# **ALL SOULS CATHOLIC PARISH**

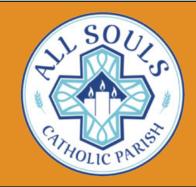
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## SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2023

# 27<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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"The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone." - Mt 21:42ab



# October 8, 2023 All Souls Catholic Parish

The Communities of St. Ann, St. James, & St. John Reverend Mark Kalema, Pastor Reverend Joseph Kaye, Associate Pastor

# St. Ann Church & Parish Office

3010 Ridge Road, Lansing 708.895-6700/708-895-6877 (Fax) **Office Hours** Monday-Thursday: 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Saturday/Sunday: Closed **Confessions** 

3:00 p.m. Saturdays

# St. James Food Pantry

22400 Torrence Avenue, Sauk Village Tuesday: 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Schedule at St. Ann

Monday Morning Communion Service Tuesday-Friday Morning Masses 7:30 a.m. Followed by Rosary on Weekdays Saturday Mass 4:00 p.m. Sunday Masses 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.

**Monday/Thursday Adoration** 

9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Parish email: Fr. Mark's email: Fr. Joseph's email: Operations Director: Bulletin email: Prayer Tree: Religious Ed. Office: St. Vincent DePaul: www.allsoulscatholicparish.org

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Subscribe to the bulletin and have it delivered to your email: www.parishesonline.com/organization/ all-souls-catholic-parish-60438

#### Automate Your Weekly and Other Giving at www.givecentral.org

Click "Find Your Charity" and search for All Souls Catholic Parish, visit **givecentral.org/location/100** or scan the handy QR code here.





In these difficult economic times, know that the St. Vincent de Paul Society of St. Ann is here to assist you in your time of need. All information is kept confidential. Please do not wait until matters become insurmountable. Please call 708 -745-4760.

#### Please call the office:

- for baptism (2nd & 4th Sundays), marriage, anointing of the sick, quinceañeras, and RCIA/ RCIY
- for Ministry of Care to the homebound or hospitalized
- to request prayers for the sick
- if you are grieving for a loved one

#### **New Members Welcome!**

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, October 9 (St. Denis and
Companions; St. John Leonardi)
Tuesday, October 10
7:30 a.m. Mass
† People of the Parish
Wednesday, October 11 (St. John XXIII)
7:30 a.m. Mass
† People of the Parish
Thursday, October 12
7:30 a.m. Mass
† Catalina Saldana (Alma Cabello)
Friday, October 13
7:30 a.m. Mass
† Reparation for Immaculate Heart of
Mary; Conversion of Sinners; World
Peace
Saturday, October 14
(St. Callistus I)
4:00 p.m. Mass
† Mel Tiltges (June Tiltges)
Sunday, October 15
(28th Sunday in Ordinary Time)
8:30 a.m. Mass
† People of the Parish
10:30 a.m. Mass
† People of the Parish

The 2023 Mass Book is open for your special intentions. Please call the office FMI or to schedule Mass intentions. The suggested donation is \$10.

## Readings for the Week

Sunday:	Is 5:1-7/Ps 80:9, 12, 13-14,
	15-16, 19-20 (Isaiah 5:7a)/
	Phil 4:6-9/Mt 21:33-43
Monday:	Jon 1:1—2:2, 11/Jon 2:3,
	4, 5, 8/Lk 10:25-37
Tuesday:	Jon 3:1-10/ Ps 130:1b-2, 3-
	4ab, 7-8/Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday:	Jon 4:1-11/Ps 86:3-4, 5-6,
	9-10/Lk 11:1-4
Thursday:	Mal 3:13-20b/Ps 1:1-2, 3,
	4 and 6/Lk 11:5-13
Friday:	Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Ps 9:2-3,
	6 and 16, 8-9/Lk 11:15-26
Saturday:	Jl 4:12-21/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6,
	11-12/Lk 11:27-28
Next Sunday:	Is 25:6-10a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-
	4, 5, 6 (6cd)/Phil 4:12-14,
	19-20/Mt 22:1-14 or 22:1-
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# This Week's Activities

