“...the world no longer sees me, but you will see me, because I live and you will live. On that day you will realize that I am in my Father and you are in me and I in you.”

Adapted from the Holy Gospel of John

Mass of Remembrance • 2019

Sunday, November 3
12:30 pm Candle Lighting
1 pm Mass
625 W. Adams
Today we need to celebrate our loved one’s life stories and be inspired by their witness.

This is how it is in the world: things grow, they bloom, and they die, and in their dying, they help a new thing grow. Happy All Saints Day! I am reminded today of a happy memory of humming these words headed into church one past all saint’s day as a child singing “Oh, when the saints go marching in Lord, how I want to be in that number when the saints go marching in.” It’s a great old song that gives voice to an even older Christian hope, that when the kingdom comes, we ourselves will be among the holy ones streaming through its pearly gates, dancing down its golden streets, knowing ourselves to be in the company of God. And the lyrics continue “We are traveling in the footsteps of those who’ve gone before, and we’ll all be reunited, on a new and sunlit shore, oh, when the saints go marching in.”

The fact that that there are specific persons in that number that we remember today and are eager to see again, also matters to God. Thus we rejoice today that, while we weep, every tear has been removed from their eyes. We also sing in joy that soon the tears will also be removed from our eyes. The glorious communion of saints provides us with access to a massive list of prayer partners who pray with us and pray for us. The list also includes family and friends whose holiness and love directly touched and enriched our lives. We all have our favorite saints and family members who inspired us. We need these heavenly models of holiness. We also need earthly models of holiness. Saints are all around us, women and men whose generous spirit reflects the Gospel call to love and serve God and others. Some do it by making the ordinary holy through a spirit of simplicity and humility. Some do it by showing extraordinary courage in sickness and adversity. Some do it by railing against injustice and working to bring equality and dignity to all.

The Feast of All Souls and Saints asks us to look beyond the long list of canonized saints and to hunt for holiness among our own, and when we do find holiness close at hand, we recognize that the Church herself, for all her flaws and sins, is nonetheless a rich harvest in which the people of God comfort, care, and celebrate the Gospel of our lives together. St John reads the words of Jesus when he comforts his apostles by telling them that, “my father’s house has many rooms; if that were not so, would I have told that I am going to prepare a place for for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me so that you also may be where I am.” In other words, the saints have already moved in.

As we remember our loved ones, we give witness, and we pray for the holy women and men who have been identified by the Church as Saints. These saints are more than just role models; they are family members with whom we continue to share relation, in a bond of prayer, called the Communion of Saints. Jesus was about reaching people in their hearts, giving them reasons for hope and joy, and encouraging true and lasting conversion. Our role as a strong and vibrant Christian community is to send us forth. Saints know this. They are women and men whose lives flow seamlessly from prayer to action. Today we need to celebrate our loved one’s life stories and be inspired by their witness. Today, as we remember all of our loved ones who have died in the past year, we are reminded of our personal communion with them as a bond of love which will never be broken and this way our loved ones live on. They live on in our hearts and in our souls and in the kingdom of heaven this day. Their light, their influence and their love are still very much a part of who we are on our earthly journey. As we celebrate their lives during masses today, we ask God for the continued comfort, and strength, faith and hope in Her promises of everlasting life. We sing today and praise our God for all those saints who have finished their course here and entered into the rest of the Lord. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Bernadette Gibson is the Director of Pastoral Care at Old Saint Patrick’s Church.
On this day, and every day, we remember...

