



ST. ALPHONSUS CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

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St. Alphonsus Catholic Church

210 E. Logan, Lemont

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School Office 630-783-2220
20W145 Davey Road

Website: 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

Summer Weekday Schedule

Tri-Parish

Monday-Saturday 7:30 am in church
(July 1st -July 31st at St. Patrick Church)

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

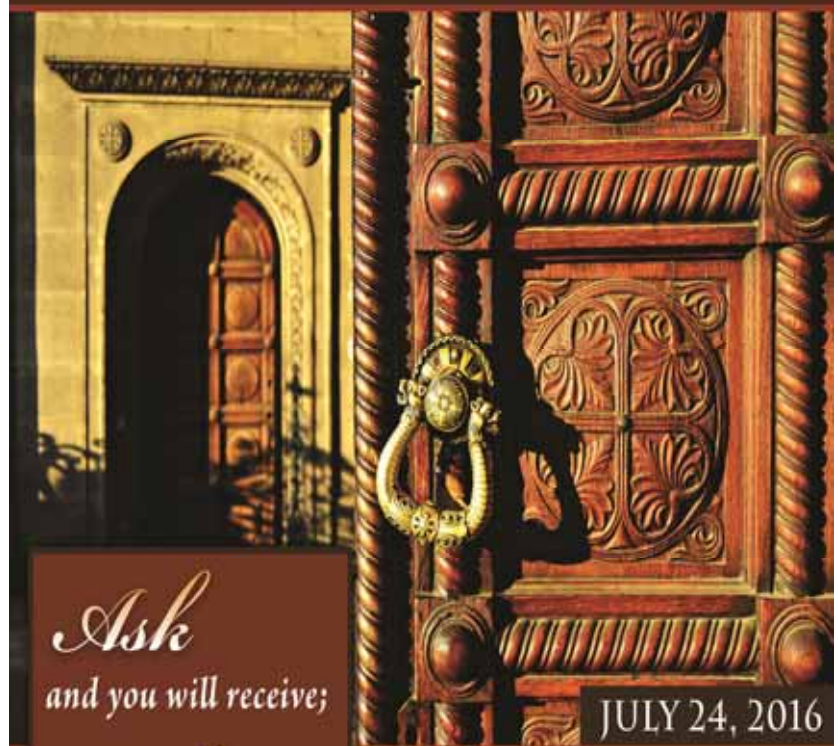
Prospective bride and groom must be
registered parishioners for at least 6 months
before a wedding date may be scheduled

Sick and Homebound

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



SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Ask
and you will receive;

Seek
and you will find;

Knock
and the door will be
opened to you.

Luke 11:9

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

As we enter the final full week of July, we know that this summer has been pretty chaotic in the United States and around the world. We are facing an age where terrorism is becoming part of everyday news, violence against police and civilians is increasing and the political world is bizarre. It's getting to the point where all of us will be praying for "*Serenity Now*" (*Seinfeld* reference).

If we are looking for some serenity, here are a few wonderful opportunities that can bring a little peace to our lives:

Music on the Lawn

Our 8th Annual *Music on the Lawn* takes place this **Sunday, July 24th at 6:30 p.m.** This year the focus will be on the songs of *The Music of Disney!* Our Choir Director, **Joe Martorano**, our choir members and our musicians always do a magnificent job sharing their talents with us and everyone has a wonderful time. If it is extremely hot or if it rains (we hope not), we will enjoy food & drink before the concert and during intermission in the Church Hall, but then travel up to the Church to listen to the music and songs. Please join us in celebrating The Music of Disney! I heard **Fr. Rohrich** is requesting "*It's a Small World*"...

Theology on Tap

Theology on Tap is a wonderful speaker series for young adults (21-39 years old) during the months of July and August. This week's speaker, **Joshua Dieterich**, will offer a presentation called "*Love Thy Neighbor*" at **Durbin's** (17265 Oak Park Ave., Tinley Park) on **Thursday, July 28th at 7:00 p.m.** Joshua is the Co-Director of Child, Adult and Family Ministry at St. Mary Visitation in Elm Grove, Wisconsin. Please join us for a wonderful and inspiring night!

Share Your Soles

One charitable drive that we have enjoyed sponsoring for the past number of years was to collect shoes for the program "*Share Your Soles*". This program takes new shoes and gently-used shoes and donates them to people in need in the United States and poor countries. We will have bins in the Narthex area until next Sunday, July 31st. Please be generous so we can help others.

