



ALL SOULS CATHOLIC PARISH

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SUNDAY, APRIL 23, 2023

3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER



They set out at once and returned to Jerusalem where they found gathered together the eleven and those with them who were saying, "The Lord has truly been raised and has appeared to Simon!" - Lk 24:33-34



April 23, 2023

All Souls Catholic Parish

The Communities of St. Ann, St. James, & St. John

Reverend Mark Kalema, Pastor

Reverend Joseph Kaye, Resident Priest

St. Ann Church & Parish Office

3010 Ridge Road, Lansing

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Office Hours

Monday-Thursday: 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Saturday/Sunday: Closed

St. James Adoration Chapel

22400 Torrence Avenue, Sauk Village

Monday - Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Wednesday: 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Mass Schedule

All Masses are at St. Ann

Tuesday-Friday Morning Masses

7:30 a.m.

Followed by Rosary on Wednesdays

Saturday Mass

4:00 p.m.

Sunday Masses

8:30 & 10:30 a.m.

Confessions

3:00 p.m. Saturdays

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- for baptism (2nd & 4th Sundays), marriage, anointing of the sick, quinceañeras, and RCIA/RCIY
- for Ministry of Care to the homebound or hospitalized
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We would love to have you join us! Please fill out the information below, and place in the Offertory Collection or send to the Parish Office. You may also request a registration form at 708-895-6700 or register on our website at >About >Becoming a Parishioner

Name _____

Address _____
Street Town/Zip

Phone _____

email _____

Once you register and have a number assigned, you will be able to receive envelopes and play the weekly 50/50.

Mass Intentions

Monday, April 24

(St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen)

Tuesday, April 25 (St. Mark)

7:30 a.m. Mass

† Holy Souls in Purgatory

† Maggie Kirincic (Carol & Machiraju)

Wednesday, April 26

7:30 a.m. Mass

† Stan Wohadlo

† Bernice K. (Carol & Machiraju)

Thursday, April 27

7:30 a.m. Mass

† Jim Wojcikiewicz

(Wojcikiewicz Family)

† Dennis Kirincic (Carol & Machiraju)

Friday, April 28 (St. Peter Chanel;

St. Louis Grignon de Montfort)

7:30 a.m. Mass

† Elda Enrique (Alma Cabello)

† Lillian Rossi (Rossi Family)

Saturday, April 29

(St. Catherine of Siena)

4:00 p.m. Mass

† Joseph W. Grabarek

Sunday, April 30

(Fourth Sunday of Easter)

8:30 a.m. Mass

† Mary Zorich (John & Kathy Sandrick)

10:30 a.m. Mass

† Barbara (Martha Madaki)

The 2023 Mass Book is open for your special intentions. Please call the office FMI or to schedule Mass intentions.

Readings for the Week

Sunday: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 (11a)/1 Pt 1:17-21/Lk 24:13-35

Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30/Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14/Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17/Mk 16:15-20

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a/Jn 6:35-40

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20/Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 6:52-59

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/Jn 6:60-69

Next Sunday: Acts 2:14a, 36-41/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)/1 Pt 2:20b-25/Jn 10:1-10

This Week's Activities

Monday, April 24

Adoration	9:00am - 4:00pm	St. James Chapel
Religious Education	4:00 - 5:30pm	School Building

Tuesday, April 25

Daily Mass	7:30am	Chapel
Adoration	9:00am - 4:00pm	St. James Chapel
Food Pantry	10:00am - Noon	St. James

Wednesday, April 26

Daily Mass & Exposition	7:30am	Chapel
Adoration	8:00am - Noon	Chapel
Adoration	9:00am - 9:00pm	St. James Chapel
Sewing Club	9:30am	Parish Office
Rosary & Benediction	Noon	Chapel
A.A. Meeting	8:00pm	School Hall

