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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 Little 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 Fr. Gunderson 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

OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Contact the Ministry Office at 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 Date

June 22

June 29

July 6

Due Date

June 12

June 19

June 26



A Letter from Fr. Jerry Gunderson

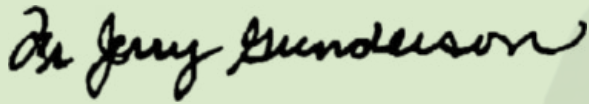
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Dear Friends,

Pauline Jaricot, a Catholic laywoman founded The Society for the Propagation of the Faith in Lyon France in 1822. It is the oldest of the Pontifical Mission Societies. The Mission Office of the Archdiocese joins as partners with various mission societies throughout the world by sponsoring the Summer Missionary Cooperation Plan. Parishes are matched with various missionary causes. A representative of each missionary group arranges for a visit at each parish throughout the archdiocese.

In my short time here I have been impressed by the missionary impulse that is apparent in this parish. Your support for Most Blessed Trinity, our sharing parish and school, for Roberti House, for East Lake Academy, and for Fr. Wilfred Phiri and Chikwa Parish has been outstanding. It is even more important right now when there is a more inward focus in our country.

So once again today I come to you to ask for your support. Please listen to the appeal made by Dr. Amine Kidane at all our masses this weekend and respond as you are able. In the midst of their struggles, you can be an agent of hope. Thank you for your generosity.



Fr. Jerry Gunderson

The Catholic Eparchy (Diocese) of Keren in Eritrea.

Eritrea, located on the Horn of Africa, has a population of about 3 million. The population of the area covered by the Diocese of Keren is about 450,000, of which about 12% are Catholic and 80% are Moslem.



The Diocese of Keren is located in an arid, semi-desert, rocky, rugged mountainous region and is ravaged with frequent droughts. Often even finding drinking water is a challenge. The Diocese and the people continue to struggle with difficulties that hamper development at every turn. The Catholic Church is a beacon of hope to an otherwise desperate situation.

The Diocese of Keren is blessed with many vocations. For the Diocese of Keren to continue to carry its mission of spreading the Gospel, we humbly ask for prayers and generous financial support. Thank your prayers and generosity. God bless you.

With Gratitude,

Dr. Amine Kidane

Representative for The Catholic Diocese of Keren

This Week

Sunday, June 15

Most Blessed Trinity

Missionary Co-Op Appeal - All Masses

8:00am Mass - Fr. Jerry

10:00am Mass - Fr. Franzman
Children's Liturgy of the Word

11:45am Mass - Fr. Hennessey

Monday, June 16

Tuesday, June 17

6:30pm Finance Meeting - CR

Wednesday, June 18

8:30am Prayer Group - CR

8:30am Adoration - OC

6:30pm Benediction - OC

Thursday, June 19

Juneteenth National Independence Day

Friday, June 20

Saturday, June 21

5:00pm Mass - Fr. Jerry

Sunday, June 22

Corpus Christi

8:00am Mass - Fr. Franzman

10:00am Mass - Fr. Jerry
Children's Liturgy of the Word

11:45am Mass - Msgr. Dempsey,
Dcn. DeFrank

12:30pm Corpus Christi
Procession - MC

1:30pm Retirement Party Deacon
DeFrank - PC

Monday, June 30

Scripture Questions of the Week

First Reading:

Proverbs teaches us that the wisdom of God was present with God throughout creation, playing on earth and finding delight in humans. *What brings delight to your life?*

Second Reading:

Paul encouraged believers that in Jesus we have peace with God and through the Holy Spirit we have the love of God in our hearts. *Why do you think these fruits of the Holy Trinity have been given to us?*

Gospel:

Jesus taught his disciples that the Spirit gives to believers everything the Father has given to the Son. *When have you been generous to others?*

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This Week's Readings

Sunday:	Prv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (2a)/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15
Monday:	2 Cor 6:1-10/Ps 98:1, 2b, 3ab, 3cd-4/Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday:	2 Cor 8:1-9/Ps 146:2, 5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a/Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday:	2 Cor 9:6-11/Ps 112:1bc-2, 3-4, 9/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday:	2 Cor 11:1-11/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 7-8/Mt 6:7-15
Friday:	2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 6:19-23
Saturday:	2 Cor 12:1-10/Ps 34:8-9, 10-11, 12-13/Mt 6:24-34
Next Sunday:	Gn 14:18-20/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 (4b)/1 Cor 11:23-26/Lk 9:11b-17

Finances

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Surplus/Deficit</u>
Sunday Collection for the Weekend of June 7 - 8	\$14,312	\$12,667	\$1,645
	<u>Ordinary Income</u>	<u>Ordinary Expense</u>	<u>Surplus/Deficit</u>
Fiscal Year to Date	\$1,134,422	\$1,266,726	(\$132,304)