Mass Intentions

We will open our 2017 Mass Intention Book on **Monday, August 1st**. This is a wonderful opportunity to remember a family member or friend or to celebrate a special event, such as a wedding anniversary. In order to accommodate all St. Alphonus Parish families, we allow three intentions per Mass. We also have a few openings left for the remaining 2016 calendar year. If you would like to offer a Mass, please come to the St. Alphonus Parish Office to make a reservation. The suggested donation is \$10.00 per Mass.

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

Prayer has always been part of the Christian heritage. The book of Psalms long ago became the prayer book of the church, along with some hymns and canticles from other books of the Bible, both Old and New Testaments. Among the most beautiful prayers we have are the *Magnificat* of Mary, the *Benedictus* of Zechariah, and the *Nunc Dimittis* of Simeon, all in the Gospel of Luke (Luke 1:46–55; 1:68–79; 2:29–32).

Most importantly, Jesus prayed. Think about that for a moment. Jesus, the Son of God, the Word made flesh, the only begotten Son, prayed. We know that he went off by himself to pray. He did this before some of the most important moments in his ministry, like before he chose those who would be with him. But it is safe to assume that he did it as a habit.

So when one of the disciples asked him to teach them to pray and Jesus responded with the Our Father, it deserves our attention. This prayer reveals the heart of Jesus, and tells us how we should speak to the Father. The prayer has two parts: blessing the Father and calling for his presence in the world, then turning to God for our basic needs of food, forgiveness, and fidelity.

The parables that follow call us to persevere and persist in prayer because God is a Father who will give us his life-blood, in this case, the Holy Spirit, to all who ask. Continue to knock, continue to ask. God will respond.

—James A. Wallace, C.S.S.R.

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Living God's Word

Pray Luke's version of the Our Father, then pray Matthew's version (Matthew 6:9–13).

Linger over each phrase as you say them.

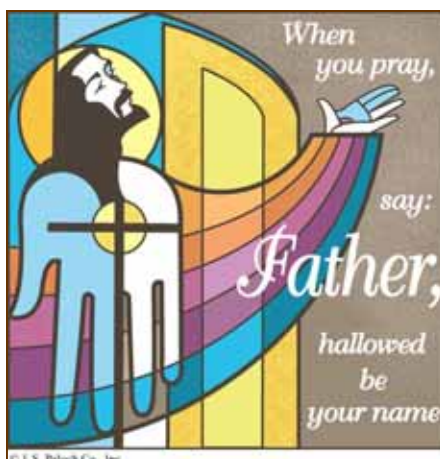
Take one of these phrases with you throughout the day and repeat it when you have a chance, like a mantra.

Let it dwell in your heart.

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You were buried with him in baptism, in which you were also raised with him through faith in the power of God, who raised him from the dead.

—Colossians 2:12



KEEP PRAYING

St. Monica, whose feast we celebrate in August, is often known as “the persistent mother.” She watched her oldest son, Augustine, turn his back on his Christian faith.

Monica was exasperated. For years she gave up talking directly to her son on the advice of a local bishop, who told her that it was better to talk to God about Augustine then to Augustine about God.

The mother never gave up praying for her son. Eventually Augustine gave up his wild ways, was baptized, and later ordained and named bishop of Hippo. St. Augustine went on to become one of the Church's greatest scholars.

Today's readings address the importance of persistent prayer. Abraham, in spite of trepidation that he is bothering the Lord, continues to ask about the fate of Sodom and Gomorrah. Jesus, in Luke's Gospel, tells his disciples to “ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you” (Luke 11:9). This is our charge: keep praying.

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Religious Education Update

REGISTRATION FOR 2016-2017

Returning families can contact the RE Office to request another form if you can't locate the forms handed out in class. Families who have an open tuition balance, and have not worked out a pay plan will need to contact Kevin Cody to set an appointment to register.

New families should contact the RE Office to register. We will be happy to assist you in setting your child on a journey with Christ within a supportive faith community. Visit our website, www.st-als.org, for information on our programs.

TUITION RATES GO UP FOR RETURNING FAMILIES WITH APPLICATIONS RECEIVED AFTER 8/1.

IS YOUR CHILD IN 3RD GRADE OR HIGHER AND HASN'T HAD ANY FORMAL RELIGIOUS EDUCATION?

We have a special process that brings children in similar circumstances together to give them a new start on their journey toward a fuller relationship with Jesus and membership in his Church. Contact the RE Office to learn more.



