St. Eugene Parish
Chicago, IL 60656

THE VOICE

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time — January 18, 2015

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SUNDAY MASSES: (5:30 PM Saturday), 7:00, 9:30, 11:30 AM, 4:30 PM

WEEKDAYS: 6:30, 9:00 AM (8:30 AM Saturday)

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays from 4:00—5:00 PM in the Reconciliation Room.

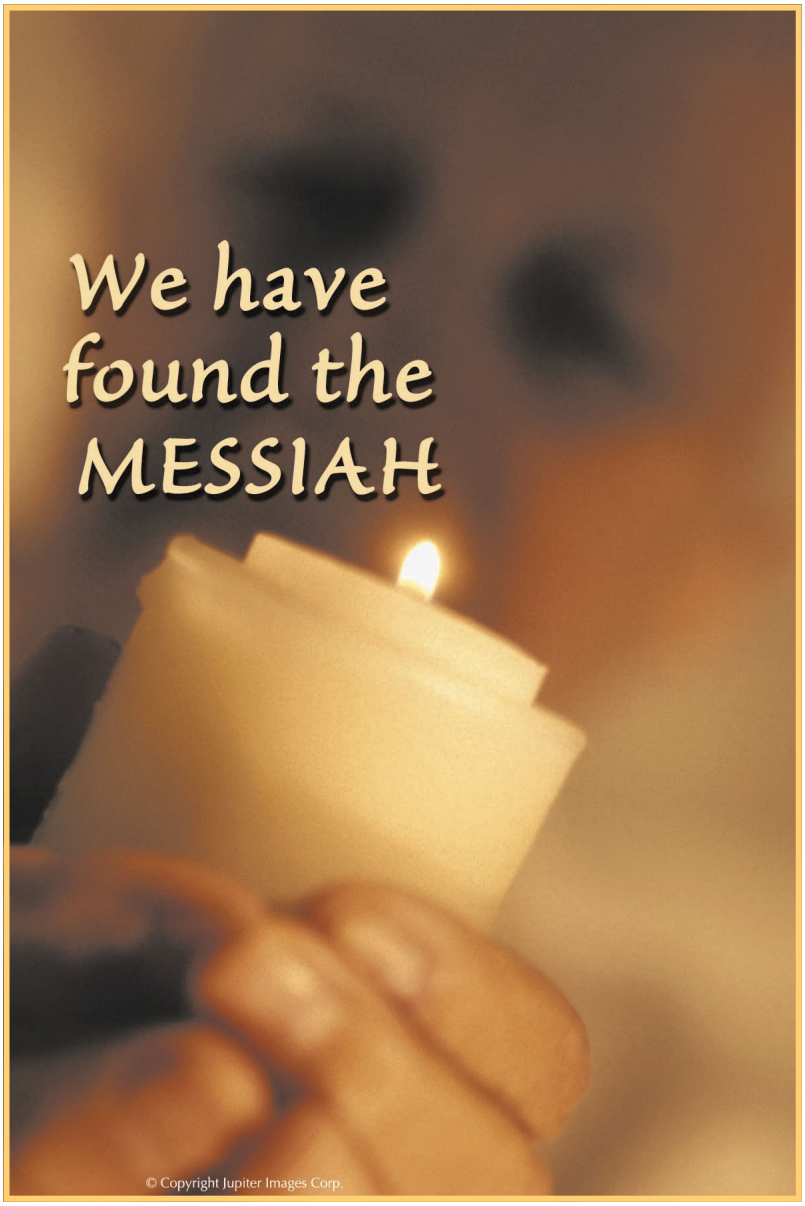
BAPTISMS: 1st & 3rd Sundays at 1:00 PM. Baptismal Preparation Class the first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 PM in the rectory. Please telephone the rectory to register.

WEDDINGS: Arrangements must be made 6 months in advance with one of the Priests. Weddings are celebrated for registered parishioners of St. Eugene Parish.

