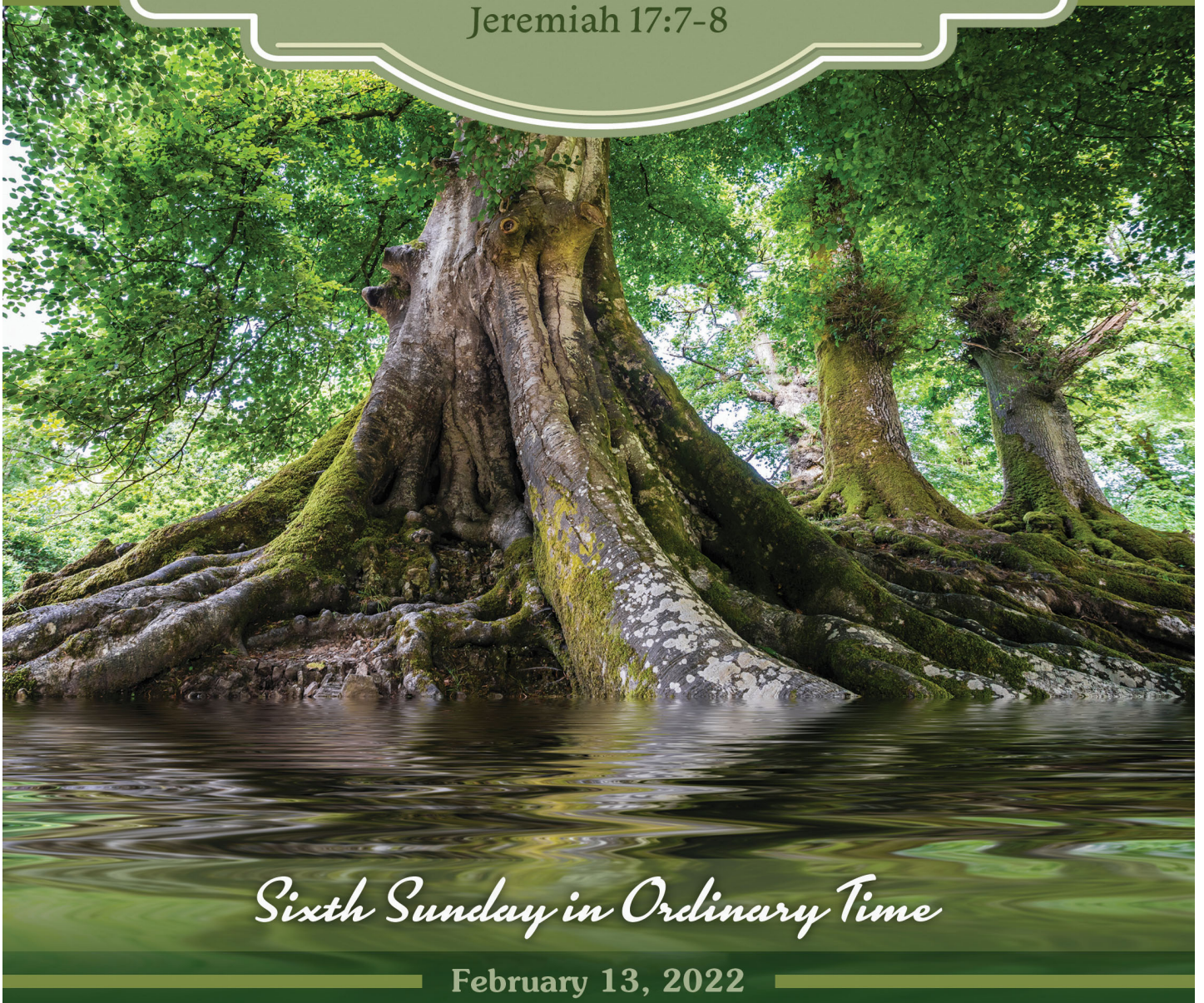


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He is like a tree planted beside the waters
that stretches out its roots to the stream.*

