



St. René Goupil Church

New England Ave & 64th St, Chicago, Il. 60638

Twenty-Seventh Sunday
in Ordinary Time

October 2, 2011

From the Desk of the Pastor

‘The Lord be with you.’ ‘**And with your spirit.**’

Over the upcoming weeks, I will be printing in our bulletin some of the language changes that will be taking place at our celebration of the Mass beginning this Advent. The parish will be providing Participation Cards that will be found in the pews & used alongside of our regular hymnals. It will take a little time to get used to new patterns of praying together, but with patience & a sincere desire to learn we will all get used to this in a short time.

So why ‘**And with your spirit**’? The purpose of the greeting that we use at Mass is not just to say *Hello*. The ritual dialogue establishes the interdependence of the priest & people as we together take up our shared roles in praising God at the Mass. The two parts of this greeting express a desire that the Lord be present to the spirit of the entire community. The particular words are inspired by passages found in New Testament epistles. This greater use of language found in Scripture will be reflected in many of the changes we will experience.

Take a look at the words that we will use to give Glory to God:

Glory to God in the highest, and **on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.**

Lord Jesus Christ, **Only Begotten Son**, Lord God, Lamb of God, **Son of the Father**, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; **you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer**; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, **have mercy on us**. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The words in **bold type** are what will be different. In these weeks before Advent, we will learn & sing a new setting of this prayer that we will use beginning at Christmas. Take the time now to pray these words & let them become a part of your faith.

Fr. Tom K.



**Come help us celebrate
The Feast of St. Francis,
Patron of Animals
& the Ecology, at the
Blessing of the Pets
Tuesday, October 4 at
3:00PM in the Field.**



Pastor Father Thomas R. Kasputis
Pastor Emeritus Father Peter Paurazas
Deacon Rev. Mr. Sal Lema

October is the month dedicated to the Holy Rosary.

The rosary is the setting of Christ’s Passion, Death, Resurrection & Glory. The Mysteries are:

The Joyful Mysteries: Annunciation, Visitation, Nativity of Christ, Presentation of the Christ Child in the Temple, & Finding of the Christ Child in the Temple.

The Sorrowful Mysteries: Agony in the Garden, Scourging at the Pillar, Crowning with Thorns, Carrying of the Cross, & the Crucifixion.

The Glorious Mysteries: Resurrection, Ascension, Descent of the Holy Spirit, Assumption, & the Coronation of Mary.

The Luminous Mysteries: Pope John Paul II included in 2002 - Baptism of Jesus in the Jordan, Manifestation of Jesus at the Wedding at Cana, Proclamation of the Kingdom of God, Transfiguration of Jesus, & Institution of the Eucharist.

Mass Intentions for the Week

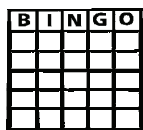
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| <i>Monday,</i> 8:30 am | <i>October 3, Weekday</i> Lauro Family |
| <i>Tuesday,</i> 8:30 am | <i>October 4, St. Francis of Assisi</i> Ann Wozniak |
| <i>Wednesday,</i> 8:30 am | <i>October 5, Weekday</i> Genevieve Tokarz |
| <i>Thursday,</i> 8:30 am | <i>October 6, Weekday</i> Katherine Jelinek |
| <i>Friday,</i> 8:30 am | <i>October 7, Our Lady of the Rosary</i> For Our Police & Fire Personnel |
| <i>Saturday,</i> 8:30 am 5:30 pm | <i>October 8, Weekday</i> Laura Pelegrino Martin & Gertrude Zemovich |
| <i>Sunday,</i> 7:30 am 9:30 am 11:30 am | <i>October 9, 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Alfred & Lillian Brazinski Dennis Healy, Sr. Teresa Schalk |

Altar Servers Schedules distributed in school

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| <i>Saturday,</i> | 5:30 pm |
| <i>Sunday,</i> | 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am |

Altar Cleaning (*Altar & Rosary*)

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| Oct 7—Oct 8— | Jeanette Prati, Beth Lema, Pat Melody, Julie Wojcik |
| Oct 14—Oct 15— | Gloria Bodoki, Lois Beyer |
| Oct 21—Oct 22— | Beverly Zaleski, Mary Ann Metke, Dolores Willis |



SUPER BINGO

We will begin selling tickets this weekend for our Super Bingo to be held on Sunday, November 6th. Tickets still cost \$20. and that cost takes care of all the regular games and the 2—\$500. games. There will be special games which will be for sale the day of bingo. Doors open at 12:30 and bingo will start at 2pm. See you then.

On The Street Where You Live — There are poor families within walking distance of your home. When, in their need, they ring the rectory bell, they are in effect ringing your door bell. They are assisted by your donations in the St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box.

