



Saint Cletus Parish Canticle

Your ways, O LORD, make known to me;
teach me your paths.
— PSALM 25:4



The Spirit drove Jesus out into the desert,
and he remained in the desert for forty days,
tempted by Satan.
He was among wild beasts,
and the angels ministered to him.

MARK 1:12-13

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT
FEBRUARY 21, 2021

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WELCOME

So glad you could join us!

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Mass Intentions for February 22 - 28, 2021

Day	Presider (subject to change)	Time	Intentions
February 22	Fr. Baker	8:00am	St. Cletus Parishioners
February 23	Fr. Baker	8:00am	Lawrence Vieceli, David Boric
February 24	Fr. Gamboa	8:00am	Lorraine Olszewski, Stacy Baker
February 25	Fr. Gamboa	8:00am	B.C. Collins
February 26	Fr. Clark	8:00am	St. Cletus Parishioners
February 27	Fr. Gamboa	5:00pm	Shirley Funk, George & Georgia Popp, Benjamin Patrick Hyink, Santos Aranas, Bill Bolton, Gene Gaetano, Elizabeth Pirman
February 28	Fr. Clark	7:15am	Richard Gomez, George Duda, Stacy Baker
	Fr. Baker	8:45am	St. Cletus Parishioners
	Fr. Baker	10:30am	Michael Pizzuto, Elaine Rys, Bill DePasquale, Emilia & Marco Rattin, Rose Mary Moreno
	Fr. Gamboa	12:30pm	St. Cletus Parishioners

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.

February - Frank Niwa, John Zydek

January - Catherine Cosgrove, Virginia Klecka

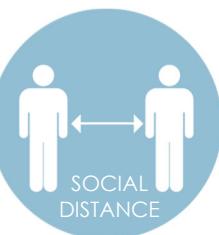
December - Montana Jennings, Judy McLean, Ginny Skibbe, Mary Ann Vokurka, Sandra Eckrich, Marilyn Kornau, Maria Matayka, Kevin Peck, Patricia Rodey, Laura Terrazino, Patrick Wingert

Also pray for our parishioners who are in nursing homes or are homebound unable to attend Mass.

ONLINE SIGN UP REQUIRED FOR IN-PERSON WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

All worship opportunities require that you pre-register. No walk-ins allowed. The sign up links can be found on our website, stcletusparish.com. If you don't have internet access you can call the parish office for assistance at 708.352.6209.

Recordings of masses are available on the St. Cletus Parish YouTube channel.



LENT 2021

St. Cletus Parish will host English Stations of the Cross Fridays at 3 p.m. You must pre-register online to attend.

Little Black Lenten Books are available at our weekend liturgies February 20-21.

CATHOLIC RESOURCES FOR LENT 2021

www.Catholic-link.org

www.loyolapress.com

www.ncea.org

www.sadlier.com

www.catholicfamilyfaith.org

www.dynamiccatholic.com

www.wordonfire.org

www.usccb.org

dailyreflections@csbsju.edu

pvm.archchicago.org/events/lenten-resources

lent.bustedhalo.com

ignatiansolidarity.net/steadfast-lent-2021

simplycatholic.com

These are some resources to help refresh and connect us as we approach the holy season of Lent. You can also try typing -“free Catholic resources for Lent” and a myriad of possibilities, in addition to these, appear. Some sites haven’t updated all their material but still offer timeless thoughts or suggestions.

During this unusual time when we may feel isolated or even estranged from our faith and one another, it is especially important that we seek ways to strengthen our relationship with God and each other. Our Lenten mantra of prayer, fasting and giving can be experienced in a new and special way this Lent. God Bless Us All.

Notes from Fr. Bob...

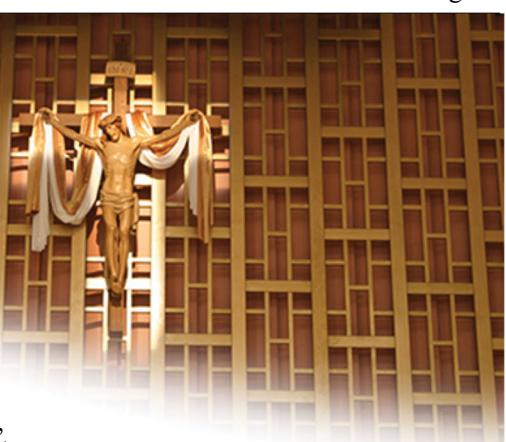
FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

The native tribes of South America make a point of marking different events in a person's life in dramatic fashion. In a time honored tradition their young men are initiated into the tribe in a private ceremony. They will eventually receive honorable status in their society but not before they have endured differing rituals designed to test their strength, and, perhaps humble them a little. There are many rites of passage for different occasions. Somehow these help them become loving and caring husbands and tribesmen. These societies have no doubt learned that the only way humanity moves forward is when we have the courage to face our weakness and our fears.

