

## MASSES FOR THE WEEK

### Weekend of June 5/6

4:00 PM + Deceased Members of the Twardosz Family - Helen & Evelyn

8:00 AM + Jimmy Mooney - Bernie & Mary Ann Drosos

9:45 AM + Kenneth Simmons - Uncle Paul & Aunt Pat Pirowski

11:30 AM + Albina Wollack - Family

### Monday, June 7

7:15 AM + Michael & Sophie Sury - Carl & Rita Abram

### Tuesday, June 8

7:15 AM + Henry Abram - Helen Such

### Wednesday, June 9

7:15 AM + Sandra Blaszak - Cindy Malone & Nancy Smith

### Thursday, June 10

7:15 AM + Edward Cieszkiewicz - Eva Makara

### Friday, June 11

7:15 AM + Stanley Lis - Mr. & Mrs. Ted Kolke, Jr.

### Saturday, June 12

7:30 AM + Margaret Woods - Michael McNeil

11:00AM + Memorial Mass for Sandy Rzonca Scherer

4:00 PM + John Prinz - Wife & Family

### Sunday, June 13

8:00 AM + Valeria Bobonick - Bobonick Family

9:45 AM + Matthew & Josephine Raczak - Family

11:30 AM + Albina Wollack - Family

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### Week of June 6 - June 12

**The Gifts of Bread & Wine are donated this week in memory of  
Peter Orzelski - Family & Friends**

**The Tabernacle Candle will be lit this week in memory of  
Jim Morse - Family**

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

#### June, 2010

4:00 PM

C. Jankiewicz

R. Abram

A. Bonczek

B. Frjelic

C. Motkowicz

M. Cowperthwaite

8:00 AM

S. Jezior

M. Piaskowy

J. Gibbons

N. Moll

C. Michalik

P. Gadus

9:45 AM

K. Gibson

M. Czarobski

P. O'Rourke

P. Maccagnano

V. Maccagnano

D. Karczewski

11:30 AM

R. Oseguera

A. Davila

### LECTORS

June, 2010

4:00 PM L. Morse

8:00 AM J. Struzik

9:45 AM K. Gibson

11:30 AM C. Ramirez

### ALTAR SERVERS

#### SATURDAY, June 12

7:30 PM J. O'Keefe, R. Meyer, B. Meyer

#### SUNDAY, June 13

8:00 AM B. Echevarria, E. Echevarria, N. Mooney

9:45 AM T. DeCook, V. Velasco, C. Haro

11:30 AM M. Ortiz, X. Gutierrez, S. Zaragoza

### USHERS

June, 2010

4:00 PM

C. Cowperthwaite,

E. Pindara, A. Lubanowski,

T. Zalewski,

N. Zalewski

8:00 AM

A. Wopinski, T. Nester,

A. Jasek,

M. Noworyta, J. Shanahan,

A. Bruder,

9:45 AM

E. Lihota, G. Slusarczyk,

K. Podgorny, R. Furman,

T. Baker,

M. Gasior, M. Aducci

11:30 AM

F. Favela, J. Gonzalez,

## ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO

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Dear Friends in Christ.

Next weekend, June 12-13, we will take up a special collection for the **Retired Priests of the Archdiocese.**

For many years now, we have relied on our retired priests to celebrate Mass and the sacraments in hundreds of parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Chicago. Without their dedicated service, many parishes would need to reduce the number of Masses celebrated each weekend. Some retired priests are called upon to be temporary administrators of parishes and other fill in to allow pastors some needed time off. Our senior priests do this willingly as a continuation of the many years that they have faithfully served our Church. Please join me in offering our retired priests words of appreciation and gratitude for their many years of priestly ministry.

The Priests' Retirement and Mutual Aid Association (PRMAA) care for our retired priests. This year, we have seen the cost of the healthcare, prescriptions drugs, and nursing home care increase. In addition, the priests' pension fund remains seriously impacted by the economic downturn. This special collection will help us to continue to support our retired priests. You may be aware that the December collection for retired men and women Religious is designated to provide only for those in Religious Orders. Archdiocesan priests do not receive any funds from this collection.

As the "Year for Priests" draws to a close, I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our retired priests for their exemplary ministry. We are blessed to have more than one hundred retired priests over eighty years of age, which means that each one has served for more than fifty-five years. May their spirit continue to enliven our Church!

I am thankful to all of you for your remarkable generosity in this collection last year. I ask you to repeat your kindness this year. Your donations and your prayers are a great affirmation of our retired priests. Please pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood. You and those you love are in my prayers; please keep me in yours.

