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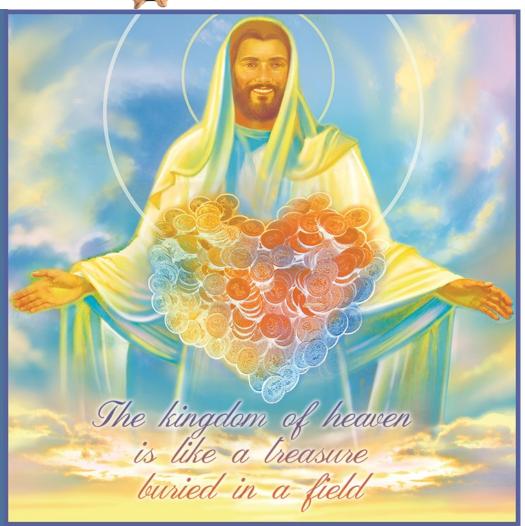
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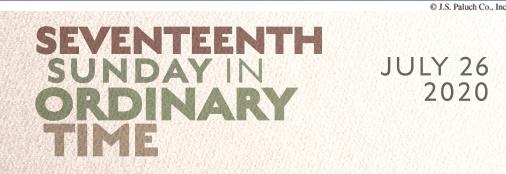
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Faith Formation Office Hours (see Parish Office Hours) Sundays when RE is in session 8:30am-10:15am

Weekend Masses Saturday 4:00pm Sunday 8:00am, 10:30am Family Mass, and 1:30pm





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Saint Hugh: it's all about Love!



Mt. 13:44-46 "The Kingdom of Heaven is like a treasure buried in the field." Jesus in the Gospel reading talks about the Kingdom of Heaven that he compares to a treasure and pearls. The same reading discloses that there's is lots of dealing involved in the process. They are work, even anxiety are part of the process when we try to look for the Kingdom of God.

As the Kingdom of God is precious, we assume that it's value is not measurable in anything material! The idea of treasure or pearls is there to help us only to understand that God's Kingdom is a worthy goal for us all! It isn't material but it exists.

During our time especially, we need to remind the world that all is given to us so we can prepare ourselves for entry into the Kingdom of God! The world and of course our society should be a tool that helps and respects the process! These last several month have been challenging for anything that leads us to the Kingdom of God. Not just the pandemic but the latest unrest has proven that things should be changed.

God does not want destruction or death. And the people who are behind the American version of Fascist-Communism are simply wrong. The distraction of the cities, monuments and life is not an answer to inequality and poverty, because those create more of those and recreate the old issues that were unanswered.

Of course this is just my perspective and I can't speak for every American by just representing myself, but ...the great revolutions in history, were usually bringing more misery and death than any other movements in the world. No revolution was able to finance itself for a longer time and consequently that fact was not only finishing it but also destruction of the country that the revolution touched was great usually for many, many years. The fruits of revolutions are usually: hunger, lack of real purpose, distruction of families, poverty, violence, chaos, atheism!

The liberals that are behind the destruction of this country have been manipulating masses just to get what they want and to remove what they dislike. Not having any sensible solutions or programs, they have been trying to "power grab" what they can, while creating hell on earth! The liberal governments have failed badly their citizens and God by not doing enough to protect us from mayhem and tyranny of the terrorists! The liberal governments for years have not served anyone but themselves, trying to keep people in the cities low so they would never rise from poverty and government created traps.

Solutions???

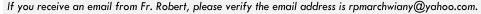
I believe that to help this country, someone should look very closely on school education and the healthcare. If the other countries like: the EU countries, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, etc. can do those things more reasonably or free, we could try look at some possibilities.

a. An annual tuition for Oxford (UK) costs only \$11,700 annually (for the next school year)! Being one of the best schools in the world the school gets government Subsidy and that's a norm and not a miracle. Many schools in that and many other countries are much cheaper or even free for students. Education is a right not a privilege in many countries but not in the United States.

