

**Jesus endured the cross,  
despising its shame,  
and has taken his seat  
at the right of the throne of God.**

**HEBREWS 12:2**

**Twentieth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time  
AUGUST 18, 2019**

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# FR. LOU'S LINE



## SEMINARIANS

I recently attended a meeting about Mundelein Seminary's Parish Teaching Program. I am happy to share that St. Julie Billiart will once again host a seminarian as we did with Fr. Jay Suero. In fact, I believe we will be hosting two seminarians! Additionally, the seminarians will be in the early stages of their formation which means that they will be with us for a number of years. While I do not know who exactly will be assigned to our parish, we are preparing for their arrival. The program has been greatly improved over the last two years from the input of both pastors and seminarians. One key component is a committee of parishioners who offer insights to the seminarians as they accompany them throughout these teaching years. In the coming weeks, I will be working to invite a group of ten or so parishioners to this committee. I look forward to welcoming the seminarians to St. Julie Billiart in September.

## BACK TO SCHOOL

Students and teachers are all heading back to school. This Wednesday is the first day of school for our parish school, Cardinal Joseph Bernardin. As we begin the school year at CJB, we do so under the leadership of an interim principal, Mr. Jim Antos. We are very fortunate to have Jim's leadership this year as we continue the search for a permanent successor to Mary Iannucilli, who retired this past June. To all our students, teachers and administrators: we ask God's blessings for a good year—a year of good learning, a year of deepening friendships, and a year of developing great character.

## SIGNS OF THE TIMES

To say we live in interesting times is an understatement. Yet, in some way, every 'time' is an interesting time fraught with its own challenges and opportunities. Today, most would agree that our time is marred by hyper partisanship pitting folks against each other in ways that are not helpful. How do we rise above the divisions that exist? More so, how do

we stay true to the Gospel of Jesus when the challenges we face push us into partisan camps? In short, it is not easy.

Recently, I received letters/emails that question my political leanings and prayers we offer at Mass. This is nothing new, but I would say the perceived anger seems more poignant. How could you be a Democrat? Why pray now for victims of gun violence when there is gun violence on the streets of Chicago every day? Enough preaching on immigration—we don't need to hear about that. How can the Church align itself with the Republicans? These are just a sampling of individual's comments that I've encountered; not to mention the 'political anger' being confessed regularly in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. The signs of the times—at least in the political sphere—seem quite troubling.

I want to clarify some things that are both personal and public. The Catholic Church is not partisan; the Church is neither Republican nor Democrat. In fact, the Church would be hard-pressed to find a single political party that encompasses all her values and positions. This is why the Church strives to remain above the fray in partisan politics. That being said, the Church, and her ministers, do have a role to play in the political debate. We are called to preach the Gospel of Jesus Christ, a Gospel that is inclusive with love and respect for all, a Gospel that is about the sacredness of life from conception until natural death, a Gospel that challenges the world to care for the most vulnerable and God's creation itself. As such, the Church engages in the debate trying to shape minds and hearts to embody God's Kingdom here and now.

As an individual, I do have my own opinions on political matters. However, as a priest my goal is not to impose or even preach my political leanings, but instead - and to the best of my ability - try to preach the values of the Gospel. I am cautious to *not* disclose my own political leaning so that I do not influence others who may see my personal opinions as an endorsement of candidates by the Church (I have voted for both Democrats and Republicans).

Similarly, our goal in preparing the Universal Prayers, the Prayers of the Faithful, is to include prayers which promote human dignity and solidarity

with our sisters and brothers throughout the world. Indeed, a pattern is presented for the Universal Prayer that includes praying not only for the matters of life, such as challenges of natural disasters, victims of violence, the dignity of workers to name a few, but also to pray for leadership both of the Church and of governments. As I see it, with the hyper partisanship that exists in the world today, it has become even more difficult to ensure that we avoid an appearance of preferring one political leaning over another.

The debate of issues is a good thing; how that debate occurs is a challenge. When we begin from a position that creates 'us versus them' mentalities we've lost something in our ability to dialogue. To me, this is sad. As one charged with the responsibility to preach the Gospel, it is a difficult challenge to endeavor to preach knowing how judgmental some listeners are in wanting to box the message into being liberal/

conservative or worse Republican/Democrat. Although imperfect, the goal is always to preach the Gospel.

In every generation there are the issues that confront the people of that generation. Perhaps summed up best in the Eucharistic Prayer for Various Needs and Occasions: Jesus, the Way to the Father:

*Grant that all the faithful of the Church, looking into the signs of the times by the light of faith, may constantly devote themselves to the service of the Gospel. Keep us attentive to the needs of all, that, sharing their grief and pain, their joy and hope, we may faithfully bring them the good news of salvation and go forward with them along the way of your Kingdom.*

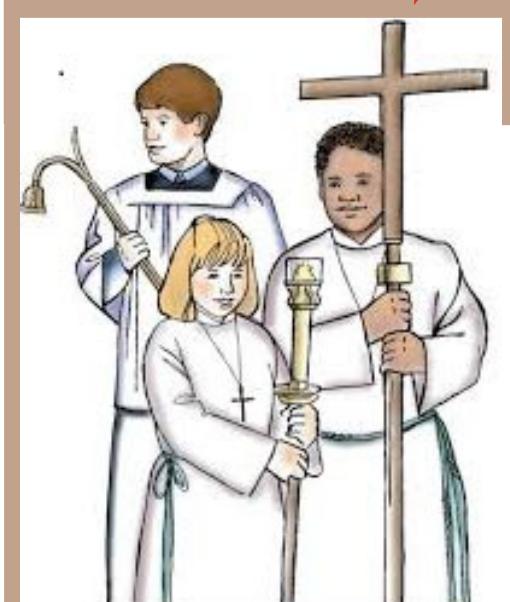
Peace & Prayers,

*Fr. L.*



## TOOTSIE ROLLS THIS WEEKEND

**\$2 in the narthex  
Brought to you by  
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
for the benefit of  
SJB SPRED GROUP**



## ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

Boys and girls 3<sup>rd</sup> grade and older  
are invited to participate.

