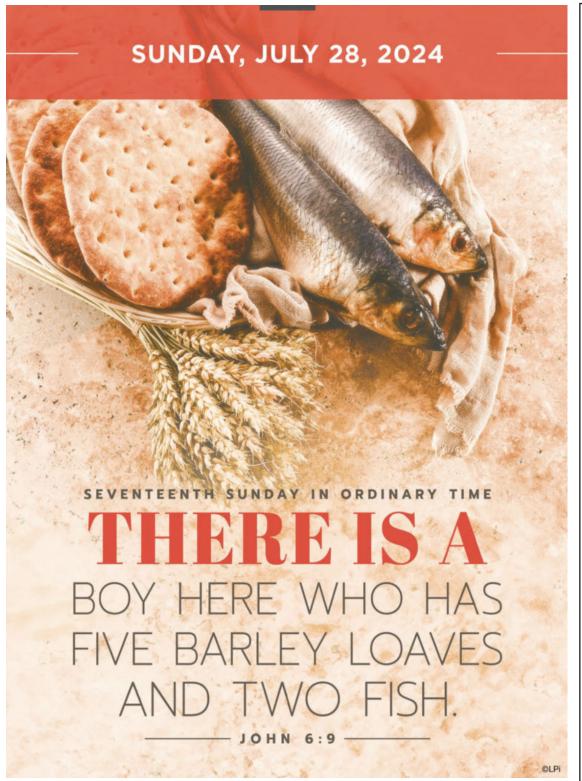
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## Mass Intentions

Monday July 29—Sts. Martha, Mary & Lazarus

8:45am Joyce Dempsky

Tuesday July 30—St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

8:45am Sally Summers

Wednesday July 31—St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest

8:45am Souls of Priests in Purgatory

Thursday August 1—St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

8:45am Jesus Torres, Jr.

Friday August 2—St. Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; St. Peter Julian Eymard,

Priest

8:45am Eloisa Torres

Saturday August 3—Weekday

5:00pm Anne & Tom Jones/Ralph, Sr. & Camella DeRose/

Marvin G. Jett/Intention of Helen Taylor/Tom & Shelly Yerkes

Sunday August 4—Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am Joyce Maxse/David Wyrobek/Patricia Cane/Kate Ward

10:30am The People of St. Alexander Parish 6:00pm The People of St. Alexander Parish

# Weekly Facility Schedule

Mon. 7/29: Tri-Town YMCA Summer Camp Young Adult Ministry Scout Troop 199	Hall/Gym Library Hall/Gym	7:00am 6:30pm 7:00pm
Tues. 7/30: Tri-Town YMCA Summer Camp Legion of Mary	Hall/Gym Fr. Tuan Rm	7:00am 9:00am
Wed. 7/31: Tri-Town YMCA Summer Camp Music-Joystir Choir Practice Music—Witness Choir Practice	Hall/Gym Sisters Rm Church	7:00am 6:45pm 7:00pm
Thurs. 8/1: Tri-Town YMCA Summer Camp Mittens for Mary Knitting Group Knights of Columbus Meeting 100th Anniv. Picture Committee	Hall/Gym Sisters Rm Fr. Tuan Rm Sisters Rm	7:00am 9:30am 6:00pm 6:00pm
Fri. 8/2: Tri-Town YMCA Summer Camp	Hall/Gym	7:00am
Sat. 8/3: Rental-Tri-Town YMCA Raffle ticket sales Kane County Cougars ticket sales	Hall/Gym Gathering Space Gathering Space	9:00am after Mass after Mass
Sun. 8/4: Raffle ticket sales Kane County Cougars ticket sales Catechist Meeting Eucharistic Holy Hour	Gathering Space Gathering Space Sisters Rm Church	after Masses after Mass 9:30am 2:00pm –3:00pm



#### **Hospitality Sunday**

The Hospitality
Committee is taking a break
for the Summer. Hospitality
will resume on Sunday,
August 18th at the 8:30am and
10:30am Masses.

Have a wonderful Summer!



