



St. Hugh Parish

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January 15, 2017

Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

Weekend Masses Saturday 4:00pm
Sunday 8:00am & 10:30am

Daily Mass Monday - Saturday
10:30am

Penance A priest-confessor is available Saturday after the morning Mass or by appointment.

Anointing of the Sick Contact Father for a family member who is seriously ill.

Communion for Homebound Call the Parish Office to request a Minister of Care to visit.

Baptism Infants are baptized at the parish where their parents are active members - usually on Sunday after the Mass. Contact the Pastor to schedule.

Marriage Celebrated for current parishioners. Engaged couples should begin preparations with the parish at least six months in advance of a proposed wedding.

Funerals The family of the deceased should rely on the professional skill of a funeral director who will assist in making arrangements with the parish and cemetery.

Parish Office Hours Monday - Friday
9:00am - 3:00pm
fax: 708.447.9870

Saint Hugh of Grenoble 1052 – 1132
He was named a bishop at age 27. In time of famine he sold his Episcopal ring in order to aid the poor. Assisted Saint Bruno in founding the Carthusians.
Feast: April 1.

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From the Pastor's Desk

As a liturgical season, Christmas ended with the Feast of the Baptism on the Lord on Monday. Ordinary Time began on Tuesday making today the Second Sunday of Ordinary Time without there being a First Sunday in Ordinary Time. Father Paul Turner explains in the article on page four of this bulletin. The final celebration related to Christmas will be the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord on February 2, forty days after the Solemnity of the Nativity.

The events of this week call us to pray for others: those of a different race, those of a different denomination, and for our county and our new President.

Monday is the national commemoration of the birthday of civil rights leader Martin Luther King, Jr. Prayers for the end of racial discrimination would fittingly be part of this holiday.

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity begins on Wednesday. The column to the right has information about this annual event including an ecumenical prayer.

I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will faithfully execute the office of President of the United States, and will to the best of my ability, preserve, protect and defend the Constitution of the United States.

With those words, Donald J Trump will take the oath of office on Friday January 20 to formally become the 45th President of the United States. As faithful citizens we pray for our country and for our new president.

Let us continue to pray for one another and for our parish.

Father Reszel

What is the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity?

- Celebrated annually between the feasts of St. Peter and St. Paul (January 18 through January 25).
- Sponsored by the World Council of Churches and the Catholic Church's Pontifical Council for Promoting Christian Unity.
- Each year, Christian churches and communities in a particular country develop the liturgical text for the Week of Prayer based on a biblical theme. Material for 2017 was prepared by representatives of Christian churches in Germany, who chose the theme, "Reconciliation - The Love of Christ Compels Us". The theme was offered to highlight the ongoing need for reconciliation among Christians five hundred years after Martin Luther's initial public call for church reform in 1517.

- The Archdiocese of Chicago will participate in this reconciliation effort by renewing our local covenant with the Metropolitan Chicago Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America on October 31, 2017 at Holy Name Cathedral. More information on this important event and resources for furthering this commitment to ecumenical relations can be found at: www.renewingcovenant.com.

- Cardinal Blase J. Cupich and the Office for Ecumenical and Interreligious Affairs are encouraging all Catholics in the Chicago area to engage in personal prayer and join local joint observances during January 18-25 and throughout the year.

2017 Prayer for Christian Unity

God of all, we pray as one, that we may be one, just as the Lord Jesus prayed we may be one in Him. Your son Jesus compels us to be reconciled to one another. May our spirits be joined to your Holy Spirit, that we may witness to the visible unity of your Church. May we all recognize that we are truly one with you, Father, Son and Holy Spirit and grow together in peace. We ask this in the name of Jesus our Lord. Amen

Women, Wine, & the Word

All adult (21+) women of the parish are invited to the second Women, Wine, and the Word at 7:00pm on Saturday January 21.

To participate in the discussion, pre-read 1 Samuel 25: 1-42. Reservations required, call 708.447.3108. Freewill offering.



