

# ST. CLETUS CHURCH

## Rectory

600 West 55th Street  
LaGrange, Illinois 60525  
[www.stcletusparish.com](http://www.stcletusparish.com)

WEBSITE EDITION

**Rev. Raymond Klees**  
*Pastor*

**Rev. Patrick O'Neill**  
*Associate Pastor*

**Rev. Charles Gallagher**  
*Pastor Emeritus*

**Rev. Patrick Marshall**  
*Weekend Associate*

**Maria Arias**  
*Director of Hispanic Ministry*

**Mary Beth Ford**  
*Youth Director/Social Concerns*

**Jolene Hillgoth**  
*School Principal*

**Patricia Kahl**  
*Director of Religious Education*

**Bobbie Kallal**  
*Business Manager*

**Kathie O'Neill**  
*Art & Environment Coordinator*

**Carol Pogar**  
*Liturgy Coordinator*

**Justin Sisul**  
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*Director of Grounds/  
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*Minister of Care Coordinator*

**PASTORAL OFFICES:**  
700 West 55th Street  
LaGrange, Illinois 60525  
352-6209

**PARISH SCHOOL**  
352-4820

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION/RCIA**  
352-2383

**HISPANIC MINISTRY**  
352-4856

**YOUTH MINISTRY/  
SOCIAL CONCERNS**  
352-4641

**LITURGY/MINISTRY OF CARE**  
352-4834

**ART & ENVIRONMENT**  
352-4834

**MUSIC DIRECTOR**  
352-4547

**GROUND/TECHNICAL SUPPORT**  
352-8597



## MASSES

Saturday Evening: 5:00 PM  
Sundays: 7:00 AM, 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM,  
11:00 AM, 6:00 PM (Spanish)  
Evening before Holy Day: 7:00 PM  
Holy Day: 6:30 AM, 8:00 AM, 9:00 AM  
Weekdays: 8:00 AM

## BAPTISMS

1st & 3rd Sunday of the month at 1:00 PM. Parents must be registered parishioners and attend the Baptism Preparation Class. Please make arrangements by calling the Rectory office (352-6209).

## WEDDINGS

Dates and times are reserved for registered parishioners. Initial arrangements must be completed five months in advance of the wedding date.

## HOME/HOSPITAL VISITATION AND COMMUNION CALLS

Please contact the Ministry of Care office (352-4834).

## CONFESSIONS

1st & 3rd Saturday of the month: 4:00 PM

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO

Office of the Archbishop



Post Office Box 1979  
Chicago, Illinois 60690-1979

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Today we celebrate Seminary Sunday in all the parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Chicago. In fact, we celebrate the lives of the many priests who serve you so faithfully each day and those who are preparing to serve you with that same charity in the future. The love of a priest for his people makes present Christ's love for his Church.

As your busy lives unfold each week, good and dedicated priests in this parish continue to say Mass, baptize your children, witness marriages, visit the sick and bury your loved ones. Your priests never stop caring about you, your children and your parish.

This coming Seminary Sunday, please pray for vocations to the priesthood and for all of our seminarians. Your prayers are a tremendous support for them. Please also take a moment to thank the priests who serve so faithfully each week as they bring the love and healing power of Christ to you.

May God continue to bestow on you and your family His choicest blessings. You are in my prayers and I ask you to remember me, our priests and seminarians in your prayers each day.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Francis Cardinal George".

Francis Cardinal George, O.M.I.  
Archbishop of Chicago

## Reminder: Year II Confirmation Candidates

The Rite of Election/Enrollment of Names for our Year II Confirmation Candidates will take place at the 11:00am Mass today.

Mary Beth Ford, Youth Ministry

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection - This Weekend

"That We May Have Priests..." Thank you for your ongoing prayers and financial support for this Collection for the Seminary System of the Archdiocese of Chicago. Envelopes are available in the pews. Please be generous.

