



St. Hugh Parish

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November 13, 2016

Thirty-third 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. Assisted Saint Bruno in founding the Carthusians.
Feast: April 1.

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Saint Hugh in the refectory *San Hugo en el refectorio*
17th century oil painting on canvas by Francisco de Zurbarán
Seville Museum of Fine Arts



From the Pastor's Desk

Today is the Thirty-third and penultimate Sunday in Ordinary Time. A new liturgical year begins with the First Sunday of Advent.

Throughout November we pray for those who gone before us. I call your attention to Father Turner's article on cremation. Next week's bulletin will include commentary on *To Rise With Christ*, the recent Vatican statement on the burial rites involving ashes/cremated remains of the deceased

Look for some modest changes to upcoming bulletins. The year-long features related to the Jubilee of Mercy conclude next week. Your thoughts, suggestions, comments, etc. are welcome.

Gift cards, aka Scrip, can be used for your holiday shopping or as a holiday gift. Many retailers make their cards available via the Manna Group. A percentage of your order (2 - 30% depending on the merchant) is then rebated in cash to Saint Hugh. Shop this way and benefit our parish. Printed lists of retailers are in the church vestibule or click on FUNDRAISING at www.sthughlyons.org.

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

Father Reszel

Our parish patron in art

The painting reprinted on the bulletin cover was commissioned for the sacristy of the Carthusian monastery in Seville. It narrates the miracle which occurred in 1084 in the Carthusian monastery in Grenoble, after which the monks took the decision to renounce the consumption of meat. The scene shows the seven founding friars of the order presided by Saint Bruno.

The miracle occurred on the Sunday before Ash Wednesday. Saint Hugh, bishop of Grenoble, (on the right with a cane) sent meat to the friars, who were discussing the possibility of perpetual abstinence. Through divine intervention, they fell into a deep sleep for 45 days. When Saint Hugh visited them, they awoke and saw with astonishment that the meat had turned into ash, and took this a sign that they should resume their lives with increased austerity.

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ:



As the Jubilee of Mercy concludes, I invite you to reflect on opportunities to continue accompanying the poor in our midst, including through the Catholic

Campaign for Human Development (CCHD). For over forty-five years, CCHD has been a living example of our Church's social teaching, offering a 'hand-up' to empower the poor to help themselves improve their lives and the livelihood of their families and others. This year, CCHD is funding twenty-eight organizations that are addressing the roots causes of poverty with seniors, youth, immigrants, people with disabilities and workers in Cook and Lake Counties.

This year a collaborative effort by several CCHD grantees helped pass the Illinois Domestic Workers' Bill of Rights (HB 1288). This law grants domestic workers – caretakers, housekeepers, those who clean and do household maintenance – the same legal protections as other workers. This victory directly lifts up the poor. Please make a special effort during this Thanksgiving season to give generously to the CCHD Collection the weekend of November 19-20. Your contribution will enable the poor to achieve greater dignity and all of us to work together to build God's kingdom of justice.

To learn more about CCHD in the Archdiocese of Chicago, parish resources, and the groups it funds, please visit www.ChicagoPeaceAndJustice.org/CCHD.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Most Reverend Blase J. Cupich
Archbishop of Chicago



Christmas Pageant

Preparations for our annual pageant at 3:45pm on Saturday December 24 are underway. Rehearsals are Wednesdays 6:00-7:00pm. We are in need of children of all ages and of adults

willing to help behind the scenes.

Contact Carole Hallberg or Fran Serpe 708.447.3108+7 ffserpe@gmail.com

You are invited to:

Comboni Dinner Dance on Saturday November 26 the MCCJ will honor Jo Ann Serpico at Poretta's Banquets, 3718 N Central Ave., Chicago. Tickets are \$70. For tickets or raffle chances contact Connie at 708.354.199 or cmoffice@sbcglobal.net

Saint Cecilia Sing 6:30pm on November 17 at Holy Name Cathedral sponsored by NPM (National Pastoral Musicians). Contact our music director, Fran Serpe, for details.

