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

# THE VOICE

**Fifth Sunday of Easter** **May 14, 2017**

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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.

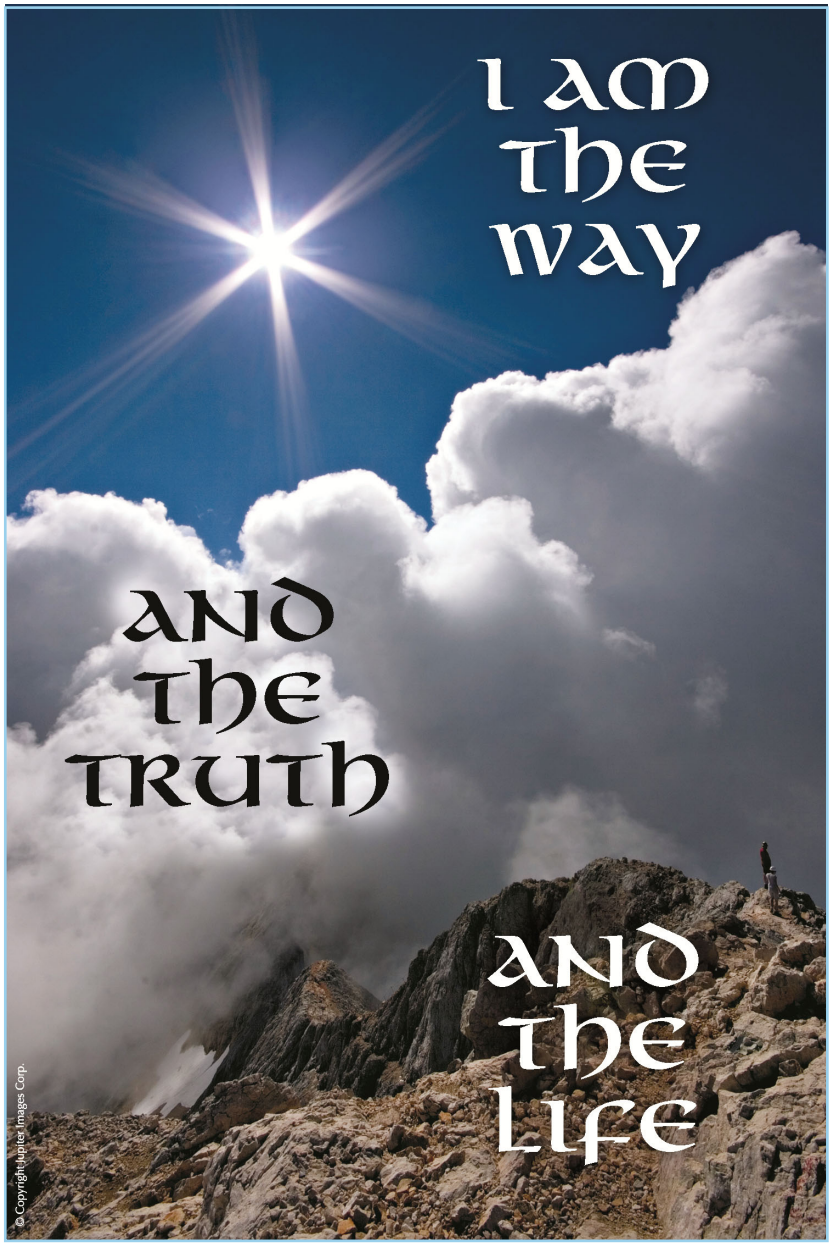
**BAPTISMS:** 1st & 3rd Sundays at 1:00 PM. Baptismal Preparation Class the first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 PM in the rectory. Please telephone the rectory to register.

**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
Rev. James J. O'Brien, Pastor Emeritus
Rev. Greg Wojcik , Associate Pastor
Rev. John G. Hetland, Associate Pastor
Rev. Philip J. Grib, S.J., Resident
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Mr. Vincent Hilado, Assist. Director of Music
Mrs. Barbara Meier, Bulletin Editor
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.

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

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.

