

St. Catherine of Alexandria

Oak Lawn, Illinois 60453

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 29, 2023



Catholic Schools
Week 2023
January 29–February 4

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#CSW23

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WE WELCOME YOU

Seeking a parish?

A spiritual family?

A place to pray, deepen your
faith, or serve others?

If so, our hearts and doors
are open to you!

We thank God for sending you.

Please introduce yourself to

Fr. Dennis or Fr. Fred
after Mass.

parish.scaoaklawn.org

PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN

Please pray for the following members of our parish and community who are serving in the military.

Travis Albrecht
Carlos Arroyo
David Bailey
Alexander Baron
Charles Berglund
Gregory Brazinsky
Liam Burke
Captain Daniel Caddigan
Billie Capertone
Sam Carollo
Stephen Carrigee
Jose Cervantes
Michael Chesna
Mark Christian
Michael Connolly
Martin Liam Cosgrove
Glenn Dietrick
Eric Drey
Daniel Eul
Timothy Evans
Major Jeffrey T. Finley
Bob Fix
Captain Joe Fix
Kimberly White-Fix
Carrie Garrison
Christopher Gierhahn
Fr. Ed Gorman, Chaplain
Dave Handing
Will Hanson
John Hartrich
Thomas Hartrich
Matthew Raymond Hasting
Joseph Heredia
Joseph L. Korpitz
Steven Macke

Daniel Maikisch
Patrick Maikisch
Jason Malburg
Peter Manning, Jr.
Matthew Marcinkowski
Ryan Markmann
Jeffrey McGowan
Thomas McGowan, Jr.
Steve McHale
Patricia McNamara
Robert Michaels
John Jeffery Miller
Thomas Murphy
Sean O'Malley
John O'Sullivan
Anthony Parmigiani
Vincent Parmigiani
Nicholas Patla
Joe Pohl III
Mark Pruzinowski
Patrick J. Reidy
Terra Salamone
Eric Smith
Michael Sorice
Bryan Stalzer
James Stevens
Dan Sullivan
Tim Sullivan
Brandon Vasquez
Vincent F. Vitek
Conor Wedel
Sean Wedel
Charlotte White
John White III
Steve Wilson

Remember in your prayers the many who are sick in our parish and community.

