

February 4, 2018

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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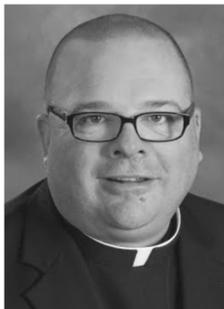
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## From the Pastor's Desk

On this Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time, all of the parishes in the Archdiocese of Chicago are participating in the in-pew phase of the 2018 Annual Catholic Appeal. We do this each year two Sundays prior to Ash Wednesday and the start of Lent.

The appeal's theme is *Come Follow Me*. Our financial support of this local (diocesan) church is one way that we live out our responsibility in this community of disciples. Listen attentively to the recorded homily by our bishop, Cardinal Cupich, and generously pledge your donation to the Annual Catholic Appeal.

Next Sunday, the weekend prior to Valentine's Day, is celebrated as World Marriage Day. The following are some resources for those living the vocation of married life:

[www.foryourmarriage.org](http://www.foryourmarriage.org) - a project of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops includes supports for marriage and parenting.

[www.familyministries.org](http://www.familyministries.org) - department of the Archdiocese of Chicago with programs for engaged couples, marriage and family resources, and support for divorced Catholics.

[www.wme-chicagoland.org](http://www.wme-chicagoland.org) - Worldwide Marriage Encounter is a retreat model to foster couple communication. 630.577.0778

[www.retrouvaille.org](http://www.retrouvaille.org) - a retreat program for couples in troubled marriages 1.800.470.2230

[www.joyfulagain.org](http://www.joyfulagain.org) - local retreat program for widows and widowers. 708.354.7211

[www.thehotline.org](http://www.thehotline.org) - national domestic violence help

For the past twenty-five years, February 11 (when not a Sunday, the memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes) is designated as World Day of the Sick: *a special time of prayer and sharing, of offering one's suffering for the good of the Church and of reminding us to see in our sick brother and sister the face of Christ who, by suffering, dying, and rising, achieved the salvation of humankind.* - Saint John Paul II

The February 11 issue of our weekly parish bulletin will have a refreshed list of names of the sick for whom our prayers have been requested. The names of loved ones who are seriously or chronically ill will be listed on page three of the bulletin. Please contact the parish office at [sthughlyons@sbcglobal.net](mailto:sthughlyons@sbcglobal.net) or 708.447.3108 or the bulletin editor at [marcreszel@gmail.com](mailto:marcreszel@gmail.com) with the names of those who should be included. The names will appear in print for four weeks. After a month, the names will be removed unless a request for inclusion is made again. Your help in keeping the list of the sick updated is greatly appreciated.

Ash Wednesday is February 14. Since this is a day of fasting and abstinence from meat, you may wish to reschedule your Valentine dinner plans this year. *Forewarned is forearmed.*

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

Father Reszel

## Rest in peace

In your kindness, pray for the repose of the soul of Jennie Herrig, mother of Charles and Elizabeth Herrig. Funeral services we held on Thursday January 25 at Saint Hugh Parish and Queen of Heaven Cemetery.

## What do You Want?

Jesus was starting to become very popular, at least with the ordinary people. They had seen how he had cured the sick and cast out demons. The gospel has one unusual sentence about those demons: Jesus did not let them speak "because they knew who he was." Apparently, the demons would have identified him as the Son of God. Jesus knew the people would not understand this and try to proclaim him as their king. Jesus had no intention of living as a worldly king, in comfort and riches. In fact, he came to free people from needing wealth and power.

Popularity and wealth do not interest St. Paul, either. When he preaches the gospel, the good news of Christ's resurrection (and ours), he needs no other recompense. All he wants is to share eternal life. He specifically refuses to be paid for his preaching, to show that he will be rewarded by Christ.