PARISHIONERS: When moving in or out of St. Eugene Parish, please notify the rectory.

YOUR WILL: Remember the church in your bequests.

CHURCH ETIQUETTE: The priest should be the last in, and first out of church.



Parish Staff

Rev. George Koeune, Pastor
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Mrs. Terri Swiderski, Receptionists

Please TURN OFF any electronic devices before entering the church for Mass or any other Liturgical service.
Please do NOT park in front of church to ensure emergency vehicle access.
There are ample parking spaces provided on the north side,
to the rear of the church and the Shaunessy Center parking lot.

Welcome, visitors and guests, to St. Eugene Church and Parish. Please sign our guest register in the rear vestibule and let our ushers know if you need a taxi or need to use a phone.

RECTORY HOURS
MONDAY - FRIDAY
9:00 - 11:30 am & 12:30 - 8:00 pm
(closed for lunch: 11:30 am - 12:30 pm)
SATURDAY & SUNDAY:
9:00 am - 1:00 pm





The Living Rosary for Life

On Thursday, January 22, we will be having a living Rosary at 7:00 p.m. in our church. I want to thank our St. Eugene Pro-Life Group, the Knights of Columbus, and the many parishioners and organizations who support this wonderful prayer service. I fully support this prayer event, however, I will be out of town that week and will be unable to attend. Still, I would like to invite all those who can to attend the Living Rosary in church that evening. The tragedy of the Supreme Court decisions of *Roe v. Wade* and *Doe v. Bolton* that legalized abortion on demand throughout all nine months of pregnancy is truly an evil day in the history of the United States. As people of faith, we must continually pray that this tragic blow to the sanctity of human life will one day be reversed.

Our weapon to battle this evil is prayer. We must also be a voice for truth. Many people still do not understand that an abortion can be legally performed on a baby that could easily live outside of his or her mothers' womb. A baby can be legally aborted throughout all nine months of pregnancy. My great-nephew was born three months premature. He is now a beautiful one-year-old baby. I look at him and can't help but think of all the other babies who did not get a chance to breathe.

Pro-choice advocates are quick to point out that a fetus is not a person. However, all your doctors, scientists, and anyone with any intellect, will admit that a fetus is human life. Abortion destroys a human life. It is legalized murder that also puts women at risk. We do not hear of all the botched abortions that happen, but, they are more common than people realize. Death from an abortion is a reality. The unhealthy hygiene of abortion clinics is a reality. The so-called medical personnel performing abortions are skilled at killing, but, they are not skilled at saving a woman's life if something goes wrong. We need a lot of prayers to change our society. Please consider coming to church on Thursday, January 22, at 7:00 p.m. to pray for an end of this attack on innocent babies.

Did you know:

18 Days	A baby's heart begins to beat
43 Days	Brain coordinates movements
8 Weeks	All organs are functioning
9 Weeks	Has permanent, individual fingerprints
10 Weeks	Sense of touch (comfort / pain)
12 Weeks	A baby can smile, suck his / her thumb, and make a fist



Adoption: More than two million couples wait to adopt - and that includes children of all races and those with special needs.



Yours in Christ,

Fr. George

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 Voice* until the following weekend—NO EXCEPTIONS.

THIS WEEKEND

TO TEACH WHO CHRIST IS
CAPITAL CAMPAIGN PLEDGE DRIVE
Please place your pledge card in the regular collection basket.

FAMILY MASS
FEATURING FOURTH GRADE (9:30 am)

SECOND COLLECTION
FOR THE CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA

WATCHING FOR THE MESSIAH

Today's Gospel story of John and his disciples seeing and following Jesus sounds so simple and casual, it's easy to miss the significant acts of faith that are made.

John points to Jesus: "Look," he says, "there is the Lamb of God." John's faith in Jesus is evident, so evident that John's disciples immediately leave his side to follow this Jesus.

