May 26, 2024
Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity
PARISH PICNIC

Saturday, June 8, 6-10 pm
School Parking Lot

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Precious Things
By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

I once wrote an article about a school that embraced the Reggio Emilia approach to education. This meant, in practice, a lot of fascinating things, and it was a fun piece to work on. But all these years later, I could not accurately describe the Reggio Emilia style of learning to anyone except to say this: they give the kids glass bowls and china plates.

That’s what stuck with me, and that’s what sticks out in my memory amidst the hundreds of intervening articles and interviews on other equally fascinating topics. I remember those glass bowls and cups lining the shelves, the fine china dishes, the beautiful shiny cutlery the children used for lunch.

This was a preschool, and these students were three-year-olds. “If they drop a cup and it shatters, then they learn that glass can break. We clean it up,” the teacher said with a shrug. The idea was that a child will never learn to handle a fragile, precious thing — and grow into an adult who can respect and cherish a fragile, precious thing — if they are not sincerely trusted with a precious thing whose fragility they bear personal witness to.

The breaking, you see, was part of the education.

_The disciples worshiped, but they doubted._ And yet, Christ gave them the Great Commission anyway, something fragile and important, something that could be easily dropped and easily broken. Christ knew who they were, what they were. They were mere human beings, deeply imperfect, scared and hesitant, a little slow on the uptake. He knows that’s exactly what we are, too. But he gives us the Great Commission just as he gave it to them. Because that is what the Faith is: it is something perfectly beautiful, passed from one flawed person to another, throughout the ages — constantly dropped, constantly broken, and constantly, miraculously, pieced back together again.

“Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations.” ~Matthew 28:19-20

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**SUMMER HOURS**

The Parish Office will be open weekdays from **8:30am – 12:00pm** and from **1:00pm – 4:30pm** during the summer months, beginning June 1. Weekend hours will remain the same, from **8:30am – 1:00pm**.

Groups/Ministries meeting outside these hours will need to secure a key during business hours, prior to your meeting.

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**OUR STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**

**Sunday Collection for May 19, 2024**

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Thank you for your generosity!

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**Guitarists & Instrumentalists Wanted for 6 pm Teen Masses!**

We are looking for guitarists and other instrumentalists to volunteer to play for our Teen Masses on Sundays at 6 pm!

For more information or to join, please contact Emilia Walasik (Youth Minister and 6 pm Mass Music Coordinator) at youthmin@olwparish.org

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REP 2024–2025

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Register by July 31 to guarantee a spot!

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Vacation Bible School
June 10-14, 2024
9:30am-11:45am

Grades: Incoming Kindergarten - 5th Grade
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Middle & High School Volunteers
Sign Up Here:
We Are in the LOOP!

Our Lady of the Wayside Church has had a hearing loop since 2018. The system has been designed to cover all seating areas in the church and will allow any hearing aid equipped with a telecoil to listen directly to our PA system. This results in very clear sound to the hearing aid and makes speech very easy to understand.

Many hearing aids already have a t-coil (also called a telephone coil, telecoil, or audio coil) installed and simply need to be activated by your hearing care professional. To make use of the system, just ask your hearing care professional a few questions:

1. Do my hearing aids have a t-coil?
2. If yes, Can you please activate it?
   If no, do my hearing aids have a compatible streaming device to connect to the loop?
3. Please show me how to put my hearing aids into “t-coil mode”?

If anyone would like to learn more about hearing loops please request a brochure from the parish office or visit www.Loopit8.com.

If you have any questions, please call or email Kathy O’Neill at (224) 518-1780 or email parishnurse@olwparish.org.

A collection of short stories.

John Shea’s collection of timeless, short writings includes 35 stories, each introduced by a Gospel quote that not only inspires or illuminates them but also, as John contends, “hints at the ultimate meaning of what follows.”

John Shea, a prolific theologian and storyteller, has authored over twenty books on theology and spirituality, along with three works of fiction and three books of poetry. His diverse career includes serving as an Executive Director, a Senior Scholar in Healthcare Advocacy, a research professor in Pastoral Studies, and a Professor of Systematic Theology and Director of a Doctor of Ministry program. John is also a sought-after national and international lecturer, captivating audiences, stimulating intellectual curiosity and nourishing the soul.

