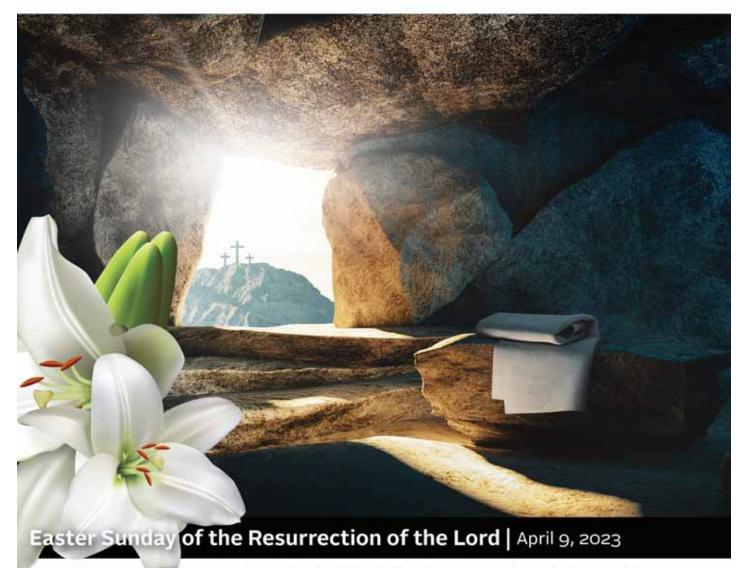
Sat: 5:00pm (SJE) | Sun: 8:00am/10;30am (QR) | 9:15am (SJE) Daily: 8:15am M/W/F (SJE) | Tu/Th/Sa (QR) Reconciliation: Wed 7:00pm (QR) | Sat 12:00pm (SJE) — Check schedule for holy days of obligation/holidays.





Under Mary's mantle, and with the guidance of the Holy Trinity, Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament seeks to share God's love by celebrating the sacraments, proclaiming the gospel, and serving the needs of all His children.

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# **JESUS LOVES YOU!**

"Jesus Christ loves you; he gave his life to save you; and now he is living at your side every day to enlighten, strengthen, and free you." In Evangelii gaudium (The Joy of the Gospel), Pope Francis reminds us that this is the central proclamation of the Christian faith. If we let this message soak into our hearts, then all of life finds a new direction and new meaning.

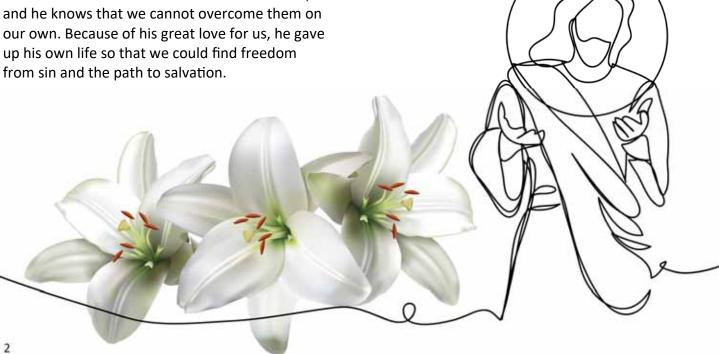
"Jesus Christ loves you." Everything begins here. Too often we can fall into the trap of thinking that God is angry with us, that he is punishing us, or that he does not care about us at all. None of these is true. God willed and created each and every one of us, and everything that he has made is good. God does not want to be far away from us, and he does not want us to be far away from him. That is why Jesus came to be among us - to confirm for us the closeness and tenderness of the love of God.

"He gave his life to save you." One of the most challenging things to admit to ourselves is that we cannot do everything on our own. We are not all-powerful. We are not perfect. And yet in our hearts there is a longing for more, a longing for greatness, something that wants to believe that we can be more than we are. God knows our weaknesses, and he knows that we cannot overcome them on our own. Because of his great love for us, he gave up his own life so that we could find freedom from sin and the path to salvation

"Now he is living at your side every day to enlighten, strengthen, and free you." In the example of Jesus, we learn that the way to everlasting life is found only when we also make a gift of ourselves in love to others. When we try to live the way of selflessness and love, we can easily become overwhelmed. Who has the strength to give, and give, and give, and never stop? In truth, only God. So Jesus promised that he would not leave us orphans. In his resurrection, he continues to be alive, so that we can always rely on him to give us what we need.

