

St. Liborius Catholic Parish

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St. Boniface Catholic Church

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St. Liborius Catholic Parish

Office Hours:

Monday, Wednesday,
Thursday 8:30 AM—3:30 PM

Mass Schedule—see page 2

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 8:30 AM and 3:30 PM
Friday 7:00 AM

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday 8:30 AM—9:30 AM

St. Boniface Catholic Church

Office Hours

Tuesday 8:30 AM—3:30 PM

Mass Schedule—see page 2

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday 9:00 AM
Sunday 8:00 AM

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday 9:00 AM—10:00 AM



September 6, 2026



Give to St. Liborius Parish

Saint Liborius parish and Saint Boniface church have electronic giving. Scan the QR code with your camera and you will be taken to our electronic giving page.



Give to St. Boniface Church

Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 5, 2026

4:30 PM • St. Liborius—Frank L. & Corinne Piacenti & People of the Parish

Sunday, September 6—23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM • St. Boniface
Zofia Iwaniuk (D) *Req by Chris Hays* & People of the Parish

10:30 AM • St. Liborius
Lorraine Smith *Req by family*

12:30 PM • St. Boniface (Spanish)
For Vocations to the Priesthood

5:00 PM • St. Liborius
Dean Perozzi Jr (D) *Req by Karen Perozzi*

Monday, September 7

8:00 AM • St. Liborius—For the Dignity of Human Labor

8:30 AM • St. Boniface—*Communion service*

Tuesday, September 8—Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 AM • St. Boniface—Arlene Marston (D) *Req by Bogs family*

7:00 PM • St. Liborius—Monique Bernar (D) *Req by Dargert family*

Wednesday, September 9—St. Peter Claver

8:00 AM • St. Liborius—Mildred Dickover (D) *Req by Janie Roberts*

Thursday, September 10

8:00 AM • St. Liborius—Souls in Purgatory

8:30 AM • St. Boniface—*Communion service*

Friday, September 11

8:00 AM • St. Liborius—Joseph & Genevieve Lustig (D)

8:30 AM • St. Boniface—*Communion service*

Saturday, September 12—Most Holy Name of Mary

8:00 AM • St. Liborius—Carmel Ciscato (D) *Req by family*

4:30 PM • St. Liborius—Special intentions of Mary & Joe Volpe *Req by George Totleben*

Sunday, September 13—24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM • St. Boniface
Ron Mitchell (D) *Req by Barb Mitchell* & the People of the Parish

10:30 AM • St. Liborius
Robert Marinucci (D) *Req by Stacey Marinucci* & the People of the Parish

12:30 PM • St. Boniface (Spanish)
Souls in Purgatory

5:00 PM • St. Liborius
Audrey Paris *Req by Chuck Paris*

Scripture Readings

Sunday, September 6—23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ez 33:7-9; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Rm 13:8-10;
Mt 18:15-20

Sunday, September 13—24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sir 27:30-28:7; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12;
Rm 14:7-9; Mt 18:21-35

Liturgical Ministers

St. Boniface • September 13

Lector

Tracy Sheehan

Eucharistic Minister

Janet Burke

Ministers of the Cup

Deacon Mark Otten, John Blazeovich, Donald Domke

Altar Servers

Sherwin Jaculbe, Romina Flores

St. Liborius • September 12/13

Lector

4:30pm—Kate Cummings

10:30am—Maureen Faletti

5:00pm—Jacquie Smith

Eucharistic Minister

4:30pm—Jamie Smart, Bob Baumgartner,
Debbie Ledford, Jeanette Dargert

10:30am—Christian Jimenez, Dennis Smith,
Bertha Mpesa, Jamie Jones

5:00pm—Patty Heiss

Altar Servers

4:30pm—*Experienced volunteers needed*

10:30am—Lia Rivera & Isabella Bova

5:00pm—*Experienced volunteers needed*

Our Stewardship

Thank you for your generosity!

