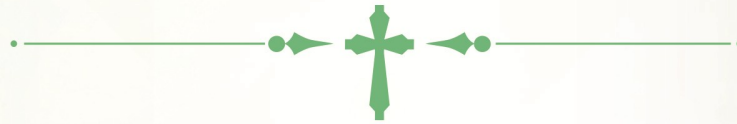


SEPTEMBER 13, 2026
24TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

FORGIVE



“Lord, if my brother sins against me, how often must I forgive? As many as seven times?” Jesus answered, “I say to you, not seven times but seventy-seven times.”

MATTHEW 18:21-22

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FR. FRANK'S FIRE



Jesus' teachings are so clear and yet they are so difficult for us to follow. Today's Gospel begins with a simple question from our friend Peter, "Lord, if my brother sins against me, how often must I forgive?" Peter even answers the question and I bet he was feeling pretty generous when he said, "As many as seven times?" I believe that such a gesture would be rather magnanimous. If someone hurts us once – we can probably easily forgive the person and just let the hurt go. Do the same thing twice or three times – no wait a minute – I am not a fool. It is especially difficult to forgive when it is a betrayal.

Jesus responds that seven times may not be enough, "not seven times but seventy-seven times." Jesus is telling us that there is no limit to God's forgiveness nor there should be any with ours. We are to forgive infinitely. Jesus reminds us that this is how God forgives us and this is how we should treat one another.

True forgiveness to another does not come easily. My mother would always remark, "I will forgive but I will not forget." When you think about this statement are we really truly forgiving? We need God's grace to be able to forgive another. When we forgive from the heart we are not only obeying God's command but we are also benefitting ourselves. After all, who do we hurt when we are bitter and angry – the other person – probably not, only ourselves. May we learn to be as forgiving to others as our heavenly Father is to us.

September – A month of awareness and gratitude for a ministry

September is Suicide Prevention Awareness Month. Suicide is a topic that we often do not talk about. The topic is often taboo and when spoken about it tends to be filled with misinformation and judgement. Although unspoken, suicide has affected most of us through family members or friends. Suicide can affect anyone regardless of age, race, religious background, educational achievements, or economic status. One of my grammar school classmates committed suicide when we were in college. Suicide can be the result of an untreated mental health condition. The purpose of this month is to help move public perception about suicide from "something not talked about" to something that can be prevented if we are aware of the signs.

I have heard so many times, "if you commit suicide, you cannot have a funeral Mass in the Catholic Church" or "if you commit suicide you are going to hell." I do not know where people get their information. In fact, in the Order of Christian Funerals, the Church's official rites, there are prayers for funeral Masses for those that died by suicide. It is difficult to minister to a family that experienced a suicide if the priest does not know the truth.

Once, when I was on retreat, I had dreamt about my grammar school friend. Although it was over two decades after his death, I realized that I had some unfinished business. At the time, I was not aware of the signs that he was in trouble. On reflection, I now realized how he started to break away from our friendship group and seemed to have lost his joy. Unknown to me was that he was failing in his classes and could not live up to his own expectations of himself. I am not sure if anyone could have made a difference – but the knowledge that someone cares might have given him the courage to seek professional help.

I just share this with you because I am aware that so many people and families are hurting, and they are hurting alone. We need to remove the stigma surrounding mental health issues and suicide and become the compassionate face of Christ to others. I always tell my priestly brothers if you are dealing with a situation that is above your skill set – do not be too proud to refer them to a professional.

Anyone experiencing a mental health crisis can call 988 – we should remember this number as we do 911. In addition, the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline is 1-800-273-talk. There is no shame in asking for help. There is always hope. Let us continue to pray for all those that suffer.

FR. FRANK'S FIRE

Three years ago, St. Michael began a new ministry – the St. Michael Mental Health Awareness Ministry. This is a spiritual support group and is not run by mental health professionals. The purpose is of this group is to pray, support and help family members and friends of people with mental health issues. The goal is to provide support and hope through God's grace and the fellowship of others who are experiencing the same struggles.

This ministry is celebrating its third anniversary this month. This was a ministry that was started by a couple of parishioners that felt there was a need and they had a calling to help. I am grateful for our Mental Health Awareness Ministry – together we can help to remove the stigma, misunderstanding and judgments that surrounds mental health issues.

