

# St. Kieran Catholic Church

First Sunday of Lent  
March 5, 2017

“The Lord, your God, shall you worship  
and him alone shall you serve.”

— Matthew 4:10

## Notes from Fr. John



Today we celebrate the First Sunday of Lent. Many of us began Lent this past Wednesday with ashes on our forehead. The ashes were a visible sign that we are followers of Christ, and more importantly that we want to renew ourselves in Christ as well. On Wednesday contrasted regular house cleaning with spring cleaning. On any given day, we might straighten up, dust a bit, put things in their place and call it a day, but with spring cleaning it is a major push to take everything apart, see what has been hidden and needs to be dealt with, and then put it all back together in a better way. That is what Lent is all about. Deep, spring cleaning of our hearts and souls. We are told to rend our hearts so that we can make them better. This is the work of Lent, and our lives. When we do this, then we can stand tall knowing that we have done what God is asking of us. We pray that god will help all of us with our Lenten spring cleaning.

Throughout the season of Lent there are opportunities for reflection and prayer as we hope for change in our lives. Evening prayer is available at both St. Kieran and St. Agnes. At St. Kieran evening prayer is on Thursdays at 7:00 PM. At St. Agnes evening prayer is on Wednesday at 6:30 PM. Stations of the Cross also are available at both parishes. At St. Agnes we have Stations on Friday at 1:30 PM and at 7:00 PM. At St. Kieran the Stations are at 7:00 PM. There is a morning mass at 8:00 AM for both parishes that is celebrated at St. Kieran on Tuesdays-Friday. We also have an 8:15 mass on Thursdays at St. Agnes for the school children and parishioners. For those who are

looking for more quiet time we encourage you to sit an hour in the Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel located in the rectory of St. Agnes.

We also encourage you to do works of mercy as well. Donate food to our food drives, work the food pantry at St. Irenaeus, or volunteer at PADS. Visit someone who is sick or homebound and bring them good news and sunshine. Choose to be more forgiving, less critical and full of joy. Now is the time to be our best.

Today, Sunday March 5th St. Agnes is having their Spaghetti Dinner at the parish center on Halsted and 26th street. The Spaghetti dinner is a chance to bring the community together as well as raise money for the parish and school. The dinner begins at noon and runs until 6:00 PM. Please join us for this delicious fun-raiser. Many volunteers give their time to make this a success. A special thanks to Paul Kapocius who coordinates the kitchen and to all the school families and parishioners who set up, wait tables, clean up, bake and take down. You are a well “olive” oiled machine. Thank you!

Thanks to the St. Kieran Women’s Club for the wonderful Mardi Gras celebration last weekend. It was a fun evening of food, music, dancing and drinks. Thanks to everyone who donated prizes for the raffles. Thanks also to everyone who shared a dish or treat with the rest of us. You can’t beat a great potluck. Now we have to put away our party beads and get out our rosary beads, but thanks again for a fun evening.

Finally, Cardinal Cupich has asked us to add a bit more silence to our liturgies during the season of Lent. So, if you experience a prolonged pause at mass fill it with prayer and good thoughts.

### TODAY’S READINGS

**First Reading** — The man and the woman ate the fruit of the one tree that God had told them to avoid, and their shame overtook them (Genesis 2:7-9; 3:1-7).

**Psalm** — Be merciful, O Lord, for we have sinned (Psalm 51).

**Second Reading** — Death reigned from Adam to Moses, but now grace and life abound in Christ Jesus (Romans 5:12-19 [12, 17-19]).

**Gospel** — Jesus was led into the desert by the Spirit and there he fasted for forty days and forty nights (Matthew 4:1-11).

The English translation of the Psalm Responses from Lectionary for Mass © 1969, 1981, 1997, International Commission on English in the Liturgy Corporation. All rights reserved.

