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The Epiphany of the Lord

Sunday, January 5, 2014



All are welcome.

Handicapped parking is located in front of church.

Personal hearing devices are available from the ushers/greeters.

**Children's Chapel available for the young and the restless
in the rear of the church.**

Mass Intentions for the Week of January 6 – January 12, 2014

Day	Time	Intentions
Monday	8:00 a.m.	Eddie Wisner, Arlene Skryd, Ernest Lesh
Tuesday	8:00 a.m.	Father Robert Shannon
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	Joseph Lewandowski
Thursday	8:00 a.m.	Adeline Kulikowski
Friday	8:00 a.m.	Estrella Pardilla, Eva & Stanley Grabowski
Saturday	8:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	Purgatorial Society Benjamin Patrick Hyink, Barrios Family
Sunday	7:00 a.m. 8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 12:30 p.m.	John Karch, John Salvato Joe Levato, John & Marie Wisniewski, David Armstrong Winters Special Health Intention for: Jackie Pilarski, Mary Ann Zadnik, Judy Biederman Souls in Purgatory



Please remember our sick in your prayers: Fernando Cabral, Joyce Arnold, Jackie Schickel, Sue Engstrom, Ray Salstedt, Loretta Johncola, Catherine Mlot, Denise Rowalka, Marty Weber, Barbara Kotus, Hector Gonzalez, Donna Cameron, Dave McCoy, Eric Sanchez, Anna Mae McCormick, Sharon Mylan, Mary Jamrozik, Margaret Bauer Fountain, Christine Anderson Rita, Shellye Bolton, Emily Devine, Gerda Dorso, Betty Niwa, Karen Stoltman, Judy Duque, Mark Bergnach, Joan Curtin, Phil Hodak, Nancy Ptak, John Duda, George Duda, Steven Onusaitis, Lorraine Walter, Pam Wilson, Loretta Harwood, Marilyn Matesevac, Joe Butkus, Elizabeth Dougherty, Barbara Stamm, Teddy Kowalski, and Frances Klimcke. Also pray for our parishioners who are in nursing homes or are homebound and are unable to attend Mass.

Please know we pray daily for the sick and the dying.



ADORATION AND BENEDICTION

Come and adore our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament on Tuesday, January 7, 2014 and every first Tuesday of the month. Adoration begins immediately after the 8:00 a.m. Mass. The Chaplet of Divine Mercy is prayed at 6:15 p.m. followed by Benediction.

Hispanic Adoration continues from 7:00-8:00 p.m.



St. Cletus Parish Welcomes...

Chloe Lovelyn Munoz,
daughter of Matthew Munoz & Estrella DeLuna

*to the Catholic Faith through the
Sacrament of Baptism.*



Kristen Sheputis & Ken Uher
Angelina Pollina & Erich Serwas



*Please pray for those who have
died and their families...*

Rosina Sommerio,
mother of Patty Shield & Jan Smaro
*May the Lord grant her eternal rest.
Amen.*



NOTES FROM FATHER BOB...

FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY 2014

There has been no time in the recorded history of the world which has been free from armed conflict of one kind or another. Individuals are at war with individuals, nations fighting nations. Human history can seem like the history of conflict. But from time to time the perpetrator of violence in word or in deed can become a powerful agent for peace. One such notable story is that of Saul of Tarsus, who became an apostle of the Gospel of Christ.

Saint Paul practiced deep hostility towards Christians before his conversion. A zealous persecutor, he witnessed and approved the stoning to death of Stephen, the first martyr. Christians feared him. After being told of his conversion, Ananias was still hesitant and suspicious to meet him. Later St. Paul preached that both pagan and Jew share a common inheritance in the plan and promise of God. The Messiah, who was longed for by the Jews, appeared but scandalously proclaimed a universal message to all people.

Although the prophet Isaiah looked forward to the day when all peoples would worship in Jerusalem, Isaiah's hope contrasts with the pictures of Bethlehem and Jerusalem that we see today. Both are heavily fortified and attitudes are characterized by suspicion and hostility.

The hope of Epiphany is a vulnerable and innocent child. Jesus is born into poverty and tenderly cared for by Mary and Joseph. They cannot find shelter at the inn but take refuge and security in the stalls with the animals. Vulnerable and weak, dependent on mother and father, the child grows in wisdom and stature. The child is also the one who is worshipped with the gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh: gold for a king, frankincense for the worship of God, myrrh, a sign of the anointing at death, which will mark the climax of Jesus' life.