Thursday, April 27

Daily Mass/Divine Mercy Chaplet	7:30am	Chapel
Adoration	9:00am - 4:00pm	St. James Chapel
Liturgy Meeting	4:00pm	St. Ann
TOPS Meeting	6:00pm	Parish Office
Sharing the Scripture	7:00pm	Parish Office

Friday, April 28

Daily Mass	7:30am	Church
Adoration	9:00am	St. James

Saturday, April 29

Adoration	9:00am	Parish Office
Legion of Mary (Spanish)	10:00am	Parish Office
Confessions	3:00pm	Chapel
Mass	4:00pm	Church

Sunday, April 30

Masses	8:30 & 10:30am	Church
Religious Education	8:45 - 10:15am	School Building
Parish Council Meeting	11:30am	Parish Office

For updates, please visit the website & click on the Calendar tab.



To add to the calendar or to schedule the Narthex or other meeting spaces, please visit the Parish Office to fill out a request form. All activities MUST be on the calendar in case of emergency.

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Third Sunday of Easter: THE ROAD TO EMMAUS

Today's readings focus on a theme of "sojourning." As Christian stewards, we know that our lives are a sojourn toward the ultimate destination of heaven. Our second reading instructs us to "conduct yourselves with reverence during the time of your sojourning, realizing that you were ransomed... with the precious blood of Christ." What a powerful reminder during the Easter season of our "why" for embracing the stewardship way of life — we have been ransomed by our Lord's saving death and resurrection. Our lives are a gift from Him — as we sojourn through life, we are to make our lives a gift to Him in return.

Our Gospel passage today describes a sojourn as well, the familiar Easter season story of the two disciples on the road to Emmaus. The two are dejected and despondent after Jesus' death. These men knew Jesus personally. They were believers. They had heard the Gospel message directly from His lips. They talked with Him, traveled with Him, and ate with Him. They heard the testimony of the women who discovered the empty tomb of our Lord and saw a vision of angels announcing He was alive. And if that were not enough, they had also been informed by other disciples who went to the tomb that all was exactly as the women reported.

How much more obvious could the Good News be? And yet, at times, the reaction of the two disciples describes our own walk of faith, doesn't it? We have the fullness of the Catholic faith, the power of the sacraments, and the support of our parish family, yet we lose our way. We fail to see all the gifts we have been given. We lack trust in the perfect goodness and almighty power of God. The life of a disciple — even for us modern-day disciples — is truly a sojourn, with valleys and mountaintops, wrong turns, and course corrections required regularly.

There is a painting by the Dutch painter, Rembrandt, of Jesus sitting at table between the two disciples. The painting tries to capture the rapturous joy on the faces of the disciples now when they recognized Jesus. Once a guide was showing the picture to some visitors to the museum where it was on display. He began by telling them the story behind the picture, the story we just read in the Gospel. In the group was a couple, Mr. and Mrs. Browne, whose only son had most recently been killed in a car accident. They were still in a state of shock and had come to the museum that day merely in the hope that it might take their minds off their sorrow for a little while. As the guide started the story, the Brownes were only half listening. However, he told it in such a way that by the time he had finished, they were completely captivated. Afterwards they approached the guide and said, "We've heard that story many times, but it never moved us until now. You told it with such feeling and conviction." "There was a time when I told it very badly," the guide replied. "What happened to change that?" the Brownes asked.

"Three years ago," the guide began, "my wife got cancer and died a slow, agonizing death. I could see absolutely no meaning in her terrible suffering and untimely death. She was a good person. She didn't deserve all this. I was heart-broken. It was as if the world had come to an end. Nevertheless, I was persuaded to go back to work here at the museum. So once again I found myself telling the story, only more mechanically than before. Then one day something clicked with me, and suddenly I realized that the story was not just about those two forlorn disciples but about me too. Like the two disciples, I was going down a sad and lonely road. Even though I'm a believer, regrettably, up to this Jesus had been little more than a shadowy figure who lived only in the pages of the Gospels. But now He came alive for me. I felt His presence at my side, the presence of a friend who knew all about human suffering. It was as if at that moment my eyes were opened, and I saw things differently. My heart began to burn within me. As I went on telling the story, a healing process was at work inside me. Even though at times I'm still fragile, I have begun to hope and live again."

