

MASSES FOR THE WEEK**Weekend, January 17 & 18**

- 4:00 PM + Catherine Paszczyk - David Ell
 8:00 AM + Virginia & John Mauer
 Margaret & Anthony Nowakowski - Mom
 9:45 AM + Frances Rogalski - Judy Evans
 11:30 AM + Benjamin Liszewski - Loretta & Harold Hacker

Monday, January 19

- 7:30 AM + William Opiola - Lopacinski Family

Tuesday, January 20

- 7:30 AM + Josephene Mlynarczyk - Kate Michno

Wednesday, January 21

- 7:30 AM + Mildred Struzik - Andrew Szumlas

Thursday, January 22

- 7:30 AM + For All the Parishioners

Friday, January 23

- 8:00 AM + Louis Kurasz - Mary Kurasz

Saturday, January 24

- 7:30 AM + Angeline & Alex Rzonca - Family
 4:00 PM + Joseph B. Mistarz - Son, Grand & Great Grandchildren

Sunday, January 25

- 8:00 AM + For All the Parishioners
 9:45 AM + Stanley Lisek - Baker Family
 11:30 AM + For All the Deceased Parishioners

**Week of January 18 - January 24**

The Gifts of Bread & Wine are donated this week in memory of
 Anna Burczak - Family

The Tabernacle Candle will be lit this week in memory of

READERS**January 2015**

- 4:00 PM J. Struzik
 8:00 AM A. Bonczek
 9:45 AM V. Maccagnano
 11:30 AM R. Oseguera

ALTAR SERVERS**SATURDAY, January 24**

- 4:00 PM J. Laskowiecki, A. Shea, A. Komosa

SUNDAY, January 25

- 8:00 AM R. Dejanovich, J. Kelly
 9:45 AM D. Ranos, A. Villanueva
 11:30 AM T. Meyer, S. Meyer

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**January 2015**

- 4:00 PM M. Cowperthwaite
 J. Gibbons
 D. Karczewski
 8:00 AM C. Bozovic
 K. Gibson
 N. Moll
 9:45 AM O. Haro
 P. Maccagnano
 C. Malone
 11:30 AM A. Davila
 I. Jimenez

USHERS**January 2015**

- 4:00 PM C. Cowperthwaite, M. Adduci,
 E. Pindara, A. Lubanowski,
 T. Zalewski, N. Zalewski
 8:00 AM A. Wopinski, T. Nester,
 A. Jasek, M. Noworyta,
 J. Young
 9:45 AM E. Lihota, G. Slusarczyk,
 K. Podgorny, T. Baker,
 M. Gasior
 11:30 AM R. Manriquez, J. Gonzalez,
 M. Suarez, R. Ortiz

We pray for...



Barbara Anderson, Michael Auld, Edward Borek, Michael Boston, Grant Joseph Bradtke, Kevin Chocholek, Rickey Cholipski, Austin Cichy, Philip Corich, Martin Covarrubias, Mary Lou Cowperthwaite, Ann Cummings, Jim Cummings, Dorita De Cardona, David Donahue, Rosie Dunmore, Marietta Falbo, Laurie Ferry, Charlotte Frjelich, Bob Frjelich, Irma Garcia, Allysa Garcia, Yesenia Guajardo, Rosa Guadalupe Guajardo, Sara Janet Guzman, Otilia Haro, Helen Hennessy, Maryann Henney, Charlene Jones, Edward Kawa, Larry Kawa, Ron Keene, Karen Kil, Bob Konecek, Martha Kowalkowski, Helen Larson, John Larson, Beth Lasseter, Thomas J. Lohr, Katharina Makara, Joseph B. Mistarz, Jr., Joe Moncada, Ricardo Morales, Genoveva Nateras, Policarpo Naya, Shirley Ostrowski, Felicia Pancer, Pat Pirowski, Larry Potter, John Rosmanitz, Steven Schwartz, Jo Shanahan, Paul Sherman, Anthony & Lillian Smierciak, Alfonso Soto, Irene Stincic, Chestine Trzupsek, Asunción Villalpondo, Dianne Williams, Chris Wopinski, Loretta Wopinski, Stanley Wrona, Sr., Melissa Young, 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 - January 19

Reading Hebrews 5:1-10
Gospel Mark 2:18-22

Tuesday - January 20 - St. Fabian & St. Sebastian

Reading Hebrews 6:10-20
Gospel Mark 2:23-28

Wednesday - January 21 - St. Agnes

Reading Hebrews 7:1-3, 15-17
Gospel Mark 3:1-6

Thursday - January 22 - Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

Reading Hebrews 7:25—8:6
Gospel Mark 3:7-12

Friday - January 23 - St. Vincent & St. Marianne Cope

Reading Hebrews 8:6-13
Gospel Mark 3:13-19

Saturday - January 24 - St. Francis de Sales

Reading Hebrews 9:2-3, 11-14
Gospel Mark 3:20-21

Sunday - January 25 - 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I Jonah 3:1-5, 10
Reading II 1 Corinthians 7:29-31
Gospel Mark 1:14-20

Anyone interested in renting Konsowski Hall, please call the rectory for more information.

