Nativity of the Lord

“For today in the city of David a savior has been born for you who is Christ and Lord.” —Lk 2:11


NEW YEAR’S EVE MASSES
4:30 PM

NEW YEAR’S DAY MASSES
7:30 AM
9:00 AM
10:45 AM
12:15 PM
No 6:00 PM Mass

World Day of Peace
Dear Friends,

I am celebrating my 12th Christmas with you as your Pastor. It gives me time to pause and reflect on where the time went. Some days I feel like I am still new to St. Hubert, and other days it feels like I have been here most of my life. As we begin a New Year, I hope to spend some time in these letters to reflect on different events in our parish since 2005.

The liturgies of Christmas seek to express and shape our spirituality in the context of the Universal Church. In other words, it’s not just about me, nor is it just about my parish, or diocese. We are reminded that we go to God together as a Catholic Church.

The mystery of the Incarnation is not just about a child being born. This miracle happens every day. As disciples of Jesus, we are celebrating that God loves us so much that He became one of us. Just as we are not isolated in our faith, this mystery stands in relationship to all the other sacred mysteries, especially the Paschal Mystery of Easter. All the mysteries make sense to us only because Jesus died, rose from the dead, and will come again.

Advent has prepared us for the Christ child. We have heard the prophets proclaim the One who is to come as a child, to lead us to the unfolding of the Kingdom of God. We hear that He is the one in whom peace is made for all people. The peace is not one that clings to childhood, but develops through the growing and maturing into the persons we are meant to be. It will be through the suffering and darkness of our lives that we will be able to experience the light of Christ. The peace is not just about being calm, but rather, the Word made flesh will stir us up and remind us that He is with us until the end of time. The joy of the season is a joy deep within us that anchors us to Jesus Christ as we go through all the highs and lows of life.

We all know the story about the birth of Christ. Christmas is not just the celebration of the historical fact, but the living the mystery of God’s love for the world. We can ask if Christ is born in us anew. When we are reconciled with a family member or neighbor, Christ is born anew. When we become grateful for what we have and not complain about what we don’t have, Christ is born anew. When nations can cease their warlike activities, and live in peace, Christ is born anew. When justice is done, and love governs our hearts, Christ is born anew. When truth is told, and deceptions cease, Christ is born anew. We can go on; you can come up with your own sentence on how this mystery unfolds.

On Christmas Day, we will gather for Eucharist as a St. Hubert family and thank God for giving us His Son, Jesus Christ.

On behalf of our staff, I want to wish you and your families a wonderful, happy, and peaceful Christmas and a joyful New Year.

Rev. Robert C. Rizzo
WORSHIP

Readings for the Week are on page 7.

Next Week’s Readings:
Numbers 6:22-27
Galatians 4:4-7
Luke 2:16-21

Thank you for being part of our Eucharistic Liturgy today. We’d love to stay in touch, answer your questions, and pray for you. Please fill out the information below and put it in the collection basket, or send it back to the office.

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Hoffman Estates, IL 60169
email: office@sainthubert.org

Name
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Phone
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Question or prayer request
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___I am a visitor.
___I would like to learn more about the Catholic Faith.
___I would like to volunteer in a ministry.
___I am interested in registering as a parishioner.
___I am going into the hospital.
___I would appreciate a call from the pastor.
___Please note my change of address or email.

And…….Whether you are new to St. Hubert or have been here for a while, but haven’t had time to register…Join us on January 15th at the 9:00 AM Mass for a WELCOMING WEEKEND. After Mass, register & enjoy a breakfast in the Lower Level of the church. If possible, please PRE-Register in the front office before the event. Come to the Welcome Table in the Narthex to check in before Mass.

Monday, December 26—St. Stephen
7:00 AM  Mary Licciardi; Eldorado Gibbs; Paul Gibbs

Tuesday, December 27—St. John
8:30 AM  Rita Korbakis; Christine Miller; Peter Hann

Wednesday, December 28—The Holy Innocents
7:00 AM  Communion Service

Thursday, December 29—St. Thomas Becket
7:00 AM  Communion Service

Friday, December 30—Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph
7:00 AM  John (Larry) Muellner; Irving Borta; Mary Licciardi; Bob Dutcher

Saturday, December 31—St. Sylvester
4:30 PM  Carol AmRhein; Mary Bruski; Paul Polak, Sr.

