St. Alexander Church

First Sunday of Lent
March 10, 2019

The Palos Catholic

St. Alexander Parish Administration Directory

Parish Administrative Center

7025 W. 126th St. Palos Heights, IL 60463
Phone: 708-448-4861 Fax: 708-448-0039

Pastor: …….. Rev. Martin Michniewicz ext. 227
Associate Pastor: …… Rev. Patrick O'Neill ext. 223
Deacons: …….. Jim Horton, Tim Keating
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Accounting Department Director: ….. Paula Somers ext. 233
Director of Music: …… Matthew Berardi ext. 224
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Teen Coordinator: …… Sharon Ayres - 448-6624
Counseling Center: …… 448-4861 ext.310
Director: …… Sr. Claire Marie Czerwiec, SSND, LCPC

Parish E-Mail: …… alchurch1@comcast.net

St. Alexander School

126th St. and 71st Ave. Palos Heights, IL 60463
Phone: 708-448-0408 Fax: 708-448-5947

Principal: ……..…….. Cathy Biel
Assistant Principal: ……..…… Mary Dombrowski
Administrative Assistants: Mary Ann Pellicore & Renee Chavez
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School E-Mail: ……..... info@stalexanderschool.com

Religious Education Office

126th St. and 71st Ave. Palos Heights, IL 60463
Phone: 708-448-6624
Coordinator of Religious Education: …… Nancy Cook
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St. Alexander's on the Web ……. www.stalexanderpalos.org

Spreading the Holy Fire

Celebrating Christ Risen from the Dead through the 7 Sacraments

Sacraments of Initiation

BAPTISM

Celebration of Entrance into Christ's Church

You must be a registered parishioner in this parish.

At least one Godparent must be a practicing Catholic. The other must be a Christian.

Parents must register for a class on Baptism **BEFORE** your baby is baptized. Archdiocesan required classes are held once a month, usually on the 1st Monday of the month, and facilitated by trained parishioners.

Baptism contact Joan DeVito 448-4861 ext. 237

CONFIRMATION

Celebration of the Gifts of the Holy Spirit

This Sacrament is normally celebrated in 8th Grade and is a 2 year program of preparation.

Confirmation Contacts:
Nancy Cook - Religious Education 448-6624
Cathy Biel - School 448-0408

The Archdiocese also offers classes for adults wishing to receive Confirmation. **Adult Confirmation Contact - Deacon Tim Keating & Deacon Jim Horton 448-4861**

RCIA *Celebration of the Rites of Christian Initiation of Adults*

This process is for adults who would like to join the Roman Catholic Church and have never been Baptized, or were Baptized in another Christian denomination. There is also a process for children (RCIC) and teens (RCIT).

RCIA/RCIC/RCIT contact - Deacon Jim Horton 448-4861 & Deacon Tim Keating 448-6624

EUCHARIST

Celebration of Sharing Fully at Christ's Altar of Sacrifice & Communion with Jesus and His Church

Eucharistic Liturgy (Mass)

Sunday Vigil: 5:00 PM (Saturday)
Sunday: 7:00, 9:00, 10:30 AM, 12:00 Noon & 6:00 PM (Life Teen Youth Mass)
Monday through Friday: 6:30 & 8:45 AM
Saturday Morning: 8:00 AM
Holy Day Vigil: 7:00 PM
Holy Day: 6:30, 8:45 AM & 7:00 PM

Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday before the 1st Friday
9:15 AM - 7:00 PM Benediction

Evening of Prayer and Adoration

On the 1st Saturday
4:30 PM - Rosary
5:00 PM - Mass
6:00 PM - Prayers for Healing

Sacraments of Healing

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Celebration of God's Restorative Love & Forgiveness

Sacrament offers strength to the living. If someone becomes seriously ill, please call the Parish Administrative Center. Ministers of Care are available to bring Holy Communion and/or visit with the sick and homebound.

