

# Saint Raymond de Penafort A Catholic Faith Community

Our Joyful Response to Living Stewardship "Welcome. Love. Serve."

2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**JANUARY 20, 2019** 



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St. Raymond de Penafort Parish

## BACKPACK MINISTRY

Feeding Children One Backpack at a Time



BACKPACK WEEKEND: JANUARY 19 & 20

# OATMEAL PACKETS

There is a January chill in the air, and nothing is more satisfying than a warm and hearty breakfast of nutritious oatmeal.

# THROUGH OUR ALMS WE TOUCH THE WORLD THE CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA



Weekly Offering for January 13, 2019



Support the Collection for the Church in Latin America

This weekend, our special collection is for the Church in Latin America. For many living in Latin America and the Caribbean, a rising secular culture, rural terrain, and a shortage of ministers make it difficult for people to practice the faith. Your donations fund catechesis, marriage and family life programs, and seminarian and religious formation so people can grow closer to Christ. Please prayerfully consider supporting this collection to share your faith with our brothers and sisters in Latin America and the Caribbean. Please use the green alms envelopes located at the church entrances. Checks should be made payable to St. Raymond Parish with "Church in Latin America" in the memo line. Thank you! For your generosity.

## JANUARY 26TH & 27TH St. Raymond's and St. Mark Lutheran's PADS SHELTER PROGRAM

Since 1990 St. Raymond's parish and St. Mark Lutheran church have partnered in providing hospitality, food and overnight shelter through a PADS site to the homeless between October 1<sup>st</sup> and April 30<sup>th</sup>, every Monday evening through Tuesday morning (including holidays). The site is physically located at St. Mark's and is staffed entirely by volunteers from St. Raymond's and St. Mark's who prepare, supervise and clean sleeping accommodations as well as prepare and serve dinner, breakfast and a sack lunch.

There has been a rise in the number of guests coming to the St. Raymond's/St. Mark's PADS site. The Alms collected will be used to directly by the PADS Shelter that St. Raymond's and St. Mark's host. The Alms will be used to replenish the pantry and provide the many "extra" items needed every week for the meals provided.

Thank you for your help and support, our guests are very grateful. Please place your donations for St. Mark PADS in the green alms envelopes. Thank you for any donation you are able to make.

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.

#### **Stewardship of Treasure**

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Weekly Offerfing for January 13, 2019		real to Date (29 weeks)	
Weekly Offering for January 13, 2019		Collection vs. Budget	
Sunday Offering Direct Debit/Credit Card Offering Grand Total for the Week Amount Needed for Operating Expense	\$9,322 \$5,738 \$15,160 \$23,600	Year-to-Date Sunday Collection Year to Date Budget Difference Year-to-Date Christmas Collection Year-to-	\$600,333 \$660,800 (\$-60,467) \$111,645
Difference	(\$-8,440)	Date	\$121,000
Christmas Collection 2018	\$111,645	Christmas Collection Budget Difference	(\$-9,355)
Thank you for your Stewardship		Extraordinary Collections  Alms Collections to Date	\$40,875
And Generosity!			\$12,791
		Sharing Parishes Archdiocesan Required Collections	\$17,458

### **INSTITUTE FOR DIACONAL STUDIES**

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## **Exploring the Diaconate**

#### For those discerning the call from Vicariate I

The Institute for Diaconal Studies (IDS) invites all men who feel the gentle nudge of the Holy Spirit to attend an Exploring the Diaconate session. It is a time to pray, discuss, and learn more about the discernment process and the formation program that aspirants and candidates pursue.

Please join us, with your wives, if married, as we explore the potential of a vocation, engage in dialogue and pray in search of the next step. All are welcome to attend any of the sessions. No registration required.

Tuesday, January 22, at 7:30p.m. St. Emily

1400 E. Central Rd., Suite 101, Mt. Prospect, IL 60056

Meeting in the Hajdu Hall

For more information call: 847.837.4564

Deacon Bob Puhala, Director Kasia Kasiarz, Associate Director





It has been a year since the close of the pledge portion of the Sharing our Faith – Securing our Future Capital Campaign where the St. Raymond family pledged just over 2.9 million dollars for a variety of projects as part of the larger Archdiocesan To Teach Who Christ Is (TTWCI) effort. Below is an update of some of the key initiatives that have taken place since that time.

