



OUR LADY OF MERCY CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**OUR VISION: TO OFFER EVERY PERSON A LIFE-CHANGING ENCOUNTER
WITH JESUS, GROW DISCIPLES, AND SEND THEM ON MISSION.**

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MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Friday8:00am
Monday (Spanish Mass-begins 7/13)....6:30pm
Tuesday.....8:00am, 6:30pm
Thursday.....6:30am, 8:00am
Saturday.....8:30am

Saturday (Anticipated for Sunday)..... 4:00pm
Sunday..... 8:00am, 10:00am
12:00pm, 5:30pm

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

Schedule varies. Consult the Mass Schedule in the bulletin or website.

CONFESSIONS

Tuesday.....7:00-8:00pm
Saturday.....9:00-10:00am
1:30-2:30pm
1st Fridays of the Month.....8:30-9:15am
Or by Appointment

PRAYER CHAPEL

Open Daily7:00am-8:00pm
Adoration.....Monday & Thursday
8:30am-6:00pm
Benediction.....Monday & Thursday
6:00pm

Kindness

and truth shall meet;

justice and peace shall kiss.

Truth shall spring out of the earth,
and justice shall look down from heaven.

Psalm 85:11-12

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August 9, 2020 • Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



From The Pastor's Desk...
Also Known as Chardonnay W(h)ines!

What is Peter doing walking on water! Now I know that it is frightening to cling to a little boat in the midst of the storm. But isn't stepping out of that boat onto the waves complete madness? Why would Peter leave the relative security of the boat and set out on his own onto the sea? Peter leaves

the boat and sets out into the storm, because he knows that Jesus is there. In doing this, Peter gives us an example of discipleship. The disciple always realizes that the safest place to be is close to the Lord. Even though a boat might be keeping us afloat, that boat could sink. And when it comes to sinking, we want to be close to Jesus. The gospel shows us that Peter's decision was right. Because when he begins to sink, Jesus stretches out his hand and catches him.

Today's gospel, then, calls us to discern: where is Jesus? Is Jesus sitting with us in the boat of security in which we sail, or is Jesus calling us to step out of that boat and come to him? We might have realized for some time that the job we are in is not the best one for us and that we will never reach our potential if we stay in it. And yet, there is security in that regular paycheck and we have no assurance that we could find something better. The disciple asks, "Where is Jesus?" Is he with me in the boat in which I sit? Or is he asking me to step out of that boat and walk on the water? We might be in a relationship that is abusive, in which we are not valued or respected. And yet, there is stability and some companionship in the relationship, and we are terrified to think that we might have to live alone. The disciple asks whether Jesus is asking us to stay in the security of that relationship or to leave it behind. We might for years have had a dream to develop some talent that is ours, to organize a program, to attain a goal. But that would require much effort and some risk, and we have no guarantee that we would succeed. It is certainly easier to keep things the way that they are. But Jesus may be calling us to walk on the waves.

Now to be sure, there are many times when Jesus is with us in the boat, and he wants things to stay just the way that they are. But today's gospel reminds us that that is not always the case. Sometimes Jesus is asking us to leave what is familiar, what is easy, what seems secure, and come to him in the midst of the storm. And when he calls us, here is the good news. Although the waves may be high and the winds strong, and people might think that we are crazy to step out of the boat, we are simply being disciples. We are only going to where Jesus is, taking with us the confidence that he will not let us sink. He will give us life.

Have a blessed week!

Fr. Don

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Liturgy Schedule & Mass Intentions

Monday, August 10 - St Lawrence, Deacon & Martyr

8:00 AM † Elizabeth Irefo, by Ese Onemlye
 8:30 AM Eucharistic Adoration
 6:00 PM Benediction
 6:30 PM Spanish Mass Int Jeffrey Skrobutt

Tuesday, August 11 - St Clare, Virgin

8:00 AM Int Chris & Anna
 6:30 PM † Thomas Horn, by Maureen & Tony
 7:00-8:00 PM Reconciliation

Wednesday, August 12 - St Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious

8:00 AM † Cathy Dodd & Tony Haid, by Family

Thursday, August 13 - Sts Pontian & Hippolytus

6:30 AM † Cyril James Lestourgeon, by Bernadine
 8:00 AM † Victoria Tiu Lo, by Elizabeth Lo
 † Michael Prasse, by Family
 8:30 AM Eucharistic Adoration
 6:00 PM Benediction