As Mary and Joseph looked into the eyes of their child, could they ever have imagined that he would die at thirty-three on a cross as a criminal? Could they ever have imagined that two thousand years later, people would celebrate his memory? The paradox of the cross is shown in the contrasts; vulnerability but power, human but divine, Jew but universal.

Religious conflict has a long and tragic history; we think of the Crusades, persecution at the time of the Reformation, conflict between Jew and Christian, violence and bloodshed between Hindu and Muslim. These conflicts indicate the deeper conflict within the human heart; pride, the desire for power and wealth, the need for superiority and identity over others. Often this leads to a person of a different color or creed being treated as a scapegoat. The insecurity of the human heart needs external supports and earthly victories.

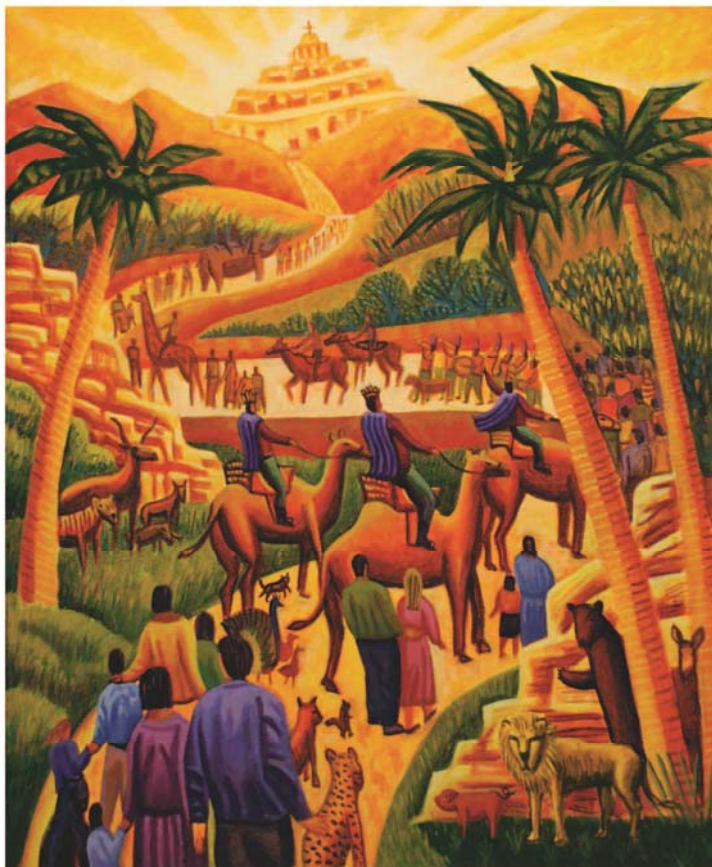
Jesus reveals a different meaning for human life. The hope of the message of peace, which is proclaimed to the shepherds, may seem distant and ideal. However, the disciple is called to the life described in the Beatitudes and the Sermon on the Mount. It is a call to accept the distinctiveness of other people, to respect them. The disciple is called to love, which goes beyond liking, but demands treating the other with respect and dignity. The poor in spirit, the meek, the humble and those who hunger and thirst for what is right will share in the Kingdom of God.

Peace can come only through self-sacrifice, through living the cross. Peace will demand treating the other as an equal and with respect. This is difficult and requires a change of attitude. Only in the cross, in the mystery of death and resurrection, can this occur. To hear the plea of the other person, to try and understand their viewpoint, can be the beginning of a journey of reconciliation. Although we might despair that peace is unachievable, St. Paul's life shows how the power of God is active in human weakness.

God's plan is greater than any human plan; we can take hope in Paul's life and conversion. Epiphany gives an impetus to the journey of reconciliation because Christ is revealed as a light for all peoples.

*Peace Always,
Father Bob
Pastor*

EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



A Family of Nations

Father, Creator of the stars of night,
you call us to be hope for the world
and bring good news of forgiveness
to all.

Your great light, Jesus Christ,
is the morning star that never sets.
May we all gather together in it and
come to you—
a family of nations.

