

St. Hugh Parish

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July 19, 2015

Sixteenth 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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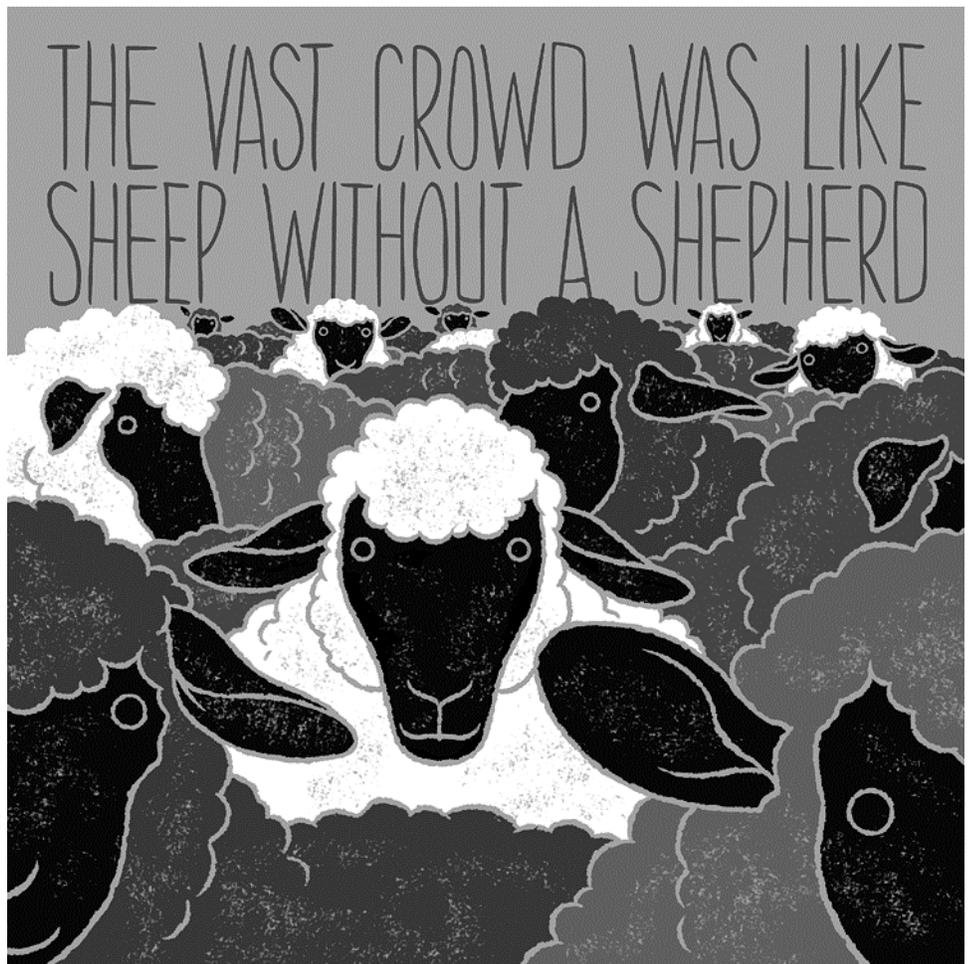
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From the Pastor's Desk

Today is the Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

As I write, the promised phone upgrades have been installed; with a few glitches still to be worked out. This improvement was funded through the To Teach Who Christ Is capital campaign of the Archdiocese. Hopefully, by the time you are reading this, we are functioning at full capacity. That said, your patience in this transition is appreciated.

While enjoying the summer, we are also preparing for the 2015-2016 academic year. As parish, we partner with parents in the religious formation of our young parishioners through a variety of programs of religious education and youth ministry (Pre K through High School). Parents, who have not yet done so, are strongly encouraged to register their children for the coming year.

Adults who seek the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist) prepare to receive the Sacraments at the next Easter Vigil (Saturday March 26, 2016) through a process called the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). At this time we are seeking to gather a community of Catechumens (unbaptized) and Candidates (baptized but not catechized as Catholics) for the RCIA. If you or someone you know is seeking the Sacraments of Initiation, please contact the parish office.

