

St. Kieran Catholic Church

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 8, 2017

Have no anxiety at all, but in everything,
by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your
requests known to God.

— *Philippians 4:6*

Notes from Fr. John



Today we celebrate the Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time. We have two stories about vineyards in today's readings from Scripture. The first from Isaiah tells of a vineyard owner who did every thing possible to make his vineyard a success, but in the end, there was only wild grapes. Since the fields don't produce, he destroys the vines and leaves the fields to other purposes. In the Gospel the story is similar. The owner leaves his fields to servants to care for it and produce a crop for the owner. They decide they want it for themselves and choose to go against the owner. In the end the owner destroys the wicked servants. In both stories the owner of the vineyards is God. We are the servants. If we don't produce or do God's will evil will befall us. If we have ears we need to listen.

On October 26, 2017, at 7:00 PM we will be hosting a second evening on Social Justice and the Church sponsored by St. Agnes, St. Kieran and St. Iraneus parishes. The first evening dealt with the issues around immigration and the building of a wall at our southern border. We watched a video entitled "Gospel Without Borders". In it we were reminded about Jesus' words and actions concerning treatment of those who are alien, foreigners, or refugees in our land. They are to be treated as brothers and sisters. In choosing the topic for the October 26th evening we once again will go back to immigration because it continues to be in the public forum. This time we will discuss the "dreamers" and "DACA", the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals. About 800,000 individuals have received "dreamer" status to date. These are children and young adults who were brought to the United States by their parents and had no choice in the matter. They do not have legal documentation, but have lived their whole life in our country. They are now being told to prepare to go home. But the only home they know is the United States. They are our neighbors, parishioners and friends. They have gone to our schools and

have served in our military. They have met strict criteria to have received "dreamer" status. We owe it to them and to ourselves as followers of Jesus to know and understand who they are and what our government is proposing to do with them. The Scripture this week is pretty clear. We are called to follow the master! Ignoring the issues is not an option. Please join us for this informative evening.

Since I am on issues that should not be ignored, it is time we stand up for just gun control. We are the greatest nation in the world and have the highest mortality rate from guns. Whenever someone tells you now is not the time to talk about gun control, they are wrong. We don't hunt deer with high powered semiautomatic guns. We don't protect ourselves and property with guns that shoot over 400 rounds a minute. No other country in the world has this devastating problem to the degree we do, because they control their gun ownership and use. I am tired of hearing about mass shootings, or the weekly carnage from our streets. This has to end. Make sure our politicians know we are for just gun control. And continue to pray for all those who suffer needlessly.

This week we have published the Annual Financial Report for St. Kieran. Thanks to Sandy Vasek, Bill Brennan and to the St. Kieran Finance committee for all their work and oversight of the parish finances. Thanks also to all of you for your continued support of St. Kieran. Please take a few moments and look at the report and my short comments. Thanks.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The vineyard of the LORD is the house of Israel (Isaiah 5:1-7).

Psalm — The vineyard of the Lord is the house of Israel (Psalm 80).

Second Reading — God's peace will guard your hearts and minds (Philippians 4:6-9).

Gospel — The kingdom of God will be given to those who will produce its fruit (Matthew 21:33-43).

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St. Kieran Catholic Church Annual Report 2016/17

Today we have once again included our financial report for St. Kieran for fiscal year 7/1/2016-6/30/17. Sandy has done a great job explaining what falls in each of the categories in the report. The bottom line overall is good news. We had a surplus of \$55,645 for the year. This included a small operating deficit of \$37,273 combined with extraordinary income surplus of \$92,918. The extraordinary income comes from Annual Appeal Rebates as well as To Teach Who Christ Is pledge payments. We still carry loans and interest owed the Archdiocese, but we also have a cash balance of \$215,987.

Your generosity has allowed the parish to stabilize and make it so that we will begin our church renovations in January. As a fiscal conservative my only concern is the small operating deficit. We need to continue to move toward a breakeven or surplus operating report. I believe we will get there. If you have questions after hearing or reading the report today, please give me a call. Again, thank you for your continued support.