## St. Cletus Parish Lenten Mission

You will not want to miss this Mission. Save the dates now! The theme of the Mission is "Reverence the Past – Honor the Present – Embrace the Possibilities." Fr. Bill Stenzel, former pastor of St. Francis Xavier Parish, will be our Mission Presenter. Fr. Bill will speak at all of the Masses on March 4-5, the First Sunday of Lent. The Mission will continue on March 6-8 at 7:00pm in church. More details will follow each week in the Canticle and on the Parish Website. Remember, save the dates NOW – you will be sorry if you miss this beginning to Lent!

Pat Kahl

Director of Religious Education

## Catholic Festival of Faith

Bringing together Catholics from across Chicagoland...February 16-18, 2006  
Donald E. Stephens Convention Center

- 120 Breakout Sessions
- Sessions will be available in English, Spanish & Polish
- Sessions designed especially for teens in Catholic and public high schools
- Liturgy and prayer experiences
- Keynote Speakers
- Presentation
- Special Events and Exhibits

For information, visit

[www.catholicfest.org](http://www.catholicfest.org) or call (312) 752-8388.



## Sellers and Shoppers Needed!


It is time for our Annual Kid's Rummage Sale! If you would like to sell some children's items or are in need to purchase items - our Rummage Sale is for you!

The big event takes place in Morrissey Hall on Saturday, February 18 from 9:00am 'til noon. Tables are available for \$5. Questions, call me at (708) 352-2383.

Pat Kahl

Director of Religious Education

## January 29

<b>Budgeted revenue:</b>		<b>\$27,000</b>
<b>Collection Received:</b>		<b>31,876</b>
<b>Surplus last week:</b>		<b>4,876</b>
<b>Revenue to budget</b>		
<b>Surplus for this fiscal year:</b>		<b>1,562</b>
<b># of envelopes mailed:</b>		<b>3,181</b>
<b># of envelopes returned:</b>		<b>1,047</b>

**Thank you for your continued support. Please remember to use your offertory envelopes.**

## Our Sharing Parish

The parishes of Blessed Sacrament, Presentation and Our Lady of Lourdes have been integrated into St. Agatha Parish. In order for this Catholic Community to succeed, they need our help and prayers. Please continue to be generous with our sharing Parishes the first Sunday of the month.

**Please note:** Many parishioners have elected to have their weekly Sunday offering contribution debited out of their checking account once or twice a month. If you would like more information, contact Bobbie, (708) 352-6209, at the rectory office.

## Cookies Galore!

Experience the refreshing taste of **Thin Mints** or the light and delicious **Trefoils**. Yes, Girl Scout cookies may be purchased after all Masses this weekend in the Kindergarten lobby. Cookies are \$4 per box and funds raised will benefit the St. Cletus Girl Scouts. Cookie donations may also be made to the St. Cletus Food Pantry and are 100% tax deductible! Come experience Girl Scouts - come experience Cookies Galore!

Laurie Severino  
Scout Leader

## Annual Catholic Appeal 2006

“He has put His seal upon us and given the Spirit in our hearts.”  
2 Corinthians 1:22

Cardinal George is sending a letter, this week, to past contributors to the Annual Catholic Appeal campaign. It will reflect on the campaign theme that is shown above. If you receive this letter, please respond with a generous pledge to support the ministries, programs and services provided by the Archdiocese of Chicago.

On the weekend of February 11-12, we will provide additional information about this campaign.

On the weekends of February 18-19 and 25-26, we will conduct the in-pew solicitation process so that those who do not receive the mailing will have an opportunity to make their pledges. As each parish household prayerfully reflects on the amount of the pledge to be made to support the ministries, offices, programs and services of our Archdiocese, please reflect on the following questions.

1. Do I believe that financial support of my parish and my Archdiocese is a part of my responsibility as a Catholic?
2. Is what I give to the work of the Church enough to show how grateful I am for what God has given me?

