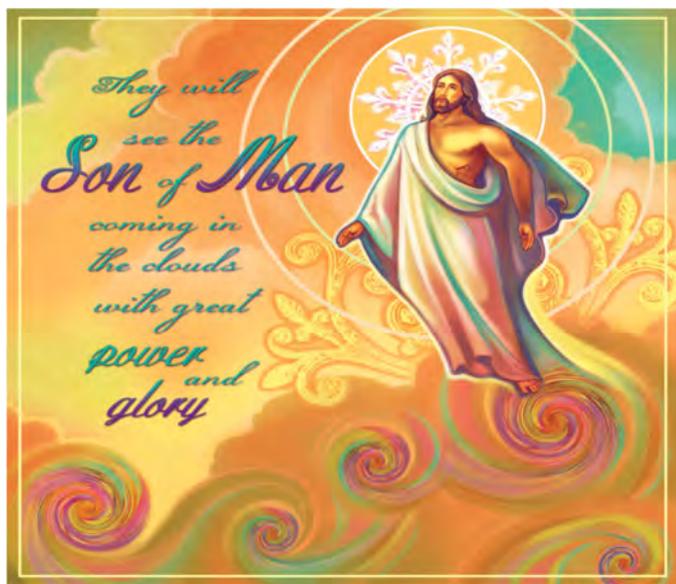


Welcome to Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Catholic Church

Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 18, 2018

- Our Mission Statement -

We, the Roman Catholic Parish of Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, joyfully worship together to give praise, honor and glory to Almighty God. We are called by the Holy Spirit to proclaim and to live the gospel message through the sacraments and to spread the message of Jesus Christ by living out the example of God's power in our lives.



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Early Bulletin Deadlines:

Sunday, December 23, information emailed by noon on Wednesday, **December 12**.

Sunday, December 30/January 6, information emailed by noon on Wednesday, **December 19**.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Parish News & Events

Let us pray for those members of our parish who are sick and suffering

Bill Aloisio	Bob Kresz	Mark Phillips
Martin Brosas	Jacqueline Lehy	Ken Podsiadlik
Jacob Chilelli	Arlene Likovich	Janice Rippinger
Mary Aloisio Cummings	Judy Mallon	Philip Rippinger
Mary Beth Erickson	Mary Mayer	Clarence Roth
Delores Franck	Mike McMahon	Norb Rozanski
Carole Glassford	Dave Medernach	Judy Runge
Glenn Gruenke	Linda Miller	Rudolph Schlecht
Bartholomew Hansen	Genie Millhouse	Geri Smith
Jack Hollis	Carrie Mitchell	Lisa Tamplin
Jeanette Hovorka	Baby O'Brien	Jack Watson
Mark Huettner	Kelly Olson	Wayne Weiler
Ron King	Joe Pascolini	Linda White

Please note:

Due to the government legislation regarding patient privacy, names of people to be prayed for at Mass or in the Bulletin can be listed only if that **person, or, in the case of their incapacitation, the person delegated to their medical care**, calls the parish office to give permission. The above also pertains to the **Sacrament of The Anointing of the Sick**.

Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary will continue to pray for all the sick and suffering, even if unable to list by name.

Let us pray for those members of our parish who are sick and suffering.

If you would like a visit from Fr. Patrick, please call the parish office at 630-851-1436 to schedule a visit.



Our parish has joined a Catholic website called **FORMED**. This website is loaded with articles, videos, eBooks, and much more—all of which are thoroughly Catholic. You simply go to this website: <https://formed.org> (This is a secure site, which is why there is an “s” in the address). Once there, there will be a spot to enter our parish access code, which is 6MMWKC. We have unlimited access to everything on the site. I hope that you take advantage of this site, and pray that it will be beneficial to you.

Fr. Patrick

Stewardship



CONTRIBUTIONS

Sunday, November 11 - \$9,711.58



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My brothers and sisters,

Last weekend, Mary Griffith, from Waterleaf Services, talked to the community about the new building that they will be erecting, adjacent to the “planned parenthood” facility in Aurora. This is going to be a great blessing for all those involved at Waterleaf Services, as well as all of us who are for the prolife cause. Having said that, next weekend we will have a second collection for those of you who would like to assist in the cost of building this new Waterleaf facility. As Waterleaf’s campaign website says, “Our goal is to be a beacon of hope and light in the darkness for women seeking love and support. Please participate in this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity by making a donation to our capital campaign. With God’s gracious blessings, fervent prayer and your contribution, we can together bring LIGHT and LIFE to our world.”

