

# The Chimes

## of Saint Athanasius Parish

### Eucharistic Worship

Monday - Friday 6:30 and 8:15 am  
Saturday 8:15 am, 5:00 pm  
Sunday 8:00, 9:30 and 11:30 am  
LifeTeen 5:00 pm

### Our Mission

*"Do this in memory of Me."  
We, the members of the  
Catholic Community of  
St. Athanasius Parish,  
are each called by baptism  
to continue the work of  
Jesus Christ embracing all.  
We aspire to worship, love,  
thank and serve God.  
We are open to what  
God calls us to become.*

## 2006-7 Catechists



Standing (l to r): Andrea Sorensen, Terry Meenan, Julianne Flowers, Beth Rodriguez, Mary Joan Masello; Seated (l to r): Mary Beth Barrett-Newman, Kim Rak, Steve Rak; Not Pictured: Kelley Crowe, Jackie English, Jennifer Forby, Carolyn Groves, Jackie Homampour, Bridget Hotchkiss, Amy Polinski, Catherine Steege

# Eucharistic Liturgies

October 1 - 8, 2006

## Sunday

- 5:00 pm (Saturday) † Joe & Marian McGowan
- 8:00 am Elizabeth McCarthy Family
- 9:30 am † Daniel Baas
- 11:30 am † Rose Schuba
- 5:00 pm † Beverly Lorey

## Monday

- 6:30 am † P.J. Varua
- 8:15 am † Paula Poyser

## Tuesday

- 6:30 am † Edward Brennan
- 8:15 am Active & Deceased Members of the St. Athanasius Women's Club

## Wednesday

- 6:30 am † Florence Ross
- 8:15 am † Julian Stevens

## Thursday

- 6:30 am † Edwin & Elizabeth Sztorc
- 8:15 am † Robert Kelton

## Friday

- 6:30 am † Bernadette Haupt
- 8:15 am † Ed Drumm

## Saturday

- 8:15 am † Charlotte Curley
- 5:00 pm † Vincent Stanislowski

## Sunday

- 8:00 am † Dorothy Murray
- 9:30 am † Rose Schuba
- 11:30 am † Jack O'Connor
- 5:00 pm † Ruth Bonier

St. Athanasius Women's Club  
cordially invites you to join them for

## **An Ethnic Tour of Chicago**

Thursday, October 19

8:45 am - 2:00 pm

Bus will leave from the church on Lincoln Street  
(Bus is handicapped accessible with washroom facilities)

Come and bring your friends to a relaxing and informative tour of Chicago's ethnic neighborhoods beginning with a guided tour of St. Michael's German Catholic Church in Old Town. Our tour will pass through Greektown on our way to Jane Addams Residence and Hull House Museum. We will stop in Chinatown where we will have lunch.

The cost of \$25 **includes lunch in Chinatown.**

*Jackie Brennan, Marilyn Jaskelsis,  
Joan Lemasters, and Mary Sotir*  
Program Committee

**Space is limited, so  
please make your reservation by October 13.**

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Tour Reservations \$25 per person  
St. Athanasius Women's Club

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Send reservation form and check, payable to St. Athanasius Women's Club, to Jackie Brennan, 9419 Central Park Avenue, Evanston, 60203. Questions? Call Jackie at 847-676-4067.

## Prayer Group Beginning at St. A's

At the request of some parishioners, we will be starting a prayer group here at the church. The group is open to anyone who would like to share prayer with others, to augment their own spiritual life, and/or to learn more about ways to pray. The group will have its first meeting on October 17 at 7:30 pm in the Fitzgerald Chapel. If you have any questions, please contact Carolyn Groves at [carolyn.groves@gmail.com](mailto:carolyn.groves@gmail.com) or 773-262-6257.

## SPECIAL COLLECTIONS



This Week: None  
Please consider putting a  
donation into the poor box for  
St. Vincent dePaul

Next Week: St. Agnes,  
Our Sharing Parish

## Theology on Draft

Friday Evening, October 6 at 7pm

We will be showing the film *An Inconvenient Truth* by Al Gore in the Hartke Room, 7-9:30 pm, followed by small group discussions. Beer, wine and pretzels will be served. Babysitting will also be provided.

The following special events on the subject of environmental justice and global warming will be occurring at the Sheil Center Chapel:

On Sunday, October 1, at 1 pm, Fr. Darrell Rupiper will speak about Ecology and Spirituality. Fr. Rupiper has spent nearly a half century fighting poverty, opposing nuclear weapons proliferation and working to improve the environment.