## Pastor's Corner



ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO

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Spring 2017

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

This is a special year for the Archdiocese of Chicago as we celebrate the 100th anniversary of Catholic Charities. Catholic Charities' centennial year is truly a celebration for all of us because its great tradition of charitable care has included the support of volunteers and donors from every parish in the archdiocese. For 100 years, through every era of war, peace, poverty and prosperity, Catholic Charities has worked together with the faithful to fulfill the Gospel mission to feed the hungry, shelter the homeless, welcome the stranger, comfort the afflicted, and bring hope to the hopeless.

Each year on Mother's Day, we have an opportunity to make a financial contribution to the Catholic Charities Mother's Day Collection. This year, as we face increasing violence in our communities, it is a critical time for us to come together to support Catholic Charities. With more than 150 locations throughout Cook and Lake Counties, Catholic Charities' services are intentionally located in the most troubled areas.

Through food and nutrition programs, early childhood education, alternatives for at-risk youth, trauma and grief counseling, job training, domestic violence programs, and substance abuse treatment, Catholic Charities' services are a powerful antidote the culture of drugs, gangs and violence that takes root in desperate areas.

Your donation to Catholic Charities will help the Church's efforts to promote peace, restore human dignity, and bring hope to those living with brutal violence and poverty. Please contribute as generously as you are able during Catholic Charities collection on Mother's Day. Or, make your donations directly to Catholic Charities at 721 N. LaSalle St., Chicago, IL 60654, www.catholiccharities.net/donate. May God bless you and your families.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Cardinal Blase J. Cupich
Archbishop of Chicago

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## THIS WEEKEND

**HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!**

**BLESSING OF EXPECTANT MOTHERS AFTER THE 9:30 AM MASS**

**SECOND COLLECTION FOR CATHOLIC CHARITIES**

**MOTHER'S DAY FLOWERS will be sold after all Masses (see page 5)**



## THE WAY

Today we sense the apostles' trepidation as they begin to realize that the Lord would soon be leaving them. In their fear, they ask, "Master, we do not know where you are going; how can we know the way?" (John 14:5). Jesus tells them that *he* is the way. The Easter season has been a time of growing in Easter faith so that we, too, may learn to know that Jesus is the way. We can take comfort in the Lord's promise that he is going to his Father's house to prepare a place for us, his chosen people who have been called out of darkness into God's wonderful light. As the paschal candle continues to burn during this holy season, let us remember that in baptism we were given the light of Christ. With Christ our light as the beacon lighting our way, let us march toward the glory of Pentecost.

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## HAPPENINGS

**SUNDAY 14**
HAPPY MOTHERS'S DAY!
*Flower Sale after all morning Masses: CH*

**MONDAY 15**
ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM
3:15 pm Cub Scouts: SH.MR

**TUESDAY 16**
11:30 am Young at Heart Club: SH.CTR

**WEDNESDAY 17**
7:00 pm Knights of Columbus: SCH.110

**THURSDAY 18**
3:00 pm Girl Scouts: SH.MR

**FRIDAY 19**
NO ACTIVITIES

**SATURDAY 20**
10:00 am AA: SCH:RH
1:00 pm Anointing Mass: CH
**CLOTHING DRIVE WEST PARKING LOT**

**SUNDAY 21**
**CLOTHING DRIVE WEST PARKING LOT**
9:30 am Family Mass featuring 6th grade: CH

Sacrificial Giving

**May 7, 2017**

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| **Regular Sunday Offering** | **$** | **13,354** |
| **Electronic Giving May 1 to May 7 $2,661 from 55 families** | **$** | **2,661** |
| **Total** | **$** | **16,015** |
| ***Sunday Budget 2016-17*** | **$** | **16,000** |
| ***Over / (short)*** | ***$*** | ***15*** |
| **To Teach Who Christ Is** | **$** | **3,178** |
| **Sharing Parish** | **$** | **70** |

**THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR PARISH. YOUR EFFORTS ARE GREATLY APPRECIATED.**
***Visit our giving page by going to our web site (www.st-eugene.org)***

## NEW EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Would you like to be a Eucharistic Minister at the week-end Masses at St. Eugene? You must be a parishioner of the parish and have made your confirmation. There would be one class for you to attend before being mandated. If you are interested, please call the rectory and leave your name and phone number. Someone from the rectory will return your call.

