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#### WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil | 4:00 P.M. Sunday | 9:00 A.M. AND 11:00 A.M.

#### WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Friday Daily Mass | 8:00 A.M.

**HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE** \*On the Holy Day | 8:00 A.M. AND 7:00 P.M.

> CONFESSIONS Saturday | 3:00 - 3:45 P.M.\*

**EUCHARISTIC ADORATION** First Friday of the Month\* | 8:30 - 9:30 A.M. \*UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

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# Sunday, April 14, 2024 | Third Sunday of Easter

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# A Note from Fr. Keith, Our Pastor

Jesus entered Jerusalem to celebrate the Passover with his disciples. This Jewish feast commemorates the escape of the Israelites from slavery in Egypt. Historically, during the Temple era, Passover, *pesach* in Hebrew, included a meal of unleavened bread and the sacrificial lamb. The Jews celebrated the Passover for seven days in the Temple or eight in the diaspora. The definitive sacrifice of Jesus, himself the sacrificial lamb of God, fulfilled and inaugurated a new freedom from slavery to sin.

Catholic Mass resembles the Passover meal with bread and wine offered using the Jewish *berakah* prayers. The prayers of consecration transform the bread and wine into the body and blood of Jesus as Christ himself commanded at the Last Supper, itself a Passover meal. We use the word Paschal as a connection to the Hebrew *pesach*. Our English word for Paschal is Easter. This is derived from the Saxon vernal, pagan festival. The Church "baptizes" these historical and pagan terms to make the meaning of the Christian mysteries accessible and inculturated.

Perhaps future generations will use different terms for Easter based on their culture. At any rate, the Church mirrors the Passover celebrations with the Octave of Easter. Liturgically, octaves celebrate the most important solemnities for eight days due to their prominence in the liturgical year. The rubrics before the reforms of the Second Vatican Council allowed for as many as eighteen different octaves! For example, Ascension was observed for eight days at the fortieth day of Easter only for Pentecost to be celebrated for eight days at the fiftieth day of Easter. The reformed liturgy after the Second Vatican Council retained only the octaves of Christmas and Easter.

The Octave of Easter concludes with the Second Sunday of Easter. This Solemnity has many different names. The most accurate and current title is Divine Mercy Sunday as a celebration of God's forgiveness. Saint John Paul II established this feast in 2000. Interestingly, he died on the vigil of Divine Mercy five years later and beatified six years later on the feast itself. Historically, the Second Sunday of Easter was known as "White Sunday" as a reference to the garments of the baptized. The Latin phrase *in albis* refers to the alb or white baptismal garment. Quasimodo Sunday referenced the entrance antiphon and "Low Sunday" may have been a corruption of the Latin *laudes* or praise.

The titular character from the Hunchback of Notre Dame was found at the cathedral steps on the Second Sunday of Easter giving his name as Quasimodo. The entire Easter season is known as Paschaltide or Eastertide. The liturgical celebration each Sunday of Easter has several options not available during other seasons of the year. For example, the recitation of the Creed can be replaced by the Renewal of Baptismal Promises in a question and answer format. Additionally, the Sprinkling Rite can be used as a reminder of baptism. Finally, the Paschal Candle is lit each day and displayed in a prominent place in the sanctuary near the tabernacle or the ambo.

These liturgical details point to a deeper, spiritual invitation. Our Church was standing room only on Easter Sunday. These parishioners will not return again until Christmas and the following Ash Wednesday. Paschal joy is still a memory in many of these non-practicing neighbors of ours. We are encouraged to maintain an interior awareness and receptivity toward Paschal joy. The exuberance of Easter will naturally dissipate due to the human condition. However, our emotions and feelings are not the referent for the true joy of this season. The Resurrection of Jesus causes a real joy in the hope it offers for eternal life. Sin is conquered and death is vanquished. Please remember to share this with others.