In Christ's compassionate love,
Fr. Frank

St. Michael Mental Health Awareness Ministry <i>Our Next Prayer Gathering & 3rd Anniversary Celebration!</i> WED 7 PM SEPTEMBER 23 IN THE CHAPEL <i>We will be praying the Seven Sorrows Rosary in honor of Our Lady of Sorrows Feast Day September 15.</i> If you or someone you love is struggling and/or living with mental health afflictions we are here with compassion, prayer and holy listening. We offer prayer intentions (and much more) for those with mental illness and their families, praying through the intercession of St. Dymphna. For additional information on our ministry, please visit https://saintmike.com/mental-health-ministry/ or send an email to StMichaelMHAM@gmail.com. 14327 HIGHLAND AVE. ORLAND PARK, IL 60462	 ST. DYPHNA PATRON SAINT FOR THOSE WITH MENTAL AFFLICTIONS PRAY FOR US.	Mental Health Ministry Featured on the Pope's Prayer Network We pray that mental health ministry becomes an integral ministry in the Church that is available in every Catholic parish and community. We pray for the elimination of the stigma and discrimination that people living with a mental illness encounter. Visit clicktopray.org or download the app in your preferred App Store. Visit the Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network at www.popesprayer.va   
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Baptism

In August, we baptized and welcomed the following children into our faith community...

Delaney Teresa Barry & John Paul Barry
Children of Brendan & Molly Barry

Giovanni Isaias Botello
Son of Adan & Betsy Botello

Julian Ferrer Campos
Son of Claudio Ferrer & Luz Maria Campos

Dominick Alan Flores
Son of Paul Flores & Susan Garetto

Peyton Grace Freeman
Daughter of James & Alexis Freeman

Gonzalo Martin Gang
Son of Armando Gang-Velasquez & Nancy Gonzalez

Gavin Hernandez
Son of Osvaldo & Aileen Leticia Hernandez

Christian Bernardo Ramirez
Son of Victor Ramirez & Teresita Del Rosario Rubio

Micaela Robles
Daughter of Manuel & Carolina Robles Jr.

Noah Fernando Zambrano
Son of Fernando & Rosa Zambrano

THE WORD, WE PRAY & HEY, KIDS!

Readings of the Week GLPI

Sunday: Sir 27:30-28:7/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11--12/
Rom 14:7-9/Mt 18:21-35
Monday: Nm 21:4b-9/Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38/
Phil 2:6-11/Jn 3:13-17
Tuesday: 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/
Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35
Wednesday: 1 Cor 12:31-13:13/Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 12 and
22/Lk 7:31-35
Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-11/Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28/Lk
7:36-50
Friday: 1 Cor 15:12-20/Ps 17:1bcd, 6-7, 8b and 15/Lk
8:1-3
Saturday: 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49/Ps 56:10c-12, 13-14/
Lk 8:4-15
Next Sunday: Is 55:6-9/Ps 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18/Phil
1:20c-24, 27a/Mt 20:1-16a



REMEMBER
in your prayers

**We pray for those who
have died and their
families:**

Frank Cannatello

Husband of Nancy

John M. Starkey

Husband of Gloria

Hey, Kids!

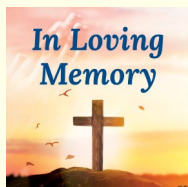


People come in all different sizes, shapes, and colors too, but we all have one thing in common, we all make mistakes! We make a lot of mistakes. That is why God sent Jesus to die on the cross--to help us to fix our mistakes. When we do something wrong, we ask God to forgive us and because of Jesus, He helps us learn from our mistakes and we can start over again and again. Just as God forgives us over and over again, Jesus taught us that we should forgive other people over and over again.

One day Peter asked Jesus, "How many times should I forgive someone who sins against me? Should I forgive him seven times?" I imagine that Peter was pretty proud of himself for being willing to forgive someone seven times. Jesus answered, "Not seven times, but seventy times seven times!" I think Jesus knew that if he said we should forgive seventy times seven times, we would never be able to keep count and we would forgive over and over again, just as He forgives us.

Whatever our sins may be, as long as we work hard to fix our mistakes and correct ourselves from repeating them, Jesus will always forgive us. We are all in need of God's forgiveness. We also need to remember that Jesus taught us that we are to forgive others just as God forgives us. In my opinion, one of the greatest blessings of them all, is that we can make a mistake and then be forgiven. I feel this way because we make mistakes so often. However, if we are truly sorry for our behavior, ask for forgiveness, we are forgiven and we can feel at peace in our hearts. Isn't it a beautiful thought?

Dear Father, we all sin and fall short. Thank you for sending Jesus to forgive us of our sins. Help us to forgive others the same way--over and over again. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.