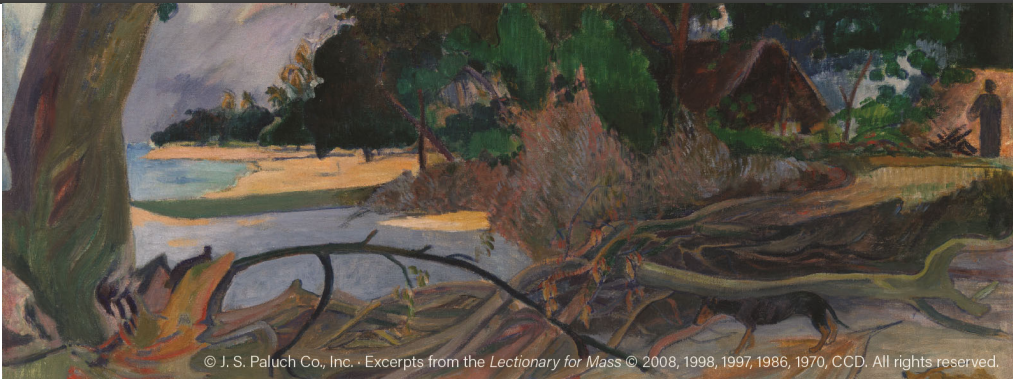
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Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 13, 2022

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Te burao (The Hibiscus Tree)

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Jeremiah
17:7–8

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February 13, 2022

BLESSINGS AND WOES

Today we hear once again of the deep connection between Jesus and Israel's prophets. In the reading from Jeremiah, God's curses at the opening are counterbalanced by God's blessings in the second part. In Luke's version of the Beatitudes, Jesus begins with blessings, then counterbalances with a "woe" section. The point is clear: the way we live our lives has a direct connection to whether we will experience curses and woes, or blessings instead. Of course, being among God's blessed ones (in Latin, *beati*, from which "beatitudes" comes) doesn't necessarily mean a life free of woe. Jesus, in his fully human nature, knew this. He also knew that when we seek happiness through our own devices, and trust only in ourselves, the woes are guaranteed to come. Let us follow the wisdom of Jeremiah and Jesus, along with the opening of the book of Psalms (echoed by Jeremiah today): "blessed are the ones who trust in the Lord."

I DON'T KNOW

There are times when the smartest, but most difficult, thing we can say is, "I don't know." While we often think of this as a sign of weakness, the amount of humility it takes to say this means that the word of God is alive and well in us. To say "I don't know" means that we look outside of ourselves to learn, and to find those who do know, and—ultimately—accept that we have to look to others and to God to help us, to guide us through life. To place our trust and hope only in this world, Paul tells the Corinthians (and us!), makes us people to be pitied. Jesus echoes this in the "woes" section of Luke's Beatitudes, when he points out that trusting in earthly wealth, full bellies, entertainments, and reputation will, eventually, not be enough when we are called beyond this life.

LOOK 'EM IN THE EYE

Prior to delivering the blessings and woes of his "Sermon on the Plain" in Luke, Jesus had been on top of a mountain in prayer, after which he selected the Twelve to go on his mission with him. Coming down from the mountain, the first thing Jesus does is show them what is at the heart of his—and their—mission: preaching to the multitude, healing all who were in need of it, no matter where they had come from. Luke then carefully notes that Jesus raises his eyes, not to look toward heaven again in prayer, but he raises his eyes to look directly at his disciples, to share the message of blessings and woes. This scene echoes Moses coming down from the mountain to give Israel its command as to how they should live in God's covenant. As followers of Jesus today, we are called to live out his mission to the world, while we also look beyond this world to trust in God, our only hope.

TODAY'S READINGS

Jeremiah 17:5–8

Psalm 1:1–2, 3, 4 and 6

1 Corinthians 15:12, 16–20

Luke 6:17, 20–26

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK



Your prayers have been a tremendous source of healing, empowerment, enrichment, and prophecies for all of the sick of Our Lady of Peace, especially those listed below. Join us daily by sharing your spirituality and prayer devotions for the sick.

