

MASSES FOR THE WEEK**Weekend of September 5/6**

- 4:00 PM + Mr. & Mrs. Stanley Kubicki - Mr. & Mrs. Ed Wojcik
 8:00 AM + Rose Szczepanik - Dolores & Vic Campagnola
 9:45 AM + Barney & Irene Zielinski - Family
 11:30 AM + Ruben Aparicio - Family

Monday, September 7

- 8:15 AM + Steve & John Makara - Parents & Family

Tuesday, September 8

- 7:15 AM + Joseph & Freda Ciciora - Family

Wednesday, September 9

- 7:15 AM + Betty Powidzki - Daughter, Shirley

Thursday, September 10

- 7:15 AM + Krystyna Abram - Mom & Dad

Friday, September 11

- 8:15 AM + Edward Kosmala - Drosos Family

Saturday, September 12

- 7:30 AM - Mass of Thanksgiving for Dolores & Vic Campagnolo
 on their 50th Wedding Anniversary

- 4:00 PM + Deceased Members of Ladies Rosary Sodality

Sunday, September 13

- 8:00AM + Stella Kwinta -Children, Grandchildren & Great-Grandchildren
 9:45 AM + Irene Stevenson - Peter & Colleen Stevenson
 11:30 AM + Lino Chavez - Family

Week of September 6 - September 12

**The Gifts of Bread & Wine are donated this week in thanksgiving
 for blessings for Dolores & Vic Campagnolo**

**The Tabernacle Candle will be lit this week in thanksgiving
 for blessings for Dolores & Vic Campagnolo**

LECTORS**September, 2009**

- 4:00 PM A. Bonczek
 8:00 AM R. Kopaczewski
 9:45 AM L. Morse
 11:30 AM O. Guajardo

ALTAR SERVERS**SATURDAY, September 12**

- 4:00 PM G. Bonczek, B. Meyer, R. Meyer

SUNDAY, September 13

- 8:00 AM J. O'Keefe, N. Mooney, D. Ranos
 9:45 AM B. Echevarria, E. Echevarria, C. Haro
 11:30 AM M. Ortiz, S. Zaragoza, X. Gutierrez

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**September, 2009**

4:00 PM

- B. Peak
 R. Abram
 B. Frjelijch
 M. Cowperthwaite
 M. Piaskowy
 C. Motkowicz

8:00 AM

- S. Jezior
 K. Gibson
 S. White
 J. Gibbons
 N. Moll
 P. Gadus

9:45 AM

- P. Maccagnano
 C. Michalik
 C. Malone
 P. O'Rourke
 M. Czarobski
 D. Karczewski

11:30 AM

- R. Oseguera
 A. Davila

USHERS**September, 2009**

4:00 PM

- P. Orzelski, C. Cowperthwaite,
 P. Krasinski, E. Pindara,
 A. Lubanowski, T. Zalewski,
 N. Zalewski

8:00 AM

- C. Zakrzewski, 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

- L. Arellano, A. Arellano,
 T. Favela, J. Gonzalez,
 S. Gonzalez



**REGISTRATION FOR
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
AND SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION!**

Registration for religious and sacramental preparation continues through Sept. 30. Please come to the rectory, 13145 S. Houston Ave., Monday through Thursday from 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm. A registration form must be completed for each student before they can be admitted to class. Family fee is \$90 (additional fee for sacramental preparation). **Classes begin Sept. 13.**

To register for sacramental preparation—Reconciliation, First Communion, Confirmation—a candidate must have 2 consecutive years of religious education. To register: a copy of baptismal certificate and sacramental fee are required. (Confirmation candidates check your packets for more information.)

If you are unable to register during the time listed above, please call Peg—773-646-4877— and we can make other arrangements. Registration will be closed as of Wednesday, September 30, 2009.

Florian Fest
Sunday - Oct. 4

12:30 - 4:30 PM

Ted Tomczak's Take Five Band

Polka music and great favorites you'll love!

