

Saint Cletus Parish Canticle

Truth shall spring out of the earth,
and justice shall look down from heaven.
— Psalm 85:12

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



WELCOME

So glad you could join us!

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Mass Intentions for the Week of July 16 - July 22, 2018

Day	Presider (subject to change)	Time	Intentions
Monday	Fr. Gamboa	8:00 a.m.	John Cooper
Tuesday	Fr. Baker	8:00 a.m.	Jane Schafer, Rebecca Becerril
Wednesday	Fr. Clark	8:00 a.m.	Virginia Rachford, Evelyn Prevanas, Special Intention - Rob Stafford
Thursday	Fr. Baker	8:00 a.m.	Leon Kozicki, Joe Saban, Stella Kadlec
Friday	Fr. Clark	8:00 a.m.	Erik Geyer, Joseph Weise Jr.
Saturday	Fr. Gamboa Fr. Clark	8:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	St. Cletus Priests, Past and Present Ken Kakareka, Georgia Popp, John Cooper, Lisa Gabriel, Mary Detman
Sunday	Fr. Gamboa Fr. Baker Fr. Clark Fr. Baker Fr. Gamboa	7:00 a.m. 8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 12:30 p.m.	St. Cletus Parishioners Luczakow Family, Stacey Baker Gene Mazurek Gene Kennedy, Gloria Mascio, Tony Mascio, Trish Mascio, David M. Barkley, Margarita Garcia, Henry Maday, Leyla Zavislak Barry Samuel Vazquez

Marriage Banns



Audrea Alaniz & Ryan Nabor

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED AND THEIR FAMILIES...

Filemon Rodriguez
Husband of Sanjuana Rodriguez
May he rest in peace. Amen.

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

This weekend there will be a second collection to support the Living our Faith, Building our Future Capital Campaign: Final Phase. Thank you for your continued generous support.



PARISH OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

Monday thru Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
 Friday 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
 Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday 8:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

The parish offices have moved to the new parish center. Food pantry remains in the rectory.

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS:

We always welcome names for the sick. Please note that requests must only be made by the individual or an immediate family member. Names will remain in this prayer list for 3 months.

July - Frank Niwa
June - Frank Colonna, Nicole Will Montemagni
May - Bonnie Boerste, Helen Brennan, John Burns, Dr. Larry Bernstein, Christine DeMaria, Daniella DeRivera, Gerda E. Dorso, Dan Gibbons, Tom Hansen, George Hess, Kay Hogue, Kathryn McCord, Rosa Nilles, Ayanna Kucera O'Neill, Frank Pastrana, Patricia Rodey, Kathleen Russell, Lucy Schoenecker, Carol Witkowski
Also pray for our parishioners who are in nursing homes or are homebound unable to attend Mass.

Notes from Fr. Bob...

15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus is clear and direct, and there is no mistaking his instructions to the Twelve. In action and in word, the apostles are to communicate clearly the Good News of the one who sent them. The austerity of lifestyle commanded by Jesus is not in itself virtuous; Jesus knows, however, that comfort is often the enemy of zeal. If the apostles were encumbered by possessions, they could be distracted from their task. If they were confident of their daily bread, they could become complacent. If they were not well received, they might doubt their mission, so they must make a clear break from places that do not welcome the word. Everything about them must proclaim exactly what they are about.

The prophet Amos similarly has a strong and clear sense of purpose. Amaziah orders him to depart to Judah, but Amos knows by whom he has been sent, and to whom his loyalty lies; he cannot deny the Lord. God has called him, God has given him a mission, and God must be obeyed. Everything about him must proclaim exactly what he is about.

An apostle is only able to obey, and to endure the hardships which can follow from obedience, if he or she is committed to the one who commands, and believes the message which is to be proclaimed. The reading from Ephesians leaves us in no doubt as to the nature of the God who commands us, and the just cause we have for rejoicing in the message we bear. God is the God who has 'blessed us with all the spiritual blessings of heaven'. The message is the 'truth' and the 'good news of our salvation'. It remains for us to be simple and direct in our proclamation.

The preaching of the apostles brings about a crisis to those who hear them. Unclean spirits are confronted; the inhospitable are abandoned; devils are cast out, and sicknesses are cured. Clearly, the word the apostles bear effects a change in hearers and bearers alike. Clear and simple, like the good use of language, the gospel message bears fruit.

