

OUR LADY *of* MERCY
CATHOLIC CHURCH

JUNE 5, 2022



Congratulations on your ordination
to priesthood, Father Tom Logue!

From The Pastor's Desk...

Also Known as Chardonnay W(h)ines!



Today we are celebrating the priestly ordination and welcoming back to OLM Fr. Tom Logue. Ordained a priest on May 21, 2022 by Bishop Ronald Hicks, Fr. Tom served a two-year internship at OLM as a seminarian and transitional deacon. We at OLM are honored to have played a role in his formation as a priest, and we congratulate him and assure him of our prayerful support. Fr. Tom will begin his first priestly assignment on July 1, 2022 at St. Raphael parish in Naperville.

Today we also celebrate Pentecost. Pentecost is a big deal! But what does it mean to us? It is of course all about the Spirit, and today's readings tell us that the Spirit is ready to lead us through transformations every bit as clear and bewildering as the events of Luke's account of the Pentecost event. There are five suggested readings for today's liturgy and the all lead us to reflect on our place in the community of believers. Not one of the readings speaks of a private experience of the Spirit of God, quite the opposite. The communal dimension is most obvious in the selection for 1 Corinthians, in which Paul uses the image of a body to explain how intimately the members of the community have become identified with one another. When Paul speaks of the differing gifts within the body of Christ, he highlights the paradoxical reality that the more unified the people become, the more their personal identity is strengthened. The more they get involved as integral parts of the community, the more their individual gifts are brought out in service to others. We were all given gifts of the spirit at our baptism. May today's celebration of Pentecost strengthen your awareness of your gifts of the Spirit!

This evening, thirty-six people from Our Lady of Mercy and St. Michael in Wheaton will be leaving with me on a flight to Zurich, Switzerland where we will begin a ten-day tour of Central Europe. The highlight of our trip will be attending the world famous Passion Play in Oberammergau, Germany. Scheduled to go in 2020, the trip was postponed until now due to the Coronavirus pandemic. We will see Lucerne, Oberammergau, Munich, Salzburg, and end in Prague. We fly back on June 15. Please pray for our safety.

Have a Blessed Week!



My Retirement Address & E-mail:
Rev. Don McLaughlin
570 Crescent Blvd. Unit 303
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137
don.mclaughlin1081@gmail.com



Liturgy Schedule & Mass Intentions

Monday, June 6 - Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Church

8:00 am † Marianne Daly, The Daly Family

(Live Streamed)

8:30 am Eucharistic Adoration

6:00 pm Benediction

6:30 pm † Ofelia Ponce, by Family

(Live Streamed • Spanish Mass)

Tuesday, June 7 - Weekday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am † Colleen Bartlett, Carolyn Kerkla

(Live Streamed)

6:30 pm † Bruce Fichte, by Family

7:00 pm Reconciliation (Until 8:00 PM)

Wednesday, June 8 - Weekday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am Eucharistic Adoration

12:00 pm † Irene Tallerico, by Norma Srock

(Live Streamed)

Thursday, June 9 - St Ephrem, Deacon & Doctor of Church

6:30 am † Marie Sulita, by Friends at Waterleaf

8:00 am † Benedicto Dagang, by Family

(Live Streamed)

8:30 am Eucharistic Adoration

6:00 pm Benediction

Friday, June 10 - Weekday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am † Jim Windett, by Geri Frey & Family

(Live Streamed)

Saturday, June 11 - St Barnabas, Apostle

8:30 am † George Durante, by Betty Vavra

(Live Streamed)

9:00am Reconciliation (Until 10:00 AM)

1:30 pm Reconciliation (Until 2:30 PM)

4:00 pm **Vigil - The Most Holy Trinity**

† Larry Craven, by The Dolinar Family

† Joyce Markus, by Family

Sunday, June 12 - The Most Holy Trinity

8:00 am † Mary Ellen Feldman, by Family

† Ann Borberg, by Phyllis Anderson

10:00 am Int Fr Don McLaughlin, by Shirley Staples

(Live Streamed)

12:00 pm In Thanksgiving, by The Rajasekhar Family

5:30 pm 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.

- | | |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. The Poor | 9. The Feldman Family |
| 2. The Sick | 10. Charles E Thompson |
| 3. Fr Don Safe Travels | 11. Special Intention-C.H. |
| 4. Nancy Luna | 12. Patricia Kramer Daugherty |
| 5. The Pluskota Family | 13. Edwin Garcia |
| 6. Dcn Bob & Betty Vavra | 14. Janice Melisi |
| 7. Rose Christine Sincora | 15. George Durante |
| 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.

