St. Eugene Parish
Chicago, IL 60656

THE VOICE

Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time **November 4, 2018**

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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. Richard M. Yanos, Pastor
Rev. James J. O'Brien, Pastor Emeritus
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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.

From the Pastor's Desk…



Last week's bulletin contained our parish's annual financial report. Looking at numbers on a couple pages can sometimes be confusing for some. Usually most folks look at the bottom line – the lines that show what the total revenues are and what the total expenses are. If you did that, you would have found that for the church our income was down $45,986 from the previous year, while our expenses went up $9,677. However, our income still surpassed our expenses. This should come as no surprise to all in our parish because practically every week you can see reported in the bulletin that we are not meeting our projected Sunday budget. This budget includes the operating of both our church/parish activities as well as the operation of our school.

Now if you looked carefully at the bottom line of our school's operating numbers, you will find a different picture. Last year our school's revenue was $423,781 short of their expenses. What this means is that this $423,781 shortfall has to come from somewhere. That "somewhere" was the church's $221,529 revenue (after expenses) yet this was still not enough to cover the school's $423,781 expenses. You are probably wondering and/or asking by now where the $202,252 difference came from, as these expenses needed to be paid. $130,000 had to be taken from our parish's savings and the remaining $72,252 from the school's Educational Endowment Fund in order to balance the budget. This is not a good thing as our Business Manager reported in last week's bulletin. These expenses over what had been budgeted are not only depleting our parish savings and the Educational Endowment Fund at an alarming rate but are also keeping our parish from utilizing its own revenue for investment in ministerial operations that would serve other segments of our parish.

Quite frankly, arriving as the new pastor here at St. Eugene's, I was shocked at these numbers. As a result of these alarming numbers, I have met and will continue to be meeting with our Finance Council, Business Manager, and Principal, and am beginning to get the word out to our School Advisory Committee as well as our faculty - all who need to understand - that things cannot go on as business as usual with regard to our spending in the school. We will be looking closely at expenses this year until we can get things under control.

We have a phenomenal school with a phenomenal faculty and a terrific student body. As a pastor, I have always found the School's Budget the easiest to do because it's income and expenses involves primarily only two elements. Income is based on Tuition and Fees, which is based on the number of children in the school and the setting of proper goals for fundraising. The expenses of operating a school primarily lie in salaries, benefits, and operations. It's a simple equation but when any of these factors is off, it complicates the equation. In our case, it is the small number of students that currently occupy our school. Getting these numbers where they need to be will be our primary goal. This is where the future "Renew My Church" efforts will be very helpful for all who wish to enroll their children in Catholic Schools, as well as for the parishes that are currently having to provide substantial subsidies for our schools. There will be much more to come on this matter, but I can honestly say that I am very hopeful for what will lie ahead for the future of Catholic Education in our surrounding area.

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In less than three weeks, our country will be celebrating the Thanksgiving holiday. Without a doubt, there is so much for all of us for which to be grateful. As a way of providing an opportunity for us to offer our thanks to God for the gifts he has bestowed upon us, **we will be having a special Mass of Thanksgiving on Thanksgiving Day, November 22nd, at 9:00 a.m.** This will be the only Mass of the day. **There will not be a 6:30 a.m. Mass on this day.** (If there are any Mass intentions already scheduled for the 6:30 a.m. Mass they will be celebrated at the 9:00 a.m. Mass or will be able to be moved to another Mass). I encourage everyone in our parish to make a sincere effort to join us for this parish Mass. What better way to start the day off? So pop the turkey in the oven and join us around the Lord's Table here at St. Eugene on Thursday, November 22nd. Let's start a new tradition here this year. I look forward to celebrating this festive liturgy with you all.

Some of the truly beautiful experiences I have had over the years has been when the parish community gathers together at one Mass to celebrate special civic or national holidays. The days that I am referring to are: Thanksgiving, Memorial Day, the 4th of July, and Labor Day. These are days when our parish community should come together around the Lord's Table to celebrate in common what these days signify. The liturgies on these days will be accompanied with festive and joyful music as well. For this reason, we will be celebrating these holidays together with only one **COMMUNITY MASS** at 9:00 a.m. beginning with Thanksgiving this year. Because these are days off for most folks, we hope that our 6:30 a.m. Mass community and all in our parish will make an effort to worship and give thanks to God on these special occasions. My hope is that these will be celebrations we will all look forward to being a part of as one community of faith.