**Come to the initial Training Session!**

Wednesday, August 28, 2019,  
4:00-5:00pm in the Church.

Registration forms will be provided.

For questions or more information please contact Margie Guadagno at [margie@stjulie.org](mailto:margie@stjulie.org)

# IN OUR PRAYERS

## OUR BELOVED DEAD

Larry Bergstrom, husband of Marie

## NEEDING GOOD HEALTH

Mike Mikicic  
Lance Sheehan  
Joe Tumpich  
Meg Keating  
Ken Klonicki  
Art Holz  
Mickey Jordan  
Jackie Pleasant  
Nick Greco  
Nancy Grinnell  
Joseph Tylka  
Holly Hesselschwardt  
Geri Tomaselli  
Joe Zagotta

## CURRENTLY SERVING

For the men and women of our parish  
who are serving our country.

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday, August 19 - 8:00am

- + Matthew E. Szwed
- + Anthony P. & Katherine A. Osacky
- + Joseph Rategan

### Tuesday, August 20 - 8:00am

For the people of St. Julie Billiart Parish

- + Virginia Hoyne
- + Victoria Hoyne
- Deceased members of the Morrissey & Leonard families

### Wednesday, August 21 - 8:00am

- + Nicholas Mercadante
- + Mandy Melgar

### Thursday, August 22 - 8:00am

- + Marge Mikuzis
- + Felizardo & Maria DeLaPena
- + Sandra Wierzbinski
- + Dolores Pazdro
- + Linda Pazdro Klaff
- + Richard P. Dukelow

### Friday, August 23 - 8:00am

- + Rita Ziccarelli
- + Victoria Tanderak

### Saturday, August 24 - 4:30pm

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| + Conrad Siadak         | + Edward J. & Margaret Ryan |
| + John & Florence Domke | + Joyce Wilkins             |
| + Ray & Alice Minerath  | + John & Anna Kolarik       |
| + Gary Domke            | + Elizabeth Stanek          |
| + Barbara Messineo      |                             |

### Sunday, August 25:

#### 8:00am

- For the people of St. Julie Billiart Parish  
+Jack Norris  
+Edward & Ann Weston  
+Sandra Wierzbinski

#### 9:30am

- +Fr. Pat Brennan & deceased family members
- +Andrea Ortega
- +Florian Wasinski
- +Joseph Zenkel
- +Virginia Camerius
- +Myra Newton

#### 11:00am

- +Betty Kucharz
- +Bob Johnson
- +Victoria Tanderak
- +John O'Rourke
- +Walter & Eleanore Dziekan
- +Scott Richard Lietz
- +Geraldine Cole
- 40<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary of Walter & Mary Kopec

#### 6:00pm

## What you need to know?

Every week, one weekend Mass and one Daily Mass is designated solely for the intentions of the people of the parish. By canon law, this is the only intention that should be allowed on that designated Mass.

Beginning January 1, 2020, St. Julie Billiart will recognize this canon law by ensuring these Masses are solely for the people of St Julie Billiart. As such, no other intentions will be allowed on that Mass.

Please know that if an Intention request is made for a Mass designated for the People of St. Julie Billiart, we will do our best to accommodate your request on the next available Mass.

# GENEROSITY

## TOOTSIE ROLL SALE FOR SPRED

### This Weekend

The Knights of Columbus will be selling Tootsie Roll candy-filled banks after each Mass to benefit the St. Julie Billiart SPRED group. SPRED provides religious education and parish assembly activities for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. The banks sell for \$2 each and will be available with chocolate or fruit flavored Tootsie Rolls. After they roll is empty, it can be recycled as a coin bank. Thank you for your support of those with intellectual disabilities.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

We are looking for generous parishioners to donate to the Religious Education Scholarship Fund for needy families. Your donation of any amount will help pay for tuition of families with financial hardship. To donate, place your donation in the offertory basket clearly marked *Religious Education Scholarship Program*. Please call the Religious Education Office with any questions. God bless and thank you for supporting our needy families.



Faith Direct is our online giving provider. eGiving provides a safe and consistent means of sharing your gifts especially throughout the summer months. eGiving through Faith Direct is the easiest and most convenient way for St. Julie Billiart to receive your weekly offering and other Church support. eGiving through Faith Direct will also save you time while helping St. Julie Billiart reduce expenses.

Ready to ditch the envelopes and make the switch? Setting up your Faith Direct account is quick and easy! Go to [faith.direct/IL834](http://faith.direct/IL834) or download the free app and use our church code: **IL834**

Your prayerful support of the ministries of St. Julie Billiart parish is sincerely appreciated.

