

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday

7:30, 9:00, 10:30 AM and 12:00 Noon

Saturday for Sunday Obligation

5:00 PM

Monday through Friday in Chapel

7:00 and 8:45 AM

Saturday Morning in Church

8:30 AM

First Fridays in Church

7:00 and 8:45 AM

Holy Days in Church

6:00, 9:00, 10:30 AM and 7:00 PM

RECONCILIATION

Saturday following 8:30 Mass until 9:30 AM & 4:00 PM to 4:30 PM in Reconciliation Room of Church or call the Rectory for an appointment.

BAPTISMS

First and third Sundays of each month at 1:30 PM in Church. Arrangements must be made at the Parish Business Office at least one month in advance. First-time parents and parents new to our parish must attend a preparation meeting at 7:30 PM on the third Tuesday of any month prior to the Baptism.

WEDDINGS

Arrangements by appointment with a priest should be made at least 6 months in advance of wedding day.

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**Second Sunday of Lent
February 20, 2005**

**Christ Jesus . . . destroyed death and brought
life and immortality to light through the gospel.
-- 2 Timothy 1:10 b**

WEEKLY OFFERING

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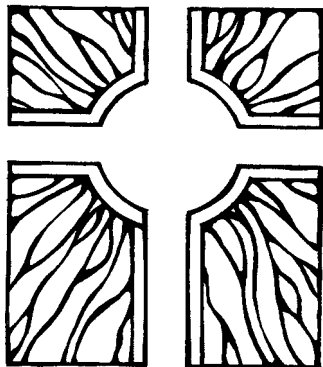
Offertory Contributions

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Sunday, Feb. 13th \$18,408
 Weekly Goal \$18,175
 YTD: (\$25,011)

School Support Fund

Week of Feb. 13th: \$ 247
 YTD: \$21,424



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St. Patrick's Day
 green is beautiful

it's great to be Irish!

St. Juliana
 Family Mass
 Honoring St. Patrick
 on
 Thursday, March 17th
 At
 7:00 pm

*Father Phil's Ramblings***A Journey into the Unknown**

In the first reading today, Abraham was told by God to go forth from the land of his heritage and find a land that was filled with milk and honey. Abraham was told he would be the father of a great nation.

That sounds pretty good, but to leave home, leave the security and safety of familiar surroundings, is very scary, to say the least. Would we do that? Abraham did. He began a journey into the unknown.

Lent is like that for us. We make a journey with Jesus into the unknown, into a cross, a death, and hopefully a Resurrection. As Christian people we make a journey, beginning with Baptism, through this life to the promise of Eternal Life. Life wins out over Death! The journey -- hopefully -- leads to heaven.

Each Lent we renew that journey. That journey -- our lives -- should be a journey of love and service; of forgiveness and hope; a journey of joy and renewed life I the promise that Jesus made to us who follow Him: Life forever.

May our own journey be just that, a journey of love. Then we will rise to new and renewed life of the Spirit on Easter Sunday.

~ At the 9:00 mass today, our CCD families come together to celebrate the Eucharist as a family. As pastor, I want to thank both the teachers and parents who do a wonderful job of educating and sharing the faith with their children. In today's bulletin, I urge you to read the comments of the children who attend our religious instruction classes on Wednesday nights.

Finally, a special thank-you to Ms. Pam Francisco, who does such a great job with the teachers and parents and children who participate in the religious education program. She is a dedicated woman and we are so fortunate to have her leadership. As pastor, I ask the parish community to pray for the continued success of our religious education program.

May the faith, love and service of their teachers and their parents, inspire the children to live the faith and grow in love of God and one another.

A Note of Thanks

Jim and Carol Walsh, parishioners who won the Hawaii get-away donated by parishioner Craig Fiebigger at our 2004 Steak Fry, would like to thank him for a "WONDERFUL" Hawaiian vacation.

"Mahalo, Craig!"