The two disciples make their own act of faith. They follow Jesus, spend time with him, and are quick to spread the good news of their discovery: "We have found the Messiah."

It is easy to forget that the expectations of generations, the hopes of many ages of faithful people were being fulfilled in these simple acts of faith. The Lamb of God, the Messiah, foretold by the prophets, had finally come. Nearly everyone among the Jewish people was watching for the Messiah back then; who in our own society watches for signs of the presence of the Messiah today?

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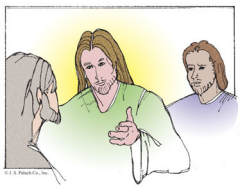
Sacrificial Giving

January 11, 2015

Regular Sunday Offering	**$**	**12,486**
Electronic Giving Weekly Average December (four week average)	**$**	**1,243**
Total	**$**	**13,729**
Sunday Budget 2014-15	**$**	**16,000**
Over / (short)	***$***	***2,271***
Sharing Parish	**$**	**274**

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR PARISH.
YOUR EFFORTS ARE GREATLY APPRECIATED.

We have over 85 donors on Give Central and we continue to see our online giving grow. You can now visit our giving page by going to our web site (www.st-eugene.org) and clicking on the GiveCentral I con.



HAPPENINGS

SUNDAY	**18**
9:30 am	Family Mas featuring grade 4: CH
12:30 pm	Athletic Program: SH.CTR
MONDAY	**19**
ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM	
TUESDAY	**20**
4:00 pm	Athletic Program: SH.CTR
WEDNESDAY	**21**
4:00 pm	Athletic Program: SH.CTR
6:30 pm	Altar & Rosary Society Governing Board: SH.MR
7:00 pm	RCIA: REC.DR
7:00 pm	Knights of Columbus Business Meeting: SCH.110
THURSDAY	**22**
3:00 pm	Girl Scouts: SH.MR
4:00 pm	Athletic Program: SH.CTR
7:00 pm	Living Rosary: CH
FRIDAY	**23**
4:00 pm	Athletic Program: SH.CTR
SATURDAY	**24**
9:00 am	Athletic Program: SH.CTR
10:00 am	AA.SCH.RH
SUNDAY	**25**
9:30 am	Catholic Schools Week Mass: CH
	School Open House to follow: SCH

FACILITY CODES

CH	**Church**
CV	**Convent**
REC.MR	**Rectory Meeting Room**
SCH.110	**School Room 110**
SCH.RH	**Ryan Hall**
SH.CTR	**Shaunessy Center**
SH.CTR+MR	**Shaunessy Center & Meeting Room**
SH.MR	**Shaunessy Center Meeting Room**



ADORATION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT
Mondays in church
12:00 NOON - 8:00 pm
with Benediction at 7:45 pm

Eternal, incomprehensible God, I believe, and confess, and adore You, as being infinitely more wonderful, resourceful, and immense, than this universe which I see.
Magnificat - Vol. 12, No. 5, Pg. 143

PLEASE COME -- VISIT JESUS

YOUNG AT HEART CLUB
NO MEETINGS IN JANUARY

2014 CHURCH DONATIONS

2014 statements of contributions will be mailed by February 1st to ALL parishioners who have made donations totaling $200 or more during the 2014 calendar year.

If your donations total less than $200 and you would like a **2014 STATEMENT OF CONTRIBUTIONS,** please call the rectory. Have your envelope ID number available. The envelope ID number is the group of numbers found to the far left above your name.

CRISIS PREGNANCY HELPLINE
1-800-400-4205

Find St. Eugene on Facebook!

Prayer with Scripture

We invite you to an encounter of prayer where you can stop from the hurry of the moment and listen to God through God's Word, in silence, meditation, adoration and contemplation. In this short but intense time, we listen to a talk that introduces us into the understanding of the Word of God, which later, we reflect on and meditate in an attitude of faith, discovering what God is trying to reveal to us. The prayer is accompanied by the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with songs to help the faithful enter more into prayer.