Funerals and Memorials at St. Michael during the month of August

Angelica Alvarez

Angelica Alvarez Ornelas

Linda Bessell

Ricardo Espinoza

Thomas M. Galvin

Donato Gentile

Jose Sergio Gonzalez Gonzalez

Maria Del Socorro Gutierrez

Mary Ann Joyce

Manuel Z. Martinez

John McCarthy

Virginia Mollo

Robert V. Motto

Janet Musa

James W. Reindl

Charles Stancik

Wayne W. Waiter

Virginia Ruth Williams

Joseph Zembol

WE PRAY & THIS WEEK



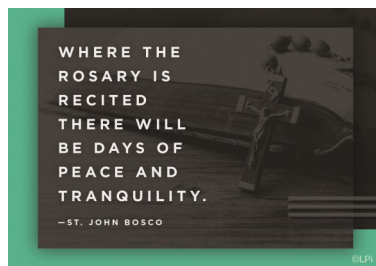
We continue to remember the sick, the infirm and all those recommended to our prayers; and especially the following, that they may experience the healing power of Christ:

Amanda Barragan, John Basta, Patricia Chuchla, Loretta Ciszak, Clay Deval, John Dzielski, Melita Fernandez, Joyce Gerk, Richard Jurasek, Rose Kessen, Gary Kermer, Celeste Koszut, Sylvia Krepton, Lizette Masters, Rich McCasland, Julie Mohr, Mary Mohr, Tom Nelson, Josephine Nirchi, Kenneth Osowski, Patricia Osowski, Denise Ostrowski, Debbie and Ray Prestige, Lupita Ramirez, AJ Rother, James Valdez, Hank Veith, Karen Wojcik, Lawrence Wojcik, Mark Wojtyla, Lucille Wrobel, Roseann Ziegler and those injured in service to their country.

Prayer intentions may be emailed to:

bulletineditor@saintmike.com

Names will remain on the list for five weeks unless otherwise requested. Thank you.



Evening Rosary

The Rosary is said weekly at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday nights at the Marian Garden (weather permitting.)

SAVE THE DATE!
ANNUAL PET BLESSING

SATURDAY,
OCTOBER 3, 1 P.M.
MARIAN GARDEN



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12,

THE MOST HOLY NAME OF MARY

FALL FEST, 1-10 p.m., St. Michael's Parking Lot

7 a.m. Scripture Group, Ministry Room West

8:15 a.m. Feeding the Hungry Food Sorting, Small Gym

3 p.m. Confessions, Confessionals

4:30 p.m. MASS

Youth Ministry Mum Sale, Before & After Masses on Saturday and Sunday, Narthex

SEPTEMBER 13, 24TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME, GRANDPARENTS' DAY

FALL FEST, 1-8 p.m., St. Michael's Parking Lot

7:30, 9:30, 11:30 a.m. MASS, 1:30 p.m. MASS in Spanish

9:30 a.m. Young People's Liturgy of the Word, Chapel

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, OUR LADY OF SORROWS

6:30 p.m. Evening Rosary, Marian Garden

7 p.m. Evangelization, Commons North

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, STS. CORNELIUS & CYPRIAN

5 p.m. Handbell Rehearsal, Ministry Room West

7 p.m. Scripture Group, Commons Center

7 p.m. Hispanic Adult Choir, Ministry Room East

7 p.m. OCIA, Ministry Room West

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, FEASTS OF ST. ROBERT BELLARMINE & ST. HILDEGARD

6 p.m. Adult & Contemporary Choirs, Church/Chapel

6:30 p.m. Guadalupano Meeting, Science Room (Room Change)

7 p.m. Knights of Columbus Meeting, Ministry Room West (Date & Room Change)

7 p.m. Hooks & Needles, Ministry Room East

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

7 p.m. Hispanic Bible Class, Ministry Room West

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

7 a.m. Scripture Group, Ministry Room West

8:15 a.m. Feeding the Hungry Food Sorting, Ministry Rooms East & West (Room Change)

9 a.m.-11 a.m. Youth Ministry Mum Sale PICK UP, Outside Church, West Ave. Entrance

9:30 a.m. Schoenstatt Meeting, Ministry Room East

3 p.m. Confessions, Confessionals

4:30 p.m. MASS

Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Charity Drive Before & After Masses Saturday & Sunday

SEPTEMBER 20, 25TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

7:30, 9:30, 11:30 a.m. MASS, 1:30 p.m. MASS in Spanish

9:30 a.m. Young People's Liturgy of the Word, Chapel

5:30 p.m. Quest Kick Off Mass and Celebration

FALL FEST

**THIS
WEEKEND
SEPT 10-13!**



14355 Highland Ave Orland Park Il

Mega Bands and Ride Tickets will be on sale at the event.

Food will be on sale from Duke's and Palermo's 95th.

Additional concessions and beverages will also be available for purchase.

ENTERTAINMENT

THURSDAY - SAVING GRACE

FRIDAY - ECHO 5 & 90'S POP NATION

SATURDAY - HOUSE OF MUSIC,
HAZARD, & AMERICAN PIE

SUNDAY - BEARS & NFL GAMES

SENSORY FRIENDLY HOURS

SATURDAY, 1PM-3PM

\$15

CARNIVAL

THURSDAY 6PM - 10PM

FRIDAY 6PM - 10PM

SATURDAY 1PM - 10PM

SUNDAY 1PM - 8PM

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FUNDRAISING & MINISTRY



The Schoenstatt Women

The next Schoenstatt Women of Orland Park will meet at St. Michael at 9:30 a.m.-12 p.m. on Saturday, September 19, in the Ministry Room East. All women are welcome to attend.

