Saint Cletus Parish Canticle

25 2017

What I say to you in the darkness, speak in the light; what you hear whispered, proclaim on the housetops.

Matthew 10:27

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Copyright © J.S. Paluch Co. Inc. · Photos: © kevron2001/Fotolia

Mass Intentions for the Week of June 26 - July 2, 2017

Day	Presider (subject to change)	Time	Intentions
Monday	Fr. Baker	8:00 a.m.	Eleanor Maday
Tuesday	Fr. Gamboa	8:00 a.m.	St. Cletus Priests, Past and Present
Wednesday	Fr. Clark	8:00 a.m.	Bob Thomas
Thursday	Fr. Baker	8:00 a.m.	Deceased St. Cletus Parishioners
Friday	Fr. Clark	8:00 a.m.	St. Cletus Priests, Past and Present
Saturday	Fr. Gamboa Fr. Clark	8:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	Joseph & Kay Klemak St. Cletus Parishioners
Sunday	Fr. Gamboa Fr. Baker	7:00 a.m. 8:00 a.m.	John & Frances Kennedy, Pauline & Vincent Passardi, Patrick Mahoney, Bill DePasquale, Marco & Emilia DePasquale Janina Bonczak, Ted Szlezall, Bernie Kelly, Henry & Anna Pleszka,
	Fr. Clark	9:30 a.m.	Ricciardone & Calandriello Families Stanley Zagorski, William Schafer, Stacy Baker, Steven Wroblewski, Alex Budzisz
	Fr. Baker Fr. Gamboa	11:00 a.m. 12:30 p.m.	Jennie Ficaro, John E. Toncray, Gene Kennedy, James Zethmayr Deceased St. Cletus Parishioners



COLLECTION FOR PETERS PENCE



Be a Witness of Envelopes can be found in the pews for Peter's Pence, a worldwide collection that supports the charitable works of Pope

Francis. Funds from this collection help victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous. For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence and see page 5 of today's Canticle.

BULLETIN ARTICLE SUBMISSION

Please note that all Canticle articles are to be sent to canticle@stcletusparish.com as text with pictures attached separately. All articles are due 5:00p.m. Friday a full week (9 days) before Sunday's publication. Thank you!

FACILITIES CLOSED JULY 3RD AND 4TH

All parish facilities will be closed Monday, July 3rd and after 8am Mass on Tuesday, July 4th.

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.

Patricia Rodey, Alice Katzmarek, Baby William Eric Anderson, Otto Stuckman

Fernando Cabral, Gerda E. Dorzo, Maryann Scalise

Kris Kahn, Peter May and Frank Niwa, Ann Smith-Walls, Bonnie Boerste, Emily Devine, Dan Haske, Fr. Charles Payne, Laura Terrazino, John Duda, Ernie and Katarina Dufner, Susan Star

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

SUMMER RECTORY HOURS

Rectory Hours June, July and August 2017

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.

Notes from Fr. Bob...

12TH SUNDAY **IN ORDINARY TIME**

Jesus, after giving his disciples their mission and their apostolic calling, warns them of the opposition that they will encounter as they try to preach the gospel. He warns of persecution and imprisonment, of hostility and heartbreak. Then he says, "Do not be afraid." Be brave. These words are not uttered as mere wishful fancy. They are based on a rock solid foundation - the foundation of God's unfailing love for each one of us.

God knows the life-story of each little sparrow. How much more does he know your story and the feelings of your heart? God knows you inside and out, and God's knowing of people is also and always a loving of people. Every hair of your head has been counted.

This love of God for us tells how infinitely beautiful and loveable we are. Against all our expectations, and often against all appearances to the contrary, against the ugliness of so much of human life, and against our own feelings of worthlessness and wickedness, God loves us. His love for us is expressed in Jesus Christ and in everything that Jesus says. "You are worth more than hundreds of sparrows." Do not let anyone tell you something different.

The story of Adam and Eve and the serpent well describes our human condition in all its mess and misery. The story of Jesus Christ, crucified and raised again, represents to us the story of our struggle and eventual survival and success as human beings. If the fall was a crash that brought the world tumbling down, then the life and love of Jesus Christ is the restoration and the promise of life to all. So says Saint Paul to the Romans today.

After the tragic events of September 11th 2001 in America, the world has become terribly afraid. We have been made very much aware of how destructive we can be. The medium of television brings into our homes and front rooms, not only the beauty of this world, but the terror too. What we used to read in history books or hear about in newspapers is now portrayed in our very midst.

In our present fears people are making great efforts



another. Most recently in the

West people are buying the Koran to try and learn more about the peoples of the Middle East. This learning about others should go hand-in-hand with our learning about ourselves. We need to appreciate better the true nature of our human condition, our frailty and our flaws.

In Jesus Christ, who took on our flesh and lived among us, we have our way to a true humanity. He can give us grace to become children of God. If we live as God's children, all fears will go away, and we can help this troubled world to know that there is no need to be afraid.

Prayers Always,

Fr. Bob Pastor



Parish School



DATES TO REMEMBER

Meet and Greet	August 21
First Day of School	August 22
Parish Fall Fest	

FOR INFORMATION OR TO SCHEDULE A TOUR

Tom Chinske, Principal (708) 352-4820 tchinske@stcletusparish.com

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



Exploring Passions in the Science Lab

Students at St. Cletus attend special classes daily. These classes allow students to express their creativity and emphasize their talents. The Science Lab is a popular special because it allows our students to further explore STEM related activities that begin in the classroom.



Designing Hovercraft

Third-graders learned about hover crafts and then built their own using cd discs, film canisters, balloons, and bottle tops. Then there was no telling where they would travel!