John Akers
Charlie Allen
Michael Anderson
Jakob Baker
Fr. John Baldwin
Michael Bansley
Antonia "Tanya" Bargasse
Patricia Barkauskas
Dave Benson
Patricia A. Black
Mary Bollman
Patrick Ronald Brady
Florence Brady
Sr. Nora Brady O.P.
Carol & George Brown
Gary Brownfield
Michael Leahy Bryant
Jessica L Bryant
Cynthia Buckley
James Burns
Doug Bushard
Christine Elizabeth Cagney
SauSHA CalFA
Sam Calomino
Bill Carney
John D. Carney
Celeste Curran Casey
John Anthony Cebuhar
John Chamberlain
Kristin Chipman
Robert Martin Clancy
Edward Clark
Carmella Clinton
Blanche McHugh "B.C." Collins
Patrick Connaughton
Bennie Connroy
William Cowhey
Kathleen Cowles
Lucas Paul Cummings
Renetta Ann Cummings
Frank Cunniff
Linda Cunningham
Malcolm Cutting
Michael CynneK
Hamlet Brosiues D'Arcy
Timothy H. Dacy
Dick Daly
Theodore E Dawes
Baldina Delgado
Justin Scott Dodson
Nellie Heffernan Doherty
Leon J. Dourlet
Bob Durkin
Jimmie Etheridge
Judy Fahey
Loren Feldner
Harve Ferrill
Molly Fetzer
Angela M. Finnerty
Theresa Finnery
James T. FitzGibbon
Jack Flaherty
Maggie McNelis Flanagan
SteveN Follenweider
Jill Saraceno Franklin
Edward William Freedman
Roberta Ann McCabe Fruth
Aurora Gagni
Michael J. Gavin
Fran Gaydos
Bette George
Felicia George
Terry Gilman
Kevin Glynn
Anthony Patrick Golden
Brian Douglass Granstrom
Rob Guido
Martin Halby
Marjorie J. Harrington
Guimo Havanes
Catherine "Kitty" Hayes
Michael Heffernan
Bill Helmold
Patricia Hensley Blake
William Terrence Hepp
Judy Herbst
Gregory S. Heringhaus
Irene Mary Hernandez
Mary Hevener
Andrew Hodorowicz
Rose Hopkins
Daniel Howard
Susan H Jacobi
Anthony, James and Patricia
Jalovec
Tim James
Michael J. Jennings
Pearlie Jernigan
Elizabeth Kaczkowski
Mary Kauth
Alice "Kitty" Virginia Kelly
Trudy S. Kelly
Charles Perlitz Kempf
Mary Kay Kennedy
Dr. Robert J. Keough
Julius Keresztes
John KlocekE
John Kohut
Bill Kohut
MonA T Konicek
Robert Kusch
Duc Lai
Mary Lynn Lally
William Latsko
Merri Leffel
Doug Livingstone
Gerald M. Lorden
Don Lorenzen Sr.
Robert A. Lowden
Bernadette Ludke
Brian D. Lynch
Patricia L. "Trish" Lynch
Edith Maher
Antoinette Rose Mannella
Infant Champa Marcell
Robert Marshall
Gary J. Martin
Patty McAvoy
Ron McCann
James Patrick McCarthy
John A. McCormick
David Mcintosh
Kevin McKe
Joanie McMenna
Sally Jo McLaughlin
Geraldine Meccia
Katherine Mary Anne Meier
Emma Melchiorri
Mel Mefille
Richard Meunier
Lois Michels
Bernadette Mincinski
William Miller, Jr.
Gary Miloradovich
Ronald Michael Miniat
Judith Moore
James Patrick Morris
Thomas J. Morrison
Bernice "Bunny" Moyer
George Mueller
John Murtagh
Lori Kloba Nahrwold
Virginia Nee
Kay Neville
Ronald Newberg
Gene Niezgoda
Dr. Carl Northcutt
Rudy & Frances Novak
Mary Jo Nyhan
Gladys U. Okafor-Halim
Charlotte Ortiz
Tom Owen
Lorraine A. Parker
Paula Partipilo
James Morris Patrick
Alexander Robert Peglar
Philip Peterson
Marie Rafferty Plunkett
Andrew Portman
Marge Catherine Prendergast
Jack Pubenz
Kathleen Puccetti
Mary Lou Quinn
Jack Radabaugh
Katherine White Radler
William Thomas Raese III
Alfred Ramel
Mary Claire Finley Redinbo
Andrew Rice
James T. Roberts
Mary Lee Roberts
Frank Romeo
Alyson Marie Rossi Smit
Jeff Russell
Sam Sadowski
Cyril William "Paul" Saner
Robert Saxton, Jr.
Margaret Schnecke
Karen Schneider
Bernice Frances Scozzafave
Dr. Raj Sehgal
Barb Serpe
Infant Angelca Shanahan
John Shanahan
PFC. Julie Shanahan
Mary Sharko
Barry Sherman
Gary Sholder
Delores Simkus
Detective Brian Simonson
Lee Sizemore
Norma Skerjan
Robert Smith
Robert William Soré
Sinclair Sore'
Juanita Sota
Trevor Paul Sprague
Megan Ann StairsI
Gloria Ann Stephenson
Rose Sterr
Daniel Steiber
Bruce Stone
Katherine Bradley Stotler
Jeff Stratton
David J. Stricker
Deacon Bill Sullivan
Sharon Sullivan
Michael John Suty
Joseph Edward Svboda
Ron Swanberg
Greg Swidergal
Jack Targgart
Janis Taylor
Celestina Teotico
Paul Thurm
Peggy Sue Boyett Todd
Charles "Charlie" Todd
Joan Van Fleet
Judy Van Sensus
Loralee Vasquez
Margie Watterson
John Weaver
Matthew Weaver
John Weaver Jr.
Richard Welcome
Betty Wesolowski
Jim West
Bob Wicklander
Nick Witt
Arlene Maude Ashing Wu
Charles C. Yang
Nancy Zavaleta
Carol Zwart

visit us at oldstpats.org
EVENT | DATE | TIME | LOCATION | CONTACT
--- | --- | --- | --- | ---
Mass of Remembrance | Sunday, November 3 | 1 pm Mass | 625 W. Adams | Bernadette Gibson bernadetteg@oldstpats.org
Solidarity Market | Sunday, November 10 | 9 am - 1 pm | 625 W. Adams | Kayla Jackson kaylaj@oldstpats.org
Blood Drive | Sunday, November 10 | 7 am - 2:30 pm | FXW Gym | Mark Buciak mark.buciak@rcn.com
Family Bingo | Sunday, November 10 | 12:30 - 2:30 pm | Hughes Hall | Kathy Ginder kginder@mac.com
Financial Commandments for Young Professionals | Thursday, November 14 | 6 pm - 8 pm | 711 W. Monroe Room 25A | Colleen Bentley privatevistanews@myprivtevista.com
Beer Biz & Tasting Men’s Group | Thursday, November 14 | 6 - 9 pm | 625 W. Adams | bit.ly/MensGroupFall2019
Encore Day of Reflection | Saturday, November 16 | 9 am - 4 pm | Carmelite Spiritual Center | bit.ly/EncoreDoR
The Next Chapter November Gathering | Sunday, November 17 | 10:45 am - 12 pm | 711 W. Monroe Room 21 | Linda Eng lbeng49@gmail.com

DECK THE HALL TICKETS GO ON SALE NOVEMBER 3!

Join us for the 26th annual Deck The Hall on Thursday, Dec. 5, Friday, Dec. 6 and Saturday, Dec. 7. Deck The Hall is a beautiful candlelight Christmas concert in the Church with the Metropolis Symphony Orchestra, the Old St. Patrick’s Christmas Choir and some of Old St. Pat’s favorite vocal soloists.

Tickets go on sale today, November 3, outside all the morning masses or at www.oldstpats.org starting at 9 am.