Alan Amann, Sue Atkinson, Joseph Barberio, Bill/James Bleacher, William Boggio, John Bovard, Judy C., Helen Cieslek, Bishop Daniel Conlon, Katy Counihan, Frank Cosenza, Mario Cristofaro, Pina D'Amico, Frank Dipodiva, Brooklynn Drab, Don Durr, Nancy Fisher, April Fernandez, Mrs. Cecilia Fordwor, John M. Foresman, Darlene Garoza, Sue Geever, Italia Getz, Linda Hall, Moreen Hall, Joan Haremza, Gail Hayes, Mark Herwaldt, Jan Hille-rud, JoAnne Hug, Mary Johnson, Dorothy Joyce, Arthur Judy, Chris K., Johnny K., June Kaduk, Pearl Kalinski, Dan Kieras, Bob Kobliska, Jerzy Kolowrozki, Bob (Earl) Kramer, Lee Liston, Rev. David Lord, Amy Lynch, Col-leen M., Emily Mason, John Matt, Donna Menard, Lila Napientek, Joan Novak, Tommy O'Driscoll, Bill Olivanti, Angie Oskvarek, Gloria Pavesich, Cathy Lou Pearson, Rose Marie Pedryc, Agatha Piwcwicz, J. Pisarczyk, Cita Quizon, Mike & Lena Ramaglia, Joan Ritzert, Roger Rodriguez, Veronica Rodriguez, Laura & George Rossano, Charlie Sanders, Mary Santos, Tony Sekera, Gail Sitkowski, Sue Sloma, Joyce Smith, Karlton Smith, Estelle Sniegowski, Bertha Sobotka, Jim Sobun, Marylyn Sobun, Patricia Soukup, Andy & Marilyn Stanley, Dominick Strom, Diane Treend, Phyllis Trout, Renee Tucci, Gerald Venkus, Sophia Zabinski,

And for the seriously ill children of our Parish:

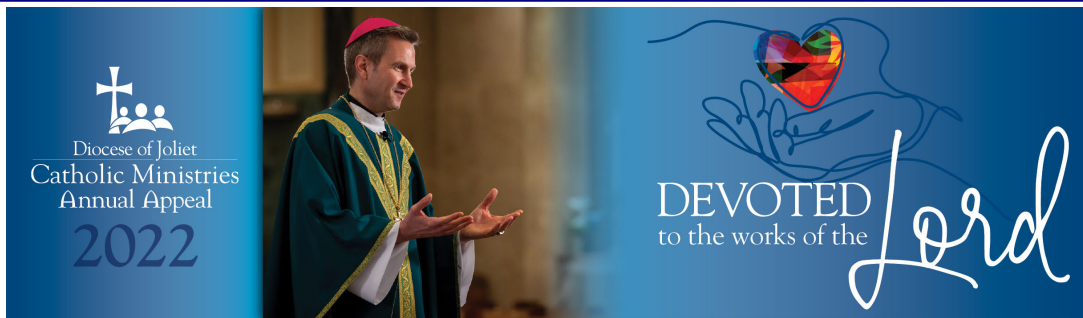
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Please Pray for the Servicemen and Women of our Parish

Sean Sebastian

Andy Shreckengost, Staff Sgt. Alyssa LiCavoli



Support the works of the Lord through the 2022 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal

The 2022 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal (CMAA) is now underway, and we are asking everyone to pledge their support to this important effort for our diocese, and our parish.

This year's CMAA theme, *Devoted to the Works of the Lord*, illustrates how the many ministries our annual appeal supports allow us to join together to do God's work throughout our diocese. From helping the poor and vulnerable to forming future priests and educating people of all ages in the faith, the ministries funded through your gifts are far more extensive than our parish could provide on its own.