Building Roller Coasters

Fourth-graders were asked to create a roller coaster using five meters of pipe insulation and a marble. After they made a single loop roller coaster they were challenged to make a double loop coaster with the marble completing the entire length.



Exploring Taste

Fifth-graders were challenged to see if they could guess the flavor of different yogurts by closing their eyes and holding their noses. It was a more difficult than the students anticipated and many were fooled!



"A LITTLE MERCY MAKES THE WORLD LESS COLD AND MORE JUST."
—Pope Francis, Angelus, March 17, 2013

he Peter's Pence Collection has ancient Christian roots, linking back to the New Testament times when people would provide material support to those preaching the Gospel to distribute to those in need (see Acts 4:34-35, 11:29). Today the collection is the way we as members of the Catholic Church unite ourselves to the concerns of the Holy Father. Donations to this collection support the charitable works of Pope Francis for the assistance of those most in need.

How Pope Francis Invites Us to Make the World Less Cold and More Just

In his 2016 *Urbi et Orbi* address, Pope Francis reminds us, "The Lord ... enables us to see with his eyes of love and compassion those who hunger and thirst, strangers and prisoners, the marginalized and the outcast, the victims of oppression and violence." By opening our eyes to the suffering and injustice in the world, we can open our hearts to the call of Pope Francis that "efforts be made everywhere to promote the culture of encounter, justice and reciprocal respect, which alone can guarantee the spiritual and material welfare of all people."

How We Can Join Pope Francis and Be a Witness of Charity

By supporting this collection, you support the charitable works of Pope Francis. Your donations are a witness of charity and help the Holy See reach out compassionately to those who are marginalized. Contributions to this collection provide assistance to victims of natural disaster, war, oppression, and disease.

How You Can Help

PRAY

Pray for the Holy Father as he reaches out compassionately to make the world less cold and more just, and for those around the world who are suffering and will benefit from this collection.

SHARE

As a way to spread the message of mercy and peace, share this flier with someone who might be interested and tell others how Pope Francis supports the marginalized.

GIVE

Please give generously to this collection, as a witness of charity, and give hope to those who suffer around the globe.





Sunday Notes - 12th Sunday of Ordinary Time

FEAR NOT

How do people find hope in the face of suffering and death? That is the question addressed by today's scriptures. We hear of the suffering of Jeremiah and the psalmist. We hear of the death that "reigned from Adam to Moses" (Romans 5:14). We hear of the fears of the Twelve as Jesus sends them out into the world to preach and heal.

Through all this tribulation one message rings out loud and clear—"Do not be afraid!" The God who saved Jeremiah and the psalmist and Jesus is fully present to save us through the gracious gift of Jesus Christ. We have nothing and no one to fear.

Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The LORD has rescued the poor from the clutches of the wicked (Jeremiah 20:10-13).

Psalm — Lord, in your great love, answer me (Psalm 69).

Second Reading — The grace of God overflows for all (Romans 5:12-15).

Gospel — All who acknowledge Jesus before others will likewise be acknowledged by Jesus before the Father (Matthew 10:26-33).

The English translation of the Psalm Responses from *Lectionary for Mass* © 1969, 1981, 1997, International Commission on English in the Liturgy Corporation. All rights reserved.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 12:1-9; Ps 33:12-13, 18-20, 22; Mt 7:1-5 Tuesday: Gn 13:2, 5-18; Ps 15:2-4ab, 5; Mt 7:6, 12-14 Wednesday: Gn 15:1-12, 17-18; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9;

Mt 7:15-20

Thursday: Vigil: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 19:2-5; Gal 1:11-20;

Jn 21:15-19

<u>Day</u>: Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34:2-9; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19

Friday: Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22; Ps 128:1-5; Mt 8:1-4 Saturday: Gn 18:1-15; Lk 1:46-50, 53-55; Mt 8:5-17 Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a; Ps 89:2-3, 16-19;

Rom 6:3-4, 8-11; Mt 10:37-42

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Tuesday: St. Cyril of Alexandria

Wednesday: St. Irenaeus

Thursday: Ss. Peter and Paul, Apostles

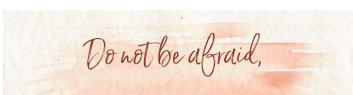
Friday: The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church Saturday: St. Junípero Serra; Blessed Virgin Mary

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The Eucharistic Prayers at the heart of our liturgy have a long history, beginning with the extemporaneous prayers of the early Christians. The presiders gave thanks from their hearts, not from any prearranged text, over the gifts of bread and wine. When the assembly had the sense that enough was said, someone would call out "Amen!" and that was that. For the most part, the plan flowed directly from Jewish meal prayers, which always recalled God's mighty deeds. Some other markers and signposts were added almost everywhere fairly early, like the presider's call to attention: "Lift up your hearts!"

Scholars have provided us with translations of many early texts. These have actually helped us craft new liturgical prayers, because until the liturgical reforms of forty years ago, no one could recall any prayer but the Roman Canon, now called Eucharistic Prayer I. For hundreds of years in the West, it was our only Eucharistic Prayer, and it was only in Latin. But the history of our Eucharistic Prayers is amazingly fruitful, and models have come down to us that have yielded new insights and expressions. The old custom of improvising texts according to a master plan has not endured, but we have now rediscovered a plan of standardizing the text while allowing for a great variety.

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





YOU ARE WORTH MORE THAN MANY SPARROWS.

