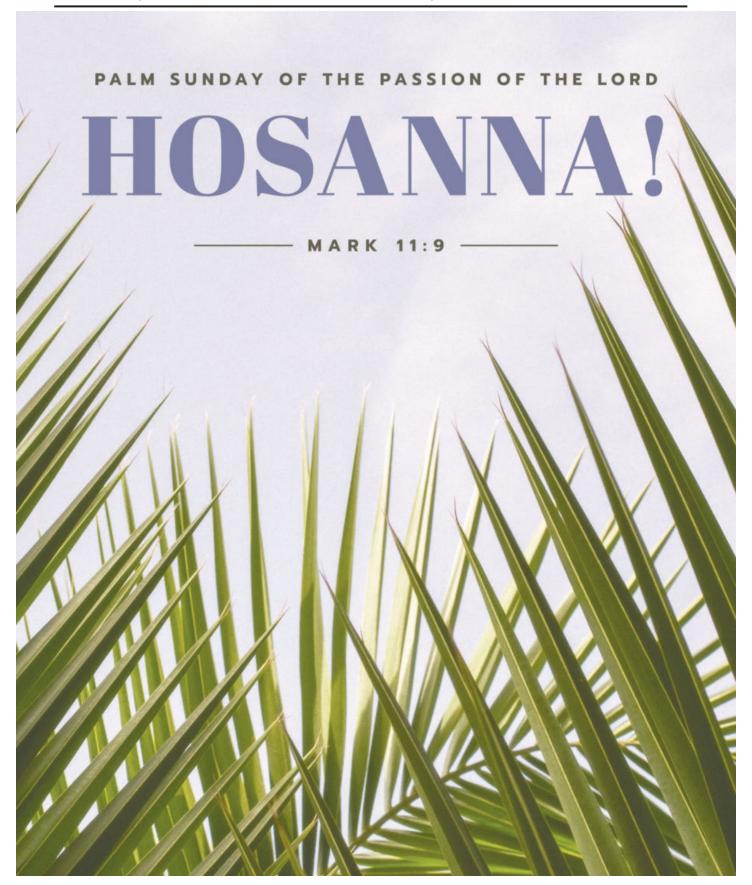
# Saints Thomas Becket and Alphonsus Liguori Parish

Sunday, March 24, 2024 ◆ Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord



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# **MASS TIMES**

# ST. THOMAS BECKET CHURCH

#### **WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE**

Monday—Tuesday Thursday—Friday: 9am Wednesday & Friday: 7pm—Polish

# **WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE**

ST. ALPHONSUS LIGUORI

CHURCH

Monday to Thursday: 8:15am Friday & Saturday: 8:30am

#### WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Mass: 4pm Sunday: 9am & 12:30pm 7:30am & 10:45am—Polish

# **CONFESSION**

Friday: 5:30pm—6:45pm

#### **ADORATION**

Friday: 5:30pm—6:45pm

# WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

1st Saturday Healing Mass: 8:30am Saturday Vigil Mass: 5pm Sunday: 8:30am & 11:00am

#### **CONFESSION**

Saturday: 4pm—4:45pm

## **ADORATION**

Tuesday: 6pm—7pm

# OFFICE HOURS

Monday & Wednesday: 9am—4pm Friday: 9am—12pm

Tuesday & Thursday: 9am-4pm Friday: 9am—12pm

# Holy Week & Easter Schedule

STB = St. Thomas Becket | SAL = St. Alphonsus Liguori

HOLY THURSDAY, MAR 28 - Mass of the Lord's Supper 7pm in Polish, Followed by Adoration until 12am (STB)

HOLY THURSDAY, MAR 28 - Morning Prayer 8:15am | Mass of the Lord's Supper 7pm & Prayer until 10pm (SAL)

GOOD FRIDAY, MAR 29 - Bilingual Stations 12pm | Lord's Passion: 3pm | Lord's Passion Polish: 5pm & 7pm (STB)

GOOD FRIDAY, MAR 29 - Morning Prayer 8:15am | Stations of the Cross 3pm | Lord's Passion 7pm (SAL)

HOLY SATURDAY, MAR 30 - Blessing of the Food Baskets 9:30am, 10:30am & 11:30am (STB)

HOLY SATURDAY, MAR 30 - Morning Prayer 8:15am & Blessing of the Food Baskets 11am & 12pm (SAL)

EASTER VIGIL, MAR 30 - Bilingual Parish Vigil Mass 7pm (St. Thomas Becket ONLY) NO Mass at St. Alphonsus

EASTER SUNDAY, MAR 31 - English 9am & 12:30pm | Polish 5:30am w/procession, 7:30am & 10:45am (STB)

EASTER SUNDAY, MAR 31 - Masses 8:30am & 11:00am (SAL)