Here’s is a rundown of Waterleaf’s services:

WATERLEAF SERVICES

At Waterleaf, we offer an array of individualized medical and professional services—No Charge and Completely Confidential. Our Waterleaf Services include:

Pregnancy Evaluation & Confirmation
Lab-Quality Pregnancy Testing
Ultrasound

Medical & Pregnancy Consultation

One on One, Private Medical Consultation with Licensed Nurse
Abortion, Adoption & Parenting Information, Education Resources

STD Education, Testing & Treatment
Community Resources & Referrals
Furthering Education Assistance
Employment Assistance
Mentor Support & Group Classes

NO PRESSURE. NO JUDGMENT. NO CHARGE.

We are Pro-Woman and care about the safety and health of all women—especially those in the communities we serve. We want to provide all we can to empower women; to give them control, freedom and confidence in making the best decisions for them!

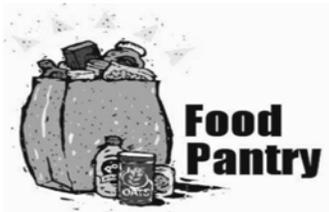
If you are looking for a safe, trust-worthy and private place to get any of the services listed, you have come to the right place.

My brothers and sisters, as I mentioned in my homily last week, giving ourselves to specific causes and people can be done financially or simply by showing up. So, please prayerfully consider helping out Waterleaf, in any way you can.

Thank you and God bless!

Father Patrick

Please consult the bulletin for deadlines, if you would like something in the bulletin. The usual deadline for things in the bulletin is **MONDAY, BY NOON**, unless otherwise stated. Please send the item/article that you would like to see in the bulletin to Mary at annunciationbvm-aurora@rockforddiocese.org or mglosson@rockforddiocese.org. If it is a document, please make sure that it is created in Word. If it is a picture, please make sure that it is in black and white. Also, if you would like something announced at any or all of the weekend Masses, please email Mary at annunciationbvm-aurora@rockforddiocese.org, or mglosson@rockforddiocese.org, no later than **WEDNESDAY EVENING, BY 4:00PM**. If you would like both an announcement and a bulletin item/article, please send two separate emails, one for the announcement, one for the bulletin item/article.



The next Annunciation food collection weekend is **December 1st and 2nd**. Please bring your non-perishable donations to the bin in the back of the church. Also, please check the dates on the items donated. Thank you so much for your continued support.



Hesed House

The workers for Wednesday, November 21 are: Tom Gallenbach, Tom & Donna Lydon, Dan & Colleen Medernach, Trent Medernach, Anne Milele, Tammy Reddoch, Norm, Sue & Megan Shambaugh, John Silvestri, Annie Silvestri, Frank Strong.



The Respect Life Group Christmas Wreath & Plant Sale

Saturday, Dec 1st the school gym after 5:15 Mass and after Masses on Sunday, Dec 2nd

The sale supports: Waterleaf

A free pregnancy resource center

New this year.... decorate your own wreath
Great hostess gifts!
Ideal for a teacher's gift!
Perfect for a home bound relative!

A selection of wreaths and other holiday accents available on first come basis until sold-out

Contact Julie Garofalo 630-885-2171

Rediscovering Your Catholic Faith

From the Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church

Man's Response to God: We believe

32. In what way is the faith of the Church one faith?

The Church, although made up of persons who have diverse languages, cultures, and rites, nonetheless professes with a united voice the one faith that was received from the one Lord and that was passed on by the one Apostolic Tradition. She confesses one God alone, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, and points to one way of salvation. Therefore we believe with one heart and one soul all that is contained in the Word of God, handed down or written, and which is proposed by the Church as divinely revealed.

Section Two: The Profession of the Christian Faith

The Creed

CHAPTER ONE: I Believe in God the Father

The Symbols Of Faith

33. What are the symbols of Faith

The symbols of faith are composite formulas, also called "professions of faith" or "Creeds," with which the Church from her very beginning has set forth synthetically and handed on her own faith in a language that is normative and common to all the faithful.

34. What are the most important symbols of the faith?

They are the *Apostles' Creed* which is the ancient baptismal symbol of the Church of Rome and the *Nicene-Constantinopolitan Creed* which stems from the first two ecumenical Councils, that of Nicea (A.D. 325) and that of Constantinople (A.D. 381) and which even to this day are common to all the great Churches of the East and the West.

