QUEEN OF PEACE

CATHOLIC PARISH

AUGUST 30, 2026 | 22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Welcome!

OUR WORSHIP SITES:

Our Lady, Mother of the Church

8747 W. Lawrence Avenue
Chicago, IL 60656

Masses:

Tuesday:	7:00 am
Thursday:	7:00 am
Sunday:	10:00 am

St. Eugene Church

7958 W. Foster Avenue
Chicago, IL 60656

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Rectory Office Hours

Mon.- Thur.:	9:00 am - 7:00 pm
Friday:	9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Saturday:	9:00 am - 1:00 pm

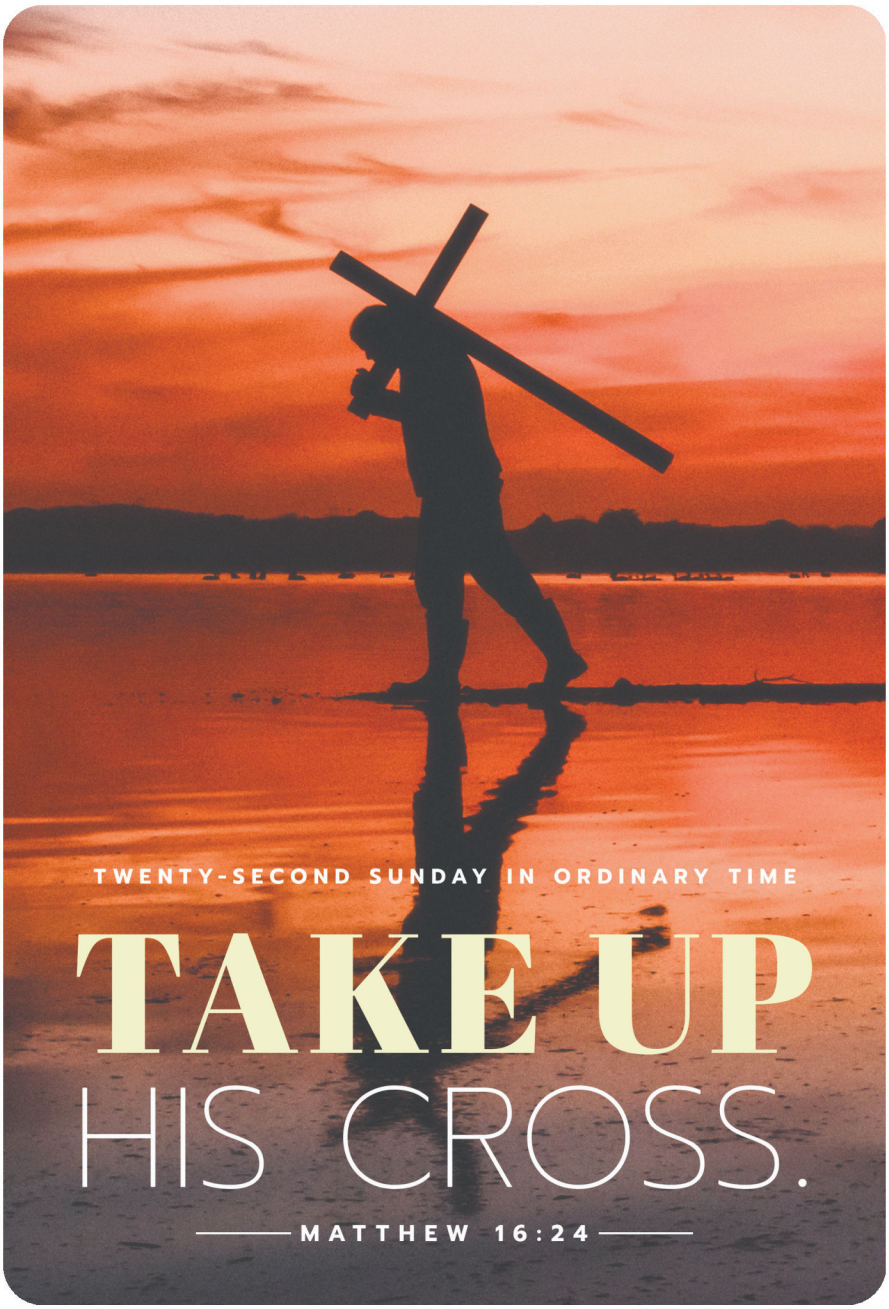
Masses

Monday:	9:00 am
Wednesday:	9:00 am
Friday:	9:00 am
Saturday:	8:30 am
Sunday Vigil Mass:	4:30 pm
Sunday:	8:30 am
	11:30 am