#### Reconciliation

#### St. Alexander:

Tuesdays from 5:00—6:00pm Saturdays from 4:00—4:45pm or by appointment 630-833-7730

#### St. John the Apostle:

Mondays from 5:00—6:00pm Saturdays from 4:00—4:45pm or by appointment 630-279-7404



# 100th Anniversary Picture Committee NEEDS YOUR HELP!

We are looking for pictures from the following:

- 1. Wedding in the 1970's, early 2000's and current
- 2. First Communion from 1950's and 1970's
- 3. Confirmation from 1950's and 1970's
- 4. Baptism from all decades
- 5. Altar with the communion rails.

Pictures can be emailed to:

100thanniversary@stalexanderparish.org.

Thank you for your help!



# Thank You, Thank You, Thank You!

Special thanks to Bryan and Joanne Meehan, Al Jones and Rene Mino (Maintenance) for a great job in clearing the southwest side of our parking lot by the Villa Park Library.

Huge job!!! Well done and now we can park closer to the curb.



It is in Baptism that one is welcomed into a community of faith.

As a parish community,

"WE WELCOME YOU."

Elianna Alvarez, son of Omar Alvarez and Yadira
Almaraz

# TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALL GAME

# FAMILY EVENT KANE COUNTY



Geneva, Illinois

MINOR LEAGUE BASEBALL GAME SUNDAY, AUGUST 18, 2024 1:00 P.M.

\$15/ADULT \$5/CHILD FAMILY OF FOUR DISCOUNT \$30

Parking information available w/purchase of tickets









Ticket sales begin this weekend, July 27/28.

All proceeds benefit 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration

## JOIN US FOR OUR JULY DINE AND DONATE!



St. Alexander 100th Anniversary

# **PIZZA NIGHT**

Tuesday -JULY 30 4 - 9:00pm (630)-613-9017

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#### STEP 2

Let us know you're with



#### STEP 3

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### O.C.I.A.

Order of Christian Initiation for Adults

Are you missing Sacraments? Do you have a friend interested in the Catholic faith? Our "no commitment" inquiry sessions begin in September here at St. Alexander. This is an opportunity to learn more about becoming Catholic and an opportunity for those who have not received Eucharist and/or Confirmation. For more information, contact Deacon Matt Tretina at mtretina@stalexanderparish.org







# St Alexander Catholic Church Blood Drive

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus Father John Barrett Council #8365 300 S. Cornell Ave., Villa Park

> Tuesday, August 13, 2024 12:00pm to 5:00pm

For an appointment call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit RedCrossBlood.org. and use sponsor code: StAlexanderVP OR contact Al Foerster at foersteralvin@att.net



Scan to schedule an appointment

# LAST WEEKEND TO PURCHASE TICKETS!





# Raffle Benefitting St. Alexander 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration

Tickets on sale after all Masses in June and July (except July 20/21) Raffle Tickets \$20 Each or 3 For \$50

1<sup>st</sup> Prize: Genesis Weber Grill 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize: \$100 Gift Certificate Lettuce Entertain You Group

Raffle will take place Sunday, August 4<sup>th</sup> after 10:30am Mass





# Thursday, August 8 Devine Wine Bar 339 E. Kenilworth, Villa Park 7:00pm

CCW would like to invite all ladies to a night out at DeVine Wine Bar, (339 E. Kenilworth, Villa Park), at 7pm on August 8 for a night of wine, friendship and music on the outdoor patio. You can bring your own snacks to munch, AND we will be able to hear the outdoor concert. Please join us.

