**St. Eugene Parish**
Chicago, IL 60656

# THE VOICE

**Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time** **July 17, 2016**

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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.

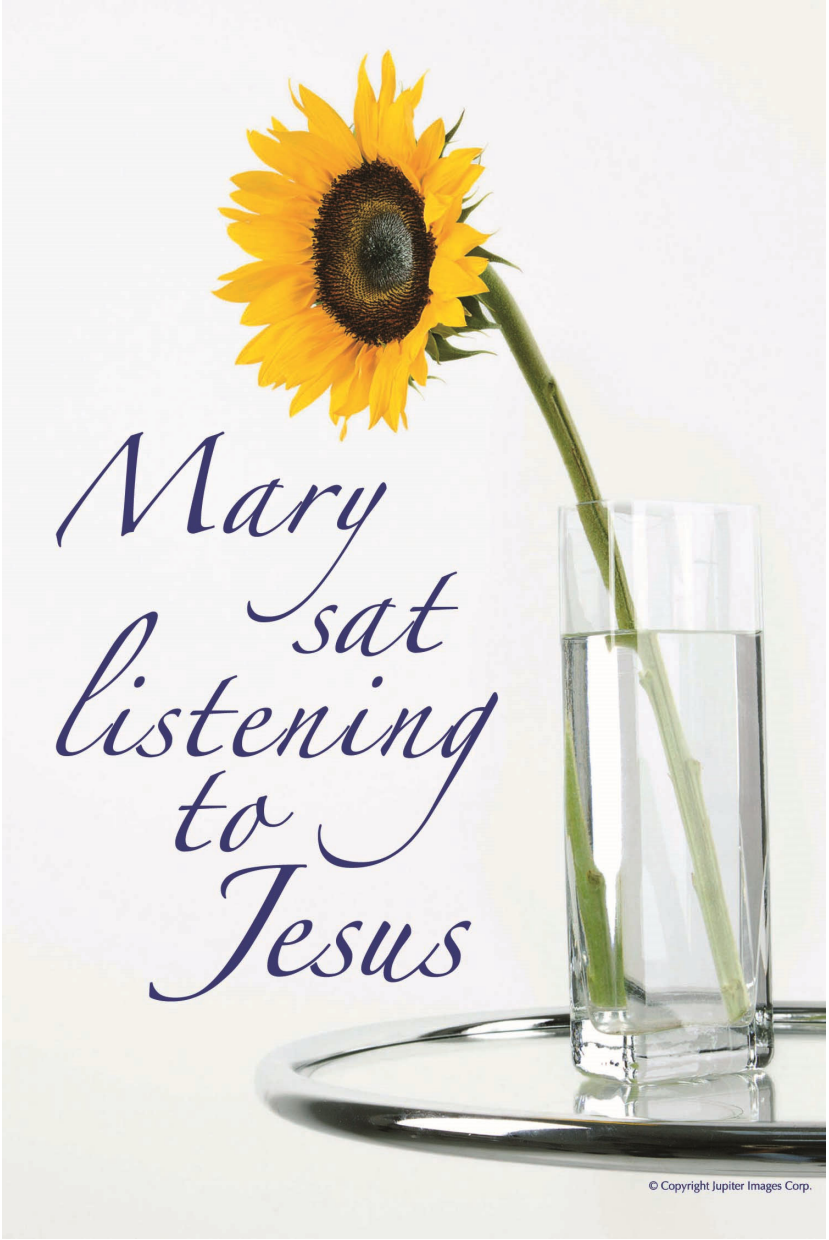
**BAPTISMS:** 1st & 3rd Sundays at 1:00 PM. Baptismal Preparation Class the first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 PM in the rectory. Please telephone the rectory to register.

**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. Joanna Bischof, Mrs. Pat Conlon, Mrs. Kathleen Kon &
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

## Doe v. Bolton

Most people have heard of the Supreme Court's *Roe v. Wade* decision on abortion that happened in 1973, however, many people are unfamiliar with the *Doe v. Bolton* decision that happened at the same time. A misconception many people have about abortion is the belief that it is not legal after a certain length of time has passed in the pregnancy. The reality is that the *Doe v. Bolton* decision allows for abortion for any reason at any time during the pregnancy. This means that even after a baby can live outside the womb (is viable), it can be killed. Seven months, eight months, nine months, even the day before birth, it is legal to have an abortion!