May we be radiant at the sight:
the multitudes, the camels,
the gold and frankincense.

May we proclaim our praises
of the Lord,

and may we be led to embrace the
Kingdom Christ preached
as it unfolds in our lives today.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus
Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the
unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Sunday, January 5, 2014

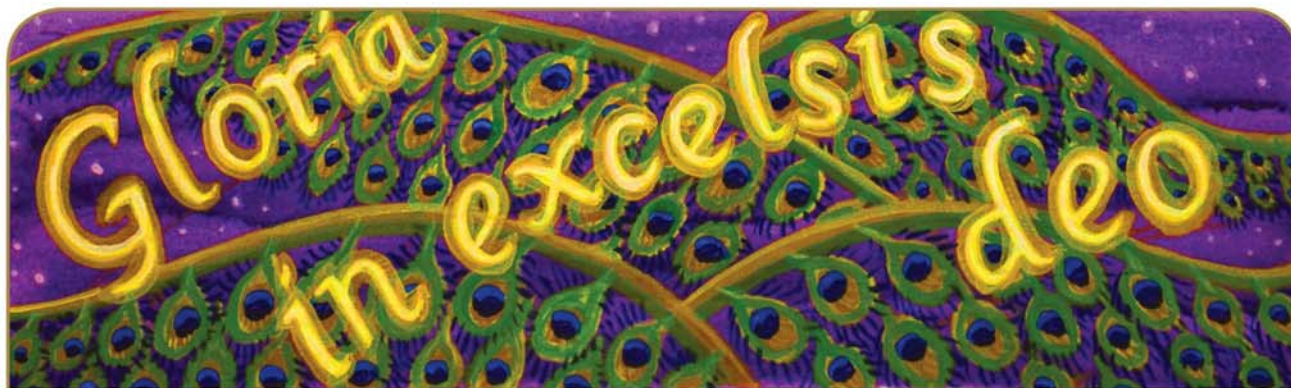
Witness to the Light

Today's Readings: Isaiah 60:1–6; Psalm 72:1–2, 7–8, 10–11, 12–13; Ephesians 3:2–3a, 5–6; Matthew 2:1–12. In today's liturgy, God reveals his Son to us, and not only to us, but to "the nations," to everyone. Isaiah's prophecy is full of sharp visual contrasts: "your light has come," "darkness shall cover the earth," "his glory will appear over you." Isaiah wants us to see this revelation, this manifestation of God: "Lift up your eyes and look around." We are called to be witnesses and images of that light.

Just as Isaiah has painted a picture of people from distant lands streaming to Jerusalem, with gifts, "to proclaim the praise of the Lord," Paul wants us to understand that God's invitation to all people is true in his time as well: "the

Gentiles have become . . . members of the same body, and sharers in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel." Today's response to the psalm echoes that insight: "Lord, every nation on earth will adore you," and the Gospel tells the story of strangers "from the East" who seek the newborn king of the Jews. The outsiders see and understand. They have "observed his star" and come with gifts, whereas Herod, the chief priests, and scribes are unaware and respond with fear.

The mystery of the Epiphany is a present reality and a hope for the future. So "lift up your eyes and look around." Don't miss seeing the glory of God, and don't miss joining in the great procession.



THIS WEEK AT HOME

Monday, January 6

Memorial of Saint André Bessette

Saint André Bessette (1845–1937), whose memorial may be celebrated today, is a model of humility and hospitality. As a Holy Cross Brother in Montreal, André served as door keeper for over forty years. He greeted the poor and visited the sick, who were often cured. Yet he never attributed the cures to himself; they were the work of Saint Joseph. Today the magnificent national shrine of Saint Joseph's Oratory sits on Mount Royal in Montreal, Canada. In what ways might you offer hospitality or care to others? Today's Readings: 1 John 3:22–4:6; Psalm 2:7bc–8, 10–12a; Matthew 4:12–17, 23–25.

Tuesday, January 7

Memorial of Saint Raymond of Penyafort

Today's Gospel presents Jesus's first miracle at Cana, where water was changed into wine. It was an act of hospitality that enkindled his followers' faith in him. St. Raymond of Penyafort (1175–1275), whose memorial may be celebrated today, was a Dominican lawyer and canonist. He was so expert that the pope called him to Rome to condense and bring order to the Vatican's compilation of laws. His final product became the authoritative law collection for the Church at that time. Today's Readings: 1 John 4:7–10; Psalm 72:1–2, 3–4, 7–8; Mark 6:34–44.