Join Deacon Chris Cochran for a Pilgrimage to Rome! February 15-26, 2025. Call for info





Join Deacon Christopher Cochran on an Extraordinary

Pilgrimage through Rome

\$3900 PER PERSON (Chicago ←→ Rome)

(11 Days) February 15-26, 2025 (Jubilee Year)

#### VISITING:

Rome \* Vatican City \* Assisi\* Tivoli \* Subiaco \* Monte Cassino

- (Price Includes):
- Airfare from Chicago to Rome
- · Transfers by A/C Coach all throughout the itinerary
- 10 nights accommodations
- (4 Stars Hotel)
- All entrance fees as per program
- English speaking tour guide all through the itinerary
- Masses
- Meals on half board basis at the hotels
- Attend the Pope greeting
- Optional (Extra):
- Wine tasting
- Farewell dinner
  - \$500 DEPOSIT AT THE TIME OF RESERVATION and the rest of the amount is payed by installments
  - FINAL PAYMENT IS DUE 101 DAYS **BEFORE DEPARTURE DATE**









## Faith Formation & Parish News

Director Faith Formation: Kathy Halloran—stasfaithform.dre@gmail.com



Faith Formation Registration / Registro de Formación de la Fe \*\*2024-25\*\*

#### SCHOOL YEAR / AÑO ESCOLAR

Family Mass/Misa familiar: September 8, 2024 at 10:30 am September 15, 2024 - May 4, 2025

15 de septiembre de 2024 - 4 de mayo de 2025

		LASS TIMES on SUNDAYS RIO de CLASES los DOMINGOS	
PreK - 1st Grade		ade 8:30 am - 9:30 am (during mass /durante misa)	
2nd - 5th Grade		8:30 am - 10:15 am (includes mass / incluye misa)	
6th Grade - 9th Grade		h Grade 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm	
10th-12th Grade		p (includes mass / incluye misa) at St. John the Apostle, Villa Park Registrarse: Deacon Ron 630-279-7433 or deaconronmadsen@gmail.com	

#### Curriculum / Plan de estudios

PreK-K: Children's Liturgy (Pflaum)
1st, 3rd - 6th: Christ in Us (Sadlier)

First Communion Prep (2nd): Blessed (Dynamic Catholic)

7th-Called to be Catholic, 8th-Confirmed in the Spirit: Loyola Press



#### **TUITION & FEES**

Tuition: \$150 /family

Material Fee: \$20 /child

Sacramental Fee: \$50 /child (max. of \$150 /family)

First Reconciliation/Communion - 2nd grade Confirmation - 8th grade

REGISTRATION OPENS ON July 10, 2024 ONLINE

#### MATRÍCULA Y CUOTAS

Matrícula: \$150 /familia

Costo del material: \$20 /niño

Costo sacramental: \$50 /niño

(max. de \$150 /familia)

Primero Reconciliación/Comunión - 2º grado Confirmación - 8º grado

> LA INSCRIPCIÓN SE ABRE EL 10 de julio de 2024 <u>EN LÍNEA</u>

#### \*\*\* PARENT MEETING / REUNIÓN DE PADRES \*\*\*

Sunday, September 8, 2024: 11:45 am in the Parish Hall (Gym) Domingo, 8 de septiembre de 2024 a las 11:45 a.m. en el gimnasio

QUESTIONS? / ¿PREGUNTAS? EMAIL: STASFAITHFORM.DRE@GMAIL.COM

Scan to register



Escanear para registrarse

## **Prayer Intentions**



Remember these men & women in your daily prayers— Priests, Deacons, Seminarians & Women and Men Religious in the Diocese of Joliet.

- 29. Fr. Bernhard Bauerle O.Carm., Fr. Robert Boley O.Carm.
- 30. Fr. Patrick Mulcahy, Fr. Edward Mumper
- 31. Dcns. Christopher Mazzacano, Wilfredo Marrero
- Br. Damien DeBraekeleer OSF, Br. Joseph Ruscha OSF
- Dcns. Luciano Coson, Paul Dirienzo, Anthony George
- Sr. Candida Massabo OSF, Sr. M. Anthony Baechle OSF
- 4. Seminarians Matthew Bernhard and Jack Meinhart



We pray for those who have recently been added to our prayer list for the sick. Names will remain in the bulletin list for 1 month. If someone can be taken off this sick list, please let the Parish Office know. Thank you.

