



# The CROSSROADS

Old St. Patrick's Bulletin

*A Catholic Community in Chicago's West Loop*

SUNDAY, MAY 7, 2023

"In my Father's house there  
are many dwelling places. If  
there were not, would I have  
told you that I am going to  
prepare a place for you?"

- John 14:2

**FIFTH  
SUNDAY  
OF EASTER**

## SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday: 7 AM,  
9 AM (livestream),  
11 AM,  
5 PM (livestream),  
& 8 PM

## WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday: 12:10 PM  
Wednesday: 7 AM,  
12:10 PM (livestream),  
& 5:30 PM  
Thursday: 12:10 PM

## RECONCILIATION

Wednesday: 11:30 AM

## ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Third Wednesday of each month  
after the 12:10 PM Mass

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EVENT	DATE   TIME   LOCATION	CONTACT
Young Adult Small Groups	May 7   6:00 PM   Jack Wall Mission Center 711 W. Monroe	Brenda Chavez brendac@oldstpats.org
Monday Evening Rosary Prayer Group	May 8   6:00 PM   Zoom	Beth Marek elizabethm@oldstpats.org
Encounter Pneuma LGBTQ+ Faith Sharing	May 9   6:30 PM   Hybrid	Brenda Chavez brendac@oldstpats.org
Individual Reconciliation	May 10   11:30 AM   OSP Church	Dominic Trumfio liturgy@oldstpats.org
HealingTogether@Home	May 11   Time TBD   ZOOM	Judi Black healingathome@oldstpats.org
Hope House Meal Team	May 13   11:45 AM   Hope House 3827 W. Ogden	Vincent Guider vincentg@oldstpats.org
YANA You Are Not Alone Seperated/Divorced Support Group	May 14   10:00 AM   Hybrid	Doreen Oleszczuk doreenoles@yahoo.com
Monday Evening Rosary Prayer Group	May 15   6:00 PM   Zoom	Beth Marek elizabethm@oldstpats.org
Individual Reconciliation	May 17   11:30 AM   OSP Church	Dominic Trumfio liturgy@oldstpats.org
Anointing of the Sick Mass	May 17   12:10 PM   OSP Church	Dominic Trumfio liturgy@oldstpats.org
Mass for Mothers	May 17   6:15 PM   OSP Church	Dominic Trumfio liturgy@oldstpats.org
Broadway on Adams	May 18 - 20   7:30 PM   Fellowship Hall 625 W. Adams	Honor Lorenzini honorl@oldstpats.org
My Brothers Kitchen Meal Host (Formerly Bread of Life Breakfast)	May 20   8:00 AM   YMEN 1241 S. Pulaski Rd	Vincent Guider vincentg@oldstpats.org
"Extended Family" Weekend	May 19 - 21   Various Times   OSP Campus	Keara Ette kearae@oldstpats.org



### ARE YOU A MEMBER?

To learn more about Membership or to check your membership status at Old St. Patrick's, please contact Polly Mulhearn at [pollym@oldstpats.org](mailto:pollym@oldstpats.org).





Office of the Archbishop  
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Spring 2023

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

Mother's Day is a time dedicated to remembering all of the mothers and mother figures in our lives—the women who have fed, nurtured, taught, and sustained us. Mothers are essential in every generation, in every moment of each day, to the fullness of God's plan for human life and community.

Helping mothers in need is core to our faith, and helping mothers is a central calling for Catholic Charities. As Christ reminds us, we must care for women and children in need, especially mothers raising children alone.

Your generous donation to the Mother's Day Collection for Catholic Charities enables the Church's work on behalf of mothers. Catholic Charities helps tens of thousands of mothers each year with counseling services; food, housing, and utility assistance; adoption support; home-visit parenting support; domestic violence safe-shelter; and so much more.

Your donations are critical to this work of faith. They enable us to be Christ's hands throughout Cook and Lake counties. As the largest provider of human services in our region, the Catholic Church touches thousands of lives daily through the work of Catholic Charities. Catholic Charities relies on the contributions of Catholics who recognize and embrace the call to witness and unite in service, as one Church.