Confessions 3:30 pm on Saturday

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Monday	4:00 pm - 6:00 pm
Benediction	5:45 pm



OUR MISSION

We, the Catholic community of Queen of Peace Parish, centered in the Eucharist, strive to grow in our faith and our relationship with God as a welcoming people, working for peace and justice through service to others.

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ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

St. Eugene Church
Mondays 4 - 6 pm.
Benediction at 5:45 pm.

CHURCH ETIQUETTE
In order to fully partake in the Mass, the Priest should be the last one in and the first one out.

Dress Appropriately ~ remember, you are in God's house.

WHAT THE CHURCH SAYS IS DESIRABLE REGARDING THE BLOOD OF CHRIST



"While they were eating, Jesus took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and giving it to his disciples said, 'Take and eat; this is my body.' Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, 'Drink from it, all of you, for this is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed on behalf of many for the forgiveness of sins. I tell you, from now on I shall not drink this fruit of the vine until the day when I drink it with you new in the kingdom of my Father.'" (Matthew 26:26-29)

TAKEN FROM "NORMS FOR THE DISTRIBUTION AND RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION UNDER BOTH KINDS IN THE DIOCESES OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA"

17. From the first days of the Church's celebration of the Eucharist, Holy Communion consisted of the reception of both species in fulfillment of the Lord's command to "take and eat . . . take and drink." The distribution of Holy Communion to the faithful under both kinds was thus the norm for more than a millennium of Catholic liturgical practice.

18. The practice of Holy Communion under both kinds at Mass continued until the late eleventh century, when the custom of distributing the Eucharist to the faithful under the form of bread alone began to grow. By the twelfth century theologians such as Peter Cantor speak of Communion under one kind as a "custom" of the Church. This practice spread until the Council of Constance in 1415 decreed that Holy Communion under the form of bread alone would be distributed to the faithful.

19. In 1963, the Fathers of the Second Vatican Council authorized the extension of the faculty for Holy Communion under both kinds in *Sacrosanctum Concilium: [Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy].*

The dogmatic principles which were laid down by the Council of Trent remaining intact. Communion under both kinds may be granted when the bishops think fit, not only to clerics and religious, but also to the laity, in cases to be determined by the Apostolic See. . .

20. The Council's decision to restore Holy Communion under both kinds at the bishop's discretion took expression in the first edition of the Missale Romanum and enjoys an even more generous application in the third typical edition of the *Missale Romanum:*

Holy Communion has a fuller form as a sign when it takes place under both kinds. For in this form the sign of the Eucharistic banquet is more clearly evident and clearer expression is given to the divine will by which the new and eternal Covenant is ratified in the Blood of the Lord, as also the connection between the Eucharistic banquet and the eschatological banquet in the Kingdom of the Father.

The General Instruction [of the Roman Missal] further states that *"at the same time the faithful should be instructed to participate more readily in this sacred rite, by which the sign of the Eucharistic banquet is made more fully evident."*

21. The extension of the faculty for the distribution of Holy Communion under both kinds does not represent a change in the Church's immemorial beliefs concerning the Holy Eucharist. Rather, today the Church finds it salutary to restore a practice, when appropriate, that for various reasons was not opportune when the Council of Trent was convened in 1545. But with the passing of time, and under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, the reform of the Second Vatican Council has resulted in the restoration of a practice by which the faithful are again able to experience "a fuller sign of the Eucharistic banquet."





