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Chicago, IL 60656

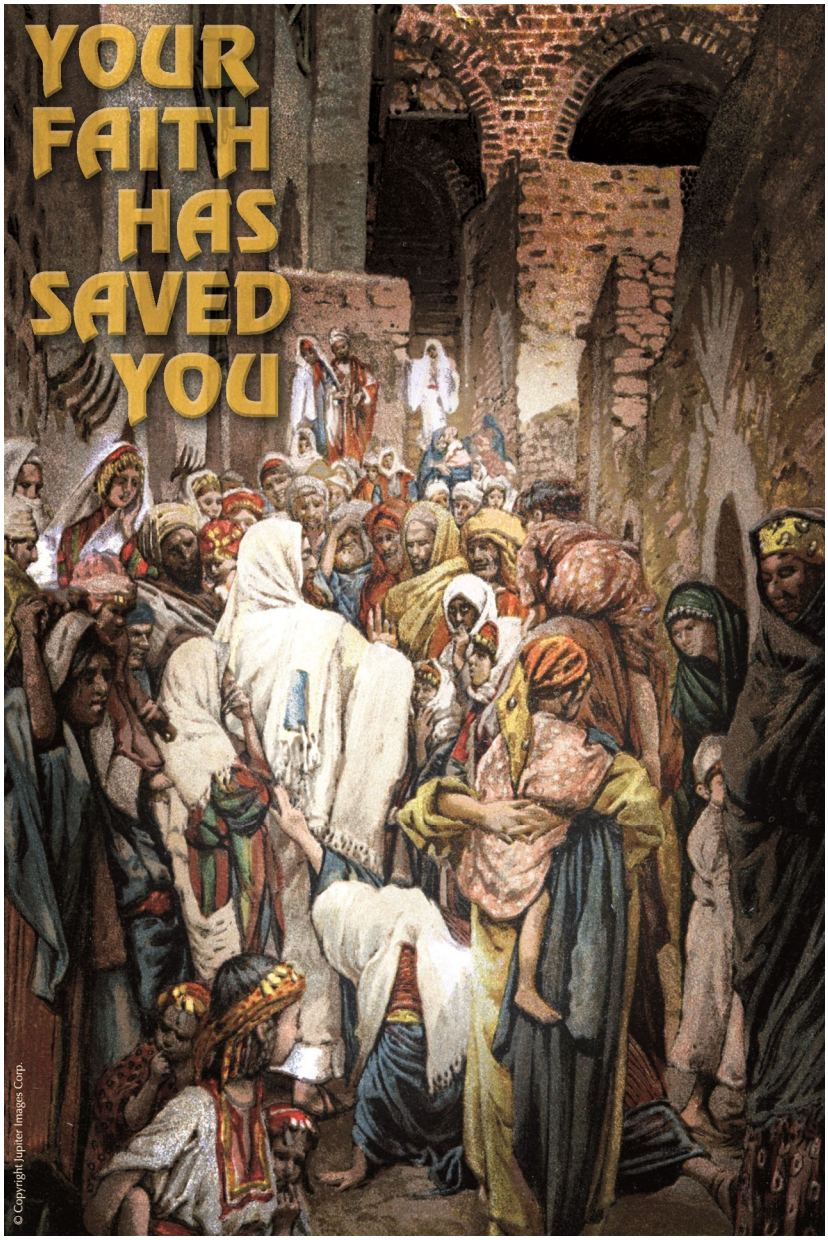
THE VOICE

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time **June 27, 2021**

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SUNDAY MASSES:
(5:30 PM Saturday),
9:00 & 11:30 AM Sunday

WEEKDAYS:
Monday, Wednesday, &
Friday 9:00 AM,
Tuesday & Thursday 6:30 AM
First Saturday of the month
8:30 AM

CONFESSIONS:
Saturday at 4:00 PM
Until all are heard

BAPTISMS: 1st & 3rd
Sundays at 1:30 PM

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.

