

ALL SOULS CATHOLIC PARISH

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SUNDAY, AUGUST 16, 2026



OUR VISION

All Souls Catholic Parish aspires to be an inviting faith community where members and newcomers alike are engaged, inspired, and spiritually nourished among friends that become family.

OUR MISSION

As a welcoming and united parish, the All Souls Family of Faith is committed to loving God, loving our neighbors, and inviting others to know and serve Jesus Christ and recognize Him in one another.

Do not neglect hospitality, for through it some have unknowingly entertained angels.

— *Hebrews 13:2*



August 16, 2026

All Souls Catholic Parish

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

Reverend Mark Kalema, Pastor

Reverend David Simonetti, Associate Pastor

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

Confessions

Saturdays at 3:00 p.m. or Any Weekday by Appointment

Adoration

Monday & Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Mass Schedule

Followed by Rosary on Weekdays

Communion Service

Monday: 7:30 a.m.

Morning Mass

Tuesday - Friday: 7:30 a.m.

Saturday Mass

4:00 p.m.

Sunday Masses

8:30 & 10:30 a.m.

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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
- for Mass intentions
- to request prayers for the sick
- to make a Confession appointment

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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.

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, August 17

Tuesday, August 18

7:30 a.m. Mass

† Irene Gismondi

† Cheryl Custodimanalo (Family)

Wednesday, August 19 (St. John Eudes)

7:30 a.m. Mass

† People of the Parish

Thursday, August 20 (St. Bernard)

7:30 a.m. Mass

† People of the Parish

Friday, August 21 (St. Pius X)

7:30 a.m. Mass

† Stefanie Sharer

Saturday, August 22 (The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary)

4:00 p.m. Mass

† Phyllis Duffield (Family)

Sunday, August 23

(Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time)

8:30 a.m. Mass

† Dorothy Przekwas (Family)

† Faustino Dionisio, Jr.

10:30 a.m. Mass

† Jack Shone (Gena Shone)

† Sharon Burke

(Bonnie & Tom Druetzler)

The 2026 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 56:1, 6-7/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8/
Rom 11:13-15, 29-32/Mt 15:21-28

Monday: Ez 24:15-23/Dt 32:18-19, 20, 21/
Mt 19:16-22

Tuesday: Ez 28:1-10/Dt 32:26-27ab, 27cd-28, 30, 35cd-36ab/Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday: Ez 34:1-11/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Mt 20:1-16

Thursday: Ez 36:23-28/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19/Mt 22:1-14

Friday: Ez 37:1-14/Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 22:34-40

Saturday: Ez 43:1-7ab/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mt 23:1-12

Next Sunday: Is 22:19-23/Ps 138:1-2a, 2b-3, 6 and 8/Rom 11:33-36/Mt 16:13-20

This Week's Activities

Monday, August 17

Communion Service/Rosary	7:30am	Chapel
Adoration	8:00am - 6:00pm	Chapel
Legion of Mary (Spanish)	6:00pm	Parish Office

Tuesday, August 18

Daily Mass Followed by Rosary	7:30am	Chapel
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Wednesday, August 19

Daily Mass Followed by Rosary	7:30am	Church
Legion of Mary Rosary (Spanish)	10:00am	Chapel
A.A. Meeting	8:00pm	Parish Hall

Thursday, August 20

Daily Mass	7:30am	Chapel
Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet	8:00am	Chapel
Adoration	8:00am - 6:00pm	Chapel
TOPS Meeting	4:30pm	Parish Office
Legion of Mary Rosary (Spanish)	6:00pm	Church

Friday, August 21

Daily Mass Followed by Rosary	7:30am	Chapel
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Saturday, August 22

Bereavement Group	11:00am	Parish Office
Confessions	3:00pm	Chapel
Mass	4:00pm	Church

Sunday, August 23

Masses (Baptisms @10:30)	8:30 & 10:30am	Church
Finance Council Meeting	11:30am	Narthex

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

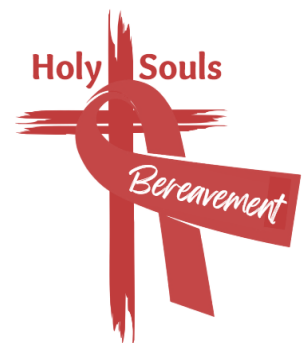
To add to the calendar or to schedule the Narthex or other meeting spaces, please visit the Parish Office to fill out a request form.