Also every 1st Saturday - 6:00 - 7:00 PM in church

RECONCILIATION

Celebration of God's Forgiveness through Personal Confession

Saturday Morning: 8:30 - 9:00 AM
Saturday Evening: after the 5:00 PM Mass
Other Times by Appointment

Sacraments of Commitment

MATRIMONY

Celebration of God's Blessings on the Loving Union between Man and Woman

Please call the Parish Administration Center at least 4 months in advance of your wedding. Pre-Cana for engaged couples is required by the Archdiocese

Matrimony Contact:
Fr. Martin Michniewicz & Fr. Patrick O'Neill 448-4861

HOLY ORDERS

Celebration of Ordained Service to the Church

The three offices of the Sacrament of Holy Orders are bishop, priest and deacon. All three are conferred by the sacramental act called "ordination."

Priesthood Contact - Fr. Michniewicz 448-4861 ext. 227
Archdiocese of Chicago Vocation Director:
Fr. Brian Welter - 312-534-8298

FROM OUR PASTOR

Dear Parishioners,

During this prayerful season of Lent, remember our daily Mass at 6:30AM and 8:45AM Monday through Friday, and 8:00AM on Saturdays. Stations of the Cross and Benediction will be celebrated at 7:00PM every Friday during Lent. Rosary and Soup Night is held every Wednesday from 6:00-7:00PM at Lake Katherine.

All parish families should have received the annual St. Alexander Easter letter and schedule in the mail. I ask that everyone please take notice of the schedule of Easter services, Masses and Reconciliation times. The liturgies of Holy Week and Easter are the most spirited, moving, and meaningful celebrations of the year as they recall the passion, death, and resurrection of our Savior. The Easter schedule is also listed below.

Fortunately, the Lenten and Easter season is not filled with hour upon hour of shopping, wrapping, decorating, and parties. This is the perfect opportunity for us to concentrate on our personal relationship with God through reflection and prayer.

God Bless,
Father Marty

"Lent is a favorable season for opening the doors to all those in need and recognizing in them the face of Christ."
— Pope Francis

LENTEN REGULATIONS

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence. Abstinence from meat is to be observed by all Catholics who are 14 years old and older on all Fridays of Lent.

The Paschal Fast, as well as abstinence, are prescribed for Good Friday and is encouraged to continue until the Easter Vigil (on Holy Saturday Night). This special fast is to honor the suffering and death of the Lord Jesus, and to prepare ourselves to share more fully and to celebrate more readily his Resurrection.

When fasting, a person may take only one full meal. Two smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to one's needs, but eating solid foods between meals is not permitted.

Fr. Brown hosts an evening of

"WHAT YOU ALWAYS WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH AND WERE AFRAID TO ASK"

Fr. Brown will host this event in the church on Wednesdays, March 27th and April 3rd at 7:00PM. **We ask that you please submit your question two weeks in advance.** You may drop it off in an envelope marked "Fr. Brown" at the parish office or in the collection basket on Sunday.

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I Allison Wheeler & Jordan Wojciechowski

We ask you to remember and pray for the souls of the faithful departed. May they forever rest in the Lord's peace. We especially pray for:

Contact the parish office if you would like to have a Mass intention for 2019. Please note that Mass intentions are not just for the deceased but for anyone you would like to include in prayer.

Prayers of the Faithful for the Sick

As the faith family of St. Alexander, we unite with one another to pray for those who need healing of their body, mind or spirit. Confident that God hears the voices of those who trust in the

If you or anyone in your family would like to be added to our *Prayers of the Faithful for the Sick* please contact the Parish Administrative Office at 708-448-4861.

SCRIPTURE REFLECTION

As we begin our season of fasting, prayer, and almsgiving, the reading from Deuteronomy reminds us of our duty of almsgiving, that we set [our offerings] before the Lord, [our] God, [and] shall bow down in [God's] presence (Deuteronomy 26:10). The reading from Romans refers us to our prayer, reminding us that The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart . . . For everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved (Romans 10:8, 13). These are comforting words, and encourage us to ask God for what we need and to aid us in our prayer. Finally, the Gospel of Luke shows us a fasting Jesus, who was tempted as we are, and who knows what it means to be human. Someone once said that temptation arises when you're tired and weary, and the devil comes along and makes a perfectly reasonable suggestion. Jesus shows us that, with his help, we too can overcome our temptations, reasonable as they may sound.

