St. Eugene Parish
Chicago, IL 60656

THE VOICE

Third Sunday of Easter — May 5, 2019

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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.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLASS OF 2019

John Adamski
Brandon Addesso
David Anish

Kierra Barr
James Buckner
Maci Bulanda

Abby Coleman
Maximus Cuevas

Isabel David
David Dennewitz

Aidan Ek

Theodore James

Shauna Kerr

Gianluca Korybko

Ava LaPalermo
Maria Luberda
Diana Luna
Michael Maddex

Sofia Mariano
Alexa Matz

Kiley Neville

Oliver Opiela

Gianna Pagani

Eileen Ready
Emma Rodriguez
Annabella Rog
Elyse Roldan

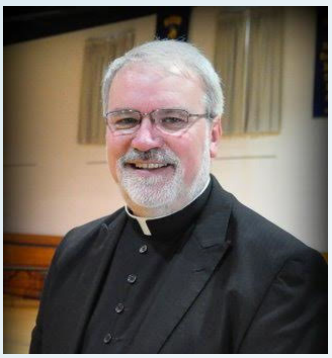
Kellen Salvador
Jozef Sciackitano

Jaxon Thome

Ryan Wagner
Grace Walsh
James Woznicki



From the Pastor's Desk…



As we celebrate the Third Sunday of Easter, we are reminded that Jesus never asks for an explanation from Peter. There is no need for one. He reaches out to Peter three times, asking if Peter loved Him — one time for each denial. In entrusting Peter with the task of feeding the sheep, Jesus is extending to Peter forgiveness, love and understanding. Peter does not have to ask. Jesus seeks him out and his profession of love as well.

God's love seeks us out. He does not wait for us, but moves toward us, prompting our hearts to profess our love and faith in him. We are never left to find our own way, but are guided and directed by the movement of God within us. Look around and see all the signposts that point the way: Church, sacraments, prayer, family and friends. Do not persist in your fear, but rejoice in God's love!

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Our congratulations go out to all of the young boys and girls of our parish who have celebrated their First Communions this weekend. What wonderful days these are as we welcome our youngest members to the Lord's Table for the first time!

Talking to many of our 1st Communicants in the weeks before they received their First Communion, it was so moving to see and hear the enthusiasm with which they were approaching their First Communion Day. We often hear how children have a unique way of influencing their parents; this is always evident at this time of year, as many of our parents are brought back to the practice of their faith because of their children's reception of the sacraments. How powerful it is to hear a parent tell me that they've come back to Mass or Reconciliation because they've realized how important it is to model their faith now for their young son or daughter. How true this is!

If only each of us realized the impact this role of modeling our faith has on our children. When your children see that on Saturday or Sunday night or Sunday morning – no matter what – God comes first before any other activity, and you affirm this by giving priority to God and coming to church through your participation at Mass, there is no doubt that what you are teaching them will leave a deep impression and that they will take this example with them into their adulthood. This is truly when parents have fulfilled their promises that were made at their children's baptisms to raise them to the best of their ability in the ways of our faith. To you who are taking this commitment seriously, our deepest gratitude and support.

I would also like to express a sincere "thank you" to Cathie Scotkovsky, our Director of Religious Education, and all of our dedicated Religious Education teacher/catechists, as well as the many other volunteers, who helped make this year's First Communion Mass the true celebration it was.

Next weekend we celebrate Mother's Day – a day when we in America remember and honor the special women who were instrumental in providing each of us with the life we enjoy, whether by birth, adoption or their "fostering" of us. We celebrate all those women who cared, nurtured, fed, loved and even sacrificed for us because of their deep maternal love for us. So don't forget to remember your moms next week whether they are still with you here on earth or waiting for us in heaven.

Here in our country, we also set aside this special day to remember and celebrate these special women in each of our lives who, with our fathers, have been instrumental in not only bringing each of us into this world, but have also helped to provide loving homes that are much needed in today's society.

