

The Chimes

of Saint Athanasius Parish

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Eucharistic Worship

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

Parishioner Occupations

Account Executive	Commercial Broker	Freelance Writer	Medical Transcriber	Religious Education
Accountant	Commercial Real Estate	Freight Broker	Mental Health Care	Reporter
Actor	Commodities Broker	General Contractor	Meter Coordinator	Researcher
Actuary	Communications	General Manager	Music Minister	Restaurant Owner
Administration	Computer Consultant	Golf Course Superintendent	Musician	Retail
Advertising	Computer Programmer	Graphic Design	Nanny	Retired
Aerospace Engineer	Computer Software	Hair Stylist	Narcotics Investigator	Retirement Benefits
Agent	Construction	Health Care	News Director	Counselor
Apparel Industry	Consultant	Historian	Nurse Assistant	Risk Manager
Architect	Contractor	Homemaker	Occupational Therapist	Sales
Archivist	Copy Writer	Horticulture	Office Manager	School Principal
Art Tracking Administrator	Corporate Banker	Hospital Administration	Painter	Scientist
Artist	Corporate Finance	Human Resources	Paralegal	Secretary
Associate Vice Chancellor	Counselor	Industry	Paramedic	Self Employed
Assistant Attorney General	Coordinator, Rel Ed	Information Technology	Pastoral Associate	Social Work
Assistant Dean	Creative Director	Instructional Designer	Pastoral Counselor	Software Engineer
Attorney	Currency Trader	Insurance	Pediatrician	Software Sales
Aviation	Customer Service	Interior Design	Personal Trainer	Speech Pathologist
Banker	Dentist	Investment Banker	Pharmacist	Stagehand
Biochemist	Developer	Judge	Pharmaceuticals	Stockbroker
Broadcaster	Director	Landscape Foreman	Photographer	Student
Broker	Director, Rel Ed	Law Enforcement	Physician	Systems Analyst
Business	Economist	Lecturer	Physician Assistant	Tax Manager
Business Analyst	Editor	Legal Assistant	Pilot	Teacher
Business Manager	Education	Librarian	Podiatrist	Teacher's Aide
Business Owner	Energy Services	Library Assistant	Policy Analyst	Technician
Buyer	Engineer	Linguist	Portfolio Manager	Therapist
Cameraman	Environmental Educator	Loan Officer	President	Ticket Broker
Campus Ministry	Executive	Logistic Specialist	Priest	Tour Guide
Cardiac Sonographer	Executive Director	Maintenance	Professor	Trader
Catering	Exercise Specialist	Makeup Artist	Psychologist	Travel Agent
CEO	Facility Director	Management	Public Administration	Truck Driver
CFO	FBI Agent	Manufacturing	Public Affairs	Unemployed
Chef	Finance	Marketing	Public Relations	Union Official
Chemical Engineer	Financial Analyst	Massage Therapist	Purchasing	University Administrator
Chemist	Financial Planner	Mechanic	Quality Manager	Vice President
Child Care	Firefighter	Media	Radio Host	Voice Over
CIO	Flight Attendant	Medical Billing	Real Estate	Writer
Claims Examiner	Food Industry	Medical Records	Real Estate Attorney	Yoga Instructor
Clerical	Freelance Producer	Medical Research	Real Estate Developer	Youth Minister
CME		Medical Sales	Receptionist	
			Registered Nurse	

Eucharistic Liturgies

September 4 - 11, 2011

Sunday

- 5:00 pm (Saturday) † Bea Biondi
- 8:00 am † Salvador Franco, Jr.
- 9:30 am † Jack Quinn
- 11:30 am † Bernard Dentzer
- 5:00 pm † Katherine Taft

Monday *Labor Day*

- 9:00 am † Barry McRaith

Tuesday

- 6:30 am † Robert Knepper
- 8:00 am Active and Deceased Members of the St. Athanasius Women's Club

Wednesday

- 6:30 am † Mildred Smitka
- 8:00 am † Arlice Johnson

Thursday

- 6:30 am † Agnes Velasco
- 8:00 am Special Intention for Mary Ryter

Friday

- 6:30 am Parishioners of St. Athanasius
- 8:00 am † Barney Richards

Saturday

- 8:00 am Special Intention for Karen Sellers
- 5:00 pm † Rachel Harrigan

Sunday

- 8:00 am † Arlice Johnson
- 9:30 am † Victims of 9/11
- 11:30 am † Jack Syvertsen
- 5:00 pm † Mardy Lepo

Next weekend all the Masses
will be devoted to
remembering the victims of the
September 11, 2001 disaster.