**ST. EUGENE ADULT CHOIR**

Please meet Lydia, our Director of Music, at the organ in church.

**Practice is every Sunday, at 10:45 am.**
We will sing at the 11:30 am Mass.
Everyone is welcome to sing with us.!!!

**FACILITY CODES**

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| **CH** | **Church** |
| **CV** | **Convent** |
| **REC.LL** | **Rectory Lower Level** |
| **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** |




**I want to wish Mothers, Grandmothers, Godmothers, and all those who fulfill the role of a mother to a child, a very Blessed Mother's Day.**
**Yours in Christ,**

*Fr. George*






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

**"According to St. Margaret Mary, the Sacred Heart is the Holy Eucharist. So it follows that devotion to the Sacred Heart is devotion to the Holy Eucharist. It is infinite Love Incarnate living in our midst in the Blessed Sacrament."**
**Fr. John A. Hardon, S.J.**

**PLEASE COME — VISIT JESUS**

**PEOPLE OF THE CROSS UNITED**

We are all members of the Body of Christ.
If one member suffers, all members suffer.
(1 COR: 12:26)



Please pray for our brothers and sisters who suffer persecution in many countries throughout the world because of their Christian faith.




**YOUNG AT HEART CLUB**
**Tuesday, May 16**
**Doors Open 11:30 am**
**Shaunessy Center**

After a short meeting coffee and cake will be served and bingo will be played. Hope you can join us for some socializing.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS OFFICERS MEETING**
**Wednesday, May 17 - 7:00 pm**
**School Room 110**

## *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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To our Pastor



Rev. George Koeune

May 16



May God Bless You on your birthday!



**REV. GREG WOJCIK**
**HAPPY 9th ANNIVERSARY OF YOUR ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD**
**MAY 17**



# Mother's Day Flower Sale



***Flowers will be sold after 5:30 pm Mass on Saturday, May 13th, and after the morning Masses on Sunday May 14th.***

**Choose the perfect bouquet:**

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| **Deluxe Garden Hydrangea Bouquets** | **$30** |
| **Rose Bouquets** | **$15** |
| **Mixed Bouquets** | **$10** |
| **Carnation Bouquet** | **$10** |



***Proceeds will be used to help young women facing a crisis pregnancy situation and in need of assistance. Please support this life-saving work of the Women's Centers of Greater Chicagoland.***

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SPRING CLOTHING DRIVE



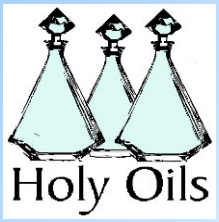

**Will take place the weekend of May 20 / 21 (church parking lot) before & after all Masses**




**We will be accepting household items:**
**(i.e. flatware, dishes, pots & pans)**
**and small appliances:**
**(i.e. microwaves, coffee makers & toasters)**
**as well as**
**clothing & shoes for men, women, and children.**
**All donations should be in good, ready-to-use condition, not needing repairs or cleaning.**
**Your donations will not only serve to clean out your closets but also help those who are less fortunate.**

***If you have large pieces of furniture you wish to donate you may call SVDP at: 773-779-6700.***

# ANOINTING OF THE SICK








**On Saturday, May 20th, we will celebrate the communal Anointing of the Sick at a special Mass beginning at 1:00 pm.**

**This anointing takes place during the Mass to emphasize the fact that it is the whole CHURCH that is praying for her members who are sick. It is the whole CHURCH that asks the Father to send His Spirit to strengthen and encourage those who are suffering from sickness of any kind.**

**The actual anointing will take place after the homily of the Mass, when the priests will go to each person to be anointed, first laying their hands on the person's head (asking the Holy Spirit to come down upon those who are sick, and to strengthen them); and then anointing them on the forehead and on the hands, saying "Through this holy anointing, may the Lord in His love and mercy help you with the grace of the Holy Spirit." Response: Amen. "May the Lord who frees you from sin, save you and raise you up." Response: Amen.**

## WHO CAN BE ANOINTED?

1. **Those who are now seriously ill.**
2. **Those who are temporarily ill or convalescing.**
3. **Those who are chronically ill (heart condition, asthma, arthritis, etc.)**
4. **Those who are emotionally and mentally ill.**
5. **Those who are 65 years and over.**
6. **Those who are preparing for surgery in the near future.**
7. **Sick children who have reached the age of reason.**

