pass on the faith while continuing to grow in her faith through this ministry. Lauryn is a high school sophomore who is assisting her mother, Caryn. Lauryn says that she enjoys using what she learns to help kids learn about the Catholic faith.



## WHY GO TO THE HOLY WEEK SERVICES?

We may sometimes avoid Holy Week because it's pretty much of a downer and not very uplifting. Who wants to hear about betrayal of friends and a gruesome death?

People today believe in the power of positive thinking and in happiness, and in believing these things, they are very shrewd. For people of this world have only the present moment, and if they are unhappy in it, they have lost something. But we who are Christians can endure unhappiness and sadness and loneliness and backstabbing and betrayal and friendlessness and poverty and hunger and thirst; we can face mourning and grief and even death, because Jesus faced all those things. As Christians, we know that Jesus' suffering was His way to glory, and his Crucifixion was the door to His Resurrection. We know that He ascended on high and sits, alive and well, at the right hand of His Father, where He rules over all things. We can face our own crucifixions in life, because we know that we will share in His Resurrection on the Last Day!

In today's Gospel, we hear that there were crowds who cheered Jesus as the King, but where were all those fair-weather friends when Jesus prayed in agony on Gethsemane, and where were they when He hung upon the cross?

Therefore, this Holy Week let us show that we as Christians are not just Jesus' groupies, we are His friends. Let us be bold to join Him, fasting in the wilderness during Lent; let us be bold to pray with Him in the garden on Holy Thursday, let us fearlessly stand at the foot of His cross and venerate it on Good Friday, so that we may witness His Resurrection and His Ascension, and join in His Good News! And on that Last Day, when Jesus brushes away the groupies, let us be among His true friends, whom He welcomes into His glory.

## EASTER EGG HUNT!

The Little Tykes for Christ program invites all Pre-K children and their families to participate in the egg hunt, activities, games, while learning about Easter. It will start following the 10:00 Blessing of the Easter Baskets at the RE Building. The hunt will take place outside... weather permitting.



# St. Alphonsus-St. Patrick School News



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**St. Alphonsus/St. Patrick School of Lemont is pleased to announce their Academic Honor Rolls for the Second Trimester of the 2015-2016 school year.**

**3.7 or above grade point average:**

**Grade 8**

William Bozue, Zachary Clark, Kyle Kohn, Carson Michniak, Madeline Wasmund, Marina Zeglin

**Grade 7**

Christopher Calhoun, Paige Connolly, Jack Giobbia, Abigail Gorski, Will Gorski, Connor Kirk, Ryan Madera, Tatiana Simrayh

**Grade 6**

Luke Alfonso, Logan Masterson, Ian McGuire, Scarlett O’Hara, Ryan Ondracek, Julia Phelan, Alex Piet, Colin Treanor, Matthew Zintek

**Grade 5**

Caleb Bozue, Nick Valenti

**Grade 4**

Lia Alfonso, Jeremy DeWilkns, Zachary Farrell, Michael Leonard, Joseph Madden, Jackson O’Hara, Matthew Ondracek, Anne Piet, Alessandrea Sarno, Maximillian Schuette

**3.0 grade point average :**

**Grade 8**

Luke Celovsky, Sarah Kerfin, Andrew King, Nicole Komendant, Mateo Salinas, Jennye Urbanick, Andrew Ward

**Grade 7**

Alexandria Laga, Gabriela Salinas, Ela Svabek, Michael Valenti

**Grade 6**

Vince Caruso, Ryan Egofske, Brayden Garrigan, Bridget Murphy

**Grade 5**

Christin Badescu, Nicholas Buczyna, Garret Calhoun, Bobby DiDomenico, Michael Edwards, Adriana Enacopol, Connor King, Jack Madera

**Grade 4**

Danny Drobnic, Sophia Filipek, Maria Fiore, Grace Gawenda, Brenden Malone, Maia Sanchez, Sophia Sarno, Casey Treanor



## School Fundraiser provides Scholarship Monies for Students

As part of our annual Magazine Drive last fall, the magazine company, Great American Opportunities, offered **Tuition Rewards through SAGE Scholars** as a prize for sales. **St. Alphonsus/St. Patrick School families earned \$101,500 in scholarship monies through this program!** The Tuition Rewards can be redeemed at over 340 participating private colleges and universities. Sales of \$100 equaled \$1,000 in Tuition Rewards Points; and \$250 in sales equaled \$2,500 Tuition Rewards Points. Families may be enrolled or add to their account each year so save your subscription renewals for next September’s Magazine Drive!

