



# Transfiguration Parish

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**“Lord, It is wonderful  
for us to be here...”**

**—Matthew 17:4**

*Stick together. Love each other, and together: look to Jesus in prayer.*



## **Parish Mission Statement**

We are people  
*called* to build a  
Catholic Faith  
Community by  
*seeking* Christ  
and *sharing* His  
Gospel through  
**Prayer,  
Education,  
Service and  
Social  
Activities.**



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## MASS TIMES

HORARIO DE MISAS

GODZINY MSZY ŚW.

### SUNDAY LITURGIES

Saturday: —4:00pm (*English*)

—6:00pm (*Español*)

Sunday: —8:00am (*English*)

—10:00am (*English*)

—12:30pm (*Po Polsku*)

### WEEKDAY LITURGIES

8:00am (*English*) Tue\*, Wed, Thu\*, Fri

\* NO HOMILY

### HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE

8:00am (*English*) Mon, Sat

### HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

Mass of Anticipation:

—7:00pm (*Español*)

Holy Day:

—8:00am (*English*)

—10:00am (*English*)

(school months only)

—7:00pm (*English*)

Memorial Day & Thanksgiving

—9:00am (*English*)

### School Masses (school months only)

Thursday at 9:15am (Elementary School) — Friday at 2:00pm (Middle School)

## READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

INTENCIONES Y LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

MSZE ŚW. W TYGODNIU

### Monday, August 5—Weekday

✠ Nm 11:4b-15 / Mt 14:13-21

### Tuesday, August 6—The Transfiguration of the Lord

✠ Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 / 2 Pt 1:16-19 / Lk 9:28b-36

8:00 am The Souls in Purgatory/†Peter Tortorice/

†Herbert J. Francart, Sr.

### Wednesday, August 7—St. Sixtus II, St. Cajetan

✠ Nm 13:1-2, 25-14:1, 26-29a, 34-35 / Mt 15:21-28

8:00 am †Peter Tortorice/†Herbert J. Francart, Sr.

### Thursday, August 8—St. Dominic

✠ Nm 20:1-13 / Mt 16:13-23

8:00 am †Peter Tortorice/†Herbert J. Francart, Sr.

### Friday, August 9—St. Theresa Benedicta of the Cross

✠ Dt 4:32-40 / Mt 16:24-28

8:00 am †Peter Tortorice/†Herbert J. Francart, Sr.

### Saturday, August 10—St. Lawrence

✠ 2 Cor 9:6-10 / Jn 12:24-26

### Sunday, August 11—Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

✠ Wis 18:6-9 / Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12 / Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40

4:00 pm †Robert Johnson/†Ralph M. Liberatore

†George Mueller, Sr.