Like Matthew and Luke, Mark shows Jesus going through a time of testing. Each account, in a different way, tells us that he has to endure his strengthening, his initiation, before he could preach his message of salvation. The spirit that leads him to the wilderness is the same spirit that will tell him he is a beloved son. His preparation to do the will of the Father will not be complete until he spends those hungry days alone with his thoughts, finding out who he is.

To the people of the day, the wilderness of the desert was a lonely place, cut off from the support of one's family. How could one survive this experience, vulnerable and exposed to danger? In fact, Jesus is facing those demons that we all must face at some time in our lives, the terrible vulnerability of aloneness, and the inevitability of death. His days alone were a foretaste of the cross to come. Of course we know that this testing leads to freedom and through the cross, to redemption. Since we are baptized into Christ, we too can overcome the obstacles that may confront us. We can rest safe in the knowledge that Christ has overcome even death itself.

Perhaps like Noah, we cannot fully understand what real freedom looks like until we experience vulnerability. As the early Christian mystics say, we cannot understand the language of the cross, until we have faced darkness in our own lives. To be a builder of the kingdom means being a person of compassion and that is not learned without suffering. Life brings with it many forms of testing, for some it may be an embittering experience, leaving them cold and closed. For us as people of the promise, it can be a turning point, a cleansing experience that leads us to growth and openness. This freedom can only come about if we, like Jesus, remember that we are beloved by the Father who is with us at every stage of our journey. Like Jesus, we are accompanied by a Father who is intimately involved in our joys and our moments of weakness.



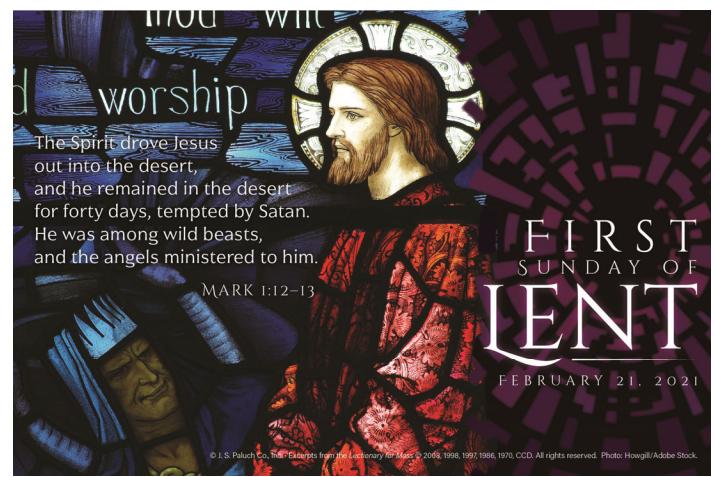
In this time of Lent,
the Church asks us to
spend time looking within ourselves.

During the coming weeks we are to confront our fears and temptations, so that we might be brought into a fuller relationship with Christ. The Gospel reminds us that the Father who strengthens his son in the desert is the same God who renews the promises to an unfaithful people and is bound with them forever. This is the good news that we all need to hear, and are all called to share.

What does this good news look like? Well we know it transforms people, it makes them turn around, repent, and start again. It gives hope; it drives away fear; it promotes true peace; it is concerned for others; it is concerned with building up what is good, and destroying what is evil. When we begin to see this work of God in our lives, when we respond anew, we will find life: life in all its fullness.

Prayerfully Yours,

*Fr. Bob
Pastor*



Social Concerns Ministry



ST. CLETUS FOOD PANTRY THURSDAYS 6-8PM

Most needed at this time:

- \$10 gift cards to Walmart or Jewel
- Cleaning products
- laundry detergent
- Diapers size 4-6
- Baby wipes
- Jelly
- Tuna
- Salad Dressing
- Ketchup

Please look for the FOOD PANTRY DONATION bin near the Rectory door, they will be checked daily.



