

# ST. FERDINAND CHURCH

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SEPTEMBER

29

2024

## WELCOME!

### MASS in ENGLISH:

Monday — Thursday

8am & 12 Noon

FRIDAY:

8:15AM & 12 NOON

Saturday:

8am & 5pm (Vigil)

Sundays:

8:30am, 11:30am & 5pm

### MSZA SW. PO POLSKU

Poniedziałek—piątek: 7pm

SOBOTA: 7AM

Pierwsza sobota: 8pm

Niedziela: 7am, 10am,

3pm, 7pm

### CONFESSIONS

30 min. before every Mass

### Spowiedz

30 min. przed kazda Msza

sw.

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday — Friday

8:30am — 5pm

LUNCH BREAK 12PM —

12:30PM

Saturday

9am — 12pm

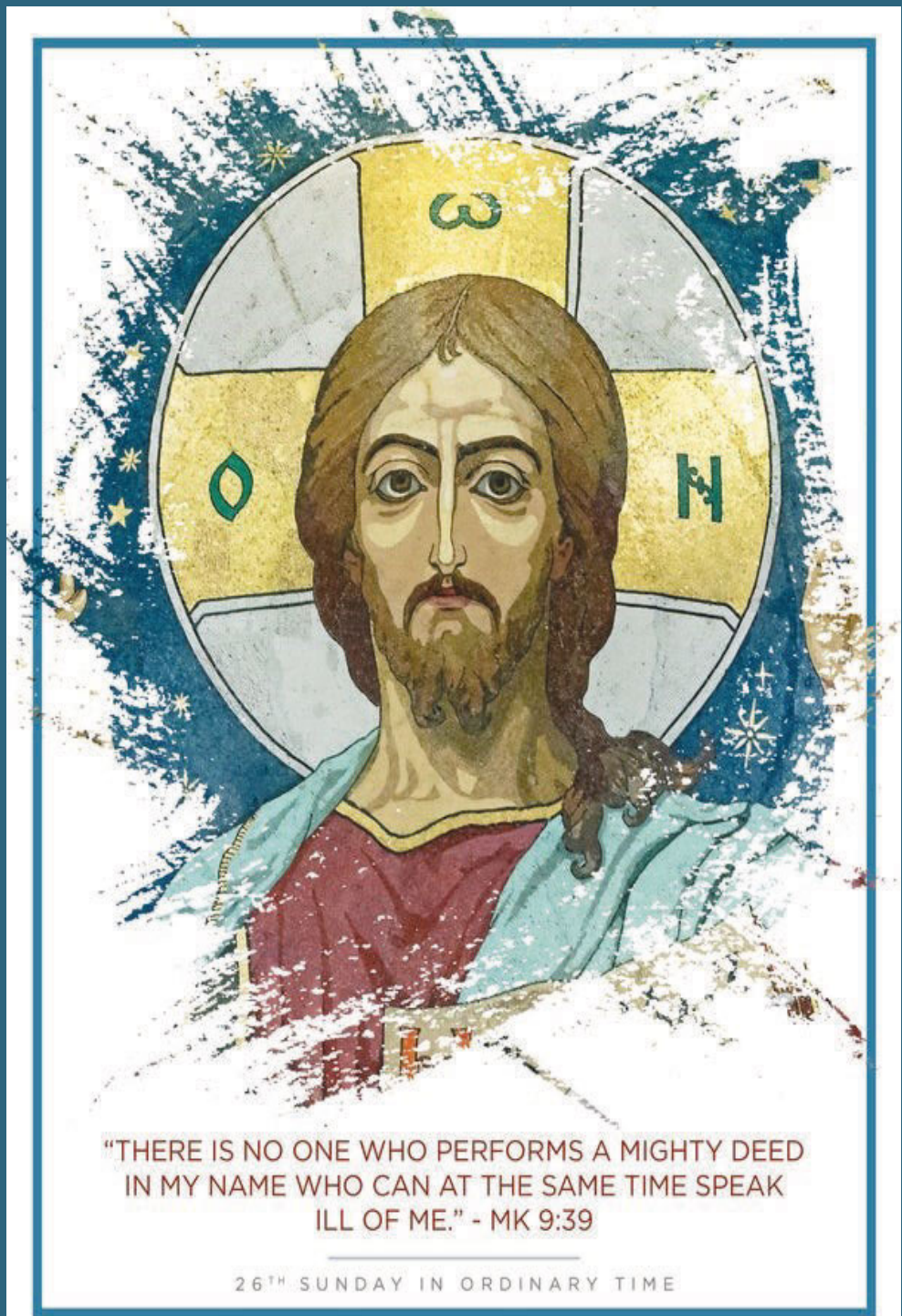
Sunday: closed

### HABLAMOS ESPANOL

En Jueves y martes

9am — 3pm and

5pm — 7pm



"THERE IS NO ONE WHO PERFORMS A MIGHTY DEED  
IN MY NAME WHO CAN AT THE SAME TIME SPEAK  
ILL OF ME." - MK 9:39

26<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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## MASS INTENTIONS



Sunday – September 30, 2024

8:00 AM – Mass in English

12:00 PM – † Rev. Anthony Adducci rq. A&T Anastos

† Jose & Josephina

7:00 PM – O łaskę zdrowia za wstawiennictwem Matki

Najświętszej dla Patryka

Tuesday – October 01, 2024

8:00 AM – Mass in English

12:00 PM – Mass in English

7:00 PM – Mass in Polish

Wednesday – October 02, 2024

8:00 AM – Mass in English

12:00 PM – Mass in English

7:00 PM – O potrzebne łaski i zdrowie dla taty Michała i

chorych z rodziny

Thursday- October 03, 2024

8:00 AM – Birthday blessings for Grażyna Letkiewicz

12:00 PM – † 2nd anniversary of death of my loving sister

Susan J. Pfeiffer

7:00 PM – O łaskę zdrowia za wstawiennictwem Matki

Najświętszej dla Patryka

Friday- October 04, 2024

