Saint Alphonsus

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

NOVEMBER 12, 2023: THE THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"Therefore, stay awake,
for you know neither the day nor the hour." (Mt 25:13)

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Mass Schedule

Mon, Tue, Thur, Fri, Sat 8:30 AM
Wed 6:00 PM
Sunday 9 AM, 11 AM, 12:30 (Spanish) and 5 PM

Alphonsus Academy & Center For the Arts

Friday 8:30 AM or as announced

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday 6:30—7:30 PM

Confessions

Wednesday 6:30—7:30 PM
Saturday 11:00—12:00 PM
**Or call one of the priests for an appointment*

Worship

This Week's Readings

Sunday: Wis 6:12-16/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (2b)/1 Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14/Mt 25:1-13
Monday: Wis 1:1-7/Ps 139:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8, 9-10/Lk 17:1-6
Tuesday: Wis 2:23—3:9/Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19/Lk 17:7-10
Wednesday: Wis 6:1-11/Ps 82:3-4, 6-7/Lk 17:11-19
Thursday: Wis 7:22b—8:1/Ps 119:89, 90, 91, 130, 135, 175/Lk 17:20-25
Friday: Wis 13:1-9/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5ab/Lk 17:26-37
Saturday: Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43/Lk 18:1-8
Next Sunday: Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 (see 1a)/1 Thes 5:1-6/ Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21

Please Pray for the Sick

Dorothy Bonds
Jamie Wallett
Sandra Wilson
Monica Alexis Rios
Margaret Nichols
Tessa Sergent
Diane Mareci
William Ahearn
Andrea Emilia Bernabey
Fidel Mercado Chavez
Emilia Hurtado
Bernard Zapp
David Birks
Celeste Soult
Magdalena Gonzalez
Michael Aldape
Janet Horvat
Frank G. Bauer
Al Corleone
Tracy Duda
Jacob Duda
Dorothy O'Brien
Ryan Meadow
Danny Browder
Carol Kania
Leslie Salimi

Welcome to the Parish!

Amanda Liebl
Amanda Wilson
Cal Escue
Lizett Mendez
Grace Konovodoff
Marisol and Justin Swindells Audrey
Jack and Catherine Egan John Joseph James
Joanna Kuppy

At Rest in the Peace of Christ

Dan Quiery



WEDDING BANNS

Brooke Zielinski
and
Jack Clifford

Giving Update

Weekly Budget Amount: $14,890

Offertory for 11/5: $14,997

Please remember to help the poor. Donations to the poor box in the narthex go to our St. Vincent DePaul Society.

Welcome Our Recently Baptized

Noah Grace Wexell
Harrison Bradley Lindgren
Emma Rose Goblirsch
William Thomas Landuyt
Michael Emiliano Flores

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, November 12
9:00 AM +Edward Marsalek
11:00 AM +Jorge and Elvia Bouso
All Living and Deceased Veterans
12:30 PM Jose Luis Zamudio Urbina (Health)
5:00 PM +Janet Kachos and Mike Carlos

Monday, November 13
8:30 AM +Javier Martinez

Tuesday, November 14
8:30 AM +John Riegler

Wednesday, November 15
6:00 PM Jose Luis Zamudio Urbina (Health)

Thursday, November 16
8:30 AM +Richard Meindl

Friday, November 17
8:30 AM +Richard Meindl

Saturday, November 18
8:30 AM +All Souls in Purgatory

Sunday, November 19
9:00 AM +Melvin Soult and Nancy Marconi
11:00 AM Somes Family
12:30 PM +Manuel and Maria Naula
+Emilio Andres Naula
5:00 PM +Richard Slowinski



News and Events

Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony

Our faith community will be kicking off the holiday season in style with the annual lighting of the Lakeview Christmas tree on **Sunday, November 19, from 6:00 PM-7:30 PM following the 5:00 PM Mass**!

Enjoy carols performed by our Alphonsus Academy & Center for the Arts students, FREE hot chocolate from our wonderful neighbor, S&G Restaurant, and more surprises! The festivities will take place directly outside the veranda of the church on the corner of Lincoln/Wellington/Southport.