I reach out to our parishes once each year for support of Charities' work. Mother's Day is your chance to make a gift to this central, mighty mission of our Church. Please considering donating either:

- In-person during the second collection on Mother's Day, May 14
- On-line at [www.catholiccharities.net/donate](http://www.catholiccharities.net/donate)
- By mail at Catholic Charities, P.O. Box 8275, Carol Stream, IL 60197-8275

Please accept my sincere gratitude for your past support. I encourage you to be as generous as you can again this year, so that together we might witness a message of mercy and hope a world in need—starting with mothers.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

  
Archbishop of Chicago





## SNAPSHOTS AND THE MESSY WHOLE

By Keara Ette  
Director of Ministries

*All who believed were together and had all things in common; they would sell their property and possessions and divide them among all according to each one's need. Every day they devoted themselves to meeting together in the Temple area and to breaking bread in their homes.*

But if you are like me, it is easy to look around at our own situations and wonder, "What went so horribly wrong?!" In my imagination, I see the meme that went viral in 2019/2020. For our purposes, this format helps juxtapose the optimistic beginnings with its (often comical) disastrous current state. For example:

### How it started:



*All the believers were together and had everything in common.*  
Acts 2:44

### How it's going:

**St. Nicholas slaps Arius  
at Council of Nicaea, 325**

**95 Theses:  
Martin Luther Demands Reforms,  
Church Leaders Refuse - 1517**

**"Bishops accuse Pope  
Francis of Heresy" 2022**

The truth is that the beautiful image in the Acts of the Apostles - the image of togetherness and commonality, faithfulness and sincerity of heart - was a snapshot, not the entirety of the truth of the early church. To be clear, I believe the Acts of the Apostles to be, like the rest of our sacred scripture, part of God's divine revelation. But as I get older, I am more and more aware that holding up a snapshot as if it was a synthesis rarely serves us.

Further into Acts of the Apostles, we learn about accusations of unfairness between the different groups of believers and we learn of controversies so profound that the community is about to be torn in two. We see Paul - the great Apostle to the Gentiles - split from his Barnabas due to unresolved resentment he held toward John Mark, a kinsman and assistant of Barnabas disciple.

Snapshots are REAL, but they are not the whole truth. Granted, snapshots are sometimes more preferred because we find it hard to grasp the whole truth. The truth is usually big and messy, slippery and heavy, and ... mysterious. So perhaps we need to recommit ourselves to holding *both*: the individual experiences and the mysterious, larger truths of which they are a part.

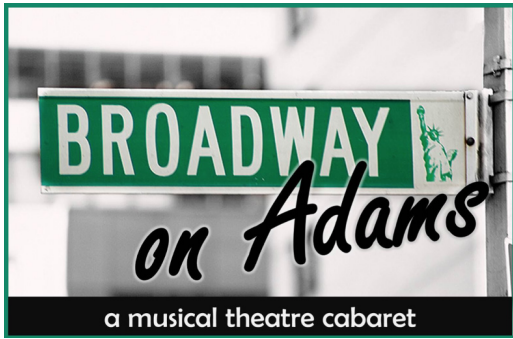
So when this church of ours lets us down, when its words pierce the hearts of our siblings, when its factions seem to reveal animosity rather than *togetherness* ... may we remember the through-line of the Holy Spirit, who is relentless in its work and expansive in its scope. For, I think the Acts of the Apostles was, and continues to be, essentially about the *acts of the Holy Spirit*: that same Spirit whom so many of us have known and *felt* in the midst of our communities. And that Spirit seems to be just as eager for partners in its work now as it was in the first centuries of the church.

So I add my voice to the chorus through the ages:

*Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful  
and kindle in them the fire of your love.  
Send forth your Spirit, and they shall be created.  
And you shall renew the face of the earth.*







