

April 7, 2024 2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)





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To be a welcoming Eucharistic community by providing resources for spiritual growth and faith development, and encouraging service and discipleship to spread the good news of God's Kingdom.

#### St. Patrick Church

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#### **Pastoral Staff**

Msgr. Robert J. Dempsey, Pastor Rev. Laurence J. Dunn, Pastor Emeritus

#### **Priests**

Rev. Lawrence Hennessey Rev. Thomas Franzman

#### **Deacon Couples**

Ray and Joyce Loman Frank and Patricia De Frank

#### **Parish Staff**

Jennifer Boldry, Operations Director Dawn Isaia, Director of Music Joanne Manarik, Administrative Assistant Gianfranco Isaia, Pastoral Assistant Brandin Stoy, Coordinator of Youth Ministry & Confirmation

#### Religious Education 847-234-2179

Emily Betz, Director of Religious Education Yasmin Alba, Administrative Assistant, Religious Education

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#### **Parish Mission Statement**

To be a welcoming Eucharistic community by providing resources for spiritual growth and faith development, and encouraging service and discipleship to spread the good news of God's Kingdom.

#### **Sunday Masses**

Saturday: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 11:45 am in the Main Church

#### **Daily Masses:**

Monday through Friday 8:00 am in the Old Church

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)**

Saturday: 4:15 pm to 4:45 pm in the Main Church or by appointment

#### Sacrament of Baptism

Sundays: 1:00 pm

Arrangements must be made in advance of the date.

#### **Sacrament of Marriage**

Arrangements must to be made at least six to eight months prior to wedding.

#### Sacrament of the Sick

Contact Msgr. Dempsey at 847-234-1401

#### **Holy Communion for the Homebound**

Please call the Ministry Office at 847-234-1401

#### **Children's Religious Education and Formation**

Mondays and Tuesdays, 4:30pm - 5:45pm

Contact Religious Education Office at 847-234-2179

Sacraments, Visiting of the Sick, & New Parishioner Registration

Contact the Ministry Office at 847-234-1401

**Sacrament of Confirmation** 

Contact Brandin Stoy at 847-234-1401

**RCIA** (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Contact Gianfranco Isaia 847-234-1401

Office for the Protection of Children and Youth

312- 534- 5254 www.archchicago.org

#### **Bulletin Deadlines**

All articles must be submitted by noon of the deadline date. Please contact the parish Ministry Office.

Bulletin DateDue DateApril 21April 11April 28April 18May 5April 25

We have a boxtop receptacle in the gathering space. Box tops go to help fund Most Blessed Trinity Academy in Waukegan.



#### **Domestic Violence Outreach Ministry**

www.stpatrick-lakeforest.org/dvo

#### If You Need Help Call:

A Safe Place (847) 249-4450 or (800) 600-SAFE (7233)

National Domestic Violence Hotline (800) 799-SAFE (7233)

### Our Prayers

#### Mass Intentions

Sunday, April 7

8:00 am

Mary Jane Bressanelli, req. Meg & Leo Bressanelli

10:00 am

Edna M Sullivan, req. Liz & Ted Brandt Betty J Mack, req. Joanne Manarik David Schilder, req. Patty Schilder Heraty Dr. Oscar Giron, req. Pat & Vicky Correa

11:45 am

People of St. Patrick's Parish

Monday, April 8 8:00 am

Mary Ellen Kadleck, req. Susan & Mike Phillips

Tuesday, April 9

8:00 am

Dorothy D'Souza, req. Menuhin D'Souza

Wednesday, April 10

8:00 am

The holy souls in Purgatory, req. Madeleine McCoy

Thursday, April 11

8:00 am

Jeanne Hlavacek, req. Bible Study Group

Friday, April 12

8:00 am

Joseph & Marilyn Alaimo, req. Katherine Andersen

Saturday, April 13

5:00 pm

John Graham, req. Ken & Mary Billings

Sunday, April 14

8:00 am

Eileen McDonnell, req. Meg & Leo Bressanelli

10:00 am

Bruce Ruedig, req. Therese Ruedig Jane S Baylor, req. Liz & Ted Brandt James Kaczmarek, req. Anthony & Marie Lacko John Sternberg, req. Peggy & Bill Long