EASTER MONDAY, APR 1 - Easter Monday Mass - English 9am | Polish 12pm & 7pm (STB)

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY, APR 7 - Adoration at 2:45pm & Bilingual Divine Mercy Chaplet sung at 3pm (STB)

Offices Closed Good Friday, March 29 & Easter Monday, April 1

Biuro parafialne będzie nieczynne w piątek, 29 marca i w poniedziałek, 1 kwietnia

# Liturgy at St. Thomas Becket Church

# MASS INTENTIONS AT ST. THOMAS BECKET

SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 2024

4PM-FR. SK †DONALD A SMITH

**†MARZENA STOLARZ** 

**†CHARLES FLETCHER** 

**†BILL MCGRATH** 

SUNDAY, MARCH 24, 2024

7:30AM-FR. SK †MARIA I ANTONI ZAUCHA

**†ADELA I WACŁAW POPIEŁUSZKO** 

**†BERNICE SZPILA** 

**†EUGENIUSZ BRONIEK** 

**†MARIA CISEK** 

*†EUGENIUSZ FILIP* 

**†ŁUCJA GIBAŁA** 

**†STANISŁAW LIZAK** 

†JÓZEFA I EDWARD IWANIEC

9AM-FR. SD †LYNN YARNES

10:45AM-FR. SK †ARTHUR KOSIBA

†MIECZYSŁAW ZIELIŃSKI

**†JAN BRODOWSKI** 

†APOLONIA I ALEKSANDER MACIOROWSKI

L7MARIL7 RODZINY

**†ZOFIA I LEOPOLD NIEBRZYDOWSKI I ZMARLI Z RODZINY** 

**†JANINA KOCZUN** 

TIWONA SZI ESZYŃSKA

**†WIESŁAW, SEWERYNA I STANISŁAW MICHALSKI** 

**†ALICJA ŚLEBIODA** 

**†ANDRZEJ JANOWSKI** 

**†TERESA I STANISŁAW SKOWRON** 

*†JAN WIŚNIEWSKI* 

**†MARCIN KMIOTEK** 

**†ZMARLI Z RODZINY KONOPKA, WIŚNIEWSKI,** 

KMIOTEK I KOWALKOWSKI

**†ADRIAN. ADELA I CZESŁAW MUSIAŁ** 

**†KRZYSZTOF MARZEC** 

†MARCIN SRAL

**†TERESA I ZYGMUNT KORZENIOWSKI** 

†MARTA I BRONISŁAW OGAREK

**†STEFANIA I RYSZARD HYTROS** 

**†ALEKSANDER TWARDOWSKI** 

†STANISŁAW CIKOWSKI

SPECIAL: OLIWIA I KLAUDIA FLOREK-21 URODZINY

SPECIAL: BOGDAN ŁUKASIK-56 URODZINY

12:30PM—FR. SD †MICHAŁ LUPA

MONDAY, MARCH 25, 2024

9AM—FR. SK †HELEN LASCOLA

**†BILL MCGRATH** 

TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 2024

9AM—FR. GW †EDWARD RECHNER

**†KEN KILIAN** 

**†STEVEN PFISTER** 

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 2024

7PM —FR. GW †MAREK SIROROWICZ

THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 2024—HOLY THURSDAY

7PM—FR. GW †FR. FRANK WACHOWSKI

**†FR. ANTHONY BURKE** 

FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 2024 - GOOD FRIDAY

12PM— FR. GW STATIONS OF THE CROSS—BILINGUAL

3PM-FR. SD LORD'S PASSION

5PM + 7PM —FR. SK MEKA PAŃSKA

SATURDAY, MARCH 30, 2024—HOLY SATURDAY

9:30AM + 10:30AM + 11:30AM - FOOD BLESSINGS

7PM-FR. GW + FR. SK BILINGUAL EASTER VIGIL

**†MARZENA STOLARZ** 

†MAŁGORZATA PIWOWARCZYK

†NICHOLAS DEMBOWSKI

**†IRENA DEMBOWSKI** 

**†ALEKSANDER I SŁAWOMIR JANUSZKO** 

**†MARIA I KAZIMIERZ RAMIAN** 

**†GEORGE FINE** 

*†JOHN F YONKERS* 

**†JOSEPH BOFFA** 

**†KENNETH MARCOTTE** 

**†ANN COZZONE** 

**†GORDON STAIGER** 

**†ROSE STAIGER** 

**†TIMOTHY HOGLUND** 

**†JOSEPH F YONKERS** 

SUNDAY, MARCH 31, 2024

5:30AM—FR. GW + FR. SK †MARIA I ANTONI ZAUCHA

**†ADELA I WACŁAW POPIEŁUSZKO** 

**†ARTHUR KOSIBA** 

*†IZABELA I RYSZARD KUSINA* 

**THELENA I MIECZYSŁAW PAWLAK** 

**†KAZIMIERZ BESKUR** 

**†WIKTOR ŁAGOWSKI** 

**†EDWARDA, EDWARD I MAREK MYŚLIWIEC** 

**†JÓZEF KARDAŚ** 

7:30AM-FR. SK †JÓZEF DOBEK

**†EUGENIUSZ FILIP** 

**†MAREK WILK** 

*†JANINA BIAŁEK* 

**†MARIA I EDYTA KUZNOWICZ** 

**†ŁUCJA GIBAŁA** 

**†IRENA ZAJKOWSKA** 

9AM-FR. GW †PATRICIA JASON

**†ANNE KILIAN** 

**†FRANK KRUS** 

**TVAL PAWLAK** 

†DANIEL STARZYK

10:45AM—FR. SK †MARIAN KACPRZYCKI

**†EMILIA GOLEC I ZMARLI Z RODZINY** 

**†IRENA ADAMCZYK** 

**†JERZY GIŻYCKI** 

12:30PM—FR. GW †NANCY GULLIKSON

