

ST. FRANCIS BORGIA DEAF CENTER, 8025 W. ADDISON

OCTOBER 18, 2015

29th SUNDAY of CHURCH TIME

SAT, Oct 24: HAWTHORNE RACE for CATHOLIC OFFICE of the DEAF. NOON-6pm. \$40 admission (\$45/door). FREE Bus leaves St. Francis Borgia at 11am (sign-up TODAY!). We still have some CASH RAFFLE tickets left: \$18,000 GUARANTEED! COME to support the CATHOLIC OFFICE OF THE DEAF!

SUN, OCT. 25: Lunch FREE. NOON-1pm: what is the FUTURE of the CATHOLIC DEAF MINISTRY in the Archdiocese? Archbishop Cupich wants ALL parishes to discuss the future of their church communities. Priests have an important meeting with the Archbishop Nov. 5th.

SUNDAY, NOV. 1: DEACON PAT GRAYBILL will preach at the 10:30am Mass.

PROTECT YOURSELF/YOUR FAMILY: get a flu shot as soon as possible.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Thurs, Oct 22, 9am-2pm: Senior Citizen Social, St. Francis Borgia.

Sat, Oct 24, NOON-6pm: HAWTHORNE!

Sun, Oct 25: Mass, 10:30am. Refreshments. NOON: meeting.

Mass, 4pm, St. Mary of Vernon, Refreshments.

Sat, Oct 31: change your clocks BACK one hour before bed.

Sun, Nov 1: Mass, 10:30am. ALL SAINTS DAY! Refreshments.

Sun, Nov 8: Mass, 10:30am. Coffee & rolls.

4pm, Mass at St. Julie Billiart.

Sun, Nov 15: Mass, 10:30am. CCE Lunch and Meeting.

4pm, Mass at St. Julie Billiart.

Thurs, Nov 19, 9am-2pm: Senior Citizen Social.

Sun, Nov 22: Mass, 10:30am. Fr. Joe 70th Birthday party. NO GIFTS, PLEASE!

Mass, 4pm, St. Mary of Vernon. Refreshments.

Thurs, Nov 26, 10am-1pm: Thanksgiving Day Dinner. FREE.

PRAY for those who have died. Fill out ALL SOULS Envelope; place in box next to the altar.

PRAY FOR...Sr. Alverna Hollis, Nathan Kucera, Ed Christian, Alice Greco, Italo DeArcangelis, Balsitis sisters, Majka Family, Mary Ann Gaszynski, Anthony Ariano, Bob Healy, Mark Kubey, Frank & Evelyn Rzasa, Fr. Jerry Trancone, Timo Owens, Marie Volpentesta, George and Laverne Lastrico, Donna Taylor, Peg Smudzinski

Sat, 10/31, 5-11PM: Halloween Party, Swoboda Center. \$20/door.

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READ YOUR BIBLE:

10/18: Isaiah 53: 10-11; Psalm 33; Hebrews 4:14-16; Mark 10:35-45

10/19: Romans 4:20-25; Luke 12:13-21. Saints John Brebeuf, Isaac Jogues, Rene Goupil & Companions (martyrs 1642-1649, USA & CANADA).

10/20: Romans 5:12-21; Luke 12:35-38. St. Paul of the Cross (1720).

10/21: Romans 6:12-18; Luke 12:49-53

10/22: Romans 6:19-23; Luke 12:49-53. St. John Paul II (2005).

10/23: Romans 7:18-25; Luke 12:54-59. St. John of Capistrano (1456).

10/24: Romans 8:1-11; Luke 13:1-9. St. Anthony Mary Claret (1870, Cuba).

10/25: Jeremiah 31:7-9; Psalm 126; Hebrews 5:1-6; Mark 10:46-52

SOME NOTES FROM FR. JOE:

1) YOUR SUPPORT for the Hawthorne race means YOUR SUPPORT for the CATHOLIC OFFICE OF THE DEAF. The Archdiocese of Chicago will be closing parishes and offices in 2016-2017. If you want the Catholic Office of the deaf to remain OPEN, we depend on YOUR SUPPORT!

2) This week, two special feast days:

- 10/19: The Feast of the NORTH AMERICAN MARTYRS. These were eight French Jesuits who came to America to preach the Gospel. Between 1642-1649, the Iroquois and Mohawk Indians tortured and killed all of these men. Why? Because they tried to teach the way of Jesus and peace to the Indians who knew nothing about Jesus.

In our world today, groups like the TALIBAN, ISIS, BOKO HARAM have killed many Catholic priests, Brothers, Religious women, catechists, and lay people. The Communist governments of RUSSIA, VIET NAM, CHINA continue to persecute the Catholic Church. In SYRIA, IRAQ, IRAN, EGYPT, SUDAN Catholics often suffer because they want to go to Mass, to receive Jesus in Holy Communion. Pray for our Catholic Christian brothers and sisters still suffering in the world today!

- 10/22: St. John Paul II, first POLISH POPE, who died in 2005. He was an amazing, very holy person. He forgave the man who shot and crippled him. He gives us a great example of “God’s MERCY”!

3) NCOD (National Catholic Office of the Deaf) Pastoral Week, JANUARY 15-19, 2016 in NEW ORLEANS, LA. Double Tree Hilton, downtown New Orleans, \$119/night for up to four in a room. INFO: www.ncod.org

4) APRIL seems far away. However, mark down APRIL 22-23 for a wonderful weekend. We will celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Mid-West ICDA. The hotel is VERY comfortable with free parking. The Mass Saturday afternoon is the same as Mass on Sunday morning (so stay at the hotel and enjoy a great brunch!). INFO: www.icda-us.org/events/regional-conferences/2016-icda-midwest-chicago/

5) To all those on MEDICARE, Remember: Medicare Part “D” pays for your medical prescriptions. If you are satisfied with your Part “D” plan and you want to continue it in 2016, do NOTHING! If you are NOT satisfied with your plan and wish to change, Medicare allows you to do this between OCT. 15 and DEC.7th. However, if you change your plan for 2016, you cannot change it again after Dec.7th.

6) DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS NIGHT (DEAF), Wed, 11/4, 4-7pm. Chicago hearing Society. Must RSVP by 11/2, 773-904-0155vp, MMendiola@anixter.org.

7) ST. JULIE BILLIART DEAF SCHEDULE, 4pm Masses: NOVEMBER 8 & 15. DECEMBER: 13 (Christmas Party). NO MASS DEC. 20! DEC. 24, Christmas Eve: Mass, 8pm.

8) DEAF COFFEE SOCIALS this week: TODAY, Oct. 18, 2 pm at Starbucks, 519 Main Street, Evanston. SUBURBAN DUPPIES NIGHT: INFO – Lori Krakora lorikrakora@gmail.com