Ms. Renee Payne, Principal

# Holy Week & Easter Schedule

## **Palm Sunday**

Saturday, March 19th, 5:00 pm Mass

Sunday, March 20th, 7:30 am, 9:00 am, and 11:00 am Masses

## **Monday, March 21st**

### **THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS):**

The Lemont Tri-Parish Communal Reconciliation Service

will be held at SS. Cyril and Methodius Church from

5:00 pm to 6:00 pm and 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm

A group of priests will be available for confessions during the service(s).

## **Holy Thursday**

March 24th

7:30 am Prayer Service ~ Liturgy of the Hours in Church

7:00 pm Mass in Church

Adoration in the Church after 7:00 pm Mass until 11:00 pm

## **Good Friday**

March 25th

7:30 am Prayer Service ~ Liturgy of the Hours in Church

3:00 pm The Lord's Passion Prayer Service with Communion

## **Holy Saturday**

March 26th

8:00 am Prayer Service ~ Liturgy of the Hours in Church

10:00 am Blessing of Easter Baskets in the Church Hall

7:00 pm Easter Vigil Mass in the Church

## **Easter Sunday**

March 27th

7:30 am Mass in Church                      9:00 am Mass in Church

7:30 am Mass in the Church Hall        9:00 am Mass in the Church Hall

11:00 am Mass in Church

11:00 am Mass in the Church Hall




The Parish Offices will be closed on Good Friday, March 25 and Easter Monday, March 28th.

We will reopen on Tuesday, March 29th.

**JUBILEE OF MERCY**

**PRAY**  
FOR THE LIVING  
AND THE DEAD

We extend the mercy of God to our brothers and sisters, living and deceased, when we intercede for them and place them in God's hands. In these prayers, we are connected with our brothers and sisters and with the merciful Lord himself. *I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him.* (Ephesians 1:16-17)



**ONE WORD  
AT A TIME**

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**Jubilee Year of Mercy**  
**March 20, 2016**  
**Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion**

*Misericordiae Vultus: The Face of Mercy* is Pope Francis' official decree announcing this *Jubilee Year of Mercy*. But Francis had already declared that Jesus "has shown the face of God's mercy" back in 2013 on his first Palm Sunday as pope. Francis described Luke's account of Jesus' entrance into Jerusalem: "Crowds, celebrating, praise, blessing, peace: joy fills the air. Jesus has awakened great hopes, especially in the hearts of the simple, the humble, the poor, the forgotten, those who do not matter in the eyes of the world. He understands human sufferings . . . has bent down to heal body and soul." Entering Jerusalem, Jesus looks at all of us with love, Francis continued, at our sicknesses and sins. "A beautiful scene, full of light—the light of the love of Jesus" (Pope Francis, Palm Sunday homily, March 24, 2013). May this Jubilee Year's Holy Week and Triduum make us Jesus' own light-bearers and love-givers to all who long to see the Face of Mercy.

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**CRS Rice Bowl Project**



Our own country is featured in this week's CRS Rice Bowl. Some of our monetary donations stay right here in the United States. Centro Latino is supported by Catholic Charities in the Archdiocese of Louisville, Kentucky. They distribute food and clothing to those in need and provide educational opportunities so that those who benefit from CRS donations can improve themselves and work toward becoming self-sufficient.

As we approach the end of our Lenten journey, we pray that our sacrifices may be an offering of solidarity and become a habit of continued support of the poor and vulnerable.

Here is a prayer from Catholic Relief Services to help us put our Lenten sacrifices toward CRS Rice Bowl in perspective:

Loving God,  
You call us to be good stewards of creation and of all the gifts you have blessed us with. As we end our Lenten journey, may we always remember to love our neighbors as ourselves.  
Wherever we feed the hungry,  
give drink to the thirsty or clothe the naked,  
may we remember that we are encountering the risen Christ.  
We ask this through Christ the Lord. Amen.

Rice Bowls may be returned this weekend and through Holy Week or dropped off at the Parish Office.



The St. Elizabeth Seton Music Ministry featuring the Adult and Teen choirs, Orchestra and Liturgical Dancers under the direction of Linda McKeague invite you to Our Palm Sunday Cantata,  
**"Once Upon A Tree"**  
**March 20th — 3pm**  
**St. Elizabeth Seton Church**  
**9300 W. 167th Street**  
**Orland Hills, IL**  
**708-403-0101.**

## Religious Freedom and Sanctity of Life

Join us every Wednesday at 3:00pm at St. Alphonsus Chapel to pray the Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy for both of the above. We are living in trying times so we must all try to do the most we can to protect our freedoms and support life from conception to natural death. What better way to do it than to pray and then let God.

