

St. Alexander Church

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 19, 2025

The Palos Catholic



29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Will not God then secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night? Will he be slow to answer them? I tell you, he will see to it that justice is done for them speedily. But when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?” - Lk 18:7-8

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St. Alexander Parish Administration Directory

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St. Alexander School

7025 W. 126th St., Palos Heights, IL 60463

Phone: 708-448-0408 Fax: 708-448-5947

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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 should be a registered parishioner of St. Alexander, or willing to register and join our Faith Community. Relatives of St. Alexander parishioners are also welcome.

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 first Tuesday 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:

Tyler Ried - Religious Education 448-6624

Sharon O'Toole - School 448-0408

The Archdiocese also offers classes for adults wishing to receive Confirmation. **Adult Confirmation Contact -**

Fr. Martin Michniewicz 448-4861

OCIA *Celebration of the Order 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 (OCIC) and teens (OCIT).

OCIA/OCIC/OCIT contact - Fr. Martin Michniewicz 448-4861

EUCCHARIST

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: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 AM, & 6:00 PM

Monday through Friday: 8:30 AM

Saturday Morning: 8:00 AM

First Saturday Devotions after 8:00 AM Mass

Holy Day: 8:30 AM & 7:00 PM

Holy Hour with Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

On the 1st Wednesday of the month

6:00-7:00PM in the Church

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 after the 5:00 PM Mass

RECONCILIATION

Celebration of God's Forgiveness through Personal Confession

Saturday Morning: 8:30 AM (until all are heard)

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 or Fr Colm Mitchell 708-448-4861

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

Fr. Colm Mitchell 448-4861 ext. 223

Archdiocese of Chicago Vocation Director:

Rev. Timothy Monahan 312-534-8298



FROM OUR PASTOR

Dear Parishioners,

Once again, our Twelfth Annual Trivia Night will be held Saturday, November 8th in the Parish Center. Doors will open at 6:00PM with the trivia competition beginning at 7:00PM. It's a great night of fun for people of all ages. Know that friends and family members are welcome. If you don't have a team of eight please sign up and we'll create a team. This is a great way to meet new people. The price is \$10 per person which makes this an extremely affordable night since you will be bringing your own food and beverages from home. Reservations and payment can be made at the parish office and tickets will be sold after Masses the weekend of November 1st & 2nd.

Thanks to all those who have obtained an empty baby bottle in order to support the great work of The Women's Centers who are pro-life and support newborn families in need. Please return the baby bottle in the back of church or in the parish office by Sunday, November 9th.

Please continue to keep our first, second, seventh and eighth grade school and RE children in your prayers as they either start or continue their preparation to receive the Sacrament of Eucharist and the Sacrament of Confirmation. This weekend at the 11:30AM Mass, our second grade children will receive a special blessing and a spiritual gift to remind them of the importance of the Eucharist as they continue their spiritual journey in preparation for First Holy Communion in May, 2026. This is also a good opportunity for we as adults to remind ourselves that we have been blessed with the Body and Blood of Christ and the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit that should guide our lives each and every day.

Finally, let us all remember the many gifts that have been bestowed upon us by the Lord. It is easy to take so many things for granted and the scriptures remind us that we should be a thankful people. As Christ shared his life with us we should share our lives with others, especially those in need.

God Bless,
Father Marty

A Prayer for "Renew My Church"

Lord Jesus, you speak to us today, as you spoke to holy men and women who have gone before us. In every age and in our own time, you call to us and say: Renew My Church.

Pour out the gift of your Holy Spirit upon us, and so enable us

*to hear you clearly
to listen to each other attentively
to imagine our future boldly
to discern your direction wisely
to persevere in your holy will courageously*

*to stay together in charity
to surrender our own plans readily
to embrace the greater good
to hand on your gifts to future generations*

*May we remain in the holy company of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the apostles, and all the saints.
May their example and presence inspire us with patient confidence in the work of your grace.*

We ask this of you who live and reign with the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen



The following children were baptized by Fr. Martin Michniewicz on Sunday, October 12, 2025.

Elizabeth Clare Johnson,

daughter of Timothy & Jennifer

Ava Poppy Sanders, daughter of Eric & Mary

Jett Walter Wysocki, son of Zachary & Sierra

Fr. Frank Kurucz baptized **Cameron James Yerkes**, son of John & Megan, on Saturday, October 11, 2025.

