

ST. FERDINAND CHURCH

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JULY

27

2025

WELCOME!

MASS in ENGLISH:

Monday — Thursday

8am & 12 Noon

FRIDAY:

8:15AM & 12 Noon

Saturday:

8am & 5pm (Vigil)

Sundays:

8:30am, 11:30am & 5pm

MSZA ŚW. PO POLSKU

Poniedziałek — piątek:

7pm

SOBOTA: 7AM

Pierwsza sobota: 8pm

Niedziela: 7am, 10am,

3pm, 7pm

CONFESSIONS

30 min. before every Mass
when priest is available

Spowiedź

30 min. przed każdą
Mszą św.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday — Friday

8:30am — 5pm

LUNCH BREAK 12PM —

12:30PM

Saturday

9am — 12pm

Sunday: Closed

HABLAMOS ESPANOL

En Jueves y martes

9am — 3pm and

5pm — 7pm



17th Sunday

I N O R D I N A R Y T I M E

"And I tell you, ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you." - Lk 11:9

MASS INTENTIONS



Monday – July 28

8:00 am – † Mary A. Dunlavy
Successful surgery & Healing for Angelica Salto & Rodrigo Fuerte

12:00pm - † Carol Marino

7:00 pm – Mass in Polish

Tuesday – July 29 – St. Martha, Mary & Lazarus

8:00am - Successful surgery & Healing for Angelica Salto & Rodrigo Fuerte

12:00pm – Birthday blessings for Fr. Miguel Marie, MFVA

7:00pm – Mass in Polish

Wednesday – July 30 - St. Peter Chrysologus

8:00 am – Successful surgery & Healing for Angelica Salto & Rodrigo Fuerte

12:00pm – World Peace

7:00pm – Mass in Polish

Thursday – July 31 – St. Ignatius of Loyola

8:00 am – Successful surgery & Healing for Angelica Salto & Rodrigo Fuerte

12:00pm – Mass in English

7:00pm – Mass in Polish

Friday – August 01 – St. Alphonsus Liguori,

8:00 am – Successful surgery & Healing for Angelica Salto & Rodrigo Fuerte

12:00pm Mass in English

7:00pm - Mass in Polish

Saturday – August 02 – St. Eusebius of Vercelli, St. Peter Julian Eymard

7:00 am – Mass in Polish

8:00 am – Successful surgery & Healing for Angelica Salto & Rodrigo Fuerte
† Christina Rother

5:0pm – Mass in English

Sunday – August 03

7:00 am – Za wstawiennictwem Świętej Rodziny prośba o Bożą opiekę dla syna Pawła i jego rodziny, syna Piotra i jego rodziny oraz córki Małgorzaty i jej rodziny

† O Miłosierdzie Boże dla śp. Józefa Świerczek w 3-cią rocznicę śmierci oraz dla rodziców: Jana i Katarzyny Motyka, Stanisławy, Janiny, Kazimierza i Franciszka Motyka

† Śp. Eleonora Wójcik

8:30 am – Successful surgery & Healing for Angelica Salto & Rodrigo Fuerte

† Souls in purgatory

10:00 am – Za wstawiennictwem MB Nieustającej Pomocy, prośba o potrzebne łaski i zdrowie dla Krystyny

11:30 am – Mass in English

3:00 pm – Mass in Polish

5:00 pm – Mass in English

7:00 pm – Mass in Polish

THE SANCTUARY LAMPS THIS WEEK ARE LIT FOR:

† Magdalena Leńczowski

† Stanisław Leńczowski

WE WELCOME IN BAPTISM:

Joseph Wegiel

Dylan Stanisław Usher

MARRIAGE BANNES:

III Aleksander Zbroja & Katarzyna Skoczeń

II Philip Kaluza & Angelica Lakomy

CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES TO THE COUPLES MARRIED IN OUR CHURCH LAST WEEK

Omar Tabbara & Kyneitre's Good

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

As members of the parish faith community, it is our responsibility to remember both in concrete and spiritual ways those who cannot celebrate with us each week because they are ill. Those who are sick in turn, remember all of us.