Wednesday, January 8

Be Not Afraid

Today's Gospel tells of Jesus walking on the sea during a storm, calling out "Take heart, it is I, do not be afraid." The phrase "be not afraid" appears in the Bible 365 times. These are the first words that Pope John Paul II used to open his papacy on October 22, 1978. Consider using this phrase as part of your daily prayer. Today's readings: 1 John 4:11–18; Psalm 72:1–2, 10, 12–13; Mark 6:45–52.

Thursday, January 9

Proclaim the Good News

The Word of God, especially when proclaimed at the liturgy, is meant to be a source of spiritual growth (as it was in the synagogue at Nazareth). When Jesus quotes from the Prophet Isaiah in today's Gospel, he is announcing that the Spirit is indeed working in him to produce the signs of the Kingdom: release for captives, healing for the blind, freedom for the oppressed. In what ways might you advance the coming of the Kingdom? Today's Readings: 1 John 4:19–5:4; Psalm 72:1–2, 14 and 15bc, 17; Luke 4:14–22a.

Friday, January 10

Make Me Clean

In today's Gospel we hear the story of the man cured of leprosy, whose request for healing is such a strong statement of his faith. He is sure that Jesus can heal him, if only Jesus chooses to do so. And of course Jesus does choose to heal him. Today's Readings: 1 John 5:5–13; Psalm 147:12–13, 14–15, 19–20; Luke 5:12–16.

Saturday, January 11

Intimacy of Christ

Today's Gospel brings Christmas Time to a close by recalling the important roles of John the Baptist. In Advent we saw his ministry as a baptizer preparing a way for Jesus, and notably as the baptizer of Jesus (commemorated in tomorrow's feast). Today John is explaining that he feels no competition with Jesus. He says "He who has the bride is the bridegroom" and calls himself "the friend of the bridegroom." The intimacy of the marriage bond is the human paradigm for the intimacy between Christ and the Church (the bride). John has assisted the bridegroom in his marriage to the Church, to the people of God. In what way will you celebrate the end of Christmas Time? Today's Readings: 1 John 5:14–21; Psalm 149:1–2, 3–4, 5 and 6a and 9b; John 3:22–30.



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St. Cletus School's elementary program offers a strong educational curriculum guided by the Common Core State Standards in English, language arts, and math, as well as the State of Illinois Learning Standards. In addition to our 1st -8th grade program with an average classroom size of 22 students, St. Cletus offers 3- and 4-year-old, half and full-day preschool, as well as half and full-day kindergarten classes. Our well-rounded academic program offers Spanish, art, music, physical education, library, and computer technology classes. Daily religion classes, service hours, and regular school Masses also help our students to develop into mature, responsible young adults. Other opportunities available at St. Cletus School are Junior Great Books, Student Council, Scouting (for boys and girls), athletic programs, band, choir, various after school clubs, and before-and after care programs. If your child is just beginning his/her education, or if you are considering a change, please call the school to make an appointment to visit or to register.

Applications are now being accepted for new students for the 2014-15 school year.

Catholic Schools Week Open House is Sunday, January 26, 2014. Interested families are welcome to attend our 9:30 a.m. family Mass at St. Cletus Church, followed by our Open House in the Education Building next door to Church from 10:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. Please join us!

Feel free to call the school office Monday through Friday between 7:30 a.m. and 3:15 p.m. at (708) 352-4820 if you have questions or would like to schedule an appointment to visit our school. St. Cletus School is a great place to be—stop by to learn more!

Sincerely,

Margaret Hayes
Principal

Jolene Hillgoth
President



St. Cletus School News



Second Grade Learns How Science Rocks

On Friday December 13th, Ms. Jana Svec came to visit the Mrs. Noonan's Second Grade. We are studying Earth Science and she is an Associate Professor of Environmental/Earth Science Moraine Valley Comm. College. Ms. Svec gave a lively presentation about the Earth and it's rocks, minerals and fossils. She passed around all sorts of different sample including a magnetic rock. She told us how Geologists study and the second grade become geologist when they got a sample bag filled with fool's gold (pyrite) coal, Illinois' state mineral fluorite and a fossil that was almost 500 million years old. We thank Ms. Svec for her time and talent.

