

Sacred Heart Parish

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MISSION STATEMENT

Sacred Heart Parish is a family of believers rooted in the teachings of Jesus Christ. **We** open our lives to the wisdom of the Holy Spirit that we may see all things in the light of Faith.

We welcome all on our journey to the Kingdom of God. Sacred Heart nourishes the parish family through the ministries of Evangelization, Education, Sacramental Worship and Christian Service.

We offer our time, talents and treasure as stewards of God's Church. **We** call on each other's support as we build God's Kingdom.

With our Lord's help, **we** will live the Gospel values of Faith, Hope, Justice and Love.

SUNDAY MASSES:

Sat. 5:00 pm,

Sun. 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 am;

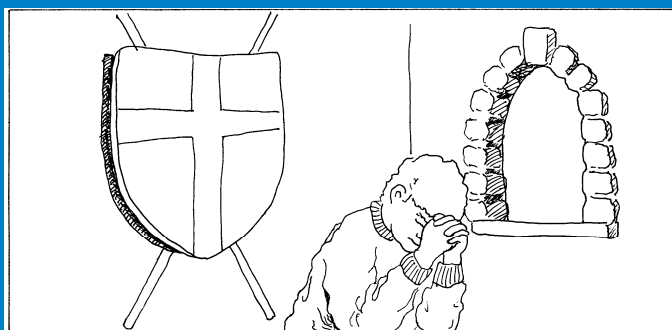
and 12:30 pm Spanish

WEEKDAY MASSES: 8:00am

HOLY DAYS:

8:00, 10:00am, & 7:00pm (or as posted)

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 4:00-4:45 PM



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**Nineteenth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
August 8, 2010**

Our soul waits for the LORD,
who is our help and our shield.

— *Psalm 33:20*

PARISH INFORMATION

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: The first Friday of each month from 12:00 Noon to 7pm. Exposition at 12 Noon: Adoration until 7pm: Benediction at 7:00pm

BAPTISMS: All Baptism arrangements must be made at the rectory office beforehand. All parents and godparents should be practicing Catholic Christians.

English Baptisms are at 2:30pm on the First and Fourth Sunday of each month. The "must attend" preparation meeting for parents and godparents is on the 3rd Monday of the month, at 7:00pm, at the rectory.

Spanish Baptisms are at 1:00pm on the Second Saturday of each month, or after the 12:30pm Mass on the Second Sunday of each month. The "must attend" preparation meeting for parents and godparents is on the 1st Monday of each month, at 7:00pm, at the rectory.

WEDDINGS: Arrangements should be made at the rectory with a parish priest or deacon at least four months before the wedding. Normally weddings are for parishioners, but special situations will be considered. We recommend a Wedding Mass for practicing Catholics. We recommend a Wedding Ceremony for non-practicing Catholics or missed-religion couples. Both are valid Marriages.

QUICEANEREA: Arrangements must be made at the rectory with a priest or deacon at least two months before.

FUNERALS: Arrangements can usually be made with the rectory office by the funeral director. We have the Book of Funeral Readings at the rectory for families who wish to look them over. A priest or deacon will usually attend the wake.

SICK CALLS: If someone needs to be anointed, please call the rectory when they are seriously ill, don't wait too long. If someone homebound wishes Holy Communion, please call the rectory. It will usually be brought by a Minister of Care.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome to Sacred Heart Parish! Please register in the rectory office to be counted!

