


SAINT MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH



SUNDAY, MAY 21, 2023

7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Jesus raised his eyes to heaven and said, "Father, the hour has come. Give glory to your son, so that your son may glorify you." - Jn 17:1

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THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS IS OFFERED:**DAILY MASS**

8:00 a.m. Monday through Saturday, June - August
7:30 a.m. Wednesday from start of school year until May*

SCHOOL MASS

8:30 a.m. from start of school year until May*

**In the event of our school closing for inclement weather, on a Wednesday, Daily Mass will remain at 7:30 a.m. and the School Mass at 8:30 a.m. will be cancelled.*

***SATURDAY VIGIL MASS**

5:00 p.m.

***SUNDAY MASSES**

8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 6:00 p.m.

THE PARISH OFFICE IS OPEN - DOOR #3**OFFICE HOURS:**

MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY
9:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.

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DEVOTIONS:**DAILY ROSARY**

7:30 a.m.

8:00 a.m. on Wednesdays from the start of the school year until May

7:00 p.m. Wednesday Evenings

DAILY DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET; INFANT JESUS OF PRAGUE

8:30 a.m.

8:00 a.m. on Wednesdays from the start of the school year until May

ADORATION

Perpetual Adoration available at Old St. Mary.
Please contact the Parish Office for the code.

RECONCILIATION/CONFESSIONS:

Saturdays 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. in the chapel
First Saturdays 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

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RCIA - Interested in becoming Catholic? Please contact the Director of Faith Formation at 708-326-9313.

BAPTISMS - Baptisms are usually scheduled the first and third Sunday of the month at 12:15 p.m. following 11:00 a.m. Mass. Please contact the parish office to make arrangements for the baptismal preparation class.

MARRIAGES - Weddings need to be scheduled at least 6 months in advance upon approval of a priest. Remember to secure the church date before the reception hall. Please stop in the parish office to begin this process.

REGISTRATION - New to St. Mary? Please stop in the parish office to complete our registration form or visit our website at www.stmarymokena.org.

ANointing OF THE SICK - Please contact the parish office at 708-326-9300.

Seventh Sunday of Easter

Monday, May 22

7:30 a.m. Rosary (Church)
8:00 a.m. Mass (Church)
8:30 a.m. Divine Mercy Chaplet (Church)
6:00 p.m. 8th grade Graduation Mass (Church)

Tuesday, May 23

7:30 a.m. Rosary (Church)
8:00 a.m. Mass (Church)
8:30 a.m. Divine Mercy Chaplet (Church)
10:00a.m. Preschool Celebration (Church)
7:00 p.m. K of C Officer Meeting (Fatima)
7:00 p.m. Bereavement Support (Bishop Room)

Wednesday, May 24

5:00 a.m. Fit Shepherds (Church Grounds)
7:30 a.m. Mass (Church)
8:30a.m. School Mass (Church)
10:00a.m. Calendar Meeting (Lourdes)
2:00 p.m. Daybreak Cooking (Kitchen)
3:30 p.m. Children's Choir Practice (Church)
6:30 p.m. Adult Choir Practice (Church)
7:00 p.m. Women's Book Club (Lourdes)

Thursday, May 25

7:30 a.m. Rosary (Church)
8:00 a.m. Mass (Church)
8:00 a.m. World's Fair Set Up (Church Hall All)
8:30 a.m. Divine Mercy Chaplet (Church)
6:00 p.m. Wedding Rehearsal (Church)
6:30 p.m. 5th Grade World's Fair (Church Hall All)
7:00 p.m. Women's Welcome Meeting

Friday, May 26

7:30 a.m. Rosary (Church)
8:00 a.m. Mass
8:30 a.m. Divine Mercy Chaplet (Church)
3:30 p.m. Wedding (Church)
6:00 p.m. Wedding Rehearsal (Church)

Saturday, May 27

7:00 a.m. Fit Shepherds (Church Grounds)
8:00 a.m. Mass (Church)
8:00 a.m. Women's Ministry (Guadalupe)
1:30 p.m. Wedding (Church)
3:30 p.m. Confessions (Church)
5:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, May 28