--Matthew 10:31

Copyright © J.S. Paluch Co., Inc. Photos: Maridav/iStock/Getty Images Plus, piolka/iStock/Getty Images Plus

SCLETUS PARISH FALL FESTIVAL



2017 FALL FEST SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

\$10,000 DIAMOND SPONSOR (1 AVAILABLE)

• Overall Sponsorship of 2017 St. Cletus Parish Fall Festival on banners, signage, etc. Contact us for details.

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

• Sponsorship of our Main Stage area, Beer Tent, Children's Area, Bingo or other agreed upon Fall Fest Area (based upon availability) on banners and other signage in Fest Area. Contact us for details.

\$2,500 - \$4,999 GOLD 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
- Logo on all promotional materials, flyers and website
- Name on Recognition Banner
- Name and Logo listed on Fall Fest Shirt and website
- Two Carnival Mega Pass wristbands

\$1,000 - \$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 - \$999 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

\$250 - \$499 CARDINAL SPONSOR

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

SPONSOR INFORMATION

Visit www.stcletusfallfest.com to purchase your sponsorship online or return this form to the Parish Office. St. Cletus Parish 600 W 55th St. La Grange, IL.

Please return sponsorship forms by August 25th to allow sufficient set up time for recognition. Make checks payable to St. Cletus. Email logos to: fallfest@stcletusparish.com. Direct inquires to the rectory 708-352-6209.

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	

Social Concerns Ministry

Food Pantry

Most needed at this time:

- Canned Fruit
- Canned Meats/Meals
- Boxed Sides (potatoes, flavored rice, etc.)
- Diapers Size 3-6
- **Baby Wipes**
- Jewel/Aldi Gift Cards

Donations can be dropped off before or after masses or anvtime daily between 7:45 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. in Food Pantry bins in the Narthex.



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 SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

We are in need of more volunteers for this month's food pantry distribution, Thursday, July 13! Please see the opportunities below and let us know if you can help!

Thursday, July 13

1:30-2:30 - We need able-bodied volunteers—students and adults—to help set up the food pantry for distribution day, moving items from the rectory to the church. We will meet in the Church Narthex.

6:00-8:30pm - Volunteers to help carry bags and assist during food pantry distribution.

Sign up today! Click on Food Pantry Summer Sign Up at: http://socialconcerns.stcletusparish.com. Thank you!

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

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 at 708.215.5418 kgrant@stcletusparish.com for more info.

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

WORD OF LIFE

"If someone we know has received a prenatal diagnosis, let us ask the Holy Spirit to work through us. May the families of these little children be strengthened and comforted by our affirmation of the truth that their child's life—however long or short—is worth living."



Supporting Families Who Receive a Prenatal Diagnosis USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities https://goo.gl/5pFJ1

SCHOOL AND TUTORS ON WHEELS

School and Tutors on Wheels is a suburban organization supporting immigrants with English literacy education and citizenship assistance. Join us June 28th for A Celebration of Cultural Unity at The Community House in Hinsdale Tickets at \$100 are available online at: http://www.schoolandtutorsonwheels.org/. For more info, contact Constantine Bitsas, at 708-609-0945.

FORTNIGHT FOR FREEDOM

Each year dioceses around the country arrange special events to highlight the importance of defending religious freedom. The Fortnight for Freedom is from June 21—the vigil of the Feasts of St. John Fisher and St. Thomas More—to July 4, Independence Day. More information at www.fortnightforfreedom.org.



AGING CARE CONNECTIONS

SENIOR MEALS

The Congregate Meals program serves older adults



(aged 60 and older) with a nutritious lunchtime meal for a suggested donation of \$2.50. Meals are served Monday through Friday from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.at Salerno's Pizzeria and Sports Bar, 9301 W 63rd St, Hodgkins. Following Lunch, the site provides activites, events, and education information. To view the montly menu visit www.againgcareconnections.org. Reservations and cancellations are required by NOON the day prior to attendance. To reserve, please call 708-354-1323.

The Senior Lunch Site is operated by Aging Care Connections in partnership with Salerno's.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

Celebrating 100 Years of History



Did you know Catholic Charities was founded by business leaders? In 1917, Cardinal Mundelein went to corporate philanthropic leaders with the desire to create a consolidated resource for charitable support to parishes and the needy.

Since then, we have supported all who turn to us for help through services touching almost every human service need. As an integral part of the fabric of Cook and Lake counties, we remain committed to the communities and people we serve.

Celebrating 100 Years of Community Partnerships

For 100 years, Catholic Charities has partnered with parishes, organizations, schools, and volunteers to meet the needs of Cook and Lake counties. Today, more than 400 community partners, 300 parish partners, and 15,000 volunteers help us provide the best and most cutting edge programming to answer the needs of the most underresources communities. Thank you for helping us make a difference!

Celebrating 100 Years of Adoption and Maternity Services

Did you know one of Catholic Charities first programs was Adoption and Maternity Services? Our legacy of services began during World War I, when we began feeding the hungry and caring for orphans and children of unwed mothers, as well as the mothers themselves. Today, our adoption and maternity services continue to provide services that span the full range of the "adoption circle," attending to the needs of parents facing unplanned

pregnancies and families seeking to adopt children.

Help us celebrate Catholic Charities "Century of Hope" by sharing your stories and photos on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram with the hashtag #ccofchicago100 and be sure to tag @CCofChicago.

To see our journey since 1917 and contribute your story, visit www.ccofchicago100.net



...and who is my neighbor?

In the parable of the Good Samaritan, when a man was beaten down and robbed on his way from Jerusalem to Jericho, travelers passed him by. A Samaritan, moved by compassion, takes the victim to an inn and pays the cost for him to be taken care of.

Are we not all travelers on the road from Jerusalem to Jericho?

