



Saint Raymond de Penafort

A Catholic Faith Community

Our Joyful Response to Living Stewardship

"Welcome. Love. Serve."

22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 1, 2019



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THE COMMUNITY OF ST. RAYMOND DE PENAFORT
IS INVITED TO

THE INSTALLATION OF OUR NEW PASTOR
REV. SCOTT HEBDEN

BY MOST REV. ALBERTO ROJAS AUXILIARY BISHOP OF VICARIATE I
IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2019 AT 7:30 PM
S. ELMHURST AVENUE & W. LINCOLN STREET
MOUNT PROSPECT, IL

Spread the News:
ALL ARE WELCOME IN THIS PLACE
Invite Your Friends to the RCIA



This year's St. Raymond candidate and family at Holy Name Cathedral after the Rite of Election.

One of the **hallmarks** of the Catholic Church is that we are a **people-on-mission**. The Good News (of **God's active, loving presence in our lives**) is not ours to hoard. Rather, the Spirit of God **compels us to share it!** Therefore, we ask **you**, the **Church of St. Raymond**, to think of people you know (a neighbor, a co-worker, a friend) who might be at a place in their lives where they are searching for something "more." We encourage you to reach out and invite these people to consider exploring the Catholic faith here at St. Raymond's.

We have a wonderful group of **parishioners** who will **accompany** these men and women on a journey of **exploring God's call** in their lives. For further information about the RCIA (**R**ite of **C**hristian **I**nitiation of **A**dults), please call or email Deacon Dave Babczak (847-253-8600, D.Babczak@St-Raymond.org).

Our **meetings** are held on Monday evenings beginning in mid-September.

Through Our Alms We Touch the World



Since 1969, the St. Raymond Religious Education program has educated preschool through 8th grade public school children about our Catholic faith during evening and weekend sessions. Under the supervision of our parish staff, this program currently serves students from across our community and runs almost entirely through the devotion of our parish volunteers.

The mission of the Religious Education program is to help guide our youth in their faith journey toward a deeper understanding of God in their lives. This program also seeks to show young people how they can live out the call to spread the Good news of Christ in our world.

This week's alms collection will allow us to continue sponsoring the cost of this program for families who cannot afford to pay the tuition themselves. No child is refused based on lack of ability to pay. Please use the green Alms envelopes located on the tables at the back of the church to contribute.

The St. Raymond's Alms Committee searches out organizations which reflect the needs of the "least of our brothers." All are invited to join our committee which identifies and presents organizations for consideration in weekly alms. If interested in being part of the Alms Committee, please contact Giuseppe Freni at Giuseppe.S.Freni@pepsico.com.



BACKPACK MINISTRY

COLLECTION SCHEDULE • 2019-2020

Dear Parishioners,

Our efforts last year to collect one item each month was *extremely successful*. Help us to keep the momentum going. Here is a preview of this year's collection schedule...

Collection Weekends

September 21 & 22

October 19 & 20

November 16 & 17

January 19 & 20

February 15 & 16

March 21 & 22

April 18 & 19

Backpack items

canned fruit

canned chilli, soup, & stew

canned vegetables

canned meats

oatmeal

rice

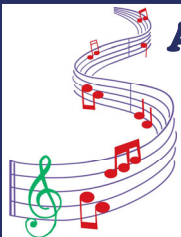
canned fruit



Emerson Rose, child of Robert and Jodi (Blondell) Hughes



Ryan Michael, child of Kristina Winans



ATTENTION ADULTS AND YOUTH INTERESTED IN PARTICIPATING IN THE MUSIC AT MASS

Here are some of the many ways to get involved in the St. Raymond Music Ministry. There is a place for you! Waiting for the call? Here it is!

Parish Choir

The Parish Choir supports the worshipping assembly weekly at the Sunday 11:15am liturgy, September through May. It is also the main choir for Midnight Mass and Holy Week celebrations. Aside from the regularly planned songs and responses, this choir presents a wide range of musical repertoire of varying styles. Rehearsals of the Parish Choir take place in the church on **Wednesday** nights from 7:00-9:00pm, and on Sunday mornings before mass at 10:45am. Membership is open to all adults and high school teens who feel the call to serve God and this faith community through sung praise and prayer. **The Parish Choir will start rehearsals on Wednesday, September 4th in the church. We will begin singing at mass on Sunday, September 15th.**

Part-time Choir

The Part-time choir is open to all adults who are interested in praising God through singing and/or playing an instrument on a *once-a-month* basis. The Part-time Choir ministers at the 9:30am liturgy normally on the *second* Sunday of every month, unless otherwise noted. Rehearsals take place from 7-9pm on the **Thursday** night before the second Sunday of the month. **September's rehearsal and mass will be on Thursday, September 5th and Sunday, September 8th.**

Instrumentalists

Many devoted instrumentalists volunteer their time and talent in service of the liturgy at St. Raymond. The Instrumentalists are responsible for much of the unique "sound" of our liturgies have become known for. Instrumentalists can include rhythm section instruments such as guitar, bass, drums, and percussion as well as melody instruments such as flute, clarinet, saxophone, violin, cello, etc... A moderate to high level of proficiency is required in order to serve in this ministry, including the ability to read music and/or chord symbols.

