



Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 12, 2015

" *The Shrine* "

St. Odilo Parish

National Shrine of the Poor Souls

St. Odilo Church is the only parish in the United States dedicated to the Souls in Purgatory. It was founded and sanctioned as the Shrine of the Poor Souls by His Eminence, George Cardinal Mundelein, in 1928, with a special indulgence of 200 days granted upon each visit to the shrine.

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Pastor:

Rev. Anthony Brankin

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Rev. Armand Ramirez Ruiz

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Rev. Msgr. Richard Saudis

Rev. Robert Coleman

Deacon:

Mr. Alfonso Salgado

School Principal:

Mr. William Donegan

School Secretary:

Mrs. Virginia Uphues

CCD Coordinator:

Mrs. Idalia Gonzalez

Music Director:

Mr. Paul Rau

Parish Bookkeeper:

Mrs. Beth Ritzenthaler

Secretary:

Mrs. Gail Kunce

Mass Schedule:

Monday thru Friday: 6:30 and 8AM

Saturday: 8:00AM, 4PM

Sunday: 7AM (Sp.), 8:00 (Eng.), 9:30 (Latin) & 11AM (Eng.) & 12:30PM (Sp.)

Holy Days: 6:30PM (Eng.) the previous evening; 6:30, 8:10AM, 12:00 Noon and 6:30PM (Sp.)

Church is open: Weekdays from 6AM - 4PM

Confessions: Saturday 11:15AM - 12Noon & by appointment.

Rectory Office hours: Monday thru Friday: 9AM -9PM

Saturday 9AM-6PM Sunday 9AM-3PM

All Sacraments and ceremonies are available in Italian, Latin, Spanish & of course English.

Baptisms: Every Saturday at 10:30AM & Sunday at 1:30PM. Parents are required to register for baptism with a priest. Parents should be registered parishioners. Please call to make an appointment.

Marriages: Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance with a parish priest. Please call the rectory to make an appointment.

Visits to the Sick: Please inform the rectory for hospital or homebound visits.

Quinceaneras: Cotillion Masses are available for our girls who have been confirmed-please call.

Ramblings - Fr. Brankin

Continued from last week....

You see how all this about Thomas More and Bishop John Fisher is so modern—is not just about kings and princes and Bishops—long ago.

It is about our own families and our own husbands and wives who are all struggling to stay together and to be holy and even happy and follow the teachings of Christ. The story of Thomas More and John Fisher is the story of how only the true teachings of Jesus that come from the Bible and are taught by the Church can help husbands and wives stay together and raise their children

This the story of how errors regarding love and life, marriage and children—the ones that come from the media and the politicians and even the judges only bring heartaches and tragedies and tears.

We know things are not as they used to be in families and among men and women and between husbands and wives—where even something as abnormal as males marrying males is promoted and defended by the law.

But the solution is not to change the teachings of the Church regarding marriage and divorce but to change the world by offering the world the teachings of Jesus—pure and unadulterated.

And that is the lesson taught by saints like Thomas More and John Fisher. They offered up their deaths for the life of the family. Oh my do our families today need their intercession.

I am not telling any secrets when I mention that the same choices and affirmations about marriage that defined the heroism of Thomas More and John Fisher are going to be our choices. It is our chance now to follow Christ or follow the king.

Now that the Supreme Court has made the marriage between any two people regardless of their gender—a constitutional and civil right—we Catholics are in trouble.

One Bishop told me— “this is big!”

And the more I thought about it the more I realized he was right. The fascist gay establishment will not stop until they have crippled the Catholic Church—and without any counter-balance of a strong Church we will soon have legalized polygamy and incest .

I read this morning where Justice Kennedy (the Catholic) declared that no longer can the right of same sex people to marry be denied. I wonder if he means it. Will they try to force us to perform these ceremonies?

A month ago the Obama Justice Department promised that the Churches might lose their tax-exempt status as a penalty for denying rights to citizens. If it is a right—it is a right—I don't know how they could allow us to refuse to perform what they say is a civil right.

Maybe they will make us start paying property taxes and corporation taxes. Maybe they will forbid us from applying for grants and benefits. If they do—we will be drained dry in a matter of months.

We would certainly have to close our parishes, our churches and schools—even our cemeteries. We will lose our hospitals and nursing homes and day-care facilities. We just will not be able to afford any of it.

We will be forced into the streets and into the alleys to preach and teach. We will be herded into basements and kitchens and homes of other believers for Mass and the sacraments.

