

# FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

## APRIL 7, 2019



## ST. RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**RESPECT LIFE**

Thank you to everyone who took time to read Cardinal Cupich's letter printed in last week's bulletin (reprinted in this bulletin) concerning proposed laws in Illinois that would violate the dignity of human life, the primacy of conscience and the relationship between parent and child. Copies of the letter are available in the narthex for you to pick up and share with your family and friends. I urge you to join me in contacting our legislators and sharing with them why we do not want the proposed laws enacted. To find out more about how we can promote a culture where human life is protected and cherished, please join me in a Respect Life Meeting today, Sunday, April 7 after the 9:00 am Mass (before the Rosary) in the Sacristy.

**HOLY WEEK**

Registered parishioners should have received the parish mailing with the schedule for Holy Week and Easter. The schedule is also printed in this bulletin. Please plan to join us and invite family members who may have drifted from the active practice of our Catholic faith to reconnect with the Lord here at St. Raphael. Last year we had almost 900 people at the 11 am Mass on Easter Sunday. It would be terrific to have a capacity crowd at *all* our Masses on April 21, Easter Sunday: 7 am, 9 am & 11 am.

**CONFESSION IS GOOD FOR THE SOUL**

Our parish will offer extra times for confession during the remaining weeks of Lent; see the schedule in this bulletin. We had a strong turnout of people for the Sacrament of Reconciliation on Good Friday last year. Confessions will be heard on Good Friday (April 19) again this year from 9:00am until Noon. Father Brian Welter and I will be available that morning to hear confessions. Booklets to help you prepare for confession are in the narthex.

**EASTER OFFERING**

Our parish appreciates your financial support throughout the year. I am writing to ask for your strong support in the Easter collection this month. Our budget anticipates \$18,000 in donations. If you will be out of town on Easter, kindly remember to send in your donation so that we can meet our budget. Thank you.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION**

Our parish will celebrate First Holy Communion on Sunday, April 28 at the 11:00 am Mass. We are looking forward to a joyful celebration with the children and their families. Please keep the children and their families in your prayers this month.

In our Lord,

Father Mike McGovern  
mmcgovern@archchicago.org



**LENTEN SCHEDULE**

**Daily Mass**

Monday—Saturday 8:30 am

**Stations of the Cross**

Fridays during Lent at 7:00 pm

**Sacrament of Penance**

Saturdays at 3:00 pm

Thursday, April 11, Noon—1:00 pm

Monday, April 15, 6:00 to 8:00 pm

Good Friday, April 19, 9:00 am to Noon

**Faith Formation**



*A New Life in Christ*

Fr. James McIlhone

Tuesday, April 9 at 7:00 pm

Fellowship Hall

**HOLY WEEK AND EASTER CALENDAR**

**Holy Thursday, April 18**

8:30 am – Morning Prayer Service

7:00 pm – Mass of the Lord’s Supper

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

8:00 pm to 10:00 pm

**Good Friday, April 19**

8:30 am – Morning Prayer Service

9:00 am to 12:00 Noon – Confession

12:00 Noon – Stations of the Cross

7:00 pm – Liturgy of the Lord’s Passion

**Holy Saturday, April 20**

8:30 am – Morning Prayer Service

1:00 pm – Blessing of Easter Food  
(no confessions)

8:00 pm – Easter Vigil Mass

**Easter Sunday Masses, April 21**

7:00 am Fr. McGovern

9:00 am Fr. Welter

11:00 am Fr. McGovern

St. Raphael Parish Office will close  
at Noon on Good Friday  
and reopen on Monday, April 22 at Noon.

**LENTEN REGULATION**

Abstinence from meat is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years old and older on all Fridays of Lent.  
Fasting is to be observed by all Catholics who are 18 years of age but not yet 59.

St. Raphael Parish Office will close at Noon on Good Friday  
and reopen on Monday, April 22 at Noon.



**YOUTH GROUP NEWS**

Due to the cancellation of this past Monday's Youth Group Topic, we will be postponing the scheduled topic: "**Saints and Fools**" to a later date.

**Sunday's Youth Group Topic: The Week That Changed the World**

Holy Week is coming up. Join us for lunch this Sunday in lower level of the Church to discuss and prepare ourselves for "The Week That Changed The World." The celebration of Palm Sunday, the Holy Triduum (Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday), lead up to the Christ's triumph over death on Easter Sunday.

When: April 7, 2019 from 12:00-1:30pm

Who: 8th-12th grade students

Watch the bulletin and your emails for more details. If you are not on my email list already, please contact me.

If you have any questions, comments, or suggestions, feel free to contact me at (224) 256-6432 or straphaelmin@icloud.com.