Children's Choir

The Children's Choir is made up of boys and girls in grades two through six and provides opportunity for developing musical skills and liturgical understanding through upbeat, spiritual music and frequent participation at masses. It typically sings the first Sunday of the month October through June at the 9:30am liturgy. The Children's Choir will also sing for the Christmas Eve 2pm and Easter Sunday 9:30am Family Masses. For those in grades 4-6, there will be opportunities to begin learning the fundamentals of cantoring through a mentoring process which will lead to real life experience at the cantor podium! Rehearsals of the Children's Choir take place on designated Monday afternoon's from 4-5pm in church. **The first rehearsal will be on Monday, September 9th.**

Teen Choir

The Teen Choir is open to anyone in grades 7-12 (gals *and* guys!) and ministers on the **4th Sunday of the month** at the 9:30am liturgy during the school year. The group will learn and perform more advanced liturgical music repertoire in a variety of styles, with emphasis on four part harmony. They will also have opportunities for semi-regular cantor/solo assignments during liturgies as the year progresses. The Teen Choir also sings for the Christmas Eve 4:30pm Mass. Rehearsals take place in the church from 4-5pm on the **two Tuesdays before the 4th Sunday. The first rehearsals for this group will be on Tuesday, September 10th and 17th and its first mass is on Sunday, September 22nd.**

For further information about the Parish Choir, Part-time Choir, Cantors, Instrumentalists, and Teen Choir, please email Brian Fife at b.fife@st-raymond.org or call at (847) 253-8600 x136.

For further information about the **Children's Choir**, please email Lucie Kreidler at Lucie88k@gmail.com or call at 847-477-8032.

PLEASE NOTE: All adults (18 yrs or older) must complete Virtus Training and be compliant with all steps of Protecting God's Children within 3 months of participation in the music ministry.



Religious Education PROGRAM



Registration is still open for the 2019-2020 Religious Education year.

The numbers are in: we currently have 61 students without a Catechist to lead their room.

We invite **you** to consider being a Catechist or Adult Aide in Religious Education!

All training and materials are provided – you CAN do this!

Need a sitter? We offer free babysitting for Catechists during sessions!

Session 1 (4:45-6pm): Grades 3, 6, 7

Session 2 (6:30-7:45pm): Grade 1

THE CHURCH NEEDS YOU. YOUR ENTHUSIASM.
YOUR CREATIVITY AND THE JOY THAT IS SO
CHARACTERISTIC OF YOU.

POPE FRANCIS

Contact Cheryl Haluczak for more information:
(847)253-8600 ext 151 // C.Haluczak@st-raymond.org

Coming Up:

Wednesday, September 4 at 6pm: Catechist Gathering & Classroom Orientation

Wednesday, September 11: First Day of Classes!

Wednesday, September 18: Class



ST. RAYMOND SCHOOL

Welcome New Faculty!



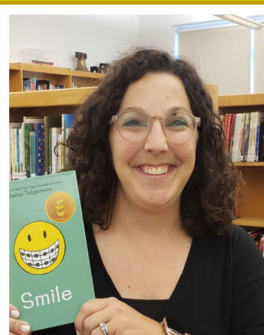
My name is **Beth Jahn** and I am excited to begin my first year at St. Raymond School! I attended Illinois State University and earned my Bachelor's degree in English. I am certified to teach English at both the middle school and high school level. Working in this community is special to me, as I grew up in Arlington Heights, attended Buffalo Grove High School, and student taught at Rolling Meadows High School. I earned my tenure in District 228 as a high school English teacher. The past several years, I have stayed at home with my children. It has been a wonderful and rewarding experience, but I am eager to get back into the classroom!



Hello, my name is **Kim O'Connor**. I have been working in the pre-school at St. Raymond as an instructional assistant and music teacher since 2010. This year, I have taken on a new role as a lead teacher for the 5 day half day classroom for 3 & 4 year olds. Prior to staying home to raise my two daughters, I had taught both first grade and preschool. My husband and I live in Arlington Heights and are members of St. James Parish, where I enjoy working as a cantor and singing in a choir.



Hello, my name is **Michelle Mellin**. This school year is my 15th teaching Art. I have a Masters degree in Education from National Louis University. If you've ever been to a BSA Order of the Arrow Haunted Hike held at the Methodist Campground, you've seen my paintings of the Haunted Hike patches. I enjoy seeing how my students' artistic abilities grow and change over the years!



My name is **Jennifer Hernandez** and I teach 4th & 5th accelerated Reading and Math. I also teach 7th grade Math and 5th grade Science. While this is my first year at St. Raymond, I taught for the past five years at Queen of All Saints in the Sauganash neighborhood Chicago. While there, I taught Resource and a Math program that incorporated the use of the computer. I am a member of the Learning Disabilities Association. My teaching philosophy is to use the strengths of the student to provide them with an opportunity to learn the new material.

Hello, my name is **Beth Heil** and I am excited to be teaching 1st grade alongside of Pat Lossau. This is my thirteenth year in education but my first year at St. Raymond. I hold a Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in elementary education from Saint Mary's University. I am currently working towards my Masters degree in Curriculum and Instruction with a concentration in English as a Second Language at National Louis University. I believe the classroom is a dynamic community and that everyone, from the teacher to the students to the parents must be engaged in order to maximize learning. I am thrilled to be teaching in a school where I can share our beautiful faith with my students!