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Today's Readings: Dt 26:4-10; Ps 91:1-2, 10-15; Rom 10:8-13; Lk 4:1-13

Home Bound or Ill?

If you, or someone you know, are unable to attend Mass and would like to receive communion in their home, please call Deacon Jim Horton at 708-448-4861, ext. 232.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

March 11-17, 2019

Monday:	Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mt 25:31-46
Tuesday:	Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-7, 16-19; Mt 6:7-15
Wednesday:	Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19; Lk 11:29-32
Thursday:	Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Mt 7:7-12
Friday:	1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4-6; Mt 16:13-19
Saturday:	Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:43-48
Sunday:	Gn 15:5-12, 17-18; Ps 27:1, 7-9, 13-14; Phil 3:17 -- 4:1 [3:20 -- 4:1]; Lk 9:28b-36

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
ST. THEODORE GUERIN
COUNCIL #14057

Meeting: Wednesday, March 13th
7:00 PM - Parish Lounge

If you are interested in helping those in need, serving your parish, and growing in your faith, then the Knights of Columbus is the organization for you. For membership information call Fran Pendergast at 708-923-9984 or visit www.kofc14057.org.

Blue Army of Our Lady of Fatima
Prayer Group Meeting
Tuesday, March 12th

Group meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month in honor of our Blessed Mother. Call Maryann Klimek at 708-532-7259 for information.

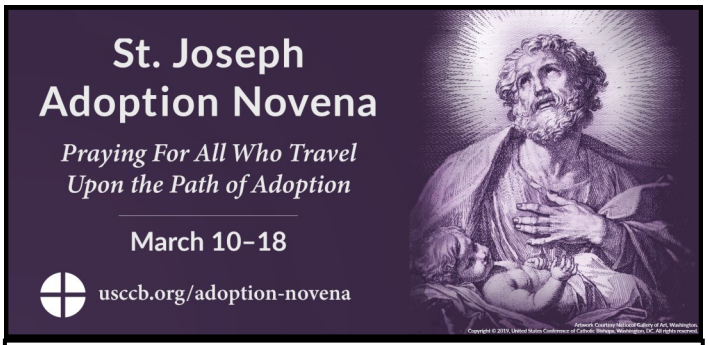
"How beautiful is the family that recites the Rosary every evening."
— Pope John Paul

Stations of the Cross with Benediction Every Friday evening during Lent at 7:00 PM

MERCY HOME SUNDAY MASS
9:30AM on WGN-TV Channel 9

PARISH LENTEN MISSION
April 8th — April 10th

Mark your calendar! St. Alexander is pleased to announce that our Parish Lenten Mission will be held Monday, April 8th through Wednesday, April 10th. Our speaker this year is Fr. Ed Shea, OFM from St. Peter Friary in Chicago. More information will follow in future bulletins.



Leading up to the Solemnity of St. Joseph on March 19th, join us in praying the St. Joseph Adoption Novena. Invoking the intercession of St. Joseph, foster father of Jesus, we will pray the Lord blesses all who travel upon the path of adoption. Visit usccb.org/adoption-novena for the novena, which begins Sunday, March 10th.

Why are we Singing in Latin?

On February 24, 1980, St. Pope John Paul the Great wrote a letter to the bishops of the Church regarding "The Mystery and Worship of the Eucharist." In part of that letter he reminds the bishops of why the Council of Trent chose to maintain the use of Latin in the liturgy even though it has long ceased to be a living language. He said that the use of Latin, in his own words, "in all the world was an expression of the unity of the Church and through it's dignified character elicited a profound sense of the Eucharistic Mystery" (Dominicae Cenae, Art. 10). In other words, the use of Latin gives us a sense of the Church throughout the world as a single family, undivided by language and culture; we are not so much members of a parish community or a diocesan family, but members of the one Church of Christ, united in the one celebration of the Eucharist. For this reason in particular, says the Holy Father, "The Roman Church has special obligations towards Latin, the splendid language of ancient Rome, and she must manifest them whenever the occasion presents itself."

