

OLD ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

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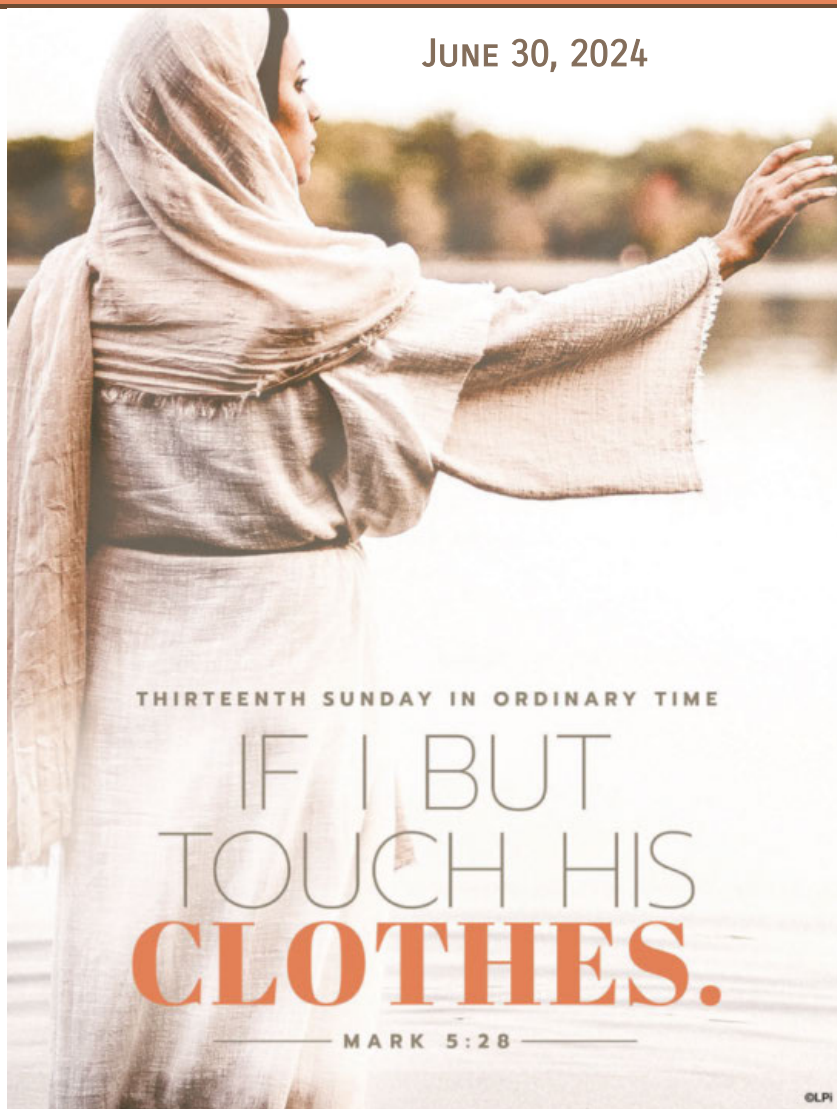
4 PM SATURDAY
AND BY APPOINTMENT

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament



Fridays from
9 AM to Noon.

JUNE 30, 2024



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.

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THE PAULIST FATHERS SERVING OUR PARISH SINCE OCTOBER 12, 1903.

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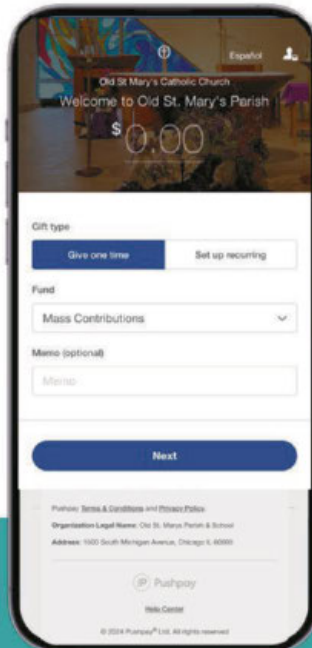
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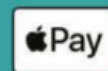
Parish offices are closed on Thursday, July 4 for the Independence Day Holiday. There will be Mass at 8:30 AM.