Megan Abel	Mary Falbo	Kevin Larson	Kamora Riley
Geraldine Albrecht	Joan Farrell	Daniel Leahy	Kennedy Riley
Geraldine Anderson	Patrick Ferguson	Rich Lennert	Carrie Rowe
Matt Anderson & Family	Michelle Ferrara	Florence Litz	Kimberly Rule
Mike Anderson & Family	Fitzgerald Family	Janice Lowery	Lucy Ryan
Mary Jo Bechtel	Ed Fitzpatrick	Joe Maikisch	Winnie Ryan
Brianna Beissmann	Janice Fox & Family	Marlene Marciano	Barbara Schaeffer
Arlene Benizes	Pope Francis	Billy Marszewski	Katie Schwarz
Clare Berngach	Robert and Carol Fuller	Thomas McDaniel	Gale Sereiko
Rita Bertucci	Fr. Michael Garcia, O.P.	Marilyn McEarthren	Tom Shanahan
James Bielinski	Joan Gannon	Regina McFarland	Mark Shields
Florence Bingham	Summer Garbe	Denise Maguire	Maureen Shields
Rich Bogacki	Walter Gierhahn	Claire Maloney	Amber Sikes
Bob Bonner	Grantz Family	Joseph Maloney	Ella Siears
Ken Bradshaw	Josh Grimes	Major Vance Marsh	Cathie Simon
Marty Brogan	Robert Gritton	Billy Marszewski	Logan Simpson
Brother Gerry Brown	Lorraine Gutierrez	Chuck Martinovich	Hannah Smith
June Burniski	Yvette Gutierrez	James Marzano	Anthony Spalla & Family
Jack Busking	Margaret Hach	Jeanne Matug	Gerry Stanke
Debbie Caffee	Mary Rita Hamann	Judy Menconi	Kenny Stockus
Shirley Caffee	Gracelynn Handing	David Micelli	Strains Family
Rita Carey	Gerald Hansen	Donna Mierzwa	Rita Striegel
Scott Chicoine, Jr.	Bill Heinzl	Jim Mohr	Brian Styka
Monica Chieko	Hedda Hess	Ramiro Munoz	Terry Styka
Margaret Christin	Marilyn Hogan	Gabrielle Murphy	Annie Sullivan
Jeanne Cismoski	Becky and Brett Honn	Tim Murphy	Salamah Sullivan
Baby Lily Clark	Charlene Hoyer	Marie Notter	Melanie Summers
Joseph Connell	Ruben Jamie	Brian O'Callaghan	Janice Sutor
Mary Ellen Cosgrove	Ed Joyce	Eileen O'Connell	Elliott Szczepanski
Vince Cozen	Bill Kalata	Jim O'Donnell	Ocie Blackman Teamer
Fr. Richie Creagh	Ted Kania	Mike and Chris O'Mara	Georgianna Tieman
Jerry Cushing	Robert Karczewski	Baby Owen Paska	Alicia Toscano
Dana Davis	David Karczewski	Karen Pavlak	Kitty Turkowski
Maryann Davis	Marge Karminski	Jim Pebo	Mary Villafan
Ann Gaudry Dean	Delaney Kary	Patrick Pemberton	Jeff Virene
Jeffrey DelPonte	John Kelleher	Mary Perskes	Luke Vugrin
Beau Dowling	John Kennedy	Fred Pesek, Sr.	Judy Walker
Kelly Drey	Kay Kenny	Loretta Petreikas	Anna Warchal
Edward Dubaka	Carolyn Klapacz	Carol Pienkos	Wiley Family
Christine Duerr	Deborah Klun	Darwin Pisanka	Eric Withers
Annie Duggan & Family	Geri Koenig	Tim Portal	Ann Zarnycki
Steven Duggan	Betty Kohs	Chris Prouty	Charles Zeman
Jacob Dumella	Kazimierz Kozlowski	Robert Priley	Fleeta Zielinski
Kaliska Elwood	Virginia Kozlowski	Jim Quick	Fr. Dennis Ziomek
Mary Ann Entrup	Brittany Laschober	Dan & Diane Rafter	Bob Zutoft

Mass Intentions



Monday, January 30

8:30am: †All Priests (living and deceased)

Tuesday, January 31

Saint John Bosco, Priest

8:30am: †All the Mass Intentions from the Christmas Flower Donations

Wednesday, February 1

8:30am: †All Religious (living and deceased)

Thursday, February 2

The Presentation of the Lord

8:30am: †All the Souls in Purgatory

Friday, February 3

Saint Blaise, Bishop & Martyr;

Saint Ansgar, Bishop

8:30am: †Mike Tagler
SCA & Rel. Ed. Students,
Teachers and Staff Members

Saturday, February 4

4:00pm: †Eileen Eschbach

Sunday, February 5

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am: †St. Catherine Parishioners

9:30am: †Jimmy Hanley
†John Rutkowski
†Maurice Daniher

11:30am: †Virginia Lyle

†Martha Jaime

6:00pm: †Victor Kasput

The Sanctuary Lamp

The Sanctuary Lamp burns this coming week for St. Catherine of Alexandria & Religious Education Students, Teachers and Staff Members.



REST IN PEACE

Please pray for the repose of the souls of:

Leonora Mattio, Nick Kushnerik, and Ken Marneris

Please keep the Mattio, Troy, Kushnerik, and Marneris families in your prayers.



Rest In Peace




Homebound Parishioners/Family Members

Please call the rectory office if you have a homebound family member that would like to receive the Eucharist. A Minister of Care will be scheduled to go to their home.

