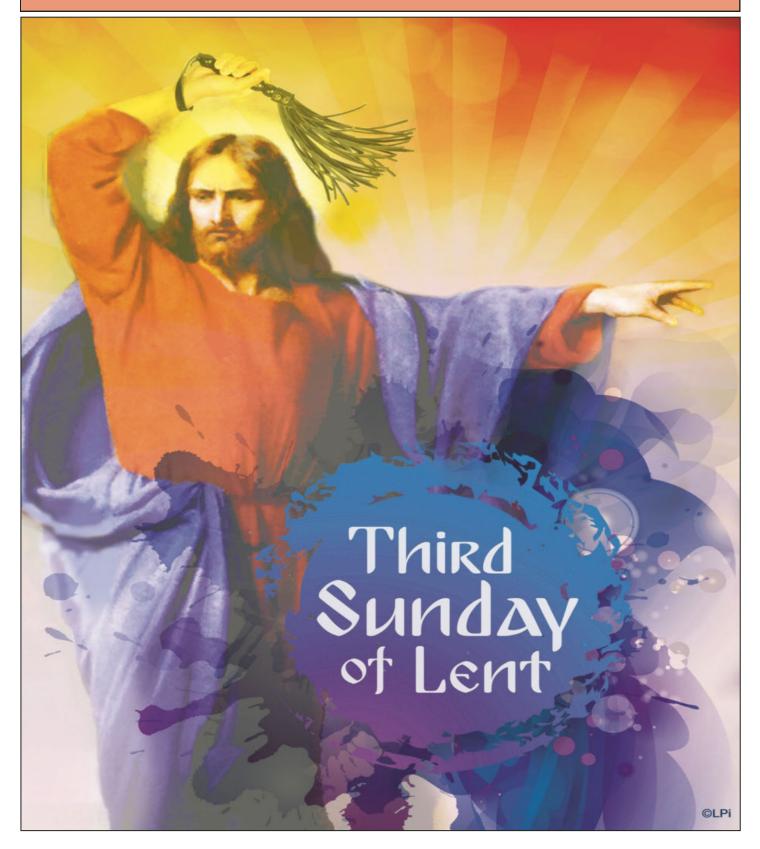
# St. Catherine of Alexandria

Third Sunday of Lent March 3, 2024



#### 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 Drev 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 Has 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 1ark Pruzinowski Patrick J. Reidy erra 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

# Pray for the Sick

Megan Abel Geraldine Albrecht Geraldine Anderson Matt Anderson & Family Mike Anderson & Family Encarnacion Bedia Brianna Beissmann Vivienne Benda Benito Barin Clare Bergnach Rita Bertucci James Bielinski Rich Bogacki Parker Bolton Bob Bonner Ken Bradshaw Marty Brogan Brother Gerry Brown June Burniski Mary Lou Burns Jack Busking Steve ByVee Debbie Caffee Denise Chakinis Scott Chicoine, Jr Monica Chieko
Margaret Christin
Jeanne Cismoski Baby Lily Clark Joseph Connell Baby Greyson Corbett Mary Ellen Cosgrove Vince Cozen Fr. Richie Creagh Patrick Cunningham Michael Curtin Jerry Cushing Dana Davis Dana Davis Maryann Davis Patrick & Tom Davis Ann Gaudry Dean Jeffrey DelPonte Jack DeMatteo Beau Dowling Maureen Doyle Tammy Doyle Kelly Drey Edward Dubaka Christine Duerr Annie Duggan & Family Steven Duggan Jacob Dumella Kalisla Elwood Mary Ann Entrup Mary Falbo

