

March 20, 2022 | Third Sunday of Lent



“Sir,
leave the fig tree
for another year;
perhaps it will bear fruit.”

~ Luke 13:8-9

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The Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception

"I SHALL CULTIVATE THE GROUND
AROUND IT AND FERTILIZE IT;
IT MAY BEAR FRUIT IN THE FUTURE.
IF NOT YOU CAN CUT IT DOWN."

LUKE 13:8-9

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TRUST IN GOD

Elizabeth Barret Browning wrote, "Earth's crammed with heaven, And every common bush afire with God, But only he who sees, takes off his shoes; The rest sit round it and pluck blackberries." We are challenged today to experience the mystery of God with the image of Moses and the burning bush—a God who answers all questions in a simple, bold manner. Like an exasperated parent telling a child "Because I said so," God tells Moses "I am who I am," and "tell the Israelites I AM sent me to you." God may as well have said, "Save all your questions, and trust in me. Quit being so stubborn." The passage from First Corinthians reminds us what happened when the Israelites did not listen to God's message. They grumbled and complained because manna from heaven was not enough! Lastly, an annoyed Jesus calls on his listeners to repent and uses a difficult parable to stress transformation.

A CONTINUOUS LENT

In the Rule of Saint Benedict, the monks are told that their lives should be a "continuous Lent." At first, this may sound like a negative, difficult thing, or entirely depressing. Rather, it is simply a call to be open and continue growing. In fact, one of the vows that Benedictines profess is *Conversatio Morum*, that is, "conversion of life." In a nutshell, that is what Jesus is saying this week. We are being called to change our lives. Some people came to Jesus with gossip and a gruesome story about Pilate; Jesus challenged them with a couple of pointed questions, and then related the parable of the fig tree. To put it in context, usually figs blossom within two years, and then can be harvested twice a year. When a tree has been barren three years, it might be best just to remove it, but this is not the approach that Jesus suggested. Rather, the gardener in the parable chose to nurture the tree, fertilizing it with dung. He was not willing to give up on it.

GROWTH

There are times when we may feel our lives are covered in dung, and we lie dormant through a plethora of difficult and painful moments. But Jesus is calling us to use this time, to draw strength from it, to use the dung in our lives as fertilizer, to begin a slow and steady transformation to a new and better place, until we too can bear fruit. Growth is always a process, and we have to start somewhere. While there is always a call to repentance and conversion, we are blessed with a God who is loving enough and patient enough to wait for us to come to our senses, however long that may take. This Lent we are being called to life. We are called to repent. We are called to be nurtured and fertilized and take the time and effort to grow.

TODAY'S READINGS

Exodus 3:1–8a, 13–15
Psalm 103:1–2, 3–4, 6–7, 8, 11
1 Corinthians 10:1–6, 10–12
Luke 13:1–9

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT
MARCH 20, 2022

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, Beverly Borch, John Bovard, Judy C., Helen Cieslek, Bishop Daniel Conlon, Katy Counihan, Frank Cosenza, Linda Crest, Mario Cristofaro, Pina D'Amico, Frank Dipodiva, Brooklynn Drab, Nancy Fisher, April Fernandez, Mrs. Cecilia Fordwor, John M. Foresman, Darlene Garoza, Sue Geever, Italia Getz, Linda Hall, Moreen Hall, Joan Haremza, Gail Hayes, Theresa Hearn, Mark Herwaldt, Jan Hillerud, JoAnne Hug, Mary Johnson, Dorothy Joyce, Arthur Judy, Chris K., Johnny K., June Kaduk, Pearl Kalinski, Dan Kieras, Jerzy Kolowrozki, Bob (Earl) Kramer, Lee Liston, Rev. David Lord, Amy Lynch, Colleen M., Emily Mason, John Matt, Donna Menard, Norma, Mikuta, 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, 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:

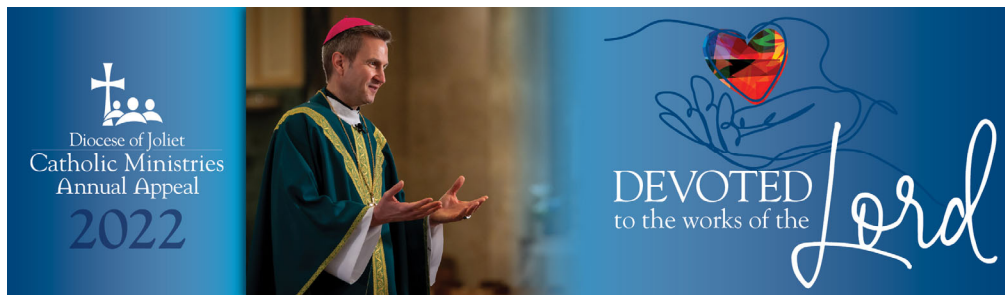
Damien Turrubiarres, Martin Viau



Please Pray for the Servicemen and Women of our Parish

Sean Sebastian

Andy Shreckengost, Staff Sgt. Alyssa LiCavoli



Thank you to everyone who has already shown their devotion to the works of the Lord with a gift to the 2022 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal (CMAA). Every gift, large or small, is appreciated! If we all contribute as generously as our circumstances allow, we can meet our parish's CMAA goal of \$95,800.

If you have yet to make your gift, please prayerfully reflect on how you can best support the CMAA. If we raise more than our goal, 70 percent of the amount over goal will be returned to us for our use. This is an amazing opportunity for our parish.

Pledge envelopes are still available in the church. You can also return the pledge card you received in the mail from the diocese or make a gift online at jolietdioceseappeal.org.

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HOLY GROUND

Moses met God in a most astounding way in the bush that was burning but not consumed by fire. Moses clearly had a powerful encounter with the Lord. He even felt bold enough to ask God's name, something unheard of among his people at the time—God's name was unspeakable. Moses stood on holy ground. Do we not also stand on holy ground? As people who are created in God's image and drawn to Christ through the waters of Baptism, we have been filled with God's grace and goodness. The ground of our lives is holy. Lent is a time when we are called to open our minds and hearts to Christ, rely on God's patient mercy, and to grow as God's holy people.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The LORD God appears to Moses and directs him to go and deliver the Israelites from Egypt (Exodus 3:1-8a, 13-15) *or* Exodus 17:3-7.

Psalms — The Lord is kind and merciful (Psalm 103) *or* Psalm 95.

Second Reading — We are not to grumble like the people with Moses in the desert (1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12) *or* Romans 5:1-2, 5-8.

Gospel — If you do not repent, you will all perish (Luke 13:1-9) *or* John 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42].

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab; Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4; Lk 4:24-30

Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43; Ps 25:4-5ab, 6, 7bc, 8-9; Mt 18:21-35

Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9; Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20; Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: Jer 7:23-28; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Lk 11:14-23

Friday: Is 7:10-14, 8:10; Ps 40:7-11; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38

Saturday: Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18-21ab; Lk 18:9-14

Sunday: Jos 5:9a, 10-12; Ps 34:2-7; 2 Cor 5:17-21; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Alternate readings (Year A):

1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Ps 23:1-6;

Eph 5:8-14; Jn 9:1-41 [1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38]

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Third Sunday of Lent; Spring begins

Wednesday: St. Turibius of Mogrovejo

Friday: Annunciation of the Lord; Abstinence

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Third Sunday of Lent

O God, author of every mercy and of all goodness, who in fasting, prayer and almsgiving have shown us a remedy for sin, look graciously on this confession of our lowliness, that we, who are bowed down by our conscience, may always be lifted up by your mercy. 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:

Undertake an examination of conscience this week and pray for God's loving mercy.

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PRIDE

What better proof of your pride could you have given than to claim you were not proud?

—St. John Climacus

DAMAGE

Hatred does more damage to the person in whom it is stored than to the person on whom it is poured.

—Anonymous

FORGIVENESS

Those who cannot forgive others break the bridge over which they themselves must pass.

—Confucius

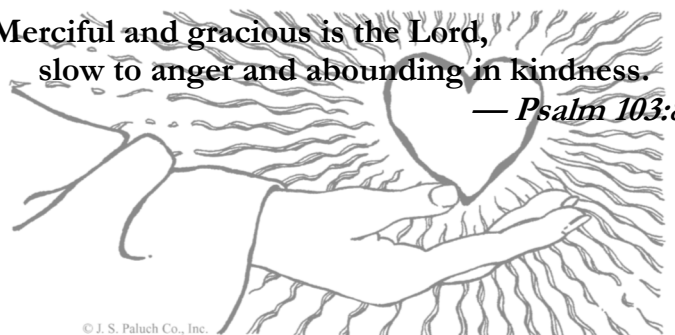
DIRECTION

The great thing in this world is not so much where we are, but in what direction we are going.