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[@St.CletusFoodPantry](https://www.instagram.com/St.CletusFoodPantry)

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

Matching Grant Opportunity!

As the effects of the pandemic continue, our friends and neighbors are facing long-term financial impacts. In the past year we have seen a **70% increase in households** coming to the pantry. In our busiest months, we saw an **increase of 126%**!

Right now your donation is DOUBLED!

All donations go directly to food pantry operations.

All donations are tax-deductible

Online Donations can be made at: <https://bit.ly/3dpyrOb>

OR you can send a check to:

St. Cletus Food Pantry | 600 W 55th St. La Grange, IL 60525

(Donations can also be dropped in the Rectory Mail Slot)

Thank you for all of your sustained support in the last year! We could not have made it this far without you!

WE'VE BEEN GIVEN AN ANONYMOUS MATCHING GRANT OF UP TO \$25,000



CAN YOU HELP?

Happy Valentine's Day!

The Malham Family made the sweetest Valentine's goodies for food pantry this week! They melted down old broken crayons into new crayon hearts and included some treats, a pencil and notepad, stickers and Kleenex!

We were so excited to share this fun treat with our youngest visitors.

Thank you Malham's for your thoughtful service!



LENTEN OUTREACH

HUNGER IN OUR WORLD

Jesus told us that whatever we did for one of these least brothers of his we did for him. Reflect on the challenge of global hunger— it is a reality for millions of our sisters and brothers. What will you do to support the hungry in our community and around the world? Visit crsricebowl.org to learn more.



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OUTREACH

Our monthly DV Support Group meetings will continue to be held virtually on Zoom.

If you would like to join us, please fill out this RSVP form to receive the meeting details: <https://bit.ly/37blfqM>

Thank you.



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OUTREACH
— ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO —
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www.domesticviolenceoutreach.org

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SHARING THE LOVE

Our teachers had a sweet little luncheon treat for our teachers today to celebrate an early Valentine's Day! Thank you Drink Milo's for the lemonade and tea donation for all to enjoy as well!

Also, some special treat bags were passed out to our students courtesy of our FSA!



SAVE THE DATE FOR A FUN, VIRTUAL NIGHT CELEBRATING OUR SCHOOL AT THE ST. CLETUS SPRING AUCTION 2021

WHEN: Saturday, April 24th

TIME: 6-10pm

WHERE: Anywhere you like!

Be Ready for Raffles, Live & Silent Auctions, Fun!

OUR CARDINAL RAFFLE IS IN THE BAG!

Thank you to all of the families that participated in the 2021 Cardinal Raffle! We are so pleased to say we did so well with \$28,290 raised!

Our student winner for families that sold 24 or more tickets were:

- 1st prize - Apple Airpod - Hannah Bertelson
- 2nd prize - \$100 Amazon gift Card- Avery and Harrison Debre
- 3rd prize - Yeti cooler - Grace Campbell

Winner of the Raffle:

- 1st prize - \$1000 - ticket number 3487 - Luke L.
- 2nd prize - \$500 - ticket number 6013 - Curt K.
- 3rd prize - \$500 - ticket number 1998 - Paulette D.

Thank you to our TOP ticket sellers:

- The Dutton Family - 72 tickets sold
- The Ramirez Family - 51 tickets sold
- The Hodak Family - 49 tickets sold

Again, we are so pleased and so blessed. Thank you to our School Board for organizing this fabulous fundraiser and thank you for supporting St. Cletus School where it's ALWAYS a GREAT Day TO BE A Cardinal!

In Faith and Blessings,

Greg Porod, Principal
Christy Schaefer, Assistant Principal

A Note from Deacon Stuart and Marlene Heyes

Dear Friends,

Marlene and I write this note with mixed feelings.

We have decided to move to TN and join the IL exodus for several reasons.

Foremost - Marlene's health is compromised with the severe Winters here and a milder climate is best for us both at our time of life.

Chicago is not the place we loved to visit anymore and likely won't be in our lifetime.

Our daughter, Ruth, and family moved there last year and love it. When we visited recently we experienced why.

We visited last week and found the perfect home in a great Del Webb 55+ community - really great set up and first class amenities.

Nashville area offers so much, it is drawing multitudes from IL NY & CA. Cost, climate, and quality of living!!

So we'll be leaving IL and all of you in March / April. We'll really miss you all and the St Cletus community.