High School News



Required Placement Exam for 8th Grade Students

SCHOLARSHIP QUALIFYING

Aurora Central Catholic High School

Saturday, December 1, 2018

8:00am - 12:00pm

8:30am Parent Q&A *coffee & donuts will be served*

\$30 Fee (no calculators)

Sign-Up at www.auroracentral.com

Scholarship Qualifying Entrance Exam at Marmion Academy

Marmion Academy encourages all 8th grade boys to take the Scholarship Qualifying Entrance Exam on **Saturday, December 1, 2018 at 9:00 AM**. To register for the exam, an application for admission must be filed prior to the test date (www.marmion.org/admissions). Students must take the exam at Marmion on Dec. 1 to qualify for one of the fourteen scholarships to be awarded to incoming freshmen based on academic merit (total value \$260,400). Marmion's campus is located at 1000 Butterfield Road in Aurora (please use door #1 the day of the exam).

While students are taking the exam, parents are invited to join members of Marmion Academy's administration, faculty and staff for a continental breakfast and an informal Q&A session beginning at 9:00 AM. Parents in attendance will be entered into a drawing for a \$500 tuition deposit voucher (valid for the 2019-2020 school year).

St. Francis High School College Preparatory

Explore the Path - See the Difference!

THROUGH FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2018

Entrance Exam – Class of 2023

Saturday, December 1, 2018 at 8:00 a.m.

- Registration is now open!
- Students must take the exam at St. Francis High School in order to be eligible for scholarships and receive priority admission consideration.

Register at www.sfhscollegeprep.org

St. Francis High School is a college-preparatory, co-educational Catholic high school located in Wheaton, Illinois and is celebrating more than 60 years of promoting spiritual, academic, physical and social development in students.



Marmion Christmas Craft Show

The Marmion Alumni Association is hosting the 28th annual Marmion Christmas Craft Show on Saturday, November 24 from 9 AM - 4 PM and Sunday, November 25 from 10 AM - 2 PM at Marmion Academy, 1000 Butterfield Road, Aurora. The cost of admission is \$4 for ages 12 and older with plenty of FREE parking. This year's show will feature 180+ crafters and vendors in a 30,000+ square foot shopping area. Make a day of it - enjoy lunch prepared by Belgio's Catering and get your freshly baked pie sold by the Flannigan Rifles Drill Team. A "Craft Your Own Bloody Mary & Mimosa Bar" will be available on Sunday for those 21 and older. For more information please call the Marmion Alumni Office at (630) 966-7665.

St. Anne's Society of Holy Angels Church

Join the members of St. Anne's Society of Holy Angels Church at their annual Cookie & Craft Fair on December 2, 2018, in Connor Hall.

Hours: 7:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.



Winter Baseball Camps at Marmion Academy

Marmion Academy will be hosting Winter Baseball Camps for 3rd-8th graders Wednesday, Dec. 26 through Friday, Dec. 28, 2018. The Grade School Camp (3rd-5th graders) will meet from 8:00-10:00 AM and the Middle School Camp (6th-8th graders) will meet from 10:30 AM – 12:30 PM. Both camps will take place in the Regole Field House located on Marmion's campus at 1000 Butterfield Road in Aurora. Save money and register early! The camp fee is \$110 prior to Dec. 21, \$120 from Dec. 22 -Dec. 25 or \$125 for walk-in registration. For additional information and to register, please visit marmionacademycamps.org.

Ministers' Schedule

November 19-20		8:00am	A. Parson, R. Parsons
Saturday, November 24	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
5:15pm	A. Helfer	Marmion Deacon Mike (Preaching) M. Garofalo J. Garofalo	E. Juriga P. Fitzgerald
Sunday, November 25			
7:30am	T. Evans	Marmion Deacon Dom G. Pettiti C. Griffiths	Volunteers
8:45am	J. Lipinski	Marmion T. Theriault J. Cheney S. Phillippe	K. Phillippe Volunteer
10:00am	A. Digate	Fr. Patrick J. Wardynski P. Lynch S. Lynch	G. Wardynski T. Litow
11:30am	M. Olivo	Fr. Patrick Deacon Ken T. Buonauro A. Quintanilla	J. Gatto C. Drudi

Ministers for Thanksgiving Day November 22

9:00am Lector J. Hensley
Eucharistic Ministers:
Fr. Patrick
Deacon Dom (Preaching)
M. Benrus
J. Benrus
Servers: E. Hensley, Volunteer

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR
THE GROVE OF FOX VALLEY**
K. Gay and J. Benoit

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS
FOR THE HOMEBOUND**
M. A. Frantzen and M. Moon

Missionaries of the Sacred Heart

2019 LUCKY CALENDAR

We invite you to participate in our annual "Lucky Calendar" program. Your cost of \$30 per ticket gives you 365 chances to win daily awards of \$50, \$100 or \$500. Buy one for yourself and give one as a gift—they make great stocking stuffers!