Our Prayers

Mass Intentions

Sunday, June 15

8:00 am

† Rich Freeman, req. Tim Murphy

10:00 am

† Diane Lapelle, req. Bill Lapelle

† Donna Mae Conwell, req. her family

† Russell Lodarek, req. The Donato family

† Dr. Richard J Miguel, req. The Brandt family

11:45 am

People of St. Patrick Church

Monday, June 16

8:00 am

† Judy Heraty, req. Dick Heraty family

Tuesday, June 17

8:00 am

† Dorothy D'Souza, req. Menuhin D'Souza

Wednesday, June 18

8:00 am

† Deceased members of the Lidral & Braig families,
req. Therese Ruedig

Thursday, June 19

8:00 am

† Dorothy D'Souza, req. Menuhin D'Souza

Friday, June 20

8:00 am

† Blair F. Collings, req. Ted & Liz Brandt

Saturday, June 21

5:00 pm

† The Holy Souls in Purgatory, req. Madeleine McCoy

† Rudy Lausch, req. Nancy Lausch & Betty Stralka

† Philip Ferretti, req. Debra & Robert Tagliaferro

Sunday, June 22

8:00 am

† Pio Moresco, req. Mary & Al Moresco

10:00 am

† Beau Howard, req. Ted & Liz Brandt

† Jorg Schniter, req. Rich & Marilyn Merrifield

† Dawn Michelle Kaufman, req. Ani Weiler

† Kathleen Murphy, req. Ted & Liz Brandt

11:45 am

People of St. Patrick Church

Those Serving Our Country

Lt. Col. Patrick Burke, Jr., US Air Force

Son of Patrick and Patty Burke

Lt. Col. Patrick J. Fahey, USMC

Son of Tom and Marilyn Fahey

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

Major General Stephen L. Davis, US Air Force,

Son of Karen Davis

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

Nephew of 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

Lt. JG Matthew Croisant, US Navy

Son of Tom & Kim Croisant

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 robertegorman@sbcglobal.net

Our Sick

Fr. Ronnie Calkins

Joseph Zittnan

Nicole Tallarico

Carolyn Welby

Florence Gatti

Jennifer Mikell

Gianfranco Isaia

Carolyn Cimarrusti Erickson

David Kozak

Patricia Tivnan

George Kouba

Crista Olufs

Dr. Ken Schmidt

Richard Seremak

Darrel Folkerts

Names added to the prayer requests will remain for 1 month. To add or re-add a person please email jmanarik@stpatrick-lakeforest.org or call the ministry office at 847-234-1401.

Our Deceased

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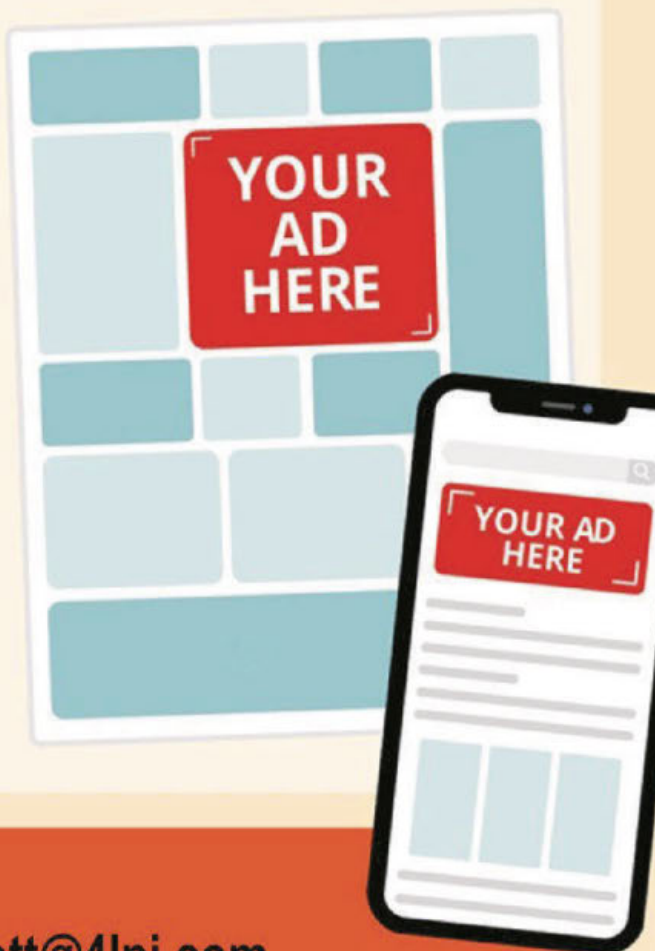
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Amanda Scott

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Deacon De Frank to retire on Corpus Christi Sunday

A love story based on Faith and the Eucharist

The story of how Deacon Frank De Frank met his wife Pat is notable. But it was his love story with our Faith and the Eucharist that would light up both of their lives—and ours as parishioners of St. Patrick.

