



St. Francis Borgia Deaf Center

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30th Sunday in Ordinary time - October 25, 2020



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"You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart,
with all your soul, and with all your mind." - Mt 22:37

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If your loved one dies and you need a sign language interpreter for Catholic funeral, AS SOON AS POSSIBLE contact Fr. Joe at 312-685-7899 v/text. If you know of a Deaf person in the hospital or nursing home who would like his blessing, he can call them at the nursing home.

NOTES FROM FR. JOE

- **DRIVERS:** next Friday/Saturday nights, there WILL be children out on the streets in costumes. They will have a hard time seeing you. Please watch out for them.
- **NOVEMBER,** the month of the "Poor Souls". During the entire month of November, all the priests at St. Francis Borgia pray for our deceased family and friends at EVERY MASS. Please fill out the All Souls envelope and place it in the collection basket. We will keep all these envelopes on the altar at St. Francis Borgia for all our Masses.
- **NOV.1** is the feast of ALL SAINTS. We will pray also for ALL SOULS (Nov.2).
- **FLU SHOTS:** please make sure to get your flu shot as soon as possible. If you are on MEDICARE/ MEDI-CAID, the shot is FREE
- **Sun Oct 25, 2 pm:** Annual Mass supporting people with mental illness, families, friends, and mental healthcare providers. INFO: Deacon Tom Lambert, tlambert@ourlmc.org Please register at [us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZEIcOuhqjMiE9226fZcBwwAUJkpsuiGdik6](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84451226726)
- **Tues, Oct 27, 6-8pm:** there will be a Zoom meeting about the Chicago Police and persons who are deaf and/or disabled. Access Living will coordinate the meeting. INFO: jhorne@accessliving.org.
- **OCT 15 to DEC 7:** If you will turn 65 in 2021, you should sign up for MEDICARE NOW, before Dec.7th. If you are already on Medicare, you can switch your PART "D" prescription drug plan for 2021, if you wish. If you are satisfied with your Part "D" plan, do NOTHING. Medicare.gov
- **ALL SOULS ENVELOPES:** please write the names of all your loved ones who have died on your ALL SOULS envelope. Place in the box on the altar. During NOVEMBER, the priests at St. Francis Borgia will pray at EVERY Mass for those who are named.
- Please support the CCE/St. Francis Borgia Fall raffle. This is important for our future to stay open and serving you.
- If you feel sick, feel a cold starting, stay home from Church until you feel good again. It is important to: wash your hands/use a hand sanitizer. Wear a mask when you are with other people, outside or into any stores. No handshaking. Keep social distance. If you feel sick: high fever, hard cough, body hurts all over, contact your doctor. If you are VERY weak, trouble breathing, 9-1-1! Do not wait. IF YOU CAME TO CHURCH AND TEST POSITIVE FOR CoVid 19 PLEASE CONTACT FR JOE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

Every Monday, 1pm & Every Wednesday, 2pm:
VIDEO PHONE CHAT with
Deaf Social/Support Group,
RSVP: 224-520-9763vp,
sphadke@schaumburgtownship.org

WASH YOUR HANDS

SOAP & WARM WATER, 20 Seconds.

STAY HOME: avoid being near other people.

GET REST: getting enough sleep is important.

DRINK WATER: also hot coffee or tea.

MOVE AROUND: do not sit at your VP or computer screen for hours.

WARNING: if you travel to IOWA, INDIANA, WISCONSIN, MISSOURI, KENTUCKY, be careful. Wear your mask and stay 6 feet from other people. You MUST quarantine yourself for 14 days after you return. Those states all have high rates of COVID-19.

FLU SHOTS: doctors, nurses, medical people are ALL warning us to get a FLU SHOT this year. Why? Because the FLU will come and we will still have Covid-19. The FLU SHOT protects us from getting sick. Also, if people with the flu start showing up at hospital EMERGENCY ROOMS at the same time as people with Covid-19 are coming - disaster! The best time to get a flu shot is middle of SEPT through middle of OCT.

ELECTRONIC GIVING is an EASY way to contribute to St. Francis Borgia Deaf Center.
INFO: deafsmitty@gmail.com (JIMMY SMITH).
He can make your giving to church each week simple, with no hassles!

FEEDING HUNGRY CHILDREN: There are hundreds of sites in the Chicago area where children can receive healthy, FREE meals. To find these sites, go to: www.summerfeedingillinois.org, Text FOODIL to 877877, or call 1-800-359-2164. CHICAGO PUBLIC SCHOOLS has free lunch for children at many schools. To find the nearest free meal location, visit www.cps.edu/services-and-supports/school-meals-and-nutrition/. The Greater Chicago Food Depository has a number of "Pop-up Pantries". These are mobile sites where food is available for families. Go to: www.chicagofoodbank.org and search "Pop-up Pantries".

IMMIGRATION LEGAL CLINICS:

Irish Community Services offers FREE 30 minute VIRTUAL meetings with immigration lawyers. Upcoming clinics Oct 29, Nov 18. The meetings are FREE & CONFIDENTIAL. ALL Nationalities are welcome, not only Irish! If you are deaf and wish to attend one of these, contact Catholic Office of the Deaf to arrange an appointment and get an interpreter.