OUR MILITARY PARISHIONERS

Major Adamczyk
Ghaleb Azroui
Matthew Calderisi
Timothy Emmett Carolan
Melissa Rose Cortese
Andrew Dale, USMC
James Vincent Degrazia
Patrick Edward Dillon
Zbigniew Dudkowski
Matthew Scott Forrest
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Keith Miller
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Eric Norwood
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Jasmine Poffenbarger
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Nicholas Ranch
Adam Roberts
Joseph Saineghi, Jr.
Holly Schippers
Michael Schippers, Jr.
Sean Sherlock
Sharon Sherlock
Phillip R. Simonsen
Tony Strzalka
Anthony Vanhanselaere

Saturday, August 29, 2026

8:30 am Mass at SE Church

Virginia Bongiorno-Lawrence
That everyone will know, love, serve & honor God the Father every day
S.I. For Matthew, Joel B. Valle

4:30 pm Saturday Vigil Mass at SE Church

Banas & Schu Families, Wayne J. Greco
Virginia Lawrence, Fr. Bill Lisowski
Giustino Maestranzi, Tom Szczech, Jr.
Arthur Russo-Death Anniversary
Patricia Schippers, Jeff Stalpart
Enrico Turco-Death Anniversary

Sunday, August 30, 2026

8:30 am Mass at SE Church

Jan & Stanislawa Bazula, Wieslaw Chmiel
Antonio & Antonia Di Cristofano
Anna Dolcimascolo, S.I. For Gene Pawula
Bogdan & Sophie Marek-50th Wedd. Anniv.
Jude Cameron Miller Baby
Lawrence Porada, Frances Rehfuss

10:00 am Mass at OLMC Church

Lydia Adriano,
Ronald Bertolini
Giuseppe Lepore, Zofia Zwijacz
Tom & Josephine Szczech, Sr.
Tom Szczech, Jr.
S.I. For Matthew

11:30 am Mass at SE Church

People of the Parish
Salvatore Alaimo
Cecilia Distor
Phillip & Mildred Genovise
Benedetto Guerra
Mary Lou Oberheim
Santo Russo-109th Birthday
Frank Scalise

Monday, August 31, 2026

9:00 am Mass at SE Church

S.I. For the Poor Souls & the Dying & the Fallen Away Persons
S.I. For Family, S.I. For Matthew

Tuesday, September 1, 2026

7:00 am Mass at OLMC Church

Wieslawa Karczmarczyk
S.I. For Nicole & Mike, S.I. For Matthew

Wednesday, September 2, 2026

9:00 am Mass at SE Church

Souls in Purgatory
Clotilde Cozzone
Helena Mac
Jeff West
S.I. For Matthew

Thursday, September 3, 2026

7:00 am Mass at OLMC Church

Cecilia Distor, Roman Jurka
George Giovannoni - Birthday Remembrance
S.I. For Konrad Sniezek

Friday, September 4, 2026

9:00 am Mass at SE Church

Juan Diaz, George Meier
Bob Schu

Saturday, September 5, 2026

8:30 am Mass at SE Church

S. I. That Everyone Will Know, Love, Serve & Honor God Our Father Every Day
Jude, Minn & Ten Families
S.I. For Family

2:00 pm Wedding

Francesca Addesso & Richard Mix III

4:30 pm Saturday Vigil Mass at SE Church

People of the Parish
Mirno Della Santina, Juan Diaz
Deceased Members of the Egan & McGuire Fams.
Livimg & Deceased Members of the Cazolas - Olen Families, Stanley & Frances Purchla
Ben Rakowski
Patricia Schippers
Angeline Serpico
Zofia Zwijacz

Sunday, September 6, 2026

8:30 am Mass at SE Church

Irinea & Armando Abdon, Sr.
Wieslaw Chmiel
Giacomo Giovannielli - Birthday Remembrance
Juan Diaz
Killmer, Zerla & Joshi Families

10:00 am Mass at OLMC Church

Maria Balita Castor
John Catanese
Tadeusz & Maria Knurek
Stefania & Jan Kulon
Janice Lambrecht
Maria Grace Nardi
Vito Nardi
Zofia & Czeslaw Pilch
Edward Rebacz
Nicola Troiano