Spanish Class Fun

During this trimester, our 4th grade cardinals continued to improve their written and speaking skills by working on a fun project called "¿verdadero o falso?" (true or false?). Students were asked to come up with their own statements using only the vocabulary learned in the unit. During class, their classmates were asked to guess whether those statements were true or false. The results were beyond our expectations.

Visit the parish YouTube Channel to check out the videos



<http://www.youtube.com/stcletusparish>



Creating with Technology in the TLC

The technology education program at St. Cletus serves all our students. While visiting the TLC (Technology Learning Center), students engage in activities from basic keyboarding concepts to using online tools for collaboration and communication. Here are some highlights from December.

8th graders as part of their Saints report developed websites to present their research. Also during Computer Science Education Week St. Cletus students joined the initiative provided by Code.org to learn how computer program for one hour.

5th grade created book trailers using an online tool called Animoto.com which allows users to create videos using images, text, and audio. Then they made QR codes for their book trailers so they can share them with visitors during Catholic School's Week. Scan the QR Code to see one 5th grade student's book trailer video for the novel *Crash*.



DATES TO REMEMBER

School Resumes	January 6
School Board Meeting.....	January 7
Cardinal Pursuit Trivia Night.....	January 17

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St. Cletus School
FAITH FAMILY FUTURE



*Join us for our Catholic Schools Week Open House
Sunday, January 26th from 10:30 am - 12:30 pm.*

Take a tour and learn why St. Cletus is the right choice for your family.

- ◆ Faith Based Education from Preschool through Eighth Grade
- ◆ Half-day and Full-day Preschool for 3 and 4 year olds
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ST. CLETUS SPRING AUCTION

SATURDAY MARCH 8th 2014

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- Ask your employer to make a product or cash contribution, or to purchase an ad in our catalog. Email auction@stcletusparish.com for specific sponsorship information.
- Ask friends and family members who own businesses for a donation. Nothing is too small as items will often be packaged together with other items.
- For those local businesses you support, ask for a donation of support in return, such as gourmet grocery certificates, restaurants, sporting goods, specialty clothing, jewelry, spas, toy stores – the list is unlimited.
- Do you or someone you know have a second home you could donate for a week or a long weekend? These are some of our best donations.
- Do you have a special talent you could share, e.g., knitting, fused glass making, painting, tiling, woodworking, or jewelry craft? Your time and talent donation would be so appreciated.
- Want to donate a fabulous dinner by teaming up with friends to help host a great evening? Dinners and Parties are some of our bestselling items.

The more donations we receive, the more we can sell at auction, the larger the benefit to the school.

Donation Deadline for Auction items is Friday, February 14, 2014.

We truly appreciate the generosity of our St. Cletus Parishioners. Thank you for supporting our parish school.

MORE INFO AND DONATION FORMS - WWW.STCLETUSSCHOOL.COM

Raising Faith-Filled Kids • One Word at a Time

Prepare

I experienced a kind of enlightenment one Saturday while cleaning the bathroom. We were preparing for company. In a flash, I came to see that our chores—the cooking, cleaning, dragging chairs up from the basement—were sacred actions. Preparing for guests is certainly mundane, but that was the point. I imagined Jesus standing next to me, telling me, “You say you want to get close to me. Don’t you realize how close I am to you already? Spending hours on your knees reciting prayers as if in an endurance contest is not what I’m asking of you. When you’re down on your knees scrubbing the floor for your family, just know that I am there.” This Advent, follow Blessed Teresa’s example and “Do small things with great love.” —*Tom McGrath*



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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

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Tuesday:	1 Jn 4:7-10; Ps 72:1-4, 7-8; Mk 6:34-44
Wednesday:	1 Jn 4:11-18; Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13; Mk 6:45-52
Thursday:	1 Jn 4:19 — 5:4; Ps 72:1-2, 14, 15bc, 17; Lk 4:14-22a
Friday:	1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Lk 5:12-16
Saturday:	1 Jn 5:14-21; Ps 149:1-6a, 9b; Jn 3:22-30
Sunday:	Is 42:1-4, 6-7; Ps 29:1-4, 3, 9-10;