St. Kieran Catholic Church Annual Report: FY 2017 (07/01/16 to 06/30/17)

DESCRIPTION	CHURCH	TOTAL
<i>Operating Revenues</i>		
Sunday/Holy Day	\$317,398.00	\$317,398.00
Christmas/Easter	\$41,483.00	\$41,483.00
Tuition/Fees	\$1,255.00	\$1,255.00
Outside Funding	\$0.00	\$0.00
Fund Raising	\$1,340.00	\$1,340.00
Interest/Investment Income	\$497.00	\$497.00
Miscellaneous	(a) \$72,101.00.	\$72,101.00
Auxilliary Groups	\$3,258.00	\$3,258.00
Total Operating Revenue	\$437,332.00	\$437,332.00
<i>Operating Expense</i>		
Salaries / Benefits	(b) \$139,066.00	\$139,066.00
Utilities	\$43,489.00	\$43,489.00
Maintenance & Repairs	\$54,782.00	\$54,782.00
Administration Expense	(g) \$22,465.00	\$22,465.00
Archdiocesan Assessments	(c) \$88,738.00	\$88,738.00
Interest Expense	\$64,240.00	\$64,240.00
Books/Supplies	\$4,230.00	\$4,230.00
Miscellaneous	(d) \$57,595.00	\$57,595.00
Total Operating Expense	\$474,605.00	\$474,605.00
Operating Surplus/Deficit	-\$37,273.00	-\$37,273.00
<i>Extraordinary Income</i>		
Archdiocesan Collections	\$17,094.00	\$17,094.00
Miscellaneous	(e) \$99,571.00	\$99,571.00
Total Extra Income	\$116,665.00	\$116,665.00
<i>Extraordinary Expense</i>		
Archdiocesan Collections Paid	\$17,109.00	\$17,109.00
Miscellaneous	(f) \$6,638.00	\$6,638.00
Total Extra Income Expense	\$23,747.00	\$23,747.00
Net Extraordinary	\$92,918.00	\$92,918.00
Total Surplus/Deficit	\$55,645.00	\$55,645.00

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NOTES TO ANNUAL REPORT: Descriptions Include the Following

- (a) Other Collections (Stewardship, Bldg Fund, SKCares, PADS, Pantry, Stole Fees, Mass Stipends, Vigil Lights, Donations, Recycling, Rebates, Memorials, Coffee Shop, and Special Program Income)
- (b) Includes Salaries, FICA, Health Insurance, Fringe Benefits, and Professional Growth
- (c) Includes Arch Assessment, PRMAA Assessment, P/C & Car Insurance
- (d) Miscellaneous (Meetings & Speakers, Ministry Formation/Education, Hospitality, Ads, Fundraising Expenses, Pantry Payments, SKCares Payments, PADS Payments, Special Program Expense, Gifts/Donations, Subscriptions, TTWCI Payments, Altar/Liturgy Supplies, Furnishings, and School Subsidies)
- (e) Miscellaneous Income (Sharing Parish, Annual Appeal Rebate, TTWCI)
- (f) Miscellaneous Expense (Sharing Parish Paid and Capital Improvements)

Description	Amount
Total Parish Loans to Archdiocese as of 06/30/17	\$923,089.00
Total Accrued Interest on Loans as of 06/30/17	\$298,647.00
Accounts Payable to Archdiocese as of 06/30/17	\$304,187.00
Parish Cash Balance as of 06/30/17	\$215,987.00



A meeting for students and parents of students who will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in the Spring will be held on Wednesday, October 11, at 6:30 p.m. at St. Agnes. This is a mandatory meeting for students and at least one parent from each Confirmation family.

A meeting for parents of children who will receive First Communion in the Spring will be held on Wednesday, October 18, at 6:30 p.m. at St. Agnes. This is a mandatory meeting, and at least one parent from each First Communion family must attend. Children are not required to attend, but are certainly welcome at the meeting.



Blood Pressure Check
 After all Masses the weekend of
October 14/15



**OUR LADY
 OF SORROWS
 NOVENA**

Please consider joining us on
 the second Thursday of each month
 to pray a Novena to Our Lady of Sorrows
 for the resolution of conflicts all over the world.
 We meet in the Church at 6:30 p.m.