11:30 am Mass at SE Church

Franciszka & Stanislaw Chabura - Wedd. Remem.
Cecilia Distor
Joyce Dwyer
Irene Mc Greevy
Donato Donald Parente - 4th Death Anniversary
Vincenzo Sammarco
Eraldo & Nancy Simonetti

	Celebrant	Extraordinary Minister	Altar Server	Lectors
Saturday, 09/05/26 4:30 PM - SE	Rev. Greg Rom	R. Sparacino - WB M.B. Glynn - B Rev. Greg / M. Pollowy - C M. Meo - O B. Urbaszewski - WO S. Sparacino - Cup B J. Gebhardt - Cup O		D. Sulimowski
Sunday, 09/06/26 8:30 am - SE	Rev. Robert Carlton	B. Czubek - WB B. Ndiwe - B Rev. Carlton / R. Cantal - C M. Egan - O J. Kolaski - WO R. Kennedy - Cup B D. Duszynski - Cup O		C. Mikucki
Sunday, 09/06/26 10:00 am - OLMC	Rev. Jacek Dada	R. Catalano - T B. Kasiarz - T Rev. Dada /D. Calabro - C P. Vega - Cup A C. Jesiolowski - Cup T	G. Pilch J. Pilch	J. Colon - 1st reading J. Moretti - 2nd reading
Sunday, 09/06/26 11:30 am - SE	Rev. Rich Yanos	L. Feist - WB M. Zurek - B Rev. Yanos / P. Tomzik U. Pawlowski - O S. Melendrez - WO P. Paetsch - Cup B J. Mroszcak - Cup O		C. Giacalone

THIRSTING FOR GOD?



Do you know someone not baptized or baptized in another Christian tradition, who is thirsting for what it means to be Catholic? Do you know someone already Catholic but has not yet received Confirmation & Communion? They may be thirsting too!

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (O.C.I.A.) is a process by which one enters the Catholic Church through prayer, study, and discussion.
We will meet at School Room 110, every Tuesday from 6:30pm to 8:00om.
The RCIA meetings will start after Labor Day - September 15, 2026
More info: Fr. Jacek Dada or Fr. Robert Carlton or please call 773-775-6659

OCIA
ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

QUEEN OF PEACE PARISH ANNUAL GALA

All Is Bright



Saturday, December 5, 2026

6:30pm

Fountain Blue Banquets
2300 Mannheim Rd,
Des Plaines, IL 60018

TICKET: $125.00

Celebrate the light of our parish community at an unforgettable evening of faith, fellowship, dining, and joyful celebration. Gather with family and friends as we come together to support the mission of Queen of Peace Parish. Reserve your tickets today, and we look forward to celebrating with you!

Together, let's make this an evening where All Is Bright!

For gala inquiries, please contact 773-775-6659

Tickets are available for purchase at the Queen of Peace Parish Office



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Mission Statement
St. Eugene School prepares and inspires students to achieve their full potential and lead meaningful lives, grounded in the teachings of our Catholic faith.

Vision
To be celebrated as a school where we recognize and celebrate the uniqueness of each child, which is affirmed through our instructional strategies, methods, and materials utilized to promote the continuous academic, spiritual, moral, emotional, and physical development of the whole child.

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THE FRIENDSHIP CLUB

THE FRIENDSHIP CLUB IS BACK!
The Friendship Club will be meeting on Tuesday, **Sep. 8, 2026 at 11:00am.** Our doors will open at 10:00am to welcome all our members and any men and women 55 years and older who would like to join us for a delicious $10.00 lunch, a raffle drawing of 3 tickets for $1.00 & Bingo Cards for $1.00 each. Membership is $20.00 for Sep., 2026 to June, 2027 and we meet the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month in the Hayes Center of Our Lady, Mother of the Church. Parking is available in the back of the church in the south parking lot. Our lunch will be pizza, salad, and ice cream for dessert. After lunch, Bingo will be played. We look forward to seeing you there. Please contact Debra at dltimmreck@gmail.com or call 773-398-4472 if you have any questions.

The trip to Four Winds Casino in New Buffalo, Michigan on Wed., **Oct. 7, 2026.** The cost of the trip will be $36.00. The bus will leave the south parking lot of Our Lady, Mother of the Church at 9:00 and return about 5:00. Any questions, please call Valerie at 708-453-6034.