During this Lenten Season, we will be using the Latin Sanctus (Holy, Holy, Holy) and Agnus Dei (Lamb of God) to heighten our worship. The hymn numbers will be posted on the hymn board to help find the music and text in the Missalette.

CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP AWARD WINNERS

Bridget Stroner & Paul Arquilla were winners of the SCC Christian Leadership Award. Both represented our St. Alexander Raider Athletic program participating in an essay contest about Christian Leadership. Bridget and Paul were honored at a ceremony at St. John Fisher Church along with winners from twenty two other parishes. They each received a small monetary prize and all of the families had a lovely dinner after the award ceremony at St. John Fisher. Congratulations Bridget & Paul!

St. Alexander Catholic Church & St. Alexander School are on Facebook! Check us out!

ST. ALEXANDER—A BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL

St. Alexander School is accepting registrations for the 2019-2020 school year. We offer:

- A faculty and staff who model true Christianity
- Preschool programs for 3 and 4 year olds, including 4 year old full day
- Kindergarten classes are available as half day or full day
- Extended day care is provided before and after school
- Academic support as well as professional counseling is available
- Curriculum includes foreign language, art, gym, music, computer classes and STEM lab
- Daily religion classes and participation in liturgies teach Catholic values
- Extracurricular and enrichment activities are available to all students
- Hot lunch program offers nutritious meal choices

We are happy to provide private tours of our Blue Ribbon school and share with the families the exceptional education and experience provided at St. Alexander School. For additional information about what St. Alexander has to offer you family, please contact the school at 708-448-0408 or visit our website at www.stalexanderschool.com.

ST. ALEXANDER PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION OPEN FOR THE 2019-2020 SCHOOL YEAR

St. Alexander Preschool provides an academic experience aligned with The Office of Catholic Schools Early Childhood Development. The preschool environment promotes a child's growth intellectually, spiritually, physically and socially. The curriculum of the program consists of language, reading readiness skills, math awareness, awareness of God and Christian values, art and music movement, exploration skills, creative play, fine and gross motor skills.

Full Day Option (4-Year Olds)
8:00AM-2:40PM

Half Day Options (3 & 4 Year Olds)
Morning class meets 8:00-11:00AM
Afternoon class meets 11:40AM-2:40PM

Two, three, four, and five day options are available for full and half day students. Extended Day Programs are available for before and after school care.

Children must be 3 or 4 years of age by September 1, 2019 to register. Call Mrs. Martino with questions at 708-448-0408 or visit www.stalexanderschool.com.

DID YOU KNOW….. The credit you receive for your SAVE purchases can be applied towards tuition payments or fees at any educational facility; grade school through college — public or private. It can even be applied to pay off college loans!! **You may also have the credit returned directly to you.**

We have many retailers and restaurants, both local and national. Pick up a list of participating vendors or check out all our SAVE vendors on the website **www.glscrip.com**. This site has many additional vendors to choose from; besides those carried in-house. The order procedure for these cards is the same as a regular SAVE order.

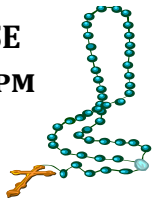
Orders may be dropped off at the Parish Administrative Center Monday thru Wednesday, during normal business hours 9:00AM-5:00PM or through the school. Pick up completed orders at the Parish Office after Noon on Thursday or during sale hours in the Parish Activity Room on Sunday.

SUNDAY 9:45AM - NOON
THURSDAY 2:15 - 2:45PM

ROSARY & SOUP NIGHTS

During Lent we encourage families to teach their children that fasting and prayer can make unimaginable changes. Make a change and add something to your life you wouldn't normally do. We look forward to sharing a meal with you but more importantly, we look forward to praying with you. We meet every Wednesday evening during Lent.

LAKE KATHERINE CLUBHOUSE
Wednesday Nights 6:00-7:00 PM
March 13th, 20th & 27th
April 3rd, 10th, & 17th



For additional information please contact Ofelia or Jeff Foreman at 708-448-7521.

