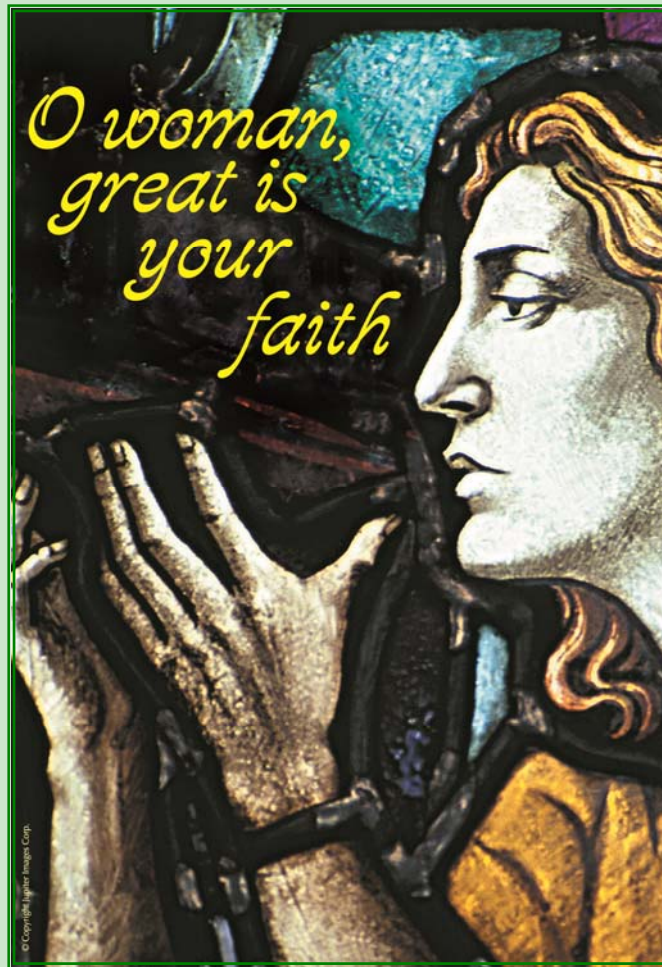


# St. Emily Parish

August 14, 2011



20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Chapter and Verse

Isaiah 56:1, 6-7

Psalms 67

Romans 11:13-15, 29-32

Matthew 13:21-28

# Weekly Reflections

## WHY PRAY?

The “foreigners” as Isaiah calls them, the “Gentiles” as Paul calls them, or the “Canaanites” as Matthew calls them are called to worship the one true God in prayer. As we listen to today’s readings, perhaps we are tempted to ask: Why pray? The question is rhetorical; it is tantamount to asking why should friends talk to one another or people in love kiss one another. Prayer is a way of relating to God, a way of talking to God. The apostles had the opportunity to talk to Jesus in the flesh. We have the opportunity to talk to Jesus Christ in prayer. Our relationship with him must be enthusiastic; it cannot be faint-hearted. John Donne, a fifteenth-century poet, knew what the qualities of good prayer were. Donne asks God to treat him differently from most Christians. The poet does not want God to merely “knock, breathe, shine, and seek to mend,” but also to “break, blow, burn, and make me new” (*Holy Sonnets*, XIV).

It takes a dynamic faith on our part to come to God in prayer. As Jesus once said, “Knock and the door will be opened to you” (Matthew 7:7). It may take pounding the door down, but if we are as persistent as the woman in today’s Gospel, the results will follow.

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## FEAST OF FAITH

### The Shape of the Eucharistic Prayer

Our Eucharistic Prayers originated in the traditional Jewish meal prayers known as *berakah*, which were prayers of thanksgiving used at meals. Over the centuries, the Christian thanksgiving, or Eucharist, gradually took shape. While in the East the Eucharistic Prayers (called *anaphora*) took many forms, in the Roman Church there was for many centuries just one Eucharistic Prayer, called the Roman Canon (now known as Eucharistic Prayer I). Almost all Eucharistic Prayers include the same basic elements. They begin with thanksgiving and acclamation. Then there is an *epiclesis*, as the priest calls down the Holy Spirit upon the gifts. Then follows the institution narrative and consecration, as the words that Jesus spoke at the Last Supper are repeated. After the consecration, we remember in an explicit way all that Christ has done for us—this is the *anamnesis*, or remembering. The prayer concludes with the offering, the intercessions—prayers for the Church, our leaders, ourselves—and a final doxology of praise.