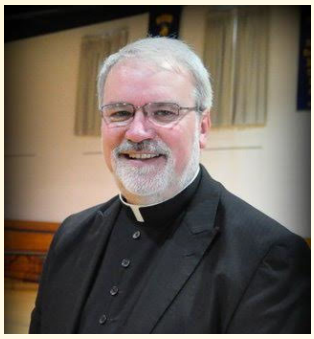
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Please TURN OFF any electronic devices before entering the church for Mass or any other Liturgical service.
Please do NOT park in front of church to ensure emergency vehicle access.
There are ample parking spaces provided on the north side,
to the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

From the Pastor's Desk…



Today we celebrate the Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time. Mark's Gospel today is a reminder to us all of the faith each of us are called to have when it comes to our relationship with Jesus Christ. First, we hear of the synagogue official, Jairus, whose daughter is at the point of death. He askes for help from Jesus. Jesus says to him, "Do not be afraid; just have faith." In the end the little girl is returned to health. We also hear of the woman with the hemorrhage of blood which she has had for twelve years. Her faith in Jesus' ability to help her by simply touching his garment enabled her cure of this scourge. As Jesus said to her, "Daughter, your faith has saved you. Go in peace and be cured of your affliction."

We, too, are asked to put our faith in Jesus, especially when we are at the lowest moments of our lives, because it at these times when our faith is truly tested. The point of these stories is that, despite our fear, faith and trust in Jesus can and will save us and make us whole.

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This past Monday night at St. Monica's our Grouping Team from St. Eugene along with the Grouping Teams from St. Rosalie, Our Lady Mother of the Church, Divine Savior and St. Monica's met for the first time to begin the extensive Renew My Church process. Our St. Eugene Parish Grouping Team consists of Jackie Gregorio, Tom Swiderski, Sal Sparacino, Cyndi Schu, Anthony Woldeit, and myself. It was an interesting and informative meeting as our Facilitator laid out the framework for the next few months of our working together. The underlying focus of the entire Renew My Church effort is on the need for renewal which we were reminded should be ongoing and inherent to our journey as Christians. It is something that, as Catholics, and as part of the Universal Church we should be ever mindful of. As Christians and as sharers in the paschal mystery we are called to a continual dying and rising that hopefully leads to new life for us, both, personally and communally.

One might ask why this "renewal" is necessary? The simple answer is that today's culture is more ambivalent toward religion that at any other time in our history. We have shifted from a Christian culture to a more secular culture. We have gone from the majority of Christians open to faith to those that are opposed to faith. Most of us that are 60 years of age or older were raised with a foundational moral teaching. Today many reject most forms of moral teaching.

You don't have to look too hard to see and observe that Mass attendance in our archdiocese has decreased by 27% over the past 20 years. For us here at St. Eugene we have seen a 50% decline over the past 30+ years. In the early 90's our October count of Weekend Mass attendees was 3,000. Last year before the pandemic hit, we were at 1,500. Now we are closer to 600 on any given weekend. Across the U.S., 2 in 5 children baptized are not confirmed. 85% of children confirmed stop practicing their faith by the age of 21.

You might ask yourself…Who do you know that does not accept the love of Jesus? Or better yet…Who has left the Church that you are hoping will return? I hear the sadness and frustration of so many parents who raised their children in the faith but can't understand why their adult children are no longer practicing their faith.

It is for these reasons and so many others that we need this effort for "renewal". It is now more important than ever. As much as many of us may hate to admit it…The way we are doing things now is just not working at drawing and bringing back many to church and their faith, especially our children and young adults.

At this meeting we were reminded that Our Renew My Church journey is not just about structural changes that are necessary, but more importantly, Spiritual renewal for us all. Renew My Church is a call from Jesus Christ to all of us to renew our local church in the Archdiocese of Chicago. In the process our ultimate goal and focus as we work together will be on **Making Disciples, Building Communities and Inspiring Witness.**

There is much more that will be shared with you in the weeks and months ahead as our Grouping Teams continue to meet. In the meantime, please pray for us and for all the members of our Grouping parishes that each of us may be open to the Holy Spirit working in our midst as we discern what is going to be the most beneficial ways to assure a strong, healthy, vibrant spirit-filled Catholic presence in our area as we look 10-25 years into the future.