**Marvin Olasky, author of *Abortion Rites: A Social History of Abortion in America writes:***

*In striking down the Georgia law which was the basis for the original Doe lawsuit, the Court also invalidated requirements that abortions only be performed in hospitals. As a result, many medical facilities devoted specifically to abortion, usually called abortion clinics, quickly came into existence.*

*Roe v. Wade, together with Doe v. Bolton, had the effect of mandating legalized abortion on demand up until the moment of birth in all 50 states. All state laws against abortion were invalidated. Indeed, in 1983 the U.S. Senate Judiciary Committee concluded that "no significant legal barriers of any kind whatsoever exist today in the United States for a woman to obtain an abortion for any reason during any stage of her pregnancy."*

Abortion can happen at any time during the pregnancy. Also, with the recent events in Texas, the Supreme Court has disregarded health standards at abortion clinics. It is crazy that women (and men) are cheering a decision that allows abortion clinics to be filthy and have no health codes. Within the past two years, there were several cases at an abortion clinic (that is thankfully now closed) of botched abortions. Pro-life witnesses have observed ambulances rushing to abortion clinics to pick up women who have had serious complications from their abortions. In one case, a thirteen-year-old young woman died at the abortion clinic from an abortion gone wrong. Abortions are not simple procedures. They are surgeries that destroy human lives. They are invasive, cruel, and shocking to the body. And now they can be performed without restrictions, without any health code regulations, or any hospital connections.

What freedom! Now a woman can have an abortion in a place where they do not have to even sterilize the equipment. The mother can have the baby in her womb destroyed in a rat infested facility filled with bugs and diseases. It's true! The Supreme Court lifted all restrictions on abortion clinics. A health code official is not allowed to go near abortion clinics. That would be impeding on a woman's right to obtain an abortion. Also, it is not necessary to have access to or be near a hospital in case something goes wrong. That is a restriction and we don't want to place that burden on abortion clinics and those seeking abortions. What freedom!

You want an abortion clinic in the middle of a swamp? Sure! Why not! Actually, in my opinion, an abortion clinic in the middle of a swamp would probably be just as clean as the abortion clinics that exist everywhere else in our country.




Yours in Christ,

Fr. George



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## THIS WEEKEND

**NO ACTIVITIES**

## WATCH YOUR POSTURE

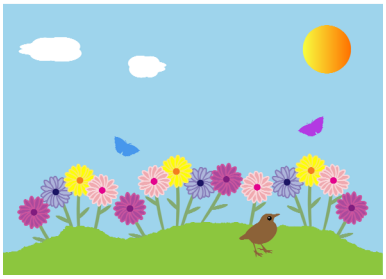
Our posture is often a tip-off to our hospitality and reverence for the Lord. Note the actions of Abraham as he greeted the Lord in the presence of three men who appeared near his tent. He ran from the entrance of the tent to greet them. He bowed to the ground as he met them. He and Sarah, his wife, hastened to prepare a meal and bring food and water to their guests.

In the Gospel story, Jesus' friend Mary sat at his feet in order to listen to him speak.

How do we welcome and reverence the Lord? What do our actions show? Do we remember the Lord's presence in the Blessed Sacrament? How do we welcome the Lord in the scripture readings? How do we acknowledge his presence in our brothers and sisters, both at Mass and afterwards?

Whether we kneel, stand, or sit in the Lord's presence, may our hearts and minds always be attuned to him.