## BROADWAY ON ADAMS

May 18, 19 & 20 | 625 W. Adams | Doors 7:00 PM Concert 7:30 PM



**To purchase tickets, scan the QR Code.**

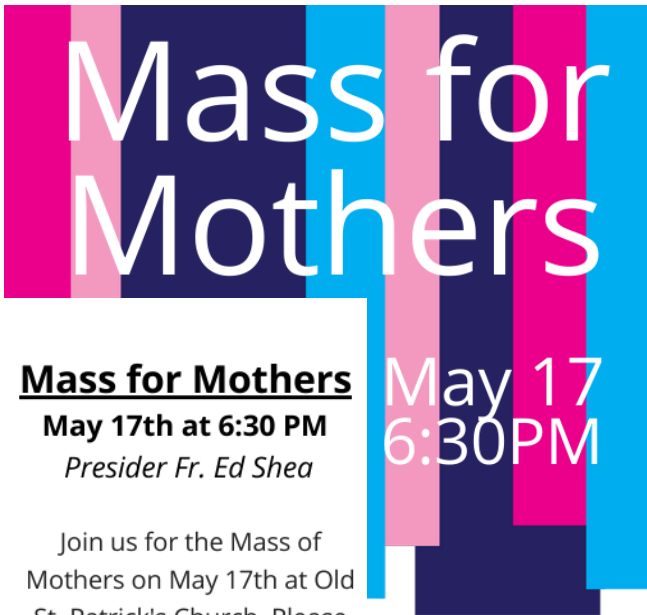
*Tickets are \$25 for a reserved main floor seat, and \$20 for open balcony.*

*Sponsorship packages are also available.*

*For more information on sponsorship, contact Honor Lorenzini at [honorl@oldstpats.org](mailto:honorl@oldstpats.org)*



**Interested in volunteering? Scan the QR Code.** Our volunteers are a huge part of making Broadway on Adams such an amazing event each year. We pride ourselves in offering OSP's famous hospitality, as our volunteers oversee check-in, bars, food, and clean-up each night. Please help us make Broadway on Adams 2023 the best year yet!



### Mass for Mothers

**May 17th at 6:30 PM**

*Presider Fr. Ed Shea*

Join us for the Mass of Mothers on May 17th at Old St. Patrick's Church. Please arrive by 6:15 to adorn the Remembering Tree with ribbons and name tags in honor of our mothers who are in our lives or who are in heaven.

**May 17  
6:30PM**

**6:30PM Mass**

*Old St. Patrick's Church  
Reception immediately following the Mass in the Rectory.*



### MOTHER'S DAY AT OLD ST. PAT'S

May 14 | 9 AM, 11 AM, and 5 PM | OSP

Join us Sunday, May 14, 2023 as we continue to celebrate this Easter season by honoring the mothers and mother-figures in our lives on Mother's Day.

We will be gifted by reflections from mothers at our 9am, 11am, and 5pm Masses, and a Blessing of Mothers at all Masses.





## EXTENDED FAMILY WEEKEND SCHEDULE

**Broadway on Adams Performances:**  
Thursday, Friday, Saturday, May 18th-20th  
at 7pm

Scan the QR code below to join us  
for a weekend of community!

**Reception and Church Tour:**  
Saturday, May 20th at 10am



**Member-hosted Dinner:**  
Saturday, May 20th at 5:30pm

**Member-hosted Brunch:**  
Sunday, May 21st after morning Masses



### **NORTH LAWNDALE KINSHIP INITIATIVE**

May 20 | 8:00 AM - NOON | YMEN 1241 S Pulaski Road

Through the Kinship Initiative, people of North Lawndale and Old St. Patrick's walk alongside one another in friendship, sharing our talents, and resources to secure justice, opportunity, and the transformation of our communities.



### **MY BROTHER'S KITCHEN MEAL HOST**

(Formerly Bread of Life Breakfast)  
Every 3rd Saturday, 8 AM - Noon  
Young Men's Education Network Gym, 1241 S. Pulaski Road

A team of 8 - 12 hosts help to: Set up eating areas, prep, cook and serve a hot, nutritious meal, provide friendly hospitality to 100+ guests from the neighborhood and clean up afterward.

Contact: Vincent Guider,  
North Lawndale Kinship Initiative Director  
at [vincentg@oldstpats.org](mailto:vincentg@oldstpats.org)

TO REGISTER AND/OR DONATE,  
PLEASE VISIT THE LINK OR  
SCAN THE QR CODE:  
[bit.ly/NLKinshipOpportunities](https://bit.ly/NLKinshipOpportunities)







## “LOOKING BACK ON THE LAST FOUR YEARS” A Reflection by Daniel Vondruska, Foundations Class of 2023

Foundations is one of the greatest things that has ever happened to me in my entire life. Back when I was in middle school I noticed that my brother was going on week long summer trips and he would always come back with a mohawk. It was great because I got my room to myself for an entire week, little did I know that in a few years I would be doing the exact same thing. I started out at Blueprints in 8th grade. Back then, I didn't think much of it because I really just saw it as something I would go to for an hour after church. I didn't care for it and I didn't invest any significant time or feelings into blueprints.

