

The Chimes

of Saint Athanasius Parish

Eucharistic Worship

Weekends

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 8:00, 9:30 and 11:30 am
LifeTeen 5:00 pm

Weekdays

Monday through Friday 6:30 and 8:15 am
Saturday 8:15 am

The 2005 Parish
Service Award goes to
Megan Boyle-Schmitz
as a tribute to all who
served on the three
Forward with Faith
committees



Eucharistic Liturgies

December 11 – December 18, 2005

Sunday

5:00 pm (Saturday) Frank Baskin
 8:00 am † Mary G. Hardgrove
 9:30 am † Dominick Botti
 11:30 am † Rose Schuba
 5:00 pm St. Athanasius Alumni

Monday

6:30 am † Carl Lemasters
 8:15 am † Jimmy Stineman
 9:10 am Advent Wreath Church
 7:30 pm Communal Penance Service

Tuesday

6:30 am Parishioners of St. Athanasius
 8:15 am † Dorothy Maloney

Wednesday

6:30 am † Walter Doepf
 8:15 am † Jack Van Der Bosch

Thursday

6:30 am † William Parod, Sr.
 8:15 am † H. William Berning

Friday

6:30 am † Catherine Lorenz
 8:15 am † Mary A. Walsh

Saturday

8:15 am † Mary G. Hardgrove
 5:00 pm † Michael Bansley, Jr.

Sunday

8:00 am Beverly Lorey
 9:30 am † Gerald O'Connell
 11:30 am † Noel Shaw Family
 5:00 pm † Rose Schuba

Ideas for Advent Reflections

December 11: The core meaning of "stewardship"

Stewardship means that everything in life belongs to God—no one ultimately owns anything—God created everything: our character, our health, our wealth, our time. It is only through God's grace that we are able to do any good works. We are but stewards of God's gifts.

Practical suggestion: Think of 5 "gifts" that God has given you to be a steward of and think how you care for those gifts and use them.

Annual Christmas Wish Basket Program

St. Athanasius will be providing food baskets and Christmas presents to individuals and families from the Howard Area Community Center. All parishioners are invited to the school gym after the 8:00 am, 9:30 am, and 11:30 am Masses on Sunday, December 4th, and after the 9:30 am and 11:30 am Masses on Sunday, December 11th to select one or more items from an individual or family Christmas wish list.

Food baskets and presents will be delivered to the Howard Area Community Center by volunteers on Sunday, December 18th at noon. Please call Carmelina Stoklosa at 847-328-3257 or Lisa Gobbi at 847-869-7369 if you are able to volunteer for the sign-ups or delivery or if you have questions about the program.

Readings for the Week of December 11, 2005

Sunday: Is 61:1-2a, 10-11/ 1 Thes 5:16-24/ Jn 1:6-8, 19-28
 Monday: Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/ Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47
 Tuesday: Zep 3:1-2, 9-13/ Mt 21:28-32
 Wednesday: Is 45:6b-8, 18, 21b-25/ Lk 7:18b-23
 Thursday: Is 54:1-10/ Lk 7:24-30
 Friday: Is 56:1-3a, 6-8/ Jn 5:33-36
 Saturday: Gn 49:2, 8-10/ Mt 1:1-17
 Next Sunday: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/ Rom 16:25-27/ Lk 1:26-38

OFFERTORY COLLECTION REPORT

Fiscal Year Goal (2005-6)	\$606,579
As of 10/30/05:	
Year To Date Goal	\$214,092
Year To Date Actual	\$172,317
Year To Date Deficit	(\$41,775)
Average Sunday Collection Needed	\$11,894
Average Sunday Collection To Date	\$9,573
Collections for November 27	
Offertory	\$8,052
Thanksgiving	\$2,047
Campaign for Human Development	\$625

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

This Week: Retirement Fund
for Religious

Next Week: St. Agnes,
Our Sharing Parish



The New Future of Reconciliation

Have you gone to confession over the internet? A number of sites offer the anonymous opportunity to unburden one's guilt or regret. This seems to be a market responding to an unmet need.

Long ago our pre-www. Catholic tradition responded to this need for confession with the Sacrament of Reconciliation. As the Catechism of the Catholic Church teaches, in this sacrament "people face and name the sin, take responsibility for their sinfulness, seek human and divine forgiveness, and then attempt to move away from the pattern of sin to a new way of life." On the institutional level and among our bishops the church is struggling with its sins and failings over the abuse of children by priests. Truth telling and healing on this level are still incomplete.

But we, each of us, are also a part of the Body of Christ. We sin and miss the mark too. We too can try to rationalize and deceive ourselves into saying that our church no longer has a place in forgiving and repairing my broken relationship with God, others, and ourselves. We can begin to doubt that the Sacrament of Reconciliation is Jesus' eager invitation to repent so that we see a new future beyond our sins.