Blessings to you all,
Stuart & Marlene



St. Cletus Council of Catholic Women

ST. CLETUS COUNCIL OF
CATHOLIC WOMEN



WE NEED YOUR HELP!

As you know the St. Cletus Council of Catholic Women is involved in many areas of outreach in our parish. We offer scholarship opportunities to Catholic school students, donate funds to Religious Education and our day School here at St. Cletus and stay in touch with our members during this difficult time to offer support. In order to continue our efforts we are sponsoring a fund raising event. Here are the details:

When: Saturday, March 6, 2021 | 11:00am to 7:00pm

Where: Highland Queen, 1511 W. 55th St. La Grange, IL 60525 | 708-246-1846

Just order lunch or dinner and mention St. Cletus CCW at checkout. We will receive 10% of all proceeds that day when we are mentioned. No need for a flyer just visit and tell them you want to credit our organization. You can call ahead to order and the menu is on their website at www.thehighlandqueen.com

We appreciate your support and they are staying open that day until 7:00 to accommodate any orders after 5:00 pm Mass. We appreciate your help as we continue to support our parish needs whenever they occur.

Ministry News

BOOK DISCUSSION



Once a year the discussion group chooses a “classic” to discuss. This year’s choice is **To Kill a Mockingbird** by Harper Lee. We will meet via Zoom on April 13 at 7 PM.

For those who like to look ahead:

June 8, 2021: Saints for All Occasions by J Courtney Sullivan

Questions – call Denise at 708.712.8294

JOIN OUR ROSARY COMMUNITY



I was a faithful “tabernacle side, up front” participant at the 11:00 Mass. You knew the “regulars” around you and knew when someone was missing (are they sick?) or when their relatives came to visit. It was just one way that a larger parish became smaller, more welcoming. This is one of the things I miss as we celebrate socially distanced Masses on our new schedule (all very necessary) is that sense of community.

But this is also one of the things that I love about saying the Rosary together at 1 o’clock each Wednesday. We have a faithful group of parishioners who join together in prayer. We share our intentions and pray for our families, parish and nation. We invite you to join us whenever you can. It is always good to sign in on the website, but come and unite with us in prayer. Sometimes I laugh that we are on a Zoom call with Mary, but how wonderful it is to take a half hour out of your day to spend with Our Mother. You are also welcome to make a reservation and come before the Lord in private prayer during this time; the church is open for us all. We will be waiting every Wednesday at 1:00 p.m. for you to join us.

WORD OF LIFE



“Abortion affects countless marriages more than many people recognize. But there is no doubt that God will bring great healing to those who trust in his infinite mercy. If a past abortion can be acknowledged and addressed, a married couple can make great strides in experiencing even more fully God’s design that ‘the two shall become one’ (Mt 19:5).”

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
“Healing within Marriage from an Abortion”
respectlife.org/healing-in-marriage

40 DAYS FOR LIFE: FEBRUARY 17 – MARCH 28



You can protect mothers and children by joining this worldwide mobilization to pray and fast for an end to abortion! Through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigils and community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired 1,000,000 volunteers! With God’s help, much good has been accomplished in the effort to protect the lives of the unborn.

The local 40 Days for Life Vigil in our community this Lent will take place at Access Health Center (in the public right-of-way), 1700 75th St, Downers Grove. Vigil hours: 7AM to 7PM daily. To learn more, contact Caron at 40daysdg@gmail.com. To sign up for prayer times go to <http://www.40daysforlife.com/downersgrove>.

INTERFAITH CAREER NETWORK

Questions/Answers With The Career Coach - Join Jody Eriksen, a Certified Advanced Career Coach, for The Coach's Corner on Thursday, February 18 from 7-8:30 pm via ZOOM. It is said that searching for a job is the hardest job you will ever have. You likely had years of experience in your previous position. However, you are a novice at job search and much has changed since your last search. Networking during a pandemic? ATS Systems? One or two page resume? Jody will welcome any and all questions and address job search questions you had not yet thought about. Have your questions answered and learn from the questions of other job seekers. Jody Eriksen offers her integrated background in Psychology, Business Administration and Professional Coaching to bring original tools and techniques to enhance your Career Development tool kit. The link to this ZOOM meeting can be found on our website at <http://www.interfaithcareernetwork.org/calendar>. Everyone is welcome and there is no cost to attend

COMPASSIONATE CARE MINISTRY

The **Compassionate Care Ministry** is again badly in need of postage stamps for its notes of sympathy and support during the first year following the loss of a loved one. Each bereaved family receives six cards during that year. This means that if there are ten funerals during a period of one month, 50 stamps are needed in that month alone. Your generous donations have meant so much in the past and we are very grateful. If you are able to contribute to this worthwhile ministry in this way, it will be very much appreciated. Simply place them in an envelope marked **CCM** and put them through the slot in the rectory door—or drop them in one of the collection baskets located at each exit in the church building.