US colleges are able to ask for almost any price paid by the students and no one challenges or helps the matter. The real winners are the banks who finance the American tuition cost. The tuition bill cannot be forgiven in anyway. The good news is that during the pandemic the APR on the tuition loans was lowered to 0%. But average tuition cost in America is usually 4X bigger or more than in the UK and any other country. Most of the European Countries offer free Education!!! Students pay a very small fee for room and board. Some are exempted from that as well.

b. Most of the richer countries offer a free insurance plan or options to choose from. Nevertheless people are always insured in those countries. Sometimes different places ask for a co-pay but in the United States many people cannot afford a good or any insurance and what follows, they don't go to a doctor on regular basis. That causes complications and sometimes early death.

There was a recent example of a young man who was charged an astronomical amount of money for the time that he was treated for the corona virus. He was 2 weeks in the hospital. It looks that he will not pay that bill personally but the bill was impossible for a normal person to pay. Continued on page 6.





Saint Hugh of Grenoble 1052 – 1132

He was named a bishop at age 27. In time of famine he

sold his Episcopal ring in order to aid the poor. St. Hugh assisted Saint Bruno in founding the Carthusians. Feast Day: April 1.

Baptism

Infants are baptized at the parish where their parents are active members - usually on Sunday after the Mass. Contact the Parish Office to schedule.

Reconciliation / Penance / Confession

A priest-confessor is available Saturday after the morning Mass or by appointment.

Communion & Confirmation

Please contact the Faith Formation Office to register in Religious Education.

Anointing of the Sick

Contact Father for a family member who is seriously ill.

Communion for Homebound

Call the Parish Office to request a Minister of Care to visit.

Marriage

Celebrated for current parishioners. Engaged couples should begin preparations with the parish at least six months in advance of a proposed wedding.

Funerals

The family of the deceased should rely on the professional skill of a funeral director who will assist in making arrangements with the parish and cemetery.

Communion, Confession & Anointing Visits (First Friday Pastor Visits)

If you would like the pastor to visit your home on the first Friday of the month to receive Communion, Confession, and when needed to be anointed, please call the Parish Office.

** St. Hugh is the only Roman Catholic Parish in Lyons, Illinois. ** 2

Masses: Saints, Readings, Intentions

Sunday, July 26; Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 26. We believe that Jesus is truly 1 Kgs 3:5-12; Ps 119:57-130; Rom 8:28-30; Mt 13:44-52 4:00pm: Jack & Agnes Dudek and Joseph Prepura 8:00am: Leona & Paul Carrabotta

10:30am: Delvin & Elaine Stednitz and Jose & Juanit Murguia

1:30pm: The Intentions of the Parish

Monday, July 27

Jer 13:1-11; Dt 32:18-21; Mt 13:31-35 10:30am: The People of St. Hugh **Tuesday, July 28**

Jer 14:17-22; Ps 79:8-13; Mt 13:36-43 10:30am: Edward Puskaric

Wednesday, July 29 St. Martha Jer 15:10-21; Ps 34:2-11; Jn 11:19-27 10:30am: Ken Wright and Anele Kebleris

Thursday, July 30 St. Peter Chrysologus Jer 18:1-6; Ps 146:1b-6ab; Mt 13:47-53 10:30am: Purgatorial Society

Friday, July 31 St. Ignatius of Loyola Jer 26:1-9; Ps 69:5, 8-10, 14; Mt 13:54-58 10:30am: The People of St. Hugh

Saturday, August 1 St. Alphonsus Liquori Jer 26:11-24; Ps 69:15-34; Mt 14:1-12 10:30am: The People of S. Hugh

Sunday, August 2; Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 55:1-3; Ps 145:8-18; Rom 8:35, 37-39; Mt 14:13-21 4:00pm: Luis Solis 8:00am: Walter Ignash 10:30am: Jack Roebuck 1:30pm: The Intentions of the Parish



Mass Intentions

When a priest celebrates Mass each day, he offers each celebration of the Eucharist for a particular person, or intention. By doing so he applies special graces from God upon that person or intention.

Remember your loved ones with a Mass Intention. Note - We schedule only two intentions per Mass.

Weekend of August 1-2, 2020

Saint of the Day

God and truly human, and this feast of his grandparents is a testimony to our faith. While the names of Joachim and



Anne may be legendary, we know that Jesus had grandparents, the parents of Mary (as well as those of Saint Joseph). Our God truly became human and lives among us.

July 29. Saint Martha and her sister and brother had the privilege of being personal friends of Jesus, whose home he went to, it seems, to relax with friends. Saint Martha also expressed her deep faith in Jesus at the time of her brother's death. Friends are there for us in happy times and sad.