Evanston Catholic Woman's Club Celebrates 100 Years 1911-2011

Please consider joining the Catholic Woman's Club as they begin their year long celebration. The first meeting of this centennial year will be on Wednesday, September 14 at noon at Zhivago Restaurant, 9925 Gross Point Road in Skokie. The guest speaker will be Suzanne Hales, a dramatic book reviewer. She brings alive a good book by portraying, in costume, one of the main characters. She will be reviewing "The Last Time I Saw You" by Elizabeth Berg. Reservations are required. Call Mary at 773-761-1346 by September 12. The cost for non-members is \$12.50. Everyone is welcome.

PeaceAble Cities: Evanston 9/11 Walk and Talk

Transforming Our Community Through Dialogue
Beginning at 2:00pm on Sunday, September 11, everyone is welcome to gather at Dar-us-Sunnah Masjid and Community Center, 2045 Brown Avenue, and walk to the Jewish Reconstructionist Congregation, 303 Dodge Avenue, all the while talking with someone you do not know and "switching partners" every 10 minutes. For more information, call 847-475-5740 or visit the website at www.PeaceAbleCitiesEvanston.org.

Aid Our Neighbors Through St. Vincent de Paul

Our St. Vincent de Paul Society conference needs our continued assistance. They make informed gifts to people in need in the St. A's community by providing such basic assistance as rent, food, or utility bills, as well as counseling their recipients. We all receive many requests for money, but this one touches the neediest in our own neighborhood. As you exit the church today, please consider putting a donation into one of the metal poor boxes by the doors. You may also sign up for a monthly automatic donation at www.parishpay.com.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION REPORT

Offertory August 20/21 \$5,459
ParishPay for August..... \$16,138

~ Thank You ~
Every Contribution Matters
Every Parishioner Counts

OUTREACH COLLECTIONS

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

Next Week: St. Agnes,
Our Sharing Parish



LABOR
in the Pulpits
on the **Bimah**
in the Minbar

YOU ARE NOT AT FAULT

When times are hard and jobs are scarce,
You are not at fault.

When your employer has moved production and services to other countries where workers receive poverty wages,
You are not at fault.

When construction and manufacturing jobs have disappeared from our communities,
You are not at fault.

When your hours have been slashed and your pay reduced,
You are not at fault.

When your kids are sick and you've lost your health insurance,
You are not at fault.

When your company downsizes, closes workplaces, and eliminates workers,
You are not at fault.

When good jobs have been replaced by jobs that cannot support a family,
You are not at fault.

When technological changes have made you expendable,
You are not at fault.

When you have gotten advanced education and training but still have not found a job in your field,
You are not at fault.

When you fear that you might be the next to go,
You are not at fault.

With our arms wrapped around each other, we will survive and thrive,
Together we have the power.

We will find work and use our muscles, brains and hearts to be of service to others,
Together we have the power.

We will learn new skills, create new jobs, and defend the rights of workers,
Together we have the power.

We will create a ministry for unemployed workers in our congregation,
Together we have the power.

We will lead the way to a more just economy, a world where every person is valued,
Together we have the power.

We shall overcome.
Together we have the power.



40 Mentors in 40 Days

Youth Organizations Umbrella serves up to 600 Evanston youth annually through out-of-school-time programming at five community based sites. Mentor Y.O.U.th is a site-based, one-on-one mentoring program that is designed to connect at-risk youth with positive community role models. Mentors are asked to donate one hour per week to participate in arts and culture, sports and recreation, academic enrichment, and life skills building activities with their mentees. For more information, please visit 40mentors40days.org or contact Santrice R. Martin, Volunteer Coordinator at 847-866-1201, ext. 330, or santrice.russellmartin@youevanston.org.