Friday, August 14 - St Maximilian Kolbe, Priest & Martyr

8:00 AM † Joan Vrchota, by Mary Houdek

Saturday, August 15 - Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 AM Int Jeff & Shirl Salata, by Jeff & Jolene LeRoy
 9:00-10:00 AM Reconciliation
 1:30-2:30 PM Reconciliation
 4:00 PM Vigil - Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 † James W Ray &
 † James W Ray, Sr by Helean M. Ray

Sunday, August 16 - Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM † Mary Ellen Feldman, by Family
 † Melva Purnell, by John Salentine
 10:00 AM † Alfonso Sr & Estela Ramirez, by Children
 12:00 PM † Adelfa Paner, by Family
 5:30 PM † Elizabeth Irefo, by Family
 The People of Our Lady of Mercy

BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL LAMPS

Votive lamps will burn this week before the Blessed Sacrament for the following intentions:

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| 1. Covid Vaccine | 9. The Feldman Family |
| 2. The Sick | 10. Dan B. |
| 3. Robin Pazos | 11. Special Intention-C.H. |
| 4. Diane Pazos | 12. Joseph & Sophie Kubicki |
| 5. Tristan Pazos | 13. Florence H. Kubicki |
| 6. Dcn Bob & Betty Vavra | 14. Ailani Banuelos |
| 7. Mother Mary | 15. The Pluskota Family |
| 8. The Deceased | 16. The Homeless |

If you wish to have a candle burning for your intention in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, you will find envelopes on the shelf in the Narthex near the Priest's Sacristy or in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

We remember in prayer those in service to our country

TSgt Leah Harvey, USAF
 Airman Melanie Hodges, US Navy
 Nicholas Laurie, US Marines
 SSG Sean Murphy, USMC
 Capt. Tara Trammell, US Army
 Roberto Ramos, US Army
 Lt. Joshua Puscas, US Navy
 Capt. Keith Harris, USAF
 SSG Gina Maro, USAF
 Juan Gabriel Sindac, USAF
 Aaron Godinez, US Marines
 SPC Mason Webber, US Army
 LC/Cprl Ryan Ludwig, US Marines
 Capt. Brian Strohmaier, US Army
 Elizabeth Pattermann, US Marine
 Ensign Marion Eunece Bautista, US Navy
 SSG Karla Venegas, US Army
 SSG Jeremy Norris, US Army
 Capt. Carmen Lockett, US Army

LIVE STREAMED MASSES

Weekday 8:00AM, Saturday 8:30AM, Sunday 10:00AM

We are now taking intentions for the Tues. 6:30PM, Thur. 6:30AM and Sat. 8:30AM Masses.

We pray for our sick, confined and their families

Please contact the Parish Office if you or your immediate family member wish to be added to the Sick List.

Mark Hoeksema
 Wayne Draper
 Ailani Banulos
 Julia Schremp
 Kathy Walowski
 Flo Paprzycki
 Helga Manglinong
 Michael Dandan
 Charlene Oates
 Maria Luna
 William Nimmow

Jill Brisceno
 Lexi Brisceno
 Michael Butler
 Hailey Hartnett
 Thomas F. Sterling
 Henrietta Pineda
 La Moua
 Valerie Plesha
 Hedy Sterling
 Diane Pazos
 Diane Singer
 Joyce Craig

John Swanston
 Robert Ciulla
 Bridget Garry
 David Bakke
 Bill Morse
 Rudolfo Gamaro
 Nancy Higgins
 Marilyn Reich

if that person, or in the case of their incapacitation, the person delegated to their medical care, calls to give permission.

Please note: Due to the government legislation regarding patient privacy, names of people to be prayed for at Mass or in the Bulletin can be listed only



DESDE EL ESCRITORIO DEL PASTOR.....
 ¡También conocido como Chardonnay W(h)ines!

¿Qué hace Pedro caminando sobre el agua? Ahora sé que es aterrador aferrarse a un pequeño bote en medio de la tormenta. ¿Pero no es una locura salir de ese bote a las olas? ¿Por qué Pedro dejaría la relativa seguridad del bote y se lanzaría solo al mar? Pedro deja el bote y se lanza a la tormenta, porque sabe que Jesús está allí. Al hacer esto, Pedro nos da un ejemplo de discipulado. El discípulo siempre se da cuenta de que el lugar más seguro para estar es cerca del Señor. Aunque un bote podría mantenernos a flote, ese bote podría hundirse. Y cuando se trata de hundirse, queremos estar cerca de Jesús. El evangelio nos muestra que la decisión de Pedro fue correcta. Porque cuando él comienza a hundirse, Jesús extiende su mano y lo agarra.