Monday, June 17 | 7:00 p.m.
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**Bible Study**

In Person & Online / Friday Morning 9:30

Join us for lively discussion of next Sunday’s readings:
Exodus 24:3-8
Hebrews 9:11-15
Mark 14:12-26

Join us in the Cabrini Room of the Parish Center or email biblestudy@olwparish.org for a sign-in code.
For a sample video, visit: https://bit.ly/4S37x8R

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**ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO**

**TOTUS TUUS**

Summer Youth Camps

**St. Emily, Mount Prospect**

June 9 – 14, 2024

Day program (1st–6th graders)
Night program (7th–12th graders)

For more information and to register, contact:
David Mika
847.299.5865 or dmika@stemily.org

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**WILL YOU BE AN USHER?**

The Parish needs members that can help with Usher duties. Scan the QR code to register for a spot using Sign-Up Genius.

You can also download the app on your phone so you can check in often when you are available.

If you have any questions, please reach out to ushers@olwparish.org.
Thank you for considering this opportunity!
A DAY OF ADORATION
JUNE 27TH, 2024
12:00 P.M. – 9:00 P.M.
SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE
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(847) 294-1806

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO
VICARIATE I
Vigil Mass and Eucharistic Devotion

Saturday, June 29, 2024 | 5 – 7:30 p.m.
National Shrine of St. Maximilian Kolbe at Marytown
1600 West Park Avenue, Libertyville, IL 60048

Join us as we celebrate the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage in the Archdiocese of Chicago!

Holy Mass with Bishop Jeffrey Grob presiding, followed by a testimonial and Eucharistic Adoration/Benediction.

Questions? Please contact Fr. Lawrence Zurek at rector@kolbeshrine.org.
To learn more and register for this event, please visit EucharisticRevivalChicago.org.
ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO

FORE THE KIDS
Archdiocese of Chicago Catholic Schools Golf Outing
Monday, June 24, 2024

Tee off with us at Fore the Kids 2024! Join the Cardinal's Cup competition to support your parish school. Compete for glory on the greens while making a difference for Catholic students. Register now and champion Catholic education with us!

To register, scan or visit:
giving.archchicago.org/golf

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JUNE 2
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PROCESSION
AFTER THE 11:30 MASS

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KATHY O’NEILL, R.N.  
COORDINATOR OF PASTORAL HEALTHCARE

How to Get ‘Unstuck’ from Stress

Many parents look forward to getting their children outdoors as the longer days of warmer weather begin. But for those with children who have allergies and/or asthma, more time outdoors may mean more allergen exposure which can lead to respiratory challenges.

About 4.5 million children under the age of 18 live with asthma, according to the Asthma and Allergy Foundation of America. Allergens are one of the more common triggers of asthma, known as allergic asthma. It is more prevalent in the pediatric population and can taper off in adulthood.

Common triggers, like tree and grass pollen, mold spores and ragweed, can lead to allergy symptoms, including sneezing, itchy throat/nose, nasal congestion and postnasal drip. Your child may also experience an asthma flare-up characterized by wheezing, persistent cough and even breathlessness.

Parents should take these proactive steps to minimize their child’s exposure to springtime triggers:

1. Spring cleaning isn’t reserved for indoors. Head outside and tidy up around your living space. This includes removing moldy leaves and foliage left over from the fall, as that can trigger respiratory symptoms.

2. For children with allergies, begin allergy medications now as the weather is warming up and your child is becoming more symptomatic.

3. Air purifiers can help remove airborne allergens. Stay away from single-room purifiers and obtain a more sizeable, powerful device.

4. Close windows and opt to use air conditioning to help keep outdoor allergens from entering your home as much as possible.

5. Change clothing after spending a significant amount of time outdoors.

6. Regardless of the time of year, parents of children with asthma should ensure rescue inhalers are not expired. If your child starts coughing, use albuterol as a rescue treatment.

7. Pay attention to the air quality index in your area. When it is at 100 or higher, limit outdoor time or consider masking.

8. The time of day and location your child plays outdoors also play a role in the number of triggers they are exposed to. Mornings and evenings are peak times for pollen levels, so it is advisable to avoid those times of day for outdoor play. Stay out of the grass if it is a trigger.

9.  Sunglasses, long clothing and hats can also help protect children from both the sun and allergens.

If you suspect your child has allergies, reach out to their pediatrician, who can recommend a specialist. A simple trial of antihistamine for a child older than 2 years of age may be recommended. Do not wait to seek treatment until your child is very symptomatic. Being more aggressive with treatment of symptoms initially may help in the long run. If you believe your child has undiagnosed asthma or if you are struggling to manage their asthma, contact their doctor.

