

Christ the Servant Catholic Church

The Joy of Living a Giving Life

July 19, 2015

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Come away
by yourselves
and rest
a while*



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Our Mission

Christ the Servant Parish is a welcoming Catholic faith community gathered together to gratefully share and live the Eucharist, the inspiration of the Gospel, the presence of the Holy Spirit, and to follow Christ's example in service of others.

Our Parish ~ Our Spiritual Home

Pope Francis Tweet for the Week!
 Many things have to change course, but it is we human beings above all who need to change.



 Heartland
 Blood Centers
 1-800-786-4483
 www.heartlandbc.org

SOMEONE NEEDS BLOOD SOMEWHERE.

Please schedule an appointment to donate at our blood drive:

Christ the Servant Catholic Church

Saturday, August 1, 2015 (8:00 am - 12:00 pm)

8700 Havens Drive

Woodridge, IL 60517

Located in the Narthex

Visit our website www.ctswoodridge.org for a link to sign up,
 or sign up in the narthex.

(You will need to have/create an account to signup online.)

Every donor will receive a \$5 Target gift card!

Bring a friend! Photo ID required.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Sarah Horne, Blood Program Consultant

The joy of being first time parents quickly turned into concern as Brady was born with a severe birth defect. His life threatening condition required five surgeries and countless blood transfusions. Thankfully, Brady has recovered and his parents are grateful for the generous blood donors who saved his life.

BE GENEROUS, GIVE BLOOD.

Over 55 Ladies Club

Ladies Nite Out

Tuesday, July 28, 2015, 4:30 PM at



215 S. Weber Road, Bolingbrook

*Call Mildred Z
or Mary V*

New members welcome!

LEMONT CATHOLIC FOOTBALL PROGRAM

The Lemont Catholic Football Program is very excited to extend an invitation to all Christ The Servant religious education students (Grades 3rd – 8th) who are interested in playing football in the Catholic Grade School Conference (www.thecgsc.org).

The Lemont Catholic Football Program was created to build on the Catholic principles we are taught through the game of football. Our goal is to create a positive instructional environment where the children can learn the game, reach their goals and have fun along the way. We feel our program prepares these young men to have a good work ethic, being respectful to others and building the drive and desire to be successful in anything they want to do in the future.

FREE SUMMER FOOTBALL CAMP

JULY 20th – 24th

Covington Fields, located at 127th & Covington Dr. (127th 4 Blocks East of Main St.) in Lemont

- This is a FREE summer camp that provides an introduction to the program, the fundamentals of football and coaching on various skills.
- Approximately 2 hours from 5:30PM - 7:30PM
- This is only a Shorts and Spikes camp no pads.
- Each player will receive a **Free T-Shirt**
Come join the fun and excitement!

For more information, please contact Roger Cummings at (630) 308-4200 or rbcummings@yahoo.com. www.lemontcelticfootball.com/

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Cathedral of St. Raymond in Joliet

Sunday, August 30, 2015 at 2:00 p.m.

For couples celebrating 25, 50 and more than 50 years of marriage

Last Name _____

Husband _____ Wife _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Parish you Attend _____ City _____

Date of Marriage _____ # of Yrs. Married in 2015 _____

A reception will be held in the Parish Commons following the mass.

_____ We will attend the mass and reception. _____ We will attend the mass only.

Because of space limitations, no additional guests, please.

Caregivers/helpers are very welcome.

Pre-registration by mail, fax, phone, email or online is required by August 10, 2015

Online registration: <http://conta.cc/1cufdmP>

The Office of Family Ministry

16555 Weber Rd

Crest Hill, IL 60403

Fax: 815-221-6089 Phone: (815) 838-5334 Email: familyministry@dioceseofjoliet.org

Religious Formation



Have you registered for 2015/16 Religious Formation Classes?

Classes are being assigned
as registrations are received.

If you need a particular date or time,
please don't delay.

Forms are available in the narthex and on
the parish web-site; www.ctswoodridge.org

Protecting God's Children for Adults

This program was developed to help caring and responsible adults in keeping children safe. PGCA is mandatory for all adults who work with children in the parish. All parents are encouraged to attend this program.