Fr. Rich





Marriage Banns

II - Clare Griner & Patrick Walsh

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

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 # _____



The St. Eugene Parish Community

cordially invites you to

the Installation and Welcome Mass of

Reverend Richard M. Yanos

as the Fifth Pastor of

St. Eugene Parish

7958 W. Foster Avenue

Chicago, Illinois 60656

Sunday, November 11, 2018

11:30 a.m. Mass

Bishop Mark Bartosic presiding

Reception to follow at the

Shaunessy Center/Gymnasium

Please call (773) 775-6659 with inquiries.

COME JOIN US

JULY 17 - 27, 2020

FOR AN 11 DAY "TREASURES OF THE ADRIATIC & THE ALPS" TRIP

Austria…Croatia…Slovenia…Italy…Germany

Visiting: Vienna, Graz, Zagreb, Ljubljana, Lake Bled and Venice, Italy

Including the OBERAMMERGAU PASSION PLAY





All are invited to an **Informational meeting** for our upcoming 2020 Oberammergau Passion Play & Treasures of the Adriatic and the Alps Trip here **at St. Eugene's, on Sunday afternoon, November 18th at 5:30 p.m. in the Shaunessy Center Meeting Room.** Come and hear about all the neat places we will be seeing and visiting. I can promise you a great time and a much-remembered and cherished experience. At this meeting, you will hear all the details about this trip, be able to ask all your questions, meet some of those that are already signed up and perhaps even sign-up yourself. Because this trip needed to be advertised before I was assigned to St. Eugene, and due to the fact that the Passion Play happens only every ten years, many made their reservations for it early on. There are, however, still some openings available for this trip.

I so look forward to seeing anyone interested in hearing more about this unique trip at this meeting. Our Travel Agent will be present for this meeting. Also, if anyone might be interested in an opportaunity to visit the Holy Land, there are only 4 spaces left for our February 18-28, 2019 Pilgrimage. Give me a call if you would like a brochure.

Fr. Rich Yanos

P.S. Fr. Jim O'Brien is also leading an 11 Day Classical Europe Trip including the Oberammergau Passion Play departing May 31 – June 10, 2020. His itinerary is completely different than mine. His trip includes Hungary, the Czech Republic, Germany and Slovakia. He is also having an informational meeting for this trip on Monday evening, November 5th at 7:00 p.m. in School Room 110 for those interested in hearing more about his trip.

THIS WEEKEND



DID YOU SET YOUR CLOCK BACK?

ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY
MASS 9:30 AM
ROSARY BEGINS AT 9:05 AM



WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS
9:30 am Mass
Hospitality after Mass in the church vestibule

GOD'S LAWS

God's laws are not intended to burden or torment us. Instead they are guideposts that point us in the direction of good living. Accordingly, good living requires loving God and loving one another. We should not follow God's laws out of fear of what might happen if we don't, but rather view them as a foundation for building relationships and trust with one another and with God.

The Shema prayer of Orthodox Jews is based on the reading from Deuteronomy today, "Hear, O Israel." Every morning people recite the prayer as a profession of their love for God and pledge their obedience to God throughout the day. They pass on their love of God to their children, from one generation to the next.

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HAPPENINGS

SUNDAY	**4**
9:30 am	Altar & Rosary Society Mass Rosary starts at 9:05 am: CH
9:30 am	Welcome Mass: CH
12:30 pm	Youth Athletics: SH.CTR
MONDAY	**5**
ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, NOON - 8:00 PM	
4:00 pm	Youth Athletics: SH.CTR
7:00 pm	Parish Event: SCH.110
TUESDAY	**6**
11:30 am	Young at Hearts Club: SH.CTR
6:30 pm	Altar & Rosary Society: SH.CTR
WEDNESDAY	**7**
4:00 pm	Youth Athletics: SH.CTR
6:30 pm	Knights of Columbus: SH.MR
6:30 pm	School Advisory Committee: SCH.110
THURSDAY	**8**
3:00 pm	Girl Scouts: SH.MR
4:00 pm	Youth Athletics: SH.CTR
6:00 pm	Tour Group: REC.LL
7:00 pm	RCIA: REC.DR
7:00 pm	Social Concerns Ministry: SH.MR
FRIDAY	**9**
7:00 pm	School Event: SH.CTR
SATURDAY	**10**
9:00 am	Youth Athletics: SH.CTR
10:00 am	AA: SCH.RH
SUNDAY	**11**
11:30 am	INSTALLATION OF OUR NEW PASTOR REV. RICHARD M. YANOS: CH Reception following Mass: SH.CTR

FACILITY CODES

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**

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.!!!