Sunday, January 1—Mary, the Holy Mother of God, Octave of Christmas, World Peace Day, New Year’s Day
7:30 AM  Kelly & Mangan Families
9:00 AM  St. Hubert Parishioners
10:45 AM  Precy Pureza (int.); Edward Nowicki; Tom Wolinski
12:15 PM  Ted Trzcinski; Mary Lorek

Sick  Lou Miller, Leah Laven, Danielle Easton, Joseph & Ann Tazbier, Sam Mulay, Larry Kutt, Brian Collier, Charlotte Delahunty, Patti Lyons, Keith Wilson, Dennis Zajac, Ken Hopkins, Irene Delonka, Danny Orlando, Elsie McCoy, Gemma Dadostin, Jerrie Elder, Dan Moutvic, Stephen Weber, Kenneth Villamar, Judi Kukral, John Scott Karas, Kathy Holder, Pat Dolezal, Mary Kay & Dave Duda, Carol Clipper, Peter Ruden, Emma Tucker

Others  Those who protect us at home or overseas

Deceased Helen Zitek
Nativity of the Lord
"She will bear a son and you are to name him Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins." Today we celebrate that the prophetic dream of St. Joseph was fulfilled! Jesus is born! A Savior has come to deliver us--Emmanuel, "God is with us." Christmas is a feast of fulfillment, a holiday of deep and enduring happiness not only because God became man and was born of a woman, but because along with his Incarnation, God brought us freedom. Jesus is the long-awaited Messiah who sets us free from the misery of our own sins. This is the ultimate gift of Christmas Day.

We exchange gifts today as a sign of our love for one another to be sure, but also as a concrete, visible way to celebrate the gift that we have first received from God. We are free people! We are not slaves but rather the children of God whose priceless inheritance is to dwell in his kingdom for all eternity. On this most festive day of the year, we are invited to exult in this fact and spare little effort or expense to show our gratitude and joy.

We only must be careful not to reduce our celebrating today to something less glorious, something less meaningful, or less profound. This is no mere secular holiday. This is not just a ritual of family gatherings, elaborate evergreen trees and sumptuous meals. Christmas is a holy day and as Christians it is our day in a most definite and undeniable way. The treats and trimmings are all signs that remind us of what lies ahead for those who accept the real gift of Jesus Christ: an unending banquet of eternal delights and divine gifts that will never fail to satisfy. Yes, Christmas is a little taste of heaven, the perfect gift that lies in wait for those who love the Lord.

Are you an adult who has not celebrated the sacrament of Confirmation?

VICARIATE I CONFIRMATION FOR ADULTS

Begins in the Spring of 2017. Dates will be published in January on the website and in the bulletin.

WHO MAY ATTEND? A candidate must be 18 years old AND out of high school, be baptized, and have made First Communion.

If married, must be married according to the laws of the Catholic Church and be presently living in a valid marriage. Persons who are divorced, but not remarried outside the Church, are eligible to receive the Sacraments. If you need help in getting your marriage validated, you will need to contact Fr. Rizzo.

HOW TO REGISTER: Contact Marie Staffa at the Parish Ministry Center 847-885-7700, ext. 124 or mstaffa@sainthubert.org.
Christmas 2016

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

Peace be with you and with all people of good will in this holy season.

After observing the Jubilee Year of Mercy and as we begin a journey of renewal in the Archdiocese of Chicago, we have come to know fresh hope in our hearts. We do not find the source of our hope in our own strength. With the Blessed Virgin Mary we recognize that our hope comes from God. As her son took flesh within her womb, she proclaimed, “God has remembered his promise of mercy.” The birth of her son Jesus is also the birth of our true and lasting hope.