### Monday, October 9 INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' DAY

Communion Service Rosary Adoration Legion of Mary (Spanish)	7:30am 8:00am 8:00am - 6:00pm 7:00pm	Chapel Chapel Chapel Parish Office
Tuesday, October 10		
Daily Mass Followed by Rosary Food Pantry St. Vincent de Paul Meeting	7:30am 10:00am - Noon 2:00pm	Chapel St. James Office
Wednesday, October 11		
Daily Mass Followed by Rosary Holy Land Pilgrimage Meeting Bereavement Group A.A. Meeting	7:30am 6:00pm 7:00pm 8:00pm	Chapel Narthex School Door C1 Parish Hall
Thursday, October 12		
Daily Mass/Divine Mercy Chaplet Rosary Adoration TOPS Meeting Sharing the Scripture	7:30am 8:00am 8:00am - 6:00pm 6:00pm 7:00pm	Chapel Chapel Chapel Parish Office Parish Office
Friday, October 13		
Daily Mass Followed by Rosary	7:30am	Chapel
Saturday, October 14		
Confessions Mass	3:00pm 4:00pm	Church Church
Sunday, October 15		
Masses Religious Education	8:30 & 10:30am 8:45 - 10:15am	Church Classrooms

For parish updates, please visit the website & click on the Calendar tab: www.allsoulscatholicparish.org

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.



Join us in the Chapel every weekday morning at 8:00 a.m. as we say the Rosary. All are welcome!

#### Today's Readings

**First Reading:** What more was there to do for my vineyard that I had not done? Why, when I looked for the crop of grapes, did it bring forth wild grapes? (Is 5:4)

**Psalm:** The vineyard of the Lord is the house of Israel. (Is 5:7a)

Second Reading: Keep on doing what you have learned and received and heard and seen in me. Then the God of peace will be with you. (Phil 4:9)

**Gospel:** "What will the owner of the vineyard do to those tenants when he comes?" They answered him, "He will put those wretched men to a wretched death and lease his vineyard to other tenants." (Mt 21:41)

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#### Gospel Meditation

#### October 8, 2023: 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus' parables are much stranger than most people realize. This week is an attention-getting example. He tells the religious leaders a parable about a completely absurd situation. Blood-thirsty and insane tenants violently abuse and kill the servants of their landlord. Inexplicably, the owner keeps sending them more victims of increasing value — up to and including his own son. Weird.

Usually, we hear this parable and assume it's an allegory: Jesus is the murdered son, the servants the prophets, etc. Fair enough. But notice — and here is where the weirdness deepens — Jesus seems to *disagree* with the Pharisees' interpretation that the landowner should and will punish the inheritance-obsessed murderers. So, is Jesus praising the psychotic and greedy murderers?! You can imagine the furrowed brows and deriding laughter as the scoffing crowd shuffles away.

If we stay with this tough parable, perhaps this truth emerges: God wants us to have an over-the-top obsession with a *totally undeserved inheritance*. Of course, we are forbidden to use violence. But the parable's violence gets our attention because it highlights the crazy goodness of the landowner. Jesus reveals that God is not merely in the business of rewarding the good and punishing the bad. He is playing a much stranger game one marked by a kind of over-the-top mercy, a breathtaking giving of what is *not* deserved. What would our week look like if we embraced this kind of desire for God's kingdom on earth, even if others think we're nuts? This week let's seek God's kingdom with a passionate confidence in God's desire to give the good things we don't deserve.

— Father John Muir

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### Recognize God in Ordinary Moments

#### The Gift that Gives Back

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

It never ceases to amaze me how often I fall into the trap and end up grumbling about the greatest gifts in my life. A husband, children, a life that is full almost to bursting: these are things for which I once begged God. These are the jewels in the crown of my life.

Oh, but the children need care. Constant care. And a husband — a real flesh-and-blood creation of God, entrusted to me by God, to help me be holy and relying on me for holiness in turn — well, that relationship is a lot of work, isn't it? And a "full life" — I laugh to think of it, and then I blush with shame, because I admit sometimes, I do yearn for a life that is a little less ... *full*. A full life can leave you awfully tired at the end of the day.

I would imagine it's the same for everyone, no matter your life circumstances or vocation. Your greatest blessings are also those things that require much of you, more than you imagined you would ever be asked to give. The biggest jewels make the crown heavy.

But if we had any of these gifts without the effort it takes to maintain them, would they be half as sweet?

In this same way, the work of the vineyard is opened to us through baptism; we are given the chance to produce fruit for the kingdom. It's a chance we never dared to dream would be given to us.

