

Jesus said,

“Whoever does the will of God
is my brother and sister and mother.”

MARK 3:35



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JUNE

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2018

TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

ST. THOMAS OF VILLANOVA
A CATHOLIC PARISH FAMILY - PALATINE, IL

Parish Information

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:00pm
Sunday 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:15am
1:30pm (*Polish*)

Weekday 6:30am (*Communion Service*)
8:00am (*Including Saturday*)

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 8:30am—9:30am

NEW PARISHIONERS: All are welcome!
Stop by the Parish Office to register and learn more about our Parish.

BAPTISM: Parents are required to attend a Baptism Preparation class preferable before the baby is born to avoid babysitting concerns. Baptisms are celebrated on most Sundays following the 11:15am Mass. Call the Parish Office for more information. *Upcoming Baptism Prep Classes: Jun 26*

MARRIAGE: Arrangements for the celebration of marriage should be made at least six (6) months prior to your planned wedding date. Call Deacon Tom Dunne for more information.

BECOMING A CATHOLIC: Our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) Process is for adults who were never baptized in any faith, who were baptized in another Christian faith but wish to become Catholic or who were baptized Catholics but never received the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist. Contact the Parish Office for more info. Brochures available in the Gathering Area kiosk.

COMMUNION FOR HOMEBOUND: Ministers of Care are available to bring Communion to the homebound. Contact Deacon Tom Dunne for information.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: Call the Parish Office to add your name to the sick list. Due to patient privacy (HIPAA Law,) only the ailing person, or in case of their incapacitation, the person delegated for the medical care, can add their name to the sick list.

PRAYERS FOR MILITARY PERSONNEL: Call the Parish Office to add a name of someone serving in the military, so our faith community can pray for their safety and service.

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Bulletin deadlines Articles for the bulletin are due on Fridays—9 days before publication date.



Second Family

Dear Parish Family of St. Thomas,

This weekend we have a special Second Collection for the Retired Priests of the Archdiocese of Chicago. This collection supports retirement and health care benefits for our own Archdiocesan Retired Priests—like Father Ray, our Pastor Emeritus. With an increasing number of retired clergy, and an increase in the costs of medical care and nursing home care, this Second Collection becomes even more critical and necessary. Our Parish is blessed with the services of our own retired Father Ray as well as at times other retired priests. I hope that you were generous in today’s second collection as we care about our “priest retirees.” Also don’t forget to keep all of our retired Archdiocesan priests in your prayers.

In every celebration of the Eucharist, there needs to be sufficient Ministers of Holy Communion so that the Eucharist can be distributed in a very reverent and orderly manner. As you know, St. Thomas of Villanova Church—unlike many other churches in the Archdiocese—offers also the Blood of Christ at every Eucharistic celebration. This is very much a part of our Liturgical celebration and our theological spirituality.

We are truly blessed as we have many of our parishioners who serve us in the capacity of an “Extraordinary Minister” (EM) of Communion. We have 119 EMs who faithfully serve our Parish in this very important Ministry. Every weekend at least fifty EMs are assigned and are committed to caring for our Church attendees.

All of our “Extraordinary Ministers” of Holy Communion have received sufficient spiritual, theological and pastoral preparation to fulfill this significant service in the Liturgy. All of our Ministers show the greatest reverence for the Eucharist by their demeanor, attire, prayerful attitude, and the way they handle the Body and Blood of Christ. (Did you know that the EMs gather for prayer in the sacristy before the Mass?) The Ministry of distributing Holy Communion is an exceptional Ministry of faithful service to our faith-filled community. On your behalf, I thank all of our Eucharistic Ministers for serving our Parish Family. We are grateful to all of our EMs who participate in this Ministry.

I am happy to say that we have recently trained eight new Ministers, who have volunteered their services. We are truly blessed to welcome to this Ministry:

Brodie Bertrand	Marianne Jagmin
Mark Besozzi	Celeste Kerr
Flo Costa	Cathy Noles
Cindy Darling	Jola Oliver

We also owe special thanks to Marian DeGroot who heads up this Ministry. (She succeeded Carol Guziak who coordinated the EMs for many years.) She has for the past several years done all of the scheduling and the training of these Liturgical Ministers. And also because of her commitment, we have people who serve us as we receive the Lord in the Eucharist.