Those who are interested in serving our parish as a volunteer catechist or classroom aide in Religious Education, Youth Ministry, or RCIA should contact our Faith Formation Coordinator, Christine Alfred.

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 Mary Ello. Funeral rites for Mrs. Ello were held on Friday July 10.

Married in the Lord

Jessica Ann Antos and Lance William Skelly began their sacrament of matrimony with their wedding at Saint Hugh on Saturday July 11. Congratulations.

New Life in Christ

Konrad Max Gonczi, son of Iwona (Dunikowska) and Joseph J. Gonczi, was baptized on Sunday July 12. Congratulations.

Question of the Week

What specific situation can I identify as needing me to bring a Christ-like presence this week? How can I do that?



Hope Out of Darkness

We have repeatedly spoken of the Gospel imperative to protect the rights of refugees, to promote the reunification of families, and to honor the dignity of all persons, whatever their status.

~USCCB Committee on Migration, *Unlocking Human Dignity: A Plan to Transform the U.S. Immigrant Detention System*, 2015

The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops highlight the need to protect and honor the dignity of immigrant families in our country, especially those experiencing separation in detention facilities.

Let us join our voices to pray for immigrants and refugees. Call the White House at 855.589.5698 and ask for an end to family detention. Read *Unlocking Human Dignity: A Plan to Transform the U.S. Immigrant Detention System* at www.CatholicsAndImmigrants.org.

Saint Hugh - pray for us

The feast day of our parish patron, Saint Hugh of Grenoble, is April first - no fooling.



Unfortunately, we rarely celebrate his memorial liturgically. This year, April 1 was during Holy Week. Next year it will fall during Easter Week. For this reason, our Halfway to Hugh Day is the first Saturday of October. Our third annual celebration will be immediately after the 4:00pm Mass on October 3.

A biography of our patron follows:

St. Hugh was born in 1052 in southeastern France at Châteauneuf-sur-Isère, near Grenoble in the western foothills of the Alps. Such was his reputation for piety and theological knowledge that, although only in his mid-twenties, Hugh was elected bishop of Grenoble even though he had not yet been ordained. He was selected to carry out reforms of abuses within the Church which had been instituted under Pope Gregory VII, who ordained Hugh in Rome after his election as bishop.

After two years of successfully battling abuses in Grenoble such as simony (the selling of church positions) and enforcing rules about clerical celibacy, Hugh wanted to retire to the great Benedictine monastery at Cluny. However, Pope Gregory ordered him to remain in his position as bishop. He was well-known for his inspired preaching and his generosity to the poor.

In 1084, Hugh helped St. Bruno of Cologne and six of his companions found the great Carthusian monastery "La Grande Chartreuse" high in the Alps. They devoted their monastic life to prayer and study and were visited by Hugh often. It was reported that, as much as he could in his role as bishop, Hugh adopted the monastic way of life practiced by the monks at Chartreuse. The 2005 film, *Into Great Silence*, documented the daily life at La Grande Chartreuse. After many years of illness which he endured in patient silence, St. Hugh died on April 1, 1132 and was canonized only two years later by Pope Innocent II.

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



**Sixteenth Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

Jer 23:1-6;
Ps 23;
Eph 2:13-18;
Mk 6:30-34

4:00 Intentions of the Parish

8:00 Wally, Joseph, & Mary Cizek;
Jerry Hanzelin

10:30 R.J. Sanders; Douglas Malik

Monday, July 20 - St. Apollinaris
Ex 14:5-18; Ex 15; Mt 12:38-42

10:30 Helen Prepura

Tuesday, July 21

St. Lawrence of Brindisi
Ex 14:21-15:1; Ex 15; Mt 12:46-50

10:30 Saint Hugh Purgatorial Society

Wednesday, July 22

St. Mary Magdalene
Ex 16:1-15; Ps 78; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