All activities MUST be on the calendar in case of emergency.

ALL SOULS PARISH
Holy Souls Bereavement Ministry
Meets in the Parish Office
AUGUST 22 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.

Note, the new location is the Parish Office. Call 708-895-6700 FMI.





TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: The Canaanite Woman—A House of Prayer for All Peoples

The readings for this week reveal the wideness of God's mercy. God's saving love is never confined to one people, one background, or one past; in Christ, all are invited into the household of faith. The Canaanite woman teaches us what persevering, humble, and courageous faith looks like. So, today's readings speak powerfully about the mercy of God: mercy that reaches beyond borders, beyond human expectations, beyond past failures, and beyond every label by which people may be excluded.

In the first reading (Is 56:1, 6-7), the prophet Isaiah proclaims God's promise, "My house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples." At a time when many understood God's covenant primarily through the identity of Israel, Isaiah announces something remarkable: God is gathering people from every nation who seek Him, love His name, serve Him, and hold fast to His covenant. The Temple is not to become a closed house for a privileged few. It is to be a house of prayer for all people. This prophecy of Isaiah finds its fullness in Jesus Christ. Through His Cross and Resurrection, Jesus breaks down the walls that divide humanity: Jew and Gentile, rich and poor, native and foreigner, sinner and saint. The Church is meant to be the living fulfillment of Isaiah's prophecy: a people gathered from every nation, language, culture, and condition of life, united in worship of the one true God. Today, we live in a divided world! Let's reflect for a moment on what we see on television and hear in all the media how it spills over in our church family and beyond!

In the second reading (Rom 11:13-15.29-32), Saint Paul develops this message. He speaks honestly about the painful mystery of Israel's unbelief in Christ, but he does not speak with contempt or despair. He insists that God has not rejected His people, because "the gifts and the call of God are irrevocable." Those words should give us great hope. God does not casually withdraw His love. He does not abandon us whenever we fail. We may turn away from Him, neglect prayer, fall into sin, become distracted by the world, or grow cold in faith. Yet God continues to call us back. His mercy remains active. His grace continues to seek the door of the human heart. Saint Paul reminds us that all of us stand before God not as people who have earned salvation, but as people in need of mercy. He says, "God delivered all to disobedience, that He might have mercy upon all." None of us can say, "I deserve God more than someone else." None of us can look down on another person as though we are better, purer, or more worthy of Christ's love. We are all saved by grace.

Then, in the Gospel, (Mt 15:21-28), we see this mercy in a very personal encounter. Jesus withdraws into the region of Tyre and Sidon, Gentile territory. There, a Canaanite woman comes to Him. She is not an Israelite. She is an outsider in the eyes of many. Yet she cries out with astonishing faith: "Have pity on me, Lord, Son of David! My daughter is tormented by a demon." Notice that she calls Jesus, "Lord" and "Son of David." She recognizes in Him the Messiah, even though she is a Canaanite woman. She comes carrying the pain of a mother whose child is suffering. She does not come with an argument, a demand, or a claim of entitlement. She comes with a plea for mercy.

It's amazing what people can and will do when they are motivated by love. We see this especially in the case of a mother. A mother

will do anything, brave anything, suffer anything, endure anything, for the sake of her child. Years ago, when I lived in Chicago, I used to visit prisons and hospitals. In the prison service, I have not met five prisoners without good relationships with their mothers. The mothers never fail to visit, and they never fail to take responsibility. We see them every day, mothers with maybe more than one drug addict in the family, queuing to visit the son in jail, living out their lives with no resources, no support, nothing. It is unbelievable, considering the amount of pressure that mothers come under and the amount of torture they have to go through because their children get into trouble and into crime. A mother doesn't give up easily.