July 31. Founder of the Society of Jesus, Ignatius of Loyola, like Francis of Assisi, had a conversion experience while recuperating from a serious illness. Being a military man, the Rule of Life that Saint Ignatius wrote for his followers shows the discipline and rigor of a soldier, but a soldier of faith with the mercy and compassion of the Gospel.

August 1. Saint Alphonsus Liquori was a great moral theologian as well as the founder of the Redemptorists. He wrote in the areas of spirituality and doctrine to the edification of his diocese and others. He also suffered at the hands of some Redemptorists who betrayed his dream. Even the saints have difficulties in this life. www.franciscanmedia.org/source/saint-of-the-day



All things work for good for those who love God. — Romans 8:28a



Susan Albrecht, Cheryl Albertsen, John Gilbert, Greg Gnat, Thomas & Michael Griffin, Joe Scheffel, Georgie & Larry Schmitz,

Elsie Tobolaski, Nicole Will

-Help keep this request for prayers updated.

Mass	Celebrant	Reader	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers	Musician/Cantor
4:00pm	Father Robert	TBD	TBD	N/A	Anne W/ TBD
8:00am			y's Liturgy is availd eck our website for		
10:30am	Father Robert	TBD	TBD	N/A	Fran S/TBD
1:30pm	Father Robert	TBD	TBD	N/A	N/A
NCCJ = Comboni	Missionaries of the Sacred He	art of Jesus; Missionarii Com	boniani Cordis Iesu TBD = To Be	Determined	



Mass Updates and Thank You from Father Robert

Our daily and Sunday Mass Celebration during these different times. I am very glad that we at have at least a somewhat normal experience of the daily and Sunday Mass. I have expressed already many times how appreciative I am that our volunteers have stepped up to the challenge of serving us all while making the reopening of the church possible.

We hopefully will keep the freedom to come to church physically from now on. And hopefully we will be open totally soon.

After these last several weeks of the partial reopening I have been observing the process and I have come up with some suggestions.

Please:

1. Let us all be on time before any Mass Celebration starts. Being "on time" means these days at least to enter the Church 5-10 min before the planned start of the Mass. We only use the ramp door to enter the church at this time.

This process can be compared at the moment to a plane boarding. Where normally the passengers cannot just get to the plane because the crew has to let them in during any boarding! We almost try to do the same here at St. Hugh until the pandemic is over. Being at the door early enough helps the volunteers and helps us all to start the Mass Celebration on time! Late walk ins interrupt the Mass because the ramp door closeness to the altar.

2. Please be grateful to the volunteers for what they do for all of us, especially by keeping us all safe!

Fr. Robert Marchwiany, Pastor.

St. Hugh Music Ministry

NPM "Called from Living Waters"

A few months ago I signed up to go to Louisville, Kentucky for the National Pastoral Musicians' annual Convention on July 7 - 10to focus with other musicians on the theme: the sacrament of Baptism and its significance for our faith and ministry. I soon realized that a VIRTUAL convention was presented because of the global virus which prevented large groups from gathering.

As I spent those days at a computer in my home, every musician who appeared on the screen shared how they happened to compose their music and then performed in front of me. I enjoyed the publishers' showcases presenting fresh, new music proclaiming belief in the risen Christ. This sung prayer renewed my spirit.

So many familiar names and sounds, so much skill and sensitivity. Valimar Jensen, Grayson Warren Brown, Elaine Rendler, Bruce Rohrbach and many more renewed my heart and mind. The Louisville hosts believed that beautiful music is transformative. I look forward to sharing this delightful experience with you. See you in church especially when our awaited new experience permits music to work its magic.

Peace, Fran Serpe, Music Director

Faith Formation Office

Please take this time at home to share your faith with your children, and have conversations. Please celebrate Sunday Mass as a family.

RCIA, Confirmation, and First Communion at St. Hugh

Please refer to the email that was sent out with the exact details for those who

were to receive the Easter Sacraments. Please contact the Parish Office for the exact details, or if you have any questions.

<u>Confirmation</u>; Saturday, August 1 and August 8, at 6pm.

RCIA; Saturday, August 8, at 6pm

First Communion; Sunday, August 23, at 3:30pm.