8:00 a.m. Mass (Church)
9:30 a.m. Mass (Church)
11:00a.m. Mass (Church)
12:30p.m. Baptisms (Church)
12:30p.m. Baptismal Prep
3:30 p.m. Missionaries of Apostolic Grace (Fatima)
6:00 p.m. Mass (Church)



Marriage Banns

May 20th
Michael Distasio
and Lindsey Zolp

May 26th
Joseph Nowak and
Melissa Popovits

May 27th
Bruce Weldon and
Bridget Curtin

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REBUILDING GOD'S HOUSE

WITH GENEROSITY & JOY

Why Are There Liturgical Cycles?
Does the Church Have Different Liturgical Cycles?

Question: Why



Answer: While most Catholics know that the Church Year is divided into various seasons (e.g. Advent, Christmas, Ordinary Time, etc.), many are unaware that the one Church Year is not like the one that follows. While the main seasons and feasts are the same from year to year, the 3-year cycle for Sundays and the 2-year cycle for weekdays means that, as a general rule, the readings in the Lectionary that we hear at Mass will change from year to year, helping us to have a richer encounter with Sacred Scripture. Each new cycle begins with the beginning of the liturgical year, the First Sunday of Advent.

The reasoning behind this innovation is outlined in Sacrosanctum Concilium, the “Dogmatic Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy” of the Second Vatican Council: “The treasures of the bible are to be opened up more lavishly, so that richer fare may be provided for the faithful at the table of God's word. In this way a more representative portion of the holy scriptures will be read to the people in the course of a prescribed number of years” (no. 51). This was fully achieved in 1969 when the new cycles of readings were approved by Pope Saint Paul VI. ©LPi

Peace and all good things,

Father Dindo

May 27 - May 28: Pentecost Sunday

	Saturday, 5:00 PM	Sunday, 8:00 AM	Sunday, 9:30 AM	Sunday, 11:00 AM	Sunday, 6:00 PM
Lector	Sue Mahns	Antoinette Bria Kathy Mihalek	David LaMonte Sr. Stan Nowak	Roberta Dreifke	James Nowak
Eucharistic Minister	Mary Ann Braasch Karen Gordon Bob Gombas Lora Oldham	Robert Rafferty Susan Rizzo Nancy Santry Stefanie Walthier	Joe Austin Frank Grobmeier Joe Hartl Pamela Sanders	Mike Crowley Sarah Halm-Lutterodt Kathy Judge Patti Pertchi	Karen Haugh James Nowak Kathleen Rowe
Altar Server	Charlotte Barron Cailyn Carlson Charleigh Widelski Scarlett Widelski	Danielle Cullen David Heitman Ivy Mroz NOT FILLED	Kate Coyle Hazel Dilger June Fulton Max Giannakas	Stefanie Banner Josh Barger Hayden Griebel Emmy Skotnicki	Ellie Hartwell Ryleigh Hartwell McQuillan NOT FILLED
Usher	Mary Ann Braasch Jim Grady Mark Miron James Palermo	Chris Cichowicz Rich Gavillet Tom Magdziasz Roy Mueller	John Delladio Joanne Eaton Joanette Kulesa Jim Kulesa Diane Mucia	William Farhat David Larson Sandra Tome Gladys Weber	Melissa Rolinitis Mike Rolinitis NOT FILLED NOT FILLED
Greeter	NOT FILLED	Joan Aust	NOT FILLED	NOT FILLED	NOT FILLED
Live Stream			Eugene Satrun		

Serving God as an Altar Server is a wonderful way for a child to grow in faith as well as in responsibility, friendship, and other virtues. At St. Mary, we are blessed with an amazing team of Altar Servers. We thank you for giving up your time to serve the Lord and St. Mary. We also thank our wonderful team of Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Ushers and Greeters for their dedication and outstanding service.