We won't be able to do anywhere near the amount of things that we used to do. And that is not good.

Sure in some sense it will free us up and we won't have to worry about saying anything wrong for fear we would lose our tax exempt status. But it is just the first step to eventually outlawing us—and that will be even less fun!

Oh I guess we could sign on with the King. We could be like the English nobles and bishops. We could say that it is the government—not Jesus—that now defines what we believe about love and marriage—

But if we have any guts—if we have any faith left—we will pray to be as strong as Thomas More and John Fisher. And if to be friends of Jesus we must be enemies of the state—then so be it. If they want our heads—we will be ready.

St. Odilo School Honor Roll

GRADE FIVE

GOLD

Janeth Resendez

SILVER

Kael Caraballo
Alexander Gamboa
Javier Herrera
Christian Pelayo
Alondra Vargas

COMMUNITY

Kael Caraballo
Alexandre Gamboa
Isabella Medina
Christian Pelayo
Lexani Pliego
Janeth Resendez
Alekxander Rojas
Stephanie Ruiz
Alondra Vargas
Jayden Watts

GRADE SIX

GOLD

Alex Artz
Dalila Casillas
Patrick Gleeson
Paloma Morales
Jessica Saavedra

SILVER

Victoria Bermudez
Teresa Lim
Bianca McQueen
Emily Mexquitic
Jocelyn Perez
Jazmin Rivera
Jessica Rosa

COMMUNITY

Alex Artz
Victoria Bermudez
Dalila Casillas
Jose Garcia
Patrick Gleeson
Jazmin Rivera

GRADE SEVEN

GOLD

Brandon Banda
Victor DeLeon
Vincenzo DiTrollo
Isabella Gamboa
Stephanie Heuss
Sofia Moreno
Juan Ramirez
Nicole Saucedo
Connor Uphues

SILVER

Charles Gleeson
Ashley Hernandez
Natalia Perea
Abraham Rivera
Scarlett Vargas

COMMUNITY

Brandon Banda
Victor DeLeon
Vincenzo DiTrollo
Isabella Gamboa
Ixtchel Garcia
Victor Garcia
Ashley Hernandez
Stephanie Heuss
Sofia Moreno
Natalia Perea
Abraham Rivera
Nicole Saucedo
Connor Uphues
Scarlett Vargas

GRADE EIGHT

GOLD

Jada Benda
Eduardo Carrasco
Jazzmin Martinez
Jovanna Martinucci
Carlos Ramirez
Patrick Uphues

SILVER

Maggie Diaz
John Garcia
Angel Hernandez

COMMUNITY

Jada Benda
Eduardo Carrasco
Maggie Diaz
Cristina Marquez
Jazzmin Martinez
Jovanna Martinucci
Carlos Ramirez
Patrick Uphues
Jocelyn Vasquez



CATECHISM REGISTRATIONS!!!

For children 1st through 8th grade

Sunday July 26th, 12 – 3:30pm

Sunday Aug. 2nd, 12 – 3:30pm

Sunday Aug. 9th, 12 – 3:30pm

In the School Hall

There will be a \$50 late fee applied for those who register after August 9th.

Requirements: A \$50 nonrefundable Deposit *and* certificates of any sacraments already received. Also, you must be an active member of our parish.

Tuition: \$175 for one child, \$60 for each additional sibling. There will also be a \$40 fee for each child that will be receiving their First Communion. For children receiving their Confirmation there will be a \$45 fee per child. For children receiving both Communion and Confirmation (6th grade and up) the fee will be \$55.

Tuition for children **not** receiving a Sacrament: \$60/child.

If you need to **order a certificate** from a Parish please do so as soon as possible.

We will require certificates at time of registration.

¡¡¡REGISTRACIONES DE CATECISMO!!!

Para estudiantes de 1^{ro} a 8^{vo} grado

Domingo 26 de Julio 12 - 3:30pm

Domingo 2 de Ago. 12 - 3:30pm

Domingo 9 de Ago. 12 - 3:30pm

En el sótano de la escuela

Habrá un cargo adicional de \$50 para aquellos que se inscriban después del 9 de agosto.

Requisitos: Un depósito no-rembolsable de \$50 y los certificados de los sacramentos ya recibidos. Además, usted debe ser un miembro activo de nuestra parroquia.

Matrícula: \$175 por un niño, \$60 por cada niño adicional. Habrá una cuota de \$40 por estudiante que recibirá su Primera Comunión. Para los estudiantes que necesiten la Confirmación la cuota será de \$45 por estudiante. Para los niños que reciben tanto la Comunión y la Confirmación (de 6^{to} grado en adelante) la cuota será de \$55.