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# HAPPENINGS

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| **SUNDAY** | **17** | |
| | NO ACTIVITIES | |
| **MONDAY** | **18** | |
| **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM** | | |
| **TUESDAY** | **19** | |
| | NO ACTIVITIES | |
| **WEDNESDAY** | **20** | |
| | NO ACTIVITIES | |
| **THURSDAY** | **21** | |
| | NO ACTIVITIES | |
| **FRIDAY** | **22** | |
| | NO ACTIVITIES | |
| **SATURDAY** | **23** | |
| 10:00 am | AA: SCH: RH | |
| **SUNDAY** | **24** | |
| | NO ACTIVITIES | |

Sacrificial Giving

**July 10, 2016**

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| **Regular Sunday Offering** | **$** | **12,153** |
| **Electronic Giving** | **$** | **1,237** |
| **Weekly Average June (four week average)** | | |
| **Total** | **$** | **13,390** |
| ***Sunday Budget 2016-17*** | **$** | **16,000** |
| ***Over / (short)*** | ***$*** | ***2,610*** |
| **To Teach Who Christ Is** | **$** | **1,496** |
| **Sharing Parish** | **$** | **283** |

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***We have over 145 donors registered 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)***

**FOOTBALL MANIA TICKETS ARE NOW ON SALE AT THE RECTORY DURING REGULAR OFFICE HOURS.**



## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

If you are in need of assistance, call the rectory. A member of the St. Vincent de Paul Society will get back to you.

**FACILITY CODES**

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| **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**

**"When I turn my eyes toward your divine majesty in heaven or in the tabernacle, or look on you crucified, or behold your Sacred Heart represented, may strength, courage, and generosity increase in my soul."**
**Saint Mary Euphrasia Pelletier**

**PLEASE COME — VISIT JESUS**

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**PEOPLE OF THE CROSS UNITED**



**Vietnam is one of the five communist countries remaining in the world. Christians are a minority but their numbers are growing. Buddhism is the main religion and the government is working to monitor and stifle growth of any other religion. In Vietnam it is technically illegal to share about Jesus outside of a church building. Christianity is still seen as a foreign influence and highly suspicious. Pray for Christians in Vietnam who are often denied social services such as health and education. Pray also that Christian converts may withstand the pressure to return to their traditional faiths.**

**PRAY DAILY**

Each Christian needs half an hour of prayer each day, except when we are busy; then we need an hour.

—St. Francis de Sales

**GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS**



The Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass for 2016 will be held at Holy Name Cathedral, 735 N. State St., Chicago, on **Sunday, September 18, 2016 at 2:45 pm.**

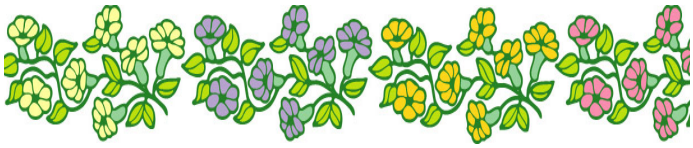
For further information, couples married in 1966 who are interested in attending this celebration should call the Family Ministries Office at: 312.534.8351 or visit the website: www.marriageandfamilyministries.org to register.

## *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.

Every Tuesday in Spanish - 7:00 pm
Every Wednesday in English - 7:00 pm
Every Thursday in Polish - 7:30 pm

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**FRIENDLY VISTORS NEEDED**
**Be a friend to a lonely senior.**

The Seniors Assistance Center is looking for outgoing, caring and compassionate volunteers to visit with a senior citizen in the communities of Norridge, Harwood Heights and unincorporated Norwood Park Township.

This service provides companionship to the older adults in our community who are lonely, isolated, homebound, or in need of assistance to leave their homes. One of the most important aspects of the program is the real friendship that can develop between a senior and a friendly visitor.

Some simple and fun things to do when visiting with your senior - having coffee/tea and conversation; reading aloud; playing a favorite game; sharing memories; doing crafts together; planning occasional outings such as short walks or shopping when possible.

For further information about how you can become a friend to a senior, call Anne or Carole at: 708/456-7979.

## CRISIS PREGNANCY HELPLINE

The **Crisis Pregnancy Helpline** is sponsored by the Women's Center. They provide counseling, food, clothing, baby furniture, referral services, etc. to those experiencing a difficult pregnancy. **1-800-400-4205**

## DRESS APPROPRIATELY FOR MASS

As warm weather is here, we would like to remind everyone that Sunday Mass is the most important and solemn event of the week. It is not an "informal occasion." As a consequence, the appropriate attire for Mass should be characterized by **modesty, dignity, and elegance.** Clothing suitable for a picnic, or for the beach, can indicate a lack of respect for the Eucharistic Sacrifice.