On Tuesday, October 3, at 7 pm, Dr. Raymond Pierrehumbert will speak about Global Warming. Dr. Pierrehumbert, a scientist and professor of geosciences at the University of Chicago, cares deeply about the earth. He is a lead author of the UN Global warming Report and National Academy of Sciences Report on Abrupt Climate Change.

## Our Environment “An Inconvenient Truth”



The Parish Outreach Coordinating Group and Peace and Justice Ministry offer these quotations as a preliminary aid to viewing the Al Gore global-warming documentary, “An Inconvenient Truth,” on October 6 in the Hartke Room.

The quotes are a good way to put on the right pair of glasses for seeing the challenge. The Pima Indians had a saying: “God made the universe. Come see it.”

Perhaps, we don’t “see” the universe. Or see it clearly enough. Otherwise, we might love it more and better recognize our responsibility in preserving it - God’s universe, God’s creation. We would better recognize our responsibility to hold ourselves and our leaders accountable for the earth for future generations.

On a planet conflicted over environmental issues, the Catholic tradition insists that we show our respect for the Creator by our stewardship of creation. Care for the earth is not just an Earth Day slogan; it is a requirement of our faith. We are called to protect people and the planet, living our faith in relationship with all of God’s creation. This environmental challenge has fundamental moral and ethical dimensions that cannot be ignored.

*US Catholic Bishops: Renewing the Earth: An Invitation to Reflection and Action on Environment in Light of Catholic Social Teaching*

We can no longer pretend that human activity has little or no impact [on the worldwide] changing climatic conditions. The Earth’s climate system has demonstrably changed on both global and regional scales since the pre-industrial era. . . Even if greenhouse gas emissions were to be stabilized at present levels - an unlikely eventuality as things stand - the global-warming trend and sea-level rise would continue for hundreds of years, due to the atmospheric lifetime of some greenhouse gases and the long-time scales on which the deep ocean adjusts to climate change.

*Archbishop Celestino Mighore, Vatican Representative to the United Nations May 11, 2006*

The whole human race suffers as a result of environmental blight, and generations yet unborn will bear the cost for our failure to act today. But... it is the poor and the powerless who most directly bear the burden of current environmental carelessness. Their lands and neighborhoods are more likely to be polluted or to host toxic waste dumps, their water to be undrinkable, their children be harmed.

*U. S. Catholic Bishops: Sharing Catholic Teaching: Challenges and Directions, Reflections of the US Catholic Bishops, pp.23-24, 1998*

Spirituality goes beyond moral action and transmutes it. Ecological spirituality begins in the acknowledgment, grateful and joyful, that all creatures owe their existence to God. Humans are not somehow separate from the rest of creation. We share it intimately with other creatures. We acknowledge God as Creator of us all.

*An Ecological Spirituality, by Rev. Joseph A. Tetlow, S.J.*

The industrialized countries, with only one-fifth of the world’s population, consume two-thirds of the world’s resources and generate 75 percent of all the pollution and waste products. The disparities between human beings who live in squalor and those who have everything money can buy are glaring in a world brought closer together through amazing advances in communication. This great disparity denies social justice, leads to ecological tragedy and, most of all, creates a misperception of what the good life really is, which ultimately makes excessive consumption a religious question.

*Mgsr. Charles Murphy, U. S. Bishops Environmental Program*

## Food Drive This Weekend, September 30/October 1

Non-perishable items will be collected in the bin in the church for the Hemenway United Methodist Food Pantry. The Peace and Justice Ministry thanks you for your continuing support!

## Dedicated Giving - Only 3 Chairs Left!

We have received contributions for 12 of our 15 choir chairs and wish to thank our generous donors for their assistance with this purchase. These chairs, which are upholstered with a wood frame, replace the metal folding chairs our choir previously used. Our cost for each chair, including shipping, is \$150. If you are able to contribute the cost of one chair, we will acknowledge your donation with a brass plaque on the back of the chair. To make a dedicated Choir Chair donation, please mark your check or your envelope with the words "Choir Chair" and place it in the collection basket; or you may bring it to the Parish Office. Thank you for your continued generosity.

## Baby Bottle Project

We are asking parishioners to support the pro-life work of The Women's Centers of Greater Chicagoland. Baby bottles will be available at all the exits of the church for you to take home and fill with your spare change. Please return the bottles to Mass the weekend of October 28/29.