Our parish's goal for the 2022 CMAA is **\$95,800**, and 70 percent of any amount we raise over our goal will be re-turned to us. This is a great opportunity for our parish! Please review the materials and prayerfully reflect on your gift to this year's annual appeal.

If you do not receive a CMAA mailing, please contact the parish office to request one.

February 13, 2022 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

FEELING BLESSED

Congratulations! Welcome to the Kingdom! Rejoice and leap for joy! Sounds a little like Easter, doesn't it? Well, in a very real way, it is. This Sunday, the scriptures remind us that we are blessed and beloved, especially when we have difficulties and don't feel especially blessed. Jesus reminds us that God blesses us in our trials, so we should trust in the saving power of God. We are "raised from the dead," as it were, each time we arise from our hardships. The ultimate proof of all of this is our new life in Christ, who died so that we could be free of sin, and was raised from the dead so that we might all have new life. Wouldn't that be something? A new life, in which poverty is riches and sadness is transformed into lightness of spirit? It's a topsy-turvy world, isn't it? Do you feel blessed today?

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The one who trusts in the LORD is like a tree planted beside the waters (Jeremiah 17:5-8).

Psalms — Blessed are they who hope in the Lord (Psalm 1).

Second Reading — Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep (1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20).

Gospel — Blessed are you who are poor, hungry, weeping. Woe to you who are rich, filled, laughing (Luke 6:17, 20-26).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jas 1:1-11; Ps 119:67-68, 71-72, 75-76; Mk 8:11-13
 Tuesday: Jas 1:12-18; Ps 94:12-13a; 14-15, 18-19; Mk 8:14-21
 Wednesday: Jas 1:19-27; Ps 15:2-4ab, 5; Mk 8:22-26
 Thursday: Jas 2:1-9; Ps 34:2-7; Mk 8:27-33
 Friday: Jas 2:14-24, 26; Ps 112:1-6; Mk 8:34 — 9:1
 Saturday: Jas 3:1-10; Ps 12:2-3, 4-5, 7-8; Mk 9:2-13
 Sunday: 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23; Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 15:45-49; Lk 6:27-38

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
 World Marriage Day

Monday: Ss. Cyril and Methodius; Valentine's Day
 Thursday: The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

O God, who teach us that you abide in hearts that are just and true, grant that we may be so fashioned by your grace as to become a dwelling pleasing to you. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Reflection question:

How can I allow God's grace to fashion me into a pleasing dwelling for the Lord?

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INSEPARABLE

Faith and works are like the light and heat to a candle; they cannot be separated.

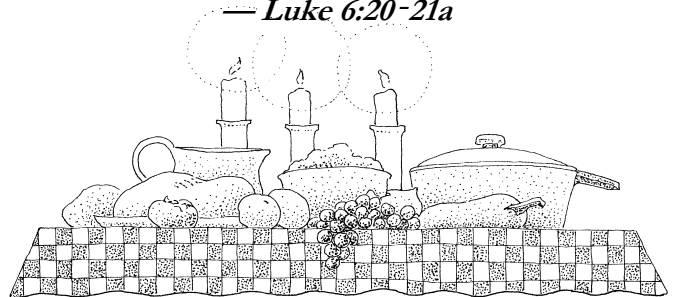
—Anonymous

NONSENSE

A little nonsense, now and then, is relished by the wisest among us.

—Anonymous

**"Blessed are you who are poor,
 for the kingdom of God is yours.
 Blessed are you who are now hungry,
 for you will be satisfied."
 — Luke 6:20-21a**



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BORN INTO ETERNAL LIFE

Please pray for the joyful rebirth into the eternal celebration of God's love for the departed

Romauld Romanowski

Emanuel Scribano

Louis Scapellato, Sr.

Ray Listermann

BAPTISMS

Through the Saving Waters of Baptism, we will welcome...



WEDDING Banns

It is with joy that we announce the upcoming wedding



ANNIVERSARY WISHES



Congratulations to

PARISH REGISTRATION

If you would like to become a parishioner at Our Lady of Peace Parish, please visit our website at www.olopdarien.org.