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# Hymnody and Scripture for the Season of Easter 2024

#### Scripture Readings in Worship Hymnal

Second Sunday of Easter	W1081
Third Sunday of Easter	W1083
Fourth Sunday of Easter	W1086
Fifth Sunday of Easter	W1089
Sixth Sunday of Easter	W1092

### Second Sunday of Easter

Gathering Hymn	
We Walk by Faith	W674
Psalm Response	See Bulletin
Preparation Hymn	
No Greater Love	W698
Communion Hymn	
O Sons and Daughters	W507
Closing Hymn	
Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You	W611

### Third Sunday of Easter

Gathering Hymn	
All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name	W566
Psalm Response	See Bulletin
Preparation Hymn	
Now We Remain	W764
Communion Hymn	
Eye Has Not Seen	W713
Closing Hymn	
Alleluia! Sing to Jesus	W953

## Fourth Sunday of Easter

Gathering Hymn	
There's a Wideness in God's Mercy	W645
Psalm Response	See Bulletin
Preparation Hymn	
With a Shepherd's Care	W710
Communion Hymn	
Take and Eat	W940
Closing Hymn	
I Want to Walk	W585

#### Singing as Gratitude

When we come to church to experience the Risen Christ in the Eucharist, we do not come alone. We come together as a faith community grateful for the gifts we have been given. One of the ways to express our gratitude for those gifts, is to lift up our voice in song and in prayer. Won't you join the voice of our community? Use the voice God has given you in prayer and praise. Our collective experience of the liturgy will be uplifted — we guarantee it.

### Fifth Sunday of Easter

Gathering Hymn	
Sing a New Song to the Lord	W629
Psalm Response	See Bulletin
Preparation Hymn	
I Am the Vine	W823
Communion Hymn	
I Receive the Living God	W923
Closing Hymn	
Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven	W610

## Sixth Sunday of Easter

Gathering Hymn	
Love Divine, All Loves Excelling	W642
Psalm Response	See Bulletin
Preparation Hymn	
What Wonderous Love Is This	W641
Communion Hymn	
We Remember	W938
Closing Hymn	
In Christ there is no East or West	W824



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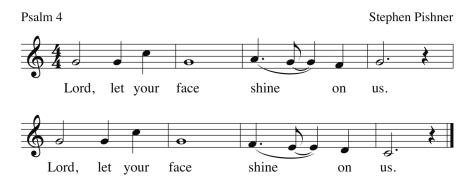


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# Psalm 4

Lord, Let Your Face Shine on Us

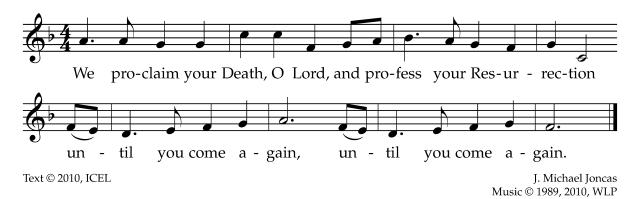


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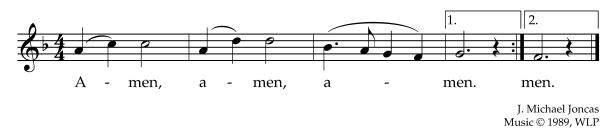
# Gospel Acclamation



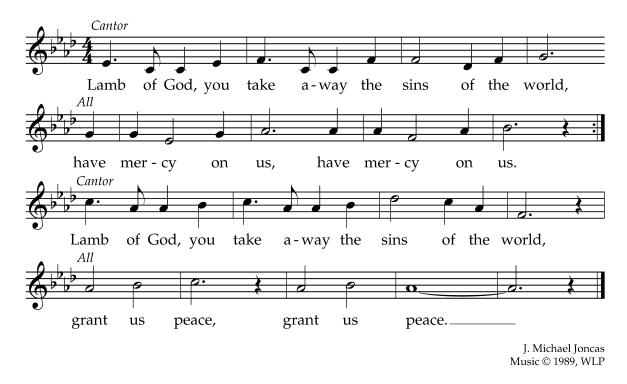
# Memorial Acclamation



# Amen



# Lamb of God



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# Congratulations to our First Communicants!