Deacon Frank's preaching and community-building skills led to the establishment of two practices at St. Patrick: First Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in 2010 and the Feast of Corpus Christi procession in 2020, both recognizing Christ's presence in the Eucharist. He also helped to create our Prayer Wall in 2009 as part of a committee dedicated to enhancing parishioners' prayer life.

"My primary focus has been on the Eucharist," said Frank. "My mother influenced my love for Jesus." Faith in God's providence is also a significant part of Frank's personal history.

After college and service in the Peace Corps, Frank returned to Chicago and spoke at a city parish about his overseas experience. His future wife Pat attended the presentation because she was interested in joining the Peace Corps. Upon meeting, Frank was smitten. They subsequently married, had two daughters, and will be celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary in July.

With a career move to an executive position in Bloomington, Minnesota, Frank and Pat dedicated themselves to their local parish's mission. The experience determined his calling. Frank enrolled in Saint Paul Seminary, being ordained as a Deacon in 2001.

To be closer to family, including their grown daughters, the couple moved to Lincolnshire, Illinois, where Frank resumed his Deacon duties, serving at Saint Mary of Vernon, Vernon Hills, Santa Maria del Popolo Church, Mundelein, and later St. Patrick in 2008.

Having served our parish for the past 17 years, Deacon Frank will retire and preach his last homily on the Feast of Corpus Christi Sunday, June 22, 2025, at the 11:45 Mass, followed by the procession at 12:45 pm, and a light luncheon in the O'Gara Center, honoring his contributions.

Once a Deacon, always a Deacon

As described in the Catechism of the Catholic Church (1570), "Deacons share in Christ's mission and grace in a special way. The sacrament of Holy Orders marks them with an imprint ('character') which cannot be removed, and which configures them to Christ, who made himself the 'deacon' or servant of all."

Deacon Frank plans to continue attending daily and weekend Masses and volunteering at WSFI, a local not-for-profit Catholic radio station, where you can listen live at 88.5 FM/750 AM. You can always stay in touch with Frank by calling the parish office.

Everyone is invited to join in our 5th annual

Procession as we Honor our
Eucharistic Lord

The Feast of Corpus Christi Sunday, June 22

**The procession will begin immediately
following the 11:45 Mass**

*Those not attending the Mass should begin to assemble in the
front courtyard between 12:00pm and 12:15pm.*

The procession will end with Benediction in the main Church.

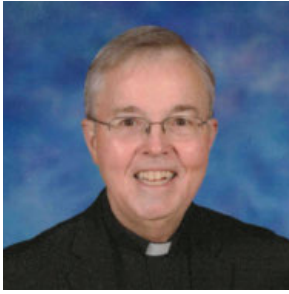
This will be followed by a retirement celebration for
Deacon De Frank with a light lunch in the O'Gara Center.

All are encouraged and welcome to attend!

Please RSVP on our website at:
www.stpatrick-lakeforest.org/corpus-christi



Celebrating Fr. Jerry Gunderson's Faithful Service



Mass & Reception

Sunday, June 29

10:00am

Main Church and O'Gara Center

St. Patrick Church is deeply grateful to Fr. Jerry Gunderson, who came out of retirement last year to serve as our Parish Administrator. We invite you to join us as Fr. Jerry presides over the 10:00am Mass on Sunday, June 29, before re-entering retirement. Immediately following Mass, we will gather for a reception in the O'Gara Parish Center to thank Fr. Jerry for his generosity, leadership, and pastoral care.

Please RSVP on our website at

www.stpatrick-lakeforest.org/fr-jerry-celebration

so we can get an accurate count for food.



Lake Forest Day Parade August 6, 2025

The annual Lake Forest Day Parade is coming this summer! Fr. Franzman will be driving his 1929 fire truck representing St. Patrick.

We are looking for parishioners and our youth to ride on and walk alongside the fire truck! Anyone interested should contact Margaret Tomaselli at margaret.tomaselli@gmail.com or (312) 303-8099.

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BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY TRAINING 2025

Date: Saturday, July 19, 2025
8:30 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Presenters: Deacon Joe and Diane Yannotta

Place: St. Edna Church
2525 N. Arlington Heights Rd.
Arlington Heights, IL 60004

RESERVATIONS: You MUST contact the Bereavement Ministry Coordinator at your parish prior to registering for this workshop. Go to bit.ly/MCBereavmtjuly25 to register.

Bring a sack lunch. Registration closes

Friday, July 18, 2025.

Questions? Contact Deacon Joe
Yannotta jyannotta@stedna.org
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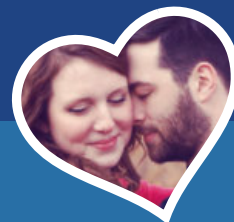
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