Whether living or deceased, hopefully, a prayer of thanksgiving will be said for your mom. If you might wish to have your mother remembered in a special way at all of our Mother's Day Masses, as well as having their name on our altar throughout the year, you can do so by writing in your mother's names on the special Mother's Day envelope provided in your May packet of your Sunday offering envelopes including also your Mass offerings for this purpose. They can be placed in the collection basket and their names will be added to the memorial page that will be included in our parish bulletin as well as placed on the altar for an entire year.

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Here in our archdiocese we will also be asked to participate in the annual Mother's Day Catholic Charities parish collection. This is one effort our parish always responds to so generously. Your support of this worthwhile endeavor feeds the hungry, houses the homeless, cares for children, strengthens families and helps to keep seniors independent. Your support of this collection gets transformed into the compassion that Catholic Charities has become known for that protects the poor and gives the precious gift of a fulfilling and dignified life to those less fortunate than we. Please be generous and remember that as you drop your offering into the basket in next weekend's 2nd collection, you become the only source of hope to those who seem to not matter in the eyes of so many in our world.

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Just a reminder… our new daily Mass schedule begins on Monday, May 13th. To help you remember the new schedule I have provided it below as well as the daily and Saturday Mass times and confessions at our neighboring parishes. Please post this schedule at home.

Fr. Rich

NEW DAILY MASS SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE
(Beginning May 13, 2019)

DAILY MASS (New Time)

Monday, Wednesday and Friday --- 9:00 A.M.

Tuesday and Thursday --- 6:30 A.M.

If this new Schedule does not work for you the following neighboring parish Daily Mass Schedules are provided for your convenience:

Daily Mass

St. Monica --- 8:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M.
Divine Savior --- 7:30 A.M.
Our Lady Mother of the Church --- 8:30 A.M.
Immaculate Conception --- 8:30 A.M.
Mary Seat of Wisdom --- 7:00 A.M. and 8:40 A.M.

Saturday Morning Mass

St. Eugene --- 8:30 A.M.

St. Monica --- NONE
Divine Savior --- NONE
Our Lady Mother of the Church --- NONE
Immaculate Conception --- NONE
Mary Seat of Wisdom --- 9:00 A.M.

CONFESSIONS

The following are the Sacrament of Reconciliation/Confession Schedules for the parishes in our area provided for your convenience:

St. Eugene --- Saturday, 4:00 P.M. until all are heard

St. Monica --- Saturday, 3:00 – 3:45 P.M.
Divine Savior --- Saturday, 3:15 – 3:45 P.M.
Our Lady Mother of the Church --- Saturday, 4:00 – 4:30 P.M.
Immaculate Conception --- Saturday, 3:30 – 4:30 P.M.
Mary Seat of Wisdom --- Saturday, 4:00 – 4:45 P.M. & Wednesday, 6:00 – 7:00 P.M.

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Spring 2019

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

In the Gospels, Jesus teaches us to be a living expression of God's kindness, showing the light of God's goodness and mercy to all of our brothers and sisters, but especially to the poor, the vulnerable, and those facing challenging circumstances. Each year on Mother's Day, Catholic Charities invites us to be a living expression of God's goodness though our gift to the Catholic Charities Mother's Day Collection. With our support, Catholic Charities carries out the important work of the Church to help the poor and vulnerable in the Archdiocese of Chicago.

People often come to Catholic Charities at the most difficult times of their lives—hungry, afraid, hurting, alone, homeless, helpless, hopeless. Catholic Charities cares for people at these desperate times, helping them rebuild their lives and restoring hope for the future.

Catholic Charities provides a broad range of services to people of all ages and at every stage of life, regardless of religion or background. Whether it's helping young mothers with pregnancy and parenting services; offering educational and support programs for at-risk children and teens; counseling those facing addiction, mental illness or grief; delivering emergency assistance to families coping with homelessness and hunger; or providing affordable housing and a variety of in-home services for seniors, Catholic Charities brings Christ's love and mercy to the people and the places that need it most.