After Jesus left the apostles, they would miss his guidance and instruction. For this reason, he sent his Holy Spirit upon them, so that his mission would continue. In this same Spirit, we become apostles. In the footsteps of the Twelve, we preach repentance. We face the demons that haunt the human soul. We bring wholeness to those who are sick, praying for God's healing. We do as we have been commanded by the Lord, praying the Lord will work in us, amongst us and through us.

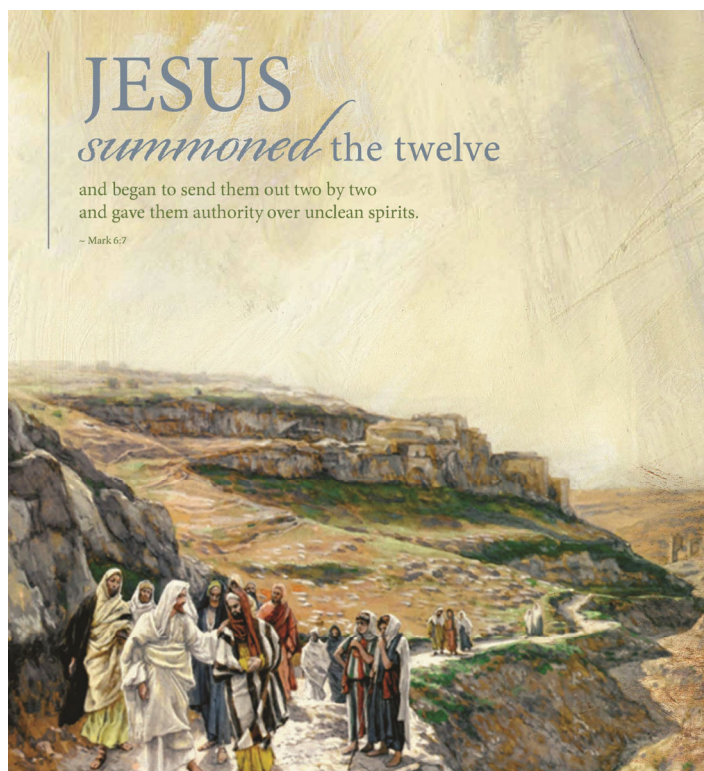


In the preaching of the apostles, that same mission which we continue, the judgment of the world has begun. All who meet the apostles of Christ are challenged by the word of God to declare themselves for the Kingdom. And the apostles are challenged too, being under the same word, subject to the same judgment.

To be apostles of Christ, we must be like Amos. We must know that we are sent by God, and cannot be deflected from our mission by the discomfort we cause to others and ourselves. We must be like the writer of the Letter to the Ephesians, who rejoices in the blessings we have all received from God in Christ. And we must be like the Twelve, obedient to Christ's command to live the Good News simply and directly.

Blessings,

Fr. Bob, Pastor



Parish School



★ 2014 ★
BLUE RIBBON
RECIPIENT

ST. CLETUS SCHOOL SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

July Monday - Thursday 9am-1pm
August Monday - Thursday 9am-3pm

FOR INFORMATION OR TO SCHEDULE A TOUR

Tom Chinske, Principal **Christy Schaefer, Asst. Principal**
(708) 352-4820 (708) 352-4820
tchinske@stcletusparish.com cschaefer@stcletusparish.com



Queen of Hearts RAFFLE

DRAWINGS MONDAYS 7PM

BUY TICKETS DAILY AT KENNY'S IRISH PUB

SPONSORED BY
KENNY'S IRISH PUB
917 W 55TH ST. COUNTRYSIDE

TO BENEFIT
ST. CLETUS SCHOOL

TICKETS
\$1 EACH -OR- 6 FOR \$5



St. Cletus School Queen of Hearts 50/50 Raffle is on!

Another great week for Queen of Hearts! Pot is at \$1592 at the end of week 3. Visit Kenny's Irish Pub and buy your tickets today for the next draw at 7pm on Monday, July 16th!

Raffle Details: In cooperation with Kenny's Irish Pub, St. Cletus is running a 50/50 raffle to benefit St. Cletus School. Tickets can be purchased at Kenny's Irish Pub on 55th Street in Countryside for \$1 each or 6 for \$5.

