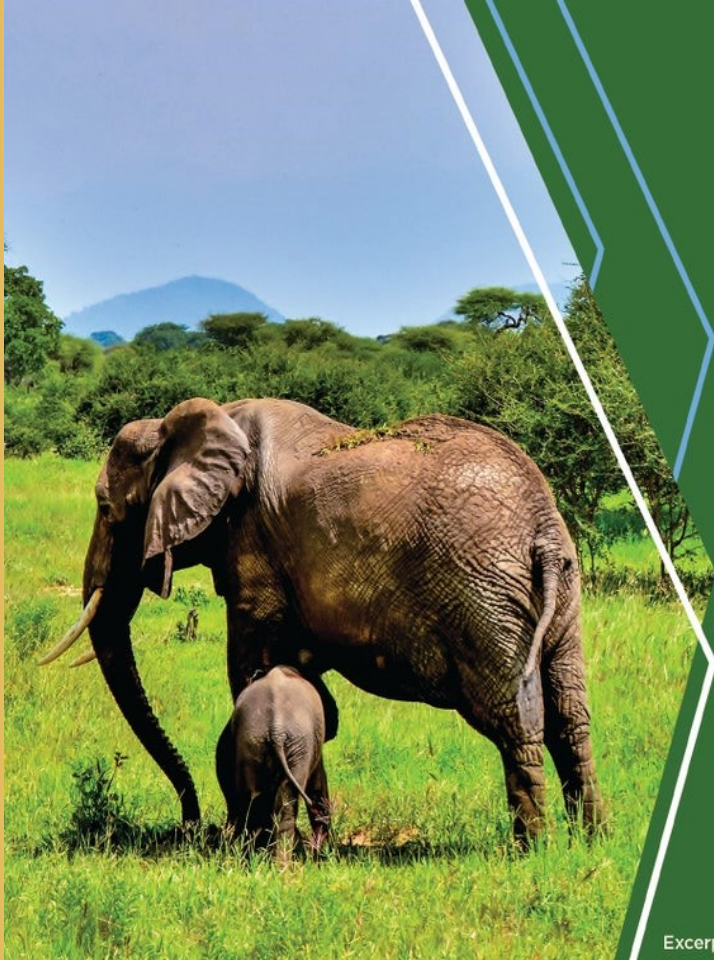


St. Alexander Church

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 20, 2024

The Palos Catholic



29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“But it shall not be so among you. Rather, whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all. For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many.”
 - Mk 10:43-45

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St. Alexander Parish Administration Directory

Parish Administrative Center

7025 W. 126th St., Palos Heights, IL 60463
 Phone: 708-448-4861
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Pastor: Rev. Martin Michniewicz ext. 227
 Associate Pastor: Rev. Colm Mitchell ext. 223
 Deacons: Jim Horton, Michael Ciciura, Fran Pendergast
 Director Parish Home & Health Ministry: Jim Horton ext. 232
 Operations Manager: Paula Somers ext. 233
 Director of Music: Matthew Berardi ext. 224
 Youth Minister: Tyler Ried—708- 448-6624
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 Parish E-Mail: alchurch1@comcast.net
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St. Alexander School

7025 W. 126th St., Palos Heights, IL 60463
 Phone: 708-448-0408 Fax: 708-448-5947
 Principal: Sharon O’Toole
 Administrative Assistant: Mary Ann Pellicore
 School Web: www.stalexanderschool.com
 School E-Mail: info@stalexanderschool.com

Religious Education Office

7025 W. 126th St. Palos Heights, IL 60463
 Phone: 708-448-6624
 Coordinator of Religious Education: Tyler Ried
 Religious Ed. E-Mail: tried@archchicago.org
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 Knight of Columbus on the Web: www.kofc14057.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 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

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October 20, 2024

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

Today we join with every diocese around the globe to celebrate World Mission Sunday. This day of prayer and action supports the vitality and growth of the Church everywhere, but especially the most remote and struggling dioceses. Our celebration of the Eucharist, works of solidarity, and personal sacrifice all contribute to the good of the Church beyond our local boundaries.

This year, Pope Francis has selected the theme "Go and invite everyone to the banquet" (cf. Matthew 22:1-14). As he said in his message for World Mission Sunday, the parable of the wedding feast reminds us that mission "is a tireless going out to all men and women, in order to invite them to encounter God and enter into communion with him." We make this invitation with urgency, but also with respect and kindness, joy and generosity. We have been sent to invite "everyone, everyone, everyone," as Pope Francis is fond of saying. Everyone is invited to receive God's grace and be transformed by it.