As the deer longs for streams of water,
so my soul longs for you, O God. Psalm 42,2

Every Tuesday in Spanish - 7:00 pm
Every Wednesday in English - 7:00 pm
Every Thursday in Polish - 7:30 pm
Every Friday in Filipino - 7:00 pm
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For more information please contact the convent at:773-467-0295

2016 MASS BOOK

The Mass Book for 2016 will open Tuesday, January 20 at 9:00 am

Consistent with Archdiocesan policy, there is one intention per Mass. To accommodate the additional requests of parishioners, collective, or multi-Intentional Masses are scheduled at 9:00 am on Wednesday, and 11:30 am on Sunday. Since we have a large parish, we must allow people an opportunity to get specific days for Mass Intentions. Therefore, only five intentions may be given to an individual within the first two weeks that the book is open. An individual person may not take more than five Mass Intentions in a given month. Of these five Masses, no more than two should be listed in any given week. The above guidelines do not apply to the designated Multi-Intentional Masses. A person can have a Multi-Intentional Mass every week if they desire it. However, since the intentions are read at Mass, no more than thirty intention should be taken in on any Multi-Intentional Mass.

PLEASE PRAY



***For the Sick*:** Pat Apida, Robert Apida, Linda Babusci, Michael Brennan, Baby Jeremy Brigante, Arthur Bronski, Barbara Bronski, Dr. Patricia Brown, Rosa Canepa, Carmen Casneros, Lorna Chapuis, Franco Chiappetta, Infant Liam Thomas Clark, Mirna Cozzo, Jerry Crimmins, Susan Curtin, Ed Czerwinski, James Donovan, Marge Dyson, Rev. Richard Feller, Carol Gasiorek, Robert W. Gelfond, Francis Cardinal George, O.M.I., Anne Marie Godby, Michelle & Shaun Hamilton, David Hampal, Tim Heider, Patricia Imburgia, Kathy Jeskey, Mary Ann Kaminski, Virginia Kerber, Linda Knight, Olga Kykta, Peggy Leen, Allie Lim, Stephanie Lim, Vernon Lipps Jr., Rosaria Lombardo, Rosina Macak, Elizabeth Mancheff, Rose Mary Maratto, Rosemary Marinello, John Masley, Vicenza Mazza, Richard Miedona, Dennis Mikulski, Nick Milazzo, Sebastian Milka, Michael C. Muscarello, Virginia Muscarello, Lou Nava, Leo Navickis, Eileen Niederkorn, Dorothy O'Leary, Robynn O'Leary, Lois Pallo, Isaac Parris, Lena Pighini, Norma Quilici, Gerry Randazzo, Charlotte Rice, Rita Rogers, Teresa Ruberti, Theresa Samborski, Joanne Schippers, John Schuster, Michael Shannon, Yolanda Shannon, Dean Showalter, Michael Solberg, Emily Steckiewicz, Maxine Stefanowski, Maria Tenuta, Erich Thuer, Rev. Fred Tomzik, Louanne Will, Evelyn Yore, Mary Ann Zulawinski and for those who are homebound, in hospitals, nursing homes and under hospice care.

Newly added to our sick list:

For the Deceased: Leonard Cataldo, Fiorentino Colantonio, Annie M. Gasper, Eileen Niederkorn

PLEASE CALL THE RECTORY IF YOU WOULD LIKE A NAME LISTED.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
ST. EUGENE PRO-LIFE COMMITTEE
VERBUM DEI SISTERS

Please join us for a

Living Rosary

to be held

Thursday evening, January 22, at 7:00 pm in St. Eugene Church,

marking the 42nd anniversary of Roe vs Wade and in solidarity with the "March for Life" being held in Washington, D.C. on that day.

Please join us to pray for an end to abortion.

All parishioners are cordially invited.