Men of St. Raymond

Are you ready for some football?

Come out to watch the opening game of the 2019 NFL season
as the Chicago Bears take on the Green Bay Packers



VS



September 5 at 7:00 pm on the Community Room big screen
Snacks and beverages will be provided
and a free-will offering will be accepted

THE VIETNAM VETERANS MEMORIAL MOVING WALL AND TRAVELING MUSEUM

September 26th thru the 30th

Queen of Heaven Cemetery 1400 S Wolf Road Hillside

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

THURSDAY 3:00 PM UNTIL 10:00 PM

FRIDAY THRU SUNDAY 8:00 AM UNTIL 10:00 PM

MONDAY 8:00 AM UNTIL 3:00 PM

OPEN TO VETERANS 24 HOURS A DAY

CEREMONY TIMES

Thursday, September 26th 5:00 pm

Friday, September 27th 12:00 noon

Saturday, September 28th 2:00 pm

Sunday, September 29th 1:00 pm

Monday, September 30th 12:00 noon

If you are a Vietnam veteran and would like to participate
in any of our ceremonies, please contact Dianne Sheehan
dsheehan@cathcemchgo.org or by calling 630-730-3296.



**THE MOVING
WALL IS A HALF
SIZE REPLICA OF
THE MEMORIAL IN
WASHINGTON D.C.**



It's the start of another year of
fun and fellowship with the
Women of St. Raymond

Join the Women of St. Raymond for our
September Pot Luck Kick off followed by a lively
game of Bingo

Date: Tuesday, September 10th

Time: 6:30 pm

Where: Community Room



If your Last Name begins with **A-M** please bring a
Salad or **Casserole**; **N-Z** a **Dessert**. Please bring
enough for 10 servings to share. Also feel free to
bring a beverage if you are so inclined.

Women of St. Raymond is formally known as
Women's Club and is open to all women of the
parish 21 years and older



Invitation to Become a Minister of Care

Would you like to bring the love and care of our St. Raymond Community to those unable to celebrate with us each week due to illness? Would you like to bring comfort to our parishioners who are hospitalized or in a nursing home? If something is stirring in your heart in response to these questions, please consider becoming a Minister of Care to bring the Eucharist to our homebound parishioners, to the residents of Church Creek and The Moorings, or to visit our parishioners at Northwest Community Hospital. We are in need of your service! Archdiocesan training for new Ministers of Care will be held on Saturday September 21st and Saturday September 28th at St. John the Evangelist Church in Streamwood. Anyone wishing to explore the possibility of becoming a Minister of Care is invited to contact Sr. Val at 847-253-8600 x 143 or Sr.Val@St-Raymond.org. Are **you** being called to be a Minister of Care?

HUMAN CONCERNS

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 more information please call Donna Czajka at (847) 228-6360.



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 quarter-million 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 28 countries overseas.



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 Rob Glowacki at 847-981-1481 or robglow27@gmail.com.



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 Cheryl Zalinski 847-818-9901 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.

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 sharing and fun, we get together on the 3rd Wednesday of every month at 6:30 pm in the Formation Room.

For more information please call or text Kathi Szott at [847-226-6369](tel:847-226-6369), or email katsz928@yahoo.com.

We Pray...

Seamless Garment/ Respect Life Ministry

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 September. Let us also hold in prayer their families and most especially their victim's families.

9/4	Billy Jack Crutsinger	Texas
9/10	Mark Soliz	Texas
9/12	Warren Keith Henness	Ohio (Rescheduled)
9/18	Douglas Coley	Ohio (Rescheduled)
9/25	Robert Sparks	Texas

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.



THE LEGION OF MARY

Are you called to go deeper into our faith? Come on Mondays 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 Mariloren Bell @ mariloren@gmail.com



HUMAN CONCERNS

MOMS ROSARY GROUP

The Moms' Rosary group meets the first Tuesday or the 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.



Our Ministry of Care is pleased to visit our parishioners who need to spend some time in the hospital. Unfortunately, due to the HIPPA law, we have no way of knowing who may be at our surrounding hospitals including Lutheran General, Resurrection, and Alexian Brothers. If you or a family member are in a local hospital and would like a pastoral visit, please contact Sr. Val at 847-253-8600 x 143.

Also, if you or a loved one is homebound for a brief or extended period of time and would like to have the Eucharist brought to you, please contact Sr. Val to make arrangements for a home visit. We are happy to bring our St. Raymond Community to you!

"Baby Aromatherapy" Hearts for Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) at Northwest Community

Do you enjoy sewing? Would you like to be an angel of love for babies (and their parents) in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) at Northwest Community Hospital? Baby Aromatherapy Hearts created from cotton flannel or microfleece prints and solids are now being accepted at Northwest Community Hospital to help these babies bond with mom and dad as they become familiar with their scent. Because of the babies' fragility and sensitivity it's important to follow the pattern and specific instructions provided by NCH in the creation of these hearts. If you would like a copy of the instructions and pattern, please contact Sr. Val at 847-253-8600 x 143 or Sr.Val@St-Raymond.org. Thank you for being an angel of love!