Your parish doesn't get two weeks off with pay. Please remember to send in your envelope even if you are on vacation.

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.

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## MERCY

Among the attributes of God, although they are all equal, mercy shines with even more brilliance than justice.

—Miguel de Cervantes

## 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 _____

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## PLEASE PRAY

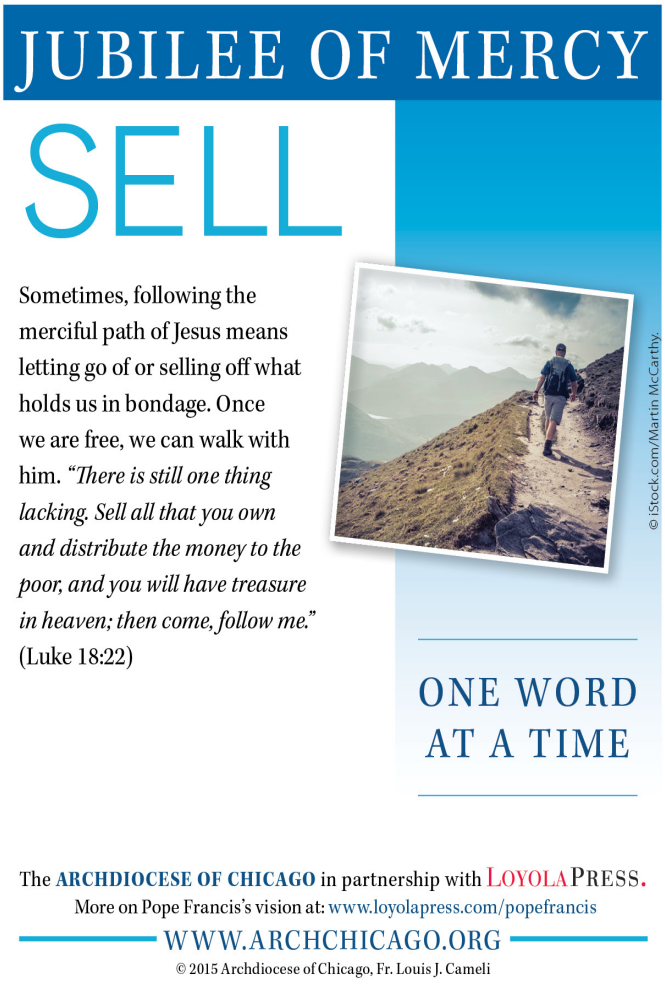



***For the Sick*:** Linda Adamczyk, Annabella Amato, Pat Apida, Robert Apida, Rosemary Beyak, Anthony Bongiorno, Arthur Bronski, Margaret Brinlee-Brucken, Frances Bruno, Francine Bruno, Brian Campbell, Franco Chiappetta, Agnes Collins, Deacon Jim Cozzo, Jr., Mirna Cozzo, Ed Czerwinski, Kevin D'Agostino, Dana Dennis, Marge Dyson, Don Feist, Bob Gasiorek, Carol Gasiorek, Robert W. Gelfond, Frances Gofron, Michelle & Shaun Hamilton, Tim Heider, Barbara Hinze, Patricia Jackson, Eileen Jacques, Kathy Jeskey, Cindy Koeune, Katherine Koeune, Bob Kolk, Raymond Kordzinski, Lila Krzak, Olga Kykta, Rosina Macak, Rose Mary Maratto, Rosemary Marinello, John Masley, Mickey McGuire, Dolores Michalek, Nick Milazzo, Ursula Mills, Michael C. Muscarello, Virginia Muscarello, Leo Navickis, Deacon Ed O'Leary, Lois Pallo, Lena Pighini, Norma Quilici, Gerry Randazzo, Charlotte Rice, Rita Rogers, John Ruberti, Teresa Ruberti, Leo Samborski, Theresa Samborski, Marie Sauser, Jerry Schippers, Joanne Schippers, Patrick Schippers, John Schuster, Michael Shannon, Yolanda Shannon, Emily Steckiewicz, Maxine Stefanowski, Rev. Fred Tomzik, Mary Vail, Oscar Veth, Beverly Wijas, Janina Wójcik, 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:*** Bridie Riordan, Laura Bolling (daughter of Bonnie Zulawinski)