RE PICNIC

It may have been pouring rain & thunder outside, but our spirits weren't dampened as catechists and those who contributed to our RE programs this past year gathered for grilled food and fellowship. Many thanks to Melanie Terrazas who did so much to put it together!

WHY BE A CATECHIST?



The following are some reasons given by catechists...

- As a parent who becomes a catechist, you are letting your own children know how much you value religious education. Your "action" of being involved and teaching the Gospel speaks louder than your "words."
- I think one of the best reasons to become a catechist is it puts a smile on your face. You learn to expect the unexpected and delight in it. Humor adds joy to life and to your faith.
- One of the best reasons to be a catechist, for me, is that the children provide me with energy and hope. Sometimes people think they are too old to be a catechist, but young people need to have that experience we come with.
- I remember, as an adult catechumen, what an extraordinary effect my teachers had on me last Easter and I feel responsible to pass that amazing experience on.

Contact the RE Office to explore the possibility for you!



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www.stals-stpats.org



2015 - 2016 Junior National Honor Society

- Preschool (Full Day & Half Day Options)
- Preschool for 3 & 4 year old students
- Full Day Kindergarten
- Challenging faith based curriculum
- Personal growth and character development through faith and spirituality
- Extended Day before and after school
- Hot lunch program
- Bus service in the Lemont area
- Afterschool Enrichment & Service Clubs
- Sports programs

School supplies might not be the only new thing for your family this Fall. Why not a new school too?

A bright future for your child starts here!

Contact us for a tour today!
630-783-2220

Enrolling Now

JUBILEE OF MERCY
FORGIVE

Jesus reveals the mercy of God most powerfully when he forgives sins. He enables people to let go of their damaged past and reclaim their loving relationship with God, who has never ceased to love them. His forgiveness is real, powerful, and life-changing. *Then he said to her, "Your sins are forgiven. Your faith has saved you; go in peace." (Luke 7:48,50)*



ONE WORD AT A TIME

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Calling all Young Adults!

Want to hang out with other young adult Catholics ages 21-39?

Want to learn more about your faith?

Don't want to drive all the way to the city to do it?



You're in luck! Check out our schedule. Just follow the arrow to the next page. We'll be meeting at two different locations—one in Orland and one in Tinley. Invite a friend.

Questions? Email Maggie O'Connor
moconnor@stgeorge60477.org

Interested in Learning More About the Catholic Church?



Take a look at the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults). The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is a process by which the Catholic Church

welcomes new members into its communal life. RCIA is a living experience of the Church, and not just a series of classes that teach knowledge about the Church. Although there is instruction in the facts of the faith, instruction is but one part of a larger experience of knowing and sharing with other members of the Church.

**Note-We also have an RCIA process for teens and a program for children as well.

If you are interested in learning more, please call Linda at 630.257.2414. Watch the bulletins for further details.

THE MARK OF THE MAKER

*If things created are so full of loveliness,
 how resplendent must be the One who made them!
 The wisdom of the Worker is apparent
 in such handiwork.*

—St. Anthony of Padua

WISDOM AND WINE EVENT

St. Elizabeth Seton Social Action Ministry invites all adults, 21 and over To a special Adult Faith Formation night, Tuesday, Aug. 9, at 7pm St. Elizabeth Seton Church Hall, 9300 w. 167TH St., Orland Hills.

Wisdom and Wine is an evening to come together for social time and spiritual development. Guest speaker, Fr. John Kartje, a priest and astrophysicist, will discuss *Science and Religion*. The evening starts off with a Fair Trade Wine Discussion and four Fair Trade wine pours. Appetizers, Fair Trade dips and coffee will be served.

Tickets are \$5.00 and can be purchased by Aug. 3, in the St. Elizabeth Seton Parish Office, M-F, 8:30am-4:30pm, SAT, 1-6pm, SUN, 8-1pm. Limited seating. No tickets will be sold at-the-door. To reserve your seats, call 708-403-0101. Tickets must be picked up by Wednesday, Aug. 3

Fr. John Kartje is the Rector/President and Professor of Theology at Mundelein Seminary, a Chicago Archdiocesan Priest, Biblical Scholar, and Disciple of Jesus Christ, but before he entered the Seminary he was an Astrophysicist. There is no better person to help us see that science and religion – faith and reason – are both real ways of knowing. Fr. Kartje will help us take a look at some challenging and interesting questions like creation, evolution, and whatever else we might want to ask him!

