

APRIL 15, 2018 | THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

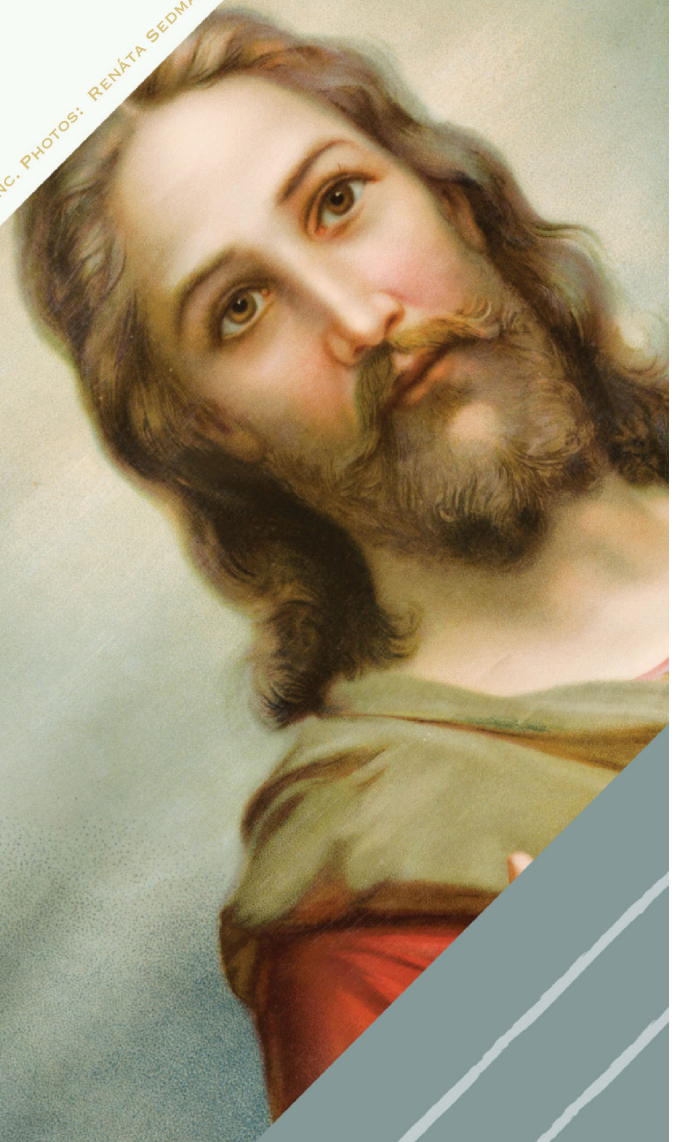
If anyone does

Sin,

we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ
the righteous one. He is expiation for our sins.

~ 1 John 2:1-2

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From the Pastor's Desk

ALLELUIA

Blessings and joy on this Third Sunday of Easter. The Paschal Season includes the Sacramental Celebrations of First Holy Communion at the 10:30am Mass Sunday April 22 and Confirmation (with Bishop John Manz) at the 10:30am Mass Sunday April 29. Our festival of fifty days will include the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord on Sunday May 13 (Mother's Day) and will culminate liturgically with the celebration of Solemnity of Pentecost, the so-called Birthday of the Church, on May 20.

Hospitality matters. Please help to make visitors and parishioners feel welcome to worship here.

• Before Mass:

Greet one another. Introduce yourself. Move toward the center of the pew so that it is easier for others to enter. Silence your phone. Smile.

• During Mass:

Actively participate. Sing. Take the initiative at the sign of peace. Pray with and for each other. Smile.

• After Mass:

Return two copies of *Breaking Bread* to each book rack. Return the Order of Service card to the hat clip with the word WELCOME being the first thing that the next person will see. Put the kneelers up so that it is easier for the next person to enter. Remove whatever you have brought into the pew including the bulletin,

tissues, diapers, papers, and water bottles. Smile.

During Easter, consider how you might more fully participate in the church's liturgy and the ministry and mission of our parish. For the next few weeks, a Parish Help Wanted / Volunteers Needed feature will be found at the bottom of page six in this weekly bulletin.