—Oliver Wendell Holmes

Merciful and gracious is the Lord,
slow to anger and abounding in kindness.

— Psalm 103:8



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PARISH REGISTRATION

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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

Greny Casuga
Daniel Kavanagh

BAPTISMS

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



WEDDING BANNERS

It is with joy that we announce the upcoming wedding



ANNIVERSARY WISHES

Congratulations to



STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

February Offertory

Goal	\$72,000
Actual	\$69,400
Shortfall	(\$2,600)

Thank you to all our generous parishioners who continue to support Our Lady of Peace during this difficult time. We currently have over 400 on-line donors, please consider using the online donation portal on our parish website.

It's Simple...GIVE ONLINE!

You can set up your account to automatically withdraw your donation each week or just one time, either by check, debit or credit card.

Simply visit our website at:

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and click on the tan "**GIVE ONLINE**" box on the home page! A new page will open where you will register and choose the amount and frequency of your donation.

Check it out TODAY!



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.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

We are requesting that if you wish to make a donation of food items to our food pantry, please do so on Wednesdays between 7:30 and 10:30am when the volunteers are on site. We have had numerous donations of expired food left outside and many of which have exploded due to the freezing temperatures. The food donations are also attracting rodents. We greatly appreciate your donations and kindly ask that you bring them directly to the volunteers as noted above.

Thank you for your cooperation.

MASS INTENTIONS March 19/20

Saturday 3/19	5:00pm	Orlando San Juan (D)
Sunday 3/20	8:00am	People of our Parish Anna Bielski (D) Greg Wiatr (D) Olivia Fleming (D) Tekla Zarycka (D)
	10:00am	Lila & Jgnac Slodkowski (L)
	12:00pm	Dolores Domjancic (D)

MASS INTENTIONS March 21-27

Monday 3/21	7:30am	Henry Krane (D)
Tuesday 3/22	7:30am	Thomas Murphy (D)
Wednesday 3/23	7:30am	Fran Sikora (D)
Thursday 3/24	7:30am	Dolores Loftus
Friday 3/25	7:30am	Mercedes Rodriguez (D)
Saturday 3/26	7:30am	Patricia Klimala (D)
	5:00pm	Juliana Kasper (L)
Sunday 3/27	8:00am	People of our Parish Jeremy Izzo (D) Demetrio G. Veja (D) Kay Firlit (L) Kaplan Family (L)
	10:00am	Robert Kazjanski & Family (L)
	12:00pm	George Tistle (L)

saint snippets

Sir, give me
this water so that
I will not be thirsty,
or have to keep coming
here to draw water.

St. Photina

The Samaritan woman at the well recounted in St. John's Gospel. According to tradition, she preached the Gospel and was imprisoned and martyred.

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March 20

Diocese of Joliet



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March 2022

Dear Friends,

Our diocese will take up the annual second collection for Catholic Relief Services on March 27, and it could not come at a more fortunate time.

As the arm of the Catholic Church that helps the poor and vulnerable overseas, Catholic Relief Services plays a vital role during emergencies such as the war in Ukraine. When Russia launched a military invasion of Ukraine last month, Catholic Relief Services immediately contacted its partners in that country to help families fleeing to safety. The agency and its workers set up field kitchens that offered food. They established evacuation centers to provide shelter, food and counseling for displaced families. They rescued children from areas of conflict and relocated them to safe zones.

Your support of Catholic Relief Services funds organizations dedicated to aiding people affected by war and natural disasters, migrants and refugees in need of material and legal assistance, and people worldwide whose livelihoods are impacted by changing political and environmental conditions.

This is life-saving work. Thank you for your support of our neighbors overseas with your donation to the humanitarian mission of Catholic Relief Services.

Paz y bien,

Most Reverend Ronald A. Hicks
Bishop of Joliet



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The land will never lack
for needy persons;
that is why I command you:
"Open your hand freely
to your poor and to
your needy kin in your land."

Deuteronomy 15:11

2nd Collection 3/27

www.usccb.org/catholic-relief



Stations of the Cross

All Fridays in Lent

(March 4, 11, 18, 25, April 1 & 8)

Stations will begin at 7:00pm

Adoration

Fridays from 3-6:30pm

Confessions

Friday 5:30- 6:30pm & Saturday 8:30- 9:45am

Parish Mission with Deacon Keith Strohm

March 28, 29 & 30th

Shrouded in Mercy Presentation

Thursday, April 7th

Be sure to subscribe to our YouTube channel,
'Our Lady of Peace Parish' to view our
Daily Lenten Reflections.