6:00 pm Andrea Carranza

8:00 am †Herbert J. Francart, Sr./Loretta and Ed Makar

†Katrina Osterle/Lorraine Reilly/†Peter Tortorice

11:00 am For students and teachers returning to school

12:30 pm For community unity



## Prayer List for the sick

*OREMOS POR LOS ENFERMOS*

*MODLITWA ZA CHORYCH*

Michael Badagliaccio ▪ Bill Barber ▪ Baby Kailani Bates ▪ Dennis Bechtel ▪ Mitchell Bienkowski ▪ Helen Blair ▪ Charles Buntenbach ▪ Carol Calcitrai ▪ Milton Chapa ▪ Peggy & Tony Chrusciel ▪ Constance Cotsiomitis ▪ Lillian D'Angelo ▪ Patsy Daniels ▪ Peter Davis & Family ▪ Valerie Davis ▪ Mary C. Dennehy ▪ Tim Dorsey ▪ Phyllis Finnegan ▪ Bill & Vera Foley ▪ Herbert Francart, Sr. & Family ▪ Helen Fritz ▪ Joanne Galus ▪ Rose Gilligan ▪ Woody Glaser ▪ Maria Grimm ▪ Karen Groos ▪ Kimberly Gross ▪ Phyllis Heck ▪ Crystal Hoff ▪ Desiree Hoff ▪ Dorothy Hoff ▪ Marilyn Howell ▪ Kim Ingwersen ▪ Helen Jakubek ▪ Melinda and Mario Kalas ▪ John James Kapcia ▪ Linda Korona ▪ Michael Krolczyk ▪ Donna Lesczynski ▪ Rose Liberio ▪ Susan Liberio ▪ Maria Concepcion Lopez ▪ Karen Luebbers ▪ Christopher Mamoser ▪ Don Martel ▪ Linda McCarrin ▪ Brian McGinty ▪ Ed McGinty ▪ Michelle Meindle ▪ Haydee Morin ▪ Kendra Mott ▪ Bill Mott ▪ Lynn Napoli ▪ Mary Jane Niles ▪ Lynn Norum ▪ Bill Opsal ▪ Pablo Paniagua ▪ Georgia Pastirik ▪ Dc. Feliks Pezowicz ▪ Rae Poklenkowski ▪ Cathy Polnau ▪ Sharon Powderly ▪ Dorothy Race ▪ Audrey Raclaw ▪ Ramirez Family ▪ Judy Reilly ▪ LaVerne Richards ▪ Jeremiah Riordan ▪ Sue & Ron Rosaves ▪ James Rubino, Sr. ▪ Mary Ann Rubino ▪ Jerome Salvino ▪ Jay Schafer ▪ Gary Scherer ▪ Ken Scherer ▪ Bill Scholla ▪ Ellen Sherwin ▪ Debbie Spada ▪ Donald Staats ▪ Mickey Stahl ▪ Ed & Jan Stepek ▪ Thomas Taylor ▪ Diane Thelen ▪ James Tomlinson ▪ Ita Torres ▪ Daisy Walters ▪ Gerald Walters, Jr. ▪ Wayne Weller ▪ Dee Wolf ▪ Eileen Wood ▪ Tom Yacullo ▪ Barbara Zimmerman ▪ Dee Zimmermann & Family ▪ Rick Zimmermann ▪ All in Service to our Country and for all in detention centers or being deported.

## Pray for the Newly Baptized

*RECIEN BAUTIZADOS*

*NOWO OCHRZCZENI*

**Let's welcome the newly baptized to our parish!**

JULY 27, 2019

**Emmett Jared Gonzalez**  
Son of Francisco & Guadalupe  
**Amelia Nycz**  
Daughter of Daniel & Olga

**You are now God's children...**

1John 3:1



## Pray for the Faithful Departed

*OREMOS POR LOS DIFUNTOS*

*MÓDLMY SIĘ ZA TYCH CO ODESZLI*

**"Come, you who are blessed by my father, says the Lord, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world."**

**Herbert Francart, Sr., Jeffrey Haiduke, Mildred Renkosiak, Peter N. Tortorice**

**Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them, O Lord.**

And Let Perpetual Light Shine Upon Them.

**May their souls and the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace.**

AMEN



**TRANSFIGURATION FEAST DAY****LITURGY OF THE WORD****READING I — DN 7:9-10, 13-14**

Thrones were set up and the Ancient One took his throne. His clothing was bright as snow, and the hair on his head as white as wool; his throne was flames of fire, with wheels of burning fire. A surging stream of fire flowed out from where he sat; Thousands upon thousands were ministering to him, and myriads upon myriads attended him. The court was convened and the books were opened.

As the visions during the night continued, I saw:

One like a Son of man coming, on the clouds of heaven; When he reached the Ancient One and was presented before him, The one like a Son of man received dominion, glory, and kingship; all peoples, nations, and languages serve him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not be taken away, his kingship shall not be destroyed.

**READING II — 2 PT 1:16-19**

Beloved:

We did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty. For he received honor and glory from God the Father when that unique declaration came to him from the majestic glory, "This is my Son, my beloved, with whom I am well pleased." We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven while we were with him on the holy mountain. Moreover, we possess the prophetic message that is altogether reliable. You will do well to be attentive to it, as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts.

**GOSPEL — LK 9:28b-36**

Jesus took Peter, John, and James and went up a mountain to pray. While he was praying his face changed in appearance and his clothing became

dazzling white. And behold, two men were conversing with him, Moses and Elijah, who appeared in glory and spoke of his exodus that he was going to accomplish in Jerusalem. Peter and his companions had been overcome by sleep, but becoming fully awake, they saw his glory and the two men standing with him. As they were about to part from him, Peter said to Jesus, "Master, it is good that we are here; let us make three tents, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah. But he did not know what he was saying. While he was still speaking, a cloud came and cast a shadow over them, and they became frightened when they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my chosen Son; listen to him. After the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. They fell silent and did not at that time tell anyone what they had seen.