Mass Intentions

Monday, May 22

8:00am: Lila White

Tuesday, May 23

8:00am: Kathryn McKeough, Joseph Kelso, Pat and Dick Urchell, Jim Finn, Gayal Home, The Parishioners of St. Mary

Wednesday, May 24

7:30am: Patricia Rohrer and Peter Franckus

8:30am: Barlog Stefania

Thursday, May 25

8:00am: Mary Matul

Friday, May 26

8:00am: Rafaela Flores

Saturday, May 27

8:00am: Catherine Costello Miller

5:00pm: Anthony and Francis Dodaro, The Reid Family, Paul Novotny, Charlie Keenan, Dru Worker, Pat Budzyn, Jenny Primoizic

Sunday, May 28

8:00am: Elizabeth Prindle Conover

9:30am: Shirley Lyons

11:00am: Patricia Barthel

6:00pm: Jan Jachymiak

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Dan Albrecht, Brett Anderson, Joe, Austin, Ann Beranek, Lisa Bernhard, Florence and Gino Bondi, Agnes Breslin, Alan Brown, Darlene Broadhurst, Jerry Broadhurst, Rachel Butler, Brian Butler, Francis Bulow, Michael Carey, Monica DiGiovanni, Janice Dobek, Janet Dobrick, Joanne Eaton, Susan Ewert, Vincent Felice, Barb Finn-Figliulo, Bradley Frank, Mary Ann Franson, MaryAnne Flanagan, Debbie Geren, Bonnie Gondek, Richard Grabenhofer, Jerry Grabowski, Rose Grunhard, Kelly Hampton, Natalie Haran, Jeremiah Hartmann, Mary Ingala, Daniel Izzo, Richard Junge, Les Kazmierczak, Sherley Keene, Robert Klimkowski, Richard Kolovitz, Fr. Roger Kutzner, Carlotta Lawton, Liz Leech, Jennifer Naril, Dan Lahy, Alice Lesnik, Chet Lockwood, Vernadine Lumpkin, Walter Lumpkin, Shirley Lyons, Robert Margalus, Donna Matteson, Jeanne Matug, Bill Maynard, Heidi Meekma, Janice Melisi, Marge Migler, Rich Milkeris, Angel Munoz, Lisa Hunt Nichols, Barb Noone, Geraldine Nykaza, Kenneth O'Gradney, Edward Olenick, Bruce Omastak, Lorraine Peppmuller, Thomas O'Rourke, Matthew Orr, Bob, Podlasek, Janelle Portman, Eileen Redican, Eduardo Reyes, Michael Rinke, George Rohrer, Judy Roque, Barbara Rusin, Midge Saunders, William Schlieman, Dan and Brenda Schmiedel, Diane Schoneich, Katherine Shanahan, Barbara Smith, Brandon Smith, Jan Smith, Al Sparks, John Stapinski, Geoffrey Sullivan, Joshua Swarez, Victor, Tamosaitis, Tiffany Theresa, Dave Thompson, John Turas, Judy Turas, Anne Wadsworth, Leo Wilczek, Tim Weber, Jodie Weber, Jonathan Weber, Dan Wolf, Sarah Wolf, Jerry Wolff, Karen Yaeger

May God grant them healing!



Saint of the Week

Servant of God Fr. Emil Kapaun was an American military chaplain who served heroically on the battlefield as well as inside of a POW camp in North Korea until his death. While a POW, he cared for other prisoners bodily with stolen food and medicine, and spiritually as a priest.

God Bless Our New Parishioners

The Daniel Malone Family,
The Troy Payton Family



**Please pray for our Faithfully
departed Brothers and Sisters**

James Gorecki

*Eternal rest grant unto them and let
perpetual light shine upon them!*





Women and Men of all ages are invited to join us on

**Saturday,
June 24**

8am Mass-10:30 am

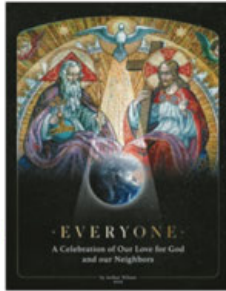
Our own SMP Parishioner

Art Wilson

will be speaking about his new book,
*Everyone: A Celebration of Our Love for
God and Our Neighbors*

Art will be providing copies of his book to those who attend.

Breakfast served--RSVPs encouraged!
SMPmensministry@gmail.com



FIT SHEPHERDS

CALLING ALL MEN!!!!

Get stronger, grow in holiness, become a Fit Shepherd.

Join your fellow brothers Wednesdays at 5:00 AM and Saturdays at 7:00 AM in the St. Mary parking lot for an outdoor workout and brief reflection. All fitness levels are welcome; modifications are provided.

