



# Saint Raymond de Penafort

## A Catholic Faith Community

*Our Joyful Response to Living Stewardship*

***“Welcome. Love. Serve.”***

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SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

APRIL 8, 2018

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## Family Easter Mass 2018



The St. Raymond's Family Mass Ministry would like to thank the Stonich, Rognstad and Nava families for their help during the Family Easter Mass. If you would like to participate in our next mass, please visit: <https://tinyurl.com/StRaymondFamilyMass> or Contact Julie at 847-363-6277

### **We do not attend mass for our own personal fulfillment, instead we attend to praise God and give thanks for his blessings.**

The St. Raymond's Family Mass Ministry offers parents and children the opportunity to actively participate in the Mass. Participating helps children and adults develop an understanding and appreciation for the Mass and Catholic traditions.

Since every family is different and unique, there are several opportunities to participate in the St. Raymond's Family Mass.

**Dress the Altar** – Prepare the altar for mass by bringing up the linens and dressing altar.

**Bread and Wine** – bringing up the gifts is an acceptance of Christ's blessings for ourselves and our parish community.

**Intercessions** – Where our community hears the prayer requests for the parish. Adults are asked to read community member names, while children are invited to read the remainder of the prepared script.

Consider participating to celebrate milestones. Examples include birthdays, new seasons in life, acceptance into college, adoption/gotcha day, and sport accomplishments.

Ready to join us? Please visit: <https://tinyurl.com/StRaymondFamilyMass> or Contact Julie Rognstad at 847-363-6277

## Through Our Alms We Touch the World Lutheran Church of the Cross Food Pantry

The Lutheran Church of the Cross houses the largest private charitable food pantry serving five towns in the northwest suburbs, including Mount Prospect. It is located in Arlington Heights next to the former Forest View High School, now the District 214 Headquarters. The LLC food pantry is an agency of the Greater Chicago Food Depository. This affiliation enables the food pantry to purchase \$8.00 worth of staples for every \$1.00 donated. The food pantry serves an average of 100 families per week which totals over 5,000 families per year. Every family receives a twenty pound bag of staples, along with a box of meat, bakery, grocery and dairy products provided by local grocery stores. It distributes food every Tuesday from 9 am-1 pm.

As a result of an extraordinary donation of 30 tons of food by the Arlington Heights Post Office annual food drive, combined with the 80 tons of food donated and purchased from the Greater Chicago Food Depository, the LLC food pantry distributed over 100 tons of food during the past year.

The LLC food pantry supplies St. Raymond parish with a substantial amount of food weekly and also supplies food to the Viatorian House of Hospitality, home to twenty young male refugees. The LLC food pantry is completely dependent on volunteers. Presently, seven St. Raymond parishioners volunteer there each Tuesday. Cash donations are preferred, but food donations are also appreciated. Alms collected on the weekends of April 7/8 and 14/15 will go the Lutheran Church of the Cross Food Pantry. Please use the green Alms envelopes found at each church entrance if you wish to make a donation. Thank you for your generosity.

The St. Raymond Alms Committee searches for organizations which reflect the needs of the "least of our brothers." If interested in joining us, please contact the Parish Ministry office at 847-253-8600. All Are Welcome!

## Stewardship of Treasure

### Weekly Offering for March 25 2018

### Year to Date ( 39 Weeks)

#### Weekly Offering for March 25, 2018

Sunday Offering	\$17,856
Direct Debit/Credit Card Offering	\$3,477
Grand Total for the Week	\$21,303
Amount Needed for Operating Expense	\$22,957
Difference	<b>(-\$1,654)</b>

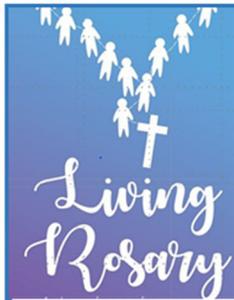
***Thank you for your Stewardship  
And Generosity!***

#### Collection vs. Budget

Year-to-Date Sunday Collection	\$864,520
Year to Date Budget	\$895,335
Difference Year-to-Date	<b>(-\$30,815)</b>

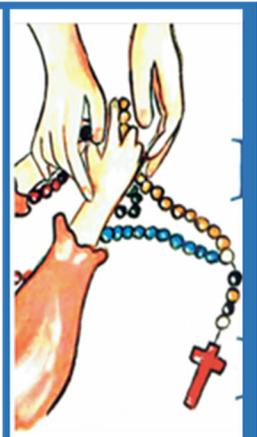
#### Extraordinary Collections

Alms	\$42,012
Sharing Parishes	\$19,457
Archdiocesan Required Collections	\$22,498



Why not join the Multi-Parish Living Rosary for Our Mothers as a Family! It's Monday, May 14<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm at St Raymond de Penafort Church.

See detail's later in the bulletin or on the parish website. If you would like to participate or have any questions please contact Judy Czurylo via email [womensclub@st-raymond.org](mailto:womensclub@st-raymond.org) or phone / text 847-323-7874





*Thank you to all those who generously contributed toward our beautiful altar flowers during this Easter Season. We will remember, throughout the year, all those in those name these donations were made.*

Curtis B. Thomas  
Virginia & Curtis Thomas  
Eleanor & Walter Brennan  
By Jerry & Pat Thomas

The Holbrook Family  
The Murray Family  
By Dave & Kathy Murray

Tom Finnegan  
By Dorsi Finnegan

James P. Dolan  
By Barbara Dolan

Helen Schumanski  
By Leah, Greg, Audrey  
& Elena Sill

Gil & Janet Gongaware  
By Their Family

Madeline Everly Styka  
By Mary & Bob Mathews

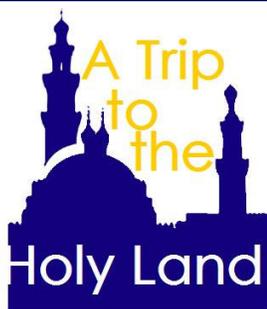
Albert Falcione  
By Maria Falcione  
Tony & Anthony Grisanzio

Michael J. Winfield  
By his Family

Fred & Jean Winchar  
Fred & Evelyn Valenziano  
By Kim & Debbie Kidd

John J. Trutwin  
By Nancy J. Trutwin

Michael J. Rafter  
Virginia Sledz  
By The Sledz Family



Have you ever had questions about your faith in Jesus? Have you ever wondered what was it like when Jesus walked along the Sea of Galilee and entered villages sharing a new message of hope? Have you asked yourself why the Middle East is at times a hotbed of aggression that effects the whole world? Have you ever thought if the death and resurrection of Jesus were real and if the Holy Sepulcher in Jerusalem is the actual burial place of Jesus? Have you ever considered taking a trip to reflect on your faith and seeing the world from a complete different perspective? **If you care to know more about the parish trip to the holy land and Jordan planned for this coming November please come to a meeting on April 16th in the community room at 7pm . We will have a short presentation to provide information and explain more about this trip.**

Since today is the celebration of Easter that recalls the resurrection of Jesus, let me share a thought. When Jesus' friends experienced the resurrection and they began witnessing to that in real ways. The empty tomb or 'sight' became a place of visitation. (Much similar to what we do in cemeteries) This was outside of the walls of the city where executions took place. In time the city expanded and surrounded this sight. Emperor Hadrian who thought this group "Christians" a nuisance erected a temple to Venus over this sight. When Emperor Constantine and his mother Helena came on the scene in 300 they knew exactly the area (Golgotha and tomb) and built over this and erected the first complex of two churches. In the 1970's as teams of archeologists excavated areas of subfloors they found remnants and evidence of a quarry, of nails, wood and chains that gave evidence of executions. In other places they found evidence of trees and fruit of carobs, jujube and olives suggesting a garden. Hence, according to historical and archeological findings this area most likely can be the place of Jesus' death and resurrection. This may be good information however, what really helps us come to believe? From my point of view, it's what the first followers of Jesus did and we do today: seek the signs of new life around us, look at what has passed, find the new beginnings of faith and trust.