If you are driving to Mass that evening, a small portion of Wellington will be blocked off for the safety of all attendees. This event is hosted by the Lakeview Roscoe Village Chamber of Commerce and sponsored by a SSA 27 grant. More details can be found at www.lakeviewroscoevillage.org/communitytreelighting

St. Alphonsus Giving Tree

Please Take A Tag From the Tree

Celebration of Giving
Unwrap the Spirit



The Giving Tree is now up in the narthex! Catholic Charities' *Celebration of Giving* supports children and families throughout Cook and Lake counties, giving to those who otherwise would not have gifts for Christmas. Through our parish's generosity, many of our less fortunate brothers and sisters receive much needed gifts and Christmas cheer! New, unwrapped gifts should be placed under the tree **by December 3**. If you are unable to drop your gift off after a Sunday Mass, please bring it to the Rectory Office between 9:00 AM—5:00 PM, Monday-Friday
Contact Mario Serrano at *mserranostals@gmail.com* if you have questions.

Frequently Asked Questions:

- *Are these real names?* No, they are pseudonyms.
- *Why mention ethnicity?* It is to help inform your purchase of children's toys and books.
- *Why gift cards for fast food?* Those who are homeless have no place to cook. Also, some agencies use them as incentives.
- *Why do some of these items look like luxuries and not necessities?* Even those who are down on their luck appreciate a few items that are more to 'feed the soul' than to feed the body.

We appreciate the great generosity of the parish!

The Women's Centers of Greater Chicagoland

Looking for a way to donate to children this Christmas? Join St. Alphonsus as we support The Women's Center this year by collecting Giving Tree Gift Cards for their clients' children. This year, instead of collecting clothing and toys, The Women's Center has opted to collect a "suggested donation" of $25 gift cards for their clients' children. The Women's Center will use the money collected online to purchase $25 gift cards from Walmart, Visa, and Jewel Osco. This will allow their clients to be able to purchase both a Christmas meal and gifts for their children. The gift cards will be given out at The Women's Center Christmas parties on Saturday, December 16th to the children of clients who have been counseled this year and have chosen LIFE for their unborn baby. Approximately 650 people will attend our North and Southside parties. The children will get to meet Santa & Mrs. Claus and receive their gift cards and candy. **These gifts are possibly the only ones they will receive for Christmas this year**! Merry Christmas and may God bless you for supporting the work of The Women's Center.

Faith Formation

Join Our RE Catechist Team!

Each year, St. Alphonsus joyfully educates the children of our parish in their Catholic faith. If you would like to spend more time with children, strengthen the faith bonds in our families or enjoy serving in our parish—please consider volunteering as a catechist for our religious education program! We'd love to talk to you and no experience is necessary :) There are training opportunities and support as you get started and throughout your time of service.

Contact our RE Coordinator Emily Ember, eember@stalphonsuschicago.church for more info.

Our Religious Education program is currently underway for the 2022-2023 school year. If you are interested in registering your child, please visit www.stalphonsuschicago.org/religious-education for more information.



Are You Ready To Become Catholic?

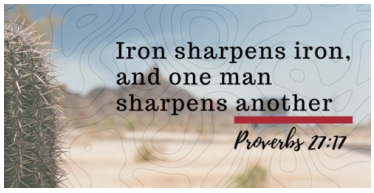
Registration is open for The Rite of Catholic Initiation for Adults (R.C.I.A). Each year we are blessed with several individuals who desire to enter and learn more about the Catholic faith. The RCIA program is the study of the Catholic Faith and the process of introduction into the faith community.

This class is offered for adults in three situations:
1. Un-baptized adults who desire to be baptized in the Catholic Church.
2. Baptized non-Catholic Christians who desire to be formally admitted into communion with the Catholic Church.
3. Baptized Catholics who have not yet been confirmed and desire to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Adult baptism (and if applicable, Confirmation and First Holy Communion) takes place at the Easter Vigil (Evening before Easter Sunday). It is one of the highest celebrations in the Catholic Church's liturgical year!

If you or someone you know is interested in taking the class, please contact our pastoral associate, Brooks Robinson at brobinson@stalphonsuschicago.church

St. Alphonsus Men's Group



St. Alphonsus Men's group meet Thursday nights to pray the liturgy of the hours, have fellowship, and to propose challenging topics to discuss.

When great conversations happen, synergy that creates connections and helps values be shared develops. *Proverbs 27:17* describes this as two iron tools being sharpened and made more effective. The same applies with friends coming into contact, sharpening and encouraging each other to greater service.