Visit our website or facebook page for the link.



Rules for abstinence: Everyone 14 years of age and over is bound to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday and all Fridays during Lent.

Rules for fasting: Everyone 18 years of age and under 59 years of age is bound to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

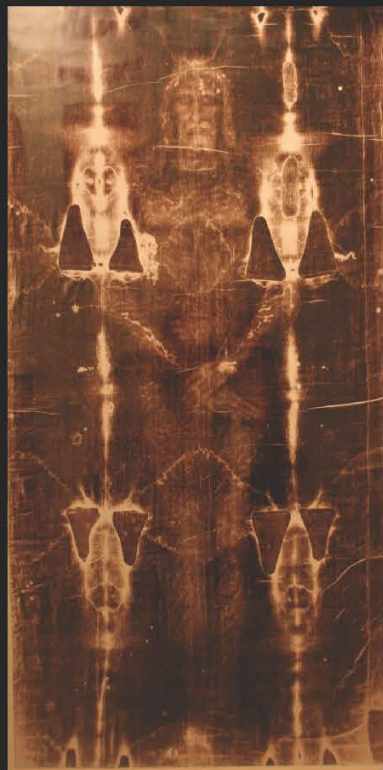
On Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, only one full meatless meal is allowed. Two other meatless meals, sufficient

to maintain strength, may be taken according to each one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal.

To disregard completely the law of fast and abstinence is seriously sinful.

Lent is the principal season of penance in the Christian year. All of the faithful are strongly urged to develop and follow a program of voluntary self-denial, serious prayer, and a performance of works of charity and mercy.

Shrouded in Mercy



Understanding the miraculous connection
between the Divine Mercy Image and
the Shroud of Turin

Thurs, April 7, 2022
Our Lady of Peace Church
Darien, IL
7 pm



Multi-media presentation by
Fr. Mark Baron, MIC

Our Lady of Peace Lenten Parish Mission 2022

with Deacon Keith Strohm

March 28-30 (Monday, Tuesday, & Wednesday) at 7pm

At Our Lady of Peace Church Darien

No registration required – Open to everyone

Ablaze Parish Mission Evening Overviews

The Father's Delight--Night 1

What if you didn't have to earn God's love? What if performance had nothing to do with salvation? In this engaging talk, Deacon Keith Strohm explores the reality of the Father's love for each of us. We were created for an eternal life filled with peace, joy, freedom, and communion with God and each other. Using Scripture, Tradition, and personal stories seasoned with a dose of humor, this live presentation will draw you closer to the Father's Heart—which beats for you.

Breaking The Power of Sin--Night 2

"Jesus died for our sins." We may hear that a lot, but what does it mean that God's Son gave His life for you and me? In this powerful live talk, popular Catholic speaker Deacon Keith Strohm explores the mystery of sin and the Father's response in Jesus Christ. How does the Cross set us free? Is the Cross simply a declaration of our sinfulness, or does it reveal something deeper—something essential for us to know about who we are? Why does it matter that Christ rose from the dead? Using his own unique style, Deacon Keith makes this central movement of the Christian faith accessible and the person of Jesus real for every listener.

Unleashing the Spirit--Night 3

The Lord frees us from the power of sin and death so that we might live in the fullness of His life—a life we were originally created for. Peace, joy, freedom, holiness, intimacy and love, integrity, fruitfulness, mercy, healing—these are all hallmarks of the Kingdom life we receive from Jesus, and they come to us through the gift of His Holy Spirit in Baptism. In this engaging live talk, popular Catholic speaker, Deacon Keith Strohm, explores what it means to live a life empowered by the Holy Spirit and shares how to unleash that Spirit for our sake and the sake of the world!



Deacon Keith Strohm is the former Director of the *Office for the New Evangelization* and a deacon for the Archdiocese of Chicago. Deacon Keith has extensive experience in creating and sustaining processes and programs of evangelization and formation at the group, parish and diocesan level that focus on the making, maturation and missioning of disciples of Jesus Christ. A sought-after international speaker and conference keynote, he has helped tens of thousands of men and women hear the Gospel message and encounter the mercy, love and power of Jesus Christ. Deacon Keith is also the Executive Director of *M3 Ministries* (www.m3catholic.com) and a contributing author, along with six other collaborators, with Sherry Weddell for the book *Becoming a Parish of Intentional Disciples*—a follow-up to the bestselling book, *Forming Intentional Disciples*.

