

April 21, 2024

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

I KNOW MINE
AND MINE
KNOW ME.

— JOHN 10:14 —



Rev. Artur Sowa, Pastor

April 21, 2024

The St. Francis of Assisi Community is a welcoming Christian family.

We believe in Jesus Christ and are guided by the Holy Spirit and the example of St. Francis.

We gather to celebrate, to grow in the knowledge of our faith rooted in the Catholic tradition, and to recognize our responsibility to reach out to the world.

Gospel in everyday English

"I am the Good Shepherd. The Good Shepherd puts the sheep before himself, sacrifices himself if necessary. A hired man is not a real shepherd. The sheep mean nothing to him. He sees a wolf come and runs for it, leaving the sheep to be ravaged and scattered by the wolf. He's only in it for the money. The sheep don't matter to him. "I am the Good Shepherd. I know my own sheep and my own sheep know me. In the same way, the Father knows me and I know the Father. I put the sheep before myself, sacrificing myself if necessary. You need to know that I have other sheep in addition to those in this pen. I need to gather and bring them, too. They'll also recognize my voice. Then it will be one flock, one Shepherd. This is why the Father loves me: because I freely lay down my life. And so I am free to take it up again. No one takes it from me. I lay it down of my own free will. I have the right to lay it down; I also have the right to take it up again. I received this authority personally from my Father" (*from John 10*).

Notes on the Scripture

Today is the Fourth Sunday of Easter, but this is commonly referred to as "Good Shepherd Sunday," as all the readings and prayers point us in that direction. The shepherd is indeed one of the most beloved images of God, and those who are not religious at all are familiar with the twenty-third psalm. While there is comfort in that familiarity, it is also easy to work almost on autopilot and simply fill the day with the first shepherd hymns that come to mind. But in doing so, we are not giving the liturgy its full due.

This Sunday the focus is on leadership and the difference between good and bad leadership. People tend to think of leadership as something that goes either up or down the line: Those in charge want others to follow them, while those getting the directions praise or blame their leaders for the job they're doing. In this way of seeing things, both sides are looking only at the performance of the other, not themselves.

Every leader, though, has to follow something or someone, and every follower has areas of their lives where they must lead. The important thing is to recognize that everyone leads and follows at some point and that leadership is judged by the values laid out in the gospel: care, sacrifice, unity. Where do you lead in your life? What kind of a leader are you? Where or what or whom do you follow? What kind of a follower are you?

Pew Project Update

Our pews are finally here. I know it took a lot of time, but they are beautiful and it is good to be back in the church. Thank you for your patience and understanding. However, the job is not finished yet. We still need some kneelers to be installed in two different sections of the church, but the majority of the job is done. I hope you like it.

LITURGICAL COMMISSION

Liturgical Ministers for Next Weekend (Please visit the Ministry Scheduler for the most up to date schedule or to volunteer)

	Saturday, 5:00 PM April 27	Sunday, 8:00 AM April 28	Sunday, 10:00 AM April 28	Sunday, 12:00 PM April 28
Presider	Fr. Jay Suero	Rev. Ed Upton	Rev. Artur Sowa	Rev. Rich Young
Deacon	Michael Pindelski	John Donahue	Timothy McCormick	Brian Whiteford
Sacristan	Susan Vari	Sharon McCaffrey	Kathleen Biederman	Marilyn O'Sullivan
Lector	William Farrell (1) Kim Reid (2)	Gerald Saletta (1) Irene Rodriguez (2)	Rachel Weber (1) Lee Trimble (2)	Denise Sorpassa (1) John Ouradnik (2)
Eucharistic Minister	Robert Carlo Richard Klein Mary McNaughton Robert Nerius Katherine Nicholson Michael Pindelski Fr. Jay Suero Susan Vari	John Donahue Nicole Freisleben Michael Freisleben Lisa Freisleben Mark Freisleben Patricia Grasso Sharon McCaffrey Rev. Ed Upton	Kathleen Biederman Mary Greenan Karen Koehler Timothy McCormick Marilyn Nelson Frank Scellato Rev. Artur Sowa Judee Tan	Cathy Embach Gerardo L. Garcia Marilyn O'Sullivan Joan Ondrus Nancy Palacz Brian Whiteford Jeannine Witowski Rev. Rich Young
Altar Server	Raphael Angelo Santos Max Meyer (sub req.) NOT FILLED	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	John Curran Brian Curran Jayden Tan	Sofia Alvarez Lagunas Sammy Schmidt Molly Schmidt
Usher	Ann Carroll (HU) Renee Farrell George Kelley	James Pedersen (HU) Roger Malinowski Richard Roberts	Keith Nelson (HU) Deborah Burzinski James Winters	John Glass (HU) Susan Campagna Jay Modelski
Greeter	Lisa Kacerovskis Martin Terpstra	Lynne Sparks NOT FILLED	Gabby Bach Char Oliver	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED

This Week at St. Francis

Sunday, April 21st

Helping Hands Food Drive

Monday, April 22nd

St. Peregrine Novena, 7:00PM
Women's CRHP, 7:00PM (GR)

Tuesday, April 23rd

Needles & Things, 12:30PM (SFR)
Knights of Columbus, 7:30PM (UH)

Wednesday, April 24th

OA Mtg., 9:30AM (GR)
Wed (A) RE Grades 1-7, 4:30PM-6:00PM (SFC-FR)
Adult Bible Study, 7:00PM (SFC-MP)
Matthew Kelly Book Study, 6:30PM (GR)

Thursday, April 25th

Thurs RE Grades 1-7, 4:30PM-6:00PM (SFC-FR)
Lectio Divina, 7:00PM (GR)

Friday, April 26th

AA Mtg., 7:00PM (NR)

Saturday, April 27th

Ronald McDonald Collection
Sat RE Grades 1-7, 8:30AM-10:00AM (SFC-FR)

We are grateful for the generosity of our parishioners. At the beginning of the pandemic, we made the decision to stop passing the collection basket and instead placing a basket at both entrances. We have decided to continue that practice.

Parish Stewardship

Month of March, 2024

Electronic Givings	\$36,378.65
Envelopes & Loose	<u>\$58,508.00</u>
Total for March 2024	\$94,886.65

Easter Collection \$112,000.00



We would ask that you consider electronic giving. It is safe, flexible, convenient and consistent. Simply scan the qrcode or complete the yellow sheet in your monthly envelope packet or call the parish office.

We thank you for your continued support.

PRAY FOR VOCATIONS! World Day of Prayer for Vocations Sunday, April 21 We see in Jesus, the Good Shepherd, the heart of every calling. Everyone is called, and everyone has a vocation in the Church.

33 DAYS
to
EUCCHARISTIC GLORY
By Matthew Kelly

Join us as we gain special graces from our *reflections* and *discussions* on this spiritual pilgrimage.

Wednesdays

April 24 to June 12

6:30 P.M.

S.F.A. Parish, Great Room

(No obligation to attend all sessions)

ALL ARE WELCOME



“This resource presents profound truths, astonishing historical facts, powerful practical examples, a daily virtue to adopt, extraordinary prayers, and inspiring stories – all in an easy-to-follow daily format... This spiritual guide will forever change the way you spend time with Jesus in the Eucharist.”

*** This book may be purchased from Dynamic Catholic or Amazon.
For more information contact Rose at rose.leitelt@gmail.com



**May Crowning set for
Monday, May 13th**

The feast of Our Lady of Fatima.
Join us for the 8:30 Morning Mass and
May Crowning.

The celebration will continue with a potluck breakfast in Upton Hall. Bring your favorite breakfast food to share. Hope you can join in this wonderful tradition.

Vicariate V Ministry Commission
Ministers of Care Training

A Minister of Care visits the homebound in the parish to bring Eucharist to those who are unable to attend Mass. We offer to our homebound a way to remain connected the parish and as Pope Francis said "to be an instrument of God's mercy." **St George Parish in Tinley Park in the Cahil Center. May 6, 7 & 8, 2024. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings from 6:30-9:30** Presenter is Jeanne Lassandrello

Participation in these three sessions meets the mandated requirements of the Office for Divine Worship of the Archdiocese of Chicago. Preparation as a Minister of Care includes such topics as spirituality of ministry, ministry to the aged and homebound, the experience of suffering, dying and death, pastoral listening skills, prayer and Eucharist, as well as the theological and practical dimensions of ministry. Participants must be approved by a member of their Pastoral Team.

The session on Wednesday will offer the theological and practical dimensions of ministry. If there is someone approved by their pastor to bring Communion to a family member this would be a good evening for them to attend.

A Potpourri of Tenebrae and Easter Thanks

♪♪♪ **SO MANY NOTES OF THANKS** ♪♪♪

Thank you to Rev. Edward F. Upton, Pastor Emeritus, visionary, mentor and friend for the past 27 years. Thank you for continued support and encouragement of our parish Music Ministry. Thank you for planting and nurturing the seeds of good liturgy at SFA!