“This is My chosen One, The Beloved”

Tony De Mello, S. J. tells this story in one of his books. You may have heard it quoted by me in one or another homily:

Teresa of Avila was journeying to one of her far-flung Carmelite monasteries. On the way there, the weather turned severe. It began to rain and the dusty road soon turned to mud and slush. Teresa was traveling in a covered cart pulled by a horse. As the car negotiated the edge of a raging stream, one of the wheels slipped causing cart and horse - yes, and Teresa! - to tumble down into the cold, muddy water. Spontaneously Teresa exclaimed: “Oh Lord, why do you let such things happen to me?!”

A voice boomed out from behind the thick, black clouds: “This is the way I always deal with my close friends, Teresa.” Up to her waist in surging, chocolate-brown water, Teresa sputtered back in reply: “No wonder you have so few friends, Lord!!”

Yes, it does seem that the closer you get to God, the more liberties God takes with your life. Look at the life of Jesus, our Savior and Lord. As the life of Jesus gained in momentum, it seems that He was more and more misunderstood and opposed. The more He revealed Himself and God as being one - “the Father and I are One, if you must know!!” - the more humans thought they could eradicate Him and His message.

In the face of this opposition, what must have been the human feelings of Jesus? Did He, perhaps begin to have His own doubts, His own misgivings?

The mystery of the Transfiguration was as much for Jesus as it was for His followers. The life of Jesus was encapsulated in the Father’s testimony. At His baptism God said to Him: “You are mine!” And now again at the brink of His Passion the Father reiterates the truth: “You are my chosen one, my beloved.” It was as much to strengthen the wavering faith of His disciples as to strengthen His faith in the Father’s love.

Many of our lives seem to move inexorably toward suffering. Old age itself is a time of surrender and weakness. Our crosses take different forms: illness, mental deficiencies, perhaps even betrayal by loved ones. It is for us that Jesus goes through His Passion with God’s assurance that there is meaning in suffering. We live in a world which views suffering as undesirable and something to be avoided. But suppose sufferings and weakness were vehicles of salvation for ourselves and the world, which is so filled with them!? Nothing can separate us from the love of God revealed in Our Lord Jesus Christ. Not even death - seemingly the ultimate “suffering” - can overcome the power of God’s love and will to save us.

To suffer is to be chosen for a special role in the history of salvation. In the last analysis, it is not ours to choose whether we will suffer or not. We can only choose to unite our inevitable sufferings to the Power of the Cross. This is not for the fainthearted. It is only for the truly **BRAVEHEARTS** who become aware that they are chosen by God to imitate Jesus - perhaps more literally than we care to think!

Father Bob Grib, S.J.
RCIA Moderator.



Second Sunday of Lent “Be Reconciled”

Life is a journey. It is a pilgrimage in which we have peak experiences as well as hardships and difficult times. Through all these ups and downs, God is very much with us.

Action Plan This Week

1. God believes in you. Write down five good things about yourself and thank God for these gifts.
2. Write down five good things about someone close you.
3. This week try and affirm some of the people you live with.

(Taken from “The Living Word”)

Blood Screening Sunday, March 6th At “Coffee, Tea & Thee” In the Ahearn Activity Center 7:00 am - 10:00 am

Cindy Brennan, our parish Health Coordinator, along with Resurrection Medical Center has once again organized a blood screening for St. Juliana parishioners.

This screening will include:

Cholesterol Screen	\$16
Fasting Blood Sugar	\$ 4
PSA (Screening for Men)	\$15
Thyroid Profile	\$15

Please call the parish office for more details and to register. We have 60 openings. So please register early.

ST. JULIANA PARISH CCD PROGRAM

Our St. Juliana CCD (Confraternity of Christian Doctrine) Program is alive and well in our parish. We have 323 students from 210 families who attend 41 different schools in our program.