**SUNDAY MASS INTENTIONS****General Intention**

- **For the Purification and Sanctification of the Catholic Church**

**4:00 pm** — Jean Paul & Odette Houserman  
†George Mueller, Sr.

Victor Family

**6:00 pm** — Angel Yael Benitez

**8:00 am** — †Theresa Solimini

†Peter N. Tortorice

†Herbert J. Francart, Sr.

**11:00 am** — Alan Spreling

†Eleanor Stasiek

†Bud Quidk

**MASS INTENTIONS:** Daily Mass Intentions are available for parishioners who would like their intentions to be remembered at Mass. Intentions are available for those who have died or for someone who is living. Stop by the Parish Office or call us to obtain a date and time.

All announcements must be submitted to the bulletin for publication 10 days prior to the bulletin date.

Email to: [bulletin@transfigurationwauconda.com](mailto:bulletin@transfigurationwauconda.com)

Please submit requests to speak at Mass one month in advance. All requests will be approved by the Pastor.



**Stick together. Love each other, and together: Look to Jesus in Prayer.**

## THE TRANSFIGURATION IS HOPE AND LIFE IN THE WAKE OF DESPAIR AND DEATH.

The Transfiguration happens at a point in Luke's Gospel where Jesus has begun to talk more specifically with his disciples about the future. Luke writes that eight days prior to this event he had given his first prediction of the passion and outlined the conditions of discipleship. These conditions meant that those who truly wished to be his disciples must deny themselves, take up their crosses and follow him. These were hard things for his followers to hear, and likely were not fully understood by them.

It is not made known to us what, if anything, transpired in those eight days, but in our passage today Jesus *took Peter, John, and James and went up the mountain to pray. And what do those three men do first? While Jesus begins to pray? They fall asleep. In the midst of this remarkable and miraculous event ... they fall asleep.*

Granted, they do awaken to find Jesus in his glory, and Moses and Elijah standing next to him. Moses is there to show that Jesus is the fulfillment of God's law. Elijah shows that Jesus is the fulfillment of God's promises. But the disciples' slow-to-awareness, and Peter's suggestion they remain there and build tents for the three of them, are representative of their incomplete understanding of Christ's mission. Or the importance of what they have seen.

Then they hear the voice of God speaking from the heavens. Similar to the voice from above that announced the Christ at his baptism in the Jordan, God leaves no doubt as to the identity of his Son or the significance of the moment when he says, *This is my chosen Son; listen to him.*

*Listen to him. Peter references this great command of the Almighty in our second reading, and then says, You will do well to be attentive to it, as to a lamp shining in a dark place. For by now, as of his writing this letter, he has witnessed the Resurrection and the glory of what awaits all who have faith in – who listen to – Jesus. Jesus, who was shown to them in the same glory described by the Prophet Daniel when he saw the Ancient One on his throne, with clothing bright as snow. Jesus, whose Transfiguration is hope and life in the wake of despair and death.*

In the darkest moments of our lives, Jesus' bright light shines. On our worst days, we people of faith listen to Jesus calming the stormy seas of our hearts, promising us that one day he will lead us to the safe harbors of heaven. The encounter with Christ changed everyone on the mountain that night. Not only can an encounter with Christ change us in the same way and for the better, it can impact all those with whom we come in contact, all those with whom we share how we, too, have become *eyewitnesses of his majesty.*

### HEART OF THE MATTER: TIME FOR REFLECTION AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH

1. What does glory look like?
2. What are the indications that Jesus was intentional about the disciples seeing this? What do they see? What did it mean at the time?
3. What is the significance of Moses and Elijah being present with Jesus?
4. How has the glory of Jesus been revealed to you personally?
5. Where else has God made His glory unmistakably known to the world?
6. How do we respond awkwardly like Peter to such revelation?
7. What does it look like for us to worship Jesus in light of His glory?