Our Lady of Mercy Weekend Masses

June 11 & 12

Deacons will preach at Mass.

Saturday	4:00 pm	Fr James Guarascio Dcn Tony Martini
Sunday	8:00 am	Bishop Conlon Dcn Art Tionson
	10:00 am	Fr James Guarascio Dcn Phil Rehmer
	12:00 pm	Fr James Guarascio Dcn Tim Kueper
	5:30 pm	Fr James Guarascio Dcn Tony Leazzo

We Pray

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

For our sick, confined and their families.

Joseph Allaire
David Bakke
Ailani Banulos
Robert Ciulla
Michael Dandan
Wayne Draper
Mary Dunbar
Bridget Garry
Brielle Hearty
Connie Hegg
Jim Hegg
Nancy Higgins
Eric Hoerdemann
Antoinette Humanski
Steve Johnson
Helen Joseph
Michael Kuchinski
Theresa Kuchinski
Patricia Kramer Daugherty
Nancy Luna

Kristen Manning
Susan Massett
Holly Masters
Tony & Letty Mendez
Susan Mennenga
Bill Morse
La Moua
Charlene Oates
Flo Paprzycki
Diane Pazos
Valerie Plesha
Jim Pluskota
Julia Schremp
Diane Singer
Hedy Sterling
Thomas F. Sterling
John Swanston
Rev. Gerald Tivy
Kathy Walowski

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

Please let the Parish Office know of names which may be removed from the sick list.

Those in service to our country

TSgt Leah Harvey, USAF
Airman Melanie Hodges, US Navy
Nicholaus Laurie, US Marines
SSG Sean Murphy, USMC
Capt. Tara Trammell, US Army
Roberto Ramos, US Army
Lt. Joshua Puscas, US Navy
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
LTJG Marion Bautista, US Navy
SSG Karla Venegas, US Army
SSG Jeremy Norris, US Army
Capt. Carmen Lockett, US Army
PO3 Joshua San Diego, US Navy
LT Daniel Moran, US Army

Desde el Excritorio Del Pastor

¡También conocido como Chardonnay W(h)ines!



Hoy celebramos la ordenación sacerdotal y damos la bienvenida de regreso a OLM al Padre Tom Logue. Ordenado como sacerdote el 21 de mayo del 2022 por el Obispo Ronald Hicks, el Padre Tom realizó una pasantía de dos años en OLM como seminarista y diácono de transición. En OLM nos sentimos honrados de haber desempeñado un papel

en su formación como sacerdote, lo felicitamos y le aseguramos nuestro apoyo en oración. El Padre Tom comenzará su primera asignación sacerdotal el 1 de julio del 2022 en la parroquia de St. Raphael en Naperville.

Hoy también celebramos Pentecostés. ¡Pentecostés es una gran cosa! Pero, ¿qué significa para nosotros? Por supuesto, todo se trata del Espíritu, y las lecturas de hoy nos dicen que el Espíritu está listo para guiarnos a través de transformaciones tan claras y desconcertantes como los acontecimientos del relato de Lucas sobre el evento de Pentecostés. Hay cinco lecturas sugeridas para la liturgia de hoy y todas nos llevan a reflexionar sobre nuestro lugar en la comunidad de creyentes. Ninguna de las lecturas habla de una experiencia privada del Espíritu de Dios, todo lo contrario. La dimensión comunitaria es más obvia en la selección de 1 Corintios, en la que Pablo usa la imagen de un cuerpo para explicar cuán íntimamente los miembros de la comunidad se han identificado unos con otros. Cuando Pablo habla de los diferentes dones dentro del cuerpo de Cristo, destaca la realidad paradójica de que cuanto más unidas se vuelven las personas, más se fortalece su identidad personal. Cuanto más se involucren como partes integrales de la comunidad, más sus dones individuales se pondrán al servicio de los demás. Todos recibimos dones del Espíritu en nuestro bautismo. ¡Que la celebración de Pentecostés de hoy fortalezca vuestra conciencia de vuestros dones del Espíritu!