## Caring for Our Aging Parents A Conversation

There are many of us in the parish who are being called upon to care for, make decisions about, or facilitate the transitions our parents are needing to make in these later stages of their lives. There are often difficult choices to be made or to aid our parents in making about their living situations, their health care, the quality of their lives. Talking with others who are going through a similar experience is helpful. You don't feel you are alone; you can get helpful ideas about resources from others; and you can hear success stories from those who have succeeded in helping their parents through the transitions. On **Wednesday, Oct. 18, at 7:30 pm, we will gather in the Teacher's Lounge** to share our stories. Anyone is invited to come who is, has been, or is soon to be in this situation of parenting our parents.

## Training for Ministers of Care

St. Joan of Arc Parish, 9248 Lawndale in Skokie, will host Training for Ministers of Care sessions on Saturdays, October 28 and November 11, 9:30 am-4:00 pm. The \$45 fee covers both sessions. Refreshments and lunch will be provided. For more information, contact Michael Kaltenberg at 847-976-0409.

## *Please Remember In Your Prayers. .*

The newly baptized, especially, **Mina Garza Canavati**, daughter of Mina Canavati and Lorenzo Vincanco;

The newly engaged, especially **John Pierre** and **Eileen Landon (III)**, **Donald Rios** and **Karen Burke (III)**, **Michael Graves** and **Christine Skoglund (III)**;

The sick and their caregivers, especially **Sally Elam**, **Lisa Hildebrand**, **Vickie Burke**, **Charles Derrickson**, **Jane McDonough**, **Rebecca Myslinski**, **Julius Amling**, father of Marion Amling, **Arnie Jacobson**, **Peggy White**, daughter of Betty Ferguson, **Bill O'Conner**, father of Nadine DiVito, **Cardinal Francis George**, **Jennifer Klandrud**, **Frank O'Shaughnessy** and **Fr. John Michael Murphy**;

Those in the military, especially **Matthew Chrobak**, nephew of Erik Harkna and Tonise Paul, **Maura Sullivan**, daughter of Ken and Mary Sullivan, and **Catie Staub**, daughter of David and Mary Therese Staub;

Those who have died, especially **Paula Poyser**.

PLEASE NOTE: Names of the Sick recommended to our prayers will remain in the bulletin for **one month**. If you wish their names to remain beyond that time, please call the parish office.

## Angel Ball 2006 in Full Swing

The Angel Ball is the single largest fundraiser supporting the financial health of our parish and an opportunity for the entire St. Athanasius community to come together for a common purpose; sustaining the work and mission of our vibrant and active parish. It's also a lot of fun! Please save the date and plan to attend this gala event on Friday, December 1, 2006.



## Business Ads Are “Win-Win”

Angel Ball Program Book ads are a great way to generate community support for a business and a terrific way to benefit St. Athanasius at the same time! The 2006 Angel Ball Program Book will be a high quality, beautifully bound keepsake that will grab the attention of approximately 500 potential customers.

Consider the possibilities. Interior Decorator. Someone you know has a business or talent. Financial Advisor. Maybe it's you or the company you work for. Realtor. Reach out to family, friends and/or businesses who may be interested in this advertising opportunity. Physician. Program Book ads strengthen community support for a business. Contractor. Take a minute (right now!) and commit to get one business ad for the Angel Ball Program Book.

A copy of the Business Ad Form is included in The Chimes today. Additional forms are available in the church entry or on the parish website at [www.stathanasius-evanston.org/Reports&Forms](http://www.stathanasius-evanston.org/Reports&Forms). If you have ideas for potential business advertisers please contact Ellen Cushing at 847-869-8930 or [ellencushing@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ellencushing@sbcglobal.net). Our ad sales team is ready to follow up on any and all leads.

## This Week in Travel and Entertainment

The Angel Ball has the ticket for your next family vacation! Take the whole family (and some friends too!) away from the big city for a week to explore the pristine shores and historic towns of **Martha's Vineyard**. Make it a week of fun in the sun in **Door County, WI** or hit the trails, horseback ride and relax for a week at a beautiful **Barn in Southwest WI**. Or maybe getting a sitter and **cruising Lake Michigan at sunset** in a 41 foot sailboat with up to six of your friends sounds sufficiently remote to you?

This year's auction also promises to provide you with an impressive culinary tour of Evanston. It's your choice - gussy up and go to **Oceanique** or relax with a pint at **The Firehouse Grill** and just about anything in between.