The last day of school last week at St. Thomas was most exciting. One of my friends—Staley, from the Chicago Bears—came out and entertained all of our kids out on the front lawn. I don’t know who had more fun—Staley? The kids? Or the faculty? Needless to say, it was loud and noisy! We could hardly “bear” the noise!

Your Pastor,
Father Tom
Rev. Thomas R. Rzepiela



Parish Events

PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday, June 10

8:00am Car Wash *School Parking Lot*
9:40am Children's Liturgy of the Word *MRD*
7:00pm Polish Adult Volleyball *RAC*

Monday, June 11

9:00am Volleyball Camp *RAC*

Tuesday, June 12

9:00am Volleyball Camp *RAC*

Wednesday, June 13

9:00am Volleyball Camp *RAC*
1:00pm Golden Villanovans *MRA & B*
4:00pm VOICES Drop-In *TR/RAC*
6:00pm Eucharistic Adoration *Church*
8:00pm A.A. (Closed Meeting) *MR4*

Thursday, June 14

9:00am Volleyball Camp *RAC*

Friday, June 15

9:00am Volleyball Camp *RAC*

Saturday, June 16

8:40am Morning Bible Study *MRC*

Sunday, June 17

9:40am Children's Liturgy of the Word *MRD*
7:00pm Polish Adult Volleyball *RAC*



SUMMER PARISH OFFICE HOURS

June 4—August 10

Monday thru Friday, 9am—5pm
Saturday, 9am—Noon

TODAY

- **CAR WASH** Come after Mass to the back of school! The 8th Grade Class will be ready to brighten up your vehicle for the summer!
- **GOLF OUTING INFORMATION TABLE** Stop in the Gathering Area after Mass to learn more about this year's Golf Outing. Hospitality provided!

UPCOMING

- **GOLDEN VILLANOVANS** Wednesday, June 13 at 1pm in MRA & B. General Meeting—Speaker: Catholic Charities about programs and events for Senior Citizens.
- **PORTILLO'S DINE-N-SHARE** Thursday, June 14 (Page 5)
- **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION** Register NOW for our summer VBS Program which will be Monday, June 25 through Friday, June 29. (Page 6)

SAVE THE DATE—GOLF OUTING—Friday, July 27

JOB POSTING: RELIGIOUS ED MINISTRY

Job Title: Director/Coordinator of Religious Education

Hours: Part time

Description: We are currently seeking a DRE/CRE for our parish Religious Education Program. Our program serves 400+ students each year. Responsibilities include leading, preparing and participating in weekend/weekday classes for our K-8 program, overseeing sacramental preparation for First Reconciliation, First Communion, and Confirmation, as well as coordinating Children's Liturgy of the Word and Vacation Bible School. This is a part-time position with benefits that has the possibility of becoming a full-time position in the future.

Requirements: Our ideal candidate is faith-filled, passionate, energetic, personable, and flexible. Applicant should possess a DRE/CRE certificate approved by the Archdiocese of Chicago or be working toward certification. Previous experience in a Religious Education Program is required. If you are interested in applying, please send your cover letter and resume to Lisa Lechowicz at stvrec@yahoo.com.



ANNUAL FACILITIES SCHEDULING

It is time again to plan meeting places for Parish Ministries for the next fiscal year (July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.) Packets of information pertaining to event scheduling are being mailed to Ministry leaders. Additional packets are available in the Parish Center or can be emailed, if needed. Contact the Parish Office.



Please remember that **EVERY** activity requiring use of the Parish property **MUST** be scheduled. All spaces (RAC, Kitchen, etc.) must be reserved prior to use. Even if your group has met regularly for years, a request must still be submitted for the space this fiscal year.