Community News

THE WELL SPIRITUALITY CENTER

Please register for programs at The Well Spirituality Center online: www.csjthewell.org or call 708-482-5048. All programs are on Zoom during this time of Covid-19.

Breaking Open the Word

Tuesdays, Feb. 23 – March 30, 9 - 10:15 AM
Facilitator: Pat Bergen, CSJ. Each week in Lent, bring Sunday's scriptures into dialogue with our own lives.

Pause – Dive Deep – Live:

Lenten Invitations During a Pandemic

Thursdays, Feb. 25, Mar. 4, 11, 9:30 - 10:45 AM
Facilitator: Kathy Sherman, CSJ. Witness the journey of Jesus, and our own, thru input, music, sharing, quiet.

Intuitive Painting

Saturday, Feb. 27, 9 AM – 12 PM
Facilitator: Gillian Romano. Creating art can be a form of meditation. Grow and nurture your innate wisdom. No prior experience necessary.

Where Did Jesus Go?

Saturday all-day retreat, March 27, 9:30 AM – 3:30 PM
Facilitator: Carolyn Toben. Share questions about the great sacred themes of resurrection, forgiveness, and the meaning of Jesus Christ in our own soul-longings.

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 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

Tax Statement by Request Only

As tax time approaches, we ask everyone who would like a year-end statement of their Year 2020 financial offering to the parish to fill out the form below and drop it in the collection basket after Mass, or simply call the Parish Office at (708) 352-6209 and leave a message. Please include your name, phone and envelope # or address in your message. You may also email bkallal@stcletusparish.com and submit your request electronically. Rather than mail statements to everyone in the parish, it seems more prudent and conservative to only mail them to those who need them for tax returns. Of course, your statement is available anytime a need for it may arise. Thank you.



Name _____ Phone # _____

Address _____ Envelope # _____

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

Blossoms of Hope – April 25th



The Blossoms of Hope Virtual Event will be held on Sunday, April 25, 2021 to support the Catholic Charities Loving Outreach to Survivors of Suicide (LOSS) Program. All are welcome and attendance is free of charge. The event will include keynote speakers, an exciting raffle & silent auction, and the opportunity to remember & honor loved ones lost to suicide and those who survive them. For information, please contact Kaaron Johnson at kajohnson@catholiccharities.net.

Legal Assistance Available

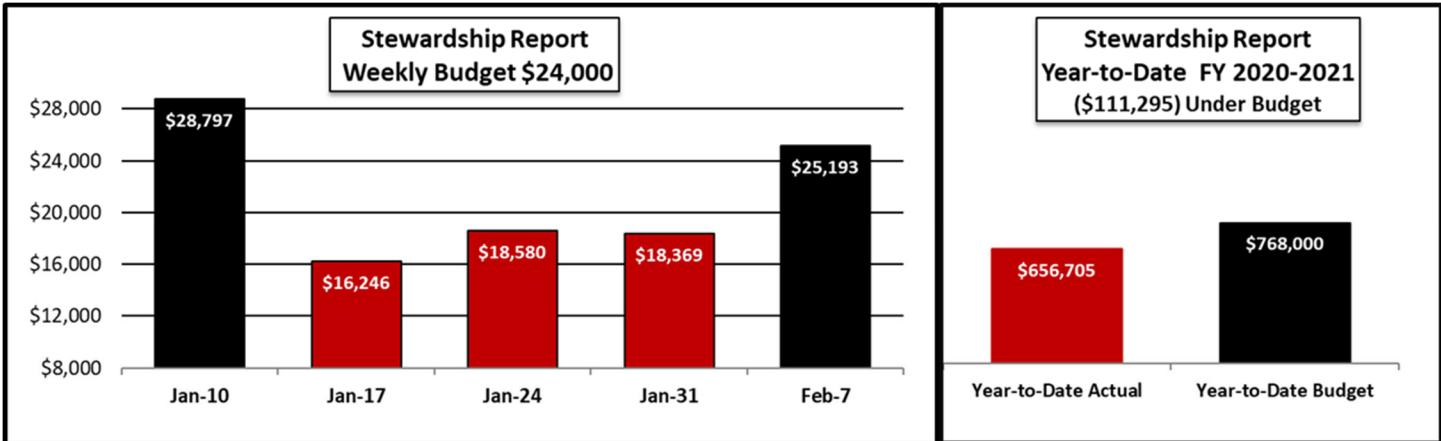
Catholic Charities Legal Assistance Department has attorneys and volunteer attorneys available to provide advice in numerous areas of law. If you are unsure about your legal rights or lost in the legal system, they can help. Services include in-depth advice and possible direct representation on many issues, including landlord/tenant disputes, family law, consumer and debtor rights, foreclosure, employment issues, orders of protection, power of attorney, and more. CCLA provides free to low-cost legal services to eligible low-income individuals. For help and more information, contact the legal advice line at (312) 948-6821.