We each have an important role to play in the Church's sacred mission to care for those in need. Please accept my sincere gratitude for your past support of the Catholic Charities Mother's Day Collection, and please consider being as generous as you can again this year. Contributions can be made during the second collection on Mother's Day, anytime at www.catholiccharities.net/donate, or mail your gift to Catholic Charities, 721 N. LaSalle Street, Chicago, IL 60654. May God bless you and those you love this Mother's Day and always. With every good wish, I remain

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Archbishop of Chicago

THIS WEEKEND

WELCOME MASS - 9:30 AM

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



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.

LIFELONG SERVICE

"I am going fishing." What an announcement! If asked who made it, and not told it was a Bible quote, we might guess "Grandpa" or "Uncle Fred," or admit, "I said that last summer!" But it is a Bible quote, from today's Gospel. The person who said it also once declared, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." Yes, it's Peter! So today's announcement seems quite the comedown. Last Sunday Jesus said, "As the Father has sent me, so I send you." But Peter seems determined to return to his pre-apostolic occupation, until Jesus intervenes, making Peter's later announcement deeper, "Lord, you know that I love you," and Peter's apostolic calling clearer, "Tend my sheep." Peter does so. Acts presents the consequences: Peter declares, "We must obey God rather than men." As Revelation proclaims, "Worthy is the Lamb"--to receive Peter's lifelong service, and ours. Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co.

SAVE THE DATES

Fr. John Hetland's Farewell Masses

School Farewell Mass
Wednesday, May 29th - 9:00 am

Parish Farewell Mass
Sunday, June 9th - 11:30 am
Reception following in the Shaunessy Center





Matteo John Damore

HAPPENINGS

SUNDAY	**5**
9:30 am	Welcome Mass: CH
9:30 am	Altar & Rosary Mass: CH
MONDAY	**6**
ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, NOON - 8:00 PM	
TUESDAY	**7**
11:30 am	Young at Hearts Club: SH.CYT
5:30 pm	Altar & Rosary Society: SH.CTR+MR
WEDNESDAY	**8**
7:00 pm	Ribbon Mass: CH
THURSDAY	**9**
3:00 pm	Girl Scouts: SH.MR
7:00 pm	Social Concerns: SH.MR
FRIDAY	**10**
10:00 am	May Crowning: CH
SATURDAY	**11**
10:00 am	AA: SCH.RH
5:30 pm	Flower Sale after Mass: CH
SUNDAY	**12**
	HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY
	Flower Sale after all morning Masses: CH

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**



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

From Letters to a Brother Priest: "There are five graces we receive each time we visit Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. By His glorious wounds we are the ones who are transfigured and changed through His healing love. Restoration, sanctification, transformation, reparation, and salvation are the graces being poured out graciously upon us with each hourly hour we make. Like Peter, this is why we should exclaim in His Divine Presence 'Lord, how good it is for us to be here!'"
Msgr. Josefino Ramirez

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 HEARTS CLUB
Tuesday, May 7
Doors open 11:30 am Meeting at noon
Shaunessy Center

After a short meeting, coffee and cake will be served followed by games. For more information, contact Dan Gols at: 773/774-0471

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

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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ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY



Tuesday, May 7
Doors open at 5:30 pm
Dinner at 6:00 pm
Shaunessy Center

Hostess: All Attending Members
Theme: On The Boardwalk
(Focus on your "walk" with Christ)
Mission Collection: Jesuits

SOCIAL CONCERNS MINISTRY
Thursday, May 9 - 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?

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.

ST. EUGENE BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT

Bulletin Announcement for Sign-Up Weekend

Italian Catholic Federation – New Branch Coming Soon!

The Italian Catholic Federation (ICF) is looking to re-establish the branch at St. Eugene and we welcome you to join us. We will have information tables at the entrance of the church after Masses on **Saturday and Sunday, May 18-19**.