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

Father Reszel



Of musical note

On Divine Mercy Sunday, April 8, our Children's Choir sang at the 10:30 Mass. Thank you for a great year: Alexys, Delylah, Kaitlyn, Naima, Gianna, Linsy, Cindy,

Michelle, Joey, Yasmin - and for your cooperative parents!

During Lent and Holy Week, Saint Hugh singers and instrumentalists added a glorious musicality! Thanks to: Veronica Alfred, Alexys Alvarez, Greg Caitnamer, Barbara Derwin, Don Edwards, Mildred Estoce, Carole Hallberg, Rose Hawrylicz, Lorraine Marek, Gianna Mendez, Giselle Mendez, Sally Olivares, Lizzy Pieta, Nick Pieta, Celeste Quezada, Rosemarie Scheffel, Marilyn Scapardine, Bonnie Tarry, Kim Thomas, Alexa Venditte, and all in the assembly who enhanced our liturgies with energy and beauty.

Anyone who is inspired to sing with the Ensemble at 4:00pm on Saturdays, with the Choir at 10:30am on Sundays, or as a Cantor as needed should contact Fran Serpe, music director, at your convenience in church. There are several weeks left until summer break. Let us make the most of them as we worship together.

Fault or Fate?

Peter seems to be pretty tough with his listeners in the first reading. He practically says they handed Jesus over, denied him before Pilate, asked for a murderer to be released in his place, and put Jesus to death. They must have thought they were doomed. But then he tells them that God had planned all this long ago. So is he saying Jesus' death is their fault, or just fate? The answer of course is that it's everyone's fault. We deny Jesus when we choose to be selfish instead of loving. We crucify Jesus when we follow the crowd instead of following the Lord. It is only "fate" in the sense that our sins needed to be forgiven and God plan's for salvation was through Jesus' death and resurrection. There were sinners long before Jesus' time and God knew there would be sinners after that. Jesus rose from the dead to show that God's forgiveness raises us up from guilt to a new life.

So Peter wasn't laying a guilt trip on the listeners: this is good news. God planned all this to show how much he loved us. Our response should be one of joy that we are forgiven because of that love. All we have to do is tell God we are sorry, mean it, and start living our response of love. Sins may be our fault, but Love is our fate.

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Rest in peace

In your kindness, pray for the repose of the souls of Francis John Scala and Juanita Murguia. Inurnment for Mr. Scala, husband of Laura, was at the Abraham Lincoln Cemetery following committal prayers at Saint Hugh. Funeral services for Mrs. Murguia, mother of Maria Galvez, were held at Saint Hugh and Saint Mary Cemetery on Thursday April 5.

Masses: Saints, Readings, Intentions

Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 3:13-15,17-19; Ps 4; 1 Jn 2:1-5a; Lk 24:35-48

4:00 Henry Spetter; Celestino Trevino

8:00 Intentions of the Parish

10:30 Rosemary Sergio

Monday April 16

Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119; Jn 6:22-29

10:30 Pauline Buban

Tuesday April 17

Acts 7:51 -- 8:1a; Ps 31; Jn 6:30-35

10:30

Wednesday April 18

Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66; Jn 6:35-40

10:30

Thursday April 19

Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66; Jn 6:44-51

10:30 Tim Ponsonby

Friday April 20

Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117; Jn 6:52-59

10:30 Saint Hugh Purgatorial Society

Saturday April 21 St. Anselm

Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116; Jn 6:60-69

10:30 Charles Buban

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Acts 4:8-12; Ps 118; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18

4:00 Intentions of the Parish

8:00 Walter Ignash

10:30 First Communicants

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

April 16. Saint Bernadette Soubirous was a poor, uneducated peasant girl who no one would believe had seen apparitions of the Blessed Mother. But Mary had appeared to her, and Lourdes has become a popular shrine of devotion to Mary, the Immaculate Conception, and of healing.

