

**ST. FRANCIS BORGIA DEAF CENTER, 8025 W. ADDISON**  
**JULY 24, 2016**                      **17<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY of CHURCH TIME**

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**A BUSY, WORTHWHILE AUGUST AHEAD!**

- ❖ SAT, 8/6: Deaf European PICNIC, 10am-7pm. Bunker Hill Woods, 6800 N. Caldwell, CHGO. FREE. Dbekiri7daeap@yahoo.com,773-295-6351vp.
- ❖ THURS, 8/11: An evening of Reflection for Religious Education volunteers with Sr. PATRICIA FRANCIS. See Mrs. Swatek to register.
- ❖ SUN, 8/14: St. Julie PICNIC, 7399 W. 159<sup>th</sup> St, TINLEY APRK. Indoors, air-conditioned, great food! After 4pm Mass. khmbj23@yahoo.com, csweens31@aol.com, jpumpkin22@aol.com
- ❖ FRI, 8/19, 6-10pm. CHS (Chicago Hearing Society) 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary party. Chicago Cultural Center, downtown.
- ❖ SUN, 8/21: POLISH LUNCHEON (Our Lady of Czestochowa), St. Francis Borgia after 10:30am Mass. Delicious! See JOHN & VALENTINA FOLERZYNSKI
- ❖ THURS., 8/25, 9am-2pm: Senior Citizen Social.
- ❖ SUN, 8/28: St. Mary of Vernon PICNIC , after 4pm Mass. Everyone is welcome to attend. Bring a dish to share.

\$18,000...GUARANTEED! Our HAWTHORNE RAFFLE (10/22) guarantees cash prizes. 1<sup>st</sup> prize, \$7,000; 2<sup>nd</sup>, \$5,000; Twelve (12) prizes of \$500. Only 700 tickets sold. \$50 each.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS:**

Sun, July 31: Mass, 10:30am. Coffee & rolls.

Sun, Aug 7: Mass, 10:30am. Coffee & rolls.

Thurs, Aug 11: Rel. Ed. Volunteers' workshop (see above).

Sun, Aug 14: Mass, 10:30am. Coffee & rolls.

4pm, St. Julie (see above).

Sun, Aug 21: Mass, 10:30am. POLISH LUNCHEON (see above).

Tues, Aug 23: HAWTHORNE Committee meeting.

Thurs, Aug 25, 9am-2pm: Senior Citizen Social.

Sun, Aug 28: Mass, 10:30am. Coffee & rolls.

4pm, St. Mary of Vernon (see above).

PRAY FOR...Jim Dunne, John & Sylvia Kolinek, Marilyn Johnson, Anthony Ariano, Bob Healy, Donna Taylor, James Mulcrone, Susan Postl, Evelyn Rzasa, Majka family, Genevieve Balsitis, Marie Volpentesta, Mark Kubey, Fidel Martinez, Patti Phadke, Susan Postl, Diane Kubey; John McDonough died 7/15; all victims of violence.

**READ YOUR BIBLE - SAVE YOUR SOUL!**

7/24: Genesis 18:20-32; Psalm 138; Colossians 2:12-14; Luke 11:1-13

7/25: 2 Corinthians 4:7-15; Matthew 20:20-28. St. JAMES (1<sup>st</sup> Apostle murdered, 44AD)

7/26: Jeremiah 14:17-22; Matthew 13:36-43. Saints JOACHIN & ANNE: parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary, grandparents of Jesus (Pray for all GRANDPARENTS!)

7/27: Jeremiah 15: 10-21; Matthew 13:44-46

7/28: Jeremiah 18:1-6; Matthew 13:47-53

7/29: Jeremiah 26: 1-9; John 11:19-27. St. MARTHA.

7/30: Jeremiah 26:11-24; Matthew 14:1-12. St. PETER CHRYSOLOGUS(450).

7/31: Ecclesiasticus 1:2; 2:21-23; Psalm 90; Colossians 3:1-5,9-11; Luke 12:13-21

## **SOME NOTES from FR. JOE:**

1) SAT, 7/30, 10am-dusk. ILLINOIS DEAF LATINO PICNIC (everyone is welcome to attend). Riis Park, 6200 W. Fullerton, CHGO. FREE. Food for sale.

2) I am VERY grateful to everyone who worked hard while I was gone...Fr. Key, Brian Swatek, Tom Sisk, Jim Smith, Deacon Ralph, Virginia Hinch & Choir, the ushers, the kitchen workers, Readers and Communion Ministers.

3) FR. ROBERTO MERCADO will begin to join us some Sundays for Mass. He is still getting used to signing the Mass prayers. Please be patient with him. When I (Fr. Joe) began signing 37 years ago, I made a lot of mistakes. However, people were VERY helpful to show me the right ways to sign, especially IRIS MARTINEZ & STELLA NEJA. Do the same with Fr. Roberto.

4) AUGUST 2-7: D-PAN MUSIC VIDEO WEEK for ADULTS, 18 and older. With famous DEAF "Rapper" SEAN FORBES (great teacher/fun & talented guy). Holley Family Village, Brooklyn, MICHIGAN (4 hours from Chicago). INFO: [www.holleyfv.org](http://www.holleyfv.org), 517-536-1518vp.

5) JUNE 24-JULY 5, 2018: Deaf Pilgrimage to meet Pope Francis in ROME. Tour Southern Italy & Sicily! More details after Labor Day.

6) For pictures and more information on the Youth retreat in OAXACA, MEXICO: [www.dcyia.net](http://www.dcyia.net)

7) ALDA (Association of Late Deafened Adults) Convention, Sept 14-18, 2016 in MILWAUKEE, WI. [www.alda.org](http://www.alda.org)

8) HELP CHILDREN WHO HAVE BEEN SEXUALLY ABUSED. Each year, we collect school supplies for these children. Please pick up a copy of the "School Supply List", and drop off a backpack SUNDAYS, AUG. 7, 14, 21 at St. Francis Borgia; AUG. 14 at St. Julie Billiart.

9) NEXT YEAR...ST. LOUIS, ICDA CONFERENCE, JULY 25-30, 2017!!!!!!!!!!!!

10) GETTING MARRIED? Catholic Marriage preparation Class ON-LINE is CAPTIONED! [www.CatholicMarriagePrepClass.com/captioned](http://www.CatholicMarriagePrepClass.com/captioned).

11) SIGN-LANGUAGE INTERPRETING Program (far south suburbs; Moraine Valley Community College, Palos Hills). [engstrom-kestels@morainevalley.edu](mailto:engstrom-kestels@morainevalley.edu)

12) SUMMER MEALS. Many children and families do not get healthy food during the summer. Why? Because the school breakfast/lunch programs close. However, there ARE many sites that offer FREE meals throughout the summer. Where?

- a) [Summerfeedingillinois.org](http://Summerfeedingillinois.org). This site lists summer meal sites by Zipcode.
- b) 800-359-2163: Free information number to let people know where the summer food programs are.
- c) Text: FOODIL or COMIDAIL to 877-877 for list of meal sites.
- d) Go to [www.chicago](http://www.chicago)

13) EAT HEALTHY! Shop ALL summer at Farmers' markets:

Find a Farmer's Market near you:

<http://www.agr.state.il.us/agrihappenings/display2.php> or

[http://www.cityofchicago.org/city/en/depts/dca/supp\\_info/farmersmarkets0.html](http://www.cityofchicago.org/city/en/depts/dca/supp_info/farmersmarkets0.html)