We meet on Wednesday evenings from 6:45-8:00 pm in our School. We have 23 teachers who generously share their faith and time with the children in our program. We thank the following teachers who are a part of our program:

1st year: Kathy Fergus, Rose Gulliford, Therese Jennings, Dotty De Petro;

2nd year: Mary Berg, Linda Ebrom, Eileen Moriarty;

3rd year: Pam Ebrom, Alice Harris, Mary Rottman;

4th year: Betty & Dan Cieplik, Pat Trevino;

5th year: Diane Damert, Ann Schoening, Cindy Shields;

6th year: Carol Beucher, Bernie Rieman, Lisa Maskala Streff;

7th year: Sharon Brabson, Jane Lidgus, Gayle McAuliffe;

8th year: Peter Schmidt.

At the present time, we also have many others who help in our program each week. **Thanks to:** Tim Ebrom, Nick Gulliford, Cathy Hoffman, Marlee Jennings, Betsy Kawula, Kevin McAuliffe, Anna McDonough, John Moriarty, Alie Schoening, Claire Smith, Kristina Trevino.

Since we are celebrating our CCD Program at the 9:00 Mass this weekend, we asked the children to write about their participation on our CCD Program. Here is a sampling of their responses:

First Year: William Garcia - CCD is important because we learn about God and we go to church. We also learn that people are important to Jesus. **Randy Beucher** - I like CCD because we learn about Jesus, God's Son. We also learned about Joseph and Mary.

Second Year: Miranda Kelliher - I think CCD is important to learn about Jesus and God. It is like school but you learn about God and other things that have to do with God. It is important to know about Him for special times. **Joey Mumpher** - I like CCD because all my friends are here. I learn about God in First Communion. You get to see Church.

Fiona Bernet - We learn a lot about God and Jesus. We make projects for people who are sick. We go to Church. We had a tour of the Church by Fr. Phil. **Curtis Castronova** - We learn about God and about why Jesus died for us. We have fun making stuff for the homeless and the homebound. **Mary Giambrone** - I like CCD because I think it makes me feel like I am coming closer to God and learning more about God. I feel good knowing that I'm coming closer to God. I enjoy learning about God. **Jennifer Hussey** - I like CCD because I go to Church and we went on a tour around Church and we watched a movie about a tour of a church.

Third Year: Ryan Adams - I like CCD because we learn about Jesus and God and stuff that happens to them like Jesus gave his life for us. **Christina Zuley** - You can learn about religious

things such as praying, loving, how to read a bible, about when Jesus was alive, the ten commandments, and a lot more. It is very educational and it is also fun. I even have friends from school. I love CCD! **Courtney Nielsen** - CCD is important to me because I feel like I should listen, talk to and respect God. Also, I feel that I am loved by God! Also, I love to be with my teacher. **Electra Tremulis** - CCD is important to me because it teaches me about the bible, God and the Holy Spirit. **Kelly Rottman** - I like CCD because I have a great teacher and we have fun and learn about God at the same time.

Fourth Year: Jennifer Jenkins - I think CCD is a wonderful thing to have for 1st to 8th grades. We also have good people who volunteer to be our wonderful religion teachers. I think we have the best principal in Ms. Francisco. It's a good idea to have religion classes because children can learn about their Catholic Religion, make their sacraments and worship our God and Jesus. Those are just a few reasons why I love CCD. **Chris Hanusiak** - CCD is important to me so I can get a great education and so I can learn about God, Jesus, Mary, Joseph, etc...Also so I can learn prayers and how to treat everyone how they want to be treated and cared for. I can learn more about the Church and everyone. Last, so I can make great friends with everyone. **Katelyn Sabres** - I like that we learn about God. I also like that I am following my dad's footprints. I like that we learn about God's life. **Olivia Rialmo** - What I like about CCD is learning about God and Jesus. I also like seeing my friends. I like going to Church. Receiving Holy Communion is cool because you are receiving God. **Gabriella Bux** - CCD is wonderful for you and me. It teaches us to love and care for others. When we go, we learn about our faith. We use faith in our everyday life, like when we help an old lady across the street. We use faith by helping. Now here is one of the greatest commandments - *"you shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your being, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself."* Based on Luke 10:27. So our sacraments are Reconciliation, Baptism and Communion. So, if you go to CCD you will learn this and more. **Sara Conrad** - CCD is a school for religion. At CCD you learn about God. We pray for each other and learn different prayers. We also learn about my faith. The 10 commandments are fun to study. We also get ready for the sacraments of Holy Communion, Reconciliation and Confirmation. I also learn about what God did. I also learn how to help the poor, helpless and deceased. It only takes one hour and fifteen minutes. We learn from understanding stories. We will all go to heaven if we follow God. **Fifth Year: Sarah Waring** - I think CCD is funny sometimes. You can learn things that you never knew before. You could see what Catholics do on holidays. You could learn what Jesus did. You learn the Stations of the Cross. You can see what Jesus had to give up and what he had to do. **Nicky Hester** - CCD is fun because I have a Cubs fan for a teacher. I go to CCD because I am Catholic. I also go to CCD because you are supposed to go to learn about Jesus and God. CCD is also fun because we get to do activities.