Craft Show & Bake Sale 9:00am-3:00pm on Saturday November 19 at St. Barbara Parish, 4015 Prairie, (one block north of Ogden) Brookfield.

Holiday Bazaar 9:00am-3:00pm on Saturday November 19 at St. Louise de Marillac, 31st & Harrison, LaGrange Park

A Protestant's View of the Merton Prayer presented by Steve Denny on Sunday November 20 at 2:00 at Immaculate Conception Parish, 7211 W. Talcott, Chicago. Sponsored by the Chicago Chapter of the International Thomas Merton Society. Freewill offering (suggested \$5) and refreshments. Mike: 773-447-3989

Honor Flight fundraiser 2:00-6:00pm on Sunday November 20 at 115 Bourbon St., Merrionette. Tickets at HonorFlightChicago.org

Turkey Shoot: lunch / games / raffles sponsored by the Holy Name Society of Mater Christi Parish on Sunday November 20, 11:00am - 4:00pm in Menarik Hall, 2400 S. Tenth Ave., North Riverside. Bring this bulletin for a special food raffle. 708.442.5611

SVdP Walk to Alleviate Poverty 4:00-7:00pm on Saturday December 3 in Lincoln Park. JingleBellWalk.com

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



**Thirty-third Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

Mal 3:19-20a;
Ps 98;
2 Thes 3:7-12;
Lk 21:5-19

4:00 Lucille & Elizabeth Taylor;
Frank & Augusta Benedetti

8:00 Leona & Paul Carrabotta;
Sister Barbara Jean & Wally Cizek

10:30 Intentions of the Parish

Monday November 14

Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Ps 1; Lk 18:35-43
10:30 Mary Rocotello; Ken Wright

Tuesday November 15

St. Albert the Great
Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Ps 15; Lk 19:1-10
10:30 Bruce Sainsbury

Wednesday November 16

St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude
Rv 4:1-11; Ps 150; Lk 19:11-28
10:30 Mothers & Fathers

Thursday November 17

St. Elizabeth of Hungary
Rv 5:1-10; Ps 149; Lk 19:41-44
10:30 Henry Spetter

Friday November 18 The Dedication
of the Basilicas of Ss. Peter and Paul in
Rome; St. Rose Philippine Duchesne

Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119; Lk 19:45-48
10:30 Saint Hugh Purgatorial Society

Saturday November 19

Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144; Lk 20:27-40
10:30



**Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe**

2 Sm 5:1-3;
Ps 122;
Col 1:12-20;
Lk 23:35-43

4:00 Intentions of the Parish

8:00 Frank Kitowski;
Sister Barbara Jean & Wally Cizek

10:30 Profitt & Keclik Family;
Phyllis Jordan

Rest in peace

In your kindness, pray for the repose of
the souls of Mabel Stednitz and Louise
DeMauro. The funeral Mass for Mrs.
Stednitz, mother of Shelley Drogos,
was Saturday November 5. The funeral
Mass for Mrs DeMauro was Monday
November 7.

Pray for the sick

Liz Bryson, Virginia Bryson, Richard
Callahan, Bernice Cizek, 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

Weekly Vincentian Reflection



The Gospel predicts end
times; our challenge
though is to live faithfully
now. St. Vincent often
asked this simple
question: "What would

Jesus Christ do, if he were in my place
now?"

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



As this Jubilee Year of Mercy comes to an end, Jesus' first
disciples ask what every age seems to wonder about the
end of the world: "Teacher, when will this happen? What
sign will there be?" (Luke 21:7). But instead of what we'd
like to know, Jesus tells us what we need to know. Don't be
terrified by natural disasters, human violence, personal
sufferings. Because God's mercy abounds, all is grace. "It
will lead to your giving testimony" (21:13). So Malachi
promises "the sun of justice with its healing rays" (Malachi
3:20a); and Jesus describes how we should welcome the
end: "Stand erect and raise your heads, because your
redemption is at hand" (Gospel Acclamation, Luke 21:28).
Rather than worrying about ourselves and the future's perils,

both Jesus' gospel and Pope Francis' Jubilee Year of Mercy bid us go forth to
spend our lives proclaiming God's promise of boundless mercy, but also
translating God's mercy into living deeds of unflinching compassion and enduring
comfort. - Peter Scagnelli, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