By this time, the Brownes were unable to hold back their tears. "Strange," they said, "but as you told the story, we too felt our hearts burn within us." Then they told him the story of the tragic death of their son. They chatted further over a cup of coffee. As they parted the Brownes said, "Thank you for what you did for us. You are a true storyteller."

We can truly tell a story, or truly hear it, only when we see how it applies to ourselves. Then and only then does it really come alive for us. Even though we may never have been to the Holy Land, all of us have been on the road to Emmaus. Some people are very familiar with that road. It represents the road of disappointment, failure, sorrow, grief, shattered dreams, etc. The risen Jesus is with us on this journey, even though we may not recognize Him. He is so close to us that our stories merge with His. It is only His story that makes sense of ours. It is especially by accepting the dark side of our story that we learn what God's grace and love are all about. However, in the final analysis it is only the Christ Story — glory achieved through suffering and death — that helps us to make sense of our own story.

All through life's day, you walk with us, Lord. But often we don't recognize You, for we are blinded by work and worry, doubt, confusion, and fear, and so You remain a stranger to us. Before the day's end we will ask many questions, experience many sorrows and disappointments.

And then, suddenly, whether we are young, middle-aged, or old, we will find that night is approaching. In that moment we pray that, like the disciples on the road to Emmaus, our eyes will be opened, and that we will recognize You. And You will not vanish from our sight but stay with us to guide us to the Father's house. Amen.

Fr. Mark Kalema, Pastor

WEEKLY MONEY MATTERS

4-9-2023

ONLINE/GIVE CENTRAL:	\$	1,575.80
DROP OFF/MAIL IN:	\$	17,863.86
	\$	19,439.66
50-50 CLUB:	\$	570.00
MAINTENANCE FUND	\$	1,398.00
GOOD FRIDAY:	\$	1,259.00
EASTER DECORATIONS	\$	1,489.00



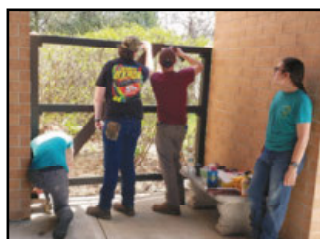
*Thank you for your continued support!
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dropped-off, and online contributions.*

Special thanks to all who contributed to Ciaran Polanski's Eagle Project, which took place last weekend. Together with his volunteers, Ciaran oversaw the construction and installation of wind-breaks on either side of the main entrance to church, as well as repairing and improving the gate and entry to the fenced area that houses the mechanicals on the north end of the church building.

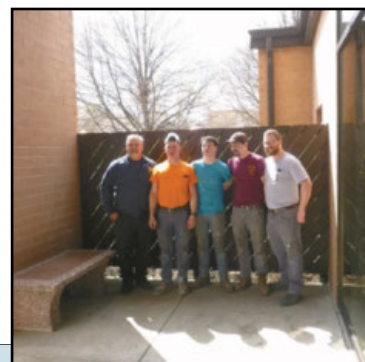


Gate reversed and pavers installed to facilitate opening when snow impedes access.

Eagle candidates must work with a beneficiary to conceive, plan, fundraise for, direct, and execute their project to the recipient's specifications and satisfy all requirements laid out by Scouts BSA. Ciaran is the fifth Polanski brother to dedicate his project to St. Ann Church, and we are so grateful to him, his family, and all of the Scouts before him who have offered their services to the parish.



Panels will block wind and reduce debris accumulation.



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Our April 9 winning number was #1280.