Don't forget to put your e-mail address on your envelope.

You only need to do this once. If you have already submitted your email address, you do not need to do it again.

If you are new to the parish, stop in the rectory to register.



Appreciation Party!

Saturday, February 7

5:00 - 8:00

(In the School Gymnasium)

Be sure to respond by Friday, January 30th so we can count you in!

Volunteers are people who are willing to give of themselves—time, talent, treasure—for the good of the whole community. Volunteers do not get paid for what they do. Many people volunteer at St. Florian and for this we are most grateful. Please come and enjoy dinner, great music and a fun time as our way of saying thank you for all you do! (Spouses welcome)

St. Florian Parish Volunteer Appreciation Party

— ADULTS ONLY —

Saturday - February 7, 2015

Yes, I have volunteered my time and talent and will attend the celebration!

Name(s): _____

Number of Adults attending: _____

(Please reply via the collection basket or at the rectory or school office)

St. Florian School Happenings...

2014 - 2015 REGISTRATION!

Registration is on going for 3 & 4 year old Pre-school through Grade 8. For further information, please contact the school office at:

773-646-2868.

visit us at - www.stflorianschool.org

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.

Congratulations Alumni!

Principal's Honor Roll

De La Salle Institute
Elizabeth M. Echevarria
Jessica Amber McKee
Noah Phillip Mooney

How Can You Help Our Troops?

St. Florian School is seeking the following items to send to troops overseas. Please arrange for a possible drop off or pick up time by calling the school at (773) 646-2868.

- ❖ Flavored drink mixes (Like Crystal Light packets)
- ❖ Chapstick
- ❖ Socks
- ❖ Protein powder and bars
- ❖ Beef jerky
- ❖ Foil or paper packaged snacks (left over Halloween candy)
- ❖ Brand name toiletries (not hotel samples)
- ❖ Flash drives, memory cards, iTunes gift cards
- ❖ DVDs, cards, games, etc.



2015 Mass Book

There are quite a few Masses available in the 2015 Mass Book.

Please stop by the rectory to reserve your Masses.

2015 Charitable Contributions - Statements for the 2015 tax year will be processed by request only. Please fill out the form below and return it to the rectory by January 29th. We will mail requested statements by the end of the month.

Please send a 2014 contribution statement to me:

Name: _____

Address: _____

(return form via collection basket or at the rectory)

Holy Name Society Polish Dinner

Our Parish was founded by the Polish people. To honor them, the St. Florian Holy Name Society is sponsoring its second Polish Dinner on Saturday, February 14, 2015, from 5:00pm to 7:00pm in the St. Florian School Gymnasium. Come and enjoy Pierogi, Polish Sausage and Kraut, Mashed Potatoes, Polish Rye Bread and dessert. Coffee, water and pop will be included. You may *BYOB* if you like a *LITTLE* wine or beer with your dinner.

You may purchase tickets from Holy Name members.

Price is:

\$10.00 - Adults


\$ 5.00 - Children 12 & under.

We are requesting donations of baked goods for our dessert table. If you can, please bring the sweets between 12:00 noon and 4:00pm.

Year of the Sacraments

Pope Francis' Vision of Healing and Communion

July 2014 - June 2015



Year of Sacraments • One Word at a Time

Free



We know that Baptism unites us with Christ in his dying and rising. We know that because of our union with him, we are God's beloved daughters and sons in the Son. And besides all this, because Christ is our life through Baptism, something else happens. He sets us **free** from the two most enslaving and burdensome realities of our lives. He frees us from sin and death.

Sin entraps us, usually within ourselves. And on our own, we cannot break free. Death and the impending sense of doom and loss it brings seem to box us into the narrow confines of our very short earthly lives. Baptism loosens the grip of sin through forgiveness, and it loosens the grip of death through new and eternal life in Christ Jesus. We are free to be who we really and truly are—the children of God.

Año De Los Sacramentos • De Palabra En Palabra

Liberar



Sabemos que el Bautismo nos une a Cristo en su muerte y Resurrección. Sabemos que por nuestra unión con él, somos hijas e hijos queridos en el Hijo. Y más allá de todo esto, como Cristo es nuestra vida a través del Bautismo, sucede algo más. Él nos **libera** de las dos realidades más opresoras y agobiantes de nuestra vida. Nos libera del pecado y de la muerte.

El pecado nos atrapa, generalmente dentro de nosotros mismos. Y no podemos liberarnos por nuestros propios medios. La muerte y el sentimiento de fatalidad y de pérdida inminentes nos encierran en los estrechos confines de nuestra breve vida terrenal. El Bautismo afloja las ataduras del pecado a través del perdón y las ataduras de la muerte a través de la vida nueva y eterna en Jesucristo. Somos libres de ser quienes real y verdaderamente somos, los hijos de Dios.