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.**

Help is also available from:

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

National Dating Abuse Helpline (For Teens)
1-866-331-9474

Accessible via text "LOVE IS" to 77054 to talk
to peers 24 hours - confidential.
www.loveisrespect.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

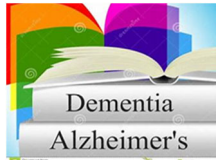
ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

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



RESCUE/RECYCLE RELIGIOUS ITEMS MINISTRY

Have you wondered what to do with religious items that you no longer want to use or keep? There is a "Rescue and Recycle Program for Religious Items" ministry at St. Raymond's Parish. This ministry was started by Ruth Hauswirth as a resource for people to be able to re-purpose their religious items that are no longer being used. Thousands of items have been donated and re-purposed. All items are treated in a respectful manner by going to those people or organizations who would again have use for them. The Rescue Ministry will take any type of Catholic religious items: religious statues in any condition, pictures, medals, rosaries, crucifix's, holy cards, blessed candles, scapulars, religious books, holy water/holy oils, Saint relics, Catholic books, cd's or dvd's, and unwanted jewelry (beads and jewelry will be re-purposed and made into rosaries). Items that are broken but fixable are also accepted but we cannot accept Mass or greeting cards from religious organizations. Items that you would like to donate can be brought to the PMC. If you have questions or need information please contact Ruth Hauswirth by 224-558-3618 or at ruthhauswirth@yahoo.com.



The Prayer Shawl Ministry is branching out! While we continue to create prayer shawls for those in our parish who are in need of our prayers, love and support, we are also adding some new projects to the ministry. In addition to knitting and crocheting shawls, we are also making hats for Lemons of Love, a local cancer resource center assisting chemotherapy patients, and Twiddle Muffs, which are knitted or crocheted muffs that have trinkets attached to them that calm and soothe the restless hands of patients suffering with dementia or Alzheimer's Disease. The Memory Loss Caregiver Support Group will help us to distribute the muffs.

Please consider joining us to put your skills to good use or to learn new crafting skills. It is a wonderful way to meet new friends and to help those in our community who are in need of comfort. All materials are provided. Meetings take place on the last Thursday of the month from 6:30 - 8:30 pm* at the PMC. *Time change for two summer dates: Thursday, July 25th, from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. and August 29th, from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

If you, a loved one or someone you know would benefit from the comfort of a prayer shawl, a chemo hat or a twiddle muff or if you are interested in joining our group please contact Judi Muniz at judidmuniz@hotmail.com, 847-293-5134 or Francie Wilcox at 847-398-5883.

DID YOU KNOW ST. RAYMOND HAS A WEEKLY NEWSLETTER?

**If you are interested in receiving all
the latest parish news, then please send us
your most recent email. We will add you to our
Constant Contacts system to keep you totally
updated!**

Please forward your information to:

t.kneisel@st-raymond.org

It's that simple!

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
- ♦ **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; 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.*

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 who 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. Call John Ruskuls at 847-394-5693 or Brian Murphy at 847-298-5186 for more information.



WOMEN'S SPIRITUALITY CIRCLES

Women's Spirituality Circles are small groups of 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 information please contact Kathy Hemler at either 847-427-1472 or 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. Please contact the Parish Office with questions or additional information at 847-253-8600.

WIDOWS CIRCLE MINISTRY

The Widows Circle Ministry is for widows who are moving forward with their lives. This ministry is not for widows who have recently lost their spouses or need a grief support group.



The meetings are generally the last Friday of the month at 6:30 pm in the PMC living room. Please arrive before 6:30 pm as the PMC door locks at 6:30 and we may not hear you knocking. If you have questions or can't attend please email us at widowscircle56@gmail.com.

Upcoming meetings: 9/27, 10/25, 11/29, 12/27

Thank you,
Theresa Drangines & Harriet Malinowski



St. Raymond SPRED Program Religious Education for Adults with Special Needs

Would you like to experience the joy of sharing your faith and friendship within a program designed for adults with developmental needs? St. Raymond's SPRED program is looking for a few additional "helpers" to assist our special Friends with planned activities, prayer sessions, refreshments, and more. No prior experience is necessary – just your willingness to share your time, friendship and faith with our SPRED Friends.

SPRED meets bi-weekly on Saturday mornings (9 am-11 am) from October through April for a total of 12 sessions. This includes a SPRED Christmas Mass in early December and concludes with a Spring Breakfast in April. Or perhaps you might consider being a substitute "helper" if additional assistance is needed for certain sessions. In either case, you'll discover that your heart and faith will be touched in wonderful and unexpected ways!

If you would like to observe one of our sessions, or if you're interested in learning more about SPRED, please contact Sue Rudnick at rudsmc@comcast.net or Kathleen Jensen at jjensen118@yahoo.com.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Thes 4:13-18; Ps 96:1, 3-5, 11-13; Lk 4:16-30
Tuesday: 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 4:31-37
Wednesday: Col 1:1-8; Ps 52:10-11; Lk 4:38-44
Thursday: Col 1:9-14; Ps 98:2-6; Lk 5:1-11
Friday: Col 1:15-20; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 5:33-39
Saturday: Col 1:21-23; Ps 54:3-4, 6, 8; Lk 6:1-5
Sunday: Wis 9:13-18b; Ps 90:3-6, 12-17; Phlm 9-10, 12-17; Lk 14:25-33



CHICAGO STARRY NIGHT WALK TO CURE CHILDHOOD BRAIN TUMORS

BENEFITING THE



Pediatric
Brain Tumor
Foundation

SUNDAY, SEPT. 22, 2019

**Arlington Race Track
2200 W Euclid Ave, Arlington Heights, IL 60005**

Registration and Check-in: 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Walk Start: 5:30 p.m., Rain or Shine, Lantern-lighting Ceremony: 6:45 p.m.