Today, that road runs through Chicago. The streets where we serve run red with the blood of children.

These are OUR neighborhoods.

Can you hear the sobs of mothers and grandmothers the walking wounded; not shot,but dying on the inside? Please don't look away or step around.

We are ALL neighbors in God's eyes.

We are all on the same road of life. The poor, the hungry, the jobless, the hopeless – all beaten down. Will you help us lift up our neighbors?

Will you be a Good Samaritan and help today?



Other Ministry Notes

SCCCW



The St. Cletus Council of Catholic Women invites you to join them at the Paramount Theatre, Aurora, IL Sunday, October 15th for the 1:00 p.m. performance of:

MILLION DOLLAR QUARTET

There was no plan for Elvis Presley, Johnny Cash, Jerry Lee Lewis and Carl Perkins to record together on December 4, 1956. But as fate would have it, they did and left behind a historic and mind-blowing album. Million Dollar Quartet tells that story, with all the raw energy and monumental talent everyone has come to expect from these music giants.

Tickets: \$50; with transportation: \$70

Advance reservations are required by June 28th. For more information contact either Special Events chairpersons: Donna (dlluczak@aol.com) 708-246-5509 or Madeline (madeline thornton@yahool.com)

"SHOE DRIVE" THANK YOU!

Thank you to everyone who donated shoes for souls4souls.org. If you missed our collection last weekend please email me at sheyes@stcletusparish.com or call the rectory at 708-352-6209.

Thank You, Dcn. Stuart & Marlene

WEDDING MINISTRY



Wedding Ministry

IS THE WEDDING MINISTRY CALLING YOU?

All you have to say is "I do"- to accept the call and you are on your way. You would work with a partner in talking

and walking the bridal party through their rehearsal (the night before) and being present at the wedding to assist in setting up as needed. There is an easy guide to follow and you would be trained. It's a great ministry to help ease any anxiety of the happy couple. It is not a large time commitment as weddings occur sporadically and the more ministers we have, your service can be spaced at your preference. Please think about this and give me a call (or send an e-mail) if you have any questions or would like more info contact Paulette Bolton at 708 215-5422 or email pbolton@stcletusparish.com

YOUTH MINISTRY IGNITE IS UNDERWAY



Join us this summer for IGNITE, a student-led small group for college and high school students. We meet weekly for community time and

reflection on how the scriptures are relevant to our daily lives. Wherever you are in your faith journey, all are welcome for this popular summer group! IGNITE will meet each Tuesday this summer from 7-8pm at the St. John of the Cross Parish Center.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF THE YOUTH MINISTRY MISSION TRIP!

Thank you for your generous financial and spiritual support of our parish teens who are participating this summer on our mission trip to South Bend, IN in July. Please continue to pray for the teens as they prepare for their week of service.

SPIRITUAL GIFTS WORKSHOP AUG. 7TH

Earlier in June, nearly two dozen high school teens gathered for a workshop on Spiritual Giftedness. They learned about the right and duty Christians have to use their spiritual charisms, given in baptism. Through the use of a specifically designed inventory, they were able to discover what their charisms are and how they can use them as well as set up a plan to support each other in spiritual growth by sharing their gifts with the world. This workshop will be offered again on August 7th. All high school teens who have completed at least one year of high school are welcome to attend!!

SUMMER KAIROS

Registration is underway for Kairos 26! This retreat takes place from July 27-30 at the LaSalle Retreat Manor in Plano. This is a joint youth ministry opportunity of St. Francis Xavier, St. John of the Cross, and St. Cletus Parishes, and is open to all soon-to-be juniors, seniors, and graduating seniors (class of '17, '18, and '19). The retreat will be filled on a first come, first served basis; so please do not delay in turning in your form!

http://youthministry.sfxlg.org/kairos-retreat

Elizabeth Tomasek, Youth Ministry etomasek@stcletusparish.com (708) 215-5419 www.stcletusparish.com/youth

REGISTRATION FOR 2017-2018 RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES HAS BEGUN!



The St. Cletus Religious Education department has programs to fit the needs of each parish family. Our Early Childhood Program provides beginning religious instruction to children ages 3-5. Songs, crafts and

stories are used to instill a sense of community and introduce these young members of our parish to Jesus' word. For families with children in public schools, we have **Traditional Religious Education Classes** and **sacramental preparation** for children in 1st – 8th Grade, where the children have an encounter with Jesus through scripture, service experiences, interactive activities and games, and classroom experiences. These classes occur on Sunday mornings from 9:15-10:45 a.m. or on Monday evenings from 6-7:30 p.m. throughout the academic year.

Please take the time to complete the forms to register your children for RE classes for the 2017-2018 academic year! **Registrations are due by June 30, 2017.** Registration forms can be found online at steletusparish.com/re, in the Parish Rectory, Religious Education Office, or in the back of the Church.

Please take the time to register today!

To get priority placement, please consider volunteering your time and talents in one of the following ways:

AS A CATECHIST

Catechists receive weekly lesson plans and all resource materials to conduct an interactive lesson.

AS A CLASSROOM AIDE

Aides assist the Catechist weekly in the classroom

AS AN OFFICE VOLUNTEER DURING CLASS TIME

Office Volunteers assume responsibility weekly for assisting with the operations during RE classes

AS A MEMBER OF OUR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ADVISORY BOARD

Board Members meet monthly with the Director of Religious Education and the Pastor to provide input and feedback on the Religious Education program, and to assist in the implementation of various programs.