Or call the Parish Office at 630-323-4333 ext. 100

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

January Offertory

Budget \$90,000

Actual \$68,892

Shortfall \$21,108

Thank you to all our generous parishioners who continue to support Our Lady of Peace during this difficult time. We currently have over 375 on-line donors, please consider using the online donation portal on our parish website. Our budget is **\$18,000** per week.

Copies of the *2020/21 Financial Report* may be found in the vestibule as well as posted on our parish website.
WWW.OLOPDARIEN.ORG

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Deacon Paul Brachle Food Pantry

Please help the less fortunate with a charitable gift. Your donation allows us to supply the needy with food from week to week. The recipients graciously thank you and God continues to bless you.

Hearing impaired? Search www.deafcatholicjoliet.org for SLI assisted Mass locations!

MASS INTENTIONS February 12/13

Saturday 2/12	5:00pm	Rose Bina (D)
Sunday 2/13	8:00am	People of our Parish Holy Name Society Marilou McGirr (D) Eva Wiatr (D) Mary Joan Luetkemeyer
	10:00am	Donna & Ted Pogorzelski (D)
	12:00pm	Wayne Pahr (D)

MASS INTENTIONS February 14-20

Monday 2/14	7:30am	Richard Kleifgen (D)
Tuesday 2/15	7:30am	Rose Bina (D)
Wednesday 2/16	7:30am	Ken Kallen (D)
Thursday 2/17	7:30am	Juan Moctezuma (D)
Friday 2/18	7:30am	Carol Vrtis (D)
Saturday 2/19	7:30am	Rose Bina (D)
	5:00pm	Kaplan Family (L)
Sunday 2/20	8:00am	People of our Parish Demetrio G. Veja (D) Helen Block (D) Eva Wiatr (D)
	10:00am	Stanley/Aniela Kasjanski (D)
	12:00pm	Juan Moctezuma (D)

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"Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit."

-Matthew 28:19

Sts. Cyril and Methodius

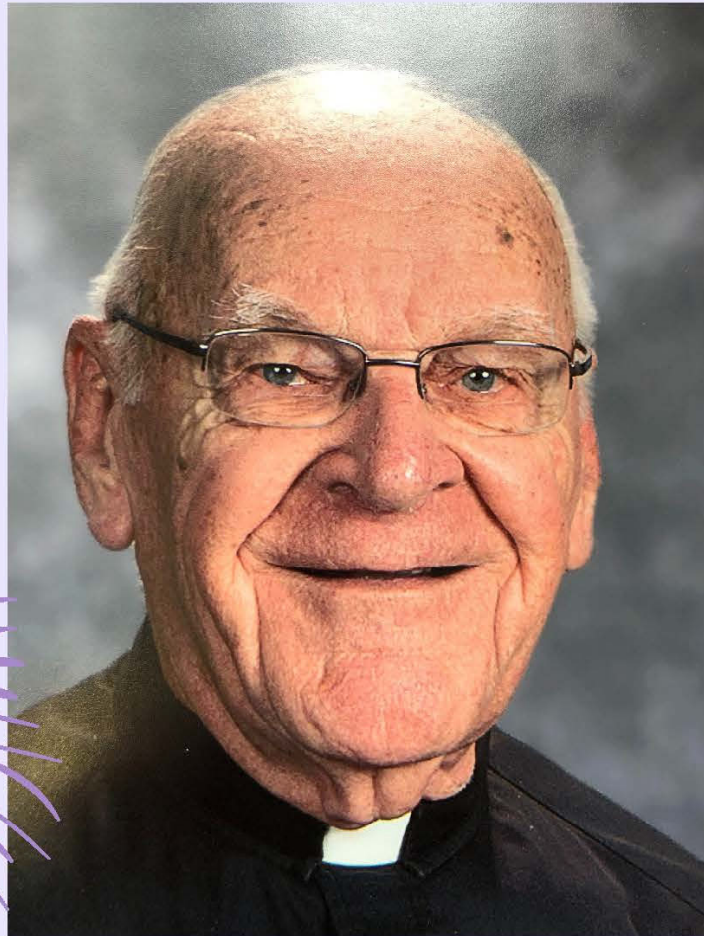
Two brothers and Byzantine theologians in the 9th-century. They are known as the "Apostles to the Slavs" because of their missionary work with the Slavic people.