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.





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

"Always stay very close to our Lord, present in the tabernacle."
Saint John Mary Vianney

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.



OBERAMMERGAU PASSION PLAY
May 31 - June 10, 2020

I will host an informational meeting on Monday, November 5th at 7 pm in the school annex Room 110 regarding the above Pilgrimage. On the Pilgrimage we will visit Budapest, Bratislava, Prague, Nurnberg, Rothenberg, enjoy a Rhine river cruise etc. and end in Oberammergau for the Passion Play.

We have 18 people signed up already. Please join us at the meeting for the most up to date information and have any questions you may have answered. Please call the rectory (773-775-6659) and let us know if you will be attending.

Father Jim O'Brien

YOUNG AT HEARTS CLUB
Tuesday, November 6
Doors open 11am Meeting at noon
Shaunessy Center

We will have a short meeting and refreshments will follow. Afterwards, games will be played. Hope you can join us,

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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For more information please contact the convent at:773-467-0295

ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY
Tuesday, November 6
Doors open at 6:30 pm
Meeting at 7:00 pm Shaunessy Center



Hostess: Mary Oberheim
Theme: Grateful Hearts
Mission Collection: Little Sisters of the Poor

Tickets will be on sale for our Christmas celebration.



SOCIAL CONCERNS MINISTRY
Thursday, November 8 - 7:00 pm
Shaunessy Center Meeting Room

This is our regular monthly meeting. We ask all members to be present. We are always looking for new members - wouldn't you like to join us?

PRAY FOR THE DEAD

Let us not hesitate to help those who have died and offer our prayers for them.
St. John Chrysostom

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.



PLEASE PRAY

***For the Sick*:** Linda Adamczyk, Annabella Amato, Jon Arnswald, Pat & Bob Apida, Fred & Cahad Ballog, Anthony Bongiorno, Lawrence Basili, Dr. James Bergman, Mary Brasse, Julie Bronski, Margaret Brinlee-Brucken, Helen Bruchalski, Franca Chiappetta, Agnes Collins, Jim Conlon Jr. & Sr., Brenda Crotty, Lorraine Czerwinski, Connie D'Astice, Joan De Stefano, Dominick Di Re, Nancy Donatello, Marge Dyson, Chris Egan, Don Feist, Bob & Carol Gasiorek, Patricia Gelfond, Ava Geole, Frances Gofron, Fr. Phil Grib, S.J., Erika Arquilla Hlavacek, Tim Heider, Tricia Jackson, Eileen Kearns, Janet & Edward Kindybalyk, Olga Kykta, Allie Lim, Agnes Mahoney, Rose Mary Maratto, Phyllis McGarrh, Rich Moellering, Jr., Michael C. & Virginia Muscarello, Mary Oberheim, Aline Papciak, Norma Quilici, Charlotte Rice, Diane Rizzuto, Rita Rogers, Stella Rombotis, Frances Salvato, Leo & Theresa Samborski, Bernadett Sedlacek, Emily Steckiewicz, and for those who are homebound, in hospitals, nursing homes and under hospice care.

Newly added to our sick list: Victoria Amelio, Florence Jassak

For the Deceased: Sylvia Carreno, Helen T. Lyons

PLEASE CALL THE RECTORY IF YOU WOULD LIKE A NAME ON THE SICK LIST.

When a Family Member is Hospitalized

Please notify the rectory office at: 773/775-6659, when a family member is hospitalized. Because of HIPPA (privacy) laws, Presence Resurrection Medical Center and other hospitals are no longer permitted to notify us when parishioners are admitted to the hospital.

Communion for the Homebound

If you know of any member of St. Eugene Church who is homebound and would like a Minister of Care to bring them the Eucharist please let us know. Just call the Rectory Office at 773/775-6659 and someone will get back to you.



BLESSING OF EXPECTANT MOTHERS

Next Sunday, and on the second Sunday of each month, St. Eugene Parish offers a blessing for expectant mothers, fathers and their unborn children following the 9:30 a.m. Mass. The blessing is given to strengthen mothers and fathers during the time of waiting, and to pray for the health and safe delivery of their child. This blessing may be received monthly throughout the pregnancy.