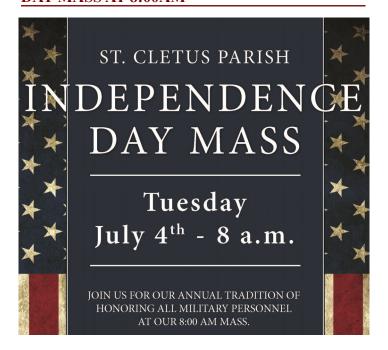
AS A SUBSTITUTE TEACHER

Subs are sometimes needed to cover for a Catechist who cannot attend one of our scheduled classes.

Questions?

Contact Barb Campbell at bcampbell@stcletusparish.com or call (708) 352-2383

JOIN US FOR OUR ANNUAL INDEPENDENCE DAY MASS AT 8:00AM



ST. CLETUS ONLINE GIVING... DONATIONS MADE EASY

We encourage you to make online donations by logging onto our website, www.stcletusparish.com and click on the Donate button and register using your checking account, debit card or credit card. Questions? Call Mary Zwolinski at the rectory, (708) 352-6209. Thank you for your continued support of St. Cletus Parish.

2017 SUMMER SCRIPTURE SEMINAR

University of St. Mary of the Lake/Mundelein Seminary is hosting Summer Scripture Seminar June 25-30th 2017.

This year the focus is Revelation: A Book of Hope in Troubled Times. Enrich your spiritual life this summer, attend presentations by some of the best Scripture Scholars in the world. Pray, eat and socialize with the speakers and other attendees, and find respite on our peaceful grounds. Attendees may commute or stay overnight, and can choose to come for individual lectures or the entire seminar. The best way to enjoy the program is to stay for the week from Sunday evening through Friday morning to experience the rhythm of prayer, study and relaxation with the Mundelein community. Continuing Education Units are available!

For more info and registration: www.summerscripture.org Like us on Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/ SummerScriptureSeminar/

Community Bulletin Board

JOYFUL AGAIN



Joyful Again! Program for Widowed Men and Women

Learning to find hope & joy again after the loss of your spouse.

Attend a retreat/workshop being held this Summer for widowed men & women.

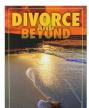
July 1 & 2 St. Julie's - Tinley Park

July 22 & 23 Holy Family - Inverness

August 12 & 13 Mary Queen – Elmhurst

Ph: Joyful Again Widowed Ministry 708-354-7211 email: joyfulagain7211@gmail.com ww.joyfulagain.org (short video on website)

ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS



2017 Divorce and Beyond Support Summer Series

Thursday Evenings 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. July 13, 20, 27 & Aug 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

The Divorce and Beyond ministry of St. John of the Cross provides support, healing

and guidance to the recently divorced or those in the process of divorce. It is a faith-based, Catholic Christian support ministry that also welcomes other faith traditions. Each session highlights a different aspect of the divorce-healing process. Sessions are led by Divorce and Beyond graduates who are committed to fostering the personal and spiritual growth of all participants. Register: www.stjohnofthecross.org/divorceandbeyond or call Steve @ 708-246-4404. Cost: \$10 Participant Manual (may be picked up prior to or at the first session).



2017 Seasons of Hope Grief Support Summer Series

St. John of the Cross Pastoral Ministry will once again host a 'Seasons of Hope' support group this summer. Seasons of Hope is for anyone grieving the loss of a

family member or loved one. 'Seasons of Hope' is a six-session series designed to help participants work through the grieving process. The summer session runs from Mon. July 10 - Aug 14 (7-8:30 pm) and is facilitated by experienced and caring adults who are familiar with all stages of the grief process. Register online: www.stjohnofthecross.org/grief-ministry/ or call Steve @ 708-246-4404.

SUBURBAN CATHOLIC SINGLES GROUP (SCSG)

Multi Parish Ministry For singles in their 40's and 50's

Friday, 7/21 7:00 pm join us for Dinner and Karaoke at JC's pub 8650 Joliet Rd. in McCook. Cost is your dinner. Please RSVP by 7/18.

Events are subject to change. You can contact us at singlesadmin@gmail.com. Find us on Facebook – Suburban Catholic Singles

MONTINI HIGH SCHOOL

Join us as we celebrate 38 years of Montini Football under Bronco Legend Coach Chris Andriano

Friday, June 30 7PM - 11PM @ Montini's Cafeteria & Gym \$25.00 Donation (To go directly towards the renovation of Montini Boy's Locker Room)

Register to attend at: www.montini.org/Andriano Montini Catholic • 19W017 16th Street, Lombard, IL

MAYSLAKE MINISTRIES

SACRED PRESENCE: A New Spiritual Director Professional Certification and Formation Program

This intensive ten-month program beginning in, September 2017, provides men and women with the spiritual formation and necessary skills to answer God's call to the ministry of Spiritual Direction. The program is staffed by a team of practicing Mayslake Ministries Spiritual Directors and affiliates who for decades, have companioned spiritual seekers on their journey to grow closer to God.

More info: sabel@mayslakeministries.org or 630-852-9000 718 Ogden Ave. Ste. 200 Downers Grove, IL 60515

HAVING DIFFICULTY DEALING WITH OUR STRESSFUL WORLD?

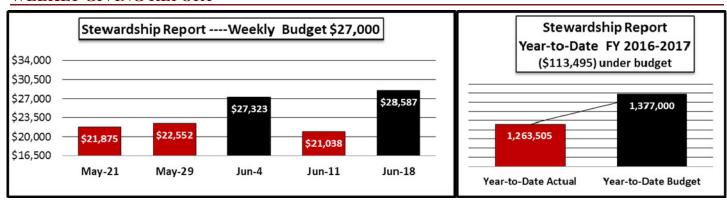
The Holbrook Counseling Center of Catholic Charities provides confidential counseling services in your area. Michele Nowak, a Licensed Clinical Professional Counselor who has worked with individuals, couples and families for 10 years, provides therapy in Worth, Oak Lawn and Tinley Park. Whether you're having problems with personal relationships, work situations or you are just feeling unhappy, "stuck" or unfulfilled, Catholic Charities is here for you. We are in network with Blue Cross/Blue Shield PPO and we also offer subsidized fees to those who qualify. To learn more about our services or to make an appointment, please call us at (312) 655-7725.

