

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Weekend of October 15/16

- 4:00 PM + Ted & Mary Mroz - Family
 8:00 AM + Judy Misora & Sophia Collotta - Mother & Busia
 9:45 AM - 50th Wedding Anniversary of Ed & Judy Lihota
 11:30 AM + Emilia Silva - Family

Monday, October 17

- 7:15 AM + Bernard Dzialakiewicz - Armand & Ann Capana

Tuesday, October 18

- 7:15 AM + Charlie Schutz - Doris Karczewski

Wednesday, October 19

- 7:15 AM + Stephanie Bonczek - Bonczek Family

Thursday, October 20

- 7:15 AM + George Shideler - Dr. Joe & Adeline Novak

Friday, October 21

- 8:15 AM + Carol Ann Palombo - Brother & Children

Saturday, October 22

- 7:30 AM + Stephanie Duszynski - Braver Family
 4:00 PM + Theresa Milewski - Daughter

Sunday, October 23

- 8:00 AM + Helen R. Rucinski - John G. Jedniak
 9:45 AM + Tony Segvich - Family
 11:30 AM + Josefa Y Antonio Davila - Alicia Davila

Week of October 16 - October 22

The Gifts of Bread & Wine are donated this week in memory of
 Bernard Dzialakiewicz - Armand & Ann Capana

The Tabernacle Candle will be lit this week in memory of
 Stephanie Duszynski - Mr. & Mrs. C. Funk

LECTORS

October 2011

- 4:00 PM B. Frederisy
 8:00 AM P. Gadus
 9:45 AM V. Maccagnano
 11:30 AM L. Jimenez

ALTAR SERVERS

SATURDAY, October 22

4:00 PM A. Villanueva, J. O'Keefe, D. Ranos

SUNDAY, October 23

8:00 AM C. Haro, R. Robles, M. Bensett
 9:45 AM K. Best, A. Shea, N. Mooney
 11:30 AM X. Gutierrez, M. Ortiz

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

October 2011

4:00 PM

D. Karczewski
 B. Frjelich
 C. Motkowicz
 M. Cowperthwaite
 R. Haney
 A. Bonczek

8:00 AM

S. Jezior
 E. Podsiadlik
 N. Moll
 K. Gibson
 D. Ciciora
 C. Bozovic

9:45 AM

C. Malone
 M. Czarobski
 P. O'Rourke
 P. Maccagnano
 L. Morse
 J. Gibbons

11:30 AM

O. Haro
 P. Haro

USHERS

October 2011

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, J. Young

9:45 AM

E. Lihota, G. Slusarczyk,
 K. Podgorny, R. Furman,

11:30 AM

T. Baker, M. Gasior, M. Aducci
 R. Manriquez, J. Gonzalez
 M. Suarez

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

In his first Letter to the Thessalonians, Paul expresses “thanks to God always for all of you, remembering you in our prayers.” In the Eucharistic Liturgy, we join with the clergy and the faithful throughout the world to pray for the needs of the Church and the world.

By participating fully in the Liturgy, we offer to God what belongs to God by uniting our prayers, our actions, and our very selves to Christ’s perfect oblation of praise and thanksgiving.

New Words.***Deeper Meaning.******Same Mass.*****Liturgy and Life*****It All Comes Back to the Eucharist***

Living the Christian life is not easy. “What material food produces in our bodily life, Holy Communion wonderfully achieves in our spiritual life. Communion with the flesh of the risen Christ....preserves, increases, and renews the life of grace received at Baptism. This growth in Christian life needs the nourishment of Eucharistic Communion, the bread for our pilgrimage” (CCC, no. 1392).