Esta noche, treinta y seis personas de Our Lady of Mercy y St. Michael en Wheaton partirán conmigo en un vuelo a Zúrich, Suiza, donde comenzaremos una gira de diez días por Europa Central. Lo más destacado de nuestro viaje será asistir a la mundialmente famosa Obra de la Pasión en Oberammergau, Alemania. Programado para ir en el 2020, el viaje se pospuso hasta ahora debido a la pandemia del Coronavirus. Veremos Lucerna, Oberammergau, Múnich, Salzburgo, y terminaremos en Praga. Volamos de regreso el 15 de junio. Por favor oren por nuestra seguridad.

¡Que tengan una Bendecida Semana!



Mi dirección de jubilación y correo electrónico:
Rev. Don McLaughlin
570 Crescent Blvd. Unit 303
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137
don.mclaughlin1081@gmail.com



Lecturas de la Semana

Domingo	Hch 2, 1-11; Sal 103, 1ab y 24ac. 29bc-30. 31 y 34; 1 Cor 12, 3b-7. 12-13 o Rom 8, 8-17; Jn 20, 19-23 o Jn 14, 15-16. 23b-26
Lunes	Gén 3, 9-15. 20 o Hch 1, 12-14; Sal 86, 1-2. 3 y 5. 6-7; Jn 19, 25-34
Martes	1 Rey 17, 7-16; Sal 4, 2-3. 4-5. 7-8; Mt 5, 13-16
Miércoles	1 Rey 18, 20-39; Sal 15, 1-2a. 4. 5 y 8. 11; Mt 5, 17-19
Jueves	1 Rey 18, 41-46; Sal 64, 10abcd. 10e-11. 12-13; Mt 5, 20-26
Viernes	1 Rey 19, 9. 11-16; Sal 26, 7-8a. 8b-9abc. 13-14; Mt 5, 27-32
Sábado	Hch 11, 21-26; Hch 13, 1-3; Sal 97, 1. 2ab. 3cd-4. 5-6; Mt 5, 33-37
Domingo	Prov 8, 22-31; Sal 8, 4-5. 6-7. 8-9; Rom 5, 1-5; Jn 16, 12-15



June 5, 2022

Pentecost Sunday

Written by
THE
FAITHFUL
DISCIPLE

Acts 2:1-11 | 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17 |
Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

“Peace be with you.” On hearing those four simple words, the fear that had paralyzed the disciples gives way to rejoicing. We, too, can feel paralyzed at times - by fear, yes - but also indecision, conflict, negativity, and perhaps even headlines that remind us how fractured our world has become. Yet here is Jesus, wishing us peace and giving us the gift of Pentecost: our Advocate, the Holy Spirit. As Jesus breathes on the disciples, he confers upon them a Spirit of peace that will allow them to push past their fears and build up the Church. “Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained.” We, too, can turn to the Holy Spirit in times of trouble to help us move forward in faith, sharing peace and reconciliation with those we encounter.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

Sometimes after a tiring or stressful day, I head up to my room, kick my feet up, and mindlessly scan social media or whatever other distractions might pop up on my smartphone. A friend read somewhere that doing so amounts to effectively putting your time in the shredder! Today’s readings challenge me and all of us to dig deeper. Why not, instead, find a quiet place to pray, asking the Holy Spirit for a refresh as we move into the next part of our day, which is indeed the first minute of the rest of our lives. There’s nothing wrong with downtime! But in the Holy Spirit, we can find a source of inspiration, energy, and creativity. As St. Paul writes to the Corinthians, “There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; there are different forms of service but the same Lord; there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone. To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit.” Just as Jesus sent out the disciples, he sends us out to share our gifts to build up the Church.

PRAY *We thank you, God, for the ways your Holy Spirit helps us see your love through the people and world around us. We thank you for the gifts of the Spirit within us and for the gift of your Son, Jesus Christ. Holy Spirit, open our hearts as we listen to your word. We ask this in Christ’s name.*

Getty Images/Chris Wedel/Corbis

Pastoral Care

St. Peregrine Prayer Service & Ministry

All are invited to attend the St. Peregrine Prayer Service on Tuesday, June 21 in the church after the 6:30pm Mass with Deacon Tony Leazzo and Jolene LeRoy RN, Parish Nurse and Director of Pastoral Care. St. Peregrine is the patron saint of the sick, especially those experiencing cancer, serious illness or chronic illness. Anyone experiencing physical, emotional, mental or spiritual health concerns would benefit from attending the prayer service. There will be time after the service to venerate the relic of St. Peregrine and pray for your personal needs or intentions.