Week at a Glance

CChurch SSchool (Education Building		NarthexChu	rch Vestibule RBRectory Basement	MHMorrissey Hall
DAY/DATE	TIME	LOCATION	EVENT	
Sunday, June 25				
Monday, June 26				
Tuesday, June 27	6:30pm 7:00pm 8:00pm	RB S Rm 201 S Rm 207	PPC Meeting Mission Trip Meeting Men's Prayer Group	
Wednesday, June 28				
Thursday, June 29				
Friday, June 30	6:00pm	Church	Immigration Workshop	
Saturday, July 1				
Sunday, July 2				

Stewardship Report

WEEKLY GIVING REPORT



2016-17 St. Cletus Parish Preferred Providers



St. Cletus Parish Information

CONTACT US

Rectory	(708) 352-6209
Español	
School	(708) 352-4820
www.stcletusparish.com	f steletuschurch

RECTORY OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

Mon/Tues/Wed/Thurs/Sat	9:00 a.m 5:00 p.m.
Friday	9:00 a.m 12:00 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

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

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION AND BENEDICTION

Holy Hour first Tuesday of the month 6:00-7:00 p.m. *Hispanic Adoration* continues 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

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.

STAFF

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Robert Clark, Pastor

Rev. Kenneth Baker, Associate Pastor Rev. Lorenzo Gamboa, Associate Pastor

Rev. Mr. Jesús & Silvia Casas, Deacon Couple Rev. Mr. Stuart & Marlene Heyes, Deacon Couple

PASTORAL STAFF

Fr. Ken Baker/Paulette Bolton, Worship (708) 215-5422
Karen Ziemba, Music Ministry (708) 215-5423
Elizabeth Tomasek, Youth Ministry (708) 215-5419
Kendall Grant , <i>Social Concerns</i> (708) 215-5418
Deacon Stuart Heyes, Pastoral Care (708) 215-5407
Debbie Lestarczyk, Business Manager (708) 215-5405
Christopher Wagner, Technology (708) 215-5420

HISPANIC MINISTRY STAFF(708) 215-5440 Deacon Jesús Casas, Head of Hispanic Ministry

Silvia Casas, Pastoral Associate of Hispanic Ministry

SCHOOL STAFF(708) 352-4820 Tom Chinske, Principal

Christy Schaefer, Assistant Principal
Mary Lee Krieger, Administrative Assistant
Jeannie Scalzitti, Receptionist/Office Assistant

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STAFF.......(708) 352-2383 Barb Campbell, Director of Religious Education Paulette Bolton, Director of Adult Faith Formation and Assistant Director of Worship

RECTORY STAFF......(708) 352-6209 Bobbie Kallal, Human Resources/Records

Mary Zwolinski, Parish Accounting
Elizabeth Goellner-McLean, Bulletin Editor

PARISH/SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR Tim O'Brien (708) 215-5432

ST. CLETUS SCHOOL BOARD

Pastor	Fr. Bob Clark
Chairperson	Eileen Dorchinecz
Vice Chairperson	John Rossmiller
Secretary	Valerie Sosne
Members	
Scott Aulinskis	Jodie Pulciani
Bob Havelka	Ron Skrip
Kevin Hogan	Patrick Townsend
Chris McLean	Matt Wangard
Liaisons	
FSA President	Nikki Gorman
Athletic Association President	Brendan Foley

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Pastor	Fr. Bob Clark
Chairperson	
Vice-Chairperson	
Recording Secretary	Maggie Kensek
School Representative	Tom Chinske
Director of Parish Catechesis	Paulette Bolton
Staff Representative	
Hispanic Ministry	Silvia Casas
Members	

Mary Ann Doornbos Colleen Hagen
Susan Hurley Helen McMahon
Robbie O'Shea Henry Morlock

Experience the Difference

708.352.4500



PLUMBING & SEWER 24 Hour Emergency Service

FREE ESTIMATE

SENIOR-POLICE-FIREMEN DISCOUNTS

773.699.9255

FAMILY DENTISTRY Kevin E. Collins, DDS, PC 475 W. 55th St., La Grange Office 354-5575 After Hours Emergency - 354-2281

HINSDALE COMMUNITY POOL

Resident, Non-Resident and Neighborly Rates!

10-Visit Passes also available \$70R/\$100NR Call 630.789.7090 or visit

www.villageofhinsdale.org for more info

Follow us on Facebook www.facebook.com/HinsdaleCommunityPool

SWIM LESSONS • SWIM TEAM • PRIVATE LESSONS and More Available

Saint Margaret Sunday Missal An ideal companion

for personal prayer.

