

**ST. FRANCIS BORGIA DEAF CENTER, 8025 W. ADDISON**  
**MAY 3, 2015** **FIFTH SUNDAY of EASTER**

WELCOME to our Brothers and Sisters from GREEN BAY, WI.

TUES, May 5: looking for people willing to work, to give us your time and talent! We will have our first HAWTHORNE 2015 Meeting. 5pm, meal; 6:30pm, meeting. Meetings always end by 8pm.

ADA 2015: this year is the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act). Lots happening in and around Chicago. ADA25CHICAO.org

Next Sunday is MOTHER'S DAY! Honor these special women in our lives. How? Bring a picture of mom, and place it on the altar. Come to Mass; PRAY FOR YOUR MOTHER!

Fill out a Mother's Day envelope, and place in the box on the altar. All our Masses at St. Francis Borgia (hearing and deaf) offered for moms during May. Bring flowers for the altar!

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS:**

Tues, May 5: Hawthorne meeting, see above.

Thurs, May 7, 8:30am: volunteers to stuff 2,000 summer letters. HELP!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Sun, May 10: Mother's Day Mass, 10:30am. FREE coffee/rolls for ALL women.  
NO Mass at St. Julie Billiart.

Sun, May 17: Mass, 10:30am. CCE Lunch & meeting.  
4pm Mass, St. Julie Billiart. No social.

Sun, May 24: Mass, 10:30am. Refreshments. GUESTS from MEXICO at Mass.  
4pm, Mass, St. Mary of Vernon. Refreshments.

Mon., May 25: MEMORIAL DAY. Masses at all Catholic cemeteries.

Thurs, May 28, 9am-2pm. Senior Citizen Social.

SUN-THURS, 7/26-30: ICDA Conference, CLEVELAND, OH. The Deaf Community in Cleveland ALWAYS has lots of wonderful events planned for ICDA members. [www.icda.org](http://www.icda.org)

Sat, 5/16, 11am: Feast of St. Peregrine (Saint for those with cancer). Mass, plus blessing with his relic. Our Lady of Sorrows Basilica, 3121 W. Jackson Blvd, CHGO. FREE, SAFE parking lot. If you wish a sign-language interpreter, contact Catholic Office of the Deaf THIS week!

PRAY FOR...Sr. Alverna Hollis, Tom Sisk, Italo DeArcangelis, Mary Scharle, Mary Ann Gaszynski, Ted Zuziak, Balsitis sisters, Majka Family, Anthony Ariano, Danny Binion, Frank & Evelyn Rzasa, Flo Angelucci, Carol Fleming, Marie Volpentesta, Mark Kubey, George Lastrico, Laurence Mulcrone, John and Sylvia Kolinek, Tom Sisk, Nathan Kucera.

TUES, 5/19, 1-3pm: Learn about "ALCOHOL". Deaf Social & Talk. Hoffman Estates. Registration: 224-520-9763vp, [sphadke@schaumburgtownship.org](mailto:sphadke@schaumburgtownship.org)

**READ YOUR BIBLE:**

5/3: Acts 9:26-31, Psalm 22, 1 John 3:18-24, John 15:1-8

5/4: Acts 14:5-18/ John 14:21-26

5/5: Acts 14: 19-28/ John 14:27-31

5/6: Acts 15:1-6/ John 15:1-8

5/7: Acts 15:7-21/ John 15:9-11

5/8: Acts 15:22-31/John 15:12-17

5/9: Acts 16:1-10/ John 15:18-21

5/10: Acts 10:25-26, 34-48/ Psalm 98/1 John 4:7-10/ John 15:9-17

Learn about ways to prevent sexual abuse of children who are deaf, hard of hearing, or disabled: [www.dcann.com](http://www.dcann.com)

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

- 1) Can you donate a can of Regular Coffee (or a bag of coffee from Dunkin Donuts?)? We will use this on Sundays. THANKS.
- 2) MAY is the month we honor MARY, Our Blessed Mother. The best prayer to honor MARY is the ROSARY. Every day, pray the ROSARY. Pray for PEACE!
- 3) FR. MIKE DEPCIK helps us with our Faith: [www.frmd.org](http://www.frmd.org)
- 4) SUN, MAY 17, ST. JULIE BILLIART: there WILL be a 4pm Mass, but NO coffee after Mass.
- 5) The HAWTHORNE RACE COMMITTEE is a group of very good, hard-working people. They do a lot to help us have a successful fund-raiser in OCT. We need more people to volunteer for this Committee. We meet once each month. We try to get people to support us by buying ads, and by selling raffle tickets. If you are interested to donate your TIME & TALENT, come to our first meeting this TUESDAY. You will also learn a lot about how to do fund-raisers for your own organization!
- 6) SUMMER PROGRAMS for DEAF and/or DISABLED CHILDREN – Chicago Park District. <http://www.chicagoparkdistrict.com/programs/programs-for-the-deaf-and-hard-of-hearing/>
- 7) NEXT SUNDAY, MAY 10<sup>th</sup>, after the 10:30am Mass, FREE Coffee & Cake for everyone! We will congratulate PAUL BARWIKOWSKI, a seminarian at St. Francis Borgia. Archbishop Cupich will ordain him a DEACON on May 9<sup>th</sup>. Both the hearing people and deaf people from our 10:30am Masses will join together for the party!
- 8) A BIG “THANK YOU” to...ANNETTE LANGSTON & JIMMY SMITH, JOHN & PATRICK ZONDLO. Last Sunday, they cleaned out the entire refrigerator because of problems. It was a difficult & smelly job...also STELLA HILL & her Committee for providing a delicious lunch. The profits go to support our programs for deaf young people.
- 9) ARD – Addiction Recovery of the Deaf – helps deaf/ hard of hearing people get HELP to stop drinking alcohol or using illegal drugs. ARD can help YOU or SOMEONE YOU LOVE to become healthy and sober again! 773-904-0105vp, 773-522-2010x5221.
- 10) ALERTS! EMERGENCY INFORMATION! The Catholic Office of the Deaf has an email alert system, and also Facebook. If you wish to receive information about emergencies, events, or funeral notices, please send your name & email, to: [cathdeafch@archchicago.org](mailto:cathdeafch@archchicago.org). We do NOT share this information with any person, deaf organization or government office. We keep it confidential.
- 11) 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/farmers\\_market.html](http://www.cityofchicago.org/city/en/depts/dca/supp_info/farmers_market.html)
- 12) DEAF COFFEE SOCIALS this week: Friday, May 8, 7 pm to 2 am – DUPPIES meets at Cheesie's Pub & Grub, 958 W. Belmont, Chicago. Weds, May 6 - 10 am to 4:30 pm at Congregation Bene Shalom, 4435 W. Oakton, Skokie; RSVP – [hebrewsemdeaf@juno.com](mailto:hebrewsemdeaf@juno.com)