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




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**Keep this Information handy for summer travel.**

**You can always access Mass times via the internet at: www.Masstimes.org**



## RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS

July 5, 2016

Dear Father Koeune,

Peace and all God's Blessings!

On behalf of all the retired religious of the Archdiocese and of the United States, I would like to thank you and the parishioners of St. Eugene Parish for your generous donation of $4138.80 for the Retirement Fund for Religious. Your donation continues to make it possible for Religious communities to provide quality care for their retired members who selflessly served the People of God through years of dedicated service.

Also, please be assured of the prayers of all religious, both retired and active, asking God's continued blessing upon your parish throughout the year.

Gratefully,

Sister Judith Zonsius, O.S.B.
Coordinator of the Retirement Fund for Religious
Archdiocese of Chicago



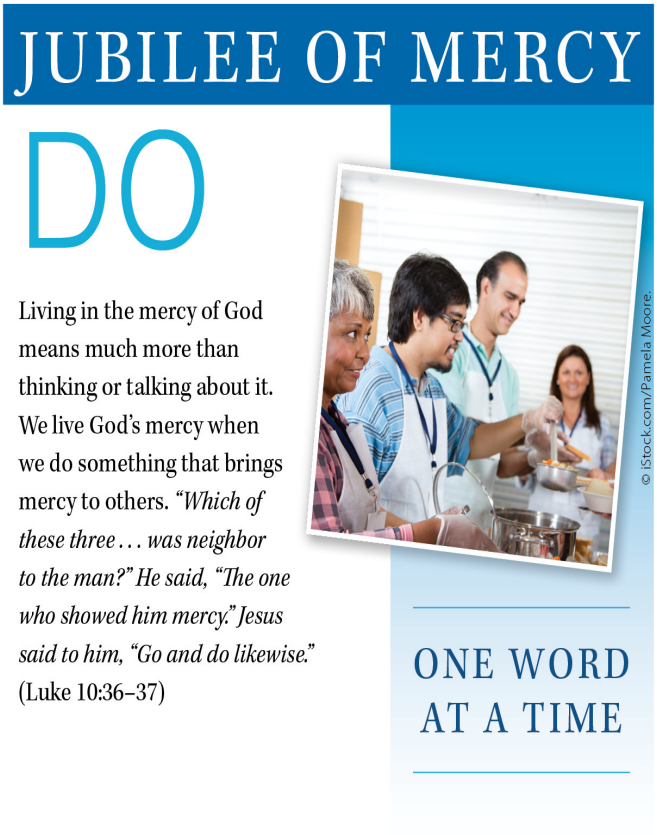
## TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The French Revolution is hardly a "treasure" in our story, yet in 1789 it began to dismantle the way the world was organized: feudalism. The collapsed society had three basic divisions: those who work, those who fight, and those who pray. There wasn't a great deal of movement among the ranks, yet one way to move out of the workers and the fighters was in the direction of the folks who prayed. These were the First Estate, the clergy.

One of the key persons in any manor or village was the priest. He could read, at least a bit, and so was the source for pronouncements and news from government and Church. He was assigned to celebrate the sacraments frequently and in conformance with certain rules.

Seminaries did not exist before the Reformation. Astute Protestant reformers then forced the Catholic world toward a more educated and able clergy. Before that, young men apprenticed with a priest to learn the essentials, and would be presented to the bishop for ordination. Other priests emerged from the university system, where students were required to be invested as clerics. Still others were monks, ordained not so much for ministry outside the monastic walls, but to offer Mass only for the intentions of the community's benefactors.