In Stock & Ready to Order Today **CALL OR ORDER ONLINE.** \$39.95



800-566-6150 • www.wlpmusic.com

Your Heating & Air Conditioning Experts



SERVICE

773,581,9300

www.wantuck.net **POOL MEMBERSHIPS ON SALE!**

OWNED & OPERATED

Bella

Restaurant



Providing Distinguished Service Since 1923 1025 W. 55th Street, Countryside \cdot (708) 352-6500

www.HJfunerals.com



Showers & Baptisms 5412 S. La Grange Rd, Countryside

Western Cook County

708.482.0055 • www.ViaBellaRestaurant.com Literacy Volunteers

> Become a Volunteer **Tutor Today**

Literally Changing Lives

info@LVWCC.org

ANNA'S CLEANING SERVICES Experienced Polish Girls

PROFESSIONAL HOME MAINTENANCE &

IMPROVEMENT SPECIALIST Quality Work 25 yrs. Experience

At Reasonable Prices

Carpentry, Painting, Flooring &

Remodeling • Misc. Jobs

Interior-Exterior

Parishioner Discounts

Paul Ruzicka

708-602-9366

References - Free Estimates

Homes • Condos • Offices Free Estimates 773.502.9369

708-579-3321

IL license # 055-017412 Guaranteed 7 day, 24 Hour Service



PLUMBING, INC. **Since 1988**

http://scottsplumbinglagrange.com



Bella.

Banquets

ANTONIETTI & ASSOCIATES

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

HANDLING CRIMINAL & FAMILY LAW

630-230-0101

www.AntoniettiLaw.com



15 Salt Creek Ln. Suite 321 • Hinsdale, IL

rd, Insured 708.361.5772 SMaRT

CONSTRUCTION

KITCHENS • BATHS • BASEMENTS FLOORING • PLUMBING • ELECTRIC

PARISHIONER DISCOUNT

Complete Remodeling By

FILA

630-922-5071

GEORGE'S

PLUMBING & SEWER

Quality Work - Reasonable Prices
(708) 952-1833 Lic# 058196966

JOHN C. SKREKO, DDS GENERAL DENTIST SINCE 1981

Commercial & Residential

Call Sandra

773.791.0459 jeffspropainting@gmail.com

Jeff's Pro Painting & Decorating

CARE FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY

• Reconstruction • Root Canals Extractions, Oral Surgery Avail. for Emergency

> 6961 VINE STREET INDIAN HEAD PARK 708-246-1263



PRO Painting Decorating

Interior & Exterior



COLDWELL BANKER MARY ELLEN "O'HARA" CONSIDINE Nee: Caplis

Best Work • Best Rate Satisfaction Guaranteed As We Do All Our Own Work

Insured References

Lic# 055-026066 \$\$ Parishioner Discount \$\$

708-652-1444

ED THE PLUMBER

ED THE CARPENTER



Chimney Repair **Tuckpointing** Brick Work • Caulking Brick Cleaning • Fireplaces

Lic. - Bonded - Insured

773-238-5605

All Types of Plumbing Repairs Bathroom Installations • Sump Pumps Toilets, Tubs, Sinks, Faucets

- Sewers Inspected by camera
 Foundation Leaks Repaired
 Battery Backup Systems



DAVE SIPEK

Cell: 630.776.8549 dave.sipek@cbexchange.com



219 W. Hillgrove Ave., La Grange, IL

Operated by a subsidiary of NRT LLC. 😑 🖫 🛲



Grow Your Business, Advertise Here. Support Your Church & Bulletin. Free professional ad design & my help!

email: krzystekn@jspaluch.com

Call Nancy Krzystek 708.372.2244



Permanent, beldon clog-free gutter Leaf Guard solution!

SPECIAL FINANCING

Call Today for a FREE ESTIMATE! (630) 824-3710

New orders only. Payment options available with minimum purchase and approved credit. Beldon is neither a lender nor a broker. Exp. 6/30/17

RICK SHANLEY, CFP® Investment Advisor / Parishioner



HORIZON WEALTH Management, LLC

HORIZON WEALTH MANAGEMENT, LLC **Investment Management and Financial Planning** 22 CALENDAR COURT, SECOND FLOOR, LAGRANGE, IL 60525 P 708.352.4300

W richard.shanley@lpl.com

Securities offered through LPL Financial, member FINRA/SIPC. Investment advice offered through Horizon Wealth Management, LLC, A Registered Investment Advisor and a separate entity from LPL Financial.

COMPASSIONATE HOME CARE • Meals • Personal Care • Companionship

 Light Housekeeping • Laundry • Errands 708-783-1220 www.MaryAndMikeCare.com Michael & Mary Doepke, RN

Pisa Pizza

La Rocca Builders

Quality Remodeling

& Painting

Interior and Exterior

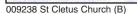
· Kitchen · Bath · Basement

Fire & Water Restoration

Parishioner Vince La Rocca

Licensed, Bonded, Insured

708-579-1533



Home

<u>Helpers</u>®



NAPA

AUTO PARTS

Locally Owned 55 Yrs +

NITEDIOD / EVIEDIOD

INTERIOR / EXTERIOR

Fine painting of walls, ceilings & woodwork
Wallcovering removal & installation
Staining & varnishing woodwork
Complete painting/staining of exteriors
stallation of chair & crown moldings, baseboard & shoe moldings

Family Owned & Operated For Over 113 Years — Generations of Dignified Service Pre-Need Insurance and Pre-Need Insurance Payment Plans Available

9445 W. 31st St., Brookfield, IL 60513

LA GRANGE

ENDLESS SUMMERFEST

www.lagrangeendlesssummerfest.com

FAMILY DINING CARRY OUT • DELIVERY 54-4500

Ben's Rental & Sales 6119 East Avenue, Hodgkins, IL 60525 708-352-7368 Trenchers, sewer augers Rotohammers, Stihl Dealer All your DIY equipment

John F. O'Connell III, D.D.S. Restorative and Implant General Dentistry

930 N. York Rd., Suite 120 Hinsdale, IL 60521 (630) 455-1666

www.HitzemanFuneral.com 708-485-2000 Here to Serve You in Countryside Mon thru Fri 7:00am to 8pm Sat 8:00-5:00pm • Sunday 8:00-5pm Large Selection 9943 W. 55th Street, Countryside 708-639-4247

INNOVATIVE COUNSELING PARTNERS Se Habla Depression Anxiety Child & Family Therapy
Español Grief/Trauma Counseling Marriage Counseling Offices in Oak Park, North Hive Side Community 773-312-3612 • www.lnnovativeCounselingPartners.com

Gordon Park, La Grange • August 4th-6th

Hitzeman Funeral Home, Ltd.