On the first Easter morning, everything changed for his disciples. Their grief and sorrow turned first into confusion as they tried to understand what they had seen: the tomb was empty. The confusion turned into wonder and amazement as they came to realize: not even death was stronger than the love of God. Wonder turned into indescribable joy when they saw him.

Jesus Christ loves you; he gave his life to save you; and now he is living at your side every day to enlighten, strengthen, and free you. On this Easter morning, will you let him?



-Fr. Dan

#### **MINISTRY SCHEDULE** April 15/16 Mass Time Lector Extraordinary Ministers 5:00pm John Finn Jill Meister Peter Meister Linda Szymanski 8:00am Mary Ellen O'Shea Patricia Childress **Kathy Casterton** Elizabeth Luong 9:15am Ian Padua **Deacon Jerry** VickiLynn Gilman Vicky Lucki 10:30am Diane Ambrose Bill Piscitello **Chris Schiffer** Dan Schiffer

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK		
Monday 8:15am (SJE)	April 10 + Billy DePalma	
<u>Tuesday</u> 8:15am (QR)	April 11 + Cole Kilty	
Wednesday 8:15am (SJE)	April 12 + Angelo & Josephine Anzelone, + Dan & Nancy Anzelone, + Friedrich Warner	
Thursday 8:15am (QR)	April 13	
<u>Friday</u> 8:15am (SJE)	April 14 + Piotr Morawski	
Saturday 8:15am (QR)	<u>April 15</u>	
5:00pm (QR)	+ Irene Kopaczewski, + Larry Mullholland, Sr., + Jerry Russell, + Diane Schuldt, + Joanna Mika, + Judy Derus	
Sunday 8:00am (QR)	April 16 + John Prega	
9:15am (SJE)	+ Carmen A. Arboleda	
10:30am (QR)	For the people of the parish	

THIS WEEK'S PARISH CALENDAR		
7:45am	Daily Mon-Sat Morning Prayer (Telephone or App)	
<u>Monday</u>	April 10 Parish Offices closed on Easter Monday	
7:00pm	Book Club (SJE Shea Hall)	
Tuesday 9:30am 4:00pm 6:30pm 7:00pm 7:30pm	April 11 Tuesday Morning Group (SJE Shea Hall) Journey of the Heart (SJE Shea Hall) Marriage & Family Ministry (SJE Shea Hall) Rosary Group (SJE) Respect Life Ministry (SJE Conference Room)	
Wednesday 9:00am 9:30am 7:00pm	April 12 Eucharistic Adoration (SJE/until Reconciliation ends) Wednesday Morning Bible Study (SJE Shea Hall) Reconciliation (SJE)	
Thursday 7:00pm 7:30pm	April 13 The Chosen Bible Study (SJE Classrooms) Bell Choir Rehearsal (QR)	
<u>Friday</u> 7:00pm	April 14 AA (SJE)	
Saturday 9:00am 9:30am Noon	April 15 Eucharistic Adoration (QR/until Reconciliation ends) Prayer Shawl Ministry (SJE Shea Hall) Reconciliation (QR)	
Sunday 9:15am	April 16 Children's Liturgy of the Word (SJE)	

#### **PRAY FOR OUR SICK RELATIVES & FRIENDS**

Divine Mercy Holy Hour (QR)

Delphine Behrmann, Joan Butzen, Contreras family, Cook family, Karyn Cousins, Herbert Fink, Lisa Frasco, Frances Gascon, Sandy Gran, Richard Groves, Peter Hadler, Diane Kaczor, Owen Marino, Michelle Markech, Charlotte McNamara, Morlier family, Mary Raimondo, Dave Roller, Patricia Rowe, John Schneider, Anne Schmid, Patricia Smith, Jackie Vrtis, Helena Wermuth

To continue to have sick relatives and friends included in the intentions list in our parish bulletin, please call the parish office (847) 979-0901.