**†GREG & SCOTT LANGE** 

Liturgy at St. Alphonsus Liguori Church					
Masses / Observances	<b>Mass Intentions</b>	Presider	Readings		
Saturday, 3/23, 8:30am St. Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop	Parishioners of Sts. Thomas Becket & Alphonsus Liguori Parish	Fr. Steven Dombrowski	Ez 37:21-28/Jer 31:10, 11- 12abcd, 13/Jn 11:45-56		
Saturday, 3/23, 5:00pm	†Kenneth R. Marcotte, †George Fine, †Bob Linhart, †Joseph Boffa, †Tom Murray, †Ann Cozzone	Fr. Greg Wojcik	See Sunday's Readings Below		
Sunday, 3/24, 8:30am Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord, Holy Week begins	†Peter Wisniewski	Fr. Greg Wojcik	Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16/Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 (2a)/Phil 2:6-11/Mk 14:1—15:47 or 15:1-39		
Sunday, 3/24, 11:00am	†Michael Whelan, †Irene Hendricks, †Cynthia Armstrong, †Dan Quiery	Fr. Greg Wojcik			
Monday, 3/25, 8:15am	†Grace Valenziano	Fr. Steven Dombrowski	Is 42:1-7/Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14/Jn 12:1-11		
Tuesday, 3/26, 8:15am	†Nick Helmer	Fr. Slawomir Kurc	Is 49:1-6/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15 and 17/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38		
Wednesday, 3/27, 8:15am Mass	†Jean Perkowitz, †George Hawel, †Albert Hawel	Fr. Slawomir Kurc	Is 50:4-9a/Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 and 33-34/Mt 26:14-25		
Holy Thursday, 3/28, Morning Prayer 8:15am- <i>No Mass</i>		Fr. Greg Wojcik	Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b- 9/Ps 89:21-22, 25 and 27/Rv 1:5- 8/Lk 4:16-21 Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/		
Mass of the Lord's Supper, 7:00pm	†Peter Wisniewski	Fr. Steven Dombrowski	Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18 (see 1 Cor 10:16)/1 Cor 11:23-26/ Jn 13:1-15		
Good Friday, 3/29, Morning Prayer 8:30am - No Mass		Fr. Steven Dombrowski	Is 52:13—53:12/Ps 31:2, 6, 12- 13, 15-16, 17, 25 (Lk 23:46)/ Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/Jn 18:1— 19:42		
Good Friday Service, 7:00pm	†Conchita Mamalio	Fr. Greg Wojcik	<u>.</u>		
Holy Saturday, 3/30, Morning Prayer 8:30am- No Mass		Fr. Slawomir Kurc			
Holy Saturday, 3/30, No 5pm Mass *Easter Vigil at St. Thomas Becket, 7:00pm	*MASS INTENTIONS WILL BE READ AT THE BILINGUAL EASTER VIGIL AT ST. THOMAS BECKET AT 7:00PM. (See Page 4)	Fr. Greg Wojcik at St. Thomas Becket	Easter Vigil: Gn 1:1—2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a/Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13 -14, 24, 35 (30) or Ps 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20-22 (5b)/Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 (1)/Ex 14:15—15:1/ Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18 (1b)/Is 54:5-14/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 (2a)/Is 55:1-11/Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 (3)/Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 (Jn 6:68c)/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28/Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3, 4 (42:2)/ Rom 6:3-11/Mk 16:1-7		
Easter Sunday, 3/31, 8:30am Easter Sunday Mass	†Jeanne Pawlowski	Fr. Steven Dombrowski	Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16 -17, 22-23 (24)/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7		
Easter Sunday, 3/31, 11:00am Easter Sunday Mass	†Michael Whelan, †Irene Hendricks, †Cynthia Armstrong, †Dan Quiery, †Frank Pawula, †Karen Y. Ralson, †Raymond B. Ralston, †Zofia & Michal Pazik, †Robert Mallek	Fr. Steven Dombrowski			