Joan Farrell

Patrick Ferguson Michelle Ferrara Mary Ellen Figura Fitzgerald Family Ed Fitzpatrick Sara Fitzpatrick
Janice Fox & Family
Pope Francis
Robert and Carol Fuller Fr. Michael Garcia, O.P. Joan Gannon Summer Garbe Walter Gierhahn Bernie Gierut Grantz Family Robert Greenly Josh Grimes Roberta Gritton Lorraine Gutierrez Yvette Gutierrez Margaret Hach Mary Rita Hamann Gracelynn Handing Gerald Hansen Patrick Harkness Rita Heidinger Kathy Hesek Hedda Hess Patricia Higgins Marilyn Hogan Becky and Brett Honn Charlene Hoyer Ruben Jaime Bill Kalata Ted Kania Robert Karczewski David Karczewski Marge Karminski Delanev Kary John Kellehe John Kenedy John Kennedy Kay Kenny Margaret Kenny Carolyn Klapacz Joan Klein Deborah Klun Phoebe Knibbs Donna Kochan Geri Koenig Betty Kohs Kazimierz Kozlowski Virginia Kozlowski Patricia Krasich Philip Kuhn Brittany Laschober Kevin Larson Rich Lennert

Florence Litz Maria Lopez Janice Lowery George Lullo Joelee MacMaster Joe Maikisch Marlene Marciano Billy Marszewski Thomas McDaniel Marilyn McEarthren Regina McFarland Teddy McManigal Denise Maguire Claire Maloney Dave Mariotti Major Vance Marsh Billy Marszewski Dennis Martin Chuck Martinovich Arlene & James Marzano Jeanne Matug Kenneth Mead Judy Menconi David Micelli Donna Mierzwa Jim Mohr Ramiro Munoz Gabrielle Murphy Tim Murphy Baby Clare Nelson Megan Nelson Marie Notter Mark Notter Brian O'Callaghan Eileen O'Connell Mike and Chris O'Mara Maggie Parker Baby Owen Paska Beth Patko Karen Pavlak Jim Pebo Mary Perskes Fred Pesek, Sr. Jean Peters Loretta Petreikas Carol Pienkos Darwin Pisanka Tim Portal Chris Prouty Robert Priley Jim Quick Dan & Diane Rafter Gerry Ready Kamorah Riley Kennedy Riley Sean Rio

Kem Roach

Winnie Ryan Patricia Sako Christine Sanchez Barbara Schaeffer Katie Schwarz Gale Sereiko Tom Shanahar Mark Shields Maureen Shields Amber Sikes Ella Siears Cathie Simon Logan Simpson Karen Singer Donna Skibinkski Diana Smith Hannah Smith Gene Slomin Anthony Spalla & Family Gerry Stanke Kenny Stockus Strainis Family Rita Striegel Brian Styka Annie Sullivar Salamah Sullivan Melanie Summers Janice Sutor Elliott Szczepanski Ocie Blackman Teamer Georgianna Tieman Alicia Toscano Lee Troy Kitty Turkowski Mary Villafan Mary Villatan Theresa Villalobos Jeff Virene Luke Vugrin Dolores Wagner Judy Walker Janette Wall Anna Warchal Chris Weiler Wiley Family Janine Wilmot Eric Withers Bernice Wszolek Dee York Ann Zarnycki Ken Zell Charles Zeman Fleeta Zielinski Bob Zutoft

Carrie Rowe

Kimberly Rule Lucy Ryan

### Mass Intentions

Monday, March 4

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

Tuesday, March 5

8:30am: †All the Souls in Purgatory

†John Feipel

Wednesday, March 6

8:30am: All Victims of War and Violence

Thursday, March 7

Saints Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs

8:30am: †John Walsh

Friday, March 8

Saint John of God, Religious

8:30am: SCA & Rel. Ed. Students,

Teachers and Staff Members

Saturday, March 9

Saint Frances of Rome, Religious

4:00pm: †Jack McInerney

†Tom Farrell †James O'Donnell †Tom Turkowski †Norbert Dubaka

Sunday, March 10 Fourth Sunday of Lent

8:00am: †Lorraine Janowiak

†Kenneth Vitek

9:30am: †Raphel Little 11:30am: †Thomas Ansonia

6:00pm: †SCA Parishioners (living and deceased)



#### The Sanctuary Lamp

The Sanctuary Lamp burns this coming week for the Farrell Grandchildren requested by Nana Farrell.



### **REST IN PEACE**

Please pray for the repose of the soul of:

Norbert Martin Dubaka

Please keep the Dubaka family in your prayers.