Tickets for the concert are $60. Tickets for the concert and the post-performance reception are $75. Don't wait to purchase your tickets. This event sells out quickly! Sponsorship packages are also available. Please contact events@oldstpats.org.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR DECK THE HALL

Volunteers are needed for the evenings of the event on December 5, 6, and 7 to help at the post-reception with raffle ticket sales and catering.

To participate please sign up on-line at bit.ly/2pVBP to or contact Kathleen Quinlan at kathleenq@oldstpats.org/312-798-2348. Positions fill up quickly!

FINANCIAL COMMANDMENTS FOR YOUNG PROFESSIONALS
Thursday, November 14 | 6 pm - 8 pm | 711 W. Monroe, Room 25A

Now is the time to build solid financial habits for everything from budgeting, managing student debt, controlling spending to building credit, saving, and investing. Come hear from financial advisors from the Chicago based wealth management firm, Private Vista, on how to best manage your finances!

Dinner and drinks will be served. Guests are welcome! Seating is limited so register today. $20/person to attend the session.

Register: bit.ly/FCYP-OSP
Contact: Colleen Bentley privatevistanews@myprivtevista.com
BELOVED RETREAT REFLECTION
by Ashley Sander

A lot of people will say that they went on the Beloved retreat because someone invited them. But, for some of us the invitation didn’t come from an actual person. I had been hearing about Beloved for the past four years, ever since I moved back to Chicagoland and started attending Old St. Pat’s. Each time I saw a registration form or listened to an announcement at mass, I thought to myself, “I should do that, but not this time. I have to do (fill in the blank with whatever convenient excuse I came up with).” Each time I told myself no a different part of my brain kept whispering yes. Over and over again, I heard that insistent yes.

I loved retreats in college, but in the ten years since graduating from Creighton University, I’ve found it hard to justify the cost, time, and imagined selfishness of going on a retreat. This past November, however, I finally listened to that voice telling me to just go on the retreat. I finally listened to myself.

I packed for the retreat and made the trek up to Mundelein all the while wondering what on earth I thought I was doing. I checked in and sat in my room still wondering what I was doing. I walked over to the initial meet up with the same questions on my mind. Then I realized I was on familiar ground, holy ground, retreat ground. I was still uncomfortable, sitting at a table alone, but that soon dissipated as others joined me. I may have gone on the retreat alone, but the spirit of the retreat means that no one stays alone for long.

When asked to describe how I was feeling coming into the retreat, the word that came to mind was complacent. I wasn’t dealing with a recent death or loss of relationship; I hadn’t lost my job or been recently diagnosed; I was just complacent. I was allowing life to pass by, and I knew I needed something to call me out of that complacency and into movement, whatever that might mean. I hoped the retreat would be a jumping off point for me. It proved to be so much more. I met so many wonderful people, heard so many stories of joy and triumph and heartbreak, and felt a new kind of belonging. A funny thing happens when you are told and shown over and over that you are beloved: you begin to believe it.

I’ve thought a lot about why I didn’t go on a retreat earlier, why I chose this November to go, why things happen when they do. I think it comes down to needing to be in that space with those particular people. We all chose Beloved in November for a reason, and we all needed each other in that moment. Author Anne Lamott wrote, “It is unearned love--the love that goes before, that greets us on the way. It’s the help you receive when you have no bright ideas left, when you are empty and desperate and have discovered that your best thinking and most charming charm have failed you. Grace is the light or electricity or juice or breeze that takes you from that isolated place and puts you with others who are as startled and embarrassed and eventually grateful as you are to be there.” We may have been a little startled to find ourselves on retreat together, but Grace brought us there and Grace continues to guide us on our way.

If you’re looking for an invitation to go on Beloved, this is it. If you have a voice in your head that keeps telling you to go, listen to yourself. If you happen to have one of the upcoming Beloved weekends free, take some time out of your everyday life to explore and experience Beloved. You will laugh. You will probably cry. You may cry from laughter. You will eat good food and enjoy beautiful surroundings and meet new people and most importantly recall, or perhaps understand for the first time, what it means to be beloved.

See page 6 for information on the upcoming Beloved Retreat.
Do you desire to move into the holiday season infused with warmth, light...love?
Come join us at the lake!

On November 22, 23, 24 for the 58th Beloved Retreat
at St. Mary of the Lake University in Mundelein

Experience the spiritual getaway that over 1700 people, young and old, married and single, weary and joyful, Catholic and "non" have taken over the past 18 years. Take this journey that so many from Old St. Pat's and beyond have taken... Our hunch is you’ll be very glad you did... and we'll be so grateful to welcome you!

The Beloved Retreat is an interactive weekend (Friday evening to Sunday afternoon) retreat experience inviting participants to contemplate the unlikely, giddy, and provocative prospect we are actually passionately Loved by God. The retreat has proved to be invigorating, healing, transformative, provocative and comforting for many. Please consider joining us! The retreat is held at beautiful St. Mary of the Lake University in Mundelein, IL with more than 800 acres to explore.

Retreat Fee: $225 includes all meals and lodging. Scholarships are available. For more information, go to www.oldstpats.org/beloved or contact Polly Mulhearn at pollym@oldstpats.org

Please visit bit.ly/beloved-november2019 for the Beloved Registration Form.

Always...we begin again!

---

You are invited to OSP's

Family Bingo!

November 10, 2019
12:30pm – 2:30pm
Hughes Hall

Enjoy lunch, bingo games, raffles and more!

$15 per person includes lunch and 3 bingo cards
(Lunch will be served at 12:30 pm and Bingo starts promptly at 1 pm.)

Additional snacks/treats, bingo cards, and raffle tickets will be available for sale. Cash only.

Register online through November 3 at bit.ly/familybingo-osp2019

Questions? Contact Kathy Kinder at kginder@mac.com or 630-673-6344

Space is limited so sign up early!