Article contributed by: Dr. Shimoni Dharia, division director of pediatric pulmonology at Advocate Children’s Hospital.
**WORD OF THE WEEK**

**Ecumenical Council**

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From the Greek for the “inhabited earth”, gatherings of Roman Catholic bishops and other church leaders from around the world, called at the discretion of the pope to determine doctrine, address problems, and make pastoral recommendations for the whole church.

**Pronunciation:** https://tinyurl.com/Take5-ecumenical-council

**CONTEXT**

The Nicene Creed was originally formulated at the first Ecumenical Council of the Catholic Church held in Nicea in 325.

—Catholic Identity, Brisbane Catholic Education

The church itself can be called in a profound theological sense the *ecumenical council* formed in response to the divine convoking.”

—Hans Küng

**WHY IT MATTERS**

The church’s unity is one of its four essential elements or marks (“one, holy, catholic, and apostolic”). Holding a worldwide institution together on the same page across millennia involves collegiality on the part of its leadership. Ecumenical Councils play a vital role in making that unity real.

From Pope John XXIII’s opening speech to the Second Vatican Council, “Ecumenical Councils, whenever they are assembled, are a solemn celebration of the union of Christ and His Church, and hence lead to the universal radiation of truth, to the proper guidance of individuals in domestic and social life, to the strengthening of spiritual energies for a perennial uplift toward real and everlasting goodness.”

**RELATED WORDS**

Marks of the church | Synod | Vatican II | Trent

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**QUESTION OF THE WEEK**

How many councils have there been?

Twenty-one ecumenical councils are recognized by the church. Only two are called Vatican councils since the rest were held elsewhere. Five gathered in the Lateran Basilica in Rome. Four convened in Constantinople. Two took place in Nicaea, and two in Lyons. The longest council was held in Trent. Other locations include Ephesus, Chalcedon, Vienne, and Constance. The curious Council of Basel-Ferrara-Florence-Rome migrated through all four cities.

What did all these councils decide? The first seven (from 325 to 787) condemned divergent theologies about Jesus and iconoclasm, a movement that destroyed icons used in veneration. The eighth council divided the church into East (Constantinople) and West (Rome).

Later councils attempted to restore unity to the Eastern and Western churches—without success. The Council of Trent (1545-63, with several interruptions) confronted the Protestant Reformation. Vatican I (1869-70) declared papal infallibility. The most recent Vatican Council II (1962-65) promoted engagement with the broader world.

—Alice Camille, from Questions Catholics Ask http://tinyurl.com/QCA-councils

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**REFLECTION OF THE WEEK**

MEMORIAL OF PAUL VI, POPE (MAY 29)

**A Pentecostal pope**

The ecumenical movement received a much-needed boost during the papacy of Saint Pope Paul VI (1963-78). After the Second Vatican Council, Pope Paul went out of his way to promote ecumenical dialogue and partnership. He issued formal approval of a joint Catholic-Protestant translation of the Bible on Pentecost Sunday, when the church commemorates the Holy Spirit’s gift of understanding to all peoples.


“Upon this rock I will build my Church.”

**FAITH IN ACTION**

Continue Pius’ work in forging better communication among all God’s people.
MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY:

5:00 pm Saturday, June 1, 2024
Presider: Father Gilbert Mashurano

7:30 am Sunday, June 2, 2024
Presider: Father Gilbert Mashurano

9:30 am Sunday, June 2, 2024
Presider: Father Gilbert Mashurano

11:30 am Sunday, June 2, 2024
Presider: Bishop Jovitus Francis Mwijage

6:00 pm Sunday, June 2, 2024
Presider: Father Mark Augustine

GOSPEL MEDITATION:

May 26, 2024
Solemnity of The Most Holy Trinity

Once I was at a meeting with representatives of various religions. On a coffee break, a man from another religion mused to me: “You know, with all our differences, all religions are really about being good people.” I lowered my cappuccino and said as warmly as I could, “That’s not what mine’s about.” His quizzical look begged for clarification. “Mine is about plunging into the life of God,” I said.

Just before Jesus ascends into heaven, he commands the eleven apostles, “Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you; and behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age.” (Matthew 28:19-20). The word “baptize” means “to immerse in, to plunge into.” It presupposes the use of water. But what does it mean to be immersed in God’s name? In the Bible, God’s name is identical to God Himself. So, to be baptized into water, using Jesus’ formula, is to be plunged into the life of God. Said another way, it is to die with Jesus and rise with him as a member of his body.