It is important to know that you are not alone in your journey of faith as you experience illness or are a caregiver for someone. The National Shrine of St. Peregrine is the Our Lady of Sorrows Basilica Parish in Chicago. For information about the shrine and ways to connect with it go to olsparish@ols-chicago.org. There is a St. Peregrine newsletter, Compassionate Companions available at <https://servict.org/category/stone>. If you would like to receive information about the St. Peregrine Ministry, please provide your email to Jolene at jolenel@olmercy.com.

Healing Hearts Ministry

All of us have experienced joys and sorrows, ups and downs, accomplishments and disappointments in our lives. There may have been times that resulted in brokenness or heavy hearts that affect our attitude and way of living. The Open HEARTS Ministry has changed its name to Healing Hearts as it is a ministry for anyone 18 years of age or older who would like to practice self-care for their own health and wellness and would also like to reach out to others to offer healing and hope.

The ministry will also be a source of support, resources, education, and advocacy for mental health concerns in the parish and the community. As we gather to learn and participate in an ac-

tivity that promotes healing we will be in a safe, sacred space to share stories and pray together.

The next gathering is on Monday, June 20 from 7:00 to 8:30pm in Room 218 in the Parish Life Center. The activity is being planned and will be described in the next bulletin. If you have questions, need resources or support or would like to learn more about the ministry, please contact Janice Hurtado Aeppli at 312-217-7872 or at olmopenhearts@yahoo.com.

Monthly Grief Support

If you are experiencing grief and would like to join others for a time of sharing stories, tears and laughter, prayer, and moving forward in hope – please come on Monday, June 27 from 11:00am to 1:00pm in the Ministry Room located in the church. There is no registration. This is an opportunity to receive support and understanding during your grief journey. If you have questions, please call Jolene LeRoy RN Parish Nurse and Director of Pastoral Care at 331-707-5380.

The Power of Gardening

Many people have discovered the joy of gardening during the pandemic. At the time, many did not know the benefits of gardening until they started it. Gardening does affect many aspects of wellness. Some say that “Gardening is therapy for me”. It has a positive impact on physical and spiritual well-being, on relationships and stress resilience. Many people realize that they are learning through the act of gardening and that it does improve their overall well-being.

Gardening may not be the answer to all of life’s problems, but applying the lessons learned help with personal and community-wide growth and well-being. Join the OLM community garden that will grow vegetables to share with local organizations. If you are interested in sharing your time and talent with the garden, please contact Ida at 630-605-6038 or idadamphillips@gmail.com or Chris at chrisharveyny@gmail.com or 631-561-9722.

If you are a gardener, take a moment to reflect on: what lessons you have learned from your practice of growing things; can you see where a seed you planted years ago continues to bear fruit in you life today; is there a “seed” that you would like to plant now in your life or in your community?

(Resource: article by D. Scott Stoner, LMFT and Holly Hughes Stoner, LMFT)

Men’s Health Month

June is *National Men’s Health Month*. It is an opportunity to take action to increase awareness of preventable health problems as well as early detection and treatment of diseases such as cancer, heart disease, and depression. Take the time to evaluate how you are taking care of your physical, mental, emotional and spiritual health. You take good care of your car – so take good care of yourself! If you want to make changes, set realistic goals. You may want to discuss these goals with your health care provider, the loved ones in your life or someone that is a spiritual companion to you. Check out the Men’s Health Network for information and resources that will support your efforts to improve your health at menshealthnetwork.org.

Pastoral Care Needs

If you are homebound and unable to come to Mass and would like Holy Communion brought to you by a trained Minister of Care or if someone has physical, mental, emotional or spiritual health concerns, please contact Jolene LeRoy RN Parish Nurse and Director of Pastoral Care for support and resources at 331-707-5380 or jolenel@olmercy.com. If care is needed in an emergency after office hours, please call 630-851-3444 to connect with the emergency line and talk with the priest on call. God bless you and keep you in His care!



Father's Day Collection for Infirm & Retired Priests

June 2022

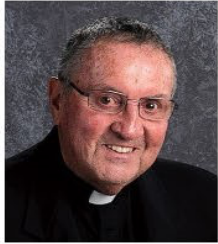
Dear Friends,

Many of you know that Father Jim Lennon was called home on May 8 after a long and fruitful life. Father Lennon was so beloved that Joliet city officials in 2006 named the portion of Willow Avenue next to St. Patrick's Church – his final assignment before retirement in 2006 – "Father Jim Lennon Way."