# Stewardship: Giving our Time, Talent & Treasure

Dear Parishioners,

Thank you for your consistent giving to Saints Thomas Becket and Alphonsus Liguori Parish. We are grateful for your continued generosity. We will be launching our new giving platform starting June 3, 2024. Generosity of Time, Talent, and Treasure enables Saints Thomas Becket and Alphonsus Liguori Parish to continue and grow in our mission to share our faith and form new disciples. We value our parish community and want to ensure everyone at Saints Thomas Becket and Alphonsus Liguori Parish is aware of our exciting new giving platform, Pushpay, which allows for simple giving through a variety of ways, including mobile and online.

As we move away from GiveCentral, we want to share why this transition is occurring. We have been reviewing our giving options for over a year before making this decision. Pushpay provides an integrated solution with our new ParishStaq system. This integration gives our parishioners a quick, easy, and secure way to donate. We strive to be good stewards of your donation and believe the lower processing fees offered through Pushpay, will allow your gift of treasure to go further in supporting the Church's mission.

It is our goal to complete this transition process by June 3, 2024, so we need your help in moving your current online giving to Pushpay. Starting on April 5, 2024, emails with instructions and reminders will begin to go out to all current GiveCentral donors. Please do not disregard emails from Pushpay—they are not scam or junk. Please follow the easy directions to set up your donor account with Pushpay. Please know that if you set up your account with Pushpay starting in April, it will not be activated (your account will not be charged) until the date of the official transition, June 3, 2024. GiveCentral will be our online processor until that date.

If you have any questions, please call Alyce (847-255-7452) or Liz (847-827-9220). We are so blessed you have made the commitment to give in this way and are honored with your decision to continue to support Saints Thomas Becket and Alphonsus Liguori Parish.

Blessings, Fr. Greg—Pastor

# **Sunday Donations**

# Saints Thomas Becket & Alphonsus Liguori Parish Collections

**Y-T-D Sunday Collection:** \$ 747,492.00 (For Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 2023)

Weekly Collections: \$ 29,757.00



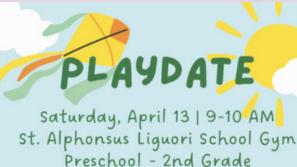
# Donate to the Sister Agnes Scholarship Fund

Sr. Agnes was a teacher for many years in our school and after retirement volunteered in the classroom until she was 93 years old. She embodied the St. Alphonsus Ligouri School values of compassion and service, and she believed that all students deserve the highest standards of education. Sr. Agnes was a role model to all who knew her and will be a role model for generations to come.

Please donate and help us to continue the mission Sr. Agnes began of ensuring all who ask can receive a Catholic education.

Visit https://rb.gy/x5mky to donate

# St. Alphonsus Liguori School



Children will play with friends and make a craft. Parents will stay with their children and meet other St. Alphonsus Liguori School families.







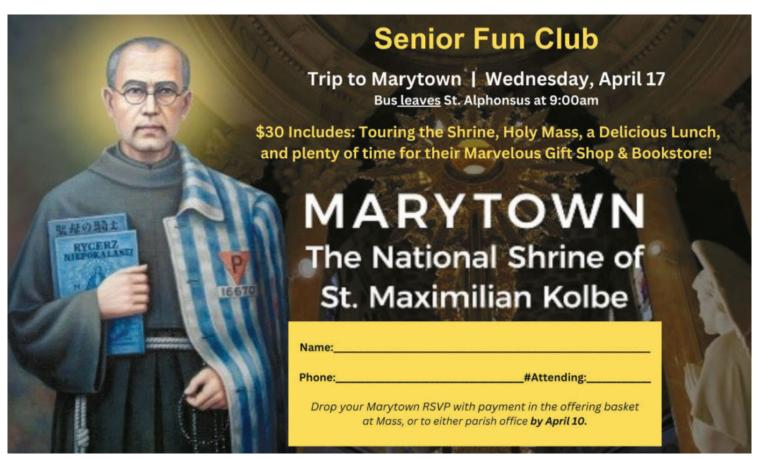
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# Ministry News & Events







# Flower Sale

Support American Heritage Girls Troop IL1317

Beautiful flats of flowers, hanging baskets, patio pots, plus vegetables & herb plants!!!

# Order now thru Thursday, April 11th!

Drop off your order form and payment
(cash/check payable to St. Alphonsus with "AHG Flower Sale" in the memo line)
St. Thomas Becket Parish Office Mondays or Fridays,

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St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish Office Tuesdays-Thursdays

OR at the site sales, all Masses on the weekends of March 9-10, 16-17, and

April 6-7 at St. Alphonsus,

or all Masses on March 16-17 at St. Thomas Becket.