Any questions, please contact Patrick Fulton
(pmlfulton@hotmail.com)



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Please prayerfully consider financially supporting our parish.

We depend on your support to continue the operations of St. Mary as well as those of its many ministries. We ask that you consider supporting the parish through Online Giving.

For those not currently contributing online and would like to learn how to, please consider signing up at

<https://www.osvhub.com/stmarymokena/funds> .

By doing this, you are saving and supporting the great work we have done and will continue to do in our future.

For those of us that do not want to give online, you can still contribute by mailing your donations to:

19515 S. 115th Avenue
Mokena, IL 60448

The Offertory for Sunday, May 14th was

Online Giving	\$10,952.15
Envelopes	<u>\$17,454.08</u>
	\$28,406.23

Budget \$32,500
Thank you for your generosity.

Worship & Meditation

Readings for the week of May 21, 2023

Sunday:

Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 (6)/Eph 1:17-23/Mt 28:16-20

Seventh Sunday of Easter: Acts 1:12-14/
Ps 27:1, 4, 7-8 (13)/1 Pt 4:13-16/Jn 17:1-11a

Monday:

Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab/
Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday:

Acts 20:17-27/Ps 68:10-11, 20-21/Jn 17:1-11a

Wednesday:

Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a,
35bc-36ab/Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday:

Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8,
9-10, 11/Jn 17:20-26

Friday:

Acts 25:13b-21/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab/
Jn 21:15-19

Saturday:

Morning: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4, 5
and 7/Jn 21:20-25

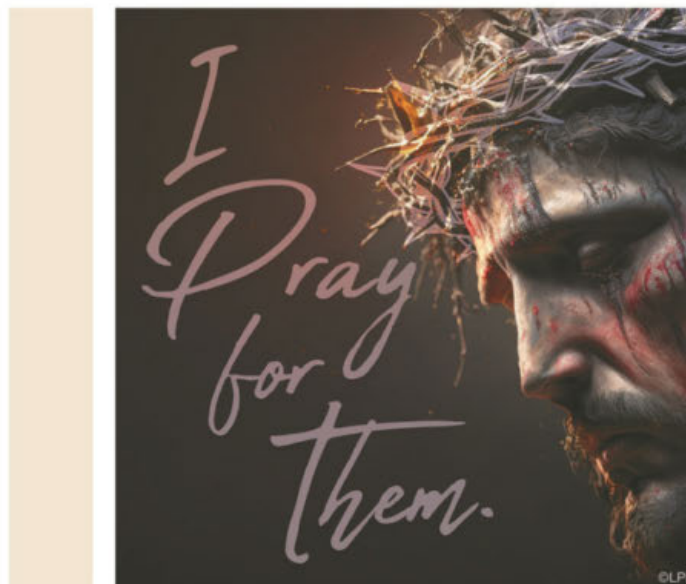
Next Sunday:

Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or
Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35,
27-28, 29, 30 (see 30)/Rom 8:22-27/Jn
7:37-39

Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-
20b/Ez 37:1-14/Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35,
27-28, 29, 30 (see 30)/Rom 8:22-27/Jn
7:37-39

Day: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34
(see 30)/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/Jn 20:19-23

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Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

Traditionally, the four writers of the Gospels are symbolized by four creatures that make their way into Church art and architecture: Matthew, an angel; Mark, a lion; Luke, an ox; and John, an eagle. These images can be found in churches across the world, a nod to those who recorded the stories of Jesus for us, thousands of years ago.

Today's Gospel was written by John. There are a few reasons why John is symbolized by an eagle, but my favorite explanation is that his writings soar like an eagle into the sky with their beautiful, poetic language. The prayer we hear today is no different — Jesus invokes God in a long discourse that might seem mystifying at times, the same way that a poem can be perplexing to understand when we are unfamiliar with the pacing or format.

Consider holding onto the shortest sentence in this prayer: "I pray for them."

Jesus prays for us. For me. For you.

Let that sink deep into your being.

Jesus is on your side. He is aware of what you are holding at this moment. He is aware of your pain, your faith, your mission. And He's rooting for you. This prayer was recorded thousands of years ago, far before you were born. Since before you were born, you were held in prayer. With that certainty, we live.