Please pray for our young parishioners who celebrate the Sacrament of First Holy Communion this month.

<u>SUNDAY, APRIL 14, 2024</u> <u>SUNDAY, APRIL 28, 2024</u>			<u>RIL 28, 2024</u>	
Ellie Artos	Dylan Milnamow	Filip Adamczyk	Evan Meza	
Colton Casperson	Elliott Noack	Margaret Bellows	Lilah Mory	
Kaden Ciarrachi	Andrea Osornio	Mario Biondolillo	Owen Ong	
Lillian Cope	Violet Ploskonka	Geneva Cespedes - Mackey	Graham Powers	
Edyth Eastridge	Andrew Postovalov	Maria Cespedes - Mackey	Anna Rodakowski	
Mackenzie Foreman	Henry Potomis	Alivia DeRose	Sienna Searls	
Amelia Grover	Jonathan Radziewicz	Nico Fasano	Grace Sobecki	
Matilda Hillier	Griffin Schlicher	Peyton Fuller	Declan Stark	
Kitty Hindman	Mary Sirmon	Robert Greco	Emily Stauber	
Lilly Hobein	Alyce Stone	Samuel Grovak	Ella Strom	
Helena Koliopoulos	John Szymiczek	Luca Gurrieri	🗩 Rose Tenerelli	
Nora Lovelace	Brinley Todhunter	Amelia Jerbi	Crystal Vermillion	
Gianna Mathew	Daniel Tole	Amelia Kestler	Brady Wenzl	
Luke Mayo	Avery Zuba	Gianna Latelle	Abram Zepeda	

# Mass Intentions & This Week @ St. James > April 15 - 21, 2024

#### **APRIL 15/MONDAY**

8:00 A.M. Rev. Edwin Joyce **REQ. BY VOPENKA FAMILY** 

Geri Nowakowski REQ. BY THE GALVIN FAMILY

#### **APRIL 16/TUESDAY**

8:00 A.M. Evelyn Kennedy REQ. BY LOHENRY & GILLIGAN FAMILIES

#### **APRIL 17/WEDNESDAY**

8:00 A.M. Evelyn Kennedy REQ. BY LOHENRY & GILLIGAN FAMILIES

**APRIL 18/ THURSDAY** 8:00 A.M. Gloria Jena Basquez **REQ. BY JIM HENSLER** 

#### APRIL 19/FRIDAY

8:00 A.M. Ray Darin REO. BY THE DASCHLER FAMILY

#### **APRIL 20/ SATURDAY**

4:00 р.м. Anna Moolavil **REQ. BY FRANCIS MOOLAYIL** 

#### **APRIL 21/ SUNDAY**

9:00 A.M. Jane Mann REQ. BY LISA & ED SABA

11:00 A.M. Mary Ann Lobecki REQ. BY LEA SMETANA

People of the Parish

# This Week@St. James

**16/TUESDAY** 

#### **15/MONDAY**

Daily Mass 8 A.M. CHURCH Lunch 11:30 A.M. | SJH1/K Kids Klub 3 P.M. GYM/A/M RM DuPage WW General Mtg 6:30 р.м. | sjh123/к A.A. Meeting 8 P.M. | FL

Daily Mass 8 A.M. CHURCH A & E Water Plants 8:30 A.M. | CHURCH Lunch 11:30 A.M. | SJH1/K Student Lector Reh 11:30 A.M. | CH Student Cantor Reh 2 p.m. | Choir RM Kids Klub 3 P.M. GYM/A/MRM Deanery Mtg 3 P.M. CH/SJH2/3/K RE Classes 4:30 P.M. RERMS/SJH123 **RF** Praver 4:45 P.M. CH Athletic Board Mtg 6:30 p.m. | A/M Boy Scout Mtg. 7:10 p.m. | SJH1