On World Mission Sunday, we participate in the mission of the Church by offering our witness to the Gospel in every context. The special collection taken up on this day contributes to the universal fund of solidarity that is distributed in the Pope's name for the needs of the Church's missions. There are 1,150 territories where the church is young, persecuted or struggling. Your gift supports the pastoral and evangelizing work of the Church, including building churches, providing healthcare and education, and training future priests and religious.

Let us give thanks for the work of missionaries who have gone far from their homeland to bring the Good News to God's people. Let this time of spiritual renewal in our archdiocese inspire us to go out and invite all to the banquet of the Eucharistic table. Wishing you every blessing, with kind regards, I remain,

Sincerely yours in Christ,


Archbishop of Chicago



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:

John Kasman, husband of Marilyn

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

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.



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:

- Tatiana Ranftl Dale Yukich
- Maggie Campbell Lisa Krisik
- Eileen Long Robert Pendergast
- Kevin Reynolds Grace Wetzel

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



From a young age, I loved winning at sports. I confess that winning was a bit of an addiction. It was probably coming from a deep desire for attention and affirmation from others. Nevertheless, it was a driving motivation for me. Baseball, soccer, track, table tennis, and whatever else I could find was a chance to win. Competition was my obsession.

Another John, and his brother James, demonstrate a kind of wildly competitive obsession when they dare to say to Jesus: “Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory” (Mark 10:37). Their audacity arouses an indigent reaction from the other apostles, who are clearly raw that these two are out to win the highest spots.

How does Jesus respond to us in our desires for greatness? The same way he does to James and John. He does not criticize them for their desire for glory. But he does highlight their ignorance (“you do not know what you are asking.”). Then he invites them to be champions of true greatness: by drinking not the cup of worldly victory, but his cup of self-giving suffering love, to be the “slave of all.” The true winners are slaves of love. This week, dare to tell Jesus what your ambitions truly are. Hear him call you to an even greater victory.

— Father John Muir

Today’s Readings: Is 53:10-11/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22, (22)/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-4



**READINGS FOR THE WEEK
October 21-27, 2024**


- Monday: Eph 2:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5/
Lk 12:13-21
- Tuesday: Eph 2:12-22/Ps 85:9ab-10, 11-12, 13-14/
Lk 12:35-38
- Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12/Ps 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/
Lk 12:39-48
- Thursday: Eph 3:14-21/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19/
Lk 12:49-53
- Friday: Eph 4:1-6/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/
Lk 12:54-59
- Saturday: Eph 4:7-16/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/
Lk 13:1-9
- Sunday: Jer 31:7-9/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 (3)/
Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52

CHRISTMAS WREATH SALE




St. Alexander Youth Ministry

**Order Dates:
November 1-2 & 9-10**



Respect Life Baby Bottle Project

During Respect Life month in October, our parish is participating in The Bottle Project benefiting The Women's Center. Bottles are available in the narthex. **PLEASE RETURN BY 11/3.**



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!

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.

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.

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



Respect Life Month

October 2024
respectlife.org/celebrate

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WORLD MISSION SUNDAY
October 20, 2024

Go and invite everyone to the banquet (cf. Mt 22:9)

Today, we celebrate that the Church continues to go out to the ends of the earth with the invitation of Jesus. As we gather on World Mission Sunday, along with Catholics around the globe, our prayers and our contributions to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith foster global missionary cooperation, enabling the pastoral and evangelizing work of the Church. This includes building churches, providing healthcare and education and training future priests and religious. Let us remember that our participation and support help invite countless souls to the feast of God's love. Thank you for going out to everyone, everyone, everyone and extending the invitation to communion with Christ.



ST. ALEXANDER SCHOOL HAPPENINGS



Fall DAYS ARE fun days



PreK 3 Learning about Fall and Pumpkins



PreK 3 Fire Safety








ST. ALEXANDER SCHOOL HAPPENINGS




St. Alexander School 2024-2025 Student Council Officers and Classroom Representatives Induction Ceremony