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Fr. William O'Mara
60th Priesthood Anniversary Celebration
Saturday, April 14, 2018
Olympia Fields Country Club

Congratulations

More Details to Follow!



Rosary Rally

The Knights of Columbus, Council 997, invites you to their next Rosary Rally

Sunday, October 29th after 10:00 a.m. Mass.

Please Join Us!



WOMEN'S CLUB BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP

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

"Lilac Girls"

by Martha Hall Kelly

Tuesday, October 10 at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Library.



Calling All Bakers!

St. Kieran Women's Club Fall Bake Sale will take place at all masses **October 21/22**. 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.



THE BABY BOTTLE FUNDRAISING PROJECT!

Sponsor by the Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus and St. Kieran Parish are participating in the Baby Bottle Fundraising Project for the month of October. Empty plastic baby bottles will be available in the church vestibule for parishioners to take home and fill with spare change. Bottle filled with change may be returned to the church anytime during the month of October. The Baby Bottle Fundraising Drive will formally end with the recitation of the Rosary on **Sunday, October 29**, following the 10 AM Mass in the church.

Donations from this project will go directly to the Women's Center, based in Evergreen Park, to help in their mission of saving babies from being aborted. The Women's Center provides financial, material, and spiritual assistance to women who might otherwise seek abortions because they cannot take care of a newborn.

Our thanks to all who participate in this project!

St. Kieran Catholic Church Line Dance Party

All Ages Welcome

Sunday, November 5th
From 2:00pm - 5:00pm
(Doors Open 1:45pm)

Line Dance Instruction by Ginny
Learn Boot Scootin' Boogie, Electric Slide, Wobble & MORE!!



Women's Club Members \$2.00

Non-Members \$5.00

Children- \$2.00

Children 12 and under \$1.00

Tickets at the Door Only

Snacks & Refreshments will be provided.

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The Peace & Justice Committees of St. Agnes, St. Ireneaus, & St. Kieran Parishes present a program on

DACA (Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals) and the Dreamers

Thursday, October 26
7:00-to 8:30 PM
at St. Agnes Church

About 800,000 individuals have received "Dreamer" status to date. These are children and young adults who were brought to the United States by their parents and had no choice in the matter. They have lived their whole life in the U.S. and are now being told to prepared to go "home". But the only home they know is the United States of America. They are our neighbors, parishioners, and friends. They have gone to our schools and have served in our military. They have met strict criteria to have received this "Dreamer" status. We owe it to them and ourselves as followers of Jesus to know and understand who they are and what our government is proposing to do with them. Please join us for this informative evening on October 26th.

MORE DETAILS ABOUT THIS EVENING TO COME!



Have a Safe Halloween at St. Kieran

St. Kieran Church would like to invite its members to a Trunk or Treat Party, where adults, children, and families can enjoy a safe Halloween amongst those you know. The event will be on **Friday, October 27 from 5 to 6 pm**, where children of all ages can trick or treat from the car trunks of parishioners. Those interested should fill out the sheet below and indicate that they would like to reserve a spot in the parking lot to pass out treats. Parishioners can come prepared with their own candy or they can send the sheet below with an order of candy for \$10 a bag. **Orders and reservations are due by Friday, October 20.**

The best decorated trunks/cars will be awarded prizes. Following the Trunk or Treat, kids are invited to visit our annual hunted house from 6:00 to 7:30 pm. Come and enjoy amongst your closest friends and family members while having a safe and worry-free Halloween.

Family Name _____

Phone Number _____

Reserve parking space

____ YES ____ NO

Total Number of Candy Bags _____

× \$10.00

Total Amount Enclosed _____

WE ARE ACCEPTING DONATIONS OF LARGE BAGS OF CANDY AND GIFT CARDS FOR PRIZES AT THE PARTY. CASH IS ALWAYS WELCOME, TOO! PLEASE SEND YOUR DONATION TO THE RECTORY BY MONDAY, OCTOBER 23.

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Catholic
Charities
USA.

Working to Reduce Poverty in America.

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH RESPONDS WITH RELIEF EFFORTS

The Catholic Church in America is providing assistance to those who are suffering because of all of the recent natural disasters that have occurred.

