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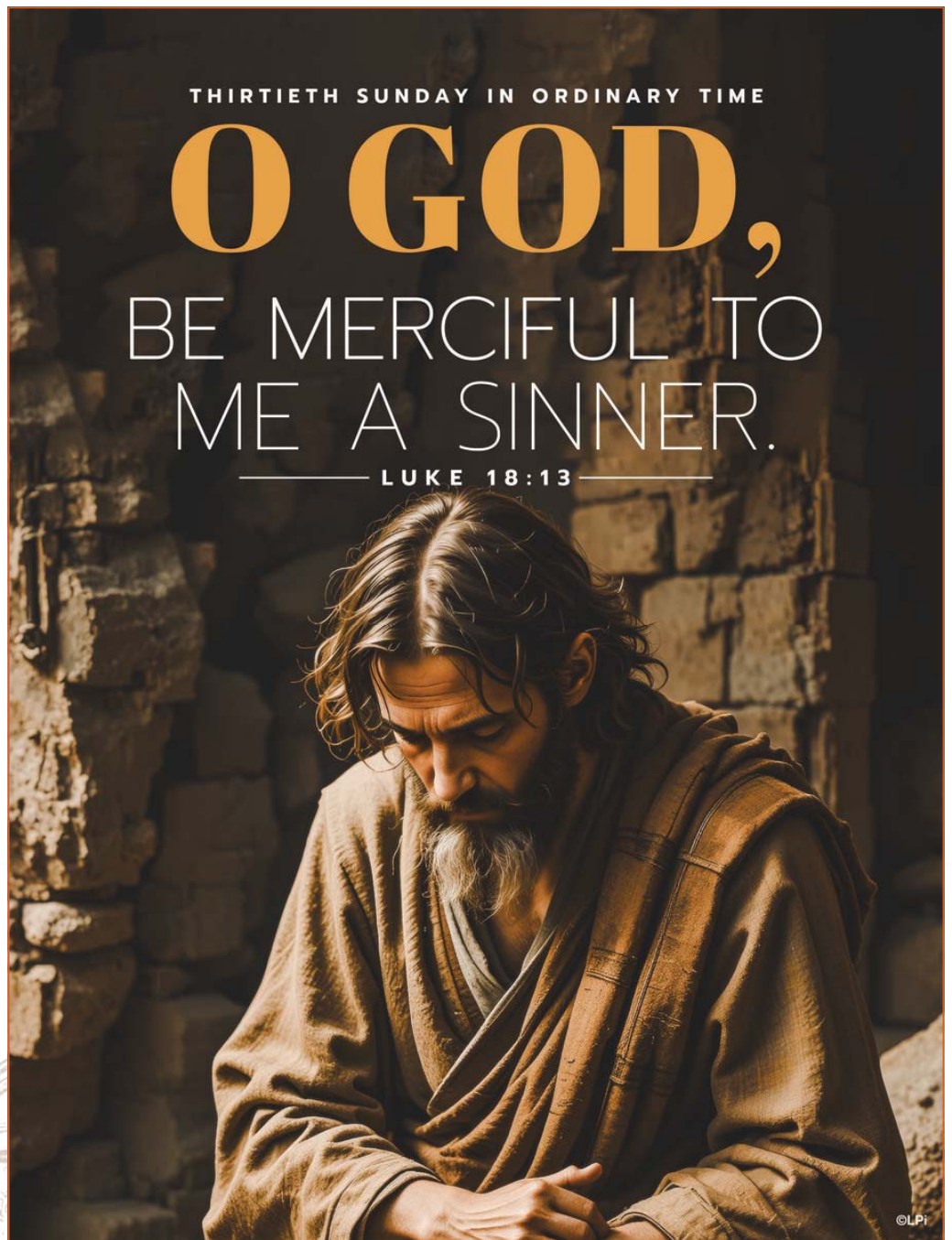
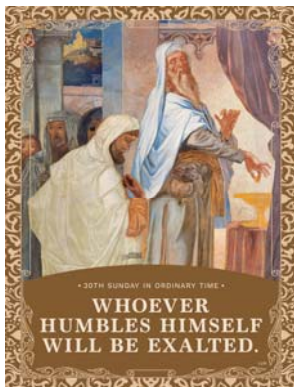
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THIRTIETH
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 26,
2025

Today's readings:
Sirach 35:12-14, 16-18
Ps 34:2-3, 17-18, 19, 23
(7a)
2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18
Luke 18:9-14

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Readings Text.