**17/WEDNESDAY** 

Daily Mass 8 A.M. | CH Weds. Bible Study 9 A.M. | SJH2/3 Lunch 11:30 A.M. | SJH1/K Faculty Meeting 3 P.M. CIC Kids Klub 3P.M. GYM/A/MRM RE Classes 4:30 P.M. RERMS/SIH123 **RE** Prayer 4:45 P.M. | CH/ALL Track Practice 5 P.M. GYM Choir Rehearsal 7 P.M. CHOIR RM **Knights Meeting** 7 P.M. | SIH2/3 Evening Rosary

7 P.M. | CH

#### 18/THURSDAY Daily Mass

8 A.M. | CH

Kids Klub

3 p.m. | SJHl

SVDP Meeting

4 P.M. | SJH2/3

6:30 p.m. | A/M

7 Р.М. | SJH2/3

PTO Meeting

AOH Mtg

11:30 A.M. | SJH1/K

Lunch

Daily Mass 8 A.M. | CH A & E Water Plants 9:30 a.m. | Church Lunch 3 P.M. GYM/A/M RM 11:30 A.M. | SJH1/K Drama Club Reh. Setup Hospitality 1 P.M. | SJHI/K Kids Klub 3 P.M. GYM/A/M RM Track Practice 5 P.M. GYM

**19/FRIDAY** 

#### **20/SATURDAY**

Cursillo Mtg in MC 7:30 A.M. | MCDR/K Drama Club Reh. 8 A.M. | SJH123 Reconciliations 3 P.M. | CH/ALL SVDP Bag Dist. 3:30 P.M. | NARTHX SVDP Clothing Drive 3:30 p.m. | pk lot Mass 4 P.M. | CH/ALL

21/SUNDAY

Mass 9 A.M. | CH/ALL 11 A.M. CH/ALL Choir Sings at Mass 11 A.M. CH/ALL SVDP Clothing Drive 10 A.M. PK LOT 12 P.M. PK LOT Hospitality 10 A.M. | SJH1/K 12 P.M. | SJH1/K Baptisms 12:30 P.M. | CH/ALL YM Night 6 P.M. MCALL Adult Rec. BBall 7:30 p.m. | GYM

# Readings for the Week & Saints and Special Observances

#### **Readings for the Week**

Monday:	Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30/ Jn 6:22-29
Tuesday:	Acts 7:51-8:1a/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a, 17, 21ab/ In 6:30-35
Wednesday:	Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a/Jn 6:35-40
Thursday:	Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20/Jn 6:44-51
Friday:	Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 6:52-59
Saturday:	Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/
-	Jn 6:60-69
Sunday:	Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29/
	Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18



#### **Saints and Special Observances**

Monday:	Tax Day
Sunday:	Fourth Sunday of Easter;
	World Day of Praver for Vocations

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# We Offer Our Prayers

Grace Stasi Abbie Ali Jennifer Baker Mary Ann Bakes Dion Bernabei Enzo Bernabei Ali Barton Brent Benedict Karen Bijanki Jeff Brown Zach Bryant Daniel Burns Mary Anne Capron Raija Carey John Cassidy Rosemary Chacula Darlene Chapman Michael Chapman Alice Condon Kevin Conrad Annette Cooke Chris Danly Charlie DeMory Tony and Sherry DeMory Georgianna DeMory LaVerne DuMond Mary Lou Fehlen Diane Fowler Karen Fuist Ivy Giuseffi Emily Hand Linda Jedrzejek Baby Penelope James Carole Kaczmar Edward Kane Raymond Keevins Kayla Kenny Sharon Kestlar Patricia Klein Jaxson Knapek Mary Kohout Kyle Scott Landies Gretchen Laska Tom Lawrence Mary Licar Julianne Lobocki Gail Lewellyan Johnson Rick Lewellvan Mary Lichar Tony Lindaurer Sue Lohenry Gaye Masnjak