The ICF encourages and promotes faith renewal, apostolic and charitable works, heritage, and, social activities in the parish. It is a family organization open to membership of all Catholics from all cultures and all ages. In the beginning, the ICF provided a spiritual and cultural path for Italian Immigrants to the American way of life, and now, reaches out to all to support parish programs and local charities.

Please stop by and pick up the information available. Members of the ICF will be there to answer your questions. You can also visit our website: www.icf.org.

If you miss us and are interested in finding out more, please contact Teresa Helfand at (773) 771-0728.

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.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY OF YOUR ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD
OUR PASTOR
FATHER RICHARD M. YANOS
MAY 7 - 36 YEARS

Parish Staff

Rev. Richard M. Yanos, Pastor
Rev. James J. O'Brien, Pastor Emeritus
Rev. Greg Wojcik , Associate Pastor
Rev. John G. Hetland, Associate Pastor
Rev. Ed Pacocha, Retired Visiting Priest
Deacon Chick O'Leary, Business Manager
Ms. Lydia Hilado, Director of Music
Mr. Vincent Hilado, Assist. Director of Music

Ms. Catherine Scotkovsky, Principal
Mrs. Janet Kusinski, Assistant Principal
Mrs. Barbara Meier, Bulletin Editor
Mrs. Joanna Bischof, Mrs. Pat Conlon,
Ms. Christine Jassak, Mrs. Rita Kopf &
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.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The Gospel today sees Peter and his colleagues after the Resurrection, returning to Galilee and resuming the family business. They are fishing by night. Although it is true that fish feed by night, the mention of darkness here is more about the human spirit than it is about fishing advice. Modern life keeps darkness effectively under control; much of the world has been glowing radiantly through the night for a century. Yet just as surely as the Risen Christ breaks into Peter's fishing, so does he break into the usual patterns of our own darkness, electric lights notwithstanding. It is Easter, and we are the people of the light.

In our tradition, Evening Prayer, celebrated in monasteries, parishes, cathedrals, and homes everywhere, is a kind of solemn protest against the darkness and its claims, an act of praise for our light-bearing God, and a commitment to carrying that light forward. Sunset is a turning point of our day, felt less acutely in an electrified world, but still an effective reminder that one day darkness overtakes us all. Yet our Eastering has taught us in a hundred ways that the victory belongs to the Bearer of Light. Easter summons us to transform our everyday blackouts, perhaps in a way as simple as a whispered prayer of thanks at evening for the blessings of the day.

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NEW REGISTRATIONS FOR THE 2019-2020 SCHOOL YEAR

Saint Eugene School is now accepting new registrations for the 2019-20 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

Catholic Education

Find St. Eugene on Facebook!

ST. EUGENE SCHOOL IS STILL COLLECTING *BOX TOPS*

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 +

Sunday, May 5 - Third Sunday of Easter
7:00 Lia Gerard, Michael Manczko
9:30 Stanislaw & Franciszko Chabura, LaPietra Fam. & Fri., Sophie Liwak, William & Louisa Milani, Angela & Vincenzo Recchia, Daniel Riney
11:30 Maria & Pasquale Amoroso, Dabros & Wytrwal Fams., Anna & Maciej Dun, Boguslaw Frycz, Rev. Kazimierz Kowalski, Hinze & Moriarty Fams., Hillard & Michael Michalek
4:30 People of the Parish

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

Monday, May 6
6:30 Joan & Teresa
9:00 Jim Barron, Ludwik & Agnes Komperda, John Kula, Aniela Niemczyk

Tuesday, May 7
6:30 Mary Wasicki
9:00 John Cisek, Vincenzo Di Iorio

Wednesday, May 8
6:30 Dominick & Marie Di Re
9:00 William F. Brinlee, Sr., Hummel & Cook Fams., Bruno Nardi, Eraldo Simonetti