We will be praying a Rosary and discussing highlights from the first part of Joseph Engling's biography. Engling discovered the "fire of mission zeal" and had the courage to face life's surprises and difficulties after making his Covenant of Love with the Blessed Mother.

A witness testimony from a Schoenstatt Woman member: "A Covenant of Love is given freely out of Love. It instills a deeper relationship with Mary by our love for her and her love for us. Mary's intention is to lead me to love Jesus and help me see the sacrifices he made for me. I have had a close relationship with the Blessed Mother all my life as I grew up close to her shrine and the rosary was part of my daily life. After I joined Schoenstatt and was blessed with a Home Shrine, now this was my chance to bring the Blessed Mother back into my home with a visible sign. It lets my children and grandchildren see Mary is part of my daily life. Through the Covenant of Love, I can give back to Mary by bringing her everything to the Capital of Grace. Mary helps us open our eyes to the needs of others, focus outward, and become useful instruments in her hands."

FALL FEST RAFFLE

GRAND PRIZE DRAWING SEPT 14TH

HELP SUPPORT ST. MICHAEL SCHOOL!

EARLY BIRD DRAWINGS \$250
Drawn on Aug 27th, Sept 3rd and 10th

Grand Prize: \$10,000
2nd prize: \$5,000
3rd prize: \$2,500
4th prize: \$1,000

20 TICKETS FOR \$200
10 TICKETS FOR \$150
1 TICKET FOR \$20

CHECKS PAYABLE TO ST. MICHAEL, MAILED OR DROPPED OFF TO THE PARISH OFFICE

Thank you for your support!



Knights of Columbus Council #10858



Members of the Knights of Columbus will be collecting funds for their Annual Intellectual Disabilities Charity Drive after Masses on **Saturday, September 19th and Sunday, September 20th**. This event, is also known as the **Tootsie Roll Charity Drive**, as Tootsie Roll candies are provided to those who donate. All money collected goes to support individuals with special needs. Please plan to support this charitable event with your giving after masses that weekend. We will also be at Orland Bakery on LaGrange Rd & at the Jewel on Bell Rd. on Friday, September 18th & Saturday, Sept 19th.

Thank you for your support.



Use the above QR Code to donate directly online.



WE ARE CALLED

Marriage & Banns

Brittany Jackson & Nathan Turcich
September 18, 2026

Thank you for your Financial Support to St. Michael.
Our Parish Contributions for August 2026 = \$134,519.50



DONATING ONLINE IS EASY.

To learn more about securely donating to St. Michael visit:

<https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/stmikeop> or Text "Give" to 708-292-0433



We welcomed the following New Parishioners to St. Michael in August

Rafael & Marivel Aceves
Jose Casas & Hilda Almaraz
Luis & Gabriela Contreras
Aileen & Osvaldo Hernandez
Conor & Maria McCormick
Jane Ramirez-Mendez
Salvador & Brenda Robles
Jaime Sanchez & Ofelia Vargas

You are being called!



If you previously served as a Eucharistic Minister in high school, college or at another parish, please Consider serving at Masses at St. Michael Parish.

Contact Susan O'Connell at soconnell@saintmike.com.

You will need to meet with Susan for 15 minutes to go over our procedures and scheduling.

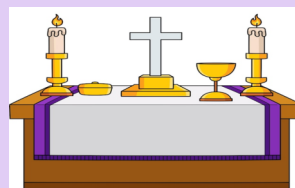


CLASSES STARTING SOON!

St. Michael's 2026-27

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FAITH FORMATION

To register: please contact: Kelly Martinez, Coordinator of Religious Education, kmartinez@saintmike.com 708-349-0903, ext. 633.

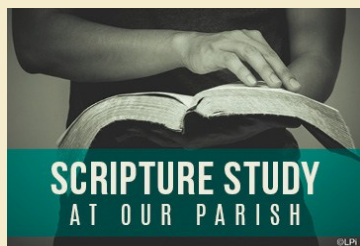


ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

Wednesday, September 23rd
2-3:30 p.m. and 4-5:30 p.m.

Open to students of the Parish in Grades 3 thru 8

Please contact Susan O'Connell, Coordinator of Liturgy Ministries, at soconnell@saintmike.com if your child is interested in this Ministry.



Join us on Saturday mornings at 7 a.m. in the Ministry Room West or on Wednesday nights at 7 p.m. in the Commons to discuss the

upcoming Sunday Scripture readings what they mean and how they apply to our daily life.

