



St. Hugh Parish

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October 16, 2016

Twenty-ninth Sunday in 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. Along with Saint Bruno, he founded the Carthusians. Feast: April 1.

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Respect Life Month: Moved By Mercy

Here is language to help members feel welcome in faith communities:

People First Language

- Make reference to the person first, then the disability. Say "a man who uses a wheelchair" as opposed to "a wheelchair bound man."
- Avoid the use of *handicapped*. Say "people with differences."



Need more ideas?

visit: www.InclusionInWorship.org



From the Pastor's Desk

Today is the Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time. Our observance of Respect Life Month continues. Next weekend our focus broadens with World Mission Sunday.

October 19 is the Memorial of the North American Martyrs: Eight Jesuit Missionaries, the first martyrs of the continent recognized by the Church, were canonized in 1930. The first to be martyred, **René Goupil**, was tomahawked in 1642 for having made the Sign of the Cross on the brow of some children. In 1646 **Isaac Jogues** and **Jean de Lalande** were captured by a Mohawk war party. On October 18 Father Jogues was tomahawked and beheaded. Jean de Lalande was killed the next day near Albany, NY. **Jean de Brébeuf** composed catechisms and a dictionary in Huron and saw 7,000 converted. He was captured by the Iroquois and died after four hours of extreme torture at Sainte Marie, Canada. Father **Anthony Daniel**, working among Hurons, was killed by Iroquois on July 4, 1648. His body was thrown into his chapel, which was set on fire. **Gabriel Lalemant** was horribly tortured to death along with Father Brébeuf. Father **Charles Garnier** was shot to death as he baptized children and catechumens during an Iroquois attack. Father **Noel Chabanel** was killed before he could answer his recall to France. Despite difficulties, he made a vow to remain until death in his mission.

Tertullian said: *the blood of the martyrs is the seed of the church.* May we, the church in North America, continue to grow and may the martyrs continue to pray for us.

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

Father Reszel



Of musical note: Singing in a youth or children's choir...

by Michael Kemp

1. Is an easy way to make lots of new friends and feel part of a group.
2. Teaches lifelong beneficial posture and breathing techniques.
3. Helps develop better habits of good enunciation.
4. Develops poise under pressure. Wonderful parents should get their children into church choirs as soon as possible. Enthusiasm and fun are important to children. (to be continued...)

The St Hugh Children's Choir rehearses on Wednesdays 5:00-6:00pm and sing at the 10:30 Mass on the first Sunday of the month (next: November 6). Contact Fran Serpe, our director of liturgical music, at 708.447.3108 + 7 or ffserpe@gmail.com

A Christmas collaboration

Our annual Christmas Bazaar will be here before you know it! The Society of Catholic Women will hold our parish bazaar Saturday December 3, 10:00am-2:00pm in Keating Hall.

This year more than ever, we need your help to fill our booths with lots of Christmas treasures. We hope you will consider donating beverages for the Wine & Spirits booth, unused toys for the New Toys booth, and new or gently used prizes for Hooligans, the Wheel of Fortune, Boutique, Kids' Wheel, and Holly & Herbs booths as well as baked treats for the Sweet Shop.

Or, a donation of your time to help run -or run - a few of our booths would be most welcome! Please contact Nicki Mendez 708.539.6575 or Theresa Mendez 773.703.1543 to volunteer at the bazaar, to request a donation pickup, or to set up a time for a donation drop-off at Keating Hall.



The Response of the Gospel of Mercy

Open to me the gates of justice; I will enter them and give thanks to the Lord
- Psalm 118:19

Catholic Campaign for Human Development

(CCHD) empowers the poor by funding organizations that: increase access to affordable housing; work towards criminal justice reform; advocate for the right of seniors, workers, immigrants, and people with disabilities.

Office for Human Dignity & Solidarity
Elena Segura 312.534-5333 / esegura@archchicago.org

You are invited to:

Fr. Patrick O'Malley Memorial Conference: Perspectives on Scripture
9:30am-4:00pm Saturday October 22 at the University of Saint Mary of the Lake, Mundelein with Dr. Elizabeth Nagel and Fr. Don Senior, CP. <https://usml.edu/event/omalleyconference>
Cost: \$10 includes lectures and lunch.

October 28 & 29 Casino Nights (21+) at St. Barbara Parish, 4015 Prairie, (one block north of Ogden) Brookfield. Admission \$5 - Blackjack / Poker / Games / Food / Drink / Live Music.