II-Marcían Aceremo & Elizabeth De La Mora

Daylight Saving Time Starts
Set your clocks ahead one hour
Sunday, March 10, 2024

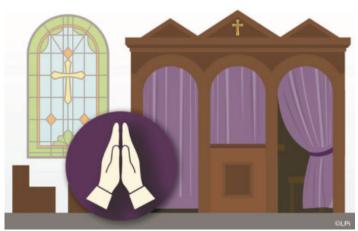


# PARISH RECONCILIATION SERVICE Monday, March 11 at 7:00pm in Church

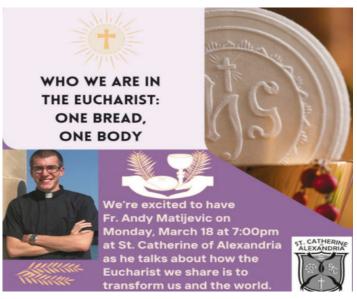
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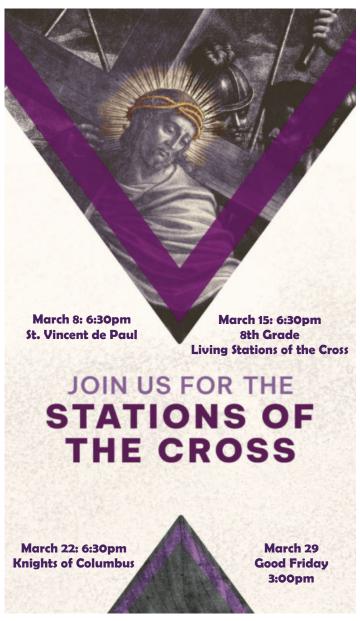
Individual confessions are also on Saturdays from 3:00pm to 3:45pm.

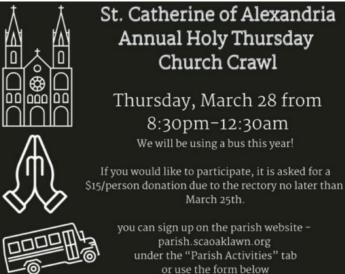
No confessions on Holy Saturday.











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Phone Number:

# Corporal Works of Mercy The Seven Corporal Works of Mercy

Corporal Works of Mercy are those that tend to bodily needs. In (Matthew 25:31-46, in the Judgment of Nations six specific Works of Mercy are enumerated, although not this precise list — as the reason for the salvation of the saved, and the omission of them as the reason for damnation. The last work of mercy, burying the dead, comes from the Book of Tobit. [3][4]

To feed the hungry: "For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat." Mt. 25:35

To give drink to the thirsty: "...I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink..." Mt. 25:35

To clothe the naked: "I was naked and you clothed me..." Mt. 25:36

To visit the imprisoned: "I was in prison and you came to me." Mt. 25:36

To shelter the homeless: "...I was a stranger and you took me in..." Mt. 25:35

To visit the sick: "...I was sick and you cared for me..." Mt. 25:36

To bury the dead: "Amen, I say to you, insofar as you did it for one of these least of my brothers, you did it for me." Mt. 25:40

At a priest meeting a few weeks ago the conversation let to what is the Church for the new arrivals to our city.

The Cardinal gave us priests the permission to publish this in our bulletins... Part of the discipline of Lent is prayer, fasting and almsgiving. This would fall under our taking care of the recently arrived migrants and asylum seekers.

Until We Meet at the Table, Fr. Fred





### Cardinal Blase J. Cupich

# Welcoming our New Neighbors Wednesday, January 31, 2024

During a recent meeting, several priests shared with me the concerns of parishioners to know more about what the archdiocese has been doing to care for recently arrived migrants and asylum seekers. What follows is a brief summary, which I ask you to share with friends and neighbors, if it would be helpful.

Since the start of the influx of new arrivals to the Chicago area, the archdiocese, through Catholic Charities and our parishes, has partnered with government and community leaders to connect newcomers with safe, long-term housing and provide resources to meet their basic needs. We have a dedicated team of more than 200 bilingual staff working on the frontlines each day, serving with courageous and faith-filled compassion, hope and joy.