The reforms of the Second Vatican Council enriched our liturgy with additional Eucharistic Prayers, including both ancient texts (Eucharistic Prayer II is based on the most ancient of all existing Eucharistic Prayers) and new compositions.

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# Sharing His Goodness

August 7—Collection	\$20,405.10
Target	\$25,000.00
<b>Over (Short)</b>	<b>(\$ 4,594.90)</b>
YTD Actual Collection	\$116,706.86
YTD Target	150,000.00
<b>Over (Short)</b>	<b>\$(33,293.14)</b>



# Around the Parish

## HIPAA & Hospital Visits

As a faith community, we want to respond to one another especially when illness or injury challenges any one of us. Because of federal regulations under HIPAA ((Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act) hospitals, rehab and long term care facilities no longer inform us of parishioners who have been admitted.

We rely completely on you, our parish family, to let us know when a friend or family member has been hospitalized or has become homebound due to ill health.

Our pastoral staff and Ministry of Care want to be present to you and to your loved ones in times of illness. But we need your ongoing help. Please call the parish office at 847-824-5049 or call Gail at 847-298-5911 whenever the need arises.

## Weekend Receptionist

Beginning next Sunday, August 21, we will resume our volunteer receptionists in the parish office on Sunday morning, 8:30am to 11:30. We have wonderful volunteers, whom we greatly appreciate.

We would like to add a few more people to this list of volunteers. Do you have a few hours to spare once a month? If so, please call the parish office at 847-824-5049.

## Eagle Rama

Our winners from August 3 to August 9 are: #0275 Rosemary Chiovari \$25, #1123 Mr. and Mrs. James Reed \$25, #2140 Frugo family \$25, #1140 Herron family \$25, #0043 Melinda Dizon \$100, #0775 Tehrani family \$25 and #2113 Don & Joan Versen \$25.

## Deacons in the Catholic Church



Deacons are referred to as *transitional* or *permanent*. Transitional deacons are in the process of moving toward priesthood. **Permanent deacons** (who may be married and have families) are on a distinct path to remaining as a deacon – permanently. Their role and function is different from priests. Deacons assist at liturgies, proclaim the gospel, preach, evangelize in the workplace and help the poor and needy in direct ways.

*Do you believe Jesus may be inviting you to inquire about this ordained ministry?*

## “Exploring the Permanent Diaconate”

*Mass (Sundays) and dialogue about the path toward an ordained lifestyle as a permanent deacon at the Cardinal Stritch Retreat House in Mundelein, Illinois  
½ mile west of Butterfield Road on Route 176  
across from Carmel High School.*

**Thursday, September 15, 2011 – 7:30 P.M.**

**Wednesday, October 19, 2011 – 7:30 P.M.**

**Sunday, November 20, 2011 – 12:00 P.M.**

**Sunday, February 19, 2011 – 12:00 P.M.**

R.S.V.P. Deacon Jim Cozzo, Jr. at 847-837-4563  
or at [jcozzo@usml.edu](mailto:jcozzo@usml.edu)

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## St. Emily Moms Club Summer Events 2011

Summer's easy-going, more relaxed days offer the perfect opportunity to check out these informal, friendly get-togethers with fellow moms of the parish. Hopefully, the varied days and times will allow for at least a few of them to fit into any busy mom's schedule:

Not many opportunities left! Hope you can stop by at one these.

### **Wednesday, August 18-11:00AM-Playdate at Friendship Park**

(on Algonquin Rd., just east of Elmhurst Rd., in Mt. Prospect)

Join us at the shady picnic tables for conversation as the kids play at the playground unless the weather keeps us away!

### **AND TO KICK OFF THE FALL—Sunday, September 12-after 9:30AM Mass- Moms Only “Brunch” Out at Katie’s Kitchen**

(on the corner of Wolf & Central Rd., in Des Plaines)

Send the hubby & kids home after Mass and meet us at Katie's Kitchen. Come celebrate getting through the first couple of weeks of school & hear what's on tap for **Year 3** of St.