We see a wonderful example of the mothers' love and unshakeable determination in today's Gospel story. She just refused to be put off or to give up. How delighted she must have been when Jesus finally answered her prayer. It meant that all her trouble, all her begging, all her embarrassment, had not been in vain. She is an example to us of perseverance, courage and love. But she is also an example of faith. Jesus said to her, "Woman you have great faith. Let your wish be granted." She is a model of what could be called tough faith. Sometimes you hear people say, "Ah, it's easy for you; you've great faith." But it's not like that at all. Faith doesn't always make things easy. In fact, the opposite is more likely to be the case. It's because we have faith that we refuse to give up. Faith impels us to persevere, to struggle on, often with no guarantee of a happy outcome. Faith is not a magic wand. It calls forth from us humility, courage, perseverance, and above all love. At first, Jesus does not answer her. The disciples want to send her away because her cries disturb them. But she refuses to leave. She comes closer, kneels before Jesus, and says simply, "Lord, help me." That prayer is one of the shortest and strongest prayers in the Gospel. "Lord, help me." It is the prayer of someone who has reached the end of her own strength. It is the prayer of a parent worried about a child, of a family facing illness, of a person burdened by grief, addiction, loneliness, financial trouble, or fear. When words fail, this prayer remains: "Lord, help me."

The conversation that follows is difficult. Jesus says that His mission is first directed toward "the lost sheep of the house of Israel," and He uses the image of children's bread not being thrown to little dogs. Yet the woman does not become offended, bitter, or discouraged. She does not walk away. Instead, she responds with remarkable humility and confidence, "Please, Lord, for even the dogs eat the scraps that fall from the table of their masters." She does not demand a place. She trusts that even the smallest measure of Christ's mercy is enough to heal her daughter. She believes that the goodness of Jesus is so abundant that there is mercy enough even for her. Jesus responds, "O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish." And her daughter is healed at that very hour. This woman's faith is great not merely because she asks for something. Great faith is faith that perseveres when God seems silent. Great faith remains when prayer feels difficult. Great faith does not give up when answers do not come immediately. Great faith kneels before Jesus and says again, "Lord, help me."

There are moments when many people experience silence in prayer. We ask God to heal someone we love. We ask Him to remove a burden. We pray for peace in a family, a return to the sacraments, relief from anxiety, freedom from addiction, or the conversion of someone dear to us. Sometimes we pray for a long time, and nothing seems to change. The Canaanite woman teaches us not to confuse God's silence with God's absence. Jesus was listening. He was drawing her faith into the open, not to humiliate her, but to reveal its strength. Her encounter becomes a lesson for the disciples who wanted to dismiss her. They needed to see that the mercy of God reaches further than their narrow expectations. Perhaps the Lord is also expanding our hearts. There may be people we have quietly dismissed: someone whose past is broken, someone from another culture, someone who has been away from the Church, someone who thinks differently from us, someone difficult to love, or someone whom we believe does not belong. Yet God says, "My house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples." The Church must be a place where people can encounter

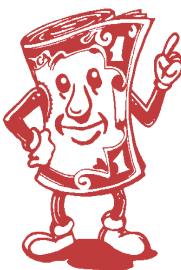


WEEKLY MONEY MATTERS

8-2-2026

ONLINE/GIVE CENTRAL: \$ 947.00
 DROP OFF/MAIL IN: \$ 7,932.30
 \$ 8,879.30

50-50 CLUB: \$ 515.00
 BUILDING FUND: \$ 1,140.00



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

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

**Our August 2 winning number was #2395.
 #2395 WON \$1,207.50. CONGRATULATIONS!
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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!

Christ's truth and mercy. This does not mean that truth is set aside. Jesus never compromises the truth. But truth is always offered with the heart of the Good Shepherd: patient, merciful, inviting, and ready to receive the repentant sinner.

The Canaanite woman also reminds us that faith often includes intercession. She comes to Jesus not only for herself, but for her daughter. Her love brings another person before the Lord. How many people need our prayers today? Children who have wandered from the faith. Family members who are burdened by illness. Marriages under strain. Those grieving a loved one. People living with depression, fear, or addiction. Those far from the sacraments. Those who feel unworthy to come near God. We can bring all of them to Jesus. We may not be able to solve every problem, but we can pray with confidence: "Lord, help them. Lord, have mercy. Lord, heal. Lord, bring them back to You."