And so each Sunday, we return to the eucharistic table, bringing all our efforts of the previous week, the good and the bad, the successes and the failures, the joys and the sorrows. We gather with our brothers and sisters in the Lord and, together with our priest, we join these efforts to the perfect sacrifice of Christ, asking that God will receive what we offer back to him in humble thanksgiving. The *Catechism* explains it as follows:

The Church which is the Body of Christ participates in the offering of her Head. With him, she herself is offered whole and entire. She unites herself to his intercession with the Father for all men. In the Eucharist the sacrifice of Christ becomes also the sacrifice of the members of his Body. The lives of the faithful, their praise, sufferings, prayer, and work, are united with those of Christ and with his total offering, and so acquire a new value. Christ’s sacrifice present on the altar makes it possible for all generations of Christians to be united with his offering. (CCC, no. 1368)

Then strengthened by Holy Communion, we are once again sent forth into the world to glorify the Lord in our lives.

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***Please Join Us for a Special Demonstration
of the New Translation of the Mass
Thursday, October 20th at 7PM***

Join us Thursday evening, October 20th at 7PM in the church for an unique experience. We will offer a special demonstration of the new translation of the Mass. All of us will be able to participate and experience the dialogues, prayers and sung acclamations of the new translation that will become effective on November 27th, the first Sunday of Advent. While the demonstration will not actually be a Mass, we will follow the order of the Mass from beginning to end. On this night, we will also display the new Roman Missal that contains all the prayers of the new translation. We hope to see many of you there.

Fr. Jim

We pray for . . .



Debra Mokrzycki, Charlotte Frjelic, Edward Kawa, Grant Joseph Bradtke, Larry Kawa, Stanley Wrona Sr., Austin Cichy, Elaine Antuna, Dale Pelekant, John Koza, Harriet Brodzik, Mary Rolek, Dorita De Cardona, Michael Boston, Steven Schwartz, Marietta Falbo, Linda Stannish, Yesenia Guajardo, Beth Lasse-ter, Chestine Trzuppek, Thomas Frain, Laurie Ferry, Irma Bu- latovich, Alicia Davila, Leona Krawczyk, Stanley Bonczek, Jesus Manriquez, Kevin Chocholek, Chris Wopinski, Philip Corich, David Donahue, Ricardo Morales, Bob Konecek, Martha Kowalkowski, Paul Sherman, Michael Auld, Rosa Guadalupe Guajardo, Jim & Ann Cummings, Dennis Grzyb, Asunción Villalpondo, Thomas J. Lohr, Irma Garcia, Irma Cardenas, Anthony Gromek, Karen Kil, Bertha Soto, Martin Covarubias, Joseph B. Mistarz, Jr., Policarpo Naya, Genoveva Nateras, Peter Ladowski, Barry Piotrowski, Melissa Young, Judy Prokapeka, Rosie Dunmore, Carl Abram, Felicia Pancer, Helen & John Larson, Irene Stincic, Michelle Kendra, Shirley Ostrowski, Marlene Kubiak, Mary- ann Henney, Paul & Pat Pirowski, Joe Moncada, Alfonso Soto, Dianne Williams, Allysa Garcia, Helen Hennessy, 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 - Oct. 17 - St. Ignatius of Antioch

Reading Romans 4:20-25

Gospel Luke 12:13-21

Tuesday - Oct. 18 - St. Luke

Reading 2 Timothy 4:10-17b

Gospel Luke 10:1-9

Wednesday - Oct. 19 - St. John de Brébeuf, St. Isaac Jogues & their companions

Reading Romans 6:12-18

Gospel Luke 12:29-48

Thurs. - Oct. 20 - St. Paul of the Cross

Reading Romans 6:19-23

Gospel Luke 12:49-53

Friday - Oct. 21

Reading Romans 7:18-25a

Gospel Luke 12:54-59

Saturday - Oct. 22

Reading Romans 8:1-11

Gospel Luke 13:1-9

Sunday - Oct. 23 - 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I Exodus 22:20-26

Reading II 1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10

Gospel Matthew 22:34-40

World Mission Sunday

October 22/23, 2011

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

Each Sunday at the celebration of the Eucharist, Christ sends us out into the world to share in his mission: "As the Father has sent me, so I send you." World Mission Sunday is a universal celebration of this call to mission as it is lived out by the whole Church.