Alterson Barbara
Bauer Teri
Biancalana Irene
Bergen Yette
Bergen Jayden
Brown John
Caltagirone John
Carsello Heather
Colamonico Frank
Del Vechio Violet
Di Vincenzo Katherine
Donohue Aleksandra
Frei John
Gawlik Alina
Goralczyk Władysława
Gruber Magdalena
Guzzetta Rose
Hernandez Martin
Hotcaveg Betty
Jurczykowski Brianna
Jurczykowski Jessica
Kaashoek Cathy
Kwiecien Zbigniew

Lagos Liliana
McFarlin Barbara
McFarlin Timothy
Miceli Carmen
Moore Robert
Mora Family
Moris Molly
Naggo Laura
Nykiel John
Ortega Dario Ostria
Paterson Scott
Perez Graciela
Peshek Maria
Peters Phillis
Segopva Veronica
Starczek Stanisława
Steiser Neville
Swanson Julia
Szymanski Martin
Tabor Declan
Wagy Magan

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE SERVING IN THE MILITARY

SA Andrew Rios and Konrad Kulon



If you have a loved one serving in the military, please contact the rectory office to give us the name of the soldier, so the whole parish can pray for your loved one .

OUR STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE



As we continue to serve the needs of our parish community,
your ongoing financial support is deeply appreciated.
You may mail your offering to the parish, drop it off in the secure
mail slot at the parish office, or give online by visiting:

www.stferdinandchicago.org

Thank you for your generosity and for being part of our
parish family.

July 20 — \$ 8,441

May God bless you for your generosity!

Thank You — Bóg zapłać

Gracias — Salamat!

PLEASE REMEMBER ST. FERDINAND PARISH
IN YOUR WILL.

LECTORS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS SCHEDULE:

July 26th & 27th

Sat.	5:00 PM Vigil	L- A. Chambers EM – H. Palumbo, A. Groeper
Sun	8:30 AM	L. - D. Camara EM - D. Camara, E. Camara, Dr M. Starsiak
	11:30AM	L. – S. Kass EM- S. Kass , M Medina, N Murillo
	5:00PM	L– J. Portlanger EM- C. Trujillo, J. Portlanger

August 2nd & 3rd

Sat.	5:00PM Vigil	L- .A. Chambers EM H. Palumbo, Sr. Boguslaw
Sun.	8:30AM	L. Dr. M. Starsiak EM, R. Pasko. Dr. M. Starsiak , A. Kass
	11:30AM	L. S. Kass EM N Murillo, J. Zarate, S. Kass
	5:00PM	L. P. Holod EM- C. Trujillo, P. Holod

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23/ Mt 13:31-35
Tuesday:	Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13/ Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday:	Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9/Mt 13:44-46
Thursday:	Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11/ Mt 13:47-53
Friday:	Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-4, 5-6, 10-11ab/Mt 13:54-58
Saturday:	Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8/Mt 14:1-12



PARISH CALENDAR FOR THIS WEEK:



Monday, July 28

9:00am – 11:00 am – Food Pantry - Convent
6:30pm – 8:30PM - Cub Scouts Pack 3051 – Convent
6:30pm – 8:30pm – Troop#51 – JTC
7:00pm – 9:00pm – Polish Group Zumba – Gym

Tuesday, July 29

9:00am – 1:00pm – SFS/Summer Camp – Activity Center
5:30pm – 8:00pm – Phlebotomy – Canning Hall
7:00pm – 10:00pm – Polonia Dance Group - JTC
8:00pm – 10:00pm – Volleyball Group – Gym

Wednesday, July 30

1:00pm – 4:00pm – Legion of Mary – Convent
5:00pm – 6:00pm – Filipino Prayer – Church
6:30pm – 8:30pm - Cub Scouts – Convent
6:30pm – 8:30pm – Bible Study/Spanish – Rectory
7:00pm – 8:00pm – Polish Group Zumba - JTC
7:30pm – 9:30pm – Volleyball Group- Gym