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To be eligible, both your 50-50 (\$5.00) and weekly collection envelopes (no limit, but at least \$5) with separate payments **must be in the parish office by 9:00 a.m. Monday.**

You may make your 50-50 donation at Give Central, along with your weekly and other contributions! If you donate by check, you need to write two separate checks.

A NEW CHANCE TO WIN EVERY WEEK!

Today's Readings

First Reading: "This man, delivered up by the set plan and foreknowledge of God, you killed, using lawless men to crucify him. But God raised him up, releasing him from the throes of death, because it was impossible for him to be held by it." (Acts 2:23-24)

Psalm: Lord, you will show us the path of life. (Ps 16)

Second Reading: Conduct yourselves with reverence during the time of your sojourning, realizing that you were ransomed from your futile conduct, handed on by your ancestors, not with perishable things like silver or gold but with the precious blood of Christ as of a spotless unblemished lamb. (1 Pt 1:17-19)

Gospel: And it happened that, while he was with them at table, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and gave it to them. With that their eyes were opened and they recognized him, but he vanished from their sight. (Lk 24:30-31)

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Lansing Knights of Columbus 3540 Presents
Clergy/Religious Night



Friday, April 28
 at Kasey's Banquet Hall
 17800 Lorenz, Lansing

Social Time
 @6 pm
Dinner @6:30

**Honoring Fr. Mark & Other
 Local Clergy/Religious**

**Tickets: \$35 per person, including dinner by
 The Cookout, entertainment, and a cash bar**

**Please make your reservations by calling
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All reservations must be made by 4/24/23

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Thank you!

**Knights of Columbus
 Lansing Council 3540
 Membership Drive
 May 6 & 7
 In the Narthex
 After All Masses**



Men of the parish, please consider joining our council's Catholic gentlemen to share our core values of charity, unity, fraternity, and patriotism, and enjoy a FREE 12 month membership! Joining takes only five minutes, and can be done after Mass in the Narthex, or from home online using the Knights of Columbus QR Code or by visiting kofc.org/joinus from your home PC. Be sure to include promo code: BLESSEDMCGIVNEY. Feel free to call Martin Liszewski at 708-474-1742 with any questions.

El Consejo Lansing 3540 de Caballeros de Colón llevará a cabo una campaña de membresía en All Souls Parish, St Ann, el lugar de culto el 6 y el 7 de mayo, después de todas las Misas. ¡Membresía GRATIS de 12 meses! Hombres de la parroquia, consideren unirse a los Caballeros católicos de nuestro consejo para compartir nuestros valores fundamentales de caridad, unidad, fraternidad y patriotismo. Unirse toma 5 minutos y se puede hacer después de la Misa en el Narthex, o hacerlo desde su teléfono inteligente o computadora personal. Vaya al sitio escribiendo: (Unete a los caballeros | Caballeros de Colón). Recuerda incluir el código de descuento promocional: BLESSEDMCGIVNEY. Si tiene alguna pregunta, no dude en llamar a Martin Liszewski al 708-474-1742.



Upcoming Events

- Clergy Night: April 28
- Good Neighbor Day Parade: May 6
- First Reconciliation: May 6
- First Communion: May 13

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Faith Formation

The path of spirituality is different for each one of us: there are those of us who are educated in the faith from childhood; in it we grow and in it we remain throughout our lives. There are those of us who come to God as adults, in maturity or even in old age. Others reached God at a given moment and then spent some seasons in a spiritual desert, a desert that sometimes serves to take a leap in faith and on other occasions translates into a regression. The reasons are varied. But the important thing is that God at some point in many of our lives comes out to meet us to invite us to follow Him.

In the essence of the human being is freedom. And with that freedom of ours ***we can say no to God or say yes.*** Knowing that saying yes has to have consequences and implies on many occasions having to rearrange our lives, rearrange our habits, rearrange our priorities and change attitudes, so that our lives become more at the service of others than at our own service.