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February 14

**FR. AL
ON YOUR 97TH BIRTHDAY
MAY GOD BLESS YOU WITH AN
ABUNDANCE OF PEACE, JOY, AND
LOVE THIS YEAR**



**WISHING YOU A
HAPPY & BLESSED BIRTHDAY
FROM YOUR OLOP FAMILY**

YOUNGER THAN EVER SENIORS

WELCOME BACK
LET'S TRY THIS AGAIN
SAVE THE DATE
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21
WINTER 2022 MEETING

NOON -2:00 PM @ OLOP SCHOOL GYM
JOIN US FOR AN AFTERNOON OF
FELLOWSHIP & PLANNING
SNACKS AND BEVERAGES FOR ALL

NO R.S.V.P REQUIRED
SEE YOU THERE



BLOOD DRIVE

The City of Darien Blood Drive Program of which Our Lady of Peace is a member will host their last Blood Drive of the year on **Tuesday, February 22, 2022 in our gym from 4:00 - 8:00pm**. This drive will be hosted by the Darien Lions Club, the Club having hosted the Darien Annual Blood Drive for several years.

Appointments are not required. If you make an appointment please use the parish code DR01.

If you are 17 years of age or older and weigh at least 110 lbs. a pint of your blood is a special gift you can give to three individuals in need. This is a worthwhile community program that gives others the "Gift of Life". All it will cost you is approximately an hour of your time. Please re- member to bring a photo ID with you and drink nonalcoholic beverages before coming.

If you have any questions please call Michael Powers at 630-740-8917 or e-mail him at meppowlaw@yahoo.com



Join Us!



*We invite all widows of our community to enjoy an
afternoon filled with fine food and entertainment.
Please bring a friend!*

February 15th at 11:30 am - Maggiano's Little Italy
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The Upper Room Hotline is a ministry in the Catholic Tradition where our phone counselors are acting to extend Jesus' care and compassion through the guidance of the Holy Spirit using active listening, empathy, prayer when requested.

Our phone counselors receive free training on private Zoom Meetings. They cover various areas by credentialed University Instructors and Clinical Professionals that will specifically prepare you to assume responsibilities on the hotline.

Call now to be put on our waiting list

Hurry and Sign up Now! **Classes begin** **April 5th - June 2nd** **Call 1-630-988-7395**



Great news, the next Alpha course is starting on **Monday 2/28** at 6:30 PM in the gym.

Join with friends to share a meal, a video and open discussion.

Reconsider who Jesus is and your relationship with him.

See OLOP website for more details.

The Women's Giving Circle, a fund of the Catholic Education Foundation, is hosting an afternoon event on Saturday, February 26th from 1-3pm, to sip, savor and be spiritual with other like-minded Catholic women.

**Tickets may be purchased online and include 2 glasses of wine and charcuterie:
givecentral.org/cefwgcwinter2022**

Virtual attendance is also an option.

**Please email Emily at
ESpray@dioceseofjoliet.org for more information about the event or for more information on the Women's Giving Circle.**



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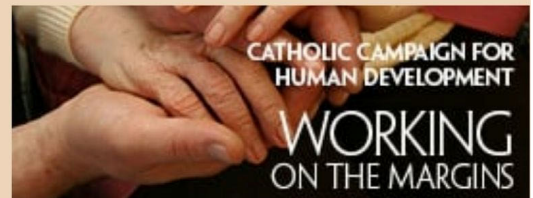
FOR 2022-2023 LOCAL GRANT

CCHD is now accepting applications for the Local Grant Program. Visit <https://bit.ly/3JSAdF2> for more information and the next steps! All organizations applying must go through a multi-step review process.