Thursday, July 31

8:30am – 9:30am – Legion of Mary – Adoration Church
5:30pm – 8:00pm – Phlebotomy – Canning Hall
6:00pm – 9:00pm – Girls Scouts – Convent
7:00pm – 9:00pm – Guadalupano Group – Rectory
7:00pm - 9:00pm – Filareci Choir - Chapel

Friday, August 01

9:00am – 12:00pm – Legion of Mary – Convent
10:30am – 1:30pm - Legion of Mary – Convent
5:00pm – 6:00pm - Black Nazarene – Church
6:00pm – 8:00pm – Youth Group – Rectory
7:00pm – 9:00pm – SPRED – Convent
7:30pm – 9:30pm – Volleyball Group- Gym
8:00pm – 11:00pm - Collegium Cantorum - Chapel

Saturday, August 02

5:00pm – 7:00pm – Basketball Altar Boys – Gym
7:00pm – 9:00pm – AA Meeting – Convent

Sunday, August 03

9:00am – 1:00pm – Good Shepherd Club - JTC
6:00pm – 8:00pm – Sunday Volleyball - Gym

SAINTS OF THE WEEK



Memorial of Saints Martha, Mary, and Lazarus – July 29

On July 29, the Church celebrates the Memorial of Saints Martha, Mary, and Lazarus, the beloved siblings and close friends of Jesus who lived in the village of Bethany.

This memorial, formerly focused on St. Martha alone, was expanded by Pope Francis in 2021 to include her sister Mary and brother Lazarus, recognizing the vital witness all three gave through their hospitality, faith, and friendship with the Lord.

In the Gospels, we see Martha busy with serving, Mary sitting attentively at Jesus' feet, and Lazarus being raised from the dead. Each of them models a different but equally essential dimension of discipleship: service, contemplation, and faith in the power of Christ.

Their home in Bethany was a place of welcome and rest for Jesus—a reminder of how we are all called to create space for Christ in our lives and to respond to Him with love and trust. As we honor these holy siblings, may their example inspire us to grow in faith, deepen our prayer, and extend generous hospitality to Christ and others.

Saints Martha, Mary, and Lazarus, pray for us!



Memorial of St. Ignatius of Loyola – July 31

This Wednesday, July 31, the Church celebrates the Memorial of St. Ignatius of Loyola, founder of the Society of Jesus (Jesuits) and a spiritual master whose influence still shapes the Church today.

Born in Spain in 1491, Ignatius began his adult life seeking honor and glory as a soldier. After being seriously wounded in

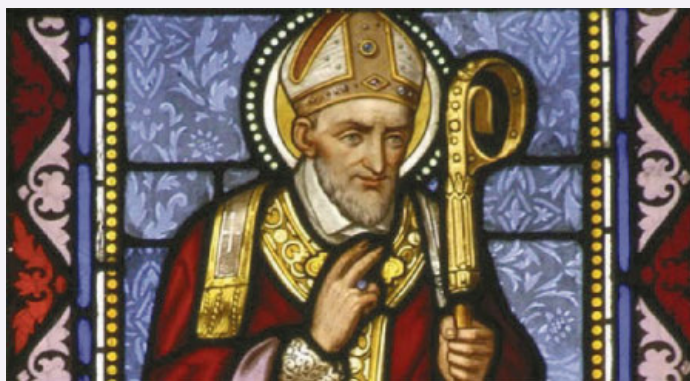
battle, he experienced a powerful conversion during his recovery. Inspired by the lives of Christ and the saints, he devoted himself to prayer, penance, and a deep relationship with God. Out of this spiritual journey came his renowned work, the *Spiritual Exercises*, a guide to discernment, self-reflection, and deeper union with God.

In 1540, he founded the Jesuits, who became known for their missionary zeal, educational apostolates, and loyalty to the Church. St. Ignatius emphasized finding God in all things, and his legacy continues through the countless Jesuit schools, universities, and ministries around the world.