The raffle draw will take place every Monday night at Kenny's until the Queen of Hearts is found. The tickets do not roll over week to week, but the Pot DOES!

Come on over to Kenny's any time during their normal business hours to purchase tickets (winner need not be present to win). Join us each Monday at Kenny's for some fun and social hour as we draw the next ticket.



Red Ribbon Certified School

We are proud to announce we received the Red Ribbon Certification in June. We are the first school in this area to receive this certification. The certification application assesses schools in four areas that promote healthy schools and the development of children:

- Healthy school environment
- Use of best practices in education
- Parent Involvement
- Year-round Red Ribbon activities

The Red Ribbon certification is important to our school because it separates our school from others in our area, emphasizes parent engagement and the importance of families involved in the education and healthy development of their children, emphasizes the importance of reducing social problems to increase student resilience and academic achievement, and sustains pride and growing commitment through the ownership of good results.

Principal Tom Chinske and Assistant Principal Christy Schaefer are pictured above receiving the Red Ribbon Flag at the NAESP conference in recognition of St. Cletus School's newly acquired Red Ribbon Certification.



JULY 15, 2018

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



CALLED BY GOD

Today's scriptures invite us to listen to two calls. The first is the call issued by the LORD to the prophet Amos, the "shepherd and a dresser of sycamores" (Amos 7:14). The second is the call the Lord Jesus issued to the Twelve, whom he sent out "two by two" (Mark 6:7). These faithful people responded to the call, prophesying and preaching to the people to whom they had been sent. Each of us received a call when we were baptized. The second reading invites us to ponder that call as we are reminded that we are chosen in Christ and that, in love, God "destined us for adoption" (Ephesians 1:5). As adopted daughters and sons of God we are called to bring the presence of Christ into our marriages, families, schools, and places of work.

Let us be inspired today to say yes to the call we hear once again through God's living word.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Amos said, "The LORD took me from following the flock, and said to me, Go, prophesy to my people" (Amos 7:12-15).

Psalm — Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation (Psalm 85).

Second Reading — The God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing (Ephesians 1:3-14 [3-10]).

Gospel — Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two (Mark 6:7-13).

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SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Wednesday: St. Camillus de Lellis

Friday: St. Apollinaris

Saturday: St. Lawrence of Brindisi;
Blessed Virgin Mary

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 1:10-17; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23;
Mt 10:34 — 11:1

Tuesday: Is 7:1-9; Ps 48:2-8; Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Ps 94:5-10, 14-15;
Mt 11:25-27

Thursday: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Ps 102:13-14ab, 15-21;
Mt 11:28-30

Friday: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Is 38:10-12abcd, 16;
Mt 12:1-8

Saturday: Mi 2:1-5; Ps 10:1-4, 7-8, 14; Mt 12:14-21

Sunday: Jer 23:1-6; Ps 23:1-6; Eph 2:13-18;
Mk 6:30-34

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

At the time of the Reformation, although England broke away from papal authority under Henry VIII, a silent majority clung to the Catholic faith. Henry's eldest daughter, Mary, restored the "old religion" in a fierce persecution of Protestants (she is called "Bloody Mary" for good reason.) His youngest daughter, Elizabeth, rejected papal ties. Under her reign, beginning with legislation in 1593, Catholics were persecuted again, and only the very wealthy could afford the fines for not attending Anglican services on Sunday. They were called "recusants," from a Latin word meaning "refuse," since they refused to attend the liturgy of the Church of England. Many families maintained Catholic tradition in secret, and today their descendants claim "Recusancy" as a mark of family pride. For generations they sent their young people abroad to be educated in convents and monasteries. It is not surprising that the first monastery in colonial America springs from Holland with the daughters of patrician English recusant families. Port Tobacco, Maryland, proved fruitful soil for the Carmelite tradition.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

GOD IN ALL

In everything, be it a thing sensed, or a thing known, God is hidden within.

—St. Bonaventure

Social Concerns Ministry

FOOD PANTRY

Most needed at this time:

- Pasta
- Pinto Beans (1-2 lb bags)
- Condiments
- Salad Dressings
- Salty Snacks & Cookies
- Coffee
- Juice
- New School Supplies:

Pencils

Colored pencils

Pens

Crayons

Markers

Pocket folders

Single subject spiral notebook

Loose leaf paper

Donations can be dropped off before or after Masses or anytime daily between 7:45am-4pm in Food Pantry bins in the Narthex (at the back of church).