Matrícula para los niños que **no** reciben un sacramento: \$60/ niño.

Si usted necesita contactar a una parroquia para **ordenar un certificado**, por favor ordénelo tan pronto como sea posible. **Se van a requerir certificados en el momento de la inscripción.**

CATECHISM REGISTRATIONS!!!

*For High School Students
and
Young Adults*

Sunday July 26th, 12 – 3:30pm
Sunday Aug. 2nd, 12 – 3:30pm
Sunday Aug. 9th, 12 – 3:30pm

In the School Hall

There will be a \$50 late fee applied
for those who register
after August 9th.

Requirements: A \$50 nonrefundable
Deposit *and* certificates of any
sacraments already received. Also, you
must be an active member of our parish.

Tuition: \$175 for one student, \$60 for
each additional sibling.

If you need to order a certificate from a
Parish please do so as soon as possible.

**We will require certificates at
time of registration.**

¡¡¡REGISTRACIONES DE CATECISMO!!!

*Para estudiantes de la
Escuela Secundaria
y Jovenes*

Domingo 26 de Julio 12 - 3:30pm
Domingo 2 de Ago. 12 - 3:30pm
Domingo 9 de Ago. 12 - 3:30pm

En el sótano de la escuela

Habrá un cargo adicional de \$50 para
aquellos que se inscriban
después del 9 de agosto.

Requisitos: Un depósito no-
rembolsable de \$50 y los certificados
de los sacramentos ya recibidos.
Además, usted debe ser un miembro
activo de nuestra parroquia.

Matrícula: \$175 por un estudiante,
\$60 por cada hermano/a adicional.

Si usted necesita contactar a una
parroquia para ordenar un certificado,
por favor ordénelo tan pronto como
sea posible. Se van a requerir certifica-
dos en el momento de la inscripción.

The following Fathers were remembered in the Father's Day Novena:

Joseph J. Kubal Marty Oborski
James Edward Kubal Anthony Bernar
Joseph Kubal Sr.
James S. Bonomo
Salvadore Bonomo
Gabriel Granato
Peter K. Christian
Jerry Dedore

Catholic Charities West Regional School Supply Drive

Show your support for the Catholic Charities West Region by collecting and donating school supplies! Supplies benefits children and families of low-income in the Western Suburbs. Each year, Catholic Charities West Region provides more than 300 children with a successful start to the school year with the help of your donations. Please drop all school supplies off at Catholic Charities, 1400 South Austin Blvd. in Cicero. Donations will be accepted between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and must be delivered no later than August 21, 2015. We will also need volunteers to help with the set up the day before the event and the day of. If anyone is interested in helping out they can call Esmeralda at (708) 329-4022. Any help is greatly appreciated.

YOUTH GROUP GOES TO N.C.Y.C.!

WHAT IS IT?

The National Catholic Youth Conference!

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

We are fundraising and our goal is \$10,000! You can donate to help us get there! Donate whatever you can, every penny counts!

WHY?

We want to bring the youth of Saint Odilo to this amazing conference where they can grow in their faith, and have a meaningful Catholic experience. But we need your help to make it happen!

WHO'S IN CHARGE?

Contact us via email: armoryofchrist@gmail.com

Contact us via phone/text: (708) 680-6879

TO DONATE NOW, VISIT:

www.ArmoryOfChrist.Weebly.com



WHO IS GOING?

We have a group of 17 looking to make it to Indianapolis.

FIND US:

[Facebook.com/ArmoryofChrist](https://www.facebook.com/ArmoryofChrist)

Twitter:
[@armoryofchrist](https://twitter.com/armoryofchrist)

QR CODE:



SICK RELATIVES & FRIENDS

Please remember the sick - Regina Sztatkowski, Josephine Sprovieri, Michael Termini, Ernest Karamas, Charlie Turek, Alice Kowalski, Henry Kereluk, Marge Shatas, Sr. Johanna Trisolieri, Ramon Marentes, Frank Stepnowski, Jody Stepnowski, Diane Reilly, Richard Wenc, Carolyn Johnson, William Stepanek, Karen Lewis, Paul Rosko, Joseph Kirchoff, our Veterans, Patricia Mars, Barbara Defina, Ralph Cannataro, Mike Kadrowicz, George Fuoco, Eddie Shishkoff, Mark Hruska, Baby Carmody, Frances Rapacz, Maurice Ford, Lucille Chlapecka, Milly Kosinar, Patricia Stalzer, Marty Oborski, Jerry Kolman, Shirley Klein, Paul Lucas, Anita Sanchez, Karen Halter, L. R. Hammond, Milly Kosinar, Frank Munoz.