So what do you hope for; what is your goal in life? Do you only feel secure when you have saved enough money and invested it wisely? Do you need other people to make you happy? Or at least a few hundred Facebook friends? Or are you like Job in the first reading: having no hope of escaping a life of drudgery? He eventually found that only by trusting God can anyone be happy, even when things go wrong. We can follow Paul's example of love for all people no matter who they are. Paul's love was not to make others like him. He genuinely wanted to bring the good news to them: by his love for them, Paul showed that God loves them even more. He knew the gospel requires a change of heart, so his love for others helped them to be more open to change. Let us ask the Lord to fill us with his love, so that we can help each other to hear the good news.

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## Masses: Saints, Readings, Intentions

### Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Jb 7:1-4, 6-7; Ps 147; 1 Cor 9:16-23; Mk 1:29-39

4:00 Christine Konopka

8:00 Intentions of the Parish

10:30 Mary Rohde

### Monday February 5 St. Agatha

1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13; Ps 132; Mk 6:53-56

10:30 Saint Hugh Purgatorial Society

### Tuesday February 6 St. Paul Miki and Companions

1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30; Ps 84; Mk 7:1-13

10:30

### Wednesday February 7

1 Kgs 10:1-10; Ps 37; Mk 7:14-23

10:30

### Thursday February 8 St. Jerome Emiliani;

St. Josephine Bakhita

1 Kgs 11:4-13; Ps 106; Mk 7:24-30

10:30 Mothers & Fathers

### Friday February 9

1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19; Ps 81; Mk 7:31-37

10:30

### Saturday February 10 St. Scholastica

1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34; Ps 106; Mk 8:1-10

10:30

### Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lv 13:1-2,44-46; Ps 32; 1 Cor 10:31-11:1; Mk 1:40-45

4:00 Gordon Gnat

8:00 Leona & Paul Carrabotta

10:30 Intentions of the Parish



### Weekend of February 10-11

Mass	Priest / Deacon	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
4:00pm	Father Reszel	Arlene H	Cindy M Cathy B Olivia Q	Alexys A Gianna M
8:00am	Father Reszel	Rosemary K	Rosemary K Edgardo R	Bella S Juan S
10:30am	Father Reszel	Gloria M	Theresa M Patti K Kathy L	Jacob S Marissa H Jon S

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

## Renew My Church Grouping Parishes

### Saint Mary 126 Herrick Rd., Riverside

Sat. 5:00pm Sun. 8:00, 10:00, 11:30am, 5:00pm

Mon-Sat 8:15am Reconciliation: Sat. 4:00-4:30pm

### Mater Christi 2401 S. Tenth Ave., North Riverside

Sat. 5:00pm Sun. 8:00, 9:30, 11:00am

Mon-Sat 8:00am Reconciliation: Sat. 4:15-4:40pm

### Saint Pius X 4300 S. Oak Park Ave., Stickney

Sat. 5:00pm Sun. 8:00, 10:30am

MTTF 8:00 S 9:00am Reconciliation: Sat. 4:00-4:30pm

## Saint of the day

**February 5.** One of the four virgin martyrs celebrated in the Catholic calendar of saints, Saint Agatha was arrested during the persecution of Decius in 251. Tortured for her beauty and tempted to violate her chastity, Agatha was eventually martyred.

**February 8.** Kidnapped at the age of nine, Josephine acquired the name "Bakhit" which means "fortunate one." Her most "fortunate blessing" came when she was bought by an Italian consul which led eventually to her conversion and freedom. She joined the Canossian Sisters and ministered in Italy. Her feastday is the International Day of Prayer and Awareness against Human Trafficking

[franciscanmedia.org/source/saint-of-the-day](http://franciscanmedia.org/source/saint-of-the-day)

## Pray for the sick

In preparation for the World Day of Prayer for the Sick, this list of those who are seriously or chronically ill is being revised. If you wish a loved one's name to appear in this weekly request for prayers, please contact the parish office. For more information on this updating, see the pastor's column on page two.