This week, let us take three simple steps:

- Pray with perseverance: Bring one specific need to Jesus every day, even if you have prayed about it many times before. Do not give up.



Don't Forget to Write!

Safe travels to all of our parishioners and loved ones this summer, and thank you for remembering All Souls with your regular contributions! We rely greatly on your support and often have difficulty making ends meet when summer Mass attendance declines.

If you're going to be away this summer, here are some easy ways to continue supporting All Souls:

- Place all your envelopes for the month (weekly AND 50/50) in the collection basket at one time before you go or upon your return
- Text to give at 847-201-4236
- Set up recurring e-giving through the QR Code or online at www.givecentral.org/location/100 You can even play the 50-50 this way!



Today's Readings

First Reading: Thus says the LORD: Observe what is right, do what is just; for my salvation is about to come, my justice, about to be revealed. (Is 56:1)

Psalms: O God, let all the nations praise you! (Ps 67)

Second Reading: For God delivered all to disobedience, that he might have mercy upon all. (Rom 11:32)

Gospel: Then Jesus said to her in reply, "O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish." (Mt 15:28)

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- Intercede for someone else: Choose one person who is suffering, struggling, or far from the Lord, and pray daily: "Lord, help them."
- Welcome with Christ's heart: Make a concrete effort to greet, include, or show kindness to someone who may feel unseen, excluded, or alone.

Sisters and brothers, the Canaanite woman came to Jesus as an outsider, but she left as a witness to great faith. She came with pain, but she left with healing. She came crying for mercy, and she discovered that the mercy of Christ is greater than every boundary human beings create.

May we never grow tired of coming before the Lord. May we pray with her humility and perseverance: "Lord, help me." And may our parish All Souls, here at St. Ann Church truly be what Isaiah foretold: a house of prayer, a house of mercy, and a home where all peoples may encounter Jesus Christ. Amen.

Fr. Mark Kalema, Pastor



- ✦ The All Souls Grounds Crew is still in need of some volunteers to water plants around the parish campus on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Please call the office to let us know if you can help. This is a perfect volunteer opportunity for making your own schedule!
- ✦ Do you wish to have a Mass said for someone, but find it difficult to come into the office during business hours? Simply call us at 708.895.6700 to schedule your times, dates, and locations, and you may send your donation in through the collection basket or Give Central. The requested donation is \$10 per intention.

K of C SILVER ROSE PRAYER SERVICE

Sunday, August 16

Each year, from early March through mid-December, Silver Roses are stewarded by Knights of Columbus councils along routes from Canada to Mexico. Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the pilgrimage is a rosary-centered occasion for Knights, parishioners, and community members to pray for respect for life, for the spiritual renewal of each nation, and for the advancement of the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

The Silver Rose will arrive at All Souls/St. Ann Church on Sunday, August 16 at 1:00 p.m.

The prayer service will take place from 1-1:45 p.m.

ALL ARE WELCOME!



SPECIAL THANKS TO OUR MONTHLY WINE SPONSOR

Paulette Lofrano sponsored the wine for the month of August.



GIRL SCOUT GOLD AWARD PROJECT

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THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING MY GIRL SCOUT GOLD AWARD PROJECT!



Busy Sunday last week! There were several baptisms, Fr. Mark blessed the college students, Ava DeMay explained her Girl Scout Gold Award project, and we met our newest altar servers.



All Are Invited to the All Souls Hospitality Cookout

Sunday, September 13
After 10:30 a.m. Mass

Join us for burgers and dogs and camaraderie after 10:30 Mass on Sunday, September 13! We will celebrate the change of seasons and each other with good food and fellowship. The main course and paper products will be provided by our own All Souls ministries, and you may bring your favorite adult beverages of choice (if you are over 21). Some seating will be available, but feel free to bring your own chairs, popup tents, coolers, etc. In the event of inclement weather, we will move to the Parish Hall. We sincerely hope that you and your families and friends will join us for this fun, relaxing Sunday social.