We are also currently assembling some great “experiences” for bidding at the auction. Some ideas are a **Mardi Gras Party**, a **Kentucky Derby Party**, a **Scavenger Hunt**, a **Wine Tasting** in your home, etc. These types of items often require donations (food, wine, home or venue, etc.) from multiple sources. If you have ideas about a great experience (cultural, dining, party, etc.), want to offer your own expertise, or know someone who might, please contact Jennifer Pietsch at [japietsch@hotmail.com](mailto:japietsch@hotmail.com) or 847-251-9445.

## Interfaith Union

We are delighted to welcome the *Interfaith Union* to St. Athanasius. The school was begun in 1993 at Old St. Patrick's Church in downtown Chicago for families with Catholic and Jewish parents. It is a religious education program for children raised in both traditions. The school downtown currently serves 75 families with an enrollment of over 150 children. Requests have come to have schools in the north and northwest suburbs so that families living in these areas do not have to travel to the city. We were asked to be the site of the north branch which will begin in October of this year on Sunday mornings along with the St. A's Family Program. For more information on the school, please contact Carolyn Groves in the Religious Education Office at [carolyn.groves@gmail.com](mailto:carolyn.groves@gmail.com) or 847-328-1430, extension 130. . Help us spread the word!



## Program Book Advertising Opportunities

Check the appropriate box below to place your business advertisement or personal message in the Angel Ball 2006 Program Book:

- GOLD PAGE  
Ad Dimensions - 6" wide x 9" high  
\$500
- SILVER PAGE  
Ad Dimensions - 6" wide x 9" high  
\$400
- INSIDE FRONT COVER/ INSIDE BACK COVER  
Ad Dimensions - 6" wide x 9" high  
\$350
- FULL PAGE  
Ad Dimensions - 6" wide x 9" high  
\$200
- HALF PAGE  
Ad Dimensions - 6" wide x 4 1/2" high  
\$100
- QUARTER PAGE  
Ad Dimensions - 6" wide x 2 1/4" high  
\$50

MAIL THIS FORM WITH THE FOLLOWING:

\*Check made payable to St. Athanasius Church.

\*E-mail ad in PDF or JPEG format as you want it to appear in the Program Book.

TO: Ellen Cushing  
2305 Hartrey  
Evanston, IL 60201  
ellencushing@sbcglobal.net

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE INCLUDE YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: ALL ADS AND PAYMENTS ARE DUE BY OCTOBER 27, 2006.**

## Parish Calendar

### **Sunday, October 1**

MOMS, 8-10:30 am, Fitzgerald Chapel  
Elizabeth Ministry, 10:30-11:30 am, Chapel  
Family Program, 10:45 am-Noon, School  
Athletics, 1-6 pm, Gym  
Men's Basketball, 7-9 pm, Gym

### **Monday, October 2**

Athletics, 3:30-6 pm, Gym  
Leadership Night, 7-8:30 pm, Gym  
Pastoral Council, 8:30-10 pm, Hartke

### **Tuesday, October 3**

Women's Club, 9-11 am, Fitzgerald Chapel  
Athletics, 3:30-9 pm, Gym  
Cub Scouts, 7 pm, Gym/Lunchroom

### **Wednesday, October 4**

Athletics, 3:30-9 pm, Gym  
RCIA, 7-9 pm, Fitzgerald Chapel  
Chess, 7-8 pm, Lunchroom  
Angel Ball Chair Meeting, 7:30 pm, Hartke  
Men's Basketball, 9-11 pm, Gym

### **Thursday, October 5**

Scripture Study, 9-11 am, Fitzgerald Chapel  
Athletics, 3:30-9 pm, Gym

### **Friday, October 6**

Athletics, 3:30-9 pm, Gym  
Theology on Draft, 7pm, Hartke

### **Saturday, October 7**

Athletics, 8 am-2:30 pm, Gym

### **Sunday, October 8**

Men's Basketball, 7-9 pm, Gym

## Staff Extension List

847-328-1430

100 Parish Office	120 Christi Thompson
100 Janice Moore-Rivas	123 Mary Lietz
101 School Office	124 Lori Goszczynski
103 Fr. Sztorc	124 Diane Maloney
105 Marion Amling	129 Bridget Hotchkiss
111 Fr. Libera	130 Carolyn Groves
114 José Moreno	142 Barbara Bonier
115 Susan Castagna	143 Karen Sellers

## Weekday Servers October 2-7

**8:15 am** Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday  
Colin Sellers, Evan Swenson  
Thursday/Friday/Saturday  
Allison & Elizabeth Sweeney