On Sunday, October 12, 2025 Fr. Frank Kurucz baptized **Brigid Grace Sullivan**, daughter of Bernard & Rory.

We welcome them into the family of the church and offer their parents our prayers and good wishes.



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:

James Archer, father of Michael

Helen Wann, sister of Diane

MASS ANNOUNCEMENTS

If any parish ministry or organization would like to have an announcement made at Mass we ask that you please have the information to the office by noon on Friday. This allows us to compile the books we need for weekend liturgies by the end of Friday. Also, please limit announcements to one or two sentences.

PRAYING TO THE ANGELS

We pray to the angels, for they are given to us as guardians.

—St. Ambrose



Prayers
FOR HEALING

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 Lord Jesus, we join in prayer for:

Lisa Krisik	Paul Lunter
Mary Egan	Infant Lilliah Duckett
Christian Conroy	Megan Bura
Ralph Dziuba	Shirley Bergquist
Denise & Rich Jandura	Lizzy Hannan Hurley
Mary Foscett	

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 by noon on Friday.

SCRIPTURE REFLECTION



A woman in my parish has an adult son who has rejected his faith. She prays for him every day. She lights candles, says rosaries, and asks God again and again to bring him back. But nothing changes. Is God listening? Is He delaying? She told me once that she feels like the widow in Jesus' strange parable — crying out for justice, but hearing only silence. And yet, she said, she is at peace. I asked why. She responded, "God is already answering. I just can't see it yet."

She embodies something of the mystery in Jesus' parable this week in Luke 18. A powerless widow demands justice from a corrupt judge. This isn't about wearing God down until He gives in. It's about faith in the justice that is already coming. The widow isn't just persistent; she believes that justice is inevitable. And when Jesus points to the judge's words — his fear of being "struck" — He hints at something deeper: God's justice does not creep in gradually. It strikes. It comes like lightning.

Blessed Mary is, of course, the ultimate widow demanding justice. At the foot of the cross she stands before what looks like the ultimate injustice — the brutal execution of her son. But she did not despair. She did not beg for a last-minute rescue. She knew that justice was not delayed. In fact, it was happening. The power of the cross was already unleashing justice upon the world — suddenly, decisively, like a blow that would topple every corrupt power, making even the most corrupt fear her strike.

This parable asks us: will the Son of Man find faith on earth? Or will we mistake God's silence for absence? The cross proves that justice is not slow. It is only hidden. The lightning has already struck. In the cross, justice is speedily being done.

— Father John Muir

Today's Readings: Ex 17:8-13/Ps 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (see 2)/2 Tm 3:14-4:2/Lk 18:1-8(147)

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



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October 19, 2025

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

On this World Mission Sunday, we are sent forth to be messengers and builders of the hope of Christ. As members of the family of God, united in mission, we celebrate with churches on every continent. Inspired by the Holy Spirit, let us open our arms to the world and offer our prayer and generosity.

We are especially blessed this year as our beloved Pope Francis chose our theme for the Jubilee Year: Missionaries of Hope Among All Peoples. He encouraged individual Christians and the entire Church to set out in the footsteps of the Lord Jesus and become artisans of hope for our troubled world. We have seen this hope that does not disappoint in the election of Pope Leo XIV. He is a missionary who was sent from Chicago to the Augustinian mission world, to the Diocese of Chiclayo, Peru and now to the Vatican where he leads the worldwide Catholic Church.

In addition to reflecting on the common evangelizing mission of the Church, on this day we take up a collection to support the Pontifical Mission Societies. Through our donations, we aid the Holy Father in providing for pastoral catechetical programs, building new churches, and providing healthcare and education in 1,124 dioceses that are too young, too poor or persecuted, and need our help. By supporting these missionary works, we help the hope of Christ to shine forth in every corner of the earth.

In this time wounded by war, conflict and injustice, rather than retreating to what is comfortable, let us be inspired to transcend the confines of our individual parishes, dioceses and nations. May we be illuminated by the light of Christian hope and bear witness to the message of God's love in every part of the world. Wishing you every blessing, with kind regards, I remain,

Sincerely yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mon. Card. Cury".