The training session is being offered at Christ the Servant in early September. There will be many other sessions offered at neighboring parishes. Visit www.virtus.org for session listings (select Joliet, IL (Diocese)) and to register. For more information contact Liz Jesse @ 910-0770 x12 or liz@ctswoodridge.org.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

- If you simply want to know more about the Catholic Church...
- If you are interested in our Catholic Faith and Traditions....
- If you have questions about the Catholic Church....
- If you seeking a sacrament....
Baptism..Eucharist..Confirmation
- If you feel that the Lord is calling you into deeper relationship....
Maybe the RCIA is the next step on your journey.



Meetings begin in the Fall. Contact Liz Jesse, Director of Religious Formation, for information about the RCIA Process. 630-910-0770 x12 or liz@ctswoodridge.org

TOP 10 REASONS TO BECOME A CATECHIST

by Joe Paprocki

#5: You'll meet new people and become part of a vibrant faith community.

Catechists make up a faith community within a faith community. You'll meet other adults like yourself who are seeking ways to more effectively proclaim God's Word to others. Catechists readily turn to one another for support and often pray and share faith together.

Catechists, Aides and Substitutes are needed. Please contact Liz Jesse @ 910-0770 x12 or liz@ctswoodridge.org if you would like to learn more about opportunities to serve.



Theology on Tap

Young adults—18-39, single or married, come to Another Round Bar and Grill, on Main Street in Downers Grove on Wednesdays this summer! Attendance is free, food and drinks available for

purchase. Gather at 7:00 pm; speaker begins at 7:15 pm. **Coming up on July 22: Living the Book of Job with Javier Aguilera.** Javier is the Youth Minister at St. Dominic in Bolingbrook. Before that, he was the Diocese of Joliet coordinator of Youth and Young Adult Ministry and a recent recipient of the "Pier Giorgio Lifetime Achievement Award."

Email questions to: StSDeaconJerry@aol.com

2015 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal - Pledge Report

PARISH GOAL:	\$34,013
AMOUNT PLEDGED:	\$35,436
AMOUNT PAID:	\$29,519
REMAINING BALANCE:	\$ 5,918
POTENTIAL REBATE AMOUNT:	\$ 924.95

It is very important that these pledges be paid before the end of 2015. If we exceed our goal in paid pledges, 65% of the additional funds received will be returned to the parish for our use. Please contact the Diocesan Development Office with any questions you may have about your pledge at 815-838-8515.

Please note that all donations must be completed before the end of the year for a 2015 tax deduction.

Please note that we are in need of Ministers to help with Ministers of the Altar next Sunday at the 8:30 am mass.

If you can help, please call Corinne Hanson in the parish office at 630-910-0770.

We are also in need of Ministers of the Altar to serve at the 8:30 am mass on July 26. Please call Bill & Donna Ciolek if you would like to be trained for this ministry. 630-724-9498.

**ALTAR MIN:**

Saturday
July 25
4:45 PM

EXT. MINISTERS:

Deacon F
Joanne F
Ed J
Madeline J
Annie T

LECTORS:

Jerry F
Scott G

HOST TEAMS:

Pat S
Steve W

Next Weekend's MINISTERS

Sunday
July 26
8:30 AM

MINISTERS NEEDED

John C
Cheryl F
Bob S
Rita S
Lee W

Lou S
Barb K

C Family

Sunday
July 26
10:00 AM

N Family

Tim G
Tony L
Maureen N
Jesse T
Maureen V

Antonio A
Dan R

R Family

Respect for All Life

Pope Francis on Religious Liberty

"Real religious liberty includes the freedom to live according to the values taught by one's faith.

Religious freedom is not just a matter of thought or

private devotion. It is the freedom to live—both privately and publicly—according to the ethical principles that are a consequence of the truth found. Religious freedom is a fundamental right of the human person, and a recognition of the dignity of the human capability to seek the truth and to adhere to it. National and international laws and organizations must recognize, guarantee, and protect religious liberty. Religious freedom is an indicator of a healthy democracy and one of the principal sources of a nation's legitimacy. So, it is incomprehensible and worrying that even as worldwide appeals to human rights grow, discrimination and restriction of rights persist based only on belonging to and publicly professing a certain faith. It is unacceptable that real persecution continues based on religious belonging. I am greatly pained to note that Christians around the world are suffering the greatest part of this discrimination. The persecution of Christians today is even greater than in the first centuries of the Church—and there are more Christian martyrs today than in that era."

~ Pope Francis at the International Religious Liberty and Global Clash of Values Conference



submitted by Dave A

Sacramental Information

RITEs OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION Adults interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith, the celebration of Baptism, Eucharist and/or Confirmation are invited to contact the parish office.