Thursday, May 9
6:30 Frank Zupo
9:00 John Rog

Friday, May 10 - St. Damien de Veuster
6:30 Purgatorial Society
9:00 Dan Cibrowski, Michele Dammicco, Antonio Garcia, Christopher Lechowicz
2:00 ***Wedding:*** Krystle Marie Fertig & Edwin-Ian Dela Cruz

Saturday, May 11
8:30 Fr. Phil Grib, S.J., Julia Gwozdz

Saturday, May 11 - Vigil: Fourth Sunday of Easter
5:30 For all our living & deceased Mothers, John Carbone, Sean Killen

Sunday, May 12 - Fourth Sunday of Easter
7:00 For all our living & deceased Mothers
9:30 For all our living & deceased Mothers, Mary Jane & Josephine Dombrowski, Cecilia Viverito
11:30 For all our living & deceased Mothers, Amalia & Gennaro Barone, Aurora & Patrizia Barone, Leonard Cataldo Fam., Rosaria Centineo, Dabros & Wytrwal Fams. Anna Feist, Irene McGreevy & Stanislawa Milewska, Hillard & Michael Michalek, Lorraine Mikulski, Peggy Roppolo, Frank & Marianna Scavelli, Fr. Fred & Frederick Tomzik
4:30 For all our living & deceased Mothers, Dominick & Marie Di Re,

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.

FORMED PICK

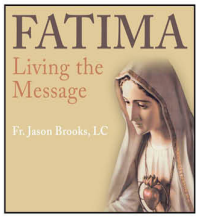
Fatima: Living the Message

By Fr. Jason Brooks

Heed Your Mother's Advice

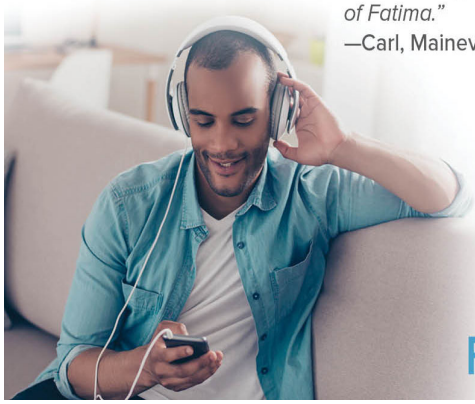
Fr. Jason Brooks brings to light why Fatima is regarded by many as the most important spiritual event of the past 100 years and why Our Lady's message is still as relevant as ever.

Listen on formed.org



★★★★★

"I thought I knew the story of Fatima well, but this gave even MORE insight into the message and meaning of Our Lady of Fatima."
—Carl, Maineville, OH



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REMEMBERING OUR LOVED ONES WITH OUR EASTER FLOWER DONATION

Monica & Sebastian Adaya
Mrs. Nettie Alanga
Sebastian & Katherine Alanga
Carmella & Ernest Amelio
Family Antonelli
Family Arturi
Family Baio
Rosemary Blanchfield
Joseph E. Bobka
Emmett Bova
Barbara Bronski
Arthur Bronski
Ron Brown
Julia Brown
Gesumino Bumbaca
Sophie, Natalie A, James A & Richard A Burkart
Katarzyna Cabaj
John Carbone
Family Catenazzo
Adam Cegielski
K. M. Cegielski
Minnie Ceragioli
Minnie & Edward Ceragioli
Francesco (Dad & Papa Chiappetta
Nancy Christopher
Joe Cozzi
Deacon Jim Cozzo
Gloria Cruz
Jean & Jerry Cyop
Sophie & Frank Dabrowski
Leo De Pasquale
August De Villar
Phyllis & Ben DeFano
Eklsa Deles
Timoteo Delicana Sr.
Louisa Dellota
Stanley & Bernice Deron
Bruce & Robert Deron
Dominick & Maria DiRe
Gloria & Cerilio Dodor
Thomas Doles
Michael Doles