**Join us for an inspiring evening celebrating local children with brain tumors
and honoring those who are no longer with us.**

**Starry Night offers fun for the whole family:
Choose between a 1-mile walk or 5K run. There's even a kids' 50-yard dash!**

**Following the 5K, enjoy food, music, entertainment and games. As the sun sets,
light the sky with lanterns to celebrate the community's support and hope for a cure.**

**There is no registration fee to attend Starry Night, but raise \$100 or more to receive an event T-shirt,
food and lantern for the lantern-lighting ceremony. Continue fundraising for additional incentives
and to provide hope for children battling a brain tumor.**

To register on-line go to: <http://www.mystarrynight.org/chicago>



SAVE THE DATE

— October 5, 2019 —

TASTE OF VIATOR HOUSE

We are thrilled to announce our second annual
Taste of Viator House
Saturday, October 5, 2019

The event will include a night of fun and fundraising in support of young men seeking asylum, with dinner inspired by the home countries of our participants.

All proceeds will go to Viator House of Hospitality, providing compassionate support to young men seeking asylum.

Official invitation coming soon.

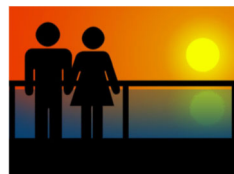
If you aren't able to attend, but would like to support this event, please donate online at www.viatorhouseofhospitality.org

Or, send a check made out to Viator House of Hospitality to:
VHH, Taste of Viator 2019
4170 West Addison
Chicago IL 60641

HOPE

HEALING

OPPORTUNITY



THE LONG GOODBYE

A GATHERING OF HUSBANDS TO SUPPORT EACH OTHER WHILE WALKING THE DIFFICULT JOURNEY WITH A SPOUSE AND DEMENTIA

ANY PLANS AND DREAMS FOR OUR FUTURE HAVE BEEN SUDDENLY SWEEPED AWAY. OUR LIVES ARE FOREVER ALTERED. THE ONE I LOVE AND ONCE KNEW IS NOW DIFFERENT. THE WAY IT WAS WILL NEVER BE THAT WAY AGAIN. HOW DO I MOVE FORWARD WHEN SHE IS FORGETTING ME?

WHERE CAN WE HUSBANDS, WHO NOW FIND OURSELVES TO BE CAREGIVERS, TURN TO WHEN WE ARE FRIGHTENED OR FRUSTRATED, OR ANGRY AND FEELING ALONE? HOW CAN WE STOP OVER-BURDENING OUR CHILDREN WHO ARE ALSO DEALING WITH THIS? HOW DO WE ADDRESS ISSUES OF RELATIONSHIPS AND INTIMACY WHEN DEMENTIA ENTERS INTO THE LIVES OF A HUSBAND AND WIFE? HOW CAN I HELP HER WHEN I, TOO, NEED HELP? HOW CAN WE TRY TO GRASP THOSE PRECIOUS MOMENTS ON THIS JOURNEY IN ORDER TO SHARE THE LONG GOODBYE?

WE CAN TURN TO ONE ANOTHER; TO OTHER HUSBANDS WHO ARE FORCED TO WALK THIS JOURNEY TOO. WE CAN SUPPORT EACH OTHER, LISTEN TO EACH OTHER, AFFIRM AND LEARN AND CHALLENGE EACH OTHER IN ORDER TO GET THROUGH THIS WEEK AND NEXT WEEK AND THE REST OF THIS UNPLANNED AND UNWANTED JOURNEY. BY TELLING OUR STORY, WE MIGHT BE ABLE TO HELP THE OTHER HUSBANDS WHO ARE GATHERED WITH US.

THIS IS A GATHERING OF HUSBANDS WHO FIND THEMSELVES IN THIS SITUATION. IF THIS IS WHERE YOU FIND YOURSELF NOW IN LIFE, PLEASE JOIN US. COME TO LISTEN AND HOPEFULLY SHARE BECAUSE YOUR SHARING MIGHT BE WHAT I NEED TO HEAR TOO. THERE IS NO NEED TO REGISTER AND NO NEED TO CALL IN ADVANCE ... JUST SHOW UP.

WE MEET ON THE 2ND WEDNESDAY EVENING OF EVERY MONTH
AT 5 PM AT THE RACKHOUSE KITCHEN & TAVERN
222 E. ALGONQUIN ROAD, ARLINGTON HEIGHTS, IL
(ALGONQUIN RD JUST EAST OF ARLINGTON HTS ROAD)

YES, IN A CASUAL SETTING WE CAN SHARE OVER FOOD & DRINK
(FOR MORE INFORMATION—VOICEMAIL—847-804-5026)

"TELL ME HOW OTHERS DO IT?"