ARE YOU IN AN UNHEALTHY RELATIONSHIP OR ARE YOU AFRAID IN YOUR OWN HOME?

CALL THE 24-HOUR PHONE FOR HELP:
708.485.5254

If you have questions or would like to volunteer with the Social Concerns Ministry contact Kendall Grant (708)215-5418 kgrant@stcletusparish.com

FOOD PANTRY UPDATES

Grocery donations from our parishioners and various other individuals, churches, and organizations, as well as donations of volunteer time for organizing, setting up and distributing, are what keep us going. Thank you for your continuing generosity!

Monthly Specials - Each month we try to offer a special item to clients. We try to collect enough donations so that we can offer the item(s) every Thursday night for that month. This allows all clients an equal opportunity to receive the extra item. In July clients will have their choice of coffee/juice/tea. And again in August this year we will do school/office supplies. Thank you for your extra help with these donations. Clients are so appreciative of the extra effort.

Facebook - Follow us on Facebook - www.facebook.com/StCletusFoodPantry



Volunteers tend to the garden in preparation for food pantry distribution!

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Monthly Domestic Violence Support Group

If you or someone close to you is experiencing domestic violence this group may be very helpful. The objective of the group is to provide all a chance to talk about domestic violence and share questions, concerns and experiences with others who are facing - or who have faced - similar situations in confidence.

Please contact Kendall Grant for more information.

*In an emergency, dial 911, call the National Domestic Violence 24-Hour Hotline at 800-799-7233 or the local hotline for Pillars, found in the box on the left. **You are not alone.***



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OUTREACH
— ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO —
AWARENESS - SERVICES - PREVENTION
www.domesticviolenceoutreach.org

WORD OF LIFE



“Do not be afraid to embrace God’s gift of life. Whatever storms or trials we face, we are not alone. He is with us.”

“USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
2017-2018 Respect Life Reflection

INTERFAITH CAREER NETWORK

Organizing Your Job Search - Join us on Thursday, July 19, 7-9 pm and learn how to Get Better Organized! Your job search is a process. Whether you are unemployed or employed seeking another opportunity, it is still a process. One of the most important parts of successfully making it through a search is staying organized. This lively, interactive and informative presentation will take you through how to stay organized, while offering insight, tools, resources and suggestions to help start, reinvigorate, lead and succeed in your search. Our speaker, Steve Rosenblum, will share many of his learnings, experiences and best practices, while encouraging you to do the same. His passion for helping people has made him a highly sought after speaker and respected professional. All this and informal networking, too! Join us at the St. John of the Cross Parish Center, 5005 S. Wolf Road in Western Springs.

Religious Education

WANTED: CATECHISTS

It takes a big heart to help shape little minds.

The St. Cletus Religious Education Office is currently seeking adults and High School students interested in volunteering as Catechists and Aides.

We are looking for committed people who are willing to share their faith with children, and have a fun time doing it! We provide training, all

resource materials and lesson plans – it's easy!

Please contact the Religious Education Office today to learn more about how you can become a Catechist or Aide!

REGISTER FOR RE CLASSES!

Registration has begun for the 2018-2019 academic year. Registration forms can be found online at stcletusparish.com/re or in the RE Office at the School or in the Parish Center.

Classes for grades 1-8 are held on Sunday mornings from 9:15-10:45 a.m. or Monday evening from 6:00-7:30 p.m. Early Childhood classes for Pre-3 to Kindergarten are held on Sunday mornings from 9:30-10:30 a.m. Special Needs classes are held two Sundays a month from 9:30-10:30 a.m.

For more information contact Barb Campbell, Director of Religious Education
bcampbell@stcletusparish.com | (708) 352-2383

Other Ministry News

INDEPENDENCE DAY MASS

Congratulations Don McMahon and Jerome Matuch, our 2018 Gallagher Award Recipients. Thank you to Congressman Dan Lipinski for presenting the awards. Finally, thank you to the members Robert E. Coulter, Jr. Post 1941 who carried the service flags.



BOOK DISCUSSION



The next book discussion will be at 7:00 p.m. on August 14 in the Father Gallagher Room in the Parish Center. The book that will be discussed is Sister, Sister by Sue Fortin. All are welcome.