### **Mark Your Calendars:**

**St Raymond's Women's Club** will host **Sr. Alicia Torres** from **Our Lady of the Angels Mission & Food Network's Chopped Champion** on **Thursday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>** at **7 pm** in the Community Room. Sr. Alicia will demonstrate her Culinary Skills and discuss sharing the gifts God gives us.



*Emmaus Walk  
Grief Support Group*

**Emmaus Walk Grief Support Group Beginning in April**

**Emmaus Walk**, a Grief support Group for adults grieving the loss of a loved one, will begin again here at St. Raymond on Monday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> and continue weekly through Monday, June 18<sup>th</sup> except for May 28<sup>th</sup>, Memorial Day. Each gathering will begin at 7:00 pm in the Living Room of the Parish Ministry Center and conclude by 8:30 pm. Anyone grieving the loss of a family member, partner, or friend is invited and welcome to attend. During our meetings various elements of the grief journey will be explored through education, discussion, prayer, and sharing in a safe and confidential setting. It's not unusual to feel uncomfortable coming alone, so please feel free to bring another person for support. Please contact Sr. Valerie Kulbacki, Director of Care Ministries and group facilitator to register and/or with any questions at 847-253-8600 x 143 or at [Sr.Val@St-Raymond.org](mailto:Sr.Val@St-Raymond.org). All are welcome!

Michelle Allen  
1415 Patrige Ln, #6  
Arlington Heights, IL 60004



March 05, 2018

## THANK YOU!

Thank you for being the giving type and hosting a blood drive on Sunday, February 18, 2018. It takes the support and dedication of people like you to make blood drives successful and your time and commitment was appreciated and did not go unnoticed.

As coordinator of the Saint Raymond Catholic Church Blood Drive, you know that there is no substitute for human blood. Donating blood gives strength, hope, and courage to our community and to those who need it most. Due to your efforts we were able to register 27 donors and collect 27 blood products.

On behalf of LifeSource and the patients who are the ultimate beneficiaries, please extend our gratitude to everyone who donated to help others. Their generosity will help our neighbors in need, including cancer patients, critically ill newborns, burn patients, accident victims, transplant patients and many more who require blood products.

I will contact you to discuss your next blood drive as we continue to work together in serving the needs of our community.

Sincerely,

Maureen Crowley  
Account Manager

(847) 226-4815

[MCrowley@itxm.org](mailto:MCrowley@itxm.org)  
[lifesource.org](http://lifesource.org)

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**SAINT RAYMOND DE PENAFORT**

YOUTH MINISTRY



**Summer Mission Trip is here! A few spots left—sign up NOW**



**July 17-22nd  
St Louis, MO  
Check it out  
[www.aliveinyou.com](http://www.aliveinyou.com)**



**Log onto [www.givecentral.org](http://www.givecentral.org) and pay a \$100 deposit to secure your spot**

Alive in You is a Catholic conference and service camp. We will do service work, such as painting, simple building projects, landscaping, working at a local food pantry or service organization. We will also worship together, listen to motivational speakers, and do some hands-on team building activities. We will leave on Tuesday morning, July 17th and return on Sunday July 22nd around dinnertime. All teens who are presently in grades 9-12 are eligible to participate. If you are interested, the Mission Trip registration form and deposit of \$100 (\$80 of it non-refundable) is required in order to reserve your spot. All participants are expected to participate in pre-trip activities and meetings which will be held once a month from March—July.

You need to pay via [www.givecentral.org](http://www.givecentral.org) and make payment for Summer Mission Trip Registration.

**Cost per person:** Total Alive in You fee: \$365  
Travel costs: \$125  
**\$490 total**



“I learned how to step out of my comfort zone in order to help people in need. I also learned to not take anything for granted because we are so privileged and others have little to nothing.” —Kevin

“Overall the week that I spent in Detroit was one that I will remember forever. It opened my eyes to poverty that I had never been exposed to; and it motivated me to do something about that poverty and hardship.” —Jill



“Humbling, interesting, fun, spiritual — these are all words that come to mind when I think back to my week in Detroit.” —Kelly

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Mark your calendars for some upcoming events!

**April 2nd 7-8 pm. Prospective Branches Leaders Informational Meeting**

We are in need of new Branches Leaders for next year.  
Informational Meeting: Monday, April 2nd 7-8 in Community room

Branches Teen program: Our branches program currently has 165 teens involved. It is a wonderful way for high school teens to deepen their faith lives and get to know some amazing adult mentors. Students meet 2x a month in the home of adult leaders. Come learn more and hear from some current Branches leaders.

**April 8th 7-9 p.m. Join a Viewing & Discussion in the community room of**

**The Hunting Ground**

- The award-winning documentary movie on  
college campus sexual assaults -

All are welcome!

Seniors, Parents, & college students are especially encouraged to attend

**April 17th 7 p.m.**



**Movie night "The Dating Project" at Randhurst 7 p.m.**

Join other teens & young adults to watch a movie about dating  
and the way people search for meaningful relationships.

[www.thedatingprojectmovie.com](http://www.thedatingprojectmovie.com)

To reserve a spot, RSVP Mrs. Knott by **April 9th.**

**April 22nd 11:15**

**Senior Celebration: Mass and Brunch**

for seniors, their parents, and Branches Leaders

**May 1st**

**Deadline to Register for Branches Home groups**

All students planning to join or return to Branches must  
register or re-register by completing registration form.

Go to Youth Ministry page on website to sign up.

**Thank you to all those who came out  
to the Easter Egg Hunt this year!**

**Thank you especially to Leah Sill and  
Moms Plus Group #4 for organizing the  
hunt – they stuffed and hid 1,200 eggs! - and to  
Margie Schmitt, Amy Saddler and Moms Plus  
Group #20 for providing the raffle baskets!**