God Bless,

Marirose Tan  
Coordinator of Family and Youth Ministry



**Altar Servers**

St. Raphael is looking for additional Altar Servers. If you are between the ages of 9 and 14, and would be interested in becoming a server for our weekend Masses, please have your parents fill out this form. You will be contacted to schedule training sessions. Your service to our Church and parish is greatly appreciated. Please return this form to the parish office or place it in the collection basket at church.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Family Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Current School \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_



**Diaper Depot**

There will be a parish-wide diaper drive for Catholic Charities on April 6 & 7 after every Mass. Monetary donations are preferred as Catholic Charities has the ability to buy in-bulk, but full or partial packages of diapers are accepted. Checks can be made out to Catholic Charities, memo "Diaper Depot". Thank you for your support!



*Sponsored by*

*Altar & Rosary Sodality Women's Club.*

**Holy Thursday, April 18, 2019 at 7:00 pm  
Volunteers Needed**

Volunteers are needed to participate in the Washing of Feet for the Holy Thursday liturgy. This involves coming forward after the homily, taking a seat and having your feet washed. We need 12 people to volunteer. Bishop Alberto Rojas, the Vicar for Vicariate One, will be the celebrant and homilist. Please contact Fr. Mike if you are interested; 847.395.3474.

**Mass Schedule and Times**

Saturday: 4:00 pm  
 Sunday: 7:00, 9:00 and 11:00 am  
 Weekday: 8:30 am (Monday-Saturday)

**Baptism**

Registered parishioners should contact the parish office at 847-395-3474.

**Marriage Preparation**

Registered and supporting members should call the office. A date should not be set until consulting the pastor.

**Confession**

Saturday, 3:00 - 3:30 pm or by appointment;  
 First Friday of every month, 9:00 am

**Spring Flower Collection**

April 27-28

**May Crowning**

May 12, 2019 at the 9:00 am Mass

**Holy Communion and Confirmation Gifts**

**Rosary & Other Religious Items Sale**

Altar & Rosary Sodality Women's Club will hold a sale of rosaries and other religious items after each Mass on **April 6 & 7** downstairs in the Fellowship Hall. This will be a great opportunity to shop for lovely gifts and remembrances of First Communion and Confirmation!



**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CALENDAR**

April **10 and 17**, May **1** (last class of the year)  
 Religious Education Classes Milburn School  
 No Class on April 24  
 Monday, **April 22nd** at 7:00 pm in the Church  
 Confirmation Practice  
 Wednesday, **April 24th** at 7:00 pm in the Church  
 Confirmation Mass (No Religious Ed Classes)  
 Saturday, **April 27th** at 9:30 am in the Church  
 First Holy Communion Practice  
 Sunday, **April 28th** at 11:00 am in the Church  
 First Holy Communion Mass  
 Registrations for the 2019-2020 Religious Education Program are now being accepted. Tuition per family: \$200; Fees per child: \$50 Late fee assessment per child \$25 Late fees are assessed after June 30, 2018.  
 Please note you should be registered as a parishioner to register your children for Religious Education.  
 For more information, please contact Annette Wynn. Coordinator of Religious Education at (847)395-3474.

† **Parish Office Hours** †  
**Monday – Friday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm**

**Mass Intentions**

Week of April 7, 2019		Intentions for:	Requested by:
Saturday, April 6, 2019	8:30 am	The Siron Family	Evelyn Ong
	4:00 pm	† Lawrence Huml, Jr.	The Huml Family
Sunday, April 7, 2019	7:00 am	Parishioners of St. Raphael the Archangel	
	9:00 am	† Egizia Pellicci	Norma and Pat Lucansky
	11:00 am	† Barbara Lind	Christina Randall
Monday, April 8, 2019	8:30 am	† Graham Smith	Annette Wynn
Tuesday, April 9, 2019	8:30 am	† Thane Parkman	Mr. & Mrs. Dean Parkman
Wednesday, April 10, 2019	8:30 am	† Peter Wywialowski	Annette Wynn
Thursday, April 11, 2019	8:30 am	Christina Wenn	Lorraine Wenn
Friday, April 12, 2019	8:30 am	Trevor Corcoran	Marietta Centko
Saturday, April 13, 2019	8:30 am	The Siron Family	Evelyn Ong
	4:00 pm	† Frank M. Mills	Annette Wynn
Sunday, April 14, 2019	7:00 am	Parishioners of St. Raphael the Archangel	
	9:00 am	† Ron Kotal	Knights of Columbus
	11:00 am	Christina Wenn	Lorraine Wenn

**If you would like to have a Mass said for a beloved family member, friend, or special intention, please call the parish office at 847.395.3474. (†Deceased)**

***Prayer Requests***  
 Please pray for those in our parish and community who are sick:  
 Rod Loomis  
 Joseph Pagani  
 Julie Pagani Brumm  
 Residents of Rolling Hills  
*To request prayers, please call the parish office:  
 847.395.3474.*

**Father Michael McGovern's 25th Anniversary**  
 With gratitude to God, I will celebrate 25 years as a priest in May. I look forward to celebrating this blessing with my family and friends. Please save the date, May 19, 2019. The anniversary Mass will be at 11:00 am here at St. Raphael the Archangel church. Please plan on joining me and my family on this joyous day.  
 Father Mike