Rectory Office: 708-425-2850

NATIONAL BLOOD DONOR MONTH




Sunday January 29
7:30 AM – 11:30 AM

St. Catherine of Alexandria Catholic Church & Community Blood Drive
GYM - 10621 S. Kedvale, Oak Lawn, IL 60453
Enter from East Parking Lot off 107th St. & Kedvale


APPOINTMENTS PREFERRED
Call 800-7TO-GIVE or visit <https://tinyurl.com/5759f58t>

Give blood & help us supply 87 local hospitals.

Giving warms the heart! Donate and keep warm this winter with a limited-edition Versiti beanie, while supplies last.



Helpful tip:
Make sure to eat a healthy meal and drink plenty of water before donating.



CANDLEMAS TAIZE SERVICE

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2
7:30PM
ST. CATHERINE OF ALEXANDRIA PARISH




Join us for song, prayer and silence on this day we celebrate Jesus, our Light in our dark world.



Pray the Rosary with the 55+ Club


Tuesday, February 14



All are welcome to join us for the 8:30am Mass. We will pray the Rosary after Mass. We will then meet at Lumes at 9:45am after praying the Rosary. It is located at 12401 S. Harlem in Palos Heights. Order off menu, separate checks.
To register call: Darlene Mizera 773-816-1720

St. Catherine's Friday Fish Fry Dates

March 3, March 17, & March 31
Alexandria Center/Gym
4:30PM-7:30PM



Fish & Pasta

- 1-Piece Fish Dinner w/Fries
OR Dal Santo's Roasted Potatoes & Coleslaw
(1 full 6oz piece of fish) **\$10**
- 2-Piece Fish Dinner w/Fries
OR Dal Santo's Roasted Potatoes & Coleslaw
(2 full 6oz pieces of fish) **\$13**
- 3-Piece Fish Dinner w/Fries
OR Dal Santo's Roasted Potatoes & Coleslaw
(3 full 6oz pieces of fish) **\$15**
- Meatless Pasta Dinner w/Bread **\$7**
(All -You-Can Eat: Pasta Dinners Only!)

"Kid's" Menu



- Cheese Pizza w/Fries **\$5**
- Grilled Cheese Sandwich w/Fries **\$5**
- Kid's Pasta w/Bread **\$5**

Extras

- Fries **\$3**
- Dal Santo's Roasted Potatoes **\$3**

Drink Tickets Available At The Bar
(Fish Frys are sponsored by the SCA Men's Club)

Dream Raffle Early Bird Drawings at the Fish Frys
March 3 & March 31

An Evening of Reflection for Liturgical Ministers

Calling all Liturgical Ministers-
Eucharistic Ministers
Lectors/Ushers/Greeters
Musicians/Choirsters/Cantors/Media Ministers
Sacristans
Art/Environment Ministers
Ministers of Care

for an Evening of Reflection in your ministry!

Thursday, February 16 at 7:00pm
Join us for a great speaker, food, fellowship & prayer.

RSVP by February 13
to pcaffee@scaoaklawn.org






4th Sunday of Ordinary Time
The Beatitudes— Today's Gospel— Matthew 5:1-12a

Today's Gospel from St. Matthew, Jesus' Sermon on the Mount (The Beatitudes), is as powerful a statement about what it means to be a disciple as there is. Recall that many looked for a Messiah who would become king and free them from bondage and from the corrupt governments that in a large part controlled their lives. Jesus was not quite the king they expected, and His declaration of the Beatitudes did nothing to affirm their ideas about His kingship. Every one of the Beatitudes is worthy of some reflection unto itself. However, if we view them as guides to holiness some seem more significant than others.

You might say that the Beatitudes represent a ladder which we climb to heaven. The first step has to do with the spiritual. The poor in spirit: Those who recognize their need for God and his grace. Unattached to this world, they find their security in the Lord and rely on his mercy rather than their merits or material wealth. The spiritually poor can also be economically poor, for these are often rich in faith (James 2:5). Full possession of the kingdom will be theirs at the final Judgment (Mt. 25:34) (Catechism Catholic Church 2544-47).