Hosted by:
Old St. Patrick's Church
Family Ministry

---

DON’T MISS!
THE OSP MEN’S GROUP FALL EVENT
BEER BIZ & TASTING!
Micro Brewing in Chicago
Supported by

Haymarket
Bakertilly

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14TH | 6PM-9PM
Old St. Patrick’s Fellowship Hall
625 W. Adams | Street Level

$20 PER PERSON
INCLUDES BEER TASTING, SNACKS, FOOD & BEVERAGES
Register and purchase your tickets here now!
bit.ly/MensGroupFall2019
($25 per person at the door)
Questions? Email: mensgroup@oldstpats.org
The market is an expression of our commitment as people of faith to honor the dignity and work of all human beings by seeking fair trade and locally made goods. Our market vendors are selected because they commit to 1) fighting poverty and transforming lives through job training and worker justice; 2) creating entrepreneurial opportunities for people often denied access to markets; and 3) being good stewards of the earth’s resources.

Fair trade is also a global movement that ensures small-scale farmers receive a fair price for their harvest, use environmentally sound farming practices, implement fair working standards, and invest in their communities. In general, Fair Traders are committed to sustainable practices which are so important in our fight against Climate Change.
BETH KATSAROS WINTER COAT DRIVE
November 24, 2019

As we have our first day of snow and slush, we’re reminded of those for whom winter weather is especially difficult—even life-threatening.

As your family pulls out the winter wear and realizes some of it won’t be worn this season, please remember our Winter Coat Drive. We will be hosting our Drive on November 24 so that the recipient organizations can get the donations into the hands of those who need them before the weather gets too treacherous.

On November 24, from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., families are asked to donate coats, mittens, scarves and boots for the benefit of the families of needy families in the Chicago area. If you can assist us in any way, please email Beth Marek, the Director of Outreach, at elizabethm@oldstpats.org.

This clothing drive is named in memory of Beth Katsaros, a champion of the less fortunate.

The Katsaros Family joined the OSP community in 1987. Beth, her husband Peter, and children Sarah, Matt, and Kathryn, as was their way in many aspects of their lives, became active participants immediately. They became involved in helping at the Block Party, in the FXW School, the Celebration of Life, and Clothing Drives, to name just a few of their commitments. Beth was one of the original Family Advisory Board members, responsible for creating faith opportunities for the families of Old St. Patrick’s Church. She served in this capacity until 1999.

Throughout her life, Beth was committed to non-for-profit work, education, and public housing. Upon learning of the assassination of a school-aged child from Cabrini Green who was on his way to school, Beth made it a point of going to see the principal of that school -- Sojourner Truth. They established a close relationship, and it became Beth’s mission to help out the school in whatever way she could. She began by raising money for their Drum Corps which desperately needed uniforms and instruments. Appealing to the OSP community, Beth was able to raise the needed monies and eventually bring the students here to gift us with their music during mass. Soon afterwards, Beth and Dee Leonard began collecting coats and winter clothing for the Sojourner Truth School families. Beth’s efforts to help those in need continue to this day.

She departed this life January 20, 2001.

Beth's passion, service, and activism live on in so many, many different ways. Unfortunately the Sojourner Truth School is now closed, but the need for winter coats extends throughout Chicagoland, and we will continue to donate to them in Beth's honor.

Please look through your closets to see if you might have any winter coats, boots, etc. which you might be able to share. Collections will be taken on November 24th ONLY in the FXW School Cafeteria.

In addition to needing those who can donate clothing, we also need people to help sort and deliver the donations. Families and children of all ages are welcome! Sorting will probably continue until 1:00 pm. Please sign up to help by emailing Beth Marek at elizabethm@oldstpats.org. Please contact Beth Marek with any questions.

Many thanks for your generosity and for helping to continue Beth Katsaros’s mission to share life and love, remembering that “family” extends beyond the people living within our own four walls.
*Rare Chicago Appearance*

Susan Katz Miller (national expert on interfaith families) will speak on her new book, *The Interfaith Family Journal*, an interactive resource filled with creative exercises to support any/all interfaith families (Jewish & Catholic, Hindu & atheist, Buddhist & Protestant, etc).

**The Interfaith Family Journal**
Susan Katz Miller

What they’re saying about the new book:
“brilliantly original”
“a joyful journey of discovery”
“an invaluable resource”
“empowers interfaith families”
“so much affirmation”
“a home run”

**Sunday, November 10th**
FXW School (Cafeteria, 1st Floor)
9:45-10:45 am

Books will be available for sale and signing. Presented by the Family School
For more info:
ChicagoInterfaithFamilySchool@gmail.com

THANK YOU!

Thank you all for your generous donations at last Sunday’s domestic violence collection drive! Your generous donations will benefit the life-saving services of 17 different local domestic violence shelters and the women and children who depend on them.

If you’re interested in more information or would like to get involved in OSP’s Domestic Violence Ministry contact Kayla Jackson at kaylaj@oldstpats.org | 312.798.2399

DONATION SORTING

Join SHN as we consolidate all the supplies collected from our 30 collection sites and distribute them to our 17 domestic violence shelters and animal shelters!

**Saturday Nov 2 1:00 PM**
18th District Chicago Police Department

All are invited! Join Safe Haven Network for their Donation Sorting Event on Saturday, November 2 at the 18th District Chicago Police Department (1160 N Larrabee St, Chicago, IL 60610). Sorting will take place between 1:00 pm and 4:00 pm. This will be a great opportunity to see the collective impact all 30 collection sites have made this Domestic Violence Awareness Month for local domestic violence shelters.
VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

In addition to needing your blood, we can also use your time and talents too. Please consider joining us for this life-giving and lifesaving event. Hospitality Volunteers meet and greet folks and serve refreshments to our donors.

