



Our Lady of the **WAYSIDE PARISH**

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Damp weather didn't dampen smiles or spirits at the OLV Picnic last weekend. Scan the QR code to see more photos.

June 16, 2024
Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Our Lady of the Wayside's
That Man is You ministry extends
God's choicest blessings upon all
Fathers and Spiritual Fathers
this **FATHERS DAY**.

May He walk beside you and
bless, fortify and protect you
and your family, today and
always.

TMIY
THAT MAN IS YOU!

BABY BOTTLE RETURN

It's time to return the baby bottle you picked up on May 4-5! **Bottles are due back Father's Day weekend (June 16-17)**. Please drop your cash or check-filled bottles into the baskets located near all church entrances.

If you choose to donate by check please make your check out to "*The Women's Centers of Greater Chicagoland*".

If you can help bring the full bottles to the back of the gathering space to be packed up (after whatever Mass you attend) please contact kawilk@sbcglobal.net.

Thank you for your heartfelt support for women and babies in need!



COMING SOON!

Children's Summer Choir will take place on Wednesdays, July 17 thru August 21, from 5 to 6pm.

For more information or to sign up to sing with us (*it will be fun!*), please contact Emilia Walasik at youthmin@olwparish.org



**OUTDOOR
ROSARY**
TUESDAYS
4:00 pm
Welcoming
Mother Grotto

**OUR STEWARDSHIP
OF TREASURE**

Sunday Collection for June 9, 2024



		Budget	Variance
Sunday Masses	\$9,606		
Mail and Walk-up	\$3,595		
eGiving	\$15,793		
Total Sunday	\$28,994	\$34,135	(\$5,141)

	This Week	YTD
Priests' Retirement	\$3,503	

	This Week	YTD
School Support		
Rebek	\$25	\$7,199

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Living Parables

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman



Whenever someone begins a sentence with, "This parable means..." I roll my eyes. (Sometimes I do this inwardly, to be polite. But I still do it.)

We have a tendency to treat the parables like our mom's favorite casserole

recipe. *Ah yes*, we think as we sit down to dinner, smiling as we inhale the aroma of childhood. *Good ol' mushy-chicken-rice-thing. I recognize you. I know exactly what you are. I don't even have to think about you.*

Parables are often presented as an example of how God stoops to meet the limits of human understanding: truth, but in a cute little story! And while it's certainly true that the parables of Christ — each word, each detail, each character — are painstakingly crafted to suit the imagination and intelligence of man, we need to be careful how we think about that.

Sometimes we have a tendency to think of parables as simple and formulaic. We consign them to the genre of bedtime stories, whose point is to soothe, to lull. But these are stories that are meant to keep us awake. They are meant to keep us wondering.

When Christ spoke of the mustard seed, he was speaking the truth in words that his disciples needed to hear two thousand years ago. But he was also speaking to you today. And he was speaking to you tomorrow, and next year, and three years from now, and on your deathbed. If you read this parable on each of those occasions, you will hear something different each time. The parable, you see, is something alive.

It doesn't change, exactly, because the truth never changes. But people change, and what they need to hear changes too.

Don't ever make the mistake of thinking you can finish Jesus' sentences.

"With many such parables he spoke the word to them as they were able to understand it." — Mark 4:33

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SCRAMBLE GOLF, LUNCH, DRINKS,
PRIZES, DINNER, AND FUN

JOIN US AT THE ANNUAL WAYSIDE OPEN

JULY 12, 2024

12:30 SHOTGUN START

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WAYSIDE OPEN



Register Today!
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Bible Study

In Person & Online / Friday Morning 9:30



Join us for lively discussion of
next Sunday's readings:

Job 38:1, 8-11

2 Corinthians 5:14-17

Mark 4:35-41

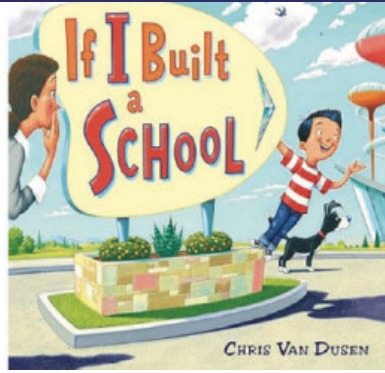
Join us in the Cabrini Room of the Parish Center
or email biblestudy@olwparish.org for a sign-in code.