**Events for the Week of April 7, 2019**

Sun 7	Mon 8	Tue 9	Wed 10	Thur 11	Fri 12	Sat 13	Sun 14
Religious Items Sale Fellowship Hall Diaper Depot Collection Respect Life Meeting after 9:00 Mass Sacristy 10:20 pm Parish Rosary Noon Youth Group Meeting	6:30 pm Parish Council	7:00 pm <i>A New Life In Christ</i> with Fr. McIlhone Fellowship Hall	6:30 pm Religious Ed Classes Milburn School 7:00 pm Choir Loft	Noon-1 pm Confession	7:00 pm Stations of The Cross	3:00 pm Confession	10:20 pm Parish Rosary Church

Please submit any articles, events or activities that you would like included in the bulletin, no later than 12 noon on Wednesday, eleven days prior to publication. All articles are subject to approval. Please include your contact information in case we have any questions.

**Worship & Spiritual Life Schedule  
Sunday Masses, April 13-14, 2019**

Mass Times	4:00 pm Saturday	7:00 am Sunday	9:00 am Sunday	11:00 am Sunday
Clergy	Fr. McGovern Dcn. Webster	Fr. McGovern	Fr. McGovern	Fr. Welter
Lector	John Boldt	Belen Kling	Robert Schuler	Elizabeth Simutis
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Gary Hughes Donna Pavelski	1 Open	Bill Booker Victoria Cardenas Brian Morrissey	Beth Baeckelandt Melissa Tebben 1 Open
Altar Servers	3 Open	1 Open	E. Conarchy F. Conarchy G. Conarchy	K. Ilagan M. Muzones N. Simutus
Ushers	Dan Bulicek Paul Pavelski Ken Van Bergen 1 Open	Vickie Cardenas Tom Hagerty	Bob Forster Tom Goggin Susan Masella Fritz Meyers	Dana Mentgen Rafael Muzones Allen Vintola 1 Open
Fellowship	Open	Wanda Hagerty	Ed and Colleen Conarchy	Agnieszka-Vivian Mruk

**Stewardship Report**

Budgeted Weekly: \$7,203

**March 2-3, 2019**

Donations Received: \$5,949  
Over (Under) Budget: (\$1,254)

**March 9-10, 2019**

Donations Received: \$6,932  
Over (Under) Budget: (\$271)

**March 16-17, 2019**

Donations Received: \$6,860  
Over (Under) Budget: (\$343)

**March 23-24, 2019**

Donations Received: \$6,927  
Over (Under) Budget: (\$276)

**March 30-31, 2019**

Donations Received: \$6,367  
Over (Under) Budget: (\$836)

**March 2019 Total**

Donations Received: \$33,035  
Budget: \$36,015  
Over (Under) Budget: (\$2,980)

**Building Fund**

**March 3, 2019**

Pledge Redemption: \$130  
Donations: \$2,351

**March 10, 2019**

Pledge Redemption: \$345  
Donations: \$1,568

**March 17, 2019**

Pledge Redemption: \$207  
Donations: \$2,067

**March 24, 2019**

Pledge Redemption: \$1,370  
Donations: \$1,563

**March 31, 2019**

Pledge Redemption: \$237  
Donations: \$1,491



**Open Arms Mission Food Pantry**

1548 Main Street, Antioch, Illinois  
from 4:30 pm to 6:30 pm

St. Raphael the Archangel parishioners volunteer the second Wednesday and fifth Tuesday of each month. Wednesday, April 10, 2019 is the next date when our help is needed.

To volunteer, call Pat Clark at 847.395.5683.

**Council of Catholic Nurses of Lake County**

Saturday, April 27, 2019

St. Patrick Church

15000 W. Wadsworth Rd, Wadsworth, IL

Mass at 8:30 am followed by installation of officers by Fr. Merold. Complimentary brunch to follow and a *get-to-know-you* program. Help us celebrate our 30th anniversary, All nurses are welcome.

Please respond to Ginny at 847.471.6843 or [ginderue@aol.com](mailto:ginderue@aol.com) by April 23.

**Saint Bede School A National Blue Ribbon School  
Registration for 2019-2020 is Open**

For more information and/or to schedule a tour contact Mrs. Strang at 847-587-5541 or email [pstrang@stbedeschool.com](mailto:pstrang@stbedeschool.com).

**Parent and Tot Program**

St. Bede School's Parent and Tot Group will meet at 8:15 to 9:45 on April 15th. There is no charge for this program.

**All are invited to Celebrate  
the 60th Anniversary of Saint Bede School**

Mass, Saturday, May 18 at 5:30 pm  
Bishop Alberto Rojas, Celebrant

**St. Bede School Family Carnival**

May 17 from 6:00 pm—10:00

May 18 from 1:00 pm—10:00 pm

May 19 from 1:00 pm—9:00 pm

Food, Amusement Rides, Pony and Camel Rides