We are seeking the following contributions in advance, which may be brought to church or the Parish Office:

- Pop/Juice Boxes/Hugs
- Water
- Single serving bags of chips

For the day of the party we are requesting finger desserts, such as cookies, brownies, bars, etc. (nothing that requires cutting to serve or cutlery to eat).

We will also need some volunteers that day—it's a great way to meet others and make some new acquaintances! If you can help, please call the Parish Office to leave your name and number. Thank you!



IMPORTANT ~ IMPORTANT ~ IMPORTANT

Special, Super Duper Early Holiday Edition Bulletin Deadlines

Due to holiday office closures, our bulletin publisher has moved up deadlines for the post-Labor Day weekend. **Therefore, the deadline for materials for the September 13 bulletin is August 28.** Materials received after August 28 will not be able to be accommodated for that weekend. We apologize for any inconvenience and will resume regular 10-day advance deadlines thereafter.

Upcoming Events

RE/FF Registration: Ongoing

Silver Rose Ceremony: August 16

Bereavement Group: August 22

Family Enrichment Nights: September 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

Walgreen's Flu Vaccine Clinic: September 13

Hospitality Cookout: September 13

Golden Wedding Mass: September 13

RE/FF Begins: September 13 & 14

FREE Flu Shots **Sunday** **September 13** **After Masses at** **St. Ann**



Walgreens will be bringing the flu shot to US! No appointment necessary, no trip to the doctor's office or pharmacy, no insurance issues, plus avoid the rush and crowds that build later in the flu season! Just step right up after Sunday Mass, anyone 5 years of age and older is welcome. The higher dose shot recommended for those 65 and older will also be available—be sure to bring your Medicare card if you want to receive that one. A parent or guardian must sign for patients under 18. Bring the family and tell your friends!

Reservations are very helpful so there will be enough vaccine ready for everyone. Please call the parish office at 708-895-6700, scan the QR code, or register yourself and your family members at <https://bit.ly/aspflushots26> if you plan to receive a shot. Thank you!



Miss Me—But Let Me Go

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Jacqueline Jackson
Richard Podgorski
Diane Roberts



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(Book fees are due at registration so that materials may be ordered)
- Sacrament Preparation Fees - \$25 (2nd Year Communion/1st Year Confirmation)
\$50 (2nd Year Confirmation)

Sign Up Now at the Parish Office Any Weekday
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. or Thursdays from 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Save Time and Pre-fill Your Paperwork! Family Information Here: bit.ly/allsoulsrefamilyinfo26
Student Information Here: bit.ly/allsoulsrestudentinfo26

FMI, please call: 708-895-6700 EXT: 114 - Daniel Mauch, Director

R.E. BEGINS SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13 AND MONDAY SEPTEMBER 14

ALL SOULS ENRICHMENT NIGHTS

Bring the Whole Family
Tuesday Evenings in
September!



LISTENING TO GOD'S WORDS IN THE GOSPEL OF MARK

Come share and learn the word of God and deepen your faith. Please read the indicated passages at home before each weekly meeting. All are welcome!

Our presenter will be
Fr. Ferdinand Okorie, CMF
of the Catholic Theological Union



SEPTEMBER 1

The Kingdom of God Has Come Among Us
Mark 1:14-45, 2:1-28, and 3:1-12

SEPTEMBER 8

The Mighty Work of God Has Come Among Us
Mark 4:35-41, 5:1-43, 6:1-6, and 6:34-56

SEPTEMBER 15

Jerusalem and the Places Where God is Present
Among Us: Mark 8:22-36, 9:1-49, and 10:1-52

SEPTEMBER 22

Christ Among Us in the Church
Mark 11:1-33

SEPTEMBER 29

The Death of Christ for Our Sake
Mark 14:1-72, 15:1-47, and 16:1-20

**We Will Gather Every
September Tuesday at 6:00
p.m. in the Narthex for
Refreshments Followed by
the Presentation in Church
at 6:30 p.m.**



COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



20th Sunday in Ordinary Time • Matthew 15:21-28



GOSPEL

Jesus met a woman who had amazing faith. She was brave. She was loud. She did not care what anybody else thought. Jesus was the Savior, and she knew he could heal her daughter. Jesus can help you with any problem you have, too. Be brave. Keep asking Jesus for help. God is strong. He can do anything.