LIFE TEEN MASS

CELEBRATED SUNDAY'S AT 6:00 PM

All St. Alexander Parish teens, School and Religious Education Program students, are invited to join the Life Teen Group. Following mass we move to our meeting room for what is known as *Life Night*. Please join us!

WORD OF LIFE

"Maya discovered she was pregnant six months into her freshman year of college. When her son was born, she placed him with a very kind adoptive family; she 'just knew they were the right choice'. Now, years later, Maya emphasizes the importance of offering ongoing support to expectant mothers considering adoption." Learn more at www.usccb.org/women-considering-adoption.

—USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

ST. ALEXANDER PARISH CENTER & ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION NEWS

Fr. John M. Crosby Parish Center Schedule of Events

Monday, March 11th
4:00—9:00 Athletic Team Practices
Tuesday, March 12th
7:00—8:30 Football Rally & Registration (see flyer in bulletin)
Wednesday, March 13th
4:00—9:00 Athletic Team Practices
Thursday, March 14th
3:00—9:00 Athletic Team Practices
Friday, March 15th
3:00—6:30 Athletic Team Practices
6:30—9:00 Cub Scout Pack Meeting

PLEASE JOIN US EVERY THURSDAY AT 7:00PM FOR CHOIR REHEARSAL

We are inviting both the former members of the choir to return, as well as new interested members who would love to sing for the glory of God on Sundays. ALL are welcome. For information, please contact our Director of Music, Matthew Berardi at matthewberardi6@gmail.com or call (708) 448-4861 ext. 224.

KINGDOM WEEKEND — MARCH 23RD & 24TH

Is God calling you? Are you feeling overwhelmed by life? Kingdom takes God and puts Him in your daily life. Set aside one weekend to spend with the Lord and make this the Lent that you take time off from the distractions of life and spend a weekend with God to deepen your friendship with Him.

This Lent you are being invited to take some time away from your normal activities and give it to the Lord. It is an opportunity to spend some time getting reacquainted with God and to build your relationship with Him. The Kingdom Weekend will take place right here at St. Alexander on Saturday, March 23rd and Sunday March 24th. During the retreat you will experience fellowship, make new friends, and have a fun, positive, faith-filled learning experience. Meals are provided, just bring yourself - and a friend!

Kingdom Weekend team members will be available after Masses the weekends of March 9th-10th and March 16th-17th to answer your questions and accept registrations. Make this the year that you experience the Kingdom Weekend!

THE KINGDOM RETREAT

The Kingdom Retreat Team would like to invite you to the 2019 Kingdom Retreat at St. Alexander Parish. This is a unique weekend experience for anyone in all walks of life. Whether male or female, single or married, 18 or 108 – all are welcome!

WHERE: St. Alexander Parish
WHEN: March 23 & 24, 2019
TIME: March 23rd 7:45 AM – 8:00 PM
March 24th 10:00 AM – 7:00 PM

During the retreat you will experience fellowship, make new friends, and have a fun, positive, faith-filled learning experience. Meals are provided, just bring yourself – and a friend!

The 2019 Kingdom Team:

Donna Bukowski — Ed Dombrowski — Carl Ferraro — Kay Keating — Mindy Nowakowski
Dave Power — Maria Power — Chris Riley — Bill Rogers — Kathy Rogers— Dave Yerkes

Questions? Call Bill or Kathy Rogers at (708)671-1955

To sign up for The Kingdom Retreat, please fill out the form below, detach it and return it to the church office or simply drop it in the offering basket at any Mass. A $50 donation is suggested to cover the cost of food and materials, payable now or during the retreat weekend.

NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____
PHONE: _____
EMAIL: _____

Please provide an emergency contact who will not be attending the retreat:
NAME: _____
PHONE: _____

Deadline for sign up is March 18th

Drawing is held every Thursday night! Winner need not be present to win! By participating in our raffle you help support our parish, school, religious education, and sports programs!

