Our Lady at St. Germaine

Our Lady at St. Germaine Parish Center: 708-636-5060

9711 S. Kolin Avenue Oak Lawn, Illinois 60453

St. Germaine School: 708-425-6063

2023

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



NOW I HAVE SEEN AND TESTIFIED THAT HE IS THE SON OF GOD.

JOHN 1:34



A Letter from the Pastor

Dear Parish Family of Our Lady at St. Germaine,

When St. John the Baptist saw Jesus he proclaimed, "Behold the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world."

When the priest raises the host and the chalice just before communion, he will say those same words.

Our response is: "Lord I am not worthy that you should come under my roof, but only say the word and my soul will be healed." This response on our part, as we well know, also comes from the Gospel. When the centurion asked Jesus to heal his son, he told Jesus he was not worthy for him to enter under his roof. His words, Christ's words, would be enough to heal his son.

As we proclaim Christ as the Lamb of God, may we be worthy to welcome Jesus under our roof. And of course, we know that the only way that we can be worthy is to put our trust in the healing and forgiving power of Christ, the Lamb of God, that died on the cross to free us from sin, heal us, and make us worthy.

Through our acts of charity, our lives of forgiveness, our actions that bring healing to others, we proclaim that we truly believe in Christ as the Lamb of God, who heals us.

Throughout this coming year may we open our hearts to the Lord that he may make a dwelling place within us.

Sincerely,

Ros. Phomos S. Cabala

Adoration Chapel

Adorers are needed for the following;



Tuesday 3~4pm 4~5pm Thursday 1~2pm 2~3pm

Please call Fran Barba at 708~567~6119 to help.



We're back.....

Fridays in Lent February 24-March 31

We hope you can join us!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Heb 5:1-10; Ps 110:1-4; Mk 2:18-22 Tuesday: Heb 6:10-20; Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9, 10c; Mk 2:23-28

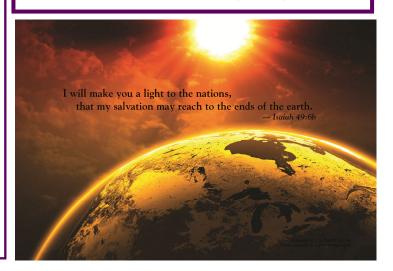
Wednesday: Heb 7:1-3, 15-17; Ps 110:1-4; Mk

5:1-0 Thurs

Thursday: Heb 7:25 — 8:6; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Mk 3:7-12

Friday: Heb 8:6-13; Ps 85:8, 10-14; Mk 3:13-19 Saturday: Heb 9:2-3, 11-14; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Mk 3:20-21

Sunday: Is 8:23 — 9:3; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; 1 Cor 1:10-13, 17; Mt 4:12-23 [12-17]



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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, January 16-MLK Day

8:30AM Mass: Irene Kaval

Tuesday, January 17-St. Anthony

8:30AM Mass: Rose Perfetti

Weds, January 18-Weekday

7:00AM Mass: Robert Foley 8:30AM Communion Service:

Thurs., January 19-Weekday

8:30 AM Mass: Rose Scourtes

Friday, January 20-St. Fabian, St. Sebastian

8:30 AM Mass:

Deceased Members of Our Lady at St. Germaine

Sat., January 21-St. Agnes

8:30 AM: Irene Kaval

4:00 PM: Theresa Dyrek, Gene Branecki, Bealles & Linkowski Families, John McClorey

Sun., Jan 22-3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30ÁM— Our Lady at St. Germaine Parish 9:30AM—Sharon Worobiew, Michael Pacetti, Jim Thome

11:30AM – Patty Murphy, Anthony Morrone

REMEMBER OUR BELOVED DEAD

Barbara R. Cahill

Please pray for those who are sick, their families & caregivers, including:

David Akai, Michael Barry, Brian Bednarski, Chris Benjamin, Virginia Bovilsky, Elaine Bridgeman, Baby Nolan Burby, Diane Cernivivo, Pat Cesak, Geri Chaput, Taylor Collard, Mary Connolly, Alexandra Connor, Matthew Connor, Ann Contorno, Elizabeth Czajka, Jericho Jeffrey DeVivo, Emily DiPierro, Adriana Elgas, Paige Epstein, Karen Finn, Walter Furtner, Patsy Galecki, Giblin Family, Lynn Groebe, Gerardo Gonzalez, Pearl Goworowski, Tom Hamilton, Peg Hansen, Kaitlyn Hedderman, Debbie Heitz, Cathy Hinz, Gina Jakelski, Robert "Mitch" Jones, Liz Kapovich, Dennis Kelsch, Garry Keller, Lorna Kendall, Alvina Kita, Richard Kita, Joe Kress, Mario LaPorte, Judith Lasky, Charles Lee, Kim Lewis, LaVerne Lewandowski, Frank Lopez, Ray Lynch, Eileen Carroll Lynch, Rita Martin, Eugene Martyn, Michael Mattaliano, Raimonda Miknius, Dean Ojeda, Raul Osornio, Katherine Pape, Nicolas Rossio, Frank Roti, Guadalupe Martin Ruvalcaba, Marty Safstrom, Sharon Safstrom, Norma Salas, Devin Sanchez, Audrev Schmitz, Monica (Ranalli) Schuberth, Mary Schwappach, Phillip Scropp, Jayme Shipman, Ellie Smith, Ryan Smith, Joe Smyth, Kayla Smyth, Carol Spero, Michael Stupay, Rita Daniels Suchor, Jay Szewczyk, Patty Tapia, Kimberly Thielen, Mary Ann Trop, Ethan Trusk, Tom Trusk, Zach Trusk, Vickie Vertucci, Pat Walker, Casey Wiedenski, Adrienne Wild, Susan Zak, Gussie Zawaski

SNOWBIRDS

If you are away for an extended period of time, please be sure to send a note with your envelopes, or email the following info to:

jstazak@archchicago.org

Name, address, Winter address, Email, Date leaving and Date returning. Thank you for helping us keep our records up to date.

Save the Date:

Taize Prayer Service February 1, 2023.

Ministers' Schedule for January 21 & 22, 2023					
	SAT 4:00 PM	SUN 7:30 AM	SUN 9:30 AM	SUN 11:30 AM	
Proclaimer	M. Maslanka	J. Antos	E. McDermott	A. Powers	
Eucharistic Ministers	J. Akai D. Kowalczyk	D. Clark J. Antos	E. Akroush M. Panarella	M. Powers G. DiBenedetto	
Altar Servers	P. Bray-Katzmann A. Covarrubias		A. Daley F. Daley	C. Kearns E. Kearns	

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STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Please be generous in your support of our parish ministries and services.

January 8, 2022

Sunday: \$7,825.00

Sunday (GIVE CENTRAL): \$2,299.50

SUNDAY TOTAL: \$10,124.50

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Food Baskets: \$120.00

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Initial Offering: \$113.00

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Solemnity of Mary: \$258.00

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FOOD PANTRY



Big THANK YOU to all of who have donated food and a shout out to Jewel on 88th & Ridgeland for helping us provide dinners to ver 70 families!!

Needed this month....

Soups, canned tomatoes, pasta sauce, jelly, cereal, mac & cheese, pudding cups, cookies, toilet paper.

Gift cards to buy perishables

THANK YOU FOR ALWAYS HELPING US HELP OTHERS

Split The Pot Drawing

Last week envelope #193 was drawn and did not participate in the drawing. The amount of \$467.50 will be added to this weeks pot..

Don't forget to put your regular Sunday envelope and your orange envelope in for your chance to win!

Good Luck!

Greetings from Fr. George! He is settling well in California. His contact info;

Fr. George Velloorattil 1884 Arlington Court Manteca CA 95337 vgeorge78@yahoo.com

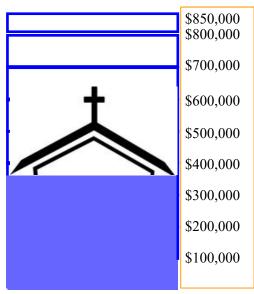


Thank you to the **275** donors who have started off our *Raise the Roof* campaign pledging \$383,095.23!