Bible Passages - For Sunday, October 9, 2011 are:



Isaiah 25: 6-10a
Philippians 4: 12-14, 19-20
Matthew 22: 1-14

School News

Fifth Graders

The fifth graders continued their study of Chicago history, which started in fourth grade, by reading *A Long Way From Chicago* this summer. This year, using this book, they are comparing Chicago history to the United States history, especially during the time of the Depression and World War II.

In Science we are studying about weather. The study of weather will continue in Library class where they will be learning about hurricanes. Each student will be doing a report on a specific hurricane of their choice. Mrs. Nunchuck, from the Clearing branch of the Chicago Public Library, will come to the school twice to do a workshop on writing research reports. She will teach them how to find reliable internet sites.

Mrs. McGuire



A fifth grader, Summer Lynn, won first place in a jujitsu tournament sponsored by the North American Grappling Association. Congratulations Summer!



The St. Rene students, faculty, families & parishioners gathered at our peace pole after mass on Friday, September 9, 2011 to commemorate the tenth anniversary of the terrorist attacks on September 11, 2001. All those present prayed for healing for all the families who suffered during these attacks, & we raised our voices together in a prayer for peace. All students were given an origami crane made by the 7th grade class to remind them to pray for & work for peace in our world throughout this month.



Dear Heavenly Father,
We place our worries in Your hands. We place our sick under Your care and humbly ask that You restore Your servants to health again. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge Your holy will and know that whatsoever You do, You do for the love of us. Amen.

Please Take Note IN CASE OF ILLNESS — As a church family, we care about you and your family. Please notify us as soon as possible, or have your family/friends notify us, when you are sick, hospitalized or homebound.

Please Pray For Our Sick Lynn Ayala, Patrick Mullins IV, Rose Gallichio, Sophie Setlak, Doreen Kroll, Steve Czopkiewicz, Emily Diraffeale, Peter Paterimos, Rev. Ronald Turcich, OSA, John Schultz, Jo Motyka, Vincent Ciccio, Ron Neubert, Dolores Sorrentino, Vincent Barton, Robert Civinilli, Joseph Vassella, Janet Szponer, Donna Szponer, Dorothy Walsh, Sophie Rovensky, Richard Zilka, Penny Rogalin, Eileen Healy, Betty Piccioni, Hailey Flemm, Joan Russo, Lou Russo, Alice Cello, George Vojtech, Anna Tomassini, Nicole Ciampaglia, Dominic Ciampaglia, Vincent Tonissen, Rich Lenart, Bob Franden, Ann O’Neal, Gabrielle Ziemba, Rosemary Halpin, Chuck Biondo, April Lenart, Pat Wallow, Betty Baker, Doris Mezyk, Theresa Siedlicki, Ed Heidekruger, Rochelle & Dan Piegari, Rose Lindsay, Mary Ann Bane, Larry Adkins

Please pray for the joyful rebirth into the eternal celebration of God’s love for the recently deceased:



Rev. John Kobus
Rev. John Kauzlarich



Wedding Banns II

**Sarah E. Marks &
Robert J. Cosimini**



Wedding Banns I

**Melissa Falbo &
Timothy O’Neil**

What We’ve Accomplished With Your Help!

SPRED would like to thank you for your generous donations for the annual Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive. With your help we raised over \$500 as a parish!! These contributions will fund our group for our needs this upcoming year. We would also like to thank the volunteers who held those cans, and wore their vests and brightest smiles! Thank you Christine, Lauren, Isabella, Frances, Norine, Judy, Art, Lois, Ann, Andy, Mary, Theresa, Jake, Peter, and Mark. Without you none of this would have been possible!

CRHP Treasure Day SUCCESS!!!!

Ahoy! The Treasure Day rummage sale was a huge success. We were able to collect \$1,438.80 from our event. Thank you to all who generously donated items, monies and/or your time to our fundraiser. A **special thanks** to the *Gontarek family, Mary & Art Smith (and kids), Barb Grzenia, Beth & Deacon Sal, Karl Krizka & CarolAnn Murrillo*. Without their help, we would never have raised that much money!! GREAT job everyone!!!

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION CLASS SUNDAY
October 23, 2011 and November 27, 2011, 1PM, in Church

Come and Discover These Jewels

Our Peace & Justice ministry will host a special evening with Thomas Howard who will help us see that Catholic Social Teachings are key to the way we live our faith. So young & old & everyone in between are invited on Tuesday, Oct. 11, 7pm to 11pm, in our church narthex. There will be refreshments, prayer, small group discussion, & a journey that will build us into the people of God of St. Rene parish. Come & join us. As Thomas states: “The Social doctrines of the Catholic Church are one of our greatest treasures.” What are they? What is their impact on each one of us? Come & discover these jewels. In your busy lives, give a moment to sit and be nourished in your faith.

We have begun an *Unemployment Network of Services* in our parish. The first gathering was Tuesday, Sept. 27, 10:30am till 11:30am, in the narthex. Anyone who is looking for work, or anyone who can support these people, are invited. We will alert you as to the October date.