Please review the following timeline:

- Scheduling for 2018-2019 ends Friday, June 22, 2018.
- Requests received after June 22, 2018 will be held in a pending status until all the other requests have been processed.
- If there is a conflict, you will be notified either via email or phone to resolve the conflict.
- Final schedule confirmation letters or emails will be sent by July 25, 2018, if the original request was received by the deadline of June 22, 2018.

Note: Going forward, all requests for space must be submitted via a schedule request form. Forms are available in the Parish Office.

If you have any questions, please contact our Business Manager, Deacon John Breit: jbreit@stov.org or 847-358-6999.



**Portillo's
for GOOD**

FUNDRAISERS

Bring in this flyer or show it on your smartphone and 20% of the proceeds will benefit:

**ST. THOMAS OF VILLANOVA
8TH GRADE WASHINGTON DC TRIP**

Thursday, June 14, 2018

5:00pm—8:00pm

At the Portillo's located at:
**806 W. Dundee Road
Arlington Heights, IL 60004**



Rev. Daniel F. Sullivan, Rev. Joseph E. Auer, Rev. William J. Finnegan, Rev. James W. Kinn

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100% of those Priests Depend on You

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They inspired vision, hope and comfort in times of poverty in our souls. They were there when we needed them. Now they're back again, not thinking about their precarious future, but concerned for your spiritual future. Back again as long as they are able.

JUNE 10, 2018

FUND FOR RETIRED PRIESTS

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2018 Vacation Bible School



VBS REGISTRATION FORM

JUNE 25th—29th from 9am—Noon

1141 E Anderson Drive, Palatine, IL 60074

847-358-2386 · stvrec@yahoo.com · www.stvrec.org

Adult Volunteer

In order to run VBS, we need many ADULT volunteers. Please consider volunteering your time! We are looking for helpers to assist our committee chairs. Please check which committee you're interested in helping with.

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|--|----------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Crafts | Adult's Name: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Games | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Theatre (Bible Expeditions) | Contact Phone: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cinema (Kid Video) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cafe / Snack Crew | E-mail: _____ |

If you will be a 7th and 8th Grader in the fall, you can volunteer to help: Please go to www.stvrec.org/vbsvolunteer.

Register your children—\$35 per child

Children ages 4 years old to 5th grade are welcome to join VBS. Children must be 4 yrs. old before 6/26/18 to join.

Cash or Check made payable to: St. Thomas of Villanova

NOTE: FLIP FLOP SHOES are NOT ALLOWED due to safety issues. Thank you.

Family Last Name: _____

Family E-Mail: _____

Child's Name (First and Last)	Gender	Birthday	Grade in Sept 2018	Allergies/Special Needs
1.				
2.				
3.				

Parents' Names: _____

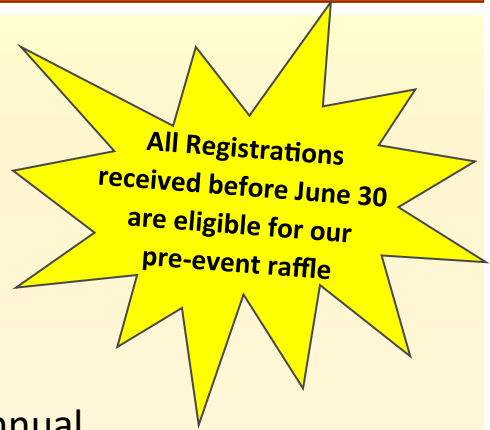
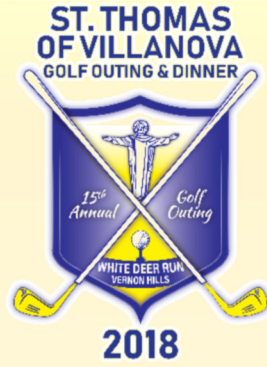
Family Address: _____

Phone: Home: _____ Cell: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____

GENERAL PERMISSION AND RELEASE: The children listed above have my permission to participate in St. Thomas of Villanova VBS Program. In the event I cannot be reached in an emergency, I hereby give permission to secure medical treatment. I also hereby consent that any videotapes or photos in which my child may appear may be used (bulletin, internet, etc.) for promotion of St. Thomas programs.