5:00 - 9:00 PM

The Relics

They're sure to fill the dance floor with songs from the 60's, 70's, 80's plus rock, blues, motown & more! Strong vocals, versatility, and variety set them apart from any other band!

PRIZES & SPONSORS NEEDED!!

Monetary donations are being accepted to help defray expenses. Donated items for prize baskets and the mystery booth are always appreciated. Just be sure all items are new and unused. Please also indicate the value of the prize if known. Donations may be dropped off at the rectory during business hours. Please call Kathy at the rectory (646-4877) if you have any questions.

BAKE SALE! - Start checking those recipes! We can always store items in the rectory freezer when you're ready to start baking!

**\$5,000 Grand Prize
Cash Raffle**

Tickets will be available soon - don't miss your chance to be a winner! Be sure to check your envelopes for a special chance . . .

**Win one of three
weekend getaway packages
at Spring House Inn
\$200 + value!!**

Advance tickets also available in Church or at the rectory!

Bean Bag Tournament!

Start getting your teams together!



Registration: \$20 2-person team.
Cash Prizes!!! Forms available in church, rectory & school.

New this year at the Fest!
ST. FLORIAN CAR SHOW!
12:00—4:00



Come and see a collection of fantastic cars!
Have a car to show? Give us a call!!

Plus so many more things at the Fest . . .
*Music, Dancing, Entertainment, Prizes,
Great Food, Bakery, Kid's Games . . .*

ST. FLORIAN'S MISSION STATEMENT

We are Roman Catholics of prayer, service and long-standing tradition guided by the spirit to meet the direct needs of our parishioners and neighboring communities in a demanding social environment.

We strive to achieve a sense of justice, responsibility, prayerfulness, communication and unity by providing:

- All individuals the opportunity of receiving Sacraments;
- The proper educational environment—spiritually, morally, academically;
- A channel for corporal works of mercy; and
- A time and place for social gathering and fellowship.

Our goals and objectives will be accomplished through encouraging active participation in dialogue, evangelization, stewardship, prayer and love.

We pray for . . .



Helen Golden, Wanda Podgorny, Ida Fasciana, Debra Mokrzycki, Charlotte Frijelich, Edward Kawa, Grant Joseph Bradtke, Larry Kawa, Stanley Wrona Sr., Austin Cichy, Elaine Antuna, Dale Pelekant, Helen Kasper, John Koza, Harriet Brodzik, Mary Rolek, Eugene Kupiec, Dorita De Cardona, Michael Boston, Steven Schwartz, Marietta Falbo, Linda Stannish, Pam Skowronski, Josephine Opiola, Yesenia Guajardo, Beth Lasseter, Chestine Trzupek, Patricia Manley, Thomas Frain, Laurie Ferry, Irma Bulatovich, Alicia Davila, Sophie Borowiec, Mark Biel, Leona Krawczyk, Stanley Bonczek, Jesus Manriquez, Kevin Chocholek, Chris Wopinski, Helen Zurawski, Philip Corich, David Donahue, Frank & Yvonne Graczyk, Raquelina Chavez, 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, Lynette Kozlowski, Socorro Elizalde, Asunción Villalpondo, Thomas J. Lohr, Ruben Montemayor, Irma Garcia, Barbara Burnette, Helen Krupinski, Christen White, Katelyn Grabowski, Irma Cardenas, Anthony Gromek, Karen Kil, Bertha Soto, Irene Stincic, Marion Vargas, Martin Covarubias, 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 - Sept. 7 - Labor Day

Reading Colossians 1:24 - 2:3
Gospel Luke 6:6-11

Tuesday - Sept. 8 - The Nativity of the

Blessed Virgin Mary

Reading Micah 5:1-4a
Gospel Matthew 1:18-23

Wed. - Sept. 9 - St. Peter Claver

Reading Colossians 3:1-11
Gospel Luke 6:20-26

Thursday - Sept. 10

Reading Colossians 3:12-17
Gospel Luke 6:27-38

Friday - Sept. 11

Reading 1 Timothy 1:1-2, 12-14
Gospel Luke 6:39-42

Sat. - Sept. 12 - The Most Holy Name of Mary

Reading 1 Timothy 1:15-17
Gospel Luke 6:43-49

Sunday - Sept. 13- 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I Isaiah 50:5-9a
Reading II James 2:14-18
Gospel Mark 8:27-35