Bob Maurer Mae Maurer Marite Maurer Dino Mazza Meghan Menconi Billy Metzer Yvonne Pelafas James Pelletiere Samantha Pelletiere Olivia Pere Allen Tino Pere Toni Pereira Kathleen Pervan Raymond Prosperi Carol Raymond Cora Reda Yvonne Reno Jordan Richards Danny Riley Angela Rinaldi Elsie Rosasco Copeland Roseanne Jack Rudnick John Rudnick Rose Rudnick Leo Sage Carol Sandowski Katherine Sanford Bobbie Saverino Jennifer Saverino-Bayne Mary Pat Schroeder Wayne Schroeder Nibbs Scully Tina Sheehan Judy Silberhorn Dorothy Sledz Cindy Smetana Margo Smetana **Billy Southwell** Erin Sowl Cara Sutherland Danny Tapia Isla Trapani Colette Trepes Gabrielle Urban Milan Urban Laurie Valdez Josh Will Mary Will Peter Wohld Rosita Yee Michael Zac

## **Parish Prayer List**

If you would like to add a name on this list, please contact Rubi at: rubi@stjamesge.org and provide her with the name. Thank you!

# "Whoever believes in me, even if they die, will live."



Martin Maurer, nephew of George and Virginia Maurer

Geraldine Nowakowski. wife of Bob Nowakowski

#### We Make House Calls! -Communion for the Homebound-

If you or a loved one are temporarily or permanently homebound and unable to attend Mass, the St. James Ministry of Care can bring Holy Communion to your home on a regular basis. To have a qualified and trained St. James lay parishioner bring Communion to YOUR home, please call Rubi at the St. James Ministry Center, 630-469-7540, ext. 201 or email rubi@stjamesge.org

#### Flames of Faith at St. James the Apostle

The red sanctuary lamp by the tabernacle burns to remind us of the sacramental presence of Iesus Christ. It is a mark of honor to remind the faithful of the presence of Christ, and is a profession of their love and affection.

To inquire about offering Flames of Faith in honor of Flames of Faith a loved one's intentions or



in their memory, please stop by or contact Rubi at the Ministry Center, rubi@stjamesge.org or call 630 -469-7540, ext. 201.

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This week our St. James Flames of Faith are offered: For the Staff, Catechists and Students of the St. James Religious Education Program Offered by: The Parishioners of St. James the Apostle

# Administration Ministries [STEWARDSHIP NOTE]

The disciples in today's Gospel came to know Jesus in the breaking of the bread. When we share what we have with those who are in need, we too will discover Jesus in our midst.

#### March 24/25, 2024

Sunday Collection with EFT: \$11,998
Our weekly budget is \$15,192; our shortfall is \$3,194
Preserving Our Father's House with EFT: \$55

#### Easter Sunday, 2024

Easter Collection with EFT: \$50,090.31Preserving Our Father's House with EFT: \$115

#### March 24/25, 2024

Sunday Collection with EFT: \$13,312.72
Our weekly budget is \$15,192; our shortfall is \$1,880
Preserving Our Father's House with EFT: \$2,570.05

Your generosity it is needed and deeply appreciated! Thanks!



#### Have You Made a Pledge to the CMAA?

If you have already pledged your support to the Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal (CMAA), we sincerely thank you! If we all join together, we can meet our parish's goal of \$79,600. Each and every gift, regardless of size, truly matters and makes a difference. If you still plan on making your gift, please prayerfully reflect on how best you can support the CMAA this year to help those in need throughout our diocese, We welcome online gifts at jolietdioceseappeal.org

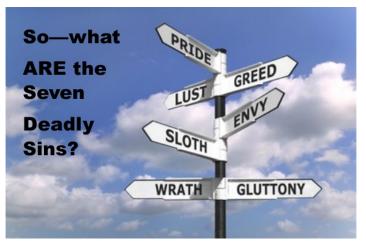
Remember, if we raise more than our goal, the diocese will return 70 percent of the amount over goal to us to reinvest in our own parish. This is an incredible opportunity and blessing!