**“...BECOMING FULLY AWAKE, THEY SAW HIS GLORY.”**



**This Week at Transfiguration**

CALENDARIO SEMANAL

KALENDARZ TYGODNIOWY

**Sunday, August 4**

- 8:00 am AA Meeting (closed)—YH  
 11:00 am Mass on the Grass and Picnic—Cook Park

**Monday, August 5**

- 6:30 am Journeymen Prayer Group—MR1  
 10:00 am Frassati Athletic Camp—PLC  
 6:00 pm LOTW Faith Sharing—Spa. Min. Ofc  
 7:00 pm Spanish Prayer Group—CH

**Tuesday, August 6**

- 8:30 am Confessions—CH  
 10:00 am Frassati Athletic Camp—PLC  
 6:30 pm St. Vincent DePaul Ministry—MR1  
 7:00 pm Polish Bible Study—OC  
 7:30 pm Frassati Athletic Board—Pollone Library

**Wednesday, August 7**

- 10:00 am Frassati Athletic Camp—PLC  
 6:30 pm Confessions (E/S)—CH  
 6:30 pm Youth Ministry—Youth House  
 7:00 pm Silent Holy Hour—CH

**Thursday, August 8**

- 8:30 am Confessions—CH  
 10:00 am Frassati Athletic Camp—PLC  
 4:00 pm Frassati Back to School  
 5:30 pm Catechist Retreat-Mundelein Seminary  
 6:00 pm Rosary Making—Spanish Ministry Office  
 6:00 pm Weight Watchers—MR 1 & 3  
 7:00 pm Cantor Rehearsal—CH

**Friday, August 8**

- 12:00 pm Quinceañera/Presentation—CH  
 3:30 pm Wedding—CH  
 6:00 pm Mandolin & Guitar Reh—CH  
 7:00 pm Escuela de la Cruz (men)—Span Min Ofc  
 7:00 pm Luz del Mundo—MR1 & 2  
 7:00 pm Coro Hispano—CH  
 7:00 pm Spanish Youth Group—Youth House

**Saturday, August 9**

- 9:00 am Lector Retreat—CH  
 6:00 pm Quinceañera Blessing—CH

**Parish Announcements**

ANNUNCIOS PARROQUIALES

OGŁOSZENIA PARAFIALNE

Warm Greetings!

Well, here we are at the end of another Summer. For most of us, the Summer months never seem to quite last long enough, especially for students on break from classes, or others who enjoy long walks on the beach during vacation.

Life was never meant to be lived in fast forward without pausing for times of refreshing and relaxation, so I believe it is important to find a way somehow to take a break when you can. Even Jesus Himself took time to get away from the people for rest and fellowship with His Father so it would seem this would be an example we should follow.

With all that said, those of us who are on staff of parishes often look forward to Summer being over! You might ask why that would be the case, but the reality is that so many are gone at various times throughout the Summer that it becomes a challenge to see ministries function with the same intensity and fervor as during non-vacation months.

Finances are a bit more “interesting” as well as many who are regular in their giving have either stopped or held back a bit. We would like to encourage each and every one to continue in faithful support both prayerfully and financially during these months.

As we enter into this new season, we are excited about what God is doing, as well as the things He will be doing in the months ahead as we become willing vessels in His hands.

God is faithful! I believe His faithfulness is not only for our benefit, but also serves as our example to be faithful as well in all of these areas.

Rest assured, we are here to serve you and we trust God will continue to richly bless you as you serve Him.

Blessings in Christ,

Rev. Juan Pablo Avila Ibarra



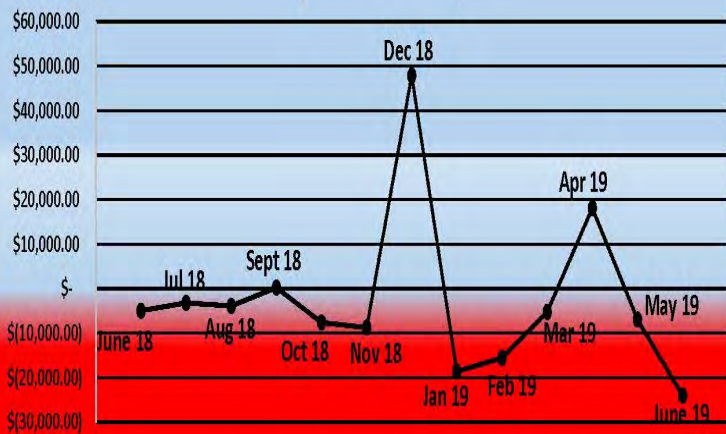
## June 2019 Summary

<b>TOTAL MONTHLY INCOME</b>	
\$	51,968.93
<b>TOTAL MONTHLY EXPENSES</b>	
\$	76,014.85
<b>TOTAL MONTHLY SAVINGS</b>	
\$	(24,045.92)