8:15 AM – Mater Christi Rosary Guild

† Br. Francis A. Skube, OSF

12:00 PM – † Paul Rozkuszka rq. Family

† Ben Kass rq. Good Shepherd Club

Fr. Carlos Ruiz, OFM & Fr. Ed Tuerdek, OFM

7:00 PM – Mass in Polish

Saturday – October 05, 2024

7:00 AM – Mass in Polish

8:00 AM – Mass in English

5:00 PM – Mass in English

Sunday – October 06, 2024

7:00 AM – O zdrowie i Dary Duchy Św. dla Mai i córki Asi

O zdrowie i Dary Duchy Św. dla Kingi Włodarczyk

O zdrowie i Dary Duchy Św. dla Beaty i Marcina

Skobłowski

O zdrowie i Dary Duchy Św. dla Małgorzaty i Jakuba

Zych

† O spokój duszy, radość wieczną I Dar Nieba dla

Apolonii Gala

Za duszę śp. Józefa Świerczek, śp. Jana i Katarzyny

Motyka, śp. Stanisławy, śp. Janiny, śp. Kazimierza i śp.

Franciszka Motyka

8:30 AM – Mass in English

10:00 AM – O zdrowie i potrzebne łaski dla Mariusza

Wadyckiego

11:30 AM – Mass in English

3:00 PM – O błogosławieństwo Boże i zdrowie dla Joli Rogóż

z synami

† Józefa Kryczka

5:00 PM – All Benefactors & Friends of St. Ferdinand Parish

7:00 PM – Mass in Polish

## THE SANCTUARY LAMPS THIS WEEK ARE LIT FOR:

Maria Słaby

Leszek Słaby

## BAPTISM:

Violetta Lis

## MARRIAGE BANS

III Anthony Asani & Alicia Woppel

## CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES TO THE COUPLES MARRIED IN OUR CHURCH LAST WEEK

Brian Ekonomiuk & Cora Nowicki

Patryk Hamera & Edyta Baczek

## REST IN PEACE

† Jadwiga Kobylinski

## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

As members of the parish faith community, it is our responsibility to remember both in concrete and spiritual ways those who cannot celebrate with us each week because they are ill. Those who are sick in turn, remember all of us.