*THERE'S SO MUCH TIME BETWEEN NOW AND THEN
TELL ME HOW WE GET THROUGH IT?"*



Make A Difference ...

Home-Delivered Meals Drivers Needed!



- You deliver nutritious meals, peace of mind, hope, smiles and kindness to at-risk, home-bound older adults in your neighborhood.
- Routes are kept local.
- Meals are delivered weekdays from about 11:00 to 12:30 p.m.

- Last year **Home-Delivered Meals Volunteers** provided over 26,000 meals to people in *their neighborhoods*.
- You help older adults remain more independent and in their own homes.
- Please take a moment and reflect about making a really important difference in someone's life...

Need More Info? Call or Email TODAY!

- Call (847) 524-8800, ext. 182 or Email us at:

colettey@kennethyoung.org



We help people feel good, do better and find solutions.

Community Mental Health and Older Adults Services

ST. RAYMOND PARISH SCRIP PROGRAM

VENDOR UPDATE - MARIANO'S AND ROUNDY'S RELOADABLE CARDS

You will not be able to reload your existing Mariano's and Roundy's gift cards. **Please note: You will not lose any balance that is on your existing card.** Kroger purchased Roundy's and they are in the process of getting rid of the old cards and issuing new ones. At this time *reloadable* cards are not available. When the new reloadable cards become available we will let you know. If you have any questions, need assistance, or more information regarding your cards please call Mary Siefke at the PMC 847-253-8600 ext 135. Thank you very much for your continued support of this program.

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 #

Email Address: _____ **Phone:** _____

DD/check/cash

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/\$50/\$100	4%
	Amazon.com	\$25/\$100	2.5%		Joann Fabric Store	\$25	6%
	AMC Lowes Theatres	\$25/\$50	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%		Lou Malnati's Pizza	\$10	8%
	Bath & Body Works	\$10/\$25	18%		Lowe's	\$25/\$100/\$500	4%
	Bed, Bath & Beyond	\$25/\$100	8%		Macy's	\$25/\$100	10%
	Best Buy	\$25/\$100	4%		Marathon	\$25/\$100	3%
	BP Gas Card	\$50/\$100	1.5%		Marianos Fresh Market	\$25/\$50/\$100	4%
	Buffalo Wild Wings	\$10/\$25	8%		Mario Tricoci's	\$25/\$100	7%
	Buona Beef	\$10	8%		Meijer	\$25/\$50/\$100	3%
	Burger King	\$10	4%		Menards	\$25/\$100/\$500	3%
	Cabella's	\$25	11%		Noodles & Company	\$10	8%
	California Pizza Kitchen	\$25	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/\$25	10%		Outback Rest. (Group)	\$25/\$50	8%
	Crate & Barrel	\$25/\$100	8%		Panera	\$10/\$25/\$50	8%
	CVS Pharmacy	\$25/\$100	6%		Red Robin	\$25	8%
	Dairy Queen	\$10	3%		Regis Salons	\$25	10%
	Darden Rest. (Group)	\$25/\$50	8%		Shell	\$25/\$50/\$100	2%
	Dennis Uniform	\$20	5%		Speedway	\$25/\$50/\$100	4%
	Dicks Sporting Goods	\$25/\$100	8%		Staples	\$25	5%
	Domino's Pizza	\$10	8%		Starbucks	\$10/\$25/\$50	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/\$250	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%				

BUNCO for Breast Cancer

A Benefit for the Breast Cancer Research Federation

Sunday, October 6, 2019

Doors open at noon -BUNCO begins at 1:00pm



Event Location: St. Mark Lutheran Church Center
200 S. Wille, Mount Prospect, IL

ALL WOMEN ARE INVITED

Tickets: \$30 per person (\$25 through September 18, 2019)
New Players Welcome - No Experience needed!
Must be 18 years old to play

Make checks payable to **BCRD (Breast Cancer Research Foundation)**

Contact Janice Sarafini 847-394-5854 or
Pat McGlynn 847-404-4612 for ticket information

Joyful Again! **Two-Day Program for** **Widows/Widowers**

Saturday & Sunday
October 12 & 13

St. Hubert Parish Ministry Center
729 Grand Canyon Street
Hoffman Estates

Regaining the ability to "Live Forward" while
treasuring the past and its precious memories is
the purpose of this two-day Joyful Again! program.

Saturday—October 12
8:30 am—7:00 pm

Modules:

- Masks & Feelings
- Grief
- God Loves Me
- Forgiveness
- Thank you

Light Breakfast > Lunch > Dinner included

Sunday—October 13
8:30 am—3:00 pm

Modules:

- Changes
- New Horizons
- What about the children
- The holidays

Light Breakfast > Lunch included

Suggested Donation: \$85

For further information or to register—
Call: 708-354-7211

E-mail: joyfulagain7211@gmail.com
Register early. Space is limited.

Saturday, September 28th 6:00 PM

411 N. Wheeling Road

Oktoberfest

14th Annual
Families
welcome



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Prospect Heights

St. Alphonsus

Kid's Meals Available

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Bratwurst Dinner, Beer Tent, Drinks, Dancing and Plenty of Gemütlichkeit!