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Finally, just a reminder…We would like to resume the return of our ushers for all our Masses. However, because many of our regular ushers have been on hiatus because of the COVID-19 pandemic we are not certain if you may want to continue in this ministry. For this reason, we will be having a very important but necessary USHERS MTG. this Tuesday night, June 29th at 7:00 p.m. in the church. This Meeting will be for all our faithful and previous Ushers as well as for all our current volunteers whom I am hoping will transition from their current duties as volunteers to the new role of Usher. I would also invite any parishioners who would be interested in being a part of this ministry of service to your parish.

I am hoping to enlist many more Ushers so that we can continue the practice of greeting our Weekend Mass attendees, seating people, choosing individuals and/or families to bring up the gifts once again, take up the collection as in the past, assist in letting parishioners out of their pews for Holy Communion, and straightening up the church after Mass in preparation for the next Mass.

It is very important that all those wishing to serve our parish as an Usher attend this information and Training Meeting. If I do not hear from you and you are not present at this meeting I will assume that you no longer wish to serve in this capacity, but I do thank you for your past service to our community of faith.

May the peace of Christ be yours in abundance!

Fr. Rich Yanos

THIS WEEKEND

SECOND COLLECTION
PETER'S PENCE
PLEASE PLACE YOUR
DONATION ENVELOPE IN ONE OF
THE BASKETS ON THE ALTAR

JESUS' EXAMPLE OF HELPING OTHERS

In today's second reading Paul offers a wonderful argument to his converts at Corinth for seeking to help those in need. He is dealing with a practical problem, arranging a collection for the poor of the church of Jerusalem; but as he often does, he develops an important teaching about Jesus to make his point.

After asking that they show their faith by generous gifts, he reminds them of the "gracious act of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, for your sake he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich" (2 Corinthians 8:9). In the Incarnation our Lord assumed our human nature, certainly becoming poor for one who is God. The ultimate gracious act of this poverty was going to the cross with all its terrible sufferings. By this act of poverty we definitely become rich. Now our sins can be forgiven; we can share in the very life of God through the sacraments; we can attain eternal salvation!

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ITALIAN CATHOLIC FEDERATION (ICF)

Branch 274
Wednesday, July 7 - 7:00 pm
Shaunessy Center

We need previous and current members to attend. We hope that you will consider joining us.

Please, direct your questions to:
Anna Rubino 708/878-9562,
Joe Parrillo 773/991-6911,
Marisa Daniele 773/920-0498
or, Angela Forgione 773/654-8452



We will not have Adoration on
Monday, July 5
Due to the Fourth of July Holiday

ADORATION of the
BLESSED SACRAMENT
Mondays in church
4:00 pm- 6:00 pm
with Benediction at 5:45 pm

"We must continually ask God
in our prayers
to keep us in His hand."
Saint Teresa of Avila

PLEASE COME — VISIT JESUS

CRISIS PREGNANCY HELPLINE
1-800-400-4205

The Liturgy Committee
would like to thank all the parishioners
for their cooperation during this Covid time,
concerning checking in and
receiving communion in the hand.



Dear grandmother, dear grandfather,
the Lord's closeness will grant to all,
even the frailest among us, the strength
needed to embark on a new journey along
the path of dreams, memory and prayer.

Our regular daily Mass schedule.
Monday, Wednesday & Friday - 9:00 am
Tuesday & Thursday - 6:30 am
First Saturday of the month 8:30 am

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.

+ MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK +

Saturday, June 26 - Vigil:
Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:30 Diane Boyko, Andrew P. Bujdasz, Hillard & Michael Michalek, Sr. Paula, Patricia Zmijewski

Sunday, June 27 -
Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 People of the Parish
Diane Boyko, Sam Cortese, Ralph DeBartolo, Joseph & Anna Genovise,
11:30 George Czubek, Tony & Nick Neri, Vince & Donato Neri, Daniela & Ernesto Palumbo, Michael Vito Parente

Monday, Wednesday, & Friday: 9:00 am
Tuesday & Thursday: 6:30 am
First Saturday of the month : 8:30 am