Each parish household is asked to consider making a substantial pledge, payable in five monthly installments, to support the work of the Archdiocese. Archdiocesan services benefit our parish and parishioners. Also, when our parish exceeds its goal, 100% of the over goal funds will be returned to us for use in the work of our parish.

Please pray for the guidance of the Holy Spirit as you consider the above questions and give generously, according to what God has given to you.



# February 2006

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

<p><b>5</b></p> <p>(C)1pm - Baptism (200)9-11am - RCIA (C)11am - Year 2 Confirmation Liturgy (Entire School)9:15-10:45am - RE</p>	<p><b>6</b></p> <p>(207)9-11:30am - Manna (Entire School)6:30-8pm - RE (M)3-5:30pm - Gym Practice (M)8-10:30pm - Men's BB</p>	<p><b>7</b></p> <p>(207)3-4pm Troop #215 (M)7-8:30pm - Parent Comm Mtg (M)9-10:30pm - Church League BB (208)11:20-12:20p - Jr Great Bks</p>	<p><b>8</b></p> <p>(200)7-8pm - RCIA (207)9-11:30am - Manna (210)3-4pm - Troop #242 (M)4-30-9pm - BB Games (M)3-4:30pm - Gym Practice (M)9-10:30pm - Church League BB (207)6:45-8:15pm - Cub Scouts (201)7-8pm - School Board</p>	<p><b>9</b></p> <p>(C)8:30-8pm - Food Pantry (M)3-4:30pm - Gym Practice (M)4-30-9pm - BB Games (M)9-10:30pm - Church League BB (210)2:30-5pm - Jr GS Gr 4 (Libr)11:20-12:05p - Jr Great Bks (210)11:25-12:05p - Jr Great Bks</p>	<p><b>10</b></p> <p>(201)7:15-11pm - Bridge (M)3-9pm - BB Games (208)11:25-12:05p - Jr Great Bks</p>	<p><b>11</b></p> <p>(M)9am-2pm - BB Games (M)6:30-9:30pm - TGIF School Dance</p>
<p><b>12</b></p> <p>(200)9-11am - RCIA (Entire School)9:15-10:45am - RE (98,99,100)9:15-10:45am - EC</p>	<p><b>13</b></p> <p>(207)9-11:30am - Manna (Entire School)6:30-8pm - RE (M)3-5:30pm - Gym Practice (208)11:25-12:05p - Jr Great Bks (M)8-30-10pm - Men's BB</p>	<p><b>14</b></p> <p>(200)7-9pm - Bap Class (207)3-4pm - 1st Gr Brownies (213)7pm - School Board Mtg (C)9am - School Mass (M)3-4:30pm - Gym Practice (M)4-30-9pm - BB Games (M)9-10:30pm - Church League BB (Art)11:20-12:05p - Jr Great Bks (207)11:25-12:05p - Jr Great Bks</p>	<p><b>15</b></p> <p>(207)2:50-4:30pm - 4th Gr Jr GS (M)3-9pm - Gym Practice (207)9-11:30am - Manna (213)7pm - FSA Meeting (M)9-10:30pm - Church League BB</p>	<p><b>16</b></p> <p>(121)7pm - Dinner Dance Meeting (207)2:50-4:30pm - Troop #277 (M)3-4:30pm - Gym Practice (M)4-30-9pm - BB Games (M)9-10:30pm - Church League BB (207)11:25-12:05pm - Jr Great Bks  Parent/Teacher Conferences</p>	<p><b>17</b></p> <p>(M)Noon - Set up RE Garage Sale</p>	<p><b>18</b></p> <p>(C)4pm - Confessions (M)8am-Noon - RE Garage Sale (M)6-10pm - Church League BB</p>
<p><b>19</b></p> <p>(C)1pm - Baptism (200)9-11am - RCIA</p>	<p><b>20</b></p> <p>(M)8:30-10pm - Men's BB (M)3-8:30pm - Gym Practice</p>	<p><b>21</b></p> <p>(200)7-8 - Conf Advisor Mtg (200)9-9 - Conf Advisor Mtg (207+213)1:2-5:00pm - LT counselors &amp; parents mtg (207)3-4pm - Troop #244 (207)9-Noon - RE Vicar Cluster (M)3-4:30pm - Gym Practice (M)4-30-9pm - BB Games (M)9-10:30pm - Church League BB</p>	<p><b>22</b></p> <p>(200)7-8pm - RCIA (207)9-11:30am - Manna (210)2:15-4:30pm - Troop #242 (208)3-4:30pm - Troop #276 (M)3-9pm - Gym Practice (207)6:45-8:15pm - Cub Scouts (M)9-10:30pm - Church League BB</p>	<p><b>23</b></p> <p>(M)3-4:30pm - Gym Practice (M)4-30-9pm - BB Games (210)11:15-12:15p - Jr Great Bks (208)11:25-3:05p - Jr Great Bks (Libr)11:20-12:05p - Jr Great Bks (M)9-10:30pm - Church League BB</p>	<p><b>24</b></p> <p>(M)3pm - Conf Retreat Setup</p>	<p><b>25</b></p> <p>(M)6-9am - Conf Retreat Send off</p>
<p><b>26</b></p> <p>(Entire School)9:15-10:45am - RE (98,99,100)9:15-10:45am - EC (200)9-11am - RCIA (M)8:30-10pm - Men's BB (208)11:25-12:05p - Jr Great Bks  Return</p>	<p><b>27</b></p> <p>(207)9-11:30am - Manna (Entire School)6:30-8pm - RE (M)3-5:30pm - Gym Practice (M)8:30-10pm - Men's BB (208)11:25-12:05p - Jr Great Bks</p>	<p><b>28</b></p> <p>(M)3-9pm - Gym Practice (M)9-10:30pm - Church League BB (Art)11:20-12:05p - Jr Great Bks</p>	<p>Church.....C Morrissey Hall.....M  #201 (35-40) #207 (30) #210 (12-15) #213 (25) #208 (15)</p>	<p>RE - Rel. Ed. HM - Hisp. Min. YM - Youth Min. CFM - Christian Family Movement HN - Holy Name GS - Girl Scouts LL - Leisure Loafers WC - Women's Council FSA - Family School Assoc. BSS - Before School Spanish SRG - Small Reading Group</p>	<p>Times shown on this calendar include set-up times. Please check with your organization for starting times.  Because of unanticipated needs, the calendar is subject to change occasionally.</p>	<p><b>Clean up</b> <b>Turn Off Lights</b> <b>No Smoking</b> <b>Your Cooperation is Appreciated</b></p>