## Help the Vulnerable: Urge Elected Leaders to Pass a State Budget



Every 30 seconds someone counts on Catholic Charities for help. We are now asking for your help. Please lend your voice to advocate for the State of

Illinois to end its budget stalemate and pass a budget that cares for the poor and most vulnerable in our communities. Catholic Charities is currently owed more than \$25 million by the State of Illinois – a number that grows by at least \$2 million per month.

Please take time today to call your state elected officials with this simple message, *"I am a voter in your district. I am contacting you on behalf of the poor and vulnerable people who depend on our state's safety net of human services, especially the more than 1 million people served by Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Chicago."* If you do not know who your state representative and senator are, please call the State Board of Elections at (217) 782-4141 or visit [www.elections.il.gov](http://www.elections.il.gov) and click on "New District/ Official Search."

You can find more information and a template advocacy letter at [www.CatholicCharities.net](http://www.CatholicCharities.net) on the homepage.

## 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 **March we will collect laundry detergent, softener and soap.** 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.

## AGE OPTIONS

Connecting Older Adults with Community-based Resources and Options

### Take Charge of Your Diabetes Program

Evidence-based health programs for older adults and their caregivers  
 Sponsored by Age Options and Lemont Township

### Discover how to *Take Charge of Your Diabetes!*"

6 Week Workshop Begins on  
 Wednesday, March 23rd — 1:30 p.m.-4:00p.m.  
 Lemont Township, 1115 Warner Avenue  
 Call 630-257-2522 to Register

This program is a proven series of six sessions taught by two trained class leaders. Topics include:

- Coping with fatigue, frustration, and isolation related to ongoing health conditions
- Exercising to maintain and improve strength and flexibility
- Using medications
- Communicating with family, friends and health professionals
- Practicing good nutrition
- Evaluating new treatment options

For additional information contact Edith Vargas at (708) 383-0258 or email [takecharge@ageoptions.org](mailto:takecharge@ageoptions.org)



**“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	Jim Musial
Mary Tadda	Greg Hoger	Bonnie Posey	Tina Ruiz	Carson Lee Umentum
Nathan Parry	Kandice Marie Sasak	Ken Convalle	Ashley Smith Kitzer	Marilyn Ransford
Ray DeNardis	Baby Scarlett	Annamarie	Randy Nowak	David Nenn
Donna Murphy	O’Neill	Challenger	Dan Herzing	Jim Kulikauskas
James Benzies	Martin McDonough	John Garrison	Mary Woods	Steve Counter
		Gladys Togliatti	Lois Jablonski	Donald Alsip

**“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, Kentucky
Alex Sullivan, USA, New York	Joseph R. Pociask, USMC, San Diego	And all who serve our country.
	Jacob Christine, US Navy	

**“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.**

**SENIOR KINDRED SPIRITS**



If you are 55 and older and like to have some fun and laughs, come and enjoy some good food and company at the next Senior Kindred Spirits meeting. Lunch is catered by Ali Tucker for a very reasonable fee of \$6.00.

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, March 29th at 11:30 a.m. in the Parish Center. Please call Dee Hollman at 630-243-1805 by Thursday, March 24th if you are planning on attending this meeting

**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.



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**ALVERNIA MANOR SENIOR LIVING ANNUAL SPAGHETTI DINNER FUNDRAISER**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 19TH — 3 TO 7 PM**  
**Adults \$12 Children 10 & under \$5**

Come support our seniors and enjoy an afternoon of food, fun, and music. Please join us at

**13950 Main St, Lemont**  
**More info: 630-257-7721**

# Mass Intentions

## Saturday, March 19

5:00 pm — Jennie Hadley — *Family*  
 Anna Rolando — *Family*  
 Edward Perkey, Sr. — *St. Alphonsus Parish*  
 Bernie Kucharski — *Wife*

## Sunday, March 20

7:30 am — Sophie Karcz — *Judy & Tom Culcasi*  
 Helen Marie Smrstik — *Swann Family*  
 9:00 am — Mary L. Stanton — *John P. Stanton*  
 11:00 am — Raymond Hoinacki — *Joe & Cathy Alex*  
 Larry Scialabba & Family — *Anna, Wife*  
 5:00 pm — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus (Mass at St. Patrick Church)

## Monday, March 21

7:30 am — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus

## Tuesday, March 22

7:30 am — Peter Pejsa — *Joan Pejsa*

## Wednesday, March 23

7:30 am — Edward Starshak — *St. Alphonsus Parish*  
 Grace Snyder — *Bev & Paul Malak*  
 Joseph Bienik, Jr. — *Cindy & Greg Huda*