Two Adult Volunteers Needed!

Starting in January 2027, we are looking for two adult volunteers to join from 8:45 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the 3rd Monday of each month to prepare lunches at the Daybreak Center in Joliet. For more information, contact **Fran Fuehrmeyer** at her cell # 708-549-9159 or at 708-478-1960. Thank you!

YOUTH MINISTRY

St. Michael Youth Ministry Fall Mum Sale

9" POT WITH 15" TO 18" DIAMETER

PLANTS FROM
WOLDHUIS FARMS
SUNRISE GREENHOUSE
COST \$10.00 EACH

ORDER FORMS ARE AVAILABLE
AT SAINTMIKE.COM AND AT
THE KIOSK IN THE NARTHEX.
ORDERS ARE DUE BY 9/13

Mum Pick up is on Saturday, September 19th
9:00AM to 11:00AM, outside church at the
doors on West Ave.



St. Michael Youth Ministry Fall Mum Sale 2026

9" pot with 15" to 18" diameter plants from
Woldhuis Farms Sunrise Greenhouse
Cost \$10.00 each

Color	Quantity	Total
Red	_____	_____
Orange	_____	_____
Pink	_____	_____
Bronze	_____	_____
Yellow	_____	_____
Purple	_____	_____
Grand Total	_____	_____

NAME _____

HOME PHONE _____ CELL PHONE _____

E-MAIL _____

We are pleased to offer mums from Woldhuis Farms-Sunrise Greenhouse Nursery. Please complete the above order form and include check made payable to St. Michael Youth Ministry. Return the form and payment to St. Michael Youth Ministry, 14327 Highland Avenue, Orland Park, 60462, parish office, or collection basket. If you have questions call 708-349-0903 ext. 650 or e-mail amartino@saintmike.com.

**ALL ORDERS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13th for delivery on
Saturday, September 19th – St. Michael Church – 9:00am to 11:00am**

Pick Up Date: Saturday, September 19th – St. Michael Church – 9:00am to 11:00am

MUM
ORDER DEADLINE IS THIS
SUNDAY,
AUGUST 13TH!

Mum Pick Up
Saturday, September 19th
9:00AM to 11:00AM
Pick up is at the Church
entrance off of West Ave.

Call 708-349-0903 ext. 650 or
e-mail amartino@saintmike.com
if you are unable to pick up your flowers.

EL ESPIRITU DE PADRE FRANK



Las enseñanzas de Jesús son tan claras y, sin embargo, nos resulta tan difícil seguirlas. El Evangelio de hoy comienza con una pregunta sencilla de nuestro amigo Pedro: “Señor, si mi hermano peca contra mí, ¿cuántas veces debo perdonarlo?”. Pedro incluso responde a la propia pregunta, y apuesto a que se sentía bastante generoso cuando dijo: “¿Hasta siete veces?”. Creo que tal gesto sería bastante magnánimo. Si alguien nos hace daño una vez, probablemente podamos perdonar a esa persona con facilidad y dejar atrás el dolor. Pero si hace lo mismo dos o tres veces... no, un momento: no soy tonto. Resulta especialmente difícil perdonar cuando se trata de una traición.

Jesús responde que siete veces podrían no ser suficientes: “no siete veces, sino setenta y siete veces”. Jesús nos dice que no hay límite para el perdón de Dios, y que tampoco debería haberlo para el nuestro. Debemos perdonar infinitamente. Jesús nos recuerda que así es como Dios nos perdona y así es cómo debemos tratarnos unos a otros.

El verdadero perdón hacia los demás no se logra fácilmente. Mi madre solía decir: “Perdonaré, pero no olvidaré”. Al reflexionar sobre esta afirmación, cabe preguntarse: ¿estamos realmente perdonando de verdad? Necesitamos la gracia de Dios para poder perdonar al prójimo. Cuando perdonamos de corazón, no solo obedecemos el mandato de Dios, sino que también nos beneficiamos a nosotros mismos. Al fin y al cabo, ¿a quién hacemos daño cuando albergamos amargura y enojo? Probablemente no solo a la otra persona, sino también a nosotros mismos. Que aprendamos a perdonar a los demás tal como nuestro Padre celestial nos perdona a nosotros.

Septiembre: Un mes de concienciación y gratitud por un ministerio.

He oído muchas veces frases como: "Si te suicidas, no puedes tener una misa fúnebre en la Iglesia Católica" o "Si te suicidas, irás al infierno". No sé de dónde saca la gente esa información. De hecho, en el *Ritual de Exequias Cristianas* —los ritos oficiales de la Iglesia— existen oraciones para las misas de funeral de quienes han fallecido por suicidio. Es difícil brindar atención pastoral a una familia que ha vivido un suicidio si el sacerdote desconoce la verdad.