For a sample video, visit: <https://bit.ly/4ccSH0r>

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



If I Built a School...

Buddy Time



Our last Buddy activity for the year was a fun exercise based on the book, "If I Built a School" by Chris Van Dusen. Buddy pairs worked together and wrote ideas they thought would make the school better. There were some very creative, pie in the sky ideas, as well as great ideas for the administration to consider:

- A pool
- Ice cream every lunch period
- A roller coaster in the school
- No homework or tests ever
- A mini mall
- A petting zoo
- Always a 3-day weekend
- **New bathrooms**

Petting zoos and roller coasters aside, our students are asking for something practical - updated bathrooms!

Our Middle School bathrooms are 60 years old. To continue modernizing our campus for the benefit of EVERYONE, we need support for this project which begins June 17.

Our Middle School Bathroom Renovation Project is underway. Can we count on your financial support?



To Donate

Use the QR code or this link <https://bit.ly/olwbath>
Contact Pat Fitzgerald operations@olwparish.org | Contact Danielle Kenney dkenney@olwschool.org
Find out more on the parish website, <https://bit.ly/olwbathrooms>

Oktoberfest



SAVE THE DATE!

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28
6:00-11:00 PM
SCHOOL PARKING LOT**

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WORLD IS TO BRING OUT THE BEST IN
OTHERS BY LEADING THEM TO CHRIST.

Save these Dates!

July 3rd 12:30-2pm in Gathering Place - **Bingo CANCELLED**

July 21st 2pm Million Dollar Quartet at Metropolis
RSVP REQUIRED for \$36 TICKETS (paid in advance)

Please drop off cash and contact info
the Parish Office by June 24th.

Show Description: This Tony Award-nominated musical takes us
inside one of the greatest rock 'n' roll jam sessions ever recorded,
with four legendary musicians doing what they loved most:
expressing life's joy and sadness through song.

August 7th 12:30-2pm in Gathering Place - **Bingo**

August 10th 11:30-2pm in Gathering Place - **Lunch and Learn**

We hope to be salt & light for each other, our families, and the community at large.
Please join us as we build this community of 55+ men & women
with social & spiritual events throughout the year.
All are welcome - including volunteers to help!!!!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM 2024-2025

'Let the children come to me'
Matthew 19:14

GRADES 1-4
TUESDAYS
5:00-6:00PM

GRADES 5-8
TUESDAYS
6:30-8:00PM



ALL GRADES
FIRST TUESDAY
OF THE MONTH
MASS 6:00PM

TEACH
LIKE
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Please help spread the word
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September 3 Book Pick Up
Sessions September 10, 2024 - April 29, 2025

For More Information
Contact Patty McCarthy
faithformation@olwparish.org

Catechist Interest Form



bit.ly/4bSFFFw



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.

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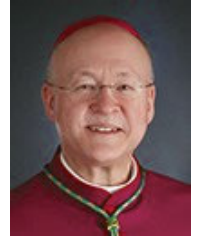
If you have any questions, please reach out to ushers@olwparish.org.

Thank you for considering this opportunity!

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Invites You to join Bishop Jeffrey S. Grob in Celebrating the Holy Mass

The Marian Rosary Devotion of St. Theresa Parish (located at 455 N. Benton, Palatine, IL) is delighted to have Bishop Jeffrey Grob join us in celebrating our 34 years of prayer, and the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Mass.



Please plan to join us on July 1, 2024.

7:00 pm

- Sacrament of Reconciliation with Bishop Grob
- The Rosary will be recited while confessions are being heard

8:00 pm

- Confessions conclude
- Holy Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Grob

For more information please contact:
Diane at (847) 204-5610, or Jean at (509) 856-7502.