Restarting The Chosen Series

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



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now accepts
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SUNDAY READINGS

First Reading: But by the envy of the devil, death entered the world. (Wis 2:24)

Psalm: I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me. (Ps 30)

Second Reading: Not that others should have relief while you are burdened, but that as a matter of equality your abundance at the present time should supply their needs, so that their abundance may also supply your needs, that there may be equality. (2 Cor 8:13-14)

Gospel: He took the child by the hand and said to her, "*Talitha koum*," which means, "Little girl, I say to you, arise!" (Mk 5:41)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY: Am 2:6-10, 13-16; Ps 50:16bc-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23; Mt 8:18-22

TUESDAY: Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12; Ps 5:4b-6a, 6b-7, 8; Mt 8:23-27

WEDNESDAY: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 20:24-29

THURSDAY: Am 7:10-17; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Mt 9:1-8

FRIDAY: Am 8:4-6, 9-12; Ps 119:2, 10, 20, 30, 40, 131; Mt 9:9-13

SATURDAY: Am 9:11-15; Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 9:14-17

NEXT SUNDAY: Ez 2:2-5; Ps 123:1-2, 2, 3-4 (2cd); 2 Cor 12:7-10; Mk 6:1-6a

Prayer for Our Government

Dear Lord,

Guide and direct those who serve this country in positions of leadership and power. Give them Your wisdom and clarity as they make decisions for our nation. Amen.

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MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, JUNE 30

8:00 AM	+ JEREMIAH J. TWOMEY
11:00 AM	+ JAIME IMBAG
4:00 PM	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

MONDAY, JULY 1 - 8:30 AM
+ GEORGIA DOMINSKI MCQUADE

TUESDAY, JULY 2 - 8:30 AM
+ CONSOLACION PENUELA

WEDNESDAY, JULY 3 - 8:30 AM
ALL SOULS IN NEED

THURSDAY, JULY 4 - 8:30 AM
JACKSON J. SHEERIN

FRIDAY, JULY 5 - 8:30 AM
JEREMY LLOYD LINCOLN

SATURDAY, JULY 6 - 5:00 PM
+ CAROL BRISCHETTO



JULY 6-7 NASCAR Chicago Street Race Weekend

There will be several street closures that will challenge your ability to travel. For the most up-to-date event information including Dog Park Access and Sidewalk Closures go to nascarchicago.com or scan the QR code.



Fr. Brad's Farewell Message

I BELIEVE

First – THANK YOU! I owe a ton of thanks to everyone who has been involved here at Old St. Mary's in my tenure as Pastor. For everyone who has been involved with liturgy, leadership, faith formation, school, sacraments, who has volunteered, offered insights and challenges, who have found my messages helpful and have found my messages empty, to those of you who have offered much support and involvement, those who have offered a little bit or none or just were oblivious to the needs of the parish – again I say Thank You! Thank you for sharing your life.

Second – Blessings! You do know “blessings” is my go-to greeting, right? Years ago during a Lent before I was a priest, I loved to take advantage of people's comments and do “slam humor.” If you don't know what that is, I'm not going to tell you here. For that Lent I decided my life would be improved if I did “build-up” humor – things that complimented people. And that is why I try to bless everyone. The other little nuance of blessings, Blessings are Always from God [a new axiom?]. When given by a priest, family member, friend or anyone – to bless is the gift of God flowing through us.

Third – do you believe? I've titled my final White Paper, “I Believe” because it is so important to do. If you have not seen that the thing I have tried to do as Pastor is to share with you that I believe in this faith we profess together (of course, mistakes happen in communication). I'm sorry that I didn't do it better. And if you did not see the other part of being Pastor is to help you share faith better, I'm sorry to not have been more effective (if it's my fault) or sorry you did not get it because you were resisting it. I hope you will find the faith that fills you, and see God leading you, especially when you open your heart to God!

Fourth – I have found that many Catholics are shy about sharing their belief, their thoughts, hopes, dreams, struggles – with each other, it's at the heart of being a Catholic community. Maybe you share with a few special people, but the call of the Gospel is to be more courageous. Of course there are those people who have no qualms about telling you their thoughts and all the right ways to do things (read that as say YOU are wrong), but we have too many people who are too shy about their beliefs or afraid to ask important questions because they are too shy or don't feel they have the right to ask the question. But you do. You have the right to share and ask questions, because that is where we find the truth and see God interacting among us. We also have to remember when we tell people something, sometimes they feel unheard. That may be true, but it may be that we are wrong, too. We have to keep talking to figure it out, and be open to what God is calling us too. That is what is at the heart of the Synod that continues this summer – lots of talk, but openness to the Holy Spirit as well.

