

MASSES FOR THE WEEK**Weekend, March 29 & 30**

4:00 PM + Ted & Frieda Nawracaj - Ron & Irene Nawracaj
 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

Monday, March 31

7:30 AM + Mary Ann Miceli - Family

Tuesday, April 1

7:30 AM + George T. Cramer, Sr. - Mr. & Mrs. Stan Bugajski
 7:00 PM Parish Reconciliation

Wednesday, April 2

7:30 AM + Caroline Brill - Daughters & Grandchildren

Thursday, April 3

7:30 AM + Jeffery Davy - Youngbloom Family

Friday, April 4

8:00 AM + Bernard La Monto - Sister Lucy
 3:00 PM Stations of the Cross

Saturday, April 5

7:30 AM + Carl Abram - Mary Ann & Bernie Drosos
 3:30 PM Litany and Benediction
 4:00 PM + Evelyn Twardosz - Dolores Waicunas

Sunday, April 6

8:00 AM + Stanley Bonczek - Eugene & Lottie Piekarczyk
 9:45 AM + Josephine Raczak - Family
 11:30 AM + Alfonso Aparicio - Children

Week of March 30 - April 5

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

The Tabernacle Candle will be lit this week in memory of

READERS**April 2014**

4:00 PM J. Struzik
 8:00 AM R. Kopaczewski
 9:45 AM N. Mooney
 11:30 AM L. Jimenez

ALTAR SERVERS**SATURDAY, April 5**

4:00 PM J. Laskowiecki, N. Meduga, A. Juarez

SUNDAY, April 6

8:00 AM T. Meyer, S. Meyer, A. Komosa
 9:45 AM J. O'Keefe, J. O'Keefe, A. Villanueva
 11:30 AM X. Gutierrez, P. Gomez

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**April 2014**

4:00 PM

A. Bonczek
 M. Cowperthwaite
 J. Gibbons
 K. Gibson

8:00 AM

C. Bozovic
 D. Ciciora
 P. Gadus
 N. Moll

9:45 AM

D. Karczewski
 P. Maccagnano
 C. Malone
 P. O'Rourke

11:30 AM

A. Davila
 R. Oseguera

USHERS**April 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 Lassetter, 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 31

Reading Isaiah 65:17-21
Gospel John 4:43-54

Tuesday - April 1

Reading Ezekiel 47:1-9, 12
Gospel John 5:1-16

Wednesday - April 2 - Saint Francis of Paola

Reading Isaiah 49:8-15
Gospel John 5:17-30

Thursday - April 3

Reading Exodus 32:7-14
Gospel John 5:31-47

Friday - April 4 - Saint Isidore

Reading Wisdom 2:1a, 12-22
Gospel John 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday - April 5 - Saint Vincent Ferrer

Reading Jeremiah 11:18-20
Gospel John 7:40-53

Sunday - April 6 - 5th Sunday of Lent

Reading I Ezekiel 37:12-14
Reading II Romans 8:8-11
Gospel John 11:1-45

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

Grand Prize Raffle: \$1,000!

Plus five - \$100 prizes and ten - \$50 prizes.

Only \$1.00 per ticket or book of 12 for \$10.00. Don't forget to pick up your tickets in the back of church.

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

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

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: breads, cookies, cakes, brownies, apple slices, etc. Looking forward to **ONLY HOME BAKED DESSERTS.**



St. Florian School Happenings...



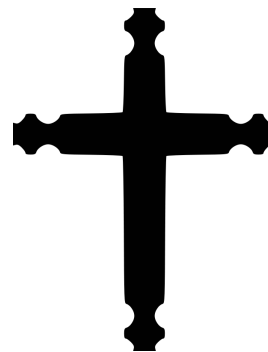
visit us at - www.stflorianschool.org

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.