Father Lennon also happened to write a popular article in June 2019 highlighting the annual Father's Day Collection for Infirm and Retired Priests. In honor of Father Lennon and the upcoming second collection taking place the weekend of June 19, we are reprinting his article below in its entirety. Well said, Father Lennon, and thank you.

Paz y bien,

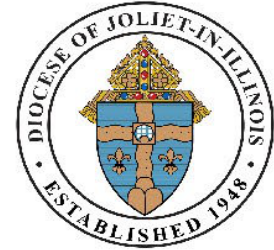
Most Reverend Ronald A. Hicks, Bishop of Joliet



How Can We Thank You?

By Father Jim Lennon

June 2019, *Christ is our Hope*



At the time of my ordination on June 7, 1958, little did I realize the love, support, care and friendship of so many Catholic parishioners in the parishes I have served throughout the Diocese of Joliet.

Now after 61 years of priesthood, I still love my ministry, and I thank God that I am able to serve in the Joliet area. When I visit our young priests, I tell them how blessed they should be to touch the hearts and souls of so many of God's people.

I continue to be convinced of the prayers of so many people for their priests, present and former parishioners, religious men and women, retired and infirm priests, parish shut-ins and (the list could go on), sustaining both active and those of us in the senior-priest category (far from retired).

Hopefully, all our priests remain committed to caring for the elderly and infirm, for one day we will likely be in the same position.

As a priest ages, like all of us, we too often need care and special attention. We have retired and senior priests living at St. John Vianney Villa in Naperville and Our Lady of Angels Retirement Home in Joliet. There are also senior priests living on their own. I might add that our St. John Vianney Villa is home to nine priests and is capably administered by the Oblates of the Sacred Heart. We are indeed blessed to have Sister Teresina and Sister Karen Marie making the villa a home for our retired priests.

A significant number of our senior priests assist on a regular basis in parishes celebrating Masses, hearing confessions and filling in on a temporary basis. The assistance also enables priests serving in our parishes to take their vacations and occasionally get away for a little rest and relaxation. Father Dan Stempora, Father Marty Gabel, and Father Tony

Taschetta are out on ministry assignments almost daily, while others fill in as needed. Father Bill O'Shea lives in Chicago and assists at Old St. Patrick's Church and returns often to teach religion at All Saints Catholic Academy in Naperville. Father Charlie Wheeler lives at Ss. Mary & Joseph in Chebanese and is ministering on a daily basis in the Kankakee region. I am blessed to assist at several parishes in Joliet, as well as offering Mass at several retirement and nursing homes in the area.

However, to maintain a quality of life in our "golden" years is where we rely on your continued generous financial help. Your senior priests are well aware of the rising costs of medical care and the ordinary living expenses.

The Father's Day Collection taken up each June for the Fund for Diocesan Infirm and Elderly Priests is to meet the needs of our diocesan elderly, infirmed and retired priests. This year, that collection will take place at parishes throughout the diocese on Father's Day weekend, June 18-19.

Old age, senior status or whatever you want to call it, is a graced time to encounter God in new and wonderful ways. As we senior priests have more time for prayer, silence and stillness, you – our faithful and loving parishioners of the Diocese of Joliet – are remembered daily in our Masses and other prayers. As we have tried to be Good Shepherds to you over many years, we now appreciate your continued care and financial generosity as we draw closer to the promised reward for all those who have loved and served our God.

All of our senior priests express their deep appreciation and sincere gratitude for your love and tremendous generosity. †

Learn Scripture with the Biblical Institute of the Diocese of Joliet

Two Sites Open to New Students!

The acclaimed Biblical Institute of the Diocese of Joliet is taking registrations now for St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Manhattan for Year 1- Old Testament Foundations - and in person classes at Live Online Classes for Year 2 – New Testament Foundations. If you want to learn Scripture in a truly engaging manner, with a teacher and from a solidly Catholic perspective, the Biblical Institute promises you an enriching experience!

Come to one of the preview events to meet teachers and current students or attend or view a Zoom Preview. For more information about the Biblical Institute and preview events, go to: www.dioceseofjoliet.org/bidj and click on Biblical Institute. Or call the diocesan Faith Formation Office at 815-221-6147.

Around the Parish

Rummage Sale

Donations Needed

Getting rid of stuff around the house? Please consider donating to our Rummage Sale! Items can be dropped off at before or after Masses the weekend of June 4/5 to room 124 OR from 2-5pm on Monday-Thursday, June 6-9 in the Multi-Purpose Room.