Tickets
\$25 in advance
Dinner
Included

Featuring

Traditional Music by Paloma

Four Ways to get Tickets

Visit www.SaintAlphonsusPH.org/oktoberfest-2019

Email oktoberfest@saintalphonsus.com

Use the mail order form below

Beginning Sept. 08th, Purchase at St. Alphonsus Church
after all Sunday Masses



Scan Me!

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Homecoming Mass and Reception

On Sunday, September 22, 2019, Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Chicago, Post Adoption Services is hosting a Homecoming Mass and Reception for adopted persons who were placed from St. Vincent's Orphanage in Chicago. Former St. Vincent's staff and child care technicians are also invited. This event is free, but registration is required. For details, please contact Lisa Francis at 312-655-7093 or lholmes@catholiccharities.net.





**2nd Annual
Mount Prospect
Celebration of Cultures
September 14th
11:30 am to 6 pm
Kopp Park
420 W. Dempster (next to RecPlex)
Fun for the whole family.
Ethnic Foods, Entertainment, Kids
Activities, Informational Booths,
International Crafts**

**For more information go to
mountprospect.org/celebrationofcultures**



The Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women

Cordially Invites you to the

88th Annual Fall Assembly Breakfast

Honoring 2019 Scholarship Recipient

Auxiliary Bishop Emeritus of Vicariate I, **George J. Rassas**

Auxiliary Bishop Emeritus of Vicariate II, **Francis J. Kane, D. D.**

RSVP by October 4, 2019 to: ACCW, 3525 S. Lake Park Avenue, Chicago, IL 60655-1402

Cost:
\$35 per
person

**Saturday
October 19**

The Carlisle

435 E. Butterfield Rd.
Lombard, IL

9:00 AM

For more information visit <https://accw.archchicago.org> or contact Evelyn Getty, ACCW President at (312) 534-8325.

2019 Knights of Columbus Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest



All Catholic eight grade students in public, private, and parochial schools are invited to participate in the 2019 Knights of Columbus Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest.



Students are encouraged to write a 500 to 750 word essay on the theme: *The meaning of Virtue and how I live and embody the virtue of Charity.*

The local contest will be hosted by Mt Prospect Council 6481.

All contestants on the local level are recognized for their participation in the contest. Participants are required to furnish written parental consent. For additional information and an entry form, contact: Dennis E Gawlik, degawlik@att.net.

Mt Prospect Council 6481 is one of 17,000 Knights of Columbus councils that make up the world's largest Catholic fraternal service organization. Founded in 1882 to assist working-class and immigrant Catholics in the United States, today the approximately two million members of the Knights put their faith into action through a broad range of charitable causes locally, nationally, and internationally with financial contributions and hands-on service.

St. Raymond Gardeners

We are people who both love St Raymond and love to garden. Please consider joining us! We garden on our own schedules or in small groups to care for our chosen section of the parish grounds. We are happy to have individuals, couples and entire families join us! If you would like to join or have questions please contact the parish office or Lorelei McDermott at loreleimcd@gmail.com.

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 information, email Sandy sandy1supp9@gmail.com or call the Alzheimer's Association Illinois Chapter at 1-800-272-3900 or go to 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 (9/11, 10/9, 11/13, 12/11)**

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

HUMAN CONCERNS

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.

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.

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
Adamo, Mary Jane
Adams, Kathie
Adams, Robert
Amodio, Antoinette
Archibald, Rosetta
Baker, Robert
Baldassano, Al
Baldassano, Dina
Balmes, Evann
Banadera, Leonida
Becker, John
Berg, Edward
Birkner, Roland
Brandson, Jeanne
Breitsameter, Barbara
Brown, Gerald L. "Chip"
Brown, Robert
Buchberger, Greg
Burns, Fr. Tom
Bychowski, Mike
Campbell, Sr. Elaine
Carr, Patrick
Caulfield, Jim
Cavage, Adeline
Comanici, Coca
Commare, Nancy
Cotto, Mason
Crafton, Dean
Creeden, John
Crooks, Richard
Cyrier, Ruth
Czajka, Donna
Czajka, Frank
Dauer, Elizabeth Anne
DeRoche, David
Dolsen, Regina
Dombkowski, Daniel
Donald, Clifton
Drain, Daniel
Dzurisin, John
Egart, Jean
Eichberger, Mary Ann
Fardella, Rosa
Felderman, Reese

Ford, James
Gadomski, Jan
Gagliano, Laura
Gierszewicz, Patricia
Glynn, Rosemary
Goetz, Richard
Gruter, Alicia
Hampton, Janet
Heidkamp, Josh
Hochmuth, Sue
Hofmann, Dr. Lorenz
Hofmann, Victoria
Hunt, Ann
Hurley, Jim
Iannello, Jennifer
Janas, Becky
Johnson, Margaret H.
Juell, Cathy
Kamaryt, Donald
Karnes, Mitchell
King, Marguerite
Klein, Ann
Kramer, Eleanor
Kurka, Peg
LaCosse, Mary
Lapinski, Louise
Lillquist, Evan*
Linkman, Jim
Loch, Nicole M.
Longfellow, Dorothy
Lopatkowicz, Christine
Maffenbeier, Joanne
Magiera, Lillian
Maher, Elena
Martinelli, Gloria
Mendoza, Leo
Moisan, Connie
Monson, Dorothy & Clarence
Murphy, Aria*
Murphy, Bill
Murphy, Fr. James
Nacht, Dora
Nebe, Robert
Nitkiewicz, Tony