**Thank you to the Easter Bunny for making an  
appearance!**





# St. Raymond School



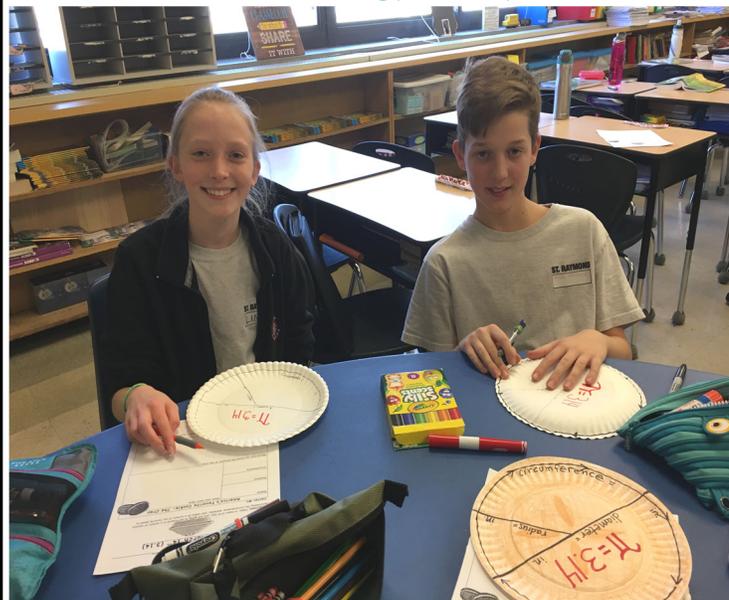
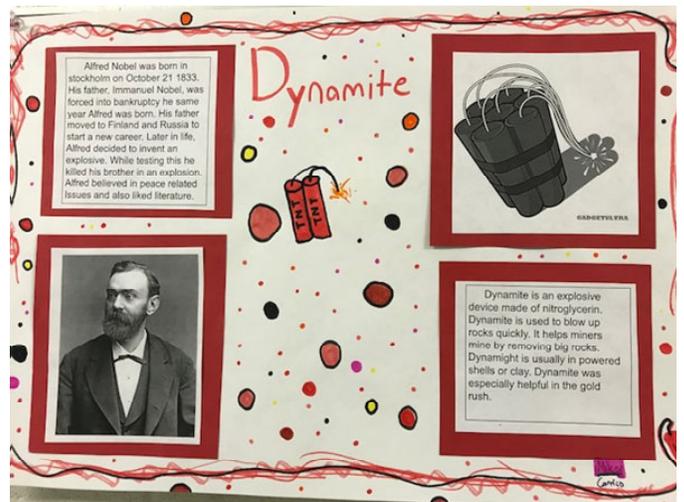
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## Faith, Discoveries & Fun in 5th Grade

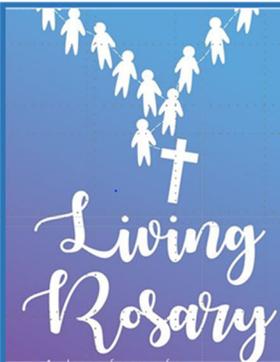
During Lent, the 5th grade students prepared for Easter by reflecting on the Stations of the Cross, celebrating the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and commemorating the Washing of the Feet. Students also prepared the candlesticks for the Easter Virgil service.



In Social Studies classes, the fifth graders studied important inventions of the Industrial Revolution. Students chose an invention and did research based on given questions about the invention and inventor. Students realized how these early inventions led to modern technology today.



On March 14th, the fifth grade students celebrated Pi Day. Incorporating math skills, the fifth graders measured Oreos, Ritz Crackers, Tostitos Chips and an apple pie. They found the radius, diameter, and circumference of each circular food item.



Please join the Multi-Parish Living Rosary on behalf of Our Mothers Monday, May 14<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm at St Raymond de Penafort Church.

- † Looking for 50 or more individuals / families of all ages to lead the congregation in a prayer of the Rosary.
- † We will create a moving Rosary by assembling around the Sanctuary and move as each prayer is said.
- † Prayer Card provided along with a Rose for Mary, Mother of Jesus
- † We will celebrate Mary, by Crowning her with a wreath of flowers.

We invite everyone to come and pray for our Mother, Grandmother and other Mother figures in our lives. It is a special celebration this year with the New Feast Day of Mary, "Mother of our Church".

Our prayer service will last approximately an hour and will be followed by hospitality in the Community Room. If you would like to participate or have questions, please reach out to Judy Czurylo via email [womensclub@st-raymond.org](mailto:womensclub@st-raymond.org) or phone / text 847-323-7874

## St. Raymond Playgroup



**Mondays  
9:00-10:00am**

**April 9th  
&  
April 23rd**

**No Registration  
necessary**

**Come join us for fun and play!**

The St. Raymond Playgroup offers an opportunity for children ages 0-4 years old to have fun and make friends while moms, dads, grandparents or caregivers share ideas and conversation. *(Adults must stay with their child.)*

**Playgroup will be held in the St. Raymond School Gym**  
*On the corner of Lincoln & I-Oka; enter door #26*

**Questions: contact Amy Somary, at [amy.somary@st-raymond.org](mailto:amy.somary@st-raymond.org)  
or contact the school office at (847)253-8555.**

Saint Raymond Youth Theatre  
Production of



A Musical based on the stories of P.L. Travers  
and the Walt Disney Film

**BE A PATRON OF THE ARTS**

For as little as \$5.00 you can help support the parish youth production of ***Mary Poppins Jr.*** Just fill out the form below and return this page in an envelope marked ***Mary Poppins Jr.*** to the School Office or the PMC by May 4<sup>th</sup>.

Please write your message to a particular person or just a general message to the cast and crew on the lines below. (Example – Break a Leg, Mary! Love Mom, Dad and Joey)

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Please return this form with \$5 to the PMC or School Office in an envelope marked ***Mary Poppins Jr.*** by May 4<sup>th</sup>. Thank You!



## Ladies Night Out

### We're Gonna Have a Ball!

Join other ladies of the parish for a night of pizza and bowling. Meet new friends and reconnect with old ones. It is sure to be a night fun and fellowship.

- Location: Elk Grove Bowl  
53 S. Arlington Heights Rd
- Date: Tuesday April 17<sup>th</sup>
- Time: 7:00 pm to 9:15 pm



The cost is \$20 for 2 games of bowling, shoes, pizza, salad and soda. Alcoholic beverages available for individual purchase.

Space is limited to 40 people so there is no time to SPARE

Please RSVP with payment by Wednesday April 11<sup>th</sup>. Make check payable to St Raymond Women's Club. Your payment can be dropped off or mailed to the PMC at 301 S. I-Oka Ave. Mt Prospect, IL 60056.

Any questions, contact Fran Wilcox at 847-420-5883 or Tish Chapman at 224-622-5029

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

*Sponsored by St Raymond's Women's Club*

## MATS FOR THE HOMELESS MINISTRY



The purpose of this ministry is to provide sleeping mats to homeless persons on lower Wacker Drive. Clean, plastic grocery bags are cut, knotted into plarn" (plastic yarn) and crocheted into mats.

We need people to: 1) sort and flatten the plastic bags; 2) cut the plastic into strips; 3) knot the strips and roll into balls of plarn; 4) crochet the mats.

Be involved in this ministry from home; it is not required to attend meetings. If you want to learn how to crochet, we can show you how. If you want to gather for camaraderie, sharing and fun, we get together on the 3rd Wednesday of every month at 6:30 pm in the Formation Room.