The Trinity isn’t a doctrine simply to accept and ponder. It’s more like an ocean: a mystery into which we are baptized... inserted, immersed, dunked, plunged. Baptism gives us power to live our lives as beloved children of God, patterned after Jesus himself, who is always with us, until the end of the ages. Hardly the same as being good people. Stranger, but much better. — Father John Muir ©LPi

Pray for the Sick
Gloria White Bonomo, Susan Cardinale, Marie DeSanto, Donna Hames, Theresa Hansen, Baby Dominic Leoni, Valerie Lund, Mary Mader, Delores McClay, Patricia Murray, Frances Pitzer, Fr. Rich Rhinehart, Marianne Saas, Fr. John Topper, Nick Tsikretsis

Pray for the Deceased
Sara Rivera

SACRED LITURGY:

Monday, May 27, 2024
8:30 am – Davida Hand, Geraldine Harrington, Marsha Cale, Marie Ovnik, Michael Norris

Tuesday, May 28, 2024
8:30 am – Leokadia Nowakowska, Grace Louis Simpson, William Raleigh
6:00 pm – Deceased Members of Our Lady of the Wayside

Wednesday, May 29, 2024
8:30 am – Alex Quattrocchi

Thursday, May 30, 2024
8:30 am – Kenneth Mason, Andrew Quattrocchi, Mark & Donna Gociniak

Friday, May 31, 2024
8:30 am – Deceased Members of Our Lady of the Wayside

Saturday, June 1, 2024
8:30 am – Deceased Members of Our Lady of the Wayside
5:00 pm – Santa & Joseph Panarale, Grace Lorenz, Richard DiPietro, Pat Anderson, Kurt Schultd

Sunday, June 2, 2024
7:30 am – For the Living and Deceased Members of Our Lady of the Wayside
9:30 am – Marilyn McLaughlan, Lenny Schuler, Ron Martin, Christina Maciasz, Maureen Wrate Daley
11:30 am – Connie Ryan
6:00 pm – Frederick Berowski, Chester Kaliszewski, Ursula Ehlers, Irene Prorok, Marie Sobczak

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 26, 2024

Sunday: Dt 4:32-34, 39-40/Ps 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20, 22 (12b)/Rom 8:14-17/Mt 28:16-20

Monday: 1 Pt 1:3-9/Ps 111:1-2, 5-6, 9 and 10c/Mk 10:17-27

Tuesday: 1 Pt 1:10-16/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Mk 10:28-31

Wednesday: 1 Pt 1:18-25/Ps 147 :12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Mk 10:32-45

Thursday: 1 Pt 2:2-5, 9-12/Ps 100:2, 3, 4, 5/Mk 10:46-52

Friday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/ Lk 1:39-56

Saturday: Jude 17, 20b-25/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6/Mk 11:27-33

Sunday: Ex 24:3-8/Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18 (13)/Heb 9:11-15/Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

Pray for those celebrating the Sacrament of Matrimony
II Alexander Smith & Rachel Andersen on June 7, 2024, at 3:00 pm

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(closed from Noon to 1:00 pm)
Saturday and Sunday, 8:30 am – 1:00 pm
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FAX: (847) 253-9810

SCHOOL OFFICE:
Phone: (847) 255-0050
FAX: (847) 253-0543

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Phone: (847) 398-5011

WEEKEND EUCHARISTIC LITURGIES
Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 am and 6:00 pm

DAILY EUCHARISTIC LITURGIES
Monday through Saturday: 8:30 am
Daily and Saturday Vigil Masses are livestreamed on the parish YouTube and Facebook pages.

Mr. Bud Trunk
Chairperson, Parish Pastoral Council
Mr. Neal Loughery
Chairperson, Parish Management Council

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Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Wednesdays at 9:00 am – following 8:30 am Mass.

Tuesdays Together (Through May 30, 2024)
6:00 pm – Mass
Adoration & Confession (immediately following Mass)

Holy Communion for the Homebound & Hospitalized
Please contact Kathy O’Neill at the parish office.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)
Adults interested in learning more about the Catholic faith in order to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and/or Confirmation, please call the parish office.

Pray the Rosary
Monday through Saturday at 8:00 am – preceding 8:30 am Mass.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick
Homebound or ill wanting to receive this Sacrament and the Eucharist, please contact the parish office.

Sacrament of Baptism
Contact Deacon Peter LeTourneau at the parish office to schedule a baptism. A baptismal preparation session is required for your first child.

Sacrament of Marriage
Contact the parish office at least six months prior to a preferred date for necessary preparation.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday 9:30–10:30 am. Or, contact the parish office to schedule a time.

“Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations” ~ Mt 28:19