Southwest Suburbs

Theology on Tap

Gather at 7:00pm • Speaker starts at 7:30pm • Young Adults 21–39
 For more information contact Maggie O'Connor at moconnor@stgeorge60477.org



July 28, 2016 DURBIN'S 17265 Oak Park Ave, Tinley Park
Joshua Dieterich TOPIC: Love Thy Neighbor

Being equal but different can have blurred lines in our culture today. Hear Joshua Dieterich inspiring talk on love and faith in our culture today.

Joshua Dieterich is the Co-Director of Child, Adult and Family Ministry at St. Mary Visitation in Elm Grove, Wisconsin.

August 4, 2016 Square Celt 39 Orland Square Dr, Orland Park

Deacon Bill Johnson TOPIC: Catholic in the Cubicle

Being young and Catholic in the workplace can be difficult. Hear Deacon Bill Johnson speak about how to keep your Catholic identity.

Deacon Bill Johnson is a Campus Minister at Marmion Academy, a private high school for young men in Aurora, IL.



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.

Friday, July 1st thru Saturday, July 30th
St. Patrick — 7:30 a.m.

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



Lemont
 Pro Life Ministry

SPIRITUAL ADOPTION PROGRAM SET TO BEGIN

All babies are precious. Babies in their mother's womb hold within them 23 sets of chromosomes that will determine their physical features. At fertilization, it is already determined how tall he will be, the color of his eyes, what color her hair will be and whether it will be straight or curly. We want all babies in the womb to be born and to have the opportunity to live a happy life. We want all babies to experience the love of a family.

Sadly, some babies are not allowed to be born. As an expression of love and concern, the parish families of Ss. Cyril and Methodius, St. Alphonsus and St. Patrick will have the opportunity to participate in a Spiritual Adoption program. In this program, you are asked to "adopt" a baby in danger of not being allowed to be born. Almost 3000 babies each day are aborted in the U.S.. It is these babies you are being asked to "adopt" through your prayer.

You may adopt a child individually or as a family by signing up on the weekend of August 13/14. You will be given a prayer card and asked to name and pray a simple prayer for your child for the next nine months. Monthly reports on the development of your child will be put in the parish bulletin.

There are millions of babies in need of your prayer. Will you please show your love for the precious gift of life by spiritually adopting a child? You will give him or her the love they need while in their mother's womb. Representatives will be available after all Masses on August 13/14 to help you sign up.



**Music On The Lawn
This Sunday, July 24th**

Come join us once again for an evening of
Melodious Melodies, Sensational Songs, and
Toe-Tapping Tunes.

Presented by our Music Ministry and some special friends.
Come and enjoy the talent of these
special people as they sing and play for you.
We will be featuring the music of Disney.

Bring your blankets or your lawn chairs.
If you want, pack a picnic basket with goodies.
Gather at 5:30 pm and the music starts at 6:30 pm.
In the event of inclement weather we can picnic in the church hall
and then the concert will be in the church.



**HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE ST. ALPHONSUS
MUSIC MINISTRY VESPERS.**

A CD featuring 12 selections from this past year's
Advent/Christmas, Lent/Easter, and Songs of Mary

COST: \$20 PER CD

PROCEEDS TO HELP FUND A NEW CHURCH ORGAN

You can order two ways:

To order on-line: Go to LegacyFundraiser.com

(Our unique and secure order site)

Or

Fill out the form below and place it in an envelope marked "Music Fundraiser"
in the collection basket or turn it into the Parish Office.

Last day to order is July 31st.

CD ORDER FORM

NAME _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

NUMBER OF C/D's: _____

COST: \$20.00 per C/D

CASH or CHECK PAYABLE TO: ST. ALPHONSUS CATHOLIC CHURCH
ON THE MEMO LINE: MUSIC FUNDRAISER

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

“A Time to be Born through Baptism” — Dominic Emerson son of Scott Boza & Georgia Villa
Salvatore Jude son of Frank & Brittany Caruso
Chloe Scott daughter of Adam & Kathryn McMahon
Kamden Alexander son of Keith & Amy Sah

“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	Ken Convalle	Tina Ruiz	Carson Lee Umentum
Nathan Parry	Kandice Marie Sasak	John Garrison	Ashley Smith Kitzer	Marilyn Ransford
Ray DeNardis	Baby Scarlett	Gladys Togliatti	Randy Nowak	David Nenn
Donna Murphy	O’Neill	Gertrude Smith	Dan Herzing	Jim Kulikauskas
James Benzies	Martin McDonough	John Ruppert	Mary Woods	Steve Counter

“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	Jacob Christine, US Navy	Kevin Parker, USA, Kentucky
Alex Sullivan, USA, New York		And all who serve our country.