Fifth – in all of this, Christ is at work. I believe that in the Mass and Sacraments we celebrate Jesus is at work in a very real and personal way. Some people do not like that we celebrate other sacraments at Mass. I'm sorry if you feel that, but I believe we need to see that we as a community have responsibilities to one another and Mass is more important than any other activity we have on Sunday. I hope you believe that your participation is critical, as important and as the priest who leads. It is because you are there that you participate – it is not only ministers and volunteers who participate, and we have not always been good at seeing how affirming this belief is.

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Lastly – I Believe in you Old Saint Mary's Parish! As the oldest Catholic Parish in the Archdiocese you have been probing what you believe and how to share it for 191 years. The Paulists have been active participants in that discussion for 121 of those years. I thank you again for the gift of being your Pastor for these past six years! I also extend to you my pastoral/priestly blessing on you all! And... I ask God's blessing on Fr. Patrick Johnson, CSP as he heads off to Paulist Mission in Boston! I ask God's blessings: on Fr. Rich Andre, CSP as he becomes your Pastor, and Fr. Danilo Macalinao, CSP as he takes on his first Paulist assignment as priest, and Fr. Bob Cary, CSP as he returns to Chicago as senior priest in residence.

Please keep me in your prayers. And again, God Bless You ALL!

Fr. Brad Schoeberle, CSP
Pastor July 2018 thru June 2024

**MISSION CO-OP APPEAL
WEEKEND JULY 13/14**

The summer Missionary Cooperation Plan is an opportunity for our parish to learn about, support and be inspired by the work of missionaries ministering in another part of the world. We are pleased to receive a visit from Fr. Absalom on the weekend of July 13/14.

Please pray for missionaries worldwide who empower local leaders to form and nourish communities of faith where the Church is young, struggling, or economically strained. If you are able, place a donation to support this mission cause in the second. Please make checks payable to Old St. Mary's or you can make a donation online using Pushpay, Apple Pay or Zelle.

**Early Bird Registration during
the month of June!**



All registration is now IN PERSON. School families must fill out the pastoral intake form.

Registration available after the Masses on June 29-30, July 20-21, and August 3-4 and 17-18.



Parents!
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Wednesday Morning Alpha Series

Join us on Wednesday mornings after Mass for community building, reflection, and discussion on "the basics" in an inclusive, fun, and safe space.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

No experience needed. Contact Oblate James with any questions.

The dates and themes:

- July 10: Having Faith and Practicing
- July 17: The Bible
- July 24: How God Guides and Heals
- July 31: All About the Holy Spirit
- August 7: Making the Most of the Rest of My Life
- August 14: Resisting Evil
- August 21: How to Tell Others (Evangelization)
- August 28: The Church

CATHOLIC TRIVIA – JUST FOR FUN

Question:

Name the two Sacraments of Service.

Answer:

Holy Orders and Marriage.



Eucharistic Minister Training July 20th, 3pm!

With 4 masses every Sunday, Old St. Mary's needs your help as a

Eucharistic Minister! Fortunately this important role is a simple one that won't require an additional time commitment outside of the normal weekend masses, but will be hugely beneficial to the community. All new and experienced eucharistic ministers are invited to attend our parishwide training on Saturday, July 20th at 3pm; with new priests onboard and ever-changing protocols post-Covid it will be important for everyone to have a fresh training and perspective on this ministry.

The brief training will last no longer than one hour and you'll be set to serve going forward. This is a simple but great way to share your gifts with the OSM community, while providing the opportunity to actively participate in the liturgy in a meaningful way. We hope to see you there! RSVP to Scott Williams at swilliams@oldstmarys.com

BUDGET SCORECARD - FY 2024

thru 05/31/2024

Weekly Budget Amount		18,500.00
Fiscal YTD Budget		\$ 832,500.00
	Receipts	
Sunday/Holiday Collection	\$ 413,867.44	
Online Giving	\$ 346,475.45	
Faith Formation Tuition	\$ 17,654.00	
Bank Acct Interest	\$ 3,017.59	
Candle boxes, Mass Intentions, Baptism, Wedding, etc	\$ 21,269.82	
Total Received		\$ 802,284.30
Surplus/Deficit		\$ (30,215.70)

Through May our parish took in \$30,215.70 less than needed to balance to budget.

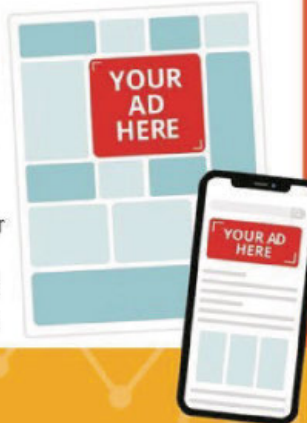


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- English as primary language
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