"Blessed are the meek." Our comprehension of "meek" is different from the Greek word from which it is translated. Being "meek" does not mean weakness; it means humility. This is the willingness to serve about which Jesus spoke so often. This is such an essential step to truly being a disciple.

Something to ponder in the week to come as we grow by living out the Beatitudes.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

National Catholic Schools Week begins on the last Sunday in January and runs for an entire week. This year it is celebrated from January 29th to the 4th of February.

What does Catholic Schools Week celebrate?

Catholic Schools Week celebrates education that goes beyond preparation for a secular life; it is an education that prepares students for a Christian life. CSW also celebrates the high standards of excellence and the quality of the education available to all students in Catholic elementary and secondary schools across the U.S.

What is the purpose of the Catholic Schools Week celebration?

The purpose of Catholic Schools Week is to build community awareness of, and involvement in, Catholic schools throughout the country. During this week, many dioceses and schools encourage parents to take full advantage of the benefits of local Catholic schools by enrolling their children in those schools. CSW is also an occasion for schools to interest citizens in volunteering their time and talents to the local Catholic schools.

Our school theme this year is: "Let Your Light Shine."

Reflection on the Ministry of our Parish School

Since 1958, our faith community has been entrusted with a grammar school as part of her mission. The parish ministry of a school affords us the opportunity to pass on the gift of faith by living out the words of Saint Matthew (28:19) "Go, therefore, make disciples of all nations." Yes, this is what we are commissioned to do: MAKE DISCIPLES (Make Christ known to our children and the world). This is not only the role of the principal, assistant principal, teachers, staff, parents, and parishioners, but for all, as baptized members of the body of Christ.

In every one of my priestly assignments these past 33 & 1/2 years, I have been blessed with a parish school. I do believe and support the vision and mission of Catholic Schools in witnessing the love of Christ in making disciples.

This is a beautiful time of the year in acknowledging the fruits of our parish school: teachers, teacher's aides, principal, assistant principal, volunteers, parents, parishioners, and all those who make our parish school a place of not only learning, but where Catholic traditions, morals, and values are taught and lived out on a daily basis.

As I reflect upon our mission, I can't help but speak about the importance of having a school where the flavor and atmosphere is centered upon the Gospel message. The parish mission as a whole is dedicated to supporting a school where the message of Christ can be learned, understood, discussed and shared openly. Many schools in our country do a fine job of educating, but how many prepare students to see their purpose in life from a spiritual perspective? Our faculty and staff not only form the minds, but the hearts as well. Let us pray that our students may continually use their God given gifts to bring forth and share the message of Christ.

On behalf of Fr. Dennis and myself, I acknowledge our principal, Ms. Kristine Owens, in the many ways she leads our school mission and her amazing team. She is a good and Christ centered faith-filled woman who desires from the depth of her heart the best for all our children. We are blessed to have her as our principal. Ms. Owens (Kristine) may the Lord continue to bless you, your faculty, and staff as you lead the mission of our parish school.

HISTORY OF OUR PARISH & PARISH SCHOOL

AUGUST 21, 1957: PARISH CONCEIVED AND BORN

JANUARY 19, 1958: GROUNDBREAKING FOR NEW CHURCH & SCHOOL BUILDINGS

APRIL 27, 1958: CORNER STONE (FIRST STONE SET IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE CHURCH & SCHOOL)

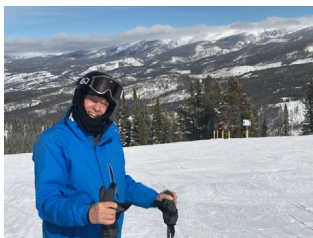
MAY 18, 1959: SCA SCHOOL PRE-REGISTRATION AT BROTHER RICE HIGH SCHOOL
(THE CHURCH & SCHOOL BUILDINGS WERE NOT YET COMPLETED)