Catholic Charities USA and Catholic Relief Services are continuing their emergency fund campaign to help in the recovery efforts. If you would like to make a donation, you may do so in the following ways:

- 1.) **By Internet:** Please follow these steps below
 - a.) Go to the Archdiocesan website at www.archchicago.org.
 - b.) Click on "Offices & Ministries."
 - c.) Click on "Catholic Relief Services."
 - d.) On the left side menu, click on "Hurricane Emergency Appeals."
 - e.) At that point, read the first paragraph and follow the link to either,
 - 1.) "Click [here](#) for Catholic Relief Services (CRS.)" OR
 - 2.) "Click here for Catholic Charities USA."
 - f.) You will be taken to the page for on-line donations.
- 2.) **GiveCentral:** Go to www.givecentral.org and follow the instructions on the home page to make an on-line donation.
- 3.) **Check, money order or cash:** You may send your donation directly to the Rectory Office (mail, collection plate, drop off) and we will send it in or mail directly (no cash, please) to:

**Hurricane Emergency Appeal
Catholic Charities USA or Catholic Relief Services
3525 South Lake Park Avenue
Chicago IL 60653**

And, as always, prayers are always needed for our brothers and sisters who are hurting. We all feel their pain! God bless you all for any help you can give.

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THE SAN ROCCO ORATORY EVENTS COMMITTEE PRESENTS:

**COMMEMORATION OF THE CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY (1917-
2017) OF THE "MIRACLE OF THE SUN" AT FATIMA, PORTUGAL**

ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2017 AT 6:30 PM

**PRAIRIE STATE COLLEGE AUDITORIUM, 202 SOUTH HALSTED STREET,
CHICAGO HEIGHTS, ILLINOIS**

**AN OPEN INVITATION TO THE FOLLOWING GROUP OF PARISHES
INCLUDING THE *SAN ROCCO ORATORY*:**

ST. AGNES

ST. PAUL'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

ST. KIERAN

ST. IRENAEUS

(The general public is welcome to attend, as well.)

**THE RECITATION OF THE ROSARY LED BY FR. MICHAEL GILLIGAN
FOLLOWED BY A SHOWING OF THE ACCLAIMED FILM, "THE 13TH DAY."**

REMEMBER, PLEASE: BRING YOUR OWN ROSARIES.

**ADMISSION IS FREE. TO DEFRAY COSTS, HOWEVER, FREE-WILL DONATIONS
ARE APPRECIATED AND WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

*****For more information contact: A. Anzelmo at (708) 754-3447 OR 692-8887*****

Other News & Events



OCTOBER 14 COME REMINISC WITH US

Free lecture highlighting the history of the Union Street Gallery building and neighborhood. Lecture concludes with sharing old photos and memories of Chicago Heights.

Come spend the morning with friends while we remember what downtown Chicago Heights once was and share your memories of shopping and hanging out in "The Heights".

Share your memories with us. What made "downtown" so memorable?

Pictures welcome!

Lecture begins at
10:00 am

Share memories
and pictures of
downtown
Chicago Heights

Union Street
Gallery exhibits
open

Explore a local
historic landmark
building

CHICAGO HEIGHTS
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COMMITTEE

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Jones Memorial Community Center

Saturday, November 4, 2017
from 6:00 to 11:30 PM
at the Sebastian Social Center
18550 Stony Island Avenue, Lansing

You are invited to join us for an evening of elegance and charm, our 100 Years Anniversary Gala. We are planning a grand event. There will be butlered hors d'oeuvres, gourmet meal, premium beverages service, candy table, photo booth, auctions, ArtBeat Live, video presentations, and more. All for \$75 per person.

Sponsorship opportunities and program book sponsorship available.

For more information contact Cheryl Roop at Jones Center (708) 757-5395 or via email at croop@jonescenter.org.

The Archdiocese of Chicago requests

The honor of your presence at the

Gala Benefit Fundraiser

For the

Cause for Sainthood of

FATHER AUGUSTUS TOLTON

**Sunday, October 22, 2017
3 o'clock pm**

(hors d'oeuvres, cash bar reception & Silent Auction)

Martha Jane Tolton Award

Cardinal Blase Cupich

**Admittance by pre-paid ticket only
\$100**

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Lake View Terrace
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Call/Write for tickets: Vicariate VI Office 312-534-8376
Archdiocese Chicago
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www.toltoncanonization.org

St. Andrew Celebrates 125 Years in Our Community!