All of that would change on my first worktour in the summer of 2021. I wasn't able to go my sophomore year in 2020 because of the pandemic shutting everything down. Not like anyone wants to remember that anyway. My first worktour going into my junior year was in Wheeling, West Virginia, a low income city whose residents were in need of a helping hand. Around the time I was on this worktour I had a lot going on in my life and I just wasn't there mentally and I totally wasn't into it at all.

Once we got there, things started to turn around for me, people got to know each other pretty fast and we all became close extremely quickly. Everything flipped on its head on Thursday night, our 2nd to last day on the trip, this was the night where we were all able to sit in a circle for hours and talk about the things that have been holding us back in life. We were there until about 1AM, and it ended with everyone hugging and crying. It was incredible, especially because seniors like Jack Kendrick, Jonas Dargis, Alyssa Mullally and Claire Corrigan were extremely nice and super supportive, they got everyone to talk to each other, break the ice and were the whole reason the worktour worked.

Fast forward one year and I was going on my 2022 worktour before my senior year. We went to Memphis, Tennessee to help the local community thrive, mainly the children that are left at a daycare/mini-school while their parents work. We played with them all day in the 100+ degree heat for 5 days straight. On this trip, I found myself in the same role as the seniors on my worktour last year. I was the ringleader for the boys, I kept them in line and made sure they weren't too rowdy. But also let them have fun...maybe too much fun. A lot of the younger people on that trip told me that they thought of me as an older brother figure, which made me the happiest I've been in a long time.

To me, Foundations was a second chance at high school. A chance for someone that didn't get to connect with many people at their school to finally let loose with people just like them. If you're about to join Foundations or are already in Foundations, I implore you, from the bottom of my heart, go on a worktour, it doesn't matter who you know and who you don't, they'll all be closer than family by the time you get home. Go on, dive in, have fun. Thank you!





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**Second Tuesdays and Saturdays of every month**

**Tuesday, May 9 from 9 AM to NOON | Saturday, May 13 from 8:30 AM to 11:15 AM**

For complete information, contact our coordinators. Please provide your email address and phone number(s)

**Weekday:** Jim Holbrook | 773.237.2625 or 312.450.4291 | jamesjholbrookjr@yahoo.com

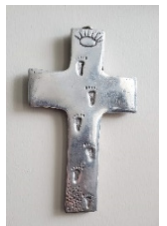
**Saturday:** Mary Beth Riley | 630.460.7889 | mbriley07@yahoo.com



**Immigrant and  
Refugee  
Ministry**

## IMMIGRANT & REFUGEE MINISTRY

“Come to him, a living stone, rejected by human beings but chosen and precious in the sight of God, and, like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house.”  
1 Peter 2:4-5



It is interesting how looking through the eyes of God we see things in a new way. A stone can be a stumbling block, a moss gatherer, an avalanche, or a weapon as David used on Goliath. But Peter encourages us to see what is rejected by humans as something precious to God. That is how we should look at immigrants and refugees...they are precious to God. They are the building stones to a house, a creation, that glorifies God. Immigrants sent from the border to Chicago are building a spiritual house. I want to be a part of that house! Asylum seekers who search for God's justice believe it exists here. They remind us to be a stone for that spiritual house. "...whoever believes in me will do the works that I do, and will do greater ones than these," John 14:12

Learn about the journey of God's precious stones ( [chicago.gov/city/en/sites/texas-new-arrivals/home/faqs.html](http://chicago.gov/city/en/sites/texas-new-arrivals/home/faqs.html) ) and how to be a part of the spiritual house that God builds ( [immigrantjustice.org/issues/arriving-migrants](http://immigrantjustice.org/issues/arriving-migrants) ). Call on our leaders to be building stones for justice: Call NOW to help us reach #TPSforCentralAmerica! - Latin America Working Group ( [lawg.org/call-now-to-help-us-reach-tpsforcentralamerica/](http://lawg.org/call-now-to-help-us-reach-tpsforcentralamerica/) )