Archbishop of Chicago

WELCOME TO ST. ALEXANDER!

We extend a warm welcome to all our guests and visitors who have graced us with their presence at today's liturgy. We hope that you feel at home here; please let us know if we can be of any assistance while you are with us.

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 either Deacon Jim Horton or Deacon Fran Pendergast at 708-448-4861.


**Society of St. Vincent de Paul
& Knights of Columbus
FOOD COLLECTION**

Please donate to our ongoing food collection for St. Blase. Donations should be placed on the bench across from the SAVE room. Thank you for your generosity!

NO EXPIRED FOOD PLEASE!


**READINGS FOR THE WEEK
October 20-26, 2025**

Monday: Rom 4:20-25/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75/
Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday: Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21/Ps 40:7-8a,
8b-9, 10, 17/Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday: Rom 6:12-18/Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8/
Lk 12:39-48
Thursday: Rom 6:19-23/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/
Lk 12:49-53
Friday: Rom 7:18-25a/Ps 119:66, 68, 76, 77, 93,
94/Lk 12:54-59
Saturday: Rom 8:1-11/Ps 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/
Lk 13:1-9
Sunday: Sir 35:12-14, 16-18/Ps 34:2-3, 17-18, 19,
23 (7a)/2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18/Lk 18:9-14


**Respect Life
Baby Bottle Project**

During Respect Life month in October, our parish is participating in The Bottle Project benefiting The Women's Center.

PLEASE RETURN BY 11/9

COMMUNION MINISTERS**Saturday, October 25th**

5:00 PM— Terry Filipiak, Mary Ceebin,
Sharon Mundo

Sunday, October 26th

7:30 AM— Susan Murphy, Mary Dombrowski,
Susan Chillmon

9:30 AM— Guido Cadore, Dave Heide, Nancy
Dougherty, Caroline Kelbowski (LG)

11:30 AM— Mike Kearney, Patricia Klaus, Donovan

6:00 PM— Sharon Ayres, Michael Collins

READERS**Saturday, October 25th**

5:00 PM— Joan DeVito

Sunday, October 26th

7:30 AM— Paula Somers

9:30 AM— Linda Buchanan, Rich Cruz

11:30 AM— Donovans

6:00 PM— James Clark, Bob Ayres

**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY**

October 19, 2025

Support Missionaries of Hope Among All Peoples

WeAreMissionary.org/wms





WORD OF LIFE

"I would now like to say a special word to women who have had an abortion. The Church is aware of the many factors which may have influenced your decision, and she does not doubt that in many cases it was a painful and even shattering decision. The wound in your heart may not yet have healed. ...But do not give in to discouragement and do not lose hope. ...The Father of mercies is ready to give you his forgiveness and his peace in the Sacrament of Reconciliation."

—Pope Saint John Paul II, *Evangelium vitae*, no. 99. © 1995, Libreria Editrice Vaticana.

Faith is not a light which scatters all our darkness, but a lamp which guides our steps in the night and suffices for the journey.
—Pope Francis, *The Light of Faith*

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

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Thanksgiving after Mass

Prayer to the Blessed Virgin Mary

O Mary, Virgin and Mother most holy, behold, I have received your most dear Son, whom you conceived in your immaculate womb, brought forth, nursed and embraced most tenderly.

Behold him at whose sight you used to rejoice and be filled with all delight:

him, whom, humbly and lovingly, once again I present and offer him to you to be clasped in your arms, to be loved by your heart, and to be offered up to the Most Holy Trinity

as the supreme worship of adoration, for your own honor and glory and for my needs and for those of the whole world.

I ask you therefore, most loving Mother: entreat for me the forgiveness of all my sin and, in abundant measure, the grace of serving him in the future more faithfully, and at last, final grace, so that with you I may praise him for all the ages of ages. Amen.

DOORS OPEN: 6:00PM — GAME BEGINS: 7:00PM

TRIVIA NIGHT

ST. ALEXANDER PARISH CENTER

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH

**BRING YOUR OWN
BEVERAGES & SNACKS!**

**JOIN US FOR AN EVENING
OF FUN & LAUGHTER**

NEW TRIVIA EMCEE & QUESTIONS THIS YEAR!
(SIX ROUNDS LASTING APPROX. 2 HOURS 15 MINUTES)

RESERVE YOUR TABLE TODAY!