### FOR THE WEEK

**Monday:** Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mt 25:31-46

**Tuesday:** Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-7, 16-19; Mt 6:7-15

**Wednesday:** Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19;  
Lk 11:29-32

**Thursday:** Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8;  
Mt 7:7-12

**Friday:** Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-8; Mt 5:20-26

**Saturday:** Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:43-48

**Sunday:** Gn 12:1-4a; Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22;  
2 Tm 1:8b-10; Mt 17:1-9

## Parish News & Events

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February 24, 2017

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

Our faith calls us to stand in solidarity with all. We hear this call in the Gospel of Matthew, when Jesus proclaims, "Whatever you did for one of these least brothers or sisters of mine, you did for me" (Matt 25:40). We hear it in the words of Pope Francis, who invites us to build a culture of encounter: "We are called to reach out to those who find themselves living at the margins of our societies and to show particular solidarity with the most vulnerable of our brothers and sisters: the poor, the disabled, the unborn and the sick, migrants and refugees, the elderly and the young who lack employment."

In the spirit of contributing to such a culture here in the Archdiocese of Chicago, I encourage you to participate in the Catholic Relief Services (CRS) Rice Bowl program during this upcoming Lenten season. The CRS Rice Bowl program provides resources that bring the Lenten pillars of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving to life for families, parishes, and school communities.

In 2016, the Archdiocese of Chicago's generous support enabled CRS to respond to global emergencies in countries such as Columbia, Laos, Rwanda, Honduras, Madagascar, and Haiti. In addition, forty local CRS Rice Bowl grants were distributed to local parishes and organizations which helped to fight hunger and poverty within our own archdiocese. For more information about the CRS Rice Bowl program, the work of Catholic Relief Services, and additional Lenten resources, I encourage you to visit <https://pvm.archchicago.org/human-dignity-solidarity/catholic-relief-services>.

Thank you for your continued participation in the CRS Rice Bowl program. May your faith community experience a true witness of love during this year's Lenten season.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Card. Blase J. Cupich".

Cardinal Blase J. Cupich  
Archbishop of Chicago

## Parish News & Events



St. Agnes/St. Kieran Religious Education students in grades 3 thru 8, will participate in Lenten Reconciliation on Tuesday, March 7, at 6:30 p.m. at St. Agnes. All are invited to attend.

Registration for 2017-2018 Religious Education classes is now open. Please complete the attached form and return it to the St. Agnes/St. Kieran Religious Education Office as soon as possible. Many families were turned away last fall because of class size and late registration. Please ensure your child's/children's place in our program by registering them now. Registration forms have been sent home with your children, and are also available on the parish website. All current tuition and fees must be paid in full before your registration for 2017/2018 will be accepted.



### **RECYCLE RALLY & COFFEE SHOP**

**March 5**

Hope to see you there!



### **WOMEN'S CLUB BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP**

The St. Kieran Women's Club invites readers to join the book discussion of

#### **"The Summer before the War"**

by Helen Simonson

Tuesday, March 14 at 7:00 p.m.  
in the Parish Library.



### **Women's Club Mardi Gras THANK YOU!**

Whether you worked, donated, or brought your family and a dish to share, a big Thank You to all those that made this year's Marti Gras Family Potluck a huge success! We are already looking forward to next year with all our new and old friends! The funds raised at our events are instrumental for helping the St. Kieran's Women's Club fulfill our mission to support programs within the parish and throughout the community.



### **Blood Pressure Check**

After all Masses the weekend of  
**March 12**



### **St. Kieran's Women's Club Spring Bake Sale**

**Calling All Bakers!**

St. Kieran Women's Club Spring Bake Sale will take place at all masses **March 18 & 19.**

Even if you are not a woman or a member, all parishioners are invited to help out! Our volunteers will accept your baked goods wrapped for individual sale.

# Parish News & Events



**Evening Prayer**  
every Thursday during Lent  
at 7:00 p.m.



## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Please join us every  
Friday at 7:00 p.m.  
in the Church.