10:30 Sr. Barbara Jean Cizek

Thursday, July 23 - St. Bridget

Ex 19:1-20b; Dn 3; Mt 13:10-17

10:30

Friday, July 24 - St. Sharbel Makhlūf

Ex 20:1-17; Ps 19; Mt 13:18-23

10:30 Joseph Renc

Saturday, July 25 - St. James

2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126; Mt 20:20-28

10:30



**Seventeenth Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

2 Kgs 4:42-44;
Ps 145; Eph 4:1-6;
Jn 6:1-15

4:00 Jack & Agnes Dudek;
Emilio Trevino

8:00 Leona & Paul Carrabotta;
Otto Morovcek

10:30 Intentions of the Parish

God's Word Today

Today's second reading gives us a remarkable example of what the life of faith is all about. Saint Paul tells the Corinthians that he was given a "thorn in the flesh." Scripture scholars have debated just what this "thorn" really was. Perhaps it is best that we do not know exactly, for each of us has our own "thorn in the flesh." It may be chronic illness, a fractured relationship, deep disappointment, unemployment, or any number of things. It is Paul's attitude that we are called to emulate. When we are tempted to groan or complain about our own "thorns in the flesh," let us remember that it is in weakness that we are made strong.

This is a central paradox of the Christian life, one that is difficult to live. May Saint Paul intercede on our behalf so that we will be strengthened in faith, even in our weakness. *From Saint Margaret Sunday Missal, copyright © J. S. Paluch Company*

Pray for the sick

August Bose, Virginia Bryson, Kathy Buckland, Mary Buckland, Vincent Caccamo, Mike Cahill, Richard Callahan, Bob Ferrill, Dawn Gilbert, Glen Gilbert, Roseanne Gilbert, Dawn Hainsworth, Annette Jaworski, Lorraine Polcyn, Theresa Roebuck, Liz Shermack, Vicki Stephansen, Lucille Sytko, Tillie Vujtech, Martin Wodarski

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| Mass | Priest | Reader | Eucharistic Ministers | Cantor | Altar Servers |
| 4:00pm | MCCJ Father | Celeste Quezada | Cindy McCarthy Theresa Schultz Stella Caccamo | Veronica A | Marissa S Makayla L Marissa H |
| 8:00am | Father Reszel | Rosemary Kufta | Edgardo Ramos Nina Konopasek Cathy Melone | Giselle M | Amanda S Alexis S Ava C |
| 10:30am | Father Reszel | Caylei H | Tony Diaz Maggie Schemenaur Liz Shermack | Carole Hallberg | Ashley B Alexys A |

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



Married in 1965?

If you have not yet done so, there is still time to register for the Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday August 30 at 2:45pm at Holy Name Cathedral, 735 N. State St., Chicago. To register, contact the

Marriage and Family Ministries Office at 312.534.8351 or at www.marriageandfamilyministries.org

For your marriage

Sometimes it may feel like we are *sheep without a shepherd*. Restore communication, rekindle romance and renew commitment by participating in one of the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends on August 7-9 or October 9-11 at Elk Grove Village. For reservations, contact Jim & Kris at 630.577.0778 or at <http://wwme-chicagoland.org>



Rest in God

The return of the Twelve offers an opportunity to balance the activity of mission with the necessity of contemplation. They are invited "to a deserted place" (Mark 6:31) to restore and refresh themselves. They have been active in mission and now they must find the silence of God's presence in the desert, far from the madding crowd. The desert also calls to

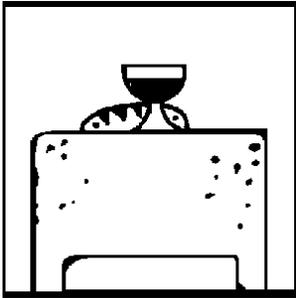
mind the wandering of the Hebrew people in the wilderness. They were hungry and Moses fed them with the miraculous manna. Jesus feeds them with his teaching, and then, next Sunday, he gives them heavenly bread.



Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B.

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Altar by Paul Turner

The altar is a fixed, freestanding table, the central focus for the celebration of the Eucharist. It is both altar and table. As altar, it is the place of sacrifice, where Christ, who was sacrificed on the cross for us, becomes present again under the sacramental form of bread and wine. As table, it gathers the people of God to share the Body and Blood of Christ, their holiest meal, which recalls the passover and grants a foretaste of the heavenly banquet.