THIS WEEK AT SAINT GILBERT

Mass Intentions:

MONDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2025, WEEKDAY

8:00a (Chapel) Mass — Intention:

†Martin McGreal; †Dan Lucas

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2025,

STS SIMON AND JUDE, APOSTLES

8:00a (Chapel) Mass — Intention:

†Paul Wywialowski; †Richard Jude Kasper

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2025, WEEKDAY

8:00a (Chapel) Mass — Intention:

†Cirilo & †Pura Venzon;

†Antonio Marchese & †Victoria J. Marchese

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2025, WEEKDAY

8:00a (Chapel) Mass — Intention:

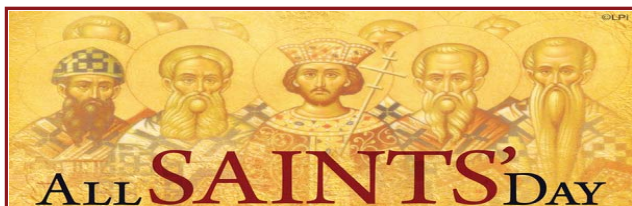
†Beemsterboer Family

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2025, WEEKDAY

8:00a (Chapel) Mass — Intention:

†Poor Souls of the Faithful Departed;

†Megan Witek



Join us for Holy Mass on Saturday,
November 1st at 8:00am in the Church

FIRST SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2025, ALL SAINTS (NOT A HOLYDAY OF OBLIGATION THIS YEAR)

8:00a (CHURCH) Mass — Intention:

†Martin McGreal; †Phyllis Ehorn;

†Mike & †Betty Mack; †Kathleen Pritchard



5:00p Mass (Cantor) — Intention:

†All Souls of the Faithful Departed

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NOVEMBER 2, 2025, COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED (ALL SOULS' DAY); DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS; NATIONAL VOCATIONS AWARENESS WEEK BEGINS

7:30a Mass (Cantor) — Intention:

†All Souls of the Faithful Departed

9:00a Mass (Cantor) — Intention:

†All Souls of the Faithful Departed

11:00a Mass (Contemporary Music) — Intention:

†All Souls of the Faithful Departed

5:00p (All Souls' Remembrance—see pg 3) Mass (Cantor)
— Intention:

†All Souls of the Faithful Departed

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God of abundant and generous mercy,
we gratefully acknowledge the many gifts
you have given us across the years
from the sacrifice of generations before us.

And so, we confidently trust that you will walk
with us into the future.

We echo the words of the Blessed Virgin Mary:
truly, your mercy is from generation to generation.

Help us now to respond generously to your gifts,
as we support our Church in the Archdiocese of Chicago
and work to bring faith forward
for the generations that follow us.

By your grace and help, let our gifts be a blessing
for our children, our grandchildren,
and those who follow them.

Through Christ our Lord.

GENERATION
TO GENERATION:
ANSWER THE CALL

Facility Calendar:

Monday, October 27, 2025

7:00p SA Troops 96 & 1996

Tuesday, October 28, 2025

6:00p School Musical Meeting

7:00p Men's Bible Study

Wednesday, OCTOBER 29, 2025

9:00a-9:00p (Chapel) Adoration of Jesus in the Blessed
Sacrament (see pg 3)

10:00a SPRED Adult Groups B&C

2:00p Children's Choir Practice

6:00p SPRED Adult Groups B&C

6:30p Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, OCTOBER 30, 2025

8:00p Penitent Soldiers of Mary Adoration Liturgy (see pg 9)

9:00p Men's Basketball

Friday, OCTOBER 31, 2025

No scheduled activities.