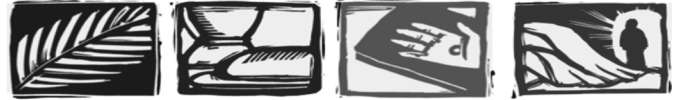


## Faith, Hope, Love

### Are you interested in becoming Ministers of Care?

St. Kieran and St. Agnes are always looking for new ministers of care! If you feel the call and are willing to volunteer, please contact Kay Ashby 708/709-2694 at the St. Agnes Rectory Office or Sandy Vasek 708/755-0074 at the St. Kieran Rectory Office.

## HOLY WEEK



## WORSHIP SCHEDULE

### Lent/Holy Week/Easter Liturgical Schedule

**Evening Prayer:** Every Thursday at 7 PM  
**Stations of the Cross:** Every Friday at 7 PM  
**Confessions:** Saturdays at 4 PM

**First Sunday of Lent:**  
March 4/5  
regular weekend Mass schedule

**Holy Thursday:**  
Morning Prayer at 8 AM  
Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7 PM

**Good Friday:**  
Morning Prayer at 8 AM  
Liturgy of the Lord's Passion at 3 PM  
Stations of the Cross at 7 PM

**Holy Saturday:**  
Morning Prayer at 9 AM  
Blessing of Baskets at 1 PM  
Easter Vigil begins at 8 PM

**Easter Sunday:**  
Masses at 8AM and 10 AM  
NO MORNING COMMUNION SERVICE ON APRIL 17

### Opportunities for Prayer, Almsgiving and Fasting

Weekday Mass Tuesday through Friday at 8 AM  
Evening Prayer every Thursday at 7 PM  
Stations of the Cross every Friday at 7 PM  
Ongoing Food Drive for Catholic Charities

Donations may be made to St. Kieran Cares, PADS, Educational Stewardship, and our Sharing Parish.



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### Lenten Regulations



Abstinence from meats is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years old and older on Ash Wednesday and on all the Fridays of Lent.

Fasting is to be observed on Ash Wednesday by all Catholics who are 18 years of age but not yet 59. Those who are bound by this may take only one full meal. Two smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to one's needs, but eating solid foods between meals is not permitted.

The special Paschal fast and abstinence are prescribed for Good Friday and encouraged for Holy Saturday.

“The season of Lent is a preparation for the celebration of Easter. The liturgy prepares the catechumens for the celebration of the paschal mystery by the several stages of Christian initiation: it also prepares the faithful, who recall their baptism and do penance in preparation for Easter.” (General Norms for the Liturgical Year, #27)

By the threefold discipline of fasting, almsgiving and prayer the church keeps Lent from Ash Wednesday until the evening of Holy Thursday. All of the faithful and the catechumens should undertake serious practice of these three traditions. Failure to observe penitential days totally or a substantial number of such days must be considered serious.

“(On) weekdays of Lent, we strongly recommend participation in daily Mass and self-imposed observances of fasting. In light of grave human needs which weigh on the Christian conscience in all seasons, we urge particularly during Lent, generosity to local, national and world programs of sharing of all things needed to translate our duty to penance into a means of implementing the right of the poor to their part of our abundance.” (U.S. Bishops statement on penitential observances, 1966.)



### Are you unable to come to Church?

For those who are unable to come to Church on a regular basis and who might like to have Holy Communion brought to them at home are asked simply to contact the business office. Our Ministers of Communion will be more than glad to keep this connection with our praying parish community happening. May our prayers and encouragement continue to go with those who need to know that they are not forgotten.



### END OF THE YEAR DONATION CERTIFICATION LETTERS

Parishioners who need a confirmation letter of their donations to St. Kieran Church over the past calendar year should complete the form below and send it to the rectory office. You may mail the form, drop it off at the rectory, or put it in the collection marked “End of Year Letter.”

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Envelope Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address (if different than the address on your envelopes): \_\_\_\_\_

Letters will be processed as they are received. Please allow at least one week for delivery. If you can, please include a self-addressed, stamped envelope to help defray the costs of mailing. Thank you for your help in this matter.

## Other News & Events



### **HOLY NAME CATHEDRAL** Saturday, April 1, 2017

Mass—7:30 p.m.

Celebrant and Homilist: Father Michael K. Trail  
Associate Pastor, St. Damian, Oak Forest, IL

Nightfever—9:00 p.m.