Moving Forward In Hope

Join us for an evening of

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Sponsored by the Archdiocese Commission on Mental Illness

Moving Forward in Hope is a monthly series of prayer, connection, and hope.

Our goal is to create a safe place for those living with or those caring for someone with mental health concerns to come together to pray and share with one another.

Connection is paramount to mental health and well-being. These virtual meetings will cover relevant topics and be held monthly on the fourth Tuesday.

**Moving Forward In Hope
Tuesday, June 25th, 2024**

**7-8pm via Zoom
Click [HERE](#) to register**

Or, please reach out to
Deacon Tom Lambert at
olmcinfo2@aol.com



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Monday, June 24, 2024

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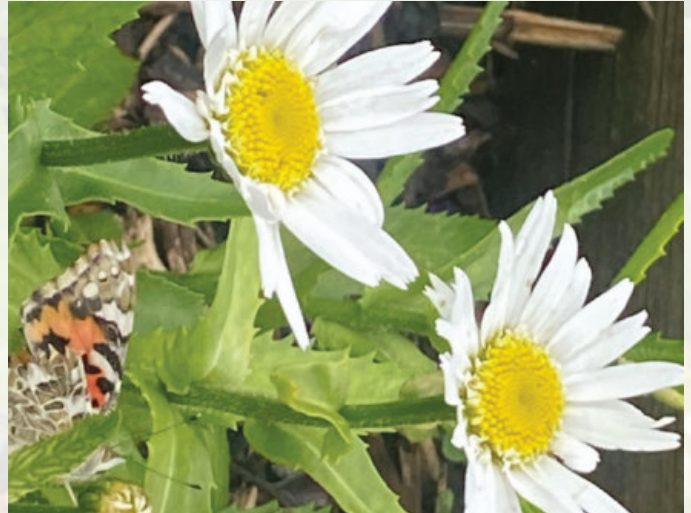
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Mary's Garden

Creating a Garden for Mary

with love from OLW's Preschoolers



We are eager to further a love of nature in our PK friends (aka Gardening Angels) as we grow together with God.

Thank you to our preschoolers for planting flowers in our Mary Garden/Preschool Flower Garden.

Thank you to the parents who planted with our preschoolers: Mrs. Annunziata, Mrs. Carlin, Mrs. Hafner, Mrs. Koziol, Mrs. McVoy, Mrs. Mordan, Mrs. Nathan, Mrs. Schwaner, Mrs. Wermager, and Mrs. Wolf. Thanks, too, to families who generously donated annuals and perennial flowers. Thank you to the McMahon family for their generous monetary donation and supply of many perennials for our garden.

A very special thank you to Len Laughland, one of our preschooler's Pa (and dad of Miss Laughland, one of our 8th grade teachers). Len donated hours of his time prepping the soil, moving some existing plants around to more optimal locations, fertilizing the soil, and donating and spreading mulch. We are very grateful for Len's generous contribution of his time, talents, and treasure. Len and his wife, Pam (Nana) also helped plant flowers with our preschoolers. Thank you!

If you are interested in joining the Gardening Angels Team, please contact Laura Doherty (ldoherty@olwschool.com) or Jane Strzyzynski (jstrzyzynski@olwschool.org). We would love to have your help giving an area of our parish campus some TLC.

Thank you!



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NATIONAL
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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.



NATIONAL SHRINE OF
ST. MAXIMILIAN KOLBE
AT MARYTOWN

KATHY O'NEILL, R.N. 

COORDINATOR OF PASTORAL HEALTHCARE

6 Ways to Master Healthy Grilling

Many Americans will be cooking outdoors as the weather heats up and with that comes a few health concerns, including foodborne illnesses.

According to Barbara Melendi, a dietitian at Advocate Health Care, there are six things you can do to make sure you get that grilled taste of summer while still staying healthy.

1. Marinate meats

Marinating your meat is not only tasty, but also good for your health, too. Marinating your steak can reduce the number of carcinogenic compounds, chemicals formed when meat is charred. Homemade marinades with spices, like rosemary and thyme, are easy and allow you to control the amount of sodium and sugar they contain. Plus, these spices contain natural antioxidants, which boost your immune system and combat the cancer-causing carcinogens in the meat.