Through the end of November 2018, funds totaling over 1.4 million dollars have been received and deposited in the St. Raymond TTWCI account. Thanks to all for their sacrifice and their continued pledge commitments.

Some of these funds have been utilized to complete the following campaign projects during this past year:

- 1. Repave and stripe the main parish parking lot;
- 2. Install new and improved lighting and security cameras in the parking lot and around the parish campus;
- 3. Clean out the sewers running under the parking lot;
- 4. Install a new sound system and speakers in the church;
- 5. Complete the remaining school classroom air conditioning;
- 6. Pay our first installment to the Archdiocese for TTWCI.

The remaining funds and future pledge payments (when received) will be directed toward remaining campaign projects such as improved access and availability to the church and school, new boilers to replace the units that heat the PMC and the school, an updated heating and cooling system for the church, future TTWCI installment payments, and others as financial resources become available. These remaining projects rely upon your continued pledge support, so thanks again for all you have done and all you will be doing in the future.

Fr. Ed and the Campaign Implementation Committee

#### **Open Position: St. Raymond Parish Operations Director**

The Operations Director serves as a professional administrator and strategic leader for the Parish. He or she manages the human, financial and physical resources of the parish, including leadership of operations staff. The Operations Director provides senior executive support to the Pastor and School Principal to drive positive financial performance of the Parish and School. The Operations Director reports to the Pastor.

Responsibilities include management of finances, buildings, communications, human resources and capital projects in addition to school support. He or she is a person of faith committed to Gospel values, helping the Church fulfill its mission and purpose in accordance with Archdiocesan policies and guidelines.

If interested, please contact John Reschke, Chair of the St. Raymond Finance Council, for a complete job description or for more information at <a href="mailto:jreschke@me.com">jreschke@me.com</a> or 847-253-0271.



# Only 3 weeks left to win \$5,000!

Don't forget to buy your TUITION RAFFLE tickets!

# \$5,000 TUITION RAFFLE

\$5,000 prize guaranteed to one lucky winner!

The \$5,000 prize can be used to pay tuition at St. Raymond or any private school, high school, college or university accredited in the United States. Proceeds can be deposited into a 529 tuition savings plan or used to pay outstanding student loan debt.

Only \$50 per ticket!

C'mon! What are you waiting for?

**TO PURCHASE TICKETS ONLINE** | Visit www.st-raymond.org and click on the tuition raffle link **TO PURCHASE TICKETS AT THE PMC** | Fill out the form and return with payment to the PMC

☐ I am currently registered on GiveCentral ☐	I would like to pay using	☐ Credit Card ☐ Check ☐ Cash
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ST. RAYMOND DE PENAFORT 70TH ANNIVERSARY GALA

THE GALA IS 3 WEEKS, AWAY!

Join friends & family as we celebrate the 70th Anniversary of St. Raymond

## **SATURDAY | FEBRUARY 9**

CHEVY CHASE COUNTRY CLUB | 1000 North Milwaukee Avenue | Wheeling Tickets are \$135 per person

# Special Guest Luctioneer!

#### WAYNE MESSMER

Chicago's Voice of the National Anthem

This year Saint Raymond's is 70 years old! What better way to celebrate this signature event than by having a Chicago institution, Wayne Messmer, serve as auctioneer for our Gala!

Wayne is known locally and nationally for his stirring renditions of the National Anthem at major Chicago sports events, but he is also a beloved speaker and author. We are honored that he will be lending his voice to this year's Gala, and hope that you will be able to join us for this spectacular evening. See you there!

#### New this Year!

You can reserve your tickets and pay for them in installments. Begin making payments now and by February they'll be paid for! If you are interested in setting up a payment plan contact Roberta Nichols at 847.253.8600 or r.nichols@st-raymond.org.

#### Special Anniversary Pricing!

If you are a member of the parish and you are 70 years old or over your ticket is only \$70!

#### Tickets!

GALA or TUITION RAFFLE tickets can be purchased at www.st-raymond.org or at the PMC.