If you'd like to be involved in this ministry, please call or text Kathi Szott at 847-226-6369, or mail [katsz928@yahoo.com](mailto:katsz928@yahoo.com)

*"Individual commitment to a group effort - that is what makes a team work, a company work, a society work, a civilization work." ~ Vince Lombardi*

*Join us on April 20<sup>th</sup> for*

# LADIES NIGHT

**Bingo, Booze, Prizes and More...**

**This is THE social event of the season!**

- 7:00 pm — 10:30 pm
- St. Raymond Gym
- Doors open at 7:00 pm and bingo starts at 8:00 pm
- Cash bar with optional wine bottle service for just \$20 per bottle
- Bring your own appetizers and we will provide desserts
- \$20 per person gets you in the door and your own bingo card

**Please make your reservations by April 16th.**

**To Register go to [www.st-raymond.org](http://www.st-raymond.org)**

**Walk in welcome, but reserve your spot today  
in case it gets sold out!**

**Questions? Contact Krissy Olson  
(708) 702-1901 or [olsongk@comcast.net](mailto:olsongk@comcast.net)**

**Village of Mt. Prospect  
Nursing Services  
2018 Health Screening Clinics**



Residents of Mount Prospect may be screened for: blood pressure, height, weight, pulse, fasting blood sugar, non-fasting total cholesterol. There is a \$1 fee for fasting blood sugar and a \$4 fee for total cholesterol tests.

**Walk-In Health Screening Clinics are held:**

- Mondays** 9:00-11:00am  
Community Room at Village Hall  
50 S. Emerson Street, Mount Prospect
- Mondays** 1:30-3:30pm  
Community Connection Center  
1711 W. Algonquin Road, Mount Prospect
- Fourth Tuesday  
Of the Month** 10:15-11:15am  
Stay Fit Physical Therapy  
127 W. Prospect Avenue, Mount Prospect
- First Thursday  
Of the Month** 8:30-9:30am  
Weiss Center River Trails Park District  
500 E. Euclid, Mount Prospect

SAINT VIATOR PATRONS OF THE ARTS PRESENTS



ANNUAL **SPRING FLING**

APRIL 18, 2018 6:30 PM

FEATURED BANDS

**TOPSHELF ENTERTAINMENT**  
SVHS Band Director  
Featuring Stephanie Spiewak

**EXIT 147**  
*one for my seven*  
Acoustic set by Matt Pablecas '95  
Joe Ferrazza '89, Brian Sheridan & TJ Wilkes

**Mike w/Joe**  
Mike Notaro '89 from the band Mike & Joe  
Joe Ferrazza '89 from the band Exit 147

**ARLINGTON ALE HOUSE**

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SUPPORTING SVHS FINE ARTS PROGRAMS

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**THE WOMEN'S CENTER**

5116 North Cicero Avenue, Chicago, IL 60630 (773)794-1313

**BRANCH OFFICES: 9730 S. Western, Ste. 318, Evergreen Park, IL and  
2720 S. River Rd., Suite 234, Des Plaines, IL**



Pregnant women in difficult situations often find themselves feeling confused, under pressure and alone. At The Women's Center our counselors help them through friendship, counseling, and material assistance. We have saved over 39,000 women and their babies from the horrible consequences of abortion.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** substitute and on-call (flexible hours are available); to sort donated items and assist clients in our Family Room; help with mailings and baby bottle projects; bi-lingual who are conversational in Spanish to help in special areas; male volunteers to assist with baby furniture donations; **receptionist Thursday or Friday morning and occasionally Saturday at our Evergreen Park office. For more info on these volunteer roles, call us at 708-320-4066.**

If you wish to offer your time and talent, **volunteers are needed to sell flowers after Masses for our annual sale on Mother's Day weekend, May 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>**, either at your parish or at a parish other than your own. Honor *your* mother by helping on behalf of mothers in crisis pregnancies. **To volunteer for the flower sale**, please contact us at 773-794-1313.

**SEEKING DONATIONS:** We are in need of 4 strollers, 2 double strollers, 5 high chairs, 4 toddler beds and 4 dressers. **We need baby food (in date).** Also needed are diapers in sizes 5 and 6 only, girls clothes in sizes 2 and 24 months and boys clothes in sizes 6, 7, and 8. These items cannot be picked up unless accompanied by baby furniture. The families who receive these things are grateful for your generosity. For our address where you can deliver these things or if a pick-up by a volunteer is needed, please call 773-794-1313.

## ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



Office of Human Dignity & Solidarity-Immigration Ministry



*"I invite the whole Church, and men and women of good will everywhere, to turn their gaze on this day to all those who stretch out their hands and plead for our help and solidarity. God created the heavens and the earth for all; yet sadly some have erected barriers, walls and fences, betraying the original gift meant for all humanity, with none excluded. -Pope Francis*

**The fate of nearly 1.8 million Dreamers remains uncertain as Congress has yet to reach a bipartisan deal.**

Your advocacy is critical to help the nearly 1.8 million Dreamers, young people who were brought into the United States by their parents as children. They may face deportation unless Congress reaches a bi-partisan deal to protect them. We support these young people who are contributors to our economy and leaders in our parishes and communities.

**ACTION:** The USCCB asks you to pray, fast and act by urging Congress to work together for a permanent solution for Dreamers. Call 855-589-5698 to reach the Capitol switchboard. For resources, talking points and postcards visit the USCCB website: [www.justiceforimmigrants.org](http://www.justiceforimmigrants.org).

For additional ways to advocate for immigrants and refugees this Lent visit: [www.CatholicsAndImmigrants.org](http://www.CatholicsAndImmigrants.org)



[www.kofc6481.org](http://www.kofc6481.org)

## Please Join Us!

**In Service to One, In Service to All**

Joining the Knights of Columbus can change your life. As a Knight, you have the opportunity to strengthen your parish, give back to your community, grow in your faith and gain exclusive access to insurance products to financially protect your family. Our Council conducts programs that support our parish and community. Joining does not mean that you need to sacrifice quality time with your family. In fact, volunteering an hour here or an hour there with your family can make an enormous impact in your life and in the lives of others. If you're interested in helping those in need in your parish and community, strengthening your parish and family relationships, growing in your faith, and in financial protection for you and your family, then joining the Knights of Columbus gives you a way to achieve these goals.

Charity      Unity      Fraternity      Patriotism



## Prayer Shawl Ministry

Whether you are new to knitting or crocheting and wish to learn, brushing up on skills that you haven't used in a long time or are experienced in these crafts, please consider joining our Prayer Shawl Ministry. The purpose of our ministry is to create shawls to gift to those in our parish who are in need of our prayers, love and support. It is a wonderful way to meet new friends while creating a meaningful reminder of our concern for our fellow parishioners. Meetings take place on the last Thursday of the month from 7 – 9 P.M. in the dining room at the PMC.

**If you, a loved one or someone you know would benefit from the comfort of a prayer shawl or if you are interested in joining our group please contact Mary Klostermann at (847) 342-3453 or by email at [maryklostermann@comcast.net](mailto:maryklostermann@comcast.net).**



*The Prayer Shawl Ministry would like to extend a very special note of thanks to our friends at [Mosaic Yarn Studio in Mount Prospect](#) for the generous donations of yarn that they have contributed to our ministry. These donations have allowed us to continue to create beautiful shawls that have been made from the exceptional yarns that they have shared with us. Thank you for your thoughtfulness and generosity.*

## Tuesday Morning Bible Study Jesus of the Gospels Dee Peppard, BVM.

April 24, May 1, May 8, May 22, May 29  
(Note: We will not be meeting May 15)  
Community Room  
10:00 – 11:30 a.m.