NEW REGISTRATIONS FOR THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR

Saint Eugene School is now accepting new registrations for the 2015-16 school year. We offer full and part time pre-school for three year olds, full and part time pre-kindergarten for four year olds, and full time classes for kindergarten through grade 8. Pre-school parents have the option of three mornings (M-W-F), three full days (M-W-F), or five mornings (M-T-W-T-F), or five full days (M-T-W-T-F). Pre-Kindergarten parents have the option of five mornings or five full days.

Following the 9:30 a.m. Catholic Schools Week liturgy Sunday, January 25th there will be an Open House from 10:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Parents may also make appointments for individual tours at other times. Registration for new families will begin on Tuesday, January 20th.

For more information,
please call: 773-763-2235

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

JANUARY FOOD DRIVE

will take place next weekend January 24/25.



THANK YOU AGAIN to those of you who contributed food and monetary donations to our Parish Food Drive in December. Your generous donations put food on many tables and provided aid to the poor in other ways. There are so many in need.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL THANK YOU!



We want to thank everyone who participated in our Christmas Gift Program. With your generous support, we were able to bring a little joy to 399 children at **Our Lady of Mercy Parish**. A special thank you to **Mary Hobaugh** for her time & effort in organizing the Gift Program. We also want to thank the **Viola brothers** for the use of their truck in delivering the gifts.

SENIOR ASSISTANCE CENTER

Looking for a Friend? Like a new Friend?

Did you know the Senior Assistance Center provides a Friendly Visitor Program? This service provides companionship to seniors of our community (area-wide) who are lonely or isolated, homebound, or need assistance to leave their homes.

SAC is looking for Friendly Visitor Volunteers! Become a new friend to a homebound senior! Training is provided, and we cover your background check.

Call The Senior Assistance Center at: 708-456-7979.

Or stop by Senior Assistance Center, 7774 W. Irving Park Road, Norridge.



POPE FRANCIS

TWEET FOR THE WEEK

Today, people are suffering from proverty, but also from lack of love.

Parishioner Contact Update

To help us keep our records current, please print the information below and drop the form in the collection basket or at the rectory. Thank you.

Last Name _____ First Name _____ M/M, Mr., Mrs., Ms., Miss

Last Name _____ First Name _____ M/M, Mr., Mrs., Ms., Miss

Address _____ City _____ Zip code _____

Email address: _____ Email address: _____

Phone # (Home) _____ Cell # _____ Cell # _____

YEAR OF SACRAMENTS • ONE WORD AT A TIME

Unite



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The great and sad effect of Original Sin is that it separated us from God and from each other. The great and wonderful grace of baptism is that it **unites** us with Christ and each other. Recall what Saint Paul says, " All of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death…For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his." (Romans 6:3,5)

Baptism unites us to Christ, and that means that his destiny and ours are intertwined. If we want to see how our life will unfold or ought to unfold, we look to him. If we want to see the path that we must traverse, we watch the road that he traveled. Really, the key to our life is given to us in our Baptism. That key is our union with him who is our hope.

POPE FRANCIS'S VISION OF HEALING AND COMMUNION

The ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO in partnership with LOYOLAPRESS.

More on Pope Francis's Vision at www.loyolapress.com/popefrancis

www.ArchChicago.org

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St. Benedict the African-West

Dear Father Koeune,

On behalf of the Faith Community of St. Benedict the African-West, I would like to thank you and your parish family for the sharing donation of $4,590.24 that greatly assists us here in our ministry to the poor of West Engelwood. The generosity of good, kind-hearted people is never forgotten and is certainly very much appreciated. Please know that you and your parishioners are remembered in our prayers. Thanks again for your generous contribution. God bless you.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Rev. Brian Walker, O.P.
Pastor

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BECOME A PARISHIONER OF ST. EUGENE PARISH, WE WELCOME YOU TO PLEASE STOP BY THE RECTORY OFFICE DURING REGULAR OFFICE HOURS.
M-F 9 am - 8 pm, SAT – SUN 9 am - 1 pm

