

PENTECOST SUNDAY

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**PENTECOST**

Today we celebrate the great feast of Pentecost, fifty days after Easter. Far from being simply an attractive epilogue to the death and resurrection of Jesus, Pentecost is its very completion and goal. During His last hours with His apostles, Jesus' thoughts turned again and again to an event which was to be the focus on which the Last Supper, the Crucifixion, the Resurrection and Ascension were to converge: the descent of the Holy Spirit on Pentecost.

Pentecost is the climax of God's pursuit of us. It's appropriate that it should end with the flashing of fire. Instead of just leaving us a moral code, God sends the Holy Spirit to dwell within us so that it can be truly said that God lives in us and we live in Him. In John 20:22 the Spirit is beautifully depicted as the breath of the Risen Christ. Just as God breathed into the nostrils of the first man the breath of new life (see Genesis 2:7), the Lord now breathes into our souls the breath of life, His essence. The Trinity dwells in us. Alleluia!

GRATEFUL FOR DONATED ITEMS

As you may know, the Archdiocese of Chicago operates Mundelein Seminary (a graduate school) in Mundelein for the education and formation of future priests. For many years, the Archdiocese of Chicago has also sponsored a separate college level seminary, affiliated with Loyola University in Chicago, St. Joseph College Seminary. This winter, Cardinal Cupich made the decision to close St. Joseph College Seminary in Chicago, citing the low enrollment. Young men from our archdiocese who wish to participate in a college level seminary will now attend St. John Vianney Seminary in Minnesota. Mundelein Seminary, the graduate program, remains open and has strong enrollment.

After hearing about the decision to close St. Joseph College Seminary, I made several written requests asking if some items from their chapel and library could be donated to St. Raphael. I am very grateful that we have now received from St. Joseph a number of vestments, altar linens, and vessels to be used in our liturgies at St. Raphael.

We have also received several hundred books from their library which will now be used to form a parish lending library here at St. Raphael. The collection is strong in areas such as: theology, spirituality & prayer, saints, Church history and liturgy. I am most grateful to the leadership of St. Joseph College Seminary for giving us these items and books so that we can be a stronger parish, serving the Lord and sharing the gospel of Christ.

URGENT CONCERN ABOUT SCAMS

As I wrote last week, there is a scam on the internet involving Catholic parish staff information. Scammers are viewing parish bulletins over the internet, then using similar email addresses to contact people, claiming to be a priest or parish staff member in need of gift cards. etc. I was alarmed this week that a person in our community received a text message on a cell phone purporting to be me texting and asking for assistance with a gift card. If you receive a message out of the blue, claiming to be from me, it might be wise not to respond to such a message by text but instead call our parish phone number and ask to speak with me. If you receive any suspicious communications, please let me know. Thank you.

A Blessed Pentecost,

Fr. Mike McGovern

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Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

At the center of our faith is the conviction that God loves us and calls us to love one another. God gives us a sign of his love and affection for us in giving us priests who serve as our spiritual fathers. They lead our parishes. They offer us support and encouragement in times of need. So often, without thinking of themselves, they serve with great generosity the people entrusted to their care. Now, this weekend we have an opportunity to express our gratitude for this gift that we have received. We will take up a special collection to support the priests who have supported us across our lifetime. This collection benefits both our active and retired priests and is directed to the Priests' Retirement and Mutual Aid Association (PRMAA).

The PRMAA supports our 500 active and 225 retired diocesan priests of the Archdiocese of Chicago. PRMAA provides for the healthcare needs of our active priests as well as the medical and housing needs of our retired priests. This is the only collection that supports the priests of the Archdiocese of Chicago. It is separate and distinct from other initiatives for retired religious order priests, sisters, and brothers.

The active priests of the Archdiocese serve throughout Cook and Lake counties by proclaiming the Word of God, celebrating the sacraments, and offering a shepherd's care to our faith communities. Many retired priests continue to serve in their own way and have become indispensable resources for our communities. The health and well-being of all our priests are integral to their ability to work for us and serve our growth in faith.

Join me, then, in making a generous contribution to this weekend's second collection to support our priests. Let it be a sign of gratitude to them and to the Lord for the priestly ministry which

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Cardinal Blase J. Cupich
Archbishop of Chicago

St. Raphael the Archangel 2019 PARISH PICNIC

Hosted by



Archangels Council

Sunday, June 23, 2019

Church Grounds

We welcome everyone to Mass at 11:00 am in our church and then afterward enjoy picnicking on the parish grounds.

Menu:

Brats, Burgers, Hot Dogs & soft drinks ;if you choose, bring along a covered dish to share.