We have many images of Jesus in our tradition - the Good Shepherd, Teacher and Healer, Jesus on the Cross, and Judge - to name a few. And each of the Gospel writers, because of the faith experiences of their communities, presents Jesus in a different way. So there's a lot of richness in the Mystery of Jesus, the Christ. And together, we'll look at Jesus in the Gospels – his words, his actions, his relationships, his death and resurrection. And hopefully this will deepen our own faith and relationship with the Risen Jesus.

**Please join us. All are welcome!**



**Support Groups for Those Suffering with Addiction and Their Loved Ones**

- ◆ **Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Closed Step Meeting**  
Parish Ministry Center  
Coggins Hall  
Wednesday 7:30 pm
  
- ◆ **Adult Children of Alcoholics (ACA)**  
Parish Ministry Center  
Living Room  
Thursday 7:30 pm
  
- ◆ **Co-Dependents Anonymous (CODA)**  
Parish Ministry Center  
Living Room  
Saturday 10:15 am

Drug, alcohol and gambling addiction is a disease which is chronic, progressive and treatable, but terminal if untreated. Recovery is possible if the person is willing to ask for help and work toward that goal. Families with addicted family members also need help and understanding. Worry, fear and anger destroy both relationships and the family unit. The Substance Abuse Team is available to reach out with support and care. CONFIDENTIALITY AND ANONYMITY are the very essence of our ministry.

**Please call our team members for help:**

Dan Sullivan 847-962-5208; Jill Bergner 847-228-6073; Kathy & Warren Goldberg 847-483-0443; Marie McGarry 847-398-0415; Bob O'Donnell 630-400-9479. For assistance with ACA contact Dan Lapinski 847-259-4645.

***God grant me the serenity to accept  
the things I cannot change;  
courage to change the things I can;  
and wisdom to know the difference.***

**THE LEGION OF MARY**

Are you called to go deeper into our faith? Come on Tuesdays at 7:30 pm to the PMC to pray and cooperate in the Virgin Mary's and Church's work by participating in the Legion of Mary. The Legion of Mary is a lay apostolic association of Catholics who, with the sanction of the Church serve the Church and the neighbor on a voluntary basis in about 170 countries. To learn more please email Marelora Bell @ mariloren @gmail.com

**MISS FOUNDATION -**

Perinatal and Infant loss support group  
2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month  
7 - 9 pm Parish Ministry Center (PMC)

This is a peer support group for mothers and fathers that have lost a child in pregnancy or shortly after birth. Any questions or to RSVP (encouraged, but not necessary) please contact Jeannie Jordan at 847-217-1548 or jeannie.jordan@missfoundation.org Julie Levandoski at 708-280-5698 or juie.levandoski@missfoundation.org

**MOMS ROSARY GROUP**

**MAY 1ST AT 7PM IN THE PMC**

The Moms' Rosary group meets once a month in the PMC. They pray the rosary for their adult children, their intentions and concerns. New members are most welcome. For information contact Kathi Szott at either 847-226-6369, or [katsz928@yahoo.com](mailto:katsz928@yahoo.com).

**WOMEN'S SPIRITUALITY CIRCLES**

Women's Spirituality Circles are small groups of 8-18 women who gather once a month to nourish, reflect upon and share their own spiritual lives. A resource book is used, which enables the women to come to a deeper understanding of themselves and their own unique spirituality. Through reading, discussion and prayerful reflection, the women experience a deeper prayer life and the invitation to share their gifts in service to God's people. They gather strength, insight and a sense of gratitude from one another. Each group has a facilitator. For further information please contact Kathy Hemler at either 847-427-1472 or [chuck.kathy.hemler@comcast.net](mailto:chuck.kathy.hemler@comcast.net).

**MAC (MEN OF ACTION AND CONTEMPLATION)**

MAC is a group of five or six men who commit themselves to meeting twice a month for one hour to dialogue, support and encourage each other to live the Gospel message more fully in their daily lives. A resource book, based on the daily scripture readings is used. Each daily reflection contains a part of a scripture reading, a contemporary story, a question for one's own life application and a concluding thought for the day. Each man is asked to find ten minutes each day to reflect and pray over the daily reflection. The men involved find that this experience helps them in their daily lives. For more information please contact Johnny Burnett at [yibidee63@gmail.com](mailto:yibidee63@gmail.com) or 847-707-3360.



Join the **Women's Club** for our **April Soup Luncheon & Fashion Show**. Tuesday **April 10<sup>th</sup>** at **11:30 am** in the **Community Room**. We

will have a variety of home made soups and desserts. A Fashion Show will follow with ensembles furnished by **Marshalls** located at 1127 E. Rand Rd. Mt. Prospect. Our **Charity for the Month** is **Backpack Ministry**. Donations of **cash** or **check** would be appreciated

**Marshalls**  
**HomeGoods**

### ST. RAYMOND ROSARY MAKERS

Founded in 1996, this ministry has grown to over 20 male and female members of all ages, who have lovingly hand made and distributed over 230,000 rosaries free of charge to local ministries and mission fields worldwide. These "Gospels on a string" have been shipped all across America, as well as to the following 27 countries overseas:



Belize, Brazil, China, Ecuador, Germany, Haiti, Honduras, India, Ireland, Italy, Ivory Coast, Jamaica, Kenya, Latvia, Mexico, New Guinea, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Pakistan, The Philippines, Puerto Rico Solomon Islands, Switzerland, Tanzania, Togo, Uganda, and Vietnam.

ROSARY MAKERS GROUP meets virtually every Tuesday from 1 - 3 pm year round in our Community Room. In addition, many members choose to make rosaries at home in their spare time. If you wish to participate in this artistically creative and spiritually fulfilling ministry which enables the global poor to pray for peace, please contact Evelyn Mutzabaugh at mutzycian@yahoo.com or 847-392-4554.

The St. Raymond's Rosary Makers Ministry documentary filmed by Shalom World TV is completed. The **entire 28-minute documentary** featured on their program "*Into the Light*" was broadcast on **Friday, March 9th**. The **episode is now in their archives and can be watched at:** <https://www.shalomworldtv.org/videos/index/2066#>

**Shalom World TV-North America studio is based in Arlington Heights. The Catholic, family-friendly, virtue building, character-based TV channel is available online and on Smart TVs ( Apple TV, Roku and many more ). Visit the website: [www.shalomworldtv.org](http://www.shalomworldtv.org)**

### MINISTRY OF PRAISE

Volunteers in this ministry pray daily for the needs of the community and the world. Many in this ministry are homebound. The goal of this ministry is to connect those who are no longer physically able to join us for worship, but can offer prayer for the community. They have meaningful gifts to offer through their service of prayer. A monthly letter is sent asking the ministers to pray daily for the intentions mentioned. If you know a homebound person who would like to be part of this ministry, please call the PMC. Contact: Sr. Valerie Kulbacki at 847-253-8600 x143 / sr.val@st-raymond.org.



### GRANDMOTHERS IN PRAYER

Grandmothers In Prayer is a ministry which gives Grandmothers a special way to connect with their grandchildren: by praying for them. These women come together on two Wednesdays every month (from 10:00 AM to 12:00 noon) to pray for their grandchildren, their schools and teachers. For further information please call Donna Czajka at (847) 228-6360.