CHANGE OF ADDRESS: If you leave the parish or move to a new address, please notify the rectory as soon as possible

PARISH FOOD PANTRY: Open Saturday's 10am-12 noon. Patrons need to call the rectory by Thursday to reserve food

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: PRESIDENT – Jose Suarez; VICE-PRESIDENT - Louisa Ostrowski; SECRETARY - Lucy Mahnke; MEMBERS: Joe Augelli, Lois Behrendt, Ray Behrendt, Randy Cerqua, Barbara Cicone, Maria Galvin, Don Klaput, Arnoldo Martinez, Norberto Ojeda, Barbara Richter, Aida Flores, Eduardo & Maribel Rodriguez

FINANCE COUNCIL: MEMBERS: Albert Castellan, Vince Consalvo, Earl Crovedi, Len Gassmann, Joanne Pope

HOLY NAME SOCIETY: PRESIDENT Donald Klaput

WOMEN'S CLUB: PRESIDENT Barbara Richter

SCHOOL ADVISORY BOARD: PRESIDENT Frank Pope, Jr.

SCHOOL PTO: PRESIDENTS, Sue Golding & Teresa Collela



WELCOME

No matter what your present status is in the Catholic Church.....

No matter what your current family or marital situation is.....

No matter what your past or present religious affiliation is.....

No matter what your personal history, age, background, race or color is.....

No matter what your own self-image or esteem is.....

You are Invited, Welcomed, Accepted, Loved and Respected here at Sacred Heart Parish!

This Week

SUNDAY, AUGUST 8:

9:00am-12:00pm School Orientation Registration in Marian Hall

12:30pm Spanish Baptisms

MONDAY, AUGUST 9:

5:30-6:45pm Youth Group Leaders (Rectory)

7:00pm Parish Council (Rectory)

THURSDAY, AUGUST 12:

6:00-7:30pm Youth Group (Room 13)

SATURDAY, AUGUST 14:

1:00 Spanish Baptisms

SUNDAY, AUGUST 15: ASSUMPTION OF MARY



Ministry of Care

If you or your loved one is admitted to a hospital and would like a visit from a Parish Minister of Care, please call the Rectory Office. According to the HIPAA Act, patient names will no longer be passed on to us by the hospital of admittance without written consent from the patient. If you or a member of your family would like to receive Holy Communion and/or the sacrament of The Anointing of the Sick in the hospital or at home, please call the Rectory at 708-344-0757.



PARISHIONERS: When moving in or out of Sacred Heart Parish, please notify the Rectory Office.

YOUR WILL: Please remember Sacred Heart Parish in your wills and bequests.

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & PARISHIONERS are encouraged to write articles for the Bulletin and the Church Web Site. Bulletin copy **must** be in the Rectory Office **no later than 12:00 Noon Each Monday**. Copy material received past the deadline will not be published in the Bulletin until the following weekend. All copy material is subject to approval.



Pastor's Corner

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What a Week...

(This article is from the Week of August 1st)

I just returned from the Committal Service for Fr. Militello at Queen of Heaven Cemetery. There is a sense of completion to his life, but there are also many thoughts and memories floating around my mind. The remembrances of people, the beautiful homilies of Deacon Barnish and Fr. Kalas and the body of Fr. Cos laid out in church all brought back memories and experiences of "life with Cos" at Sacred Heart. He was a good man and a good priest who touched many people's lives for the good. He was a good preacher, a compassionate counselor, a capable fund raiser, strong school supporter, a lover of people, and filled with many other good qualities. He was not perfect and had his faults, but then all of us do. As I let my mind drift back to Fr. Cos, the memories are good! It was good to have known him and worked with him. And now we let him go in prayer to the fullness of the kingdom of God. May he enjoy his new home!

We offer our condolences to his brother Joe and to all the other members of his family. You can be assured that many people have fond memories of "Cos" and that he will not soon be forgotten! Finally, a sincere thanks to all the people of Sacred Heart Parish who either participated or helped out in any way in our prayerful farewell to Fr. Cos. God Bless all of you!

And it rained for 40 days and nights! Not quite, but it was too much! Our rectory basement flooded last week along with a lot of others. What made our flooding especially bad is that our church offices are there. The water reached computers, copiers, the furnace, record books, phone lines, the food pantry, etc... etc... Right now Joe Augelli and the rectory staff are doing the best they can to catch up and keep up working in emergency conditions. If there are missed connections please give them a break because it's probably due to the flood. I also want to take the time to thank Joe, Mike C., Angelo, Randy, Sue, Mike B. and anyone else who helped to bail out the water. Some of the above people worked from morning to night! God bless them!