Please make sure all required documents and forms are completed and turned into the office ASAP!

There will be no rehearsal, directions will be emailed, please review them with the child/young adult receiving the Sacrament and anyone who will be in attendance at these special Sacramental Masses.

Information and registration about the 20-21 Religious Education year is coming. We've been taking our time to develop a plan that we feel best supports our families and keeps them safe and healthy. We hope to "see" you all in the upcoming year!

Chris Alfred, Coordinator of Faith Formation

Online Giving

Online Giving Information can be found on the parish website. Online Giving Link: www.givecentral.org/ location/226 tis in giving the receive.

Text to Give Text Sunday to 708-377-9453.

Envelope Drop Off / Mail-In

You can mail your envelopes or drop them off at Mass or into the **MAIL SLOT OF THE BACK DOOR** of the parish office. Mail is brought in every day and deposits are made weekly.

Prayer Wall

Add prayers to our virtual prayer wall on the parish website. Click Prayer Requests to add a prayer or to see our Virtual Prayer Wall. Please allow 24 hours for updates.









Renew My Church: Our Own Discipleship

We have a mission:

within people's hearts.

"Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations... Teach them to carry out everything I have commanded you and know that I am with you always, until the end of the world" (Mt 28:19-20).

This is the Great Commission that Christ gave His apostles. And He gives us this mission today as something to accomplish together. An important element to achieving our mission is understanding what we're facing today.



In an earlier article, I noted some of the reasons why renewal is needed, not the least of which is a steady decline in faith practices that stretches back decades. There are many issues that people cite as a catalyst for leaving the Church or lapsing in their faith. The pain and suffering of the abuse crisis and failure in leadership amongst some has been reason enough for some to walk away or refrain from (re)entering. There are also the age-old allurements and noon-day devils that cause people to drift away from the faith of their youth. And there are also issues and challenges of a personal nature that only God can see

But there are also people that leave the Church not because they reject her teachings or doctrines or even because of the scandals – they leave because they want more than what they're experiencing. In some way, they doubt that Jesus is present within their own parish. For those of us who know and love and serve our Lord present in the sacraments, this may be difficult to get our minds or hearts around. But it's a reality for some.

With that in mind, I ask you to consider the following questions: Are you a disciple of Jesus Christ? What does it mean to be His disciple? Is there anything holding you back from following Him more closely? Or from introducing others to Him? What is your relationship with the parish community? How do you strengthen the larger Catholic community?

It is important to prayerfully discern our own efforts to renew our faith lives and our active participation in the life of the Church. In order to strengthen our larger Catholic community, there are three mission imperatives that guide the efforts of Renew My Church:

Make Disciples

We must reflect on how each of us invites others into a personal encounter and lifelong relationship with Jesus Christ as disciples in His Church.

Build Community

Our parish and school communities today face a number of obstacles to vitality—the parishioner bases of many parishes are very small; the number of school-aged children in areas has decreased; we have fewer priests; many of our parishes are not sustainable to carry on the mission of the Church; and many parishes and schools have deferred maintenance for many years, resulting in unaffordable capital needs.

We must ensure our communities have enough resources to carry out our mission. But we also recognize resourcing alone does not address all of our challenges. Parish and school communities that are well-resourced and vibrant today still face significant challenges because of the changes in society. That is why we need a spiritual renewal at the foundation of all we do.

Inspire Witness

In keeping with the urging of the Second Vatican Council, Pope Francis calls the Church to go out into the world as a field hospital to bring healing to a world torn by division, violence, racism, poverty and to promote respect for human dignity and life.

What does this have to do with your personal role in Renew My Church? Take that question to prayer and as Jesus reminds us that "the mustard seed is the smallest of all plants yet the largest bush when full grown" so, too, will He give you a clear role in the renewal of His Church.

Please reach out with any questions and feel free to visit RenewMyChurch.org to learn more about the vision for renewal in the Archdiocese of Chicago.

One Million Hail Mary Challenge

Together we can pray 1,000,000 Hail Marys for the protection from the COVID-19 pandemic, especially for those in Healthcare, First Responders, Food Service and other job essential workers. Pray for those affected by COVID-19 or facing quarantine and those who have died. Pray for our family and friends for our health and safety. Send in your count to Michelle Brown at stmarymarys@gmail.com to be added to the challenge. As of July 16, we have prayed over 155,364 Hail Marys. Please keep praying!