# We Pray...

## Seamless Garment/ Respect Life Committee

As people who respect all life from conception to natural death, we pray for those on death row scheduled for execution during the month of April. Let us also hold in prayer their families, and most especially their victim's families.

- 4/11 Melvin Bonnell Ohio (Rescheduled)
- 4/11 William Montgomery Ohio  
(Clemency Recommended by Ohio Parole Board)
- 4/19 Walter Moody Alabama
- 4/25 Erick Davila Texas



### THE AFGHAN MAKERS GROUP

All women, young and not-so-young, are invited to join the Afghan Group on the 1st and 3rd Mondays each month in the Parish Ministry Center from 9:00 a.m. to Noon. If you like to knit or crochet (or would like to learn), come join us. Yarn is provided. While we are using our hands to create items for the needy, we also enjoy each other's company. This is a wonderful ministry of caring and sharing. **WON'T YOU CONSIDER JOINING US?** Please call Barbara Klett at (847)255-3147 or just come to the Parish Ministry Center on the dates and times listed above. **Donations of yarn are welcome!** Please bring your donation to the PMC.

### MEN'S SATURDAY MORNING SCRIPTURE GROUP

Did you know that the Mens Bible study group has met in Coggins Hall every Saturday morning for over twenty years? It's a lively yet reflective group of guys that read and discuss the scriptures for the coming Sunday Mass. What do we get out of it? An appreciation of God's word coming from many perspectives. Sometimes as we listen to scripture in church it doesn't make sense, but going in having discussed the coming readings brings things into a better light. There's just one catch, we meet at 6AM on Saturday morning. Too early you say? We find it to be the best time of day to reflect and talk before the world really gets cranked up. We end by 7:30 so you have the rest of the day to meet the many activities we all have. We hope you'll join us and see how we help each other appreciate the beauty of God's word and the beauty of the life he has given each of us. For more information?

Call John Ruskuls at 847-394-5693 or Brian Murphy at 847-298-5186.

# St. Raymond SCRIP Program Ordering Information

ORDERS PLACED BY 10 AM MONDAY WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PICK UP AFTER 1 PM THURSDAY

ORDERS PLACED AFTER 10 AM MONDAY WILL BE AVAILABLE THE FOLLOWING THURSDAY

**SCRIP Program Purchase Form**      **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

Check #
DD/check/cash

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Amount Due:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please Indicated Number and Value of Cards Ordered							
# of Cards	Value	%	Total \$	# of Cards	Value	%	Total \$
	Ace Hardware	\$25/\$100	4%		Jewel Foods Gift Card	\$25/\$100	4%
	Amazon.com	\$25/\$100	2.5%		Joann Fabric Store	\$25	6%
	AMC Lowes Theatres	\$25	8%		Kohl's	\$25/\$100	4%
	Applebee's	\$25	8%		Landry's Rest. (Group)	\$25	9%
	Barnes & Noble	\$10/\$25	8%		Lettuce Entertain You	\$25/\$100	12%
	Bass Pro Shop	\$25/\$100	9%		Limited (The)	\$25	9%
	Bath & Body Works	\$10/\$25	18%		Lou Malnati's Pizza	\$10	8%
	Bed, Bath & Beyond	\$25/\$100	8%		Lowe's	\$25/\$100/\$500	4%
	Best Buy	\$25/\$100	4%		Macy's	\$25/\$100	10%
	BP Gas Card	\$50/\$100	1.5%		Marathon	\$25/\$100	3%
	Buffalo Wild Wings	\$10/\$25	8%		Marianos Fresh Market	\$25/\$50/\$100	4%
	Buona Beef	\$10	8%		Mario Triccoci's	\$25/\$100	7%
	Burger King	\$10	4%		Meijer	\$25/\$50/\$100	3%
	Cabella's	\$25	11%		Menards	\$25/\$100/\$500	3%
	California Pizza Kitchen	\$25	8%		Noodles & Company	\$10	8%
	Carson Pirie Scott	\$25/\$100	8%		Nordstrom	\$25/\$100	6%
	Cheesecake Factory	\$25	5%		Oberweis	\$10	8%
	Chili's Rest. (Group)	\$25	11%		Office Depot/Office Max	\$25/\$100	5%
	Chipotle	\$10	10%		Outback Rest. (Group)	\$25/\$50	8%
	Crate & Barrel	\$25/\$100	8%		Panera	\$10/\$25	8%
	CVS Pharmacy	\$25/\$100	6%		Red Robin	\$25	8%
	Dairy Queen	\$10	3%		Regis Salons	\$25	10%
	Darden Rest. (Group)	\$25	8%		Shell	\$25/\$50/\$100	2%
	Dennis Uniform	\$20	5%		Speedway	\$25/\$100	4%
	Dicks Sporting Goods	\$25/\$100	8%		Staples	\$25	5%
	Domino's Pizza	\$10	8%		Starbucks	\$5/\$10/\$25	7%
	Dunkin Donuts	\$10/\$25	3%		Steak 'n Shake	\$10	8%
	Express	\$25	10%		Subway	\$10/\$50	6%
	Exxon/Mobile	\$50	1%		Target GiftCard	\$25/\$50/\$100	2.5%
	Fannie May	\$10	25%		TGI Fridays	\$25	8%
	GAP/Old Navy(Options)	\$25/\$100	14%		TJMaxx/Marshalls	\$25/\$100	7%
	GameStop	\$25	3%		VISA	\$50/\$100/\$250	1.5%
	Hallmark Gold Crown	\$25	4%		Walgreens	\$25/\$100	6%
	Home Depot (The)	\$25/\$100/\$500	4%		Walmart/Sam's Club	\$25/\$50 /\$100/\$250	2.5%
	iTunes	\$15/\$25	5%		Whole Foods Market	\$25/\$100	3%

*Complete listing of participating retailers at [shopwithscrip.com](http://shopwithscrip.com)  
Participating retailers and rebates are subject to change without notice.*

## ST. RAYMOND PARISH DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OUTREACH AWARENESS-SERVICES-PREVENTION

### AWARENESS

Domestic violence is a pattern of behavior. It is used to exert power and control over another person. It is found in the context of a dating, family or household relationship.

Questions to ask:

- Does your partner isolate you from family and friends?
- Are you being physically, psychologically, economically or sexually abused?
- Is your partner attempting to destroy your self-esteem and self-confidence?

Domestic violence victims often report:

"I didn't know it was abuse.", "I thought I could fix it.", "I didn't tell anyone."

**These are traps that keep people bound.**

Domestic violence. Dating Violence.  
No Excuse

**You are loved and you are not alone.**

### SERVICES

**GET HELP!  
IN AN EMERGENCY, DIAL 911.**

For individual or group counseling, please contact Teresa Gielczynski LCSW, ICDVP at Barrington Youth and Family Services  
847-381-0345 ext 14 or  
teresa.gielczynskibyfs@outlook.com.