SOCIAL CONCERNS MINISTRY

If you are in need of assistance,
call the rectory.
A member of the **SOCIAL CONCERNS MINISTRY**
(formerly St. Vincent de Paul)
will get back to you.

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

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**

+ MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK +

Saturday, November 3 - Vigil:
31st Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:30 John Carbone, Christina Luis

Sunday, November - 4 - 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:00 People of the Parish
9:30 Francesco DiBendetto, Angeline Komperda & Pam Heider, Miklewicz & Niedbala Fams., Antonino Lupo, Lucia & Belle Shields
11:30 Margaret Chlopek, Giuseppe Covello, LaPietra Fam. & Fri, Hillard Michalek, Pietro Pisello, Angela & Vincenzo Recchia
4:30 Gerri Francesconi & Angeline Krieger

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

Monday, November 5
6:30 Purgatorial Society
9:00 Joan Herrmann

Tuesday, November 6
6:30 People of the Parish
9:00 Eugene Kosla, Frank Masley, Joanne Santella

Wednesday, November 7
6:30 Joseph "Speedy" Cozzi
9:00 Mario DiBenedetto, Vincenzo Di Iorio, Killmer & Regan Fams., Eraldo Simonetti,

Thursday, November 8
6:30 People of the Parish
9:00 Frank Caira, Sr.

Friday, November 9 -
Dedication of the Lateran Bisilica
6:30 Frank Zupo
9:00 John C. Rog

Saturday, November 10 - St. Leo the Great
8:30 Michele Dammicco

Saturday, November 11 - Vigil:
32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:30 Brian & Terry Dahlquist, Blanche Gregory

Sunday, November 11 - 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:00 Mazur Fam., Rachelle Turano-Wojcik
9:30 Elizabeth Dublanski, Casimira Fiumefreddo, William P. Kimble, Mary & Joseph Sparacino
11:30 Domenico Battista & Michael Vito Parente, George Concialdi, Int. of Olivia Czarnik, Dabros & Wytrwal Fams., LaPietra Fam. & Fri., Michael Michalek,
4:30 Giuseppe & Consiglia Campisi, Tina & Antonio Chiovari, Jean Czop

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.



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.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Just two years ago, we engaged in one of the core activities of our democratic system: a presidential election. Actually, the institution of election can be traced to traditions in the Church, and although bishops are no longer chosen in this way, abbots and abbesses (heads of monastic communities) have almost always been elected by full voting members of their communities. The lifetime appointment begins when the monks or nuns are gathered in "chapter" at the death or resignation of the abbot, and fortunately for all involved, campaigning is not allowed! The members of the community discern, with prayer to the Holy Spirit, who among them is the best suited for leadership. Once chosen, the new leader requests the blessing of the local bishop, who usually presides at a ceremony of consecration or investiture. The ballots are always secret, and a simple majority must be achieved.

In our American system the Electoral College is the determining voice in the presidential election, not the popular election on a November Tuesday, just as the monastic chapter is the electorate. Today, most religious orders elect general superiors in "chapter" by delegates of the professed members, and usually for a term of six years. A few, like the Jesuits, elect for life. At least we don't have that weight on our shoulders when we choose a president. Four years at a time will do!

Rev. James Field, Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co.

ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY CHRISTMAS TROLLEY FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7 5:30 TO 9:30 PM MEET AT THE SHAUNESSY CENTER

Once again, Altar & Rosary is having the Christmas Trolley to see the sights and Christmas lights! The trolley company has raised the cost of the trolleys this year. The cost is $30 per person and I have secured four trolleys this year which will accommodate 124 people total. I know this is early, but if I do not get the additional trolleys filled, I need to cancel any unused trolleys by November 10, 2018, so Altar & Rosary doesn't incur any cost. Anyone wishing to join us on this tour, please call Lois at: 773-774-1511 no later than November 6th. Payment is due at the time the reservation is made.