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



## + MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK +

***Saturday, July 16 - Vigil:***
***Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time***
5:30 Sophie & Edward Latocha

***Sunday, July 17 - Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time***
7:00 Lia Gerard
9:30 Wanda Chwalibog
11:30 Caterina & Pasquale Busa, Dominic Cullotta, Richard Daniel, Vincent Farin, La Pietra Fam. & Fri.,Helen Manda, Mike Michalek, Bridget O'Keefe, Georgiane Roraff, Phil Saineghi, Lucia & Bell Shields, Maria Tenuta
4:30 People of the Parish

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

***Monday, July 18 - St. Camillus de Lellis***
6:30 Barbara & Les Burton
9:00 Antonio Bellini

***Tuesday, July 19***
6:30 Joan Carlino
9:00 Francesca Concialdi

***Wednesday, July 20 - St. Apollinaris***
6:30 Lia Gerard
9:00 Rachel Alex, Dorothy & Elmer Chanski, Zbigniew Danilowski, Giovanni Guidi, Fr. Bob Grib, S.J., Pamela Heider, Stanley & Angeline Krzywicki, La Pietra Fam. & Fri.,

***Thursday, July 21 - St. Lawrence of Brindisi***
6:30 Purgatorial Society
9:00 Lawrence Grandsart

***Friday, July 22 - St. Mary Magdalene***
6:30 Louis Tartaglia
9:00 Dennis & Marie Egan

***Saturday, July 23 - St. Bridget***
8:30 Angeline Komperda

***Saturday, July 23 - Vigil:***
***Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time***
5:30 Leonard Cataldo

***Sunday, July 24 -***
***Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time***
7:00 People of the Parish
9:30 Mary Sparacino
11:30 Domenico Battista, Clotilde Cozzone, Dabros & Wytrwal Fams., Maciej Dun, Boguslaw Frycz, Sarah Gilhooly, Steven George Hansen, Dolores May Howard, Rev. Kazimierz Kowalski, La Pietra Fam. & Fri., Iolanda Lucchesi, Patrizia & Tom Martines, Bridget O'Keefe, Maria Tenuta, June Ventrella
4:30 Anthony & Lillian Dielle

## + MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY +

***Lector **Eucharistic Minister ***Server**

***Saturday, July 23 - 8:30 am***
*** **Team 2**

***Saturday, July 23 - 5:30 pm***
* D. Divello
** B. Veth, M. Pollowy, B. Brinlee, R. Fiorante, M.B. Glynn
*** **Team 3**
Mon., 7/25 - 9:00 am

***Sunday, July 24 - 7:00 am***
* K. Kon
** R. Perez, N. Francisco, R. Trovela, C. Paulini, G. Bermas
*** **Team 12**
Tue., 7/26 - 9:00 am

***Sunday, July 24 - 9:30 am***
* S. Sparacino
** M. Cozzo, R. Sparacino, B. Ndiwe, T. Swiderski, T. Swiderski
*** **Team 11**
Wed., 7/27 - 9:00 am

***Sunday, July 24 - 11:30 am***
* T. Bernacki
** J. Imburgia, P. Conlon, E. Dillon, J. Santiago, J. Horn
*** **Team 10**
Thu., 7/28 - 9:00 am

***Sunday, July 24 - 4:30 pm***
* V. Santucci
** Y. Sarmiento, R. Kennedy, R. Kopf, V. Parado, D. Lazzaroni
*** **Team 1**
Fri., 7/29 - 9:00 am



**POPE FRANCIS**
**TWEET FOR THE WEEK**
**Vacations offer a time to rest and to restore the spirit, especially through a more quiet reading of the Gospels.**

**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.

**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.

**St. Eugene School Summer Office Hours:**
**The school office will be open during the summer.**
**The hours for the summer will be:**
**Thru - August 5th: Monday - Thursday 9:00 am - noon**
**August 8th normal office hours: 8:00 am - 3:30 pm.**
**Please note I might be in the office later then the hours posted.**
**If you need later hours please call the school at: 773/763-2237 and dial ex 118.**
**Have a wonderful summer,**
**Ms. Scotkovsky**

## NEW REGISTRATIONS FOR THE 2016-2017 SCHOOL YEAR

Saint Eugene School is now accepting new registrations for the 2016-17 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 (T-W-T), three full days (T-W-T), 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.