It's a gift. But just like with any gift worth having, it requires effort. Upkeep. Work.

It requires that we give in return. And it's the giving that somehow, mystically, transforms us. It's the giving that turns into the gift itself.

"...the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people that will produce its fruit." — Matthew 21:43 ©LPi

#### Reflect & Respond to Scripture

**First Reading:** The prophet Isaiah uses the metaphor of a vineyard to express God's anger with Israel. How do you communicate your displeasure with a loved one?

**Second Reading:** Paul teaches the Philippians that prayer and a positive attitude is key to settling our anxious hearts and minds. What have you been anxious about this week that using Paul's advice could help?

**Gospel:** In the parable of the tenants, Jesus harshly criticizes the chief priests and elders of Jerusalem and traps them with their own judgment. How well do you accept legitimate criticism?

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#### WEEKLY MONEY MATTERS 9-24-2023

**ONLINE/GIVE CENTRAL:** \$ DROP OFF/MAIL IN: \$

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50-50 CLUB:

Thank you for your continued support! Figures include all collection basket, mailed-in, dropped-off, and online contributions.

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# ALL SOULS SPLIT \$ ~ 50/50 CLUB ~ \$

#### Our September 24 winning number was #1053. #1053 WOULD HAVE WON \$545.50. DON'T MISS OUT ON YOUR CHANCE TO WIN!

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!

#### **ALL SOULS PARISH Holy Souls Bereavement Ministry** Will Meet in the Former School Building **OCTOBER 11 & 28** Every Second Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. Every Fourth Saturday at 11:00 a.m.

Our Bereavement Ministry is a faith-based group that

provides an opportunity for those who have lost a loved one to deal with their grief in an atmosphere of care. Let us join you on your grief journey to offer comfort, encouragement, and understanding.

All are welcome and no registration is required. Ring the bell at Door C-1. Please call 708-895-6700 FMI.



#### The Pilgrimage Info. Session Has Been **Rescheduled:** Please Join us Wednesday, October 11 at 6:00 pm. in the Narthex!

#### You Are Invited on a 14-Day Pilgrimage to the Holy Land and Rome, May 6-19, 2024

Travel with Msgr. Joseph Ntuwa (from Hampstead, NC) and Fr. Mark Kalema on this two week trip of a lifetime!

The \$4,950 per person package includes:

- Round-trip airfare
- Entry fees to all sites •
- 5 Star hotels
- Air-conditioned • motor coaches
- Two meals per day •
- Catholic tour guides •
- Farewell dinner •



This inspirational journey will strengthen your faith



and help you feel closer to God while walking the footsteps of our Lord Jesus Christ. We will celebrate daily mass at the major sites.

Day by day itinerary brochures are available in the Narthex.

### **PLEASE KEEP OUR COLLEGE STUDENTS IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Do you have a college student for whom you would like us to pray?

Sign him or her up at www.bit.ly/aspcollegemail

If your student is already on the list, please fill out a new form to update their school address for the new 2023/24 year.



RE parents, please join the group "All Souls Parish Religious Education" on Facebook to connect with Catechists and other families and for news and helpful resources.





- ✦ Football season is here! Be sure to stop by the table in the Narthex after Masses to get in on some Bears Squares, only \$5 each for a chance to win \$62.50 each quarter. Proceeds will go to the Furnace Fund.
- We are trying to update parishioner contact information. Do you still have a land line, or do you exclusively use your cell phone? Have you graduated or retired and changed your email address? Watch for a link to a form for e-responses, or call the office any day at 708.895.6700. Thank you!





Did you know we currently have

over 30 active ministries at All Souls? If you missed our Ministry Fair last weekend, please pick up a booklet in the Narthex to see what interests you. Spiritual, social, service, our ministries are welcoming to all, and that means YOU! All Souls is our parish—let's make it what we want it to be.





### 4<sup>th</sup> GRADERS - HIGH SCHOOLERS: CAN YOU ANSWER THE CALL?

Becoming an Altar Server is not only an honor but an important part in the offering of the Mass. You will be assisting the priest in the celebration of the Eucharist, which is the cornerstone of your faith. If you are interested in becoming an Altar Server, please discuss it first with your parents or guardians, as you will be making a serious commitment. It is no different than being on the soccer team, or in any other hobby or activity that you participate. You will be able to indicate your preferred Mass time and any dates that you are unavailable. If you are interested, please fill out the attached form and return it to the Parish Office or in the Collection Basket at Church.