### June Financial Analysis



### June 19 Rolling 13 Month Analysis



### June 2019 Net Income Percentage

**-46%**

Monthly Income	Actuals
Sunday/Holy Day Collections	\$ 45,127.49
Christmas Collection	\$ -
Easter Collection	\$ -
RE Tuition	\$ 1,380.00
RE Fees	\$ 414.41
Rental Income	\$ 180.00
Fundraising Net Income	\$ -
Interest Income	\$ 78.44
Auxiliary Groups	\$ 200.11
Miscellaneous Income	\$ 1,874.48
Second Collections	\$ 2,714.00
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$ 51,968.93</b>

Monthly Expenses	Actuals
Salaries	\$ 30,173.82
Health Insurance - Employer Paid	\$ 6,179.25
Employer FICA	\$ 2,215.94
Fringe Benefits	\$ 1,827.00
Professional Growth/Ministerial	\$ 5.31
Books & Supplies, Non-Liturgical	\$ -
Administrative Expenses	\$ 3,219.23
Transportation	\$ -
Food Service & Meals	\$ 1,116.27
Telephone	\$ 250.00
Heating Fuel	\$ 833.12
Electricity	\$ 558.62
Other Utilities	\$ 1,207.41
Maintenance & Building Repairs	\$ 7,697.11
Interest Expense	\$ 149.41
Altar & Liturgical Supplies	\$ 1,495.00
Furnishings & Equipment	\$ -
Archdiocesan Assessment	\$ 6,543.00
PRMAA Assessment	\$ 2,290.00
Property/Casualty Insurance	\$ 2,939.36
Auto Insurance/Priest Owned Vehicle	\$ -
Miscellaneous/School Support	\$ 5,086.00
Second Collections	\$ 2,229.00
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$ 76,014.85</b>



LIVING A  
**STEWARDSHIP**

It is all about your heart...  
Everything we have is a gift from God  
that we are to use to help others.

*Life*



## “Renew My Church”

Lord Jesus, you speak to us today, as you spoke to holy men and women who have gone before us. In every age and in our own time, you call to us and say: Renew My Church.

Pour out the gift of your Holy Spirit upon us, and so enable us

- to hear you clearly
- to listen to each other attentively
- to imagine our future boldly
- to discern your direction wisely
- to persevere in your holy will courageously
- to stay together in charity
- to surrender our own plans readily
- to embrace the greater good
- to hand on your gifts to future generations.

May we remain in the holy company of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the apostles, and all the saints.

May their example and presence inspire us with patient confidence in the work of your grace.

We ask this of you who live and reign with the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen

**AUG  
4**

**MASS ON THE GRASS  
TRANSFIGURATION**  
—Feast Day—

### THIS SUNDAY

CELEBRATING OUR FAITH MORE JOYFULLY!

**Sunday, August 4, 2019**  
**11:00am**

Bring a salad or dessert to share.

**AUG  
25**

**OUR LADY OF  
CZESTOCHOWA**

### SAVE THE DATE.

CELEBRATING OUR FAITH MORE JOYFULLY!

**Sunday, August 25, 2019**  
**12:30pm**

**SEP  
15**

**FIESTAS PATRIAS**  
LATINO HEARITAGE DAY

### SAVE THE DATE.

LIVING OUR FAITH MORE SPIRITEDLY!

**Sunday, September 15, 2019**

Parish Life Center / 12PM—9PM

**OCT  
18-20**

**TRANSFIGURATION  
LIGHT OF THE  
WORLD RETREAT**

### SAVE THE DATE.

LEARING OUR FAITH MORE DEEPLY!

**October 18—20, 2019**

More information to come...



## **4 Reasons Everyone Should Have a Yearly Savings Goal**

Most of us set goals of one kind or another, but often times we forget to include our finances when it comes to what we hope to achieve. If you've never created or maintained an annual savings goal, you need to start now. Here are four good reasons why . . .

### **1. IT GIVES YOU A TARGET**

When you have a savings goal, you have something concrete to work toward. Imagine how difficult it would be to hit the bullseye on a target you can't see. That's why it's important to have a specific savings objective: With it, you can measure your progress and decide if you're saving enough.

