

# OLD ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

JUNE 9, 2024

With the Lord  
there is mercy,  
and fullness  
*of redemption.*

Psalm 130



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## PASTOR'S MESSAGE

### The New Reality

Do you remember that line? It was part of our work in detailing the Archdiocesan Renew My Church process. When we arrived at celebrating the new reality in June two years ago, our celebration was all about beginning the new reality of our parish and our sister downtown parishes. That is still a reality in process.

The other reality is the new Paulist reality at Old St. Mary's. Part of that is my new reality, which you have been asking about. For the next six months, beginning July 1, I will be on sabbatical. What does that mean? It means I am moving to New York City and the Paulist Motherhouse. That's headquarters as I begin the journeys of sabbatical, because every Paulist belongs to a house. Once I get to January, I will have a new assignment and where I live could change.

Where to for sabbatical you ask? That is still being determined, but I will take some vacation time at our house in Lake George, NY. I'll also be heading over to Spain to take on my second Camino de Santiago de Compostela, and drop in to Barcelona, Madrid and Bilbao for some of the cultural and spiritual experiences there (John of the Cross, Teresa of Avila, Ignatius Loyola; Antoni Gaudi, Gaspar Becerra).

You do know I will miss you all tremendously, and it is not really easy to leave Chicago? I am thankful to leave you in the hands of Frs. Rich, Dan and Bob. They are great priests and will make a great team for you and help Old St. Mary's continue forward in its development and reality. And, even from a distance, I will keep my eye on Chicago. Since it is the closest Paulist foundation to home, I look forward to dropping by in the future – so I won't be a complete stranger even after I leave.

If you are going to send me a card and wish me well, please include a picture of you and your family and all the names! I cherish the people I have come to know, and since names don't always stick in my head, you'll be helping me more than you know. You can drop them off or send them to the parish.

If you are like me and do digital cards, or pictures and greetings via email, please use this new email (my parish email will soon end): [fatherbradosm@gmail.com](mailto:fatherbradosm@gmail.com) which is already set up, and will follow me on my adventures and keep me connected to Chicago.

*Here is my new contact information:*

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If you are ever in NYC, you are welcome to drop by, or even come for a visit.

Blessings to you all!

Fr. Brad

### LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

God's family is not a country club – you don't need the right pedigree or the proper connections to join. Christ claims everyone who does the will of God. Let us call upon the Holy Spirit to fill our hearts, that we may live in kinship with Christ.

### Our Parish Mission

Founded in 1833, Old St. Mary's Parish is the first Catholic parish in the Chicago area. Guided for more than a century by the vision of the Paulist Fathers, we are a diverse and welcoming community dedicated to serving the spiritual needs of the Loop, South Loop and the greater Chicago area. As a unified Church and School community, Old St. Mary's Parish promotes the mission of the Paulist Fathers to welcome those who have been away from the church, to build bridges of respect and collaboration with people of diverse backgrounds and religions, and to promote justice and healing in our society.

### SUNDAY READINGS

**First Reading:** "I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and hers." (Gn 3:15)

**Psalms:** With the Lord there is mercy, and fullness of redemption. (Ps 130)

**Second Reading:** Since we have the same spirit of faith, according to what is written, *I believed, therefore I spoke*, we too believe and therefore we speak. (2 Cor 4:13)

**Gospel:** And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand; that is the end of him. (Mk 3:26)

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**MONDAY:** 1 Kgs 17:1-6; Ps 121:1bc-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; Mt 5:1-12

**TUESDAY:** Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6; Mt 5:13-16

**WEDNESDAY:** 1 Kgs 18:20-39; Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab and 8, 11/Mt 5:17-19

**THURSDAY:** 1 Kgs 18:41-46; Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13; Mt 5:20-26

**FRIDAY:** 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16; Ps 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14; Mt 5:27-32

**SATURDAY:** 1 Kgs 19:19-21; Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10; Mt 5:33-37

**NEXT SUNDAY:** Ez 17:22-24; Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 (see 2a); 2 Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34

### MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, June 9

8:00 AM + LORETTA ELIA

11:00 AM + JAIME IMBAG

4:00 PM PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

Monday, June 10 - 8:30 am  
+ CITA ORENDIAN

Tuesday, June 11 - 8:30 am  
+ BRIAN LEONARD, JR.

Wednesday, June 12 - 8:30 AM  
MARY JANE OLESZKIEWIEZ

Thursday, June 13 - 8:30 am  
JUANITA JONES

Friday, June 14 - 8:30 am  
FR. BRAD (68)

Saturday, June 15 - 5:00 pm  
+ THOMAS & HALCIE DALY



WE WERE REMISS IN NOT  
ACKNOWLEDGING THAT WE  
WELCOMED

**Katarina Eder Pawinski,**

TO THE TABLE OF THE LORD  
FOR THE FIRST TIME

ON SUNDAY, FEBRUARY, 11, 2024 AT THE  
11:00 AM MASS.

### Restarting & Continuing The Chosen Series



We are restarting the Chosen series with Season 1 starting Tuesday, July 9. This will occur every Tuesday evening at 6:30 pm in Room 201.