Fr. Pat Brennan writes about Everett Worthington's work in the areas of forgiveness and contrition. He uses the acronym C.O.N.F.E.S.S. to map the process which moves us through sorrow to repentance with another human being and ultimately with God:

- C – Confess** without excuses;
- O – Offer** specific apologies;
- N – Take note** of the pain you might have caused another;
- F – Tell** the hurt party that we **forever** value the other person;
- E – Equalize**; we need to make up for the pain the other person has experienced by making restitution;
- S – Say** that I/we will really strive that this never happens again;
- S – Seek** forgiveness, ask clearly for forgiveness; in doing so, we acknowledge that we did wrong.

This Monday, December 12, at 7:30 pm we offer our Advent Communal Penance Service. I invite you to join us, C.O.N.F.E.S.S. and, in God's welcoming grace, experience a new future in your life.

Dinner Dance Kudos

Even Elvis was at this year's *Angels in Paradise* parish dinner dance. Greeting, meeting, eating, and having a good time were the order of the evening. I especially thank the donors, auction bidders and underwriters for their generosity. And my thanks for a memorable evening goes out to Co-chairs **Judy Berg** and **Ray Tobin** and the other volunteers headed by **Ellen McRaith, Scott Speidel, Laura Boylan, Beth Cassier, Heather Anderson,** and **Bridget Hotchkiss** who gave us hours of their time and talent..

In the Lord's Blessings,

Fr. Tom Libera

Parish News

Area Communal Penance Services for Advent

St. Athanasius Church—Monday, December 12, 7:30 pm
St. Mary's Church—Tuesday, December 20, 7:00 pm

Chimes Deadlines

Please note the following holiday deadlines for submission of articles for our church bulletin:

Dec. 25th publication: deadline is Wednesday, Dec. 14.

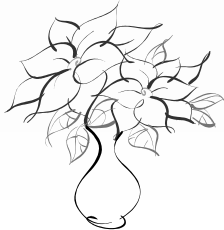
January 1st publication: deadline is Wednesday, Dec. 21.

Teen Christmas Party

There will be a Christmas Party in the teen room TODAY at 6:30 pm. Come dressed in your Holiday Best. In other words, pull out that ugly sweater with a big reindeer on it and rock it out at the party.

Volunteers Needed

The parish office is looking for volunteers to answer the phone and door. Here are the available times: Mondays 2-4:30 pm, Tuesday, Wednesday or Friday mornings 9-11:30 am. Please call Janice or Barbara at 847-328-1430 to join our fun group!



Father Tom is Cooking for the Parish this Advent

Fr. Tom, aided by the 8th grade Confirmation Class, is inviting the parish to a chili supper on December 16th at 6:30 pm in the school cafeteria. After supper we will all decorate our parish Christmas tree. Sign up in the church after mass this Sunday, call in your reservations at 847-328-1430 or email at carolyngroves@gmail.com.

Advertisers Wanted

In a few weeks, Tom Phillips, our sales representative from Liturgical Publications will be working on selling new advertising for our bulletin for the upcoming year. Please consider advertising in our bulletin since the revenue from the ads is what makes our bulletin possible.

Advertisements can be purchased for a business, or a sponsor ad can be purchased supporting community service organizations. Please give these ideas some thought.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

If you are interested, or know someone who may be interested, or want more information, please call Tom directly at 1-800-950-9952, ext. 2499 or 262-207-2499.

Please Remember In Your Prayers. . .

The newly baptized, **Spencer Elliot Barton**, son of Scott and Mary Kay Barton; **Luciana Michael Bonaguro**, son of Michael and Carrie Stelnicki, and **Charles Patrick Garrison**, son of William and Carey Garrison;

The newly engaged, especially **Spencer Parks** and **Jessica McCaffery (I)**;

The sick and their caregivers, especially **Leo Kirwan**, **John Kelly**, **Aiden Brennan**, **Leo E. Smith**, **Virginia Lindley**, **Marion Benedict**, **Michael Maloney**, **Genevieve Baniak**, **Carmelo Sabatino**, **Amy Royer**, **Joe Williams**, **Phyllis Staub**, mother of David Staub, **Ken Berg**, uncle of Dave Berg, **Rose Connor**, niece of Nancy and Bob Doyle, **Patty Girardi**, daughter of Betty Ward, **Mary Regina Ganey**, mother of Rita Weinberg, and **Anna Miszewski**, daughter of Edward and Patricia Harker;

Those in the military, especially **Jacob Meyers**, **Chris Straub**, **Maura Sullivan**, **Catie Staub**, **Capt. Chris Brennan**, **Jay Dettloff**, **Alex Manettas**, **Dylan Binder**, **Michael Prato**, **Andrew Best**, **Col. Glenn Wortmann**, **Sgt. Shannon Gillette**, **Matthew Greleck**, **Major Mark Gleisner**, **Matthew Janicki**, **Capt. Andrew Webster** and **Brian McCormick**;

Those who have died, especially **Catherine Lorenz**, **Walter Doepp** and **William Parod, Sr.**, father of Bill Parod.

