NOW, MASTER, YOU MAY LET YOUR SERVANT GO IN PEACE, ACCORDING TO YOUR WORD, FOR MY EYES HAVE SEEN YOUR SALVATION.
LUKE 2:29–30

THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD
FEBRUARY 2, 2020

Parish Mission Statement
The Catholic community of St. Marcelline is dedicated to continuing the mission of Christ in the world by inviting all to an awareness of God's abiding presence, by sharing a common commitment to stewardship, and by celebrating God's love in prayer and sacrament.
MEETING ROOM & LOWER NARTH EX USE POLICY

In the interest of public safety, we must be aware of who is in the building at all times. All rooms designated for meetings must be scheduled in advance. Failure to do so can result in loss of privileges.

If you wish to use the Lower Narthex after Mass for your ministry, you must schedule that in advance as well, by contacting Barbara LaMantia at the Administration Center.

KEEP ST. MARCELLINE UPDATED

It is important that we have your correct information. Please let us know when you change your home address, phone number or email address, when you add to your family, or have a death in your family.

Contact the Parish Administration Center at (847) 524-4429, or email our Office Manager, Barbara, at blamantia@stmarcelline.com with your changes.

SEEKING A NEW PARISH COMMUNITY?

Are you visiting us for the first time? Are you seeking a parish that offers challenging and engaging homilies, a fantastic and reputable music program, and a welcoming spirit? If so, consider becoming an active and participating member of this vibrant community of faith. You can register on our website, or at the Administration Center.

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

All submissions for the bulletin are due by 9:00am on the Monday BEFORE you wish it to appear, in either PDF or an image format (.jpg, tiff, gif). Please send to Marc at mbrunelle@stmarcelline.com.

For an up-to-date list of all weekly events please go to www.stmarcelline.com
STEWARDSHIP OF OUR TREASURE
“Give to God what is God’s, and give to Caesar what is Caesar’s”

Weekend of January 26, 2020

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“The happiest people on earth are the people who have discovered the joy of giving.”

“We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give.”

TAX DONATION LETTERS

It’s that time of year again! If you have made any contributions to St. Marcelline Church during 2019, your tax donation letter will be available beginning the week of January 13th. To get your tax letter please call Pam at 847-524-4617, or email her at pkwiatkowski@stmarcelline.com

GIVE CENTRAL ONLINE GIVING

We have partnered with GIVE CENTRAL to offer our parishioners the convenience of automated online giving to St. Marcelline. No need to remember to write a check! This service, which is completely free to use, is SAFE, SECURE and worry-free!! Visit www.givecentral.org to sign up.

ST. VINCENT DePaul FOOD PANTRY

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Thank you for providing the resources that allow us to continue to assist area residents in need during these difficult times, and maintain a well-stocked food pantry.

Food assistance:
(847) 524-9676
Parishioner assistance:
(224) 545-3734

Food only brought in on pantry days. Mon, Tue, Thur & Fri between 1pm-3pm.

Please no clothing, household goods, toys or furniture.

SCRIP FUNDRAISING PROGRAM

Join members of your parish in supporting our fundraising efforts by purchasing SCRIP cards for gifts, gas, food, restaurants, home improvements, clothing and so much more! Your parish receives a percentage on each card your purchase. There is NO cost to you, and the card value NEVER decreases or is subject to service fees. You can buy your cards after any Mass, during the week at the Administration Center, and even online, and pay for your cards using Give Central.

If you have never tried SCRIP cards before, give them a try, and know you are also helping your parish community. Isn’t that worth at least a try??

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### Presider Schedule
The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
World Marriage Day  
February 9, 2020

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### Mass Intentions for the Week

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| February 7 | 8:30  | MASS               | †Catherine Mary Power  
†Gregory Koncos  |
| February 8 | 5:00  | MASS               | All Souls                                   |
| February 9 | 8:30  | MASS               | †Jack & Joanne Falduto  
†Mary Schmelzer  
†Rito Aquino Vargas  
†Phyllis A. Finn |

