

MASSES FOR THE WEEK**Weekend, August 15 & 16**

4:00 PM + Tony Wanta - John & Adrienne
 8:00 AM + Peter Bugajski - Bill & Alice Cramer
 9:45 AM + Bernice Kus - Diane Pochopien
 11:30 AM + Modesto & José Livorro Davila - Walter Davila

Monday, August 17

7:30 AM + Joseph Ciciora - Family

Tuesday, August 18

7:30 AM + Paul & Sally Slavik - Family

Wednesday, August 19

7:30 AM + Richard O'Sullivan - Mosser Family

Thursday, August 20

7:30 AM + Lorraine Zalewski - Peg Gadus

Friday, August 21

7:30 AM + Dr. Theo Weber - Phyllis Serafin

Saturday, August 22

7:30 AM + Catherine Paszczyk - Stanley Koztoneski
 4:00 PM + Bob Karczawski - Family

Sunday, August 23

8:00 AM + Dolores Jasek - Barb Gill
 9:45 AM + Walter & Mary Opiola - Ranos Family
 11:30 AM + Rosa Elvia Orozco - Husband

**Week of August 16 - August 22**

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

Clara & George Sech - Irene & Ron Nawracaj

The Tabernacle Candle will be lit this week in memory of

Bob Karczeski - Friends

READERS**August 2015**

4:00 PM A. Bonczek
 8:00 AM R. Kopaczewski
 9:45 AM D. Karczewski
 11:30 AM R. Oseguera

ALTAR SERVERS**SATURDAY, August 22**

4:00 PM J. O'Keefe, J. O'Keefe

SUNDAY, August 23

8:00 AM D. Ranos, A. Villanueva
 9:45 AM A. Shea, J. Salamanca
 11:30 AM P. Gomez

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**August 2015**

4:00 PM M. Cowperthwaite
 J. Gibbons
 L. Morse
 8:00 AM D. Ciciora
 K. Gibson
 N. Moll
 9:45 AM O. Haro
 P. Maccagnano
 C. Ranos
 11:30 AM A. Davila
 L. Jimenez

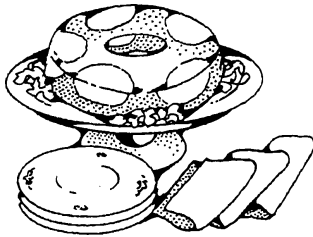
USHERS**August 2015**

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. 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

Steve's Presents

St. Florian Church

Fundraiser Buffet



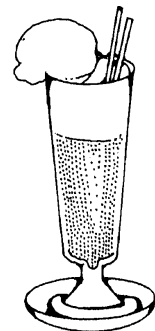
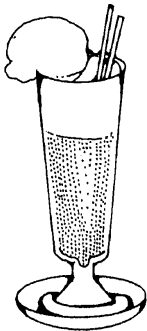
*Sunday, August 23, 2015
From 11:00am to 3:00pm*

*At Steve's
13200 S. Baltimore Avenue, Chicago*



Mark your calendars! On August 23rd, St. Florian Church will host a fund raiser buffet at Steve's, featuring a delicious menus that includes:

- Steve's Famous Fried Chicken
- Steve's Homemade Polish Sausage and Sauerkraut
- House Slow Smoked Pulled Pork
- Mostaccioli
- Oven Roasted Potatoes
- Green Beans
- Garden Salad with Steve's Famous Dressing
- Pasta Salad
- Coffee
- Tea
- Milk
- Iced Tea
- Desert



A cash bar will be available, featuring this area's largest selection of craft beers.

ADULTS: \$20.00

CHILDREN 10 YEARS & UNDER: \$9.00

For reservations please call (773) 550-5218.

Call today!

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, Catherine Drilling, Rosie Dunmore, Marietta Falbo, Laurie Ferry, Charlotte Frjelic, Bob Frjelic, 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, James Rago, John Rosmanitz, Steven Schwartz, Jo Shanahan, Paul Sherman, Lillian Smierciak, Alfonso Soto, Irene Stincic, Chestine Trzupek, Asunción Villalpondo, Dianne Williams, Jim Winter, 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 - August 17

Reading Judges 2:11-19
Gospel Matthew 19:16-22

Tuesday - August 18

Reading Judges 6:11-24a
Gospel Matthew 19:23-30

Wednesday - August 19 - St. John Eudes

Reading Judges 9:6-15
Gospel Matthew 20:1-16

Thursday - August 20 - St. Bernard

Reading Judges 11:29-39a
Gospel Matthew 22:1-14

Friday - August 21 - St. Pius X

Reading Ruth 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22
Gospel Matthew 22:34-40

Saturday - August 22 - The Queenship of Mary

Reading Ruth 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17
Gospel Matthew 23:1-12

Sunday - August 23 - 21th Sunday In Ordinary Time

Reading I Joshua 24:1-2a, 15-17, 1
Reading II Ephesians 5:21-32
Gospel John 6:60-69



St. Florian Convent for Rent

The St. Florian Convent building is for rent to a non-profit organization. It has a spacious kitchen and dining room, several offices, and a large living/recreation room. The second floor has 12 bedrooms and a large restroom. Please call (773) 646-4877 for more information.