BAPTISM OF INFANTS Baptisms are usually celebrated on the first and third Sundays of each month (except during Lent) at 11:30 AM. A Baptism Preparation Class must be attended if you are planning your first child's baptism or if three years have passed since your last child was baptized. Call the Parish Office to register and to check whether adjustments have been made to the schedule.

MARRIAGE Marriage arrangements must be made at least six months in advance by contacting the Parish Office to set the date and reserve the church. Reserve the church before you reserve the reception hall.

HOLY ORDERS: Are you thinking of becoming a priest or religious? Talk with Fr. Bob or email Fr. Burke Masters at frburke23@aol.com.

RECONCILIATION Available Saturdays from 4:00-4:30 pm (except Holy Saturday), or at parish reconciliation services during Advent and Lent, or by appointment with Fr. Joel.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK Please contact the parish office for a visit from a priest when sickness occurs or death is imminent for the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick. To arrange for Communion to be brought to the sick/homebound members of the parish community, help driving to appointments, emergency meals, or anyone needing 2 hour respite care for a homebound family member call Deacon Tom F.

FUNERALS Arrangements for funerals are usually made in cooperation with the attending funeral home. Contact the parish office for pre-planning of funerals.

Baptism Preparation Class:
Thursday, August 6, 7:00-8:00 PM

Mass Intentions for the Week

TABERNACLE LIGHT

Lewis Barnes

MASS & PRAYER INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 18

4:45 PM Fr. Frank K. Vitus, *r. Peslak family*
Michele Reed, *r. Corrine & Patrick Crowley*
Donna Buonamici, *r. Mary Kiser*

Sunday, July 19

8:30 AM CTS Confirmandi, *r. Donna Ciolek*
10:00 AM People of the Parish

Monday, July 20

8:30 AM Donna Buonamici, *r. Mary Kiser*
2nd anniversary of passing into eternal life

Tuesday, July 21

8:30 AM People of the Parish

Wednesday, July 22

8:30 AM Tom Ruff, *r. Donna Mays*

Thursday, July 23

8:30 AM People of the Parish

Friday, July 24—Communion Service

8:30 AM

Saturday, July 25

4:45 PM Sylvia Cordes, *r. Bill & Donna Ciolek*
John & Esther Michalek, *r. family*
Gerald Johnson, *r. family*

Sunday, July 26

8:30 AM Theresa & Timothy Jr. McIlvain,
25th anniversary of passing into eternal life
10:00 AM People of the Parish

*To request a mass, stop by or call the parish office
at 630-910-0770.*



Bible Readings—July 19-July 26

For easy internet access to the daily readings, visit www.usccb.org, and click on the calendar on the right side of the page. You can even subscribe to have the readings sent to you via email each day. Just scroll to the bottom of the readings page if you wish to subscribe.

SUNDAY: Jer 23:1-6 / Eph 2:13-18 / Mk 6:30-34

MONDAY: Ex 14:5-18 / Mt 12:38-42

TUESDAY: Ex 14:21-15:1 / Mt 12:46-50

WEDNESDAY: Ex 16:1-5,9-15 / Jn 20:1-2,11-18

THURSDAY: Ex 19:1-2,9-11,16-20b / Mt 13:10-17

FRIDAY: Ex 20:1-17 / Mt 13:18-23

SATURDAY: 2 Cor 4:7-15 / Mt 20:20-28

SUNDAY: 2 Kgs 4:42-44 / Eph 4:1-6 / Jn 6:1-15

We pray for the Sick

Louise Boden	Pat Guglielmo	Ron Rydzewski
Gail Cheffer	Brian Jackson	Jim Sanders
Helen Ciolek	Peggy Laughlin	Marge Schillaci
David Clemmans	Carol McPherson	Elaine Thomas
Julie Connolly	Blair Nuccio	Rick Vendl
Jeff Coole	Thomas O'Donnell	Andie Wolfe
Cecilia Cooper	Alie Phillips	Haley Wyman
Holly Derrico	Pauline Popek	Ron Wyman
Jay Dunn	James Ruff	Joe Zapalac
John Gorman	Daniel Ryan	

*Names remain on this list approximately three months, unless specifically requested otherwise. **To update the list, call the Parish Office at 630-910-0770 or email corinne@ctswoodridge.org. Thank you.***