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From the Pastor's Desk Continued

Perhaps in "a" and "b" we can see that there are many things that have to be done so we can help others and so we can be close to Heaven by maybe simplifying life? When more people are treated more respectfully, we can say that an investment was made toward the Kingdom of God!

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Robert Marchwiany, Pastor.

P.S.

Vaccine to fight with the virus is on the way!!! The American and British governments are closer and closer. Let's be optimistic but also careful until the vaccine is available and until we know that it is it. St. Hugh pray for us!!! Fr. R.M.

Drive Thru Holy Communion!

The Archdiocese of Chicago has allowed the distribution of Holy Communion by "Drive Thru" option during this pandemic. Some Catholic churches that are choosing this option have been equipped to do so. The people who attend the "drive thru" distribution should remember that there are still rules prior receiving this Sacrament!

1. Usually people who use this option at the moment must watch the Mass celebration prior to receiving the Holy Communion.

2. Just receiving Holy Communion without the needed preparation and watching the Mass Celebration just before the receiving it, should not take place. I believe that this is allowed because of the special time not because it is the classiest way to receive the Eucharist.

3. Please remember that if your parish offers a regular Mass, this is your parish that needs your support. The Convenience of other places that offer the drive thru should not cause people to leave their own parishes!

St. Hugh needs you!

The Assumption of Mary will be celebrated on August 15 & 16 in our Parish. Last year I invited all of you to bring the first fruits (and vegetables) from your gardens. A special blessing will be offered at those weekend Masses. The produce and wine in church will be blessed. Fr. Robert M.

Please join us praying the prayer to St. Michael the Archangel. We usually pray this prayer on the First Friday of every month! Now we pray every Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday at the 10:30am Mass, after the homily! We pray especially for conquering of the Covid-19 virus. Please pray with us in the church or/ and at home. Let's be hopeful that this prayer will be another way to seek better days! Fr. Robert Marchwiany, Pastor!

St. Martha

(First Century) July 29 Whether you find Martha Stewart admirable or annoying, she has the perfect patron saint. Luke describes Martha-saint, not Stewart-as "burdened with much serving" (Luke 10:40). About Mary, seated, listening to Jesus, Martha complained, "Do you not care that my sister has left me by myself to do the serving?" Jesus' response, "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things ... Mary has chosen the better part" (10:41, 42), suggests to some the superiority of the contemplative life, leaving the rest of us, supporting families, earning livings, (helping others?), as second-class Christians. But Luke introduces Martha and Mary immediately after Jesus' parable of the Good Samaritan, whom Jesus recommends as a model of practical compassion, concluding, "Go and do likewise" (10:37). Go and do! Sit and listen! Discipleship is never either/or but both/and. Jesus ministered in prayerful silence and hospitable service. Monastic calendars add Martha's sister, Mary, and brother, Lazarus, calling all three "hosts of the Lord," recalling their welcome of Jesus to their home in Bethany, reminding us Whom we welcome whenever we extend summertime hospitality! -Peter Scagnelli, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

Wisdom

Nine-tenths of wisdom consists in being wise in time.

-Theodore Roosevelt

Go forth and set the world on fire. —St. Ignatius of Loyola GIVE YOUR, SERVANT



Question of the Week

Reflect on what you consider to be your treasure.

Wills / Bequests

Bequest HONOURING YOUR LEGACY After providing for your loved ones, please

consider naming Saint Hugh Parish as a beneficiary of your estate.

Scrip (a.k.a. gift cards)



Use our most convenient fundraiser to do your regular everyday shopping. We have posted a list of

participating retailers in the church vestibule. That list is also at www.sthughlyons.org. In-stock scrip (gift cards) are available after the Masses and during the week at the parish office. Next weekend please see THE PARISH OFFICE (CALL BEFORE STOPPING BY): Amazon \$25, CVS \$25, Dunkin Donuts \$10, iTunes \$25, Jewel \$25, Kohl's \$25, Mariano's \$25, Shell (gas card) \$25, Starbucks \$10, Target \$25, Walgreens \$25, Walmart \$25 <u>Help Needed</u>

We need help selling SCRIP after Mass.