Una vez, durante un retiro, soñé con un amigo de la escuela primaria. Aunque habían pasado más de dos décadas desde su muerte, me di cuenta de que tenía asuntos pendientes con él. En aquel entonces, no percibí las señales de que estaba pasando por dificultades; al reflexionar ahora, comprendo cómo empezó a alejarse de nuestro grupo de amigos y parecía haber perdido la alegría. Yo ignoraba que estaba fracasando en sus estudios y que no lograba cumplir con las expectativas que él mismo se había impuesto. No sé si alguien habría podido marcar la diferencia, pero saber que a alguien le importaba quizá le habría dado el valor para buscar ayuda profesional.

Comparto esto con ustedes porque sé que muchas personas y familias están sufriendo, y lo hacen en soledad. Debemos eliminar el estigma que rodea a los problemas de salud mental y al suicidio, y convertirnos en el rostro compasivo de Cristo para los demás. Siempre les digo a mis hermanos sacerdotes: si se enfrentan a una situación que supera sus capacidades, no permitan que el orgullo les impida referir a esas personas a un profesional.

Cualquier persona que atraviese una crisis de salud mental puede llamar al 988; deberíamos recordar este número tanto como recordamos el 911. Además, la Línea Nacional de Prevención del Suicidio (en EE. UU.) es el 1-800-273-TALK. No hay nada de malo en pedir ayuda. Siempre hay esperanza. Sigamos rezando por todos los que sufren.

EL ESPIRITU DE PADRE FRANK

Hace tres años, la parroquia de San Miguel inició un nuevo ministerio: el Ministerio de Concienciación sobre Salud Mental de San Miguel. Se trata de un grupo de apoyo espiritual que no está dirigido por profesionales de la salud mental. Su propósito es reunir a un grupo para orar, apoyar y ayudar a los familiares y amigos de personas con problemas de salud mental. El objetivo es brindar apoyo y esperanza mediante la gracia de Dios y la compañía de otras personas que atraviesan las mismas dificultades.

Este ministerio celebra su tercer aniversario este mes. Fue iniciado por un par de feligreses que percibieron una necesidad y sintieron el llamado a ayudar. Agradezco la labor de nuestro Ministerio de Concienciación sobre la Salud Mental; juntos podemos ayudar a eliminar el estigma, los malentendidos y los juicios que rodean a los problemas de salud mental.

En el Amor Compasivo de Cristo,
P. Frank

St. Michael Catholic Church

MEN'S RETREAT

*Called to be Saints:
Seeing Jesus through Mary*

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2026

WORKSHOPS • RECONCILIATION • MASS • 3 MEALS INCLUDED

Strengthen your faith, engage in discussion & share in fellowship.
The day ends with Mass & Dinner.

Partial-Day Registration Available!

Participation Fee for Full or Partial-Day: \$50 per person

CONTACT

Gary Olson (708) 699-7224 gloison2001@gmail.com	Tony Cocco (708) 212-8483 etcocco@aol.com
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**FIND YOUR
TEEN FAITH
FAMILY! >>>**

QUEST IS COMING

WHAT IS QUEST?

- Quest is an informal discussion group made of high school teens
- They meet twice a month on Sunday nights for two hours in Leader Couple homes.
- Teens are grouped by the same grade level and all come from the same parish.
- There is no homework, no sermons.
- A typical evening allows for teens to discuss contemporary topics, allowing them to share their views, all with a Christian overview. Social time is included.

WHO IS QUEST FOR?

Sometimes parents and teens are mistaken that because the teen attends a Catholic high school, they don't need Quest. **WRONG!** Quest is a group of teens getting together talking about their life issues in a relaxed atmosphere with friends and their Quest parents. Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors from public and Catholic schools need QUEST. Teens will be placed in groups by their year in high school and with a friend, if they request.

**KICK-OFF MASS
& CELEBRATION
SUNDAY, SEPT 20th
5:30P.M. AT
ST. MICHAEL
CHURCH
FAMILIES WELCOME.**

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MINISTERIO HISPANO SAN MIGUEL

Proximos eventos

- Las clases para el catecismo empiezan el 17 de Septiembre de 2026. Gracias.
- Sept 18, NOCHE MEXICANA Cena y Baile - Compre sus boletos después de Misa. Apoya tu parroquia y ven a compartir.
- Todos los Miercoles el Santo rosario por las vocaciones a las 6:30 pm en la Capilla del Santisimo.
- **Sept 17 (Jueves) - 6:00 pm: REGRESA GRUPO GUADALUPANO.** Ven y aprende sobre tu fe, compartiendo con otras personas.

Conoce tu fe Católica.

Te invitamos a compartir un momento de oración, reflexión y aprendizaje sobre nuestra hermosa fe católica en el Grupo Guadalupano.