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WEEKLY OFFERINGS**January 10 & 11, 2015**

Sunday Collections	Amount
4:00pm Mass	\$ 931.00
8:00am Mass	\$ 635.26
9:45am Mass	\$ 596.25
11:30am Mass	\$ 338.52
Votives	\$ 265.77
Actual Received	\$ 2,766.80
vs Budgeted Goal	-\$ 4,500.00
Deficit	-\$ 1,733.20

Christmas Offering	\$ 405.00
Christmas Flowers	\$ 10.00
Initial Offering	\$ 490.00
Immaculate Conception	\$ 13.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$ 1,045.00
All Saints	\$ 15.00
All Souls	\$ 15.00
Energy	\$ 391.00
Building Improvement	\$ 102.00
Maintenance	\$ 67.00

St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box \$151.00

St. Vincent de Paul Society In the life of Mother Teresa, the Two Commandments — To love God and to love our neighbor — are inseparable. In her life and work she exemplifies the relationship between the two: How, if we do not love God we can-not love our neighbor, and if we do not love our neighbor we can-not love God.

Holy Name \$100 Raffle Winners*January 2015*

- # 145 - Carol Jankiewicz
- # 53 - Ted Nestor

Bishop Noll Institute Entrance Exam*Saturday, January 31st**Arrive by 7:45am, and enter by door A*

- \$25.00 Fee -

1519 Hoffman Street
Hammond, IN 46327

For questions, please call: (219) 932-9058

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Jan 19	Young At Heart (KH)	1:00pm
Jan 21	RCIA (Rect)	7:00pm
Jan 22	Parent Club (KH)	6:30pm
Jan 27	Pantry Setup (KH)	9:00am
Jan 28	Big Pantry (KH)	3:30pm
Jan 28	RCIA (Rect)	7:00pm
Feb 3	Liturgy Meeting (KH)	6:00pm
Feb 6	Holy Name (PMR) - Off Mtg	7:00pm
	- Gen Mtg	8:00pm

Initial Offering Envelopes

Please remember to use your Initial Offering Envelope in the January packet. A suggested donation of \$10.00 will help defray the cost of printing and mailing contribution envelopes.

Please pray for our Service Members:

Eugene Zmija, U.S Air Force - SSgt David Burks, U.S. Army - Sgt Eric L. Abram, U.S. Air Force - Lt. Commdr. Nicholas Garcia, U.S. Navy Pilot - SPC Waylon Bader, US 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 - Cpl Kristin Pala, US. Marine Corps - Capt. Lisa Klekowski, US.Army - PFC Patrick Paskiewicz - U.S. Army - PVT David Cook, US Army - Petty Officer Second Class Laura A Tomczak, U.S Navy - LTC Peter Allen Kubas, U.S. Army - A1C Kelly Shanahan, U.S. Air Force - Master Sgt. Christopher Saberniak, U.S. Air Force - A1C Nicolaos Hofbauer, U.S. Air Force - Sgt. Ernest Silva, U.S. Marine Corps - Jonathan Daniel Ladowski, U.S. Marine Corps.

If you know of a family member who is no longer serving, please contact the Rectory at 646-4877 so they may be removed from this prayer list.

MISSION STATEMENT of ST. FLORIAN PARISH

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 community 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
- 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.

Worship

Altar Servers
 Choirs, Cantors & Musicians
 Ministers of Communion
 Liturgy Committee
 Ministry of Care
 Ministry of Consolation
 Ministry of Lectors
 Faith Sharing Groups
 Ushers & Greeters
 Bible Study

Education and Adult Formation

Elementary School
(Pre-K through 8th)
 Baptismal Preparation
 R.C.I.A.
 Parish Pastoral Council
 Religious Education
 Vacation Bible School
 Evangelization Committee

Service

Garden Club
 Finance Council
 St. Vincent de Paul

Parish/School Organizations

Holy Name Society
 Knights of Columbus
 Parents' Club
 Ladies Rosary Sodality
 Young at Heart
 Athletic Association

***Mission Statement of
 St. Florian Parish Pastoral Council***

St. Florian Parish Pastoral Council is a group of parishioners who work together with the pastor to act as a consultative body for the parish. Our mission is to build a prayerful, evangelizing and welcoming spirit for the benefit of the faith community.

***Memorials
 And Gifts of Remembrance***

You may remember your deceased loved ones in the following ways:

	Donation	
<u>Daily Masses</u>	\$ 10	
<u>Tree of Life</u>		
Gold Leaf	\$ 100	
Small Stone	\$ 500	
Large Stone	\$1,000	

The Tabernacle Candle
 will be lit in memory of . . . \$ 10

The Gifts of Bread and Wine
 are donated in memory of . . . \$ 15

*Please remember St. Florian Parish
 in your estate planning*

Your Gift, Your Parish
www.paritygift.org



TO ALL WHO CELEBRATE

Whether visitors, long-time residents
 or newly arrived in the Parish, we
 Thank God for you.

If you are not registered,
 or there is a change in your address,
 or telephone number,
 please fill out the form and place it in one
 of our collection baskets or mail it to
 the Rectory

Thank You

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

Please Check One:

New Parishioner New Phone Number

New Address Moving, Remove

from Register