QUESTONS? | 847.253.8600 or r.nichols@st-raymond.org

EVENT CHAIRS | Kathy Nuelle, Laura Gustis, Krissy Olson, Lisa Eckert Aliprandi, Kendra Pollizze & Trent Bohacz



## The GALA needs your help!

The **LIVE AUCTION** is a large part of our fundraising efforts at the Gala every year, and every year we try to come up with new and creative packages. We need your help to do this! We're looking for parishioners who might have any of the following items that they would be willing to donate:

1 WEEK AT YOUR CONDO IN A FABULOUS LOCATION, 1 WEEK OR A WEEKEND AT YOUR
TIME-SHARE, HOTEL POINTS, FREQUENT FLYER MILES, VISA, MC OR AMEX GIFT CARDS.

#### HERE'S A SNEAK PEAK AT ITEMS WE'RE WORKING ON!

One Week Beach Vacation in Holland, Michigan Getaway Weekend at Eaglewood Resort and Spa Chicago Cubs...Fan Dream Package with Wayne Messmer Chicago White Sox...4 Exclusive Scout Seats Stay Tuned...Much more to come!

If you can help us with any of these items (or anything else you may think of) please email Krissy Olson at olsongk@comcast.net.



The **SILENT AUCTION** could also use your help! The success of this fundraiser depends on contributions from each of you. **There are two ways you can contribute**; with the donation of an item(s) or through a monetary donation (NEW THIS YEAR).

**Donation Item Ideas** | GOLF PACKAGES, AUTOGRAPHED ITEMS, RESTAURANT GIFT CERTIFICATES, TICKETS TO SPORTING EVENTS, SPA GIFT CERTIFICATES, IFLY, ESCAPE ROOM, MYSTERY DINNER, ARCHITECTURAL TOUR, MOVIE GIFT CERTIFICATES, ETC.

**Monetary Donation – NEW THIS YEAR!** | Make a donation on Give Central! You can click, contribute and your done! Any amount you're comfortable with is perfect! (www.givecentral.org/location/11/event/17109)

If you have any questions please email Kendra Pollizze at kpollizze@yahoo.com Donations can be dropped off at the PMC by Friday, January 25 to the attention of Kendra Pollizze.

Thanks so much! We hope to see you at the Gala!

 $\hbox{EVENT CHAIRS} \mid \textit{Laura Gustis, Kathy Nuelle, Krissy Olson, Trent Bohacz, Lisa Aliprandi \& Kendra Pollizze } \\$ 

## Thank you to our *Enchanting* sponsors!





MEYER DENTAL GROUP

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Thank you for supporting the Some Enchanted Evening Benefit Gala!

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Faith • Academic Excellence • Service

# SAINT RAYMOND SCHOOL FILE SCHOOL

# All School PK-8th Open House

Sunday, January 27th

10:45am-12:45pm



Catholic Schools
Learn, Serve, Lead, Succeed.

Come join us as we begin our celebration of Catholic Schools Week, January 27th-February 2nd!

We invite you to attend the 9:30am mass and immediately following visit our classrooms, meet our fantastic staff or take a tour of the school.

**Now accepting applications** 

for the 2019-2020 school year!

For a tour or observation call (847)253-8555

or email Nadine.Scheller@St.Raymond.org

www.st-raymondschool.org

## Healthy Dating Relationships Seminar

Why should you go on a date anyway?

How do you establish a dating relationship?

How do you get out of a dating relationship nicely?

What does a healthy dating relationship look like?

What does an unhealthy dating relationship feel like?



Presented by

Jessica Caccavallo MSW, LSW

NWCASA – Prevention Education Coordinator

Appropriate for teens and adults.

St. Raymond de Penafort Thursday, February 7, 2018 7:00 P.M.–8:30 P.M. Community Room

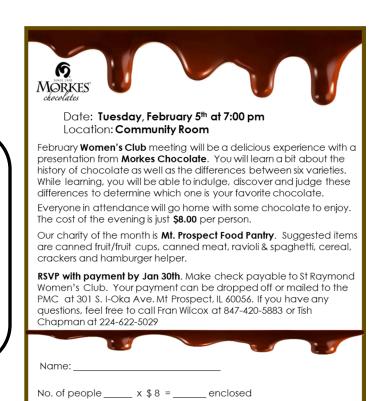
Enter through the church at Elmhurst Avenue and Lincoln Avenue Sponsored by St. Raymond Human Concerns Commission

#### **PARISH LIFE**



Let us pray for the St. Raymond Faith Community that the Holy Spirit will inspire and assist the Priest Personnel Board and the Priests as they discern and select a new pastor.