Deacon Keith has published five other books—*Jesus: The Story You Thought You Knew*, a proclamation of the Good News, *The 10 Biggest Lies of the Enemy and How to Combat Them*, *Ablaze: 5 Essential Paradigm Shifts for Parish Renewal*, *Getting*

More out of Lent and the upcoming *Getting More Out of Your Child's First Communion*.

In 2019, he created and launched the *Missionary Leadership Academy*, which provides online community, support, training, and formation to equip ordinary Catholics to transform their ministry, parish, and diocese.

You can follow him on Twitter (@KeithStrohm) and Instagram (@dcn_keith).



PREPARE YOURSELF - COMMUNION

Recognize the Eucharistic Jesus and receive His gifts. As recorded in the Diary of St. Faustina, our Lord promises extraordinary graces to souls who will go to confession (before Divine Mercy Sunday) and worthily receive Holy Communion on this Feast or its Vigil.

Through this promise, our Lord is emphasizing the infinite value of confession and Communion as miracles of mercy. He wants us to realize that since the Eucharist is His own Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity, it is the "Fountain of Life" (Diary, 300). The Eucharist is Jesus, Himself, the Living God, longing

to pour Himself as Mercy into our hearts.

Why would our Lord feel the need to emphasize this? Because so many people do not really understand it. They either see no need to receive Holy Communion, or they receive it simply out of habit. As St. Paul explains in his letter to the Corinthians, they eat the bread or drink the cup of the Lord unworthily, "*without recognizing the body of the Lord*" (1 Cor 11:27-29)

In His revelations to St. Faustina, our Lord makes it clear what He is offering us in Holy Communion and how much it hurts Him when we treat His presence with indifference:

“My great delight is to unite Myself with souls. ... [W]hen I come to a human heart in Holy Communion, My hands are full of all kinds of graces which I want to give to the soul. But souls do not even pay any attention to Me; they leave Me to Myself and busy themselves with other things. Oh, how sad I am that souls do not recognize Love! They treat Me as a dead object . (Diary, 385; also see 1288 and 1447)

So, our Lord's promise of complete forgiveness is both a reminder and a call. It is a reminder that He is truly present and truly alive in the Eucharist, filled with love for us and waiting for us to turn to Him with trust. And it is a call for us all to be washed clean in His love through confession and Holy Communion — no matter how terrible our sins — and begin our lives again. He is offering us a new start.



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"Speak Up For Those Who Cannot Speak
For Themselves"

-Proverbs 31:8



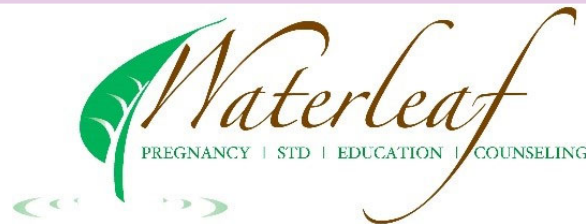
"Because you were there, I changed my mind. I was looking for a sign from God"... and Baby David was born!

You can be that sign from God! Join us to pray for moms and their babies during a 40 day prayer vigil. Select the same hour to pray each week or different hours whenever you can. Or if you can't join us on site during this Fall season, pray from home.