“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.




School Supplies Drive ~ Weekends of July 30/31 & August 6/7

Through the weekends of July 30/31 and August 6/7, we are collecting school supplies for the benefit of the children of the Lemont Open Pantry families. Open Pantry has provided school supplies to needy families for the last 18 years. Last year volunteers put together school supply kits for local grade school and high school students.

The kits are made to the specifications listed on the District 113A school supply lists. When a supply list asks for Crayola crayons or Elmer’s glue sticks, that IS what we want the children to receive.

Your contribution of supplies or a donation toward the purchase of supplies will be greatly appreciated by these families. If you wish to give a financial donation, please place your donation in a separate envelope marked “School Supplies” in the collection basket.

Thank you for your continued kindness and generosity to these families. If you have any questions, please call Anne Lichtenwalter at the parish office, 630-257-2414.

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| 12 ct./set of colored pencils-Crayola | Large washable Crayola primary colors | Scissors-Fiskars with metal blades |
| Large pink erasers | Crayola crayons 24 count | Scissors (rounded tip & pointed tip) |
| Pencil sharpener (solid colors) | (no fluorescent) | 70ct. spiral notebooks (wide rule) 1 sub- |
| Ballpoint pens/medium black/blue/red | Highlighters (basic colors) | ject |
| 12” plastic rulers (inches & centimeters) | Black Expo Dry erase markers | Loose-leaf notebooks (wide rule) |
| Zipper pencil/crayon cases | Elmer’s glue sticks | Ring binder dividers (5 tab dividers) |
|  | 2 pocket folders (all colors) | Manuscript writing tablets |
| | 1 in. & 1½ in. ring binders (black) | 4x6 index cards |
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Weekly Offering

July 16 & 17, 2016

Week's Need	\$12,869.00
Sunday's Collection	\$ 7,451.41
Electronic Fund (EFT)	\$
Surplus (Deficit)	(\$ 5,417.59)
Fiscal Year to Date	
Surplus (Deficit)	(\$ 5,403.24)
Last Year's weekly Collection	\$ 8,334.00

Thank you for your support of our parish.



SENIOR KINDRED SPIRITS

Our next Senior Kindred Spirits meeting will be Tuesday, July 26 at 11:30 a.m. at the St. Alphonsus Parish Center. This will be a potluck luncheon. If you have not signed up for a dish to bring to the luncheon, please contact Loretta Kramer at 630-257-2914.

Come join us for this wonderful potluck.



Let's Fill the Shelves. Food Pantry Update

We greatly appreciate your continued support of our local food pantries. As the summer months approach, donations to the food pantries decline. Unfortunately, their need does not. With this in mind, we will break from featuring a "product of the month". We ask that you continue to donate **any items** that you can. The products and monetary donations you provide are so important. In August, we will return to our featured item request. Thank you for your kindness and generosity.

HELP SPREAD GOOD HEALTH ALL OVER THE WORLD

Please join us for a Shoe Drive.



Donate your clean and gently used shoes to help others in need. Please rubber band shoes together.

Donation bins will be set up at the back of church. **Collection has started and will continue thru July 31st.** Shoes donated will be taken to Share Your Soles Distribution Center in Chicago.



SOUP KITCHEN FRIDAY JULY 29 6pm-8pm

Servers and food donations needed to prepare dinner for the residents at Daybreak Soup Kitchen, Joliet.

Contact Jackie Papiernik, 630-243-9358 for details.

- 20 lbs. Ground Beef
- 10 pkgs. Lipton Spanish Rice
- 15 pkgs. Flour Tortillas (12 per bag)
- 4 (24 oz.) Cans Refried beans
- 15 pkgs. Taco Seasoning
- 2 (64 oz.) Medium Salsa
- 3 cans Sliced Jalapeno Peppers
- 3 (2 lb.) bags Cheddar Cheese
- 4 boxes Chicken Taquitas
- 6 pints Sour Cream
- 3 Heads Lettuce

- 1 bag Onions
- 40 Plum Tomatoes
- 2 lrg. Bags Tortilla Chips
- Assorted fresh fruit for fruit salad
- Home baked goods
- 2 containers Presweetened Lemonade or Kool-Aid



Palos Hospital is offering the **COURAGE TO QUIT PROGRAM**

This is a seven week program, meeting weekly except for week 6 and is designed for adults who are ready to quit smoking. Help yourself and a loved one quit smoking.