Patty Cain, Tom Clark, JoAnn Doyle, Bridgette Laskro, Cheryl Marshal, John Miller, Barbara Savino, and Susanne Strickland

We continue to pray for all the names listed on our online prayer page for the sick. Please visit



Our Faithful Departed

Maria Guadalupe Medina

#### **Eucharistic Adoration**

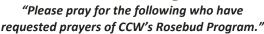
The Adoration Chapel is open: Tuesday: 3:00pm—10:00pm Wednesday: 3:00pm—9:00pm Thursday: 3:00pm—10:00pm



The Chapel is located in the Kennedy Center building North of the Church on Cornell Avenue.

There will be no Adoration in the Church on Mondays starting Memorial Day through Labor Day.

#### **Rosebud Program**





CONGRATULATIONS!

George & Patricia on the birth of their son, Charles Robert.

Anne & Rick due 7/2024 Mary & Brandon due 9/2024 Stephanie & Mike due 11/2024 Eric & Melissa due 2/2025

#### **Special Intentions for:**

Tracey & Bob Maria & Bobby Carl & Terrie
Tony & Andrea Amy & Sam Amanda & Scott
Rose & Eleodoro Mary Frances Bob & Cyndy
Mary & Jared Julie & Rus Jason & Leah
Lisa & Jim Cin Kristin & Tim

Please call Michele if you have any questions or would like to add a name or update: 630.564.8423.



# Vocations Cross (3rd Sunday of the Month @ 10:30 Mass)

Recognizing the importance of praying for Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious life, the Council of Catholic Women (CCW) is asking one family a month to pick up the Vocations Cross at Mass and pray for an increase of vocations that month.

If you are interested, please contact Judy Emerson @ 630-620-1425 to sign up for the Vocations Cross.

## Stewardship

Sunday Collection: 7/14/2024	.\$13,489
Sunday Collection: 7/21/2024	\$4,736
Online Giving (WeShare) 7/10-7/23/2024	\$4,505
Weekly Goal	\$8,654
YTD Actual Sunday Coll	\$33,366
YTD Goal Sunday Coll—52 weeks	\$450,000
Major Maintenance 7/14/2024	. \$479
Major Maintenance 7/21/2024	\$189
Major Maint. Online Giving 7/10-7/23/2024	\$40

Thank you for your continued support of St. Alexander.

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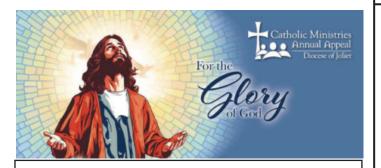
# Parishioner Registration

#### Why register with St. Alexander Parish?

**Faith is a Journey, not a Destination.** Registering with the parish is a commitment to your Faith Journey and St. Alexander's would like to walk with you.

#### Benefits to registering as a Parishioner:

- 1. Registration helps you stay connected with the parish, builds community and helps the parish stay connected with you.
- Other parishes (including St. Alexander) often request verification of a person's status as a practicing Catholic, attendance at Mass, sacraments, etc., when that person has been asked to be a Godparent or Confirmation Sponsor. Without registration, no such verification can be made.
- Census numbers may determine how many priests are assigned to a parish and how many Masses and enrichment programs are planned and scheduled.



# The 2024 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES ANNUAL APPEAL

#### PLEDGE REPORT: July 21, 2024

Thank you to all those who have made pledges. Please continue to make your **2023 CMAA** pledge payments . **Once** we have reached our goal in paid pledges, 70% of the additional funds received will be returned to the parish for our use.

Parish Goal: \$46,500
Amount Pledged: \$43,439
Amount Paid: \$39,925
Remaining Balance: \$3,514
Donor Count 206

Thank you for your continued support.

## Welcome to St. Alexander!

We are blessed to have you with us today—and every weekend! Our liturgies are enhanced by your presence and participation. We hope that you find the experience here at St. Alexander's to include a warm and inspiring celebration of the Eucharist and the faith that we profess.

If you are not registered at St. Alexander's or are registered and need to make changes, please complete the form below and place it in the offertory basket or mail it to the Parish Office at 300 S. Cornell Avenue, Villa Park, IL 60181.

