



St. Francis Borgia Deaf Center

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5th Sunday of Easter • May 19, 2019



5th SUNDAY OF EASTER

"I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another." - Jn 13:34

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

If you know of a Deaf person in the hospital or nursing home who would like to see Fr. Joe, please contact Catholic Office of the Deaf at 312-957-4766 vp, 312-534-7899 v, or cathdeafch@archchicago.org.

NOTES FROM FR. JOE

- ◆ THANKS to: FR. BILL KEY for his Mass last Sunday; BRIAN SWATEK for taking care of all the arrangements last week; for your prayers for me and the team who went to Santiago, Chile. It was an amazing experience. I will give a report after Mass Sunday, June 2nd.
- ◆ All the priests at St. Francis Borgia continue to pray at EVERY MASS in MAY for all the women you want us to pray for. Fill out the Mother's Day envelope and place on the altar for Mass.
- ◆ Gov Pritzker is proposing that Illinois allow for "recreational marijuana" in our state. We already allow for "Medical marijuana". I know people who have benefited from Medical marijuana, including my own family. However, "recreational marijuana" means anyone over 21 can buy marijuana to use whenever they want. I (Fr.Joe) am very concerned about this. What are YOUR opinions????
- ◆ WILLS/LIVING TRUSTS: remember St. Francis Borgia Deaf Center when you write your WILL/LIVING TRUST. Your gift will keep our Center open to serve deaf people for years to come.
- ◆ SAT, OCT 19, 2019: Hawthorne Race Track fundraiser for CATHOLIC OFFICE OF THE DEAF. Mark your calendars NOW!

Mon, May 27: MEMORIAL DAY. ALL Catholic Cemeteries have Mass that day. Masses begin at 10:30am. Seven cemeteries with SIGN-LANGUAGE INTERPRETERS, special seating for the deaf:

- * ALL SAINTS, Rt. 45 & Central Rd, DES PLAINES;
- * HOLY SEPULCHRE, 111th & Ridgeland, CHICAGO RIDGE;
- * ST. JOSEPH, Belmont & Cumberland, RIVER GROVE;
- * ST. MARY, 87th & Pulaski, CHICAGO;
- * MARYHILL, Dempster & Milwaukee Ave, NILES;
- * QUEEN OF HEAVEN, Wolf & Roosevelt Rds, HILLSIDE;
- * RESURRECTION, Archer Ave & Roberts Rd, JUSTICE.

Seats are reserved till 10am. Arrive early to get good parking.

The city of Chicago has good summer jobs/good pay for any young person, 18 or older, who lives in Chicago. DEAF young people can get these jobs. Look up all the information at www.onesummerchicago.org

HEALING MASS for people with cancer. Each month, there is a special Mass for people with cancer at 11am. Our Lady of Sorrows Basilica, 3121 W. Jackson Blvd, CHGO. (Safe, guarded parking lot.) Please call CATHOLIC OFFICE OF THE DEAF if you need an interpreter. 2nd Saturday of the month SPANISH; 3rd Saturday ENGLISH.

EVENTS COMING UP

- ◆ JUNE 13-16, 2019: Deaf CURSILLO. Wonderful way to become a “leader” in the Catholic Church. This year, the Cursillo is in COLUMBIA, IL, not far from St. Louis. INFO: (618) 787-6993vp. (618) 709-2801 text. Scholarships available; see Fr. Joe. JUNE 13-16, 2019: Deaf CURSILLO. Wonderful way to become a “leader” in the Catholic Church. This year, the Cursillo is in COLUMBIA, IL, not far from St. Louis. 1-618-787-6993vp. 618-709-2801text. Scholarships available; see Fr. Joe.
- ◆ JULY 14 to 19: ICDA-US 2019 Bi-ennial Conference! At Santa Clara University near San Francisco, CA. INFO: <http://icda-us.org/san-francisco-icda-us-2019-conference/>

MON, JUNE 17, 7:30PM:
“WHERE THERE IS DARKNESS”
special showing of the movie about the life and death of FR.
RENE ROBERT.
PICKWICK THEATER, PARK RIDGE.
More details soon!

If your loved one dies and you need a sign language interpreter for Catholic funeral, AS SOON AS POSSIBLE contact Catholic Office of the Deaf with info! cathdeafch@archchicago.org or (312) 534-7899 v or (312) 957-4766 VP

EAT HEALTHY! Shop ALL summer at Farmers' markets, some open this weekend.
Find a Farmer's Market near you:
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www.cityofchicago.org/city/en/depts/dca/supp_info/farmersmarkets0.html

We have many gloomy & wet days in spring. Roads are cold & slippery.

Remember: Keep your lights, front and back, clean.

Make sure you replace any burned out lights immediately.

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Message from Margaret Swatek, Religious Education Reporter

Today we celebrate the Fifth Sunday of Easter! In this weeks Gospel from John, Jesus continues to instruct his friends (the Apostles) about what they are called to do! While his disciples do not know that soon Jesus will no longer be with them. Jesus knows. He is giving them their final instructions.

Before Jesus goes, he teaches his disciples a new commandment: Love one another. Jesus tells them that people will know that they are his followers by the way they love and care for one another.

Family Fun

Discuss as a family extra ways to show love this week. Keep a “love log” – a list of good deeds or special ways you’ve shown love for one another and others in your community this week. Every time you do something “loving” write it down!

On Wednesday, May 22 we remember St. Rita of Cascia. St. Rita is the patron Saint for impossible causes! Learn more about her remarkable life by visiting catholic.org

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Thurs, May 23, 9am-2pm: Senior Citizen Social.

Sun, May 26: Mass, 10:30am. Refreshments.

Mass, 4pm, St. Mary of Vernon. Refreshments.

Mon, May 27: MEMORIAL DAY. Masses at all Catholic cemeteries.

Sun, June 2: Mass, 10:30am. Coffee & rolls. Report of CHILE from Fr. Joe.

Sun, June 9: Mass, 10:30am.

Mass, 4pm, St. Julie Billiart. Refreshments.

Sun, June 16: FATHER'S DAY. MASS, 10:30am. NO 4pm Mass, St. Julie Billiart.

Readings for the Week of May 19, 2019

Sun May 19: Acts 14:21-27; Ps 145:8-13; Rv 21:1-5; Jn 13:31-35

Mon May 20: Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-4, 15-16; Jn 14:21-26

Tues May 21: Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-13, 21; Jn 14:27-31

Weds May 22: Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-5; Jn 15:1-8

Thurs May 23: Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11

Fri May 24: Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-12; Jn 15:12-17

Sat May 25: Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1-5; Jn 15:18-21



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PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

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Mass Every Sunday 10:30am

At St. Francis Borgia Deaf Center

Mass at 4:00pm:

St. Julie Billiart: Aug 12; 2nd & 3rd Sundays
for Sept, Oct, Nov.

St. Mary of Vernon: 4th Sunday of every
month

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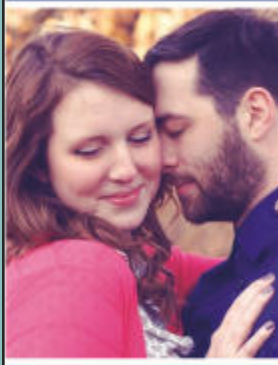
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