Questions—call Denise at 708.712.8294

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

10th Annual Baseball Outing

The Holy Name Society is sponsoring its annual outing to the Joliet Slammers game on Sunday, July 29th at 1:05pm.



Tickets are only \$10 each! Tickets will be sold in the narthex after masses this weekend. Tickets are also available by contacting Rod Bradford at (708) 370-9001. Information and directions to Silver Cross Stadium in downtown Joliet at www.jolietsslammers.com. Parking is free. All parishioners are invited!

ST. CLETUS COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN

Volunteers Needed - CCW is in need of volunteers to staff the newly-created "water/soda" table at our 2018 Fall Fest. Time slots are still available for Sept 6th thru the 9th. No pouring - No spilling!!! Soda and water will be in their own containers. Call or email Geri Hinton to sign up, 708-579-0999 or buszi7@hotmail.com.



Save the Date - BUNCO BASH
 September 28th 7-10 p.m. More info to follow!

OPEN GYM FOR ALUMNI (18+)

Basketball July 18th - Girls 6pm, Boys 7:30pm
 Volleyball July 25th - Girls 6pm, Boys 7:30pm



EVENT HOURS & HIGHLIGHTS

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH
 5-10pm Carnival Rides
 7-10pm Kickin' Jimmy

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH
 5-11pm Carnival Rides
 7-10pm Infinity

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH
 12-11pm Carnival Rides
 1-3pm Bingo
 2pm SC Kids Got Talent
 7-10pm Blooze Brothers

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9TH
 11am 1st Responders Mass
 12-9pm Carnival Rides
 12:30pm Fr. Ken and Friends
 2-4pm Bingo
 6-9pm ARRA
 7:30pm Grand Raffle Drawing

ST. CLETUS PARISH GROUNDS
600 W. 55TH ST. LA GRANGE, IL
WWW.STCLETUSFALLFEST.COM

Dear St. Cletus Parishioner,

St. Cletus Parish will be holding our 5th Annual Parish Fall Fest and Carnival, September 6-9, 2018 on our parish grounds. The event is always fun for all ages and will help us fund the final phase of our Parish Center.

The St. Cletus Fall Fest has been a huge success and we look forward to gathering with our parish family for four glorious days to enjoy good food, entertainment, family, and friends.

September's event will consist of carnival rides, games, food, beverages, bingo, and live entertainment. We're excited to announce that there will be more chances to win in our cash raffle this year. Our live entertainment is sure to entertain and will end at 10 p.m. per La Grange noise ordinance. The carnival and entertainment will be set-up on our parking lot facing 55th Street. The parish back field will serve as the parking lot.

HELP MAKE THIS EVENT A SUCCESS!

There are many ways you can be a part of the St. Cletus Parish Fall Fest. Every parishioner can get involved in this community event.

- Sign up to **VOLUNTEER** at the festival and during weekend Masses using the sign-up genius links on our website. Volunteers receive a drink voucher as a token of our appreciation.
- **ATTEND** the event, buy megapasses for the carnival, enjoy the wonderful bands and have a drink under the tent. Megapasses will be available for purchase on August 1st.
- Considering having your business or family **SPONSOR**. A sponsorship form is on the next page.
- **PURCHASE RAFFLE TICKETS**: \$20 per ticket or 6 for \$100. We hope each parish family will sell 6 tickets, which have been mailed to each parish family. Please contact the parish office at (708) 352-6209 if you can help sell additional tickets. All unsold raffle tickets must be returned to the parish office, the collection basket at Mass, or the ticket sales tables after August Masses. Thank you for your support.
- Purchase a Fall Fest **T-SHIRT**. An order form is on page 11.

We hope you will join us for this exciting event. If you have any questions about the event, or how to get involved, please email fallfest@stcletusparish.com or call (708) 352-6209.

Sincerely,

Fr. Bob and the Fall Fest Committee

p.s. - Visit our website www.stcletusfallfest.com to volunteer, purchase a sponsorship, and find the most up-to-date information about the 2018 St. Cletus Fall Fest.

SAINT CLETUS PARISH FALL FESTIVAL

5th Annual



2018 FALL FEST SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

\$10,000 DIAMOND SPONSOR (1 AVAILABLE)

- Overall Sponsorship of the 2018 Fall Fest. Please call for details.