And in their search, may each prospective new pastor find St. Raymond to be a place where we support each other in mutual love and all find welcome at the banquet of life. Amen.



Sponsored by St Raymond Women's Club

### Welcome to St. Raymond's!



We are happy that you have chosen to be part of our community. You will find St. Raymond to be a place where you can grow in faith, share your talents in a variety of ministries and meet many friendly people. We are so glad to have you here!

For those who would like to register as part of our parish community we invite you to attend one of our Newcomers meetings. At the meeting you will meet other new parishioners, staff and the hosting couple, who will provide you with information and materials about the parish. Meetings are held every month, require no pre-registration, and are followed by celebration of the liturgy. The entire family is welcome.

Our next gathering and registration will be February 10, 2019. Our session begins at 8:30 a.m. in the Buhrfeind 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.

#### ADULT FORMATION



# Don't be left out in the cold. Spots are filling up fast. Men's CRHP March 2 & 3, 2019

Through fellowship, faith sharing, hospitality, music, Mass, reflection and more, men have the opportunity to step back from the every day to reflect on their life and their spiritual journey and build meaningful relationships with other men of the parish. It is an incredible experience that will help you discover what's missing in your life and what to do about it. Even if you have participated in CRHP in the past, you are most certainly welcome to attend again. It is a wonderful way for all men to start their lenten journey and to draw closer to God.

The next Men's Christ Renews His Parish weekend will be held March 2 & 3, 2019 at Saint Raymond's PMC. There is NO COST to the attendees and all meals, snacks, and even adult beverages are provided. Saturday and Sunday begins at 8:30 with continental breakfast in the school cafeteria. A Saturday night overnight stay is not required but we will finish well into the evening. The program Sunday typically ends at around 1:00 in the afternoon, so you will still have time for your family.

To register or if you have any questions, you can contact:
Chuck Hemler at <a href="mailto:Chuck.Kathy.Hemler@comcast.net">Chuck.Kathy.Hemler@comcast.net</a> 847-427-1472
George Beck at <a href="mailto:GeorgeBeck@LuckyMail.com">GeorgeBeck@LuckyMail.com</a> 224-392-9887

#### **READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: Heb 5:1-10; Ps 110:1-4; Mk 2:18-22 Tuesday: Heb 6:10-20; Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9, 10c;

Mk 2:23-28, or any of a number of readings for the Day of Prayer

Wednesday: Heb 7:1-3, 15-17; Ps 110:1-4; Mk 3:1-6 Thursday: Heb 7:25 — 8:6; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Mk 3:7-12

Friday: Acts 22:3-16 or 9:1-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Mk 16:15-18

Saturday: 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9 or Ps 96:1-3, 7-8a, 10; Mk 3:20-21

Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10; Ps 19:8-10, 15; 1 Cor 12:12-30 [12-14, 27]; Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21



#### Blood Drive Sunday, February 3, 2019 8 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. in the Parish Life Center

To schedule an appointment contact brightenlives.org or Michelle Allen at allemchll@aol.com or 847-226-5837.



Walk-ins Welcome!

#### ADULT FORMATION

#### Rite of Christian of Adults

The **RCIA** -- <u>R</u>ite of <u>C</u>hristian <u>I</u>nitiation of <u>A</u>dults -- is a process of companioning people as they come to greater faith. It is designed for men and women who:

- ♦ have never been baptized
- were baptized in another Christian denomination and are considering becoming Catholic
- ♦ were baptized Catholic but have never received Eucharist or Confirmation

St. Raymond's Parish is a wonderful faith community with a strong tradition of warmth, inclusiveness and outreach to those who are hurting. We find strength, love and support in this parish -- and we invite others who might be searching for a faith community to consider joining us.

If you would like more information, or if you wish to join with others who are exploring the Catholic faith, please contact Deacon David Babczak at 847-253-8600, <a href="mailto:D.Babczak@St-Raymond.org">D.Babczak@St-Raymond.org</a>). Our *meetings* are held on Monday evenings.