At this writing we are still planning to hold our voting on the proposed revision of our Sunday morning Mass schedule on August 14th and 15th. Ballots will be in the benches. Voting will be as the last pulpit announcement and collected by the ushers. One person, one vote! Voting will be at the three affected Masses only! Only Confirmed parishioners may vote. Do you think that is fair? Let Joe or me know.

Life goes on...
Fr. Friedl



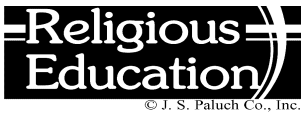
FAITHFUL AND HOPEFUL

The Letter to the Hebrews binds up beautifully the first two of the great triumvirate of Christian virtues: faith and hope. When what we hope for is realized, faith is born; in faith we have the evidence of what still remains unseen. Hebrews puts before us our ancestors in faith: Abraham and Sarah. It illustrates their lives of faith, their hopes realized so that faith might be born, their faith as witness to all that is yet intangible to us. It is the covenant made and kept in faith, with loving-kindness, that is our inheritance from them. Though they long ago passed over from this life to their life among the stars used to describe their descendants, that covenant lives on, given life anew in the life, passion, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ. It is to that covenant in Christ that we are each called again in the faith given to us in baptism; it is that covenant that brings forth and seals the vocation God has called us to live in joyful hope until we, too, reach our homeland in heaven with Abraham and Sarah.

FAITHFUL AND PRUDENT STEWARDS

Who doesn't need to fear the return of the master? The faithful and prudent steward, that's who. It is this steward who has taken what the master has given and has treated it—no matter what—as a great gift and treasure. Today we get the first glimmers of the words about the coming of Christ whom we await in joyful hope. These will increasingly characterize the Gospels for the next several months. Jesus gives us images of surrender that are characteristic of faithful disciples: he speaks of loins girt for exodus and lamps lit for the bridegroom's coming. He tells of the master returning to the household, eagerly anticipating what has transpired there in his absence; he forewarns that the master alone knows the time of his return. These teachings could strike fear into the hearts of those listening. Jesus concludes by saying: "Much will be required of the person entrusted with much" (Luke 12:48). The vocation of the Christian disciple is to realize that whatever has been bestowed on us is "much" in the master's eyes. Disciples' vocations are lived faithfully and prudently, for they do not wait for the master's return in dread; they hope for it in joy.

Today's Readings: Wisdom 18:6-9; Psalm 33:1, 12, 18-22; Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19 [1-2, 8-12]; Luke 12:32-48 [35-40] Copyright © 2006, World Library Publications. All rights reserved.



CCD REGISTRATION

Registration is here for Religious Education and Sacramental instruction. If your child is in 1st grade in school, they can be registered. **AUGUST** is the month. Bring a copy of the baptismal certificate with you and a deposit of \$30.00 dollars. You can register after the Sunday 9:00 and 11:00am English Masses, and after the 12:30pm Spanish Mass down in **Marian Hall**. This will be during the entire month of August.

Yours in Christ, DRE: Arnoldo Martinez

Thanks for Having a Heart for Sacred Heart!



Darlene Carpino Kessling
Kessling Family
John A. Carpino
- Class of 1959
Joe Contraveos
Jean Ganske
Fr Howard Lesch
Palisi Family
Kurt Palisi - Class of 1968

Cindy Palisi Mentone
- Class of 1971
Father Howard Lesch
(from his sister, Jo Ann)
Father Howard Lesch
(from Sissy)
Donald Provenzano
(from his daughter)

Keep yourself and your family healthy! Get your child's back to school physical for free and have a worry-free summer at the **Catholic Charities Health Fair** on **Saturday, August 21st, 2010.**

Registration from 8:30 to 10am.