Pick up your order at St. Al's parking lot on Saturday, May 11th, 4:00-7:00pm

Questions? Contact\_Sarah Schorsch (skp480@gmail.com 847 571-1990) or Josephina George (iosephina.george@yahoo.com 224-565-8771).



# **Senior Fun Club**



# "DON'T CLICK ON THIS LINK!"

How many times have we heard that? And we ask ourselves, "Why Not?" Well, **Joanie Fine** returns to tell you Why Not!

# **FRAUD PREVENTION (Part 2)**

Wednesday, April 10 | 9:00am

Narthex Meeting Rooms

Joanie is the former Illinois Chapter Vice President of the International Association of Financial Crimes Investigators (IAFCI)





Meetings, Mission Trips,
Dances, Games,
Cinema Outings,
Family Trips And More!

# **Youth Group Ages 12-18**

Every Wednesday ● 6-8pm (Rectory - Burke Hall)

# **Polish Youth Group**

Every 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Friday • 6-8pm (Rectory - Burke Hall)

Scan QR Code for more information.

Questions? Call Beata Bosak
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#### CANDLELIGHT PROCESSION OF THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS

On Friday, March 15th, our parish of Saints Thomas Becket and Alphonsus Liguori held for the first time, by candlelight, in a spirit of humility, meditation and prayer, the Stations of the Cross around the park behind the walls of St. Thomas Becket Church, in which, despite the chilly evening, many people participated. The meditations in English and Polish were read by representatives of our parish groups. A large wooden cross, a sign of God's love for each person, was carried from station to station and passed from shoulder to shoulder.

We thank all parishioners and guests for their great participation in this Way of the Cross and praying together.

#### God bless!

Beata Bosak, Director of Lifelong Faith Formation

#### PROCESJA DROGI KRZYŻOWEJ W BLASKU ŚWIEC

W piątek, 15 marca, w naszej parafii Świętych Tomasza Becketa i Alfonsa Liguori, przy blasku świec, w duchu pokory, skupienia i modlitwy, wokół parku za murami kościoła Św. Tomasza Becketa, poraz pierwszy przeszła Droga Krzyżowa, w której pomimo chłodnego wieczoru uczestniczylo wiele osób.

Rozważania w języku angielskim i polskim czytane były przez reprezentantów grup naszej parafii. Wielki drewniany krzyż, znak miłości Bożej do każdego człowieka, niesiony od Stacji do Stacji przekazywany był z ramion na ramiona kolejnym osobom.

Wszystkim parafianom i gościom dziękujemy za liczne uczestnictwo w nabożeństwie tej Drogi Krzyżowej i wspólną modlitwę.

#### Bóg zapłać!

Beata Bosak, Director of Lifelong Faith Formation



# **WIELKI TYDZIEŃ**

## **ŚW. TOMASZ BECKET**

#### **NIEDZIELA PALMOWA, 24 MARZEC:**

Sobota 4pm w jęz angielskim Niedziela 9am + 12:30pm w jęz angielskim Niedziela 7:30am + 10:45am w jęz polskim ŚRODA, 27 MARZEC:

7pm Msza Św I Nowenna do Nieustającej Pomocy Najświętszej Maryi Panny

#### WIELKI CZWARTEK, 28 MARZEC:

7pm Msza Św. w jęz polskim Adoracja do 12am WIELKI PIĄTEK, 29 MARZEC:

12pm Dwujęzyczne Stacje Drogi Krzyżowej 3pm Męka Pańska w jęz angielskim 5pm + 7pm Męka Pańska w jęz polskim

WIELKA SOBOTA, 30 MARZEC:

9:30am + 10:30am + 11:30am Poświęcenie Pokarmu

# WIGILIA WIELKANOCY, 30 MARZEC:

7pm Dwujęzyczna Msza Św. (TYLKO U ŚW. TOMASZA BECKETA)

### WIELKANOC, 31 MARZEC:

9am + 12:30pm w jęz angielskim 5:30am Rezurekcja + procesja w jęz polskim 7:30am + 10:45am w jęz polskim

## PONIEDZIAŁEK WIELKANOCNY, 1 KWIECIEŃ:

9am Msza Św. w jęz angielskim 7pm Msza Św. w jęz polskim

## **ŚW ALFONS LIGUORI**

wszystkie nabożeństwa i Msze Św. w jęz angielskim

**NIEDZIELA PALMOWA, 24 MARZEC:** 

Sobota 5pm Niedziela 8:30am + 11am

WIELKI CZWARTEK, 28 MARZEC:

8:15am Modlitwa Poranna 7pm Msza Św. Adoracja do 10pm

WIELKI PIĄTEK, 29 MARZEC:

8:15am Modlitwa Poranna 3pm Stacje Drogi Krzyżowej 7pm Męka Pańska

#### WIELKA SOBOTA, 30 MARZEC:

8:15am Modlitwa Poranna 11am + 12pm Poświęcenie Pokarmu WIGILIA WIELKANOCY 7PM DWUJĘZYCZNA

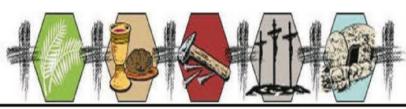
TYLKO U ŚW TOMASZA BECKETA

WIELKANOC, 31 MARZEC:

8:30am + 11:00am

PONIEDZIAŁEK WIELKANOCNY, 1 KWIECIEŃ:

8:15am



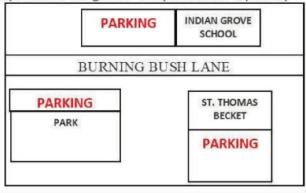
Piątek, Marzec 22—spowiedź parafialna u Św. Alfonsa Liguori: 9:15-11:30am oraz 5:30-8pm—wielu księży Sobota, Marzec 23—spowiedź u Św. Alfonsa Liguori: 4-4:45pm—tylko 1 ksiądz Nie ma spowiedzi w Wielkim Tygodniu.

# PARKING AT ST. THOMAS BECKET

Besides the parking lot in front of our church, parking is also available by Indian Grove School - directly across the street from the church - by the park next to the church, and parking on Burning Bush Lane is also allowed. Please be mindful and respectful of the posted signs. Parking on our driveways creates danger for everyone and is especially

hazardous for the first responders. Thank you for your cooperation.

Oprócz parkingu przed naszym kościołem, dostępny jest również parking przy szkole Indian Grove School, bezpośrednio po drugiej stronie ulicy kościoła, przy parku obok kościoła, oraz można parkować na ulicy Burning Bush Lane. Prosimy o zwracanie uwagi i respektowanie umieszczonych znaków. Parkowanie na naszym wjeździe i wyjeździe stwarza niebezpieczeństwo dla wszystkich, a szczególnie dla niosących pierwszą pomoc: karetka i straż pożarna. Dziekujemy za współprace.



# EASTER FLOWER MEMORIALS

We always remember our deceased loved ones at the holidays. This year, why not remember them with an Easter Flower Memorial? Your donation will help beautify our church throughout the Easter Season as well as memorialize your loved one. Please place your donation with the following form in an envelope marked "Easter Flowers." Drop it in the collection basket, or bring it to the Parish Office by Thursday, March 28.

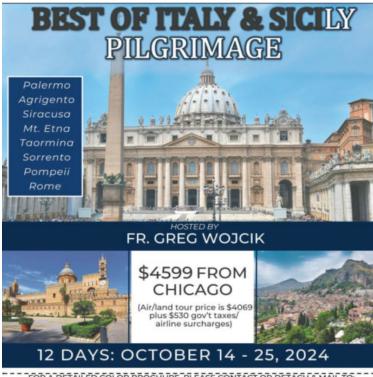
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Week of March 24, 2024



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# Embraced in Mercy: The Rite Explained | Forgiven | Session 3

Whether you go to Confession regularly or a decade ago, this session guides you step-by-step through the deeper meaning of every aspect of the Rite—what it is, why we do it, and how it impacts your life.



# Holy Thursday | Catholic All Year at Home

W/ Kendra Tierney

Explore Holy Thursday contradictions with the Tierney family:
joyful Eucharist and sacramental priesthood vs. somber start
of Jesus' passion. Get family activity ideas; music suggestions,
and a Holy Thursday seder-inspired feast featuring lamb,
knishes, bitter herb salad, homemade applesauce, flatbread,
and wine/grape juice. Don't miss a messy but special dessert.

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# FOOD PANTRY NEWS...

Thanks to your generous donations, 25 families were provided bags of food on March 16. Please help the Food Pantry by donating the following items:



Canned Soups

Canned Veggies

Canned Beans

Canned Fruit

Canned Meats/Tuna

Rice

Pasta

Pasta Sauce

Mac and Cheese

Peanut Butter

Jelly or Preserves

Toilet Paper

#### Thank you for your donations and support!

Dzieki hojnych donacji, 25 rodzin otrzymało żywność podczas dystrybucji 16 marca z naszej Spiżarni Żywności. Dla uzupełnienia spiżarni potrzebne są następujących artykuły:

Zupy w puszkach Warzywa w puszkach Fasola w puszkach Owoce w puszkach Konserwy miesne/tuńczyk

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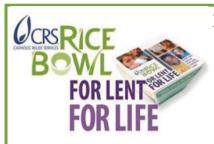
Mac and Cheese

Masło orzechowe

Dżemy/konfitury

Papier toaletowy

Bardzo dziękujemy za wszystkie donacje i wsparcie!



