

MASSES FOR THE WEEK**Weekend, March 22 & 23**

4:00 PM + Richard C. Serafin - Wife
 8:00 AM + Veronica Bartczak - Daughter
 9:45 AM + Carl Abram - Alicia Davila
 11:30 AM + Rev. Henry Kozak - Family

Monday, March 24

7:30 AM + Irene Zielinski - Family

Tuesday, March 25

7:30 AM + Nick Miller - Butch Youngbloom

Wednesday, March 26

7:30 AM + William F. Hayes - Tom & Mary Lu Leonard

Thursday, March 27

7:30 AM + Phil Koziarz - Annette Jurkas
 10:00 AM + Memorial Service for Mary Ann Miceli

Friday, March 28

8:00 AM + Daniel Stevens - Family
 3:00 PM Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 29

7:30 AM + Helen Janesek - Albert Saberniak
 3:30 PM Litany and Benediction
 4:00 PM + Ted & Frieda Nawracaj - Ron & Irene Nawracaj

Sunday, March 30

8:00 AM + Mary Majka - Mr. & Mrs. Walter Lenikas
 9:45 AM + Evelyn Twardosz - Tom & Angie Garcia
 11:30 AM + Carmen Villicaña - Sister In Law

Week of March 23 - March 29

The Gifts of Bread & Wine are donated this week in memory of

The Tabernacle Candle will be lit this week in memory of
 Ted & Frieda Nawracaj - Ron & Irene Nawracaj

READERS**March 2014**

4:00 PM B. Frederisy
 8:00 AM R. Kopazewski
 9:45 AM L. Morse
 11:30 AM M. Megallanes

ALTAR SERVERS**SATURDAY, March 29**

4:00 PM J. Laskowiecki, D. Ranos, A. Villanueva

SUNDAY, March 30

8:00 AM T. Meyer, S. Meyer, N. Meduga
 9:45 AM A. Shea, D. Shea, A. Komosa
 11:30 AM X. Gutierrez, P. Gomez

In Remembrance

Mary Ann Miceli 2/28/14

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**March 2014**

4:00 PM

A. Bonczek
 M. Cowperthwaite
 P. Gadus
 D. Karczewski

8:00 AM

C. Bozovic
 D. Ciciora
 J. Gibbons
 N. Moll

9:45 AM

M. Czarobski
 P. Maccagnano
 C. Malone
 P. O'Rourke

11:30 AM

A. Davila
 I. Jiminez

USHERS**March 2014**

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. Shanahan, 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, Adrienne Bonczek, Michael Boston, Grant Joseph Bradtke, Irma Bulatovich, Kevin Chocholek, Rickey Cholipski, Austin Cichy, Philip Corich, Martin Covarrubias, Ann Cummings, Jim Cummings, Dorita De Cardona, David Donahue, Rosie Dunmore, Marietta Falbo, Laurie Ferry, Charlotte Frjelijch, Bob Frjelijch, 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, Steven Schwartz, Jo Shanahan, Paul Sherman, Alfonso Soto, Irene Stincic, Maria Tokarz, Chestine Trzupek, Asunción Villalpondo, Dianne Williams, Chris 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 - March 24

Reading 2 Kings 5:1-15ab
Gospel Luke 4:24-30

Tuesday - March 25 - The Annunciation of the Lord

Reading I Isaiah 7:10-14; 8:10
Reading II Hebrews 10:4-10
Gospel Luke 1:26-38

Wednesday - March 26

Reading Deuteronomy 4:1, 5-9
Gospel Matthew 5:17-19

Thursday - March 27

Reading Jeremiah 7:23-28
Gospel Luke 11:14-23

Friday - March 28

Reading Hosea 14:2-10
Gospel Matthew 12:28-34

Saturday - March 29

Reading Hosea 6:1-6
Gospel Luke 18:9-14

Sunday - March 30 - 4th Sunday of Lent

Reading I 1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a
Reading II Ephesians 5:8-14
Gospel John 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

Holy Week and Easter Schedule of Worship



Holy Thursday:

April 17

8:00 am Morning Prayer
7:00 pm Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper
Adoration before the Blessed
Sacrament until 11:00 pm
10:30 pm Communal Night Prayer

Good Friday:

April 18

8:00 am Morning Prayer
12:00 pm Way of the Cross
3:00 pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion
(English)
6:00 pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion
(Spanish)

Holy Saturday:

April 19

8:00 am Morning Prayer
1:00 pm Blessing of Baskets (in Church)
7:30 pm Easter Vigil (fulfills the Easter Sunday
obligation)



EASTER SUNDAY:

The RESURRECTION of the LORD

8:00 am (English)
9:45 am (English)
11:30 pm (Spanish)



2014 Mass Book

There are quite a few Masses available in the 2014 Mass Book for the months of April and May. Please stop by the rectory to reserve your Masses.

ANYONE INTERESTED IN RENTING
KONSOWSKI HALL, PLEASE CALL THE
RECTORY FOR MORE INFORMATION.



Spring Brunch! Sunday - April 27th 9 AM - 1 PM

(St. Florian Gym)

Brunch Tickets

Adults \$12 and Children (4 -10) \$5 In Advance

Adults \$15 and Children (4 -10) \$6 At the Door

Menu: Pancakes, Sausage, Cinnamon French Toast, Scrambled Eggs, Chicken, Meatballs, Pulled Pork, Pierogi, Mac & Cheese, Salad and Beverages.

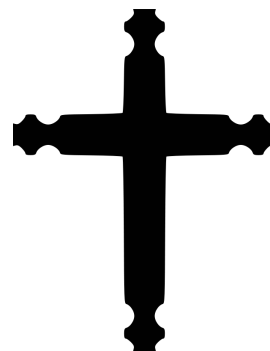
Workers Needed: We need set-up/decorating help and volunteers for the day of the Brunch to help work the kitchen, sell raffle tickets, clean-up, etc. Please call the rectory at 773-646-4877 and let us know if you are available.

Please Bake: We need all you wonderful bakers out there to make a little extra when you do your Easter baking. We would appreciate whatever you would like to make. Breads, cookies, cakes, brownies, apple slices, etc. Looking forward to delicious desserts.

Sponsors: Please consider a monetary donation to help defray expenses. Donations for the raffles would be appreciated as well.

Lenten Series "Catholicism"

Join us in viewing episodes from the documentary series **Catholicism** created and hosted by Fr. Robert Barron on Sunday afternoons at 1:00pm in Konowski Hall. Come travel with Fr. Barron as he explores the beauty and truths of the Catholic faith by journeying to the more than 50 locations in 15 countries to illuminate the spiritual and artistic treasures of the Church. The 60 minute video episodes will appeal to people of all ages including teens and young adults. Take an hour to view and reflect on these episodes as part of *your* Lenten journey. Any who missed the first part of the series are more than welcome to come and see the rest of the episodes.



- * March 23 — A Body Both Suffering and Glorious: The Mystical Union of Christ and the Church
- * March 30 — Word Made Flesh, True Bread of Heaven: The Mystery of the Liturgy and the Eucharist
- * April 6 — World Without End: The Last Things



St. Florian School Happenings...



visit us at - www.stflorianschool.org

Congratulations Alumni!

Principal's Honor Roll

De La Salle Institute
Jessica Amber McKee
Adrian Suarez

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.

WEEKLY OFFERINGS**March 15 & 16, 2014**

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 2,301.00
Loose	\$ 366.10
Children's Offering	\$ 6.00
Votives	\$ 101.00
Actual Received	\$ 2,774.10
vs Budgeted Goal	-\$ 4,500.00
Deficit	-\$ 1,725.90
Ash Wednesday Envelopes	\$ 49.00
Special Loose Collection	\$ 367.89
Energy	\$ 65.00
Maintenance	\$ 10.00
Building Improvement	\$ 79.00