# SACRIFICIAL GIVING

## ST. JULIE BILLIART PARISH FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2019 - JUNE 30, 2020

### August 10/11, 2019

Budgeted	\$18,750.00
Collected	\$11,924.65
Shortfall	(\$ 6,825.35)

### Faith Direct

### August 12, 2019

Collected	\$16,557.00
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### Year to Date 2019-20

Budgeted	\$112,500.00
Collected	\$101,808.46
Shortfall	(\$ 10,691.54)

## Calendar

### Monday

AUGUST 19

Weekday

Jgs 2:11-19

Mt 19:16-22

### Tuesday

AUGUST 20

St. Bernard,

Abbot and Doctor  
of the Church

Jgs 6:11-24a

Mt 19:23-30

### Wednesday

AUGUST 21

St. Pius X,

Pope

Jgs 9:6-15

Mt 20:1-16

### Thursday

AUGUST 22

Queenship of the  
Blessed Virgin Mary

Jgs 11:29-39a

Mt 22:1-14

### Friday

AUGUST 23

Weekday

Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22

Mt 22:34-40

### Saturday

AUGUST 24

St. Bartholomew,  
Apostle

Rv 21:9b-14

Jn 1:45-51

### Sunday

AUGUST 25

Twenty-first Sunday in  
Ordinary Time

Is 66:18-21

Heb 12:5-7, 11-13

Lk 13:22-30

# Dear Padre,

## Why do we ask the saints to intercede for us with God?

In Job 42:8, the Lord encourages Job's friends to seek his intercession on their behalf. Then in 1 Thessalonians 5:25, St. Paul asks Church members

in Thessalonica to pray for him and his missionary companions: "Brothers, pray for us." In neither the New nor Old Testament is there a concern that it might be inappropriate to ask living members of one's faith community for support in prayer before God.

Therefore, if we believe the saints are "living" members of our community, why would we not ask for their prayerful support just as we do the flesh-and-blood members of the community we can see and touch?

Christ is the one true mediator between God and humans, but Christ calls us into a community of faith. Prayer with the saints celebrates and builds this community that God delights in



CHRIST EMBRACING ST BERNARD BY FRANCISCO RIBALTA/WIKIPEDIA

working through and in. To ignore the saints is to deprive ourselves of gifts that God freely chooses to give.

We hope to be in communion with the saints forever. At this time, we strengthen our fellowship with them through prayer.

—Fr. Matthew Allman, CSsR  
[Sundaybulletin@Liguori.org](mailto:Sundaybulletin@Liguori.org)

## A Word from Pope Francis

  
I encourage you always to have prophetic courage in rejecting everything that demeans human beings, and all forms of exploitation that degrades them. Continue to show those signs of hospitality and solidarity, great and small, which can light up the lives of children and old people, migrants and refugees, in search of peace.

—Address to Caritas Internationalis, November 17, 2016

# THE STUMP OF JESSE



**Fr. Ton Nguyen**  
Associate Pastor

## AM I CATHOLIC?

So, shake up Fr. Ton Nguyen, your Associate Pastor, with your amusing answers to these questions! See me after Mass or drop off your answers - to my attention - and please include your name!

1. Who are Jesus's grandparents?

- A. A very ancient couple
- B. He doesn't have one since He is God
- C. St. Ann and Joachim

2. Who is Mary?

- A. Our Lady of Peace
- B. Our Lady of Guadalupe
- C. Jesus's Mom
- D. All of the above

3. What is the correct information about Joseph?

- A. He is a fisherman
- B. He was at the crucifixion physically
- C. He is the patron Saint of a happy death
- D. All of the above

4. What is the ark of the Lord?

- A. A holy place where Jesus resides
- B. Mary's womb
- C. Tabernacle
- D. All of the above

5. Who was the first hero who conquered the sting of death/sin?

- A. Luke Skywalker
- B. Spider Man
- C. Jesus
- D. Captain America

6. How many children does Mother Mary have?

- A. Only one - JESUS
- B. Millions of Trillions
- C. Both A & B

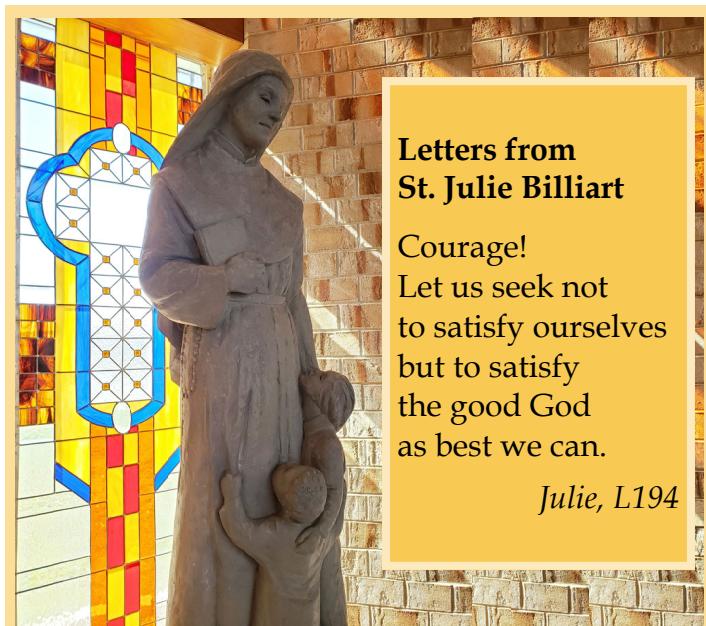
7. What days can I invite the priests over for dinner?

- A. Only weekdays
- B. Only weekends
- C. Every day :)

## I LOVE BEING A PRIEST

I am able to celebrate Mass daily. What makes the Mass so special? It's the Eucharist! The gift of God's love to humanity. As St. Mother Teresa says, "Jesus has made Himself the Bread of Life to us life," and in the Tabernacle "night and day, He is there. If you really want to grow in love, come back to the Eucharist."