Emily Moms Club. **RSVP by September 7**

**For questions or to RSVP call Erin Boyle Folino @ 847.375.0841  
(cell 847.401.2347) or Lisa Geiger @ 847.398.0167 (cell 847.494.7145)**

## Farmers' Market



We need some of our good farmers to share some of their abundance in our Farmers' Market at the **Family Fun Fest** on Friday, Sept. 9th.

Are you willing to donate some of your garden-grown fruits and vegetable? If so, contact Joe or Donna Billmeier at 847-297-7938.



St. Emily's Got Talent  
And we want to showcase it at our  
"Family Fun Fest "

On Friday, September 9th from 4pm until 11 pm.  
Contact Jeannine Havlik to volunteer your talent at  
847-824-5049 or [jhavlik@stemily.org](mailto:jhavlik@stemily.org)

**Sunday School Registration is  
Open Now.** Call to sign up your little  
one for this enjoyable way to learn about  
their faith while Mom and Dad attend  
Mass. This program is open for ages  
3yrs to 5yrs. Call the Parish Office  
@847-824-5049 for more info.



**RCIA –Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**  
The process of becoming a full member of the Roman Catholic  
Church will begin its sessions in September.

**Life is a journey that continually searches for meaning.  
The human heart hungers for relationships that nurture  
one's maturity and ability to love and be loved. You may  
have come to the realization that something is missing  
from your life. Let us help you find what you seek.**

**Contact any of our Team Members for more information:**

**Rev. Dennis M. Zalecki @ 847-824-5049**

**Len Mondri @ 847-296-9025**

**Lorraine Plantz @847296-3640**

# St. Emily “Family Fun Fest” Sponsorship Opportunities

Deadline August 26, 2011

Company/Parishioner Name \_\_\_\_\_

Company Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State and Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

All **Family Fun Fest Booth Sponsorships** include name on the poster at the selected booth, recognition on the “support our sponsors” page in the Sunday bulletin and recognition on the event page on our website plus our gratitude for helping to defray the costs of the day.

\_\_\_\_\_ Bands/Local talent Stage Sponsorship: \$500 —3 available

\_\_\_\_\_ Ticket Booth Sponsorship \$500 — 3 available

\_\_\_\_\_ Beer/Wine Booth Sponsorship \$250—1 available, 1 already sold

\_\_\_\_\_ Soda/Water Booth Sponsorship—1 available

\_\_\_\_\_ Food Tent Sponsorship \$250—3 available

\_\_\_\_\_ Kiddie/All ages Train Sponsorship \$500— 2 available

\_\_\_\_\_ Snack Booths Sponsorship \$150—2 available

\_\_\_\_\_ Cash donation of any amount—Constantly available, always appreciated

## **DONATE A SERVICE OR GIFT CARDS**

These donations of services, gift cards and/or cash will be used as part of the raffle and silent auction items or to defray the expenses of the “Family Fun Fest”. All donors will be recognized in the Sunday Bulletin, on our website and in our Raffle Area and Silent Auction Area.

Amount Donated: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Type of Gift Card(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Service and Value \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

# Religious Education News

## “Partners with Parents in Faith Formation”

### SUMMER’S END

As summer nears its last hurrah and thoughts turn to school registration, supplies, backpacks, sports, and schedules, parents can get so caught up in



the new school year plans they may forget that Religious Ed classes start in September, which is just around the corner. This is especially true for parents of kindergarteners and first graders who may not realize they need to register here as well before summer’s over.

At this time, our Kindergarten RE class was cancelled due to low enrollment. If we receive more requests in the next week or so, it may be reinstated.

As you will see from the chart above, our student enrollment is still increasing and our catechist needs are finally decreasing! We can’t celebrate yet. We still need some more good people to volunteer. Please call for more information. 847-299-5865

If you still need to enroll your children, please make it a priority to turn in your registration forms ASAP. If you are new to the program, please call 847-299-5865 for more information or to register in person at our office. If your child has missed religion classes or sacraments, we have programs that will meet his or her needs. Finally, if today’s economic pressures are holding you back from registering, please ask for Joan Kobylski, our Coordinator to discuss your situation confidentially. No child is denied religious education due to financial constraints.



