

OUR LADY OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH

Third Sunday of Easter | May 1, 2022



*Jesus said to him,
"Tend my sheep."
— John 21:16*

Under Mary's mantle, and with the guidance of the Holy Trinity, Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament seeks to share God's love by celebrating the sacraments, proclaiming the gospel, and serving the needs of all His children. **OLBSEGV.org | (847) 979-0901**

MASS TIMES SUNDAY AND VIGIL

Queen of the Rosary Sun 8am, 10:30am
750 W. Elk Grove Blvd

St. Julian Eymard Sat Vigil 5pm
601 Biesterfield Road Sun 9:15am

The Easter season, that is from Easter Sunday to Pentecost, is seven weeks. During these weeks the first reading for all the Sunday and weekday Masses is from the Acts of the Apostles. The Acts of the Apostles is the story of how after Jesus ascended, the gospel message—Jesus crucified rose from the dead—spread in the early Church with the guidance of the Holy Spirit from Jerusalem across the Roman world. The Church wants us to remember that story and learn from it so we can continue to proclaim the Good News to the culture and community we live in.

The Church's growth during this period is a rather remarkable feat given the hostile environment. The pagan Roman empire was very hostile to any entity that would not bow on their knees to Caesar. They crucified non-Romans citizens who challenged them. Their moral values were quite different from those taught by Christ.

The apostles were not educated men or from well off families. Most were fishermen. One was a tax collector. Another a zealot. After being anointed on Pentecost with the Holy Spirit, they turned into a powerful group of evangelists. They boldly proclaim the Good News of Jesus who was crucified rose from the dead. They talked of his love and his mercy. In this Sunday's reading we find Peter and the other apostles, fearful men only a few weeks earlier when Christ was being crucified, fearlessly proclaiming the name of Jesus. They didn't stop even after being arrested for doing so. Peter's reply "we must obey God rather than men."

Today we live in a culture that is becoming more secular and hostile to religion, in particular Christianity. Secular moral values today are no longer as close to Christian values as they once were. We through our Baptism like the disciples in the early Church are called to evangelize the Good News of Jesus who was crucified rose from the dead. We are also called as witnesses to share our personal experience of Jesus' love and mercy in our own lives.

From the past several Popes, there has been a call for the Church to renew its emphasis on its mission to evangelize. They refer to it as a New Evangelization. It still is about proclaiming the gospel to those who have never heard it, but ever more often it is about proclaiming the gospel to those who think they already know it and have rejected it. To Evangelize is the responsibility of all the Baptized.

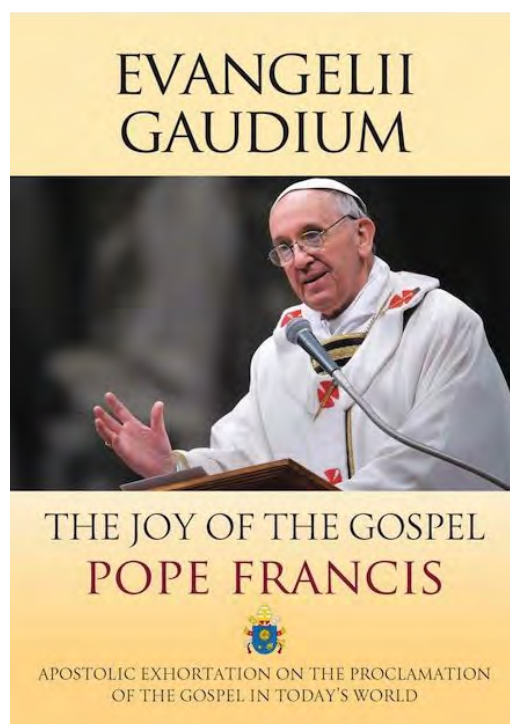
Pope Francis in *Evangelii Gaudium 120* said: "The new evangelization calls for personal involvement on the part of each of the baptized. Every Christian is challenged, here and now to be actively engaged in evangelization: indeed, anyone who has truly experienced God's saving love does not need much time or lengthy training to go out and proclaim that love."

To help you prepare for that responsibility I encourage you as a start to consider using the *Formed* Bible study call *Evangelization and the Acts of the Apostles*. It is taught by Mary Healy of the Augustine Institute. She says we face many of the same issues as Christians in our times as that of the first Christians. She believes that we can learn from the Acts of the Apostles regarding what evangelization practices worked and then use that as a blueprint on how to evangelize our culture.

You can assess and study the program on your own through the account the Parish has on Formed.org at no cost if you wish. You also can join us on Thursday evenings from 7:00 pm to 8:30/9:00 in Shea hall or via Zoom. If you send us your email, we can send you the link. The study material is available online and can be downloaded. If you wish to have a paper copy, the cost is \$10. We will be starting the 3rd chapter this week. You're welcome to sit in any time to check it out—be it only one session or the next eight.