Contact Alex Quezada with any questions

Email: aquezada@dioceseofjoliet.org

Phone: 815-221-6255



BELLARMINE

Jesuit Retreat House

420 W County Line Rd
Barrington, IL 60010
JesuitRetreat.org

April 8-10, 2022
WITH FR. KEITH MUCCINO, SJ



For more information contact:

Michael Powers 630-941-8466
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Luis Ferrer 630-244-1173
Holy Name Society

Wally Block 630-601-9128
General Attending

Please note this retreat has limited openings. Early registration with a \$100 deposit is encouraged

MEN'S WEEKEND RETREAT

You Will Do Greater Things Than These!



Bishop Hicks' Column

February 2022
Kindness: the antidote
to a cold heart



February can be one of the coldest months of the year. While we may differ on our preference between cold or hot weather, I think we can all agree no one wants a cold heart. St. Catherine of Siena reminds us that, "The human heart is always drawn by love." However, without attending to our relationship to Jesus, it is all too easy for our hearts to turn cold or even lukewarm. In a homily by Pope Francis given in 2016, the Holy Father exhorted, "A lukewarm heart becomes self-absorbed in lazy living and it stifles the fire of love."

So, how do we keep our hearts from turning cold or lukewarm until the spring comes? In other words, how do we keep our hearts on fire with our love for God and neighbor? While there are many possible ways to accomplish that, let me suggest one yet profound way: namely, the practice of kindness.

Recently in our Blanchette Catholic Center, one of our employees was asked what she wanted for her birthday. She replied with one word, "Kindness." Why did she ask for the gift of kindness? I think it is because she has been inundated with what so many of us have been experiencing, specifically a growing amount of rudeness, anger and unforgiving spirit in an increasingly polarized world. Anyone who works specifically in customer service, or just with "people" in general, reports a rise in angry outbursts, both verbally and physically.

While we all want others to be more kind to us, we all also need to work on how to be more kind to others. To do this, a few years ago, someone introduced me to the "FIVE" rule. If you are ever provoked to respond to someone in an unkind way, ask yourself, "Before any nasty words leave my mouth, how will I feel about what I am about to say in the next five seconds? In five minutes? In five hours? In five days? And in five years? It is possible that we might feel better in the next five seconds, five minutes or even five hours. However, it is always good to take a wider perspective and ask, "Is what I am about to say something I will be proud of or regret in the next five days or five years?"

In the Gospels, Jesus gives us an example of what it looks like to be grounded in kindness. In the times that he is dismissed, criticized, opposed, jeered, mocked, and even tortured physically, he responds with a

cumulative and resounding, "Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they do." As we lean into Jesus, our daily prayer lives help to connect to the Sacred Heart of Jesus as we appeal to his love and mercy.

We may be tempted to reject this movement toward kindness because it may be interpreted as a sign of weakness. We might think, "Fine, I am willing to be kinder to others. But that will not help change the rude and angry behaviors of so many other people out there!" However, never forget that kindness is wonderfully infectious. As St. Augustine wrote, "One loving heart sets another on fire." In other words, when we speak and act with kindness, it can spread and multiply in others.

At the Diocese of Joliet, we model and multiply the kindness that Jesus displayed in his life and his works in our ministries. Our Catholic schools teach kindness when students are instructed in Catholic social teaching as part of the regular curriculum. Our Catholic Charities teaches kindness when providing a room for the homeless at Daybreak Shelter or delivering food to the needy through its mobile food pantry. Our adult formation program teaches kindness when accompanying individuals through a study of the Gospels. And our vocations program teaches kindness when helping young men and women discover the fullness of a life devoted to the Lord.