We continue to receive pledge cards in the mail daily and will keep you updated on how successful this campaign is.

Thank you for your sacrifice and generosity.

Can you help us raise the roof?



16th Annual Fish Fry

Friday's February 24th through Friday March 31st



Dear Friends,

We are pleased to announce Our Lady at St. Germaine will be hosting our tenth annual fish fry in the Parish Hall. We have been on a break but are so excited to be back!! In the past years, our fish fry served over one thousand people who live and shop in the nearby areas.

We are offering you the opportunity to place an ad for \$10.00 a week on our placemats. The ad will run for 6 weeks, with the total cost of \$60.00. Space is limited so get your ad today!

We thank you in advance for supporting us and helping us make this event a memorable and lasting

tradition for our Parish and community.

Send us your ad or business card with payment to: OLSG

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Best wishes to
Joe Smith
The Class of 2020
Love,
Mom. Dad &

Mom, Dad & Katie

IT'S TIME FOR THE FISH FRY!

Friday, February 24th will kick off our 16th Annual Fish Fry. Once again, the Fish Fry will be hosted by the Athletic program and the Men's Club. We look forward to another successful year. Anyone who is interested in helping out should fill out the form and return it to school.

This year in addition to the normal help, we are also looking people, individuals or families to help with some of the behind the scenes work. We can use help on Fridays after school for set up and prep. We are also looking for anyone who may be interested in helping with weekly shopping as well. And as usual, we have Friday time slots 4:45pm ~ 8:00pm that will be divided into kitchen, bar, serving and bussing. Cleanup/breakdown time slots will begin at 7:30pm.

This is the perfect opportunity for this year's 7th graders to begin working on service for Confirmation next year. We also can use high school kids to help also.

Please mark down your availability of dates. We look forward to meeting new people and we will do our best to schedule everyone for at least one time slot.

Thank you in advance for your help. ~ Greg Kirwan, Jim Ruzich & Jen Stazak

 NAME	 	Cell	
Email Address		<u>, </u>	
Interested in helping with set-up and prep		Fridays (please availability and	Interested in helping with shopping ad time preference)
	Friday, February 24 th	4:45pm ~ 8:00pm	Clean up
	Friday, March 3 rd	$4{:}45pm \sim 8{:}00pm$	Clean up
	Friday, March 10 th	$4{:}45pm \sim 8{:}00pm$	Clean up
	Friday, March 17 th	$4{:}45pm \sim 8{:}00pm$	Clean up
	Friday, March 24 th	4:45pm ~ 8:00pm	Clean up
	Friday, March 31st	$4{:}45pm \sim 8{:}00pm$	Clean up
If you can help any time please	e let us know!!		

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For Information or reservations, please contact us at secretaryolpf@gmail.comwww.oaklawnparksfoundation.org/or follow us on Facebook!

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WEEKDAY MASS:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday: 8:30AM Mass Wednesday: 7:00AM Mass, 8:30AM Communion Service

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday: 4:00 PM; Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:30 AM

RECONCILIATION: Saturday from 2:45-3:30 PM

ADORATION CHAPEL:

Tuesdays 9-6pm, Wednesdays 9-8pm, Thursdays 9-6pm

Welcome to Our Lady at St. Germaine Parish!

To register in the parish, or for information about any of our organizations, ministries, services, or educational opportunities, please call the Parish Center at 636-5060.

BAPTISMS- Call Parish Center to schedule.

Fr. Thomas S. Cabala Pastor Jack Malone Senior Deacon, Prison Ministry Permanent Deacon Joe Gonzalez Frank Mamolella Permanent Deacon Amy Condon Operations Director Philip O'Rourke School Principal Marianne Powers Director of Children's Faith Formation Sr. Regina DeVitto CND Liturgy & Worship Dan Arens Liturgy & Music Minister of Care Casey Wiedenski (636-6647) Nancy Dunne Minister of Care Molly O'Grady (636-8001) **COURAGE** Jen Stazak Office Manager **Bulletin Editor** jenstazak@yahoo.com







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