

The Catholic Community of Divine Savior

Norridge, IL

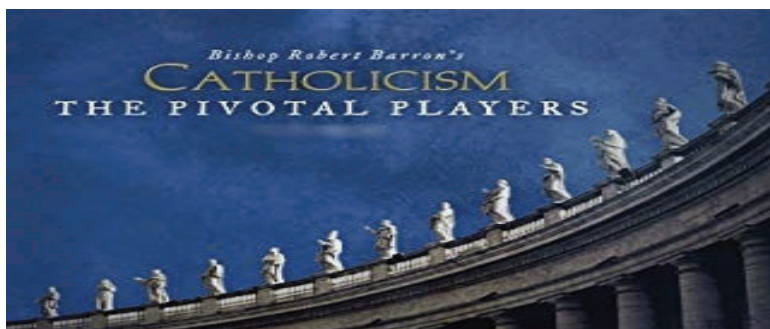
LUKE 15:6

“Rejoice with me
because I have found my lost sheep.”

*Twenty-fourth Sunday
in Ordinary Time*

SEPTEMBER 15, 2019

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Pivotal Players Video Series

Divine Savior Church will be presenting Bishop Robert Barron's video series "Pivotal Players" starting this month. These videos explore the lives of people who had a pivotal role in shaping the life of the Church and in changing the course of Western Civilization.

The hour-long videos and short discussions will be presented in the Divine Savior Parish Hall at 10:00 AM and again at 7:00 PM on the following schedule:

September 18	St. Francis of Assisi
October 23	St. Thomas Aquinas
January 15	St.. Catherine of Siena
February 19	St. John Henry Newman
April 1	GK Chesterton (author of the Father Brown stories)
May 13	Michaelangelo (artist)

Join us as we explore the lives of these fascinating people. Admission is free. We're looking forward to seeing you!



ALL WOMEN ARE INVITED....

to attend the Women's Club Meeting on Monday, October 7th at 6:00 PM in the Parish Hall. After a brief meeting, Fr. Beath will give a presentation on the "Contemplative Rosary". Do you find yourself distracted when you pray the rosary? Would you like to learn how to overcome a 'wandering mind' and how to pray with the whole heart? Father Beath will touch on Sacred Scripture, a vital part of the Rosary—Prayer is not only speaking to God but also about listening to him. You won't want to miss this informative talk. Hospitality will follow Father Beath's talk.

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FCFF Family Liturgy & Faith Formation

Sunday, September 22nd

8:00 AM—10:30 AM

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO  **September 21/22**

SEMINARIAN EDUCATION FUND

The archdiocesan collection for the education and formation of its future priests

Sing — Praise — Laugh

Give it a try, you'll love it.

See Mary Herman or call the parish office.

Why Are All These People Happy???
Because They Are Singing With The Choir!!!

2019 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL PLEDGE REPORT

"Come, Follow Me...and share the Word."

The monthly pledge billings for the Archdiocesan Annual Catholic Appeal pledges have been mailed. It is very important that these pledges be paid so that our parish will reach and, hopefully, exceed our goal.

Once the pledge payments have exceeded our goal, all of the additional funds are returned to our parish for use in our ministries.



PARISH GOAL:	\$ 23,499.90
AMOUNT PLEDGED:	\$ 25,629.00
AMOUNT PAID:	\$ 21,580.70
REMAINING BALANCE:	\$ 4,048.30
REBATE AMOUNT AFTER GOAL IS REACHED:	\$ 2,129.10

Weekly Offering**September 7/8****Envelopes used: 202**

Cash/Checks in Envelopes	= \$ 4,008.00
Loose cash	= \$ 503.25
Give Central	= \$ 927.00
Collection Total	= \$ 5,438.25

Children's Envelopes \$40.00

As members of this faith community, we are invited to become good stewards of what God has entrusted to us. God Bless all those whose support has enabled Divine Savior Church to continue its mission.

Please remember to mark the amount of your contribution on your envelope each week. This will ensure that your contributions are recorded accurately.



easiest and safest way to donate to Divine Savior Parish! Go to www.givecentral.org/location/263 to get started today! Or call Mary Coban at the Parish Office.

*Blessed are those who are generous,
because they feed the poor.
- Proverbs 22:9*

In Our Thoughts & Prayers

Please remember Anita Aiello, Peter Barbero, Lillian Baureis, Maria Bordignon, Jerry Bruss, Peggy A. Carolan, Marilee Cass, Greg Cazolas, Biagio Cirrincione, Marge Clemens, Al Corrado, Dawn Crimmins, Josephine Davi, Rosemary DiBiase, Rosa Dillie, MaryAnn Entrup, Glen Erickson, Geraldine Fergus, Amalia Gaglianese, John Gaydos, MaryAnn Gaydos, Lucille Gibula, Lola Golonka, Rosemary Hauck, Gina Hess, Renee Holm, Sylvia Johnnic, Ed Kelly, Virgil Kolb, Jackie Kukielka, Gloria Lesniak, Erica Lursky, Rosalie McAteer, Maria Makos, Mary Ann Maro, Glenn Mateus, Berniece Michna, Ernest Morris, William Murray, Edward Pasdiora, James Pastorino, Mary Ann Romito, Lillian Ross, Joanne Rupert, Caterina Savarino, Hope Scharpenter, Alicia Schmitz, Matt Schoenbach, Maria Scimeca, Dominic Senese, Billy Southerton, Mickey Stefanski, Steve Strzelecki, Martha Wrobel, and all parishioners, family members, and friends in your prayers.