Sacrificial Giving

October 28, 2018

Regular Sunday Offering	**$**	**11,783**
Electronic Giving October 22 to October 28 $698 from 44 families	**$**	**698**
Total	**$**	**12,481**
Sunday Budget 2018-19	**$**	**16,000**
Over / (short)	***$***	***3,519***
Sharing Parish	**$**	**62**

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)



SCHEDULE OF LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Mass Nov. 10 / 11	Celebrant	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Eucharist	Altar Servers
Saturday 5:30 PM	Fr. Ed Pacocha	Angie Cisek	Pat Brown Mirta Cozzo Carolyn Edwards Nicasio Francisco Marcia Pollowy	C. Frederick K. Kinel
Sunday 7:00 AM	Fr. Rich Yanos	John Imburgia	Glory Bermas Tom Curtin Lois Feist Raquel Perez Rowena Trovela	M. Spanola M. Clancy
Sunday 9:30 AM	Fr. Greg Wojcik	Sal Sparacino	Charlotte Hill Chuck Hill Rosemary Kennedy Carrie Lim Manny Lim	R. Urey S. Urey
Sunday 11:30 AM	Bishop Mark Bartosic/ Fr. Rich Yanos	Christine Bobka	Christine Bobka Cleofe Miranda Brian O'Neill Maria Russo Josefina Santiago	T. Acierno B. Modica M. Modica
Sunday 4:30 PM	Fr. Greg Wojcik	Lisa Vasich	Angela Forgione Betty Gebhardt John Gebhardt Melinda Meo Jessie Noronha	K. Adams C. Czubek

SOCIAL CONCERS MINISTRY

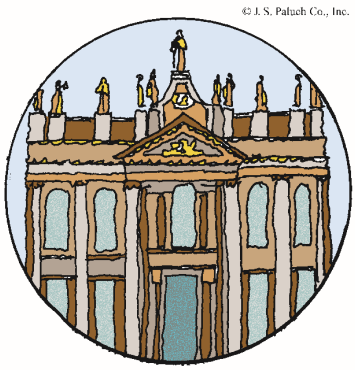
NOVEMBER FOOD DRIVE



As we give thanks to our Lord for all of our blessings, please remember the people who are really struggling. All food and monetary donations will be accepted at **9:00 AM Mass** on Thanksgiving Day. If you cannot attend the Thanksgiving Day mass, please consider making a monetary donation with the SVDP envelope at one of the weekend masses on November 24/25. Thank you for your support.

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

We also want to thank to everyone who were so generous to the Clothing Drive and everyone who helped us on that day



The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica



POPE FRANCIS TWEET FOR THE WEEK

If you want to listen to the Lord's voice, set out on the journey, live out your search. The Lord speaks to those who search

Find St. Eugene on Facebook!

FORMED PICK

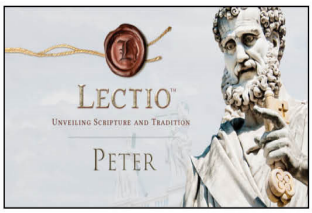
Lectio: Peter

Episode 9: Peter Bar Jonah

To What Kind of Love Are You Called?

Crossing traditional lines that separate people and cultures, Dr. Tim Gray shows how Peter points the Church to an all-encompassing love. Discover how the New Covenant embraces all people.

Watch on formed.org



★★★★★

"Watching this was time well spent and it deepened my understanding and appreciation for God's word."

—Monica F., Sidney, NE



Register at FORMED.ORG
Parishioners, enter code: CYYYV8

Yankee Candle Fundraiser
Help Support St. Eugene School! We are partnering with Yankee Candle Fundraising to help support our school. St. Eugene School will receive 40% of the profits!
Order online at: www.yankeecandlefundraising.com and enter Group Number 990009657. Online orders will be shipped directly to your house! Online ordering ends January 10, 2019! Thank you for your support!

CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL PLACEMENT TESTING THE CLASS OF 2023
Saturday, December 1, 2018
Please call the school of your choice for details and time of the testing.

HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL
ST. PATRICK:
Charles Argueta, Ivan Buryadnyk, Dylan Ecklund, Gabriel Kolk, Joseph Thome, Sean Mullany

ST. EUGENE SCHOOL IS STILL COLLECTING *BOX TOPS*



St. Eugene School Student Council members for the 2018-19 school year. Pictured with our Pastor Fr. Rich Yanos: Melissa, Karl, Ryann and Megan.



Class of 2019 presents Bunco Night

Bring your girlfriends and come have a great time supporting the 8th grade.

When: November 9, 2018

Doors open at 7pm, Bunco starts at 7:30pm

Where: St. Eugene Shaunessy Center

Who: Adults 21+

$25 fee includes: game play, beer, wine and snacks/desserts

Please submit $25 cash or check (made payable to St. Eugene) and the slip below to Rosanne Spanola c/o Megan 8th grade

_____

Name/Phone#: _____

# of tickets: _____ Total enclosed: _____

Prizes will be awarded in the form of gifts cards of your choice through the school TRIP program.

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
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