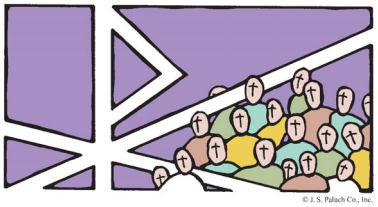
Parents may also make appointments for individual tours at other times.

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

## WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER CHICAGOLAND AREA

Jesus calls us to love the Lord and to love one another. He especially wants us to treat each other with compassion and kindness. Make the time to allow the love of God to strengthen, renew and rekindle your marriage relationship. **The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are August 12-14, 2016 or October 7-9, 2016 or December 9-11, 2016, all at Elk Grove Village, IL.** Early registration is highly recommended. For reservation/information, call Jim & Kris at **630-577-0778** or contact us through **http:///wwme-chicagoland.org**.

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**COMMUNION,**
**&**
**GRADUATION**
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**IN THE SCHOOL OFFICE.**



### Two sides to every story

Of course it's easy to take Mary's side in today's lesson, just as Jesus did. He made an important point to the harried and overworked Martha. We must worship before we work, if we want our priorities straight.

But there are always two sides to a story, and often two lessons to be learned, merely by standing on the opposite side. When you're sitting at Mass, attending that meeting or retreat, have you ever considered who made it all possible? Are you one of the workers or one of the many who let the list of "todos" rest on the shoulders of a few? So often we arrive at events, ready to worship or participate without a single thought for the hours of preparation or cleanup. We enfold ourselves willingly in the role of Mary, basking in the experience, ignoring the Martha who made it possible.

This Sunday as we read the story of the these two "opposite" sisters, may we learn as much from Martha as we do from Mary, taking our turn to do the work, as well as join the worship.

# St. Eugene School

# OPEN HOUSE!

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**(773) 763-2237**

**Wednesday, July 27, 2016 (6:30 - 8:00 p.m.)**

- **3 Yr. PS/ 4 Yr. PK: Full and Half Day Programs**
- **Kindergarten– 8th Grade**
- **Before and After School Care**
- **Strive for children to grow spiritually**
- **We cater to our students' interests with a variety of extracurricular activities.**
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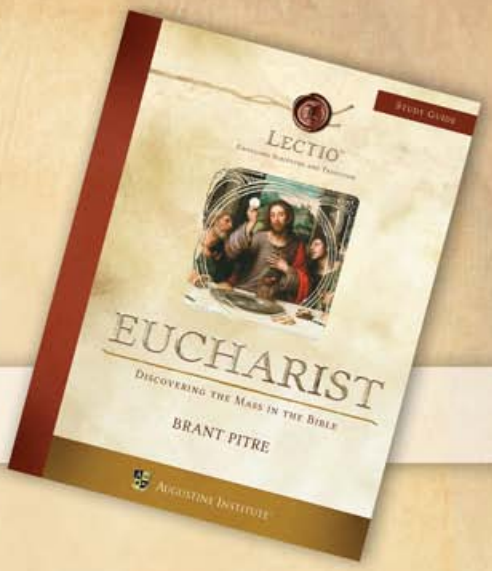




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Through Reading, Reflection, Response, & Contemplation




**Jesus said "This is my Body" and "This is my Blood."**

Some say they're merely symbols of remembrance. Others say they're really the Body and Blood of Christ, but can't explain how that's possible. The Eucharist is the center point of the Mass – but why?

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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**
**DONALD BELLISARIO**
**TIMOTHY EMMETT CAROLAN**
**CATHY O'LEARY CHAMBERLAIN**
**ZBIGNIEW DUDKOWSKI**
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**VINCENT PAGE**
**CHAD PRITCHARD**
**NICHOLAS RANCH**
**HOLLY SCHIPPERS**
**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.