11:45 am

People of St. Patrick's Parish

#### Those Serving Our Country

Maj. Patrick Burke, Jr., US Air Force Son of Patrick and Patty Burke

Lt. Col. Patrick J. Fahey, USMC

Son of Tom and Marilyn Fahey

Sr. Air Staff Sgt. Taylor Sloan US Air Force Nephew of Paul Sloan

Lt. Col. Michael J. Koob US Air Force

Son of Mike and Donna Koob

Captain Colt Marcyan, US Army Son of Ana and Carl Marcyan

Lt. Stephan Pavlick, US Army

Son of Debbie Pavlick

SN Jeremy Killeen, US Navy

Son of Carol Killeen

Command Master Sergeant Anthony Pisano, US Army,

Nephew of Michael Moebs

Major General Stephen L. Davis, US Air Force,

Son of Karen Davis

Staff Sgt. Section Chief Joseph D. Whitley, US Army,

Nephew of Frank and Cathe Keres

Ensign Owen William Platt, US Navy,

Son of Roger and Liz Platt

Cadet Reid Walsh, United States Military Academy,

Son of Allison & Brian Walsh

The Lake County Veterans and Family Services Foundation is dedicated to helping Veterans and their families get the military benefits they have earned. If you need help connecting with Veterans Administration or other related resources, please contact foundation representative Bob Gorman at <a href="mailto:robertegorman@sbcglobal.net">robertegorman@sbcglobal.net</a>

#### Our Sick

Virginia Wharton

Christopher Fabian Block Mike Moebs

Mike Moebs Fr. Ronnie Calkins Stuart Boldry, Sr. Joseph Zittnan Brie Lee

David Kozak Glenn Kozak Jennifer Mikell Jeff Neumayer

Roberta Neumayer Ann Panek Trish Tivnan Craig Kuzma

Jeanne Tomb Adam Mikell Jane Williams

Nancy Marie Hirtz Eleanor McGahan Dick Jaworski

Pendri Shalem Roger Lane Geri Arnold
Jennifer Rajab
Ashley Nirtaut
Noreen Folkerts
Carolyn Cimarrusti
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Kim Johnson
Maggie Sullivan
John Tocks
Peggy Hudson
Jerry Hudson
Bill Leslie
Frankie Zand
Betty Ann Erickson
Erin Mancini
Frank Lucchese-Soto

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Andrea Scott
Nicole Tallaricho
Carolyn Weiby
Mary Ann Gilray
Amy Karstens
Jerry Zeitner
Jane Ernst
Andy Kaplan
Logan Griffin
Bob Fincutter
Tim Gough
Sandy Ragsdale
Kate Dressel

Steve Stenzinger

#### Our Deceased

John Graham, brother of Kevin Graham

#### This Week

Sunday, April 7 1:00pm Youth Ministry - YR 4:00pm Confirmation - PC

Monday, April 8 4:30pm - 5:45pm RE Class - PC 6:30pm MG NCAA Fundraiser -PC

Tuesday, April 9 4:30pm - 5:45pm RE Class - PC 7:00pm Sycamore - PC

Wednesday, April 10 8:30am Adoration - OC 9:00am IH Prayer Group - CR 9:05am St. Mary Mass - MC 6:00pm Bunco for Babies - PC 7:00pm Wednesday Night Bible Study - CR

Thursday, April 11 9:30am Thursday Morning Scripture Group - PC

Friday, April 12

Saturday, April 13

Sunday, April 14 12:00pm Teaching Safety - PC 1:00pm Youth Ministry - YR

Monday, April 15 4:30pm - 5:45pm RE Class - PC

#### Next Week's Ministers

Ministry Schedules are available online at www.stpatrick-lakeforest.org/MinistrySchedules