JMJ,  
Fr. Ton



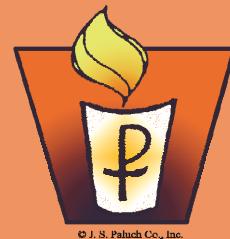
**Letters from  
St. Julie Billiart**

Courage!  
Let us seek not  
to satisfy ourselves  
but to satisfy  
the good God  
as best we can.

*Julie, L194*

## Who is the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults for?

**RCIA**



- Unbaptized
- Those who desire to become Catholic
- Already Catholic but needs First Eucharist and/or Confirmation

Contact: Margie Guadagno,  
708/429-6767 x234 or [margie@stjulie.org](mailto:margie@stjulie.org)

# LITURGY & MUSIC



**Margie Guadagno**  
Liturgy  
Coordinator

## BEING CONNECTED

In the early 80s there was a terrible hurricane that hit Florida, Hurricane Hugo. My husband worked for Indiana Bell Telephone at that time and when Miami needed technical people to come down and help restore service to the area, he was recruited...and guaranteed a 60 hour work week! So, off he went for three months.

My children were small then. The two oldest were 12 and 7 and the twins were only 2. So I was grateful for the overtime that would be coming our way; and, I was VERY grateful for the 'vacation.' I could spend my days on **my** timetable—or as much of my own timetable that my kids would allow. But, do you want to know the best part? Not cooking dinner every night! Now, I was pretty creative in the kitchen. After all, I had all those little \$2.95 cookbooks you picked up in the grocery store checkout line. However, the thought of not having to cook on a schedule—or at all if I didn't want to—was certainly my idea of heaven at that time in my life. My kids really liked it too. Sometimes we cooked hot dogs on the grill; sometimes we had baloney sandwiches, and sometimes we had breakfast for dinner...waffles, pancakes, or scrambled eggs. The time we ate varied, too. We'd eat as soon as they came home from school at 3:30pm or as late as 7:00 or 8:00 o'clock, if we wanted to. Another plus was that we didn't stay tied to the dinner table. We'd eat at the picnic table in the

back yard, sitting on the front porch, or at snack tables in front of the T.V. We really enjoyed ourselves.

But then a funny thing happened. We started to feel as if we were missing something. Actually, not *something*....we were missing *each other*. We didn't feel connected any more. Dinnertime, when dad was home, was our "Hi, how did your day go?" time. It was that precious hour when we were all together and celebrated each other's accomplishments, helped figure out each other's problems, or just plain enjoyed each other's company. And we did all this while sharing a meal, 'real' food, as my kids would say. Because the truth was, at family dinnertime what we shared was much more than a meal. It was a sharing of our very **selves**. That one hour grounded us as 'family,' people who loved one another and depended on one another. Our interaction provided the sustenance that got us through the hours we were apart at school or at work. It was as vital to us as the actual food that we ate.

So, our last month without dad was spent returning our dinners back to 'normal' because we had discovered that sometimes what seems like a good thing can become more burdensome than what you thought was a burden in the first place!

~Margie Guadagno

## TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Reading I: Jeremiah 38: 4-6, 8-10

*Jeremiah was saved by God.*

- Jeremiah is thrown into a well because his message was hard to hear, with no food or water and only mud.
- But the king intervened and Jeremiah was rescued.

### Reading II: Hebrews 12: 1-4

*Keep your eye fixed on Jesus!*

- The theme of running the good race is very strong in this reading.
- We are encouraged to keep our eye on the goal, the prize: Jesus.

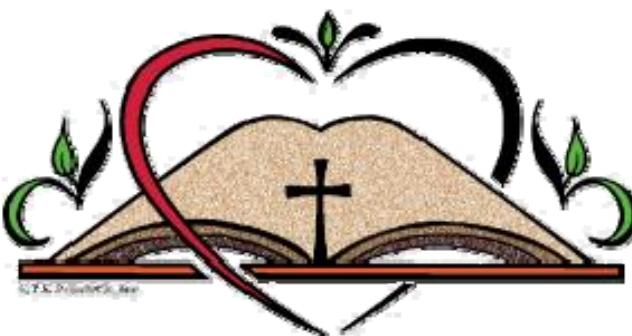
### Gospel: Luke 12: 49-53

*I have come to light a fire on earth!*

- This is a hard reading from Luke – in which we are told that Jesus has come to light a fire on earth!
- The fire is a symbol of the radical teachings about the Reign of God, and is a strong but difficult message for people to believe and follow.