\$5,000 - \$9,999 PLATINUM SPONSOR

- Sponsorship of the Main Stage on side banner of stage. Please call for details.



\$2,500 - \$4,999 RIDE SPONSOR

- Your organization's name and logo prominently displayed on event flyers that will be distributed in the La Grange and surrounding areas prior to and during the Festival
- A full-year listing of your organization as a "Preferred Provider" in our parish bulletin which is viewed by more than 2,000 Parishioners and community members
- Name on recognition banner at a Carnival Ride of the Festival and on sponsor banner in Beer Tent.
- Logo on all promotional materials, flyers and website
- Name and Logo listed on Fall Fest Shirt and website
- Two Carnival Mega Pass wristbands

\$1,500 - \$2,499 SILVER SPONSOR

- Logo on promotional materials, flyers and website
- Name on Recognition Banner
- Name and logo listed on Fall Festival Shirt
- Two Carnival Mega Pass wristbands

\$500 - \$1,499 BRONZE SPONSOR

- Name on recognition banner at Fall Festival
- Name listed (no logo) on the Fall Festival Shirt
- Two Carnival Mega Pass wristbands
- Name on promotional materials, flyers and website

\$275 - \$499 CARDINAL SPONSOR

- Name on recognition banner at Fall Festival
- Two Carnival Mega Pass wristbands

If making an In-Kind Donation, please indicate the approximate value of your donation for purposes of sponsor recognition. Food Vendors interested in this exciting event email fallfest@stcletusparish.com

SPONSOR INFORMATION

Please return sponsorship forms by Friday, August 24th to allow sufficient set up time for recognition. Make checks payable to St. Cletus. Email logos to fallfest@stcletusparish.com. Direct inquiries to the Parish Office 708.352.6209. More information and payment by credit card can be made after July 1st on our website www.stcletusfallfest.com

Organization/Name as it should be listed: _____

Contact Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Donation (\$): _____ Check here if you would prefer to remain anonymous in all publications.

2018 St. Cletus Parish Fall Fest

BASKET RAFFLE DONATIONS NEEDED!



We always have some great items for our Fall Fest Basket Raffle. We need your help to make that happen again this year. Donations can be brought to the parish offices during normal business hours. Thank you for your generosity!

We are in need of:

- Sporting event tickets and jerseys (Cubs, Bulls, White Sox, Bears, Blackhawks)
- Theater tickets
- Hotel packages
- Gift cards (Airlines, Visa, Amazon, Target, restaurants, grocery stores, department stores, home improvement stores, or other gift cards.)
- Monetary donations are kindly accepted.

FALL FEST TENT

We'll start selling raffle tickets after Masses on July 28th.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



We need your help to make our 4th Annual Fall Fest a success! Please sign up to volunteer to help after masses and for each day of the event using the Signupgenius links which can be found on our website. Thank you to everyone who has already signed up to volunteer and chair committees for our fall fest!

FIRST RESPONDERS MASS



Join us at 11:00 a.m. on Sunday, September 9th for mass outside on the Fall Fest Stage.

St. Cletus Parish invites everyone to join us as we give thanks and prayers to all active and retired police officers, firefighters, and emergency medical services personnel.

SAINT CLETUS PARISH FALL FESTIVAL

SEPT. 6TH-9TH

600 W. 55TH ST. LA GRANGE, IL
WWW.STCLETUSFALLFEST.COM

SAVE THE DATE FOR THE 5TH ANNUAL FALL FEST

KICKIN' JIMMY Thursday 7pm
INFINITY Friday 7pm
BLOOZE BROTHERS Saturday 7pm
ARRA CLASSIC ROCK Sunday 6pm

FOOD VENDORS
BINGO
CASH RAFFLE

4 DAY COMMUNITY FEST

BEER GARDEN
11:00 AM SUNDAY FIRST RESPONDERS MASS
CARNIVAL

CARNIVAL MEGAPASS \$55 FOR 4 DAYS OF UNLIMITED RIDES ON SALE 8/1



ST. CLETUS PARISH FALL FEST T-SHIRTS ORDER FORM

Fall Fest will be held September 6-9th. Show your spirit with these great T-shirts! In order to sell shirts before the event, pre-orders of grey shirts are due July 20th. White shirt orders (featuring our sponsors) are due Aug. 24th. If you have any questions email Elizabeth at egoellner@stcletusparish.com.