April 13 - 14	Eucharistic Min.	Altar Servers	Ushers
Saturday 5:00pm Fr. Franzman			
Sunday 8:00am Msgr. Dempsey			
Sunday 10:00am Fr. Hennessey			
Sunday 11:45am Msgr. Dempsey			

#### This Week's Readings

Sunday: Acts 4:32-35/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 (1)/1 Jn 5:1-6/Jn 20:19-31 Monday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38

Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Jn 3:7b-15
Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 3:16-21

Thursday: Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20/Jn 3:31-36 Friday: Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Jn 6:1-15

Saturday: Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/Jn 6:16-21

Next Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9 (7a)/1 Jn 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48

#### **Finances**

YTD ending March 31, 2024

 Actual
 Budget
 Surplus/Deficit

 \$491,647
 \$435,903
 \$55,744

#### **Prayer in Time of Pandemic**

Almighty and eternal God, our refuge in every danger, to whom we turn in our distress, in faith we pray: look with compassion on the afflicted, grant eternal rest to the dead, comfort to mourners, healing to the sick, peace to the dying, strength to healthcare workers, wisdom to our leaders and the courage to reach out to all in love, so that together we may give glory to your holy name.

Through Christ, our Lord. Amen.



The Sunday after Easter was established as Divine Mercy Sunday officially on April 30, 2000 when Blessed Maria Faustina Kowalska was canonized. St. Faustina's journey began long before when a peasant Polish girl entered the Congregation of the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy. St. Faustina experienced many emotions during her mission to share the message of Our Lord's Divine Mercy to the whole world.

"The Lord said, '... Today I am sending you with My mercy to the people of the whole world. I do not want to punish aching mankind, but I desire to heal it, pressing it to My Merciful Heart. ... (Diary, 1588), ... You are the secretary of My mercy. I have chosen you for that office in this life and the next life. ... (Diary, 1605) ... to make known to souls the great mercy I have for them and to exhort them to trust in My bottomless mercy. (Diary 1567)' "

We too can follow this mission and help St. Faustina bring souls to Our Lord. The Divine Mercy Message is spelled out as simple as ABC as listed on the National Shrine of The Divine Mercy website.

- **A** Ask for His Mercy. God wants us to approach Him in prayer constantly, repenting of our sins and asking Him to pour His mercy out upon us and upon the whole world.
- **B** Be merciful. God wants us to receive His mercy and let it flow through us to others. He wants us to extend love and forgiveness to others just as He does to us.
- **C** Completely trust in Jesus. God wants us to know that all the graces of His mercy can only be received by our trust. The more we open the door of our hearts and lives to Him with trust, the more we can receive.

Hopefully everyone can experience the joy of participating in Divine Mercy events this Sunday. We can also carry this message throughout the year by any or all of these daily activities:

- Venerating the Divine Mercy Image, on a prayer card, screen saver, or downloaded picture.
- Saying the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3pm each day or anytime during the day.
- Evoking the phrase, Jesus, I Trust in You, out of love, mercy or for help.

There are many beautiful resources available to guide everyone on the journey of God's Great Mercy!

- » *Divine Mercy in My Soul Diary of Saint Maria Faustina Kowalska*; 1987; Congregation of Marians of the Immaculate Conception, Eden Hill, Stockbridge, Massachusetts 01262, USA
- » https://www.shrineofdivinemercy.org/what-divine-mercy-message
- » <a href="https://www.thedivinemercy.org/message/devotions/image">https://www.thedivinemercy.org/message/devotions/image</a>



**Easter Flower Donation Remembrance** 

The beautiful flowers decorating the church during this Easter season have been donated by parishioners in loving memory of beloved departed family and friends, or in honor of someone. We, as a parish, are grateful for the floral beauty afforded in our worship space by our fellow parishioners. We commend them to your prayers.