The need for kindness is why the theme for our **2022 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal (CMAA)** is "Devoted to the Works of the Lord." It is through the kindness found woven throughout our works dedicated to God that we find peace and salvation. I encourage you to learn more about our ministries and how you can multiply the kindness of our works through the CMAA by going to the following website: www.jolietdioceseappeal.org

I hope you agree that none of us wants to have cold or lukewarm hearts. We long for hearts on fire with love of God and neighbor. As we wait for the spring, might we consider to be the change we want to see in the world by practicing kindness frequently. As St. Teresa of Kolkata said, "Let no one ever come to you without leaving better and happier. Be the living expression of God's kindness: kindness in your face, kindness in your eyes, kindness in your smile." †

Most Radical Abortion Laws in the U.S.

A Public Forum on Illinois' New Abortion Laws

and Homer Township for Life Proclamation



Keynote Speaker: Bob Gilligan

Executive Director &
Chief Lobbyist
Catholic Conference of
Illinois



Are mother and baby safe
and treated with compassion
in our state?

Agenda

- Illinois abortion laws passed 2019-2021 have expanded to now include
 - No requirement for parental notification if minor child seeks abortion.
 - Abortion allowed for virtually any reason, even late term abortion
 - Requires no licensing or inspections of abortion clinics by state of IL.
 - Abortion pill allowed
 - Your tax dollars now pay for abortions through state Medicaid.
 - Illinois has the most lax abortion laws in the Midwest and is a magnet for out of state residents.
 - MORE changes will be proposed for 2022 legislative session.
- Sanctuary Township for Life Proclamation
- Open Q&A: Moral, legal & economic aspects—what can we do to create a culture of life?

Monday, February 28, 2022
7:00 PM

St. Bernard's Church
13030 W. 143rd Street
Homer Glen, IL

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An Invitation From:

Fr. Clive Otieno

to ALL Men of Diocese of Joliet

The Inter-parish Marriage Enrichment Team presents our 14th Annual Event:

Dreaming Together

A Faith-filled Journey for Your Marriage



Marriage Enrichment Presentation

Saturday, March 19, 2022
9am – 1pm

St. Elizabeth Seton, 2220 Lissan Road, Naperville, IL

\$40 per couple / \$20 per individual
(\$35 per couple/\$18 per individual if ordered by 2/27/22)

When was the last time you dreamt together? At the beginning of new relationships, many couples share dreams and goals, but as years go by, it is easy to fall into routine and forget what those dreams are. With their light, comedic style, Chris and Linda will share practical advice on how to start dreaming together again and how to make those dreams a reality.

Chris and Linda Padgett

Chris and Linda have been married for 30 years. Authors of "Marriage in Ministry" and "Holy Marriage, Happy Marriage", they live in a nine-sided house in central New York and spend their time presenting marriage and family retreats. These high school sweethearts have nine children and four grand kids. Find out more about their unusual life and marriage ministry at www.chrisandlindapadgett.com

Names: _____ Phone: _____
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Please mail with your check made out to IMET to: Cathy and Phil Gorski, 633 Maywood Ln., Lisle, IL 60532
OR register by Pay-pal on our website at www.imetevents.org

CATHOLIC MAN NIGHT

Men Meeting Jesus

Thursday, February 24th 2022, 5:30pm

At **St. Irene Catholic Community of Faith**

28 W. 441 Warrenville Road, Warrenville IL 60555

"Leading Others to Christ in the Secular Society"

- Adoration & Confessions will go from 5:30pm – 6:50pm
- Mass with a Special Inspirational Homily @ 7pm
- <https://www.facebook.com/StIreneChurch/>
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LITURGY SCHEDULE

Lord's Day Masses

Saturday 5:00pm

Sunday 8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00pm

Weekday Masses

Monday- Saturday 7:30am

Liturgy of the Hours

Saturday 6:30pm, 8:15pm

Sunday 9:15am, 2:30pm, 6:30pm 8:15pm

Holy Days of Obligation

Please refer to website

Confessions

Friday 5:30- 6:30pm

Saturday 8:30- 9:45am

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Friday from 3-7pm

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