El evangelio de hoy, entonces, nos llama a discernir: ¿dónde está Jesús? ¿Está Jesús sentado con nosotros en el bote de seguridad en el que navegamos, o nos está llamando a salir de ese bote y venir a él? Es posible que nos hayamos dado cuenta por un tiempo de que el trabajo en el que estamos no es el mejor para nosotros y que nunca alcanzaremos nuestro potencial si nos mantenemos en el. Y, sin embargo, hay seguridad en ese cheque de pago regular y no tenemos la seguridad de que podamos encontrar algo mejor. El discípulo pregunta: "¿Dónde está Jesús?" ¿Está conmigo en el bote en el que me siento? ¿O me está pidiendo que salga de ese bote y camine sobre el agua? Podríamos estar en una relación que es abusiva, en la que no somos valorados ni respetados. Y, sin embargo, hay estabilidad y cierta compañía en la relación, y nos aterra pensar que podríamos tener que vivir solos. El discípulo pregunta si Jesús nos pide que nos mantengamos en la seguridad de esa relación o que la dejemos atrás. Durante años podríamos haber soñado con desarrollar un talento que sea nuestro, organizar un programa, alcanzar una meta. Pero eso requeriría mucho esfuerzo y algunos riesgos, y no tenemos garantía de que tengamos éxito. Ciertamente es más fácil mantener las cosas como están. Pero Jesús puede estar llamándonos a caminar sobre las olas.

Ahora, para estar seguros, hay muchas ocasiones en que Jesús está con nosotros en el bote y quiere que las cosas sigan como están. Pero el evangelio de hoy nos recuerda que ese no es siempre el caso. A veces, Jesús nos pide que dejemos lo que es familiar, lo que es fácil, lo que parece seguro y acudir a él en medio de la tormenta. Y cuando nos llama, aquí están las buenas noticias. Aunque las olas pueden ser altas y los vientos fuertes, y la gente podría pensar que estamos locos por salir del bote, simplemente estamos siendo discípulos. Solo vamos a donde está Jesús, llevándonos la confianza de que él no nos dejará hundirnos. El nos dará la vida.

¡Que tengan una semana bendecida!

Padre Don

*Misa en
español*

**Cada Lunes
a las 6:30pm**

*Serás alimentado, sostenido
y transformado por Jesús*

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FACEBOOK & OLMERCY.COM

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THE PRESENCE OF GOD

After the miracle of Jesus walking on water, the disciples exclaimed, “Truly, you are the Son of God” (Matthew 14:33). Most Christians will probably never experience such a dramatic miracle. Like Elijah, we await the manifestation of God in other moments. Perhaps the biggest challenge for the believer is to be constantly attuned to the possible presence of God in the everyday events of life. This is a stance that takes some people years to develop. Others seem to find the Lord easily in the simple things. As the week unfolds, let us look for the presence of God in the little things around us. Perhaps, like Elijah, we will be surprised at what we find. And, like the disciples, we can add our voice to the confession, “Truly you are the Son of God.”

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TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — The LORD said to Elijah: “Stand on the mountain; the LORD will be passing by” (1 Kings 19:9a, 11-13a).