# **Christian Education Ministries**



#### **St. James Religious Education Program**

We pray for those who will receive their First Eucharist this weekend. We ask that God's blessings be with our First Communicants today and every day!! Happy First Communion!!



Tonight we are covering one of our Teen Topic Nights looking at what AKE the 7 Deadly Sins. But we aren't leaving it there nope - we will continue to look at the 7 Virtues & their tie ins with other aspects of our faith, St. Augustine and St. Thomas Aquinas!! Bring your quest for knowledge tonight as our discussion should be lively! We'll have plenty of snacks on hand, too!

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# St. James the Apostle School

Presents



**Leaping Lizards!** Glen Ellyn will "**stick up its chin and grin and sing 'Tomorrow! Tomorrow!**" when St. James the Apostle School performs *Annie JR*., it was announced by Drew Cohen, president of Music Theatre International (MTI). Based on the popular comic strip and adapted from the Tony Award-winning best musical by Tony Award-winners, Thomas Meehan, Charles Strouse and Martin Charnin, *Annie JR.* tells the story of a spunky Depression-era orphan determined to find her parents.

"Annie is a heartwarming show with an important message about the true nature of family. In the show, we see how a plucky little girl transforms her entire life by making the most out of every moment," says Cohen. "MTI would like to applaud the students from St. James the Apostle School for all their hard work on their production."

St. James the Apostle School will present *Annie JR.* on <u>Thursday, April 25<sup>th</sup> at 6pm</u> and <u>Friday,</u> <u>April 26th at 6pm</u>. Performance will be in St. James Parish Hall located at 490 S PARK BLVD, GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137. Tickets are \$10.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children and seniors, lap children are free. Tickets can be purchased at the door or pre-order by 4/15 with form below. There is no dress code, but the cast will remind you that you are "**never fully dressed without a smile.**"

Original Broadway Production Directed by Martin Charnin

Based on "Little Orphan Annie"® By Permission of Tribune Content Agency, LLC. Book by Thomas Meehan, Music by Charles Strause, Lyrics by Martin Charnin

> Annie JR. is presented through special arrangement with and all authorized materials are supplied by Music Theatre International, New York, NY (212) 541-4684 mtishows.com

## Annie Jr.

Circle One	: Thurs, 4/25 6pm	or	Fri, 4/26 6pm
Number of adult tickets:	x \$10.00 e	ach	Total \$
Number of child/senior tic	x \$5.00 exets:	ach	Total \$
Cash or Check Payable to St. James the Apostle School			Grand Total: \$
Family Name Tickets should be reserved under:			

Phone Number:

Return to St. James School by 4/15 at 490 S Park BLVD, Glen Ellyn, IL 60137 : Attn: DRAMA



# Grow Lasting Faith in Your Children

# **Register Your Children for Religious Education Classes at St. James**

Our online registration for Religious Education classes for the 2024-25 year is now open. To complete your RE registration and payment plan, follow the links below:

#### STEP 1: Registration

https://forms.gle/78DuuszMwoWnSXDE8

#### STEP 2: Payment Plan

https://online.factsmgt.com/signin/4LLY6

- On the welcome page click the appropriate option:
- (1) 'Create a username & password' if you are a new FACTS User, or
- (2) 'Sign in' if you already have an account. Select the appropriate school year and complete the steps as prompted.

#### Looking for a way to share your faith?

If you are interested in becoming a Catechist or Aide for Religious Education for the upcoming school year, please contact the Religious Education office.

Catechists and Aides receive fee discounts of 50% and 25% and can ensure their first choice of class day/ time for their child(ren).