### Pray for the Sick
Joanna Allen  
Trooper Kaiton Bullock  
Gregory Cambora  
Rita Caprini  
Donald Carroll  
Lorrie Carroll  
Nancy Conley  
Terry Dorgan  
Mary Pat Egner  
John Fieder  
Trooper Lloyd Graham  
Arlene Gregor  
Mike Herman  
Terry Jacobazzi  
Thomas Jakubosky  
Rosalinda Jimenez  
Mary Julian  
Mary Kalacinski  
Dave & Dorothy Keefer  
Patricia Kennedy  
Helen Kropsch  
Gloria LaBrasca  
Katherine Laspesa  
James Lewis  
Eileen Mazur  
Sheila McMahon  
Ed McNevin  
Eileen Mikulecky  
Edward Nowak  
Sylvia Pereira  
Cathy Arnold Porzel  
Maureen Raftery  
Rosemary Ranallo  
Frank & Joan Recchia  
Katherine Ricciardi  
William Stofa  
Maureen Conley Stroksch  
Laura Suprenant  
Dan Treacy  
Baby Camila Tricroce

### Pray for the Deceased
Anna Panicalis | ISP Trooper Gregory Rieves

### Votive Lights
The current donation for each votive candle you light is $2.00. This covers the cost of the candles.

### The List Goes On
Today’s readings reflect on something close to the heart of every human person: the fulfillment of our deepest desires. Without exception, each of us feels unfulfilled in some way. Despite advances in law, technology, and medicine, every person experiences the frustration of “not yet” or “not enough.” Our hearts always want more.

God plants this desire in our hearts. God knows how we ache. What most of us fail to believe, deep down, is that God alone satisfies all our longing. We know, theoretically, that the Creator of the universe provides everything we need, but we could all use more quality time with God to consider the question, “What exactly do I need to be happy, Lord?” Perhaps we can spend more time in prayer and service, asking the Lord to show us what is truly important in life.
We are currently in need of Lay Eucharistic Ministers & Greeters to serve at the 5:00pm and 10:30am Masses. Anyone who has made their Confirmation, and are active parishioners, are warmly invited to consider this important ministry of service. Training is provided in-house, and will require only one hour of your time. Please prayerfully consider serving your parish in this ministry.

We are also in need of Team Leaders from our current ranks that can serve in that capacity at the 10:30am and 5:00pm Masses. If you are a current Eucharistic Minister, and are interested in serving in this role, please let Marc know by calling (847) 524-0260, or by email at mbrunelle@stmarcelline.com.

We are seeking members in our parish who are interested in serving grieving families at funerals that usually take place on a weekday or Saturday mornings. We currently need Adult (male or female) Altar Servers, who are available on a rotating basis. This very rewarding ministry offers comfort to our parishioners in their time of loss.

If you are interested, please get in touch with Dr. Marc Brunelle at (847) 524-0260, or by emailing him at mbrunelle@stmarcelline.com.
God's Word for Children

February 2
Presentation of the Lord

Because Jesus was human, he experienced the same feelings and problems you do. So when you come to him for help, he always does something. To find out what that is, follow the arrows through the rows of candles.

At the end of each day, the Church's Night Prayer includes the words of the Nonn Dictamnus, Latin for “now you dismiss or let go.” The title of the prayer comes from the first words of Session's candle in the New Testament (Luke 2:27–28).

Now, Master, you may let your servant go in peace, according to your word.
For my eyes have seen your salvation,
A light for revelation to the Gentiles
and glory for your people Israel.

On the feast of the Presentation of the Lord, sometimes called “Candlemas,” the candles that will be used in church during the year are blessed. Look for the different candles used in your parish church and draw them. Begin with the Paschal candle, a symbol of Jesus, which is usually near the baptismal font. What kind of candle is used near the altar? What do the candles near the altar, where the Word is proclaimed, look like? Do you have small votive lights or larger pillar lights that people can light when they pray for a special intention? What do they look like?

Jesus is our Light. Other people can light our way to Jesus. In these candles, write the names of people who light your way to Jesus by the way they live and the words they speak. In the last candle, think about those to whom you are light. You can definitely begin with your parents’ names because you brighten their lives.
This Christmas, we celebrated the birth of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Jesus was born a baby in Bethlehem, after his parent's long journey from Nazareth, far from home, poor and in great need. The Holy Family received gifts of support and kindness from strangers: a stable owner, shepherds, angels, the magi, and others who helped during this vulnerable time.