We meet every Thursday night at 7 PM in the rectory. Food and drinks provided. All men are welcome, with most men being in their 20s and 30s. Access can be gained at the west facing rectory door in the parking lot. For questions or more information, contact Men's Group at our new email, divineofficers@gmail.com

"Come to me all you are labored and burdened and I will give you rest" Matthew 11:28

Eucharistic Adoration: A Source for Peace:
Sometimes our weeks can be quite hectic, making it hard to find quiet time to pray. If this sounds familiar, join us for Mass on Wednesdays at 6 PM., followed by Eucharistic Adoration from 6:30-7:30. This can be a great way to re-center yourself in God and experience the peace that only Christ can give.

Wednesday Evening Men's Vespers
Men of the parish are invited to attend our Communio prayer group each Wednesday at 8:15 PM-9:00 PM in the rectory chapel (come to the rectory side door). It's a great way to take your spiritual life a step further as we enrich our knowledge of the faith, encourage each other in life's challenges, and grow in fortitude together. We chant the Liturgy of the Hours and share reflections on the upcoming Sunday gospel reading, followed by a social with refreshments, fellowship, and conversation. All men of the parish are invited. Questions or more info, contact James Morrow, jemseoul@hotmail.com

News and Events

Annual Report Coming Soon

Our annual report will be publicized within the next three weeks. This state of the parish report, released each November, provides a fiscal overview of both St. Alphonsus and our parish school, Alphonsus Academy & Center for the Arts. It also serves as a showcase for much of our good works, as well as noting some challenges moving forward. The annual reports from the last three years can be viewed on the parish website, stalphonsuschicago.org

Recovery Programs at St. Alphonsus

If you or loved ones you know have a problem with alcohol/substance abuse, please seek help! Our parish hosts two AA programs. Daily Reflections meet on Monday mornings at 8:30 AM in the rectory Common Room. Contact Lauren Merrill Sammis, lauren.merrill@live.com for more information. There is also a Young People's Big Book AA group that meet Sunday evenings at 7 PM in the Festival Hall. You can contact one of the coordinators, Samuel, samuelaaronmosley@gmail.com for more info.

Thanksgiving Day Mass

Please note that morning Mass on Thursday, Nov 23 will be at 9 AM, rather than the standard 8:30 AM.

Men's Pickup Basketball

Almost every Sunday at 7 PM there is a competitive men's pickup basketball game(s) for anyone who plays. Games are played in the St. Alphonsus gymnasium that is underneath the Athenaeum. Entrance to the gym is on the side of the building between the church and the Athenaeum. If you would like to be added to the weekly email list that coordinates the games or have any questions you can reach out to YAM liaison, Mike at yerkes10@gmail.com

AACA– Christmas Card Art Contest



Our AACA students will be participating in an art contest. The winning Liturgy/Christmas themed design will be featured as the front cover of the St. Alphonsus Christmas card mailed out to all parishioners. Fr. Bauer and AACA principal Gerit McAllister will pick the winner on Monday, Nov 20. Runner-Ups will be considered for the cover of the parish Christmas bulletin. We look forward to some amazing submissions from our talented school students!

Alphonsus Scouts Troop 889 Wreath Fundraiser



Troop 889 is selling wreaths and other decorations online this season! Online ordering is open now for delivery starting the week of Thanksgiving. Order for yourself or as gift. Enter a separate address and gift message for individual delivery of every item. Scan the QR code or Visit giftitforward.com to see Mickman Brothers' beautiful collection of wreaths, door decorations, and centerpieces. Enter fundraising code **TR889IL001** to support Troop 889 ($8 per item ordered). Thank you for your support and Happy Holidays!

St. Vincent DePaul Coat Drive

The Saint Vincent DePaul Society would like to extend a very big thank you to all parishioners who donated shoes during our shoe drive. Through your generous donations we collected and distributed approximately 150 pairs of shoes to newly arrived migrants living at the Addison/Halsted police station in September and October. Thank you!

As the weather has gotten colder, we are shifting to collecting coats during the month of November. Please bring any new or gently used winter coats for men, women, or children and place them in the marked containers at the back of the church. We will also accept new and gently used hats, gloves and scarves. These items will be distributed to the newly arrived migrants at the police stations. Thank you for your continued support!

November 19— CCHD Collection

Next week, our parish will take up the annual collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. For over 50 years, the mission of CCHD has been to address the root causes of poverty in the United States through the promotion and support of organizations that help people help themselves.