— Father John Muir

Novena to the Holy Spirit begins Friday, May 19th up to Pentecost



To celebrate Pentecost, the descent of the Holy Spirit on the Church, we are going to pray the Holy Spirit Novena! It is a powerful and moving novena that is meant to help us open ourselves up to the third person of the Holy Trinity. Even though we pray this novena as a preparation for the feast of Pentecost, you can also pray a novena to the Holy Spirit any time that you want.

So, let us pray with great confidence and trust in our God who is all Good and Loving. Here are the novena prayers for the Novena to the Holy Spirit that we will be praying together for Pentecost!

Read more at: <https://www.praymorenovenas.com/novena-to-the-holy-spirit>

All are welcome!

**Ordination of Alex Lorang
Saturday May 20, 11:00 a.m.
Cathedral of St. Raymond in Joliet**

**St. Mary's is honored to have
Alex Lorang here to celebrate his
first Mass on May 21 at 11:00 am.**

Please join us!

**A celebration reception will be
held in the church hall
immediately following the Mass.**



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DEACONS
AS THEY PREPARE FOR THEIR
ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD
ON MAY 20, 2023
AT THE CATHEDRAL OF ST. RAYMOND



DEACON
JEREMY LEGANSKI



DEACON
ALEXANDER LORANG



DEACON
FRANK PUSATERI



DEACON
JARED RUTNICKI

The ordination will be livestreamed at 11:00 am at:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SMD9myDELXA>

BELONG=

A Retreat for Catholic Young Adults

Everyone ages 18-40 is invited to a day of reflection on living your Catholic faith in a secular world. Enjoy talks on this topic, the chance to make connections with other young Catholics, time in Adoration, and more!

Hosted by L'Alto Young Adult Network and Notre Dame Young Adults

SATURDAY, JUNE 3RD, 2023

Mt. Assisi Retreat Center,
13820 Main St., Lemont

\$30/PERSON

9:30am Mass (optional)

Retreat begins with light breakfast at 10am

Talks by Fr. Brian Geary and Megan Murray

Lunch Included, Ends at 3pm

Limited Capacity! Register today at www.stmarymokena.org/belong

Please register by May 27.

Questions? Contact dkuboushek@stmarymokena.org or ndyoungadultgroup@gmail.com



Homeschool Meetup

Come meet other St. Mary's homeschooling moms and discuss how to continue connecting in the future!

Wednesday, June 14th at 7:00 PM
St. Mary Church Hall

Email
dkuboushek@gmail.com
if you can't be there but
are interested in
connecting with other
homeschooling families!



Meet other families at:

STAY AND PLAY

Sunday, June 11th

Following 9:30 a.m. Mass

Willowview Park

(weather permitting)

Coffee and snacks provided.



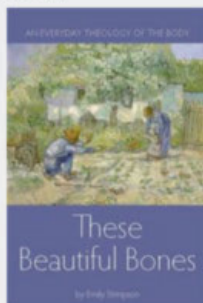
Women's Book Club

These Beautiful Bones: An Everyday Theology of the Body

BY EMILY STIMPSON

Join women of all ages to
discuss this insightful book
which will guide us to learn
together about the beauty of
who God made us to be.

MAY 24 AT 7PM
IN THE CHURCH HALL



Please read Chapter 5 through end of the book.

Contact Marcy with any questions,
marcymarie24@gmail.com

PLEASE JOIN US FOR

Park meetups

Beginning at 10:00 am

Come when you can, leave when you must!

Friday, June 2nd

@ Willowview Park, Mokena
(after St. Mary School 9:30 dismissal)

Tuesday, June 6th

@ Jackson Creek Park, Frankfort

Monday, June 12th

@ Whisper Creek Park, Mokena

All are welcome!

Invite friends to join us!

Questions? Email
dkuboushek@stmarymokena.org



**"The loveliest masterpiece of the heart of God is the heart of a mother."
St. Therese of Lisieux**

ALL PARISHIONERS ARE INVITED!