Saturday, NOVEMBER 1, 2025

9:30a SPRED Session B

12:00p SPRED Session C

4:00p Confession

=== Virtual 2nd Collection: SG School & Educational Ministries
— In Narthex: Sharing Parish Coat Drive; Int'l Fest Signup ===

Sunday, NOVEMBER 2, 2025

8:55a REP & Rejoice in God Sessions

Children's Liturgy of the Word at 9a and 11a Masses

9:00a OCIA

12:00p Bayanihan Ministry

1:00p Group Baptism Service

5:00p All Souls' Remembrance at Mass (see pg 3)

6:00p Youth Ministry / TGIF Night

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FIVE-YEAR PLEDGES

All households are being invited to consider a campaign commitment. When prayerfully considering your best pledge, remember to consider the pledge over time. Our Generation to Generation campaign encourages pledges payable over five years, allowing many families to consider a larger pledge than would be possible with a one-time gift. This also allows families more flexibility to budget their contributions in monthly, quarterly or annual payments. Five-year pledges help ensure we can meet our parish's campaign goal and fund the needs of our parish.

Each family can determine the timing and frequency of the payments and choose a method best for them.

OUR PRIORITIES

- Enhancing our Faith Formation Programs
- Renovating our Chapel
- Campus Facilities Upgrades

ST. GILBERT'S CAMPAIGN PROGRESS

Parish goal: \$1,175,000

Dollars raised: \$505,275

% of goal: 43%

Number of gifts: 39

Average gift: \$13,000

.....GENERATION
TO GENERATION:
ANSWER THE CALL



In this Sunday's Gospel, the tax collector's

prayer allows God to be God and so allows God to pour mercy into his heart. When we pray and give alms to the poor, we allow God's mercy to be poured into their hearts.

In the month of October, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to bring God's love and mercy to families, providing assistance with food, utility and rent bills, etc. Thank You! God Bless You!

For basic essentials of living assistance inquiries, contact the St. Vincent DePaul Society at **224.360.9161 OR SVDPGrayslake@yahoo.com**

ALL SOULS' DAY REMEMBRANCE MASS... Saint Gilbert Parish will celebrate ALL SOULS' DAY on **Sunday, November 2nd at 5:00 pm** with a Mass remembering the lives of our loved ones who have passed away. Before Mass everyone will have the opportunity to write the names of their loved one who passed away, receive a candle, and after it is lit, place it on the altar steps. The candles remain on the altar steps until they burn out.

During the Mass, the names of those whose funerals were at St. Gilbert this year, will be acknowledged. There will also be a display and table with pictures and names in the back of the Church. You are welcome to bring additional pictures of loved ones and place them on the table. The pictures will remain there until the end of November. As a parish family, we will remember all who have died.



Eucharistic Adoration... In the midst of a chaotic world, Jesus waits for us in the quiet of the Blessed Sacrament. Come, spend time with the real presence of Our Lord and Savior. Let us lay our prayers before the body of Christ, seeking peace for our world and our hearts. Please join us in prayer and Adoration **every Wednesday from 9:00am-9:00pm in the Saint Gilbert Chapel.**

We are seeking a regular adorer for the 8:00pm hour!

If this is you or if you have any questions, please contact: Sue Schoen 847.651.7902 or Nancy Ogrinc 847.727.0822.

Religious Education News. . .



THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE IS OPEN 9:00 AM TO 3:00 PM, MONDAY-FRIDAY — 847-223-3071.

Registration forms for 2025-2026 are available through the office, entrances to the Church and on the website at <https://www.stgilbert.org/religious-education-program>.

Registrations are still being accepted!



GRADES 7-9... After you are registered, sign up for classes by calling the RE office.



SACRAMENT CLASSES...

If you are interested in

preparing your son/daughter to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Communion, call the office for information at 847.223.3071.

FANNIE MAY CANDY SALE...

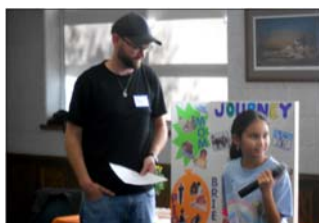
The Religious Education Program sponsors Candy from Fannie May as a fundraiser. **Candy will be available on November 29/30 and December 6/7 after all the Masses on those weekends.**

SPRED – RELIGIOUS Education for Children with Special Needs...



This program serves 26 students, ranging in age from 6 to 16, from St. Gilbert and neighboring parishes. If you have any questions about the program or to volunteer, email or call Sr. Donna.

Fundraiser of Products from the Georgia Nut Company will be available before Thanksgiving.



Pictures are from the Rejoice in God Program first session October 5th.

LITTLEST ROARING REBELS TERRIFIC TWOOS PRESCHOOL CLASSROOM



NOW REGISTERING FOR DECEMBER - FEBRUARY

WE ARE NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR OUR TERRIFIC TWOOS PROGRAM!