Together with generous philanthropic support, our parishes and Catholic Charities have distributed hundreds of essential items, such as weekly transit cards and blankets to new arrivals staying at District 1 police station and O'Hare International Airport. We continue to serve thousands through our parishes and Catholic Charities' anchor programs at community centers across Lake and Cook counties, by providing fresh food through our pantries, welcoming them as guests to our community suppers and connecting them to other services.

Catholic Charities is deploying an integrated, three-pronged approach to support new arrivals. Rapid Response and Mission Engagement teams work in collaboration with parish, community and government partners to mobilize and coordinate resources, plan and implement initiatives and distribute help and materials expeditiously and with dignity. Additionally, Charities staff assist migrants who wish to reunite with family and friends in other parts of the U.S.



For instance, in December 2022, Catholic Charities responded to the city and state's call to help transition migrants out of suburban hotels and city shelters. In partnership with the Illinois Department of Human Services, Chicago's Department of Family and Support Services and the Mayor's Office, we connect new arrivals with private landlords.

The city provides Catholic Charities a caseload of people eligible for state-funded emergency rental assistance. Charities case managers then work with individuals and families to complete a housing needs assessment, and then match them to landlords with available, affordable apartments. Charities' partners process emergency rental applications, help with move-in and support community integration.

As the numbers grow, Catholic Charities has committed to increasing its pace, helping 500 households each month find housing. To that end, Catholic Charities continues to seek responsible and reputable landlords to continue renting to our newest neighbors.

Catholic Charities is also partnering with the Resurrection Project to assist eligible new arrivals with applying for work authorization and Temporary Protection Status. This includes reviewing supporting documentation, providing interpretation and translation and helping newcomers complete their applications.

Again, in collaboration with our parishes, Catholic Charities, thanks to the financial support from donors, continues to accompany families in their resettlement and community integration over their first months in Chicago. This includes providing crisis assistance to new arrivals, such as blankets, transit cards and other essentials. Our food pantries serve new arrivals, especially in Cicero and in Chicago's Back-of-the-Yards neighborhood. Our daily community supper programs in many parishes and in downtown Chicago and Cicero have doubled in size to welcome hundreds of migrant families, many with young children and babies. Our domestic violence team is responding to many calls for help from migrants.

In sum, the Catholic Church has been at the forefront of responding to the needs of migrants and asylum seekers. The table below offers some helpful statistics, which offers a snapshot of all that we are doing. I am so grateful to our pastors, parishioners and especially Catholic Charities, which is taking the lead in coordinating our efforts.

For more information, please contact: welcomethestranger@catholiccharities.net.

Summary of efforts by the Archdiocese to welcome the stranger (as of January 26)

Total arrivals to Chicago from Texas since August 2022, reported by the City of Chicago: 34,229

Total individuals directly supported by Catholic Charities and Parish Care Initiatives: 16,489

Adults and children reunited with families outside Chicago: 3,748

Individuals living in shelters and hotels who have been connected to housing: 11,125

Individuals assisted work authorization and Temporary Protection Status applications: 1,400

Individuals housed and accompanied through the Parish Family Sponsorship Program: 216 (95 families)

The above data is updated every two weeks. For more information on new arrivals, visit the City of Chicago's new Arrivals Situational Awareness Dashboard.





### **COME JOIN ALPHA!**

Alpha is a series of videos and group conversations that explore life, spirituality, and faith through a

Christian lens. We create a non-judgmental and open environment where it is easy for anyone who is strong, uncertain, or simply curious about faith in Jesus to explore questions of life and faith in a friendly atmosphere. If this sounds like something that interests you or something that is calling to you, we would love for you to try Session 7 of Alpha.

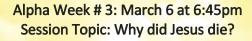
Who? Anyone seeking a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ.

What? An opportunity to have an encounter with Jesus that challenges you to grow in faith. Why? To nurture your spirit.

Where? St. Catherine of Alexandria's Kane Hall: 10621 S. Kedvale Oak Lawn, IL 60453

When? Starting on Wednesday, February 21st at 6:45 pm

**How?** If you are interested and would like to register, contact Mike Bentley at mbentley@scaoaklawn.org or call 708-423-4047.