## Liturgical Ministers

Next Weekend October 7/8

### 5:00 pm Saturday

**Presider** Fr. Sztorc  
**Lector** Barb Zapszalka  
**Servers** Robert Staub, Bradeley Suennen,  
Nora Thompson  
**Eucharistic Ministers**  
Henrietta Berning, Tom Meany,  
Bill Quinlan, Lori & Stan Goszczynski

### 8:00 am

**Presider** Fr. Sztorc  
**Lector** Jean Peters  
**Servers** Lauren Teske, Patrick Walsh, Chris Caan  
**Eucharistic Ministers**  
Bill Kauffman, Walter Farrell,  
Robert Coats, Jose Vorda, Jerry Garner

### 9:30 am

**Presider** Fr. Sztorc  
**Lector** Robert Coats  
**Servers** Evan Swenson, Gabriel Knight,  
Nolan Winkler  
**Eucharistic Ministers**  
Jill Blabolil, Tim Burke,  
Michael Sultan, Donna Consolo,  
David Staub

### 11:30 am

**Presider** Fr. Libera  
**Lector** Jim DeNardo  
**Servers** J.T. Vilus, Matt Zampa, Colin Sellers  
**Eucharistic Ministers**  
Joan Harvey, John Syvertsen,  
Eunie & Jim Nondorf, Mary Sotir

### 5:00 pm Sunday

**Presider** Fr. Libera  
**Servers** Anna Zeller, Abby Blabolil

## Readings for the Week of October 1, 2006

Sunday: Nm 11:25-29/ Jas 5:1-6/ Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48  
Monday: Jb 1:6-22/ Mt 18:1-5, 10  
Tuesday: Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23/ Lk 9:51-56  
Wednesday: Jb 9:1-12, 14-16/ Lk 9:57-62  
Thursday: Jb 19:21-27/ Lk 10:1-12  
Friday: Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5/ Lk 10:13-16  
Saturday: Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17/ Lk 10:17-24  
Next Sunday: Gn 2:18-24/ Heb 2:9-11/ Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12

## Working with the Scriptures

Oct. 1, 2006 (James 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48)

How much is enough? How much power? How much prestige? How much car? The automobile industry is in trouble. The good news is that the price of gasoline is going down. Unfortunately, that news comes too late for thousands of automobile workers whose jobs are being eliminated. It seems that the industry has overproduced SUV's and other low mileage performers. As the price of gasoline skyrocketed customers began looking for more economical vehicles and the sale of SUV's plummeted. Now at least one major auto maker is closing the facility where it manufactures those SUV's and thousands of its employees will soon be out of work.

The company is currently negotiating to sell their high-end luxury car lines. At the same time research and development are working on new hybrid models that can deliver greater gasoline efficiency. But that's little consolation for those folks whose jobs are going away, no matter how good the mileage may be.

Glen and Becky and their 1-yr. old daughter just bought a new house. Glen came home last week and told Becky that he's lost his job and they may have to sell their house and move in with his folks. Becky started to cry.

"Behold, the wages you withheld from the workers...are crying aloud." Profits from the sale of SUV's have dried up. The rich are weeping and wailing over their "impending miseries". It seems that much of the oil and auto industry wealth is indeed rotting away, wealth that rests squarely on the backs of people like Becky and Glen. But it isn't just the rich who are weeping and wailing – it's the people who have made them rich. Becky's tears are testimony to the "impending miseries" of those who are caught in the middle.

The price of oil may have started to come down, but Glen and Becky are more concerned about keeping their house. Will Glen's industry hear their concern? Will the rich wail for them? Or will the rich wail only for lost luxury and pleasure while the workers continue to ask, "How much is enough?"

*Vinal Van Benthem*

## Mass & Healing Service

St. Peter's Catholic Church, 8116 Niles Center Road in Skokie, will host this service, sponsored by The Light of the Risen Christ Prayer Group, on Thursday, October 5, beginning at 7:15 pm. For more information, call Kevin Patterson at 847-724-1218 or Jack Stoelinga at 847-486-0663.

## Witness of the Body:

### The Past, Present and Future of Christian Martyrdom

The first of this 2006-7 Lecture Series will be held on October 24, 7:00 - 9:00 pm, at DePaul University Student Center, Room 120, 2250 N. Sheffield Avenue, Chicago. This topics will be *Christian Martyrdom and Its Critics* by Lawrence Cunningham, University of Norte Dame, and *Witness, Women's Bodies, and the Body of Christ* by Joyce Salisbury, U.W. Green Bay. Other dates in this series will be January 18 and April 19. For further information, visit the website at <http://condor.depaul.edu/~cathstd/events.htm>.