#### In Memory Of:

Arlene & Bob Rabe, Sr. Leo & Lottie Fischer Harry & Helen Horcher Jerry Shields Angie Mazza Ursula Barzyk Joseph Roberti Silvija Aleksiunas Fr. Bill McNulty Mr. & Mrs. Donald McKay Carl Scichili Mary Ellen Kadleck Nicky Manta Earl & Helene Hukill John & Hattie Kadleck John Sternberg Valeria Bimbi Cristiano Bimbi Jackie Hoover-Jones

#### In Honor Of:







### WATEH PARTY

# CHAMPIONSHIP GAME Monday, April 8

Doors Open at 6:30pm • Tentative Tip Off 8:20pm
Watch the game on the Big Screen!
Chili Cook-Off Championship

**St. Patrick Church O'Gara Center** 991 S. Waukegan Rd., Lake Forest, IL 60045

#### **All Are Welcome!**

Register at www.stpatrick-lakeforest.org/mg/ncaa2024 after Mass, or at the Door



\$20 in Advance, \$25 at the Door.

Hang out, eat some good food and watch the game!

#### Catered by Rosati's Bannockburn, Drinks and Chili

Brackets and Squares are available for sale! \$10 each after Mass or at the game (if supplies last)

Proceeds to benefit Most Blessed Trinity Academy



#### Wednesday, April 10, 2024 7:00pm - 9:00pm in the O'Gara Center

No Bunco Experience is Necessary!

Wine, Soft Drinks, and Desserts Will Be Served

Entry fee is a donation of any items listed below.

All items donated will benefit Heather's House or Monica's House.

Diapers: Sizes newborn 1&2	Baby Clothes: Newborn, gender neutral	Baby Clothes: 3+ months, boy/girl	Gift Cards: Walmart, Target & Jewel	Paper Towels, Toilet Paper, Tissues & Napkins
Baby Wipe Refills	Baby Toiletries	Receiving Blankets	Crib Sheets	Garbage Bags

#### Please RSVP by April 5, 2024

RSVP online at <u>www.stpatrick-lakeforest.org/bunco</u>, or email <u>peggy.gaier@sbcglobal.net</u> or <u>khealan@gmail.com</u>

If you are not able to attend but would like to support our cause donations will be accepted during all Masses on April 6 & 7, and April 13 & 14.

Please see the Women's Group display in the Gathering Area.

Heather's House & Monica's House: Many women consider abortion because they lack adequate housing or will otherwise be homeless if they choose life. The mission of Heather's House & Monica's House is to support women in difficult and unplanned pregnancies by offering them a safe and secure home where they can live with their babies. Heather's House & Monica's House are more than shelters, they offer mothers an opportunity to develop the life and job skills necessary to become financially independent and loving mothers. For additional information, see their website at <a href="https://www.aidforwomen.org">https://www.aidforwomen.org</a>.

open to all children entering grades K-5



registration deadline: April 8

### ADVENTURE

July 22-26, 2024 9 am - Noon Church of St. Mary

Questions? Contact Fr. Radley ralcantara@churchofstmary.org

Hosted by: Church of St. Mary St. Patrick - Lake Forest



#### CALL for VOLUNTEERS

adult volunteer sign up



ADVENTU

July 22-26, 2024 9 am - Noon Church of St. Mary

Hosted by: Church of St. Mary & St. Patrick - Lake Forest



middle + high school student volunteer sign up





help save lives!



#### St. Patrick's Church Blood Drive

950 W. Everett Rd. Lake Forest, IL 60045

Sunday, May 5, 2024 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.



**Scan to Schedule an Appointment** 



Abbot Austin G. Murphy, OSB



Topic:

The Eucharist



Monday, May 7 7:00pm in the O'Gara Center

Adult beverages to be served



Save the Date

# Spring Luncheon

Thursday, May 9, 2024
Conway Farms Golf Club
11:15 a.m.



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