The parishioners of our sister church, St. Andrew the Apostle, will celebrate 125 years of service to the Catholic Community of Calumet City with a special Mass on

Sunday: November 5, 2017 at 10 AM
St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church
768 Lincoln Avenue
Calumet City, Illinois,
with His Eminence, Cardinal Blasé J. Cupich,
Archbishop of the Archdiocese of Chicago,
Presiding

Tickets are available for the luncheon following at Casa Maria, 500 Northgate Drive, Dyer, Indiana, which will begin at 12:30 PM, at a cost of \$38/person. Please contact the church for more information on the event.

RSVP by October 15, 2017.



Holy Family Shrine

This week, the flowers decorating
The Holy Family Shrine
in the back of church were
donated in memory of ...

For the special intention
of Barbara Neal

Our Troops



Air Force

AB Conor Fitzgerald

Army

PFC Roman Ambriz
E5 Patrick Atwater
Sgt. Brenden Flanagan
Sgt. James R. Hibbs
PFC Lee James Roché
CWO Thomas J. Seehausen

Coast Guard

Luke Stocker

Marine Corps

SSgt. John Henry
LCpl. Joseph Johnson
Sgt. Patrick Russell
SSgt. Nathan Taylor

National Guard

SSgt. Paul LaBelle

Navy

Eugene Borak
Troy DeVault
Raymond J. Martinez
Joseph Swanson



Michelle Acadia	Sarah Hergenrother
Kim Alexander	Pamela Jacks
Jenna Bova	Officer Timothy Jones
Cory Blair	Rose Klauck
Noreen Bussey	Dennis Kurowski
Philip Cameli	Joyce Lentzi
Michael Case	Ken Mannie
Victoria Cavallaro	Terri Masiur
Jerome Chmielewski	Kathleen Masterson
Janel Compton	Tom Maxwell
Ken Connor	Erin McCann
JoAnne Corrigan	Marilyn Monteleone
Richard Czarnecki	Joe Napoleon
Stewart Dill	Phillip Oleksy
Shar Drozdowski	Rosemarie Pagliero
Sorita Durham	Elena Presutti
Christine Dymek	Katie Quinn Radomski
Jim Dymek	Marjorie V. Ringwald
Ava Emroll	Tom Roberts
Laurie Emroll	Ramón Santiago
Teresa Eppel	Rosa Maria Santos
Norman Falcioni	Ron Sinclair
Tom Fleisher	Audrey Strasser
Marlene Gaughan	Fran Somer
Tom Haggerty	Pat Sullivan
Dominick Hamilton	Gayle Tama
Florence Hand	Linda Wickizek
William Hand, Sr.	Dana Wittman
Mathew Heinberg	Marjorie Woltman

Ministry Schedule for October 14 & 15, 2017

	5:00 p.m.	8:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Deacons	Dave Dutko	Gene Labelle	Emil Vasek
Communion Ministers	Raymond Brower Tom Narcissi Gina Caffarini Judi Patzelt Jean Lendi Joshua Shlosberg	Lawrence Eagan Charles Lofrano Ann Gornick Carla Lofrano Karlene Henshaw Judy Longo	Barbara Cianchetti Jean Schulp Amanda Klopp Mary Segebarth Mary Labelle
Altar Servers	Cheta Emechebe Kamsi Emechebe	** Served by adult parishioners	Handerson Ogunbote Harrison Ogunbote
Lectors	Barbara Dutko Sue Habegger	James Calvert Robert Lager	Louis Alessandrini Teri Klopp
Greeters	Barbara Fonfara	John Jaworski	Sofia Alessandrini

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, October 9 – St. Denis and Companions; St. John Leonardi;
Columbus Day; Canadian Thanksgiving Day