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	The Epiphany of the Lord; National Migration Week
Monday:	St. André Bessette
Tuesday:	St. Raymond of Penyafort; Julian Calendar Christmas

THE LIGHT OF FAITH

The first reading today is charged with the glory of the Lord. Everyone who can come to the holy city does come—whole caravans of people of all ages on foot and on dromedaries and camels. This description of an irresistible light-filled city prepares us for the story of the magi. They are guided by their own lights—their study of astronomy and astrology—and by the light of a peculiar star. Their study tells them that an unusual event in the heavens is a sign of an extraordinary birth on earth. They mean to find out about this, and they set out with gifts worthy of a king. They are welcomed into an insignificant house in Bethlehem, offer gifts befitting a king, and receive the gift of faith. Paul reinforces the great gift of faith available to the Gentiles, whom the magi represent. What they have seen has changed them, just as it changed Paul and all who heeded his proclamation. Like the magi and like Paul, we are invited to receive this life that is filled with the light of faith. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

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The Epiphany of the Lord January 5, 2014

They opened their treasures
and offered him gifts
of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.
— *Matthew 2:11b*

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Life hands us many epiphanies or “wake-up calls.” A few years ago, a young couple adopted a two-year-old child in a morass of red tape, complications, and court hearings. At the baby’s baptism, the priest suggested appending an “adoption blessing,” wherein the new relationship was expressed and affirmed. There is a place in that rite for the child to speak, and instead the priest said, “Can you give Daddy a kiss?” Standing in the midst of his church, the young adoptive father suddenly welled up with tears as he embraced the child. Afterward, he explained that through all the hassles and legal struggles he never until that moment in church understood that he was the parent of this child. The ritual claimed them for each other, gave expression to their relationship that the legal documents never could, and firmly cemented this child into the heart of a community as everyone erupted into heartfelt applause. This assembly witnessed in a powerful way what happens in every baptism: the mystery of adoption, the free flow of grace, the overwhelming sense of God’s presence at the heart of our life’s journey.

TRIVIA NIGHT AT NAZARETH ACADEMY

Exercise your brain cells at Nazareth Academy’s Trivia Night on Saturday, January 11. Doors open 6:00 p.m. Game begins promptly at 7:00 p.m. \$15 per person or 120 per team of eight (your team can be less than eight but no more than eight). Bring your own team or join one at Nazareth and meet new friends! Decorate your table, bring your food, snacks and drinks and have a great time! This event is sponsored by Nazareth Mother’s Club.

For more information, or to register a team, please visit www.nazarethacademy.com.

ATTENTION LEISURE LOAFERS!



Our January meeting will be held on Thursday the 9th in Morrissey Hall at 1:00 p.m.

We hope to see many friends with holiday stories. Please join us for a fun afternoon.

Alice Katzmarek



JOYFUL AGAIN!

Beyond grieving there is a new life! Come join us for a weekend especially designed to help you reflect on and recognize new direction for your life while still treasuring memories of your loved one.

Upcoming programs: March 8 & 9, 2014

Held at our Lady of the Angels

Lemont, IL (near Cog Hill)

Includes overnight, private room and meals.

For more information, contact us at Joyful Again! Widowed Ministry, (708) 354-7211. Email: joyfulagain7211@gmail.com or website www.joyfulagain.org.

Early registration is encouraged, as space is limited.



LET US CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE IN THE MILITARY ESPECIALLY...

Ryan McDonnell, USA
1st Lt. Sara Jean Sedlacek, USA
Pvc. Paul Jacobsen, USMC
Nick Radziwon, US Navy
1st Lt. Thomas G. Dybicz, USA Ranger
Lt. Cdr. Amy Sloan Bloyd, US Coast Guard
Michael Carr, USA
Captain Anthony Cech, USA Chaplain
Sgt. Franklyn Cuchana, USA
2nd Lt. Thomas G. Dybicz, USA Ranger
Sgt. Michael Fittanto, USA
M/Sgt. Patrick Hegeman, USMC
Sgt. Joseph Kaminski, USA
Kevin Lewis, USA
Pfc. Zackus McLeod, USA
Capt. Robert Mele, USAF
Capt. Steven Muscolino, USAF
Spf. Kyle Nicholson, USA
Pvt. James Reisel, USA
S/Sgt. Daniel Hattie, USAF
Pfc. Matthew Sparks, USMC
Capt. Charlie Drucker, USA
Major Christopher Strahlman, USA
M/Sgt. Anthony Zito, USA

FULFILL TODAY

If what you did yesterday still looks big to you, surely you have not done much today.