PRAYER

Jesus, help me to be brave. I know you can do anything.



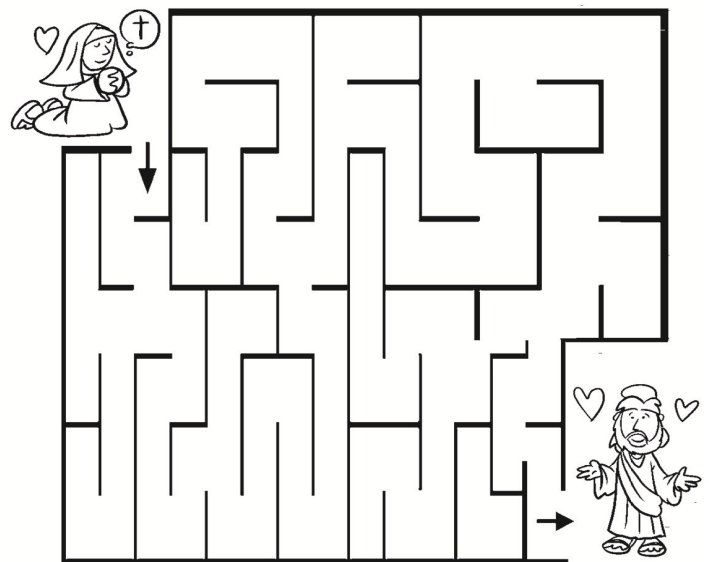
DRAW

Draw a picture of the brave woman asking Jesus for help.



PUZZLE

Help this woman find Jesus.



MISSION

If you know someone who is sick, be brave and pray about it. Jesus can do anything.



THE Garage Sale

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Friday, August 21st 9am-2pm

Saturday, August 22nd 9am-4pm

Sunday, August 23rd 9am-1pm

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SUNDAY - DOMINGO 8/23/2026 ★ 2 -10pm

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Praying for Non-Violence in our Hearts–Schools–Family–Streets

These Streets Are Holy Sunrise Prayer Service, August 22, 2026

6:30 – 8:30 a.m.

Oakwood Beach

41st St. & Lake Shore Dr., Chicago

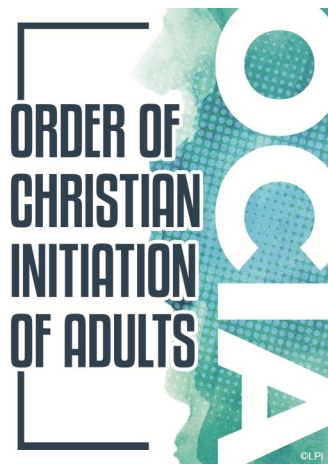
Since 2010, on the shores of Lake Michigan, the BCDC has hosted annual sunrise Masses to pray for the protection of our children. The BCDC prays for non-violence in our hearts, schools, families and streets.

Note: In the event of heavy rain, the services will be moved to Our Lady of Africa Church, 613 E. Oakwood Blvd.

For more information, contact Deacon Gill at 773.933.0027 or deacongill@sbcglobal.net.

STOP THE VIOLENCE





- Are you interested in learning about the Catholic Church?
- Are you from another faith tradition and feel drawn to the Catholic way of life?
- Are you unbaptized and recognize the need for spirituality in your life?
- Are you married to a Catholic and attend Mass, but just don't know how to move toward becoming one of the Catholic faithful?

If you answered “yes” to any of these, then OCIA is for you! Every year, adults are welcomed into the Catholic community through this process. Sessions will take place in the Parish Office beginning in September, dates and times TBA. Think on it, pray on it, and join us! Spouses are also welcome.

If you are interested in becoming Catholic, please return this form to the Parish Office, drop it in the collection basket, or contact us at dmauch@allsoulscatholicparish.org or 708-895-6700

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