Awareness  Services  Prevention



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH
2024



24/7 HOTLINE: 708-429-SAFE

WARNING SIGNS
of abusive behavior



- Telling you that you never do anything right
- Showing extreme jealousy of your friends
- Preventing you from spending time with friends/family
- Insulting, demeaning, or shaming you, especially in front of other people
- Preventing you from working or attending school
- Controlling household finances including taking your money or refusing to provide money
- Pressuring you to have sex or perform sexual acts without your consent
- Pressuring you to use drugs or alcohol
- Intimidating you with looks, actions, or weapons like guns, knives, bats, or mace
- Destroying your belongings or your home

www.thehotline.org




DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OUTREACH
AWARENESS - SERVICES - PREVENTION

 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH

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
Shannon Lungaro - U.S. Navy	Andrew Cleland - U.S. Army
Alan Filipiak - U.S. Navy	John Hoban III - U.S. Army
A. Amanda Cleland - U.S. Air Force	Mark Filipiak - U.S. Marines
Joshua Bramlett U.S. Navy	Steven Lungaro - 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. Faloon - National Guard	Jake Soukup - U.S. Army
Conor Knapp - U.S. Army	

ST. ALEXANDER MEMORIAL MASS

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH



**A special Memorial Mass will be celebrated
on Monday, November 4th at 7:00 PM.
Families of those who have lost a loved one
whose funeral was at St. Alexander, especially
in the past five years, are invited to join us.
If you would like your loved ones name read at Mass,
please call the Parish Office at 708-448-4861.**

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*

TICKETS ON SALE AFTER MASSES TODAY!
Tickets/\$20 each and good for the last 10 games of the regular NFL season
Last year, we had winners every week!

An exciting sweepstakes based on professional football!



Sweepstakes begins on Oct 31, 2024

How the sweepstakes works

- Each game card contains 3 random football teams in each of the last 10 weeks of the pro football season
- Add up the points scored by your 3 teams each week
- If your total score is in the top 25, you win money!
- The 5 lowest scoring game cards also win
- 30 total prizes paid out each of the 10 weeks!
- Two grand prizes awarded at the end of the season

How to follow along and get results

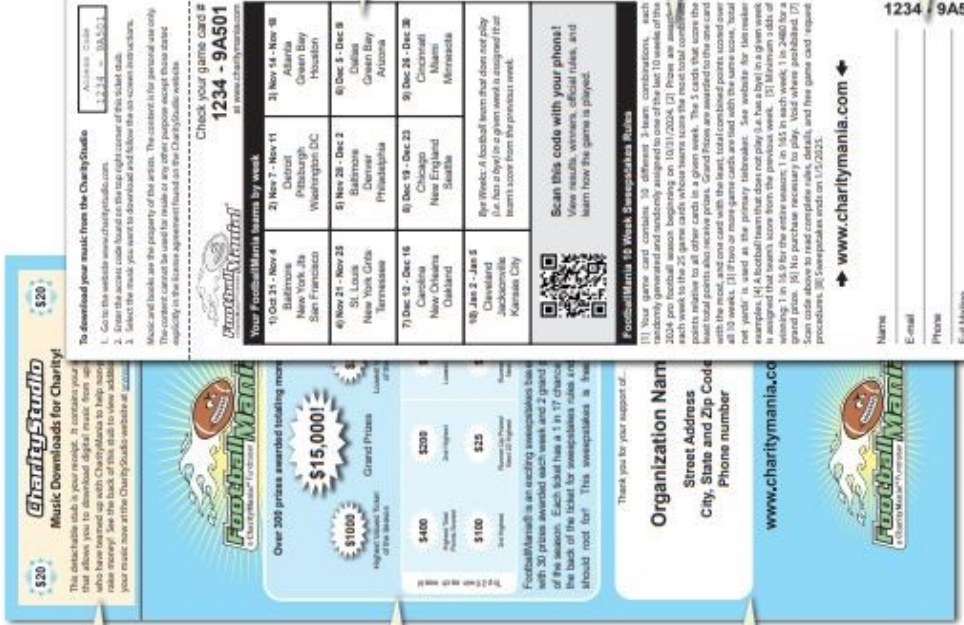
- Track your results each week on the CharityMania website at www.CharityMania.com
- Download the FootballMania iPhone app to see results on your phone
- You will be contacted by the organization if you win

What people get for \$20

- The purchaser gets access to music and book downloads from the CharityStudio.
- Over \$20 worth of digital music from up-and-coming artists from around the country
- With each purchase, you get the promotional FootballMania sweepstakes game card for free

Want more information?

- We recommend you watch the short video overview at <http://www.charitymania.com/videos/EM10>
- Official rules and results can be found on the CharityMania website
- Contact your participating organization.



CharityStudio
 Music Downloads for Charity!
 \$20
 This detachable stub is your receipt. It contains your name and the name of the artist. You can use this stub to allow you to download digital music from our website. You can also use this stub to allow you to download your music from our website. See the back of this stub to view additional information. For more information, visit our website at www.charitymania.com.