Market Day

Market Day is BACK! Market Day. Noter your favorite items, and they will be shipped directly to your house! We are working on an order form to place group orders to save on shipping, please watch your email and the parish website. You can also order online at www.marketday.com.

Hall Rental

Keating Hall is available to rent for parties! Contact the office, or check the website under "other" then Rentals for more information. There is a discounted price for parishioners.





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Stewardship = Time, Talent, & Treasure **Stewardship of Time**

Join in praying the Hail Mary and asking for Mary's intercession.

Stewardship of Talent Volunteer to help at Mass. We need people to help on the reopening team. We are looking for greeters, ushers, and people to help clean and sanitize.

Stewardship of Treasure July 19, 2020

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Includes donations via GiveCe	entral
Contribution/Bequest	1897
Second Collection (Parish Needs)	425
Energy	50
Maintenance	50
Major Repair	275
Other (Sound System/Assumption)	20
TOTAL FOR ST. HUGH	2717
Budget for 2020 - 2021	
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GRAND TOTAL	2727

To safely make your contribution electronically through GiveCentral visit www.sthughlyons.org and click the blue DONATE on the top right.

Second Collection

The Second Collection is for the "Needs of St. Hugh Parish."

The Archdiocesan Collections that took place during the shutdown still need our support. If you have these envelopes, please use them. They include: Catholic Charities, Holy Land, Peter's Pence, Operation Rice Bowl, and Priest's Retirement. If you don't have your envelope, please use a blank one and label it with your desired intention. Thank you!

All other envelopes go toward their labeled intention.

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Is God calling you?

"Ask and you shall receive. Seek and you shall find. Knock and it will be opened to you." Ask in prayer to know your vocation! Seek and find ways to serve! Knock on the doors of those who can help guide you! Do you think God may be offering you the grace of a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life?

If you are considering a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life:

Visit: ChicagoPriest.com and/or VocationsCAVA.org

Stewardship Thought

"We know that all things work for good for those Stewardship who love God, who are called according to his

purpose." (Romans 8:28) Do you really trust God? Do you really believe that God will provide all that you need? Faith is a challenge for everyone at times. Putting our trust in God, in everything we do, in good times and in bad, means that God's plan for our lives may be quite different than what we planned. When one door closes, another one opens. Trust in God, His plan is always better.

Vincentian Reflection

In the Gospel, we find that the demand of daily Christian living is 0 to spend our life primarily searching



God. This month through your gifts to the Society of St. Vincent

de Paul was able to assist families, providing in food, for utility and rent bills, etc. Thank You!

Ministries

708.447.3108 for all marked (*)

Liturgical

Altar Servers (*) +1

Music - Fran Serpe (*) +4

Readers & Eucharistic Ministers Arlene Houda 708.442.9268

Ministers of Care (*) +1

Ushers / Greeters (*) +1

Sacristans [setup/clean church] (*) +1

Catechetical

Christine Alfred – Coordinator Faith Formation (*) + 3(Includes Religious Education [RE] and Youth Ministry [YM])

Sacraments / RCIA (*) +3

SPRED (Special Religious Development) Theresa Mendez 773.703.1543

Service / Social BEDS Plus 708.354.0858 Catholic Charities 708.329.4022

Girl Scouts (*) +3

St. Kateri's Closet (*) +3 or Amanda Salinas 708.826.0405

Knights of Columbus 708.341.3141

Scrip / Gift Cards (*) +1

Respect Life

Mary Ann Doornbos Liz Shermack 708.447.6849

St. Vincent de Paul Society (*) +1

Society of Catholic Women (SCW) Susan Kahler 708.805.1007

Men's Group

Parish Office (*) +1

* St. Hugh Church is handicap accessible with a ramp in the Joliet Ave. parking lot. *

🚏 Renew My Church Grouping Parishes

Saint Mary 126 Herrick Rd., Riverside Sat. 5:00pm Sun. 8:00, 10:00, 11:30am, 5:00pm Mon-Wed, Sat. 8:15am Reconciliation: Sat. 4:00-4:30pm

Mater Christi 2401 S. Tenth Ave., N. Riverside Sat. 5:00pm Sun. 8:00, 9:30, 11:00am Mon-Sat 8:00am Reconciliation: Sat. 4:15-4:40pm

Saint Pius X 4300 S. Oak Park Ave., Stickney Sat. 4:00pm Sun. 8:00, 10:30am

MTTF 8:00 S 9:00am Reconciliation: Sat. 4:00-4:30pm

Bulletin Deadline: Please email: sthughbulletin@gmail.com; all requests are due two weeks prior to bulletin you wish it to appear in.