Please return your Rice Bowl to the basket at either church.

Thank you!

# SAVE THE DATE

**SENIOR FUN CLUB EVENT:** 

Chicago Cubs "SENIOR NIGHT"

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

1:20pm GAME

\$40



# **GARDEN PLOT** RESERVATIONS

Spring is here! The Joseph Le Garden had a successful first summer. Home Depot donated raised beds, garden soil, picnic tables and man power to make this all happen. Reserve a spot in

the garden for your vegetables now! Plots of 4x10 or 4x20 feet size will be available. I am asking for a donation of \$30 to go towards improvements (improved fencing, additional soil). Please text Stas Maslanka at 773-620-3876 with your name to reserve a plot.



# Monthly Birthdays

The Daily Mass community invites all parishioners to celebrate birthdays the **first Tuesday** of each month following the 8:15 Mass in the meeting rooms.

**JOIN US** TUESDAY, April

Celebrants are invited for coffee & cake and a special blessing. Even if it's not your birthday come and enjoy the coffee and conversation!



# Healing Mass

Join us for the Sacraments of Reconciliation & Anointing during Mass Saturday, April 6 at 8:30am.

Pierwsza Sobota Miesiąca-podczas Mszy Św. o godz. 8:30am sakrament pojednania i namaszczenia chorych—zapraszamy do kościoła Św. Alfonsa.

The Rosary will be led by AHG after Mass.

# Open Volleyball!

Join us for Volleyball for Anyone 18+



WEDNESDAYS 8:00pm-10:00pm St. Alphonsus Gym

To Sign Up Contact Karol: karolciu@yahoo.com or Greg: gregory6547s@gmail.com

# Please Pray For:

# ~ Those Requesting Prayers ~

John Balzanto, Shirley Barker, Matthew Fitzgerald Batt, Henryk Bira, Jamal L. Carraway, Clayton Berrigan, Marie Berrigan, Donald Blickle, Lawrence Boesen, Thomas Boesen, Lola Bondzinski, Anna Braun, Jeanne Brown, Bernard Buchanan, Maria Budinger, Maria Cacucciolo, Harriett Ciesil, Jennifer Clyder, Terry Condon, John Doherty, Jack Dugan, Mary Dugan, Joan Fine, Heather Fischer, Tim Ford, Kevin Frei, Caryn Garber, Carol Glab, Peggy Gosch, Mary Graff, Brian Halpin, Kris Hansen, Liz Hardesty, David Hartman, Judy Hartman, Dale Hay, Kathleen Heinz, Salvina Hernandez, Jackie Hipelius, John Hipelius, Jessica Hough, Tom Huene, Jr., Itzy, Tom, Heune, Sr., Pam Jackstis, RFK, Ann Kellerhals, Krzysztof, Mary Ann Kudjer, Kirk Kunzendorf, Carol Lange, Lucille Lay, Megan Lawler, Patti Lawler, Mary Margaret Lazich, Jim Leonard, Carol Lewandowski, Tony Lewandowski, Pat Linhart, Rick Lizars, Harper Lynn, Josephine Mallek, Claudia Marchetti, Mareena Mattison, Wendy Mattison, Michael McDonough, Kathleen McKenna, Jim McGowan, Brian Meschick, Joann Miller, Ann Michals, Gay Miezin, Cathy Moretti, Dick Moretti, Maeve Morgan, Dolores Murbach, Norine Naselli, John Naughton, Susan Naughton, Marilyn Olson, Bernie Olson, Susan Ostrowski, Michael Ricard, Mary Roseri, Michelle Roti, Ning Santos, Mary Jo Sheehy, John Shafer, Pat Schaefer, Stan Shafer, Ellie Schneider, Laura Schuerman, Robert "Bob" Smith, Stanley, Donna Tadda, Natalie Tadda, Barbara Teeple, Justin Thompson, Margaret Turansky, Steve Volkodav, Mickey Wallace, Martha Wieland, Michelle Zalewski

To be added to this prayer list, or have your name removed, please call the Parish Office at 847-255-7452.



~ Our Beloved Deceased ~

Mary Erkenswick
(Sister of Joyce Janusas)

Ed Malszewski
(Husband of Joan)

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Call the Parish Office at 847-255-7452 or 847-827-9220, register on our website, or register in person.

# $\sim$ Those in the Military $\sim$

We would like to keep Active Duty Military who proudly serve our country in our prayers.