The call to mission is made manifest each day as the Church endeavors to make Christ known to the world. This is done through direct proclama- tion of who Christ is and through the many services that the Church provides in every country throughout the world. Children are educated, the sick are nursed, the elderly and disabled are visited and cared for, adults are given opportunities for faith for- mation, seminarians and religious women and men are given resources to grow spiritually and intellectu- ally, all in the name of Christ.

A commitment to mission strengthens our faith and invigorates parish life. Once we have en- countered Christ and experience the grace of con- version, we are sent as missionary disciples into the world to give witness to Christ. Our responsibility for mission never lessens because "the pilgrim Church on earth is missionary by its very nature." World Mis- sion Sunday is our yearly reminder of how the whole Church shares in the mission of Christ at home and abroad.

Blessed Pope John Paul II reminded us that the Church's mission is "very far from completion." We are called to go beyond the borders of our par- ishes and neighborhoods and reach out to people who still do not know Christ and to those who have abandoned faith in Christ. We are all on mission, and today we pause to reflect on the missionary ef- forts of the Church throughout the world.

Please join me in renewing our commitment to mission as an archdiocese. I ask you to pray for the work of the Pontifical Mission Societies and mis- sionaries throughout the world. I encourage you to promote their work in your parish, in religious educa- tion programs and schools. Let us ask the Holy Spirit to deepen our desire to be on mission and give us the grace to be zealous in spreading our faith. May God bless you and reward you for your generosity.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

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

St. Florian School Happenings . . .

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



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

Market Day - Orders are due on Thursday, Nov. 10th and pick up is on Friday, Nov. 18th.

Aluminum Can Recycling - Please bring your aluminum cans to the school parking lot on Wed., Nov. 2nd, by 8 AM.

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.

**SUPER RAFFLE
BINGO BASH**
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2011

(held in the School Gym—131st & Houston)
Doors open 12:00 - Games begin at 1:30
11:30 admittance with your ticket!

\$25.00 ticket includes
Luncheon Buffet - Jimboo's
(Served from 12:00 - 1:30)
Beverage, Dessert, Set-Up,
Raffle, Door Prizes, and More!
\$500.00 Coverall

Make checks payable to St. Florian School.
Call the school office (773-646-2868) or
stop in during school hours (7:30 - 3:00) to
purchase your ticket.

Only 150 Tickets Available!!!
Thank you for your support!

Chicago WTTW Presents CATHOLICISM

In October 2011, **wttw11** will premiere CATHOLICISM,
a groundbreaking new documentary series for public television.

Join **Father Robert Barron**, theologian, author, and sought-after speaker, as he illuminates *what* Catholics believe and *why*... on your local public television affiliate.

wttw11 Dates & Times

Sunday, Oct. 16 at 4pm
Episode 1 - *Amazed and Afraid*: The Revelation of God Becomes Man

Thur. Oct. 20 at 8pm & Sunday, Oct. 23 at 4pm
Episode 3 - *That Than Which Nothing Greater Can Be Thought*: The Mystery of God

Thur. Oct. 27 at 8pm & Sunday, Oct. 30 at 4pm
Episode 4 - *Our Trained Nature's Solitary Boast*: Mary , the Mother of God

Thur. Nov. 3 at 8pm & Sunday, Nov. 6 at 4pm
Episode 5 - *The Indispensable Men*: Peter, Paul and the Missionary Adventure

"Simply the most vivid catechism ever created; a high-def, illustrated manuscript for the 21st century and the best-ever film about Catholic faith." — Brad Miner, Senior Editor of *The Catholic Thing* blog
For more information, go to CatholicismSeries.com

WEEKLY OFFERINGS October 8/9, 2011

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| Sunday Envelopes | \$3,230.50 |
| Loose | \$ 401.04 |
| Energy | \$ 127.50 |
| Children's Offering | \$ 67.90 |
| Maintenance | \$ 191.00 |
| Bldg. Improvement | \$ 144.00 |
| Votives | \$ 110.00 |
| Aunt Martha's Rent | \$4,541.92 |

St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box \$83.00

We Are Listening The St. Vincent de Paul Society exists to assist those in need. We can help those we know about. We hear of their need from people like you. Do you know of a parishioner in need of temporary assistance? Please call the rectory at 773-646-4877 and leave a message.