***Refreshments will be served after Mass.***

***Donations of homemade or store-bought baked goods would be greatly appreciated. Please bring your donations to the church vestibule before Mass. Thanking you in advance!***



## Baptisms

**Bria Rose Gaber**
**Sabrina Raquel Gomez**
**McKenna Michelle O'Claire**



**POPE FRANCIS**
**TWEET FOR THE WEEK**
**May Jesus,**
**who vanquished the darkness**
**of sin and death,**
**grant peace to our days.**

## TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

In many parish churches, more rarely in monastery churches and cathedrals, the tabernacle with the Blessed Sacrament is visible from a doorway or aisle in the church. Normally, a person is to give the proper sign of reverence, a genuflection, when passing in proximity to the tabernacle. The word "genuflect" comes from Latin roots meaning bending (or flexing) the knee. A common-sense exception to the rule is for a sacristan who is taking care of the church and can't be genuflecting every thirty seconds during a vacuum run. Also excepted are persons in procession entrusted with important symbols of the Lord's presence. So, a crossbearer or a minister carrying the Gospel book, or ministers on their way to their Communion stations do not genuflect. For everyone else, the usual sign of reverence for the Lord's presence in the Blessed Sacrament is to genuflect on the right knee.

The oldest form of reverence during prayer in our tradition is standing; kneeling or genuflecting is a sign borrowed from old civic practice. The posture of kneeling, even on one knee, is a sign of submission. Servants would take this position before their masters in the ancient world. It said: I'm not running away, I'm yours, I'm here for you. This is what your genuflection says when you enter a Catholic church where the place of reservation of the Blessed Sacrament is visible to you: I'm yours.

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**CRISIS PREGNANCY HELPLINE**
**1-800-400-4205**

## 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.

### 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 # _____

## + MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK +

***Saturday, May 13 - Vigil: Fifth Sunday of Easter***
5:30 Raymond Glos
***Sunday, May 14 - Fifth Sunday of Easter***
7:00 People of the Parish
9:30 Mary Jane Dombrowski
11:30 Giacoma Alaimo & Bambina Cozzone, Concetta Alaimo & Mario Bartucci, Antonia M. Barbera, Rosa Calabrese, Rosario Centineo, Dabros & Wytrwal Fams., Jaime DeCarlo & Mary Anzelone, Josephine Dombrowski, Antonietta Domenicaso, Rosina DiCristofano, Maria Ferretti, Nancy Guida, Patricia Imburgia, Sophie & Anna Kosala, LaPietra Fam. & Fri., Ann Legenza, Gladys LoFredo, Irene McGreevy & Stanislawa Milewska, Veronica McMahon, Madalena & Domenico Mignano Fam., Consiglia Panzeca & Tina Chiovari, Anna Parente, Angela Lonero & Giuseppina Battista, Frances Persoski, Rosa & Domenico Petruso Fam., Sandy & Angelina Romeo, Lois Silhanek, Eraldo Simonetti, Maria Tenuta, Catherine Tedesco, Maria Bella Toda, Edward & Victoria Wnek
4:30 Stanislaw Jozwicki

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

***Monday, May 15 - St. Isidore the Farmer***
6:30 Dec'd Mbrs. Schaeffer & Panfil Fams.
9:00 Frederick Tomzik
***Tuesday, May 16***
6:30 Purgatorial Society
9:00 Vincent Viverto
***Wednesday, May 17***
6:30 Estelle Kurtyka
9:00 Living & Dec'd Mbrs. Eberlein Fam., Mary Gleeson, Greiber/Sodard Fam., LaPietra Fam, & Fri., Recovery of Kelly Hogan, Brooke Shannon Fam.,
***Thursday, May 18 - St. John I***
6:30 Kazimierz & Henryka Fornal
9:00 Edward Behof
***Friday, May 19***
6:30 Joseph Toniolo
9:00 Frederick Tomzik
***Saturday, May 20 - St. Bernardine of Siena***
8:30 Madelyn Zmijewski
1:00 Anointing of the Sick Mass
***Saturday, May 20 - Vigil: Sixth Sunday of Easter***
5:30 Pam Heider
***Sunday, May 21 - Sixth Sunday of Easter***
7:00 Manczko - Bova Fams.
9:30 Samuel Cortese
11:30 Arthur Bronski, Leonard Cataldo, Helen & Steve Dobrowolski, Helene Earhart, Domenica & Joseph Fiorante, Domenica, Ernesto & Michael Fiorante, Angelina Grana, Giovanni & Cristina Greco, Libby Hage, LaPietra Fam. & Fri., Peter Maddaleni, Rebecca McCarthy, Mike & Michael Michalek, Catherine O'Hara, Bruce Papish, Carmela Scelsi
4:30 People of the Parish