Today, many women discover an unexpected pregnancy. They are vulnerable. They often feel scared, overwhelmed, and with little or no support. They depend on the goodwill and encouragement of others, as Mary and Joseph did.

TLC Pregnancy Services provides social support to moms in need. This new year, 2020, please help us walk with expecting moms and dads so they can love their babies and experience the miracle of people helping people in need.

Visit [https://tlcpregnancyservices.com/christmas/](https://tlcpregnancyservices.com/christmas/) for more information.

**REFLECT RETREAT**

**Mid-life Singles (mid-30s to 50s):** Are you looking for a renewed sense of purpose & belonging? Register today for a life-changing REFLECT weekend retreat at the Joseph & Mary Retreat House (formerly Cardinal Stritch Retreat House) in Mundelein, IL (northern suburbs) on Feb 28-Mar 1, 2020. Take a chance and get involved... you won't regret it! Cost is $215 for meals and a single room. Visit [www.ReflectRetreat.com](http://www.ReflectRetreat.com), e-mail [reflect.chicagoland@gmail.com](mailto:reflect.chicagoland@gmail.com), or call (630) 222-8303 for details.

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**AARP FOUNDATION**

**FREE Tax Preparation**

February 3, - April 14, 2020

Free, individualized tax preparation for low to moderate income taxpayers available. Appointments are required and can be made by calling Senior Services at (847) 285-4597 after January 27, 2020.

AARP Tax-Aide is the nation’s largest volunteer-run tax assistance program. All volunteers complete AARP training and must pass an exam to prepare taxes with the program.
January 10, 2020

St. Marcelline Catholic Church
822 Springinsguth Road
Schaumburg, IL 60193

Dear Tom,

What an amazing Christmas season we celebrated here at Marillac St. Vincent Family Services. We are grateful to all of you at St. Marcelline for including us in your holiday season. The gifts, toys and gift cards make the holiday special here for so many people. It is an incredible to see how generous people can be. As a staff we get to see the magic of Christmas happen each year. A whole network of Santa’s helpers bring the holidays to children and families of Marillac St. Vincent. Each year it renews our faith in mankind. The spirit of the season is evident in each and every one of you.

We were so glad you found your way to us a few years ago. When your van pulled up packed with gifts and toys for our families again this year – we are reminded of how lucky we are to be connected with such a generous parish. It makes such a difference for our families. The holidays can be hard to manage when you are struggling – you all helped families ease that burden. We are truly grateful to you all.

We wish you and the families of St. Marcelline a very Happy New Year. We hope that 2020 brings peace and joy to all. Thank you for your continued support of Marillac St. Vincent Family Services.

All the best,
Sincerely,

Deanna Hallagan &
The Staff of Marillac St. Vincent
GET YOUR VALENTINE GOODIES!

WOMEN OF ST. MARCELLINE
Presents

Our Annual CUPCAKE/COOKIE SALE

FEBRUARY 8 & 9

AFTER ALL MASSES, IN DIEMER HALL
MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL  5:00pm  Mass
SUNDAY        8:30am  Mass
               10:30am  Mass
               The Sanctuary Choir

DAILY MASS     8:30am  Monday, Tuesday, Friday
COMMUNION SERVICE  8:30am  Wednesday, Thursday
HOLY DAYS      Check the Bulletin for Mass Times

PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES
ROSARY after 8:30am Weekday Mass
RESPECT LIFE ROSARY - First Saturday of the Month - 8:00am

SACRAMENTAL CELEBRATIONS

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM
Parents need to attend a Baptism Preparation class. Baptisms are
celebrated the 2nd and 3rd Sundays of the month. More information
is contained on our website.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Saturdays 4:00 to 4:30 pm in the Reconciliation Room in Church, or
by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK
The parish celebrates the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick on
the first Tuesday of the month at the 8:30am daily Mass. For other
requests for Anointing of the Sick, please call the Administration Center.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE
Please call the Administration Center to register at least one year in
advance. See our website for more information.

Parish Administration Center
(847) 524-4429 ~ (847) 524-4597 (Fax)
Monday – Tuesday | 8:00am - 4:00pm
Wednesday – Friday | 8:00am - 5:00pm

St. Vincent DePaul Society Food Pantry
(847) 524-9676 Appointments suggested

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