Allison Schultz - I think CCD is important because everyone should get a religious education. Everybody should learn about God and Jesus. When I go to CCD, I learn about God and his son, Jesus. I like to learn how he saved us all. The teachers and students are really nice and I learn a lot. It is very important to go to CCD! **Alyssa Garcia** - I think CCD is important because we learn about God and what He did for us, Communion, Baptism, and what is important about them. We also talk about saints, like St. Luke, St. Elizabeth and how important they are today. I have learned so much and cannot wait until I learn more about the different saints. **Brandon Ball** - CCD is good because you learn about religious people like God. You also learn about Mary and Joseph and you also learn about heaven. This is what's good about CCD. **Joseph Reeves** - I love to come to CCD because I learn something every week. Also, my teachers are nice and I have nice friends. That is why I like to come to CCD.

Sixth Year: Teresa Kawula - I think CCD is important because everyone needs to know the story of Jesus and the disciples. CCD is where we learn about Baptism, Holy Communion, Confession, and Confirmation. These are all important things in life and if we don't even know what they are, then why would we want to receive them! We also learn about the Ten Commandments. We need to know about God's laws to not kill, or steal, to obey, and to not take God's name in vain. That is why CCD is important. **Michael Ruggeri** - CCD is important because it not only teaches about religion, it also teaches valuable life lessons for a more pure lifestyle. Lessons such as self-discipline and kindness give you a much cleaner conscience and ultimately you are a better person. Thus, CCD is actually quite essential to a healthy, more joyous experience of life. Though of course, it is also quite a logical way to learn religion and be more aware of God's love. **Melissa Finnegan** - I like many things about CCD. One is that I have fun in it. I like learning about God. I also like reading with other people that learn with me. CCD is fun. I love learning different interesting things. **Annie Beucher** - CCD means to me Catholic learning. You learn about God, Beatitudes, Commandments, Disciples and much more. On Wednesdays I always look forward to coming here. We learn a lot in the Bible and learn all about the books. I think CCD is great for us.

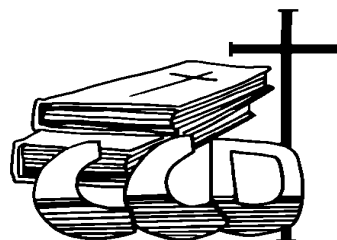
Seventh Year: Alexandria Sarich - I feel that CCD is important because we can learn more about God, Jesus and our religion. Within the Catholic religion we can expand our horizons and I like that. **Courtney Deal-Banks** - I think CCD is important because it teaches us about God and how to be helpful. This year we are receiving the sacrament of Confirmation to be closer to God. All of us can accomplish that. **Ian Zielke** - I think CCD is important because it teaches about religion. I think it is important to know about our religion. This teaches us how to act with others and respect them. **Jessica Maskala** - CCD is important because it enriches my faith in God. It also educates me on the sacrifices Jesus made for us. CCD allows me to learn how to walk in his footsteps. **Mark Finnegan** - CCD has brought me much closer to God - more than in any other way. It has taught me to pray and how to be with Jesus. And it will be the most important thing in my entire life to learn how to pray.