SMSgt. Bobby Yarnes, U.S. Space Force, *nephew of Gail & Pat McGeever* 

Capt. Peter Straka, U.S. Army, son of Timothy and Carol Straka Lt. Ryan Pattullo, USN, grandson of Maria Wirth

Capt. Michael K. Yoshino, U.S. Army, son of Keith & Kristine Yoshino

Col Michael B. Sheridan, U.S Army, *nephew of Anita Thomas* Lt. Col Chiara Sheridan, U.S. Army, *relative of Anita Thomas* Maj. Christina M. Rudolph, U.S. Army Reserves, *daughter of Julianne Henington* 

LCp1. Tim Haerr, USMC, great nephew of Joyce Patton LCDR Patrick Mitchell, USN, son-in-law of Jean and Tom Spiegelhalter

CPO, Matthew Lee, USN, nephew of Patrick Lee Cpl. Jason Matker, USMC, grandson of Donald (& Carol) Matker FCA2 Andrew Fonseca, USN, parishioner

Sgt. Eric Fonseca, USMC, parishioner

Sgt. Robert McKavanagh, USMC, son of Deana McKavanagh

Add a Person / Update Rank / Remove from List Contact Deana: 847-255-7452 x 131 d.mckavanagh@stbal.org

# **Prayer Circle**

Ministers offer spiritual and moral support to those experiencing serious concerns in their lives. They want to pray with you for special intentions, such as a serious illness or emergency situation. When called upon, these ministers pass your prayer request to all members. Prayers are kept within the Prayer Circle and are not announced at Mass unless you wish. If you are in need of this prayer support, please call:

Diane Kachigian 847-215-2548

If you would like the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, or have an emergency requiring a priest, please contact us at 847-255-7452 or 847-827-9220.

# **Community Events and Support Groups:**

# Summer 2024 Adult Confirmation—



Are you an adult who missed receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation? Preparation for Confirmation for Vicariate I parishioners will be offered weekly on Mondays beginning Monday, June 3, 7-9 pm, at St. Edna Parish (Door #2), 2525 N. Arlington Heights Rd. in Arlington Heights. Bishop Jeffrey Grob will preside

at the Confirmation Mass at St. Edna Parish on Wednesday, July 24, at 7:00 p.m. **Registration closes on May 23.** Contact Lorie Crepeau for information and registration; lcrepeau@stedna.org, 847-398-3362, ext. 325.

#### ACCW Seeks Prayer for Women Ministries—

Welcome all women who make the best of everything they have putting to use their talents, prayers and skills ministering to the needs of our parish. During Lent, under the patronage of Our Lady of Good Counsel the **Archdiocese Council of Catholic Women Vicariate I** board of directors encourages us to pray for these women who exemplify the spirit of our faith community, as we celebrate the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Women of the Year award in 2024.

#### **Lunches by Catholic Charities--**

Luncheons are served M-Fri for seniors 60 and older at Arlington Heights Senior Center, 1801 W. Central. Suggested donation of \$4.00 on a reservation basis only. Call 847-797-5354 for more info & reservations.

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#### LOSS: Loving Outreach to Survivors of Suicide—

Loving Outreach to Survivors of Suicide (LOSS) is a non-denominational program that supports individuals who are grieving the loss of a loved one by suicide offered by Catholic Charities. LOSS offers a safe, non-judgmental environment where survivors of suicide can openly talk about feelings, and find resources for healing. Call 312-655-7283 or visit www.catholiccharities.net/loss

# Support for Loss of a Loved One—

Grief and Loss Services at Rainbow Hospice and Palliative Care offers one-on-one counseling, support groups and education for anyone who has lost a loved one. For more information visit www.RainbowHospice.org or call 847-653-3141

#### Widowed Men & Women's Monthly Support Group—

To Be Joyful Again, a non denominational support group for widows, widowers, or anyone who has lost a significant other, meets the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of every month at 7:00pm at Holy Family Parish, 2515 Palatine Road, Inverness. Get the support you need in this difficult time. All are welcome. Contact Peggy Emerson at 224-595-3613 or Bob Boho at 847-438-2884

#### Joyful Again! Support for Widowed Men & Women—

For upcoming Retreats and Workshops please check us out at www.joyfulagain.org, or call 708-354-7211

#### NAMI Support Group at St. Emily Parish—

Family members of individuals living with mental health conditions are invited to the National Alliance on Mental Illness Family Support Group the **second Tuesday of each month 7:00-8:30pm** 1400 E. Central Road in Mt. Prospect. Questions? Contact Mary Rose at 847-496-1415

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If you are a victim of domestic violence (male or female), or know someone who is, and need help, please contact one of these numbers: WINGS 24 hr. Hotline and Counseling Services and Emergency Shelter 847-221-5680 • National Domestic Violence Hotline 24 hr. 800-799-7233

• National Dating Abuse Helpline, (including teens) 866-331-9474 • Visit www.ndvh.org In an Emergency dial 911





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