Growing. Playing. Discovering Together.

Call 847-223-8600 to reserve your spot today!



GOSPEL

During Mass you will hear the priest and people say, "Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy." It means, "Lord, forgive me." You are human. You will make mistakes. God is proud when you are honest and admit that you did something wrong. He smiles when you forgive yourself and others. He frowns when you talk and act like you are better than others. God wants you to do right.



PRAYER

Lord, please forgive me.





The Holy Land is often called the Fifth Gospel — and indeed, it truly is. I'm so grateful that I could follow a course on biblical archaeology this September. It was an excellent time when I could experience the beauty and deep history of this land. I was able to witness the testimony of many places important for biblical history, both in the Old and the New Testament.

Ancient cities such as Megiddo, Lachish, and Hazor tell a story of difficult times, full of wars and struggles for domination. On the other hand, Bethlehem,



Jerusalem, and Capernaum speak about Jesus' life and the beginnings of the Church. It was a beautiful and deeply moving experience.

Nevertheless, today the Holy Land longs for peace — perhaps more than many other places in the world. The city of Jerusalem, a crucial place for the three great religions — Judaism, Christianity, and Islam — is marked by divisions, attacks, and a lack of trust. This land truly needs our prayer.

During that time, when the streets and churches were almost empty due to the absence of pilgrims and tourists, I had the grace to pray and celebrate Mass in many different places, such as the Basilica of



the Nativity in Bethlehem and the Tomb of Jesus in Jerusalem.

I remembered Saint Gilbert Parish in Grayslake and its pastor, Father Mario, and I kept you all deeply in my heart.

My biblical journey didn't end this September. I've started my studies in Rome again, and I'm going to continue deepening my knowledge of the Holy Bible. Thank you for your support and prayers — I will keep you in mine here in Rome. See you soon!

—Fr. Damian



40 DAYS FOR LIFE

— Wednesday, September 24th through Sunday,

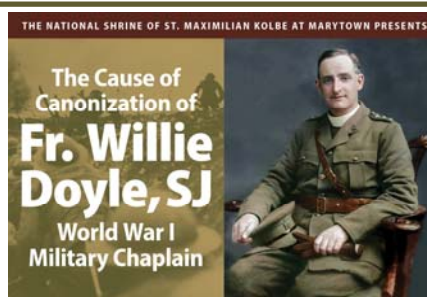
November 2nd, you are invited to join other Christians for 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil, 7AM to 7 PM daily in the public right

-of-way outside Waukegan Planned Parenthood, 1601 N. Lewis Ave., Waukegan, IL. *Help spread the word about this important community outreach!* If you'd like more information – and especially if you'd like to volunteer to help, please contact: Leslie at 847.951.1064 OR hazfam6@comcast.net OR visit www.40daysforlife.com/waukegan.

All are welcome to the **PRESENTATION OF THE CAUSE OF CANONIZATION**

... of Fr. Willie Doyle, SJ, World

War I Military Chaplain, on Monday, October 27th at 7:00 pm in the Immaculata Conference Room of the National Shrine of St. Maximilian Kolbe at Marytown, 1600 W Park Avenue, Libertyville, IL. The event is free. Registration is not required. Email: mail@kolbeshrine.org. See www.kolbeshrine.org/cause-of-canonization-for-fr-willie-doyle-event.



READING 1 SIRACH 35:12-14, 16-18

The LORD is a God of justice,
who knows no favorites.
Though not unduly partial toward the weak,
yet he hears the cry of the oppressed.
The Lord is not deaf to the wail of the orphan,
nor to the widow when she pours out her complaint.
The one who serves God willingly is heard;
his petition reaches the heavens.
The prayer of the lowly pierces the clouds;
it does not rest till it reaches its goal,
nor will it withdraw till the Most High responds,
judges justly and affirms the right,
and the Lord will not delay.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

The Lord hears the cry of the poor.

READING 2 2 TIMOTHY 4:6-8, 16-18

Beloved:
I am already being poured out like a libation,
and the time of my departure is at hand.
I have competed well; I have finished the race;
I have kept the faith.
From now on the crown of righteousness
awaits me,
which the Lord, the just judge,
will award to me on that day, and not only to me,
but to all who have longed for his appearance.
At my first defense no one appeared on my behalf,
but everyone deserted me.
May it not be held against them!
But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength,
so that through me the proclamation might be completed
and all the Gentiles might hear it.
And I was rescued from the lion's mouth.
The Lord will rescue me from every evil

threat
and will bring me safe to his heavenly kingdom.
To him be glory forever and ever. Amen.