## Holy Thursday, March 24

7:30 am — Prayer Service  
 7:00 pm — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus

## Good Friday, March 25

7:30 am — Prayer Service  
 3:00 pm — Eucharistic Prayer Service

## Holy Saturday, March 26

8:00 am — Prayer Service  
 10:00am — Easter Basket Blessing  
 7:00 pm — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus

## Easter Sunday, March 27

7:30 am — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus  
 7:35 am — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus  
 9:00 am — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus  
 9:05 am — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus  
 11:00 am — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus  
 11:05 am — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 42:1-7; Ps 27:1-3, 13-14; Jn 12:1-11  
 Tuesday: Is 49:1-6; Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38  
 Wednesday: Is 50:4-9a; Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31, 33-34; Mt 26:14-25  
 Thursday: Chrim Mass: Is 61:1-3ab, 6a, 8b-9; Ps 89:21-22, 25, 27; Rv 1:5-8; Lk 4:16-21  
Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14; Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15  
 Friday: Is 52:13 — 53:12; Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25; Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9; Jn 18:1 — 19:42  
 Saturday: a) Gn 1:1 — 2:2 [1:1, 26-31a]; Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35; or Ps 33:4-7, 12-13, 20-22;  
 b) Gn 22:1-18 [1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18]; Ps 16:5, 8-11;  
 c) Ex 14:15 — 15:1; Ex 15:1-6, 17-18;  
 d) Is 54:5-14; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13;  
 e) Is 55:1-11; Is 12:2-6;  
 f) Bar 3:9-15, 32 — 4:4; Ps 19:8-11;  
 g) Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28; Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3-4 or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 or Ps 51:12-15, 18-19;  
 h) Rom 6:3-11; i) Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Lk 24:1-12  
 Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9 or Lk 24:1-12 or (at an afternoon or evening Mass) Lk 24:13-35



## Income Tax Statements

Once again we will only send tax statements to those parishioners who request them, so if you need your statement for Income Tax purposes, please either fill out the form below and place it in the collection basket, mail it or bring it to the office, or you may also call the office.

### St. Alphonsus Donation

Please send me a copy of my donations to St. Alphonsus for 2015

Name \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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

## Weekly Offering

March 12 & 13 2016

Week's Need \$12,869.00

*Due to the early submission of the bulletin, figures for the above weekend will be reported next week.*

**Thank you for your support of our parish.**



# Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Date	Time	Lector	Ministers	Servers	Music
March 24 Holy Thursday	*7:00 pm	B. Betley	D. Betley K. Lambrakis B. Rogers L. Kerfinr (C) A. Padalik (C)	Calhoun Family B. Bozue	Parish Choir Instrumental Ensemble Bell Choir
March 25 Good Friday	3:00 pm	A. Lichtenwalter McGuire	S. Kostas P. Malak C. Levas	K. Kostas A. Pontrelli	Parish Choir Instrumental Ensemble
March 26 Easter Vigil	*7:00 pm	P. Josephitis P. Malak	Deacon L. O'Connor K. Cody D. Josephitis (C) K. Gory (C)	A. Fidanzo A. Kaye	Parish Choir Instrumental Ensemble
March 27 Easter Sunday	7:30 am	B. Betley	D. Betley M. Doherty G. Kaiser	B. Bozue	Cantor & Keyboard
	7:35 am	P. Malak	S. Kostres	K. Kostas	Cantor & Keyboard
	9:00 am	M. Doherty	E. Bruno A. Padalik C. Levas K. Lambrakis	A. Mierzycki F. Kula A. Carter	Parish Choir Children's Choir Bell Choir & Instrumental Ensemble
	9:05 am	G. Klaff	B. Rogers M. Bruno	Popper Family	Cantor & Keyboard
	11:00 am	McGuire	M. McGuire D. Cerniuk P. Loisi	K. Hamilton A. Ascolani S. O'Hara	Parish Choir Bell Choir Instrumental Ensemble
	11:05 am	L. Jankowski	S. Kostas P. Malak	A. Ward	Cantor & Keyboard
	<b>NO</b> 5:00 pm Lemont Tri-Parish Mass at St. Pat's		* Communion under both species		

## Gather Hymnal

### Mass Of Angels & Saints

Holy, Holy #375

Memorial Acclamation #376

Great Amen #377

Lamb of God #388

### PLEASE NOTE:

If you are celebrating a special occasion, 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.