\$10 PER PERSON —TABLES/TEAMS OF 8

IF YOU DON'T HAVE A COMPLETE TEAM SIGN UP ANYWAY!
INDIVIDUALS OR COUPLES....WE'LL PLACE YOU ON A TEAM

Sign up at the after Mass sales or drop off the completed form and payment at the Parish Administrative Office. Access this form online on our webpage — stalexanderpalos.org

Please make checks payable to: St. Alexander

TRIVIA NIGHT TEAM MEMBERS

Team Name: _____ Team Captain: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Member 1: _____ Member 2: _____

Member 3: _____ Member 4: _____

Member 5: _____ Member 6: _____

Member 7: _____ Member 8: _____

Total Amount Included: \$ _____

Men's Pickup Basketball

THIS IS DROP IN
STYLE, PICK TEAMS
AND PLAY!
ALL SKILL LEVELS
WELCOMED!

TUESDAY NIGHTS -
9-10:30PM

IF INTERESTED,
CONTACT:
JOE FANELLI
(708) 699-2627



How to Help a Friend *Experiencing Domestic Violence*

Believe them.
Listen without judgment.
Encourage them to seek help.
Pray with them.



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE
AWARENESS MONTH



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OUTREACH
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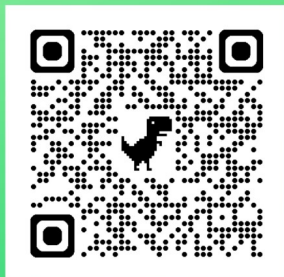


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-Youth Ministry
(JR High/ High School)

-Stay and Play



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MARRIAGE MINISTRY

*An invitation to Fully
Initiated Roman Catholics*

- Are you planning a Destination Wedding?
- Do you know a family member who is planning a Destination Wedding?
- Have you been married by a judge or justice of the peace?
- Have you been married by a minister in another Christian denomination?

Fr. Marty, our pastor, and the clergy of St. Alexander Parish invite you to consider receiving the Sacrament of Matrimony, and all the graces which are associated with the sacrament, here at St. Alexander Church.

The process to receive the Sacrament of Matrimony in these circumstances is fairly straightforward with a minimal amount of requirements. Our clergy are available to accompany you in your discernment.

Please contact Deacon Mike Ciciura at mciciura@archchicago.org or 630-243-9342 if you are interested in more information.

* A fully initiated Roman Catholic is a person who has received the Sacraments of Baptism, holy Communion, and Confirmation, only one party of the couple needs to be fully initiated.



Intercessory Prayer Experience

Call on the Holy Spirit and expect Him to show up! The Father has promised Him to us.

“Jesus said: And see, I am sending upon you what my Father promised, so stay here in the city until you have been clothed with power from on high.” Luke 24:49

Come join us after Mass at 5:45PM on the first Saturday of each month.

Deacon Mike will offer time to pray with anyone for the intercession of the Holy Spirit regarding individual prayer intentions.

After Mass the Sacrament of Confession and the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will also be available.



PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

St. Alexander Parish lists the names of active military of parishioners and their family members in our weekly bulletin. We keep them in our thoughts and prayers as they protect our country and freedom.

If you have a relative who is an active member in the United States Military and would like them listed in the bulletin, contact Nancy at the Parish Office, 448-4861. Please inform us if the service person listed is no longer active in the military at home or abroad.

Our Knights of Columbus Council #14057 would like to offer military families Blue Star Banners. If you would like to receive a Blue Star Banner, please call the Parish Office at 708-448-4861.