Sincerely your in Christ

Francis Cardinal George, O.M.I.  
Archbishop of Chicago



### Body and Blood of Jesus Christ Celebrating the Real Presence

The Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ reflects the Church's developing understanding of the Sacrament of the Eucharist. Originally called the Feast of Corpus Christi, this celebration grew out of a controversy in the Middle Ages over the presence of Christ in the Eucharist. Some made the claim that Christ was physically present in such a way that the consecrated Host became human flesh. Others said Christ was present in the Eucharist only in a spiritual way.

The Feast of Corpus Christi, established throughout the Church in 1264, proclaims faith in the full yet mysterious Eucharistic presence of Christ. St. Thomas Aquinas, author of Liturgy for the Feast, argued that we know Christ is fully present in the Eucharist by faith, not by our senses or by human understanding alone.

Traditional Corpus Christi celebrations included Eucharistic processions, Benediction and the adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Today, the feast is known as the Body and Blood of Christ, celebrated on the Sunday following Trinity Sunday.

Vatican Council II emphasized the importance of the Eucharist as a communal liturgical celebration, but also reaffirmed the Church's teaching about the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist. Since the Council, the popes have urged a continued devotion to the Blessed Sacrament.

## We pray for . . .

Helen Golden, Wanda Podgorny, Ida Fasciana, Debra Mokrzycki, Charlotte Frjelic, Edward Kawa, Grant Joseph Bradtke, Larry Kawa, Stanley Wrona Sr., Austin Cichy, Elaine Antuna, Dale Pelekant, Helen Kasper, John Koza, Harriet Brodzik, Mary Rolek, Dorita De Cardona, Michael Boston, Steven Schwartz, Marietta Falbo, Linda Stannish, Josephine Opiola, Yesenia Guajardo, Beth Lasseter, Chestine Trzupek, Patricia Manley, Thomas Frain, Laurie Ferry, Irma Bulatovich, Alicia Davila, Sophie Borowiec, Leona Krawczyk, Stanley Bonczek, Jesus Manriquez, Kevin Chocholek, Chris Wopinski, Helen Zurawski, Philip Corich, David Donahue, Frank & Yvonne Graczyk, Ricardo Morales, Helen Slusarczyk, Irene Marszalek, Bob Konecek, Martha Kowalkowski, Paul Sherman, Michael Auld, Virginia Bovino, Salvador Gonzalez, Jr., Rosa Guadalupe Guajardo, Jim Cummings, Dennis Grzyb, Florence Arendt, Asunción Villalpondo, Thomas J. Lohr, Irma Garcia, Irma Cardenas, Anthony Gromek, Karen Kil, Bertha Soto, Marion Vargas, Martin Covarubias, Joseph B. Mistarz, Jr., Ed Ronczy, Policarpo Naya, Raquel Chavez, Genoveva Nateras, Peter Ladowski, Barry Piotrowski, Residents of Hammond-Whiting Care Center and Residents of Dolton Health Care Center and Residents of Burnham Terrace.



*We pray for the homebound, sick and hospitalized. If your name appears in the above list and you no longer wish to be included due to recovery, please contact the Rectory at 773/646-4877.*

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

### Monday - June 7

Reading 1 Kings - 17:1-6  
Gospel Matthew 5:1-12

### Tuesday - June 8

Reading 1 Kings -17:7-16  
Gospel Matthew 5:13-16

### Wednesday - June 9 - St. Ephrem

Reading 1 Kings 18:20-39  
Gospel Matthew 5:17-19

### Thursday - June 10

Reading 1 Kings 18:41-46  
Gospel Matthew 5:20-26

### Friday - June 11 - Feast of the Sacred Heart

Reading I Ezekiel 34:11-16  
Reading II Romans 5:5b-11  
Gospel Luke 15:13-17

### Saturday - June 12—Immaculate Heart of Mary

Reading 1 Kings 19:19-21  
Gospel Luke 2:41-51

### Sunday - June 13-11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I 2 Samuel 12:7-10, 13  
Reading II Galatians 2:16, 19-21  
Gospel Luke 7:36—8:3

## In Remembrance

Annetta J. Jobe

May 26, 2010

## May Baptisms:

*Kenneth Douglas*  
Son of David & Shirley Maynard

## A Note of Thanks from Bishop Jakubowski:

*Dear Fr. Jim & Parishioners of St. Florian,*

*It was a delight for me to be at your church for the conferral of the Sacrament of Confirmation. The liturgy was well prepared as were the Confirmandi. The generous gift from the parish will support young men as they prepare for the priesthood in the Archdiocese of Chicago. I am grateful for this kindness.*