Thank you to Rev. Artur J. Sowa, Pastor and Shepherd of our parish. Through your wisdom and nurturing spirit, our parish continues to thrive in these challenging times.

Thanks to Fr. Jay Suero for your artistic eye and hand in running the livestreams of Tenebrae (and Holy Week and Easter) for the parish Youtube channel.

Thanks to our parish deacons, office staff and maintenance personnel who did so much to make Tenebrae and the liturgies of Holy Week and Easter run so effortlessly. Thanks especially to Jim Hahn, Monika Florek and Lonny Johnson... you magically make everything 'just happen'.

A debt of gratitude is owed to James Walsh and Sr. Gael Gensler, our Tenebrae lectors. You breathed life into the Word with spirit and heartfelt dedication. Our lector team at SFA is blessed with your competent gift of proclamation! Thanks be to all our wonderful SFA lectors!

My deep thanks to our Tenebrae Celebrant, Rev. Richard Young, O.S.A., my friend and Augustinian brother. Thanks be to you for your ministry to your extended family here at SFA.

A note of thanks to Jan Ota, Jola Bernard, Leslie Drew and Gina Vitucci who baked and organized the beautiful Coffee-And at our Holy Week Tenebrae Service. There is no sweeter team! A million thanks for the Coffee-After party!

I reserve my deepest thanks our incredible SFA Music Ministers.

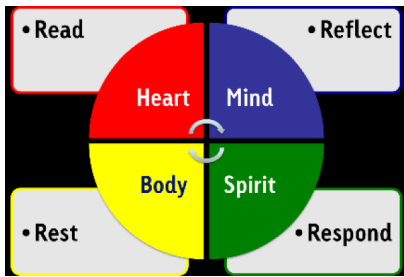
To the entire Music Family here at Saint Francis of Assisi parish, especially to our **Tenebrae Schola/Cantor Schola**; You, my friends, are the heart and soul of what we do. You all made this year's Tenebrae a reality and a dream come true. I am humbled and so very grateful for your talent and dedication. There is no better group of singers, anywhere.

To the *very best* **Adult Choir, Cantors, Children's Choir/Youth Chorale and Handbell Choirs**, with special thanks to Anne Madden, Associate Director of Music Ministry, and Adele Szaflarski and James Draudt, our parish accompanists; You sing (and play) the songs of our hearts, songs most pleasing to God's own ears. Your gifted talent and dedication make our parish Music Ministry not a job but a blessing each and every day. You all are a light on a hill in Orland Park!

Deep thanks to our many musician friends in Music Ministry. We are so richly blessed with the abundant talent of **so** many fine musicians. Your level of musicianship and dedication is humbling. Deepest thanks to Jim Hahn, Patrick Bieszke, Shannon Cate, Arlene DeHoff, Andrew Michor, Brian Ridge, Tim Madden, Matt Seidel, Nolan Donahue, Dave Zajeski, Rhianna Santiago, Renz Santiago, Adele Szaflarski, Michal Szaflarski, Deanne Tumpich, Jennifer Darwell, Irene Quirnbach and David Kaplan. You are all **INSTRUMENTAL** in bringing deeper beauty, majesty and power to our Holy Week and Easter liturgies.

With my deep gratitude and Easter joy,

Leanne Stoterau Hahn



LECTIO DIVINA

Experience this beautiful prayer form

You are invited to an evening of reflection using the format of *Lectio Divina*.

All are welcome!

DATE: April 25, 2024

TIME: 7:00 p.m.

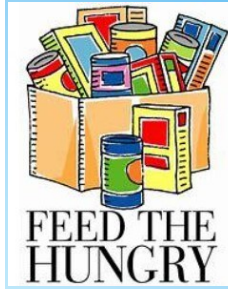
PLACE: St. Francis of Assisi Church (Great Room)

FACILITATOR:

Dr. Elizabeth-Anne Stewart

www.elizabeth-annestewart.com

HUMAN CONCERNS COMMISSION



St. Francis Helping Hands Spring Food Drive

Before and After All Masses on April
20 & 21

Please drop off your non-perishable food items, toiletries and paper items at the tables in the parking lot. Monetary donations are also appreciated.

Especially needed are jelly, cereal, spaghetti, canned beans (especially baked, black or pinto) and canned meats and meals such as stew and ravioli.