#### 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.

#### 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

#### 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.

# 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 some years ago by Ruth Hauswirth as a resource for people to be able to re-purpose their religious items that are no longer being used . In past years, 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 intorosaries). Items that are broken but fixable are also accepted but we cannot accept Mass or greeting cards from religious organizations. Rescue items that you would like to donate can be brought to the PMC. If you have guestions or need information please contact Ruth Hauswirth by phone 224-558-3618 or by email at ruthhauswirth@yahoo.com.

#### 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 Johnny Burnett at yibidee63@gmail.com or 847-707-3360 for more information.

## 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





# 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 (9:00am-11:00am) from October through April – 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 <a href="mailto:rudsmc@comcast.net">rudsmc@comcast.net</a> or Kathleen Jensen at <a href="mailto:jiensen118@yahoo.com">jiensen118@yahoo.com</a>.



#### 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.

#### 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 28 countries overseas: Belize, Brazil, China, Ecuador, Germany, Haiti, Honduras, India, Ireland, Italy, Ivory Coast, Jamaica, Kenya, Latvia, Mexico, Namibia, 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 mutzyclan@yahoo.com or 847-392-4554.

#### 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.

#### 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.

If you'd like to be involved in this ministry, please call or text Kathi Szott at 847-226-6369, or email katsz928@yahoo.com.



#### 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.

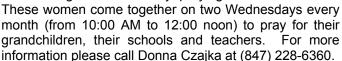
#### Please call our team members for help:

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.

#### **GRANDMOTHERS IN PRAYER**

Grandmothers In Prayer is a ministry which gives Grandmothers a special way to connect with their grandchildren: by praying for them.





Our Ministry of Care is pleased to Home & 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!

#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

Catholic Charities is looking for volunteers to help in the food pantry and clothing room at our office at 1717 Rand Road, Des Plaines. Volunteers are needed on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, during the day.

If you are interested in helping, please contact Denise Yonkers at (847) 376-2101 or dyonkers@catholiccharities.net.





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



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 Ministry 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. 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) 606-0719 or by email at maryklostermann@comcast.net.

#### Moms Rosary Group FEBRUARY MEETING - FEBRUARY 12. 2019

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.



St Raymond is beginning a new ministry for widows. We are calling it a Widows Circle. This is not for widows who have recently lost their spouses or need a grief support group. This ministry is for widows who are moving forward with their lives.

If you are interested please attend a meeting where we will ask for your input in forming this new ministry. The meeting is Friday January 18 at 7 pm in the PMC upstairs in the Buhrfeind room. If you have questions or can't attend please email us at widowscircle56@gmail.com.

Thank you. Theresa Drangines & Harriet Malinowski

#### **OUR COMMUNITY**



For All Girls and Boys — Ages 9 through 14 Monday, January 21, 2019, St. Emily's Gym 1400 E. Central Mt Prospect IL Registration starts at 6 PM Competition starts 6:30 PM

The Mt. Prospect Council 6481 Knights of Columbus invites all girls and boys, ages 9 through 14, to participate in the Council level of competition for 2019 Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship on Monday, January 21, 2019, at St. Emily's Gym, 1400 E. Central Road, Mount Prospect. Registration starts at 6:00 PM; the competition starts at 6:30 PM. There is no cost to participants.

The Knights of Columbus sponsors the Free Throw Championship annually, with Council winners progressing through District, Region, and State competitions. Girls and boys compete in their respective age and gender divisions. Age eligibility is determined by the age of the contestant as of January 1, 2019. Last year more than 120,000 sharpshooters participated in over 3,600 local competitions. Due to Illinois High School Association by-laws, any 14-year-old high school student on an IHSA Basketball team is ineligible to compete in KofC Free Throw Championship.

All contestants on the Council level will receive certificates for their participation in the event. First and second place champions also receive medallions in their respective age/gender division. Participants are required to furnish proof of age with written parental consent.

The Knights of Columbus is an international Catholic family fraternal service organization with nearly 1.8 million members in over 14,500 local councils. Last year, Knights donated over 70 million volunteer hours and \$162 million to charitable and benevolent causes, sponsoring projects to benefit their parishes, councils, communities, families, and youth.

# TAX CREDIT SCHOLARSHIP APPLY OR DONATE TODAY!



Parents, the choice is yours: choose the best school for your child. Learn more about how to apply for a scholarship.

