

MASSES FOR THE WEEK**Weekend, January 24 & 25**

4:00 PM + Joseph B. Mistarz - Son, Grand & Great Grandchildren
 8:00 AM + Frank Kubowicz - Doris Karczewski
 9:45 AM + Stanley Lisek - Baker Family
 11:30 AM + All the Parishioners

Monday, January 26

7:30 AM + Freda Ciciora - Family

Tuesday, January 27

7:30 AM + Lisek Family - Maccagnano Family

Wednesday, January 28

7:30 AM + Ann Cummings - Ladies Rosary Sodality

Thursday, January 29

7:30 AM + Catherine Paszczyk - Anthony Jankowski

Friday, January 30

8:00 AM + Adam Kuchnia - Chester Ogarek

Saturday, January 31

7:30 AM + Mary Cihlar - Jackie Herad
 4:00 PM + Bob Karczewski - Family

Sunday, February 1

8:00 AM + All the Parishioners
 9:45 AM + Msgr. Fred Florek - Marty & Theresa Surdell
 11:30 AM + All the Parishioners

**Week of January 25 - January 31**

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

The Tabernacle Candle will be lit this week in memory of
 Good Health Larry Potter

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 31**

4:00 PM D. Ranos, A. Villanueva

SUNDAY, February 1

8:00 AM A. Komosa, R. Dejanovich
 9:45 AM A. Shea, J. Kelly
 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, Michael Boston, Grant Joseph Bradtke, Kevin Chocholek, Rickey Cholipski, Austin Cichy, Philip Corich, Martin Covarrubias, Mary Lou Cowperthwaite, 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, 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, Lillian Smierciak, Alfonso Soto, Irene Stincic, Asunción Villalpondo, Dianne Williams, Chris Wopinski, Loretta Wopinski, Stanley Wrona, Sr., Melissa Young, Residents of Hammond-Whiting 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 26 - St. Timothy and St. Titus

Reading 2 Timothy 1:1-8
Gospel Mark 3:22-30

Tuesday - January 27 - St. Angela Merici

Reading Hebrews 10:1-10
Gospel Mark 3:31-35

Wednesday - January 28 - St. Thomas Aquinas

Reading Hebrews 10:11-18
Gospel Mark 4:1-20

Thursday - January 29

Reading Hebrews 10:19-25
Gospel Mark 4:21-25

Friday - January 30

Reading Hebrews 10:32-39
Gospel Mark 4:26-34

Saturday - January 31 - St. John Bosco

Reading Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19
Gospel Mark 4:35-41

Sunday - February 1 - 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I Deuteronomy 18:15-20
Reading II 1 Corinthians 7:32-35
Gospel Mark 1:21-28

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...

visit us at - www.stflorianschool.org

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.

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.

As you are aware, **the Archdiocese of Chicago has a new Archbishop, Blase Cupich**. He will be celebrating a Mass of Welcome in each Vicariate within the next few months. Our celebration in Vicariate VI will be held on Tuesday, January 27, 2015 at 7:00pm at St. Jude Parish, 900 E. 154th Street in South Holland, 60473. All are Welcome!

Feast of the Presentation of the Lord

Monday, February 2nd is the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord which occurs forty days after Christmas. On this day candles will be blessed and lit as we process into church. If you have candles at home that you would like blessed, please bring them on that day. If you do not have candles, please take one from the basket at the church entrance and return it to the basket after Mass. This day is also known as Candelmas Day with its rite of blessing and the procession with lighted candles which begins the Liturgy. Please join us for this beautiful feast on Monday, February 2nd at the 7:30 morning Mass.

Feast of St. Blaisé

Tuesday, February 3rd is the Feast of St. Blaisé. In memory of St. Blaisé, throats will be blessed after the morning Masses. This custom began in the 16th century and continues today in many Catholic communities. Blaisé is the patron of sore throats. Throats are blessed with two unlit candles in the form of an "X" as the minister invokes the blessing of St. Blaisé.



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

Dwell

In the Scriptures, we find a cluster of similar and important words—dwell, stay, abide, and remain. They all point to a single reality. In the rite of Baptism, water was poured on us. Even more significantly, as Saint Paul says, “God’s love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.” (Romans 5:5) Deep within us, then, in our hearts, God **dwells** within us by the power of the Holy Spirit.

The presence of God dwelling within us through Baptism signals the absolute closeness we enjoy with God. And God’s indwelling presence is reliable. He is always faithful, even if we are not. He stays with us and stands by us. Finally, this presence of God dwelling in us in sacrament and mystery is a foretaste of our future. Our hope and our destiny is that we will dwell in God and God in us, when we see God face-to-face.



Residir

En las Escrituras, encontramos un grupo de pa-labras similares e importantes: **residir**, perma-necer, soportar y resistir. Todas apuntan a una misma realidad. En el rito del Bautismo, se derramó agua sobre nosotros. Lo que es aún más importante, como dice san Pablo: “porque el amor de Dios ha sido derramado en nuestro corazón por el don del Espíritu Santo” (Romanos 5:5). En lo profundo de nuestro ser, entonces, en nuestro corazón, Dios reside dentro de no-sotros por el poder del Espíritu Santo.

La presencia de Dios que reside dentro de nosotros a través del Bautismo señala la cercanía absoluta que disfrutamos con Dios. Y la presencia de Dios es certera. Él siempre es fiel, aun cuando nosotros no lo somos. Él permanece con nosotros y está a nuestro lado. Finalmente, esta presencia de Dios que reside en nosotros en sacramento y en misterio es un anticipo de nuestro futuro. Nuestra esperanza y nuestro destino es que residiremos en Dios y Dios en nosotros, cuando lo veamos cara a cara.

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WEEKLY OFFERINGS**January 17 & 18, 2015**

Sunday Collections	Amount
4:00pm Mass	\$ 777.53
8:00am Mass	\$ 617.39
9:45am Mass	\$ 799.62
11:30am Mass	\$ 402.00
Mailed Donations	\$ 180.00
Actual Received	\$ 2,776.54
vs Budgeted Goal	-\$ 4,500.00
Deficit	-\$ 1,723.46
Initial Offering	\$ 90.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$ 55.00
Latin America	\$ 572.10
Energy	\$ 41.00
Building Improvement	\$ 50.00
Maintenance	\$ 60.00

St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box \$99.00

The St. Vincent de Paul Society loves and works for God. The members love and work for our neighbors in need. They do this through your kind offerings each week in the poor boxes. God will and does reward those who care and share.

January 2015 Book Rack Selection

Dancing Between Two Worlds by Fred R. Gustafson

Overcoming Pornography Addiction by J. Brian Bransfield

Making All Things Well by Isabel de Gruicy

Be a Blessing by Elizabeth M. Nagel

The Parish in Catholic Tradition by James A. Coriden

God First Loved Us by Anthony F. Campbell

Craving the Divine by Niles Elliot Goldstein

Love That Keeps Us Sane by Mark Foley, OCD

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

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

Taste of Lebanon**— An Ethnic Food Celebration —**

Saturday, February 7, 2015

4:00pm to 7:00pm

Taste the flavor of a variety of ethnic food, including: Polish, Irish, Italian, German, Greek, Scandinavian and American Southern cooking. Try your favorites or try something new. Eat in or carry out.

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	
<u>The Tabernacle Candle</u>		
will be lit in memory of . . .	\$ 10	
<u>The Gifts of Bread and Wine</u>		
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