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Old customs fade slowly, and in 1560 the Council of Trent tried for significant change in pastoral care of the sick. People resisted, thinking that the last breath was the right time for the sacrament. Although physical improvement was often noted after anointing, it was seen as a kind of bonus, rather than an expected outcome of a prayer for good health, strength, patience, and even healing. More than four hundred years later, many people still do not ask for anointing until it is literally too late for the person to have reasonable hope of healing, or at least be aware enough to participate in the ritual. By then, it may even be too late for viaticum, the true "last rite."

We have a treasure in our tradition that we seem reluctant to use. We visit the sick, we anoint those who are in the first crisis of illness, we give Communion to those who are dying, and we keep vigil and pray for those close to death. When anointing is celebrated early enough, optimally when the sick person is still at Sunday Mass, it can be a source of courage, faith, and hope for a difficult road ahead. When we anoint our sick, we remind them that they belong to Christ and a community of faith. We bring them into the presence of Christ to reconcile, heal, and give strength and hope. We resist forces that isolate and alienate the sick; the symbol of touch is a powerful act of acceptance. Why wait until the crisis of illness is dire before we apply such a rich remedy to body and soul?

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



CATHOLICS RETURNING HOME

Were you raised Catholic… but do not come or seldom come to church anymore?

Are you a Catholic who feels separated from your church?

Would you like to know more about the Catholic Church as it is today?

Would you like to feel at home in the Catholic Church again?

No matter how long you have been away and no matter the reason, we invite you to consider renewing your relationship with the Catholic Church.

For more information, please call the rectory at: 773-775-6659 and ask to speak to any of our priests.

PRO-LIFE MATTERS Did you know that ——

ILLINOIS STATE HEALTH AND SANITARY INSPECTION POLICIES

Despite medical malpractice lawsuits and a pattern of serious health violations, the Illinois Department of Public Health failed to conduct regular health and sanitary inspections.

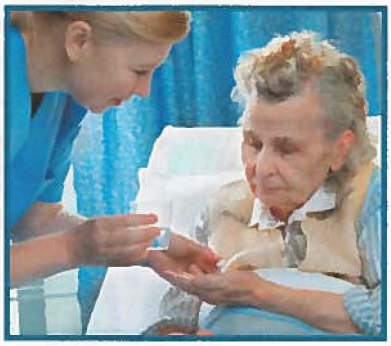
Illinois Right to Life researchers requested a copy of the Illinois Department of Public Health's sanitary inspection policy for licensed women's clinics. No such policy exists.[59]

TANNING SALONS



INSPECTED EVERY YEAR.[59.1]

NURSING HOMES



INSPECTED A MINIMUM OF EVERY 15 MONTHS.[59.1]

CHICAGO RESTAURANTS



INSPECTED EVERY YEAR.[59.1]



WOMEN'S ABORTION CLINICS

NO HEALTH INSPECTION POLICY.

INSPECTED AN AVERAGE OF ONCE EVERY 9 YEARS.

SOURCE: ILL. Dept. of Public Health Puts Women's Health at Risk—— A Full Report, used with permission ILL Right to LIFE COMMITTEE

+ MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK +

Saturday, January 17 - Vigil:
Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:30 Aldo & Ione Bertuccioli

Sunday, January 18 - Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:00 Rosaria Centineo
9:30 Michael Kwilas
11:30 Wanda Chwalibog, Chris & Tadeusz Dabros, James Marbach, Casey Pulikowski, Quilici, Bartolini & Chapetta Fams., Ed & Victoria Wnek, Wytrwol Fams., Gregg Zuraski
4:30 People of the Parish

Monday - Friday: 6:30 am & 9:00 am
Saturday: 8:30 am

Monday, January 19
6:30 For an End to Abortion
9:00 James Meyer

Tuesday, January 20 - SS. Fabian & Sebastian
6:30 Pamela Heider
9:00 Henrietta & Frank Kwilas