### **2. IT HELPS YOU DEVELOP BETTER SPENDING HABITS**

When you're forced to save a set amount each year, it requires some care in how you're spending your money. You'll think twice about incidental or unplanned purchases as they'll make it that much harder to make your savings target. Over time, this awareness will turn into habit, and your ability to save will be beneficial.

*You don't fall into good habits; you fall into bad ones. Forming positive habits requires intentionality.*

### **3. IT RESULTS IN A REAL SAVINGS**

One of the great things about having—and keeping—a savings target is that your reward is tangible. If you maintain your goal, you'll have the amount of money you planned to save waiting for you in your bank account. So not only will you have the self-satisfaction of developing fiscal discipline and patience, but you'll come away with some money in your bank account. That's a pretty good deal.

### **4. IT HELPS YOU PLAN FOR THE FUTURE**

When you know that you'll have X amount of money saved by a given date, you can then make plans for the use of that money. Having a savings goal makes it possible to make long term plans because not only are you outlining future projects, ambitions, and life changes, but you're also ensuring that you'll have the resources to make them possible. After all, a plan that can't be enacted is no plan at all.

Setting an annual savings goal not only results in money in the bank, but it helps you develop a better attitude toward money and spending in general.

AUTHOR  
**MATTHEW KELLY**



## TRANSFIGURATION MINISTRY OF PRAYER

We know that life can be challenging and the only thing that may help to get you back to center is Prayer. We believe very strongly in the power of Prayer. This belief and knowing comes from seeing or hearing about the many demonstrations or testimonies in the lives of people around the world.

At the end of weekend Masses the Transfiguration Ministry of Prayer will be in the front of the Church to pray for you or someone you love and care for.

Please know that each Minister of Transfiguration Ministry of Prayer commits to holding your intentions in the light of Christ, standing in Truth, Principle and Love. Prayer is the tool we use to know the truth. It is not about begging or pleading for something to happen to change the conditions in life. It is about aligning ourselves with the all good of God that surrounds us at all times.

Every request we receive is treated with love, compassion, respect and dignity.



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Sacristan Committee

## LITURGY

August 5 to 12  
**Jennifer Monday**

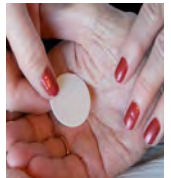
August 12 to 19  
**Carolyn Cox and Judy Greco**

### Hospital Schedule

Monday, August 5  
**Arlene Meyer & Mary Ann Fijalkiewicz**

Monday, August 12  
**Jim Fijalkiewicz & Lorrie Gaughan**

## MINISTERS OF CARE



### Caring for one another...

Our church is a family and we consider our community a part of that family. We strive to care for and encourage those both within and beyond our walls. Our care ministry brings the Holy Eucharist to our people to hospital, nursing homes and family homes. By taking some time to bring the Holy Eucharist we show God's love and we assure our interest in their spiritual life.

### Do you have a desire to bring Holy Communion to your neighbor?

Contact **Jim Fijalkiewicz: (847) 526-7101** or  
**Ellen Sherwin: (847) 254-4782** to see how  
you can help out.



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## SCHOOL OF RELIGION

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KATECHEZA

### IMPORTANT!! RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASS SESSION TIMES ARE CHANGING!!

Due to the change of Mass times, the session times for Saturday and Sunday Religious Education classes are changing!

In the past the Saturday Spanish First Communion level classes began at 5:00 PM and finished with the 6:30 Mass. Due to the Mass time changes, in September, **SPANISH FIRST COMMUNION LEVEL CLASSES WILL BEGIN AT 4:30 PM AND END WITH THE 6:00 PM MASS. CHILDREN WILL BE RELEASED TO THEIR PARENTS AT THE CHURCH.**

In the past, the Sunday English K-8<sup>th</sup> grade classes began with the 9:00 AM Mass and ended in the classroom at 11:15 AM. Due to the Mass time changes, in September, **SUNDAY ENGLISH CLASSES WILL BEGIN AT 8:45 AM AND END WITH THE 10:00 AM MASS. CHILDREN WILL BE RELEASED TO THEIR PARENTS AT THE CHURCH.**

Religious Education office hours for the fall will be determined soon.