Nowickas, Ellen
Nykiel, Antonina
Oerter, Judy
Olsen, Julia
Oshgan, Angeline
Papievic, Shirley
Penze, Denise
Peterson, Marion
Pietrzak, Irene
Pinto, Sandra
Pitzele, Mark
Reising, Donald E.
Riley, Barbara
Riley, Liz
Ruskuls, Mary Ann
Russell, Jim
Sadeghloo, Donna
Sadeghloo, John
Sadrakula, Irene
Sasiadek, John D.
Schreiner, Amy
Schultz, Rosemary
Scialo, Patrick
Shea, Dorothy
Sheehy, Eleanor
Simms-Shade, Paula
Skillman, John
Skowron, Blake
Slack, Patricia
Smith, Jack C.
Sommers, Georgia
Swietek, Chester
Theis, Tim
Torello, Rick
Tortorello, Carol
Ullrich, Andrea
Valentino, Dominic
Vecchio, Helen
Walkowiak, Gloria
White, Shirley
Wilson, Irene
Zabawski, Alice
*Infant



† WE REMEMBER †

Monday—September 2, 2019

9:00 am † For the People of Saint Raymond Both Living And Deceased

Tuesday—September 3, 2019

Saint Gregory the Great, Pope & Doctor of the Church

8:15 am † Marge Burke
† Rita Grabinski
† Nancy Ransing
† Helen Schimanski (5th anniversary)

Wednesday—September 4, 2019

8:15 am † Marge Burke
† Domenico & Caterina Gallo
† Matthew O'Neill (5th anniversary)
† Florence Theisen (1st anniversary)

Thursday—September 5, 2019

Saint Teresa of Calcutta

8:15 am † Michael O'Neill

Friday—September 6, 2019

8:15 am † James Adamo

Saturday—September 7, 2019

5:00 pm † Beth Anderson
† James Cole

Sunday—September 8, 2019

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am † Rocco Marchetta
9:30 am † Kenneth Bonder
† Marge Burke
† Mildred Engelson
† John Wurbia
11:15 am † Rosemary Girten
† John Shane, Sr.
† John Waters

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, September 2, 2019

Parish Office Closed

Tuesday, September 3, 2019

1:00 pm	Rosary Maker Meeting	CR
9:30 pm	Men's Basketball Drop In	PLC

Wednesday, September 4, 2019

7:00 pm	Parish Choir Rehearsal	CHU
7:30 pm	AA Weekly Meeting	CH

Thursday, September 5, 2019

6:00 pm	Men of St. Raymond Event	CR
7:00 pm	Part Time Choir Rehearsal	CHU
9:30 pm	Men's Basketball Drop In	PLC

Friday, September 6, 2019

4:00 pm	Krug/Willis Wedding Rehearsal	CHU
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Saturday, September 7, 2019

6:00 am	Men's Saturday Morning Bible Study	CH
10:15 am	Co-Dependents Anonymous Meeting	LR
3:00 pm	Krug/Willis Wedding	CHU

Sunday, September 8, 2019

8:30 am	Newcomer Welcoming Session	BR
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Buhrfeind Room	BR	Leadership Room	LDR
Church	CHU	Living Room	LR
Community Room	CR	Rector's Basement	RB
Coggins Hall	CH	Parish Life Center	PLC
Dining Room	DR	Formation Room	FR



Rocco Marchetta, Father of Marilyn Emigh

Frank Grise, Father of Marlene Neuhalfen, and
Grandfather of Jackie, Jolene and Julie

Wedding Announcements



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!"

WEDDING BANNS:

SARAH KRUG & JACOB WILLIS
LINDSEY COLLINS & ERIC CHORAGWICKI

**The Catholic Faith Community of
St. Raymond De Penafort**
301 S. I-Oka Avenue
Mt. Prospect, IL 60056
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Parish Ministry Office
847-253-8600 Fax 847-253-0023
PMC@St-Raymond.org

Monday—Thursday: 8:30 AM—7:45 PM
Fridays: 8:30 AM—6:30 PM
Weekdays Closed: Noon—1:00 PM
Saturday: 9:00 AM—1:00 PM
Sunday: 9:00 AM—12:30 PM

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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 on September 8, 2019. Our session begins at 8:30 a.m. in the Buhrfiend Room, located in the Parish Ministry Center at the corner of S. I-Oka Avenue and Milburn Avenue, Door #4, 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.

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

Eucharistic Prayer Chapel Hours

Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday - 7:30 AM - 9:00 PM
Saturday - 8:00 AM - 6:00 PM
Sunday - between Masses - 1:00 PM

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

PARISH LEADERSHIP PARISH COUNCIL *

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Office of the Pastor

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Theresa Drangines, *Adult Formation*

Rev. Dr. Scott Hebden, *Pastor*

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Krissy Olson, *Parish Life*

Dolores Paque, *Human Concerns*

Kendra Pollizze, *Parish Life*

Sue Rudnick, *Adult Formation*

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Carl Wrede, *Office of the Pastor*

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Harriet Malinowski

Eric Palm

Robert Rath

Margie Schmitt

Mark Spanier

Mary Ann Zalinski

**minutes available on website*

***Chairperson*

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. 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.

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