**Official Event T-Shirt
(with Sponsors on Back)
WHITE SHORT SLEEVE
ONLY \$6!**



**Bella + Canvas
Dark Grey Heather
Short Sleeve T
Blank Back - \$15**



**Bella + Canvas Dark Grey Heather
Women's V-neck T - \$15**



**Bella + Canvas
Dark Grey Heather
Long Sleeve T - \$18**

ORDER FORM

*Grey shirt pre-orders due July 27th. White Shirt (only) pre-orders due Aug. 24th.
Please return all orders to the St. Cletus Parish Office in the new Parish Center.*

	YXS	YS	YM	YL	YXL	AXS	AS	AM	AL	AXL	A2XL	A3XL	TOTAL
White Short Sleeve \$6													
Grey Short Sleeve \$15													
Grey Long Sleeve \$18													
Women's V Neck Short Sleeve \$15													

YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION

Name: _____

Email: _____

Total Quantity: _____

Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

Make checks payable to St. Cletus

Grey shirts will be available for pick up at the St. Cletus Fall Fest Sales Tent during weekend Masses in August.
White shirts will be picked up at the Information/T-Shirt Booth during Fall Fest Sept. 6-9.

Community Bulletin Board

JOYFUL AGAIN!

“Joyful Again” Retreat for Widows and Widowers



Are you or someone you know widowed?

If you have been recently widowed and are still struggling with the loss, or if you have been widowed for some time and need something to get you “over the hump” because you seem stuck in one spot, this program is designed to help you move on while still treasuring your past and its precious memories.

August 11 & 12, Mary Queen of Heaven - Elmhurst

For more information contact: Joyful Again!
708-354-7211 or email us at joyfulagain7211@gmail.com

P.S. Our website at www.joyfulagain.org offers answers to many questions regarding who should attend this retreat and how long after being widowed. Be sure to check it out.

GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS



MARRIED IN 1968? Have you registered for the annual Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass? If not, there is still time to register. The Department of Parish Vitality and Mission is happy to announce that the Annual Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass will take place at St. John Brebeuf Parish 8307 N Harlem Ave. in Niles on Sunday, September 16th, at 2:45 p.m. Cardinal Blase J. Cupich will preside over this special Mass where 500 couples will rejoice in their 50th wedding anniversary. Go to <https://pvm.archchicago.org/> to register to attend by 9/1.

COMBONI MISSION CENTER

MISSION EVENING MONDAY, JULY 30TH
Mass will begin at 5:30pm, with a gathering following at 6:30pm. Featuring Comboni Missionaries: Fr. Romano Dada, Fr. Michael Barton and Fr. Robert Wadri. The Fathers will speak of their experiences in Africa and around the world. Comboni Missionaries minister to the world's poorest and most abandoned people; sharing the life of the poor, training lay leaders, educating people, and

establishing the Church, often times in very unstable political climates and in the midst of extreme poverty. This event is free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served, following the presentation.

Comboni Mission Center - 1615 E. 31st Street, La Grange Park (708) 354-1999.

ED WARD FINE ARTS SERIES AT ST. CLETUS

sunday
 october 21
 4:00 p.m.
 st. cletus church
 600 w. 55th st.
 la grange, il
 a fine arts series retrospective
 ed ward fine arts series at st. cletus | www.edwardfinearts.com

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ST. JOSEPH H.S. PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Please join St. Joseph H.S. in Westchester for a Pancake Breakfast & Bake Sale on Sunday, July 29, from 8 AM to 1 PM. Adults \$8 and Children \$4. For more information, contact 708-244-7322 or adam.polak2@gmail.com

BULLETIN ARTICLE SUBMISSIONS

Please note that all Canticle articles are to be emailed to canticle@stcletusparish.com as text with pictures attached separately. All articles are due 5p.m. Friday a full week (9 days) before Sunday's publication. Thank you!