St. Liborius weekend of August 30, 2026:

Sunday Offertory.....\$6,393.00

Children's envelopes.....\$0

St. Boniface weekend of August 23, 2026

Sunday Offertory.....\$2,154.00

Spanish Mass.....\$500.00



From Our Pastor

Dear Parishioners of Saint Liborius parish and Saint Boniface church,

Labor Day

We may think of Labor Day as the day that we put some brats on the grill, pour a cold one and enjoy being with friends and family. Mind you, this is a noble task; however, Pope John Paul the Great had some profound teaching about honoring human labor. He wrote: "THROUGH WORK man must earn his daily bread and contribute to the continual advance of science and technology and, above all, to elevating unceasingly the cultural and moral level of the society within which he lives in community with those who belong to the same family." This is really quite beautiful. Do we regularly consider that our job must elevate unceasingly the cultural and moral level of society? Perhaps we do. Perhaps we have no idea what this means. Basically, the work we do and the way we do this work, conduct ourselves, has repercussion far beyond the manufacture of widgets. Our work...whatever it might be...is noble and sacred...if we allow it to be. Labor Day is an opportunity to take a step back and reflect on the purpose of the work we do and the best way to conduct ourselves in doing it. Are honest and fair in the way we conduct our business? Is our motivation only the bottom-line or do we take into consideration the people for whom we work, who work for us and the clients we serve. Today, this can be a challenging venture, but we, as Christians and Catholics, are asked to go the extra mile.

Labor Day Mass

You may wish to begin your Labor Day with the Holy Eucharist. We will have Mass at 8:00 am at Saint Liborius and a communion service at 8:30 am at Saint Boniface.

In Christ,

Fr. Thomas Milota

Monday, September 7 is Labor Day and a federal holiday.

Mass is at 8:00am at St. Liborius and there is a Communion service at 8:30am at St. Boniface. The parish offices are closed on Monday.

The priests, deacons and staff of St. Liborius parish and St. Boniface church wish you and your families a safe and happy Labor Day holiday!

Sacraments

Sacrament of Baptism

All parents asking for their children to be baptized must attend a Baptismal Prep class. Classes are held on the third Thursday of every month at 6:30 p.m. @ St. Liborius in the Church, with a reminder notice in the parish bulletin. If a child has already been baptized here no need to attend class again.

Please register for the class by calling the St. Liborius Parish Office at 708-754-1363. Godparents are also encouraged to attend the class. Baptisms are celebrated on Sundays immediately following the 10:30am Mass. Families and attendees of the Baptism are encouraged to attend Mass as the Baptisms will commence immediately after Mass.

Sacrament of Marriage

Marriage preparation must begin a minimum of six months prior to the actual wedding date. Contact the parish office—St. Liborius (708-754-1363) or St. Boniface (708-534-9682) to begin the process.

Anointing of the Sick

Anointing of the Sick is the sacrament that is received by those who are ill or suffering. By the sacred anointing and the prayer of the priest, the whole Church commends those who are sick to Christ.

Due to the Privacy Act, hospitals can no longer inform us when a parishioner is admitted to the hospital. A close relative needs to call either Parish Office—St. Liborius (708-754-1363) or St. Boniface (708-534-9682) to request an anointing.

Our Parish School:

Mother Teresa Catholic Academy
24201 S. Kings Rd., Crete.
Phone: 708-672-3093
www.mtcacademy.org

Mrs. Felice Hybert, Principal

All parishioners of St. Liborius / St. Boniface are invited to attend the weekly school Masses at Mother Teresa Catholic Academy on Thursdays at 9:45am when school is in session.

Upcoming School Masses:

September 3, 10, 17 & 24

Please Pray For...

John Alessia Sr., Donald Bugelli, Kathy Call, Bob Carreras, Lisa Imperio Mancari, Louise Kopaczewski, Patti Koopman, Patti Staniec, Sharon Vestal, RW,

Rest in Peace

Jared Anthony Oldendorf

Welcome!

To the following child baptized on August 30:

Emilio Ruiz

son of Fabian Ruiz and Erika Fonseca-Ruiz

To the following children who will be baptized on September 13:

Leila Elise Davis

daughter of Danny Davis and Jessica Vinci Davis

Zane August Pawlak

son of Kevin Pawlak and Megan Melby Pawlak

Evelyn Elizabeth Underwood

daughter of John Underwood and Sarah Crews Underwood



As our nation observes the 25th anniversary of 9/11, we remember and pray for all those who lost their lives in the terrorist attacks, for their families, and for all those who were affected by this horrible tragedy and for an end to acts of terrorism.



Small but Mighty Prayer Group

The Prayer Group will meet, as usual, on the 2nd Tuesday of the month ... September 8th at 9:00am in St Liborius Church. All are welcome who want to give a little more time and thought to our God.

LECTIO DIVINA

ESTUDIO BIBLICO



Cada Lunes,
empezando el
28 de
septiembre



7:00 PM



San Bonifacio
Salón Parroquial

¿Preguntas? Puede
contactar a Padre Frank en
fatherfrank@stliborius.org

Únete a nosotros
para aprender
Lectio Divina, la
antigua tradición
de rezar con las
Escrituras.