Wednesday, January 21 - St. Agnes
6:30 Purgatorial Society
9:00 In Thanksgiving - Joan & Jack Dahlquist, Elmer Chanski, Betty Gleeson, Bronislaw Kracon, Vince & Mary La Pietra Fam. & Friends., Helena & Walter Siwiec, Tony Viverito

Thursday, January 22 - Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children
6:30 Peter Swiderski
9:00 For an End to Abortion

Friday, January 23 - St. Vincent, St. Marianne Cope
6:30 Robert Cisek
9:00 Mike Savino

Saturday, January 24 - St. Francis De Sales
8:30 Andrew Scelsi, Sr.

Saturday, January 24 - Vigil:
Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:30 Bennie Martin

Sunday, January 25 - Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:00 People of the Parish
9:30 Gianfranco Della Santina
11:30 Monica & Sebastian Adaya, Julieta Castro, Jeff Chierici, Chris & Tadeusz Dabros, Joseph Kazara, Angelo & Josephine Greco, Maria Lombardo, Vita Priolo, Quilici, Bartolini & Chapetta Fams., Ed & Victoria Wnek, Wytrwal Fams.,
4:30 Rev. Peter Yangas



+ MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY +

Lector **Eucharistic Minister ***Server

Saturday, January 24 - 8:30 am
*** **Team 1**

Saturday, January 25 - 5:30 pm
* A. Cisek
** J. Carrozza, C. Edwards, M. Kenny, P. Schippers
*** **Team 2**
Mon., 1/26 - 9:00 am

Sunday, January 25 - 7:00 am
* K. Kon
** M. Eagan, P. Gerard, R. Perez, R. Trovela
*** **Team 5**
Tue., 1/27 - 9:00 am

Sunday, January 25 - 9:30 am
* School Lector
** School Eucharistic Ministers
*** **Team 6**
Wed., 1/28 - 9:00 am

Sunday, January 25 - 11:30 am
* B. Gasiorek
** B. Lancaster, P. Lancaster, P. Paetsch, M. Russo
*** **Team 3**
Thu., 1/29 - 9:00 am

Sunday, January 25 - 4:30 pm
* N. Rodriguez
** B. Brinlee, R. Kopf, A. Rodriguez, M. Vasich
*** **Team 4**
Fri., 1/30 - 9:00 am

PLEASE NOTE:
The designated multi-intentional Mass times will be the 9:00 morning Mass on Wednesday, and the 11:30 morning Mass on Sunday. Multi-intentional Masses will have no more than 30 names.

At the time of a family member's death, if you would like memorials to be made to St. Eugene Parish, please instruct the Funeral Home to use the following in the death notice:
"In lieu of flowers, a memorial may be made to St. Eugene Parish, Foster Avenue, Chicago."
Envelopes can be provided by the Funeral Home.

A REMINDER
To make sure a Mass Intention is included in the bulletin, it must be made **2 weeks** in advance. To make sure a Mass Intention is read at Mass, it must be made at least **1 week** in advance of the date requested.

SECOND GRADE FAMILY MASS - DECEMBER 21, 2014



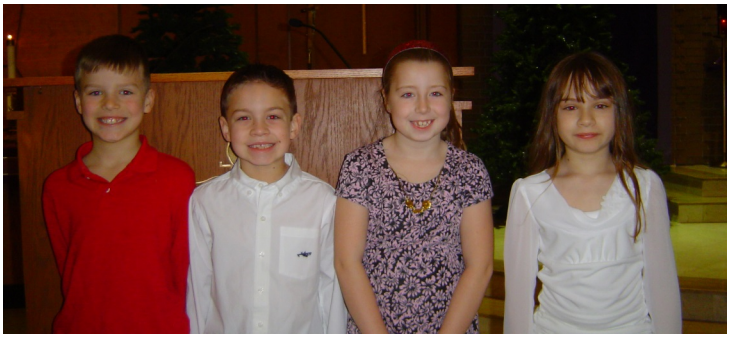


















SOME SCENES FROM SIMBANG GABI - DECEMBER 22, 2014





















Come Play With Us!