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You are invited to:

The Chicago Merton Chapter presents *Protect Us From All Anxiety - In A Crazy World* a talk by Dr. Jerry Hiller at 2:00pm on Sunday January 15 at Immaculate Conception Parish, 7211 W. Talcott, Chicago. Free will offering, refreshments. For details call Mike at 773.447.3989

9daysforlife.com is a prayer initiative of the USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities. Sign up now and participate from Saturday January 21 through Sunday January 29.

BedsPlus Soup Event 3:00-7:00pm on Sunday January 29 at the William Tell, 6201 Joliet Rd., Countryside. Tickets: \$25/person or \$50/family of four. Savor soup dishes from popular local restaurants. Enjoy live acoustic music. A casual, fun event for the whole family! To order tickets: www.beds-plus.org / 708.354.0858 +2

Community Blood Drive 8:00am-2:00pm on Sunday January 29 at Saint Barbara Parish, 4015 Prairie Ave., Brookfield. To make an appointment call 1.877.LIFESOURCE or visit www.lifesource.org.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Strengthen, renew and rekindle your marriage at a WWME: February 17-19 or April 7-9 at Elk Grove Village. Contact Jim & Kris at 630.577.0778 or through <http://wwme-chicagoland.org>

Project Rachel is a post-abortion healing hotline and referral service for women and men. 312.337.1962 or 888.456.HOPE projectrachelchicago@gmail.com

**Saints or Observances,
Readings, and Mass Intentions**



Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Is 49:3, 5-6;
Ps 40;
1 Cor 1:1-3;
Jn 1:29-34

4:00 Frank Sodini

8:00 Ciszek Family; Walter Ignash

10:30 Intentions of the Parish

Monday January 16

Heb 5:1-10; Ps 110; Mk 2:18-22

10:30 Dolores Puskaric

Tuesday January 17 St. Anthony

Heb 6:10-20; Ps 111; Mk 2:23-28

10:30 Norma Reszel; Alvin J Ciosek, Sr

Wednesday January 18

Heb 7:1-3, 15-17; Ps 110; Mk 3:1-6

10:30 Duke Gregerson

Thursday January 19

Heb 7:25-8:6; Ps 40; Mk 3:7-12

10:30 Rev. James W Keating (2005);
Anele Kebleris

Friday January 20

St. Fabian; St. Sebastian

Heb 8:6-13; Ps 85; Mk 3:13-19

10:30 Saint Hugh Purgatorial Society

Saturday January 21 St. Agnes

Heb 9:2-3, 11-14; Ps 47; Mk 3:20-21

10:30 Ciszek Family

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



Is 8:23-9:3;
Ps 27;
1 Cor 1:10-13, 17;
Mt 4:12-23

4:00 Intentions of the Parish

8:00 Leona & Paul Carrabotta;
Ciszek Family

10:30 Intentions of the Parish

Pray for the sick

Fr. Angelo Biancalana, George Boksa,
Liz Bryson, Virginia Bryson, Richard
Callahan, Ronald Demco, Dawn
Gilbert, Glen Gilbert, Florence
Gorgen, Will Gorgen, Dawn
Hainsworth, Annette Jaworski, Leo
Jeselski, Gloria Kucan, Patrick Miller,
Lorraine Polcyn, Marianne Salvino,
Elaine Snella, Vicki Stephansen, Pat
Stone, Elsie Tobolaski

*Help us keep this list accurate.
Contact the parish office with updates.*

Weekly Vincentian Reflection



When you support
the Society of St.
Vincent de Paul, you
are a sign of God's
enduring love to
those who are
suffering and you
give them reason to

believe and to trust.



Of musical note

*Today a light will shine upon
us, for the Lord is born for us!*

We began our Christmas
celebration with the annual
Children's Pageant. Our hearts
were warmed by: Sofia,

Kaitlyn, Elliana, Yazmin, Delylah, and
nine members of the Children's Choir:
Alexys, Marissa, Gianna, Linsy, Cindy,
Michelle, Kevin, Isabella, and Herbert.
Rose Gnat (Marissa's grandmother)
and other parents were indispensable
by their assistance during the weeks of
rehearsal. The Children's Choir, with
Carole Hallberg as cantor, sang
happily for the 4:00 Mass.