The Friendship Club is going on an adventure on Sunday, **December 20, 2026**. The bus will leave the south parking lot of Our Lady, Mother of the Church at 12:00 and return at approximately 4:00. We will be traveling to Lake Zurich to see The Real Story of Christmas - the entire life of Jesus from manger to resurrection a Shepherd who saw it all. You will be transported back in time to Bethlehem for the very first Christmas. Cost of the trip is $72.00. For more information and to make a reservation, please call Debbie at 773-631-6330.



Bible Study

Please join us on Wednesdays in St. Eugene School-room 110 from 10:00am to 12:00pm. Questions or comments please feel free to email Frank at fjlizak@comcast.net
Hope to see you there!



Bulletin Submissions

Bulletin requests must be sent 2 weeks prior to the desired bulletin weekend to mgeurtsen@archchicago.org. We reserve the right to edit. Submissions will be placed in the bulletin if space allows and pending administration approval. Please call the parish office for the holiday schedule. Thank you.

Religious Education Program

Please contact St. Eugene School at 773-763-2235 for information about our Religious Education Program or go to the school website and click on the Religious Education Tab to read or register your child.

Please contact the Rectory Office for:

- Information about Sacraments of Baptism (Parents requesting Baptism for their child at Queen of Peace must be registered and active members of the Parish), Marriage, Anointing of the Sick, Funerals.
- Order of Christian Initiation (OCIA)
- Request sacramental records such as baptism, confirmation, marriage, or other certificates.
- To register as a new parishioner.
- To schedule a Mass intention (Mass Intentions can be scheduled only in person at the rectory office).
- Make a donation or set up financial support options
- Get general information like office hours, event schedules, or directions to the church facilities.

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CHICAGO FILM PREMIERE: "TOLTON: FROM SLAVE TO PRIEST"



Monday, September 28 - 7:00pm
Athenaeum Center
2937 N. Southport

"suggested $20 donation"
"donations will go toward Tolton canonization cause"

Details on "Athenaeum Center website"
https://athenaeumcenter.org/events/2026/tolton-from-slave-to-priest-chicago-premiere/



Pat Apida
Annabella Amato
Ralph J. Amelio & Victoria Amelio
Patricia Basili
Judy Bauer
Don Bellisario
Ludwika Bialo
Bronislaw Bialo
V. Bischof
Gabriella Bongiorno
Frank Bucaro
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STEWARDSHIP

08/23/2026

4:30pm SE	$2,639.00
8:30am SE	$2,692.00
10:00am OLMC	$2,257.00
11:30am SE	$2,570.00
Online Collection	$2,693.01
Mail	$2,239.00
Sunday Total	**$15,090.01**

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August 30
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Sept 19th & 20th

AT ST. EUGENE & OLMC CHURCHES AFTER EACH MASS

The Knights of Columbus will be selling Tootsie Rolls after Masses the weekend of Sept. 19th & 20th at OLMC & St. Eugene Churches.
This fundraiser will help people with intellectual disabilities
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IN OUR HEARTS THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

† Paolo Barone
† Francisco Fini
† Giovanni Scianna
† Antonina Greco



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Welcome newly Baptized



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The World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation is Tuesday, September 1, and it is also the beginning of the Season of Creation, which runs through October 4. Pope Leo XIV's September prayer intention is for the care of water. "Let us pray for a just and sustainable management of water, a vital resource, so that everyone my have equal access to it." Please pray a Rosary this week for the Pope and his September prayer intention, the care of water.

Living Water
Season of Creation 2026
Immersion in Living Water
EZEKIEL 47:9, 12

Rosary Guild members are Emily A., Lori G., James H., John I., Lita J., Evelyn K., Terri K., Lonnie M., Mary M., Ted M., Josephine N., Emilie P., Stefania P., Jean R., Demi S., and Shirley S.



LIVING ROSARY

Please pray a decade of the Rosary each day for the triumph of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, which is for the glory of the Most Holy Trinity, and in honor of St. Philomena, patron of the Living Rosary.