Nathan Whitney - CCD is important to me because it helps me to understand more about God and everything else that teaches me how to be religious and holy. I've been to a school that every Friday at the end of the day we went to Church. I left that school in 4th grade. I now go to a public school, but I can't remember much about stuff that I learned in church. That's why I go to CCD. CCD helps me learn all the stuff I already knew from church, and even stuff I haven't learned before. CCD is pretty fun. **John Schreiber** - CCD is important because it teaches us more about the Catholic religion. It also brings us closer to God. **Anthony Gelazius** - CCD is important to me because I want to make my Confirmation and become a better Christian.

Eighth Year: Chris Reeves - CCD is important to me because this Class allows me to learn about my religion. This is important because this is one of the only places I can learn about my religion, since I go to a public school. CCD to me means that I have the freedom to learn about my Christianity in an educational setting with no hassles. **Dominic Di Biaso** - CCD means everything to me. It is where I learn about God and myself. It also keeps me in touch with our Church. Without CCD I would not be the person I am today. **Brian Byrne** - CCD is important. I like it because we learn about God. **Megan Finnegan** - CCD is important because we learn about God and our faith. To me CCD is the heart of our faith. **Amy Schultz** - To me, CCD is a time to get together and learn about God. When we go to CCD every week we have a chance to advance our catholic faith. I believe that this is an important reason to attend CCD every week. **Margaret Nolan** - CCD is important because you learn about God. Not only this but it is a place where I can learn with my friends and learn of my past and future and what I can do to make people think about what Jesus would do. **Tori Hanusiak** - To me CCD means coming closer to God and getting to know more about Him. Also, it tells us how Jesus has sacrificed so much for us.

It is not always easy for the children to go to school all day, attend after school programs and then come to CCD. Also, families make a commitment to attend classes each week and schedule activities on other nights, rather than Wednesdays. We have wonderful attendance each week and are very proud of the families who are in our program. Please keep the children and the families of our CCD Program in your prayers.

Pam Francisco
Director of CCD



Makes A Difference!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Mon.** Dn 9:4b-10; Lk 6:36-38
Tues. 1 Pt 5:1-4; Mt 16:13-19
Wed. Jer 18:18-20; Mt 20:17-28
Thu. Jer 17:5-10; Lk 16:19-31
Fri. Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a; 17b-28a; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Sat. Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
Sun. Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42]

ALTAR LINENS

Today
Mary Sutton

February 26th/27th
Jeanne Berg



John Paul Heffernan, Son of
Thomas and Mary (Kurtzman)

Jonathon Anthony Montoya, Son
of Saul and Maria (Maldonado)

*"I baptize you
In the name of the father and
the son and the holy spirit, Amen."*

Masses for the Week

Saturday, February 19th

- 5:00 Deceased of Wiley & Jermal Families/John & Mary Lessner Family/
Antoinette Koziol & John W. Zych/Loretta & Edward Rutkowski & Jane
Niemann/Michael Farrelly/Donald Kolakowski/Walsh & Brady Family/
John & Nellie Lowery & Maureen Bronk, Jehr & Catherine Murphy,
Maureen Murphy & Kathleen Murphy

Sunday, February 20th

- 7:30 Eugene Schabelski/DiPiero Family/Mary Ellen & Thomas Casey
- 9:00 **CCD Family Mass** - William Sieczkowski/Ruth & Mary Lou Jess & the
Intentions of George Jess/Michael Mc Shane/Joyce Bernath/Stanley
Malec/Stella Boruch/Dolorose Legutki/Betty Connolly/John Russell &
John & Rose Zbylut & Andres Mendez/Rosa Gomez/Filip Tangorra/
Michael Farrelly/Hank Symer/Camille Sarich
- 10:30 Karl & Kathleen Berger/Rosemary Naras/Genevieve McGowan/Michael
Farrelly/John Olszowka
- 12:00 Mary Jane Latsch/Michalina Nariszewicz/Agnes & Dan O'Leary & Nellie
& Martin Lally/Ted & Eleanore Potempa - 65th Wedding Anniversary
- 1:30 Baptisms

