

MASSES FOR THE WEEK**Weekend, August 31/September 1**

4:00 PM + Bob Karczewski - Family
 8:00 AM + Dorothy Owens - Phyllis Serafin
 9:45 AM + Richard Furman - Family
 11:30 AM + Carmen Luna - Alicia Davila

Monday, September 2

8:00 AM + Ed Blonski - Family

Tuesday, September 3

7:30 AM + Stanley & Regina Boberek - Joseph & Barbara Boberek

Wednesday, September 4

7:30 AM + Olga Pekala - Ron & Sheila Holupkovic

Thursday, September 5

7:30 AM + Paul Jasek - Maccagnano Family

Friday, September 6

7:30 AM + Barney & Irene Zielinski - Family

Saturday, September 7

7:30 AM + Sophie Burkat - Rita & Carl
 4:00 PM + Betty Czajkowski - June Greene

Sunday, September 8

8:00 AM + Frances Zakrzewski - Eleanor Paszkewicz
 9:45 AM + Ken Baker - Lisa & Dominic Pell
 11:30 AM + Rosa Orozco - Salvador Gonzalez

Week of September 1 - September 7

The Gifts of Bread & Wine are donated this week in memory of
 Betty Czajkowski - June Greene

The Tabernacle Candle will be lit this week in memory of
 Betty Czajkowski - June Greene

In Remembrance

Margaret Bokowy	8/24/13
Stanley Bonczek	8/21/13

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**September 2013**

4:00 PM	M. Cowperthwaite J. Gibbons R. Haney L. Morse
8:00 AM	C. Bozovic D. Ciciora K. Gibson N. Moll
9:45 AM	O. Haro P. Haro C. Malone P. O'Rourke
11:30 AM	A. Davila R. Oseguera

READERS**September 2013**

4:00 PM	J. Struzik
8:00 AM	L. Wopinski
9:45 AM	D. Karczewski
11:30 AM	I. Jimenez

ALTAR SERVERS**SATURDAY, September 7**

4:00 PM J. Laskowiecki, P. Gomez

SUNDAY, September 8

8:00 AM J. Kelly, A. Villanueva
 9:45 AM A. Shea, D. Shea
 11:30 AM X. Gutierrez

USHERS**September 2013**

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

Year of Strong Catholic Parents

July 2013 - June 2014



Raising Faith-Filled Kids - One Word at a Time

Moderation

Moderation helps us find balance. It is the virtue that allows us to keep a good thing from becoming too much of a good thing, whether that's too much food, drink, work, shopping, or the need to be popular. Lack of moderation affects our children in numerous ways: our behaviors set a bad example, we become less available to them, and shame can lead to secrecy and withdrawal from the family. Moderation helps us honestly recognize where we are out of balance and enables us to admit that to trustworthy and helpful people. It also offers us a chance to create new lifegiving habits to replace the ones that cause problems. We don't do this alone. Moderation flows from the grace of God and the support of good companions.



—Tom McGrath

Criando hijos creyentes - una palabra a la vez

Moderación

La moderación nos ayuda a encontrar el equilibrio. Es la virtud que nos permite evitar que algo bueno se convierta en un exceso, ya sea que se trate de un exceso de comida, bebida, trabajo, compras o la necesidad de ser popular. La falta de moderación afecta a nuestros hijos de muchas maneras: nuestro comportamiento da un mal ejemplo, estamos menos disponibles para ellos y la vergüenza que sentimos resulta en secretos y aislamiento de la familia. La moderación nos ayuda a reconocer con honestidad los puntos en los que estamos fuera de equilibrio y nos permite admitirlo frente a las personas confiables y amables. Además, esta virtud nos da la posibilidad de crear nuevos hábitos que dan vida para remplazar a los que causan problemas. Y no lo hacemos solos. La moderación fluye de la gracia de Dios y del apoyo de los buenos compañeros.



—Tom McGrath

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We pray for...



Carl Abram, Barbara Anderson, Michael Auld, Michael Boston, Grant Joseph Bradtke, Harriet Brodzik, 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, Charoltte 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, Karen Kil, Bob Konecek, Martha Kowalkowski, Helen Larson, John Larson, Beth Lasseter, Thomas J. Lohr, Katharina Makara, Joseph B. Mistarz, Jr., Joe Moncada, Ray Mosser, 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 Trzuppek, 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 - September 2 - Labor Day

Reading 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18
Gospel Luke 4:16-30

Tuesday - September 3 - St. Gregory

Reading 1 Thessalonians 5:1-6, 9-11
Gospel Luke 4:31-37

Wednesday - September 4

Reading Colossians 1:1-8
Gospel Luke 4:38-44

Thursday - September 5

Reading Colossians 1:9-14
Gospel Luke 5:1-11

Friday - September 6

Reading Colossians 1:15-20
Gospel Luke 5:33-39

Saturday - September 7

Reading Colossians 1:21-23
Gospel Luke 6:1-5

Sunday - September 8 - 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I Wisdom 9:13-18b
Reading II Philemon 9-10, 12-17
Gospel Luke 14:25-33

August Baptisms:

Henry Begora - Son of
Michael Begora & Anna Kowalczyk
Jimena Rodriguez - Daughter of
José Rodriguez & Claudia Castro
Fatima Marquic - Daughter of
Adrian Marquic & Jimena Martinez
Audrina Storey - Daughter of
Ryan Storey & Monique Alvarado

St. Florian School Happenings...