Joyful Mysteries:
Annunciation - Lori G.
Visitation - Barb R.
Nativity - Josephine N.
Presentation - Karen R.
Finding the Temple - Mary M.

Luminous Mysteries
Baptism of Jesus - Barb R.
Wedding at Cana - Mary M.
Proclaim the Kingdom - Terri K.
Transfiguration - Emily A.
Institution of Eucharist - Emily A.

Sorrowful Mysteries
Agony in the Garden - Jean R.
Scourging at the Pillar - Jean R.
Crowning with Thorns - Mary M.
Carrying of the Cross - Mary M.
Crucifixion - Demi S.

Glorious Mysteries
Resurrection - Lita J.
Ascension - Marsha G.
Descent of Spirit - Terri K.
Assumption - Camille C.
Coronation - Camille C.

BOY SCOUT TROOP 943 EAGLE PROJECT
SOCK AND HYGIENE DRIVE

Help Homeless Men and Women Veterans by Donating these New Items

Collecting August 17th – September 8th

My name is Noah Sokolowski from Boy Scout Troop 943 out of St. Monica Church. I am a junior at Ridgewood High School and have been scouting for eight years. I am working with VFW Post 8322 at 6940 W. Diversey Ave. to help collect supplies for homeless veterans. I picked this Sock and Hygiene drive to help people who are in need and don't have the means to get some basic necessities. I feel it is a need to help Veterans who have helped our country and giving back to them. Your help would be appreciated for me to achieve my Eagle rank and help homeless Veterans.





















DATES, TIMES, LOCATION

Sep. 10 - Oct. 29, 2026
Thursdays at 6:30pm
St. Eugene Church

COST & REGISTRATION

$40 for workbook and streaming.
Cash or check. Please make a check to Queen of Peace Parish.
To register, please come to the Rectory Office and fill out the registration form.

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SHARING BETWEEN STORMS

The weather this Summer has not made outdoor activities easy. But on Tuesday, August 11, the team at St. Eulalia's Quinn Center managed to pull off their grocery distribution between storms. One hundred fourteen (114) families, representing approximately 520 people, cycled through the St. Eulalia parking lot to receive groceries and bagged suppers.

The previous Sunday, our Queen of Peace team assembled to pack groceries. Summer activities left us with fewer people available than usual, but nothing can stop this group. In an hour and a half, they still managed to shelve groceries, organize the process, pack 100 bags, and clean up. Whew!

And they'll get to do it again **on August 30**. The normal bagging date would have fallen on Labor Day Sunday, so bagging was scheduled for a week earlier, August 30. If you're interested in helping, you can contact Jan Magnuson at 312-806-7210 or at jan7744@comcast.net or just join us at Door 4 in the St. Eulalia parking lot at 2:00.

The generosity of Queen of Peace parishioners is what makes this possible. We believe in giving time, talent and treasure to God and in service to others; that's what's happening here. Not everyone can load and pack groceries, and that's okay. The ability to share financial resources varies; that, too, is okay. But everyone can do something, including praying for the people delivering the groceries and for the people receiving them. And that is most definitely much more than okay. The people of the Maywood area are most grateful for your support – and to God for holding off the rain!

If you'd like to join us, meet at Door 4 in the St. Eulalia Quinn Center parking lot at 2:00 pm on Sunday, August 30. Spend an hour doing, as St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta says, "small things with great love."

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- February 26-28, '27 Milwaukee, WI
- March 19-21,'27 Joliet, IL
- April 9-11,'27 Eagan, MN
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WALKING CLUB

Come join us for a 30-45 minute walk after the 8:30am Mass at St. Eugene Church on Saturday mornings. Whether you are looking to get a little extra exercise, enjoy the outdoors, or simply catch up with fellow parishioners, this group is for you! It's open to all fitness levels, all ages, and no marathon training required. Any questions, please contact Jodi at jod26@comcast.net.





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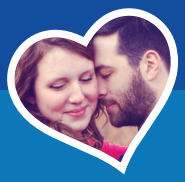
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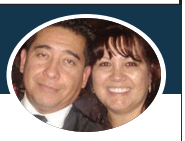
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