Games will include kids' games plus the annual egg-toss contest, corn-hole tournament and lots more.

A 50/50 Raffle and Music will be featured.

Please bring a non-perishable food or a monetary donation for the Open Arms Mission.



HOLY COMMUNION UNDER BOTH SPECIES



In our Catholic faith, we believe that during the consecration of the Mass, the bread and wine are changed into the Body and Blood of Christ. We believe that Jesus Christ is present, body and soul, humanity and divinity, in the Holy Eucharist. The doctrine that the Body and Blood of Christ are each present in both the Blessed Sacrament and the Precious Blood (the theological term is

"concomitance") means that if the faithful receive the consecrated host alone or drink from the chalice alone, they have received both the Body and Blood of Christ. For many centuries, the Catholic faithful received the Body and Blood of Christ while only receiving the consecrated host at Mass. Since about 1970, more Catholic parishes began offering Holy Communion under both "species"; with the faithful having the option of receiving both the host and drinking the Precious Blood from the chalice. On the weekend of June 22/23, the Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ, St. Raphael will offer Holy Communion under both species at several of the liturgies. Please listen for the instructions about the distribution of Holy Communion before each Mass.

† **Parish Office Hours** †
Monday – Friday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Mass Schedule and Times

Saturday: 4:00 pm
 Sunday: 7:00, 9:00 and 11:00 am
 Weekday: 8:30 am (Monday-Saturday)

Confession

Saturday, 3:00 - 3:30 pm or by appointment;
 First Friday of every month, 9:00 am

Baptism

Registered parishioners should contact the parish office at 847-395-3474.

Marriage Preparation

Registered and supporting members should call the office. A date should not be set until consulting the pastor.



Registrations for the 2019-2020 Religious Education Program are now being accepted. Tuition per family: \$200; Fees per child: \$50; Late fee assessment per child \$25. Late fees are assessed after June 30, 2018. Please note you should be registered as a parishioner to register your children for Religious Education. For more information, please contact Annette Wynn. Coordinator of Religious Education at (847)395-3474 or religiouseducation@straphaelcatholic.org.

A New Life in Christ

Scripture scholar Father James McIlhone is returning to St. Raphael and will speak on "A New Life in Christ."



This talk will consider the conversions of different people recorded in the New Testament, such as St. Paul, and what it means to live a "new life" in Jesus Christ. Please join us on Tuesday, June 11 at 7:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. All are invited.

Stewardship Report

Budgeted Weekly: \$7,203

April 21, 2019 TBA

May 26, 2019

Donations Received: \$6,091
 Over (Under) Budget: (\$1,112)

Building Fund

May 26, 2019

Pledge Redemption: \$185
 Donations: \$2,149

June 2, 2019

Donations Received: \$7,625
 Over (Under) Budget: \$422

Building Fund

June 2, 2019

Pledge Redemption: \$169
 Donations: \$3,846

Pilgrimage in June 2020

I will be leading a group to Budapest, Prague, Bratislava and Oberammergau in June 2020. Our main purpose will be to attend the famous Passion Play that has been performed in Oberammergau since 1633. This play is performed once every ten years as a tradition by the inhabitants of the village of Oberammergau, Bavaria, Germany. If you would like to accompany us on this pilgrimage, please contact me by phone or email.

Fr. Mike

Mass Intentions

Week of June 9, 2019		Intentions for:	Requested by:
Saturday, June 8, 2019	8:30 am	The Siron Family	Evelyn Ong
	4:00 pm	John Marnul	Sandy Czerwinski
Sunday, June 9, 2019	7:00 am	Parishioners of St. Raphael The Archangel	
	9:00 am	† Mary Sims	Annette Wynn
	11:00 am	† Jeffrey Hutchings	Mr. & Mrs. Hutchings
Monday, June 10, 2019	8:30 am	† Bonita, Kenneth & Gina Piasecki	The Ashbrook Court Neighbors
Tuesday, June 11, 2019	8:30 am	Vida Tumasonis	
Wednesday, June 12, 2019	8:30 am	† Marion Leonaitis	Mike Leonaitis
Thursday, June 13, 2019	8:30 am	Christina Wenn	Lorraine Wenn
Friday, June 14, 2019	8:30 am	† Veronica Paprocki	Fr. McGovern
Saturday, June 15, 2019	8:30 am	The Siron Family	Evelyn Ong
	4:00 pm	† James Terryberry	Walter Cichonski
Sunday, June 16, 2019	7:00 am	Parishioners of St. Raphael The Archangel	
	9:00 am	Frank and Lorrie Wihtelich 57th Wedding Anniversary	The Wihtelich Family
	11:00 am	† Richard Pryhocki, Sr.	Scott Pryhocki

If you would like to have a Mass said for a beloved family member, friend, or special intention, please call the parish office at 847.395.3474. (†Deceased)

Prayer Requests

Please pray for those in our parish and community who are sick:

Dean Pedersen

Bob Geske

Ramon Marrero

Rod Loomis

Joseph Pagani

Residents of Rolling Hills

To request prayers, please call the parish office: 847.395.3474.