*Sincerely your in Christ,*

*Most Reverend Thad J. Jakubowski*  
*Auxiliary Bishop Emeritus of Chicago*

## Feast of Corpus Christi Prayer

*Lord Jesus Christ, we worship You living among us in the Sacrament of Your Body and Blood.*

*May we offer to our Father in heaven a solemn pledge of undivided love.*

*May we offer to our brothers and sisters a life poured out in loving service of that kingdom where You live with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.*

*Amen*

**Vocation Thoughts:** Jesus took bread, said the blessing, broke it, gave it to his disciples and said, "Take it; this is my body." (Mark 22:26) God calls us through his Son to be one in the body of Christ. Could God be calling you to the priesthood or religious life? To explore the possibility, contact Fr. Joe Noonan at 312-534-8298 or at [jnoonan@archchicago.org](mailto:jnoonan@archchicago.org) or Sr. Elyse Ramirez, OP at 312-534-5240 or at [erramirez@archchicago.org](mailto:erramirez@archchicago.org). Also visit [www.ChicagoPriest.org](http://www.ChicagoPriest.org) or [www.VocationsCAVA.org](http://www.VocationsCAVA.org).

*You say: 'I can't do it'*  
*God says: . You can do all things.*  
*(Philippians 4:13)*

# St. Florian School Happenings . . .

visit us at our website!  
<http://florian.hegewisch.net>

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## BINGO

Doors open at 1:30  
Games begin at 2:30



Last Bingos date: **June 6th**  
Bingo will resume in **September**.  
Thank you for a great year!!

## Register Now for our 2010 - 2011 School Year!

Registration for the 2010-2011 school year is now underway for 3 & 4 year old Preschool through Grade 8. For further information, please contact the school office at 773-646-2868.

**Market Day** - Orders due June 11th - Pick up is on Fri., June 18th. Profit earned last month - \$150.05. Free Grilling Sauce with \$40.00 purchase! Thanks for the support!

**Job Opening** - St. Florian School is in need of a part time cleaner. The job consists of light cleaning of the school four hours daily after school. If interested, please call the school office at 773-646-

### Mission Statement of St. Florian School

Our mission is to provide each student with a Catholic education in all areas. The faculty and school families join the parish staff and fellow parishioners to form a living Catholic faith community. Our school population is multicultural and fosters sensitivity to the needs of all. We promote the students' burning desire for learning. Through education, service, support, formation and challenge, the students are called realize their potential spiritually, socially, and intellectually. For one hundred years our school has been committed to carry out the Gospel values of Jesus Christ on a daily basis.

## St. Florian Vacation Bible School July 19-23, 2010

*"From east to west, the powerful Lord God has been calling together everyone on earth"  
(Psalm 50:1)*



The call to come together is beautifully woven into the key verse for **BAOBAB BLAST**. From here, kids will get together to listen to stories from both the old and new testaments. They will then be guided through a journey that ripples outward to let them explore their relationships and connection with God, family, friends, and the greater world. Each day will center on a carefully selected Bible verse to help further connect the Bible to their hearts and to their interactions in the world.

**BAOBAB BLAST** is centered on stories that demonstrate the importance of being an integral part of God's Great Get-Together. Kids will delight in learning these texts. The memory verses will roll off their tongues and across the vast expanse of the Savannah and out into the world. The daily theme words Trust, Love, Follow, Care and Share will resound loud and clear.

Mark your calendars for July 19 to July 23 from 9AM until Noon. Open to kids 4 to 10 yrs. Old. Registration forms can be found in church at the Welcome Table, in the plastics pockets near the entrances, in front of the ministers room and at the rectory.

<b>WEEKLY OFFERINGS</b>	
<b>May 29/30, 2010</b>	
Sunday Envelopes	\$2,718.12
Loose	\$ 610.15
Energy Assistance	\$ 100.00
Actual Received vs.	\$3,428.27
Budgeted Goal	\$5,250.00
Bldg. Improvement	\$ 62.00
Maintenance	\$ 61.00
Children's Offering	\$ 35.37
Votives	\$ 113.00

**St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box**  
**Giving** - Summertime and the living is easy, but not for all. Your contribution in the Poor Boxes can help relieve the burdens and distresses of the poor.