We will contact you with the date for Altar Server Training when it is decided. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Cindy Hope, at 708-474-2914.

l approve of my child, becoming an altar server at All Souls/St. Ann Church.
Please contact me with further information at:
Home phone
Cell phone
email
Parent Name
Parent Signature
CATECHISTS NEEDED to help lead our children to Jesus
"LET THE LITTLE CHILDREN COME TO ME, AND DO NOT HINDER THEM, FOR THE KINGDOM OF GOD BELONGS TO SUCH AS THESE." - AN ADAM ANSWER THE CALL
You do not need a degree in education, religion, or theology to be a catechist! All you need is a loving heart and a strong

to be a catechist! All you need is a loving heart and a strong desire to help form our young people in the Catholic faith. Training and resources will be provided to you. Please consider joining our catechetical team! We are seeking catechists, classroom aides, and office/hall aides. Feel free to contact us for more information at 708.895.6700, or drop your interest form into the collection basket or at the office!

Name

email

Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_

#### Knights of Columbus Lansing Council 3540 Annual Membership Drive After Masses October 7 & 8

Men of the parish, please consider joining our council's Catholic gentlemen to share our core values of Charity, Unity, Fraternity,

and Patriotism. Joining takes only five minutes and can be done after Mass with us, by scanning the QR code, or online at kofc.org/joinus. Be sure to enter the promo code BLESSEDMCGIVNEY to join for FREE.



FMI, contact Council Membership Director Martin Liszewski at 708.474.1742 or lisz@prodigy.net

"'Unity and Charity' is our motto." —*Bl. Michael J. McGivney* 

#### Free Family Concerts "Songs of Hope, Healing and Discovery"

Discover composers of today exploring themes of hope, healing, joy, spirituality and nature. Featured prominently are female and African-American composers, such as Margaret Bonds, Rosephanye Powell and Moses Hogan, along with contemporary composers Dan Forrest, Frank Ticheli and others. Authors e.e. cummings, Emily Dickinson, Langston Hughes, W.E.B. DuBois, the Old and New Testaments offer inspiring texts for these award-winning composers.

October 8 - 4 p.m. **Christ Our Savior Parish** 880 E. 154th Street, South Holland October 15 - 3 p.m.

St. Julie Billiart Church 7399 W. 159<sup>th</sup> Street, Tinley Park

www.southhollandmasterchorale.org

Did you graduate from Elizabeth Seton High School in 1975? If so, your classmates are looking for you! Plans for a 50th reunion to take place in 2025 are underway. On Facebook, search for the group Seton Academy 50th Reunion Class of 1975 and click "Join." Not on Facebook? Not a problem. Simply email us at seton50reunion2025@gmail.com



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Your Class of '75 Reunion Committee looks forward to hearing from you!

## Upcoming Events

Holy Land Pilgrimage Info. Session: October 11
Bereavement Group: October 11 & 28
October Fish Fry: October 20
World Mission Sunday: October 22
Family Mass/RE Parent Meeting: November 5
Furnace Raffle Early Bird Drawing: November 5



All Souls Parish/St. Ann Church 🎔 3010 Ridge Road, Lansing, IL

We have launched the Warm All Souls campaign to pay for replacing our failing heating and cooling systems. The good news is that if we sell out the entire 1,000 Furnace Fund Raffle tickets, we will raise over 3/4 of that money without any one person having to dig deep! To make the raffle a success though, we will need all hands on deck. Registered parishioners and RE families should have received two tickets in the mail. We ask that each of you buy, sell, or buy and sell these. If you can sell more, we will have five-packs available for check-out (no prepayment required), and there will be a special drawing just for those who sell more than their requirement. If you did not receive your tickets by mail, please call the Parish Office so that we may register you and/ or update your address, or stop by the Bears Squares table in the Narthex. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to chat with your Furnace Fund Raffle committee members: Ted Cap, Jennifer Gray, Dan Podgorski, and Janice Summerrise. Thank you, thank you for your support and participation! Together we will Warm All Souls!



Look for "All Souls Catholic Parish" on Facebook, and "like" us for updates and breaking news about the parish & community.