Explore: life, faith, meaning

Watch Alpha stories: alphausa.org/stories

All sessions will be held in Kane Hall, except April 20th, 8am - 12pm will be in the FLC.

Interested? Contact Mike Bentley, mbentley@scaoaklawn.org or 708-423-4047

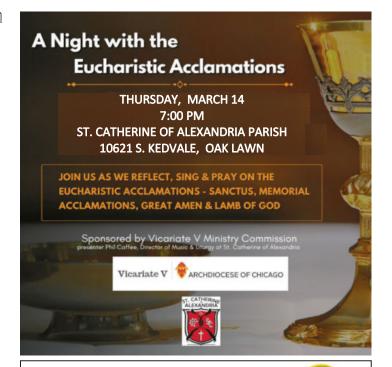
### Women's Lenten Retreat - The Woman at the Well

Most Holy Redeemer - Adamich Hall 9525 Lawndale Ave. **Evergreen Park** 

Saturday, March 9

Mass at 8:30am/Retreat 9:30am - 11:30am

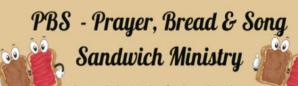
(\$20 per person) To register call: 708-425-5354 by March 6



### **Pray the Rosary** with the 55+ Club Tuesday, March 12

All are welcome to join us, for the 8:30am Mass. We will pray the Rosary after Mass and then meet at Flap Jacks Restaurant at 9:45am for breakfast. It is located at 4710 W. 95th Street in Oak Lawn. Order off menu; separate checks.

To register call: Darlene Mizera at 708-629-0856



Join us on the last Monday of each month starting on Monday, March 25 at 7:00pm in the Fr. Lion Center

as we gather in prayer, worship and make sandwiches for those in need.

Part of our response to receiving the Eucharist, the Living Bread, each week is to be the "Body of Christ" for all those around us--to be Jesus to others. What better response than to bring bread to the hungry and what better response to the Eucharistic Revival?!

### How can you help?

#### **Bagging Supplies**

Donations of sandwich bags, brown paper bags, chips & nonperishable snacks can be left in the vestibule the weekend of March 23 & 24 (no earlier)

### Sandwich Ingredients

Sign up is monthly by contacting Phil Caffee - pcaffee@scaoaklawn.org, 708-476-5374, or sign up on the parish website - parish.scaoaklawn.org under Parish Activities

### **Volunteer**

to help make sandwiches on March 25. You are not committed each month. Sign up is monthly by contacting Phil Caffee - pcaffee@scaoaklawn.org, 708-476-5374, or sign up on the parish website - parish.scaoaklawn.org under Parish Activities. No more than 12 persons/month needed to help make sandwiches.

We are partnering with Testimony Ministries that feeds the hungry 2-3 times each week.



# **SCA SCHOOL NEWS**













History Comes Alive

At many points during the school year, students in Social Studies classes engage in projects to bring history alive. In 5th grade the students worked on a project about patriots and loyalists. In 6th grade they worked on Egyptian burial rites. In 8th grade they studied World War I and built diorama boxes depicting trench warfare.





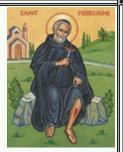


Principal and Assistant Principal of the Day!

Each year as part of Catholic Schools Week, students have the opportunity to join a raffle to serve as Principal and Assistant Principal of the Day. This year Emma E and Connor K fulfilled these roles. They did a great job of making announcements, welcoming visitors to SCA, supervising lunch and recess, visiting classrooms, and handing out Charger Cards.

### St. Peregrine Novena St. Catherine of Alexandria 10621 S. Kedvale

St. Peregrine is the patron saint for persons suffering from illnesses of all types in particular cancer. Saint Peregrine was healed of a cancerous ulcer on his leg which was considered



beyond saving. The fame of this event in 1325 spread rapidly around the western Church.

Christians, and especially the sick, began to invoke his name and seek his intercession for the relief of their suffering and even for a cure from sickness. The canonization of

- St. Peregrine in 1726 increased people's devotion to him which spread to the universal Church.
- St. Catherine of Alexandria will begin offering a Novena to St. Peregrine at 7:00pm in the church. The Novena will be held for 9 Mondays. All are welcome.