**Communal Anointing of the Sick
September 19th, 2009 at 4:00 PM**

On Saturday, September 19th, we will celebrate the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick at the 4:00 P.M. Liturgy. This sacrament reminds us that the whole Church is praying for her members who are sick and that we are not alone in our suffering. There are others who suffer with us and there is our faith community to support, love and encourage us during our suffering.

Any of our faithful whose health is seriously impaired by sickness or old age may be anointed. Also included are those who are:

1. Now seriously ill
2. Temporarily ill or convalescing
3. Chronically ill
4. Emotionally troubled
5. Elderly, even if no serious illness is present
6. Preparing for surgery in the near future

Since this is a parish celebration all are welcomed to attend and participate.

If you plan to attend this celebration, you may notify the Rectory, any Minister of Care or fill out the form and drop it in the collection basket.

**St. Florian Anointing Liturgy
September 19th, 2009— 4:00PM**

Name of person to be anointed: _____

(If transportation is needed, please fill out the section below:)

Address: _____

Phone # _____

Will transportation be required? Yes ___ No ___

Is a wheelchair needed? Yes ___ No ___

If this form is being completed by another person:


Preparer's Name _____

Preparer's Phone Number _____

St. Florian School Happenings . . .

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

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BINGO
Begins
Sunday, September 13th
Doors open at 1:30
Games begin at 2:30
in the gym at 131st & Houston

Regular games will be played as well as raffle games such as a "U-Pick-'Em, a CoverAll Game, and "Second Chance Roll-over". If you're new to Bingo it doesn't matter, within minutes you'll know the difference between a 9-pack and a Crazy L!

The payouts are good and increase as more players join. As always, St. Florian Bingo features free coffee for our players in a safe non-smoking environment. Refreshments are available for a low fee. For more information, contact the School office at 773-646-2868 or email us at st.florian.school@gmail.com.



**St. Florian School Parent's Club
Back-to-School Music Fundraiser!
All-you-can-eat
Spaghetti Dinner**
Saturday - September 12, 2009
5:00 PM until 7:00 PM
Location: St. Florian School Gymnasium

Please join us!
Pasta, Meat Sauce, Salad, Bread, Dessert, Drinks
\$7 for ages 13 and above— \$5 for ages 4-12
(Free for kids 3 & under)
Bring your friends & family!
*Tickets will be sold
after Masses on Sept. 5/6
and also at the school and rectory offices.*

Market Day - Orders due Fri. Sept. 11th and pick-up is on Fri. Sept. 18th, 2-3 PM in the School Gym. Thank you for all your support!

SAVE THE DATE!!
**St. Florian Parent's Club
Vendor & Craft Show**
October 17 in our gymnasium
10x10 space for \$30 (incl. table and two chairs) (*Application forms available soon — call C. Pizana at 708-243-0398 for information*)

**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 to 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.

Prayer for Priestly Vocations

Lord, Jesus Christ, Shepherd of the souls, who called the apostles to be fishers of men, raise up new apostles in your holy church. Teach them that to serve you is to reign: to possess you is to possess all things. Kindle in the hearts of our people the fire of zeal for souls. Make them eager to spread your kingdom upon earth. Grant them courage to follow you, who are the Way, the Truth, and the Life; who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

Amen

WEEKLY OFFERINGS Aug. 29/30

Sunday Envelopes	\$3,126.63
Loose	\$ 361.67
Energy Assistance	\$ 153.00
Actual Received vs.	\$3,641.30
Budgeted Goal	\$5,250.00
Bldg. Improvement	\$ 136.00
Maintenance	\$ 47.00
Children's Offering	\$ 40.28
Votives	\$ 145.00

St Vincent de Paul Poor Box - \$126.70

St. Vincent de Paul Society - Our main source of revenue comes from the Poor Boxes in the church. Help us to help our own needy. Drop a coin in one of the boxes.