CCHD supports these local groups as they create jobs, improve neighborhoods, keep schools safe and enriching for children, and raise leaders for the future. CCHD-sponsored programs effectively break the cycle of poverty by building collective power so that people can take action on the issues that affect their lives, families, and communities.

Donations can be made at cchdchicago.org. Thank you for your continued support!

Walking With Purpose

Women's Group at St. Alphonsus— Tuesday mornings and evenings
9:30-11 AM or 6:30-8 PM



Come as you are. You are welcome here. Make authentic connections with other women! Refuel and Refresh! Learn more about God!



The **Touching the Divine** Bible study focuses on qualities of Jesus revealed through the Gospel of John. This study draws us into a deeper loving relationship with Jesus as we reflect on His life and personality.

Saint John referred to himself as "the disciple whom Jesus loved," and as we study, John will teach is how much Jesus loves us and how His love is the true satisfaction of our souls. Questions? Contact Susan Combes at smbcombes51@gmail.com

Stewardship—First Fruits



We want to invite all parishioners who want to participate in online giving to do so by enrolling through GiveCentral and setting up your donation via the First Fruits campaign (weekly Mass offering).

A huge thank you to those that are already giving online. Please consider making St. Alphonsus an extension of your home and family when contributing.

Sign up at *www.givecentral.org/location/39*
You can also text *Sunday* to (773) 570-7600

Stewardship Reflection

"Therefore, stay awake, for you know neither the day nor the hour." - Matthew 25:13

Many of us have put off doing something because we think we are too busy. We've all said, "I'll do it later when I have time." Unfortunately, too many of us apply this attitude to our Faith. Jesus' call is urgent, in the here and now, in your current circumstances. How is God calling you to use your gifts today? Don't delay. None of us is guaranteed tomorrow.

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Truth, Goodness, Beauty.

Turn on any television network or streaming service, and instead of finding content that is true, good, or beautiful, you find content filled with profanity, negativity, and violence. The nightly news is only bad news. You feel empty, disgruntled, and dissatisfied. Turning off the TV, you wonder how it got to be so late, and if there is anything more to life than this.

Well, I have some good news for you, the good news of the Gospel. Because it is good news! But most of us have somehow missed the memo. We live our lives seeking fulfillment, longing for that deeper purpose, and we don't realize that God is waiting to fill our lives with the truth, goodness, and beauty of His love.

When I came to the faith, I had no understanding of anything. Nothing! I knew about Noah's ark and that Jesus had lived a long time ago, but that's it. I only knew the things the world had told me about God and happiness, but what the world had said left me feeling empty and in pain. I longed for something more. In RCIA, I started watching content on FORMED and I couldn't get enough! I began learning more about Jesus. The more I knew about Him, the more I longed to personally know Him. That transformed my life.

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St. Alphonsus now has a parish subscription to FORMED and you can sign up for FREE!

FORMED will transform your life and your family, just as it has transformed mine. Start seeing the world through the lens of the good news of the Gospel. Learn how to defend and share your faith. Discover the deeper meaning of your life. Encounter God in a more personal way. Start watching content on FORMED today!

Emily Ember, Coordinator of RCIA/Evangelization

ATHENAEUM CENTER PRESENTS



DANTE 360

November 10–19, 2023

Returning in a new and expanded production, *Dante 360* is a meditation on humanity's journey from this beautiful but ever-challenging world to the joy of Paradise.

The show is a unique blend of visual art, dramatization, and exquisite music—all drawn from a masterpiece of poetic composition, *The Divine Comedy*. True to Dante's goal, *Dante 360* aims to enrich our understanding of the meaning of life as well as our experience of the journey through it in a compelling narrative of hope and beauty.

Featuring **Liz Lev** *and* **Schola Antiqua.**
Produced by **Lawrence Daufenbach.**
Directed by **Peggy Garvey.**

TICKETS: www.athenaeumcenter.org OR
CALL: (312)820-6250
LOCATION: 2936 N Southport Ave

Use promo code ALPHONSUS at checkout to receive 10% off, and 10% will be donated to your parish.

Helpful Household Hints by Harvey Levin

How to tell if fish is fresh.

Fresh fish both tastes better and is healthier.

Here are the four ways to tell if fish is fresh. If the fish is whole, look to see if the eyes are bulging. If the eyes are sunken, it is not fresh. Also, blood is red if it is fresh. If blood is old, it is black. Look under the gills to see the color of the blood.