## You are invited to Young Adult Small Groups

1st & 3rd Sundays @6 pm (After 5 pm mass)  
Old St. Pat's Rectory



REGISTER HERE



OLD ST. PAT'S YOUNG ADULTS  
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Tuesday, May 16th 4-6 pm  
601 W Adams St  
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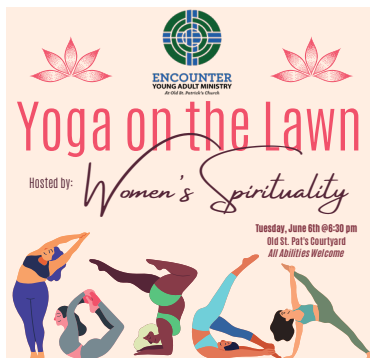


## WOMEN'S SPIRITUALITY GROUP YOGA ON THE LAWN

June 6 | 6:30 PM | OSP Courtyard

We welcome all young women to join us in yoga & mingling to celebrate the beginning of Summer!

There will be sweets and drinks! Please bring your own mat and join us outside.



## PNEUMA: LGBTQ+ FAITH SHARING

May 9 | 6:30 PM

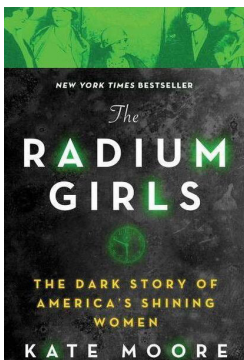
Save the Date!

We plan to meet on Tuesday, April 25 for a social in the community. An inclusive and affirming faith sharing group for LGBTQ+ members of OSP Encounter.

Contact Brenda Chavez at [brendac@oldstpats.org](mailto:brendac@oldstpats.org) for location.



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## ENCOUNTER BOOK CLUB

May 22 | 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM  
The Book Cellar, Lincoln Square

Book: The Radium Girls  
by Kate Moore

When: May 22 at 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

Where: Book Cellar, Lincoln Square

Contact: Rachele Lindo  
at [rachele.lindo@gmail.com](mailto:rachele.lindo@gmail.com)

The incredible true story of the women who fought America's Undark danger. Hundreds of girls toil amidst the glowing dust of the radium-dial factories. The glittering chemical covers their bodies from head to toe; they light up the night like industrious fireflies. With such a coveted job, these "shining girls" are the luckiest alive—until they begin to fall mysteriously ill.

But the factories that once offered golden opportunities are now ignoring all claims of the gruesome side effects, and the women's cries of corruption. And as the fatal poison of the radium takes hold, the brave shining girls find themselves embroiled in one of the biggest scandals of America's early 20th century, and in a groundbreaking battle for workers' rights that will echo for centuries to come.



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## HealingTogether@Home, A Grief Support Group

Because we are not meeting in person for our regular grief support group, Companions on the Journey, we have created a grief support group that meets remotely utilizing the Zoom meeting platform. HealingTogether@Home, has been organized for those who are grieving the death of a loved one: parent, spouse, significant other, sibling, family member, extended family member, friend... It hurts!

You may be experiencing some of the most powerful and painful feelings of your life. The many feelings of grief may seem uncomfortable and threatening to you. And, sadly, there are too few people who want to talk to you about this pain. Support in dealing with the grief experience is a valuable way of helping yourself or someone you know. Support groups often provide an opportunity for grieving persons to better understand the wide range of feelings and behaviors associated with grief. More importantly, support groups offer a safe place where people can come together for mutual support, to learn that their feelings are normal, and that one need not be alone.

Our program is offered over the course of six consecutive weeks. Our groups are small by design so that they are comfortable and informal. **Our next group is scheduled to begin on Thursday, May 11th.** Please register at [bit.ly/healingtogetherathome](https://bit.ly/healingtogetherathome) and you will be contacted by phone or email with schedule and program-related information.

We know the path on which you are walking because we have walked it as well. Our prayers are with you...