#### **GRANT UNTO THEM ETERNAL REST**

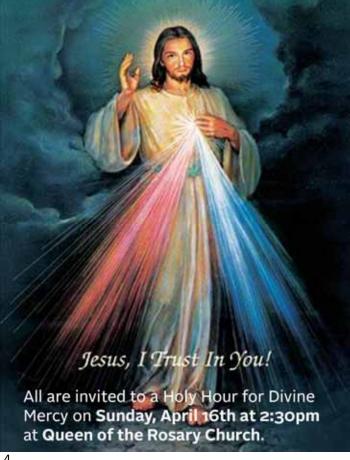
#### **Grant Unto Them Eternal Rest...**

2:30pm

Please continue to pray for all lives lost to violence and natural disasters.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**







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#### Gospel In Focus: Easter Sunday, 2023

Mary Magdalene, Peter and John find Jesus' tomb empty! "Then the other disciple also went in, the one who had arrived at the tomb first, and he saw and believed." - John 20:8

#### **Discussion Questions**

What do you think Mary Magdalene was expecting when she came by Jesus' tomb? How do you think she felt when she found it empty?

What does Jesus' resurrection change about my life?

What do you think most people in our world think about Jesus' resurrection? How can we be a witness to them?

52-Week Mass Discussion Guide for Families: olbsegv.org/prayer-life/#MassGuide

# April 11, 2023 6:30pm | St. Julian Church Shea Hall

Next Marriage & Family **Ministry Meeting** 

All are invited!

#### ARE YOU SEEKING AN ANNULMENT?

Contact the parish office to set an appointment with Fr. Dan or Fr. Louis to discuss your situation.



# Are you expecting?

Reach out to Fr. Dan or Fr. Louis or contact the parish office at (847) 979-0901 about a Blessing for Expectant Parents.

Family is a precious gift from God!





Join Rosary Group most Tuesday Evenings at 7pm at SJE to pray the Rosary.

On the second Tuesday of each month, Respect Life joins Rosary to lead a **Rosary for Life**.

Watch the bulletin and website calendars for complete schedule.

#### **Prayer Shawls**

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bring the Eucharist and the healing presence of Jesus Christ to our parishioners who are ill, homebound or unable to join us in person.

Ministers must be mandated and Virtuscompliant. Watch for Fall training updates.



#### Discover more:

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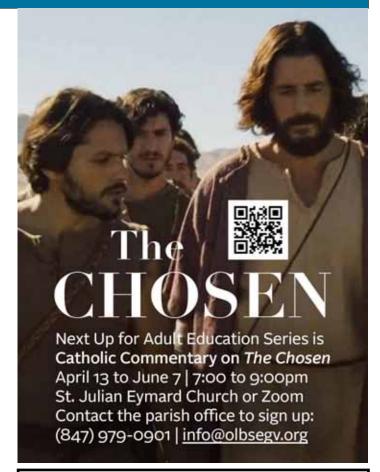
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Bereavement Ministers offer their time and talent to walk with those grieving the loss of a loved one. Come, grow spiritually by sharing your love and compassion.

To discover more, please contact our parish office at (847) 979-0901 or info@olbsegv.org.







Confirmation for Baptized Adults Wednesday, May 17, 2023 St. Edna Parish, Arlington Heights with Bishop Jeffrey Grob

Info sessions begin Monday, March 6, 2023 and you must register by 2/20/23.

For information and registration, visit vic1chicago.org/ (Find Faith Formation on ribbon, then choose Adult Confirmation) or email questions to Lorie Crepeau, lcrepeau@stedna.org.



Do you desire a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ? Are you looking to participate more fully in the life of the parish and connect with other young adult Catholics? Think about bringing a young adult ministry to Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament in the new year! Check out these resources from the Archdiocese of Chicago:

pvm.archchicago.org/covid-19-pastoral-resources/young-adult-online-resources

#### QUEEN OF THE ROSARY SCHOOL REPORT













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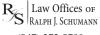
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