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 CharityMania® Promotional Sweepstakes
 Over 300 prizes awarded totaling more than \$15,000!
 \$1000 Highest value prize of the season!
 \$400 Professional Football Game Card!
 \$100 Professional Football Game Card!
 \$25 Professional Football Game Card!
 \$20 Professional Football Game Card!

Organization Name
 Street Address
 City, State and Zip Code
 Phone number
www.charitymania.com

Example Winner
 Let's say your game card has these teams in Week 6

Team	Points Scored
Dallas	42
Green Bay	35
Arizona	41
Total points	118

If the total combined points scored by the teams is one of the 25 highest, or 5 lowest this week, then the game card wins prize money!

Rules and Winners
 The sweepstakes rules are written on the game card. In addition, card holders are encouraged to visit the CharityMania website to see if they are a winner. Winners are posted after the completion of all the games each week of the sweepstakes.

Stub
 You collect the game card holder's contact info and return the stub to your organization.

Scan to watch how to play and win!

10 weeks to win!
30 prizes each week!



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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.

BULLETIN INFORMATION

Any flyers, photos, or information submitted for the bulletin must be received in the Parish Office no later than 10 days prior to the bulletin publication date. Anything submitted after that time frame may not be included until a later date.

Please email your print ready information, in a word, jpeg or pdf file, to nromano33@aol.com. The information will be used as space in the bulletin is available.

Thank you for your cooperation in helping to meet the deadlines required by our publisher!



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



Many of you may take advantage of the convenience of electronic giving to our parish and we are grateful for that. For those of you who have yet to join us in giving online, we strongly encourage you to do so. Here's why:

Faith Direct enables parishioners to make your Church contributions through either direct debit from your checking/savings account or through your credit/debit card. No more writing checks or searching for envelopes on the way out the door. Now you can apply the convenience of direct debit to your parish offerings in much the same way as you may now use it to make your mortgage, car or tuition payments.

Faith Direct also offers you personalized offertory cards to replace your envelopes for the collection basket. **To cancel your monthly envelopes, please notify the parish office at 708-448-4861. This is not done automatically when signing up for electronic giving.**

Please visit www.faithdirect.net to enroll securely online. Or, download the Faith Direct app onto your smartphone. Our parish code is **IL910**.

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 9TH

**BRING YOUR OWN
BEVERAGES & SNACKS!**

**TABLE DECORATING
CONTEST & PRIZES!**

**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: \$ _____

Contact the parish office at 708-448-4861 if you would like a Mass intention for 2024 or 2025.

LEGACY PLANNING

Please prayerfully consider remembering our parish when you update your estate plans. These gifts help us to build a solid foundation for the Catholic formation of future generations.

Prepare or update your will or trust today by contacting an attorney. For sample bequest language, contact Fr. Marty at 708-448-4861.

Assisted Listening Systems for Church Sound

Our church is equipped with a hearing “loop” system which will allow those with a tele-coil (T-coil) in their hearing aid to hear more clearly. Some hearing aids will automatically switch to our “loop” system. Other hearing aids must be *manually* switched to the T-coil mode.

If you do not think your hearing aid is functioning properly with our “loop” system it may be because: A) Your hearing aid does not have a built-in T-coil OR B) You have to *manually* switch your hearing aid to the T-coil mode.

T-Coil Switches: If your hearing aid has a switch labeled **M-T-O** the switch should be set to the **T** position. If your hearing aid has switch labeled **M-MT** the switch should be set to the **MT** position.

Please consult your Audiologist with any questions, and to be sure that your hearing aid is equipped with a T-coil and is working properly.

If you do not have a hearing aid with tele-coil (T-coil), we have purchased four individual hearing devices, specifically programmed for our system, that can be used during our liturgies on Sunday. They will be placed in a box on the bench outside the school office. We do ask that you please clean the hearing device after Mass, with the alcohol wipes that are on the bench, before returning them to the box. Thank you and we hope this will help to enhance your liturgical experience.



Candlelight Vigil

Holy Hour before the Blessed Sacrament filled with Prayer, Music, Contemplation & Benediction

Monday, October 21st @ 7:00 PM

Christ the King Church—9245 S Hamilton Ave.

The October vigil will focus on **Domestic Violence Awareness** and feature members of several Southside parishes. We encourage anyone who has been a victim, knows a victim, or simply wants to pray for peace and an end to violence *in all forms* to join us.

Find Support At Our Caregiver Resource Center

Untrained, informal family caregivers usually get the job unexpectedly. Caregivers of all ages are appointed the role by family or friends for a myriad of reasons: medical emergencies, sudden onset of a chronic illness, unanticipated issues related to aging or other scenarios.