We pray for the Deceased



Madie Uhler

We pray for the Newly Baptized



Colton Hank

(son of Jason & Kimberly W)

July 12, 2015

We pray for those who Serve

Christopher Durkovic, grandson of Joan Kurtz

Dan Fialek, nephew of Jerry Fialek

Eric Graslie, cousin of Pauline Ryan

David Jackson, son of Cathleen Jackson

Ben Jalove, nephew of Chuck & Linda Jalove

Sam Persin, nephew of Joe & Mary Testolin

Joshua Plucinski, grandson of Joan Kurtz

Jim Sheehan, godson of Liz Jesse

If you have a family member serving overseas, please let us know. We will publish their names in the bulletin to remind everyone to ask for God's blessings on them, that they may return safely to their families. Let us join our prayers for peace and safety with yours. Also, please let us know when they return safely home, so that we may also rejoice with you.

Office Hours & Staff

8700 Havens Drive
Woodridge, Illinois 60517
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Fax: (630) 910-6060
www.ctswoodridge.org

Office Hours

Monday—Friday.....9:00 AM—4:30 PM

Mass Schedule

Monday through Thursday.....8:30 AM

Friday Communion Service.....8:30 AM

The Rosary is recited following daily Mass.

Saturday.....4:45 PM

Sunday.....8:30 and 10:00 AM

Holy Days.....consult bulletin or call

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday, 4:00-4:30 or by appointment

Pastoral Staff

Fr. Bob Duda, Pastor *Ext. 15*
FrBob@ctswoodridge.org

Tom Fricke, Permanent Deacon

Rod Accardi, Permanent Deacon

Corinne Hanson, Bus. Manager *Ext. 10*

Liz Jesse,

Religious Formation Director *Ext. 12*

Janet Alikpala, Music Director

janet@ctswoodridge.org

Commission Chairpersons

Barb Kosiek, Pastoral Council

Debi Savage, Pastoral Council Co-Chair

Jim McIlvain, Administration/Finance

Jerry Fialek, Christian Service (scribe)

Rosada Heintz, Parish Life

Jean Durran, Parish Life Co-Chair

Marybeth Nunzio, Religious Formation

Sister Suzanne Lesniewski, Worship

Calendar of Events

Fr. Allam's Visit—25th Anniversary Sunday, July 19

1:00-5:00 pm—Parish Picnic

Monday, July 20

Tuesday, July 21

Wednesday, July 22

Thursday, July 23

Friday, July 24

Saturday, July 25

Sunday, July 26

11:30 am—Baptism

Upcoming Events

July 19: Parish Picnic, begins at 1 pm.

Aug. 1: 8:00 am-noon, Blood Drive

Aug. 2: 11:00 am, Manna orders due

Aug 22/23: Cash 4 Food Drive

Aug 22/23: RF Ministry Showcase
 (hospitality hosted by the Worship
 Commission)

Aug. 24: 7:00 pm, Joint Council/
 Commissions/Committees meeting

Aug 29: Feed My Starving Children,
 Aurora (contact Liz Jesse)

Parish Giving

In today's Gospel, Jesus had planned to slip away from the crowds for a few moments of peace and a little rest. When He saw the people gathered, however, He put His needs aside to meet the needs of others. Sometimes, as good stewards, we are called to do the same.

NEEDED WEEKLY: 2015-2016

Parish Expenses	\$ 6,820.00
Mortgage Payment	3,350.00
Total Needed	\$ 10,170.00

NOTE: Electronic contributions are now included with other totals **CONTRIBUTIONS June 30-July 6:**

Sunday 7/5	7,705.00
Sunday 7/12	7,309.50
Sunday other forms	360.00
General Funds	700.00
Debt Reduction	1,881.00
Total Contributed	\$ 17,955.50

Differential report for 2 weeks:

Needed	\$ 20,340.00
Reported 7/12	2,345.00
Reported this week	17,955.50
Deficit over 2 weeks	(\$ 39.50)

General Funds includes Holy Days, All Souls, mass intentions, etc.

Debt to Diocese as of 6/30 \$505,325

Registered Households—741

Thank you for your generous support!

Did you know...God is Good! Thank you for financial support!

Leave a Legacy. To donate stocks, visit www.dioceseofjoliet.org and click on "Donate", then click on Stock Donations for details on the process. Or call the Development office at 815-221-6100.

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www.facebook.com/ctswoodridgerf.org

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