### **God is Calling... Will you be a Catechist?**

*Catechists DO NOT need to be teachers. They DO NOT need to be theologians. They DO NOT even need to be a "church lady" (or man). They DO NOT need to have all the answers.*

*Catechists DO need to love Jesus Christ. They MUST want to share their faith with children. They MUST be prepared to have their own faith and love grow.*

The School of Religion is looking for English speaking catechists on Wednesday afternoon/evening and Sunday mornings. Catechists are able to waive a portion of the Religious Education tuition for their children or grandchildren.

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Call Parish Office at 847-526-2400 ext. 222.

## PRO-LIFE

### Respect Life

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you... before you were born I consecrated you..."  
Jeremiah 1:4-10

### Spiritually Adopted Baby – Week 19

Please pray that our baby, who is not yet born, will receive the gift of Life. As we follow our unborn baby to birth, this is what's going on in the womb during week 19.

**"This is the half way point! I can't believe that I am going to be born in only 20 more weeks! I am half as long as I will be at birth (that's about 10 inches) but only weigh about 12% of what I will weigh on my birthday. I still have a lot of growing to do. My muscles are getting stronger everyday. I can do all sorts of acrobatic moves in here. You should see me! Isn't it amazing to know that there has never been anyone like me before and there never will be another 'me' again? Please pray for me, God's Miracle!"**  
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For more info on Respect Life Ministry, call Mary Ann Fijalkiewicz, 847-526-7101



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Miércoles—**WEDNESDAYS**—Środa

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**ADORATION:** 8:30AM to 1:40PM—3:00PM to 6:55PM

**HOLY ROSARY:** 6:00 PM (TRILINGUAL)

**ADORATION:** 3:00 PM to 6:55 PM

**DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET:** 6:30 PM (TRILINGUAL)

**BENEDICTION:** 6:55 PM

**EVENING MASS:** 7:00 PM (ENGLISH)

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## Saint Vincent de Paul MINISTRY

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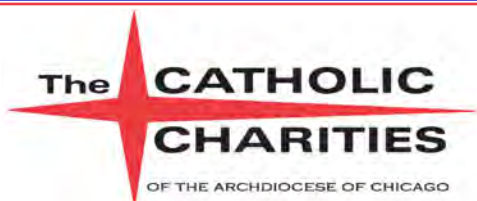


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**Thank you for ministering at our weekly worship. Your attentive participation enhances the celebration for everyone.**

PRESIDER, DEACON, Host Ministers	Cup Ministers	Altar Servers	Greeter, Lector, Commentator & Music Ministry
<b>4:00 pm English Language Mass SATURDAY</b>			
FR. JUAN PABLO <u>Anna Janicki</u> <u>Marina Ortiz</u> Britany Ortiz Jesse Ortiz Yuliana Perez	DC. CHRIS <b>Vicki Peloquin</b> Jim Fijalkiewicz Bev McKeown Priscilla Padavic Jack Wojci	Joan Vazquez Gesselle Vazquez	G1: Volunteer Needed G2: Volunteer Needed L1: Marilyn Downes L2: John Mills
<b>6:00 pm Spanish Language Mass</b>			
FR. JUAN PABLO <u>Martha Vazquez</u> <u>Angel Avelar</u> Valentina Sangabriel	Juana Cervantes José Cervantes Bayron Ruano		L1: Hilda Briones Ps: Hilda Briones L2: Cristy Lopez Petitions: Cristy Lopez
<b>8:00 am English Language Mass SUNDAY</b>			
FR. JUAN PABLO <u>Josephine Chiovari</u> <u>Judy Greco</u> Karen Lazaro Ken Michaels Kathleen O'Day	DC. CHRIS <b>Tina Jakubek</b> Maureen Berger Beata Dempsey Dave Jakubek Maria Weisbruch	Keira Ackerson Micaela Ackerson	G1: Linda Murphy G2: Barbara Zonca L1: Deb Lezon L2: <i>Volunteer Needed</i>
<b>10:00 am English Language Mass</b>			
FR. JUAN PABLO <u>Mary Eltges</u> <u>Mona Engelking</u> Joe Ruiz Christy Ruiz Mary Sloan	<b>Mary Bray</b> Kathie Blaszak Leif Ceniza Mary Schwartz Nancy Slupski John Wallor	Noah Kovarik Kasey Kruger	G1: Volunteer Needed G2: Volunteer Needed L1: Harold Bray L2: Debbie Aylward
<b>12:30 pm Polish Language Mass</b>			
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