Alterson Barbara

Bauer Teri

Biancalana Irene

Baldasin Norine

Brown John

Caltagirone John

Carsello Heather

Colamonico Frank

Del Vechio Violet

Di Vincenzo Katherine

Donohue Aleksandra

Gawlik Alina

Goralczyk Władysława

Gruber Magdalena

Guzzetta Rose

Hernandez Martin

Hotcaveg Betty

Jurczykowski Brianna

Jurczykowski Jessica

Kaashoek Cathy

Kwiecien Zbigniew

Lagos Liliana

McFarlin Barbara

McFarlin Timothy

Moore Robert

Mora Family

Moris Molly

Naggo Laura

Nykiel John

Ortega Dario Ostria

Paterson Scott

Peshek Maria

Peters Phillis

Segopva Veronica

Starczek Stanisława

Steiser Neville

Swanson Julia

Szymanski Martin

Tabor Declan



## PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE SERVING IN THE MILITARY

SA Andrew Rios, Konrad Kulon and Daniel Hajnos

*If you have a loved one serving in the military, please contact the rectory office to give us the name of the soldier, so the whole parish can pray for your loved one.*

## OUR STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE



*As we strive to meet the needs of our Parish community during these uncertain times, your continued financial support is greatly appreciated. Donations can be made by mailing your envelope to the church or you can drop off your weekly offering in the mail slot at the parish office or online: [www.stferdinandchicago.org](http://www.stferdinandchicago.org)*

September 22, 2024 — \$8,941  
Seminary — \$3,354

May God bless you for your generosity!  
Bóg zapłaci!

Thank you to those who continue to support St. Ferdinand Parish. Your faithfulness and generosity are both greatly appreciated and critical to maintain and operate all we do.

*Składamy serdeczne podziękowanie za wsparcie cotygodniowymi ofiarami. Wasza hojność jest ważnym czynnikiem utrzymania naszej parafii za co raz jeszcze składamy wyrazy głębokiej wdzięczności.*

PLEASE REMEMBER ST. FERDINAND PARISH  
IN YOUR WILL.



## LECTORS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS SCHEDULE

### Oct. 5 & 6

Sat.	5:00PM Vigil	L— E Delone EM C. Marino, H. Palumbo, E. Delone
Sun.	8:30AM	L. S. Pasko/R. Pasko EM R. Pasko, A. Kass, A. Groeper
	11:30AM (Rel. Edu Mass)	L. E. Camara/Student EM- E. Camara, M. Medina, Dcn. Bill
	5:00 pm	L— .J. Portlanger EM- C. Trujillo, J. Portlanger

### Oct. 12 & 13

Sat.	5:00 PM Vigil	L. A. Chambers EM C. Marino, H. Palumbo, E Delone
Sun.	8:30 AM -	L. J. Zarate EM J. Zarate, M. Medina, A. Groeper
	11:30 AM( Rel. Edu Mass	L. — D. Camara/Student EM — D.Camara, Dcn. Bil, M. Medina
	5:00 pm	L— .J. Portlanger EM- C. Trujillo, J. Portlanger

## PARISH CALENDAR FOR THIS WEEK:



### September 30

6:30pm – 8:30PM - Cub Scouts Pack 3051 – Convent  
6:30pm – 8:30pm – Troop#51 – JTC  
7:00pm – 9:00pm – Zumba – Gym

### October 01

5:30pm – 7:30pm – Phlebotomy – Canning Hall  
6:00pm – 9:00pm – Ruth Cruz – Cafeteria  
6:00pm – 9:00pm – Religious Ed - JTC  
6:00pm – 8:00pm – SFS/JV Soccer – Gym  
7:30pm – 10:00 pm – Polonia Dance Group - JTC  
8:00pm – 10:00pm – Volleyball Group- Gym

### October 02

1:00pm – 4:00pm – Legion of Mary – Covent  
5:00pm – 6:00pm – Filipino Mass – Church  
5:45pm – 7:15pm – Kropeczki - Convent  
7:00pm – 9:00pm – Cub Scouts – Convent  
7:00pm – 9:00pm – Basketball – Gym

### October 03

8:30am – 9:30am – Legion of Mary – Adoration Church  
5:30pm – 7:30pm – Phlebotomy – Canning Hall  
6:00pm – 7:00pm – SFS/JV Soccer Practice - Gym  
6:00pm – 9:00pm – Girls Scouts – Convent  
6:00pm – 9:00pm – Cub Scouts - JTC  
6:30pm – 8:30pm - Cub Scouts Pack 3051 – Convent