2. Lower the heat

Using a slow burn on low heat will avoid charring your grilled foods. Though many say the charring adds flavor, the burnt portions contain carcinogens and other compounds that could lead to cancer down the road. In this case, you want to avoid the burn. If you do happen to burn a bit around the edges, she advises trimming that portion before eating.

3. Keep it lean

Be sure to choose lean meats, like ground chuck hamburger, steaks with “loin” in the name and low-fat ground turkey breast. Plant-based burgers are also a great option.

4. Get the red out

Grilling doesn't mean you have to be eating red meats, which many studies have linked to heart disease and increased cancer risk. Add color besides red to your grill by throwing on fish or vegetables, like mushrooms, zucchini, tomatoes, onions and eggplant. Fruits, like apples, pears and even bananas, are great on the grill.

5. Keep an eye on the sides

Just because it's called a “salad” doesn't mean it's healthy. Avoid the mayonnaise-based side dishes, like potato salad, macaroni salad and even coleslaw, which are tasty, but are usually high in fat and calories. She advises opting for a fresh berry or garden salad, baked chips, cut up veggies with yogurt-based dips and vinaigrette dressings.

6. Choose your condiments wisely

People don't usually even think about some of the things they throw on a burger that can add calories and fat. Instead of cheese, try a slice of avocado. And, as alternatives to ketchup and mayonnaise, she suggests trying salsa for extra veggies and spice, as well as mustard for healthy flavor. Whole wheat buns are a great option for extra fiber.

All in all, Melendi says to enjoy your summer grilling, but choose your foods carefully and try some new, healthy choices.

“And don't forget to clean your grill each time you use it,” she says. “This will further reduce your exposure to cancer-causing carcinogens that build up on the grill over time and can contaminate your healthy food choices.”

Article contributed by: Advocate Health Care Health enews Staff



16 June 2024

WORD OF THE WEEK

Kingdom of God ^{ˈkɪŋɡ-dəm ˈəv ˈɡæd}

Also, reign of God or kingdom of heaven. The spiritual realm over which God reigns, which transcends time and space. A central element to the teaching of Jesus.

Pronunciation: <https://tinyurl.com/Take5-kingdom-of-god>

CONTEXT

As we live in anticipation of the fullness of the **Kingdom**, we have a responsibility to create a world more in keeping with the values of the reign of God. —*Helen Doohan*

The **kingdom of God** is where our best dreams come from and our truest prayers. We glimpse it at those moments when we find ourselves being better than we are and wiser than we know.

—*Frederick Buechner*

WHY IT MATTERS

Ancient Israel held hope in an eternal and universal restoration of the kingship of David. Mark, Matthew, and Luke all emphasize the **Kingdom's** arrival as the principal teaching of Jesus. Jesus proclaims the **Kingdom** in his preaching and in forgiving sins, casting out demons, and restoring the dead to life. Signs of the **Kingdom** include restored vision, hearing, mobility, good news for the poor, and much more. The **Kingdom** requires believers to be fully free, alert, and ready to move at the Spirit's prompting.

From *Gaudium et Spes* (Pastoral Constitution on the Church in the Modern World): "After we have obeyed the Lord, and in his Spirit nurtured the values of human dignity, brotherhood, and freedom, we will find them again when Christ hands over to the Father 'a **Kingdom** of truth and life, of holiness and grace, of justice, love and peace.' On this earth that **Kingdom** is already present in mystery. When the Lord returns it will be brought into full flower."

RELATED WORDS

Signs | Messianic king | Son of David | City of God

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

What does "Kingdom of God" mean?

The **kingdom of God** isn't "heaven"—that is, it's not where we go when we die. It's not even a place. **Kingdom** refers to God's rule. Jesus refers to the **Kingdom** as "among" us and "within" us—always within reach. We don't "get there" so much as abide in it where we are. We participate in the **Kingdom** in various ways: changing our hearts, working toward justice, protecting the vulnerable, and freeing the burdened. We pray for the **Kingdom** to come in the Lord's Prayer.