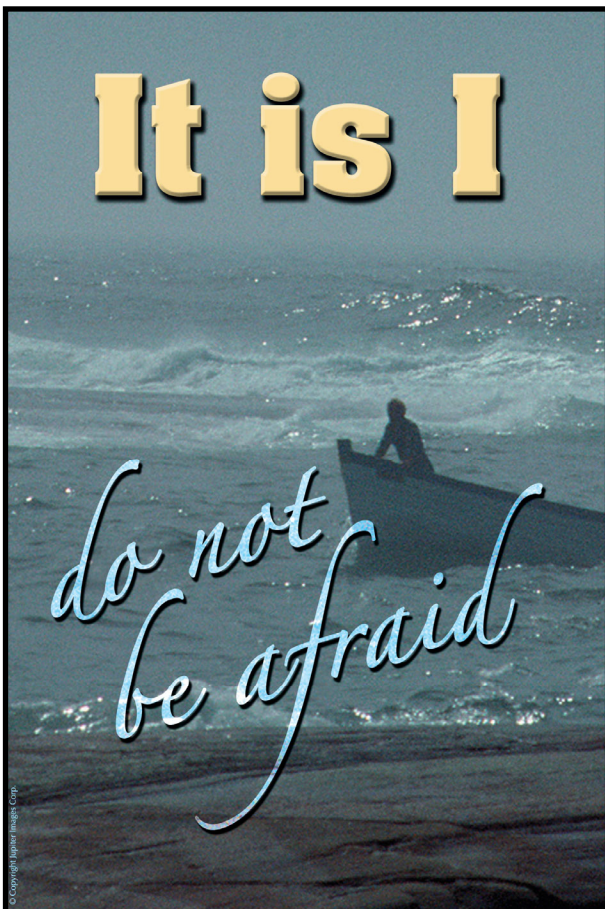
Psalm — Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation (Psalm 85).

Second Reading — To the Israelites belong the covenants, the law, and the patriarchs; and from them comes the Christ (Romans 9:1-5).

Gospel — As Jesus walked on the sea, the disciples were terrified (Matthew 14:22-33).

GOD’S IMAGE

Nature has perfections in order to show that she is the image of God, and defects to show that she is only God’s image. —Blaise Pascal



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26
 Tuesday: Ez 2:8 — 3:4; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
 Wednesday: Ez 9:1-7; 10:18-22; Ps 113:1-6; Mt 18:15-20
 Thursday: Ez 12:1-12; Ps 78:56-59, 61-62; Mt 18:21 — 19:1
 Friday: Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 [59-63]; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Mt 19:3-12
 Saturday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28
Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56
 Sunday: Is 56:1, 6-7; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Rom 11:13-15, 29-32; Mt 15:21-28



ANNOUNCING:

Our Lady of Mercy Parish
Growing Up Catholic, Faith Stories series

FOR WHOM?
Families with Children, Age 10 and Younger



HOW

DOES IT

WORK?

Find out about Faith Stories and details about
other formation opportunities by going

to olmercy.com

Click on the formation tab!

Guidance on Being Contagious with COVID-19

There are many aspects of COVID-19 and its transmission to think about such as where you are going and who you are with. A common question is how soon is a person contagious after being infected with the new coronavirus? According to an article in Harvard Health Publishing from Harvard Medical School, a person with COVID-19 may be contagious 48 to 72 hours before starting to experience symptoms. Ongoing research suggests that people may spread the virus to others during the 48 hours before they start to experience symptoms. Keep in mind that some people with the virus do not have symptoms.



If a person is exposed to the virus, the time from exposure to symptom onset is thought to be two to fourteen days, though symptoms typically appear within four or five days after exposure. Since a person may or may not have symptoms while being infected with the virus and unknowingly infect others, it is important to wear face coverings and practice physical distancing when out in public.

Information on how long a person who has had COVID-19 stops being contagious is explained by infectious disease expert Amesh A. Adalja, senior scholar at John Hopkins Center for Health Security in Maryland: approximately ten days after symptom onset and after at least three days without a fever and not taking fever-reducing medication and an improvement in respiratory symptoms. This is current information from the CDC which may change as new information is discovered about the virus. It is important to consult with your healthcare provider about your concerns and current guidelines.

If someone tests positive for COVID-19 and they have been at a gathering in church, in the Parish Life Center or on the church grounds, for contact tracing purposes, please contact the parish office or call Jolene LeRoy RN Director of Pastoral Care at 331-707-5380 or at jolenel@olmercy.com. This is done so that the protocols from the Diocese of Joliet and the state can be followed with confidentiality and sensitivity. Thank you for wearing your face covering to protect others!

Pray while Washing Your Hands

Instead of counting to twenty while watching your hands with soap and water, Pray! If you slowly pray the Hail Mary while you wash your hands, it will take about twenty seconds. If you pray the Hail Mary fast, then add a Glory Be and it will be twenty seconds of washing. Pray for a different intention each time you wash your hands which in the course of a day may amount to many times!

Take Care of Your Mental Health

During the pandemic, increased stress may be experienced and cause: fear, worry and anxiety; changes in sleep or eating patterns; difficulty sleeping or concentrating; worsening of chronic health problems; worsening of mental health conditions; and increased use of tobacco, and/or alcohol and other substances.