### October 04

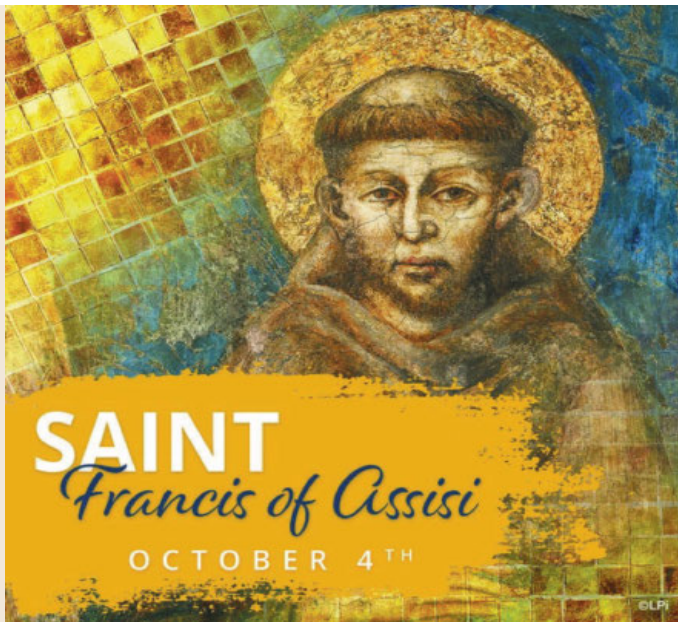
9:00am – 12:00pm – Legion of Mary – Convent  
10:30am -1:30pm – Legion of Mary – Convent  
7:00pm – 9:00pm – SPREAD – Convent  
7:00pm – 11:00pm – Collegium Cantorum Polonia – Chapel  
7:30pm –10:30:00pm – Volleyball Group - Gym

### October 05

12:00am – 4:00pm - Polish Scouts – Under School  
12:00pm – 3:00 pm – Polish Scouts Boys - Gym  
5:00pm – 7:00pm – Basketball/Ministranci - Gym  
7:00pm – 9:00pm – AA Meeting – Convent  
7:00pm – 2:00am – Olesno Dance – JTC

### October 06

09:00am – 1:00pm – Good Shepherd Club – JTC  
6:00pm – 8:00pm – Su Volleyball - Gym



## A REFLECTION ON FRANCIS OF ASSISI AND RADICAL GENEROSITY

The Minimalists Francis of Assisi is among the most beloved saints and spiritual leaders of all time. He lived his life according to the highest values of simplicity, hospitality and community. And if we allow the life of Francis to be our guide, we would be called to radical change.

On October 4 we honor his memory as we remember our call to serve the poorest, the most vulnerable and the least among us. Scripture tells the story of a rich young man who came to Jesus, asking what must be done to inherit eternal life. Assuring Jesus that he had kept all of the commandments, the young man is unsatisfied to hear what Christ has to say. Jesus told him, "Go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me." (Mark 10:21, NRSV) Very few of us can follow this fast track into eternal life. It is a call to radical simplicity and unthinkable generosity. Perhaps Jesus was being rhetorical or simply pushing the young man where it would mean the most to him personally, but the call is still out there to him and to all of us.

In astounding and literal ways, Francis of Assisi followed this call. One day while walking, Francis came across a poor man along the road. Seeing the man's misery, Francis was moved to compassion. He took off the cloak he was wearing and said to his traveling companion, "It is fitting that we should restore this cloak to this poor man, for it is his, and I accepted it only until I should find someone poorer than myself." When his companion objected, Francis persisted, "I should be counted a thief by the great Almsgiver were I to withhold that which I

wear from him who has greater need of it than I." The things we have are to be used in the service of the people we encounter. The Lord's Prayer finds us asking for daily bread. Not tomorrow's bread or bread for next week. Jesus tells us to ask for what we need and nothing in the excess. How many of us have much more than we need? How many of us store up goods in attics, basements, garages, and storage units? Prudent saving and good planning aside, are we keeping for ourselves what can be put to better more immediate use by someone else?