AUGUST 3, 1958: FIRST MASS IN OUR CHURCH

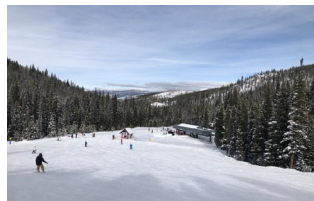
SEPTEMBER 8, 1958: OPENING DAY FOR OUR SCHOOL (FEAST OF THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY)
PER FR. KANE'S BULLETIN ARTICLE ON SEPTEMBER 7, 1958: HE WENT ON TO SAY, "ALL THE CHILDREN ARE REQUESTED TO BE PRESENT FOR MASS AT 8:30 A.M. TO ASK MARY'S DIVINE SON FOR HIS ABUNDANT BLESSINGS."

AS THE SAYING GOES...THE REST IS HISTORY, AND OUR LADY, AND HER SON, JESUS, HAS BLESSED US ABUNDANTLY. I AM SURE OUR SCHOOL FAMILIES WILL AGREE.

Until We Meet at the Table,
Fr. Fred



Fr. Dennis and Fr. Ken
enjoying vacation time
skiing in Colorado.



**A special thank you from our sharing parish,
Our Lady of Guadalupe:**

Thank you to everyone who donates to our parish
and/or supports our food pantry!

May God bless you!



SCA 55+ Club

Spiritual † Service † Social

For more information, please call
Larry Bergnach at 708-499-2672.



Contemporary Praise Ensemble
invites **YOU** to praise the Lord
in joyful song!

New Year; New You! Try Something New!
All are welcome to participate to play any
C instrument (guitars, violin, flute, etc)

Questions? Contact Mr. Phil Caffee
Director of Music Ministry & Liturgy
pcaffee@scaoaklawn.org | 708-476-5374 | 708-425-3110



Hallelujah Choir
formerly known as the Adult Choir

New Year; New You! The Hallelujah Choir invites YOU to participate!
All adults and young adults are welcome!
Reading music is not necessary just a willingness to participate in joyful song!

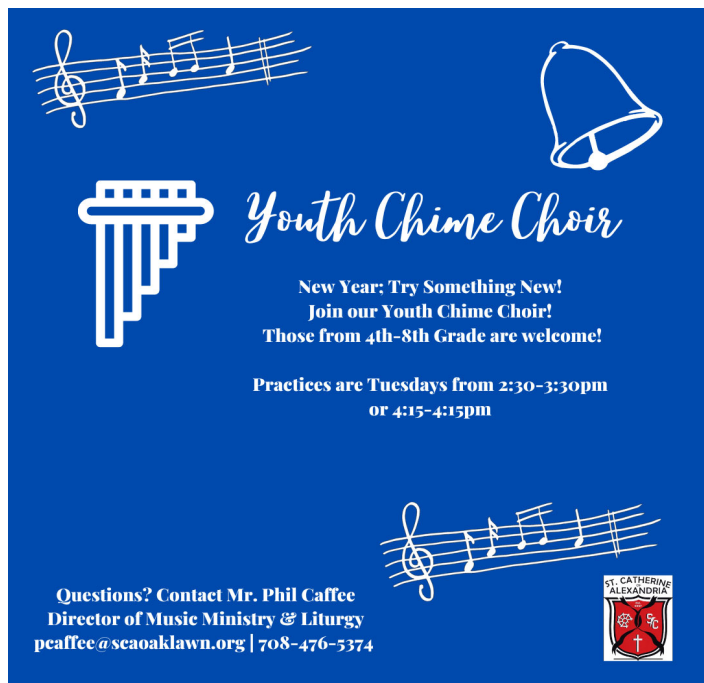
Practices are Wednesdays
at 7:15pm in the Choir Loft -
Enter through Door 5 from the north lot



**New Year;
Try Something New!**

Our Children's Choir is always happy to have more voices.
Grades 3-8 are most welcome!
Practices are Tuesdays from 2:45-3:30pm or 4:15-4:45pm.