Your donation of \$30 per ticket helps us support our retired missionaries, our seminarians, and our missionaries around the world. For more information or to buy a Lucky Calendar ticket, please call us at 630.892.2371. www.misacor-usa.org

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, November 19

6:30am †The Poor Souls
8:00am †Paul Kartheiser by Jane and Bill Brickert

Tuesday, November 20

6:30am †Charles W. Gallenbach by Family
8:00am †Florence & Ken Schmidt by Don Modaff

Wednesday, November 21

6:30am †The Poor Souls
8:45am †Troy Zubrod by Marge Pitz

Thursday, November 22— Thanksgiving Day

9:00am †Dick Bonifas by Dick & Carol Hettinger

Friday, November 23

6:30am †Jacques Toussaint
8:00am †Diane Brummel by The Family

Saturday, November 24

8:00am †Joe Pitz (anniv.) by M. Pitz
5:15pm †Edward Peters by Family
†Clareen Weiland by Len & Judy Weiland

Sunday, November 25

7:30am †LaVergne Windett by Family
8:45am †Michael Carey by The Family
10:00am †Diane Brummel by Family
11:30am †Edgar Agaton Adriatico by The Family
The People of the Parish

Parish Office

1820 Church Road, Aurora, IL 60505
Hours: Monday-Thursday 8:30am-12:00 and 1:00-4:00pm;
Friday: 8:30-12:00.
Phone: 630-851-1436
Fax: 630-851-2435
RE Fax: 630-851-3294
Cemetery Fax: 630-851-3066
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Parish Staff

Pastor.....Rev. Patrick Gillmeyer, OSB
Deacons...Rev. Mr. Mike Giblin, Rev. Mr. Domenic Petitti,
Rev. Mr. Kenneth Gay
Business Manager.....Mary Glosson
RE Secretary.....Chris Barrett
Cemetery Secretary.....Jane Cebulski
Religious Ed. Director.....Mark Fletcher
Director of Music.....Dick Gardner
Head Organist.....Bob Kresz

Annunciation BVM School

1840 Church Road, Aurora, IL 60505
Phone: 630-851-4300
Website: annunciationbvm.org
Principal.....Jennifer Wardynski
Administrative Assistant.....Patti Brouch
Maintenance.....Ron Springer

We Welcome You!

We welcome you to our parish and our community. If you would like to become a member of Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church, please contact the parish office 630-851-1436 to register. Adult children of current members are also encouraged to register.

Baptism:

Please contact the parish office to schedule. Normally baptisms take place on Sunday afternoons, after the last Mass.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday.....4:00-4:45pm, or you may call the parish office for an appointment.

Marriage:

The bride, groom, or either of their parents must be registered, contributing members of the parish. Weddings must be scheduled no less than six months out in order to fulfill the diocesan marriage preparation requirements. If there were any previous marriages that were not annulled by the Church, then it must be pointed out that the annulment process could take up to two years.

Anointing of the Sick:

Whenever someone is seriously ill, hospitalized, or is dying, please contact the parish office immediately.

Communion for the Sick: Please call the parish office.

Adoration: Is normally celebrated on the first Friday of the month, after the 8:00 Mass, with Liturgy of the Word and Benediction at 4pm.

Bulletin Deadline:

If you would like something placed in the bulletin, please email the parish office by noon Monday at annunciationbvm-aurora@rockforddiocese.org.

Announcements:

Announcements are due in the church office by Thursday noon.

Catholic Men In The World Today:

Meets every Saturday morning at 6:30am in the Parish Patio. For information on who we are and what we do, please email us at annmensgroup@aol.com.

The Knights of Columbus Council 736: meets on the second Monday of the month at 8:00pm. For contact information and calendar of events, go to the council website at: knightsforcolumbusil.org/council736.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults:

If you are an adult who would like to be baptized; or was baptized in the Catholic Church as an infant, but did not receive the Sacraments of Holy Communion or Confirmation; or are interested in becoming Catholic; we would like you to consider our RCIA program. For more information, please contact Mary at 630-851-1436.

Mass Schedule (Unless Otherwise Announced or Stated Elsewhere):

Weekend:

Saturday: 5:15pm
Sunday: 7:30am, 8:45am, 10:00am, 11:30am

Weekdays (School in session):

M. T. Th. F.: 6:30am, 8:00am
Wed.: 8:45am
Sat.: 8:00am

Weekdays (School not in session):

Mass) M.—F.: 6:30am, 8:00am (Rosary prayed before 8:00am
Sat.: 8:00am

Holy Days of Obligation (School in session):

6:30am, 8:00am, 11:00am, and 7:00pm,
only on the Holy Day itself (Unless otherwise
announced or stated).

Holy Days of Obligation (School not in session):

6:30am, 8:00am, and 7:00pm,
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