Altar & Rosary Society Starts New Year

An Ice Cream Social and a presentation about personal safety by Brian Millich from the Cook County Sheriff Department will follow recitation of the rosary and a business meeting on Tuesday, October 4 at 1pm in the Narthex.

NOTE: We invite all adult female members of St. Rene to join the Altar and Rosary Society. Your membership dues and all fund raisers contribute to support the needs of our Altar, such as: Communion Wine, Communion Hosts, Altar Cloths, Flowers, Candles, Priest Vestments, and Server Robes. If you cannot attend the meeting to join, put \$5 in an envelop marked for Altar and Rosary Society with your name, address and telephone number and put it in the collection basket at your next Mass. God Bless You!

Events Around Town

Looking for Crafters...The St. Pius X Women's Club will host their 8th Holiday Craft Bazaar on Sunday, Oct. 23, from 9am-2pm in their parish hall, 43rd & Oak Park in Stickney. Tables are \$30 each. For info contact Jeanine at 708-484-2401 (evenings) or jrg422@gmail.com.

Fun with Facts Trivia Night is Saturday, Oct. 8 from 6pm-10pm at Seton Academy, 16100 Seton Drive, in South Holland. Cost is \$15. per person. Support Catholic Charities' Emergency Assistance Program in the South Region. Get a group together to form a team or teams of six, choose a name & a captain for each team & bring your own snacks, liquid refreshments will be sold. Prizes to winning teams. For info or to reserve, call 708-333-8379.

St. Laurence High School Mother's Club will host a Super Bingo in the school gym, 5556 W. 77th Street in Burbank on Sunday, Oct. 9. Doors open at noon, games start at 2pm. Tickets are \$20 & can be purchased in advance through the school office. Limited number of tickets available at the door. For info contact momsclub@stlaurence.com.

Are you being called to a life of ministerial service? Loyola University's Institute of Pastoral Studies is holding a "Ministries Fair" on Saturday, Oct. 15 at Kasbeer Hall, 16th floor of the Corboy Law Center at Wabash & Pearson. An open house for people interested in beginning a master's degree begins with a continental breakfast at 8:30am. Lunch is provided. To register for the Fair, visit www.alumni.luc.edu.

IPS Open House & Ministries Fair on Saturday, October 15. Dr. Edward Hahnenberg will speak; participants have an opportunity to explore ministry opportunities; dialogue with leaders; & learn about graduate programs & certificates in ministry. Program begins at 9am at the Loyola University Chicago Water Tower Campus, Kasbeer Hall, 25 E. Pearson Street. For inquiries call Susann Ozuk at 1-800-424-1238.

Summit Park District one day trips:

—Blue Chip Casino in Michigan City, IN, Friday, Oct 7, \$5. per person, 8:30am-5pm;

—"The Witches" Merle Reskin Theatre DePaul University, Saturday, Oct 29, \$15. per person, 1pm-5pm, ice cream social at the historical Black Stone.

Call for more information at 708-496-1012.

Midway Airport Concessionaires (MAC) operates 13 food & beverage concessions at Midway Airport. They are hiring entry level positions both full & part time. Jobs include bartender, cashier, server & food runner, dishwasher & receiving or distribution clerk. Fill out an application at MAC's office located at 5559 S. Archer, Suite 3, Monday-Friday, 9am-6pm.

"Taste of Snows" Family Fest, 4810 S. Leamington, is Oct 2, from 11am-5pm in the parking lot (parish hall is rain day). Food, beverages & chance for BIG Raffle - grand prize is \$3,000.

On the Lighter Side

A 5 year old said grace at family dinner one night. "Dear God, thank you for these pancakes." When he concluded, his parents asked him why he said pancakes when they were having chicken. He said, "I thought I'd see if He was paying attention tonight."

General Parish Information

Rectory

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School Principal Mrs. Paula Calvert

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 8:30 am, 5:30 pm

Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am

Holy Days: 8:30 am, 12:00 Noon, 7:30 pm

Weekdays: 8:30 am

Confessions Every Saturday 4:00 to 5:00 pm

Music Ministry Frank Glab (773) 726-0962

Religious Classes (C.C.D.) for grammar school children are conducted on Saturday mornings. Kay Marks, Coordinator.

Phone Saturday Morning Only (773) 586-4426

Baptisms First Sunday of the month at 1:00 pm and the Third Sunday of the month during the 11:30 Mass. Arrangements must be made with the pastor.

Marriages Arrangements must be made with the pastor 5-6 months in advance.

RCIA Adult Sacramental Preparation for Baptism, Confirmation & Eucharist. Contact the Rectory, or Ben Shafer (773) 586-5099.

Sick Calls notify the rectory at any time if someone is seriously ill. The sick and those confined to their homes should contact the rectory so communion can be brought to them.

SPRED (Special Religious Development)
Contact Joanna Baxter (773) 320-2703.

AA Meetings Wednesday & Saturday at 7:00 pm, in the Church Narthex.