Our instrumentalists: Veronica Alfred -
flute, Candy Barraza - violin, Jayson
Hallberg - percussion and cello,
Mariagnes Menden -trumpet, Liz Pieta
- flute, Nick Pieta - oboe, Celeste
Quezada - violin, and Alexa Venditti -
flute added to our sung prayer.

Our cantor for Christmas Day was Rose
Hawrylicz. Cantors: Giselle Mendez
and Sally Olivares and Choir members
Donald Edwards, Lorraine Marek,
Marilyn Scapardine, Rosemarie
Scheffel, Caroline Suvetor, Bonnie
Tarry, and Kim Thomas added to the
joy of several seasonal liturgies with
vocal harmony and strength. During the
season we welcomed our new cantor
apprentices: Alexys Alvarez and
Gianna Mendez.

*Glory to the newborn King! Thanks to
you for your wonderful presence.*
Fran Serpe Music Director

Weekend of January 21-22

Mass	Priest / Deacon	Reader	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
4:00pm	Father Reszel Deacon Mamolella - preach	Giselle M	Olivia Quezada Cathy Bergman Sue Stafford	Juan S Alexis S
8:00am	Father Reszel Deacon Mamolella - preach	Rosemary Kufta	Edgardo Ramos Nina Konopasek Rosemary Kufta	Mary S Mason W
10:30am	MCCJ Father	Ashley B	Maggie Schemenaur Liz Shermack	Gianna M Alexis A

MCCJ = Comboni Missionaries of the Sacred Heart of Jesus; *Missionarii Comboniani Cordis Iesu*

B-I-N-G-O & Pull Tabs

Every Thursday in Keating Hall.
Doors open 5:00pm
Early Bird game 6:45pm
Crew # 3 to assist on January 19

Stewardship thought

Now the Lord has spoken who formed me as his servant from the womb...
ISAIAH 49:5

You have to do what God is calling you to do and I have to do what God is calling me to do. Guess what, each of us has been given a different plan! So, stop comparing yourself to others. Don't let envy and jealousy enter your life. Be thankful for the gifts God has given you and generously share them with others.

Ordinary Time by Paul Turner

Ordinary Time, the longest season of the church year, fills the weeks "which do not celebrate a specific aspect of the mystery of Christ." It's the no-particular-reason season. Christmas Time honors the birth of Christ. Easter Time rejoices in the resurrection. Ordinary Time is devoted to the mystery of Christ in all its aspects.

The number of the weeks of Ordinary Time replaces the old counting of weeks "after Epiphany" and "after Pentecost." The old calendar suggested that Pentecost ran for six months. The new calendar gives Pentecost a day. Then we return to Ordinary Time.

At first glance the principles of Ordinary Time seem basic enough. Start counting the weeks after Christmas Time. Break for Lent and Easter. Resume after Pentecost and keep counting till Advent. Basically, that's how it works. But we have a few quirks.

For example, there is no "First Sunday in Ordinary Time"; however, there is a first week. Usually Christmas Time ends on a Sunday with the Baptism of the Lord. The lectionary also calls it the First Sunday in Ordinary Time, but it is part of Christmas Time. (Some years the Baptism of the Lord falls on a Monday, but that's another story.) Ordinary Time gets underway on a weekday. When the next Sunday rolls around we start week two.

On the Tuesday before Ash Wednesday, we see the last of Ordinary Time until after Pentecost. Even then, it emerges only on weekdays. Trinity Sunday always follows Pentecost Sunday, and the solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of the Lord comes the next Sunday in the United States. (In countries where this solemnity is a holy day, it falls on a Thursday.) So when the numbered Sundays in Ordinary Time return in summer, we start out a little higher than where we left off.

Sometimes we skip one or two entire weeks of Ordinary Time during the Easter break. We want to close the Sundays of the year with Christ the King, one week before Advent. Christ the King always falls on the 34th Sunday in Ordinary Time. So, we determine the week number after Pentecost not based on where we left off before Lent but counting backwards from Christ the King. One or two weeks may disappear, but Ordinary Time still serves the complete mystery of Christ.

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Wills / Bequests

After providing for your loved ones, please consider naming Saint Hugh Parish as a beneficiary of your estate.