I	
Name:	
Address:	
City/Zip:	
Phone:	
[ ] New Parishioner	[ ] New Address

## Deanery/Diocesan News







#### PREVIEW THE BIBLE SCHOOL IN OUR DIOCESE!

The acclaimed **Biblical Institute in the Diocese of Joliet** is registering students for Years I and 2 this Fall: Attend in person classes at **Ascension of Our Lord Catholic Church** in Oakbrook Terrace for Year I on Saturdays 9-I I a.m. Year 2 in person classes will be held at **Visitation Parish** in Elmhurst on Mondays 7-9 p.m. <u>OR</u> **Zoom Live Online** classes for Year 2 on Wednesdays 7-9 p.m. If you want to learn the Bible from a Catholic perspective, come and see if this program is for you.

# Mayslake Ministries Engaging Catholics in a Modern World

#### FOR MORE INFORMATION

- Phone 630-852-9000 OR 630-698-8961
- Email jgorski@mayslakeministries.org
- •Web site mayslakeministries.org

#### In Person Preview Events in August:

•	immaculate Conception (Elmhurst)	August 5 (Monday)	7-8:30 p.m.
•	St. Mary of Gostyn (Downers Grove)	August 10 (Saturday)	9-10:30 a.m.
•	Mary, Queen of Heaven (Elmhurst)	August 12 (Monday)	7-8:30 p.m.
•	Holy Ghost (Wood Dale)	August 13 (Tuesday)	7-8:30 p.m.
•	Christ, The King (Lombard)	August 17 (Saturday)	9-10:30 a.m.
•	Visitation Parish (Elmhurst)	August 19 (Monday)	7-8:30 p.m.
•	Ascension (Oakbrook Terrace)	August 24 (Saturday)	9-10:30 a.m.
•	St. Joseph's Parish (Downers Grove)	August 27 (Tuesday)	7-8:30 p.m.

#### In Person Preview Events in September:

- Ascension (Oakbrook Terrace)
- **Visitation (**Elmhurst)

September 7(Saturday) 9-10:30 a.m. September 9 (Monday) 7-8:30 p.m.

Meet an instructor, talk to current students, see the books, get a feel for a typical class!

**Parish Center:** 630.833.7730

Office Hours:

Monday-Thursday 9:00 a.m. — 12:00 Noon

1:00 p.m.— 4:30 p.m.

Friday 9:00 a.m.— 1:00 p.m.

Church Website:www.stalexanderparish.orgParish e-mail:office@stalexanderparish.orgBulletin e-mail:bulletin@stalexanderparish.org

Mass Schedule:

Monday - Friday: 8:45 a.m. Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

6:00 p.m. (Spanish Mass)

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday: 5:00 p.m.— 6:00 p.m.(Eng/Span)

Saturday 4:00 p.m.—4:45p.m.

Sacrament of Baptism

Attendance at a pre-Baptismal class is required for both English and Spanish Baptisms. Pre-registration is necessary prior to class.

2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month @ 12:15 p.m.

Spanish Baptisms:

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month @ 3:00 p.m.

**Sacrament of Marriage** 

Arrangements must be made **AT LEAST SIX (6)** months in advance before making other arrangements.

**Eucharistic Adoration Chapel** 

Tuesday and Thursday from 3:00pm—10:00pm

Wednesday from 3:00pm—9:00pm

**Pastor:** Reverend Mark Rosenbaum

**Mass Assistants:** 

Fr. Larry Brunette/Rev. Nhan Van Tran SVD/ Rev. David Medow/Rev. Johnus Cherunilath

**Permanent Deacons:** 

Christopher Cochran/Julio Jimenez/James Krueger/

Mark Ranieri, Jr./Matthew Tretina

Office Administrator: Sue D'Alessandro
Parish Registrar: Denise Rumchak
Music Coordinator: Gina Gabriel

**Faith Formation:** 630.833.7730

**E-mail:** stasfaithform.dre@gmail.com

**Director:** Kathy Halloran



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