Welcome Back to St. Hugh

Welcome back to St. Hugh! We are grateful for your continued support and prayers. You can reserve a spot for Private Prayer, Reconciliation, or Mass by going to the links below or by calling the office. They will be reserved on a first come/first serve basis. We will close registration at 3pm on Friday before the weekend Reconciliation and Masses. Walk-ins for Mass will ONLY will be accepted as space allows. At this time, we cannot add more openings based on Archdiocesan guidelines. We appreciate your patience during this time.

To Register: Call the office at 708-447-3108, ext. 1 OR go to the links listed below (or on the website). EVERYONE WHO ENTERS THE CHURCH MUST BE REGISTERED, INCLUDING CHILDREN!

Reconciliation

Saturday, August 1; 11:15am-12:15pm

Signup online at: www.signupgenius.com/go/508094AA8AD2DABFC1-sacrament8 Please wait outside the ramp door or in your vehicle until a volunteer lets you know it is time to enter the building. Please arrive no more than 5 minutes early, we can't let you in due to privacy.

Daily Mass

Daily Mass at 10:30am on Wednesday (7/29), Thursday (7/30), and Friday (7/31). Signup online at: www.signupgenius.com/go/508094AA8AD2DABFC1-daily5 Please plan to arrive at least 10 minutes early. Please wait in line and maintain proper social distancing at the ramp door.

Sunday Mass

Saturday, August 1 at 4pm and Sunday, August 2 at 10:30am and 1:30pm No 8am Mass at this time. Signup online at: www.signupgenius.com/go/508094AA8AD2DABFC1-sunday7 Please wait in line and maintain proper social distancing at the ramp door. Please plan to arrive at least 15-20 minutes early.

TIPS FOR ALL WORSHIPERS — What to Expect

<u>BEFORE YOU ARRIVE</u> — *****Check your temperature: if you have one, please do not come to church. *****Stay home if you are ill. *****Make sure you have a face covering to bring and wear. *****Make sure to register by calling the office or registering online.

WHEN YOU ARRIVE — #Enter only in marked doorways. #Wait patiently to be checked in by greeter. #Keep your face covering or mask on at all times except for receiving Communion. #Sanitize your hands as directed by greeter. #Observe social distancing at all times (look for marks on the floor). #Ushers will direct you to pews with markings showing where to sit. #Since there will be no passing of baskets for your offering please leave your offering in the boxes provided at the entrance and exit areas.

DURING THE SERVICE — *Do not change seats during a service. *There will be no passing of offering baskets. *No physical sign of peace will be exchanged during Mass. *Follow instructions for Communion: • Leave your seat only when directed by usher or greeter. • Maintain six feet social distancing in the Communion line – look for marks on the floor. • When 12 feet or two people away from the priest, sanitize your hands using the sanitizer from the usher. After sanitizing do not touch any surfaces. • Approach the priest only after you are called forward. DO NOT remove your face covering. • Extend a single hand to receive the Host. • After moving six feet to the right or left, remove your mask and consume the Host. • Replace your face covering or mask. • Follow instructions to return to your pew.

<u>AFTER THE SERVICE</u> — *Please take any worship aids you may have brought with you. *You will be dismissed by pew or seating area. Follow the instructions of the greeter or usher. *Use only the designated exit doors. *Do not congregate outside the church doors. *Continue to wear your face covering or mask until you leave the area where worshipers are.

While our parish staffs will attempt to take appropriate precautions consistent with the advice of public health authorities, parishioners and guests should understand that they assume the risk of contracting COVID-19 any time they enter a public space since such precautions do not eliminate the risk of infection.

Mass and Prayer Resources

Please check the Parish website and Facebook pages for resources. We will continue to stream and record Mass as long as we can only have limited numbers that can attend Mass and for those who are part of the at-risk population who still need to stay at home.

www.sthughlyons.org