Our Members in the Military

Scott Golich - U.S. Navy	Robert Brennan - U.S. Army
Stephen LaPiana - U.S. Army	Scott Milcarek - U.S. Army
Matthew Brennan - U.S. Air Force	Charles Berglund - U.S. Marines
Andrew Nissen - U.S. Marines	Patrick Pratl - U.S. Navy
Andrew Cleland - U.S. Army	Alan Filipiak - U.S. Navy
John Hoban III - U.S. Army	Mark Filipiak - U.S. Marines
A. Amanda Cleland - U.S. Air Force	Joshua Bramlett - U.S. Navy
Amanda Brennan - U.S. Army	Matthew Bramlett - U.S. Navy
Kyle Hite - U.S. Army	David Lindstrom - National Guard
Gino Albergo - U.S. Army	Daniel Weakley - U.S. Navy
James M. Bilder - U.S. Army	Stephen Vossler - U.S. Navy
Nicholas Wineman - U.S. Marines	Vito Barraco - U.S. Army
Kate Ridsen - U.S. Navy	Ryan Grant - U.S. Army
Kevin Lewis - U.S. Navy	Nicholas Crot - U.S. Marines
Michael Lindstrom - U.S. Army	Jose Sanchez - U.S. Army
Ryan Graeber - U.S. Marines	Ben St. Aubin - U.S. Navy
Mary Kate Wetzel - U.S. Marines	Hunter Leschman - U.S. Navy
Chloe Van Witzenburg - U.S. Army	Cody Goldman - National Guard
Hanna Van Witzenburg - U.S. Army	Cameron Smentek - U.S. Army
Isaac & Veronika Baines - U.S. Navy	Judith Hite - U.S. Army
Michael D. Faloona - National Guard	Jake Soukup - U.S. Army
Conor Knapp - U.S. Army	

COMMUNITY DINNER

**Our Community Dinner will be on Tuesday, October 21st
at 6:00 PM in our Parish Center (aka the gym)**

We are asking that if you plan on attending please let us know for the food count.
If you register and can not attend that is fine; just let us know.

Please return the form below in the Sunday collection basket
or the Parish Administrative Office with your last name and the
number of adults and children who will be attending.

Last Name _____

Adults: _____ # Children: _____

ST. ALEXANDER MEMORIAL MASS TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH



**A special Memorial Mass will be celebrated
on Tuesday, November 4th at 7:00 PM.**

**Families of those who have lost a loved one whose funeral
was at St. Alexander this past year are invited to join us.**



ST. ALEXANDER'S YOUTH MINISTRY CHRISTMAS WREATH SALE



Our supplier this year is Evergreen Industries of Inver Grove Heights, MN

All orders must be prepaid and received by Sunday, October 26th

Name _____ Order # _____ Page # _____

Address _____ Check # _____

Phone (required) _____ Cash _____

Item	Price	Quantity	Amount
Natural 25" Wreath (including velvet bow & pinecones)	35.00		
Natural 36" Wreath (including velvet bow & pinecones)	50.00		
Balsam Garland—25'	40.00		
Balsam Door Swag - 24"x 26" mixed greens with pinecones & red bow	25.00		
Holiday Centerpiece Basket - Fresh mixed greens with pinecones & ribbon	40.00		
Make Checks Payable To: St. Alexander Parish	Total		

The Youth Ministry will be outside the church accepting orders after Masses
the weekends of October 18th & 19th and October 25th & 26th

**PLEASE HAVE YOUR ORDER FORM FILLED
OUT PRIOR TO ATTENDING MASS
ALL ORDERS MUST BE RECEIVED BY SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26TH
*** NO PRODUCT SALES AFTER MASSES *****

**THIS IS YOUR RECEIPT: PLEASE BRING IT WITH YOU TO
PICK UP YOUR ITEMS ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6TH
FROM 1:00-3:00PM AT ST. AL'S PARISH LOUNGE**

If you need further information please call Tyler at 309-826-2049

Thank you for supporting St. Al's Youth Ministry!

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If you would like to make a one-time electronic donation, please scan this bar code.



Scroll down to "One -Time Gifts" and enter the amount and type of payment. It's that simple!



SUNDAY 10:15-11:30AM

SAVE orders may also be brought to the Parish Administrative Center.

Orders dropped off by 5:00PM on Wednesday are available for pick-up Thursday after Noon at the PAC. They may also be picked up during sale hours in the SAVE room on Sunday.

Moving Forward In Hope

Join us for an evening of
Prayer, Connection & Hope
Sponsored by the Archdiocese Commission
on Mental Illness

Moving Forward in Hope is a monthly series of prayer, connection, and hope.