To register for a legal clinic please call 872-227-7099 or email info@irishchicago.org

Family Together

Jesus' command to love our neighbors as ourselves is a challenge to all families. Here are a few ideas that will help your children grow in their understanding of Jesus' commandments.

1. Have a "love God through our neighbor" meeting some day this week. Discuss who your neighbor is and new ways the family can love.
2. Select a love-project that will involve everyone in some way. Some families may prefer an ongoing project like sponsoring a Third World child through one of the international organizations. Others may choose to help someone closer to home.
3. Learn and pray the following prayer together each evening this week.

Message from Margaret Swatek, Religious Education Reporter 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time Matthew 22:34-40

This week, Jesus tells you about the most important commandments: "Love God with all your heart, and love your neighbor as yourself."

If you love God with all your heart, you will never misuse God's name or put others before God. And if you love your neighbor as yourself, you will not lie or steal or hurt others.

Then Jesus makes it even easier. He says, "Whatever you do for others, you also do for me." Every kind deed you do for a friend is a kind deed you are doing for God. Whenever you obey your parents, you are really obeying God.

Jesus gives you two great commandments that help you obey the Ten. Then he shows you that by obeying one you obey both. What a super shortcut to loving God!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Sat, Oct. 31: turn clocks BACK one hour. Change batteries in smoke/CO detectors

Sun, Nov 1: Mass, 10:30am. ALL SAINTS/ALL SOULS Mass We pray for all those who have died.

ANointing of SICK PERSONS after MASS

Sun, Nov. 9: Mass, 10:30am. Mass, 6pm, St. Julie Billiart. Sign up at deaoned@stjulie.org

Sun, Nov. 16: Mass, 10:30am. Mass, 6pm, St. Julie Billiart. Sign up at deaoned@stjulie.org

Sun, Nov. 23: Mass, 10:30am. Mass, 4pm, St. Mary of Vernon

Sign up at www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0f45adab2fa4fd0-stmary7

PLEASE CONTINUE TO CHECK OUR WEBSITE FOR NEW INFORMATION.

WWW.DEAFCHURCHCHICAGO.ORG

Many of our Chaplains for the Deaf are posting Masses on the internet.

Mon and Weds - Fr. Shawn Carey - www.facebook.com/bostondeafcatholic.org/

Tuesdays - Fr. Mike Depcik at 10:30 am EST, 7:30am PST - www.facebook.com/deafmass

Thursdays - Fr. Paul Zirimenya 12 noon PST, 3pm EST www.facebook.com/stbenedictparish

Fridays - 3pm - Divine Mercy Chaplet - www.facebook.com/groups/icdaus/

REMINDER: the doors to the hall open at 10am each Sunday for Mass. There is no social time after Mass until further notice. When Mass is finished, you must leave the building.

HelpIllinoisfamilies.com is a program to help families who have unpaid bills for rent, utilities, food, etc.

Go to: helpillinoisfamilies.com.

Readings for the week of October 25, 2020

Sun Oct 25: Ex 22:20-26; Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51; 1 Thes 1:5c-10; Mt 22:34-40

Mon Oct 26: Eph 4:32 - 5:8; Ps 1:1-6; Lk 13:10-17

Tues Oct 27: Eph 5:21-33; Ps 128:1-5; Lk 13:18-21

Weds Oct 28: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 6:12-16

Thurs Oct 29: Eph 6:10-20; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Lk 13:31-35

Fri Oct 30: Phil 1:1-11; Ps 111:1-6; Lk 14:1-6

Sat Oct 31: Phil 1:18b-26; Ps 42:2, 3 5cdef; Lk 14:1, 7-11



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deafchurchchicago.org or Facebook

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<http://RockfordDiocese.org/DeafApostolate/>

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Arlene Redmond
Hedie Iovito
Patricia Mancuso
Frank Mancuso
Robert Lisante
Caroline Goraj
Claudia Glenn
Majka family
Drucilla Ronchen
Carmen Reyes
Kay Mulvey
Bill Cusack
Brent Shiver
Charlotte Seegert
Barb Roche, who died Oct. 15. Donna Price, who died Oct. 15

Dolores Wallace
John Hoberg
Sr. Corita Ambro
Peggy Franco
Richard Kush
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Carol Fleming
Fr. Len Broniak
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Mass Every Sunday 10:30am

At St. Francis Borgia Deaf Center

Mass at 4:00pm:

St. Julie Billiart: 2nd & 3rd Sundays every month

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

Take a look at FR. MIKE DEPCIK's web-page, every week: www.frmd.org

Pietryka Funeral Home
 5734 W. Diversey Avenue ~ 773-889-0115

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 5735 W. Fullerton Ave. ~ 773-237-6400

Our family is dedicated to helping you share the stories that make this community great. We provide a place to cry, to laugh, and most importantly, begin the healing process that follows the loss of a loved one. Whether traditional or unique, we help you create a meaningful way to say goodbye.

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