Sale Dates

Friday, June 10 9:00a to 4:00p	Saturday, June 11 9:00a to 5:30p	Sunday, June 12 8:00a to 2:00p (After Masses)
-----------------------------------	-------------------------------------	---

Huge selection of items that need a new home! Sale held indoors! *NO Early Arrivals Please!* All proceeds from the sale will benefit the OLM Teen Summer Mission Trip.

Corpus Christi Procession

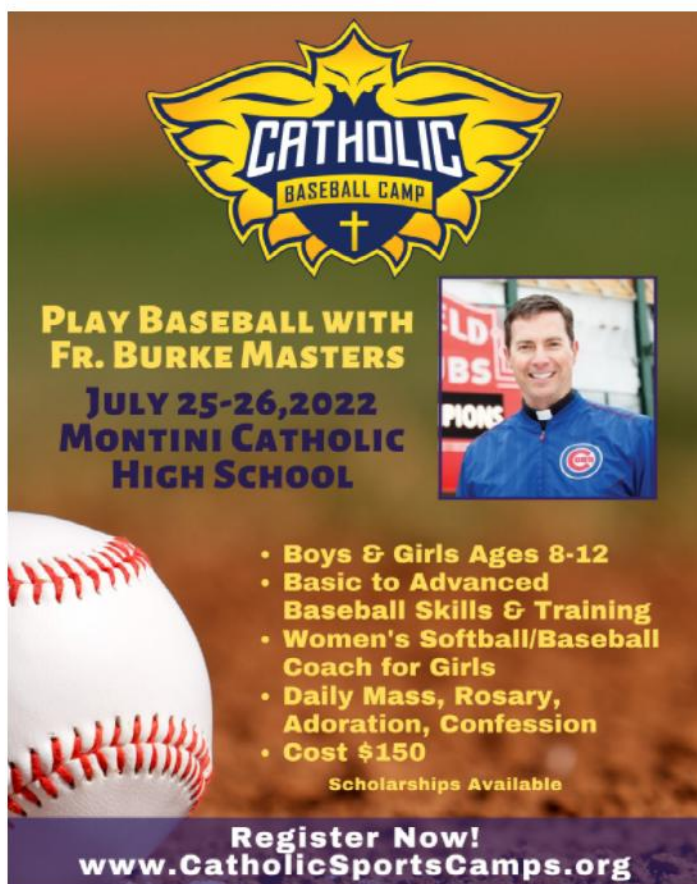
Sunday, June 19th is the Feast of Corpus Christi (Latin for "Body of Christ"). Corpus Christi is the Roman Rite liturgical solemnity celebrating the real presence of the body and blood of Jesus Christ, the Son of God, in the Eucharist-known as transubstantiation. The procession will begin after the 12:00 pm mass and will be followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Please contact Shirley Staples at 630-815-5799 or at shirleystaples@yahoo.com.

OLM Bowling League

Do not spend another fall, winter, and spring cooped up in your home!!! Come out and join the OLM Mixed Bowling League. You need not be a good bowler. You only need to come out and enjoy some safe time out with fellow parishioners for one Friday a month. If you have thought about joining a league, now is the time to give it a try.

There are 4 players to a team, but we will build a team for <4 players who wish to join. Fees are \$17/person per month. The league will be one Friday/month from August through May, skipping December.

If you have questions and/or would like to join the league, please give Dan Panozzo a call at 815-302-4111 or email at tanddpanozzo@comcast.net. Come on out and join the fun!



CATHOLIC
BASEBALL CAMP

**PLAY BASEBALL WITH
FR. BURKE MASTERS**
JULY 25-26, 2022
MONTINI CATHOLIC
HIGH SCHOOL

- Boys & Girls Ages 8-12
- Basic to Advanced Baseball Skills & Training
- Women's Softball/Baseball Coach for Girls
- Daily Mass, Rosary, Adoration, Confession
- Cost \$150

Scholarships Available

Register Now!
www.CatholicSportsCamps.org

Parish Sacrificial Giving

Actual Year-to-Date Collections	\$	1,345,824
Fiscal Year-to-Date Budget	\$	1,320,000
Amount in Excess of Budget	\$	25,824
05/15/22 Sunday Collection	\$	24,555
Weekly Sunday Goal	\$	30,000
Amount Short of Goal	\$	(5,445)

For the Budget Year 2021/22 we have increased the Parish Sunday goal by 10%, to \$30,000/week, due to the easing of COVID-19 restrictions.