Family Dublanski
G. Dumerer
B. Dumerer
Conrado & Gregoria Espiritu
Florencia Adaya Estibal
Jane Everett
Del Everett
Jose & Clara Fernandez
Michael Fiorante
Martin Flynn
Mr. & Mrs. Forgione
Philip Fr. Grib S.J.
John Fr. Hetland
Families Frapolly, Warwick, Moore & Gunter
Anatlol Gluzerman
Mary & Joseph Gnutek
John Jr. Gregorio
Satina & John Hassett
Family Holz & Lipps
Rev. Hynous Hynous
Aleksander Hyrc
Frank & Rae Jablonski
Jerome Jesiolowski
Muriel Kahlke
Willard Kahlke
Alyce Killacky
James Kossar
Lori & Jeff Kossar
Family Ksepka
Martha Kurka
Frank Kurka
Michael Kwilas
Maria Labecki
Anthony Laterza
Gaetano & Antoinetta LoBue
Family Lombardi
Family Lutecki
Peter Maddaleni
Teresita Maligad
Theodore Mancheff
Elizabeth Mancheff



Jean & Ted Manczko
Michael Manczko
Helen Manda
Anna & Thomas Marko
Family C. G. A. May
Gene Mazur
Jum McGuire
Carmen Melendrez
Rabi Melendrez
Frank & Rae Metallo
Family & Baby Boy Frankie Metallo
Jan & Genowefa Mikulski
Don & Jane Miller
George Michael Modzelewski
Richard Moellering Sr.
Rev. Frank Moreci
Joseph Mr. & Mrs. Ruckauf
Carmelo Napoli
Tom & Lillian Naughton
Anthony Olita
Family Palermini
Sp. Jan Piechowicz
John & Emily Polachovic
Kay Egan Rauch
Fran & Robt Reilly Sr.
June Rice
James Robbins
James Ruckauf
Family Santella
Angie Serpico
Rev. Frank Shaunessy
Eraldo Simonetti
Tadeusz Skoczek
Norma Smith
K. M. Staszewski
Michael Stenson
Elvera Urso
Dominic Valenti
Natividad Verano
Sam Vizzini
Estelle & Clark Warren
Stanley & Valeria Wielgos
A. Witt

SOCIAL CONCERNS MINISTRY
SPRING CLOTHING DRIVE

The Social Concerns Ministry is looking for a few volunteers to help us on this weekend. If you are available please call the rectory at: 773/775-6659 and someone from the Social Concerns Ministry will return your call.

Will take place this weekend
May 18 / 19
(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 would like to make a monetary donation,
please make your check payable to St. Eugene's / SCM.

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



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**



Sacrificial Giving

April 28, 2019

Regular Sunday Offering	**$**	**10,921**
Electronic Giving **April 22 to** **April 28** **$1,243 from 49 families**	**$**	**1,243**
Total	**$**	**12,164**
Sharing Parish	**$**	**15**

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR PARISH. YOUR EFFORTS ARE GREATLY APPRECIATED.
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SCHEDULE OF LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Mass May 11 / 12	Celebrant	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Eucharist	Altar Servers
Saturday 5:30 PM	Fr. Rich Yanos	Donna Laterza	Angie Cisek Erica Dillon Nicasio Francisco Mary Beth Glynn Donna Laterza Melinda Meo James Schmidt	A. Meier V. Meo N. Crimaldi
Sunday 7:00 AM	Fr. Greg Wojcik	John Imburgia	Joseph Carrozza Tom Curtin Lois Feist John Imburgia Rosemarie Kennedy Raquel Perez Lisa Vasich	M. Modica E. Coleman A. Acierno
Sunday 9:30 AM	Fr. John Hetland	Pat Conlon	Pat Conlon Charles Hill Charlotte Hill Theresa Moore Josephine Nardi Bernard Ndiwe Jessie Noronha	A. Santucci J. Lara A. Miller
Sunday 11:30 AM	Fr. Ed Pacocha	Sal Sparacino	Christine Czerwinski Teresa Gunia Martha Holder Nancy Mancini Pat Paetsch Russ Sparacino Sal Sparacino	M. Spanola M. Clancy G. DiGenova
Sunday 4:30 PM	Fr. Rich Yanos	Pat Brown	Pat Brown Betty Gebhardt John Gebhardt Janet Horn Mary Kenny Carol Paulini Yolanda Sarmiento	R. Urey S. Urey G. Thome