Monday, February 21st - Church

- 7:00 Deceased of St. Juliana Parish
- 8:45 Deceased of St. Juliana Parish
- 7 PM Holy Hour & Adoration - Chapel

Tuesday, February 22nd - Church

- 7:00 Deceased of St. Juliana Parish
- 8:45 Anthony Wegmann/Chester DeSalvo

Wednesday, February 23rd - Church

- 7:00 Patrick Staunton/Diana Cardinal/Wallace & Elvira Purney/Thaddeusz
Schwaba
- 8:45 Michael Farrelly

Thursday, February 24th - Church

- 7:00 Estelle Baranowski/Chester Perkowski/Joseph Motyka
- 8:45 Florence Szymonik

Friday, February 25th - Church

- 7:00 Marion Kauth
- 8:45 Deceased of St. Juliana Parish - **Stations of the Cross Following Mass**

Saturday, February 26th

- 8:30 Deceased of St. Juliana Parish
- 5:00 John & Lessner & Family/Richard Plecki/Joseph Motyka/Walsh & Brady
Families/Bob Morris/Lenard Pross

Masses for the Week cont'd

Sunday, February 27th

7:30	DiPiero Family/George F. Wolf/John O'Hara
9:00	Gregory Creason/Ruth & Mary Lou Jess & the Intentions of George Jess/ Betty L. Day, William S. Pack & Patricia Doucette
10:30	SPRED - Joan Sweeney/Malachy Casey
12:00	Deceased of St. Juliana Parish

Wedding Banns

III Joshua Monroe & Tracy Gavin

Pray For Those Who Serve

United States Air Force

Major Michael Cerbin
Major Don Domkowski
Airman 1st Class Christopher Earle
Airman 1st Class Paul Quentin Fisher
Airman 1st Class Emily A. Johnson
Airman 1st Class Karen Shaw
Airman 1st Class Carlos J. Vega
Major James Walsh
Major Tom Walters
Captain Patrick Ward
Captain Claudine Ward

United States Army

SSG Daniel C. Berowski
PFC Michael Brennan
Private Daniel Dodovich
Captain Thomas W. Dorrel, Jr
Captain Michael Mannion
Private John Walsh
SSG David Morgan
Captain John Moreth
Captain Kevin Powers
Major Louis Rago, II
SSG Daniel Roche
Lt. Kevin Ward
Private Daniel R. Zielinski

United States Marines

LCPL Patrick Altwasser
CPL James V. Amatore
PFC Seamus Boyle
LCPL Kevin Butler
LCPL Justin Grayczyk
LCPL Douglas E. Johnson
LCPL Anthony Kelly
LCPL Kevin Kiesgen
CPL Martin Shaw
LCPL P.J. McGrath
United States Navy
PO Gregory Bujwid
Lt. Sue Connolly Tutwiler
Lt. John Tutwiler