Parent or Legal Guardian Signature _____ Date _____



St. Thomas of Villanova's 15th Annual
Golf Outing & Dinner Fundraiser

Friday, July 27, 2018

Registration 9:30am; Shotgun Start 12:00pm

PRIMARY REGISTRANT:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

- Please assign me with three other players—**\$150 Individual golfer**
- Please group me with the players listed below—**\$600 Foursome**

Name: _____ Email: _____

Name: _____ Email: _____

Name: _____ Email: _____

Event Men's Shirts—**\$30 each** x _____ Qty = \$ _____
SM _____ MED _____ LG _____ XL _____ XXL _____ XXXL _____

Event Women's Shirts—**\$30 each** x _____ Qty = \$ _____
SM _____ MED _____ LG _____ XL _____ XXL _____ XXXL _____

Please charge \$ _____ to my credit card:

Card No.: _____ Exp. Date: _____

Authorized Signature: _____ Security Code: _____

Please contact the Parish Office for more information.



Our amazing students had a fun filled last day of school on June 1st. After participating in Field Day all morning, students were treated to a hot dog lunch. Then, they were visited by **STALEY, THE CHICAGO BEARS' MASCOT!** Staley led a dance party on the front lawn, signed autographs, and took pictures with the students and faculty. What a great way to end the year!

Our campus is getting a facelift with the new boiler being installed, and a new fence across the back lot. Thank you to the entire **parish** for donating to these projects! Also, Friends of St. Thomas of Villanova School, **FOSTOVVS**, will be renovating the last remaining classrooms with new furniture, shelving, storage cabinets, etc. Our school is so blessed!

TUITION DISCOUNT

We offer a superior education at St. Thomas of Villanova School. There is a discounted tuition rate being offered right now, so think about what a Catholic education will mean for your child and family. Especially going into junior high, why not let your child concentrate on learning in a safe, faith filled environment? Call the school to schedule a tour and speak to your child's future teacher.

God bless,
Mary Brinkman

P.S. STV SCHOOL SUMMER OFFICE HOURS: June 4—August 3 from 9am to Noon, Mon—Thur. (The office will be closed July 2—13, but phones and email will be monitored.)

THE CATHOLIC SCHOOL DIFFERENCE

A new study shows the benefit of demanding student self-discipline.

The Editorial Board ` June 1, 2018

For the thousands of nuns who have served as principals at Catholic schools, their emphasis on self-discipline must seem like common sense. But a new academic study confirms the sisters are on to something: You can instill self-discipline in students, a virtue that will help them in their studies and later in life.

The study was conducted for the Thomas B. Fordham Institute by University of California-Santa Barbara associate professor Michael Gottfried and doctoral student Jacob Kirksey. The authors analyzed two waves of national data on elementary school students collected under the Early Childhood Longitudinal Study for the National Center for Education Statistics. They compared children in Catholic schools with those in public schools and other private schools, religious and secular.

The authors found statistically meaningful evidence that students in Catholic schools exhibited less disruptive behavior than their counterparts in other schools. "According to their teachers, Catholic school children argued, fought, got angry, acted impulsively, and disturbed ongoing activities less frequently," the authors write. Specifically, students in Catholic schools "were more likely to control their temper, respect others' property, accept their fellow students' ideas, and handle peer pressure." In other words, they exhibited more self-discipline.

The authors concede their findings

aren't causal, meaning there might be unobservable differences between students in different schools that account for the striking differences they have found. But the correlation is strong between the focus that Catholic schools put on self-discipline and better student behavior. We also know that, especially in urban areas, black and Latino students who attend Catholic schools show higher achievement, higher graduation rates and higher college enrollment than those at nearby public schools.

At a time when the different suspension rates between minority and non-minority students has become a toxic debate, the authors offer three key judgments:

First: "Schools that value and focus on self discipline will likely do a better job of fostering it in children." If other schools "took self discipline as seriously as Catholic schools do, they wouldn't have to spend as much time, energy and political capital on penalizing students" for bad behavior.