Food Drive This Weekend, September 3/4

Non-perishable items such as peanut butter, beans, canned meats and fish, pasta, tea and coffee are appreciated. Donations 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!

Sunday Morning Yoga Continues

You are invited to begin your Sunday with an hour of yoga from 8:15 to 9:15 am on the lawn just east of the parish house garage. Lisa Weber, St. A's Mom and Executive Director of *Heaven Meets Earth Yoga*, along with other certified yoga instructors and members of our St. A's community, will teach yoga poses, meditation, breathing and relaxation. We will move to the gym on bad weather days. Bring a yoga mat or towel and a bottle of water. For more information, contact Lisa at 312-933-3936 or lisayoga@comcast.net. Namaste!

SAVE THE DATE!

OktoberFest

Saturday, October 1

The St. A's Parish Pastoral Council is proud to be bringing back Oktoberfest this fall! If you are interested in helping with the planning for this wonderful community event, please call Shamus Hanlon at 312-450-4373. We would love to have participation from all Parish groups!

Family Program

The St. Athanasius Family Program offers Religious Education classes for all children, preschool through 8th grade, who do not attend Catholic School. All registered parishioners receive an annual invitation to join the program. Do you know a family who attends St. A's church, but is not registered; or a family looking for a parish home? Please encourage them to contact our Religious Education Office at 847-328-1430, ext. 129.

Classes start on Sunday, September 18. There will be a blessing of the catechists at the 9:30 am Mass, followed by a gathering in the gym at 10:30 am. Classes will resume from 11:00 am until noon.

Please join us on Sunday, September 11 for our Welcome Potluck Supper at 6:00 pm in the gym. Attend the 5:00 pm Mass, then join old friends and make new ones.

Soup Kitchen

Our next monthly soup kitchen outreach opportunity will be **Monday, September 12**, at Second Baptist Church, 1717 Benson, 11:00 am to 1:00 pm (meal served at noon). Contact Katie Maday (475-1538) or Helen Madden (866-8875) to help out.

Wedding Banns

Christopher Mazella & Jessica Suennan II



Please Remember In Your Prayers

The sick and their caregivers, especially **Jamie Merrell**, daughter of Joan and Larry Conroy, **Dorothy Hughes**, mother of Pat Hughes, **Celilia Baltazar**, **Mary McFadzean**, **Dennis Pfab**, son-in-law of Peter and Anne Gamber, **Pat Schmidt**, **Lauren Runzel**, **Pat Harker**, **Danilo Marcelino**, **Doug Winger**, **Jack Biel**, brother-in-law of Mary Lietz, and **Tim Vernon**, nephew of Ed and Mary Ann Brown;

Those in the military, especially **Caleb Hopkins**, nephew of Jo Ann Minear, **Alexander Ellis**, son of Georgie Ellis, **Ken Razionale**, USMC, **Catie Staub**, daughter of David and Mary Therese Staub, **Petty Officer 3rd Class Ryan Olsen** and **PFC Kyle Olsen**, grandsons of Jane and Emmit Ingram, **Lt.j.g. Anthony Grusich**, USN, son of Lois and Bill Grusich, and **Matthew Chrobak**, nephew of Eric Harkna and Tonise Paul;

Those who have died.

F A I T H † F I R S T

GOSPEL FOR SEPTEMBER 11, 2011

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MATTHEW 18: 21-35

PETER APPROACHED JESUS and asked him, "Lord, if my brother sins against me, how often must I forgive? As many as seven times?" Jesus answered, "I say to you, not seven times, but seventy-seven times. That is why the kingdom of heaven may be likened to a king who decided to settle accounts with his servants. When he began the accounting, a debtor was brought before him who owed him a huge amount. Since he had no way of paying it back, his master ordered him to be sold, along with his wife, his children, and all his property, in payment of the debt. At that, the servant fell down, did him homage, and said, 'Be patient with me, and I will pay you back in full.' Moved with compassion the master of that servant let him go and forgave him the loan. When that servant had left, he found one of his fellow servants who owed him a much smaller amount. He seized him and started to choke him, demanding, 'Pay back what you owe.' Falling to his knees, his fellow servant begged him, 'Be patient with me, and I will pay you back.' But he refused. Instead, he had the fellow servant put in prison until he paid back the debt. Now when his fellow servants saw what had happened, they were deeply disturbed, and went to their master and reported the whole affair. His master summoned him and said to him, 'You wicked servant! I forgave you your entire debt because you begged me to. Should you not have had pity on your fellow servant, as I had pity on you?' Then in anger his master handed him over to the torturers until he should pay back the whole debt. So will my heavenly Father do to you, unless each of you forgives your brother from your heart."