We will also continue **The Chosen Season 4 on Wednesdays mornings** from 9:30 AM to 11:30 AM



On Saturday, June 1, we welcomed *Arman James Rabbani* into the community of the faithful through the Sacrament of Baptism at the 5 PM Mass.

Early Bird Registration during the month of June!

## SUNDAY FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION



SCHOOL YEAR 2024-2025

All registration is now IN PERSON. Make an appointment through the parish website or contact Oblate James or Lauren.

Registration available after the Masses on June 16 and 23, July 20-21, and August 3-4 and 17-18.



### Taize Prayer

Wednesday, June 12th 7:00PM

St. James Catholic Church 21 East 29th Street

All are welcome to an evening of music and reflection in the tradition of Taize.

[www.stjameswabash.org](http://www.stjameswabash.org)



### Volunteers Needed

St. James Food Pantry is seeking volunteers to help

deliver food to

Homebound Seniors on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

The hours are as follows:

Wednesdays: 10 am – 2pm., and

Thursdays: 11:30 am – 2 pm.

Contact Peter Wawire

at [pwawire@stjameswabash.org](mailto:pwawire@stjameswabash.org) or 312-842-1919 ext. 213 to volunteer.

*Congratulations to the Old St. Mary's School Graduating Class of 2024*

Joy Akhigbe	Leo Timothy Galaida	Gabriel Morales
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Thomas Robert Del Giudice	Serena Clare Likavec	Adrianna Vita Ursetta
Fiona Burke Dollear	Chinedu Victor Madu II	Marcello Peter Ursetta
Kiley Louise Falconio	Sophie Maria Marcus	Eliana Bautista Vallejo
Colin Joseph Flaherty	Abigail Marks	Sophie Gabrielle Zeimys
	Alejandra Lucia Melendez	

# BELOVED

## Praying with LGBTQ+ Catholics

Thursday, June 20th - 7:00 PM

1500 South Michigan Avenue

Join LGBTQ+ Catholics and allies for an evening of prayer during pride month. Through music, scripture and reflection, we will offer a space for shared prayer during this special time. No matter where you are in your journey of faith, know you are invited and welcome here as beloved children of God.



### Prayer of Identity

Dear God,  
 In the garden You asked, "Who told you that you were naked?"  
 Who told me all kinds of things about myself – lists of flaws and failures a mile high.  
 It wasn't You.  
 Plant Your truth inside of me.  
 Speak to me about how You see me.  
 Remind me that I am Yours, chosen from eternity for You.  
 Amen.

### CATHOLIC TRIVIA - JUST FOR FUN

**Question:** What is the name for the long robes sometimes worn by Catholic religious sisters?

**Answer:** Habit.

**MASS TIMES**  
 MASSES ARE LIVESTREAMED

**SATURDAY:**  
 5:00 pm

**SUNDAY:**  
 8:00 am, 11:00 am & 4:00 pm

**DAILY MASS:**  
 8:30 am

MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

**PARISH/SCHOOL  
 PHONE/WEBSITE INFO**

**PARISH PHONE:**  
 312.922.3444

**PARISH WEBSITE:**  
[www.oldstmarys.com](http://www.oldstmarys.com)

**SCHOOL PHONE:**  
 312.386.1560

**SCHOOL WEBSITE:**  
[www.osmschool.com](http://www.osmschool.com)

**SACRAMENTS**

**BAPTISMS:**

PLEASE GO TO OUR WEBSITE TO REGISTER YOUR CHILD(REN) FOR BAPTISM. YOU WILL BE CONTACTED.

**CONFESSIONS:**

4 PM SATURDAY AND BY APPOINTMENT



**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**

Fridays from 9 AM to Noon.

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**BUDGET SCORECARD - FY 2024**  
 thru 4/30/2024

<b>Weekly Budget Amount</b>	<b>18,500.00</b>
<b>Fiscal YTD Budget</b>	\$ 758,500.00
	<b>Receipts</b>
Sunday/Holiday Collection	\$ 361,274.22
Online Giving	\$ 341,775.69
Faith Formation Tuition	\$ 17,629.00
Bank Acct Interest	\$ 425.00
Candle boxes, Mass Intentions, Baptism, Wedding, etc	\$ 21,585.07
<b>Total Received</b>	<b>\$ 742,688.98</b>
<b>Surplus/Deficit</b>	<b>\$ (15,811.02)</b>

Through April our parish took in \$15,811.02 less than needed to balance to budget.

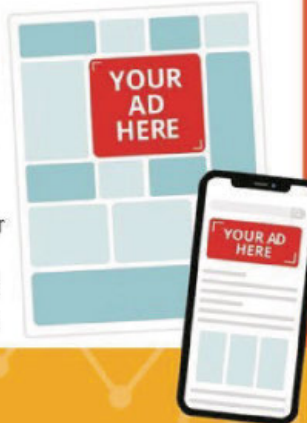


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**BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS:** Items are due no later than 5PM on Mondays. Please Email items to [bulletin@oldstmarys.com](mailto:bulletin@oldstmarys.com). Thank You!

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