April 21. Perhaps best known in philosophical circles for his rational proof of the existence of God, Saint Anselm was a great theologian as well. A Benedictine monk and scholar, Saint Anselm earned the title "Father of Scholasticism," a school of philosophy/theology prominent in the middle ages, especially among Catholic philosophers and theologians.

franciscanmedia.org/source/saint-of-the-day

Pray for the sick

Alan Chopp, Ed Clark, Russ Entwistle, Emma Mena, Mary Jo Smith, Elsie Tobolaski, Peter Walke

Weekend of April 21-22

Mass	Priest / Deacon	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
4:00pm	Father Reszel	Sue S	Sue S Cindy M Olivia Q	Connor F Marissa H
8:00am	MCCJ Father	Rosemary K	Edgardo R Rosemary K	Teagan W Cindy R
10:30am First Holy Communion	Father Reszel Deacon Frank Mamolella	Jackie A	Patti K Theresa M Nicki M	Madison K Ava C Leo G

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



Call the Police (911) if a child is in immediate danger or has been injured.

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The Archdiocese of Chicago Office for the Protection of Children and Youth has many helpful resources at <https://protect.archchicago.org>



From the Faith Formation Office

EASTER BLESSINGS

April 15: RE family lesson all grades 9:05-10:20am meet in Church

April 17: SPRED 6:30-8:30pm

April 18: First Communion Rehearsal 6:30-7:30pm in church

April 22: RE grades PreK-6, 9:05-10:20am / First Holy Communion at 10:30 Mass / Reader practice for May after Mass

April 23: *Confirmandi* 6:30-7:30pm

April 26: Confirmation rehearsal 7:00-8:30pm in church

April 28: SCW Spring Event

April 29: RE grades PreK-6, 9:05-10:20am / Confirmation Mass 10:30am

May 1: SPRED 6:30-8:30pm

More: tinyurl.com/sthughcalendar

Who Will Fill These Shoes?

Fifth annual vocational event for Catholic young men aged 13-21 at Saint Joseph College Seminary (a part of Loyola University Chicago) 1120 W Loyola Ave., Chicago - on Saturday April 28, 9:00am-2:30pm The event, including lunch, is entirely free of charge. Registration is required: www.cometojoseph.com/who-will-fill-these-shoes

Is God calling you?

Jesus opened the minds of his followers to understanding of scripture. He pronounced them as his witnesses. Be the hands and feet of Jesus today. (Luke 24:35-48). If you think God is calling you to the priesthood or consecrated life, learn more at: ChicagoPriest.com and / or VocationsCAVA.org



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Jim Burrows



God's Word for Children



It is written that the Messiah would suffer, die, and rise from the dead on the third day.

Directions: The prefix TRI means three. Read the descriptions and write the correct word on the line.

TRICYCLE	TRICERATOPS
TRILEVEL	TRIATHLON
TRIANGLE	TRIPOD

- A house with 3 floors. _____
- A dinosaur with 3 horns. _____
- A bike with 3 wheels. _____
- A shape with 3 sides. _____
- A stand with 3 legs. _____
- A race with running, swimming, and biking. _____

Spring Event Pasta Dinner

WHAT: A pasta feast:
various types of pasta and
sauces/gravies - salad -
bread - beverages -
dessert

WHERE: Keating Hall

WHEN: Saturday April 28 5:00-7:30pm

COST: Dinner is FREE but you must RSVP
by April 23 to attend - use the rsvp link
at www.tinyurl.com/scwspring18
or email sthughlyons@sbcglobal.net
or call 708.447.3108

AUCTIONS / RAFFLES / SPLIT-THE-POT

Proceeds will help support various
ministries of Saint Hugh Parish

SCW Members wishing to volunteer and
friends wishing to donate items for the
auctions or raffle should contact the
parish office.