Monday, June 28 - St. Irenaeus
9:00 Dorothy & Elmer Chanski, Trudy & Ralph Cryer, Gonzalez & Minn Fams., William Sowards



Tuesday, June 29 - SS. Peter & Paul
6:30 Purgatorial Society
Joanne Lakewski, Manuel Using, Agnes Wahrbein

Wednesday, June 30 -
The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church
9:00 Sophia & Taddeus Chmiel, Florence Jassak, Vincent & Mary Ann Nowaczyk

Thursday, July 1 - St. Junipero
6:30 Edmund & Anna Feist, Westdale & Minn Fams.,

Friday, July 2
9:00 Sophia & Taddeus Chmiel, Gene Meyer

Saturday, July 3 - St. Thomas
8:30 Pamela Heider

Saturday, July 3 - Vigil:
Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:30 Michael Campbell, Shirley & Frank Giambalvo, Hillard & Michael Michalek, Sammy Vizzini

Sunday, July 4 - Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 Norman & Charlotte Barry, Marianna Krochmal, Michael H. Maddex, Gertude Ratajczyk, Frank Scalise, Helen & Walter Wojtas
11:30 People of the Parish
Amalia & Gennaro Barone, Patricia & Aurora Barone, Antoni Orlowski

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

As Independence Day draws near, we think of the men and women of the military who serve with courage and competence, some far from home. How does the Church accompany them? In 1939, Pope Pius XII created an independent jurisdiction of the Catholic Church called the "Military Vicariate." In 1985 Pope John Paul II created the "Archdiocese for Military Services, USA." Spanning the globe and serving nearly one and a half million Roman Catholics, more than one thousand priests minister in hospitals, on military bases of all the armed forces, on ships at sea, and on the battlefield. The AMS does not ordain priests, but accepts priests on loan from religious orders and dioceses.

In 1824 a Jesuit priest named Adam Marshall enlisted in the Navy and died at sea in 1825. He was assigned as a "schoolmaster," but he sought out and ministered to Catholic sailors. Twenty years later, President Polk was worried that the war with Mexico was seen as anti-Catholic, so he recruited two Jesuit priests to serve in the army as chaplains. At the time of the Civil War, only about ten percent of Americans were Catholic. Military policies forced Catholic soldiers to attend Protestant services. The Church protested this rule, and many priests volunteered to become chaplains. Their witness and the courage of the "Nuns of the Battlefield" (several orders of sisters who assisted Civil War victims) helped temper prejudice against Catholics and pave the way for the life and ministry of this vigorous and unique archdiocese.

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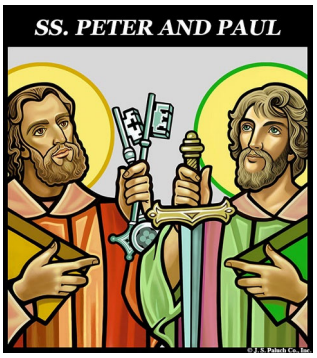
Patrick Peter Biel







Coraline Geller





Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles (June 29)

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Surprisingly, today's feast has architectural origins. Several feasts on our calendar come from two ancient customs: building churches over the burial places of great saints, and annual celebrations of the anniversary of dedication of the churches. In the Vatican, St. Peter's Basilica stands on the site of earlier churches built over the burial place of St. Peter. Outside the walls of the ancient Roman city, St. Paul's stands where the apostle is believed to be buried. Even today, it is a long hike between the great churches, but in the fourth century, the people of Rome would go in procession with the bishop after Mass at St. Peter's, all the way to St. Paul's for another liturgy on this day.

Peter and Paul are amazingly different figures: the rough-and-ready fisherman and the intellectual, tireless founder of small Christian communities springing up wherever he paused on his journeys. Peter was the companion of Jesus in his ministry, and Paul was transformed by the Risen Christ. Even though they labored separately, all Christians today trace their roots to their ministry. Many churches include statues or windows of both saints, traditionally placed a good distance apart, perhaps a reminder of that long yearly hike in the Roman sun!

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Baptism



Gabriella Alice Liput

Baptism



Grace Elizabeth Mazur

Baptism



Gabriel Aranda Torres



Are you sleeping?