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Mar 24	Faith Sharing (KH)	1:00pm
Mar 25	Pantry Setup (KH)	9:00am
Mar 26	Big Pantry (KH)	2:30pm
Mar 26	Marketing Meeting (PMR)	6:30pm
Mar 27	Choir Rehearsal: St. Cecilia	11:00am
	Men's	2:00pm
Mar 27	Spanish Faith Sharing (KH)	5:30pm
Mar 31	Faith Sharing (KH)	1:00pm
Apr 1	Parish Reconciliation	7:00pm
Apr 2	Liturgy Committee (KH)	6:00pm
Apr 2	School Board (KH)	7:00pm
Apr 3	Choir Rehearsal: St. Cecilia	10:00am
	Men's	2:00pm
Apr 3	Spanish Faith Sharing (KH)	5:30pm
Apr 7	Faith Sharing (KH)	1:00pm
Apr 7	Faith Sharing (KH)	7:00pm

*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 - Sgt. Matthew R.
McGivney, U.S. Army - 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 wish to have a family member added to this
prayer list, please contact the Rectory at 646-4877.*

**St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box \$112.00**

Society of St. Vincent de Paul: The work of the St. Vincent de Paul Society is the Gospel message in action. I was hungry, I was thirsty, I was a stranger, I was naked, I was sick. And you cared.

Holy Name \$100 Raffle Winners

February 10, 2014

236 - Karen Lenart

017 - Alice Szymanski

**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 e-mail address, you do not need to do it again.

**Help us put a touch
of Springtime in our
Church!**

Help us decorate our Church this Easter season with the beauty of spring flowers. We thank you for the support you have shown in past years through the use of our Easter Flower envelopes and encourage you to do so again this year.



Year of Strong Catholic Parents

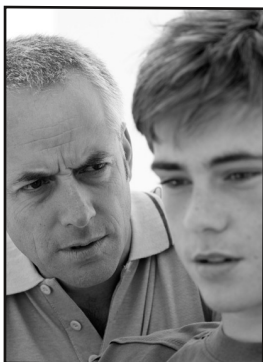
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Raising Faith-Filled Kids - One Word at a Time

Fail

When I was a student at St. Symphorosa grammar school, my class made the Stations of the Cross every Friday in Lent. Following Jesus on his way toward Calvary made a powerful impression on me. I was deeply moved when Jesus fell under the weight of the cross—once, twice, three times. That experience continued to speak to me, especially when I “fell down on the job” as a parent. As much as we may try, no parent is perfect. There are times when we will fail. But we can carry on, knowing that Jesus has walked this way before us. Remember, Jesus received strength from the Father and his Mother, Mary, as well as assistance from Simon of Cyrene. Let that inspire you to seek sources of help in bearing your own particular crosses as a parent. We are not alone.

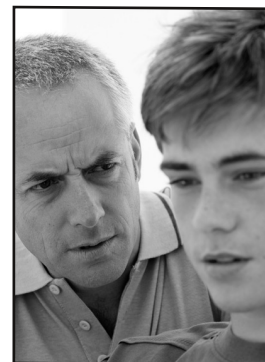


—Tom McGrath

Criando hijos creyentes • una palabra a la vez

Fracasar

Cuando era estudiante en la primaria St. Symphorosa, nuestra clase rezaba el Vía Crucis cada viernes de Cuaresma. Seguir a Jesús en su camino al calvario me causó una gran impresión. Me conmovió profundamente ver a Jesús caer bajo el peso de la cruz, una, dos y tres veces. Esa experiencia continuó teniendo un gran significado para mí, especialmente cuando yo “caía en el trabajo” de ser padre. Por más que lo intentemos, ningún padre es perfecto. Habrá veces en las que fracasemos. Pero podemos seguir adelante, sabiendo que Jesús ha andado este camino antes. Recuerde: Jesús recibió la fortaleza del Padre y de su Madre, María, así como la ayuda de Simón de Cirene. Permita que eso le inspire para buscar fuentes de ayuda al afrontar sus cruces particulares como padre. No estamos solos.



—Tom McGrath

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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*

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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