Free Flu Shots - Cold and flu season is coming. There are free flu shots sponsored by the 10th Ward, Alderman John A. Pope and the Chicago Dept. of Health on Friday, October 21st from 9AM till 2:30PM at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 11207 S. Ewing Ave. Preference is given to adults 50 years of age and older and people with chronic health conditions. Shots provided on a first come, first served basis. For more information call 312-746-5380 or 773-721-1999.

Please pray for our Service Members:



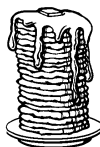
Sgt. Ryan Keene, U.S. Marine Corps -
Chief Dennis Zmija, U.S. Navy - Eugene
Zmija, U.S. Air Force - SSgt David Burks, U.S. Army
- SSgt Eric L. Abram, U.S. Air Force -
Cpl Christopher Abram, U.S. Marine Corps - Lt.
Commdr. Nicholas Garcia, U.S. Navy Pilot - SPC
Waylon Bader, U.S. Army - SPC Mark J. Dancer, 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 - Cpl Kristin Pala,
U.S. Marine Corps - Capt. 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, - Master Sgt. Christopher
Saberniak, U.S. Air Force - A1C Nicolaos
Hofbauer, U.S. Air Force

If you wish to have a family member added to this prayer list, please contact the Rectory at 646-4877.

FEST WRAP-UP MTG - Oct. 18, 7PM, Konsowski Hall
Committee members and heads of school/parish organizations, please be sure to attend. Anyone else interested in discussing the results of this year's Fest are also welcome to join us.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

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| Oct. 16 | Bingo (Gym) Doors open 1:30 |
| Oct. 17 | Young at Heart (KH) 1:00 Parents Club (KH) 6:30 |
| Oct. 18 | Fest Wrap Up Mtg. (KH) 7:00 |
| Oct. 19 | Daisies (KH) 4:30 Liturgy Mtg. (Rectory) 6:00 |
| Oct. 20 | Choir Practice (Church) 6:00 Demonstration Mass (Church) 7:00 |
| Oct. 22/23 | World Mission Sunday Collection |
| Oct. 23 | Bingo (Gym) Doors open 1:30 |
| Oct. 24 | Faith Sharing (KH) 1:00 Faith Sharing (Rectory) 7:00\ |
| Oct. 26 | SVDP Pantry (KH) 3:30 |
| Oct. 27 | School Planning Mtg. (KH) 6:30 |
| Oct. 30 | Bingo (Gym) Doors open 1:30 |



Pancake Breakfast - The next General Pulaski Knights of Columbus #3323 Pancake Breakfast will be held Sunday, October 16th at the St. Columba Social Center 13323 S. Greenbay Ave. "All You Can Eat" Pancakes, French Toast, Eggs to order, Sausage, Coffee, Juice and Milk. Serving hours are from 8AM until 12:00PM. \$7.00 adults - \$3.00 kids 10 and under and 3 and under free. "Split the Pot" will also be available.

Join the Holy Name Society! - Men of the parish, ages 21 years and older, are cordially invited to join the St. Florian Holy Name Society. We meet on the second Friday of every month in Konsowski Hall at 8pm. Dues are \$5 per year. We are a parish organization that raises funds to assist St. Florian, St. Columba and various community organizations in honor of Jesus' name.

October 2011 Book Rack Selection

Slow Release Miracle by Andrew Nugent, OSB
The Bible as Prayer by Stephen Hough
Living the Days of Advent and the Christmas Season by Stephen Collins
Before the Living God by Rush Burrows, OCD
Where Do You Stand by Gregory C. Higgins
Earth Crammed with Heaven
by Elizabeth A. Dryer
Lectio Divina by Christine Valters Painter and
Lucy Wynkoop, OSB
Sundays with Jesus Cycle B
by James Di Giacomo