Night Prayer—11:30 p.m.

**ADORATION—MUSIC—RECONCILIATION**



[www.nightfeverchicago.org](http://www.nightfeverchicago.org)

## Other News & Events



### **FISH FRY!**

**St. James Church  
22400 S. Torrence Avenue  
Sauk Village, IL  
708-757-2170**

**FRIDAY'S DURING LENT:  
MARCH 3 —MARCH 10— MARCH 17  
MARCH 24—MARCH 31— APRIL 7  
5PM-7PM**

**MACARONI/CHEESE DINNER—\$7.00  
SEAFOOD SALAD—\$8.00  
FISH DINNER—\$8.00  
SHRIMP DINNER—\$8.00**

**DINNERS SERVED WITH YOUR CHOICE OF:  
MACARONI/CHEESE OR FRENCH FRIES  
COLE SLAW OR APPLE SAUCE  
BREAD AND BUTTER / BEVERAGE & DESSERT**

**CARRY OUTS AVAILABLE AT NO EXTRA CHARGE**

**NEW THIS YEAR! STOP BY AND VISIT OUR VENDORS:**

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## Other News & Events

Date: 3/16/17

Time: 7:00p.m.

### ★ Gavin Coyle in Concert at St. Joseph

Just one part of our parish celebration  
★ of our patron, St. Joseph

★  
THURSDAY,  
MARCH 16th  
7:00p.m.

*Gavin will return in March for a thrilling evening of Celtic tunes, Irish ballads, and songs from stage & screen. A freewill offering will be requested.*

★ *Gavin's CD's will be available for sale at intermission.*

★  
St. Joseph Church  
179th & Dixie Hwy.  
Homewood



### **Are you interested in becoming Ministers of Care?**

St. Lawrence O'Toole will be hosting a formation series designed for people who are interested in becoming Ministers of Care to the Sick, the homebound, and/or hospitals.

**When:** March 7, 14, 21, & 28

**Where:** St Lawrence O'Toole Parish Office or at the school building if necessary

**Time:** From 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.

These sessions will include all topics required by the Archdiocese of Chicago. Once the formation sessions are complete, those attending should then be mandated by their parish pastor and the Office for Divine Worship.

For more information or to register to these trainings please contact the St. Lawrence O'Toole Parish office to (708) 748-6090.



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### **Suffering From the Loss of a Loved One?**

Little Company of Mary Hospital, Evergreen Park, offers two support programs for those grieving the loss of a loved one through death.

**For Adults:**

**Living: When A Loved One Has Died**

Six consecutive Wednesdays, beginning

**March 15, 2017 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.**

Support groups formed specific to loss.

*Registration is required.*

For further information or registration please call the Pastoral Care Department, 708-229-5484. Monday thru Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

# Live joyfully!

retreat

**March 31- April 2, 2017**

The Sisters of Providence of Saint Mary-of-the-Woods, Indiana, invite single, Catholic women ages 18-42 to a free weekend retreat at beautiful Saint Mary-of-the-Woods.

**Come and See**  
life as a  
**Sister of Providence**  
of Saint Mary-of-the-Woods

*Deepen your prayer life.  
Focus on living joyfully  
in the day-to-day.  
And explore where*

## God

*might be calling you.*



*"... that my joy may be in you and your joy may be complete." John 15:11*

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of SAINT MARY-OF-THE-WOODS  
*Breaking boundaries, creating hope.*

Register online at [ComeandSee.SistersofProvidence.org](http://ComeandSee.SistersofProvidence.org)  
To learn more or register by phone, call or text Sister Editha Ben at 812-230-4771 or email her at [eben@spsmw.org](mailto:eben@spsmw.org)





**Our Troops**



*There are dates available throughout 2017 to purchase flowers dedicated to a loved one for the Holy Family Shrine in the Church.*

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Sgt. James R. Hibbs  
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CWO Thomas J. Seehausen