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God searches for you,
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God looks for beauty in you,
even if you think you have uselessly
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What qualities of faith do you think Christ needs to use you to build His kingdom on earth? Are you thinking of compassion, perseverance, patience, unending love, and absolute trust in the truth of His Word? It's true, we usually describe a person Christ would use as already complete and mature in their faith. After all, that's what we look for when we choose parish council members or deacons. And yet, in John 21:1-14, that image is blown as we see our Lord spend one of his last times on the earth with Peter, who was anything but a fully mature man of faith. Still Christ based His plan for spreading the Gospel throughout the earth on people just like Peter. Read Jesus' words carefully and see if you can identify what Jesus saw in this simple fisherman. Perhaps He sees the same in you.



PLEASE PRAY

***For the Sick*:** Annabella Amato, Victoria Amelio, Karen Anzaloni, Pat & Bob Apida, Fred & Cahad Ballog, Lawrence Basili, Mary Bloodworth, Anthony Bongiorno, Mary Brassie, Julie Bronski, Margaret Brinlee-Brucken, Helen Bruchalski, Franca Chiappetta, Jim Conlon Jr. & Sr., Brenda Crotty, Lorraine Czerwinski, Connie D'Astice, Leonardo D'Nessio, Nancy Donatello, Marge Dyson, Don Feist, Van Gaetto, Bob & Carol Gasiorek, Rosalie Gazzano, Patricia Gelfond, Ava Geole, Frances Gofron, Erika Arquilla Hlavacek, Jeff Hlavacek, Tim Heider, Patricia Jackson, Florence Jassak, Eileen Kearns, Janet & Edward Kindybalyk, Olga Kykta, Allie Lim, Rose Mary Maratto, Helen Masley, Phyllis McGarrh, Eugene Michael Miller, Gregory Patrick Miller, Donna Mizialko, Rich Moellering, Jr., Fr. Jim Murphy, Michael C. & Virginia Muscarello, Joan O'Connor, John O'Connor,Aline Papciak, Norma Quilici, Charlotte Rice, Jeannine Riotto, Diane Rizzuto, Rita Rogers, Stella Rombotis, Frances Salvato, Leo & Theresa Samborski, Bernadett Sedlacek, Emily Steckiewicz, Kevin Stenson, Julie Swieicki, Mary Ellen Zyniewicz and for those who are homebound, in hospitals, nursing homes and under hospice care.

Newly added to our sick list:

For the Deceased: James Guzzo, Sergio Martinucci, Doris Rooney, Richard Tivilini,

PLEASE CALL THE RECTORY IF YOU WANT TO ADD A NAME TO 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.

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.
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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.

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 some-one will get back to you.



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Thank You!
fellow parishioners!

A total of 942 letters were collected this past weekend!!!

Senator Mulroe – 460 letters
Representative McAuliffe – 441 letters
Senator Murphy (Park Ridge) – 17 letters
Representative Moylon (Park Ridge) – 17 letters
Representative Martwick (60634) – 5 letters
Senator Cullerton (Itasca) – 1
Representative Papas (Itasca) – 1

A number of parishioners also took copies to distribute elsewhere.
If those were added to the total, we very easily could have reached 1,000!

The letters will be delivered to the office of each senator and representative.

Thank you for making this campaign a HUGE success for the unborn by your willingness to make your voice heard. It is now up to our elected officials to LISTEN to their constituents. Please say an extra prayer or two.