If we already follow God or we intend to do so, He also comes out to meet us for many different things: to invite us to redirect something that is not going well in our lives, to help us, to strengthen us, He is always there, watching over us, wanting to guide us, wanting to give us a hand and wanting to be an active part in our life. And the more we let Him, the more actively He intervenes.

In this case, Jesus goes out to meet those disciples who were on their way to Emmaus to make them understand how it was necessary for Him to suffer for all of us and to show them that He had risen.

Just as Jesus did with those disciples then, God continues to meet us today. And He looks for us.

The important thing is that, whether we have the ability to discern or still lack it, God will be there, on the lookout, to take care of us, to guide us, coming out to meet us to give us what we need throughout our lives. We know the way to recognize Him more and more, to get closer to Him and to have, little by little, more assurance of spirit: the way is love.

Sandra Bustamante, PA/
Director of Faith Formation



Formación en la Fe

El camino de la espiritualidad es distinto para cada uno de nosotros: hay quienes desde niños somos educados en la Fe, en ella crecemos y en ella permanecemos a lo largo de nuestra vida; hay quienes llegamos a Dios ya de adultos, en la madurez o incluso en la ancianidad; otros en un momento dado llegamos a Dios y pasamos después algunas temporadas de desierto espiritual, desierto que en ocasiones sirve para dar un salto en la Fe y que en otras ocasiones se traduce en un retroceso. La casuística es, de hecho, variadísima. Pero lo importante es que Dios en algún momento – o en muchos – de nuestra vida sale a nuestro encuentro para invitarnos a seguirle.

En la esencia del ser humano está la libertad. Y con esa libertad nuestra podemos decir que no a Dios o decirle que sí. Sabiendo que decirle que sí tiene que tener consecuencias e implica en muchas ocasiones tener que reordenar nuestra vida, reordenar nuestras costumbres, reordenar nuestras prioridades y cambiar actitudes, para que esa vida nuestra pase a estar más al servicio de los demás que a nuestro propio servicio.

Si ya seguimos a Dios o pretendemos hacerlo también sale a nuestro encuentro para muchas distintas cosas: para invitarnos a reconducir algo que no va bien en nuestra vida, para ayudarnos, para fortalecernos, Él siempre está ahí, pendiente de nosotros, deseando guiarnos, deseando echarnos una mano y deseando formar parte activa en nuestra vida. Y mientras más le dejamos, más activamente interviene.

En este caso Jesús sale al encuentro de aquellos discípulos que iban camino de Emaús para hacerles comprender cómo era necesario que él padeciera por todos nosotros y para mostrarles que había resucitado.

Al igual que entonces hizo Jesús con aquellos discípulos, Dios sigue saliendo hoy a nuestro encuentro. Y nos busca.

Lo importante es que, tanto si tenemos capacidad de discernimiento como si aún carecemos de ella, Dios va a estar ahí, al acecho, para cuidarnos, para guiarnos, saliendo a nuestro encuentro a darnos aquello que vayamos necesitando a lo largo de nuestra vida. La forma de irlo reconociendo cada vez más, irnos acercando más a Él e ir teniendo, poco a poco, más finura de Espíritu, la conocemos: el camino es el amor.

Sandra Bustamante,
PA/Directora de Formación en la Fe

COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



GOSPEL

Even though he had risen from the dead, two of Jesus' friends had not seen him yet. These men were still sad and confused. Imagine their surprise when Jesus walked with them, explained the Scriptures about the Savior, and then broke bread for a meal. They saw him alive!

PRAYER

Jesus, when I am sad or confused, help me to remember that you are alive and with me always.

PUZZLE

Unscramble words from today's Gospel:

Emmaus	Christ	village
talking	Moses	bread
Cleopas	Prophets	Simon

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Clapoes _____

Mesos _____

Sonim _____

DRAW

Draw a picture of Jesus walking with you on a long road.