2013-2014 REGISTRATION!

Registration is underway for 3 & 4 year old Preschool through Grade 8. For further information, please contact the school office at 773-646-2868.

Religious Education Registration

Religious Education for the 2013 - 2014 school year is now open. You can register your children Monday through Thursday from 2:30pm until 6:30pm in the rectory at 13145 S. Houston Avenue. Classes begin on September 8, 2013 at 8:00am. This is for all children who are not enrolled in St. Florian School. Registration will be closed as of Thursday, September 19, 2013.

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.

visit us at - www.stflorianschool.org



MARRIAGE
Unique for a Reason

ONE MAN, ONE WOMAN, FOR LIFE
Messages on Marriage Redefinition

The big picture

Marriage is a great gift to men, women, children and society. The Church serves and strengthens marriage by providing pastoral care to engaged couples and marriages at all stages, and in any difficulty. The Church promotes and defends marriage by preaching and teaching about marriage's authentic meaning.

Single Parents

Those who, often through no fault of their own, become single parents strive heroically and make great sacrifices to raise and provide for their children need and deserve our respect and support. The key point is not to deliberately or intentionally deprive children of their mother and father, which would be the necessary consequence of enshrining in the law the claim that a man and a woman are not necessary to make a marriage.

Family

Marriage is about building families, not just about adult relationships. A husband and wife united in marriage are the foundation of a family. And since the union of a man and a woman naturally is ordered to children, marriage is the place where children are welcomed and the family grows.

These messages come from a statement issued by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops.

Florian Fest
Car Show

Saturday - October 12, 2013
12:00 to 3:30pm and 5:00 to 9:00pm
St. Florian Parking Lot

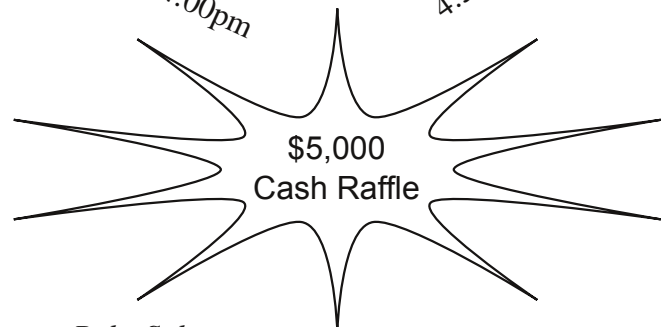
Fest Day

Sunday - October 13, 2013
11:00am - 8:00pm
131st & Houston Avenue
(St. Florian Gymnasium In Hegewisch)

Live Music!

The Ampol-Aires
Polka Band
12:00 to 4:00pm

The Bed Bugs!
4:30 to 8:00pm



Bake Sale

The Florian Fest Committee is looking for bakers! Please drop off your home made goodies at the Rectory. Your yummy donations will be very much appreciated!

Kid's Activities

Raffles All Day

Pancake Breakfast

The General Pulaski Council #3323 Knights of Columbus will host a Pancake Breakfast on Sunday September 15th in the St. Florian Gymnasium 131st & Houston. It will be a fundraiser for our church's air conditioner repair project. "All You Can Eat" Pancakes, French Toast, Eggs to order, Sausage, Coffee, Juice and Milk will be served between 8:00am and 12:30pm.

\$8.00 adults \$3.00 kids 12 to 4 Free kids 3 and under

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; and
- 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	Ministry of Consolation
Choirs, Cantors	Ministry of Lectors
Musicians	Faith Sharing Groups
Ministers of Communion	Ushers
Liturgy Committee	Greeters
Ministry of Care	Bible Study

Education / Adult Formation

Elementary School (Pre-K through 8th)	Parish Pastoral Council
Baptismal Preparation	Religious Education
R.C.I.A.	Vacation Bible School
	Evangelization Committee

Service

Garden Club	St. Vincent de Paul
Finance Council	

Parish / School Organizations

Holy Name Society	Ladies Rosary Sodality
Knights of Columbus	Young at Heart
Parents' Club	Athletic Association

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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Your Gift, Your Parish

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.

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become words.

Watch your words; they
become actions.

Watch your actions; they
become habits.

Watch your habits; they
become character.

Watch your character; it
becomes your destiny.

Fr. Richard Rohr