Questions? Contact Mr. Phil Caffee
Director of Music Ministry & Liturgy
pcaffee@scaoaklawn.org 708-476-5374



Youth Chime Choir

New Year; Try Something New!
Join our Youth Chime Choir!
Those from 4th-8th Grade are welcome!

Practices are Tuesdays from 2:30-3:30pm
or 4:15-4:45pm

Questions? Contact Mr. Phil Caffee
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SUPPORT St. Catherine

GiveCentral Offering
QR Code



This QR Code will take you directly to our SCA GiveCentral Page. Scan the QR Code with your smartphone and scroll to the desired donation envelope/link. We are very grateful for your support.

<https://www.givecentral.org/location/302/event/20836>



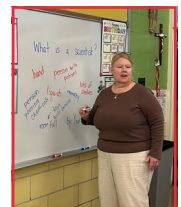
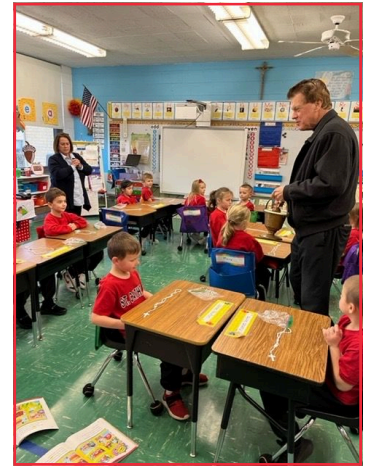
Bring various canned soups to benefit our sharing parish--Our Lady of Guadalupe Food Pantry

TO BENEFIT OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE FOOD PANTRY

January 29—February 12
FOR "SOUPER" BOWL SUNDAY
CANNED SOUP DRIVE

Please bring the soup cans to the church vestibule.

SCA SCHOOL NEWS



As Catholic Schools Week begins, we celebrate our school community of students, faculty, priests, and families who bring light to St. Catherine each and every day.





**St. Catherine of Alexandria
Keep the Dream Alive Raffle 2023
\$75,000 Grand Prize!!!
Only 2,000 Tickets Sold!**



Did you know that the Keep the Dream Alive Raffle allows us to raise \$100,000 to support our Parish and School, keeping tuition as low as possible, while ALSO giving YOU the opportunity to win incredible cash prizes?

Each \$100 ticket sold has the chance at:

3 Early Bird Drawings:

March 3—1 ticket drawn for \$1,000

March 31—2 tickets drawn for \$1,000

May 6—1 ticket drawn for \$1,000

\$75,000 GRAND PRIZE drawn on May 21, 2023

plus 2-\$5,000, 2-\$2,000 and 2-\$1,000 winners!

The seller of the \$75,000 winning ticket receives a \$5,000 prize!

Tickets can be purchased on GiveCentral, Thursdays from 6:30pm-8:00pm in the Vestibule, at the Rectory Office and the School Office, or use the QR Code. Tickets will also be sold between 8:30am and 11:30am on Sundays, in the Church Vestibule, when possible.

Interested in becoming a Raffle Captain*?

Please message dreamrafflesca@gmail.com for information.