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Luke Stocker

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SSgt. Nathan Taylor

**National Guard**

SSgt. Paul LaBelle

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Kim Alexander  
Leo Alexander  
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Laurie Emroll  
Teresa Eppel  
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Pamela Jacks  
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Tom Maxwell  
Erin McCann  
Shirley Monser  
Marilyn Monteleone  
Herb Neal  
Phillip Oleksy  
Rosemarie Pagliero  
Elena Presutti  
Katie Quinn Radomski  
Marjorie V. Ringwald  
Tom Roberts  
Ron Sinclair  
Audrey Strasser  
Fran Somer  
Pat Sullivan  
Gayle Tama  
Linda Wickizek  
Dana Wittman  
Marjorie Woltman  
All First Responders

**Ministry Schedule for March 11 & 12, 2017**

	5:00 p.m.	8:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Deacons	Emil Vasek	Gene Labelle	Dave Dutko
Communion Ministers	Gina Caffarini Sue Habegger Joan Cliff Debbie Linde Barbara Fonfara Judy Longo	Natalee Cuti Charles Lofrano Kevin Deenihan Carla Lofrano Karlene Henshaw Judi Patzelt	Susan Alessandrini Gordon Moberg Dona Amadio Tom Narcissi Sandy Ciccotelli Rick Schulp
Altar Servers	Kamsi Emechebe Zachary Murphy	** Served by adult parishioners	Sofia Alessandrini Maggie Sterning
Lectors	Ida Green Joshua Shlosberg	Connie Bultema Judith Flanigan	Robert Lager Thomas Willett
Greeters	Terry Mazocca	Maura Flanigan	Julia Tigue

# Mass Intentions for the Week



## What's Happening THIS WEEK

Come Join Us!




- Monday, March 6** - Weekday  
 8:00 a.m. • Communion Service
- Tuesday, March 7** - Ss. Perpetua and Felicity  
 8:00 a.m. • Luke, Catherine, and Bob Niep, req. by the Stocker Family
- Wednesday, March 8** - St. John of God  
 8:00 a.m. • Deceased members of the Langston/Steinkirch Families, req. by Louis & Laura Steinkirch
- Thursday, March 9** - St. Frances of Rome  
 8:00 a.m. • Hank Romans, req. by the Stocker Family  
 7:00 p.m. • Lenten Evening Prayer
- Friday, March 10** - Abstinence  
 8:00 a.m. • Dorothy Szumanski, req. by Frances Wilhelm  
 7:00 p.m. • Stations of the Cross
- Saturday, March 11** - Purim (Jewish festival of the story of Esther) begins at sunset  
 9:00 a.m. • Communion Service  
 5:00 p.m. • Dolores Panici, req. by her family  
 • Deceased members and friends of the Sobut/Capps Families, req. by Louis Capps  
 • Deceased members of the Vasek/Seehausen Families, req. by Emil & Sandy Vasek  
 • Rose DalDegan, req. by her husband
- Sunday, March 12** - Second Sunday of Lent; Daylight Saving Time begins; Girl Scouting Sunday  
 8:00 a.m. • James, Clara, and Rose Neal, req. by Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Neal  
 10:00 a.m. • Ramon Rivera, req. by the Rivera Family  
 • Terry Brooks, req. by Clara Brooks and her children