8:00 a.m. • Communion Service

Tuesday, October 10 – Weekday

8:00 a.m. • Zovi Chae,
req. by the Dykas Family

Wednesday, October 11 – Saint John XXIII

8:00 a.m. • Rev. Joseph McCarthy,
req. by St. Kieran Church

Thursday, October 12 – Weekday

8:00 a.m. • Deacon & Mrs. Richard Zylstra,
req. by St. Kieran Church

Friday, October 13 – Weekday

8:00 a.m. • Neva Grady,
req. by St. Kieran Church

Saturday, October 14 – St. Callistus I; Blessed Virgin Mary

- 9:00 a.m. • Communion Service
- 5:00 p.m. • Dorothy Husarik,
req. by Phyllis Russo
- Pat Grady,
req. by the Grady Family
 - Nazarene & Gilda Cameli,
req. by their family
 - Angeline Nicoli,
req. by Lin Corradin & Chuck Weyhe
 - Walter Tama,
req. by his wife and family

Sunday, October 15 – Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00 a.m. • Laura Segala, req. by her children
- John & Estelle Falica,
req. by Jack Flacia & Joyce Lagone
 - Lillian E. Merlini,
req. by Lou Merlini
 - Jolene Cieniawski,
req. by her friend
 - Betty Staniszewski, req. by her family
- 10:00 a.m. • Fran & Ken Broxterman,
req. by her children & grandchildren
- Deceased of the Porrino Family,
req. by the family

Baptism
in
Christ



Joseph Alexander Nozar,
son of David and Alison Nozar

(October 01)

What's Happening THIS WEEK

Come Join Us!



Monday, October 9

8:00 a.m. Communion Service (C)

5:00 p.m. St. Agnes Athletics (FF/H) to 9 PM

Tuesday, October 10

8:00 a.m. Daily Mass (C)

5:00 p.m. St. Agnes Athletics (FF/H) to 9 PM

6:30 p.m. Knights of Columbus Meeting (KOCR)

7:00 p.m. Book Club (L)

Wednesday, October 11

8:00 a.m. Daily Mass (C)

5:00 p.m. St. Agnes Athletics (FF/H) to 9 PM

6:30 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting (R)

Thursday, October 12

8:00 a.m. Daily Mass (C)

12:30 p.m. Bible Study (LMR) to 2 PM

7:00 p.m. Choir Practice (C)

7:00 p.m. Baptismal Prep Class (C)

7:00 p.m. Glenwood Adult Basketball League (H)
to 9:30 PM

Friday, October 13

8:00 a.m. Daily Mass (C)

5:00 p.m. St. Agnes Athletics (FF/H) to 9 PM

Saturday, October 14

9:00 a.m. Communion Service (C)

9:00 a.m. St. Agnes Athletics (FF/H) to 1 PM

2:00 p.m. Glenwood Adult Basketball League (H)
to 4:30 p.m.

24:00 p.m. Confessions (Cry Room) to 4:30 PM

5:00 p.m. Anticipated Mass (C)

Knights of Columbus Raffle Sale after all Masses (C)

Blood Pressure Checks after all Masses

Sunday, October 15

8:00 a.m. Sunday Mass (C)

10:00 a.m. Sunday Mass (C)

Knights of Columbus Raffle Sale after all Masses (C)

Blood Pressure Checks after all Masses

11:30 a.m. Baptisms (Day Chapel)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jon 1:1 – 2:2, 11; Jon 2:3-5, 8; Lk 10:25-37

Tuesday: Jon 3:1-10; Ps 130:1b-4ab, 7-8; Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday: Jon 4:1-11; Ps 86:3-6, 9-10; Lk 11:1-4

Thursday: Mal 3:13-20b; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 11:5-13

Friday: Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Ps 9:2-3, 6, 16, 8-9;
Lk 11:15-26

Saturday: Jl 4:12-21; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12;
Lk 11:27-28

Sunday: Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-6; Phil 4:12-14, 19-20;
Mt 22:1-14 [1-10]



St. Kieran Catholic Church

724 West 195 Street, Chicago Heights IL 60411

Visit our Website at 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:

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Director of Music:

Mrs. Joanne Rossbach, 708/755-0074

Parish Ministries:

Knights of Columbus: David Nozar, 708/267-8253 Visit our website: 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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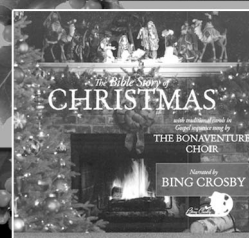
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