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PICKED	26	PICKED	PICKED	PICKED	30	PICKED	PICKED
33	34	35	36	PICKED	38	PICKED	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	PICKED
49	PICKED	PICKED	52	53	54	50/50 POT AMOUNT: $30,185 AS OF 2/28/19	

ST. ALEXANDER PARISH QUEEN OF HEARTS RAFFLE

Tickets available at Zach's on Tap 12231 S. Harlem, Palos Heights

Weekly updates available at www.stalexanderpalos.org and on Facebook (St. Alexander Catholic Church)

St. Alexander Mature Adult Club

WHITE ELEPHANT BINGO
THURSDAY, MARCH 21ST @ 11:00AM

Join us for Bingo in the Parish Center! We'll be serving Corned Beef sandwiches to celebrate St. Patty's Day!

To offset the price of the sandwiches, there will be a $1 good will offering. Please bring a "gently used in good condition item" unwrapped for our fun-filled afternoon of Bingo. Please e-mail David at david.mcneal@comcast.com for reservations.

CHICAGO FLOWER & GARDEN SHOW
NAVY PIER — FRIDAY, MARCH 22ND

This is the first trip for our Mature Adult Club! Tickets will be $40 per person, which includes the entrance fee and coach fee. The coach will leave St. Alexander for Navy Pier at 10:00AM and arrive back at 3:00PM. Lunch will be on your own, there are seating areas available throughout the show.

Members, parishioners, and guests are welcome to attend. Committee members will be in the Narthex after 5:00PM Mass on Saturday, March 9th and after 7:00AM, 9:00AM, and 10:30AM Masses on Sunday, March 10th to take your reservations. Please call Diane at 708-448-7994 or Celeste at 708-448-0232 for information.

ST.ALEXANDER SCHOOL NEWS

SWEETHEART LUNCH

RAIDER FOOTBALL RALLY & REGISTRATION

FREE PIZZA AND DRINKS!

What: Learn more about the St. Alexander Football program. Q & A with the experts! Topics of discussion will be program expectations, registration and safety.

When: Tuesday, March 12 at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Alexander Parish Center (gym)

Who: Parents and boys currently in 2nd through 7th grade who are interested to play and register for football for the 2019 season (boys must be accompanied by an adult).

SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKERS:

- Pat Dunne: former Raider football player, St. Alexander alumni, and former Marist High School Varsity football coach.
- Tom Hardiman: Football Coach and Coordinator at St. Alexander for the past 30 years.
- Former Raider Football Players: come and hear their success stories.

Registration fee: $125 per player if you register on March 12. If you register after March 12, the fee increases to $150 per player.

We want you to be part of the St. Alexander Football Family!

For more information please contact Cathy Sullivan, Athletic Director, at stalsad@aol.com

Monthly Grief Support Groups for Veterans and Their Families

Every Third Sunday of the Month 2:00-4:00PM
Faith United Methodist Church, Orland Park

The Loving Outreach to Survivors of Suicide (LOSS) program is now offering monthly grief support groups for veterans who have lost a battle buddy, family member, or friend to suicide and for family members of veterans. Support groups are held at LOSS is a unique grief support program for individuals and families suffering the loss of a loved one to suicide. LOSS offers a safe, non-judgmental environment where survivors of suicide can openly talk about feelings and experiences. We help you to find community, direction and resources for healing.

Please visit www.catholiccharities.net/loss
or contact (312) 655-7283 for more information.

St. Alexander Religious Education

Located in the vestibule of the Fr. Crosby Center, the office hours are:

Monday	9:00AM - 8:00PM
Tuesday	9:00AM - 6:00PM
Wednesday—Friday	9:00AM - 3:00PM

For additional information please call 708-448-6624.

ST. CHRISTOPHER PARISH ACAPELLA CONCERT — TONIGHT

St. Christopher Music Directors, Phil & Amy Switalski, will host a concert on Sunday March 10th at 7:00PM. The music will be performed by "Voices Only", elite Acapella Choir from Lindenwood University, in St. Charles, MO. This is a free concert.

The Acapella choir will then host a short master class and information about the University for High School students following the concert. This is not only for budding musicians but for all teens interested in learning about the University. If you're music ministry is interested in bringing a group to participate in the master class and for further information please call Phil/Amy at 708-687-3302. St. Christopher is located at 147th & Keeler in Midlothian.