FAMILY NIGHT



SUNDAY, MAY 21

**5:15 PM FAMILY ROSARY
6PM MASS
7PM PARTY**

**WORSHIP, MUSIC,
FOOD, FELLOWSHIP**

JOIN US AS WE CELEBRATE OUR HS SENIORS

**MAY 21 IS DONUT SUNDAY!
AFTER ALL MORNING MASSES**



"To Go" ONLY!

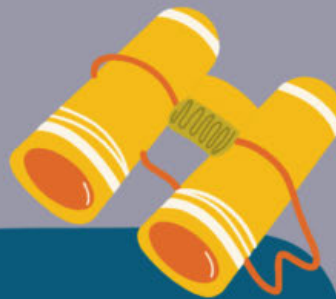
**Help our teens pay for bus
transportation to the
Steubenville Youth Conference**

St. Mary's
Parish



17-21
JULY

MOUNT CARMEL SUMMER CAMP



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!

Morning Sessions: 9:00am-2pm
Evening Sessions: 6:30pm-9:00pm

Sign up on the RE webpage at
www.stmarymokena.org







MAY CROWNING



To donate a pre-filled backpack to a child in need in Will County or make a donation, visit [CatholicCharitiesJoliet.org/back-to-school-fair-will county/](https://CatholicCharitiesJoliet.org/back-to-school-fair-will-county/)



31ST ANNUAL



Back to School Fair

Preparing students from low-income households in Will County for a successful new school year!


MONDAY, JULY 24, 2023
2:00PM - 6:00PM
ST. MARY IMMACULATE PARISH
15629 SOUTH ROUTE 59, PLAINFIELD

Participants will drive through to receive school supplies.

Online pre-registration is mandatory and begins on May 23! Please register ASAP as supplies are limited and registration will close once maximum number is reached.






Visit catholiccharitiesjoliet.org or use the QR code.



If you need help with the online form, please call 815-774-4663.

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Joliet is a faith-based organization providing service to people in need and calling others of good will to do the same.





DIAPER DRIVE WEEKENDS: JUNE 17 & 18 JUNE 24 & 25

HELP BABIES IN NEED

DID YOU KNOW THAT MOST CHILDCARE CENTERS, EVEN FREE AND SUBSIDIZED FACILITIES, WILL TURN AWAY A CHILD WHO ARRIVES WITHOUT A DAY'S SUPPLY OF DISPOSABLE DIAPERS?



YOU CAN HELP BY SIMPLY DONATING DIAPERS IN THE CHURCH HALL ON THESE 2 WEEKENDS. THEY WILL BE DELIVERED TO THOSE WHO NEED THEM.

(ALL SIZES BUT ESPECIALLY SIZE 5 & 6 ARE IN SHORT SUPPLY.)

THE ST. MARY PRO-LIFE COMMITTEE



Support Life
Support Babies!





The Council of Catholic Women

There will be a Board Meeting on
Wednesday, June 14th at 9:00 a.m. in the
Church Hall Fatima Room.

Congratulations to
Judy Poces
CCW Women of the Year!



The Widow and Widowers Club

Contact Marcia Frank for information about joining this
group (708) 227-8290.



The Young at Heart Senior Club



The next meeting will be **Wednesday,**
June 7th 1:00 pm – 3:00 p.m. in the
Church Hall.
Contact **Emily (708) 479-2093** or
Ann Norkus (708) 699-5018 for information.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The next Officer Meeting will be
in the Church Hall **Tuesday, May 23rd.**

The next Council Meeting will be **Tuesday, June 13th** in
the Church Hall, Guadalupe Room at 7:00 p.m.
Food and social hour will precede at
6:00 p.m. if you want to come early.
Fatima Room 7:00 p.m.

St. Mary Mokena Council 6993 Invites You

**All practicing Catholic men of the parish are invited to apply to
be a Knight – join the other Knights of the Parish**

Degree ceremony Tuesday June 13 at 7 PM in the Church Hall.
Sign-up and attend to formally become a Knight of Columbus.
The ceremony is about 25 minutes. Afterwards we will have a
shortened council business meeting for members.

Food ahead of time starting at 6 PM so come early if you like.
Otherwise plan to be there at 6:45. Dress is business casual to
suit and tie whatever you are comfort-
able with.

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