MISSION

Pack a bag with some snacks and your Bible, and take a long walk with your family. When you stop to eat your snacks, read your favorite story about Jesus.

PINWHEELS FOR PREVENTION

at the Archdiocese of Chicago's Healing Garden

Thursday, April 27, 2023

11 a.m.

1080 West Roosevelt Road, Chicago

Please join the Archdiocese of Chicago in its ongoing commitment to the ministry of protecting children at the Annual Prayer Service for Child Abuse Prevention presided by Bishop Robert Lombardo with Superintendent Greg Richmond. Participants will be invited to plant a pinwheel (symbol of child abuse prevention efforts) during the service.



All are welcome!

14th Annual Polish Bikers' Pilgrimage and Blessing of Motorcycles

Solemnity of Our Lady Queen of Poland And Polish Constitution Day



**Sunday – May 7, 2023
Our Lady of Czestochowa Shrine**

**5755 Pennsylvania Street
Merrillville, IN - 219-884-0714**

Everyone is welcome! Holy Mass (in Polish) at noon, followed by the blessing of motorcycles and a picnic on the shrine grounds (menu items and prices vary; food will also be available for purchase in the Millennium Hall). The gift shop will be open from 11 am to 2 pm.

Note: The event will be held rain or shine; motorcyclists who will not be attending Mass but would like to have their bikes blessed should plan to arrive at the shrine before 1:00 p.m. and park on the shrine grounds where space is available. The event is hosted by the Stowarzyszenie Rajd Katynski Pamiec i Tozsamosc USA (Katyn Riders Society)

UPCOMING EVENTS

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

Archdiocese of Chicago



Saturday, April 29

6pm-11:30pm

**Exmoor Country Club,
Highland Park**

Join Co-Chairs Jane Hinton-Kedo, Natalie Reinkemeyer, Joanie Reynolds, and the Women's Board of Catholic Charities, Lake County Services as they host this signature fundraiser, bringing together civic, philanthropic, and community donors to support Catholic Charities.

Sunday, April 30

11am-2pm

Drury Lane, Oak Brook



This 32nd annual brunch brings together the LOSS community to remember and celebrate those we have lost, as well as recognize the resilience and love of survivors. Join Fr. Charles T. Rubey and LOSS team members for this inspiring event.

To purchase tickets or learn more, contact Cristin Clifford, cclifford@catholiccharities.net, (312) 948-6864.

Lansing Junior Woman's Club Presents

13th Annual U.S. Military Veteran Appreciation Dinner

The LJWC ladies honor our veterans and a guest with dinner and entertainment as a symbolic way to say "Thank You for Your Service."

Thursday, May 11 at 4:00pm

Dream Palace Banquet Hall
19825 Stony Island Avenue, Lynwood, IL
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RSVP - Call Rosalie at 708-895-8982 • Respond by April 22, 2023



Welcome to TOPS Chapter #1957

**Thursdays, 6:00-7:00 p.m.
in the Parish Office at St. Ann**

This weekly nonprofit weight-loss support group offers tools and programs for healthy living, wellness, and weight management. The group is open to men, women, and children. In addition to helpful information, weekly meetings provide positive reinforcement and motivation to adhere to healthy eating and exercise programs. FMI or to join, please call Marion Munnich at 708-212-5836.



**TAKE OFF POUNDS
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**PRIVATE RETREAT DAY:
"PUTTING SPRING IN
OUR STEPS"**
Friday, April 28,
9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Fee: \$50 (includes lunch)

As new life buds and blooms all around us we can find ourselves revitalized by a renewing day in a lovely, peaceful setting. Come and allow yourself to be aware of what is new growth for you this spring and to nurture this life within. The day offers you peaceful, private, contemplative space and time at The Port and includes opening prayer, handouts, time for individual reflection, lunch, and a closing service. Each participant has access to a private room. **Facilitator: Janice Keenan, OSF** is Retreat Program Manager/Spiritual Director at the Port.



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