You know our wonderful OSP radical hospitality is what we are known for!

Set-Up & Tear Down - we set-up a MASH unit in the gym every time we host this event.

5:45 am - 7:00 am - able-bodied folks to move the Red Cross equipment from the street to the Gym in the FXW school - 4th floor

1:30 pm - 3:30 pm - able-bodied folks to break down the event and move the equipment back to the Red Cross trucks.

For more information or to volunteer, please contact Mark Buciak at mark.buciak@rcn.com.
ENCORE: FOR THOSE 50 AND BETTER
Inspiring Mind & Spirit Through Learning, Service & Fun

PLEASE JOIN US!

Finding Peace Among the Chaos | One Day Retreat facilitated by Al Gustafson
November 16 | 9 am - 4 pm | Carmelite Spiritual Center, 8419 Bailey Road, Darien, IL
optional social time to follow

*November 7 is the cut-off date for registration

“My peace I give to you,” Jesus says, “not as the world gives it to you.” The peace Jesus promises is not contingent on the circumstances of our lives. It transcends the insecurity of our troubled times while keeping us fully engaged in our chaotic world. Join us for a day of prayer and reflection on this peace that surpasses understanding.

Cost: $50
includes a continental breakfast and lunch

Register today at bit.ly/EncoreDoR

Al Gustafson is a spiritual director and retreat leader. He has been a staff member at Old St. Patrick’s Church, Chicago since 1994 and is the former Director of the Crossroads Center for Faith & Work. He is a founder and past president of the Career Transitions Center of Chicago where he continues to be involved. He is a co-leader of an annual 38-week retreat on the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius at St. Margaret Mary Church in Naperville as well as at Old St. Patrick’s Church.

In addition to ministry, Al is the president of the Gustafson Family Foundation, a private foundation promoting the development and education of young children at risk. Al also serves on several boards including Educare of West DuPage, Institute of Catholic Bioethics and Swift Foundation. Al holds degrees in accounting and ethics as well as a Doctorate of Ministry from Catholic Theological Union.

We learned last year, not to look back because we are not going that way.
- A former participant

HOPE HOUSE
Saturday, November 9 | Noon | Hope House

Once again, Encore members will be serving lunch to the men at Hope House in the North Lawndale neighborhood.

Hope House is a residential program, designed to help equip and encourage men, striving to re-enter society after prison or recovery from substance abuse, to be productive men. Encore will provide the luncheon and serve the men.

For further information, call Don Noe at 815-718-2768.
“Most Christians think that Advent is preparation for the ‘birth of Jesus,’ but we cannot prepare for a past event. It is also not simply the preparation for his annual ‘birthday.’ Rather, this season is an intense rehearsal of what Christian living is supposed to be each day: paying attention to the sacred revelations and surprising Incarnations that the Holy One springs on us each day. Every day of our lives ... every moment of our lives is a potential ‘divine ambush.’ Advent is a four week intensive that each year re-certifies us ... recalibrates Christians for detecting God’s unpredictable yet constant reincarnating in the world.”

Join Us For More Speakers at the Podium...

January 10
Rev. Father Charles Rubey,
Founder & Director of Catholic Charities’ LOSS (LOVING OUTREACH to SURVIVORS of SUICIDE)
SEPTMBER BAPTISMS

Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.

~ Matthew 28: 19-20

Callan McAuley Hannes
Kyle and Meghan Hannes

Lillian Louise Sherman
Richard Sherman and Brianna Knue

Maeve Patricia Gorisch
Nicholas Gorisch and Kara McCaffrey

Nora Auddrey O’Malley
Brian and Tara O’Malley

Ellie Sofia Geallis
Joshua and Vanessa Geallis

Liliana Luz Villarreal
Carlos and Jamie Villarreal

Kaylie Elizabeth Spatzek
John Spatzek and Meghan Corcoran

Ethan Oliver Porter
Curtis and Elizabeth Porter

Sadie Catherine Dunleavy
Brian and Maura Dunleavy

Sadie James Buhr
Thomas and Emily Buhr

Angelo Antonio Gaytan
Michael Gaytan and Christiina Olivares

Harper Jude Hale
Kathleen Hale

Esmè Jasmine Lapena-Schultz
Edward Schultz III and Elizabeth Lapeña-Schultz

Sophia Marie Elberts
Matthew and Emily Elberts

Jack Daley Fisher
Michael and Meghan Fisher

Michael Gael Tsai
Joseph and Mary Tsai

Christopher James DiNardo
Lawrence and Stephanie DiNardo

Sophia Grace Gabrione
Anthony and Kristi Gabrione

Ronald Dennis Durso
Ronald and Deanna Durso

Brooks Jefferson DeAngelis
Christopher DeAngelis and Maggie Mee

Molly Elizabeth Heinlen
Matthew and Kimberly Heinlen

Catherine Anne Hartwig
Brian Hartwig and Meghan Coghlan

Turner Julia Jeffers
Richard and Amy Jeffers

THE NEXT CHAPTER

Sunday, November 17 | 10:45 am - 12 pm
711 W. Monroe, Rm. 21

NOSH AND SIP!
S-saving I-vesting P-planning

We will receive tips for our unique circumstances as widows. Please join us for an engaging presentation to learn more about supervising our financial matters with confidence in a comfortable setting. Pat Quinn, CFP from Paradigm Wealth Management, has multiple degrees and large resumes but more important — she is recommended by our own Kim Minnaugh. Peg is on the associate board for Gilda’s Club and founder of Chicago’s Women Empowerment Network. It won’t be the same without you!