# LITURGICAL MINISTERS

August 24 / 25 (subject to change without notice)	Saturday 4:30 pm	Sunday 8:00 am	Sunday 9:30 am	Sunday 11:00 am	Sunday 6:00 pm
<b>PRESIDER</b>	Fr. Ton Nguyen	Fr. Lou Tylka	Fr. Lou Tylka	Fr. Ton Nguyen	Fr. Ton Nguyen
<b>DEACON</b>		Ed Pluchar	Ed Pluchar		
<b>CANTOR</b>	B. Theis	K. Kempke	D. Gotkowski	B. Rheinheimer	V. Fultz
<b>LECTORS</b>	1st 2nd J. Kreun C. Nied	K./J. Rost M. Cothern	P. Isherwood K. Shaw	M. Gastala R. Kaemerer	J. Noga C. Evans
<b>SERVERS</b>	J. Benz <i>Not Filled</i> <i>Not Filled</i>	J. Burns N. Rociola <i>Not Filled</i>	C. Shaw W. Shields T. Shields	L. Enoya K. Enoya C. Gagni	F. Estrada A. Noga <i>Not Filled</i>
<b>EUCARISTIC MINISTERS</b>	B. Broz A. Fields M. Grzeslo E. Helmold P. Helmold M. Hernaez M. Holan M. Lisiecki J. Lisiecki J. McErlean S. McMillan J. McMillan J. Neven C. Nied M. Ryan B. Weglarz K. Weishaar <i>Not Filled</i>	J. Dantis G. Gestaut M. Johnson K. Koszut N. Krusza A. Kurylowicz J. Matz L. Palmer B. Ritchie N. Rosian K. Rost K./J. Rost R. Siepka P. Tunney R. Wywick P. Wywick	P. Bedell J. Corral-Meza M. Estandarte M. Halicki K. Keller R. Kuta G. Leone M. McCarthy T. Melgar M. Mueller C. Murray K. Pedersen D. Shanahan R. Shaw E. Sherry J. Tuzik J. Van Zeyl S. Wasinski	J. Burda D. Dobrzynski N. Dudek D. Dudek L. Freudent J. Harmening L. Ignacio K. Intrieri P. Laspesa T. Lavan M. Marchbanks M. Mitchell P. Moskal J. Nels M. Plys M. Prepura, Sr. E. Sniegowski J. Zander	P. Duffy K. Duffy L. Estrada C. Evans J. Lucas G. Noga J. Noga T. O'Donnell M. O'Donnell N. Padgett J. Rickey T. Sherry <i>Not Filled</i> <i>Not Filled</i> <i>Not Filled</i>
<b>CHILDREN'S LITURGY</b>	Leader Assistant			J. Kilanowski J. Nels	



**Alive in Our Hearts**  
**Praying with Sunday's Scriptures**  
**Tuesdays**  
**2:00-3:00pm**  
**The Great Room**  
**Facilitator: Margie Guadagno**



I used to believe that prayer changes things, but now I know that prayer changes us, and we change things.

— Mother Teresa —

AZ QUOTES

## PRAYING

### How is your prayer life?

God invites us into a relationship with Him that is both personal and communal. He speaks to us through His Son, Jesus Christ, the Word-made-flesh. Prayer is our response to God who is already speaking or, better yet, revealing Himself to us. Therefore, prayer is not merely an exchange of words, but it engages the whole person in a relationship with God the Father, through the Son, and in the Holy Spirit.

*From the US Council of Catholic Bishops*

# FAITH FORMATION



**Pat Kmak**  
Director of  
Religious Education

## HELP WANTED

We have so many wonderfully committed and faith-filled parishioners here at St. Julie! We wonder if any of you (18 and over) could help us out by sharing some of your deep faith with the young people of our parish community.

There are times when our regularly scheduled, dedicated Catechists are sick or need to attend a family event or celebration and they need someone to take their class for one session. We would like to cultivate a list of substitutes that can REALLY be present on those rare occasions when a Catechist needs someone. If you can help us by being a Regular Catechist or a Substitute Catechist, please call Pat in the Religious Education Office at **708/429-6767 x227**.

## 2019-2020 REGISTRATION

We are now in the process of organizing classes and recruiting catechists, so it is important for new and returning families to register as soon as possible. Classes begin after Labor Day.

We accept cash or check. Credit card payments or direct debit from your checking or savings account are only available on-line, through *Faith Direct*.

Our Religious Education program is for children in Preschool thru the 8<sup>th</sup> grade, who attend the public district schools. This program is developmental, which means that the children are expected to attend ALL levels in order to be fully initiated and formed into the life of the Church.

## FAMILY FAITH SHARING

- Some thoughts for sharing at Family Dinner:
- + For what moment today am I most grateful?
  - + For what moment today am I least grateful?

**August 2019**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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- August 18 - Tootsie Roll Sale**  
**August 19 - Coordinator's Meeting**  
**August 26 - Catechist Meeting**

*Classes begin after Labor Day*

## PRESCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN INFORMATION

Help your Preschool and/or Kindergarten children get to know Jesus and themselves better. Help them see themselves as special in God's eyes!

Enroll now in St. Julie's Faith Formation for Preschool and Kindergarten students. Classes will meet every other Sunday morning from 9:15-10:30am beginning after Labor Day. This is where they can gather with children of their age to open their minds and hearts to Jesus by simple prayer, crafts, music, and hands-on activities.

## GOT STUFF? CAN WE HAVE IT?

### Rummage Sale

The awesome Rummage Sale, coming in the Fall, is sponsored by our Eighth Grade Confirmation Candidates. This is simply an advance notice so that you can begin setting aside those great items that you no longer use but may still be of use to others.

Please check this bulletin for more details as we approach the beginning of Faith Formation sessions in September.

# CARDINAL JOSEPH BERNARDIN SCHOOL



## Registration Information for a twice-recognized National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence



### Am I eligible to attend Cardinal Bernardin School? Where is it located?

CJB is a "regional" Catholic school (sponsored by four parishes: St. Francis of Assisi, St. Julie Billiart, St. Stephen Deacon & Martyr, and St. Elizabeth Seton). CJB also welcomes children from other parishes and households whose parents are seeking a Christ-centered educational environment. Please share this news with your neighbors and friends! CJB is located at 9250 W. 167<sup>th</sup> Street in Orland Hills, adjacent to St. Elizabeth Seton Parish.

### Do you offer Pre-K and Kindergarten?

Yes! We offer half-day and full-day 3-year-old and 4-year-old Pre-K! Kindergarten is full-day. The half-day 3PK program is Monday-Thursday. You would select either 7:40am-10:40am(AM) or 11:40am-2:40pm (PM). Half-day 4PK is Monday-Friday (select AM or PM). Full-day Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten are Monday-Friday. Full-day hours are 7:40am-2:40pm.