**Night to Remember**

The bereavement ministries of St. Kevin, St. George, and St. Florian churches invite you to attend a Night to Remember, a bilingual prayer service remembering our loved ones. The service will be held at St. Kevin Church, 10509 Torrence Avenue, Chicago, on Tuesday, June 8, at 7:00 p.m. If you would like, please bring a photo of your loved one. Refreshments will be served in the parish hall after the service. For more information, please call St. Kevin's rectory at 773-721-2563.

Las Iglesias de San Kevin, San Jorge y San Florian del ministerio de consolación los invitan a atender una Noche de Recuerdo, un servicio bilingue recordando a nuestros seres queridos que han fallecido. El servicio tomara lugar en San Kevin's, 10509 S. Torrence, Chicago, el Martes, 9 de Junio a las 7:00 p.m. Si usted desea, traiga una foto de su ser querido. Habra aperitivos despues del servicio en el salon de la Iglesia. Para mas informacion, por favor de llamar a la rectoria de San Kevin's al 773/721-2563

**Join us for the Hunger Walk!**

Our SVDP food pantry will once again participate in the annual "Hunger Walk" at Soldier Field on Saturday, June 26th. Help the Greater Chicago Food Depository's 650 pantries, soup kitchens and shelters in the fight against hunger in our community. For more information call 773-247-FOOD or at [www.chicagosfoodbank.org/hungerwalk](http://www.chicagosfoodbank.org/hungerwalk). Also call St. Florian's Pantry at 773-646-4877. More

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

- June 6 Bingo (Gym) Doors open at 1:30
- June 7 Ministers of Care (Rectory) 7:00
- June 8 Turbo Kick Class (Gym) 6:30
- June 9 Last Day of School  
Evangelization Mtg. (KH) 6:00
- June 10 Faith Sharing (PMR) 6:00  
Turbo Kick Class (Gym) 6:30
- June 11 Holy Name Meeting (PMR)  
Board 6:30 Members 8:00
- June 12/13 Collection for Retired Priests
- June 13 Holy Name Golf Outing—9:00AM  
Summertree, Crown Point, IN
- June 14 Parish Council Mtg. (KH) 7:00  
Faith Sharing (Rectory) 7:00
- June 15 Turbo Kick Class (Gym) 6:30  
Faith Sharing (Rectory) 7:00
- June 16 Liturgy Mtg. (Rectory) 6:00

**10th Ward Summer Barbeque on the River** sponsored by Alderman John A. Pope and the 10th Ward Regular Democratic Organization will take place on Friday, June 18, 2010 from 6PM to midnight at Papi Chulo's, 13601 S. Calhoun, Chicago. Food, beer, and wine will be provided! Live entertainment featuring "The Relics" will also be available. Donation is \$25.00 per person. For more information or to purchase tickets, please call Friends of John Pope at 773-721-5903.

Please pray for our  
**Service Members:**



- Cpl Ryan Keene, U.S. Marine Corps -
  - Chief Dennis Zmija, U.S. Navy - Eugene Zmija, U.S. Air Force -
  - SSgt David Burks, U.S. Army - SSgt Eric L. Abram, U.S. Air Force -
  - LCpl Christopher Abram, U.S. Marine Corps - Lt. Commdr. Nicholas Garcia, U.S. Navy Pilot -
  - SPC Waylon Bader, U.S. Army - SPC Mark J. Dancer, U.S. Army -
  - PVT Joshua Garza, U.S. Army - PVT Adam Garza, U.S. Army -
  - Aaron Alvarez, U.S. Navy - MSgt James Ritchie, U.S. Air Force -
  - Capt. Christopher Conner, U.S. Marine Corps -
  - Sgt. Michael Marszalek, U.S. Army -
  - Robert A. Islas, Jr., U.S. Navy - Sgt. Matthew R. McGivney, U.S. Army -
  - PFC Kristin Pala, U.S. Marine Corps, 1st Lt. Lisa Klekowski, U.S. Army -
  - PFC Patrick Paskiewicz - U.S. Army, PVT David Cook, U.S. Army -
  - Seaman Laura A. Tomaczak, U.S. Navy, LTC Peter Allen Kubas -
  - U.S. Army, A1C Kelly Shanahan - U.S. Air Force, -
  - PFC Anthony Baracco, U.S. Army - Master Sgt. Christopher Saberniak, U.S. Air Force
- If you wish to have a family member added to this prayer list, please contact the Rectory at 646-4877.*