Please only enter through the doors on Kedvale. There is a handicap accessible ramp available if needed.

March 25	April 15	May 6	
April 1	April 22	May 13	
April 8	April 29	May 20	

Any questions, contact Karen Brogan at 708-691-9529. This Novena is sponsored by SCA 55+ Club.

Woman's Wellness Meeting
Tuesday, March 26 at 7:00pm
Location: Kane Hall

We will learn how to awaken healing from within.
We will also discuss guided imagery techniques,
qui gong, a form of tai chi, and the
healing power of the Holy Spirit.

All are welcome!

Any questions call or text Reenie at 708-557-7687

### PERPETUAL NOVENA TO ST. RITA OF CASCIA

Monthly Perpetual Novena to St. Rita of Cascia St. Rita of Cascia Shrine Chapel 7740 S. Western Ave. Thursday, March 7 at 7:00pm Preacher: Fr. Tom McCarthy



Confession is available at 6:00pm. Mass and novena prayers will begin at 7:00pm. Stay after Mass to enjoy a slice of the famous Racine Danish Kringle and socialize with new friends. Secure and ample parking is available. stritashrinechicago.com

### PREPARING OURSELVES THIS LENT THROUGH PRAYER

Dear St. Catherine Community:

As Christians, we all know that Holy Week and Easter are really important times in our spiritual lives. And because of that, we spend forty days in Lent getting ourselves ready for these special occasions. We do this by taking the time to connect with God through prayer.

There are so many ways to pray, but some methods can be especially helpful in preparing ourselves for Lent. If you're looking for some prayer advice during Lent, I've got some great suggestions for you. Why not use this time to create prayer habits that will stay with you long after Lent is over? That way, you can continue to grow and deepen your faith even after the season has ended. And don't worry about trying to do everything at once. Just pick one or two of the prayer methods mentioned and focus on those. That way, you can fully enjoy the journey towards Easter that is Lent. Have fun!

### **Prayer Practices – Methods:**

Renew Yourself through Personal Reflective Prayer. Every morning or at bedtime, choose a small passage of the Bible and reflect on it. If there is no Bible near, pray for a moment, and thank God for the beginning and end of the day given to us.

**Pray the Stations of the Cross**: Alone or in a group, this is a wonderful way to reflect on the most incredible sacrifice Jesus did for all of us. (Every Friday at 6:30pm, St. Catherine's offers this prayer; everyone can join us.—Good Friday-3:00pm).

**Pray the Rosary:** What better way to understand Jesus' suffering than through Mary. You may come every Wednesday during Lent to St. Catherine and pray with us at 6:30pm; or at home, take out your Rosary and dedicate some time to Mary. If short on time, pray one decade at that time. Our 5th grade students created a beautiful Rosary this past Sunday, and they made one for their families as well. If you need a Rosary, please stop by the church vestibule, you will find extra Rosaries there.

**Pray with Children or as a Family**: As you know, children learn more by seeing than by being told. So yes, take a small moment during meals to pray as a family. Little ones pick up very quickly from their parent's habits.

Have a blessed Lent! In Christ,

Sandra Bustamante, Family Faith Formation Coordinator





### St. Catherine of Alexandria Keep the Dream Alive Raffle 2024 \$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 at Fish Frys): February 16—1 ticket drawn for \$1,000 March 1—2 tickets drawn for \$1,000 March 15—1 ticket drawn for \$1,000



\$75,000 GRAND PRIZE drawn on April 14, 2024 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.

Please message <u>dreamrafflesca@gmail.com</u> for information.

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



Ron and Therese Badali: 708-738-0736 Dan & Mary Beth Brazinsky: 708-770-2253 Pandora and Germaine Brown: 773-255-9279 Joe and Bridget Doherty: 708-269-8233 Jamie Fons: 773-456-5848 Rocco Fusco: 773-269-9415 Lindsay 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 Jennifer Marszewski: 708-238-1763 708-752-6351 Clare and Jay Quaid: Colleen and Dan Reynolds: 773-485-2482 Patty and Mike Ryan: 708-906-8372 Dena and Eddie Siears: 847-418-1237 Michelle and Tom Wood: 708-897-5450

### Co-Chairs

Joni & Dan Krapec: 773-398-9528 Katie & Dean Whitney: 708-638-2269

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



February 16, March 1 and March 15 at the Fish Frys from 4:30pm to 7:30pm in the Alexandria Center.