Mass to END domestic violence on Saturday October 29 at 5:15pm at Holy Name Cathedral, State St. at Chicago Ave. Archbishop Blase Cupich will preach on our need to reach out to victims of domestic violence and their children and work to build healthy relationships in our families. Contact Jan Burdulis at 773.841.3956

Senior Community Café & Meals on Wheels providing hot nutritious meals and senior services at 9022 31st St, Brookfield. For information, call Tanya Harrison at 708.310.4434

Respect Life Banquet for the Women's Care Center of LaGrange at 1:00pm on Sunday November 20 at The Carlisle, 435 E Butterfield, Lombard. Keynote: Maria Goldstein. Reservations \$75 by 10/31. Call: 708.352.5000 or e-mail: womenscarecenter@core.com

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



**Twenty-ninth Sunday
in Ordinary Time**
Ex 17:8-13; Ps 121;
2Tm 3:14-4:2;
Lk 18:1-8

4:00 Thomas & Elizabeth Taylor;
Robert Pondelicek
8:00 Pro Life;
Sister Barbara Jean & Wally Ciszek
10:30 Intentions of the Parish

Monday October 17
St. Ignatius of Antioch
Eph 2:1-10; Ps 100; Lk 12:13-21
10:30 Wally Ciszek

Tuesday October 18 St. Luke
2 Tm 4:10-17b; Ps 145; Lk 10:1-9
10:30 Saint Hugh Purgatorial Society

Wednesday October 19 Ss. John de
Brébeuf, Isaac Jogues, and Companions
Eph 3:2-12; Is 12; Lk 12:39-48
10:30

Thursday October 20
St. Paul of the Cross
Eph 3:14-21; Ps 33; Lk 12:49-53
10:30 Peter J Yuretech

Friday October 21
Eph 4:1-6; Ps 24; Lk 12:54-59
10:30

Saturday October 22 St. John Paul II;
Eph 4:7-16; Ps 122; Lk 13:1-9
10:30

**World
Mission
Sunday**

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**Thirtieth Sunday
in Ordinary Time**
Sir 35:12-18;
Ps 34;
2 Tm 4:6-18;
Lk 18:9-14

4:00 Intentions of the Parish
8:00 Leona & Paul Carrabotta;
Sister Barbara Jean & Wally Ciszek
10:30 Phyllis Jordan;
Jack & Theresa Roebuck



Holy Hour

Prayer before the
Blessed Sacrament on
Sunday October 16 at
4:00pm. Please use the
north (ramp) door.

Next: Sunday October 30 at 4:00pm

Pray for the sick

Liz Bryson, Virginia Bryson, Richard
Callahan, Ronald Demco, Dawn
Gilbert, Glen Gilbert, Florence & Will
Gorgen, Dawn Hainsworth, Annette
Jaworski, Leo Jeselski, Gloria Kucan,
Ley Majia, Patrick Miller, Lorraine
Polcyn, Marianne Salvino, Elaine Snella,
Vicki Stephansen, Pat Stone, Elsie
Tobolaski

Weekly Vincentian Reflection



In the Gospel today
Jesus tells his disciples to
pray always without
becoming weary;
indeed our prayer must
always be an
expression of our love
for God, our family, our world, and
especially for the suffering poor.

Jubilee of Mercy: December 8, 2015 - November 20, 2016



Though Jesus told today's parable more than two thousand
years ago, human nature hasn't changed: we recognize both
characters instantly. The merciless judge represents the
corruption that has short-circuited justice throughout history;
the distraught widow, society's perennially powerless,
marginalized to what Pope Francis calls the "peripheries"
by those who wield power but lack the mercy that could
transfigure society with compassion. To confront such reality,
Jesus bids us, "pray always without becoming weary" (Luke
18:1). Prayer opens our eyes to see others from Jesus'
perspective, and leads us to work for justice by coming to
the aid of others with what Pope Francis extols as a higher
standard, mercy. Thus, when Jesus asks, "Will not God

secure the rights of [God's] chosen ones? Will [God] be slow to answer?" (18:7).
We respond by making God's liberating work for others our own. "[W]hen the
Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?" (18:8). Yes, we respond--and
mercy! - Peter Scagnelli, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

Weekend of October 22-23				
Mass	Priest / Deacon	Reader	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
4:00pm	MCCJ Father	Giselle M	Olivia Quezada Cathy Bergman Sue Stafford	Gianna M Alexys A
8:00am	Father Reszel	Rosemary Kufra	Edgardo Ramos Nina Konopasek Rosemary Kufra	Ashley B Ava C
10:30am	Father Reszel	Jackie A	Maggie Schemenaur Liz Shermack	Veronica A Emma S

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

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

Every Thursday in Air Conditioned Keating Hall. Doors open 5:00pm
Early Bird game 6:45pm
Crew #2 to assist on October 19

Manna Group Scrip

Great gifts for Halloween, Thanksgiving, and/or Christmas. Next weekend after Mass see Marilyn Krebel (4:00), Nina Konopasek (8:00), or Nicki Mendez (10:30). They have in-stock gift cards for: Amazon \$10, Burger King \$5, CVS \$25, Dunkin Donuts \$10, Home Depot \$25, iTunes \$10, Jewel \$25, Meijer \$25, Menard's \$25, Starbucks \$10, Walgreens \$25, & Walmart \$25. To order scrip from other retailers, see the list in the church vestibule or visit www.sthughlyons.org and click FUNDRAISING



Confession Before Communion

by Paul Turner

"Lord, I am not worthy," we say. Then we go to communion anyway. However, some Catholics stay in the pew. Others slink out of church when the communion procession forms. Some feel genuinely unworthy to receive their Lord.

In the not-too-distant past, people went to confession before every communion, and many received communion only rarely. People still abstain from the Eucharist if they judge their sins grave.