Second: "Assuming that these results reflect a 'Catholic Schools Effect,' other schools might consider both explicit and implicit methods to replicate it." The report notes that some "no excuses" charter schools are already doing this, through the curriculum or the way students interact with adults and teachers who model self-discipline themselves.

Third: "**Don't underestimate the power of religion to positively influence a child's behavior.**" Religion isn't the only way to foster self-discipline, the authors emphasize, but it's effective compared to most of the alternatives in channeling youthful energy into productive self-control.

Catholic school lessons are worth preserving.

2018 FISCAL YEAR SUNDAY SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Date	Weekend Collection	On-Line Giving	Weekly Total	Over / Under Budget: \$23,700
Jun 3	\$25,920.00	\$1,958.00	\$27,878.00	\$ 4,178.00
Jun 10				
Jun 17				
Jun 24				

YTD Totals	
YTD Budget	\$ 1,161,300.00
YTD Actual	\$ 1,064,573.21
Over / (Under)	<i>(\$ 96,726.79)</i>

THANK YOU!

SCHOOL BUILDING SUMMER CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS' REPORT:

Through the generosity of all one-time donors and of all whom completed their pledges during the STV50 Anniversary Campaign, 2010-2014, I'm happy to announce that your generosity has provided the funding to complete the final STV50 Anniversary Campaign PHASE II projects: "Replace Boiler System/Install Digital Controls" and "Replace REC Entrance Doors and Side panels."

- Regarding the school boiler, these four needs became our objectives as we moved through the bidding process guided by the HVAC Construction Manager assigned to us by the Archdiocesan Office of Facilities and Construction:
 - ⇒ Provide a high efficiency boiler with redundancy;
 - ⇒ Replace the 1963 installed pneumatic control system with an electronic digital system;
 - ⇒ Include off-site monitoring capability;
 - ⇒ Remain well within our budget.
- Four bids from Archdiocesan approved HVAC Contractors were received. We chose EDWARDS ENGINEERING to install a 3000 MBH RIELLO ARRAY high efficiency condensing boiler with redundancy as well as an electrical digital control system with off-site monitoring capabilities well under our allotted budget. You may recall that EDWARDS ENGINEERING had successfully completed our church HVAC replacement installation last September.
- This past week, TECNICA Environmental Services, Inc., removed asbestos materials from the boiler room in preparation for the demolition of our 1974 KEWANEE boiler scheduled to begin June 18th. In the meantime, controls replacement tasks will begin in all school interior spaces.
- Regarding the second project, later this summer, LAFORCE, Inc., will replace the Religious Education Center's entrance door system with a Special-Lite store front system matching the other exterior door replacements which were completed in the past.



Thank you!

Ron Schaefer

STOV PROJECT MANAGER

PRAYER SERVICE

Abundance—The Gift of our God
...leftover fragments...filled twelve
wicker baskets. (Luke 9:17)

Join Sister Barbara Mass, SLW for a prayer experience of God's gift and our response.

Wednesday, June 20, 2018
10–11:30 AM or 7–8:30 PM
at the Living Word Center
800 North Fernandez Avenue
Arlington Heights

RSVP by June 14
to bmass329@gmail.com.

MARRIAGE MOMENT

"Love does not consist in gazing at each other but in looking outward together in the direction." (Antoine De Saint-Exupery) The little prince knew something of marriage. Look out over your life and see beyond the crabgrass. What is your most cherished common goal?

PARENTING POINTER

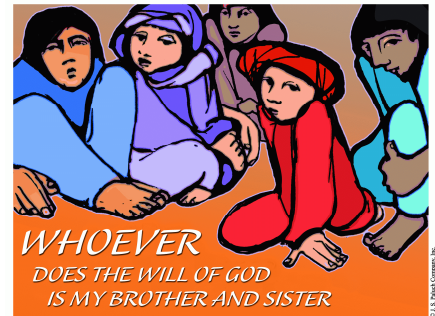
"For whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister mother." (Mk 3:35) Family matters, but perhaps our definition of "family" is too small. Try to identify someone outside of your immediate family who did the will of God this past week. Tell them you noticed.