Thank you to all of our *Forward with Faith* Donors

29 Families Wish to Remain Anonymous
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Helen Andrzejewski
Mary Andrzejewski
William Armstrong
John & Maria Ast
Margaret Baas
Sylvia Bace
David Bahoric
Donald & Sylvia Ballinger
Gerard & Rita Bambrick
Michael & Diane Bansley
Mark & Patty Barbato
Craig Barner
Gregory Barnes & Mary Smigielski
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James & Janice Zeller

Parish Calendar

Sunday, December 11

Family Program, 9 am- Noon, School
Athletics, 1-7 pm, Gym
Men's Basketball, 7-9 pm, Gym

Monday, December 12

Athletics, 3:30-8 pm, Gym
Peace & Justice, 7:30-10 pm,
Fitzgerald Chapel
St. Vincent DePaul, 7:30-10 pm, Rosemeyer

Tuesday, December 13

Athletics, 3:30-6:30 pm, Gym
Children's Recital, 7 pm, Church
Cub Scout Pack Meeting, 7:15 pm, Gym
School Board, 7:30 pm, Hartke

Wednesday, December 14

Soul Sisters, 9-11 am, Fitzgerald Chapel
Athletics, 3:30-9 pm, Gym
Chess, 7-8:30 pm, Hartke
RCIA, 7-9 pm, Fitzgerald Chapel
H₂O, 7-8:30 PM, Teen Room
Choir Practice, 7:30 pm, Church
Finance Committee, 7:30-9 pm, Rosemeyer
Men's Basketball, 9-11 pm, Gym

Thursday, December 15

Athletics, 3:30-6:30 pm, Gym
Brownies, 3:30-5:30 pm, Hartke
Forward With Faith, 7 pm, Rosemeyer

Friday, December 16

Athletics, 3:30-6:30 pm, Gym

Saturday, December 17

Athletics, 8 am-8 pm, Gym

Sunday, December 18

M.O.M.S., 8-10 pm, Teen Room
Family Program, 9 am- Noon, School
Athletics, 1-7 pm, Gym
Men's Basketball, 7-9 pm, Gym



Weekday Servers

December 12-17

8:15 am Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday
Therese Cushing, Matt Daw
Thursday/Friday/Saturday
Maggie and Moira Dillon

Liturgical Ministers

Next Weekend December 17/18

5:00 pm Saturday

Presider Fr. Sztorc
Lector Dan Delaney
Servers Anna Zeller, Zach and Patrick Mulica
Eucharistic Ministers
Joan Conroy, Jackie and Mike
Brennan, Jan Zeller, Richard Byrne

8:00 am

Presider Fr. Heidenreich
Lector Jerry Garner
Servers Devin and Derek Schmitz, Quinn
Ryan
Eucharistic Ministers
Deborah Haracz, Steve Jennings,
Walter Farrell, Josie Vorda, Jean Lauri

9:30 am

Presider Fr. Stoeger
Lector Barb O'Connor
Servers Meredith Newman, Abigail Mark,
Daniel O'Malley
Eucharistic Ministers
Bob Curley, Michael Sultan, Barbara
O'Connor, Dennis O'Malley, David
Ozar

11:30 am

Presider Fr. Libera
Lector Mary Rooney
Servers Colin Sellers, Brent Terry-Penak,
Meredith Weissert
Eucharistic Ministers
Bill and Sue Harmon, Mary Ann
Harvey, Nancy Murray, Joan Johnson

5:00 pm Sunday

Presider Fr. Watts
Servers Emmie Cagney, Julia Brucks

Forward with Faith Committees 2002-2005

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Where: The welcoming facilities at the First Presbyterian Church of Wilmette (600 Ninth Street)

Why:

- * To discover your wisdom, your compassion, your authentic self
- * To develop a true dialogue with God that gives your life direction and meaning
- * To bring the gifts of this experience to your relationships, at home, at work and in your faith community.
- * To earn credit toward the 2-year part-time certificate program which begins in September 2006

How: For more information or to register, call ISL toll-free: 877-844-9440, visit their website, www.spiritleader.org or e-mail them: islusa@aol.com.
The registration deadline is December 20, 2005.

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Pastors

Rev. Thomas Libera, *Pastor*
Rev. Richard Sztorc, *Associate Pastor*
Rev. James Stoeger, S.J., *Weekend Assistant*

Parish Office

847-328-1430 (fax) 847-328-1809
Secretary'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*
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Parish School

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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.

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 a staff member.

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 House to make arrangements.

Confirmation

preparation begins in the middle of the 7th grade year; the sacrament is celebrated during the winter of the 8th grade year. 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 Razia Khokhar. First Eucharist preparation for children begins in 1st grade and the sacrament is celebrated in the spring of 2nd grade.

Matrimony

arrangements are made by contacting one of the priests at the Parish House. 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 House.

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.

Thanks to all the Angels in Paradise volunteers including Co-Chairs Ray Tobin and Judy Berg