5K "Wolf Run" - The HCC will be hosting its 5K Wolf Run on Sat., Sept. 19, at the Wm. Powers Conservation Area at Wolf Lake. Part of this year's proceeds will benefit people with special needs, adults and children. If you would like to participate or volunteer please call the chamber office at 77-646-6880

St. Michael Second Annual Fest - The community of St. Michael invites everyone to their fest on Saturday, Sept. 19th from 12 Noon to 11PM and Sunday, Sept. 20th for 9AM to 4PM at St. Michael the Archangel Church (Parking Lot), 83rd & South Shore Drive. Come and enjoy delicious Mexican, Polish, and American food/beer garden. Come enjoy music, games, and entertainment! For more information, call the parish at 773-734-4921.

Check out what MANN PARK has to offer!

Outdoor Flea Market - Sellers are needed for the Flea Market to be held on Sat., Sept. 12, from 8AM to 2PM. The space will cost \$20. (You provide your own tables.) No food or beverage vending allowed. Clean out your basements and garages and make some extra money. For more information, stop at the park or call 773-646-0210.

Programs for Preschoolers at Mann Park:

Learn Basic Skills - The preschool program is designed to assist the preschooler in learning to follow directions, getting along with others and developing basic skills for kindergarten. Classes are Tuesdays and Thursdays from 12:30-2:30 and children must be 3 years old by May 1, 2009. The fee is \$40 and runs from Sept. 22 through Dec. 3.

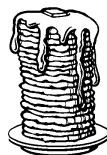
Fun & Games for Children 3-5 - Come and let your child experience fun through different games and activities. The class is from 2:30—3:15 on Tuesdays and Thursdays beginning Sept. 22. The fee is \$7.00.

Stop by and register for either class or call 646-0210 for more information.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Sept. 6	Holy Name Golf Outing—9AM Minnie Monnesse, Grant PK., IN
Sept. 7	Labor Day (Rectory/School Closed)
Sept. 8	Golden Agers (KH) 1:00 Parents Club Mtg. (KH) 6:30 Faith Sharing (Rectory) 7:00
Sept. 9	Evangelization Mtg. (KH) 6:00
Sept. 10	Faith Sharing (PMR) 6:00 Coaches Mtg. (KH) 7:00 Ministers of Care (Rectory) 7:00
Sept. 11	Holy Name (PMR) Officers 6:30 Members 8:00
Sept. 12	Spaghetti Dinner (Gym) 5:00
Sept. 13	Ladies Rosary Sodality (KH) 1:30
Sept. 14	Faith Sharing (Rectory) 7:00

Ladies Rosary Sodality - There will be a Mass for all deceased members of the Rosary Sodality on Saturday, September 12th at 4PM. Sodality meeting will take place on Sunday, September 13th at 1:30PM in Konsowski Hall. Members are welcome and encouraged to attend both events.

**KC Pancake Breakfast at St. Columba**

Sun., Sept. 13 from 8AM-1PM. All you can eat pancakes, french toast, eggs to order, sausage, orange juice, coffee. Adults \$7.00 / Kids (12 and under) \$3.00

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 - Chief Jim Pope,
U.S. Navy - 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. Kathryn Diaz,
U.S. Marine Corps - 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 Pat-
rick Paskiewicz - U.S. Army, PVT David Cook, U.S.
Army - Seaman Laura A. Tomczak, U.S. Navy, LTC
Peter Allen Kubas - U.S. Army, A1C Kelly Shanahan -
U.S. Air Force, - PFC Anthony Baracco, U.S. Army
*If you wish to have a family member added to this prayer list,
please contact the Rectory at 646-4877.*