Jesus offers stories and metaphors for understanding the **Kingdom**: a sower, a mustard seed, a treasure, a banquet. Matthew's gospel references the **Kingdom** almost 50 times. John's gospel makes clear that the **Kingdom** isn't territory to be gained. It's where peace rules and oppression ends. No political system or social program can establish God's rule. We can't make "**Kingdom** come" by our own efforts. Yet we're summoned to enter more fully into the **Kingdom** by reshaping society to conform to its values.

—*Alice Camille, from Questions Catholics Ask <http://tinyurl.com/QCA-Kingdom-of-God>*

REFLECTION OF THE WEEK

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (JUNE 16)

How the mustard seed has spiced up spiritual life

The tiny mustard seed adds flavor not only to a lot of foods but also to a number of religious stories. We are familiar with the gospel parable of the mustard seed, which Jesus used as a model for the **kingdom of God**. To teach humility Jewish texts compared the knowable universe to the size of a mustard seed. And the Quran states that no soul will suffer the least injustice on the Day of Judgment because even the equivalent of a mustard seed will be accounted for on God's scales of justice.

READINGS: Exodus 17:22-24; 2 Corinthians 5:6-10; Mark 4:26-34 (92 <https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/061624.cfm>). "*To what shall we compare the **kingdom of God**? It is like a mustard seed.*"

FAITH IN ACTION

The next time you open a jar of mustard, pause for a moment and ponder the lessons it has taught.

MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY:

5:00 pm Saturday, June 22, 2024

Presider: Fr. Gilbert Mashurano & Deacon Peter LeTourneau*

7:30 am Sunday, June 23, 2024

Presider: Fr. Gilbert Mashurano & Deacon Jerry Brennan*

9:30 am Sunday, June 23, 2024

Presider: Fr. Arthur Marat & Deacon Peter LeTourneau*

11:30 am Sunday, June 23, 2024

Presider: Fr. Gilbert Mashurano & Deacon Paul Onischuk*

6:00 pm Sunday, June 23, 2024

Presider: Fr. Arthur Marat & Deacon Paul Onischuk*

*Homilist

GOSPEL MEDITATION:

June 16, 2024

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

My mother and father fell in love with each other rather quickly. It was only a span of two months between their first meeting and quiet betrothal. They waited for a significant period of time before going public with the happy news. It simply wasn't time. Love's strength and speed can sprout scandal in public. Until the big reveal, they gave the outside world only little hints, gestures, and riddles.

Something like this — but even more wonderful — is at play when Mark says of Jesus, “**he did not speak to them without a parable, but to his disciples in private he explained everything.**” Jesus is the long-awaited messiah-king, but his identity as the Lord and Son of God is so new, surprising, and scandalous to human ears that the big reveal would have to wait. Thus, his parables are riddles, meant to conceal more than reveal. Even the disciples — who hear things explained directly — barely grasp what he is up to. It's only at the cross that Jesus' love for Israel and the world is explicitly revealed. Until then, much stays hidden and comes in riddles.

So it goes with us, too. I wonder at times why doesn't the Lord just speak to us directly in prayer about what we should do, or how to fix our problems. Or why doesn't he reveal himself directly to powerful leaders who are slow to act? Why does he allow life so often to be confounding, contradictory, and crazy? Because it simply isn't time yet. One glorious day, it will be. Until then, he teaches us in riddles, and only sometimes explains them.

— *Father John Muir*

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Pray for those celebrating the Sacrament of Matrimony

III Nicholas Komp & Cristina Restaino
on June 22, 2024 at 3:00 pm

SACRED LITURGY:

Monday, June 17, 2024

8:30 am – Communion Service

Tuesday, June 18, 2024

8:30 am – Communion Service

Wednesday, June 19, 2024

8:30 am – Communion Service

Thursday, June 20, 2024

8:30 am – Communion Service

Friday, June 21, 2024

8:30 am – Dolores Baechle

Saturday, June 22, 2024

8:30 am – Richard Carpenter, Jr.