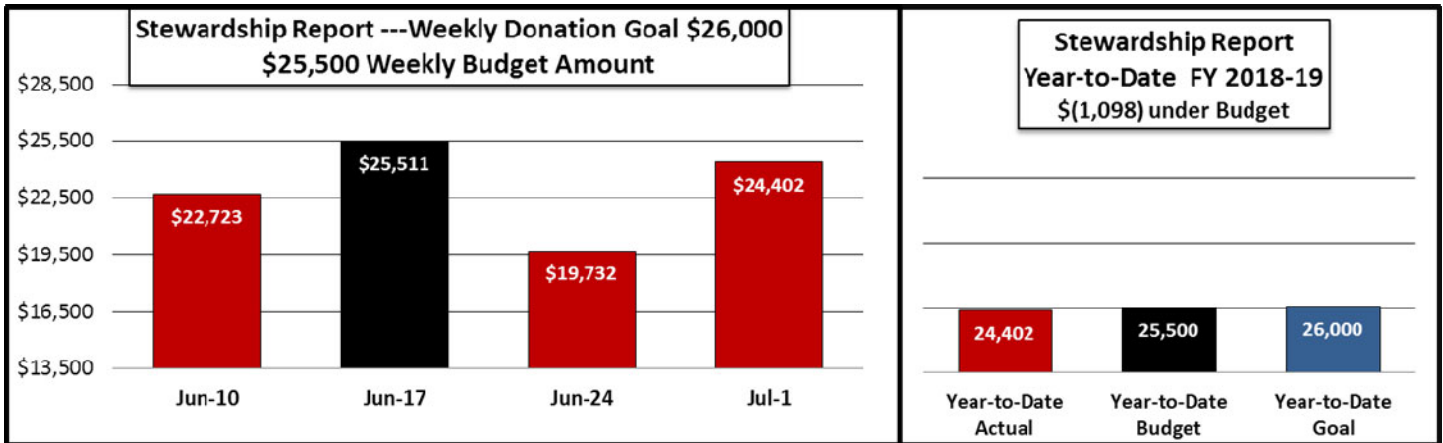
Week at a Glance

DAY/DATE	TIME	LOCATION	EVENT
Sunday, July 15	7:00am 4:00pm	Narthex PC Meeting Room	Holy Name Society Baseball Ticket Sales KAIROS Meeting
Monday, July 16	8:00pm	PC Gym	Men's Basketball
Tuesday, July 17	4:00pm 7:00pm	PC Meeting Room Church	KAIROS Meeting Spanish Holy Hour
Wednesday, July 18	6:00pm	Church	Collegiate Alumni Basketball Open Gym
Thursday, July 19	6:00pm	Rectory Basement	Food Pantry
Friday, July 20	6:00pm	PC Meeting Room	KAIROS Meeting
Saturday, July 21			
Sunday, July 22			

Stewardship Report

WEEKLY GIVING REPORT

The 7/8 weekly giving report will be printed in the 7/22 Canticle.



ENROLL IN ELECTRONIC GIVING

Do you want to transition away from writing checks and contribute electronically? It is SO EASY! Visit the St. Cletus Parish website at www.stcletusparish.com and click the "DONATE" BUTTON. Click Sunday donations. We accept checks (ACH), debit and credit cards. If you have questions or need help, call Mary Zwolinski 708.352.6209.

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PARISH CENTER SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Please note that the parish offices have moved to our new location in the parish center. All deliveries and inquiries should be made to the new office. Food pantry will remain in the rectory.

Monday thru Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
 Friday 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
 Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday 8:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

MASSES

Saturday Evening..... 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday 7:00 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m.,
 11:00 a.m., 12:30 p.m. (Spanish)
 Weekdays..... Mon. thru Sat. 8:00 a.m.
 Evening before Holy Day 7:00 p.m.
 Holy Day..... 6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m.

CONFESSIONS

Confessions every Saturday..... 4:15 - 4:45 p.m.

BAPTISMS

1st & 3rd Saturday of the month at 11:00 a.m.
 Parents must be registered parishioners and attend the Baptism Preparation class. Please make arrangements by calling the Rectory office.

WEDDINGS

Dates and times are reserved for registered parishioners. Initial arrangements must be completed five months in advance of the wedding date. Contact Bobbie Kallal (708) 352-6209.

HOME/HOSPITAL VISITATION AND COMMUNION CALLS

Please contact the Ministry of Care Office (708) 215-5407

PARISH MISSION AND VISION STATEMENTS

Mission Statement: St. Cletus is a dynamic Catholic community dedicated to spreading the Good news of Jesus Christ through worship, education, and service.

Vision Statement: We welcome all. We encourage all parishioners to live the Gospel message of Jesus Christ in their daily lives, by sharing their talents and faith with our parish and community.

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