We are less than 2 weeks away from the second \$1,000 Early Bird Drawing! Two tickets will be drawn!

Tickets can be purchased on GiveCentral, Thursdays from 6:30pm-8:00pm in the Vestibule, at the Rectory Office and School Office, or use the OR Code below.

Tickets will also be sold between 8:30am and 11:30am on Sundays, in the Church Vestibule, when possible.





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St. Catherine's is proud to present our latest fundraising effort: S & T Provisions. This is an excellent opportunity to raise funds for our school while supporting one of our favorite small business owners

S & T order forms are available in the back of church and at the rectory office.

Parishioners: Please return your order form with payment to the rectory office by 12:00pm on Monday, March 11.





SCA 55+ Club

Spiritual † Service † Social

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



# St. Joseph Celebration & Potluck

sponsored by the Liturgy Committee

Saturday, March 16 at 4:00pm Mass Potluck St. Joseph's Table to follow in Kane Hall

If you would like to participate and or bring a dish to the potluck, please contact Phil Caffee at pcaffee@scaoaklawn.org | 708-476-5374 | 708-425-3110

"Joseph, to whom she was engaged, was a righteous man..." - Matthew 1:19a





St. Catherine's Friday Fish Frys February 16, March 1 & March 15 Alexandria Center/Gym 4:30PM - 7:30PM

### Pollock White Fish & Pasta

1-Piece Fish Dinner w/Fries & Coleslaw OR Dal Santo's Roasted Potatoes & Coleslaw (1 full 6oz piece of fish) **\$10** 

2-Piece Fish Dinner w/Fries & Coleslaw OR Dal Santo's Roasted Potatoes & Coleslaw (2 full 6oz pieces of fish) **\$13** 

3-Piece Fish Dinner w/Fries & Coleslaw 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

Dream Raffle Early Bird Drawings at the Fish Frys

February 16 (1-\$1000 prize) March 1 (2-\$1000 prizes) March 15 (1-\$1000 prize)





# SCA St. Baldrick's St. Patrick's Day Family Event Saturday, March 9



Party at 5:00 PM in SCA Gym

\$10 Per Person







Please join us on Saturday, March 9 at 5pm for a night of festive music, delicious food, and fun times with family and friends as we celebrate St. Patrick/St. Baldrick day!

### Ticket & Event Information

Entry fee will be \$10 per ticket. Tickets can be purchased at the door day of event. The event will start at 4pm with an Irish Mass following with the party in the SCA gym at 5pm.

To purchase tickets please send cash or check (with form below) to the school or rectory with envelope addressed to "St. Patrick's Day Party." Checks can be made payable to St. Catherine's.

Tickets/payments can also be completed electronically through Google form/Venmo. This link will be made available on the FSA Facebook page and through the Charger Check-In. Google form/Venmo will close 24 hours prior to the event.

### Entertainment Includes

DJ & Face Painting

Dennehy School of Irish Dance

Bagpipes and Drums of the Emerald Society CPD

### Split the Pot

Corned beef sandwiches served by Clancy's Hot dogs & chips provided by Nicky V's Beer, wine, seltzer, pop, water







First and last name of each attendee:		
Number of people:	Amount enclosed:	
· · · · · · -	please contact Kanen Brocan at 708-691-9529	

# Baptism .



February 25, 2024

Beau Stephen Healy

Parents: Daniel & Kayleigh (McDaniel) Healy

Godparents: Jason Hanno and Sara Born



February 25, 2024

Nathan Ryan Vicich

Parents: Daniel Vicich & Jessica Doherty

Godparents: Mary Beth Norris and Thomas Vicich

# There is one Lord, one faith, one baptism, One God and Father of all. Ephesians 4:5-6



February 24, 2024

Timothy Jordan Nance

Parents: Timothy & Katherine (Jordan) Nance
Godparents: Eric Anaya and Maggie Nance



To schedule your child for Baptism, please contact: Sandra Bustamante sbustamante@scaoaklawn.org 708-423-5747

# **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/302event/20836

### Library Corner - Help Needed

Mary Ellen Gilboy is looking for someone to take-over organizing the bookcases in the vestibule. Friendly reminder: If you borrow a book, please return it when you are finished reading it. If interested, contact Mary Ellen at 708-636-2828.