ON BEING MAD, OR POSSESSED

I've written in the past of the gift my daughter gave me years ago and that has graced my writing desk ever since. It's a framed piece of original artwork that Sarah hand-lettered in green ink on cream-colored paper. The Latin words (*Aut insanit homo, aut versus facit*) are from Horace, a Roman lyric poet who lived and died in the decades just prior to the birth of Christ. Roughly translated, his message (*The fellow is either mad, or he is composing verse*) comes to mind today as I consider the Gospel passage for today. Here, Jesus, after curing--in earlier verses--a man with a withered hand and many, many others, "... came home with his disciples. Again the crowd gathered, making it impossible for them even to eat. When his relatives heard of this they set out to seize him, for they said, 'He is out of his mind.' The scribes who had come from Jerusalem said, 'He is possessed by Beelzebul,' and 'By the prince of demons he drives out demons.'"

Today's Gospel is from Mark, but all four evangelists write of Jesus as having brothers and sisters. At the same time, according to a Catholic website I stumbled upon, "...Scripture scholars and theologians have been debating these and other passages for nearly two millennia, arguing whether those brothers and sisters were in fact biological siblings, step-siblings, 'half' siblings, or not even siblings at all, but cousins." Either way, poor Jesus. I mean, no matter how you define them, his family members are against him. The religious elite--and we all know these guys--are against him, too. I'm reminded of the hook of a bluesy rock hit for The Animals when I was a kid. Perhaps you can still hear it in your head as loudly as I can hear it in mine: "I'm just a soul whose inten-

tions are good/ Oh Lord, please don't let me be misunderstood." Jesus walked the earth millennia ago but this could be his theme song. All the guy wants to do is save the world, but he's misunderstood at every turn. I'm taken by two things that Jesus



says in response to all of this. First, when the crowd tells him "Your mother and your brothers and your sisters are outside asking for you," Jesus responds, "Who are my brothers and sisters?" It's probably just me, but I can hear him saying this in the exact same testy tone of voice I hear in Pilate's "What is truth?" after Jesus tells him that he came into the world to testify to the truth. Second, I find it interesting what Jesus says to the scribes upon their assessment that he casts out demons because he's possessed by the devil: "...all sins and all blasphemies that people utter will be forgiven them. But whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit will never have forgiveness..." Ironically, Jesus is possessed by a Spirit. A holy one, though. Note to self: **Never** diss the Ghost, because on our very best days, we are possessed by the Spirit as well. Which takes us back to Jesus' brothers and sisters. Uh...his brothers and sisters are you and me, especially when we let the Spirit work in us. We're all just souls whose intentions are good, after all, even if we're misunderstood by the world. *Aut insanit homo, aut Spiritu possidetur...*

Children's Worship Bulletin™

June 10, 2018 • Mark 3:20-35

Jesus Speaks to the Crowd

Jesus entered a house, and again a crowd gathered, so that He and His disciples were not even able to eat.

Find these hidden letters in the picture:
J E S U S D I S C I P L E S



Jesus said, "Whoever does God's will is My brother and sister and mother."

Trace the letters.