GOSPEL LUKE 18:9-14

Jesus addressed this parable
to those who were convinced of their own righteousness
and despised everyone else.
"Two people went up to the temple area to pray;
one was a Pharisee and the other was a tax collector.
The Pharisee took up his position and spoke this prayer to himself,
'O God, I thank you that I am not like the rest of humanity --
greedy, dishonest, adulterous -- or even like this tax collector.
I fast twice a week, and I pay tithes on my whole income.'
But the tax collector stood off at a distance
and would not even raise his eyes to heaven
but beat his breast and prayed,
'O God, be merciful to me a sinner.'
I tell you, the latter went home justified, not the former;
for whoever exalts himself will be humbled,
and the one who humbles himself will be exalted."



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1st Reading

Sirach teaches us that God cares deeply about our desire for justice. *Can you think of a time when you fought against an unjust situation?*

2nd Reading

As Paul nears the end of his life, he shares with Timothy how he fought hard for the faith, ever grateful for the Lord's support. *As you look back on your life, can you see where God has been present?*



Gospel:

Jesus teaches the crowds about the importance of humility. *Does humility come to you naturally or do you have to work at it?*

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Please keep in your prayers...

Kai Bowes; Neil Cloe; Pauline Fearn;
Robert Fearn; Pat Foster; Maureen Gumbinger;
Carter Halloran; Mia Grace Keller;
Jackie McDonal; Ethan Nguyen;
Andree Porcheron-Hicks; Jean-Lou Porcheron;
Remig Raffanti; Jim Tomas; people of Ukraine &
Israel/Gaza; the needs & intentions inscribed in
our parish Books of Intercession

Please notify the rectory to add a name to the prayer list for up to 4 weeks. There is a Book of Intercessory Prayer available in both the Church and Chapel to which you may add specific or longer term prayer requests. Please know these intentions are prayed for daily.



Our Lady
of the Rosary,
pray for us!



**KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS**
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.



What happened to the garages??

In conjunction with the parish and school, the 2 garages behind the gym were demolished in September to make room for 1 large garage. More room will be available for the school and the Knights of Columbus to help hold events to raise more money for the church and people in need. The school will gain more square footage for storage (and possibly bring back the haunted house???). The new garage is expected to be completed in the fall of 2025.

Have you thought about becoming a Knight?

When a man joins the Knights of Columbus, he has the opportunity to grow in his faith through its many programs and resources and through charitable service to his neighbor. In addition, a new Knight becomes part of a "band of brothers" that provides fraternal support and encouragement for one another and their families.

If a man is interested in helping those in need, serving his parish, growing in his faith or having access to top-rated insurance protection for his family, then the Knights of Columbus is the organization for him. Contact Dave Rennolds at 847-548-2707 (djrennolds@sbcglobal.net) or ask any current Knight for more information. Must be 18 years of age or older.

Upcoming events:

Burger Bash—January 31st, 2026

Fish Fry #1—February 27th, 2026

Fish Fry #2—March 13th, 2026

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Sir 35:12-14, 16-18/Ps 34:2-3, 17-18, 19, 23 (7a)/2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18/Lk 18:9-14

Monday: Rom 8:12-17/Ps 68:2 and 4, 6-7ab, 20-21/Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Lk 6:12-16

Wednesday: Rom 8:26-30/Ps 13:4-5, 6/Lk 13:22-30

Thursday: Rom 8:31b-39/Ps 109:21-22, 26-27, 30-31/Lk 13:31-35

Friday: Rom 9:1-5/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Lk 14:1-6

Saturday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a

Sunday: Wis 3:1-9/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40



"But the tax collector stood off at a distance and would not even raise his eyes to heaven but beat his breast and prayed, 'O God, be merciful to me a sinner.' I tell you, the latter went home justified, not the former; for whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted." — Lk 18:13-14

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— Victims of Ukraine Conflict &
War in Israel/Gaza

St. Gilbert Youth Ministry



Sunday, October 26, 2025

6:00-8:00pm *In the teen center



All 7th-12th graders are invited to join us at the next Teen Ministry Night for snacks, games & faith discussion with other teens! Bring a friend or 2!