In this moment, we find ourselves challenged in so many ways. Together, we face the plague of war, violence, and a lack of respect for life and for the dignity of all people. On a personal level, we all struggle in different ways, whether with family issues or work or illness or in trying to do the right thing. Still, we hope, because “God has visited his people.”

Pray with me that our celebration of the birth of Jesus may truly renew our hope in God, the only hope that can sustain us on the journey.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Cardinal Blase J. Cupich
Archbishop of Chicago
Want your kids to feel loved?

Having problems with your kids? What if the problem is you, and you just can’t see it?

Want a closer connection with your kids—one that is richer, deeper, and more secure?

Join us for a video workshop with Milan & Kay Yerkovich and learn how one small change in you can make a huge change in your kids.

**Saturday, January 7, 2017**

9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**St. Hubert Church**

Lower Level

Cost: $5 for pizza/salad lunch.

*How We Love Our Kids* offers a unique approach that helps you find out the unseen forces that shape every interaction with your kids.

- Identify which of the five love styles you have.
- Discover the surprising dynamics that shape your parenting.
- Get rid of your “buttons” so your kids can’t push them.
- Create a close connection with your kids that will last a lifetime.
- Learn the seven gifts every child needs.

Based on years of research in the area of attachment and bonding, *How We Love Our Kids* shows parents how to overcome the predictable challenges that arise out of the five love styles and helps parents cultivate a secure, deep connection with a child of any age. Same principles apply whether children are young, teen or adult children.

Retool your reactions and refocus on how you love.

For questions or to register, email Sandy & Dick at hilawson@comcast.net
The Nativity of the Lord

**Vigil Mass**
- Isaiah 62:1-5
- Acts 13:16-17, 22-25
- Matthew 1:1-25

**Midnight Mass**
- Isaiah 9:1-6
- Titus 2:11-14
- Luke 2:1-14

**Daytime Mass**
- Isaiah 52:7-10
- Hebrews 1:1-6
- John 1:1-18

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**Monday December 26**
- St. Stephen
- Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59
- Ps 31:3-4, 6, 8ab, 16bc, 17
- Matthew 10:17-22

**Tuesday December 27**
- St. John
- 1 John 1:1-4
- Ps 97:1-2, 5-8, 11-12
- John 20:1a, 2-9

**Wednesday December 28**
- Holy Innocents
- 1 John 1:5-2:2
- Ps 124:2-5, 7b-8
- Matthew 2:13-18

**Thursday December 29**
- 1 John 2:3-11
- Ps 96:1-3, 5b-6

**Friday December 30**
- Holy Family
- Sirach 3:2-5, 12-14
- or Colossians 3:12-21
- Ps 128:1-5
- Matthew 2:13-15, 19-23

**Saturday December 31**
- 1 John 2:18-21
- Ps 96:1-2, 11-13
- John 1:1-18

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Joy to the world! This is our song. This is what we should always be proclaiming as a people of faith.

Don’t focus on what destroys your joy, for nothing can destroy the coming of the Lord. The absence of joy is merely a blank area in your view of what God is doing.

Look at the love that Jesus has for you! Jesus was born not only to save you from the darkness of sin; he was born because he loves you -- he loves YOU! Even if you had never sinned, he would have come into the world so that he could love you on your level, human-to-human.

Sometimes, great things come in surprising packages that do not seem to be great at all. The Eucharist — in the form of a little wafer of bread -- does not look like it contains the full presence of Jesus with all of his humanity and his divinity. The baby Jesus — a tiny, helpless child -- does not look like the conqueror of evil. But he is! And so is Jesus in the Eucharist; he is here for you.

And you! You might not seem to be a great person, but you contain Jesus. You contain greatness beyond imagining! This greatness does not dwell only in you; it comes out from you in every

good thing that you do. This is a life of faith!

To be a follower of Jesus means we learn to imitate him. In doing good, evil is defeated. In this goodness, the greatness of Jesus extends outward from us. In this goodness, there is cause for great joy.