Come join us as we gather to share our new beginnings together planning fun-filled activities such as movies, boat tours, art exhibits, wine tastings, group meetings and much more.

We are a group of Widows and Widowers creating new friendships to live, laugh and experience life through social interaction with friends from OSP living in and around the city and suburbs.

CHICAGO’S ANNUAL
HOMELESS PERSONS’ MEMORIAL

In the shadows of the Magnificent Mile...

Our brothers and sisters without homes...

Are losing the struggle for their lives.

They will not go unremembered.
Please join us.

December 17, 2019
As we approach the longest night of the year, we honor them.

6:30 PM
Old St. Patrick’s Church
700 W. Adams St.
Chicago, IL

For more information: 312-226-9104 or www.iasp.org
Facebook: Chicago Homeless Memorial

visit us at oldstpats.org
OSP Next is the community for Young Adults at Old St. Pat’s! There’s no “signing up” - if you’re here, you’re part of the community!

Simply join us anytime for one of the events or opportunities listed. Email OSPnext@oldstpats.org with any questions.

Want to stay up to date with OSPNext events? We’ve made it even easier for you!

Go to goo.gl/eIWLGa to access the OSPNext calendar and/or add it to your own personal calendar.

YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY GROUP
Sundays, November 3 - December 22 | 3:45 - 5 pm | 711 W. Monroe

Come join Bible Study through Old St. Pat’s! We are a coed group seeking to gain greater spiritual insight and understanding through studying and discussing weekly scripture. We will be reading the Sunday Gospels leading up to and progressing through Advent. Since our group meets right before 5 pm Mass, this is a great opportunity to focus on the upcoming Gospel and engage with the homily. If you are interested in deepening your faith in a supportive environment before this Christmas season, this is the place for you.

We hope that you’re able to join us! Register here: bit.ly/YAbiblestudyOSP

OSP NEXT LEADERSHIP MEETING
Today! Sunday, November 3
6:15 - 8 pm | 711 W. Monroe, Library

All are welcome!

Young adults who are willing to share their ideas and help host future events and programs will gather to plan the next two months of OSP Next events at Old St. Pat’s.

NOVEMBER BOOK CLUB
Monday, November 25 | 7 - 8:30 pm
The Book Cellar

Our November book is A Gentleman in Moscow by Amor Towles.

A Gentleman in Moscow is the 30-year saga of the Count Alexander Ilyich Rostov, who is placed under house arrest inside the Metropol Hotel in Moscow in 1922. Newcomers are always welcome! Just read the book and show up.

AFTER FIVE
Sunday, November 10 | 6 pm - 7:45 pm Hughes Hall

These 2nd-Sunday-of-the-month gatherings bring young adults (20’s and 30’s) together for conversation, community, and fun.

No RSVP necessary - newcomers are especially welcome!
GREATER CHICAGO FOOD DEPOSITORY AND OUTREACH

Help Stamp Out Hunger in Chicago

We have been partnering with the Greater Chicago Food Depository here at OSP for over 25 years. By volunteering at GCFD, our Outreach Partners (Su Casa, The Boulevard, and House of Mary and Joseph Shelter) receive food credits for their programs.

These food credits help feed the residents while providing nutritional food items too.

UPCOMING DATES:

Saturday, November 9
8:30 am - 11:15 am
8:30 am - 11:15 am
(Every second Saturday)
Contact:
Mary Beth Riley
mbriley07@yahoo.com or
630-655-9447

Tuesday, November 12
9 am - 12 pm
(Every Second Tuesday)
Contact:
Jim Holbrook
jamesholbrookjr@yahoo.com or 773-237-2625

MARIA GORETTI NETWORK RECOVERY THROUGH FORGIVENESS

Meets: 3rd Monday of every month, 6:30 pm, Club Room Holy Name Cathedral

Audience: For abuse survivors of all types (domestic violence, sexual, clergy abuse) who seek healing in a safe environment (Meeting welcomes survivor immediate family/spouses also)

Remaining meetings for 2019: Nov 18, Dec 16 | Contact: Call Dr Christine Lawless (women) 312-972-1828 or Mike Hoffman (men) 773-505-4405 or Chicago@mgoretti.org. Website: mgoretti.org

OF WOMB AND TOMB

Prayer in Time of Infertility, Miscarriage, and Stillbirth

A grief too often held in and unseen: the inability to conceive, the loss of a child before birth, death at birth. With sacred song and scripture, let us come together to share the holy journey of grief in community.

We will light candles to remember the lives that were not realized as we would have wished. We will pray for our sisters and brothers whose lives are forever changed.

We will sing our fears and dreams to the Christian mystery—that new life emerges both of the womb and of the tomb.

Tuesday, November 5
7 PM
Old St. Mary’s Church
1500 S Michigan Ave
Chicago, Illinois

*As a part of the service, we’d like to proclaim names and light candles in memory of our little ones. So that we might prepare, please feel free to send a private email with the names that we should speak aloud to swilliams@oldstmarys.com.

Some children were not named. That’s okay, too. There will be an opportunity to light a candle for the babies that remain in our hearts and on our minds.

BOOK YOUR WEDDING AT
AMAZINGSPACE@625!

To learn more visit:
OldStPats.org
VenueLogicChicago.com

Great Location
LEED Certified
Smart A/V System
In-House Lighting
Bridal Rooms
Parking

visit us at oldstpats.org
When he reached the place, Jesus looked up and said, “Zacchaeus, come down quickly, for today I must stay at your house.” And he came down quickly and received him with joy. When they all saw this, they began to grumble, saying, “He has gone to stay at the house of a sinner.” - Lk 19:5-7

**Saint Martin de Porres**

*(d. November 3, 1639)*

“Father unknown” is the cold legal phrase sometimes used on baptismal records. “Half-breed” or “war souvenir” is the cruel name inflicted by those of “pure” blood. Like many others, Martin might have grown to despise his parents. Yet, Martin inherited the features and dark complexion of his mother. That irked his father, who finally acknowledged his son after eight years. After the birth of a sister, the father abandoned the family. Martin was reared in poverty, locked into a low level of Lima's society.