Food distributed to St. Blase in Summit, St. Philip Neri, St. Josephine Bakhita in Chicago and the Orland Township Food Pet Pantry

My name is Logan and I am working on my Eagle Project for Scouts and wanted to share the wish list that I created. The reason I chose RMHC is because my family has needed to use the rooms they have to offer on multiple occasions. These rooms are for families that have children in the hospital and don't live close, often these stays are unexpected and can be anywhere from days to months.

I am collecting the following toiletry items and must be brand new, all travel size (toothbrush individually wrapped, toothpaste, shampoo, conditioner, lotion, bar soap, body wash) to make kits for the Ronald McDonald House Charities (RMHC) which houses over 180 families each night. I added things to this wish list but you can also choose other toiletry items and have them shipped. I will post at a later date when I will be having an in person collection. My goal is to make a minimum of 250 kits to help these families have one less thing to worry about.

Any donation is greatly appreciated.



LOGAN'S EAGLE PROJECT

**Ronald
McDonald House
Toiletries Drive**



**Ronald McDonald
House Charities®**
Chicagoland & Northwest Indiana

In person collection dates
Saturday, April 27th, 4:30pm-6:30pm
Sunday, April 28th, 7:30am-1:30pm
St. Francis of Assisi Parish
15050 S. Wolf Road
Orland Park, IL 60467

**Items Needed all NEW:
(Must be Travel Sized)**

Shampoo
Conditioner
Toothpaste
Toothbrush
Body Wash
Body Lotion
Bar Soap

VENMO

Amazon Wishlist





KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

St. Francis of Assisi Council

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Sunday, April 28, 2024

Following

8:00am and 10:00am Masses
and before Noon Mass

Upton Hall

ALL YOU CAN EAT

**Pancakes, Gluten Free Pancakes,
Sausage, Eggs, Juice, Coffee & Milk**

\$10.00 PER PERSON, Kids 4 & Under FREE

Tickets sold in the Narthex before and after masses.
Tickets also sold at the door.



Proceeds to help
Youth Group
Mission Trip
THANK YOU!

GRIEF SUPPORT



**GRIEF SUPPORT on Monday, May 13th,
3:30-5pm in the Great Room.**

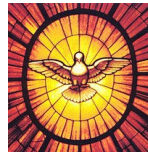
**Topic: Grieving and Post-traumatic growth.
Can they co-exist?**

Consider joining other Grieving Hearts to explore the sixth stage of grief, Post traumatic growth. There is no specific timeline as you work through the difficult stages of grief.

However, research shows that moving toward "finding meaning" through the life of our loved one, can lead to healing and personal growth. You are not alone.

Facilitated by Valerie Piazza LCPC

PARISH LIFE COMMISSION



Fish Fry and Pasta Dinner Thank You!

During the Lenten season this year, the Social Committee hosted a fish fry and a pasta night. Those in attendance enjoyed delicious food catered by Heine's for the fish fry and RoccoVino's catered the pasta night. These were great nights to share a Lenten meal with fellow parishioners.

In order for these events to be as successful as they were requires many hands. So, we thank everyone on the Social Committee and their families: Lee Knapik, Jan Ota, Teri Sankey, Kathy and Ron Craven, Sharon Moe, James Arredondo, Jackie Clifford, Paula Belski, Lisa Kacerovskis, Trish Vidinich, Pam Marr and Sister Gael. Thank you for all your efforts to make these events successful!

We also would like to thank the office staff! They assisted in selling tickets, taking care of financial issues, setting up/taking down our floor plan.

Last, but not least, we would like to thank the teens that volunteered their time for Community Service. The teens were wonderful and really helped to make this a great success. We sincerely thank each and every one of you!

If we mistakenly excluded someone, please know it was an oversight and we truly thank you for your efforts!

If you weren't able to make it to this year's fish fry or pasta dinner, please try to come to next year's events. It was truly a great event and we missed you!

Laurie Arredondo, Chair Social Committee



Mom (or Dad) & Tot Storytime at Cardinal Joseph Bernardin Catholic School

(for 2 & 3 year-old children NOT currently attending CJB)

9am until 9:45am

Friday, May 17th -- Summer Theme

We welcome you & your child into one of our CJB classrooms from 9:00-9:45a! Together we will read a story, sing a song, & complete a craft. This is a great way to immerse your child in the warm and welcoming CJB community for the first time, meet CJB teachers, and make new friends!

Storytime is FREE, but you must reserve your spot by emailing spinta@cjbschool.org
Reservations must be made by the Friday before your session date.