# In-Person PreCana Weekend Encounter

2023

On behalf of all of us here at the Archdiocese of Chicago, congratulations on your engagement! We are blessed to accompany you on your journey to the sacrament of marriage. The Office of Lifelong Formation offers a PreCana Encounter Weekend for couples to learn about the sacrament of marriage and prepare their hearts leading up to their wedding day. For more information on how to get married in the Catholic Church, please visit pvm.archchicago.org/lifelong-formation/marriage or email precana@archchicago.org.

## English | events.archchicago.org/englishprecana

This event is filled with great speakers, activities, prayer and reflection for engaged couples on the sacrament and vocation of marriage. The cost for this event is \$495 per couple to include lodging (separate rooms for the bride and groom), food, presentations, books, resources and social gatherings.

October 21 and 22, 2023

Saturday 9 a.m. - Sunday 3 p.m. University of Saint Mary of the Lake 1000 East Maple Avenue, Mundelein, IL 60060 usml.edu

## Español | events.archchicago.org/precanaespanol

Este evento está lleno de grandes oradores, actividades, oración y reflexión para los novios sobre el sacramento y la vocación del matrimonio. El costo de este evento es de \$495 e incluye alojamiento (habitaciones separadas para los novios), comida, presentaciones, libros, recursos y reuniones sociales.

21 y 22 de octubre de 2023 Sábado 9 a.m. – Domingo 3 p.m. University of Saint Mary of the Lake 1000 East Maple Avenue, Mundelein, IL 60060 usml.edu







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You are God's child. He made you and he loves you. Make sure you act like God's child. He created a beautiful world for you to live in. God expects you to take care of it. God also created people to live around you. Love them. Then you will make God happy.

# PRAYER

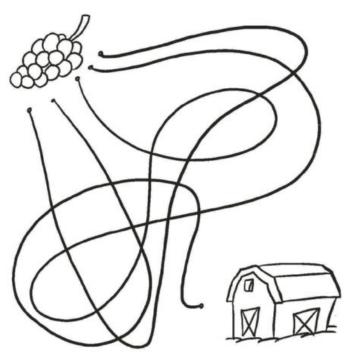
Dear God, help me to take care of your world and love the people around me.

Matthew 21:33-43 • 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

DRAW Draw a picture of yourself picking up your room.

# PUZZLE

Help the grapes find their way home.





Recycle paper, plastic and glass at home, instead of throwing it away. Recycling is a great way to take care of God's world.

TRICK-OR-TREAT **AT FOX POINTE** 

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### SATURDAY, OCT. 28 2-4 P.M. 19139 HENRY ST.



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You are invited to participate in this fourth annual safe trick-or-treating event.

Register your group to hand out candy to all the children attending this event at Fox Pointe! Bring enough candy for 1,000 children, one 8-10 ft. table, and enough chairs for your volunteers. You'll have fun while publicizing your organization or business. Feel free to dress up and be festive!







**Questions?** Call 708-832-4554 or email communications@VillageofLansing.org.



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# DECORATION CLEAN-UP

# REMOVE ALL DECORATIONS & ITEMS BEFORE OCTOBER 15<sup>th</sup>

Fall & Winter decorations may be placed starting November 1st. Please do NOT place ANY decorations between October 15" & October 31", they will be removed.

## Are You Experiencing Temporary or Long-Term Food Insecurity?

The Lansing Community Food Pantry is here to help. Open to Lansing residents and non-residents who are members of Lansing churches. **Tuesdays, 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Lansing Assembly Church • 2990 Ridge Road** Please call for an initial appointment: 708.466.9298 ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO

# FALL & WINTER VISITING HOURS

October 16th - February 28th

**CEMETERY VISITING HOURS** 8:00 am-5:00 pm, 7 days a week

MAUSOLEUM VISITING HOURS 9:00 am-4:00 pm, 7 days a week

#### **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday - Friday, 8:30 am - 4:00 pm Saturday, 9:00 am - 1:00 pm Closed Sundays





Honor Flight Chicago's mission is to thank and pay tribute to senior war veterans by bringing them to Washington, D.C., for a day of honor and remembrance at no cost to them. Do you know someone who is a senior

war veteran? Visit <u>www.honorflightchicago.org</u> to learn more about how you can refer them for an upcoming flight, volunteer your time or donate to the cause.



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