The Caregiver Resource Center (CRC) at Pathlights can help. It links caregivers to training and education opportunities, emotional and financial support and resources to improve their lives and the lives of those they are caring for — all free of charge and many services are for people at all income and asset levels

The Center offers:

Respite that gives caregivers a break from their day-to-day duties for self-care.

Nutritious meals delivered to the home for older adults who are unable to manage meal preparation and those with limited or no access to food.

Information and assistance regarding availability and eligibility requirements of government programs and support; TCARE assessments to identify areas causing distress and recommend personalized interventions like respite and support groups to prevent burnout); and one-on-one individualized conversations to discuss challenges related to caregiving.

Support groups such as our new “Early-Stage Memory Loss” support group beginning in June; “Stress-Busting Program for Family Caregivers” for caregivers of those experiencing memory loss; “Grandparents and Other Relatives Raising Children” and Memory Cafes, monthly meet ups for people experiencing memory loss and their caregivers to engage with others in similar situations and participate in music, art therapy and other special programs.

Mass Intentions For The Week



TWENTY-NINTH THSUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 20, 2024

Saturday, October 19th

5:00 PM— Eveleen Bettinardi—1st Anniversary
Billy Gorski
Francis J. Pendergast Jr.
Raymond P. Peckler

Sunday, October 20th

7:30 AM— Judy McCarthy
Aggie Palmer
Johanna Hoban
Mary Pat Crowe
Thomas Chwierut
Colleen J. Nix
Kasia & Kyle White—5th Wedding Anniv.
9:30 AM— Donna M. & Joseph A. Feldner, SGM
Loren J. Feldner, DDS
Meg Feldner
Joan & Dan Bagniewski
Raymond & Marion Hunt
Jackie Charbonneau
11:30 AM— Augusta Heinzl Hornick
Martin Berquist
Patrick Hanlon
Jim Flanagan
6:00 PM— Renaud & Family—Healing Intention

Monday, October 21st

8:30 AM— Fr. Nicholas Crosby—37th Anniversary
Colleen J. Nix
Harvey Dust

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

8:30 AM— Alberta Cody
Colin Myron—1st Anniversary
Tom & Kathleen Walsh
Lorraine J. Jedlicka
Marianna Wloszek
Josephine & Anthony Rathnau
Colleen J. Nix

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

8:30 AM— Peg Meade
Peter & Francis Feldner
Robert M. Pikula
Lori Czech
Colleen J. Nix
Claudia Hyzy

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

8:30 AM— David Hickey
Lori Czech
Anthony Rathnau Jr.
Colleen J. Nix
Wilma Major

Friday, October 25th

8:30 AM— Colleen J. Nix
Parker Bolton
Deborah M. Krates

Saturday, October 26th

8:00 AM— Ray Moore
Walter & Mary Smith
Colleen J. Nix

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 27, 2024

Saturday, October 26th

5:00 PM— Raymond Schwaller
For the Parishioners
Joseph Sloyan
Catherine Wells
Jim & Pat Hayes
Gertrude G. Dickson
Joseph Rathnau Family
Raymond P. Peckler

Sunday, October 27th

7:30 AM— Aggie Palmer
Terry Hunt
Steve Gruca
Henry & Sophie Budziak
Thomas Chwierut
Colleen J. Nix
9:30 AM— Donna M. & Joseph A. Feldner, SGM
Lauren J. Feldner, DDS
Robert M. Pikula
Raymond & Marion Hunt
William "Bill" Brett
Thomas Krull
Jim Donovan
Patricia Mooney & Jackie Charbonneau
11:30 AM— Lally Family
Wittenborn Family
Helen Carroll
Peggy Barrett
John Kasman
6:00 PM— Special Intention

COMMUNION MINISTERS

Saturday, October 26th

5:00 PM— Terri Filipiak, Sharon Mundo,
Joan DeVito

Sunday, October 27th

7:30 AM— Bob Straz, Ed Sobczak, Nancy Foster
9:30 AM— Melissa Duckett, Carol Schuemann,
Patti Hartig
11:30 AM— Donovan/Rodriguez, Tom Stuchly
6:00 PM— Michael Collins, Sharon Ayres

READERS

Saturday, October 26th

5:00 PM— Linda Buchanan

Sunday, October 27th

7:30 AM— Mary Dombrowski, Mark Foster
9:30 AM— Debbie Myron, Rich Cruz
11:30 AM— Donovan/Rodriguez
6:00 PM— James Clark, Bob Ayres