REST IN PEACE

Please remember all those God has called to Himself from our parish family, especially Caroline Morris, Ken Gazdziak, Robert Vilimek & Paul Lucas.

OUR WEEKLY OFFERING

June 28, 2015	\$8,613.08
Last Year	\$8,920.71
July 5, 2015	\$10,544.25
Last Year	\$8,830.35
	Thank You Fr. Brankin

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

MONDAY...

8AM-Vacation Bible School
10:30AM-Exercise Club (CB)
6:30-Legion of Mary (PR)

TUESDAY...

8AM-Vacation Bible School
7PM-Special Events Committee (PR)

WEDNESDAY...

8AM-Vacation Bible School
10:30-Exercise Club (CB)

THURSDAY...

8AM-Vacation Bible School
7PM-Bible Study (PR)
7PM-Armory of Christ (CB)

FRIDAY...

8AM-Vacation Bible School
10:30-Exercise Club (CB)
6:30-Pequeño Rebanos (CB)

SATURDAY...

2PM-Arts & Crafts (PR)

WEDDING BANNS

III-Alfredo Ruvalcaba & Irma Lozano

II-Agustin Carrera & Maria Guadalupe Botello

I-Eddie Izquierdo & Janet Tamayo

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, JULY 13-SAINT HENRY

6:30AM-Rita & Leon Roszyk
8:00AM-Balazic Family (Plazabit Family)

TUESDAY, JULY 14-SAINT KATERI, TEKAKWITHA, VIRGIN

6:30AM-Joseph Mordente Sr. (James & Charmaine Roth)
8:00AM-Eduardo Vergara (Family)
-James Nallen (Joan Stockhausen)
-John A. Mozis (Jack & Roz Mozis)
-Kay Carlson (Banda Family)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15-SAINT BONAVENTURE, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

6:30AM-Rev. James F. Nallen (Lafin Family)
8:00AM-Mildred Linhart (Family)
3PM-Divine Mercy (CH)

THURSDAY, JULY 16-OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

6:30AM-Gwendolyn Congdon (James & Charmaine Roth)
8:00AM-Josephine Gaudio (Carmelina Barbuscio)
-Clarice Wells (Family)
-Anne C. McClure (Len Tufo)

FRIDAY, JULY 17-WEEKDAY

6:30AM-Rose Stinar (Family)
8:00AM-Bultas & Tufo Families (Len Tufo)
2PM-Quinceanera-Crystal Salgado
4PM-Wedding of Alfredo Ruvalcaba & Irma Lozano

SATURDAY, JULY 18-SAINT CAMILLUS DE LELLIS, PRIEST

8:00AM-Surma-Martinotti Family (Kathy Martinotti)
12PM-Quinceanera-Jessica Juarez
4PM-Edward Hlava (Wife)
5:15-Quinceanera-Eleny Badillo

SUNDAY, JULY 19-SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7AM-Clemente Villagomez & Maria Trinidad Alcantar
(Eva Mendoza)
8AM-Joseph J. Kubal (Judie Kubal)
9:30-Paul & Cathy Chapello
11AM-Edward Galas (Halleron Family)
12:30-Maria Santos Martinez (Maria Miranda)

SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK

July 18 & 19	Eucharistic Minister	Lector	Altar Servers
4PM	N. Banda J. Garcia	H. Odum	B. Banda, C. Ramirez G. Gleeson S. Rollins
7AM (Esp.)	M. Marin R. Marin R. Cruz	L. Rosillo	Maximo Garcia Jesus Diaz R. Navarette
8AM	N. Kmet B. Ouska J. Stockhausen	D. Kosenesky	V. Hernandez C. Hernandez
9:30AM			E. Pesek, W. Ahern W. Estrella L. Estrella
11AM	E. Hron D. Oborski T. Zielinski	L. Tufo	S. Ruiz, S. Vargas A. Vargas I. Medina
12:30PM (Esp.)	C. Cano, N. Garcia L. Gonzalez V. Chavez	B. Ramirez H. Sanchez	E. Lopez A. Cruz C. Ramirez

Servers for week of July 13-17: S. Heuss & I Gamboa