The story of Jairus' daughter reminds us that we all face the "sleep" of death due to sin. Jairus' daughter was dying, just as each day that we live in sin, our faith dies a bit more. But Jesus didn't accept the girl's "death" just as He won't accept ours. He reached out, taking her by the hand and saying, "Little girl, I say to you, arise!" And immediately she arose and began to walk. That same hand is out-stretched to us every day. His Command, "Arise" echoes in our hearts, calling us back to a pure life from the sleepy sin we so easily fall into. Where are you today? Sleeping? Reaching? Or standing on your feet, your hand in His, ready for the next step?



PLEASE PRAY

For the Sick: Annabella Amato, Pat Apida , Lawrence Basili, Judy Bauer, Anthony Bongiorno, Barbara Brinlee, Sandy Chmielewski, Mary Ann Cortese, Susan Curtin, Diane Divello, Anita Dublanski, Marge Dyson, Don Feist, Bruno Fondriest, Bob & Carol Gasiorek, Patricia Gelfond, Erika Arquilla Hlavacek, Jeff Hlavacek, Tim Heider, Karen Pavlis-Karasawa, Leonard Laidlaw, Donna Laterza, Abagail Lim, Allie Lim, Rose Mary Maratto, Helen Masley, Dennis McGuire, Camille Miller, Russ Moskal, Michael J. Muscarello, Michael C. & Virginia Muscarello, Theresa Nawara, Rita Rogers, Stephen Rom, Frances Salvato, Patricia Schippers, Bernadett Sedlacek, Daniel Starzec, Emily Stecckiewicz and for those who are homebound, in hospitals, nursing homes and under hospice care.

Newly added to our sick list:

For the Deceased: Judy Jordan, John Myron Masley, Ida Santucci, Margaret Helen Schaefer

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



Offertory Collection

Weekend of June 19-20		
Physical Contributions:		$ 7,225.50
5:30 Mass:	$ 1,614.00	
9:00 Mass:	$ 1,745.50	
11:30 Mass:	$ 1,582.00	
Mailed In:	$ 2,284.00	
Electronic giving:		$ 2,263.00
Total:		**$ 9,488.50**
Operating budget requirement:		$13,400.00

In order to meet our budgeted expenses for this fiscal year, we need to receive $13,400 a week in our offertory collections.

Deficit/Surplus **$ 3,911.50**

June 2021 Running Total	
Cash received in envelopes:	$ 24,765.21
Electronic giving:	$ 6,913.00
Total:	$ 31,678.21
Budgeted amount:	$ 40,200.00
Deficit/Surplus	**$ 8,521.79**

Fiscal Year-To-Date Running Total	
Cash received in envelopes:	$445,078.13
Electronic giving:	$103,314.00
Total:	$548,392.13
Budgeted amount:	$683,400.00
Deficit/Surplus	**$135,007.87**

As you can see, your continued support during this very challenging and unprecedented time is both critical and essential to maintain and operate all we do here at St. Eugene Parish. Please consider dropping off or mailing your contribution to the rectory, or sign up for electronic giving at Give Central (more information can be found in this week's bulletin). **We are extremely grateful for those of you already generously doing your part to support your Church, and truly we could not be here without you.**

ST. EUGENE FACILITY RESERVATION REQUEST FORM

One of the key ingredients of an effective parish is its people. The dedication and invested time of our volunteers is truly appreciated. Our collective efforts bring spiritual opportunities, social gatherings, athletic events, financial support for the parish, and just plain fun to our parish community. These activities require planning and reserving a location for these activities. In an effort to make the room reservation process more efficient, a new procedure will be put in place beginning June 1st. Reservations by parish and school groups/ministries can be made during the month of June. All outside groups can begin reservations July 1st.