Healthy ways to cope with stress are to take breaks from watching, reading, or listening to news stories; take care of your body by eating healthy, well balanced meals, exercise regularly, get plenty of sleep and avoid excessive alcohol and drug use; make time to unwind with an activity that you enjoy; connect with people that you trust about your concerns and how you are feeling; connect with others online, through social media, by phone or mail or in person practicing the physical distancing measures and wearing a face covering.



Resources to assist in a crisis in addition to 911 are: *Disaster Distress Helpline* 1-800-985-5990 (press 2 for Spanish); *National Suicide Prevention Lifeline* 1-800-273-8255 for English and 1-888-628-9454 for Spanish; *National Domestic Violence Hotline* 1-800-799-7233 or text LOVEIS to 22522; *National Child Abuse Hotline* 1-800-422-4453; *The Eldercare Locator* 1-800-677-1116; Veteran's Crisis Line 1-800-273-8255. To find a health care provider or treatment for substance use disorder or mental health call *SAMHSA's National Helpline* at 1-800-662-4357. **YOU ARE NOT ALONE! FOR SUPPORT AND RESOURCES CALL JOLENE LEROY RN**

DIRECTOR OF PASTORAL CARE AT 331-707-5380 or
[JOLENEL@OLMERCY.COM](mailto:jolenel@olmercy.com).



Catholic Charities' Mobile Food Pantry is Coming to OLM!

On August 26th from 5:00PM – 6:30PM, Catholic Charities' Mobile Food Pantry will be distributing food at Our Lady of Mercy (rain or shine). Catholic Charities and the Northern Illinois Food Bank have partnered to deliver nutritious food (meat, produce and nonperishable items) to people in need.

All Mobile Food Pantries will use a "drive thru" method to distribute food during the COVID-19 pandemic. Participants are asked to please clear space in your trunk or backseat so volunteers can load boxes of food directly into each vehicle.

Catholic Charities helps people of all faiths and beliefs. For more information about Catholic Charities, please visit catholiccharitiesjoliet.org.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul



Dear Father Don and OLM Parishioners,

Thank you for allowing us to hold a clothing drive at Our Lady of Mercy recently. This is so wonderful because so many people will be helped with the donations.

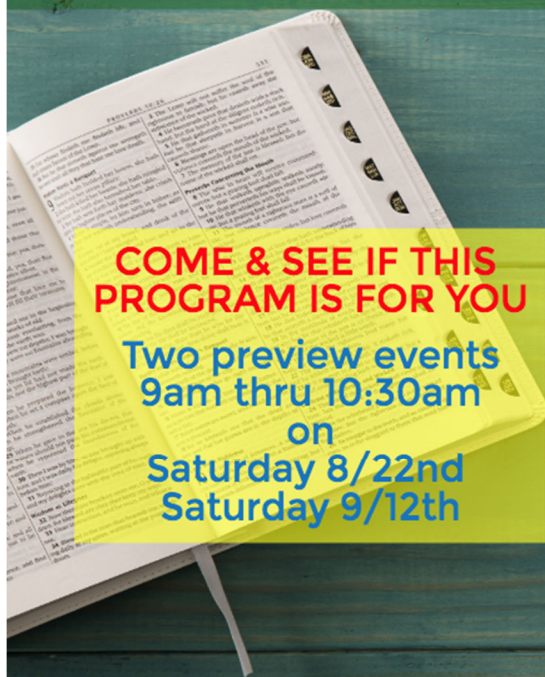
Please extend our gratitude to all the volunteers who organized the drive and worked the truck. We would especially like to thank the parishioners for their overwhelming generosity.

We look forward to working with Our Lady of Mercy again. Thank you for helping us help others!

Sincerely,

Cindy DiCristina
Clothing Drive Coordinator

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Saturday 9/12th

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Check out www.dioceseofjoliet.org/bidj or call 815-221-6147

- for a recorded preview
- for questions, curriculum & registration

Students who complete each phase of BIDJ receive certificates in basic/advanced biblical studies from the Diocese of Joliet.