#### TAX CREDIT SCHOLARSHIP

PARENTS REGISTER NOW! - Registration has began on Jan. 15th. Register today to receive an application. Empower Illinois will begin awarding scholarships on Monday, January 28, 2019. Scholarship awards are subject to the availability of funds at your school of choice. We recommend you submit your application before Monday, January 28, 2019 to increase your chances of receiving a scholarship.

#### 2-1 MATCHING GIFT PROGRAM—DONATE TODAY!

In addition to applying for the scholarship, families can also make donations to the Tax Credit Scholarship Fund. Every dollar donated through Empower Illinois from **now until February 28, 2019**, and designated to St. Raymond School, will be matched with a two dollar donation. If you are interested in donating, please contact the Tax Credit Scholarship Office at tcs@archchicago.org or 312.534.2617.

#### Registration began 1/15!

# Register TODAY to receive an EMPOWER application.

Empower will begin awarding scholarships on Mon. Jan. 28th. Awards will be given subject to availability. 50 DON'T WAIT!

#### Matching Donations by 2/28!

For EVERY DOLLAR designated to St. Raymond School through Empower Illinois, St. Raymond School will receive TWO DOLLARS in matching funds!

> For more information, empowerillinois.org

#### OUR COMMUNITY

#### It's NOT Just Joking Around!

Jodee Blanco is the author of the New York Times bestselling memoir, "Please Stop Laughing at Me... One Woman's Inspirational Story," referred to by many as the "anti-bullying bible."

#### Everyone knows that bullying exists.

Maybe your child was bullied or is the bully; maybe they just want to know how to help. Everyone is affected, and everyone is encouraged to attend this community event.

OLW School is hosting Jodee Blanco for a community seminar - parents, teens, middle school and grade school students will all get something out of this event. She is a bullying survivor, expert and activist and is recognized as one of the country's pre-eminent voices on the subject of bullying.

Jodee shares her very personal story of bullying because she wants to motivate change. She's presented her anti-bullying program It's NOT Just Joking Around! ™ to tens of thousands of students, teachers and parents.

Wednesday, January 30, 7pm in the middle school Our Lady of the Wayside School, 432 S. Mitchell St, Arlington Heights Enter through Ridge St doors or from Parish Center parking lot

#### 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 #
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### **WORSHIP OFFICE**



#### THURSDAY, JANUARY 24, & 31, 7 - 8 PM HOLY HOUR with BENEDICTION Fully Accessible in Church

"People ask, 'Where do the Sisters get the joy and energy to do what they are doing?' When the Sisters are exhausted, up to their eyes in work; when all seems to go awry, they spend an hour in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. This practice has never failed to bear fruit; they experience peace and strength."

-St. Teresa of Calcutta, Nobel Peace Prize winner and foundress of the Missionaries of Charity