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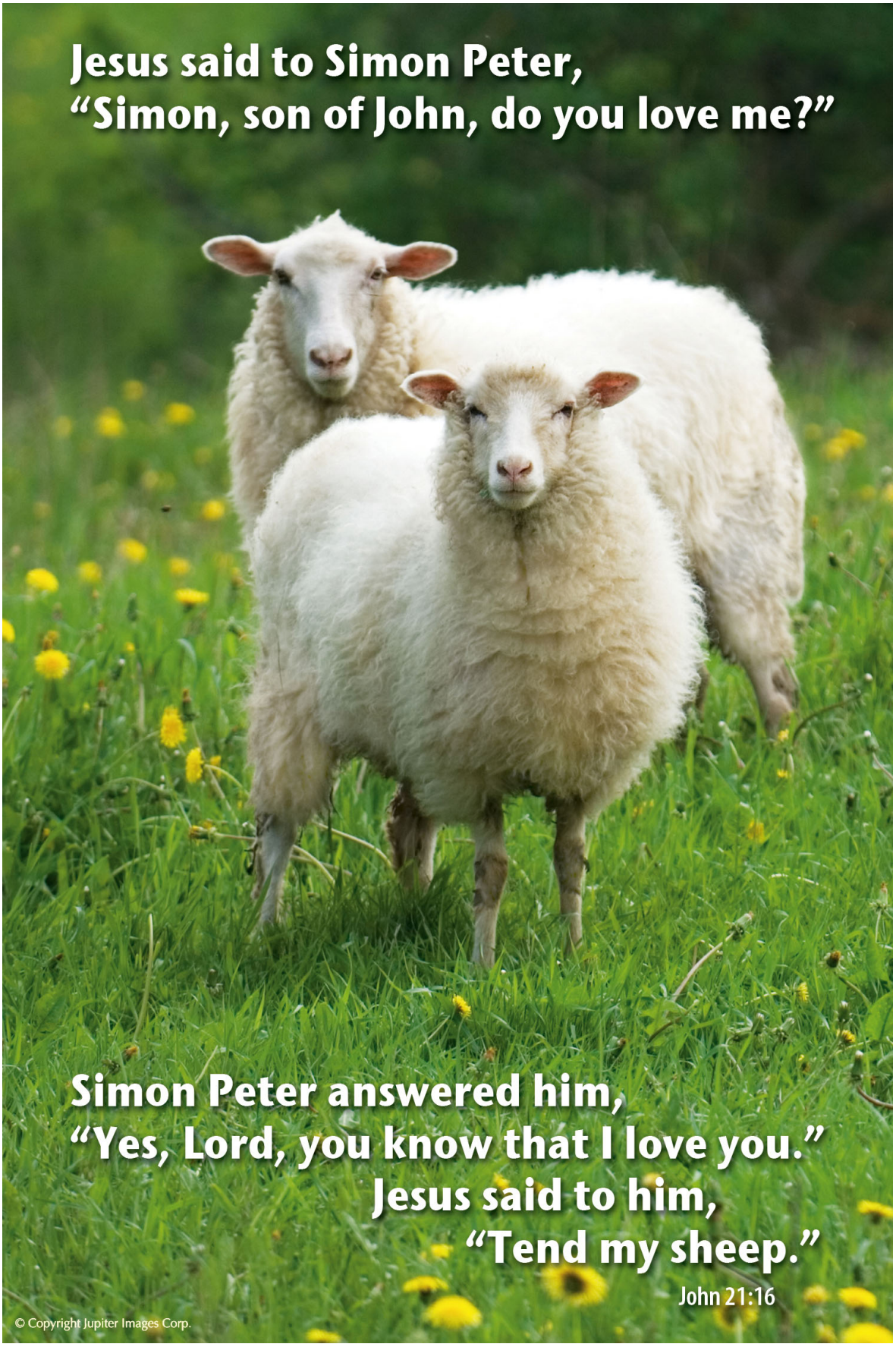
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Simon Peter answered him,
“Yes, Lord, you know that I love you.”
Jesus said to him,
“Tend my sheep.”
John 21:16
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We ask all of our parishioners, if you have a loved one serving in the military, to 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.

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NICHOLAS RANCH
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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.

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