### Music Schedule

March 9

4:00pm: Irish Mass/Paddy Homan

March 10

8:00am: No Music

9:30am: Children's Choir/Bell Choir 11:30am: Hallelujah Choir/Gene

6:00pm: Phil Caffee

### **Altar Servers**

March 9

4:00pm: Ryan D/Tiernan M/Dennis V

March 10 8:00am: TBD

9:30am: Charlie W/Gavin P

11:30am: TBD

6:00pm: Elyse D/Erin D



### **Lector Schedule**

March 9

4:00pm: Donna Marie Ivers

March 10

8:00am: Peggy Faust 9:30am: Family Mass 11:30am: Susan LiFonti 6:00pm: Linda Atkins



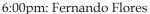
### **Eucharistic Minister Schedule**

March 9

4:00pm: Ralph Soch/TBD

March 10

8:00am: Maureen Doyle/Peggy Faust 9:30am: Pat Tobias/Ted Tobias 11:30am: Mitch Ciesla/John Farrell





### Weekly Financial Summary

Week of February 25, 2024

Regular Sunday Collections: \$7,451

\*GiveCentral will be included in the monthly summary.
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SUPPORT CRS RICE BOWL THIS LENT February 14 - March 28, 2024

This Lent all are invited to participate in CRS Rice Bowl, Catholic Relief Services' Lenten program to pray, fast, learn, and give.

For more information on how you and your parish can participate please visit archchicago.org/crs-rice-bowl. Contact Danielle Bodette at dbodette@archchicago.org with any questions. Please consider donating to CRS Rice Bowl today at givecentral.org/location/132/event/39434

Please take a Catholic Relief Services Rice Bowl available at all the church exits, fill it with your donation to CRS, and return it before Easter. A great way to give alms this Lent!



#### Weekly Activities

The Adoration Chapel is open Monday through Friday from 3:15pm to 6:15pm.

Monday, March 4

6:30pm: Domestic Violence Outreach Meeting-FLC Lunch Room

7:15pm: Liturgy Meeting-FLC

Tuesday, March 5

7:00pm: Family School Association-Kane Hall

Wednesday, March 6

2:30pm-3:30pm: Children's Choir & Bell Choir Practice-Church 4:15pm-4:45pm: Children's Choir & Bell Choir Practice-Church

6:30pm: Weekly Lenten Rosary-Church 6:45pm: Alpha Week 3-Kane Hall

7:15pm: Hallelujah Choir Practice-Church

Thursday, March 7

1:30pm: 5th Grade DARE Graduation-Church 6:30pm-8:00pm: TRIP Sales-Church Vestibule 7:00pm: Jesus, the Bridegroom/Bible Study-Library

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

Friday, March 8

9:15am-11:30am: Jesus, the Bridegroom/Bible Study-FLC 2:45pm-4:00pm: 1st Grade Girl Scout Meeting-Library

6:30pm: Stations of the Cross (SVdP)-Church

6:30pm: Baptismal Preparation-FLC

Saturday, March 9

4:00pm: Irish Mass & St. Patrick/St. Baldrick Day Party

Sunday, March 10

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

9:30am: 4th Grade Family Mass/Hospitality After in Kane Hall



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#### 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.

### **Pastor**

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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, 3:15pm to 6:15pm;

10600 S. Karlov Ave.

Confessions: Saturdays from 3:00pm to 3:45pm.

Baptisms: 2nd & 4th Sundays at 1:00pm.

Schedule subject to change.

**Weddings:** Please call the rectory office at least six months in

advance of the date you plan to marry.

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