brother



sister



mother

LITURGY SCHEDULE for JUNE 16 / 17

	SATURDAY 5:00 PM	SUNDAY 7:30 AM	SUNDAY 9:30 AM	SUNDAY 11:15 AM	SUNDAY 1:30 PM
PRESIDER	Fr. Tom Rzepiela	Fr. Mirek Kulesa	Fr. Mirek Kulesa	Fr. Ray Yadron	Fr. Marcin Zasada
DEACON	Deacon John Breit	Deacon Tom Dunne	Deacon Rich Willer	Deacon Mark Duffey	
HOMILY	Deacon John Breit	Deacon Tom Dunne	Deacon Rich Willer	Deacon Mark Duffey	Fr. Marcin Zasada
LECTORS	Ed Boduch Mark Long	Tom Greener Jennifer Hestrup	Bob Stanek Margo Stanek	Jackie Nogle David Asta	
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SERVERS	Billy Shoults Emily Murphy Tyler Murphy	Emmett Maude Kieran Maude McKenzie Maude Ryan Maude	Douglas Hall Ruth Hall Chase McCluskey	Matthew Sloan Timmy Sloan Brianna Holmes	
GREETERS	M G N OPEN Bob & Nancy Bachmann Sylvia Schaffer	Mila Quiaoit Bob & Margo Stanek Don & Geri Ullmer	Cheryl Sutton Stedronsky Family Carol Thompson	Lynn Haas Earl & Carol Schaffnit Roberto & Sharon Zapata	

Our Weekly Prayers

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, June 11

6:30am Communion Service
 9:30am † Colomba Paoletti
 † Marilyn Korney
 † Umberto D'Alessio

Tuesday, June 12

6:30am Communion Service
 8:00am † Lodovico Paoletti

Wednesday, June 13

6:30am Communion Service
 8:00am † Shirley Konczyk;
 † George Cooper

Thursday, June 14

6:30am Communion Service
 8:00am † Rose Casarez

Friday, June 15

6:30am Communion Service
 8:00am † Joseph & Cecilia Sullivan
 7:30pm Mass—POLISH

Saturday, June 16

8:00am All Who Are Sick
 5:00pm All Living & Deceased Fathers

Sunday, June 17

7:30am All Living & Deceased Fathers
 9:30am † Mary Winstead;
 † Margaret Solger;
 † Cherie Bott;
 All Living & Deceased Fathers
 11:15am All Living & Deceased Fathers
 1:30pm Mass—POLISH

DAILY READINGS

Mon: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Ps 98:1-6;
 Mt 5:1-12
 Tue: 1 Kgs 17:7-16; Ps 4:2-5, 7b-8; Mt 5:13-16
 Wed: 1 Kgs 18:20-39; Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab, 8,
 11; Mt 5:17-19
 Thu: 1 Kgs 18:41-46; Ps 65:10-13; Mt 5:20-26
 Fri: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16; Ps 27:7-9abc, 13-14;
 Mt 5:27-32
 Sat: 1 Kgs 19:19-21; Ps 16:1b-2a, 5, 7-10;
 Mt 5:33-37
 Sun: Ez 17:22-24; Ps 92:2-3, 13-16;
 2 Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34

PRAYER
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OUR NEWLY BAPTIZED

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IN SERVICE TO OUR COUNTRY

Lord, bless the men and women of our military as they answer the call to serve our nation and defend our freedom. Protect and heal them-- body, soul, mind and spirit--especially those in harm's way. Most of all let them know your love; that you are with them, and that you will never forsake or abandon them. I ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

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And all those serving in the



ROSE OF LIFE

In Loving Memory of My Wife
 ROSE CASAREZ

FOR OUR DEPARTED, REST IN PEACE

† Cherie Bott
 Wife of George Bott

X NIEDZIELA ZWYKŁA – Dialog

‘Królestwo wewnętrznie skłócone nie może się ostać...’ Analogicznie jest z małżeństwem i rodziną. Dlatego tak istotny jest dialog. On pozwala wzrastać i rozwijać się miłości, a w sytuacjach trudnych, sytuacjach życiowych wyzwań staje się ratunkiem. Pierwszym kryterium dialogu jest znalezienie czasu dla siebie. Następnym – cierpliwe wysłuchanie argumentacji drugiej strony, danie jej szansy powiedzenia wszystkiego, co uważa za ważne. Trzeba umieć się wsłuchać, zracjonalizować przedstawione argumenty, powstrzymać swój język, który od razu rwie się, by wyrażać własne opinie, rady, by krytykować... Są tacy, którzy zdają się wszystko wiedzieć najlepiej. Trudno z nimi rozmawiać, polemizować, przekonywać, bo nie potrafią słuchać. Dialog zobowiązuje do wzajemnego szacunku, cierpliwości i przekonania, że druga osoba pragnie przekazać coś ważnego, a ja chcę to koniecznie usłyszeć...