St. Eugene School's "Little Vikings" Registration Is Now Open!

Please contact the school
office for details
(773) 763-2237

Begins: January 20, 2014—March 31, 2014
(11 sessions)

Class Meets: Tuesdays
from 9:30 am - 11:00 am

Age: 18 months to 3 years old

Cost: $55

This program provides an environment where children are accompanied by their parent (or other grown-up) to play, interact and learn together. Little Vikings classes provide just the right amount of structured activities to activate toddlers senses through circle time, art exploration, music and movement and free play.

Class size is limited to 15 children.

Come Experience St. Eugene Catholic School!

Excellence in Education through Faith, Knowledge, and Service

Following the Sunday, January 25th, 9:30 AM Catholic Schools Week Liturgy, there will be an Open House from 10:30 AM - 1:00 PM.



We offer full and part-time pre-school for three year olds,
full and part-time pre-kindergarten for four year olds,
full time classes for kindergarten through grade 8.
Little Vikings Program (18mos. - 3 yrs.),
Music, Technology, Art, Physical Education at all levels,
Service opportunities, Athletic Teams, and extra-curricular clubs.

We look forward to meeting you.

For more information, please call: 773-763-2235

Registration for new families for the 2015-2016 school year will begin on Tuesday, January 20, 2015.

We ask all of our parishioners, if you have a loved one serving in the military, to please contact the rectory office to give us the name of the soldier, so the whole parish can pray for your loved one. A book in the church vestibule is available for inscribing the names of all military personnel. This book will be part of the offertory procession from now until the war is over.

A PRAYER

LORD, HOLD OUR TROOPS IN YOUR LOVING HANDS.
PROTECT THEM AS THEY PROTECT US.
BLESS THEM AND THEIR FAMILIES
FOR THE SELFLESS ACTS THEY PERFORM
FOR US IN OUR TIME OF NEED.
WE ASK THIS IN THE NAME OF
JESUS OUR LORD AND SAVIOR. AMEN

We pray for our loved ones

who are serving in any branch of the Armed Forces during this time of conflict.

GHALEB AZROUI
CHRISTOPHER BAUER
TIMOTHY EMMETT CAROLAN
CATHY O'LEARY CHAMBERLAIN
ZBIGNIEW DUDKOWSKI
MARTY DURCAN
MATTHEW SCOTT FORREST
ANDREW HOPKINS
BRANDON JACKSON
CHRISTOPHER JENKINS
JACK KANE
JAMES TYLER MARBACH
CHRIS MARCHIORI
KEITH MILLER
MEGAN MILLER
AUGUSTINE EMEKA NDIWE
THOMAS NEUHENGEN
CATHERINE ANN (BARHAM) NEWELL
ERIC NORWOOD
VINCENT PAGE
CHAD PRITCHARD
NICHOLAS RANCH
MICHAEL SCHIPPERS, JR.

If you would like to add a name to the list, please call the rectory.

Also, please call the rectory when your loved one returns home.

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Our mission as Catholics united in faith at St. Eugene Parish is to help bring God to people and people to God. Through evangelization, education and being of service to each other, we strive to make our parish community a holistic community in body, mind and spirit. It is our goal to develop, support, encourage and empower one another in our parish ministries, so that each person can reach their human and Christian potential. We are enthused about the future of St. Eugene and the whole Catholic Church and we pledge our participation in that future. We seek dialogue and open communication with all parishioners in fulfilling the needs of our parish. While recognizing the cultural diversities in our community, we will strive to bring all people together in Christ under a common bond of faith, hope and love.