### KID’S CORNER

*“Children were brought to Jesus that he might lay his hands on them and pray...Jesus said, “Let the children come to me...”*  
- Matthew 19:13-14

Can you imagine Jesus with children all around him? Some might be younger than you; some might be taller. Some might try to climb onto Jesus’ lap. What about you? Would you be close enough to Jesus that you could climb on his lap? Would you sit at his feet, or be close enough to touch his shoulder?

Jesus says to all of us, “Let them come to me.” Yes, he wants you to be close to him! He wants you to know he loves you that much!

Close your eyes and picture yourself sitting next to Jesus. What does he say to you? What do you say to him?

### REGISTRATION UPDATE

2011-2012	Students Registered	Catechists & Assistants Needed on:	
		TUES	WED
Home School	10		
RCIC	2	0	—
Prim. Sac Prep	10	0	—
Inter. Sac Prep	5	0	0
Grade 1	24	0 / 2	0 / 1
Grade 2	53	0 / 1	0 / 1
Grade 3	33	1 / 2	0 / 1
Grade 4	41	1 / 0	0 / 0
Grade 5	55	2 / 0	2 / 0
Grade 6	47	1 / 0	1 / 0
Grade 7	43	—	2 / 0
Grade 8	48	—	0 / 0
Total	371	5 / 5	5 / 3

# Beyond the Parish

## Women's Center Diaper Drive

The Women's Centers of Greater Chicagoland is a not-for-profit organization, whose purpose is to reach young women with a message of hope and help.



Shortly before midnight on Saturday, June 4, a woman arrived to pray at the Perpetual Adoration chapel housed within the Women's Center, a crisis pregnancy center on Chicago's Northwest Side. She saw smoke coming from the second floor of the building and immediately called 911. Within minutes, firefighters were on the scene.

The second floor suffered significant damage, particularly its Family Room. This room stores resources for the pregnant mothers they serve.

Mt. Prospect Knights of Columbus Council delivered most of its donations from its April's baby showers to the Northwest Chicago Women's Center. Because of the Women's Center fire, and loss of their resources, the Mt. Prospect KofC Council will once again hold a diaper drive during the weekend of August 27 and 28. A Knight will be available after each mass to collect your donation.

### CONFIDENTIAL CONNECTIONS

National Domestic Violence Hotline	1-800-799-SAFE
Lifespan (Domestic Violence Crisis Line)	1-847-824-4454
Elder Abuse Hotline	1-800-252-8966
Alcoholics Anonymous	1-312-346-1475
Al-Anon (for family of problem drinkers)	1-888-435-2666

# Beyond the Parish

## Addolorata Villa needs your support!

*Come celebrate the final days of summer at* Villa Fest 2011 on Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup> from 10:30 AM – 3:00 PM. There will be fun and excitement for all ages. Bring the whole family and enjoy hot dogs, hamburgers and more at the delicious barbeque. There are many things to do. The kids can bounce in the moonwalk and play carnival games. There will be games of chance like bingo and the money tree for the adults. This year you can take a chance on winning a terrific prize at the Christmas in September booth.



Don't miss the biggest *furniture sale* of the year. You might find that special piece of furniture that you've been looking for! Considering doing some early holiday shopping? To get you started, we have invited a variety of vendors to help with ideas for that special gift.

Are you feeling lucky? The long awaited Grand Prize Raffle will be held again this year. Try to win 1<sup>st</sup> prize and take home \$1500. Raffle tickets will be on sale prior to the fest at the Chapel View reception desk for \$10 each or \$50 for a book of 6. If you are looking for a sure thing then check out our Silent Auction. A preview of raffle items will be available soon! All proceeds are used to benefit the residents of Addolorata Villa. Thank you for your support!

# This Week at St. Emily's

## Parish Calendar

### **Monday, August 15**

- 11:30AM Gems—Parish Center Hall
- 5:00PM Volleyball Camp
- 7:00PM Women's CRHP—Parish Ministry Center
- 7:00PM Intercessory Prayer Group—  
Parish Conference Center

### **Tuesday, August 16**

- 5:00PM Volleyball Camp
- 7:00PM Men's CRHP—Parish Conference Center
- 7:15PM Rosary — Church
- 7:30PM FSA Meeting—Parish Center Hall

### **Wednesday, August 17**

- 5:00PM Volleyball Camp
- 6:00PM School Parent Night

### **Thursday, August 18**

- 8:30AM Bible Study—Parish Conference Center
- 5:00PM Volleyball Camp
- 7:00PM Athletic Board—Teachers Lounge
- 7:30PM Men's Faith Sharing—Parish Ministry Center
- 7:30PM Boy Scouts