***Raffle Captains commit to selling 25, 50 or 100 tickets across the SCA community, family, friends, colleagues, etc.**



**St. Catherine of Alexandria
Keep the Dream Alive
Raffle Captains**



Ron and Therese Badali:	708-738-0736
Pandora and Germaine Brown:	773-255-9279
Joe and Bridget Doherty:	708-269-8233
Brian and Kathy Donegan:	312-307-0158
Carolyn and Matt Dunleavy:	773-266-3915
Jamie Fons:	773-456-5848
Rocco Fusco:	773-269-9415
Lindsey and Andrew Gorlewski:	773-551-3762
Jamie and Drew Guardi:	773-771-5332
John and Angela Jordan:	773-512-9000
Kate and Kevin Krull:	708-704-3220
Colleen and Joe Lombardo:	708-267-0674
Tim and Maggie Lyman:	708-227-2609
Jennifer Marszewski:	708-238-1763
Clarie and Jay Quaid:	708-752-6351
Colleen and Dan Reynolds:	773-485-2482
Patty and Mike Ryan:	708-906-8372
Dena and Eddie Siears:	847-418-1237
Kelly and Eric Withers:	773-841-9542
Michelle and Tom Wood:	708-897-5450

**St. Catherine of Alexandria
Keep the Dream Alive
Early Bird Drawings**



**March 3 and March 31
at the Fish Frys from 4:30pm to 7:30pm
in the Alexandria Center;
and May 6 at the FSA Derby Party.**

**We are only one month away from the first
\$1,000 Early Bird Drawing!**

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Do Not Be A Victim Of Scammers

Fr. Dennis would NEVER solicit you by email, text, phone calls, etc. for gift cards, cash or any form of currency. Please do not respond, or give anything to the scammers. Remember Fr. Dennis' email is dziomek@scaoaklawn.org. Any other email is NOT his, even if it looks similar. When in doubt, call the rectory.

Music Schedule

February 4

4:00pm: Hallelujah Choir

February 5

8:00am: No Music

9:30am: Children's Choir/Bell Chimers

11:30am: Contemporary Praise Ensemble

6:00pm: Phil Caffee



Eucharistic Minister Schedule

February 4

4:00pm: Audrey McInerney/TBD

February 5

8:00am: Leighann Cannon/Jamie Guardi

9:30am: Rita McCann/TBD

11:30am: Bob Kelleher/Eileen Kelleher

6:00pm: TBD



Lector Schedule

February 4

4:00pm: Mary Aleman

February 5

8:00am: Aggie Lachcik

9:30am: Family Mass/Donna Marie Ivers

11:30am: Susan LiFonti

6:00pm: Deb Caffee



The Adoration Chapel is open from 3:15pm-6:15pm,

Monday-Friday in the FLC

Monday, January 30

7:00pm: Chargers United Meeting-Kane Hall

7:00pm: Finance Council Meeting-Library

Tuesday, January 31

2:45-3:30pm: Children's Choir/Chime Choir Session 1-Church

4:15-4:45pm: Children's Choir/Chime Choir Session 2-Church

6:00pm: FSA Roller Skating Party

Wednesday, February 1

7:15pm: Hallelujah Choir Practice-Church

Thursday, February 2

6:30pm-8:00pm: TRIP Cash & Carry Sales-Church Vestibule

7:00pm: Men's Club Meeting-Kane Hall

Saturday, February 4

Annual Catholic Appeal

Sunday, February 5

Annual Catholic Appeal

Religious Education: 9:30am Mass/10:30am Class

9:30am: 1st Grade Family Mass/Reception after in Kane Hall

Weekly Financial Summary

Week of January 22, 2023

Regular Sunday Collections: \$5,140*

*GiveCentral will be included in the monthly summary.

Thank you for your continued support!

Monthly Financial Summary

Month of December, 2022

Regular Sunday Collections: \$29,621

GiveCentral: \$10,548

Total: \$40,169

Monthly Goal: (4 Sundays) \$40,000

Thank you, we appreciate your generosity.