Thank you for your generosity!!

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

Parish Life Center (Construction Loan)

April, 2009	\$	1,950,000
March, 2022	\$	526,166
April, 2022	\$	514,646

Important Notice

Fr. Don and Fr. James **DO NOT** send texts or emails asking for money or gift cards. If you receive a message appearing to be from Fr. Don or Fr. James, please discard it and **DO NOT SEND ANY ELECTRONIC MONETARY AID.**

Several steps you can take if you think you have received a scam email.

Double-check the sender's email address. A spoofed email address often has an extension similar to the legitimate email address. You can outsmart them by looking beyond the name and checking the "from" email address to see if it matches what you know the alleged sender's email to be.

Always verify in person/telephone before sending money or sensitive data. Be suspicious! Make it standard operating procedure to confirm email requests for wire transfer, debit cards, account information or confidential information.



CMAA Pledge Report

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	\$	152,000
Amount Pledged	\$	152,740
Amount Paid	\$	100,728
Remaining Balance	\$	52,012
Rebate Amount	\$	0
# of Families Pledged		543

All are Welcome at All Saints!

NOW ENROLLING

- Serving Students in PK3 - 8th Grade
- Low Class Sizes
- High Academic Standards
- Safe and Nurturing Community

[Schedule a tour at ascacademy.org](http://ascacademy.org)

Offering Academic Excellence Grounded in Faith since 2005!
 Located at - 1155 Aurora Avenue, in the heart of downtown Naperville
ascacademy.org / (630) 961-6125

Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Church

701 S. Eola Road † Aurora, IL 60504

www.olmercy.com

Parish Office

Tel: (630) 851-3444 • FAX: (630) 851-3468

Monday-Thursday 8:30am-4:00pm

Friday 8:30am-1:00pm

Mass Schedule

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8:00am

Monday (Spanish Mass) 6:30pm

Tuesday 8:00am, 6:30pm

Wednesday 12:00pm

Thursday 6:30am, 8:00am

Saturday 8:30am

Saturday (Anticipated for Sunday) 4:00pm

Sunday 8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00pm, and 5:30pm

Holy Days of Obligations

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 weekdays 7:00am-8:00pm

Adoration

Monday & Thursday 8:30am-6:00pm

Wednesdays 8:00am-12:00pm

First Friday of the Month 12:00pm

Benediction

Monday & Thursday 6:00pm

New Parishioners

We welcome you! Please register by visiting our website at www.olmercy.com. Click on "New Here" and choose "Join OLM" to fill out the online registration form.

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 complete a parent workshop. 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.

Parish Directory

Parish Priests

Pastor Fr. Don McLaughlin
630-851-3444, Ext. 228 frdon@olmercy.com

Parochial Vicar Fr. James Guarascio
630-851-3444, Ext. 226 frjames@olmercy.com

Permanent Deacons

Dcn Tim Kueper tkueper5@yahoo.com

Dcn Tony Leazzo tonyl@olmercy.com

Dcn Tony Martini tonym@olmercy.com

Dcn Phil Rehmer deaconphil@rehmer.com

Dcn Art Tiongson hope2640@yahoo.com

Dcn Lupe Villarreal lupev@olmercy.com

Pastoral Staff

Director of Music Ministries Frank Sauter
331-707-5379 franks@olmercy.com

Parish Nurse/Pastoral Care Jolene LeRoy, RN
331-707-5380 jolenel@olmercy.com

Evangelization & Communications Zara Tan
331-707-5381 zara@olmercy.com

Family Evangelization & Catechesis

Director (Pre K-5) & RCIC Mary Jo Trapani
331-707-5378 maryjot@olmercy.com

Director (6-12) Dave Miserendino
331-707-5371 davem@olmercy.com

RE Secretary Karen Schwartz
331-707-5369 karens@olmercy.com

Principle of All Saints Catholic Academy

630-961-6125 Margie Marshall

Administrative Staff

Business Manager Bob Gancarz
331-707-5370 robertg@olmercy.com

Parish Secretary Diane Reiter
630-851-3444 dianer@olmercy.com

Business Office Assistant Lydia Schmitt
331-707-5377 lydias@olmercy.com

Buildings & Grounds Len Eickhoff
630-631-1676 lene@olmercy.com

St. Vincent de Paul Society

630-851-3444 Voicemail-ext. 400

Overman Jones
 FUNERAL HOME & CREMATION SERVICES
 15219 S. Joliet Rd., Plainfield, IL
 (815) 436-9221
 Rte. 30 & Rte. 59
www.overmanjones.com