Please pray as well for all who have died. May they now rest in eternal peace.

When a Family Member is Hospitalized

Please notify the parish office, 708.456.9000, when a family member is hospitalized. Because of HIPPA (privacy) laws, Presence Resurrection Medical Center and other hospitals are no longer permitted to notify us when parishioners are admitted to the hospital.

Remember Divine Savior in your will!

Giving a legacy to your church is an expression of your gratitude and thanksgiving towards God for all that you have been given and enjoyed during your life. It is also a means of ensuring that your past can become part of the future of your church's life, through mission and ministry to all God's people.

THE VIETNAM VETERANS MEMORIAL MOVING WALL AND TRAVELING MUSEUM

September 26th thru the 30th

Queen of Heaven Cemetery 1400 S Wolf Road Hillside

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

THURSDAY 3:00 PM UNTIL 10:00 PM

FRIDAY THRU SUNDAY 8:00 AM UNTIL 10:00 PM

MONDAY 8:00 AM UNTIL 3:00 PM

OPEN TO VETERANS 24 HOURS A DAY

CEREMONY TIMES

Thursday, September 26th 5:00 pm

Friday, September 27th 12:00 noon

Saturday, September 28th 2:00 pm

Sunday, September 29th 1:00 pm

Monday, September 30th 12:00 noon

If you are a Vietnam veteran and would like to participate in any of our ceremonies, please contact Dianne Sheehan dsheehan@cathcemchgo.org or by calling 630-730-3296.

THE MOVING
WALL IS A HALF
SIZE REPLICA OF
THE MEMORIAL IN
WASHINGTON D.C.



Prayers matter! Come and join the Intercessory Prayer Group on the first and third Tuesdays of every month in the Rectory

basement from 6:30—8:00 PM. There, we give praise and thanks, share the scripture, recite the rosary, and share teachings and songs, giving witness to the goodness of our Lord. People of any age are welcome. If you have any questions, please contact Tessie at 708.452.1187.

For those who cannot join us in person, we would like to pray for you. Please place your intentions in the box near the statue of Our Lady of Guadalupe in the back of the church.

Join Cherubs Children's Choir

Grades 2-8

Children sing at FCFF Masses and Holidays



Contact Mary Herman,
phone/text 847-722-8559 or email
mary.herman512@gmail.com

Village of Norridge 6th Annual

Touch-a-Truck



**Saturday
September 21, 2019
12:00 P.M. - 3:00 P.M.
(Rain date September 28th)**

fire engines, ambulance,
police cars, snow plows and more

Unique, interactive opportunity to allow children to climb on, explore and discover their favorite big trucks and vehicles

A Family Event

Norridge Village Hall
4000 N. Olcott Avenue

Ice cream will be available for purchase.
Hot Dogs, popcorn, cotton candy, face painting
and so much more

For more information
Call Kathy at 708-453-0800



saint snippets



The love of husband
and wife is the force that
welds society together.

St. John Chrysostom

4th-century Church Father known for his eloquent
preaching; recognized as a Doctor of the Church by
both Orthodox and Catholics

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Sonship Restored

Strangely enough and discouragingly often, we find the attitude of the older son from the Prodigal Son parable in the Church. The righteous believers who have always belonged can be jealous and look down upon the poor sinner who comes later and gets the same reward.

Yet, the attitude of all of us toward those who are spiritually, morally, or materially needy should be that of the loving father so wonderfully shown in the statue by Francesco Messina.

The sinner comes back in shame, weakness, and obvious failure. His very act of returning is a cry for help, support, and understanding. The father offers his mercy and compassion without questions, without an interrogation. His shoulder is never too proud, too hard, or righteous to be refused as a pillow for the humiliated soul who returns broken, pillaged, and ruined by sin.

Messina chose to show the father and son naked because it symbolizes mankind stripped to its essence. And in this you reveal greatness. Humanity is noblest when admitting its weakness. Humanity is greatest in its ability to show mercy and lift the downtrodden. The father-son relationship is most beautiful when it is being reconciled and restored.

We should always rejoice at the return of a prodigal child, and we should always honor a forgiving parental heart. "We must celebrate and rejoice," said the father. If we are convinced of this, we now have a charge: Go out and find the lost coin and welcome back the lost sheep with humility and joy!
—Fr. Mark Haydu, LC

*A clean heart create for me,
O God,
and a steadfast spirit
renew within me.*

—Psalm 51:12

*"Let us celebrate
with a feast,
because
this son
of mine
was dead,
and has
come to
life again;
he was lost,
and has been
found."*

Luke 15:23–24

Treasures From Our Tradition

Although New Year's Day has been fixed firmly on January 1 for several hundred years, Labor Day has the feel of a great dividing line between leisure and routine. The pace of life has since picked up, and new schedules and commitments crowd us. In the background is God's call to consider the third commandment, still life-giving and binding, to make holy the Lord's Day by worship and rest. Jews see the Sabbath, Saturday, not so much as a day of worship, but as a day of rest, a day of renewing friendship with God by delighting in the beauty of creation and the joy of family and friends. It is a day for contemplating the wonder of God's creation, but not disturbing it.