St. Frances of Rome Parish:

1401 South Austin, Cicero, IL.

Take advantage of free, health-related services and information from the area's top health care facilities and providers. Healthy, nutritious snacks will be provided by the Catholic

Charities' program Lunch-n-More Catering.

- >Physical Exams for children (back-to-school) and adults
- >Children's immunizations (bring your shot records)
- >Lead Testing
- >Dental Exams
- >Hearing and Vision Screenings
- >Adult screenings: blood pressure, glucose and cholesterol. Please fast.
- >Confidential HIV testing and information
- >Connection to on-going care
- >Kidcare application >Referrals to Medical and Social

For more information, call (312) 655-7298



Be an angel. We need your help!

The Dominican Literacy Center is in great need of women volunteers for its 2010-2011 session, which begins in September.

This program offers tutoring in speaking and reading of English to women in the Melrose Park area. It is unique in that it offers tutoring on a one-to-one basis (one student with one teacher).

A time commitment of one and one-half hours a week is all that is necessary. Classes are held at the Dominican Literacy Center, which is located at 1503 Rice St. (in Sacred Heart Parish, in Melrose Park).

Four consecutive and informative training sessions will be held on the evenings of Aug. 23 (Monday), Aug. 25 (Wednesday), Aug. 31 (Tuesday), and Sept. 2 (Thursday). Each training session (held at the Dominican Literacy Center) will begin at 6:30pm. Participants need to attend ALL four sessions.

To volunteer, or to find out more about the program, please call: Sr. Judith Curran or Sr. Marlene Kirbach at 708-338-0659 (office/answering machine).

BE NOT DECEIVED...

Do not be disturbed by the clamor of this world, which passes like a shadow. Do not let the false delights of a deceptive world deceive you.

—St. Clare



Sacred Heart's All Class Reunion

Sacred Heart's All Class Reunion is being held on September 25, 2010. Tickets are \$30. The evening will begin with Mass at 5pm. Followed by cocktails at 6pm. Dinner will be served at 7pm. Come and renew old friendships and enjoy an evening of fun including a Silent Auction and a cash raffle. Tickets are available for purchase through Sacred Heart School and after the Masses this weekend. Dinner and raffle tickets will be available for purchase this weekend after all the Masses in Marian Hall in conjunction with the school registration. Please make checks payable to Sacred Heart PTO. Thank You!

School News



Sacred Heart School W.O.W



Welcome Orientation Weekend

All returning and NEW families are to attend one of the following days:

August 7th from 4-6p.m. or August 8th from 9a.m. – Noon
Marian Hall (Church Basement)

If you have any questions please call the office at 708-681-0240.

We are looking forward to seeing all of you!

ALL ARE WELCOME!

NEW REGISTRATIONS STILL OPEN!

Dear Families & Friends of Sacred Heart,

Our Reunion Committee is working real hard planning the upcoming Sacred Heart School All Classes Reunion for September 25th. We would like to take this opportunity to offer you the chance to purchase an ad or send a greeting in our ad booklet for the evening. Please send your business advertisement or greeting to the school or rectory in a marked envelope: **Ad for Reunion Booklet**. There are two sizes available: ½ page is \$40 or ¼ page is \$25. Please make checks payable to: Sacred Heart PTO. The deadline for submission is August 15, 2010. Many thanks to all of you for supporting Sacred Heart.

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Ad Size: ½ Page (\$40) or ¼ Page (\$25)

Message:



*Please don't forget to enclose a copy of your business advertisement if needed.

INFORMACION PARROQUIAL

ADORACION EUCARISTICA: El primer Jueves desde de 1:00 a 7:00 p.m., con la bendición del Santísimo a las 7:00 p.m.

BAUTISMOS: Todos los arreglos para el bautismo deben hacerse en la oficina de la rectoría de antemano. Los padres y los padrinos deben ser católicos cristianos practicantes.