¡Celebramos **1 año** *de la Misa* **en Español!**

San Bonifacio de Monee

20 de septiembre



Convivio
después de misa



Todos están
invitados

*Acompáñanos a dar gracias a Dios
por este primer aniversario.*



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Fish Fry

DINNER

St. Liborius Catholic Church
Steger, IL

**FRIDAY,
SEPTEMBER 11,
2026 5-7PM**

**ALL YOU
CAN EAT
DINNER
INCLUDES:**

- Fried fish
- coleslaw
- mac & cheese
- french fries
- green beans
- bread & butter
- and coffee

**3440
Halsted St.
Steger, IL**

cash only please

Fish dinner (all you can eat)....	\$12
Fish dinner to go.....	\$11
Extra fish to go.....	\$3
Kid's fish dinner.....	\$5
(Ages 10 and under)	
Mac & Cheese.....	\$1
French Fries.....	\$1
Hot Dog.....	\$1
Pop/Water.....	\$1

cash only please

The Daughters
of St. Liborius offer
desserts & home baked
treats at each fish fry
to fund various
charitable
projects.





**ST. LIBORIUS/ST. BONIFACE
YOUNG ADULT GROUP**

WHAT Grow in Faith and Friendship with other young adults (ages 18-35)!

WHEN Every Tuesday after 7pm Mass (Beginning September 22nd)

WHERE St. Liborius Rectory (71 W. 35th St. Steger, IL)

 Questions? Email Fr. Frank at fatherfrank@stliborius.org

**Convivio
con Café**

Después de
misa...
quédate a
compartir un
cafecito y un
momento
agradable.



Domingo 6 de septiembre

Depués de misa

Todos son bienvenidos




<http://bit.ly/stlocia>
Sign Up Here!

OCIA
BECOMING CATHOLIC

- Classes every week Thursday at 7pm led by our priests
- Fellowship gatherings once a month Sunday morning at 9:15am followed by 10:30am Mass

For those who are looking to become Catholic or those who are already Catholic and looking to complete their sacraments

MEN OF CHRIST | JOLIET
LIVE YOUR FAITH BOLDLY

**OCT 28
2026**

CATHOLIC MAN NIGHT

TOPIC: Making room for your faith through a busy life

 **Keynote**
Mike Blackburn
Knights of Columbus
State Secretary

 **Featuring**
Dr. Ryan Hendrickson
President
University of St Francis
Joliet

Cathedral of St. Raymond | Joliet

Wednesday, October 28, 2026
5:30–8:30 pm
Dinner provided

Scan QR code to register or visit
MenOfChrist.net/Joliet



P A R O U S I A

T H E B I B L E A N D T H E M A S S

Join us for an
**INSPIRING
BIBLE STUDY**

**DISCOVER YOUR PLACE
IN THE
STORY OF SALVATION**

✠ See the liturgy in Scripture
and the Scriptures in the
liturgy

✠ Experience the Mass as
heaven on earth

✠ Learn the deeper meaning
of "Parousia"

WHAT

A 10-Week Bible Study

WHEN

Mondays at 7pm beginning
September 28

WHERE

St. Liborius Parish Hall

SIGN-UP AND QUESTIONS

Call the Parish Office at
708-754-1363 or email Fr. Frank at
fatherfrank@stliborius.org

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JOURNEYTHROUGHSCRIPTURE.COM



Make a joyful noise
unto the LORD,
all the earth!

Serve the LORD
with gladness!
Come into his presence
with singing!

Psalm 100

Rehearsals are now taking place on
Thursdays at 6:30pm
and then every Thursday unless otherwise notified.

The St. Liborius choir sings at Sunday Masses and rehearsals take place every Thursday unless otherwise notified. All voice types are needed as well as **experienced cantors!** Please come and sing with us! If you are interested or would like to find out more, please contact the Coordinator of Music, Chris Prete, at **708-420-8369** or **mcp.stliborius@gmail.com**.



Knights of Columbus

Intellectual Disabilities Fund a.k.a.

Tootsie Roll Drive

at St. Liborius Parish



**Saturday, September 19
after the 4:30pm Mass**

**& Sunday, September 20
after the 10:30am Mass**

Missed the drive, but want
to participate? Use the QR
code to donate online



Parish Bulletin deadlines:

Please send items for publication in the parish bulletin or weekly Flocknote to: connections@stliborius.org

Items must be submitted to the bulletin editor by no later than Thursday (**ten days prior to the publication date**). We reserve the right to edit or re-format content as space allows.

Acceptable formats for text are MS Word or Publisher. Images or graphics must be in jpg or png files.