**Reflect & Discuss:**

1. How much do you really believe that Jesus loves you? What are some examples of Jesus taking good care of you?

2. How do you reveal the love of Jesus to others?

3. When was the first time you can remember experiencing the love of Jesus and realized that it was a gift from God?

4. What does the Eucharist mean to you? How can it change you so that you leave church ready to give the love of Christ to others?

*Merry Christmas! Be very blessed this Christmas season — because Jesus is delightfully in love with you! You are invited to experience the extravagant love of Jesus all year.*
Among John Shea’s poetry, one finds a little piece entitled: Sharon’s Christmas Prayer. It reads:

She was five, sure of the facts and recited them with slow solemnity, convinced every word was revelation. She said they were so poor they had only peanut butter and jelly sandwiches to eat and they went a long way from home without getting lost. The lady rode a donkey, the man walked, and the baby was inside the lady. They had to stay in a stable with an ox and an ass (hee-hee), but the Three Rich Men found them because a star lit the roof. Shepherds came and you could pet the sheep but not feed them. Then, the baby was born-ed. And do you know who he was? Her quarter eyes inflated to silver dollars. The baby was God.

The Christmas story as told by a child: Joseph and Mary journeying on a donkey, no room at the inn, birth in a stable, the star and the shepherds and the wise men and, of course, the baby: God. For us adults, it is all too easy to miss how incredible that story is: the baby was God. The word became flesh and dwelt among us. What a wild and unbelievable statement! The infinite heart, centre, creator, and sustainer of the universe is born as a baby and lives as a human person on this earth and gives us God’s power.

We’ve domesticated the incarnation; the real Christmas story stagers the mind and befuddles the imagination. How’s this for a Christmas story to rival Sharon’s?

We begin by setting up the proper ambience: Imagine the universe … Light travels at 186,000 miles a second. Hence light travelling to the earth from the body nearest to us, the moon, already takes more than a second to get here. From the sun it takes more than 8 minutes to reach earth. But the sun and the moon are close to us. Their distance from us enormous but in terms of the universe as a whole, it is miniscule. If one looks up at the stars at night, of those stars visible to the naked eye, the ones nearest to us are so far away that light travelling from them at 186,000 miles per second takes more than 4 years to reach us. Those which are farthest away, but still visible to the naked eye, are so distant that light travelling from them at 186,000 miles per second takes 800,000 years to get here. That befuddles the mind.

More incredible still: Science today, using X-ray telescopes, has sighted planets whose light has not yet reached earth. These stars are so distant that their light will take 6 trillion light years to get here. That is totally beyond imagination and that is just the universe we have already seen. There may be billions of galaxies and universes of which we are not yet even aware.

So what does Christmas mean? Given that there are perhaps billions of galaxies with trillions of light years separating them, consider that at the centre of all of this there is one heart, one creator, one sustainer, one God who has made all of this and who right now watches over it all so that every individual person and event is passionately cared about, so that “no hair falls from a human head nor sparrow from the sky” without this God knowing and deeply caring. And most incredulous of all … this heart, this God, this center of everything, actually was carried for nine months in the womb of a peasant woman in Palestine and was born into our world as a baby and then lived here, taught us, and gave us, his believers, all the power he, himself, had as God. What a wild belief! Speak about winning the lottery!

If we believe this, and that is the Christmas message, we should be singing carols and passing drinks around.

After John Shea has let the five-year-old Sharon tell the Christmas story, he notes her reaction and supplies us with a one line commentary that expresses the only appropriate way to treat the news of Christmas:

And she jumped in the air, whirled round, dove into the sofa, and buried her head under a cushion, which is the only proper response to the Good News of the Incarnation. The Perfect Christmas Wish.

“The child will begin to smile back; she has awakened Love in its heart, and in awakening Love in its heart, she awakes also recognition … In the same way, God Awakes himself before us as love. Love radiates from God and instills the light of love in our hearts”

—Hans Urs Von Balthasar

Christmas celebrates the birth of the Christ child, an infant at whom we must smile for a long time to awaken into love. And where is this Christ child at whom we must smile? If Mary became pregnant by the Holy Spirit, the spirit of charity, joy, peace, patience, goodness, longsuffering, fidelity, mildness, and chastity, then her child’s face must radiate these features.