Cardinal Joseph Bernardin Catholic School

We are affiliated with St. Elizabeth Seton, St. Julie Billiart, St. Francis of Assisi and St. Stephen, Deacon & Martyr. We welcome families from these parishes as well as other families who are looking for a Christ-centered, blue ribbon academic learning environment.

9250 W. 167th Street
Orland Hills, IL 60487



SSYMA SCENE 75 April 25th, 2024

6-9 pm

Scene 75, Romeoville IL



Rollercoaster, arcade games,
Go-karts and more!

COST: \$25 INCLUDES:

- 2 pieces of pizza
- Pop
- All activities

Open to all 8th-12th graders
Email Claire at
sfyg@sfaorland.org to sign up



We warmly welcome our newest members, Leslie, Brianna, Lisa & Robert who completed their initiation at the Easter Vigil.



**Please join us for our CRHP
25th Anniversary Celebration
May 4, 2024
Mass at 5PM
CHRP reflections & dinner
in Upton Hall following Mass
RSVP to cmcgury@hotmail.com**



**Rita Costanzo
Mark Kalejs
Maria Petrungaro
Corazon Galang Zabat**

SICK RELATIVES & FRIENDS

Names of sick relatives and friends normally appear in the bulletin for six weeks. After six weeks, the names are written into our parish book of prayers for continued remembrance. At the request of the family, Names will appear in the bulletin for a longer

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| Richard Albanese | Debbie Lipien |
| Charlotte Ambuehl | Danny Martinez |
| Jerry Baldwin | Julianne McGrenera |
| Leslie Bartosz | Laurel McGrenera |
| Frances Bonaguro | Joelle McMaster |
| Adan Corral | John Moritti |
| Patricia DiGangi | Isabel Nocera |
| Edmund Dizon | Gwen Norvilas |
| Kevin Drown | Donna Parzynski |
| Autumn Hoffmeyer | Jose Ramirez |
| Kathy Horsch | Scott Reid |
| Carol Janes | Leonard Rzeszutko |
| Eleanor Katauskas | Anthony Sabbia |
| Joseph Katauskas | Karen Singer |
| Jackson Klein | Dorothy Stoterau |
| Irene Komara | Michaelle Wisniewski |

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Please keep those listed below in your daily prayers

- Saturday, April 20th**
5:00PM Barbara Horvath rq. by The Horvath/VanKampen Family, Joan Eckel rq. by John Eckel, Anna Sroka rq. by John Zbos, Virginia Zbos rq. by debi & Karen Ross, Stephanie Hommes rq. by Carol Buckner
- Sunday, April 21st**
8:00AM Alice Sodora rq. by The Faxel Family
- 10:00AM** Peggy O'Neill rq. by Bob & Sharon Smith, Grace McGuire rq. by Lee Knapik, Serafin Sosa rq. by Loretta McNaughton, Geraldine Rogers rq. by The Mokate Family
- 12:00PM** The People of St. Francis
- Monday, April 22nd**
8:30AM Linda Huckabee rq. by Teri Sankey, Mark & Louis Tassone (healing) rq. by Precious & Danny Martinez
- Tuesday, April 23rd**
8:30AM Thomas Killoren rq. by Rita Killoren, Richard Petbok rq. by Rich & Linda Misiorowski, Virginia Zbos rq. by Kathy Biederman, Mark Kalejs rq. by Rita Killoren
- Wednesday, April 24th**
8:30AM Lucy & Hieu Phan (healing) rq. by family, Virginia Zbos rq. by John Zbos,
- Thursday, April 25th**
8:30AM John J. Carroll rq. by John Zbos, Anthony & Dorothy Erbacci rq. by Jackie & Cliff Guilbeau
- Friday, April 26th**
8:30AM John J. Carroll rq. by The Carroll Family, Gail Saternus rq. by Family, Thomas Vidak rq. by Patricia Vidak
- Saturday, April 27th**
5:00PM John J. Carroll rq. by The Carroll Family, Bishop Kevin Birmingham rq. by The Ann Ross Family, Joan Eckel rq. by John Eckel, Anthony "Tony" Nudo, Sr. rq. by Bill & Ann Carroll, Virginia Zbos rq. by Ray & Marian Peregoy
- Sunday, April 28th**
8:00AM Barbara Young rq. by Sue King, Clarence Bergstrom rq. by The Faxel Family, Joyce March rq. by Joe March
- 10:00AM** Philip & Bernadette Cederstrom rq. by The Cederstrom Family, Connor Christian rq. by Family, Dee Krajewski rq. by Sylvia & Michael Egan, Mary Jane Oleszkiewicz rq. by Val & Pete Piazza, Grace McGuire rq. by Jan Ota
- 12:00PM** The People of St. Francis