### Where and when may I get registration materials?

#### How do I register?

Registration opened in January and continues until all spaces are filled. To register, complete the 2019-2020 online application at [www.cjbschool.org](http://www.cjbschool.org) and then mail or drop off *original* birth and baptismal certificates (*originals will be returned*) and a one-time family enrollment fee of \$250. For Grades 1-8, include a copy of the 2018-19 first semester report card and

standardized test scores.

### What is the tuition and how do I pay?

Tuition for 2018-19 is as follows; anticipate a slight increase for 2019-2020. Full-day (Kindergarten-8) in-parish tuition is \$5,195. Full-day tuition for 3PK and 4PK is \$5,510. Half-day 3PK tuition is \$2,970. Half-day 4PK tuition is \$3,525. (Non-parishioner tuition is \$6,075 for Grades K-8). Tuition payment plans are available.

### What about Financial Assistance?

When you complete the online registration, you will have an opportunity to complete an application for financial aid. Financial aid is available for in-parish families (K-8). Applications must be submitted by mid-March.

### Is there a "Before and After School" Program?

Yes! The "Extended Day" Program opens at 6:30am and closes when the school day begins. Extended Day re-opens at dismissal and closes at 6:00pm. The hourly-rate (\$8/hr for one child; \$10/hr for two or more children) is invoiced monthly. All registered students may attend the Extended Day Program.

### When may I register?

Registration is happening NOW. We will continue to accept registrations until all spaces are filled.

Additional questions may be directed to the Enrollment Director, Cynthia Devlin, at 708/403-6525 x127 ... or via email at [cdevlin@cjbschool.org](mailto:cdevlin@cjbschool.org)

## CARDINAL JOSEPH BERNARDIN SCHOOL JOB OPENING

### Part-time Help, Extended Day

The Cardinal Joseph Bernardin Catholic School is looking to hire part-time help for the *Extended Day Program*. Applicant would supervise students AFTER dismissal at 2:30pm until 6:00pm. Hours and days are negotiable. Email the Director of Extended Day, Mrs. Donna Vimarco at [dvimarco@cjbschool.org](mailto:dvimarco@cjbschool.org)

School begins August 21. Applicant should be able to start on August 21. If interested, please email Mrs. Vimarco or call 708/403-6525 x123.

# YOUTH : St. Julie Billiart & St. George



## N.C.Y.C. 2019

National Catholic Youth Conference will once again take place this year from November 21 – 24, 2019 in Indianapolis, Indiana. This is a national conference where High School teens from across the country gather to attend workshops, concerts, services and much more to learn about their faith. Space is limited. Please contact Holly at [holly@stjulie.org](mailto:holly@stjulie.org) or [hhesselschwardt@stgeorge60477.org](mailto:hhesselschwardt@stgeorge60477.org) if you are interested in going!

### FRIDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES

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Youth & Families Invited!

**September 6, 2019**

7:00pm

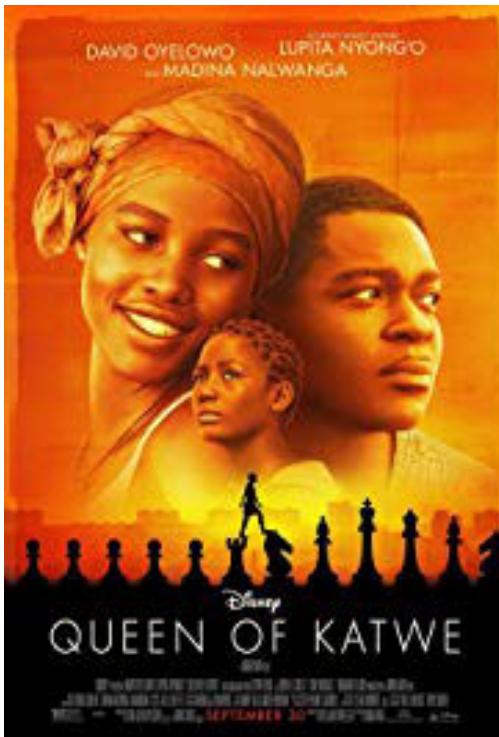
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### UPCOMING YOUTH ACTIVITIES:

#### Café Soul:

Tuesdays at

St. George Teen Room  
from 6:30-8:30pm  
August 20, 27

#### Youth Night and Leader Night

*These events will not meet as originally scheduled.  
Please watch this space for new dates.*

If you have any questions  
about the  
upcoming events or trips  
please contact Holly at  
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x223 (SJB)  
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To register, contact your parish office, or register online at [bit.ly/goldenweddingchicago](http://bit.ly/goldenweddingchicago).