Pray for the Sick

Sister Adolphine	Danny Folan - Child	Patricia O'Connell
Rita Allen	Jennifer Fox	Baby Catherine O'Shea
David Anderson	Josephine Gariffo	Renee Parlick
Grace Antenore	Frank Grabowski	Louise Peters
Marjorie Arbogast	Patrick Grace	John Persaud
Celeste Baehr	Carol Gurga	Mary Plewa
Carol Barda	Arthur & Isabel Harder	Andrew Prociuk
Julia Birt	William Harley	Edward Puhr
Gina Blease	Joe Hora	Richard Riccio
Baby Sara Brushaber	Ann Johnston	Cristella Richards
Elaine Carbone	Joanne Jones	Janice Schmid
Diane Cavanaugh	Baby Lauren Kalinous	Joseph Schneider
Marie Chrusciel	Martina Kelly	Julia Sebastian
Peter Conennas - Child	Lydia Kesler	Lottie Shannon
Delbert B. Conn	Ken Kilian	Mary Shepelak
Jane Connolly	Edward Klebek	Minnie Short
Lorraine Connors	Evelyn Klein	Helen Simon
Joe Contreras	Jean Kriz	Eleanore Slove
Linda Cunningham	Beatrice Krzeminski	Margaret Smith
Sis Curley	Brenda Kurtz	Frank Sorrentino
Della Curran	Dorothy Lachman	Anthony Spano
Beverly Cusick	Toni Lawrence	Rita Spinelli
Patricia Delaney	Anna Linnehan	Robert Stoeck
Angie Dembski	Baby Jack Malone	Sean Sullivan
Chris Dettloff	Linda Micelli	William Sweeney
Paul Draths	Lillian McCloud	Peg Virgilio
Fran Draths	Erin McDermott - Child	Tom Volpe
Edwynn Dunn	Therese McNulty	Kathleen Ward
Gertrude Dunn	Susan Michaels	Shirley Watson
Katie (Vergis) Ekstrom	Mitchell Miklas	Ignatius & Mera Wel
Sandy Elliott	Helen Miller	Andrew Werlein
Mary Ference	Matthew Mirek	Helen White
Andy Filpi	Maureen Mulcrone	Joyce Wilkey
Tom Fleischhacker	Daniel O'Connell	Ellen Zywiell
Helen Flood	Helen O'Connell	



Edward Dahlman
Margaret M. Keenan

St. Joseph Table Committee

The St. Joseph's Table committee has set the following dates for meetings:

Tuesday, Feb. 22 at 7:00 pm

Tuesday, Mar. 1 at 7:00 pm

Tuesday, Mar. 8 at 7:00 pm

All meetings are held in the Parish Center 7200 N. Osceola. Your attendance at these meetings is a very important part of making this beautiful event the success it continues to be.

We welcome new volunteers. Please join us.

Vickie Pusateri 847.823.0782
Vinnie Leva 773.774.5303

Cub Scout Pack 3965 36th Annual Pancake Breakfast

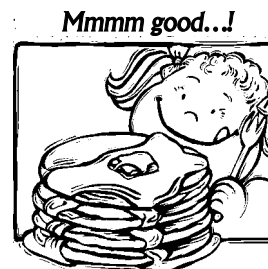
**Sunday, February 27th
from 8:00 am - 1:30 pm**

St. Juliana School Hall

Adults: \$5.00 in advance \$5.50 at the door

Seniors: \$4.00 in advance \$4.50 at the door

Children: \$4.00 in advance \$4.50 at the door



Ministers of Care Training

St. John Brebeuf will once again be sponsoring a 6-week evening course for the training of Ministers of Care.

The meetings will take place at St. John Brebeuf, 8307 N. Harlem, on **Mondays, March 28th, April 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th, and May 2nd, from 7:30 pm until 9:30 pm.**

If you are interested in or would like more information on this rewarding ministry, please call Pam Franciso, 773.631.2239, or Deacon Ed Dolan at 773.631.8265.



PICK-UP INFORMATION

DATE:

Thursday, Feb. 24th

TIME:

2:00 pm TO 3:00 pm

PLACE:

Fr. Ahearn Activity Center

QUESTIONS?

Call: Mary Beth Balcarcel at
773.792.2886.

Archdiocese of Chicago Family Ministries Office Golden Anniversary Mass



The Golden Wedding Anniversary

Mass will be held on **Sunday, June 5th at 2:30 p.m.** at Holy Name Cathedral, 751 N. State St., Chicago.

Couples married in 1955 who are interested in attending this celebration should contact their parish to register.

For further information or to register call our parish office at 773.631.4127. Family Ministries Office at 312.751.8351 or visit the website: www.familyministries.org.



St. Joseph Table

**Sunday, March 13th
From
1:00 pm until 4:30 pm**

Our annual St. Joseph Table will be held on Sunday, March 13th from 1:00 pm until 4:30 pm in the School Hall.

Please mark your calendars and plan to attend this beautiful event.

The proceeds from this event traditionally go to help the poor and needy.