When: Wednesday, March 2 to Sunday, April 10
7AM to 7PM daily

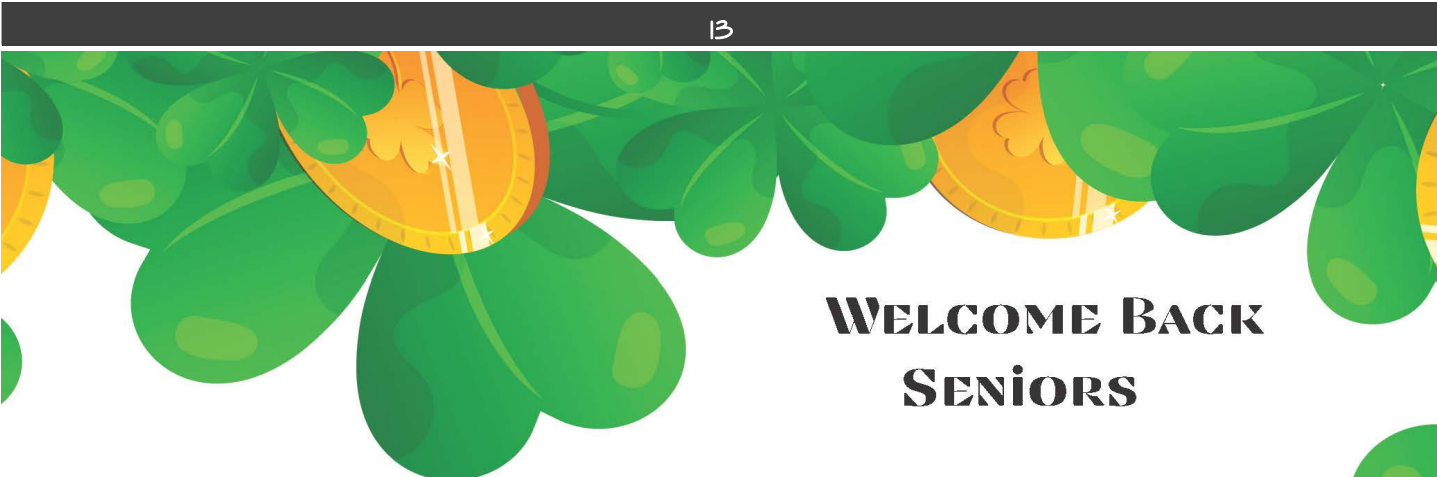
Location: Access Health Center 1700 W. 75th St., Downers Grove

Sign up anytime online at: www.40daysforlife.com/downersgrove
Click on "Log in/Signup" then "Register"



Waterleaf Women's Center is a non-profit organization serving the needs of women and men facing an unexpected pregnancy. The mission of Waterleaf Women's Center is to be the chosen destination for women facing an unplanned pregnancy, transforming their fear into confidence by addressing their physical, spiritual, and emotional needs and equipping them to make healthy life-affirming decisions.

Due to its continued growth, Waterleaf currently has openings for two Leadership Team positions: Director – Marketing and Director – Patient/Client Services. If you are interested in being a part of Waterleaf's mission, a description of these positions may be found on Indeed.com or by emailing your interest and resume to barbara@barbarawichman.com.



WELCOME BACK SENIORS

It was wonderful to see all of you at our luncheon last month.
We are excited to invite you to attend our next meeting.

St. Patricks Day Party
Monday, March 21 from noon - 2:00 pm
Lunch, Bingo, Fellowship & Fun
O.L.P. School Gymnasium
No R.S.V.P. required



Pull out your green sweaters and
pin on your shamrocks, it's Party Time!

If you haven't already paid your 2022 membership dues
please bring them to the party.



HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY

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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

PARISH REGISTRATION

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PARISH WEBSITE

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DIOCESE OF JOLIET WEBSITE

www.dioceseofjoliet.org

MARRIAGE:

Our Parish is a wonderful setting to celebrate your Sacrament of Marriage. Couples must make arrangements at least 1 year before your proposed wedding date to allow for ample time for Marriage Prep.

Please contact **Deacon Larry Fudacz at 630-323-4333 Ext. 104.**

BAPTISM:

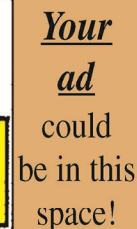
Beginning October 3, 2021, Baptisms will be celebrated every Sunday immediately following the 12 Noon Mass. We ask that the parents be registered members of the parish. First time parents must attend one hour (plus) of Pre-Baptismal instruction held on 2nd or 3rd Tuesdays of February, April, June, August, October and December at 7p.m.

in the School Library. The Pre-Baptismal class may be taken before the birth of the child.

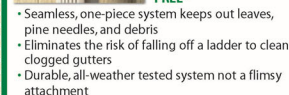
Please contact **Deacon Frank Vonesh** for more information at **708-793-3505**.

EUCCHARISTIC HOME AND HOSPITAL VISITATION MINISTRY:

Our PASTORAL CARE MINISTERS are available to bring Communion to Shut-Ins at home, in hospitals and nursing homes. Request CARDS for PASTORAL CARE VISITS can be found in the Church Lobby and may be placed in the weekend collection basket OR, please contact **Deacon Pat Kenny at pkenny@olopdarien.org**



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