## Soup Kitchen

October offers three soup kitchen outreach opportunities. The **Monday** soup kitchen will be **October 9** at Second Baptist Church, 1717 Benson, 11:00 am to 1:00 pm (meal served at noon). Contact Blanche Childs (864-2506) or Katie Maday (475-1538). The next **Sunday** soup kitchen will be **October 15** at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 1004 Greenwood Street, 1:30-4:30 pm (meal served at 2:45). Contact Michael Masini (847-869-4321). The next **Thursday** soup kitchen will be **October 19**, at First United Methodist Church, 1630 Hinman Avenue, 4:30-7:30 pm (meal served at 6:00). Contact Karen Ryan (332-1850), Kris Koenig-Morel (475-2104) or Christine Carlson (869-4160).

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## Pastors

Rev. Thomas Libera, *Pastor* (tlibera‡)

Rev. Richard Sztorc, *Associate Pastor* (rsztorc‡)

## Parish Office

847-328-1430 (fax) 847-328-1809

Admin. Assistant's Hours: Monday 8:30 am-1:30 pm

Tuesday - Friday 11:30 am-4:30 pm

Reception Hours: Monday/Tuesday 4:30-8:30 pm

Wednesday - Friday 4:30-6:30 pm

Saturday 10 am-4 pm; Sunday 10 am-1 pm

## Parish Office Staff

Karen Sonnicksen Sellers, *Parish Administrator* (ksellers‡)

Barbara Bonier, *Office Manager* (bbonier‡)

Marion Amling, *Business Manager* (mamling‡)

Janice Moore-Rivas, *Administrative Assistant* (jmoore‡)

## Pastoral Staff

### Buildings and Grounds

Jose Moreno, *Facilities Manager* (jmoreno‡)

## Catholic Chaplain

Evanston Hospital 570-2330

Sr. Ann Weiler, O.S.F.

## Deacon

Richard S. Jay

## Music Ministry

Steve Carson, *Director* (scarson‡)

## Pastoral Associates

Lori Goszczynski, *Bereavement, Ministers of Care* (Lgoszczynski‡)

Diane Maloney, *LEAVEN* (dmaloney‡)

## Religious Education

Carolyn Groves, *Director* (cgroves‡)

Bridget Hotchkiss, *Coordinator* (bhotchkiss‡)

## Youth Ministry

Christina Thompson, *Director* (cthompson‡)

## Parish School

2510 Ashland Avenue

Evanston, IL 60201-2319

School Office 847-864-2650 (fax) 847-475-7385

## Parish School Staff

Susan Castagna, *Principal* (scastagna@saintas.net)

Suzanne Hanley, *Admin. Assistant* (shanley@saintas.net)

## Chimes Articles

The deadline for submitting information to the parish office is Friday at Noon, **10 days prior to publication date.**

Best method is to email the document as an attachment to [chimes@stathanasius-evanston.org](mailto:chimes@stathanasius-evanston.org).

‡ - [@stathanasius-evanston.org](https://www.instagram.com/stathanasius-evanston.org)

## Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

is a several-month process for an adult wishing to become a Catholic through the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist) or through a Profession of Faith. These rites are celebrated at the Easter Vigil. Please contact Fr. Rich Sztorc.

## Infant Baptism

is generally celebrated on the first and third Sundays of the month at 1:00 pm in the Church. The Baptism Preparation Program for parents and godparents, if possible, is held each month. Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

## Confirmation

preparation begins in the middle of 7th grade and is celebrated during the winter of 8th grade. For adult/high school confirmation, call the Religious Education Office.

## The Eucharist

is brought to the homebound by Care Ministers. Arrangements are made by calling Lori Goszczynski. First Eucharist preparation for children begins in 1st grade and is celebrated in the spring of 2nd grade.

## Matrimony

arrangements are made by contacting one of the priests at the Parish Office. Arrangements a year in advance allow for adequate reservation time, participation in marriage preparation programs and liturgical planning.

## Anointing of the Sick

is celebrated in the Fall during a communal celebration. Special requests for this sacrament can be arranged by calling the Parish Office.

## Reconciliation

is celebrated on Saturdays, after the 8:15 am Eucharist until 9:30 am, in the sacristy near the front doors of the Church during the Holy Hour. Communal Reconciliation Services are held during Advent and Lent.



Outdoor Mass September 17