**Help is also available from:**

National Domestic Violence Hotline:  
1-800-799-SAFE (7233) and/or  
www.ndvh.org

National Sexual Assault Hotline:  
1-800-656-HOPE(4673) and Wings  
Housing/Emergency Shelter: 847-221-5680

### PREVENTION

**Healthy Relationship  
Characteristics**

- Trust
- Mutual respect
- Good communication/open and honest communication
- Partners work together to make decisions.
- Belief in nonviolent conflict resolution/ anger control
- Ability to negotiate and adjust to stress
- Belief in partner's right to autonomy
- Individuality
- Honesty
- Compromise
- Fighting fair
- Empathy

Source: CDC, Liz Claiborne Dating Matters

### ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Visit the Archdiocese of Chicago Domestic Violence Outreach webpage at <https://www.domesticviolenceoutreach.org>

Rape, Abuse and Incest National Network <http://www.rainn.org>

Veto Violence—Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC): [www.vetoviolence.org/datingmatters](http://www.vetoviolence.org/datingmatters)



## MEMORY LOSS CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

*GUIDING FAMILIES THROUGH THE JOURNEY*

Alzheimer's Association Caregiver Support Groups provide emotional, educational and social support for family and friends of individuals with Alzheimer's disease, other dementias or memory loss conditions.

For more information, please email Sandy at [sandylsupp9@gmail.com](mailto:sandylsupp9@gmail.com) or call the Alzheimer's Association Illinois Chapter at 1-800-272-3900 or go to [alz.org/illinois](http://alz.org/illinois) and click on 'Support Groups'.

Parishioners Sandy Langenfeld and Harriet Malinowski are co-facilitators of this group.

**Meetings are the Second Wednesday  
of the Month at 7 pm  
(4/11, 5/9, 6/13, 7/11, 8/8, 9/12,  
10/10, 11/14, 12/12)**

**Autumn Leaves Arlington Heights  
1625 S Arlington Heights Rd  
(just north of Golf)  
Arlington Hts, IL 60005**

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Ps 40:7-11; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38  
Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Jn 3:7b-15  
Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34:2-9; Jn 3:16-21  
Thursday: Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34:2, 9, 17-20; Jn 3:31-36  
Friday: Acts 5:34-42; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Jn 6:1-15  
Saturday: Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19; Jn 6:16-21  
Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; Ps 4:2, 4, 7-9; 1 Jn 2:1-5a; Lk 24:35-48

### ST. MARK/ ST. RAYMOND PADS SITE DIRECTOR NEEDED

The St. Mark/ St. Raymond PADS Site is looking for a site director. Do you feel the calling or hear maybe a whisper? This would be for the next season, 2018-2019. Pastor Christine Webb would love to talk with you. Please do not hesitate to reach out to her. Being part of this ministry is very rewarding. Contact Pastor Christie Webb at [cwebb@stmarkmp.org](mailto:cwebb@stmarkmp.org). Please take some time to consider volunteering for this position.

## Counseling Services

Counseling services are available for those experiencing the loss of a loved one, a relationship, job, and other challenging life situations through our Human Concerns Commission. If you would like to talk with a counselor, please contact Sr. Valerie Kulbacki, Director of Care Ministries, at 847-253-8600 x 143 or at [Sr.Val@St-Raymond.org](mailto:Sr.Val@St-Raymond.org).

## Pray for our Military

Heavenly Father, we pray for the people of this nation and every nation that we might work to bring liberty, justice and peace to all. We ask that you care for the men and women who serve our country in the military that they might know of our prayers and be blessed and protected through your ever loving presence. Amen.

### "All Are Welcome"

Please know that everyone is invited to bring up the gifts of bread and wine at mass ... that means a family of 6 or a family of 1 Please- simply let us know!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Mass time: \_\_\_\_\_

*Just drop in the offering basket, call or email us at 847-253-8600 x 145 or [worsihpoffice@st-raymond.org](mailto:worsihpoffice@st-raymond.org).*

### A Message to our Parishioners who use a Special Host.

We have relocated the container of special hosts from the sacristy to just inside the vestry door. We hope this will save you steps and make it easier for you!

**Pray for Our Sick** As Members of the Parish Faith Community, it is our responsibility to remember both in concrete and spiritual ways those who cannot celebrate with us each week because they are ill. Those who are sick in turn, remember all of us daily in their prayers and in their sufferings. We experience many blessings because of their remembering us. And so ... please remember in your prayers the people listed,

- |                         |                            |                    |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|
| Abplanalp, Esther       | Fisher, Charles            | Nolan, Patricia    |
| Adamo, James            | Ford, James                | Nykiel, Antonina   |
| Adamo, Mary Jane        | Gadomski, Jan              | Olsen, Julia       |
| Adams, Kathie           | Gallo, Cynthia             | Oshgan, Angeline   |
| Adams, Robert           | Gelinas, Mark              | Osiol, Robert      |
| Baker, Robert           | Gierszewicz, Patricia      | Papievis, Shirley  |
| Baldassano, Al          | Glynn, Rosemary            | Peterson, Marion   |
| Baldassano, Dina        | Gruter, Alicia             | Pietrzak, Irene    |
| Balmes, Evann           | Hampton, Janet             | Pinto, Sandra      |
| Banadera, Leonida       | Heidkamp, Josh             | Pitzele, Mark      |
| Banas, Virginia         | Hunt, Ann                  | Randant, Paula     |
| Becker, John            | Hurley, Jim                | Reising, Donald E. |
| Blatnick, Carol         | Iannello, Jennifer         | Riley, Barbara     |
| Bonk, Catherine         | Janas, Becky               | Riley, Liz         |
| Brandson, Jeanne        | Johnson, Margaret H.       | Ruskuls, Mary Ann  |
| Bregy, Robert           | Juell, Cathy               | Sadrakula, Irene   |
| Brinkman, Cheryl        | Kamaryt, Donald            | Schreiner, Amy     |
| Broeren, Sue            | Karnes, Mitchell           | Schultz, Rosemary  |
| Brown, Gerald L. "Chip" | Keane, Carol               | Shea, Dorothy      |
| Buchberger, Greg        | King, Tom                  | Sheehy, Eleanor    |
| Bulger, Brian           | Kotowski, Bernice          | Shillington, Dee   |
| Bychowski, Mike         | Kramer, Eleanor            | Simon, Marilyn     |
| Bychowski, Steven       | Kricke, Jaclyn             | Skillman, John     |
| Caulfield, Jim          | LaCosse, Mary              | Skowron, Blake     |
| Cavage, Adeline         | Lapinski, Louise           | Slack, Patricia    |
| Cigrang, Bob            | Linkman, Jim               | Smith, Debbie      |
| Cole, James             | Longfellow, Dorothy        | Stell, Kathie      |
| Comanici, Coca          | Maffenbeier, Joanne        | Stiver, Mary       |
| Crafton, Dean           | Magiera, Lillian           | Swedo, Eugene      |
| Crooks, Richard         | Martinelli, Gloria         | Theis, Tim         |
| Cyrier, Ruth            | Matheson, Rosemarie        | Theisen, Florence  |
| Dauer, Elizabeth Anne   | McGinn, Catherine T.       | Thelander, Mary Jo |
| DeGiudice, Rita         | McGinn, Fred               | Tortorello, Carol  |
| DeLorenzo, Albert       | McGuire, Pat               | Urban, Rose        |
| Denten, Patricia        | McMorrow, Marion           | Vais, Joseph       |
| Dhein, Donna            | Mendoza, Leo               | Vecchio, Helen     |
| Doell, Ruth             | Moisan, Connie             | Victoria, Beatriz  |
| Dombkowski, Daniel      | Monson, Dorothy & Clarence | White, Shirley     |
| Dougherty, Chris        | Munao, Kenneth             | Wilson, Irene      |
| Dowling, Beau           | Nackoney, Raymond          |                    |
| Eichberger, Mary Ann    | Nelson, Gregory            |                    |
| Engelson, Mildred       | Nelson, Jane               |                    |
| Fardella, Rosa          | Nitkiewicz, Tony           |                    |
| Felderman, Reese        |                            |                    |