—Anonymous

ST. CLETUS INTRODUCES ONLINE GIVING

St. Cletus has begun accepting online donations through GiveCentral, our new online donation service. GiveCentral is a safe, secure, and paperless way to make your contribution. It was designed specifically for Catholic churches and schools in the Chicago area, and many other parishes have already found success with it. The site allows you to make automatically repeating payments on a schedule that works best for you, using any credit card, debit card or electronic bank account.

We believe that having a flexible online giving option will make it easier for many of you to support St. Cletus. Please visit **www.stcletusparish.com** for more information.

Thank you for your generosity and support!

Questions? Call Mary Zwolinski in the rectory at (708) 352-6209.

WEEK AT A GLANCE			
DAY/DATE	TIME	LOCATION/ ROOM #	EVENT
Sunday, January 5	7:00 a.m.	S-98	Welcome Committee
Monday, January 6	4:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 9:00 p.m.	S-Music S-Music MH	Junior Choir Treble Choir Men's Basketball
Tuesday, January 7	8:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m. 9:00 p.m.	C C S-213 Rectory DR RB S-201 MH	Adoration and Benediction Spanish Adoration Social Concerns Commission Meeting RCIA School Board Meeting Hispanic Ministry Men's Prayer Group YM Church League
Wednesday, January 8	9:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m. 9:00 p.m.	RB MH S-201 S-200 MH	Mission Ladies Market Day Catechist Meeting Baptism Prep Class YM Church League
Thursday, January 9	1:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 7:30 p.m. 9:00 p.m.	MH S-Music C-Narthex S-Music S-Music MH	Leisure Loafers \\\nChildren's Choir Food Pantry Distribution Cantor's Rehearsal Chancel Choir YM Church League
Friday, January 10	2:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	MH Lobby S-Music	MANNA Cash & Carry Hispanic Choir
Saturday, January 11	9:00 a.m.	S-200	PreCana
Sunday, January 12	11:00 a.m. 12:00 Noon	C S-201	Teen Presence at Mass Teen Meeting
C...Church Narthex...Church Vestibule (East & West) MH...Morrissey Hall			S...School (Education Building) RB...Rectory Basement

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

St. Cletus Catholic Parish of the Archdiocese of Chicago is a Christian community of believers and followers of Christ Jesus. We call and welcome all to join our family of faith as we seek to live the Gospel values in our daily lives, community and world. We are committed to providing spiritual nourishment through the worship of God, celebration of the sacraments, Christian education, and use of our time, talent and treasure in serving others with compassion and love.

MASSES

Saturday Evening: 5:00pm

Sunday: 7:00am, 8:00am, 9:30am,
11:00am, 12:30pm (Spanish)

Weekdays: Mon. thru Sat. 8:00am

Evening before Holy Day: 7:00pm

Holy Day: 6:30am, 8:00am

BAPTISMS

1st & 3rd Saturday of the month at 11:30am. Parents must be registered parishioners and attend the Baptism Preparation class. Please make arrangements by calling the Rectory office (708-352-6209).

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 (708-215-5407).

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION AND BENEDICTION

Adoration begins following the 8:00am Mass and continues during the day until 6:15pm the first Tuesday of the month.

The *Chaplet of Divine Mercy* is prayed at 6:15pm followed by Benediction.

Hispanic Adoration continues from 7:00pm until 8:00pm.

CONFESSIONS

Confessions every Saturday of the month: 4:15-4:45pm.

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday thru Saturday: 9:00am-5:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am-1:00pm

ST. CLETUS SCHOOL BOARD

DEPARTMENT

POSITION

Administration

Fr. Bob Clark

Pastor

Jolene Hillgoth

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Principal

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Doug Rausch

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BULLETIN ARTICLES

The deadline for Canticle article submission is 5:00 p.m. Friday, one full week prior to Sunday's publication. Articles may be submitted electronically to pdrobny@stcletusparish.com.