May the life and teaching of St. Ignatius inspire us to seek God's greater glory in our daily lives and to grow in generosity of heart, saying with him:

"Take, Lord, and receive all my liberty, my memory, my understanding, and my entire will..."

St. Ignatius of Loyola, pray for us!



Memorial of St. Alphonsus Liguori – August 1

On August 1, the Church celebrates the Memorial of St. Alphonsus Liguori—bishop, theologian, and Doctor of the Church. He is best known as the founder of the Congregation of the Most Holy Redeemer (Redemptorists) and as a great teacher of moral theology and prayer.

Born in Naples in 1696, Alphonsus was a gifted lawyer who left his promising legal career to become a priest. Moved by the needs of the poor and spiritually abandoned, he dedicated his life to preaching, writing, and forming missionaries to bring the Gospel to those most in need.

A man of deep prayer, Alphonsus had a tender devotion to Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament and to Our Lady, encouraging the faithful to turn to both with confidence and love. His writings—especially *The Glories of Mary* and *Visits to the Blessed Sacrament*—continue to nourish the spiritual lives of Catholics around the world.

St. Alphonsus is also considered the patron saint of confessors and moral theologians, having taught a balanced, compassionate approach to moral decision-making rooted in God's mercy. As we celebrate his memory, may we be inspired by his example of deep faith, service to the poor, and trust in God's loving grace.

St. Alphonsus Liguori, pray for us!



NATIONAL WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA DAY - Save the date.

The Knights of Columbus Immaculate Conception Assembly #3473 is coordinating ceremonial events at Saint Joseph Cemetery, 3100 Thatcher Ave. in River Grove, IL and at Union Ridge Cemetery, 6700 W. Higgins Ave.

**On December 13, 2025 at 12:00 pm ct.
(Wreath Placement Immediately Following Ceremony),**

Wreaths Across America will Remember and Honor our veterans through the laying of Remembrance wreaths on the graves of our country's fallen heroes. You are invited to join us to honor our veterans at their eternal resting place.

Who We Remember.

From the Revolutionary War to present day conflicts, our veterans are devoted sons and daughters, fathers and mothers, sisters and brothers. They come from all backgrounds in life to place those lives on the line for our freedoms. There are millions of individual stories to tell. Get to know them by viewing the 4,760 recent posts made by our supporters or sponsor a wreath in honor of or in memory of an American hero.

Why We Do It.

We understand we have Veterans Day in the fall and Memorial Day in the spring, but our service members sacrifice their time and safety every single day of the year to preserve our freedoms. In many homes, there is empty seat for one who is serving or one who made the ultimate sacrifice for our country. There is no better why to express our appreciation than during the hustle and bustle of the holiday season. We hope you will join us at any of our more than 4,700 participating locations to show our veterans and their families that we will not forget. We will never forget.

Please help us recognize these veterans of various eras, by sponsoring a wreath for placement on the grave of one of These veterans at St. Joseph or Union Ridge or both. The deadline to sponsor a wreath is November 28, 2025.

Orders can be placed on the Wreaths Across America website: www.wreathsassamerica.org/ILSJCR for ST. JOSEPH or www.wreathsassamerica.org/ILURCC for Union Ridge.

Please feel free to contact Sir Knight, Konrad Klimek at 773-225-6451 or Chuck Calcitrai at 773-339-6097 with any questions you may have.

PILGRIMAGE TO OUR LADY OF CHAMPION SHRINE IN WISCONSIN August 15, 2025



All are invited to join us the Legion of Mary on Assumption Day, Friday Aug 15, 2025 for our 12th year pilgrimage to Our Lady of Champion Shrine.

We depart from St. Ferdinand church from the small parking lot at 5:45 A.M. be back by 8:00P.M. Limited seating. Cost \$75.00. There will be a field Mass on this day at 11:00 A.M. followed by procession. Call Emma 773 934 4161 for more information.

I invite you to come to the Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help, located in the Diocese of Green Bay Wisconsin. For over 150 years, the faithful have come to this hallowed site seeking the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary. In her we find a loving mother, who is ever willing to intercede for us, so that we may be drawn into a deeper love and union with her Son.