## +MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY +

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

***Saturday, May 20 - 8:30 am***
*** **Team 3**
***Saturday, May 20 - 5:30 pm***
* P. Basili
** Y. Sarmiento, J. Horn, P. Schippers, V. Parado, M.B. Glynn
*** **Team 4**
Mon., 5/22- 9:00 am
***Sunday, May 21 - 7:00 am***
* J. Bischof
** T. Curtin, J. Santiago, L. Feist, D. Feist, R. Trovela
*** **Team 2**
Tue., 5/23 - 9:00 am
***Sunday, May 21 - 9:30 am***
* School Lector
** S. Sclafani, B. Ndiwe, B. Veth, T. Swiderski, T. Swiderski
*** **Team 12**
Wed., 5/24 - 9:00 am
***Sunday, May 21 - 11:30 am***
* P. Wagner
** B. Brinlee, T. Gunia, V. Santucci, C. Bobka, P. Paetsch
*** **Team 1**
Thur., 5/25 - 9:00 am
***Sunday, May 21 - 4:30 pm***
* P. Conlon
** J. Carrozza, R. Kopf, A. LoForte, R. Kennedy, B. O'Neill
*** **Team 5**
Fri., 5/26 - 9:00 am



### 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.

## PLEASE PRAY




***For the Sick*:** Linda Adamczyk, Annabella Amato, Pat Apida, Robert Apida, Aurora Barone, Alice Baxter, Jennifer Pemberton Blackmore, Anthony Bongiorno, Thomas Bongiorno, Mary Brasse, Margaret Brinlee-Brucken, Franca Chiapetta, Franco ChiapettaAgnes Collins, Mirna Cozzo, Kevin D'Agostino, Dominic De Fano, Jaimie Di Carlo, Diane Divello, Marge Dyson, Vicki Fealey, Don Feist, Janis Gale, Bob Gasiorek, Carol Gasiorek, Robert W. Gelfond, Frances Gofron, Kelly Halloran, Michelle & Shaun Hamilton, James G. Hanson, Tim Heider, Barbara Hinze, Patricia Jackson, Eileen Jacques, Kathy Jeskey, John Keating, Cindy Koeune, Katherine Koeune, Bill Kohut, Bob Kolk, Olga Kykta, Allie Lim, Rose Mary Maratto, Rosemary Marinello, Raffaela Metallo, Michael C. Muscarello, Virginia Muscarello, Rose Napoli, Leo Navickis, Deacon Ed O'Leary, Rita Oltman, Florence Panfil, Lena Pighini, Norma Quilici, Gerry Randazzo, Charlotte Rice, Rita Rogers, Stella Rombotis, John Ruberti, Teresa Ruberti, Leo Samborski, Patty Samborski, Theresa Samborski, Jerry Schippers, Joanne Schippers, Pat Schippers, Patrick Schippers, Bernadett Sedlacek, Emily Steckiewicz, Maxine Stefanowski, Rev. Fred Tomzik, Gina Vassalo, Beverly Wijas and for those who are homebound, in hospitals, nursing homes and under hospice care.

***Newly added to our sick list:***

***For the Deceased:*** Calogero Bavuso

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

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.

### ANNULMENT SUPPORT MINISTRY

The Annulment Support Ministry is active at St. Eugene's. Chris O'Malley has been trained for this role. If you are considering an annulment, please contact the Rectory at: 773-775-6659 and leave a message. Chris will return your call and help you to begin the healing process of annulment.