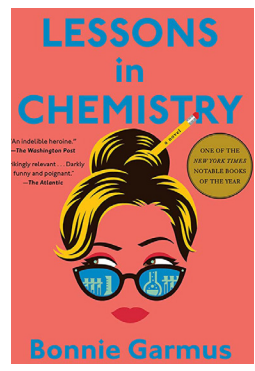
### OLD ST. PAT'S BOOK CLUB

May 21  
10:30 AM to NOON  
711 West Monroe

Book: *Lessons in Chemistry*  
by Bonnie Gramus.

When: May 21 from 10:30 am to noon  
Where: 711 West Monroe, 3rd floor

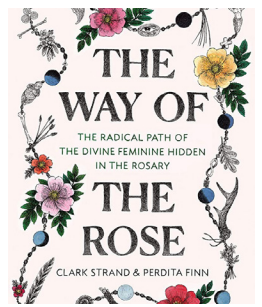
All are welcome to join this conversation.  
Contact: Eileen Sutter at [ehsutter@gmail.com](mailto:ehsutter@gmail.com)



### CONTEMPLATIVE COMMUNITY BOOK CLUB

May 23  
7:30 PM - 9:00 PM  
Zoom

Facilitator: Al Gustafson  
Register:  
<https://osp.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/757/responses/new>



May is the month of Mary and this thought-provoking book promotes the traditional spiritual practice of praying the Rosary as it invites the reader to encounter an ancient energy as old as time. It is the divine feminine, the energy of creation, potential and possibility. Discussion takes place online. There is no fee.

## CONTEMPLATION ON DIVINE LOVE: AN IGNATIAN DAY OF RETREAT

May 17 | 8:30 AM - 3:30 PM | Morton Arboretum, Lisle, IL



Facilitator: Al Gustafson  
Cost: \$65  
Register: <https://osp.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/756/responses/new>

The "Contemplation on Divine Love" is the final meditation of the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius. This spiritual exercise invites us to become aware of how God's love permeates all of reality, from the specific gifts of my own life journey to the presence of God in every created thing. Out of this awareness, God calls and enables me to make a return of love through the circumstances of the life I am living.

Join us for a day of quiet and structured prayer amongst the spring beauty of the Morton Arboretum. It is a day to step out of your routine and thanks to the guidance of St. Ignatius, enter a space where you and God can deepen your relationship. Breakfast and lunch will be provided. The retreat can accommodate 35 participants. Scholarships are available.







# Giving to Old St. Patrick's Church

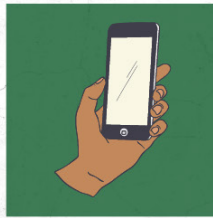


Mail a check, made payable to:

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Chicago, IL 60661



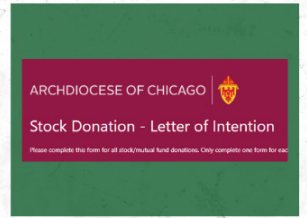
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Text OLDSTPATS to (833) 245-7641, and follow the prompts



Drop a check in the Sunday collection basket



To make a gift of stock, please contact:

**Ann McNamara at**  
(312) 798-2355 or  
annm@oldstpats.org

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Old St. Patrick's Church is a tax-exempt charitable organization. Contributions are tax deductible to the full extent allowable by law. Our tax i.d. number is 36-2171102.

**Thank you for your generosity!**



## UPDATE FOR THE DISCIPLE MAKER INDEX SURVEY

Thanks to all who participated in the Disciple Maker Index Survey!

We had a very high level of response with 1,149 Old St. Pat's members and friends completing the survey.

Cardinal Cupich had asked all parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Chicago to participate in the survey.

The information gathered in the survey is meant to help Old St. Pat's better understand our impact as a faith community. In addition, the survey will provide us with useful data for comparison with other parishes, not only in our Archdiocese but with over 1,000 other parishes around the country.

We look forward to receiving the survey report this summer and sharing the results with you.

## Brews with Friends

Wednesday, May 17, 2023  
5:30 - 8:00 pm



**District Brew Yards**  
417 N Ashland Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60622

**10% of beer sales** for the evening will benefit LBFE Chicago's Food Bag Delivery program to provide a week of nutritious food delivered to older adults.



Use QR code to register or go to: <https://BrewswithFriends.eventbrite.com>



visit us at [oldstpats.org](https://oldstpats.org)

## Mass Schedule

### Sunday

7 a.m., 9 a.m., 11 a.m., 5 p.m., and 8 p.m.