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



ADULT CONFIRMATION Fall 2025

The Adult Confirmation Process of the Archdiocese of Chicago is a pre-sacramental program for adults (18 and older) who have already received the Catholic sacrament of Baptism and First Holy Communion and are seeking to receive the sacrament of Confirmation.

Adults who have not received the Catholic sacraments of Baptism and First Holy Communion should contact their local parish to join the OCIA process.

The Adult Confirmation sessions are offered on Zoom in English and Spanish (Flyer).

Preparation Class Dates

Wednesdays: September 17, 24, October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, November 5, 19. | 7 – 9 p.m.

English Adult Confirmation Mass

To Be Announced.

Registration Process

1. Registration opens on June 20, 2025
2. **Register here** or by scanning the QR code
3. Pay \$100 fee (due at the time of registration)
4. Registration closes September 5, 2025 at 6 p.m.
5. You will receive the Zoom meeting link the week classes start.

For more information, please **visit our website**.
For questions, please email adultconfirmation@archchicago.org or call 312.534.8351.



Preschool Popsicles on the Playground!



Wednesday, August 6 - 6:00-7:00 PM on the Preschool Playground!

All Incoming 3-and-4-Year-Old St. Ferdinand School Preschoolers, join Principal Folino and Ms. Marta for Popsicles and Fun while getting to know your classmates and other families!

St. Ferdinand School's



**WED., AUG 6:
PRESCHOOL
POPSICLES ON THE
PLAYGROUND
6:00-7:00 PM**

**THURS., AUG 14:
SCHOOL SUPPLY
DROP-OFF
& NEW FAMILY
ORIENTATION
5:00-6:30 PM**

Stay tuned
for
more details!

Back to SCHOOL

EVENTS

**SAVE
THE DATES!**

**MON., AUG 18:
FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL
7:45-1130 AM
-and-
"BOO HOO or YAHOO!"
Donuts and Coffee
8:00 AM - 9:30 AM**



**WED., AUG 20:
BACK-TO-
SCHOOL/PARENT
NIGHT
6:00 PM Chapel &
Classrooms**

PARENTS
The Information You Need!

El pasado 12 de Julio el grupo Guadalupano invito a la comunidad a una procesion a la Iglesia de St. Francis la cual fue llamada Puerta Santa. Despues de recibir la confesion, y el envio de nuestro parroco P. Peter Gnoinski, la comunidad camino por 4.01 millas que nos tomo 2 horas y 42 minutos logramos llegar en procesion. A la llegada P. Francisco Pagan nos recibio con entusiasmo mientras nos daba la cruz del jubileo. Durante la misa oficiada por nuestro Obispo Jose Maria Garcia Maldonado nos ha felicitado por ser la primera comunidad que asiste en procesion. llenos de el Amor a la Santisima Trinidad agradecemos a todos los sacerdotes que nos guian en nuestro caminar.
St. Francisco.... Ruega por nosotros.



GROWING

WITH THE *Gospel* CYCLE C



COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



PUZZLE

Circle the group in each row that has **more**.
Then color in all the pictures.



MISSION

I will help my family find items that they have lost.



GOSPEL

When you search for something, God will help you find it. When you look for a birthday present for your cousin, God may help you pick a good one. If you lose your lunch money, God may help you find it. When you need a new friend, God may send one. Whatever you ask for, he will listen to you. God does this for you because he loves you very much.



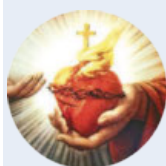
PRAYER

Lord, remind me to ask you for what I need.



DRAW

Draw a picture of a child knocking on the door to heaven.



PIERWSZY PIĄTEK MIESIĄCA

Najbliższy piątek **1 sierpnia** to Pierwszy Piątek miesiąca. Spowiedź św. od godz. 6:00 do 7:30PM. Msza św. o godz. 7:00PM.