How can we honor the memory of Francis of Assisi by being instruments of God's expansive generosity in the world, particularly toward most in need? St. Clare of Assisi might have best responded "We become what we love and who we love shapes what we become. If we love things, we become a thing. If we love nothing, we become nothing. Imitation is not a literal mimicking of Christ, but rather, it means becoming the image of the beloved, an image disclosed through transformation. This means we are to become vessels of God's compassionate love for others."

On this Feast of St. Francis, consider how you might be an instrument of God's expansive generosity in the world.

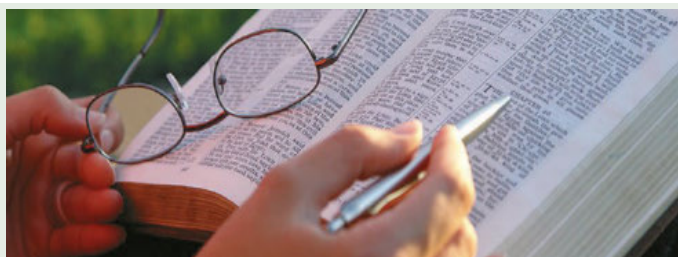
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By tradition, the Catholic Church dedicates each month of the year to certain devotion. The month of October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary, one of the best known of all Catholic devotions.

The Rosary is a meditative prayer based on Scripture. When we pray the Rosary, we ask Mary to pray for us as we seek to grow closer to her son Jesus by contemplating His life, death, and Resurrection. The Rosary is appealing and simple.

Praying the Hail Mary reminds us that we are joining with Mary in contemplating these mysteries. The constant repetition of prayer creates an atmosphere of contemplation.



### QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK -

#### First Reading:

Moses hoped the Spirit of the Lord would be bestowed on all the Israelites, not limited just to the seventy elders. What are you hoping for this week?

#### Second Reading:

James holds the rich in low regard, warning them against the trappings and dangers of excessive wealth. How are you generous toward others with your resources?

#### Gospel:

Jesus taught his disciples the valuable lesson: "Whoever is not against us is for us." How do you promote unity rather than division at work or at home?



### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Jb 1:6-22/Ps 17:1bcd, 2-3, 6-7/Lk 9:46-50
- Tuesday: Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23/Ps 88:2-3, 4-5, 6, 7-8/Lk 9:51-56
- Wednesday: Jb 9:1-12, 14-16/Ps 88:10bc-11, 12-13, 14-15/Mt 18:1-5, 10
- Thursday: Jb 19:21-27/Ps 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14/Lk 10:1-12
- Friday: Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5/Ps 139:1-3, 7-8, 9-10, 13-14ab/Lk 10:13-16
- Saturday: Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17/Ps 119:66, 71, 75, 91, 125, 130/Lk 10:17-24

### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Monday: St. Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church
- Tuesday: St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church
- Wednesday: The Holy Guardian Angels
- Friday: St. Francis of Assisi
- Saturday: Saint Faustina Kowalska, Virgin; Bl. Francis Xavier Seelos,



### INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

"If your foot causes you to sin, cut it off," Jesus says. It's easy to gasp in horror at the thought of going through life deprived of a limb. But our horror should be even greater at the thought of going through life deprived of God's grace.



## PRAYER – FOR EVERYDAY AND EVERYBODY

### Prayer of Service

Dear sweet Jesus,  
Every day you give us is a gift.  
We know endless gifts from your hands.  
Even our attempts to "give back" to you often become new doors of graces in our lives.  
Help us to serve you more fully, more deeply.  
Amen.

## WHY DO WE DO THAT? - CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED

### Ordinary Time

#### Question:

Why do we have a liturgical season called ordinary time? Can you explain?

#### Answer:

Ordinary time is the longest season of the liturgical year. It begins the Monday after January 6, the Epiphany, and goes until the Tuesday before Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent. That period can last anywhere from five to eight weeks, depending on when Easter is celebrated. Ordinary time picks up again the Monday after Pentecost Sunday and lasts from twenty-three to twenty-seven weeks, until the end of the liturgical year, the Saturday before Advent begins.

Why the name ordinary? "Ordinary" is not in contrast to "extraordinary" or "special" but rather stresses the Latin language notion of "ordinal" or numbered Sundays. The Latin title for the season, *tempus ordinarium*, conveys the sense that this time of the year is measured or numbered time. Measured time can allude simply to the numbered Sundays, or the notion that these Sundays are a "measured" time to deepen and immerse ourselves completely in the realities of Jesus' incarnation, ministry, passion, death, and resurrection. Ordinary time offers us the opportunity to connect the ordinary lived experiences of our lives with those of Jesus, who modeled for us how to live a truly human existence.