Two Beautiful Locations

 The Jones Family

Friedrich Jones
 FUNERAL HOME & CREMATION SERVICES
 44 S. Mill Street, Naperville, IL
 (630) 355-0213
 Historic Downtown
www.friedrichjones.com

American bank & trust
 TOGETHER WE CAN.
 DIRECT 630-444-8007
 CELL 480-365-8820
 Please call me to purchase or refinance. Over 22 years experience, we do loans in all 50 states.
John Frederick
 Mortgage Loan Originator
 Reverse Mortgage Planner
 PARISHIONER
www.ambankq.com
 8 South Main St. Suite A - Elburn, IL

LISA BYRNE
 REALTOR
 PARISHIONER
 630.670.1580
lisa.byrne@bairdwarner.com
 Honesty + Integrity + Hard Work = SOLD!
 836 W. 75TH ST. NAPERVILLE


MICHELLE T. CHASE
 ATTORNEY AT LAW
WWW.MICHELLECHASELAW.COM
 552 S. WASHINGTON STREET
 SUITE 205, NAPERVILLE, IL 60540
 P: 630-995-3812 F: 630-995-3823
MTC@MICHELLECHASELAW.COM


 Total average savings of **\$825*** when you combine home and auto. Call my office for a quote 24/7.
Greg Mahoney
 Ins. Agency, Inc.
 Greg Mahoney, Agent
 3015 E. New York St., Unit A-1
 Aurora, IL 60504
630-978-2051

 *Average annual per household savings based on a national 2012 survey of new policy holders who reported savings by switching to State Farm. State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company, State Farm Indemnity Company, State Farm Fire and Casualty Company, State Farm General Insurance Company, Bloomington, IL. P097186.1

KEVIN P. RYAN
 D.D.S., P.C.
CONOR P. RYAN
 D.D.S.
 GENERAL DENTISTRY
 1852 BAY SCOTT CIRCLE
 SUITE 108
 NAPERVILLE, IL 60540
 (630) 355-1940
www.kevinryandds.com

Edward Jones
 MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING
Don Oblazney
 Financial Advisor

630-551-0625
 1116 Douglas Road
 Oswego, IL 60543
www.edwardjones.com

The Daleiden Mortuary
 220 N. Lake Street, Aurora
630-631-5500
 See our interactive website at www.daleidenmortuary.com

Parishioner Special!
5 classes for \$55
 Pilates
 Kettleball
 Cardio Dance
 Rehabilitation
 Weight Loss
 Stress
+630.450.4706
 400 S Main St. Naperville
hotyoganaperville.com



Dunn Family
 FUNERAL HOME WITH CREMATORY
630/554-3888
 * Traditional, Non-Traditional
 * On-Site Cremation Services
 *Pre-planning and Pre-financing available
 1801 S. Douglas Rd, P.O. Box 665
 Oswego, IL 60543-0665
www.dunnfamilyfuneralhome.com

A Catholic Family serving the needs of Fellow Catholics
 WILLIAM AND PATRICIA DUNN

Your Church is closer than you think...
 Visit **DISCOVERMASS.com**
 Mass Times • Bulletins
 Directions • Local Businesses


 OLD SECOND NATIONAL BANK
 1-877-866-0202 • 25+ area locations

PHIL WALZ PLUMBING INC.
 Specialists in Bath Remodeling
 Established 1967
 1340 W. Ogden Naperville
630-355-0080
 Lic# 058-062118


Henry Zehnal
 Real Estate Broker | Parishioner
 630.788.9090
henry@victoriantanteam.com

 Making Your Dream Home Happen
 Henry Zehnal is a real estate broker affiliated with Compass, a licensed real estate broker and abides by federal, state and local Equal Housing Opportunity laws.

Funeral Service On-Site Crematory

 SERVING YOU SINCE 1861
Beidelman-Kunsch
 FUNERAL HOMES & CREMATORY, LTD
 Family Owned & Operated Since 1861
 John W., John L. & Joseph O. Kunsch, Directors
 516 S. Washington St.
 Historic Downtown Naperville
 630.355.0264
 24021 Royal Worlington Dr.
 Rt. 59/South Naperville
 630.922.9630
www.BeidelmanKunschFH.com

DIOCESAN For Advertising Information CALL 1-800-783-1623

Online at Diocesan.com/Business

VISA 1587