## Mass Intentions for the Week

**Monday, February 6**

8:00 a.m. - Purgatorial Society  
Thomas Kigin, Julius Chevigny,  
Special Intention

**Tuesday, February 7**

8:00 a.m. - Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Haraburda,  
Stefan & Paulina Slobodnik, Francis Herzog,  
Raymond Clifford

**Wednesday, February 8**

8:00 a.m. - John Ruzas, Angela Clifford,  
Karen Gorak, Frances Moore

**Thursday, February 9**

8:00 a.m. - William Jaworski Sr., Stella Kadlec,  
John & Marion Fitzpatrick, Mildred Vendegma

**Friday, February 10**

8:00 a.m. - Purgatorial Society  
John Hopp, Charles Daley, Elsie Wagner

**Saturday, February 11**

5:00 p.m.

**Sunday, February 12**

7:00, 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00am

## Altar Servers



February 11/12

5:00 p.m. - N. Ybarra, T. Bruce, S. Goethals  
7:00 a.m. - M. Philbin, C. Stepuszek, A. Sansone  
8:00 a.m. - M. McQuillan, J. Tsheff, R. Ward  
9:30 a.m. - R. McCollom, B. Funk, D. Hebal  
11:00 a.m. - A. Cabral, W. Lawler, K. Kodatt

## Rest in Peace

Please remember in your prayers these parishioners  
or loved ones of parishioners who recently died:

...Arlene N. Skryd, wife of Thomas  
...Barbara McQuaid, wife of Ed  
...Francis Cirrincione, husband of Maureen  
...Mary Schlichting, mother of Lori Warner  
We extend our condolences to all families who have  
lost a loved one during this past week.