Upcoming Admissions Events at Carmel Catholic High School —

We invite your family to explore the value of a Carmel Catholic education by attending any of our upcoming Admissions events, including Open

House on Sunday, November 2nd, 12-3pm.

Register at carmelhs.org/admissionsevents/.

PRAYING FOR PEACE:

Let us pray for our communities, our cities and the world, especially

Eastern Europe & Israel/Gaza;

For strength and peace in the face of war and violence; For openness and welcome to refugees; For hope and courage in the face of doubt and fear. Amen.



The Pharisee took such pride in his good deeds that he forgot to ask God for forgiveness; the tax collector acknowledged his many sins, and went home justified. Remember that we are saved not by our own merit, but by the mercy of God.

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Baptism Preparation at Saint Gilbert

Ready to celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism for your child? Call the Parish Office to register for a Baptism Preparation Session: 847-223-4731

Saint Gilbert Parish Bulletin: Send articles for consideration in an electronic file to:

bulletin@stgilbert.org

Thank you! Upcoming Deadline:
Thursday, October 30th
for November 9th Bulletin



Our Sharing Parish ministry will be collecting winter coats and accessories for our sharing



parish, St Benedict the African.

Father Dave from St Bens informs us that there are hundreds in need that include students at the school, families in the neighborhood, and displaced immigrants, living in the parish community.

We are asking our St Gilbert's Parish to look into your hearts and help address this immediate need. We are asking for new or slightly used winter coats for the kids as well as adults. Please bag all items.



Coats can be dropped off after mass **until Sunday, November 9th**, in the St Gilbert Church Library. For further information, please reach out to Carol Fraher

(847.651.2281) or Brian Wulf (847.682.6083). God Bless!

Confirmation students worked together with their small groups on different team building activities to help improve communication & risk taking, appreciate individual strengths & differences, learn to trust & develop a more positive small group environment.



Together We Can!

Thursday Night Adoration Liturgy, 8p-9p, Saint Gilbert Chapel. A lay apostolate fighting for the healing and liberation of souls. For info visit: **penitentsoldiersofmary.org**.

 This group meets on a Thursday after the 8am Mass in Chapel Hall. Our time together is spent in reflecting on the Sunday's Gospel, sharing our thoughts, and prayer. *Sessions are scheduled for November 6th & 20th.*

*Sr. Gilbert Parishioners
are invited to attend*

International Fest XIX

The logo features a central blue globe with various national flags draped over it. Below the globe are three stylized figures of people from different ethnicities. The text "WELCOMES YOU TO THE FEST" is written along the top curve of the globe, and "INTERNATIONAL FEST XIX" is written along the bottom curve.

Sunday, November 16, 2025
12pm - 2:30pm Parish Center
*Featuring ethnic food and entertainment
from around the world!*

comradery with parishioners.
MARK YOUR CALENDAR NOW!
The committee is looking for people to share ethnic foods, including desserts. If you would like to make a dish, call Sr. Donna, 847-223-3071 or sign up at the table in the narthex.
Thanks to the parishioners who have signed up in

A collage of nine small photographs arranged in a 3x3 grid, showcasing a variety of international cuisines. The dishes include colorful pastries, breads, and sweets, representing different cultural heritages.

*the past weeks. **There is still time to get the food from your ethnic heritage recognized.***

- *God Isn't Finished With Me Yet. -Spirituality*
- *The Many Faces of Mary. -Mary*
- *The "R" Father. -Prayer*
- *A Love Worth Giving -Personal Growth*

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Ministry of Care Training for New Ministers

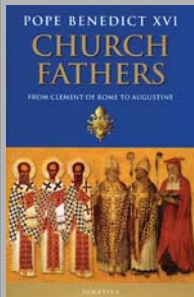


Proclaiming the Word: LECTOR TRAINING WORKSHOP



Warren Township: 847-244-1101

FEATURING:



Following his best selling book, *Jesus of Nazareth*, and his talks published in *Jesus, the Apostles, and the Early Church*, Pope Benedict's *Church Fathers* presents these important figures of early Christianity in all their evangelical

vitality, spiritual profundity, and uncompromising love of God. Benedict tells the true story of Christianity's against-all-odds triumph in the face of fierce Roman hostility and persecution. He does this by exploring the lives and the ideas of the early Christian writers, pastors, and martyrs, men so important to the spread of Christianity that history remembers them as "the Fathers of the Church".