There is a saying, "God doesn't call the equipped, he equips the called." He uses ordinary people to do great things with his graces.

—Dcn Jerry



Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Unity Prayer

Eternal God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, our source of unity and strength, bless us as we become Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Parish.

Grace us with courageous and compassionate hearts, working together as companions on the journey of faith to build this new Catholic Community of Elk Grove Village, dedicated to your glory by sacrament, service, and witness.

You proclaim: "See, I am doing something new!"
Soften our hearts to your will, and make us respond with ready gratitude and love.
Through Christ, Our Lord.

Amen

O Virgin Mary, Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament, the glory of Christians, the joy of the universal Church, and icon of hope, pray for us.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday 8:15am (SJE)	May 2 + Dennis Frey
Tuesday 8:15am (QR)	May 3 For the people of the parish
Wednesday 8:15am (SJE)	May 4 + Joseph Infantino, + Jeremias & Filomena Rivera, + Joseph Sparacino, + Ann & Vito Losuido, + Frank & Josephine Concialdi, + Patricia Szostak
Thursday 8:15am (QR)	May 5
Friday 8:15am (SJE)	May 6 + Alice Smith
Saturday 8:15am (QR)	May 7
5:00pm (SJE)	+ Alexander Gard
Sunday 8:00am (QR)	May 8 + June Schwerzler
9:15am (SJE)	+ Maria Luisa Granja, + Isabela Garcia
10:30am (QR)	+ Dcn Ted Czarnecki, + Joseph Tomaino, Sr., + Bob Mrowczynski, + Ted Mrowczynski, + Mary Jane Joslin

THIS WEEK'S PARISH CALENDAR

7:45am	Daily Mon-Sat Morning Prayer (Telephone or App)
Monday 6:00pm 7:00pm	May 2 Charismatic Music Group Rehearsal (QR) Book Club (SJE Shea Hall)
Tuesday 2:00pm 7:00pm	May 3 Journey of the Heart (SJE Shea Hall) Confirmation Penance Service (QR) Rosary Group (SJE)
Wednesday 9:30am 6:30pm 7:00pm	May 4 Bible Study (SJE Classrooms 4/5) Rosary & Novena Prayer (QR) Holy Hour with Reconciliation & Adoration (QR)
Thursday 6:30pm 7:00pm	May 5 Rosary & Novena Prayer (SJE) Bell Choir Rehearsal (QR) Lectio Evangelization (SJE Shea Hall/Zoom)
Friday 8:50am 6:30pm 7:30pm	May 6 Eucharistic Adoration until 11:45am (SJE) Rosary & Novena Prayer (QR) AA (QR)
Saturday 8:50am Noon 4:30pm	May 7 First Saturday Devotions (QR) Reconciliation (SJE) Rosary & Novena Prayer (SJE)
Sunday 10:00am	May 8 Rosary & Novena Prayer (QR)



Summer Suppers

Thursday,
May 5
6:30-7:30pm

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JHS

1st Friday

Eucharistic Adoration May 6th
Exposition begins immediately after morning Mass and continues until the Closing Benediction at 11:45am.
Come spend some quiet time with Our Lord.

ALL ARE INVITED

May 5-13

Feast of Our Lady
of the Blessed Sacrament



Watch bulletin, website and eNews for event information and more!

Open House!



SAVE THE DATE

Friday, May 20 | 7-9pm
Stop by Shea Hall at St. Julian Eymard to enjoy a sip and a slice with women of Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament!



Sponsored by
Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Women's Club

Spring, a season of renewal and hope, is adorned in the natural beauty of new life. God's great creation bursts forth with the sights, smells and sounds of a world emerging from the slumber of winter. Green grass, flowering trees, chirping birds and gentle rains fill our senses and hearts with a great anticipation of good things to come.

In this spirit of renewal and hope, Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Respect Life Ministry invites us all to participate in Season for Life:

olbsegv.org/season-for-life/



Ways to support Season for Life:

- Look for the baby bottles in our vestibules to leave a monetary donation.
- Place items from the Wish List in collection bins in our vestibules.
- Donate gently used small electronics in the collection boxes in our vestibules.
- Purchase Mother's Day and Father's Day cards, available in each church vestibule, to support Illinois Right to Life.
- Purchase Mother's Day flowers, available in each church vestibule before and after Masses on May 7 & 8 (Mother's Day weekend) to support The Women's Centers of Greater Chicagoland.

Honor Mom

A MOTHER'S LOVE AND AFFECTION ARE INFINITE. SHOW MOM HOW MUCH YOU CARE WITH A CARD OR FLOWERS (OR BOTH!) ON SALE IN OUR VESTIBULES.