Market & Deli

Hot Foods • Deli • Dessert Catering Platters Delicious Meats & Cheeses **Produce and Groceries**

\$5 OFF any purchase of \$50 or more w/ad 7145 S. Kingery Hwy. Route 83 Willowbrook, IL 630 655 2200 www.LassakDeli.com

Family Owned Business

PC MD
PC & MAC Sales & Service
Networking • WIFI • Internet Carol L (630) 789-3971 Tom lusa@gmail.com www.pcmd. WE STILL MAKE HOUSE CALLS!

Stankus Plumbing For All of Your Plumbing Needs Sewer Drain Cleaning
Parishioner Discount Lic. #16482 708-485-0100

Carolyn Bronke Wind, DDS, SC Illinois State Dental Society

Member: American Dental Assoc. 47 S. 6th Ave., Suite F 708-354-1335

(FLOORING

CARPET • HARDWOOD • RUGS TILE • STONE LAGRANGE 708-352-3535 Kensington & Hillgrove www.desitterflooring.com

Attornev At Law

Real Estate

Wills • Trusts • Probate

246-7570

Maria's Cleaning Service

• Reliable • Honest • Careful 20 years Experience

 Daily • Weekly • Monthly 815-212-0839

Polish and Lithuanian

Office (708) 246-5604 Graduate of St. Cletus

GRIFFIN

John Wilson

jwilsonpainting@yahoo.com Cell (630) 337-8946

Fran Griffin Managing Broker, Parishioner 708-205-7008 frangriffin@frangriffin.com Realtor for Buyers and Sellers

Service, Integrity, Experience Website: www.frangriffin.com

CatholicMatch.com/myll

Attractions:

Carnival Rides • Live Music

Beer & Wine • Food Vendors Community Business Booths

Fireworks (Sunday)

catholicmatch[®]

Illinois

BUSINESS

PRESENTED BY:

You Need If You L 24 Hour Protection at HOME and AWAY! Ambulance Solutions as Low as \$1 a Day! Police Fire FREE Shipping • FREE Activation Friends/Family NO Long Term Contracts SPECIAL OFFER: FREE LIFEWatch Shoppers Tote with your order CALL 800.393.9954 "I have peace of mind... "I have peace of mind... "I have peace of mind... "IN THE USA LIFEWatch USA

A branch of Hinsdale Bank & Trust Company® 1000 Hillgrove Ave., Western Springs, IL 708-246-7100 AAA ACCURATE APPLIANCE

The

COMMUNITY BANK of WESTERN SPRINGS

708-344-1690 Your LaGrange Neighbor KitchenAid, Kenmore & Whirlpool

CAMEO **ENDODONTICS**

Practice Limited to Root Canal

- Therapy and Dental Implants Evening and Saturday Hours
- · Most dental insurances accepted
- Parishioner discount

(708) 579-0488

• 475 W. 55th Street, Suite 208, LaGrange www.cameoendo.com

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES

"Let me assist in pre-planning your burial arrangements."

Judy Sands 708-262-3496 jsands@cathcemchgo.org



BLUEBERRY

Breakfast • Lunch

Catering/Parties

49 S. La Grange Road

La Grange 708.352.4900

HILL CAFE



708.485.7827 www.4AdvancedHVAC.com

CLEANOLOGY CORP

Home & Office Cleaning Services

773-505-5658



RF///IEX® **Properties**

For All Your Real Estate Needs

& SEWER

Ask for a PARISHIONER

DISCOUNT

Alice Williams 35 Years Experience

Office 708-246-6300 Direct Line 708-205-0969

Quality Work - Reasonable Prices

Protectina **Seniors** Nationwide

Call Today!

655-9040



\$29.95/MO. billed quarterly



- No Long-Term Contract
- Price Guarantee
- Easy Self Installation

Toll Free 1.877.801.8608

SSURED IR, LIMITED. 708-839-5760

American Standard.



Home & Hearth Caregivers

Personal Care, Meals, Light Housekeeping, Laundry, Transportation & more Live-in or hourly service, and no minimums

www.cleanologycorp.com 6th Cleaning FREE W/this adl demmisplumbing@vahoo.com

708-352-4663

www.homeandhearthcare.com

Lawrence R. Lewandowski CPA/PFS, CFP® (Parishioner)

INCOME TAX PREPARATION PERSONAL FINANCIAL PLANNING

708-860-6532

lawlewcpa@comcast.net

AICPA)

Complete Psychological Evaluation & Treatment Individual – Marital – Family Lorraine D. D'Asta, Ph.D. 10%

for new

CHOOSE A TRUE LOCAL PLUMBER MSNTANA PLUMBING INC

and Associates

<u>Hinsdale</u>

708.417.8441

Lic.# J16531 - Bonded - Insured FRANK TRAMONTANA Western Springs Resident

55th & Willow Springs Road LaGrange, Illinois 60525 (708) 246-0827



FINDaPARISH.com

The Most Complete Online National Directory of Catholic Parishes

CHECK IT OUT TODAY!

009238 St Cletus Church (A)