„Przystępującym przez dziewięć z rzędu pierwszych piątków miesiąca do Komunii Świętej dam łaskę pokuty ostatecznej, że nie umrą w stanie niełaski ani bez sakramentów świętych, a to Serce Moje stanie się dla nich ucieczką w godzinę śmierci – (jedna z obietnic Pana Jezusa przekazana siostrze Małgorzacie Marii Alacoque dla czcicieli Jego Najświętszego Serca)

PIERWSZA SOBOTA MIESIĄCA

W sobotę, 2 sierpnia zapraszamy na Czuwanie I sobotnie, które rozpoczniemy o godz. 7.00 wieczorem. To nabożeństwo ma charakter wynagradzający Jej Niepokalanemu Sercu za zniewagi wyrządzone przez ludzi. Tym, którzy będą praktykować to nabożeństwo, obiecuję ratunek. Przybędę w godzinę śmierci z całą łaską, jaka dla ich wiecznej szczęśliwości będzie potrzebna. Te dusze będą obdarzone szczególną łaską Bożą.

INTENCJE Papieskie na miesiąc sierpień:

Módlmy się, aby społeczności, których współegzystencja wydaje się bardzo trudna, nie ulegały pokusie konfrontacji z powodów etnicznych, politycznych, religijnych czy ideologicznych.

ŻYWE RÓŻANIEC

Codziennie 120 osób modli się jako „Żywy Różaniec” w intencji wspólnoty parafialnej, całego Kościoła, intencjach Papieża. „Żywy Różaniec” służy pomocą Księdzu Proboszczowi w działaniach duszpasterskich. Koła różańcowe uczestniczą w życiu liturgicznym Kościoła parafialnego poprzez posługę modlitwy różańcowej podczas świąt i uroczystości maryjnych oraz kościelnych, poprzez comiesięczne pierwszo-sobotnie czuwanie maryjne i sobotni różaniec przed polską Mszą św.

Różaniec to modlitwa, która może zmienić człowieka, rodzinę, społeczeństwo, a nawet narody. Na tę modlitwę możemy przeznaczyć różny, niewykorzystany lub marnotrawiony czas, np. w chorobie, samotności, bezsenności i innych sytuacjach. Jeżeli zorganizujemy sobie odpowiednio porządek dnia, zawsze znajdziemy czas na choćby jeden dziesiątek różańca.

Jeżeli pragniesz doskonalić swoją duchowość i pobożność maryjną, zapraszamy do wstąpienia do wspólnoty Kół Żywego Różańca w parafii św. Ferdynanda. W każdą drugą niedzielę miesiąca gromadzimy się o 6:20 AM na wspólnym różańcu, Mszy Świętej od 7:00 AM, zmianie tajemnic, a potem spotykamy się na wspólnym śniadaniu i krótkiej konferencji duchowej. Jeśli pragniesz wstąpić do wspólnoty Kół Żywego Różańca w parafii św. Ferdynanda – dzwoń do głównej zelatorki – Helena Lesak: (773) 387 - 2337



Koło Podhalań i Miłośników Tatr przy Parafii Św. Ferdynanda organizuje pielgrzymkę:

„Wielki Odpust Podhalański” Munster, Indiana 17 sierpnia 2025

Wyjazd z parkingu Parafii o godzinie 9-tej, planowany powrót o godzinie 18-tej. Cena uczestnictwa: \$40.00 od osoby (przejazd luksusowym autokarem).

Warto uczestniczyć i zobaczyć, jak górale z wielką wiarą i miłością oddają cześć swojej patronce pięknym śpiewem i modlitwą – Matce Bożej Ludzimierskiej, Gaździnie Podhala.

Przy tej okazji możesz również zasmakować prawdziwego, domowego, góralskiego jadła, pięknej muzyki i tańców zespołów góralskich.

Zabieramy wszystkich, którzy chcą tam jechać i wspólnie spędzić czas z góralami w pięknych ogrodach Ojców Karmelitów Bosych w Munster, Indiana.

Po rezerwację i informację prosimy dzwonić:

Anna B. – 773 733 6844,

Anna C. – 773 750 7856,

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Zapraszamy serdecznie wszystkich do wyjazdu





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