**We hope to see you there!**



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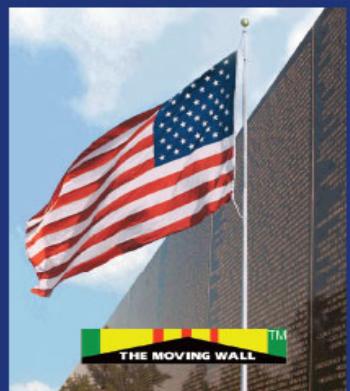
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# PARISH CALENDAR

AUGUST 18 - 25, 2019			
DATE	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
<b>Sunday August 18</b>	8:00 am 8:30 am 1:00 pm	YAH Membership Drive Donut Sunday Bingo SPRED Tootsie Roll Sale	Narthex Parish Hall Devine Center Narthex
<b>Monday August 19</b>	10:00 am 7:00 pm 7:00 pm 8:00 pm	Rosary Religious Education Coordinators Meeting St. Peregrine Novena AA	American House Devine Center Sacred Heart Chapel Devine Center
<b>Tuesday August 20</b>	10:00 am 1:00 pm 2:00 pm 6:30 pm 6:45 pm	Rosary South Suburban PADS Lunches Alive in Our Hearts Café Soul SVDP Meeting	Heartis Village Parish Hall Great Room St. George Teen Room Staff Conference Room
<b>Wednesday August 21</b>			
<b>Thursday August 22</b>	8:30 am 4:00 pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Holy Hour of Reparation	Sacred Heart Chapel Sacred Heart Chapel
<b>Friday August 23</b>	7:00 pm	Wedding Rehearsal: Evans & Thebes	Church
<b>Saturday August 24</b>	2:00 pm 3:30 pm 7:30 pm	Wedding: Evans & Thebes Individual Reconciliation AA	Church Sacred Heart Chapel Devine Center
<b>Sunday August 25</b>	11:00 am 12:00 pm 2:00 pm 7:00 pm	Children's Liturgy of the Word Anointing of the Sick Private Baptism Youth Night	Church Sacred Heart Chapel Church Youth Center

(The parish calendar is subject to change without notice; see website for up-to-date events)



**Save the Date for this  
St. Julie Billiart Parish  
Fall Event  
*Saturday, October 5***

# PARISH LIFE & COMMUNICATIONS



**Mike Rubino**  
Pastoral Associate

## EMERGENCY OPERATIONS PLAN

The plan has been submitted to the Archdiocese for final review. In anticipation of minimal updates, I have posted copies of the plan in the Priest Sacristy, the Parish Hall kitchen, the Devine Center kitchen, the parish office (front desk, and all members of the response team), the Devine Center Religious Education Office, and the Great Room. This document will be updated every September during National Preparedness Month; or whenever a drill takes place, or when a plan is executed (an event occurs) or if there is a change in Emergency Response Team members.

Part of the plan includes educating staff as well as the congregation. To that end, I will soon be speaking briefly at the beginning of Mass to several points outlined in the document. For instance, the reason behind having all doors and windows numbered,

where to evacuate to in the case of severe weather or what relocation / reunification areas have been designated. While you will not remember the details of the plan, the intent is to inform you that we have a plan.

For more information, contact Mike, 708/429-6767 x212.

AUGUST 2019



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## ARE YOU WILLING TO SERVE?

We are in need of people who are willing to help their parish in a number of different ways. It has been requested that we have Ice Cream Sunday after the 6:00pm Mass once a month similar to our monthly Donut Sunday. Might you be interested in helping form teams to enhance our hospitality ministry?

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 18**

**DONUT SUNDAY  
in the Parish Hall  
after the morning Masses.**

**BINGO**

**Devine Center doors open  
1:00pm. Early Bird games  
begin at 1:30pm.**

**Lucky 13 Jackpot is at \$3,146  
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could be the BIG winner!**

Many hands make light work and we are looking to expand our BINGO team. We would like to create two or more teams so that no one is committed every month. We need callers, ticket sellers and kitchen help. Might this be of interest to you?

We are looking to have additional funeral servers. We currently have a few men and women who offer an hour to help with a funeral liturgy. Anyone can be a funeral server. We will train you and only contact you when needed. You are not obligated and if you are unavailable, we will call at another time. Your presence is a gift to a grieving family. Might your presence to a grieving family be worth your time?

There are Port lunches, there are PADS lunches, there is the baking ministry, the shawl ministry, so many ways you can offer your time and your talents to the parishioners of St. Julie Billiart.

There are occasional volunteer forms in the Narthex. Please review the list of needed volunteers. For more information, please contact Mike at 708/429-6767 x212 or mike@stjulie.org.

# HUMAN CONCERNS

## CARE FOR CREATION

### A GREEN START TO THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR

#### Notebooks

With so many options, it's easy to make a green change by purchasing recycled paper. Look for notebooks and loose-leaf paper made from 100 percent post-consumer recycled content. As more of us make this shift, we can drastically reduce the number of trees cut down and processed into paper.

#### Pens and Pencils

Pens are one of those items that we seldom consider for environmental impact. Americans throw out a ridiculous 1.6 billion disposable pens every single year. These pens sit in landfills, contributing to the massive amount of plastic waste that can take up to 1,000 years to decompose in landfills. A simple alternative is to source a sustainable option, such as a biodegradable pen with a corn-based casing. They are not cheap but in comparison to what we will leave behind for future generations, it's a relatively small cost. For your pencil-using student, check out recycled newspaper pencils made of 100 percent recycled newspaper.

#### Lunch Box

The typical American student contributes a whopping 67 pounds of lunchbox packaging waste to the landfill each and every school year. To cut down on this waste, invest in stainless steel lunch boxes, reusable snack and juice pouches, and reusable utensils for a waste-free lunch hour.

#### Wardrobe

In many families, it is a back-to-school ritual, going shopping to replenish the basics. For an eco-friendly (not to mention inexpensive) approach, find a great local secondhand or consignment store. Clothes will be as much as half the price of what they cost new. Plus, that first-day outfit will come with a much smaller carbon footprint. When you're done with clothes, simple donate or recycle them.

#### Backpack

It's great if you can find a secondhand backpack! But if you do decide to buy new, try to avoid backpacks with plastic fronts or straps, as well as cheaper backpacks. Both will wear faster and break sooner.