**The Comboni Fathers of LaGrange Park invite you to join them on a fifteen day Mission Trip to Uganda**



Fr. Chris Aleti, Director of the Comboni Mission Center, will lead this trip, leaving Chicago May 31 and returning June 14. If you are interested in joining the Fathers, several Comboni Mission Center employees, friends and volunteers, contact them at 708.354.1999 or [cmcoffice@sbcglobal.net](mailto:cmcoffice@sbcglobal.net).

The Fathers will be hosting planning meetings, at the end of February, to finalize the details of the trip.

During this time of discernment of our eleventh pastor, ask our patron saint to intercede for our parish.



*Saint Hugh of Grenoble...pray for us*



**From the Faith Formation Office**

February 5: SCW monthly gathering begins with the Rosary

at 6:30pm in Keating Hall

February 6: SPRED 6:30-8:30pm

February 11: RE grades PreK-6, 9:05-10:20am / Children's Liturgy of the Word during 10:30am Mass

February 13: Confirmandi and RCIA 6:00-7:30pm / Confirmation Parent Meeting 7:30-8:30pm

February 14: Ash Wednesday Mass at 10:30am / Service at 4:00pm / Operation Rice Bowl begins

February 15: Youth Ministry meeting at 6:30pm - open gym at 7:00pm

February 16: Stations of the Cross at 7:00pm led by Father Reszel

February 18: No RE classes / RCIA election - sending to Holy Name Cathedral during 10:30am Mass

More: [tinyurl.com/sthughcalendar](http://tinyurl.com/sthughcalendar)

**February Gathering**

Monday February 5 beginning with the Rosary at 6:30pm - Keating Hall

Meeting agenda includes discussions about the nomination of SCW officers and the Woman of the Year. A split the pot raffle benefitting the ACCW scholarship and refreshments are always part of the monthly gathering of women.



SCW

**Is God calling you?**

Proclaiming the gospel is our Christian mission. Jesus proclaimed the Good News and healed because he was rooted in prayer. Take Jesus' lead – pray! (Mark 1: 29-39). To discover ways of serving the church, visit: [ChicagoPriest.com](http://ChicagoPriest.com) and / or [VocationsCAVA.org](http://VocationsCAVA.org)



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Jesus healed many people.  
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## Congratulations

Jacklyn Alfred, Nikolas Colagrossi, Gavin Morris, Veronica Alfred, and Ashley Blazina have been named to the first semester honor roll at Nazareth Academy.

## Employment and Service Opportunities



The Archdiocese of Chicago has many current open and exciting career opportunities! The Archdiocese of Chicago offers attractive compensation and benefits. We invite you, and encourage you to invite those in your

network, to visit our Career site to review our open positions: <http://legacy.archchicago.org/Employment/>

## CRS Operation Rice Bowl 2018



The Lenten program of Catholic Relief Services. Rice Bowl Packets will be available in the Church vestibule after Masses next weekend. Lent begins on Ash Wednesday February 14.

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## You are invited to:



### A Family of Faith: LOVE SCHOOL K-12

Discussion sponsored by the Chastity Education Initiative of the Archdiocese featuring Damen Owens, Tuesday February 6 at 7:00pm at St Gerald Parish, 9320 S 55th Ct., Oak Lawn  
RSVP: [atheis@stgerald.com](mailto:atheis@stgerald.com)

**Come and Be** The School Sisters of Notre Dame in the Brookfield area invite women, ages 20-45, to join them for dinner and prayer on the third Friday of each month. Next: February 16 - 6:00-8:00pm. For directions, RSVP at least 48 hours in advance to Sister Mary Kay Brooks 612.309.6376 / [mbrooks@ssnd.org](mailto:mbrooks@ssnd.org)



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**Daughters of Charity Online Lenten Retreat February 25 - March 1**  
Meet with a sister on Skype or by phone to reflect and ask questions about discerning religious life. Walk through tools and materials with a retreat director and pray with us. Open to

single Catholic women 18-40. Contact Sister Virginia Ann Brooks, D.C. at [sistervirginiaann.brooks@doc.org](mailto:sistervirginiaann.brooks@doc.org) or 812.963.7559 Register online at [called2.be/Lent18](http://called2.be/Lent18)