PARISH SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Fiscal Year-to-Date Information (as of 7/26/2020)

Actual Year-to-Date Collections:	\$ 1,657,672
Fiscal Year-to-Date Budget:	\$ 1,740,800
Amount Short of Budget:	\$ (83,128)

7/26/2020 Sunday Collection:	\$ 27,693
<i>Sunday Goal:</i>	<i>\$ 27,200</i>
Amount in Excess of Goal:	\$ 493

For the Budget Year 2020/21 we have reduced the Parish Sunday goal by 15%, to \$27,200/week, due to the COVID 19 Pandemic. This was due in part to the Budget shortfall that we had during the 2019/2020 year.

We have received 82% of our Budgeted Collection during this lockdown period. We have had over 200 parishioners sign up for on-line giving during this time, an increase of over 100% since the Lockdown began.

Thank you for your generosity!!

Please remember Our Lady of Mercy Parish in your will and estate planning.

Construction loan for building the Parish Life Center

April, 2009	\$1,950,000
May, 2020	\$ 821,219
June, 2020	\$ 810,420

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Diocese of Joliet
Catholic Ministries
Annual Appeal

It is very important that these pledges be paid so that our parish will reach our goal. Once we have reached our goal in paid pledges, 70% of the additional funds received will be returned to the parish for our use.

Parish Goal	\$ 146,700
Amount Pledged	\$ 172,949
Amount Paid	\$ 128,435
Remaining Balance	\$ 44,514
Rebate Amount	\$ 0
# of Families Pledged	672

Pope St. John Paul II Catholic Academy

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Please contact our Head of School, Sr. Ann Brummel at (630)844-3781, for more information.

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- Programas de desayuno y almuerzo caliente.
- Ambiente seguro
- lases pequeñas
- tecnología 1 a 1

Póngase en contacto con nuestra directora de escuela, Hna. Ann Brummel al (630) 844-3781, para obtener más información.

Our Lady of Mercy Weekend Masses August 15 & 16

Fr. James will preach at all Masses.

Saturday:	4:00p	Fr James Guarascio/Dcn Mike Plese
Sunday:	8:00a	Fr Don McLaughlin/Dcn Art Tiongson
	10:00a	Fr James Guarascio
	12:00p	Fr Don McLaughlin
	5:30p	Fr James Guarascio

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JOB POSTING

The Diocese of Joliet is seeking to hire a Manager of Annual Giving and Events. This position is responsible for the leadership, management and execution of the Catholic Education Foundation's annual giving program and special events. Reporting to and working directly with the Executive Director, the Manager of Annual Giving and Events will play a vital role in creating and executing a comprehensive, year-round fundraising plan for the Catholic Education Foundation. The fundraising plan will include goals, strategies, and programming, including special events, that aim to build and engage our donor base. In collaboration with the Executive Director, responsibilities include meeting or exceeding the annual appeal and events-related fundraising goals; acknowledging, stewarding and growing annual appeal contributions; developing and successfully implementing all organization special events; representing the organization to donors, vendors, and the public; producing various fundraising-related collateral; maintaining the donor database; and managing volunteers.

Applicants meeting the necessary qualifications please email a cover letter, resume and salary requirement to:

humanresources@dioceseofjoliet.org

To view a full job description visit:

<http://www.dioceseofjoliet.org/hr/listjobs.php>

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday 3:00-3:45pm; Reconciliation services held seasonally.

SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Contact the Parish Office so we may help you in any way possible.

HOSPITALIZATION: If you anticipate a hospitalization or are admitted to an area hospital and would like a visit from a priest or Eucharistic Minister, please notify the parish office.

BAPTISMS: Registered parishioners wishing their child baptized must attend a parent meeting held the 3rd Wednesday of each month. Baptisms are held at 12 noon the first Saturday of the month and at 2:00 p.m. the second Sundays of the month. Baptisms are not celebrated during Lent.

WEDDINGS: The bride, groom or either set of parents must be registered members of the parish for at least six months prior to scheduling a wedding. Weddings may be scheduled no less than six months out in order to fulfill the diocesan marriage preparation requirements. Contact Diane Reiter, ext. 221.

NEW PARISHIONERS: We welcome you! Please register by attending our "New Parishioner Registration/Welcoming" meeting the last Sunday of the month at 11:00 a.m. For more info call: 851-3444, ext. 221.

HOSPITALITY: "Hospitality" weekend is held in the Parish Life Center Multi Purpose Room after all Saturday/Sunday Masses on the last full weekend of each month (excluding December).

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY, Voicemail-ext. 400

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