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# **Christian Service Ministries**



#### **Glen House Food Pantry**

Thank you for taking care of our neighbors in need. Your non-perishable donations may be brought to the containers located inside each set of exterior doors of the church or dropped off at the pantry. For more information, visit the food pantry's new website: <u>https://www.glenhousefoodpantry.org/</u>

# **Community Ministries and Events**



Ancient Order of HIBERNIANS IRISII • CATIIOLIC • AMERICAN

#### Friendship. Unity. Christian Charity.

The Ancient Order of Hibernians in America is opening a new Division in the Chicago Western suburbs, and we would love to have you on board! The AOH is a men's fraternal organization comprised of Irish (by birth or descent) Catholics in both America and Ireland. Our initiatives include local charity and service, fundraising, community building, and connecting ourselves to our Irish roots and heritage. We will be meeting on a monthly basis and have several additional events throughout the year. Members of the Order can even receive grants for Catholic school education and seminary education! If you are interested in joining the oldest Irish Catholic Fraternity in America, we invite you to join us at our meeting on Thursday, April 18th at 7 P.M. in St. James Hall 2/3. Enter through Door 9 behind the outdoor statue of the Blessed Mother. For information, contact Fergus Walsh at Fergus.walsh@gmail.com or call 252-290-7617.



#### SAVE the DATE: The St. Vincent de Paul Spring Clothing Drive is April 20/21

Please mark your calendar for Saturday, April 20th, and Sunday, April 21st, for the SVDP Clothing Drive, before and after Mass.

All items of usable clothing, small household items and even bikes are welcome. Receipts will be available upon donation.

Large plastic St. Vincent de Paul bags will be available in the narthex the weekend of April 13th and 14th. Please take a few home, fill them up with items you no longer need and drop them off at the truck located in the church parking lot after all Masses the weekend of April 20/21.

Thank you in advance for your participation!

The Inter-parish Marriage Enrichment Team Presents our 16th Annual Event

WE'VE PLANNED A PERFECT DATE NIGHT... SO, YOU DON"T HAVE TO!





St. Scholastica School Gym in Woodridge, IL Doors Open at 6:15pm. Show starts at 7:00pm Registration \$30 per couple Beer, Wine, Soda and Food Available (Cash Purchase Only)



Dr. Jim and Carol Shores have delighted couples across the country as they enhance their presentations with comedy and theatre communicating in a most entertaining, practical way about relationship issues. Funny, accessible and real, they speak to couples of all ages to help marriages thrive. If you like to laugh, learn and reconnect, you'll thoroughly enjoy Jim and Carol Shores.



Register by on our website at www.imetevents.org or scan the QR Code.



# COME, LET US ADORE HIM

Octave of the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ Monday, June 3 - Sunday, June 9, 2024 | West DuPage Deanery



SCHEDULE OF MASSES AND EUCHARISTIC PROCESSIONS MONDAY, JUNE 3 AT 5:30 P.M. | St. John the Baptist, Winfield TUESDAY, JUNE 4 AT 6:00 P.M. | St. Walter, Roselle WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5 AT 6:00 P.M. | St. Mary, West Chicago THURSDAY, JUNE 6 AT 6:00 P.M. | St. James the Apostle, Glen Ellyn FRIDAY, JUNE 7 AT 6:00 P.M. | St. Matthew, Glendale Heights SATURDAY, JUNE 8 AT 5:00 P.M. | St. Michael, Wheaton SUNDAY, JUNE 9 AT 10:00 A.M. | Corpus Christi, Carol Stream

All are invited to join the West DuPage Deanery in the third year of the National Eucharistic Revival as we celebrate the Octave of Corpus Christi. During the Octave, six parishes will hold an evening Mass, followed by a Eucharistic Procession. The conclusion of the Octave will be held on Sunday, June 9th at Corpus Christi Parish in Carol Stream, with Bishop Ronald Hicks presiding at the 10 A.M. Mass, and leading the solemn blessing to four altars. Immediately following Sunday's procession, all are invited to a parish picnic with food, music and entertainment for families.