Weekend of November 19-20				
Mass	Priest / Deacon	Reader	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
4:00pm	MCCJ Father	Giselle M	Cathy Bergman Sue Stafford Cindy McCarthy	Gianna M Teagan W
8:00am	Father Reszel Deacon Mamolella	Andy Arellano	Rosemary Kufra Allison K Edgardo Ramos	Alexis S Brian B
10:30am	Father Reszel	Jackie A	Makayla L Patti Krueger Nicki Mendez	Ava C Madison K

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
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No BINGO on Thanksgiving 11/24

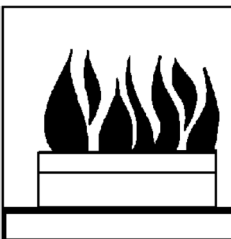
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Next weekend after Mass see Nora Olvera (4:00), Rosemary Kufta (8:00), or Theresa Mendez (10:30). They have in-stock gift cards for: Amazon \$10, Burger King \$5, CVS \$25, Dunkin Donuts \$10, Home Depot \$25, iTunes \$10, Jewel \$25, Meijer \$25, Menard's \$25, Starbucks \$10, Target \$25, 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

Stewardship thought

Rather, we wanted to present ourselves as a model for you, so that you might imitate us. 2 THESSALONIANS 3:9

Most people who live a grateful and generous lifestyle don't go around bragging about it. But through their actions and words, others do take notice. They notice because of the joy and peace that results and other people desire this in their own life. Know that the way you live your life may be the only interaction others have with the Catholic faith.



Cremation by Paul Turner

Catholic Church law used to forbid cremation, but it now makes allowance for the practice. The church recommends that the bodies of the faithful be buried, but it permits cremation if the reasons for choosing that method are not contrary to Christian teaching.

Viewing the body of the deceased naturally recalls the person's deeds of kindness and testimony of faith. It brings to mind our belief that the human body is a temple of the Holy Spirit and the heir to glory at the resurrection of the dead. Because of the reverence owed the body, the Catholic Church still prefers its burial at the time of death. When cremation is chosen, the remains merit the same respect accorded to the body. They deserve a worthy vessel and a respectful means of transport.

There are several options for the funeral liturgy. For example, the liturgy may take place before cremation, so the community may pray in the presence of the body. In that case, the rite of committal would follow cremation. In other cases, cremation and committal may precede the funeral Mass. The funeral liturgy may also happen in the presence of the cremated remains, if permitted by the diocesan bishop. In that case, the Mass proceeds as usual, but covering the remains with a pall is omitted.

The church strongly recommends that cremated remains be buried in a grave or entombed in a mausoleum or columbarium rather than scattered or kept in a private home. Public cemeteries call to mind the resurrection of the dead and focus our prayer for the deceased.

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Inclusion in Worship

Welcoming individuals who are blind

- Identify yourself when you greet a person who is blind.
- Talk in a normal tone of voice.
- Offer your arm when assisting.
- Give verbal cues such as, "We are going through a doorway"

Need more ideas?

www.InclusionInWorship.org

This is the sixth and final installment in this bulletin series. Thank you for helping to make Saint Hugh Parish a place where All Are Welcome.

Wills / Bequests

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

December 3

Christmas Bazaar

We need your help filling our booths with holiday treasures. Donations of Wine & Spirits, New Toys, and new or gently used prizes for Hooligan, Wheel of Fortune, Boutique, Kids' Wheel, and Holly & Herbs booths as well as baked treats are greatly appreciated. Contact Nicki Mendez 708.539.6575 or Theresa Mendez 773.703.1543 to volunteer or to schedule a donation pickup or drop-off.



Treasures from the tradition

With Thanksgiving approaching, we think of the quest of the Puritans who arrived on the Mayflower from their first exile in Leyden, Holland. Like the Catholics of England, they were religious dissenters who suffered penalties for not participating in the worship life of the established church.