After reading the Gospel aloud, in unison, those gathered reflect on the following questions:

- In this passage, what word, phrase or image struck you?
- How does that speak to you personally?
- How does that speak to our community at St. Athanasius? And to the wider Church?

*Conclude by praying the **Our Father** together.*



RCIA

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults



With open arms and heart we welcome you into our Community of Faith!

Do you know someone who is interested in becoming Catholic, or would like to know more about our faith? The RCIA is a process through which non-Christians, those baptized in other Christian confessions, and those baptized Catholic, but who have not celebrated the sacraments of Eucharist or Confirmation, are brought into the church and complete their initiation.

The faith journey of each individual soul is unique and so the RCIA offers the opportunity to make the journey in a way that best suits each person. A team of parishioners and staff members, under the direction of Father Hernan Cuevas, will welcome all who wish to learn more about the process to a gathering on September 12, at 7:00pm, in the Fitzgerald Chapel. For further information, contact Father Hernan at 847-328-1430, extension 103.

The St. Athanasius Women's Club
2011-2012 Membership and Dinner

FALL DINNER



Wednesday, September 14

Mass at 6:00 pm in the Church
Social Hour and Dinner follow in the Gym

The St. Athanasius Women's Club Board invites all women of the parish to gather at the Fall Dinner to renew old friendships and make new ones. Your general membership has only one obligation: to foster camaraderie among our parish women.

Your membership dues provides the funds that enable us to contribute to the parish and to local charities. We hope you will join us for the bake sale (December 10/11), the Morning of Reflection with Mary Ruth Broz, RSM (February 25), and the Spring Luncheon at Westmoreland Country Club (April 14). Mark your calendars!

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Membership Fee \$25 enclosed _____

Dinner Reservation \$15 enclosed _____

Guests Welcome \$15 enclosed _____

RSVP by Tuesday, September 6 Total _____

For your convenience, you may include both on one check, payable to the St. Athanasius Women's Club. Please return your check and updated information (for the membership directory) to

Bridget Hotchkiss
2503 Eastwood Avenue
Evanston, IL 60201.

43rd Annual J. Barry McRaith St. Athanasius Golf Classic

Friday, September 9

Peter Jans Golf Course

Registration/Lunch at Noon Shotgun Start at 1:30pm

Dinner follows under the big tent.

Awards and Prizes will be given at Dinner.

We will match singles, twosomes and threesomes,
and notify everyone of their starting tee location.



Can't golf? Join us at the "19th Hole" for Cocktails and Dinner under the stars!



Lunch, Golf, Gift Bag, and Dinner	\$125.00 per person
19th Hole Dinner only	\$50.00 per person
Hole Sponsorships	\$200.00 each

Online Registration: <http://www.saintas.net/golf>

Registration by mail: Tom Leinenweber
2915 Colfax Street
Evanston, IL 60201

Make checks payable to St. Athanasius

Questions? Please call Tom Leinenweber at 312-403-1312,
Jim Daffada at 847-436-4836,
or Mike Cashion at 847-736-6869.

First Responders Mass

Everyone is invited to Notre Dame College Prep's Annual Mass Honoring First Responders on Friday, September 9 at 9:30am at Our Lady's Grotto at 7655 W. Dempster Street in Niles. All police officers, fire fighters, paramedics, nurses, etc. and their families are welcome and are encouraged to wear their uniforms, if possible. For details, contact 847-779-8610 or visit www.nddons.org/firstrespondersmass.