*These ideas and more from Earth911.com*

## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

### Creation Care Team

Are you interested in the future of our beautiful earth? Would you like to help St. Julie Parish stay current with steps we can take to protect all that God has given to us? We are looking for volunteers who would be able to attend a monthly meeting with representatives from neighboring parishes in a spirit of collaboration. If you are passionate about creation or would just like to learn more, give us a call or email [sheila@stjulie.org](mailto:sheila@stjulie.org) for more information!

Next Creation Care meeting will be August 19 at 7:00pm in the Gubbins Center at St. Elizabeth Seton.

### Make summer lunches for PADS

Open to all ages and abilities  
at 1:00pm in the Parish Hall

August 20; September 3 and 17

**New & Improved** We are looking for interested parishioners who would like to form / reform the Belonging Ministry that seeks ways to include all members of our parish in ministry wherever possible. Interested? Email us at [sheila@stjulie.org](mailto:sheila@stjulie.org)

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

### Do you know someone who can use some assistance?

The St. Julie SVdP Chapter is a dedicated group of people who seek to help those in need. If you or someone you know is in need of temporary assistance, we may be able to help. Our group is trained to assess all situations in order to best serve the community.

When you call, please don't hang up. You will be guided through the phone system. **Please leave your name and a number** where you can be reached, and a team member will respond within 24 hours. Our phone number will appear as "blocked." Please assist us by answering the call so we can begin the process of sharing information with you. Call 708/429-6767 x244 or email [stvinntdepaulstjulie@gmail.com](mailto:stvinntdepaulstjulie@gmail.com).

*Please consider bringing thoughtful donations to the SVdP store at 7010 W. 159th Street Orland Park, IL*

## BLOOD DRIVE

**Sunday, September 8  
8:30am - 12:30pm  
in the Parish Hall**

Helping the community in more ways than one, our parish is now partnering with Versiti Blood Center (formerly Heartland) to provide the gift of life to patients in need. Blood is a resource that only we can give each other. The blood you donate will go to people like you in your community – mothers, fathers, children, grandparents, friends, and coworkers. Your gift will save lives. If you are able to donate blood, please consider putting this date in your calendar. *You are needed.*



## JOB OPPORTUNITY

### Village of Orland Hills

The Village of Orland Hills is looking to hire qualified Pre-K teachers for their Fall program.

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## FLU SHOT CLINIC

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**Saturday, September 28  
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It's that time of year again. Time to prepare ourselves and those around us by receiving the flu shot. More information will be coming. In the meantime, if you have any questions about whether you can / should receive the flu vaccination, please consult your physician.

## 4 MYTHS ABOUT THE FLU SHOT



You don't need the vaccine.

**Why suffer through the flu if you can avoid it?** Protecting yourself isn't the only reason to get vaccinated; children under 6 months can't get the flu vaccine. Their safety depends on the rest of us getting immunized.

The flu vaccine can give you the flu.

**Injected flu vaccines only contain the dead virus,** and a dead virus is, well, dead: it can't infect you. However, nasal vaccines contain a live flu virus, but are engineered to remove the parts of the virus that make people sick.

If you get the flu, you can't get it again during that flu season.

Many assume if they've had the flu recently, they can't get it again—not the case. Both Type A and Type B influenza circulate, so it is possible you could be infected with both types. Don't be unhappy twice.



Antibiotics can fight the flu.

**Antibiotics only fight bacterial infections,** but the flu is a virus so antibiotics have no effect on any strain of the influenza virus.



### SOURCES USED:

R. Morgan Griffin, "Top 13 Flu Myths"  
[webmd.com/cold-and-flu-myths](http://webmd.com/cold-and-flu-myths)

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# PARISH INFORMATION

## New Parishioners

We welcome new members. All are invited to participate in the life and mission of the Saint Julie Billiart Faith Family. Services and Organizations are available on the Parish website and in the Parish office. You may register online or in person.

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Individual Reconciliation is offered privately on Saturday from 3:30pm - 4:00pm in the Sacred Heart Chapel. Or call the office during regular business hours to request an appointment.

## Sacrament of Baptism

Celebrated twice a month. Reserve your date by contacting the Parish Office x213 or email Marianne@stjulie.org.

## Baptismal Preparation

Couples preparing for the birth of a child should contact the Parish Office to register for baptism class which focuses on the parent's responsibilities in faith formation.

## Anointing of the Sick

Anytime a person is seriously ill, preparing for surgery, preparing for chemotherapy, close to death or advanced in years, please contact the Parish Office (708/429-6767) to request the sacrament. The sacrament can be administered here at the church, or in the home, hospital, or health institution.

## In the Hospital

Due to HIPAA privacy regulations, hospitals can no longer contact the parish regarding your hospitalization. It is the responsibility of the patient or a designated family member to notify us. It is our desire to be there for spiritual and emotional support during your hospital stay.

## Moving?

Please call the Parish Office at 708/429-6767 so we may update our records.

Visit our parish website: [www.stjulie.org](http://www.stjulie.org)

Find us on social media:



## ST. JULIE BILLIART CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### Daily Masses

Monday-Friday at 8:00am in the Sacred Heart Chapel

### Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:30pm  
Sunday 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am & 6:00pm

### Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 to 4:00pm or in the parish office by appointment

### Parish Office

Phone: 708/429-6767  
Fax: 708/429-6788

### Parish Office Hours

Sunday 8:30am - 11:30am  
Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 8:30am - 4:30pm  
Wednesday 8:30am - 7:00pm  
Friday Closed  
Saturday Closed  
(Closed Mon-Thurs for lunch 12-1pm)

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