Los bautismos en ingles son a las 2:30pm el primer y cuarto domingo de mes. La preparación obligatoria para padres y padrinos es el tercer lunes de cada mes a las 7 PM en la rectoría.

Los bautismos en español son a la 1 PM el segundo sábado de cada mes o después de misa de 12:30pm el segundo domingo de cada mes. La reunión de preparación para padres y padrinos es el primer lunes de cada mes a las 7 PM en la rectoría.

MATRIMONIOS: Los arreglos deben hacerse con el sacerdote de la parroquia o algún diacono cuatro meses por adelantado por lo menos. Las bodas normalmente son para los feligreses aunque se pueden hacer ciertos acomodos para otras personas.

FUNERALES: Los arreglos pueden hacerse con la persona en la oficina por el director de la funeraria. Tenemos un libro para lecturas para las familias que deseen involucrarse. Un sacerdote o diacono estará presente en el entierro.

ENFERMOS: Si alguien necesita la Unción, favor de llamar a la rectoría cuando la persona este realmente enferma, no esperes hasta el final. La Sagrada Comunión será administrada por un ministro de enfermos.

NUEVOS PARROQUIANOS: Les damos la bienvenida a Melrose Park y particularmente a nuestra Familia de la Parroquia de Sagrado Corazón. Por favor regístrense en la Rectoría tan pronto como les sea posible.

CAMBIO DE DIRECCION: SI DEJAS NUESTRA PARROQUIA O TE CAMBIAS DE DIRECCION, FAVOR DE NOTIFICARNOS A NUESTRA OFICINA.

FOOD PAUNTRY: Estará abierto los sábados de 10 a 12 del medio día. Necesitas llamar a la oficina no mas tarde del jueves para reservarte comida.

MINISTERIO HISPANO: PRESIDENTE: Aida Flores

VICE- PRESIDENTE: Eduardo Rodriguez

SECRETARIA: Maribel Rodriguez

TESORERA: Blanca Ulloa

REGISTRACION PARA EL CCD



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Las **INSCRIPCIONES** para la **Educación Religiosa** están a la vuelta de la esquina. Desde que su hijo(a) entran al 1er grado ya pueden asistir a nuestro programa. **AGOSTO** es el mes. Trae contigo **COPIA** del **CERTIFICADO DE BAUTISMO** y un depósito de \$30 dólares. Te atenderemos después de misa de 9, 11, y 12:30pm en el **Marian Hall**.

En Cristo, DRE: Arnoldo Martinez

Mantenga saludable a su familia y usted tambien!

Feria de Salud

sabado 21, de agosto, del 2010

Registracion 8:30 a.m. a 10 a.m.

Parroquia Santa Francisca Romana: 1401 S. Austin, Cicero

Aproveche los sericios gratuitos de salud y la informacion de los mejores profesionales en el cuidado de la salud dentro del area. Habra bocadillos proporcionados por Lunch-n-More Catering, un programa de Caridades Catolicas!

- Exámenes físicos para niños (regreso a la escuela) y para adultos
- Aplicacion de vacunas para niños: Traer su registro de vacunas
 - Prueba de contenido de plomo
 - Exámenes del oído y la vista
 - Exámenes dentales sobre VIH/SIDA
- Analisis para adultos (presión arterial, glucose y colestrol) Necesita venire en ayunas
 - Conexion con servicios disponibles de: Ayunda para aplicar a KidCare

Para mas informacion, llame a Caridades Catolicas al (312) 655- 7298



Charles Abruzzini, Jerry DalCerro, Amelia Dahly, Richard Excell, Regina Geotsalitis, Kay Giuffre, Michael Karalis, Jr., Darlene Kessling, Alec Kubica, Duke Lullo, Toni Lullo, Ethan Maidl, Rev. Hervery Meyr, Josephine Principe, Claudia Sabatino, Lois Solomon, Ralph Sorrentino, Dolores VonFeldt, Mickey Zito.....