When he was 12, his mother apprenticed him to a barber-surgeon. Martin learned how to cut hair and also how to draw blood—a standard medical treatment then—care for wounds, and prepare and administer medicines.

After a few years in this medical apostolate, Martin applied to the Dominicans to be a “lay helper,” not feeling himself worthy to be a religious brother. After nine years, the example of his prayer and penance, charity and humility, led the community to request him to make full religious profession. Many of his nights were spent in prayer and penitential practices; his days were filled with nursing the sick and caring for the poor. It was particularly impressive that he treated all people regardless of their color, race, or status. He became the procurator for both priory and city, whether it was a matter of “blankets, shirts, candles, candy, miracles or prayers!” When his priory was in debt, he said, “I am only a poor mulatto. Sell me. I am the property of the order. Sell me.”

After a few years in this medical apostolate, Martin applied to the Dominicans to be a “lay helper,” not feeling himself worthy to be a religious brother. After nine years, the example of his prayer and penance, charity and humility, led the community to request him to make full religious profession. Many of his nights were spent in prayer and penitential practices; his days were filled with nursing the sick and caring for the poor. It was particularly impressive that he treated all people regardless of their color, race, or status. He became the procurator for both priory and city, whether it was a matter of “blankets, shirts, candles, candy, miracles or prayers!” When his priory was in debt, he said, “I am only a poor mulatto. Sell me. I am the property of the order. Sell me.”

**Parish Counselor:** If you or someone you know is in need of counseling services, please contact Old St. Patrick’s Parish Counselor, Sarah Thompson at sarah@oldstpats.org or 773-234-9630.

**Women and Men of Faith**

He was the son of a freed woman of Panama, probably black but also possibly of indigenous stock, and a Spanish grandee of Lima, Peru. His parents never married each other. Martin inherited the features and dark complexion of his mother. That irked his father, who finally acknowledged his son after eight years. After the birth of a sister, the father abandoned the family. Martin was reared in poverty, locked into a low level of Lima's society.

When he was 12, his mother apprenticed him to a barber-surgeon. Martin learned how to cut hair and also how to draw blood—a standard medical treatment then—care for wounds, and prepare and administer medicines.

After a few years in this medical apostolate, Martin applied to the Dominicans to be a “lay helper,” not feeling himself worthy to be a religious brother. After nine years, the example of his prayer and penance, charity and humility, led the community to request him to make full religious profession. Many of his nights were spent in prayer and penitential practices; his days were filled with nursing the sick and caring for the poor. It was particularly impressive that he treated all people regardless of their color, race, or status. He became the procurator for both priory and city, whether it was a matter of “blankets, shirts, candles, candy, miracles or prayers!” When his priory was in debt, he said, “I am only a poor mulatto. Sell me. I am the property of the order. Sell me.”

Side by side with his daily work in the kitchen, laundry, and infirmary, Martin’s life reflected God’s extraordinary gifts: ecstasies that lifted him into the air, light filling the room where he prayed, bi-location, extraordinary gifts: ecstasies that lifted him into the air, light filling the room where he prayed, bi-location, miraculous knowledge, instantaneous cures, and a remarkable rapport with animals. His charity extended to beasts of the field and even to the vermin of the kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept stray kitchen. He would excuse the raids of mice and rats on the grounds that they were underfed; he kept
Mass Schedule

Sunday
7 am, 8 am, 9:30 am, 11:15 am, 5 pm, and 8 pm
Monday – Friday (Daily Mass)
7 am and 12:10 pm
Church is open for Personal Prayer:
Monday – Friday: 7 am – 1 pm

Reconciliation
Fridays at 11:45 am, or upon request.

Liturgical Ministry
If you feel called to serve as a Hospitality Minister, Eucharistic Minister or Lector for one of our Sunday liturgies, please contact Tom Micinski at tmicinski@oldstpats.org.

The Baptismal Program & Schedule
To schedule a baptism, please contact baptisms@oldstpats.org.

Nursery Service
Nursery service is available during the 9:30 am and 11:15 am Masses in the Frances Xavier Warde School building. Enter the school on Des Plaines Street.

Low-gluten Host
Old St. Pat’s has low-gluten hosts available for those members who, for health reasons, could not receive regular Communion hosts. If you would like to receive a low-gluten host, please contact Tom Micinski at tmicinski@oldstpats.org.

Sign-Language Interpreter
Upon request, a sign language interpreter can be available at the 11:15 am or 5 pm Mass on Sundays, as well as for holidays and holy days of obligation. It would be most appreciative if you would give us 5 days of advance notice. To request access to a sign language interpreter at Mass, please contact liturgy@oldstpats.org.

Old St. Patrick’s Website
Be sure to visit our website, www.oldstpats.org, for the most up-to-date information.

Livestream Services
Our 5 pm Mass is available LIVE online every Sunday. To join us, visit livestream.com/oldstpats. Questions? Contact Leanne Kelly at leannek@oldstpats.org.

Go to bit.ly/worshipaid to follow along with a worship aid PDF.

Feedback
A new opportunity for feedback is now online so you can quickly share thoughts about your experience of liturgy here at Old St. Pat’s. Go to oldstpats.org/feedback to contribute!

Wedding Schedule
If you are engaged and would like to inquire about a possible wedding date at Old St. Patrick’s, please complete the wedding inquiry form and send to weddings@oldstpats.org.