PASTORAL COUNSELING SERVICES AT ST. ALEXANDER PARISH

Services for individuals, couples & families

For more information, call
448-4861 ext. 310
Sr. Claire M. Czerwiec, SSND, LCPC
Pastoral Counselor & Spiritual Director

Morning of Reflection for Ministers of Care

Saturday, March 23rd 9:00AM –Noon
St. Gerald Parish (Arnold Hall)
9310 55th Ct., Oak Lawn

The Gift of Presence Through Scripture and lived experience, we will lead the Ministers of Care to a deeper appreciation of their ministry. Join Father Mike Foley, currently the pastor of Our Lady of the Woods Parish, to explore the importance of being truly present to those they care for and how to allow Christ to be more present to them.

Please register with Missy Keegan Vicariate V Ministry Commissioner at (708) 598-5222 or mkeegan@stpatriciaparish.com

Mass Intentions For The Week

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT
MARCH 10, 2019

Saturday, March 9th
5:00 PM— James Grzeczka
Richard J. Roberts
Cynthia Martin

Sunday, March 10th
7:00 AM— Josephine Data
9:00 AM— Bruno Scodro
Joseph Pajda
Bernice Wisniewski
Donna Marie Feldner
Anton & Mary Weiland
Dr. Loren Feldner
10:30 AM— Tom Hopman
Richard Finger
Michael Hanley
James Sullivan
Thomas A. Ramsden (40th Anniversary)
Rose Mary Kendall
Rita Wiggins
Robert Barth
12:00 PM— Charles Raz
Maciasz Family
Arthur Wittbrodt
Steven Booth
Marie Hohmer
6:00 PM— For the Parishioners

Monday, March 11th
6:30 AM— Patrick O'Reilly
Marie Hayes
8:45 AM— Janet Arnold
Marjorie Reckwerdt (10th Anniversary)

Tuesday, March 12th
6:30 AM— Steve Weber
8:45 AM— Dr. Stanley Blair
Rita Wiggins
Fred Schafer

Wednesday, March 13th
6:30 AM— Special Intention
8:45 AM— Special Intention

Thursday, March 14th
6:30 AM— Special Intention
8:45 AM— Janet Arnold (8th Anniversary)
Anna Kroenert
Karen Vasil

Friday, March 15th
6:30 AM— Josephine Lindahl (1st Anniversary
8:45 AM— Dale McClain
Geraldine Jender

Saturday, March 16th
8:00 AM— Eleanor Ochylski
Edwin Dunmore

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
MARCH 17, 2019

Saturday, March 16th
5:00 PM— Mary Jankowski
Clarence Mallen
Martin & Ellen Collins
Denis Neary
Jerome Burns
Martin Collins Jr.
Dr. John Baron

Sunday, March 17th
7:00 AM— Donna Marie Feldner
Robert Pikula
Dr. Loren Feldner
June Anhalt
William & Sylvia Edeus
Catherine Hoban
Joe Macey
9:00 AM— Ricky Serrano
Patrick G. Keleghan
Sr. Nora Brady
Robert & Margaret Corbett
10:30 AM— Owen McAlinden
Jim Durkin
Thomas Duhig Jr.
Dr. Paul Lawler Jr.
Garrick Layman
Michael Forde
Noreen Lynch
Patrick & Nora McCormick
Thomas M. Ferriter
Rita Wiggins
David Thyme
Mary Ann Thyme
Rita Jean Eaheart
12:00 PM— Tom Moss
Jim O'Sullivan
Francis J. Clair
Joellen Ryan
Beatrice Cahill
Fatla Family
Marie Hohmer
6:00 PM— For the Parishioenrs

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Saturday, March 16th
5:00 PM— Ellie White, Ella & Jonah Knapczyk

Sunday, March 17th
7:00 AM— Rosemary Schroeder & A. Palmer
9:00 AM— Mary Sheerin, Timmy & Clare Allison
10:30 AM— Caera Kennedy, Bridget & Clare Stroner
12:00 PM— The Madarases