### Weekday

Tuesday 12:10 p.m.  
Wednesday 7 a.m., 12:10 p.m., 5:30 p.m.  
Thursday 12:10 p.m.

### Reconciliation

Wednesdays at 11:30 a.m., 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 [liturgy@oldstpats.org](mailto:liturgy@oldstpats.org) to learn more about training, scheduling, and serving.

## Weddings

If you are engaged and would like to be married at Old St. Patrick's Church, please contact Jo Ann O'Brien, wedding scheduler/coordinator, at [JoAnnO@oldstpats.org](mailto:JoAnnO@oldstpats.org), or 312.831.9383

## The Baptismal Program & Schedule

To schedule a baptism, please contact Tammy Roeder at [baptisms@oldstpats.org](mailto:baptisms@oldstpats.org) or 312.798.2350

## 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 Dominic Trumfio at [dominict@oldstpats.org](mailto:dominict@oldstpats.org)

## Sign-Language Interpreter

As we seek to be more flexible to the various and shifting needs of the Deaf community of Old St. Patrick's, we are introducing a system of providing interpreters by request. As there will no longer be an interpreter on a regular basis at any one Mass, we welcome your requests for a sign language interpreter at the 10 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, please contact Dominic Trumfio at [dominict@oldstpats.org](mailto:dominict@oldstpats.org)

## Old St. Patrick's Website

Be sure to visit our website, [www.oldstpats.org](http://www.oldstpats.org), for the most up-to-date information.

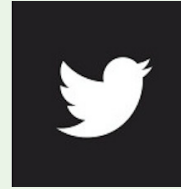
## Wedding Schedule

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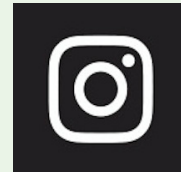
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## Sunday, May 7, 2023

Readings: Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 (22)/1 Pt 2:4-9/  
Jn 14:1-12

### Mass Remembrances:

7am: Eleanor Ronaghan (†), Fumiko Sakai (†)  
9am: Frank Cunniff (†), Joe Chapman (†)  
11am: Kenneth Monarrez, Wilson Paul Flynn (†)  
5pm: Patrick Collins (†), Rodolfo Sison (†)

Book of Patrick: Mark Francis & Christine Brady,  
Patrick Craig & Betsy Brady, Mary Ellen Caron RSM,  
John H.Collins, Thomas & Isabel Mannard,  
Shannon & James Micheletto, James Ellis,  
Claire and Hank Moffatt, Kevin Michael Patrick O'Brien,  
John J. Moriarty, Evelynn (Fay) McCaffrey,  
Meghan Anne Rosenberg, Jack Hughes,  
Patricia "TRISH" Lynch

## Monday, May 8, 2023

Readings: Acts 14:5-18/Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16/Jn 14:21-26

Book of Patrick: Mary Brodie, Charles Drungelo, Betty Garrity,  
William Eickhoff, Sally Gibbons, Mark & Bridget Purdome,  
Mary Jane & William Mahony O'Brien, Robert Curtis Day,  
Jane Geldermann, The Carolyn and David Priest Family,  
Gordon and Helen Conaghan, Jose Alonso

## Tuesday, May 9, 2023

Readings: Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21/Jn 14:27-31a

Book of Patrick: Maurice M. Dore,  
Molly M. and John T. Durkin, Jr. Family,  
Leonard "Dick" DeCardy, Mary Dunne,  
Katherine Walker O'Brien, Brigid Creed,  
Justin J. Jankiewicz, Robert Bobbins, Sue Cooney Trnka,  
James Joyce, Victoria Kromaric, Domenica Hunt,  
Thomas Mulcahy, Howard Johnson, Donald Forman

## Wednesday, May 10, 2023

Readings: Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Jn 15:1-8

### Mass Remembrances:

12:10pm: Patricia O'Donnell (†), Karen Boozell (†)

Book of Patrick: Walter Kerrigan, George William McGurn,  
Clayton C. Coleman, James J. & Dorothy F. Haske Holbrook,  
Thomas W. Mannard, Daniel Hayes, Geraldine & Terry Martin,  
Leona Schmitt, Cy Melwid, Jean Page, Patricia O'Grady