### Mid-life Singles (mid-30s to 50s) Retreat:

a life-changing REFLECT weekend March 2-4 at the Cardinal Stritch Retreat House in Mundelein. Take a chance and get involved. Cost is \$215 for meals and a single room. [ReflectRetreat.com](http://ReflectRetreat.com) / 630.222.8303



### Chicago Catholic Radio

WNDZ 750AM Monday-Friday 8:00am-9:00am

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Latin America 4

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## Scrip (a.k.a. gift cards)

Why not use our most convenient fundraiser? We have posted a list of participating retailers in the church vestibule. That list is also at [www.sthughlyons.org](http://www.sthughlyons.org) In-stock scrip (gift cards) are available after the weekend Masses and during the week at the parish office. Next Sunday see Mary Ann (8:00) or Theresa (10:30) for: Amazon \$25, CVS \$25, Dunkin Donuts \$10, Home Depot \$25, iTunes \$15, Jewel \$25, Kohl's \$25, Starbucks \$10, Target \$25, Walgreens \$25, and Walmart \$25.

## Wills / Bequests

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

## Question of the Week

What does it mean to be a disciple? How do I serve God and serve others?

## Vincentian reflection



In the Gospel today, we find that Jesus would rise very early before dawn and go to a deserted place to pray and then he went out to preach and to

heal. Please pray for the poor and suffering, knowing that you are bringing the love and peace of Jesus to those who live in fear and doubt, loneliness and dread.

## Stewardship thought

*Rising very early before dawn, he left and went off to a deserted place, where he prayed...He told them, "Let us go on to the nearby villages that I may preach there also. For this purpose have I come."*

- MARK 1:35, 38

In today's Gospel reading we see a perfect example of stewardship. Jesus gives His time to do all that God wishes - healing the sick and preaching. But before He begins, Jesus makes time to be alone with God in prayer. It is through prayer, spending time with God, that we find the strength to do what He wishes us to do. Be sure to find time every day to be with God.

## Mass intentions

Parish Masses are offered for the intentions of all who are present. A special intention for the Mass may also be requested. The intention is usually announced in the bulletin and included in the Universal Prayer. The usual donation is \$10.

To arrange for a Mass intention, contact the parish office:

webpage: [sthughlyons.org](http://sthughlyons.org)

e-mail: [sthughlyons@sbcglobal.net](mailto:sthughlyons@sbcglobal.net)

telephone: 708.447.3108

fax: 708.447.9870

in person: 7939 43rd Street

by note: in the basket with your weekly offering

## Treasures from our tradition

We're reading St. Paul's letter to the Corinthians these days. What was Corinth like? It had a beautiful setting on an isthmus, about fifty miles from Athens. The location makes for very easy exchange by sea routes between Greece and Italy, a factor in its economic success even today. In Paul's day it was a cosmopolitan and wealthy city with inhabitants drawn from all over the world, including a sizeable Jewish community. When Paul arrived about the year 50, the city was only about a century old, but already five times the size of Athens. Paul lived in Corinth for a year and a half, and a few years later came back for three months. The community of Christians there struggled against the influence of a very secular and self-indulgent society that was blind to the plight of the poor. Pagan attitudes afflicted the community, which had a way of breaking Paul's heart; he wrote to them sometimes "with many tears" (2 Corinthians 2:4).

Today, Corinth is a small industrial city. Its historic core has been destroyed by a series of earthquakes over the centuries, and what little remained was totally obliterated in a war with Turkey in the 1820s. There's a core city with glamorous shops to catch the tourists, but it is mainly a cargo port, with piles of marble, tiles, and minerals everywhere, a huge oil refinery nearby, a busy canal, a modern fast rail line to Athens, and a meeting point of major highways. Today, the remains of the Temple of Apollo and the marketplace are more ruined than most such sites. The glory of the city Paul knew well has faded, but the relevance of his words shines through the centuries.

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## **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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## **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.

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