Parish Calendar

Sunday, September 4

Monday, September 5

Tuesday, September 6

Women's Club Board, 9 am, Fitzgerald Chapel

Wednesday, September 7

Thursday, September 8

Volunteer Fair, 6:30-7:15 pm, School
Parent Information Night Units C/D, 7:15 pm, School
Peace and Justice, 7 pm, Fitzgerald Chapel

Friday, September 9

Golf Outing, Noon, Peter Jans Golf Course

Saturday, September 10

Sunday, September 11

Family Program Potluck Dinner, 6 pm, Gym

Songs from a Catholic Childhood

The St. Scholastica Academy Alumnae Board invites you to reminisce at this nostalgic and enjoyable event on **Sunday, September 11 at 2:00pm.** Featuring folk musicians Michael Smith and Jamie O'Reilly, you'll laugh and cry and want to sing along with the songs you heard at church, school, and home when you were growing up. To purchase tickets for \$35, call 773-764-5715, ext. 360, or go to www.scholasticacommunity.us. The event will take place at The Mayne Stage, 1328 W. Morse in Rogers Park. Valet parking is available. Proceeds benefit Benedictine education for young women at St. Scholastica Academy. We are grateful for your support!

Staff Extension List 847-328-1430

105 Marion Amling	111 Fr. Tom Libera
107 Judy Berg	123 Mary Lietz
142 Barbara Bonier	100 Janice Moore
125 Steve Carson	114 José Moreno
115 Susan Castagna	100 Parish Office
103 Fr. Hernan Cuevas	120 Jim Potthast
157 Lori Goszczyński	101 School Office
129 Bridget Hotchkiss	143 Karen Sellers
116 Jean Lauri	124 Cynthia Splatt

Weekday Servers September 5 - 10

8:00 am Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday
Noah Regnier, Tyler Roback
Thursday/Friday/Saturday
Connor Speidel, Caitlin Sweeney

Liturgical Ministers

Next Weekend September 10/11

5:00 pm Saturday

Presider Fr. Libera

Lector Jane Carney

Servers Noah Regnier, Mary Leinenweber,
Grace McHolland

Eucharistic Ministers

Bill Quinlan, Jan Zeller, Mary Anne King,
Lori and Stan Goszczyński

8:00 am

Presider Fr. Libera

Lector Steve Rak

Servers Oscar Michel, Charlie and Julia Prah

Eucharistic Ministers

Judy Berg, Bill Kauffman, Bruno Jaselskis,
Steve Jennings, Adele Martel

9:30 am

Presider Fr. Cuevas

Lector Barbara O'Connor

Servers Annabel and Ellie Richards,
Madeleine Quackenbush

Eucharistic Ministers

John Osterlund, Tim Burke, Claire Labbe,
David Staub, Donna Consolo

11:30 am

Presider Fr. Libera

Lector Tim McPike

Servers Tyler Roback, Ian Swenson, Clark Winkler

Eucharistic Ministers

Carol Ekman, Rosemary Welch,
Karen Sellers, Anne Turner, Mary Sotir

5:00 pm Sunday

Presider Fr. Cuevas

Readings for the Week of September 4, 2011

Sunday:	Ez 33:7-9/Rom 13:8-10/Mt 18:15-20
Monday:	Col 1:24-2:3/Lk 6:6-11
Tuesday:	Col 2:6-15/Lk 6:12-19
Wednesday:	Col 3:1-11/Lk 6:20-26
Thursday:	Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30/Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23
Friday:	1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14/Lk 6:39-42
Saturday:	1 Tm 1:15-17/Lk 6:43-49
Next Sunday:	Sir 27:30-28:9/Rom 14:7-9/Mt 18:21-35

Working with the Scriptures

September 4, 2011 (*Mt. 18:15-20*)

The whole office knew the story of what had happened between Sue and Nancy. Everyone was talking about it. Everyone, that is, except Sue and Nancy. Sue's feelings had been hurt by something Nancy had said. Perhaps if Sue had said something right away the whole thing could have been resolved on the spot, but she didn't. She figured that she shouldn't have to tell Nancy how she felt because Nancy should *know* that she had hurt Sue's feelings and she should apologize. The fact that Nancy had absolutely no idea what she had done to upset Sue had nothing to do with it.