## Thursday, May 11, 2023

Readings: Acts 15:7-21/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10/Jn 15:9-11

### Mass Remembrances:

12:10pm: Kevin F. Quinlan (†)

Book of Patrick: Helen Coleman, Christine Durbin,  
Eleanor Daley, Jack & Mary Frances Duffy, Robert Casey,  
Joan R. Giardina, Gene Higgins, Richard S. Williams,  
Florence Siuda, The Bernard K. Hanely Family,  
Suzanne Burns Hanley, Gerald and Elizabeth Zurek,  
Antoinette C. Minogue

## Friday, May 12, 2023

Readings: Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-9, 10 and 12/Jn 15:12-17

Book of Patrick: Michael Joseph Anderson, Jalovec Family,  
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David F. Power, Paul Fox, Joseph Coltellar, Heliodoro Avila,  
Anne Kuncius

## Saturday, May 13, 2023

Readings: Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5/Jn 15:18-21

Book of Patrick: Daniel & Elizabeth Reidy, Frank Delia,  
Ceil Green, Michael Wittrock, Eleanor Boris, Martin McIntyre,  
Edward and Jacqueline Mitchell, Margaret Forrest, Deb Wilson

## Sunday, May 14, 2023

Readings: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 (1)/  
1 Pt 3:15-18/Jn 14:15-21

### Mass Remembrances:

7am: Reeda Victor (†), Kelly Seavey Tyszkiewicz (†)  
9am: Helen Roeder (†), Dr. John Phillip Schneider (†)  
11am: Jane Schmiede (†), Kate Conner (†)  
5pm: Maribeth Curry (†), Casey & Incardone Family Moms  
8pm: Alice McGreal (†), Lorraine Mc Bride (†)

Book of Patrick: Elsie Leuser & Bernice Trosch, Henry Olenski,  
Joseph & Allyn Marie Pilewski, Joe & Linda Tedesco,  
Colleen Burns, Theresa S. Ranola, Linda Garza,  
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Joshua Eric Chavez, Michael Francis Galvin, Lolita Richard

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### For Those Who Are Sick

Cathy Lane, Thomas Howe Jr, Cathy Burke,  
Rachel Gubbe, Carolyn Adams

### For Those Who Have Died

Joe Cappello, Dr. Dominic R Trumfio, Judy Rockelein

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*Creator God, Thank you for May  
and the wonderful season of Spring.  
During this sweet time,  
we ask You for a fresh beginning  
in each of our hearts.  
Please allow each of us  
to bloom in Your word.  
Open our eyes and lives  
to the needed changes in our lives this Spring.  
Awaken us to new life and perspective,  
for we pray in Jesus' name.*

## Women and Men of Faith



Image: Saint Rose Venerini (when she was a Blessed) | Statue Unknown

## Saint Rose Venerini

### Saint of the Day for May 7, 2023

Rose was born at Viterbo in Italy, the daughter of a doctor. Following the death of her fiancé she entered a convent, but soon returned home to care for her newly widowed mother. Meanwhile, Rose invited the women of the neighborhood to recite the rosary in her home, forming a sort of sodality with them.

As she looked to her future under the spiritual guidance of a Jesuit priest, Rose became convinced that she was called to become a teacher in the world rather than a contemplative nun in a convent. Clearly, she made the right choice: She was a born teacher, and the free school for girls she opened in 1685 was well received.

Soon the cardinal invited her to oversee the training of teachers and the administration of schools in his diocese of Montefiascone. As Rose's reputation grew, she was called upon to organize schools in many parts of Italy, including Rome. Her disposition was right for the task as well, for Rose often met considerable opposition but was never deterred.

She died in Rome in 1728, where a number of miracles were attributed to her. She was beatified in 1952 and canonized in 2006. The sodality, or group of women she had invited to prayer, was ultimately given the rank of a religious congregation. Today, the so-called Venerini Sisters can be found in the United States and elsewhere, working among Italian immigrants.

Whatever state of life God calls us to, we bring with us an assortment of experiences, interests and gifts—however small they seem to us. Rose's life stands as a reminder that all we are meant to be put to service wherever we find ourselves.

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