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.

Stewardship Report

The Feb. 14, 2021 Weekly Giving Report was unavailable at the time of printing, it will be published in the Feb. 28 Canticle.



Sunday Notes

REPENT AND BELIEVE IN THE GOSPEL

Lent is the time of year we devote to scrutinizing our lives in the light of our baptism into the death and resurrection of Jesus. Today's readings are a nice shorthand catechism of what our baptized lives mean. As Noah passed through the waters of the flood to a covenant with God, so did we enter into a covenant, a promised relationship with God through our baptism.

Peter's letter gives an explicit explanation of what our baptism means: it is an appeal we make to God for a clear conscience. How do we obtain this clear conscience? The words proclaimed by Jesus immediately following his temptation show us the way: "Repent, and believe in the gospel" (Mark 1:15). It might be a good spiritual exercise to keep these readings before us throughout the entire season of Lent, a means to help us return to a life lived by our baptismal promises.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — I will set my bow in the clouds to serve as a sign of the covenant between me and the earth (Genesis 9:8-15).

Psalm — Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those who keep your covenant (Psalm 25).

Second Reading — The water of the flood prefigured baptism, which saves you now (1 Peter 3:18-22).

Gospel — Jesus was tempted by Satan, and the angels ministered to him (Mark 1:12-15)

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: 1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4-6; Mt 16:13-19
- Tuesday: Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-7, 16-19; Mt 6:7-15
- Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19; Lk 11:29-32
- Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Mt 7:7-12
- Friday: Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-8; Mt 5:20-26
- Saturday: Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:43-48
- Sunday: Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ps 116:10, 15-19; Rom 8:31b-34; Mk 9:2-10

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday: First Sunday of Lent; Rite of Election; Rite of Calling the Candidates to Continuing Conversion; Rite of Sending Washington's Birthday; Julian Calendar Lent begins
- Monday: St. Polycarp
- Tuesday: Purim (Jewish observance) begins at sunset
- Friday: Abstinence
- Saturday: St. Gregory of Narek

BEAUTY IN FORGIVENESS

Humanity is never so beautiful as when praying for forgiveness, or else forgiving another.

—Jean P. F. Richter

THE QUALITY OF CHANGE

To change and to change for the better are two different things.

—German proverb

St. Cletus Parish Information

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Español	(708) 215-5440
School	(708) 352-4820
www.stcletusparish.com.....	 stcletuschurch

PARISH CENTER OFFICE HOURS

Please note that all deliveries and inquiries should be made to the parish center office. Food pantry will remain in the rectory.

Monday-Friday	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Saturday and Sunday	Closed

MASSES

Saturday Evening.....	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	7:15 a.m., 8:45 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m. (SPANISH)
Weekdays.....	Mon. thru Fri. 8:00 a.m.

We continue to offer daily Mass online and our 5pm Vigil Mass is livestreamed each Saturday. Be sure to subscribe to our YouTube channel and click the bell icon to be notified of the latest videos. You can also find the link on our website and Facebook page.

CONFESIONS

Confessions First Saturday of the Month 9:00 to 9:45 a.m.
Must call parish offices to schedule a reservation.

BAPTISMS

Parents must be registered parishioners. Please make arrangements by calling Bobbie Kallal at (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. Contact Bobbie Kallal (708) 352-6209.

HOME/HOSPITAL VISITATION AND COMMUNION CALLS

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

STAFF

PARISH STAFF

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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.

PARISH MISSION AND VISION STATEMENTS

Experience the Difference

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