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6:00 p. m. a 7:30 p. m.

¡Todos son bienvenidos! Ven con tu familia y déjate guiar por el amor de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe.



Qué es la comunión de los Santos?

La comunión de los santos es la unión espiritual de todos los que pertenecen a Cristo y forman una sola Iglesia. Incluye a los fieles que vivimos en la tierra, a las almas que se purifican después de la muerte y a los santos que ya están en la gloria del cielo. [vatican]

Esta comunión se vive especialmente mediante la fe, los sacramentos —sobre todo la Eucaristía—, la caridad y la oración. Por eso los católicos pedimos la intercesión de los santos y oramos por los difuntos: como miembros de una misma familia en Cristo, nos ayudamos unos a otros, aun más allá de la muerte. [vatican]

Sacramentos de Iniciación para Adultos (18+).

St Michael ofrece el programa de OCIA o conocido como RICA en Español. Si usted o algun conocido quieren participar, o aprender mas de su fe. Por favor hable con el Diacono Abel Trujillo. Las clases serán los Domingos antes de la Misa en Español.

Ministros de la Palabra y Ministros de la Comunión.

Por favor recojan su nuevo calendario 2026-2027.

El Domingo antes y despues de misa con su coordinador respectivo. Gracias.

Confesiones en Español.

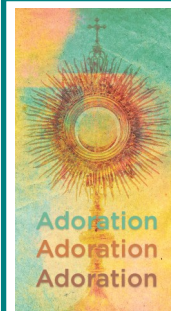
Cada Sábado ofrecemos confesiones en Español e Ingles a las 3:00 pm. En caso de no poder asistir este día haga una cita para confesion llamando a la oficina.

NOTA: El Sábado 26 de Septiembre no habrá confesiones en Español. Gracias.

WOMEN'S FAITH GATHERING

NEXT MEETING: – TUESDAY,
OCTOBER 6TH 6 P.M.
MINISTRY ROOM EAST

Join Us on Tuesday, October 6 at 6 p.m. We'll come together for a simple and meaningful time of connection, prayer, and conversation. During this gathering, we will listen to a short, faith-based podcast together and reflect on it as a group—no preparation needed! Whether you joined us last time or are coming for the first time, all are welcome. We hope to see you there!



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St. Paul VI Parish
St. Hugh Faith Formation Center, Menarik Hall
2400 S 10th Avenue, North Riverside
Friday, November 13, 6-9pm &
Saturday, November 14, 9:30am-4pm

Participation in both these sessions meets the mandated requirements of the Office for Divine Worship of the Archdiocese of Chicago for those who wish to become Ministers of Care. Upon completion of the training, participants will be certified as Ministers of Care for their parish.

Register: <https://ministrycommissionv5.com/event-registration>

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MINISTRY OF CARE TRAINING

Tuesday, Sept. 29, Oct 6 & 13 from 9:15 – 11:30

Participation in these 3 sessions meets the Office for Divine Worship, Archdiocese of Chicago, requirements to be eligible for mandating as a parish Minister of Care, ministering to the sick and homebound members of the parish. Participants must be approved and sent by a member of their parish Pastoral Team. The sessions will include such topics as spirituality of ministry, ministry to the aged, the experience of suffering, dying and death, pastoral listening skills, prayer and Eucharist, and the theological and practical dimensions of ministry. This seminar provides fresh theology and insights into the pastoral practice of the Ministry of Care.



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Register in advance for this presentation:

Please contact Missy Keegan
Email: mkeegan@stpatriaparis.com Tel.: (708) 598-5222.

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email with all necessary information.



ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO

VICARIATE V MINISTRY COMMISSION FORMATION FOR LECTORS & EMS



These sessions for both experienced and new ministers provide the Archdiocesan formation required for ministers serving as lectors and extraordinary ministers of communion (EMs). The session on **Tuesday, October 6** is for both EMs and lectors and meets the first part of the requirement for those serving as ministers during the Mass. All ministers must attend this evening to receive certification. On **Tuesday, October 13**, through prayer, reflection, and practice, participants will explore what it

means to serve as an EM and reinvigorate their call to serve. On **Monday October 19**, participants will learn the theological and practical skills necessary to proclaim the Word as a lector at Mass as well as renew their passion for serving in this ministry.