We celebrate Christmas when we smile at these, especially where we see them vulnerable, in need of a mother to nurse, nurture, guide, and coax them into adulthood.

Our Christmas gift to those we love can only be a smile … for in them we have seen the charitable, joyful, peaceful, patient, good, longsuffering, faithful, mild, and chaste face of a very vulnerable Christ.

Hopefully they will return the gift – by smiling back!

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THE HISTORY OF CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING FROM LEO XIII TO THE PRESENT DAY
Explore with us the Church’s best-kept secret - Catholic social teaching

“Our commitment to the Catholic social mission must be rooted in and strengthened by our spiritual lives. In our relationship with God we experience the conversion of heart that is necessary to truly love one another as God has loved us.”
—from Catholic Social Teaching: Challenges and Directions.

Wednesday, January 18, 2017
7:00-8:30 p.m.
St. Hubert Church 729 Grand Canyon
Hoffman Estates, 60169
(lower level of the church)

Your registration enables us to plan for seating and refreshments, but walk-ins are welcome.
To register: Call 847-885-7700 ext. 101 or email speakerseries@sainthubert.org.

Catholic Charities New Hope Apartments
A Transitional Housing Program for Homeless Families
November, 2016 Update

Family #28—We Have A New Family!
Our new family is a single African American female with three sons ages 14, 10, 8 and two daughters ages 9 and 16. This mom was fleeing a domestic violence situation and the abuser is currently incarcerated. She currently works as a part-time Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) and is looking for more clients. Her main goal is to increase her income and she seems very determined to work diligently toward her goal while in the program. Her 16 year old daughter is currently pregnant and due any day.

This family is very excited to be in the program and to be a part of the Peace and Justice Cluster parishes.

Family #29—We Have Another New Family!
Our other new mom is a single white female with a three year old son who became homeless due to low income status. She was staying with her child’s father and the relationship became strained while living with his parents. She reported that her child’s father does not work and is not financially stable. They stayed with friends for about two months before she went to a homeless shelter in November, 2016. This mom works for a local pizzeria and is doing special projects for the franchise owner for extra money. She is hopeful that she will soon become a manager due to her experience. Her supervisor reported that she will get a promotion within the next couple of months. This mom is very determined to build a savings account and is focused on saving at least 3 months rent before she exits the program.

It is very exciting to introduce another new family to our parishioners! The Peace and Justice Cluster parishes have assisted 29 families to date and that is awesome!

Season Greetings from the New Hope staff and the clients we serve!
The Spirit of the Season at St. Hubert Catholic School

Fifth grade students and chorus members from the upper grades went to Friendship Village on December 6, 2016 and brought joy and Christmas cheer to the residents. Students read original poetry about their own Christmas experiences. Justin Park accompanied the music on violin, and Colin Smith sang a verse of "Silent Night" in German to the delight of the residents. It was a wonderful morning for both the children and the residents.

Students in grades one through five and Chorus shared the universal gift of music at the annual St. Hubert Christmas Program. What better way to begin the Advent season than through the eyes of children!

Christmas Carols and holiday band concerts are part of our history at St. Hubert School. The award winning St. Hubert Band entertained parents, grandparents and students providing a few minutes of peace in our fast-paced world.

Merry Christmas from the Faculty and Staff at St. Hubert School

www.sthubertschool.org
RCIA NEEDS YOUR HELP!
WILL YOU ANSWER THE CALL?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is the process in which an adult individual becomes Catholic and receives the sacraments of initiation—Baptism, Confirmation and the Eucharist. This journey takes place through catechesis, experience of the parish community, and commitment to a life of the Catholic faithful. Our RCIA community is in desperate need of several individuals to serve as volunteers in our ministry. If you are feeling the call to share your time, we invite you to consider becoming a volunteer. See if one or more of these statements fits you:

- I enjoy talking about my Faith and the Catholic Church, but not in large groups.
- I enjoy having people over for dinner or meeting for coffee to discuss my Faith.
- I have experience teaching about my Faith and the Catholic Church.
- I don’t have much experience, but I would love to learn more about my Faith and the Catholic Church.
- I don’t have a lot of knowledge about the doctrine, but I would like to share my faith journey and experiences with others.
- I would consider being a sponsor — someone to help the Catechumens and answer their questions throughout their journey.
- I enjoy organizing events that are both community oriented, yet spiritually based.
- I would like to be someone who prays for the people in the RCIA.
- I would like to help with the details of the program to create a welcoming environment for inquirers, i.e. refreshments, clean-up, preparing prayer, setting, etc.

If you are interested, please contact Marie Staffa at 847-885-7700, ext. 124 or mstaffa@sainthubert.org. Many thanks for your prayerful consideration to serve our RCIA community.

CLASS OF 2021
ENTRANCE EXAM!

Saturday, January 7th, 2017 at 8:30 AM
Please download the registration from our website, www.stedhs.org, and bring it to the testing day with the $15.00 fee. Please contact Mrs. Cholewa at acholewa@stedhs.org with any questions.

SAINT VIATOR HIGH SCHOOL
Class of 2021 Entrance Exam
January 14, 2017 at 8:00 AM
Please bring two #2 pencils and a $25 check (made payable to Saint Viator) or cash and a completed information form from www.saintviator.com/entranceexam. No calculators allowed.
Youth Ministry News

2017 Mission Trips
Registration is now open for 2017 Summer Mission Trips. Current 7th & 8th graders join us for Just5Days in Milwaukee, June 19-23. High school teens can attend Young Neighbors in Action in Chicago, July 9-15. Get more information on the website or the kiosk. Register early. Fundraising will begin soon.

TAG

TAG (short for Totally Awesome Get-together) is a gathering for high school teens and is a chance for them to hang out with friends (old & new) who share their faith. We take time for some snacks, get to know each other better and have great discussions about God and faith. Join us for our next series learning more about the Bible starting Sunday, January 8, 7:15 -9:00 PM in the church lower level. All teens currently in high school are welcome to join us at any time.

Questions about Youth Ministry activities? Get more information or download Permission slips from the Youth Ministry page at www.sainthubert.org or contact Stephanie Tatara at 847-885-7700, x114 or youthministry@sainthubert.org. Find us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/SaintHubertYouthMinistry.

Have YOU Thought About BECOMING CATHOLIC?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process established for the universal Church for individuals to become Catholic and receive the Sacraments of initiation - Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist. Centered on fostering a deep relationship with Jesus and the Church he founded, this journey takes place through distinct phases over a period of time suitable for the participant, through weekly learning sessions, meeting the parish community, attending Mass and gaining an understanding of the moral life of the Catholic faithful. The RCIA process is a restoration of the ancient catechumenate, arising within the first three centuries following the era of the Apostles.

Who is RCIA for?
1. Persons in need of baptism.
2. Persons baptized in another Christian tradition who desire to become Catholic.
3. Persons baptized Catholic in need of First Communion and Confirmation.

How long is the RCIA process?
The time varies and is dependent on each individual, but is rarely shorter than six months or longer than two years. The Church greatly respects the time each person needs for conversion and decision.

What do you learn in RCIA?
We cover a number of topics on the Catholic faith, from the very basics to moral and social situations. Participants will learn about Jesus Christ and why we follow him. This is a great opportunity to come ask questions and learn in a comfortable, friendly setting. The RCIA team represents a diverse group of Catholic faithful who are honored to share their love of the faith.

Interested in learning more?
Contact Marie Staffa at mstaffa@sainthubert.org or call the Parish Ministry Center at 847-885-7700, ext. 124 for information.

Maintaining Transitional Balance
January 9, 7:00—9:15PM
Saint Hubert Ministry Center
729 Grand Canyon
Hoffman Estates, IL

Doing a prolonged job search can be debilitating. We can become less and less productive as time goes on. We will provide you with some insights from those who have overcome transition malaise and found effectiveness through balanced focus.