The altar is traditionally made of stone, but it may be constructed of another solid, well-crafted material such as wood or metal, which establishes its beauty and dignity. Its rectangular shape suited the liturgy before the Second Vatican Council, when the Scriptures were read from the sides of the altar. Today's altar is often more square to accommodate the priest, the bread and the wine. But it should always be clear among church furnishings that the altar is the center of focus.

When the altar of a church is consecrated, the bishop anoints its top with chrism. Chrism is the perfumed oil we reserve for the sacraments that are celebrated only once in one's lifetime: baptism, confirmation and ordination. The consecration of an altar sets it apart permanently for its sacred purpose. In conjunction with this anointing, the altar also represents Jesus, whose title "Christ" means "anointed." The proper reverence upon entering a church is to bow to the altar, unless the tabernacle is centrally located, in which case one genuflects to the tabernacle.

In the past, the altar was located against the rear wall, and the priest celebrated Mass with his back to the people. Additional altars were often located in chapels around the church, permitting other priests to celebrate separate Masses at the same time. Today a church should have one altar, freestanding so the priest may walk completely around it. It should be permanently fixed to reflect the stability of our faith (*General Instruction of the Roman Missal* 299).

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Treasures from our tradition

When Catholicism encounters a culture, it tends to approach the culture with a measure of respect for its key customs, especially those touching family life. Around the world, these long-established customs are often received into the liturgy, sometimes with a new level of interpretation. From Old Mexico, the custom of the *lasso* ("cord") has migrated across borders, and is now firmly established in the marriage liturgy of Spanish-speaking Catholics in the United States. It's a large cord, sometimes resembling rosary beads, looped around the necks of the newlyweds in a figure-eight shape. It is a great honor for a person, normally a godparent or close relative, to place the *lasso* around the shoulders of the couple, groom first. The *lasso*, a symbol of profound unity, remains in place throughout the liturgy until removed, usually by the priest. The bride keeps the *lasso* as a memento of the day, a sign of her ties of love to her husband in heart and home. The tender ministry of the godparent in this ceremony clearly links this sacrament of vocation with baptism. It's not unusual to see the *lasso* made of fragrant orange blossoms, harking back to very ancient pre-Christian rituals seeking the blessings of fertility and happiness.

- Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

Parish Support

July 11-12 includes GiveCentral

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| Maintenance | 89 |
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| Other | 20 |
| TOTAL FOR PARISH | 3085 |

Budget for 2015 - 2016

Needed Weekly 2900

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| Peter's Pence | 10 |

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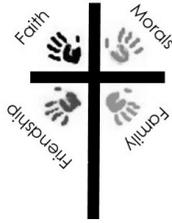
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Concessions
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Wills / Bequests

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

Almsgiving opportunity

Non-perishable items may be brought to church and left under the table in the vestibule or in the altar servers' sacristy located behind the baptismal font and the Holy Family. Donations will be distributed by the Food Pantry of Lyons.



From the Faith Formation Office

Registration for 2015-2016 Religious Education Programs (Pre-K through High School) continues through the summer.

Contact Christine Alfred at the parish office.

August 8 -9: Annual Summer Mission Cooperative to benefit the Missionary Congregation of the Blessed Sacrament (MCBS)

August 15: Assumption of the BVM

August 30: Parish Picnic

sthughfaithformation@gmail.com

Stewardship thought

...come away by yourselves to a lonely place and rest awhile. Mark 6:31

Do you spend time listening for God? Most of the time, He speaks in soft whispers. Open your heart and hear the Lord. Take time in silence every day and ask God what it is He wants you to do. Consider making a retreat this year.

Ministries

708.447.3108 for all marked (*)

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708.442.9268
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Christine Alfred – Coordinator
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708.447.6849
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S.C.W. - Rosemary Kuffa
708.447.7562

GOD'S WORD FOR CHILDREN

The disciples returned to Jesus from their journey. They were tired and hungry, yet people kept coming to hear their message.

Jer 23:1-6

Ps 23:1-6

Eph 2:13-18

Mk 6:30-34

Directions: Complete the seek & find.

DISCIPLES JESUS JOURNEY
MESSAGE TIRED HUNGRY

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