Morning Session Meetings

Begin Tuesday, 8/2, 9-10 a.m.
Woodland Café Private Dining Room

Evening Session Meetings

Begin Wednesday, 8/3, 6-7 p.m.
Woodland Café Private Dining Room

This is a free program. 12251 S. 80th Ave., Palos Heights, 60463

For more info or to register call 708-226-2300

Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 23

7:30 am — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus
 5:00 pm — Phyllis Arient — *Piekosz Family*
 Vann Croxdale & Deceased Mem. of the Cassidy Fam.— *Family*
 Dave Quaid — *Family*
 Alan Maple — *Family*

Sunday, July 24

7:30 am — Joan Sobocan — *Tom & Judy Culcasi*
 Patrick O’Riordan — *Fr. Brian*
 9:00 am — Betty Gildea — *Fr. Brian*
 Mildred & Orville Tessum — *Linn Eldred*
 Rosalind Reed — *Linn Eldred*
 11:00 am — Chriss Cronin— *Ardagh Family*
 Margaret Casey— *Fr. Brian*
 Bonnie Posey — *Betty Zezulka*
 5:00 pm — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus
 (Mass at St. Patrick Church)

Monday, July 25

7:30 am — John R. Ruppert — *Ruppert Family*

Tuesday, July 26

7:30 am — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus

Wednesday, July 27

7:30 am — James & Annabelle Santucci — *Evelynne Gnatek*

Thursday, July 28

7:30 am — Harriet Culinovic — *Paul & Bev Malak*
 Sue Gosstrom — *Paul & Bev Malak*

Friday, July 29

7:30 am — Regina Madeja — *Paul & Bev Malak*
 Robert & Jean Lindauer — *Rita Lindauer*
 Commemorating 72 years of marriage Gene & Fran(+)
 Bozych — *Family*

Saturday, July 30

7:30 am — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus
 5:00 pm — Bernie Kucharski — *Wife*
 Raymond Hoinacki — *David Gorski*
 Louis Skowronski — *Joe & Judie*

Sunday, July 31

7:30 am — Harry Grabo— *Son, Ron*
 Audrey Keenan — *Family*
 9:00 am — Mary L. Stratton — *John P. Stratton*
 Harriet Culinovic — *Family*
 11:00 am — Lois Jablonski— *Barb & Ray*
 Chriss Cronin— *Eileen Deasy*
 George James Kutrumanes — *Litoborski Family*
 Jeanette & Joseph Kolada — *Pam & Roger Nogal*
 5:00 pm — Parishioners of St. Alphonsus (Mass at St. Patrick Church)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-6; Mt 20:20-28
 Tuesday: Jer 14:17-22; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13; Mt 13:36-43
 Wednesday: Jer 15:10, 16-21; Ps 59:2-4, 10-11, 17-18;
 Mt 13:44-46
 Thursday: Jer 18:1-6; Ps 146:1b-6ab; Mt 13:47-53
 Friday: Jer 26:1-9; Ps 69:5, 8-10, 14; Jn 11:19-27
 or Lk 10:38-42
 Saturday: Jer 26:11-16, 24; Ps 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34; Mt 14:1-12
 Sunday: Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17; Col 3:1-5, 9-11;
 Lk 12:13-21

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.

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Date	Time	Lector	Ministers	Servers	Music	Gather Hymnal
July 30	5:00 pm	A. Lichtenwalter	B. Israel C. Levas P. Malak	O’Hara Family W. Tarazi	Cantor Ensemble & Keyboard	Mass Of Creation
July 31	7:30 am	R. Kaiser	G. Kaiser M. Doherty S. Kostas	Kostas Family		Gloria #193
	9:00 am	P. Browne	K. Lambrakis E. Bruno T. Mathias	L. Laga J. Yabush M. Schuette	Cantor Ensemble & Keyboard	Holy, Holy #198
	11:00 am	K. Cody	D. Kornacker K. Gory R. Haubner	A. Mierzyski F. Kula A. Fidanzo	Cantor Ensemble & Keyboard	Memorial Acclamation #200
	5:00 pm Lemont Tri-Parish Mass at St. Pat’s					Great Amen #202 Lamb of God #204

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