Lenten Banks

Lenten Banks are available in the back of Church. The monies collected will be given to charitable organizations throughout the Chicagoland area. The banks should be returned during Holy Week. Thank you for helping those in need.

Can You Help?

We are in need of glass baby food jars (numbers 2 & 3) for First Reconciliation.

If you have any of these jars, they may be brought to Church or the Parish Office.

Thank you for your help.

The St. Joseph Table

According to legend, the St. Joseph Table originated in Sicily several centuries ago, during a period of severe drought and famine. The people were starving and all they could grow were fava beans. In desperation, they prayed to St. Joseph, the protector of the Holy Family. He answered their prayers by sending good rains and an abundant harvest to end the famine. To thank and honor St. Joseph, the people built altars consisting of grains, fruits, vegetables, seafood and wine. The food was served to the poor was shared in prayer and festivity. As the Italian people migrate to the New World, they brought with them this unique and beautiful tradition that is carried on in homes and churches throughout the United States today.

Our annual St. Joseph Table will be held on Sunday, March 13th from 1:00 pm until 4:30 pm. Last year our table fed close to 1,000 people and all surplus food was taken to soup kitchens delivered by the St. Vincent de Paul Society. Monetary donations were distributed to the needy of the parish.

We are proud to report that last year our beautiful Table was featured on channel 7's "Sanctuary" which was produced by the Archdiocese of Chicago.

We are once again asking for your assistance in making our St. Joseph Table a success. The Table is based on meatless dishes such as pizza, eggplant parmesan, fish, fried vegetables, frittata, cakes cookies or any specialty recipes. Monetary donations are always appreciated. If you wish to donate, please fill out the information below and drop it off in the back of church at the St. Joseph Committee table or at the parish business office.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Food item(s) for donation: _____

Please prepare you dish in a disposable container. All food donations will be accepted in the School Hall on Saturday, March 12th until 5:00 pm and Sunday morning.

Morning Prayer

Dear Lord,

Help us to feel Your presence and to feel it now!

Take from our minds the stress and confusion of this world,
and give us peace of body, mind and soul.

Help us to make a contribution to the life that is around us.

Help us to use our talents unselfishly. Through Christ Our Lord. Amen

Bingo Volunteer Schedule Fourth Week Volunteers - 2/25

Hall

Operators:

Bob Conway & Kim Conway

Concession Workers:

Mark & Lynn Slussar, Liz McEnery, Jim Richards, Diane Swarbrick, Ron Evans, Diane & Mike Frey

Sellers: Rene Snarich, Kevin Heylin

Payout: Jill Hackett

Pull Tabs: Kevin Mergens, Sharon Pyka

Raffle: Bridget Mirko

Ahearn Activity Center

Callers: Mike Pechnick, Marcy Liberty

Sellers: Elizabeth Cieplik, Patti Capitelli

Payout: Kevin Mergens

Pull Tabs:

Raffle: Helen Heylin

Bookkeepers: Mary Donovan,
Christina Mulchrone

Bingo Volunteer Schedule...If

you're unable to make your scheduled time, please get a replacement or leave a message for Kathy Gavin, at 773.631.4127, ext. 40

NO PROBLEM IS HELPLESS There IS help... please call!

For alcohol and/or drug problems, call a member of the team for **confidential help** or information:

Emmett McGovern 773.792.1469

Kate Miller 773.722.2404

Leo Miller 773.631.1929

Bill Steiner 773.792.0281

Vic Switski 773.775.7987

Paul Trudeau 847.696.4835

Sue Wolford 847.541.3038

All Meetings are in Parish Center
AA meets Thursdays ·
8:30 PM to 9:30 PM

A 12-Step Meeting for female survivors of incest meets Fridays from 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM.
For more information call Judy 773.594.0849.

For professional help, call Sue Borrelli at Family Life Counselors-773.763.4999.

Bulletin Articles and Mass Intentions

FYI...To insure placement in the bulletin, all articles and **Mass intentions** for **Sunday, March 6th** are due no later than **Wednesday, February 23rd**. Thank You!