Feel the skin. If it feels dry like plastic, it is fresh. The older it gets, the more oil will seep out. Older fish will feel slimy. Also, if you poke a piece of fish, fresh fish will bounce back. Poke your arm. You see how the tissue bounces back. If you poke a piece of fish and it leaves a dent it is old.

Young Adult Ministry

The Young Adult Ministry (YAM) is one of St. Alphonsus' most active parish groups! YAM is led by a volunteer board and is guided by Pastoral Associate, Brooks Robinson. Stated simply, the ministry's mission is to help one another participate in Christ's mission, that we, as young adult Catholics, may be effective disciples, evangelists, and agents of charity in all that we do. YAM provides many social, intellectual, service, and spiritual opportunities for growth. Members range in age from 21-39 years old.

Our YAM group is made up of 4 main pillars, Spiritual, Intellectual, Service, and Social.

Visit the St. Alphonsus YAM Facebook page, *www.facebook.com/AlphonsusYoungAdult* or contact the YAM board at *stalphonsusyam@gmail.com*

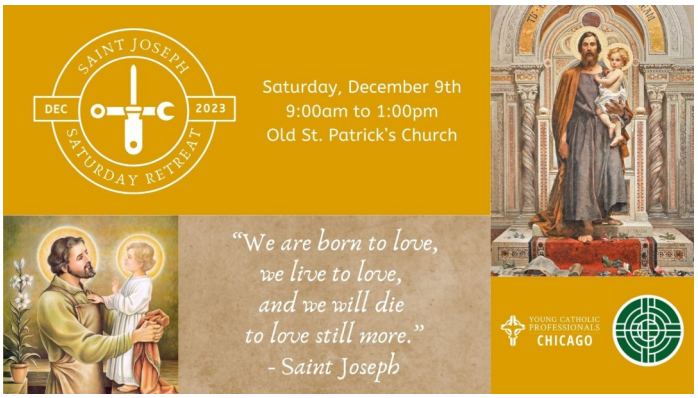
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BE SPIRITUAL
BE CHARITABLE
BE INTELLECTUAL
BE CATHOLIC

Praise and Adoration— Friday, November 17, at 7:30 PM



On **Friday, November 17th**, spend time with our Lord in praise and adoration in the church. We'll spend the first 15 minutes in silent adoration, and then our musicians will lead worship in song. Confession will also be available! The hour will conclude with benediction, and we will gather for fellowship at Lincoln Tap after!

More Young Adult Events— YCP St. Joseph Retreat Saturday Dec. 9



All young adults are invited to Young Catholic Professional's annual St. Joseph Saturday Retreat on Saturday, December 9th! This retreat is a FREE half-day retreat (open to all young adults in their 20s and 30s), where young adults are encouraged to "look upon work with the eyes of faith" and see God's presence in their vocations and professional lives. The retreat will include talks, group discussion, and prayer, and it will be a time to reflect on the life of YCP's patron saint, St. Joseph the Worker.

This retreat goes from 9 AM-1 PM and will be hosted at Old St. Patrick's Catholic Church, 700 W. Adams. Learn more about the schedule, speakers and register at ycp.glueup.com/event/ycp-chicago-saint-joseph-the-worker-retreat-90777/

Safe Families for Children



Volunteer with Safe Families for Children!

When a single parent experiences a crisis (hospitalization, loss of housing, unemployment, etc.) and has no support system to lean on for childcare, they can call Safe Families for Children.

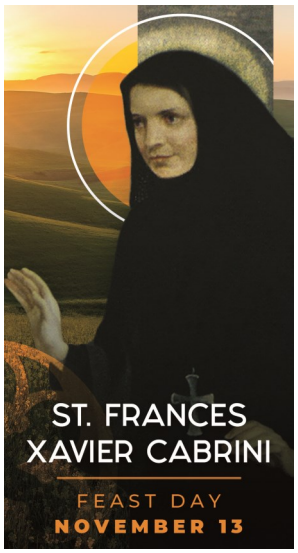
Safe Families works by connecting families in crisis with compassionate, background-checked families to care for their children until the parent(s) are back on their feet.

Apply to be a "Host Family" or "Family Friend" today! https://sfcms.net/apply/

Learn more at safe-families.org or contact us at safefamiliesstals@gmail.com

Know Your Saints

St. Frances Xavier Cabrini



You may recognize the name St. Frances Xavier Cabrini (1850 – 1917) as the first United States citizen to become a saint. Known for her deep trust in God, she was a courageous woman doing the work of Christ.