ST. FLORIAN CHURCH *is now on Facebook.*

Information and events will be posted on the Florian Hegewisch user page.

What does it mean to be a Parishioner?

1. It means to be officially REGISTERED in the rectory! We need your family information in our business system.
2. What are some of the benefits of being a REGISTERED parishioner? You can get a list of your annual donations to use for tax purposes. As a REGISTERED parishioner, you can receive sacraments, be a sponsor/witness for someone else receiving sacraments.
3. Are there any other ways to become a REGISTERED parishioner? NO.



Que significa ser un Parroquiano

1. Significa estar oficialmente REGISTRADO en la rectorial Necesitamos la información de su familia en nuestro sistema de negocio.
2. Cuales son algunos de los beneficios de estar REGISTRADO como parroquiano:
 - Pueden obtener una lista de sus donaciones anuales con propósito de reportar en sus impuestos.
 - Como un parroquiano REGISTRADO, puede recibir sacramentos, ser padrino/testigo para alguien que este recibiendo los sacramentos.
3. Hay otras maneras que pueda hacerse un parroquiano REGISTRADO? NO.

St. Florian School Happenings...

visit us at - www.stflorianschool.org

2015 - 2016 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.

St. Florian School is offering 5 students FREE tuition for the 2015-2016 school year!

*5 students will be selected via a lottery which
will be held on 09/15/2015*

**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS ARE
CURRENTLY BEING ACCEPTED -
QUALIFYING FAMILIES MAY PAY AS
LOW AS \$75 A MONTH!**

**WIN an IPAD, SAVE \$ on FUNDRAISING
and TUITION & HELP the SCHOOL!**

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.



2015 Mass Book

There are quite a few Masses available in the 2015 Mass Book. Please stop by the rectory to reserve your Masses.

**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.

Registration for Religious Education and Sacramental Preparation

Registration for religious education and sacramental preparation will take place during the month of August in the rectory, 13145 S. Houston Avenue, Mondays from 2:00pm to 4:00pm or by appointment. A registration form must be filled out for each student before they can be admitted to class.

School and Religious Education

Registration for Sacramental preparation - FIRST RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION), FIRST HOLY COMMUNION, CONFIRMATION - A CANDIDATE MUST HAVE TWO CONSECUTIVE YEARS OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION TO RECEIVE ANY SACRAMENT. To register: a copy of the baptismal certificate and the sacramental fee are required (Confirmation candidates check your packets for more information). If you are unable to register during the time listed above, please call Peg - (773) 646-4877 - and we can make other arrangements. Registration will be closed as of Thursday, September 4, 2015.

To be in a Sacramental Program

The Bishop's council has stipulated that no student may be in a sacramental program unless he/she has two (2) **consecutive** years of religious instruction before receiving any sacrament.

First year in Religious Education Program
General religious instruction

Second year in Religious Education Program
Religious instruction and preparation for
First Reconciliation (Confession)

Third year in Religious Education Program
Religious instruction and preparation for
First Holy Communion

WEEKLY OFFERINGS**August 8 & 9, 2015**

Sunday Collections	Amount
4:00pm Mass	\$ 756.00
8:00am Mass	\$ 550.92
9:45am Mass	\$ 587.00
11:30am Mass	\$ 286.30
Mailed Donations	\$ 955.00
Votives	\$ 76.95
Actual Received	\$3,212.17
vs Budgeted Goal	-\$4,500.99
Deficit	-\$1,287.83
Energy	\$ 272.00
Second Energy Collection	\$ 269.35
Building Improvement	\$ 191.00
Maintenance	\$ 181.00

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

RCIA Instructions To Be Offered at St. Florian

Becoming a Catholic Today

The media continues to report stories of how the Christian religion is experiencing a decrease in the numbers in their membership. It is worth noting that the Catholic Church in the United States gains more new members every year than any other religion.

What is RCIA?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a program by which the Catholic Church welcomes new members into its communal life. The RCIA program is a living experience of the church, and NOT just a series of classes to teach you about Christianity. There are discussions about the facts of the faith. These sessions are only one part of the experience of living the faith. This program allows you to learn and share with others who are on the same journey -- living the faith with members of the Church. For more information about the RCIA program, please contact the rectory at (773) 646-4877.

RCIA - The Right of Christian Initiation for Adults

These sessions provide information for adults who wish to become Catholic. Baptized Catholics who have not received the sacraments are also invited to attend these sessions as well as anyone who would like to know more about the Catholic faith.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

- Aug 23 St. Florian Fundraising Buffet at Steve's
11:00am to 3:00pm
- Aug 23 Holy Name Golf Outing
Summer Tree - Crown Point IN 8:30am
- Aug 25 Pantry Setup 9:00am
- Aug 26 Big Pantry 3:00pm

St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box 115.00

Before Dinner - I remember when family gathered together and prayed before mealtime and Mom would ask that we think of those less fortunate. We ask that you remember those friends less fortunate and perhaps share your extra coins by placing a few in the poor box.

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 - 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