Our goal is to create a safe place for those living with or those caring for someone with mental health concerns to come together to pray and share with one another.

Connection is paramount to mental health and well-being. These virtual meetings are held on the fourth Tuesday of each month.

Moving Forward In Hope
Tuesday, October 28th, 2025
7-8pm via Zoom

Please reach out to
Deacon Tom Lambert at
olmcinfo2@aol.com to register



CRUSADER MATHLETICS COMPETITION



- Brother Rice High School
- Wednesday, October 29th
- 4pm-7pm
- Team & Individual Competitions
- Awards for both team & individual competitions

- Teams of 2-4 (MAX)
- Team members must be from same school
- All teams must choose a "team captain"
- All participants MUST register individually



REGISTER NOW



www.brotherrice.org - See "ADMISSIONS" TAB

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10AM-2PM | MOTHER MCAULEY HIGH SCHOOL

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Questions? Please contact: mcauleymothersclub@gmail.com

Mass Intentions For The Week

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 19, 2025

Saturday, October 18th

5:00 PM— Dale Yukich
William Jordan
Sean Morrissey & Family
Marilyn Reddy
Joel Peterson

Sunday, October 19th

7:30 AM— Chet Chwierut—1st Anniversary
Thomas Chwierut
Brian Cadore
Colleen J. Nix
Irene Brajner
Judy McCarthy
Dale Yukich
Paul Domico
Catherine Hoban
9:30 AM— Irene Stachnik
Kevin Reynolds Sr.
Joan & Dan Bagniewski
Tom Scanlon
Raymond & Marion Hunt
Terrence Broderick
Jane E. Hurley
Don & Mary Tadda
Carolyn Lowery
11:30 AM— Martin Berquist
Bo Restaino
Ed Obiala
Michael Belczak
Carolyn J. Lowery
Denis Downs
6:00 PM— For the Parishioners
Marion McGreal

Monday, October 20th (St. Paul of the Cross)

8:30 AM— Colleen J. Nix
Ljubica Cuvalo
Michael Morrissey & Family

Tuesday, October 21st

8:30 AM— Kevin F. Reynolds Sr.
Colleen J. Nix
Fr. Nicholas Crosby—38th Anniversary
Mary Wloszek
Jennifer Aparo

Wednesday, October 22nd (St. John Paul II, Pope)

8:30 AM— Tom & Kathleen Walsh
Mary Ann Cronin
Colleen J. Nix
Patrick Michael Loftus
Marianna Wloszek
Mary Tadda—Birthday Blessing
Alberta Cody

Thursday, October 23rd (St. John of Capistrano)

8:30 AM— Peg Meade
Colleen J. Nix
Bill Lewis
Walter Tadda

Friday, October 24th (St. Anthony Mary Claret)

8:30 AM— Colleen J. Nix
David Hickey Sr.
Mary Ann Anderson
William Macey & Family
Steve Weber

Saturday, October 25th

8:00 AM— Colleen J. Nix
Conroy Family
Cosma Marmo

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 26, 2025

Saturday, October 25th

5:00 PM— Joseph Sloyan
Catherine Wells
Raymond Schwaller
Moirra Abbott
Dale Yukich
Tim Richardson
Marilyn Reddy
Eleanore & Ken Reilly

Sunday, October 26th

7:30 AM— Colleen J. Nix
Ray Moore
Irene Brajner
James & Patricia Hayes
Johanna Hoban
Steve Gruca
Henry & Sophie Budziak
Chet & Thomas Chwierut
9:30 AM— James O'Malley
Bruce Schmiedl
Nathan & Julie Zurzolo—8th Wed. Anniv.
Linda S. Pocius
Raymond & Marion Hunt
Carolyn Lowery
Michael Tobias
Don & Mary Tadda
William Macey—Birthday Blessing
11:30 AM— Helen Carroll
Wittenborn Family
Michael Sweeney
Ed Obiala
Tom Scanlon
Kathleen Mannix
6:00 PM— For the Parishioners
Holy Spirit

Low-Gluten Hosts

At the 9:30AM Mass an Extraordinary Minister of Communion will be available with low-gluten hosts. The Extraordinary Minister will be located at the entrance of the ramp which leads to the sanctuary on the side where the statue of our Blessed Virgin is presented.