Worship & Spiritual Life Schedule Sunday Masses, June 15 and 16, 2019				
Mass Times	4:00 pm Saturday	7:00 am Sunday	9:00 am Sunday	11:00 am Sunday
Clergy	Fr. McGovern	Fr. McGovern Dcn. Webster	Fr. McGovern	Fr. McGovern
Lector	Garry Ryan	1 Open	Brian Morrissey	Dan Strutzel
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Carol Easley Gary Hughes Donna Pavelski	Deacon	Victoria Cardenas Carol Easley Gidget Leable	Beth Baeckelandt 2 Open
Altar Servers	3 Open	T. Garnier	E. Bentley D. Dativas A. Hayes	E. Gardner J. Gardner K. Ilagan
Ushers	Tom Hagerty Dean Parkman Paul Pavelski Ken Van Bergen	Vicky Cardenas 1 Open	Peter Dativas Bob Forster Frank Hayes Jim Sitko	Dana Mentgen Jon Olander 2 Open
Fellowship	Wanda Hagerty	Elizabeth Forster	Julie Hayes	Marietta Centko

Events for the Week of June 9, 2019							
Sun 9	Mon 10	Tue 11	Wed 12	Thur 13	Fri 14	Sat 15	Sun 16
10:20 am Parish Rosary Church	6:30 pm Parish Council	4:30 pm A & R Sodality Ranger Rosaries Church & Fellowship Hall 7:00 pm <i>A New Life In Christ</i> Fellowship Hall	7:00 pm Choir Loft			3-3:30 pm Confession	10:20 am Parish Rosary Church

Please submit any articles, events or activities that you would like included in the bulletin, no later than 12 noon on Wednesday, eleven days prior to publication. All articles are subject to approval. Please include your contact information in case we have any questions.



Open Arms Mission Food Pantry
 1548 Main Street, Antioch, Illinois
 from 4:30 pm to 6:30 pm

St. Raphael the Archangel parishioners volunteer the second Wednesday and fifth Tuesday of each month. Wednesday, June 12, is the next date when our help is needed.

To volunteer, call Pat Clark at 847.395.5683.

Catholic Women's Club of Lake County
 Pilgrimage, July 18, 2019.

Our summer trip takes us to Archbishop Fulton Sheen's Museum in Peoria, Illinois. Cost of the trip is \$55.00 which includes coach, lunch and gratuity. We will depart at 7:00 am from St. Dismas Catholic Church, (2600 Sunset Avenue, Waukegan), returning at 7:00 pm. All are invited to join us.

For more info please call: Carol at 847-543-9170 or Laurie at 832-858-4535 for availability.

Join in Praying our Parish Rosary

Every Sunday at 10:20 am in church, we pray the Glorious Mysteries of the Holy Rosary for the intentions of our parish, in particular for those written in the Intention Book located at the statue of St. Raphael the Archangel.

Please add your intentions to the book so we can lift up your needs and be united in prayer. We read the intentions that have been put in the book the previous Sunday or during the week.

This can be anonymous if you want. Let us prayerfully accompany you on your journey, in imitation of Our Patron, St. Raphael the Archangel.



**Our Lady of the Lakes Parish
 Saint Bede School
 A National Blue Ribbon School
 36399 N. Wilson Road
 Ingleside, Illinois
 847-587-5541;
 www.stbedeschool.com**

In celebration of Saint Bede School's 60th Anniversary, new families who transfer from a non-Catholic school may receive a \$1,000 tuition discount for the 2019-2020 school year. Contact the school office for details.

**Soccer Camps
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 Ingleside, IL**

**For more information contact Mrs. Strang
 847-587-5541**

pstrang@stbedeschool.com

**Ages 2-3 with Parent
 9:00 a.m. to 9:45 a.m.
 June 24-28**

**Kindergarten and Grade 1
 9:00 a.m. to 9:45 a.m.
 June 24-28**

The Our Lady of Humility Parish - CoEd Seniors Group have just secured seating for 54 people at the Fireside Theater in Fort Atkinson to see the "Buddy Holly Story" on Saturday, September 28, 2019. More information and sign up will begin in July. Please contact Richard @ 847.249.4813 if you have questions or need more information.