### **Friday, August 19**

- 7:00PM Young Adults

### **Saturday, August 20**

### **Sunday, August 21**

- 5:30PM Men's Basketball
- 7:00PM AA Meeting—Parish Conference Center

## **Shhhh. Listen!**

### **Are you being called?**

God often calls gently, nudging us a bit to get our attention. Is He asking you to help the children of this parish grow in their faith? The Ministry of Catechesis is open to all parishioners - male or female; single or married; parent or not. All you need is a sincere desire to help bring children to Jesus, to make faith come alive for them. By doing so, your own faith will come alive. Prayer, liturgy, sacraments, and even your own relationship with God can become more vibrant and meaningful. By acting on what you believe and passing those beliefs on to others, you will share *in a new way* in the abundant life Jesus came to give us! For more information, see the website [www.stemily.org/religious](http://www.stemily.org/religious) or call the RE office at 847-299-5865 or email [jkobylski@stemily.org](mailto:jkobylski@stemily.org).

## **Pray for our friends who have died**

**Marie Weldon  
Richard Hottinger**



**MISSIONARIES OF THE POOR  
AND  
FATHER HO LUNG AND FRIENDS  
PRESENT**

# **PRAISE HIM!**



**ST. EMILY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**

**1400 East Central Mount Prospect IL**

**AUGUST 20, 2011 AT 7:00PM**

**RECOMMENDED CONTRIBUTION: ADULT: \$15.00 CHILD: \$10.00**

**HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH**

**1118 N Noble Street Chicago, IL 60642**

**AUGUST 21, 2011 AT 5:30PM**

**SPECIAL FAMILY PRICE AVAILABLE!**

**CONTACT INFORMATION:**

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**Website: [www.missionariesofthepoor.org](http://www.missionariesofthepoor.org)**

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IN JAMAICA & THE GOOD SHEPHERD CENTER, NAIROBI, KENYA**

# Mass Schedule and Altar Ministry

## Mass Intentions

### Next Weekend Masses—Aug. 20/21

### Week of—August 15— 8:30AM Daily Mass

<b>Monday</b>	Patrick Sparks— <i>Geri Kubala</i> James Turk— <i>family</i>
<b>Tuesday</b>	Ann Murphy— <i>Huff family</i> Genevieve Labuz— <i>family</i>
<b>Wednesday</b>	Mass for Peace Ann Murphy— <i>Bereavement Ministry</i> Molly Kohl— <i>O'Brien family</i>
<b>Thursday</b>	Mass for the Sick Matthew Christensen— <i>Catherine Jozwiak</i> Ange Lombardo— <i>Lorraine Moriarty</i>
<b>Friday</b>	Antoinette Heinz— <i>Kowalczyk family</i> William Dawson— <i>family</i> Stanley & Adeline Moll— <i>family</i>
<b>Saturday</b>	People of the Parish

<b>Sat. 5PM</b>	Hank Schroeder— <i>Robin &amp; Lawrence Nash</i> Molly Kohl— <i>Matt &amp; Shirley Sprentzel</i>
<b>Sun. 7:30AM</b>	Ange Lombardo— <i>Pete &amp; Bobbie Joyce</i> Arlene Bergstrom— <i>Morgan family</i> Len Metz— <i>Pat</i> Jim Farrell— <i>family</i>
<b>Sun 9:30AM</b>	Kathy & Norb Fedie— <i>family</i> Freddie Dalmazio— <i>family</i> Ronald J. Drifke— <i>Joan Shillington</i> Frank J. Breitsameter— <i>family</i> Giuseppe Scaletta— <i>Urso family</i> Patricia Ann Corey— <i>Hajdu family</i> Ange Lombardo— <i>Cannistra family</i>
<b>Sun 11:30AM</b>	Nicasio Cirrincione— <i>Serafina Pollina</i> Samuel & Consuela Costillo— <i>Dr. and Mrs. Andres Cornejo</i> Juana Rodriguez— <i>Dr. and Mrs. Andres Cornejo</i> Graciela Saavedra— <i>Katie Mc Carte</i>
<b>Sun 6:00PM</b>	People of the Parish