Świecka osoba, która rozdaje komunię. Czy chciałbyś być ‘posłańcem’ Pana Boga? SZAFARZ KOMUNII ŚWIĘTEJ

Kto może zostać szafarzem nadzwyczajnym? Czy jestem godzien, by udzielać komunii? I w czym szafarz może pomóc?

Funkcja szafarza komunii znana jest w Kościele od czasów starożytnych. Już wówczas chrześcijanie roznosili konsekrowane hostie chorym i więźniom. Później jednak ta funkcja zanikła. Sobór Watykański II powrócił do źródeł chrześcijaństwa i ponownie osoby świeckie mogły – analogicznie jak pierwsi chrześcijanie – roznosić komunię tym, którzy nie mogą być z nimi na Eucharystii.

Kto może zostać szafarzem nadzwyczajnym?

Świecki może być szafarzem nadzwyczajnym – zwyczajnymi szafarzami bowiem są kapłani i diakoni. Biskup powierza osobom świeckim posługę ze względu na potrzeby diecezji, czyli na przykład roznoszenie komunii chorym i tym, którzy nie mogą przybyć na Eucharystię. Szafarze mogą też, gdy jest taka potrzeba, rozdawać komunię w trakcie Eucharystii.

Kto może zostać szafarzem? Kandydata do tej posługi zgłasza proboszcz. Następnie kandydat podejmuje kurs przygotowawczy, na którym poznaje teologiczny wymiar swojej posługi. A potem już tylko błogosławieństwo biskupa i... do dzieła!

Jak zacząć? Jeśli czujesz, że Bóg powołuje Cię do bycia świeckim szafarzem komunii, warto porozmawiać o tym ze swoim proboszczem. Często nie jesteśmy świadomi potrzeb, które są w parafii. Nie warto się przejmować tym, że nie mam czasu albo że jestem niegodny takiej służby. Czas nie jest problemem – szafarze posługują czasem co

dwa tygodnie, często wymieniają się między sobą dyżurami, by mieć czas dla bliskich.

Czy jestem godzien?

Doświadczenie własnej ‘niegodności’ jest raczej znakiem pozytywnym, który może świadczyć o autentyczności powołania. Warto pomodlić się szóstym rozdziałem Księgi Izajasza, w którym prorokowi zostaje ukazana najwyższa świętość Boga. Wówczas Izajasz słyszy pytanie od Boga: ‘Kogo mam posłać? Kto by Nam poszedł?’. Prorok odpowiada: ‘Oto ja, poslij mnie!’ (Iz 6, 8). To najlepsza odpowiedź jaką Bogu może udzielić przyszły świecki szafarz.

Gdy listonosz wręcza list, na który osoba czekała od dawna, dostrzega radość – jest świadkiem spotkania. Osoba oczekuje tych napisanych słów, które pochodzą od bliskiej osoby. W jej oczach można dostrzec nadzieję na bliskość. Listonosz schodzi wówczas na dalszy plan. Jesteśmy mu wdzięczni, ale przecież w centrum jest list...

Analogicznie jest z szafarzem komunii. Jest świadkiem wielkiej radości, oczekiwania i nadziei, ale jest tylko posłańcem. Jednak gdyby nie on Jezus pozostałby zamknięty w tabernakulum, a czekająca na przyjęcie komunii osoba, byłaby pozbawiona tego najważniejszego spotkania.

‘Posłańcem – listonosz’ Pana Boga

Posługa pomocy w udzielaniu komunii świętej jest posługą radosną i wlewającą pokój w serce. Dotykanie Ciała Chrystusa jest niezwykłym doświadczeniem. Jeśli doświadczyliśmy tego zaproszenia, by być ‘posłańcem – listonoszem Pana Boga, z pewnością warto na nie odpowiedzieć. W końcu Panu Bogu się nie odmawia...

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