For general wedding information, please refer to Sacraments/Marriage at www.oldstpats.org.

Text to Give
Text “Give” to (312) 535-0118 or scan the QR code using your phone camera, then follow the prompts to make a one-time or recurring gift.

Wedding Banns
May the winds of heaven dance between you.

I. NOVEMBER 2, 2019
Morgan Nancy Sohl & Patrick Harry Watson
Gianna Marie Dazzo & Joseph Carmen Rondinella
Amanda M. Graveline & Timothy K. Curran

II. NOVEMBER 9, 2019
Anne Garrigan & Ryan Kearney
Sarah Gallo & Paul Bateman Jr.
Julie Schimeck & Charles Ney

III. NOVEMBER 16, 2019
Natalja Judina & Albert Jennings
Nora Byrnes & Eric Cantey
Renae E. Adams & David M.J. Morrisroe

Book of Patrick & Mass Intentions
For Book of Patrick or Mass Intentions requests, please visit www.oldstpats.org/book-of-patrick or www.oldstpats.org/mass-intentions

You can also contact contact Deniese Montgomery at deniesem@oldstpats.org or 312-648-1021
Pastoral Care Ministry
Bernadette Gibson
312-798-2389 prayer line
bernadetteg@oldstpats.org
312-493-8737 pastoral cell

Reception (711 W. Monroe)
Denise Montgomery
denisesem@oldstpats.org
312-648-1021

Rite of Christian
Initiation for Adults (RCIA)
Keara Ette
312-798-2328
kearac@oldstpats.org

Resident Theologian Presenter
Dr. Terry Nelson-Johnson
312-831-9361
terry@oldstpats.org

Retreat Program: Beloved
Polly Mulhearn
312-798-2316
pollym@oldstpats.org

Social Justice
Kayla Jackson
312-798-2399
kayla@oldstpats.org

Special Events (Fundraisers)
Sheila Greifhahn
312-798-2343
sheilag@oldstpats.org
Kathleen Quinlan
312-798-2348
kathleenq@oldstpats.org

Spiritual Direction
Tammy Roeder
312-798-2350
tammy.roeder@oldstpats.org

Tours of Old St. Pat’s
Jim McLaughlin
630-852-7269
jmclaughlin1017@gmail.com

Wedding Ministry
JoAnn O’Brien
weddings@oldstpats.org

Wedding Volunteers
Donna Kamuda
dgkamosp1@gmail.com
Mary Jo Graf
312-360-1622
maryjog1221@sbcglobal.net

Women’s Spirituality
Mary Anne Moriarty
moriarty1937@comcast.net

Women’s Spirituality North
Beth Perry
beth.perry@sbcglobal.net

OSP Next (Young Adult Ministry)
Rachelle Lindo
ospnext@oldstpats.org

Youth Ministry: Foundations
Courtney Malawy
312-798-2329
courtneym@oldstpats.org
foundations@oldstpats.org

The Mary and Bill Aronin
Center for Social Concerns
703 W. Monroe
Chicago, IL 60661

Career Transitions Center
Deb Wilson
312-906-9908
host@ctccchicago.org

Coprodelli, Peru
Beth Marek
312-831-9361
elizabethm@oldstpats.org

Friends of Fabretto, Nicaragua
Tom Gleason
773-227-6556
tgleason@meriche.net

Harmony, Hope & Healing
Marge Nykaza
312-466-0267
marge@harmony

Horizons for Youth
Brian Broccoli
312-627-9031
brian@horizons-for-youth.org

Global Alliance for Africa
Jonathan Shaver
312-399-2830
jonathanshaver@msn.com

director@globalallianceafrica.org

LIFT
Michelle Jimenez
773-818-5605
mjimenez@LIFT-foundation.org

Board of Advisors
Colleen Healy, Keara Ette, Michael Kennedy, Tim Keneally, Roseanne Loftus, Kevin Hanley, Mike Hobbs, Ken Hiltz, Tom Hurley, John Weinheimer, Jennifer Wyatt

Old St. Pat’s Mailing Address
Fr. Jack Wall Mission Center
711 W. Monroe, Floor 3
Chicago, IL 60661

General Email - info@oldstpats.org
Phone Number - 312-648-1021
Fax Number - 312-648-9025

PARKING AT OLD ST. PAT’S
For your convenience, we are providing information to make parking easily accessible for everyone who visits Old St. Pat’s. Please continue to check back on the parking availability in these lots. We will continue to have updated information for you. We appreciate your patience and understanding.

SUNDAYS
Parking Lot 1: Parking is available in this lot until 9:30 pm on Sundays.
Parking Lot 2 & 3: Parking is available in these lots until 1:00 pm on Sundays.
Lot 5: All spaces are complimentary for OSP guests. Please pull a ticket from the OSP branded parking box upon entry and use this for validation upon exit. Please utilize this lot and then kindly free up space for those attending the next Mass.

WEEKNIGHTS (AFTER 5:30 PM)
You may park in the roped off section of Lot 1 until 9:30 pm on weeknights (entrance on Monroe). Once this section is full, you may park in the remainder of the lot. Please retrieve a time stamped parking pass from the security desk in 711 W. Monroe and place it on the dashboard of your vehicle.

In Lot 5 there are 100 spaces open nightly from 6pm - 11:59pm; early arrival or extended time charged at posted rates.

SATURDAYS (Wedding Parking)
Lot 5 (Garage at 625 W. Adams): 200 spaces are open for Wedding guests. Please pull a complimentary ticket from the OSP branded box. Lot gates open for OSP guests during ceremonies; please be considerate of guests arriving for later ceremonies. The entrance for the garage is on Desplaines street.

Please refer to the Directions and Parking page on oldstpats.org for more detailed parking information.