This year, we are transitioning to an online calendar system to make room reservations more accessible. There are two ways to make your reservation, online or a printed yellow form as in years past. The yellow form and online form can be found on the parish website home page beginning June 1st in the section titled "St. Eugene Parish Facility Reservations 2021-2022" or at the rectory office. You only need to fill out an online form or yellow form, not both. Filled out yellow forms can be mailed or dropped off at the rectory during regular business hours to the attention of the Parish Scheduler. Online forms are simply submitted online and the Parish Scheduler will be notified of your submission. **Just because you submit the form, does not guarantee you will have that space during that time.** The primary contact person listed will receive the confirmation, if the event is able to be scheduled.

The 4 most important take-aways are:

1. Only a filled-out form (whether online or printed) can reserve a location. While verbal communication is informative, a filled-out form is necessary and required.

2. Kindly fill out the form completely: contact person's name, phone number and email; the actual time the function begins, etc. Incomplete forms will delay your reservation.

3. Please notify the rectory in the event of a cancellation, so the room can be made available to other groups/ministries.

4. Past reservations do not automatically renew for this year and submitting the form is not confirmation of your reservation.

St. Eugene Parish Facility Reservation Form 2021-2022

Group Name:_____

Contact Person:_____

Phone Number:_____

Email:_____

Date Submitted:_____

NOTE: Facility requests are NOT confirmations. You will be notified of changes and/or confirmations

FACILITY CODES

CH	Church
REC.LL	Rectory Lower Level
REC.DR	Rectory Dining Room
RH	Ryan Hall
110	School Room 110
SC.GYM	Shaunessy Center Gym only
SC.MR	Shaunessy Center Meeting Room
SC.K	Shaunessy Center Kitchen
SC.G+MR	Shaunessy Center Gym and MR
SC.ALL	Shaunessy Center Kitch, Gym, MR

Date	Total Time Needed (setup and cleanup)	Event Start Time	Event End Time	Event/Function	Facility Code
09/09/2021	5:30PM– 8:00 PM	6:00 PM	7:30 PM	Appreciation Dinner	SC.ALL

If your event is cancelled, please notify the rectory as soon as possible!!!

Does your group meet regularly? If so, when? (First Tuesday of every month, second and fourth Thursday etc.)

What setup requests do you have? (Number of tables, chairs, technology needs, etc.)

Office only: Contact Notified:_____ Entered into system:_____

A Prayer For "Renew My Church"

Lord Jesus, you speak to us today,
as you spoke to holy men and women who have gone before us.
In every age and in our own time,
you call to us and say: Renew My Church.
Pour out the gift of your Holy Spirit upon us,
and so enable us
to hear you clearly
to listen to each other attentively
to imagine our future boldly
to discern your direction wisely
to persevere in your holy will courageously
to stay together in charity
to surrender our own plans readily
to embrace the greater good
to hand on your gifts to future generations.
May we remain in the holy company of
the Blessed Virgin Mary, the apostles and all the saints.
May their example and presence
inspire us with patient confidence
in the work of your grace.
We ask this of you who live and reign
with the Father
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God,
forever and ever. Amen



FEAST OF FAITH

Preparation of the Gifts

The altar is prepared, the gifts are received. Several brief rites follow with accompanying prayers, some prayed silently by the priest and deacon and others said aloud. We call this part of the Mass the "preparation." What kind of preparation is happening? First, the presider holds up the paten or bowl containing the hosts, and says words that Jesus must have said many times, since they derive from ancient Jewish meal prayers: "Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation!" We have brought forward our gifts, our offering to God, and now we acknowledge that they are not really ours—the gifts that we give are God's gift to us. It is "through your goodness" that we have gifts to offer. It is significant that we offer not wheat and grapes, but bread and wine; "fruit of the earth and work of human hands." Bread and wine are both God's work, and ours. These preparatory rites also prepare us for what we are about to do in the Eucharist, a mystery in which divine and human meet; a holy collaboration in which our action is caught up into God's divine plan.

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Parish Ministries & Opportunities

The information on this page is intended to assist those in our parish in knowing the variety of ministries and activities at St. Eugene. The names and phone numbers of the heads of each ministry are here for your information.