Watch for displays of **Mother's Day Cards** (supporting Illinois Right to Life) and **Flower Bouquets** (supporting The Women's Center) in our vestibules to honor **Mom and the mother-like figures** in your life!



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Wed 5/4 QR 6:30pm

(Rosary Group)

Thu 5/5 SJE 6:30pm

(Bereavement/Journey of the Heart)

Fri 5/6 QR 6:30pm

(QR School/RE Program)

Sat 5/7 SJE 4:30pm

(Men's Group/Marriage & Family)

Sun 5/8 QR 10:00am

(Respect Life)

Mon 5/9 SJE 6:30pm

(Care Ministry)

Tue 5/10 SJE 6:30pm

(Good Samaritans)

Wed 5/11 QR 6:30pm

Choir Groups

Thu 5/12 QR 6:30pm

(Bible Study)

JOIN US FOR
ROSARY & NOVENA
PRAYER

AN EVENING ABOUT OUR MOTHER

Monday, May 9th | 7pm

St. Julian Eymard



Fr. Jim Presta, Marian Scholar and Pastor at St. Emily Parish, will join us to speak about **Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament.**

First
Saturdays
Begin May 7th

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING DAILY
MASS AT QUEEN OF THE ROSARY

Holy Hill

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SPIRITUAL LIFE



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To continue to have sick relatives and friends included in the intentions list in our parish bulletin, please call the parish office (847) 979-0901.

Rosary for Life

On the **second Tuesday** of each month, OLBS Rosary Group is joined by the Respect Life Ministry to pray a special rosary recognizing the sanctity of life from conception until natural death.

All are invited to join for Rosary and stay for a Respect Life meeting.



The Prayer Shawl Ministry provides a way to wrap people in prayer. Please call the office (847) 956-0130 or (847) 437-0403 to pick up a shawl, blanket or pocket

prayer cloth for a member of the church community that is in need of our prayers. Meetings are generally the fourth Wednesday and third Saturday of each month in Shea Hall or, weather permitting, the Marian Garden. Please check the parish calendar on our website for upcoming dates.

Follow us on Facebook:

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*Our Lady of the Blessed
Sacrament*

Feast Day

Consecration Mass

Friday, May 13, 2022 | 6pm
St. Julian Eymard

Bishop George Rassas will celebrate,
fellowship immediately following.



Grant Unto Them Eternal Rest...
Mary Berens, Larry Mulholland,
Georgiana Gates

Please continue to pray for all lives lost to COVID-19, from our OLBS family and beyond.

Join Rosary Group each Tuesday Evening at 7pm at SJE to pray the Rosary.

Rosary prayer is live-streamed to Facebook: www.facebook.com/OLBSEGV or on our website: olbsegv.org/live-stream/





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Please prayerfully consider this opportunity. To discover more, please visit: qrschool.org/school_board/school_advisory_board_information

JOIN WITH US

Kindly submit applications by Friday, May 13th to kmcginn@qrcougard.org.



SAVE THE DATE
05•20•22

Track-A-Thon has become a highly-anticipated day of fun and celebration for students, teachers and staff. It is also one of the school's major annual fundraisers. Enthusiasm for the event, both beforehand in collecting pledges and on the track, is a testament to student's dedication to our parish school.

We invite everyone to consider supporting this event, either through a **Corporate** or **Family Sponsorship**. All sponsors will receive recognition on participant shirts, event signage, the school website and in the parish bulletin and eNews.

Please contact the school (847) 437-3322 or parish (847) 979-0901 offices for more information.

2022
TRACK-A-THON
WWW.QRSCHOOL.ORG



First Communion



MAY 1

Please keep all of our Second Grade students in your prayers as they celebrate First Communion:

Chloe A., Eliana A., Izabella A., Lincoln A., Aliya B., Katherine B., Gerard B., Kora B., Christopher B., Madeline B., Matthew C., Sebastian C., Aria C., Caleb C., Matilda C., Isabella D., Gabriella D., Giuliana D., Marcello D., Audrey E., Mason G., Mia G., Luke H., Madelynn J., Marko J., Maria K., Alexa K., JonPaulo K., Leon K., Milena K., Joseph K., Nicholas L., Nora L., Allison L., Julian L., Gianna L., Enzo L., Aria M., Hayden M., Breckin M., Nathan M., Kandece N., Andrew P., Warren P., Jacie P., Ariella R., Averi R., Kaylee R., Alexander R., Benjamin R., Jackson S., Jack S., Lucas S., Nicholas S., Cora S., Bella S., Augustus T., Addison T., Christopher U., Charli V., Keziah W., Ariana Z., Luca Z., Noah Z.

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