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Sign up for formed !

*Visit formed.org
 *select "FORMED FOR PARISHES"
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 *then "CONTINUE TO SIGNUP/LOGIN"
 *Type in 'St. Gilbert'
 *select 'St. Gilbert' from the drop down list
 *then SUBMIT
 *Enter your name and email address and select "Sign up" and You are all set!



EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

If you roll your eyes at the mention of the term stewardship, it's probably because, in the modern Church, stewardship has become something of a corporate buzzword. It's often used interchangeably with the concepts of financial endowment and volunteerism.

What's wrong with supporting your parish monetarily? What's the issue with giving of your time in service and ministry? Nothing at all, in fact — we should all be doing more of these things.

But as we do them, we should be constantly asking ourselves the all-important questions: Why am I doing this? How am I doing this? For whom am I doing this?

A donation to the parish school is a great thing. But ideally, the donor would have made the gift regardless of the ability to name the school gym. A tireless volunteer who always finds time for her parish certainly glorifies God with her commitment. But hopefully, her commitment would be just as enthusiastic if she knew there was no prospect of being written up in the bulletin as Volunteer of the Month.

God knows no favorites. The prayer of the Pharisee in the temple did not justify him because the Pharisee didn't really mean it as a prayer. His intent wasn't to thank God, his intent was to draw attention to his gifts. God did not reject the Pharisee's fasting and his tithes, he rejected the spirit in which they were offered.

God desires to transform us — our hearts, our souls, our communities. When we give of ourselves — either through money or through time — he is honored by the act of giving, not the gift itself. We should never make the mistake of thinking that stewardship is "time, talent, and treasure." Stewardship is the spirit of offering these gifts freely.

-Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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Weekly Collections Thank You!

October 4th, 2025 — October 10th, 2025

Electronic:	\$10,394.38	Weekly Total:	\$17,385.38
Mail-In:	\$ 1,472.00	Weekly Budg:	\$17,000.00
Weekend Mass:	\$ 5,519.00	Surplus:	\$ 385.38

September 27th, 2025 — October 3rd, 2025

Electronic:	\$12,033.34	Weekly Total:	\$17,878.34
Mail-In:	\$ 1,495.00	Weekly Budg:	\$17,000.00
Weekend Mass:	\$ 4,350.00	Surplus:	\$ 878.34

Please consider these alternate safe, convenient methods to make a much-needed gift at any time:



WeShare—<https://stgilbert.churchgiving.com>



GiveCentral—

SUNDAY: <https://www.givecentral.org/customizable-online-giving/378-St-Gilbert-Church>

Text2Give—

Text **DONATE** to 1-224-219-0357

Don't have an envelope or wish to try online giving for secondary envelope/collection gifting?

Saint Gilbert Conference St. Vincent de Paul Offering:
<https://www.givecentral.org/customizable-online-giving/378/event/9507>

However you give, **THANK YOU** for your generosity to Saint Gilbert Parish and the Ministries that reach out to the community with servant hearts!

SAINT GILBERT PARISH OFFERING COLLECTION

Sunday & Holy Days

SEPTEMBER	Actual	Budget
Regular Offering :	\$ 34,219.00	\$ 30,000.00
Electronic:	\$ 37,430.45	\$ 38,000.00
TOTAL:	\$ 71,649.45	\$ 68,000.00
Collection Surplus:		\$ 3,649.45

YTD (SEPTEMBER)	Budget:	\$ 204,000.00
YTD (SEPTEMBER)	Actual:	\$ 204,378.96
Fiscal Year-to-date Surplus:		\$ 378.96

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Thank You for what is possible!

YOUR GIFTS AND REGULAR SUPPORT help determine the opportunities for Saint Gilbert to reach out to our community in prayer, learning and service. Please contact the parish office if you need help setting up a regular giving schedule.

Saint Gilbert Catholic Church Mission Statement

*The Catholic family of St. Gilbert
Is a faith-filled community
Living out our Baptismal call.
Empowered by the Gospel message,
We celebrate the sacraments,
Share in fellowship,
And reach out to serve all.*

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