**Don't forget to set the clocks ahead one hour at 2a.m. next Sunday.**

- Monday, March 6**  
 8:00 a.m. Communion Service (C)  
 3:30 p.m. St. Agnes Soccer (Football Field)  
 5:00 p.m. St. Agnes Athletics (H) to 9 PM
- Tuesday, March 7**  
 8:00 a.m. Daily Mass (C)  
 3:30 p.m. St. Agnes Soccer (FF)
- Wednesday, March 8**  
 8:00 a.m. Daily Mass (C)  
 3:30 p.m. St. Agnes Soccer (FF)  
 5:00 p.m. St. Agnes Athletics (H) to 9 PM
- Thursday, March 9**  
 8:00 a.m. Daily Mass (C)  
 12:30 p.m. Bible Study (L) to 2 PM  
 3:30 p.m. St. Agnes Soccer (FF) to 6:30 PM  
 6:30 p.m. Our Lady of Sorrows Novena (Chapel)  
 7:00 p.m. Lenten Evening Prayer (C) follows by Choir Practice  
 7:00 p.m. Glenwood Adult Basketball League (H)
- Friday, March 10**  
 8:00 a.m. Daily Mass (C)  
 3:30 p.m. St. Agnes Soccer (FF)  
 5:00 p.m. St. Agnes Athletics (H) to 9 PM  
 7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross (C)
- Saturday, March 11**  
 9:00 a.m. Communion Service (C)  
 9:00 p.m. St. Agnes Athletics (H) to 1 PM  
 3:30 p.m. St. Agnes Soccer (Football Field)  
 2:00 p.m. Glenwood Adult Basketball League (H)  
 4:00 p.m. Confessions (C)  
 5:00 p.m. Anticipated Mass (C)  
*Blood Pressure Checks after all Masses*
- Sunday, March 12**  
 8:00 a.m. Sunday Mass (C)  
 10:00 a.m. Sunday Mass (C)  
*Blood Pressure Checks after all Masses*

### February Collection



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Sunday Collection	\$	\$23,236.62
Building Fund	\$	1,810.00
Educational Stewardship	\$	192.00
Sharing Parish	\$	200.00

### Holy Father's Prayer Intentions for March 2017

**Evangelization:** Support for Persecuted Christians

That persecuted Christians may be supported by the prayers and material help of the whole Church.

# St. Kieran Catholic Church

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Visit our Website at [www.stkieranchurch.org](http://www.stkieranchurch.org)



## Parish Mission Statement:

St. Kieran Parish is a Catholic community within the Archdiocese of Chicago. Empowered by the Holy Spirit, nourished by Scripture and Sacrament, we are called by Christ to become disciples and stewards. Through worship, fellowship, catechesis, and service to all God's children, we embrace our Lord's challenge to live as family and be his witnesses, beginning here in Chicago Heights.

## Parish Staff:

Rev. John Siemianowski, Pastor

Rev. Thomas Kasputis, Associate Pastor

Rev. William O'Mara, Resident Associate

Deacon Eugene Labelle, Senior Deacon

Deacon David Dutko

Deacon Emil Vasek

**Weekend Masses are celebrated Saturdays at 5 PM; Sundays at 8 AM and 10 AM**

**Weekday Masses are celebrated Tuesday through Friday at 8:00 a.m.**

**Communion Services are celebrated on Mondays at 8:00 a.m. and on Saturdays at 9:00 a.m.**

**The Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated on Saturdays at 4:00 p.m.**

## Rectory Office, 708/755-0074:

Hours of Operation: 9 AM to 3 PM (Monday–Thursday)

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## Religious Education Office, located at St. Agnes, 708/754-0713

Teri Klopp, Coordinator, [stk-reoffice@comcast.net](mailto:stk-reoffice@comcast.net)

Aline Keith, Coordinator, [alonestagnes@gmail.com](mailto:alonestagnes@gmail.com)

## Director of Music:

Mrs. Joanne Rossbach, 708/755-0074

## Parish Ministries:

**Knights of Columbus:** Keith Betton, 708/699-0130 Visit our website: [www.knights997.org](http://www.knights997.org)

## **SACRAMENTAL/IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:** Contact the Rectory Office to make arrangements. Regular Baptismal Sundays are the first and third Sundays of the month at 11:30 a.m.

**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:** Contact the Rectory Office at least six month prior to date of marriage.

**SACRAMENT OF EUCHARIST TO THE HOMEBOUND:** Please contact the Rectory Office to set-up visits.

**ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION:** For adults who wish to know more about the Roman Catholic faith, please contact the Rectory Office and the Director of Religious Education will contact you.

**NEW PARISHIONERS:** To become a member, please contact the Rectory Office for a registration form.

**BULLETIN/PARISH CALENDAR:** Bulletin information should be submitted by email to the Bulletin Editor. Contact the Office Manager for arrangements to use parish facilities.

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