## CATHOLIC TRIVIA – JUST FOR FUN

**Question:** What is the name of the physical seat for a bishop in a cathedral church?

**Answer:** Cathedra.

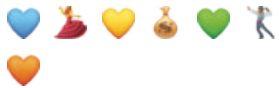




# SAINT FERDINAND CATHOLIC SCHOOL

## Faith and Excellence in Education

3131 N. Mason Ave., Chicago, IL 60634 — (773) 622-3022 — [www.saintferdinandschool.org](http://www.saintferdinandschool.org)



For St. Ferdinand School 90th Anniversary Gala! 4th grade is sharing their very psychedelic handprinted framed art piece, as well as their cool and colorful Ferd Jenga Game - both of which will be available for silent auction bidding at the sold-out event! We can't wait to see who will win these items as part of this fun and FUNd-raising evening!



# NEWS FROM RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND SPANISH MINISTRY



## PRAY WITH US

We invite all community of St. Ferdinand to pray with us the Chaplet of the Mercy every Thursday at 3:00 PM at the Church we pray in English Polish, Spanish



We welcomed our new Families for Religion Education program, and we also thank to our returning families to choose St. Ferdinand. During our first day of class we welcoming our teachers now from different nationalities: Italian, Filipinos, United States, Mexico, Ecuador, Cuba and Puerto Rico all united to spread the word of the Lord. Thanks Fr. Peter for the special blessing. We also welcomed our new Altar Servers: Rosalie and Xavier. As we see the students participate actively during Mass we thank Confirmation students to do readings, and bring the altar gifts. May God blees our upcoming Catechetical year and our students. St. Ferdinand.... Pray for us



## BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS



On Friday, **October 4th at 3:00 pm**, we will bless your pets at the Pope John Paul II Courtyard in honor of the Feast Day of St. Francis of Assisi.

Also School Mass on Friday in honor of St. Francis at **8:15 AM**.

### ST FERDINAND'S COR CORNER

Dear friends of St Ferdinand food pantry COR: Christian OutReach:

Our suppliers are giving us less and our needs have grown. We are seeing 30 people come every time we are open. We are in need of food donations:

Boxed / Canned:

Pasta  
spaghetti  
soups  
boxed cereal  
hot and cold  
canned vegetables (just NOT corn)  
specialty items

Monetary donations are welcome. On the envelope put "COR" or "Food Pantry"

In the spirit of giving,  
*Joyce & Michael McGinniss*  
COR/ St Vincent de Paul



### SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

Friends of Saint Vincent de Paul Society, I come to you with a prayer to help us meet our needs. Saint Ferdinand's Saint Vincent de Paul is serving 15 parishioners.

If you can, place an envelope with your donation in the collection basket at church. Thank you,

*Michael McGinniss*  
Saint Ferdinand's St Vincent de Paul Society

**INTERNATIONAL OCTOBERFEST** : Oct. 13, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at St. William Parish, 2600 N. Sayre Ave.; international foods, raffles and music; pony rides and a petting zoo for the kids; free admission.

**PARENT SPEAKER SERIES** : Oct. 15, 7 p.m.; via Zoom; speaker Kirsten Jones will discuss navigating the difficult decisions and the extraordinary pressures of today's youth sports world and raising young athletes who are confident, resilient and successful on and off the field; free and open to the public; for information and to register, visit [nazarethacademy.com](http://nazarethacademy.com) under the Student/Parent tab.

**FR. RICHARD FRAGOMENI AT MARY, MOTHER OF MARTYRS** : Nov. 12, 6:30-8 p.m., "St. John Paul II and the Eucharistic Mystery - Eucharist as a Way of Being Holy," at St. Stephen Church; 1280 Prospect Ave., Des Plaines; Nov. 13, 6:30-8 p.m., "Giving Thanks and Praise - Our Duty and Our Salvation," at St. Mary Church, 794 Pearson St., Des Plaines.