For Christians in the first three centuries, the Lord's Day, Sunday, was not for rest, but worship. It was a regular work day. People met before dawn, and after Eucharist hurried off to daily routines. Today we come to Mass, but many hurry off to essential work, not a day of rest. The Lord's Day is not the Sabbath, but we can enhance Sunday's ability to transform us if we consider embracing some Sabbath values: having a family meal, going for a walk in a beautiful place, making room in our lives to open ourselves more fully to holiness of life in Christ.
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Mass Intentions

Monday, September 16, 2019

7:30 AM— Carlo Raimondo

Tuesday, September 17, 2019

7:30 AM— Divine Savior Parishioners

Wednesday, September 18, 2019

7:30 AM— Marie Ann Maro
Intentions of Jim Bielanski

Thursday, September 19, 2019

7:30 AM— Antoinette Avino
Giuseppina Cirrincione
Mario DiBenedetto
Frances & Margaret Petrovic

Friday, September 20, 2019

7:30 AM— Michael Broderick
Bridget & Cissy Broderick
Joseph Cozzi
God's Graces to All Organ Donors

Saturday, September 21, 2019

Vigil: 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 PM— John & Regina Amstadt
Robert Brichetto
Donna Bruss
Ed & Elaine Geu
Special Intentions of Pat Staseck
Special Intentions of the Intercessory Prayer Group
Special Intentions for the Sanctity of Life

Sunday, September 22, 2019

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM— Donna Bruss
Philip, Arlene & Joyce Pellicore
10:30 AM— Giuseppina Cirrincione
Antionietta & Alfredo Di Benedetto
Betty Glomski
Frances Nimietz
Verdina & Zeffiro Rossi
Leonard Stancy

Readings for the Week

Monday: 1 Timothy 2:1-8
Luke 7:1-10

Tuesday: 1 Timothy 3:1-13
Luke 7:11-17

Wednesday: 1 Timothy 3:14-16
Luke 7:31-35

Thursday: 1 Timothy 4:12-16
Luke 7:36-50

Friday: 1 Timothy 6:2c-12
Luke 8:1-3

Saturday: Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-13
Matthew 9:9-13

Sunday: 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Amos 8:4-7
1 Timothy 2:1-8
Luke 16:1-13

Attention: Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, & Altar Servers

Schedules covering the period from October 5/6 through November 2/3 will be completed this week. Please call the parish office or email lgurklis@aol.com by Noon on Monday, September 16th with any vacation times or schedule preferences.

Liturgical Ministers Schedule for September 21/22

	<i>Presider</i>	<i>Lector</i>	<i>Eucharistic Ministers</i>		<i>Servers</i>
4:00 PM	Fr. Beath	J. Klawns	M. Alto J. Brown R. Cantal	D. Sulimowski	
8:00 AM	Fr. Madigan	C. Mikucki	D. Duszynski I. Petryszak K. Petryszak	S. Tylka W. Tylka	F. Malo M. Petryszak A. Remocal
10:30 AM	Fr. Beath	J. Magnuson	V. Chernich G. Fornek J. Fornek	C. Lizak F. Lizak	

Mission Statement of The Catholic Community of Divine Savior

We are a faith community that seeks the fullest relationship with Jesus, by our communion with each other, through the Eucharist, Sacraments, Prayer, and Service.

Pastoral Staff

Pastor Rev. Richard J. LoBianco
 Associate Pastor Rev. James D. Beath
 Director of Faith Formation/Business Manager
 Ms. Mary E. Coban
 Assisting Priests
 Rev. William Holbrook Rev. Terrence A. McCarthy
 Rev. Michael Madigan Rev. Michael Moore
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This Week

Monday — Young at Heart Meeting
 12:30 PM—Parish Hall
 Tuesday — Morris Drop In
 8:00 AM—Parish Hall
 — Bible Discussion
 11:00 AM—Rectory
 — Intercessory Prayer Group
 6:30 PM—Rectory
 Wednesday. Pivotal Players Movie
 10:00 AM & 7:00 PM—Parish Hall
 Sat./Sun. — Seminarian Education Appeal
 Second Collection
 Sunday. — FCFF Liturgy & Formation Session
 8:00—10:30 AM

WEEKEND LITURGIES

Saturday: 4:00 PM Sunday: 8:00 & 10:30 AM

WEEKDAY LITURGIES

Monday-Friday: 7:30 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Every Saturday: 3:15 - 3:45 PM. Please call the rectory.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

One Sunday a Month. Please call the rectory.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please call the rectory.

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