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January 16

Parish offices will be closed for Monday's National Holiday.

Treasures from the tradition

As soon as Christmas ends, people begin planning for Easter! Originally, the source of our Paschal Triduum was but a single liturgy extending from Saturday sundown to sunrise on Easter Sunday. The two days leading up to the liturgy were days of fast, not only for the elect, but for the church preparing to baptize them. A fifth-century pope explained that the church imitated the apostles, who were in hiding with their grief from the arrest of Jesus, and therefore sacraments, even penance, were forbidden.

Inevitably, though, people wanted to come together, and so eventually a Liturgy of the Word developed for Good Friday. This was the first step toward today's shape of the Triduum, and gradually new ideas were embraced, including the veneration of the cross and a simple Communion service. Interestingly, the Word remained central, since we know that in those days the pope did not receive Communion at this liturgy, even though the faithful had that option. In the other churches of Rome, priests and people received Communion under both species. Although the custom of Communion on Good Friday took hold, it did not endure past the Middle Ages. The central liturgies of the year slowly unraveled and disappeared from parish life. Remember that there were no seminaries in those days, and books were a rare luxury. Most priests could only manage to celebrate a simple "low" Mass, and few parishes could afford the ritual books that would guide a priest through the complex forms. Holy Week remained important in private devotion, but for a time the liturgies virtually disappeared.

-Rev. James Field, Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co.

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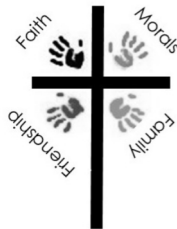
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THANK YOU

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From the Faith Formation Office

January 16: Parish Office closed for National Holiday

January 19: YM (Youth Ministry) Open Gym grades 6-12, 7:00-8:00pm

January 22: First Communion Retreat 9:00am-Noon beginning in Church. / RE (Religious Education) grades PreK-5, 9:05-10:20am / CLW (Children's Liturgy of the Word) at 10:30 Mass

January 23: RE grades 8-11, 6:30-7:30pm / RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) 7:30-8:30pm

January 24: RE grades 6-7, 6:00-7:30pm / YM grades 6-12, 7:30-8:30pm

January 29: RE grades PreK-5, 9:05-10:20am

February 2: Thursdays@7, teen & young adult movies 6:45-8:30pm

February 3: Family Movie Night, doors open at 7:00pm, *The BFG* begins at 7:30pm

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Vocation thought

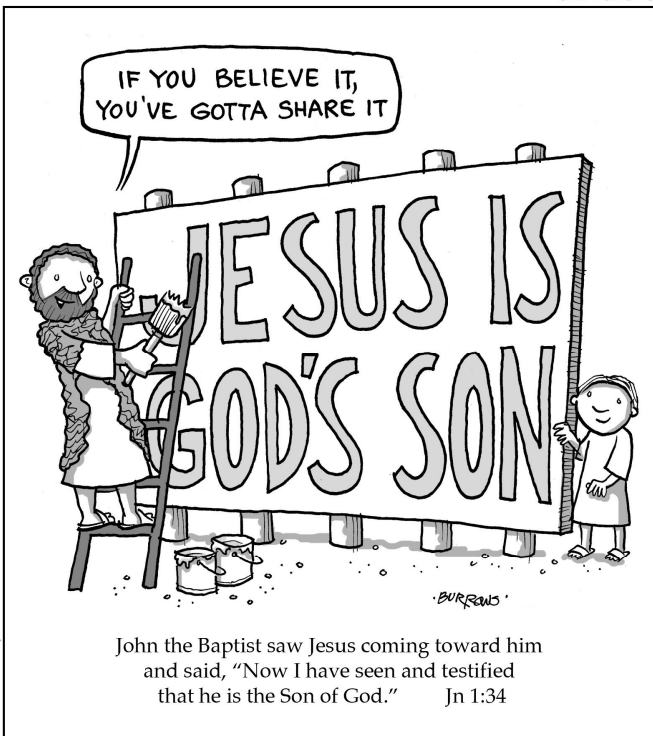
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The Little Ones

Jim Burrows



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"He is the one who will baptize
with the holy Spirit."




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