## Wedding Banns

Kathleen Pyrcce and Steven Gonzalez

## Auxiliary Minister Schedule

**Saturday, February 11, 2006**

**5:00 PM** LR Augustine, Ellie-  
SM Kalata, Marcie- C1 Pavlik, Loretta-  
B2 Heyes, Marlene C2 Heyes, Stuart  
B3 Thornton, William C3 Thornton, Modeli  
B4 Ford, Mary Beth- C4 Kalata, Marcie-  
B5 Bozec, Betty- C5 Kensek, Maggie-  
B6 Micek, Dan C6 Micek, Judy

**Sunday, February 12, 2006**

**7:00 AM** LR McDonnell, Michael  
SM Stomm, Barbara  
B2 Stomm, Barbara  
B3 Stamm, Richard  
B4 Fahay, Ann-  
B5 Smith, David-  
B6 Maltby, Terry-



**8:00 AM** LR Staelgraeve, Mark  
SM Welch, Jerry- C1 Barsilli, Helen-  
B2 Pagar, Carol C2 Skupien, Kathy  
B3 Hague, Kay- C3 McCartney, Sandr  
B4 Saban, Jackie- C4 Welch, Jerry-  
B5 Jarosik, Judy- C5 Sullivan, Patrick-  
B6 Biesadecki, Bob C6 Biesadecki, Carol

**9:30 AM** LR Demonte, Linda-  
SM Samuelson, Debra- C1 Kunkel, JoAnn-  
B2 Nicosia, Christine- C2 Severino, Laurie-  
B3 Meuwissen, Jean- C3 Hagen, Emily-  
B4 Dillane, Jennifer- C4 Samuelson, Debr  
B5 Mulderink, Ken- C5 Tsheff, Christine  
B6 Ward, Laura- C6 Maday, Josephine

**11:00 AM** LR DalPorto, Christine  
SM Koch, Barbara- C1 DalPorto, Karen  
B2 Hoskins, Celine C2 Hoskins, William  
B3 Augustyn, Ron- C3 Herzog, Terri-  
B4 Mangahas, Aurora- C4 Koch, Barbara-  
B5 Provan, Karen C5 Provan, Jim  
B6 Kigin, Billie- C6 Garske, Elizabeth

## Please Pray for

...our sick in your prayers: Dorothy Salvato, Ann Marie Nabor, Nadine Pankow, Patty Johnson, Michael Abalos, Connie Kosteki, Connor Farrell, Jonii Patterson, Catherine Meyers, Luigi Iacopetti, George Mrozek, Andy Rasch, Mary Jean Sternquist, Agnes Suennen, Joseph Johnson, Rose Ptak, Robert Frost, Robert Salbego, Bridie Boyce, Stephanie Yakowicz, Louis Cesario, Virginia Wilson, Gail Pankow-Locker, Josie Spoto, Larry Wojnar, Louise Jaunich, Frank Werner, Virginia Tenerelli, Agnes Olszowka, Judy Hofstetter, Michael Karpinski, Emil Chlapecka, Augustin Jaso, Marie Krolicki, Mary O'Rourke, Debbie Broz, Bill Gilmer, Scott May, and Jackie Zaccari. Also pray for our parishioners who are in nursing homes or are homebound and unable to attend Mass.

## Road to Recovery

The American Cancer Society's Road to Recovery program needs kind people to volunteer to drive cancer patients who have no transportation to and from their treatment appointments. You can volunteer as much or as little time per month as you desire. Schedules are very flexible. Volunteer coordinators are also needed.

Please call Marni at (708) 484-8541 ext. 231 for more information.