Dates: Tuesday, October 6- for both EMs and lectors
Tuesday, October 13- for EMs only
Monday, October 19- for lectors only
Time: 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM
Location: St. Paul VI Parish
St. Mary Church
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Dr. Elizabeth-Anne Stewart teaches at St. Xavier University and is an experienced spiritual director and retreat facilitator. She has written numerous books and articles on spirituality and publishes *Sunday BibleTalk*, a weekly E-letter based on the liturgical readings. A member of St. Pius V Parish in Pilsen and St. Francis of Assisi in Orland Park, Dr. Stewart holds a PhD in Theology from the University of Malta and is a board-certified life coach. Her most recent book is *Unlocking Epiphany Moments: A Primer for Life Coaches & Other Inner Guides* (Collective Ink, U.K.).
<https://elizabeth-annestewart.com/>

For more information or questions:

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Vicariate V Altar Server Recognition Mass & Gathering



hosted by Bishop Robert Fedek

Saturday, November 14, 2026 at 10:00am
St. Catherine of Alexandria Parish
10621 S. Kedvale, Oak Lawn, IL

All altar servers in Vicariate V are invited to an Appreciation Mass and Gathering sponsored by the Vicariate V Ministry Commission. Pizza, Drinks and Dessert to follow Mass

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You may register here using
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Saturday, 9/12	8:30 AM	James Manning	Cathy Schmiedl	John W. Travis
		Special Intention for Donna Rivera		
	4:30 PM	Sharon LaMantia	William Flaherty	Pat Pisano
		Kevin Bushnell	Wayne Waiter	
Sunday, 9/13	7:30 AM	Alice Dzursin	Mary Lee Faupel	Joan Ryan
	9:30 AM	Patricia Phelan	Mary Pappas	Patrick & Margaret Walsh
		Ronald Sheming	Birute Mazuniene	John & Theresa Nowacki
	11:30 AM	Loretta & Edgar Hield	Ronald Sheming	Leopoldo Belarmino
		Perla & Brotacio Lansangon		
Spanish	1:30 PM	Florinda Cabello	Gonzolo Davila Jr.	Special Intention for Osvaldo Torres
		Special Intention for Victor Ferrusquia		
Monday, 9/14	6:30 AM	Special Intention for Parishioners of St. Michael		
	8:00 AM	Nancy Glovack	Gene Zamiska	Special Intention for Leo & Rosan
Tuesday, 9/15	6:30 AM	Grandpa Porter	Virgil Porter	Mimi Porter
	8:00 AM	Pathiyil & Mutholam Families		
Wednesday, 9/16	6:30 AM	Bill Callahan	John & Loret Mullins	
	8:00 AM	Marie Schmid	Dorothy Basta	
Thursday, 9/17	6:30 AM	JoAnn Pisarski		
	8:00 AM	Owen A. Glennon	Josefina Kizior	
Friday, 9/18	6:30 AM	Holy Poor Souls in Purgatory		
	8:00 AM	William Flaherty	Bernard Murphy	Special Intention for Rosan Thomas
Saturday, 9/19	8:30 AM	William Patrick Flaherty		
	4:30 PM	Mary & Bill Morrissey	Wayne Waiter	Barbara "Bobbie" Clark
		Annette Morrison	Colleen Keegan Watsche	
Sunday, 9/20	7:30 AM	Irene Radecky	Joan Ryan	
	9:30 AM	Greg Milkovich	John Corcoran	Patricia Phelan
		Mary Pappas	Molly Flynn	
	11:30 AM	William Flaherty	Stanley Pawlikowski	
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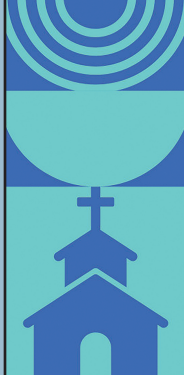
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SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday Evening: 4:30 p.m.
Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.,
1:30 p.m. (Spanish)

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday - Friday 6:30 and 8 a.m.
Saturday 8:30 a.m.

Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Rosary

Monday through Friday after the 8 a.m. Mass and
on Saturday after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

Holy Hour and Adoration of the Blessed

Sacrament: Second Tuesday of each month, 6 p.m.

First Saturday Devotions in reparation to the
Immaculate Heart of Mary with the Rosary and
Divine Mercy chaplet after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

**Recorded Masses for Sundays and Daily Prayer
Service** can be viewed at www.saintmike.com

Adoration Chapel is open

Monday-Friday 7 a.m.-8:30 p.m.

Saturday 7 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday 7 a.m.-3 p.m.

Confessions: Every Saturday 3-4 p.m.

Confesiones: 2do y cuarto sabado del mes 3-4 p.m.

**To Schedule Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals or
Memorial Masses:** Call the Parish office,
708-349-0903.

Ministers of Care are available to bring Holy
Communion to the homebound who are unable to
attend Mass. Call the Parish office, 708-349-0903.

Religious Education -- September Office Hours:
Weeks of Sept. 14, 21, 28: Mon, Tue, Wed 1-5 p.m.,
Thu, 5-8 p.m. Appointments can be made at other
times as needed. All emails and voice messages will
be answered in a timely manner. **Kelly Martinez**,
708-349-0903 x 633, kmartinez@saintmike.com

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Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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