Education Commission

Alumni Association	Suzy McGovern	773/631-9313
Baptismal Preparation		773/775-6659
RCIA	Angie Cisek	708/456-1375
Religious Education	Margaret Kinel	773/763-2237
School Board	Nate Brown	630/770-378

Parish Pastoral Council Liaisons

Rosemary Schu	847/271-8807
Kathy Taylor	773/763-2235
Mary Unger	708/456-4849

Parish Life Commission

Altar & Rosary Society	Lois Feist	773/774-1511
Athletic Board	Patty Samborski	773/763-2235
Church Support Tabulators	Don Feist	773/774-1511
Girl Scouts	Robyn Rog	773/919-6019
Finance Council	Anthony Woldeit	773/775-6659
Italian Catholic Federation	Anna Rubino	708/878-9562
Knights of Columbus	Steven Tomzik	630/432-2849
Parish Pastoral Council	Sal Sparacino	630/768-8375
Simbang Gabi		
St. Joseph Table	Sal Sparacino	630/768-8375
Young at Hearts Club	Roberta Gols	773/774-0471

Parish Pastoral Council Liaisons

Stephanie Romeo	773/484-6057
Steve Tomzik	630/432-2849



Human Concerns Commission

Alcoholics Anonymous	Tom G.	773/456-5326
Annulment Support	Fr. Rich	773/775-6659
Ministry of Care	Joanna Bischof	773/775-6659
Respect Life Committee	Terri Swiderski	708/867-9097
Social Concerns Ministry	Chris Jassak	773/775-6659
	Joe Kilian	773/631-0054

Parish Pastoral Council Liaisons

Mike Czubek	312/388-2686
Rita Kopf	773/625-1928
Betty Urbaszewski/Gebhardt	708/457-0787

Spiritual Life Commission

Altar Servers		
Bereavement	Parish Office	773/775-6659
Eucharistic Adoration	Joanne/Joe Portenlanger	773/594-9397
Eucharistic Ministers	Lois Feist	773/774-1511
Greeters	Michael/Bridget Brennan	773/763-6952
Lectors	Lois Feist	773/774-1511
Liturgical Decorating	Terri Swiderski	708/867-9097
Liturgy Committee	Angie Cisek	708/456-1375
Music Ministry:		
Choir	Lydia Hilado	773/793-8460
Children's Choir	Lydia Hilado	773/793-8460
Ministry of Prayer	Terri Swiderski	708/867-9097
Sacristans	Lois Feist	773/774-1511
Ushers	Joe Portenlanger	773/594-9397

Parish Pastoral Council Liaisons

Sal Sparacino	708/457-1583
James Schmitt	847/287-2446

St. Eugene Parish Give Central Sign Up Instructions

The following is a list of step-by-step instructions to sign up for Give Central to support St. Eugene Parish. If you have any questions or need some help, feel free to call Business Manager Anthony Woldeit at the rectory 773-775-6659 or email at awoldeit@st-eugene.org.

1. Go to our website www.st-eugene.org and click on the Give Central picture located in the middle of the welcome page. Clicking this link will take you directly to St. Eugene's Give Central page.

give central

2. You will be brought to the page titled "Ways to Support St. Eugene Parish". Select one of the featured collections including Sunday, Social Concerns, and others. If you do not see the collection you want, click "View More" and make your selection(s)



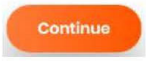
3. After selecting a collection, enter the amount you wish to contribute, the first payment date, the frequency, and whether you would like to have ongoing giving or select an end date. Then select "Add to my Gift Basket".



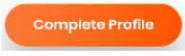
4. You can then decide to "Add More" collections and follow steps 2 and 3 above or select "Checkout".



5. You will be brought to a screen to review the selections you have made in your gift basket, and if all looks good, you are ready to "Continue"

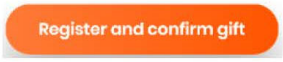


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We ask all of our parishioners, if you have a loved one serving in the military, to please contact the rectory office to give us the name of the soldier, so the whole parish can pray for your loved one. A book in the church vestibule is available for 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

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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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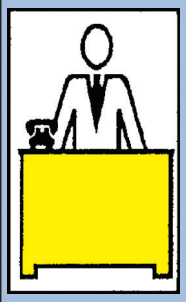
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