St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church

15050 South Wolf Road, Orland Park, Illinois 60467-3028

Website: <http://www.sfaorland.org> Parish office e-mail: parishoffice@sfaorland.org Parish phone: 708-460-0042

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE: Saturday - 5:00 PM; Sunday - 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 PM
WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE: Monday-Friday at 8:30 AM

REV. ARTUR SOWA, **Pastor**
(asowa@sfaorland.org)

SR. GAEL GENSLER, OSF, **Pastoral Associate**
(ggensler@sfaorland.org)

REV. JAY SUERO, **Associate Pastor**
(jsuero@sfaorland.org)

REV. EDWARD F. UPTON, **Pastor Emeritus**
(edfupton@aol.com)

REV. RICH YOUNG, OSA, **Weekend Presider**

DEACON DANIEL CARROLL, **Permanent Deacon**

DEACON JOHN DONAHUE, **Permanent Deacon**
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DEACON MICHAEL KILEY, **Permanent Deacon**
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DEACON TIM McCORMICK, **Permanent Deacon**
(tmccormick@sfaorland.org)

DEACON MICHAEL PINDELSKI, **Permanent Deacon**
(mpindelski@sfaorland.org)

DEACON BRIAN WHITEFORD, **Permanent Deacon**
(bwhiteford@sfaorland.org)

The Parish offices are located in the lower level of the church. Entrance is via the walkway at the west side of the church building. Hours 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM, Monday thru Friday. Evenings and weekends are by appointment. The Chapel is located at the north-east corner of the Church.

ADMINISTRATION Phone: 460-0042, Fax: 460-0136

Office Manager: Paula Belski (pbelski@sfaorland.org)

Director of Facilities: Jim Hahn (jhahn@...)

Parish Accountant: Kathleen Biederman (kbiederman@...)

Receptionists: Ann Carroll (acarroll@...), Teri Sankey (tsankey@...)

Comm. Coordinator: Allison Domenick (adomenick@...)

Liturgic Coordinator: Gina Vitucci (gvitucci@...)

Facilities Maintenance: Monika Czajczyk, Tony Candelaria

MUSIC MINISTRY

Phone: 708-460-9831

Director: Leanne Stoterau (music@sfaorland.org)

YOUTH MINISTRY

Phone: 708-460-0042

Youth Minister Coordinator: Claire Resuta (sfyg@sfaorland.org)

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

15010 Wolf Rd., Orland Park, IL 60467

Phone: 708-460-0155; **FAX:** 708-460-5086

Dir: Mary Kay Burberry, ext. 240 (mkburberry@sfaorland.org)

Coordinator: Jackie O'Malley, ext. 242 (jomalley@...)

Office Manager: Maureen Krzyminski, ext. 244 (mkrzyminski@...)

The Religious Ed Offices are located in the St. Francis Center, up the hill, west of the church. Religious Ed office hours are Monday thru Thursday, 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM. The Religious Ed offices are closed on Fridays.

CARDINAL JOSEPH BERNARDIN (CJB) SCHOOL

9250 W.167th St., Orland Hills, IL 60487

Phone: 708-403-6525

Principal: Jeanne Pagliaro

Web page: www.cjbschool.org

Our elementary Catholic Regional school is located on the campus of St. Elizabeth Seton parish at 167th & 94th Ave.

REGISTRATION Become a registered member of the parish by completing a registration form which is found in Church.

BECOME A CATHOLIC - R.C.I.A. The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults. Anyone interested in becoming a Catholic, please contact the parish office at 708-460-0042

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM Baptisms can be arranged by appointment. A baptismal conference will be set up with the parents.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Communal celebration of the Sacrament will be held during Advent and Lent. Individual confessions are heard on Saturdays at 9:00 - 10:00 AM before Funerals and Weddings.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE Weddings need to be scheduled at least 4-6 months in advance upon approval of a priest. Couples are reminded to secure the church date before the reception hall. Please check our website for more details.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK Those of advanced age or suffering from a chronic or serious illness are invited to be anointed. A priest is available to offer the Sacrament whether the ill person is at home or in the hospital. Please call 708-460-0042. Anointing will also be offered on Mondays after Morning Mass.