Liturgical Ministries Schedule — February—2019			
Time	Mass Coordinator & Eucharistic Ministers	Lectors	Altar Servers
February 2-3			
5:00	CGrango, MMcGarry, NSciurba, JSemerau, JTabbert, T&JSkonicki, K&CHemler, SMoreno, K&DMurray, DO'Keefe, JScala	Fier McDermott	Jdiblik, ADiblik MHarmon
7:30	TDrangines, JRuskuls, HMatecki, KMizwicki, KMurphy, KPawlowski, GRosean, LLuxem, MMasin	Chapman Wilcox	MNuelle, MDenten AGibbons
9:30	SMir, JThomas, KSchultz, AWurbia, PZabawa, KNuelle, K&JBarbel, JBergner, JNuccio, BBlau, JMetken, DPetricca, KRitchie, DRusk, FSchafer	K. Cichon J. Cichon	MHeil, PHeil JKeane
11:15	KGoldberg, BKlaus, MKMcMahon, LOlsen, GNeugebauer, JSiefke, DKreb, SShubert, KAngerer, LKnaus, DMack, JMatzek, DMazeski	St. Louis Shute	ASykes, KBopp CLeazer
February 9-10			
4:00 GALA MASS	SLentine, TTheis, SAllen, J&BBrandt, WBraunsdorf, ACole, K&RCummings, NDaly, PDarwit, RMazanek	Zalinski Glowacki	KSipko, JNeuhalfen JNeuhalfen
7:30	SHaut, MKirby, DBorris, CBoss, TBrandenburg, DCoppola, MEmigh, B&DHollis, AMoore, PAdam	Anderson Beck	BMiller, SGibbons TWrede
9:30	P&CMeyer, JBilletdeaux, DBurke, GFarry, RGlowacki, KHigginson, BKlett, JLink, JMaher, LZajac, DCzajka, SSmedinghoff, MBabczak, DBach, KBach	Bruso Cecala	OBullock, KBullock CBullock
11:15	AArceo, DCole, MBell, ABriggs, CBuchberger, SBurnett, Sr Elaine, ECole, P/BDoucette, JMaresso, DMartin, BGabzdyl, SMurphy	Pelicore Nowickas	KBuchberger, ARad- ford BKowalclzyk
February 16-17			
5:00	CGrango, MMcGarry, JScala, NSciurba, JSemerau, JTabbert, T&JSkonicki, K&CHemler, SMoreno, DO'Keefe, K&DMurray	Hinkemeyer M. Karnes	TGarland, NMeyer MMeyer
7:30	TDrangines, JRuskuls, MMasini, HMatecki, KMizwicki, KMurphy, KPawlowski, GRosean, LLuxem	Bertucci Schultz	VRamirez, RWhetstone SBarbel
9:30	SMir. JThomas, KSchafer, KSchultz, AWurbia, PZabawa, KNuelle, K&JBarbel, JBergner, BBlau, JMetken, DPetricca, KRitchie, DRusk, FSchafer	Benden Siefke	JCantieri, KCantieri JMontesinos
11:15	KGoldberg, BKlaus, DMazeski, MKMcMahon, LOlsen, GNeugebauer, JSiefke, DKreb, SShubert, KAngerer, LKnaus, DMack, JMatzek	Mutzabaugh Lapinski	TCarrico, SCarrico DHarmon
February 23-24			
5:00	SLentine, TTheis, RMazanek, SAllen, J&BBrandt, WBraunsdorf, ACole, K&RCummings, NDaly, PDarwit	Scheller Knott	MInorio, BLopez MKLopez
7:30	SHaut, MKirby, PAdam, DBorris, CBoss, TBrandenburg, DCoppola, MEmigh, B&DHollis, AMoore	Salzman King	CNava, RNava BRolla
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#### **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.

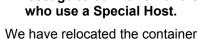
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Pray for Our Sick As Members of the Parish Faith Community, it is our responsibility to remember both in concrete and spiritual ways those who cannot celebrate with us each week because they are ill. Those who are sick in turn, remember all of us daily 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,

Abele, Helen G. Abplanalp, Esther Adamo, James Adamo, Mary Jane Adams, Kathie Adams, Robert Amodio, Antoinette Archibald, Rosetta Baker, Robert Baldassano, Al Baldassano, Dina Balmes. Evann Banadera, Leonida Banas, Richard Banas, Virginia Becker, John Birkner, Roland Brandson, Jeanne Breitsameter, Barbara Brinkman, Cheryl Broeren. Sue Brown, Gerald L. "Chip" Brown, Robert Burke, Marge Bychowski, Mike Caulfield, Jim Cavage, Adeline Cigrang, Bob Comanici, Coca Cotto, Mason Crafton, Dean Crooks, Richard Cyrier, Ruth Czajka, Donna Dauer, Elizabeth Anne Denten, Kate Kelly Dhein, Donna Doell, Ruth Dombkowski, Daniel Donald, Clifton Dowling, Beau Dzurisin, John Egart, Jean

Engelson, Mildred Fardella, Rosa Felderman, Reese Fisher, Charles Ford, James Gadomski, Jan Gibson, John Gierszewicz, Patricia Glvnn. Rosemarv Gruter, Alicia Hampton, Janet Heidkamp, Josh Hochmuth, Sue Hofmann, Dr. Lorenz Hofmann, Victoria Hunt, Ann Hurley, Jim lannello. Jennifer James, Marilyn Janas, Becky Johnson, Margaret H. Juell, Cathy Kamaryt, Donald Karnes, Mitchell Keane, Carol Klein, Ann Kramer, Eleanor LaCosse, Mary Lapinski, Louise Lillquist (Scholl), Sarah Lillquist, Evan\* Linkman, Jim Longfellow, Dorothy Maffenbeier, Joanne Magiera, Lillian Martinelli, Gloria Masini, Diane Matheson, Rosemarie Mendoza, Leo Moisan. Connie Monson, Dorothy & Clarence Murphy, Aria\* Murphy, Bill