Her life of service began when she was first refused admission to the religious order which had educated her to be a teacher. Not one to take things face value, she instead focused her charitable work at the House of Providence Orphanage in Cadogno, Italy, and in 1877, professed vows there and took the religious habit.

When the bishop closed the orphanage in 1880, he named St. Frances Xavier Cabrini prioress of the Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart. However, she had a dream she was determined to fulfill. Since her early childhood, she had dreamed of being a missionary in China. Pope Leo XIII, however, urged her to see the need in the west. She traveled with six of her fellow religious sisters to New York City, where they worked with the thousands of Italian immigrants residing there.

Although she experienced many disappointments during this time, she persevered. When she arrived in New York, the house intended to be her first orphanage in the United States was not available. Rather than come back to Italy and the order she oversaw, she instead found a way to establish that orphanage elsewhere — plus a few more. Throughout her life, she is known for founding 67 institutions dedicated to caring for the poor, the abandoned, the uneducated, and the sick. She died of malaria in her own Columbus Hospital in Chicago in 1917.



Saturday, November 18
10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Our Lady of Hope Catholic Church
9711 West Devon Avenue
Rosemont, IL 60018

Join us for a one day workshop that teaches practical lesson for effectively facilitating faith discussions within small-group faith communities.

This course will help you realize and cultivate your own gifts of discipleship and will equip you to feel more confident in sharing those with others.

Register at **forms.office.com/r/yXNab2jcSy**.

For questions or more information, please email Rick Landry at **rlandry@archchicago.org**.

News and Events Around the Archdiocese

"Go Forth: Equipped for the Journey" is a one-day workshop that teaches practical lessons for effectively facilitating faith discussions within small-group faith communities. This course will help you realize and cultivate your own gifts of discipleship and will equip you to feel more confident in sharing those with others. Topics include:

- Prayer methods for small faith communities
- Leading a small group (from start to finish)
- Facilitating faith sharing and crucial conversations
- Leveraging your talents and charisms as a Missionary Disciple

Who Will Fill These Shoes?
Young men ages 13 – 20 are invited to a special Mass, lunch, conversations with seminarians, a Eucharistic Procession, and a dodgeball tournament from 11:00 AM – 3:00 PM at Mundelein Seminary on November 24. Students are encouraged to bring a friend, and parents are welcome to attend.
vocations.archchicago.org/events/wwfts

Contact

Sacramental Information

Contact our parish office at (773) 525-0709 for information regarding celebrating sacraments including Baptisms (infant and adult), Reconciliation (confession), Eucharist (Communion), Confirmation, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick. For information regarding Funerals, please first contact the funeral director of your choice to begin making arrangements.

How to Offer a Mass Intention

Did you ever notice that every Mass said here at St. Alphonsus is offered for a special intention? The entire congregation prays for that intention during the petitions (Prayers of the Faithful) when we say, "For those who have died, and for the intention of this Mass: (named intention)"

You can make a Mass Intention request here. Masses are often offered for family, friends and relatives that have died. Praying for the dead is a Spiritual Work of Mercy. Offering a Mass for someone that has died is an especially comforting gesture to the family. Mass can also be offered to commemorate joyful occasions and to give thanks to God for blessings received.

The customary offering for a Mass is $15. However, any amount that you would like to offer is acceptable. You can request Masses by visiting the Parish Office during office hours or calling the Parish Office at (773) 525-0709.

You can ***register in the parish*** by coming to the rectory office or going online at *www.stalphonsuschicago.org*. The advantage to registering is that we know who you are and can better plan our programs by knowing whom we serve.

Want *to find out what is happening in the young adult community?* Join the St. Al's Young Adult Listserv. We send out monthly emails to let people know about our upcoming events. To register for the listserv, contact *stalphonsusyam@gmail.com*

The ***Knights of Columbus*** are the world's largest Catholic fraternal service organization. For more information, visit *www.stalphonsusknights.com*

St. Alphonsus Social Media

Choose to participate in meaningful engagement! Having an attitude of engagement challenges us to love our digital neighbor as ourselves. You can find St. Alphonsus' Facebook and Twitter by going to the parish website and clicking the icons at the footer of the page.

Directory

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parish@stalphonsuschicago.church

Parish Office Hours:

9:00 AM— 5:00 PM Mon- Fri

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www.alphonsusacademy.org

School Office Hours:

8:00 AM– 3:00 PM

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