### HUGS

A mom's hug lasts long after she lets go.
—Anonymous

**Find St. Eugene on Facebook!**

### My Mother kept a garden

My Mother kept a garden,
a garden of the heart,
She planted all the good things
that gave my life its start.
She turned me to the sunshine
and encouraged me to dream,
Fostering and nurturing
the seeds of self-esteem.
And when the winds and rain came,
she protected me enough--
But not too much because she knew
I'd need to be a little tough.
Her constant good example
always taught me right from wrong--
Markers for my pathway
that will last a lifetime long.
I am my Mother's garden.
I am her legacy-
And I hope today she feels her love
reflected back from me.

# FIRST HOLY COMMUNION, SATURDAY, MAY 6, 2017





































Alleluia



## NEW REGISTRATIONS FOR THE 2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR

Saint Eugene School is now accepting new registrations for the 2017-18 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-TH), three full days (T-W-TH), 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.

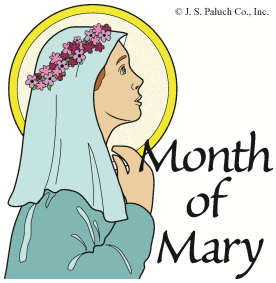
Parents may make appointments for individual tours.

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








### Our truest friend

"A mother is the truest friend we have, when trials, heavy and sudden, fall upon us; when adversity takes the place of prosperity; when friends who rejoice with us in our sunshine, desert us just as trouble thickens around us, still will mother cling to us, and endeavor by her kind precepts and counsels to dissipate the clouds of darkness, and cause peace to return to our hearts."

Washington Irving

### HIGH SCHOOL HONORS

**TRINITY:**
Shannon McGuire
Alessandra Almendarez

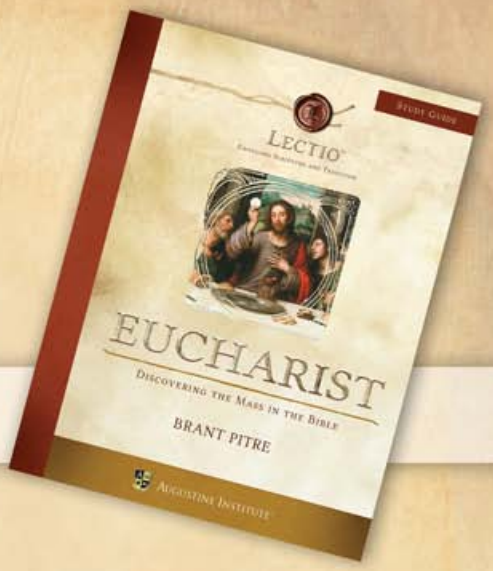
### A different kind of glory

When we think of glory, we often think of something splashy and bright. The last thing we would think of is a cross. Yet that is exactly what Jesus tells us in today's reading. The glory of God is the cross of Christ. In the cross, Jesus shares his peoples' struggles through the hurricanes of life. In the cross, Jesus stands in the cloud of suffering with us. It doesn't sound like any glory we're used to. It doesn't shine with acclaim, honor or adulation. Instead, this glory glows with the fire of God's love for the world. This is the "splendor veritatis," the "shining of the truth," which lights our world until Jesus comes again.

# LECTIO

UNVEILING SCRIPTURE AND TRADITION

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?

Together we'll join the acclaimed Dr. Brant Pitre for *Lectio: Eucharist, Discovering the Mass in the Bible.* In 10 compelling and informative sessions, Dr. Pitre will guide us through the whole of Scripture to deepen our understanding of the mystery and wonder that is the Eucharist – and how it will transform our lives.



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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.**



**MAJOR ADAMCZYK**
**GHALEB AZROUI**
**DONALD BELLISARIO**
**TIMOTHY EMMETT CAROLAN**
**ZBIGNIEW DUDKOWSKI**
**MATTHEW SCOTT FORREST**
**ANDREW HOPKINS**
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**DANIEL MEANEY**
**KEITH MILLER**
**MEGAN MILLER**
**THOMAS NEUHENGEN**
**ERIC NORWOOD**
**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.