AND ALL OF OUR HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS.
Heavenly Father, Look upon our brothers and sisters who are ill. In the Midst of illness and pain, may they be united with Christ, who heals both body and soul; may they know the consolation promised to those who suffer and be fully restored to health. We ask this in the name of Jesus the Lord.

*This list is for those who are seriously ill, at home, and who cannot



SUNDAY, AUGUST 8 *19th Sunday in Ordinary Time*
 SAT 5:00pm +**FrankAngiulo** by Family
 +**Rose Scardine** by Cerqua Family
 7:30 +**Raymond Walsdorf** by Wife
 -**Chad Dorwart-For Healing** by Uncle Norb & Aunt Sue
 9:00 +**Patricia McParland** by Sacred Heart Church
 +**Joseph Contraveos** by Jeanne Flyke
 11:00 +**Maria Ruggiero** by Family
 +**Rocco Sangiacomo** by Family

12:30pm(Spanish) -**Misa para el Pueblo**

MONDAY, AUGUST 9

8:00 +**Frances & Frederick Jackson**
 +**Patricia McParland** by Sacred Heart School

TUESDAY, AUGUST 10 *St. Lawrence*

8:00 +**Rev. Mitchell Pawelko, C.R.** by Mary Ann Tyl
 +**Father's Day Novena**

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11 *St. Clare*

8:00 +**Mary Reich** by Agatha & Family
 +**Anne M. Caprini** by Family

THURSDAY, AUGUST 12

8:00 +**Mary Pawelko** by Mary Ann Tyl
 +**Eileen Beneitone** by Mary Augelli

FRIDAY, AUGUST 13

8:00 +**Arthur Tomas** by Family
 +**Mr. & Mrs. John Pasternock** by Gino & Anna
 Orrico & Family

SATURDAY, AUGUST 14 *St. Maximilian Mary Kolbe*

8:00 +**Al Theodore** by Daughter
 +**Frances & Frederick Jackson**
 5:00 +**Frank Giancarlo** by Wojcik Family
 +**Eileen Beneitone** by Lorenzo Family



Helena Mikolitis



We welcome the following children into our Sacred Heart Family:

CHRISTIAN ANTONIO BEBER

Son of Carlo Beber & Gladys (Albaracin)

GERARDO PARRA III

Son of Gerardo Parra Jr. & Diana Barajas




NICHOLAS MARK PIOTROWSKI

Son of Joseph Piotrowski & Jenniffer (McClintic)

In today's Gospel, we hear from Jesus that "where your treasure is, there also will your heart be." What treasure have I been living for? What treasure might God be inviting me to? For information about the priesthood contact Fr. Brian Welter at 312-534-8298 or at bweleter@archchicago.org. For information about the religious life contact Sr. Elyse Ramirez, OP at 312-534-5240 or at eramirez@archchicago.org.

Also visit www.ChicagoPriest.com

CELEBRANT/LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE for Saturday/Sunday, August 14/15, 2010

	5:00 pm	7:30 am	9:00 am	11:00 am	12:30 pm
Celebrant	Fr. Benedict Ezeoke	Fr. Benedict Ezeoke	Fr. Erwin Friedl	tba	Fr. Peter McQuinn
 Lectors Commentators	Maria Galvin	Linda Nelson Terry Nelson	Ophelia Juan	Corrine James Louisa Ostrowski	n/a
 Eucharistic Ministers	Nancy Marella - W Lucille Cerra - W Jean Ganske - H P. Cardaropoli - H	B. Ramirez - W Sue Zupinski - W Sister Jan - H	John Lullo - W Susan Golding - W Laura Urso - H P. McGaughan - H	Debbie Szeszko - W Diane Trusco - W Chris McGrail -H	n/a
 Altar Servers	Lauren Nicholas M.	n/a	Antonio Gianna	Genesis David	n/a