**ST. ALPHONSUS LIGUORI OKTOBERFEST** : Oct. 12; 6 p.m.; St. Alphonsus Liguori in Prospect Heights; 21 and over; beer and other drinks for sale, dancing to a live band, full German bratwurst dinner; \$30 before Oct. 6; \$40 Oct. 7-12 or at door; for details, visit [saintalphonsusph.org/oktoberfest](http://saintalphonsusph.org/oktoberfest)

**ST. PEREGRINE HEALING MASS** : Second Saturday of the month in Spanish, third Saturday of the month in English; 11 a.m.; at Our Lady of Sorrows Basilica; 3121 W. Jackson Blvd.; call 773-638-5800, ext. 19, for information.

**REQUIEM MASS AND DEVOTIONS FOR POOR SOULS IN PURGATORY** : 6:30 p.m. Wednesdays; hosted by the St. Odilo Purgatorial Society at the National Shrine of the Poor Souls, St. Odilo Church, 2244 East Ave., Berwyn.





# **WIECZÓR FATIMSKI I PROCESJA ŚWIATŁA**

ulicami miasta Chicago

**Rozpoczniemy Mszą św. o godz. 7PM**  
w kościele św. Władysława  
5345 W Roscoe St., Chicago, IL 60641

**NIEDZIELA - 13 października 2024**  
po czym uroczyście wyruszymy do kościoła św. Ferdynanda

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Zapraszają: Parafia św. Władysława, Parafia św. Ferdynanda  
oraz Jezuicki Ośrodek Milenijny



# NABOŻEŃSTWO RÓŻAŃCOWE: PAŹDZIERNIK 2024

Od poniedziałku do piątku 6:30pm,  
sobota 6:30am, niedziela 6:30pm

Grupy, Kluby i Organizacje odpowiedzialne za prowadzenie Różańca:

1 – wtorek	–	Dzieci & Siostra Agnieszka
2 – środa	–	Koła Żywego Różańca
3 – czwartek	–	Młodzież do Bierzmowania
4 – piątek	–	Wspólnota Apostołów Miłosierdzia Bożego
5 – sobota – 7:00pm	–	Pierwsza Sobota - Koła Żywego Różańca
6 – niedziela	–	Klub Podhalan i Miłośników Tatr
7 – poniedziałek	–	Matki Bóżej Różańcowej - Koła Żywego Różańca
8 – wtorek	–	Dzieci & Siostra Agnieszka
9 – środa	–	Klub Podhalan i Miłośników Tatr
10 – czwartek	–	Msza za Ojczyznę – Związek Żołnierzy NSZ - Chicago
11 – piątek	–	Wspólnota Apostołów Miłosierdzia Bożego
12 – sobota – 7:00pm	–	Grupa Medjugorje / Róże Żywego Różańca
13 – niedziela	–	PROCESJA Fatimska / Siostry & Brother James
14 – poniedziałek	–	Róże Żywego Różańca
15 – wtorek	–	Dzieci & Siostra Agnieszka
16 – środa	–	Klub Podhalan i Miłośników Tatr
17 – czwartek	–	Grupa RADOŚĆ
18 – piątek	–	Wspólnota Apostołów Miłosierdzia Bożego
19 – sobota	–	Koła Żywego Różańca
20 – niedziela	–	Ministranci z Rodzicami
21 – poniedziałek	–	Klub Podhalan i Miłośników Tatr
22 – wtorek	–	Dzieci & Siostra Agnieszka
23 – środa	–	Koła Żywego Różańca
24 – czwartek	–	Klub Dobrego Pasterza
25 – piątek	–	Wspólnota Apostołów Miłosierdzia Bożego
26 – sobota – 7:00pm	–	Krucjata Różańcowa za Ojczyznę - Sr. Bogusława
27 – niedziela	–	Księża & Ministranci
28 – poniedziałek	–	Róże Żywego Różańca
29 – wtorek	–	Dzieci & Siostra Agnieszka
30 – środa	–	Klub Podhalan i Miłośników Tatr
31 – czwartek	–	Wspólnota Apostołów Miłosierdzia Bożego



## PIERWSZY CZWARTEK MIESIĄCA

**3 października o godz. 6:00 wieczorem** zapraszamy na ADORACJĘ NAJSWIĘTSZEGO SAKRAMENTU Z MŁODZIEŻOWYM ZESPOŁEM RADOŚĆ, a o godz. 7:00 na Liturgię Mszy św. Pierwszy czwartek miesiąca jest dniem Eucharystii, a w związku z tym jest przede wszystkim czasem dziękczynienia. Dziękujemy w nim za największy z cudów, cud Eucharystii, ale także za Kościół i to wszystko, co przyczynia się do naszego zbawienia.