Nebe. Diane Nitkiewicz, Tony Nykiel, Antonina Olsen, Julia Oshgan, Angeline Papievis, Shirley Penze. Denise Peterson, Marion Pietrzak, Fr. Bernie Pietrzak, Irene Pinto, Sandra Pitzele. Mark Reising, Donald E. Riley, Barbara Rilev. Liz Ruskuls, Mary Ann Sadrakula, Irene Savage, Evelvn Schreiner, Amy Schultz, Rosemary Shea, Dorothy Sheehy, Eleanor Simms-Shade, Paula Skillman, John Skowron, Blake Slack, Patricia Stell. Kathie Stevens, Isabell Theis, Tim Thelander, Mary Jo Torello, Rick Tortorello, Carol Trapani, Amelia Ullrich, Andrea Vais, Joseph Vecchio, Helen Waters, John White, Shirley Wilson, Irene \*Infant



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Eichberger, Mary Ann









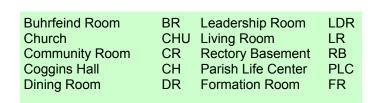
#### **† WE REMEMBER †** Monday-January 21, 2019 Saint Agnes, Virgin & Martyr 8:15 am † Rose Urban Tuesday—January 22, 2019 8:15 am † Orville James Donahue Jr. Wednesday—January 23, 2019 Saint Vincent, Deacon & Martyr; Saint Marianne Cope; Virgin 8:15 am † Liz Schieble Thursday—January 24, 2019 Saint Francis de Sales, Bishop & Doctor of the Church 7:00 am † Communion Service 8:15 am † Albin Kostrzeski Friday—January 25, 2019 The Conversion of Saint Paul, Apostle 8:15 am † Joyce Cremerius (2nd anniversary) Saturday—January 26, 2019 Saint Timothy and Saint Titus, Bishops 5:00 pm † Leonard Clark † Ed & Betty Conlon † Edward J. Conlon III † Judy Lamac Sunday—January 27, 2019 Third Sunday in Ordinary Time 7:30 am † Jose Arguellez 9:30 am † Julian & Stanislawa Bator † Dan Cobry † Agnes Mahoney

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11:15 am † Mother of Angie Kolias † Lorraine Spedale

Judith Sablick, Sister of Jack Smith Rose Urban, Mother of Bob, Karen, Rick and Randy

WEEKLY CALENDAR				
	Monday, January 21, 2019			
9:00 am 6:30 pm 6:30 pm	Afghan Group Meeting RCIA Meeting Athletic Association Board Meeting	FR FR LDR		
	Tuesday, January 22, 2019			
1:00 pm 4:00 pm 7:00 pm 9:30 pm	Rosary Maker Meeting Teen Choir Rehearsal Adult Formation Commission Meeting Men's Basketball Drop In	CR CHU DR PLC		
	Wednesday, January 23, 2019			
9:00 am 6:30 pm 7:00 pm 7:30 pm	Moms Plus Meeting First Communion Parent Meeting Parish Choir Rehearsal AA Weekly Meeting	CH CR CHU CH		
Thursday, January 24, 2019				
7:00 pm 9:30 pm	Men's CRHP Meeting Men's Basketball Drop In	LR PLC		
Friday, January 25, 2019				
Saturday, January 26, 2019				
6:00 am 10:15 am	Men's Saturday Morning Bible Study Co-Dependents Anonymous Meeting	CH LR		
Sunday, January 27, 2019				
9:30 am 1:00 pm 7:00 pm 7:30 pm	Catholic School Week Open House Mass Parish Baptisms Wedding Workshop Men's Basketball Drop In	CHU CHU CHU PLC		





#### **WEDDING CONGRATULATIONS:**

JANET DEMBOWSKI & JOHN TRAGGARDH

#### 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!"

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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

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\*minutes available on website \*\*Chairperson

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 February 10, 2019. Our session begins at 8:30 a.m. in the Buhrfeind 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.

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.

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