## † WE REMEMBER †

**Monday—April 9, 2018**

*The Annunciation of the Lord*

8:15 am † Eugene Holda

**Tuesday—April 10, 2018**

8:15 am † Aga Jaffer Sultan

**Wednesday—April 11, 2018**

*Saint Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr*

8:15 am † Julie Jane Estipona  
† Dan O'Neill (10th anniversary)

**Thursday—April 12, 2018**

7:00 am † Communion Service

8:15 am † Hilda Philbin

**Friday—April 13, 2018**

*Saint Martin I, Pope and Martyr*

8:15 am † James Barbee

**Saturday—April 14, 2018**

5:00 pm † Ed & Betty Conlon  
† Edward J. Conlon III  
† Frank Monaco

**Sunday—April 15, 2018**

*Third Sunday of Easter*

7:30 am † Lois Brady  
† Sylvia Kloska  
9:30 am † Joseph & Marian Heidkamp  
† Noreen Olson  
† Cecelia Varey  
11:15 am † Ann Caldini  
† Dominick Diomede  
† Jim Drain (4th anniversary)  
† Robert Mack  
† Claudina Rocabado  
† Jose Rocabado  
† Elena Salvador  
† Enilio Salvador  
† Albert Scheller  
† Mary Thornton

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

**Monday, April 9, 2018**

3:30 pm	Youth Theatre Rehearsal	PLC
4:00 pm	Children's Choir Rehearsal	CHU

**Tuesday, April 10, 2018**

11:30 am	Women's Club Soup Lunch & Fashion Show	CR
3:30 pm	Youth Theatre Rehearsal	PLC
4:00 pm	Teen Choir Rehearsal	CHU
9:30 pm	Men's Basketball Drop In	PLC

**Wednesday, April 11, 2018**

8:00 am	FSA Meeting	LDR
9:15 am	Moms Plus #4	CH
3:30 pm	Youth Theatre Rehearsal	PLC
7:00 pm	Parish Choir Rehearsal	CHU
7:30 pm	AA Weekly Meeting	CH

**Thursday, April 12, 2018**

7:00 pm	MISS Support Group Meeting	BR
7:00 pm	Men's CRHP Meeting	LDR
7:30 pm	Adult Children of Alcoholics Meeting	LR
9:30 pm	Men's Basketball Drop In	PLC

**Friday, April 13, 2018**

1:00 pm	Mpaluko/Kapalamula Wedding Rehearsal	CHU
3:30 pm	Youth Theatre Rehearsal	PLC
7:30 pm	Liturgical Dance Rehearsal	CHU

**Saturday, April 14, 2018**

6:00 am	Men's Saturday Morning Bible Study	CH
10:15 am	Co-Dependents Anonymous Meeting	LR
12:00 pm	Parish Baptisms	CHU
3:00 pm	Mpaluko/Kapalamula Wedding	CHU
6:15 pm	Liturgical Dance Rehearsal	CHU

**Sunday, April 15, 2018**

9:30 am	CLOW	CHU
7:30 pm	Men's Basketball Drop In	PLC



**Maureen Gamboney**, Mother of Joe, and Grandmother of Thomas and Isbelle

**Hilda Hofmann**, Wife of John

**Eugene Holda**, Husband of Lois

**Hilda Philbin**, Mother of Kathleen Schafer, and Grandmother of Mary, Theresa and Charlie

### Parking Notice:

If you park on the street rather than the parking lot, please park legally and not block our neighbors' driveways. Please note that the Mt. Prospect Police Department will leave a reminder on the windshields of those who have forgotten "the rules of the road!"

Buhrfeind Room	BR	Leadership Room	LDR
Church	CHU	Living Room	LR
Community Room	CR	Rectory Basement	RB
Coggins Hall	CH	Parish Life Center	PLC
Dining Room	DR	Formation Room	FR

*Wedding Announcements*



### WEDDING BANNS:

BERNADETTE MPALUKO & MZATI KAPALAMULA

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Weekdays Closed: Noon—1:00 PM  
Saturday: 9:00 AM—1:00 PM  
Sunday: 9:00 AM—12:30 PM

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### LITURGY SCHEDULE

#### Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday: Mass of Anticipation 5:00 PM  
Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, and 11:15 AM

#### Morning Mass Hours

Monday - Friday - 8:15 AM  
Thursday Morning Communion Service - 7:00 AM  
**Eucharistic Prayer Chapel Hours**  
Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday - 7:30 AM - 9:00 PM\*  
Thursday - 6:30 AM - 9:00 PM\*  
Saturday - 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM\*  
Sunday - between Masses - 2:00 PM

\*The chapel is closed whenever a Mass is being celebrated.

#### Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Monday -13 Hour Adoration - 9:00 AM - 10:00 PM  
Thursday Adoration - 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturdays (individual) 4:00 - 4:30 PM

**VISITATION OF THE SICK:** If you or a family member are in a local hospital or are homebound, and would like a visit from a minister of care or a priest, please call Sr. Valerie Kulbacki (x143), Director of Care Ministries.

**BAPTISM:** Our Baptismal Ministry is pleased to help your family prepare for the special event of your child's entrance into our faith community. Through our Baptism Ministry, you are welcomed to meet with other new parents as well as a host couple with the goal of better understanding your role as a Christian parent and also to help plan the Baptism liturgy. Our goal is to make your child's entrance into our Faith Community a rich and rewarding experience. Baptisms are scheduled on the 1st and 4th Sunday at 1:00 p.m., the 2nd Saturday at 12 noon, except during the season of Lent. Parents and Godparents are encouraged to prepare themselves for this Sacrament through a preparation meeting at least two months in advance of the celebration. Please call the Worship Office (x145) for more information.

**ADULT CHRISTIAN INITIATION:** If you are looking for a place to belong or for a church community with whom you can share your questions and beliefs, perhaps you would like to find out more about what it means to be a Catholic Christian. The Faith Community of Saint Raymond has something quite special to offer and we would love to share the gift of faith with you. Please call the parish office at 847-253-8600 for more information regarding the RCIA (*Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults*).

**MARRIAGE:** If you are planning to be married at St. Raymond, your preparation process should begin approximately one year prior to your wedding date. Please call the Worship Office 847-253-8600 (x145) to secure a date as soon as possible. Membership at St. Raymond is *not* a requirement. We look forward to helping you during this time of engagement and preparation for the vocation of Christian marriage.

**Parish Registration:** To enter into our faith community as a member of St. Raymond Parish, we invite you and your family to attend one of our Welcoming Sessions. **Our next gathering and registration will be Sunday, May 20, 2018. Our session begins at 8:30 a.m. in the Buhriend Room, located in the Parish Ministry Center at 301 S. I-Oka Avenue, followed by the 9:30 a.m. liturgy.** No pre-registration is needed. For more information or questions, please contact Pam and Bill Doucette at 847-894-3645.

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