## PIERWSZY PIĄTEK MIESIĄCA

Najbliższy **piątek 4 października** to Pierwszy Piątek miesiąca. Spowiedź św. od godz. 6:00 do 7:30PM. Msza św. o godz. 7:00PM.

### Dziewięć pierwszych piątków miesiąca w objawieniach Małgorzaty Marii Alacoque

Powiedział o niej sam Jezus francuskiej siostrze zakonnej, św. Małgorzacie Marii Alacoque w czasie objawień. Przez ponad półtora roku ukazywał jej On swoje Serce płonące miłością do ludzi i zranione ich grzechami. Św. Małgorzata usłyszała od Jezusa o obietnicach, jakie daje On czcicielom jego Serca. Wśród nich pojawia się i ta: „Przyrzekam w nadmiarze miłosierdzia Serca mojego, że wszechmocna miłość moja udzieli tym wszystkim, którzy komunikować będą w pierwsze piątki przez dziewięć miesięcy z rzędu, łaskę pokuty ostatecznej, że nie umrą w stanie niełaski mojej ani bez sakramentów i że Serce moje stanie się dla nich bezpieczną ucieczką w godzinę śmierci”. Mówiąc to Jezus ukazał się św. Małgorzacie jako ubiczowany. Z czasem obietnicę tę nazwano „Wielką”, jako największą, jakiej człowiek może dostąpić w czasie ziemskiego życia. Jezus obiecuje praktykującym 9 pierwszych piątków miesiąca, że nie umrą nie będąc w stanie łaskie uświęcającej.

## PIERWSZA SOBOTA MIESIĄCA

**W sobotę, 5 października** zapraszamy na Czuwanie I sobotnie, które rozpoczniemy o godz. 7.00 wieczorem.

### INTENCJE Papieskie na miesiąc październik:

Módlmy się, aby Kościół nadal wspierał ze wszystkich sił synodalny styl życia, jako znak współodpowiedzialności, promując uczestnictwo, komunię i misję łączące księży, osoby konsekrowane i świeckich.

## BŁOGOSŁAWIEŃSTWO ZWIERZĄT

**W piątek 4 października**, w uroczystość św. Franciszka z Asyżu, o **godz. 3.00 pm** będzie miał miejsce obrzęd błogosławieństwa zwierząt na placu św. Jana Pawła II. Zwyczaj błogosławienia zwierząt jest ściśle związany ze wspomnieniem św. Franciszka z Asyżu, który szczególnie ukochał wszystkie stworzenia i nazywał je naszymi mniejszymi braćmi.

## Z RÓŻAŃCEM DO JEZUSA PRZEZ MARYJĘ

*„Jestem Królową Różańca Świętego  
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*Św. Jan Paweł II*

W tym roku, 1 października mija 29 lat działalności Kół Żywego Różańca pod Wezwaniem Matki Bożej Częstochowskiej przy naszej parafii. Codziennie członkowie Kół Żywego Różańca odmawiając Różaniec, upraszają Maryję o jej orędownictwo u Boga w intencjach wspólnoty parafialnej, całego Kościoła, w intencjach Ojca Świętego, pokoju na świecie, w rodzinach, naszych sercach, o nawrócenie grzeszników oraz za zmarłych. O mocy modlitwy różańcowej i doznawanych łaskach mogą zaświadczyć członkowie Różańca.

Dziękujemy Ci Matko nasza ukochana za Twoją opiekę nad nami i za łaskę bycia członkami Kół Żywego Różańca. Zwracamy się do Ciebie Droga Siostrzo i Drogi Bracie! Jeżeli Twoje serce przynagla Cię do czynienia wspólnego dobra przez zawierzenie się Maryi, dzwoń do głównej Zelatorki Kół Żywego Różańca, Heleny Lesak pod nr 773 387-2337. *Królowo Różańca Świętego, módl się za nami wszystkimi!*



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