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 Kon-sowski 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 30 — Word Made Flesh, True Bread of Heaven: The Mystery of the Liturgy and the Eucharist
- * April 6 — World Without End: The Last Things

WEEKLY OFFERINGS**March 22 & 23, 2014**

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 2,456.00
Loose	\$ 372.81
Children's Offering	\$ 5.00
Actual Received	\$ 2,833.81
vs Budgeted Goal	-\$ 4,500.00
Deficit	-\$ -1,666.19
Ash Wednesday Envelopes	\$ 10.00
Central & Eastern Europe	\$ 584.00
Energy	\$ 15.00
Maintenance	\$ 10.00
Building Improvement	\$ 58.00

The Daughters of Isabella, Circle 859, will meet on April 1st at 1:00pm in the St. Columba Social Center. In observance of Lent, coffee and bread will be served after the meeting. The next meeting will be held on May 6th. For more information, please contact Bernice Scallan at (773) 677-7580.

*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.*

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

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
Apr 8	Faith Sharing (KH)	7:00pm
Apr 9	Parent Club (KH)	7:00pm
Apr 10	Spanish Faith Sharing (KH)	5:30pm
Apr 11	Holy Name (KH) Exec. Mtg.	7:00pm
	Gen. Mtg.	8:00pm

St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box \$120.00

Give Us This Day Our Daily Bread When we pray the Our Father, we ask God to provide our food. The majority of us receive sufficient food. Other do not. We can be our Father's instrument by providing "bread" for the needy. You do this by your contributions to the St. Vincent de Paul Poor Boxes.

**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.

The Knights of Columbus General Pulaski Council #3323 will hold a Pancake Breakfast Sunday April 6th with the the Easter Bunny at St. Columba Social Center 13323 S. Green Bay Ave. from 8 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. Free gift from the Easter Bunny for the kids!! There is plenty of convenient and handicap accessible parking. The breakfast will include "All you care to eat" Pancakes, French Toast, Sausage, Eggs to order, Coffee, Milk and Orange Juice. The cost is still the same low price of \$8.00 for adults and \$4.00 for children 10 and under.

**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

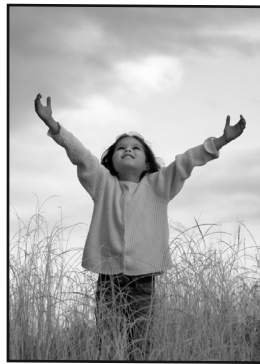
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Raising Faith-Filled Kids - One Word at a Time

Succeed

How do you define success as a parent? As Catholics we look to Jesus as the one whose birth, life, death, and Resurrection most completely and reliably reveal God's dream for us. God wants a relationship with each of us. God wants to be part of all our struggles and our joys, our emptiness and our fullness. God wants us to be free so we can be fully alive. As parents our task is to lead our children to know God, love him, and follow his ways. We know that despite our attempts to protect them, our children will experience the full range of human experiences, emotions, and temptations. We succeed when we pass on to them the conviction that no matter what happens, they can always turn to God who is at their side.

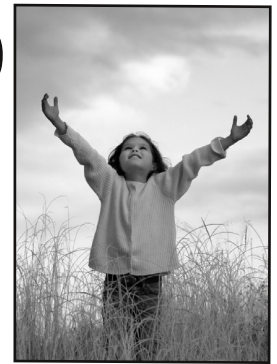


—Tom McGrath

Criando hijos creyentes • una palabra a la vez

Tener éxito

¿Cómo definiría el éxito como padre de familia? Como católicos, vemos a Jesús como la persona cuyo nacimiento, vida, muerte y Resurrección revelan de manera más completa y confiable el sueño de Dios para nosotros. Dios desea tener una relación con cada uno de nosotros. Dios desea ser parte de todos nuestros conflictos y alegrías, nuestros vacíos y nuestra plenitud. Dios desea que seamos libres para estar plenamente vivos. Como padres, nuestra tarea es conducir a nuestros hijos a conocer a Dios, a amarlo y a seguir sus caminos. Sabemos que, a pesar de nuestros intentos por protegerlos, nuestros hijos experimentarán todo el rango de experiencias, emociones y tentaciones humanas. Tenemos éxito cuando les transmitimos la convicción de que, sin importar lo que suceda, siempre pueden recurrir a Dios, que está a su lado.



—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