The Catholics established monasteries, schools, and convents on the continent to assure the vigor of their faith's intellectual and spiritual life. The Puritans fled to the tolerant Netherlands with similar hopes of preserving their way of life, but were unable to adapt to Dutch ways.

There were Catholics who made a similar colonial journey. The hero of the story is George Calvert, Lord Baltimore, the former Secretary of State of Britain and a Catholic. He proposed that King Charles I establish a proprietary colony that he would own and rule, named Maryland in honor of the Catholic Queen Henrietta Maria.

George Calvert died unexpectedly in the midst of this project, but his son Cecil faithfully carried out his father's wishes. Maryland became a symbol of freedom for wealthy recusant English families, as well as for the poor who held to the Catholic faith despite great hardship. From the start, the colony was open to Protestants and Catholics equally, and the seeds of the religious freedom so dear to the American spirit were sown with the first colonists in 1634.

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CCHD	3

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Vocation thought

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From the Faith Formation Office

November 13: Reconciliation

Prep grades 3-11, 8:30-9:00am / RE (Religious Education) grades PreK-5, 9:05-10:20am / CLW

(Children's Liturgy of the Word) during the 10:30am Mass

November 17: YM (Youth Ministry grades 6-12) Open Gym, 7:00-8:00pm

November 19: Blase Cardinal Cupich

November 20: Reconciliation Prep grades 3-11, 8:30-9:00am / RE all grades in church 9:05-10:20am / CLW during the 10:30am Mass / Giving Tree begins

November 21: RE grades 8-11, 6:30-7:30pm / RCIA 7:30-8:30pm

November 22: RE grades 6-7, 6:00-7:30pm / YM grades 6-12, 7:30-8:30pm

November 24: Thanksgiving Day / Holiday Mass at 10:30am / Parish Offices Closed

November 26: Comboni Missionaries Dinner Dance. \$70. Contact Connie at 708.354.199 or cmoffice@sbcglobal.net for tickets and/or raffle chances.

November 27: First Sunday of Advent

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JUBILEE OF MERCY

SING

Saint Thérèse of Lisieux, the Little Flower, began her autobiography by citing a psalm verse: *forever I will sing the mercies of the Lord.* When we become really and fully aware of what wonders God's mercy has done for us, we erupt in song, in praise, in thanksgiving, and in joy. *I will sing of your steadfast love, O LORD, for ever; with my mouth I will proclaim your faithfulness to all generations.* (Psalm 89:1)



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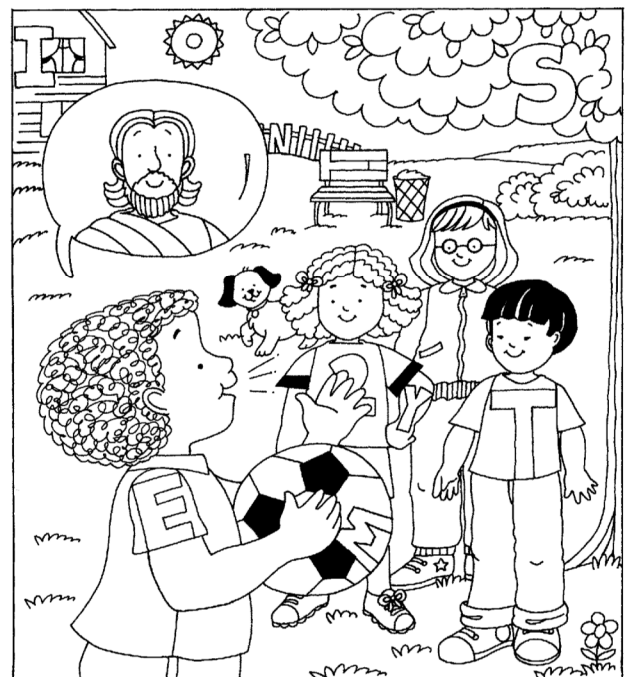
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