For questions regarding the St. Hubert Job Ministry events, contact Bob Podgorski at careerguy1@gmail.com.

FOR THE NEWCOMER: Join us at St. Hubert at 6:00 PM prior to our regular meetings. We'll offer a one hour program on how to use a networking meeting effectively, the tools you'll need such as; The Elevator Speech; How to do a Handbill; and how to generate the contacts you need.
Help Needed!

Regrettably, a couple who teach in our Confirmation Program are relocating and will not able to finish the year.

I am looking for someone to teach the remaining six classes starting February 12th. Classes are on Sunday evenings 7:20 – 9:00 PM. Please call Mike Keenan at 847-885-7703 or email mkeenan@sainthubert.org.

Bayanihan and The Joy of Love Retreat/Mission Trip- Philippines 2017

YAM Lake County is excited to announce a retreat/mission trip to the Philippines this June 16 -27th. We will work with San Agustin parish in the Calamian Islands to examine Pope Francis’ teachings in The Joy of Love through cultural experiences, service and prayer. The trip will also include a brief stay in Japan to explore its amazing food, culture and technology. For more information visit https://goo.gl/yNQfJb or email bn5v@virginia.edu. Registration Deadline: January 14, 2017

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Monday - Thursday........... 9:00AM - 8:00PM
Friday ................. 9:00AM - 4:00PM
(Closed for lunch 12:00 - 1:00PM)
Saturday .......................... 9:00AM - 1:30PM
Sunday ................................ 9:00AM - 1:30PM

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**ST. HUBERT FACILITY ABBREVIATIONS**

**PARISH MINISTRY CENTER**
- Upper Level
- BERN - Bernardin Rm
- DD - Dorothy Day Rm
- SA - St. Aloysius Rm
- Lower Level
- MPR - Multi-Purpose Rm
- PMC CR - PMC Club Rm
- PMC KIT - PMC Kitchen

**CHURCH**
- Upper Level
- CH - Church
- Lower Level
- SCR - St. Cecelia Rm
- COMM - Community Rm
- HALL - Church Hall
- LL KIT - Kitchen
- SHR - St. Hubert Rm
- RMR - Richard Miller Rm

**SCHOOL**
- JR HI - Jr High Classrooms
- SL - School Library
- LR - Lunch Room
- MCL - Music Classrooms
- TL - Teacher Lounge

**WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE**
- **Saturday**: 4:30 PM; Reconciliation after Mass
- **Sunday**: 7:30, 9:00, 10:45 AM; 12:15 & 6:00 PM
- **Monday & Friday**: 7:00 AM Mass  
  *Adoration after Friday morning Mass until 9AM*
- **Tuesday**: 8:30 AM Mass
- **Wednesday & Thursday**: 7:00 AM Communion Service

**SACRAMENTAL LIFE**

**Call the Parish Office 847-885-7700 for further questions or to make arrangements.**

**BAPTISMS**
To register for Baptism, stop in or call the Parish Office. Parents must attend a Baptismal Preparation Meeting, which is held on the last Tuesday of each month at 7:30 PM. You may attend this parent meeting either before or after the baby is born.

Baptisms take place on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month at 1:30 PM or at Mass by arrangement. You will confirm the date for Baptism by attending the Baptism Preparation Meeting.

**MARRIAGES**
Please do not reserve your banquet hall before confirming the date with the church. Set your date by calling the Parish Office as early as possible as you plan your wedding—at least 6 months before the wedding. Weddings take place on Saturdays at 2:00 PM. Weekdays and Sundays must be arranged individually.

**RECONCILIATION**
Saturday after 4:30 PM Mass, or by appointment.

**EUCHARIST FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND**
If there is anyone who would like to receive Eucharist at home, or if you know a friend, neighbor or family member who is homebound and would like a home visit to receive Eucharist, please call the Parish Ministry Center. One of our dedicated ministers will be glad to fulfill these requests.

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