Have you ever been in a situation like this? Knowing that someone is angry with you, but not knowing why? It's hard to apologize for something when you don't know what it is. Maybe that's why Jesus advised his disciples that, when someone does something to you, you are to go directly to them (and *only* to them) and discuss it. Assuming that the two of you can come to some amicable understanding, the issue can be resolved with a minimum of hurt feelings and no one else ever has to get involved.

Of course, Jesus understood that this might not always work. Other people *do* get involved. And, since details can change with each re-telling of the story, He went on to suggest that the injured party might want to "...take one or two others along...so that 'every fact may be established on the testimony of two or three witnesses.'" This way there would be at least two uninvolved people who, no matter how often the story was retold, would know exactly what had happened and could help to settle the issue.

"If your brother sins against you, go and tell him his fault..." It's not easy to tell someone that they've hurt you, but it's necessary if we truly value the relationship. What do we do when a friend sins against us? Do we tell them what we're feeling? Do we allow them to respond? Or do we prefer to retreat into hurt silence and wait for them to come to us?

Vival Van Benthem, sfo

Bridge Lessons at OLPH

This eight week course, beginning on September 7 and 8, offers all levels of play instruction. All classes will be held in the Francis Room of the Lafayette Building at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, 1775 Grove Street in Glenview. Beginners meet Wednesdays 9:30-11 am; Advanced Beginners meet Thursdays 9:30-11am; Intermediates meet Thursdays 11:15am-12:45pm; Advanced meet Thursdays 1:00-2:30pm. To encourage beginners to take up the game, those lessons will be FREE. For all other skill levels, the cost is \$90. Questions? Contact Mary Ann Kendall at 847-729-8292 or maqkendall@aol.com.

Transitus on St. Francis

The brothers and sisters of St. Juliana Fraternity of the Secular Franciscan Order invite you to walk in the footsteps of St. Francis of Assisi on his last journey, after receiving the stigmata, to find his ultimate home with God in Heaven. Celebration of the Transitus on St. Francis in prayer, song and scripture will take place on Sunday, September 18 at 3:15 pm in the St. Juliana Chapel, 7200 N. Osceola in Chicago. For more information, call 708-308-2895.

10th Annual Icon Exhibit

St. Gregory the Great Church

Iconographer and artist in residence Joseph Malhan will host this exhibit at his studio in the parish center, 5545 N. Paulina Street in Chicago, on Friday, September 9, 6-10 pm. Admission is free and refreshments will be served. For further details, call 773-561-3546 or email joe@trinityicons.com.

St. Athanasius Parish

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Pastors

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

Rev. Hernan Cuevas, *Associate Pastor* (hcuevas‡)

Parish Office

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

Admin. Assistant Hours: Monday - Friday 8:30 am-4:30 pm

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

Wednesday - Friday 4:30-6:30 pm

Saturday 10 am-1 pm; Sunday 9 am-1 pm

Parish Office Staff

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

Barbara Bonier, *Office Manager* (bbonier‡)

Marion Amling, *Business Manager* (mamling‡)

Janice Moore, *Administrative Assistant* (jmoore‡)

Jean Lauri, *Campaign Administrative Assistant* (jlauri‡)

Pastoral Staff

Buildings and Grounds

Jose Moreno, *Facilities Manager* (jmoreno@saintas.net)

Catholic Chaplain

Evanston Hospital 570-2330

Sr. Ann Weiler, O.S.F.

Music Ministry

Steve Carson, *Director* (scarson‡)

Pastoral Associates

Lori Goszczynski, *Bereavement, Ministers of Care*

Religious Education

Bridget Hotchkiss, *Coordinator* (bhotchkiss‡)

Cynthia Splatt, *Director* (csplatt‡)

Youth Ministry

Jim Potthast, *Director* (jpotthast‡)

Parish School

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Parish School Staff

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Mary Lietz, *Assistant Principal* (mlietz@saintas.net)

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Judy Berg, *Communications Coordinator* (jberg@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.

‡ - @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. Hernan Cuevas.

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 8:00 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.