Christmas Financial Summary

December 25, 2022 through January 22, 2023

Total Collections: \$39,689

Goal: \$45,000

2022 Annual Catholic Appeal through 1/19/23

Donor Count: 160

2022 Goal: \$40,637

Amount Pledged: \$33,982

Amount Paid: \$32,657

Balance Due: \$ 1,325



TO TEACH WHO CHRIST IS
A Campaign for Parishes, Catholic Education and Faith Formation

Updated:	December, 2022
Parish Goal:	\$895,000
Total Pledged as of December 31:	\$896,355
Percent of Goal:	100%
Number of Pledges:	242
Actual Collections to Date:	\$840,991
Percent Collected - To Goal:	94%
Parish Dollars Paid (60%):	\$504,595
Paid Out:	\$397,812
Net Bank Balance (includes interest):	\$111,746

Any questions regarding pledge payments contact:

TTWCI: Daniel Munoz-Gift Fulfillment Coordinator

at 312-534-8500, dmunoz@archchicago.org.

Payments can be mailed to the Archdiocese at:

TTWCI, 835 N. Rush St., Chicago, IL 60611.

Checks should be made payable to: To Teach Who

Christ Is and should note that the parishioner belongs to

St. Catherine of Alexandria.

St. Catherine of Alexandria Church & School
10621 S. Kedvale Ave.
Oak Lawn, IL 60453

Rectory Office: 708-425-2850
School Office: 708-425-5547

The Rectory Office is located at:
4100 W. 107th Street,
Oak Lawn, Illinois 60453

Rectory Office Phone: 708-425-2850
Fax: 708-425-2313

Rectory Office Hours:
Monday through Friday: 8:30am to 8:00pm
Saturday: 10am to 2:00pm

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jstrainis@scaoaklawn.org

Parish Secretary/Bulletin Editor: Theresa Ready
tready@scaoaklawn.org

Business Manager: John Leahy: jleahy@scaoaklawn.org

Parish Website: parish.scaoaklawn.org

School Office Phone: 708-425-5547
Fax: 708-425-3701

School Website: scaoaklawn.org
AM & PM School Extended Care Program: 708-425-5687
Alexandria Center: 708-499-4966

Religious Education Office: 10600 S. Karlov Ave.
Coordinator of Family Faith Formation: Theresa Ward
708-423-5747 tward@scaoaklawn.org

Director of Music Ministry: Phil Caffee 708-425-3110
pcaffee@scaoaklawn.org

Fr. Lion Center: 10600 S. Karlov Ave.
708-423-5747

Mission Statement

St. Catherine of Alexandria is a Catholic community, rooted in faith, family and friendship. We are responsive to the needs and concerns of those around us. We live out Jesus' words, "Come, follow me," and invite others to join us.

Past Pastors of St. Catherine of Alexandria Parish

†Rev. Patrick Henry
†Rev. William Lion
†Rev. Joseph O'Brien
†Rev. George McKenna
†Rev. John Kane

May they rest peacefully in the arms of Christ.



SCA Parish Instagram Page

Search for it on Instagram with the handle
@saintcatherineofalexandria.

New Parishioners: We welcome you!

Please call the Rectory Office at 708-425-2850
between the hours of 8:30am to 4:00pm to register.

There is a parish registration form available on our
parish website: parish.scaoaklawn.org

Weekend Masses: Saturday: 4:00pm
Sunday: 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:30am and 6:00pm

Weekday Masses: Monday through Friday at 8:30am.

6:30am Communion Service: Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday; enter into the North lot wooden doors.

Adoration Chapel: Monday - Friday from 3:15pm to 6:15pm;
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Baptisms: 2nd & 4th Sundays at 1:00pm. Schedule subject to change. Contact: Coordinator of Family Faith Formation
Theresa Ward 708-423-5747 tward@scaoaklawn.org

Weddings: Please call the rectory office at least six months in advance of the date you plan to marry.

Office for the Protection of Children & Youth
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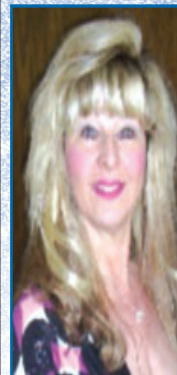
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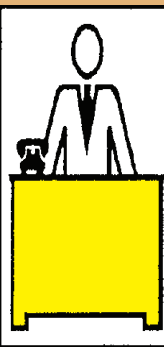
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