5:00 pm – Maryann Bohse, William Oshinski

Sunday, June 23, 2024

7:30 am – For the Living and Deceased Members of Our Lady of the Wayside

9:30 am – Cherie Miskey, Robert Boyle, Ersilia Fuerst, Dominick DiVito, Jeanie Agee

11:30 am – Kelly Trecka, Maureen Lavin, John Baron, Dolores Baechle

6:00 pm – For the Living and Deceased Members of Our Lady of the Wayside

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 16, 2024

Sunday: Ez 17:22-24/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 (see 2a)/2 Cor 5:6-10/Mk 4:26-34

Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16/Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7/Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16/Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 12 Kgs 2:1, 6-14/Ps 31:20, 21, 24/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: Sir 48:1-14/Ps 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7/Mt 6:7-15

Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20/Ps 132:11, 12, 13-14, 17-18/Mt 6:19-23

Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25/Ps 89:4-5, 29-30, 31-32, 33-34/Mt 6:24-34

Sunday: Jb 38:1, 8-11/Ps 107:23-24, 25-26, 28-29, 30-31 (1b)/2 Cor 5:14-17/Mk 4:35-41



Pray for the Sick

Gloria White Bonomo, Susan Cardinale, Deacon Tom Corcoran, Marie DeSanto, Donna Hames, Theresa Hansen, Patrick Kennedy, Baby Dominic Leoni, Valerie Lund, Mary Mader, Delores McCloy, Patricia Murray, Frances Pitzer, Fr. Rich Rhinehart, Marianne Saas, Fr. John Topper



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For the Deceased Members of Our Lady of the Wayside



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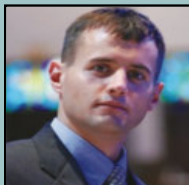
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DAILY EUCHARISTIC LITURGIES

Monday through Saturday: 8:30 am

Daily and Saturday Vigil Masses are livestreamed on the parish YouTube and Facebook pages.

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Wednesdays at 9:00 am – following 8:30 am Mass.

Holy Communion for the Homebound & Hospitalized

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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.

Tuesdays at 4:00 pm, at the Welcoming Mother Grotto

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

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Sacrament of Baptism

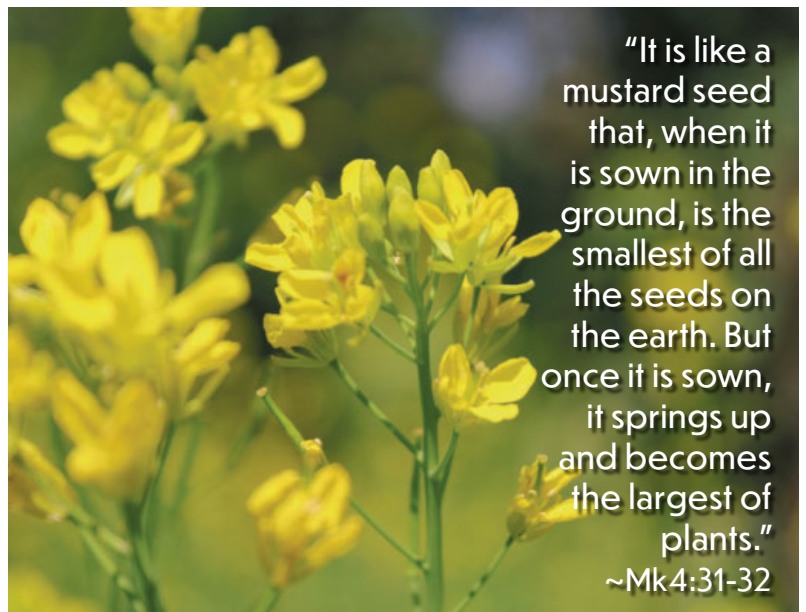
Contact Deacon Peter LeTourneau at the parish office to schedule a baptism. A baptismal preparation session is required for your first child.

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.



"It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants."

~Mk4:31-32