### Altar Ministry for the Week-end of Aug. 20/21

	<b>Priest</b>	<b>Lector</b>	<b>Altar Servers</b>
<b>5:00PM</b>	Fr. Dennis Zalecki	Jim Chengary	J. Baltazar, C. Cruz, K. Denten
<b>7:30AM</b>	Fr. Bill McNulty	Catherine Timmins	R. Lam, P. O'Brien, M. Fugiel
<b>9:30AM</b>	Fr. Ron Navoy	Erin Folino	N. Grossmayer, C. Hafner, J. Hafner
<b>11:30AM</b>	Fr. John Roller	Bill Ross	K. Hasley, S. Hock, M. Ryzner
<b>6:00PM</b>	Fr. Gerald Meyer	Tom Rezek	B. Igoe, A. Jacob, F. LaTorraca

### Altar Servers for daily Masses of August 15—20

**Monday** - J. Scodius, B. Stephens

**Thursday**—J. Baltazar, K. Cappuccitti

**Tuesday** - K. Thuer, J. Woods

**Friday** - P. Bergstrom, J. Bergstrom

**Wednesday** - D. Zaremba, S. Accardi

**Saturday** - G. Carusiello, S. Chiovari

*If you are a Eucharistic Minister and would like to distribute the Eucharist,  
please take one of the designated crosses before Mass begins.  
Please wear the cross around your neck to indicate your intention to serve at the Lord's Table.*



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**MISSION STATEMENT**

The mission of St. Emily Parish is to witness the gospel message in every aspect of life. By celebrating dynamic liturgies; providing nourishing educational opportunities; promoting social justice; and sponsoring community based activities.

**PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL**

Bobbie Dempsey-Chair  
 Donna Billmeier    Marianela Gonzalez    Gail Kelliher  
 Lucy Le-Kissane    David Mika    Tim Nemmer  
 Lana O'Brien    Jerry Wester  
 Peggy Cusick Bill Roberts—At-large Members

**PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL**

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 Jim Jahrling    Jim Schwarz

**SCHOOL ADVISORY BOARD**

Mary Hemmelman 847-296-3490

**BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY**

Gail Goleas 847-298-5911

**MINISTERS OF CARE**

Gail Goleas 847-298-5911

**DEACON COUPLES**

Jim and LaVerne Sanford  
 Bill and Frances DiCanio

**RECONCILIATION**

Saturday 3:45 - 4:45PM

**BAPTISM**

“Let the children come to Me” (Mark 10:14)  
 Baptisms are held on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month, at 1:00PM. Preparation is required. Ages 7 and older are baptized at the annual Easter Vigil after formation

**MARRIAGE**

We encourage you to consult with the parish one year in advance. Saturday 2:00PM and weekday evenings.

**HOME/HOSPITAL VISITATION**

Please notify the parish office. Our Pastoral Ministry would like to visit all who are hospitalized. None of the hospitals inform the parish, please call. Ministers of Care are also available for home visitations.

**PRAYER BLANKETS**

Are available at no charge for parishioners and friends. Please contact the parish office to obtain one.

**Parish Office**

**847-824-5049**

Rev. Ronald Navoy Pastor  
 Rev. Dennis Zalecki Associate Pastor  
 Rev. John Roller In Residence  
 Rev. Bill McNulty Senior Priest  
 Rev. Gerald Meyer Senior Priest

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**847-824-5049**

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Mary Hemmelman

School Principal

**Religious Ed**

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Joan Kobylski

Religious Education Coordinator

**Youth Ministry**

**847-544-5090**

Gregg Belgard

Youth Minister

**Office Hours:** 9:00AM—5:00PM Monday—Friday  
 Closed Saturday & Sunday

**Mass for Peace:** Wednesday 8:30AM

**Mass for the sick:** Thursday 8:30AM

**Food Collection:** 2nd Sunday of each month for the food pantry at St. Alphonsus Liguori in Prospect Heights

**Rosary:** Monday through Friday 8:00AM

**Perpetual Help Novena & Rosary:**  
 Tuesday 7:30PM and Saturday 8:00AM

**Holy Hour:**  
 2:30 to 3:30PM in Church, Monday—Friday

**Intercessory Prayer Group**  
 7:00PM Mondays