Is confession required before every communion? No. In fact, the only sins that should keep us from communion and that we are obliged to confess are those called "serious." Which ones are those? We don't exactly have a list. It's a judgment call with the penitent and the confessor, so you'll hear many interpretations of serious sin from priests and people alike. In previous centuries serious sin governed so many cases that few people received communion regularly, but that is not the case today. How do we interpret the expression?

The church calls some actions "intrinsically evil"—behaviors so bad that they are always wrong. Vatican II includes among them offenses such as homicide, genocide, abortion, euthanasia, suicide; mutilation, physical and mental torture, attempts to coerce the spirit; subhuman living conditions, arbitrary imprisonment, deportation, slavery, prostitution, and trafficking in women and children; and degrading conditions of work that treat laborers as mere instruments of profit and not as free, responsible persons. These offenses form a basis for figuring out which sins require confession before communion. Although confession is not required before every communion, it often precedes in church practice. Most parishes offer confessions on Saturday before communion on Sunday. Children preparing for first communion also prepare for first confession. Although the church does not oblige us to confess lesser sins, those who use the sacrament will find their communion more fruitful.

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Stewardship thought

...be persistent whether it is convenient or inconvenient... 2 TIMOTHY 4:2

It is not always convenient to be a good steward, especially when all the temptations of our busy and materialistic world get in the way. Now add our own pride and ego into the equation and living a stewardship lifestyle may be downright uncomfortable! Remember, God didn't call us to be comfortable. He called us to be faithful.

Wills / Bequests

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

Youth Ministry Sloppy Joe Fundraiser



October 29,
4:30-7:00pm in Keating Hall. Tickets available after Masses next weekend.

\$8: 1 Sloppy Joe Sandwich, Chips, Pickle, Dessert, and one Drink.

\$5: 1 Hot Dog, Chips, Pickle, Dessert, and one Drink.

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Treasures from the tradition

From the early medieval period, it was expected that the many bishops of Italy travel to Rome at least once every three years to give a report of their ministry, with a footnote granting the bishops of Sicily a visit every five years. By the eleventh century, the idea of bishops visiting the tombs of the apostles was a very strict requirement for all within reasonable reach of Rome. The age of discovery and the expansion of the Church into remote corners of the earth made this an unreasonable burden in many cases, yet every bishop was required at least to send a representative to Rome every five years.

In 1911, Pope St. Pius X established the rule for a "quinquennial" (meaning "once in five years") report, called an *ad limina*. This literally means "to the threshold," and refers to the expectation that the visiting bishop will go to the thresholds of the tombs of the apostles Peter and Paul and to a personal audience with the Holy Father. An exemption was given to so-called "mission territories," which in 1911 included the United States. The reports were still required, but could be filed by letter with an office of the missions called "Propagation of the Faith." This status was changed in 1917 and since that time all American bishops have been subject to the *ad limina*. These reports, carefully kept in the Vatican archives, are a treasure trove for historians, providing snapshots of culture and faith and a record of the Church's resilience even in times of persecution and change.

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

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October 8-9

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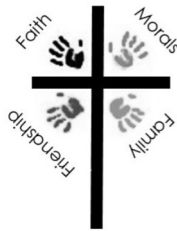
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Vocation thought

Pray always and do not to lose heart. If you are considering a vocation as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life, let the grace of prayer encourage you. Contact Father Francis Bitterman at fbitterman@archchicago.org or 312.534.8298



From the Faith Formation Office

October 16 RE (Religious Education) Family all grades in church 9:05-10:20am / Flu Shots 8:30am-Noon

October 17 RE grades 8-11, 6:00-7:30pm / RCIA 7:30-8:30pm

October 18 RE grades 6-7, 6:00-7:30pm / YM (Youth Ministry) grades 6-12, 7:30-8:30pm

October 20 Thursdays@7 Movie: teens and young adults, 6:45-8:30pm

October 23 RE grades PreK-5, 9:05-10:20am / CLW during 10:30am Mass

October 27 YM Open Gym grades 6-12, 7:00-8:00pm

October 29 YM Sloppy Joe Dinner-Fundraiser 4:30-7:00pm

October 30: RE grades PreK-5, 9:05-10:20am

October 31 Happy All Hallows' Eve

November 1 All Saints Day - a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses at 10:30am and 7:00pm / RE grades 6-11 and RCIA meet at 6:00pm and attend the evening Mass

November 2 All Souls Day - may all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Ministries

708.447.3108 for all marked (*)

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The way that God's mercy has taken hold of us and our world proves God's love for us. In Jesus Christ, and most especially in his death, God's mercy assures us of God's love and favor. We can surrender ourselves entirely to God with trust and confidence. *God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.* (Romans 5:8)



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AT A TIME

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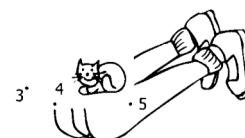
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GOD'S WORD FOR CHILDREN

Jesus told the disciples that it is important to pray to God.

Ex 17:8-13 Ps 121:1-8
2 Tm 3:14-4:2 Lk 18:1-8

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