***This dinner is a new event
and is intended for ALL
parishioners, neighbors, and
friends of St. Hugh.***



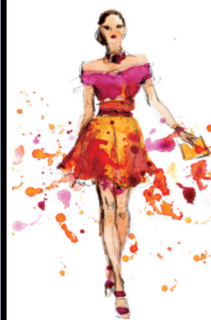
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You are invited to:



**Earth Day Retreat: A Day's Immersion into
God's Natural World** 9:00am-4:30pm on
Sunday April 22 at the Cardinal Stritch
Retreat House in Mundelein. Activities
inspired by the papal encyclical *Laudato Si*.
Includes Mass presided by the Seminary
Rector, Father John Kartje, Ph.D. Suggested
donation \$20 Register: pvm.archchicago.org/creation
or 312.534.5393

BINGO/Raffle Sunday April 22
St Rene Goupil, 6340 S. New England
(just east of Harlem), Chicago \$25
773.229.8523 Doors open 12:30pm



Spring Fling Fashion Show

presented by Saint Pius X Parish
Sunday April 22 beginning at noon
with lunch served at 1:00pm
Crystal Sky Banquets, 47th Street and
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Call: Ann 708.528.8316 or
Chris 708.217.7962



Joyful Again! Retreat-workshop for
widows & widowers who want to find joy
in living again. June 23-24 at Saint Julie
Billiard Parish (Tinley Park) or July 21-21
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now at: joyfulagain.org or 708.354.7211

*Stewardship of Talents
Thought for the Day*

The life of a Christian
steward, lived in imitation
of the life of Christ, is
challenging, even difficult
in many ways; but both
here
and hereafter it is charged
with intense joy.

Stewardship: A Disciple's Response
USCCB, Pastoral Letter



Parish Support

April 7-8

Includes donations via GiveCentral

Offertory + Easter	3274
Maintenance	74
Major Repair	217
Flowers	28
FOR PARISH	3593

Budget for 2017 - 2018

Needed Weekly Offertory	3125
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Extraordinary

Sharing Parish	89
SVdP (Holy Thursday)	15
Holy Land (Good Friday)	10

To safely make your contribution electronically through GiveCentral visit www.sthughlyons.org and click the blue DONATE on the top right.

Scrip (a.k.a. gift cards)

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

Vincentian reflection



In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus explains the meaning of the scriptures. Like the disciples, when we offer and receive

forgiveness our hearts burn because we encounter the risen Christ within us. Have you considered answering the call to "help the poor find forgiveness and healing in their life" by joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul?

Stewardship thought

Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.' But they were startled and frightened...- LUKE 24:36-37

Throughout the day we have many opportunities to "see the face of Jesus" in others and to "be the face of Jesus" to others. Do we take that opportunity to provide "peace" to those we encounter or are we afraid of what others will think of us and do nothing? Pray for the strength to live a "God-centered" life and not a "self-centered" life.

Question of the Week

How can I be a witness? How do I explain what the presence of Jesus in my life means?

Treasures from our tradition

There are many ways in which religious communities are organized. Some have a central authority in a congregation, and others have a "rule" that is shared by all the members, but are a kind of federation of independent houses. Sometimes, congregations with distinct histories and ministries decide to merge. Several years ago, one of the largest mergers on record took place. Seven independent congregations of Dominican women religious, most in the Midwest, are now one new congregation enfolding more than seven hundred members spanning thirty-six states. The oldest of the founding groups, the so-called "Kentucky Dominicans," began as a frontier community in 1822. Other communities have European roots. To get to this historic moment, the sisters spent many years in conversation, and approved the new structure by a two-thirds majority vote. This was then ratified by the Holy See. The merger allows the sisters to pool their resources in order to be more effective in ministry. They are living the Paschal Mystery, experiencing Christ's dying and rising in an inspiring way.

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Wills / Bequests

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

Volunteer(s) wanted

Volunteers for liturgical ministers are always welcome. The present schedule of Readers and Eucharistic Ministers indicates that our greatest needs are for a Reader at the 8:00am Mass and for additional Communion Ministers at all Masses, but especially at the 8:00am Mass. Those willing to serve in these ministries will participate in a brief training session prior to being scheduled. Call Arlene Houda at 708.442.9268 or contact the parish office.

We are still in need of helpers to tend to the church's environment and art. The parish budgets for flowers, but needs the creativity of those who can help to make our worship space both prayerful and beautiful. Please contact the parish office to learn more about this time and talent stewardship opportunity.

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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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Rev. Edward S. Stokus
Rev. Robert J. Burnell

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

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