

ST. FRANCIS BORGIA DEAF CENTER, 8025 W. ADDISON
OCTOBER 5, 2008 27th Sunday of Church time

POLISH MASS: beginning next Sunday, there will be a Mass in Polish in the chapel at 9am. The parking lot will be full, so try to arrive before 8:45am or at 10am.

PROTECT YOUR HOME THIS FALL:

- a) Change the batteries in your smoke alarm NOW.
- b) Replace all your outdoor lights NOW before the weather gets cold.
- c) Clean the outside vent of your clothes dryer. If it is clogged, it can cause a fire.
- d) Get rid of all old cans of paint, gasoline, oil; all old paint and oily rags-throw out. Keep a tight lid on all
paint cans.
- e) Throw out old newspapers. Clean junk away from the hot water heater and gas heater for your home.
- f) Make sure your fire extinguishers are up to date.

Sat, Nov. 1: Fr. Mike Depcik will give a Day of Renewal in Plainfield, IL. Everyone is welcome to attend. Contact Fr. Mike or Fr. Mark Fracaro for information., 1-815-467-2233. 10am-4pm. Mass same as Sunday.

YEAR OF ST. PAUL:

- 1) Wed, 10/8, 7:30pm: St. Francis Borgia talk, "St. Paul & The Church in Corinth". Free. Interpreted. Refreshments.
- 2) Thur, 10/9, 7pm: Talk: St. Paul and Evangelization. Free. Interpreted. St. Michael, 1633 N. Cleveland, Chgo. Beautiful old church.

FLU SHOTS: the government wants EVERYONE to get a flu shot this year. All hospitals will offer these shots, but you must make a reservation. People with Medicare Part B: the shot is free. Doctors want ALL children to get a flu shot this year. NOT safe for people allergic to eggs.

Wed, 11/12, 4-7pm: MEN'S Health Fair with many FREE health screenings. Resurrection Hospital, 7435 W. Talcott. Must RSVP: 877-737-4636, www.reshealth.org

Excellent Workshops on ARTHRITIS & SURGERY:

- 1) Sat, 10/11, 9-10am: Outpatient hip and knee replacement. Maggiano's, 11 W. Grand. FREE breakfast at 8:30am.
- 2) Wed, 10/15, 6-7:30pm (free dinner at 5:30pm): Hand, Foot, and Ankle Pain: what to do? Rush Hospital Professional Bldg, 1725 W. Harrison, Chgo.
- 3) Thur, 10/16, 1-2:30pm (free lunch at 12:30pm): Ask Doctors about Arthritis. River Forest Community Center, 8020 W. Madison, River Forest.
- 4) Sat, 10/25, 9:30-1:30am (free lunch): Arthritis Seminar, Leaning Tower YMCA, 6300 W. Touhy, Niles.

RSVP required for all workshops: 800-735-0096, www.arthritis.org, keyword Chicago, click Public Education Seminars. You can request a sign-language interpreter.

FUN EVENTS:

- a) Sat, 10/25, 1-4pm: Bowling event to support Holy Trinity Deaf School. 10pin Bowling Lounge, 330 N. State St. (Very exciting and interesting place.) \$60/adults includes 3 hours of bowling, shoes, raffles, food and beverages. 312-243-8186v/tty.
- b) Sat, 11/8, Noon-5pm: Hawthorne Race Track Fund-raiser for Catholic Office of the Deaf. \$35/person, \$40/door. \$18,000 cash raffle. Excellent "basket raffles" that day.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Tues, 10/7: Hawthorne Race Committee. 5:30pm, pizza. 6:30pm, meeting.
Wed, 10/8, 7:30pm: Free talk on St. Paul and the Corinthians. St. Francis Borgia.
Sat, 10/11, 1-6pm: St. Paul and Our Lives: talk, Confessions, Mass in Champaign-Urbana
Sun, 10/12: Mass, 10:30am. Coffee & rolls. Fr. Joe Mulcrone.
Mass, 4pm. St. Julie Billiart, 7399 W. 159th. Fr. Mike Depcik. Refreshments.
Sun, 10/19: Mass, 10:30am. Coffee & rolls. 12:30pm: workshop with Fr. Mike Depcik.
Mass, 4pm. St. Julie Billiart. Refreshments. Fr. Joe.

READ YOUR BIBLE EVERYDAY:

10/6: Galatians 1:6-12/Luke 10:25-37	10/9: Galatians 3:1-5/Luke 11:5-13
10/7: Galatians 1:13-24/Luke 10:38-42	10/10: Galatians 3:7-14/Luke 11:15-26
10/8: Galatians 2:1-14/Luke 11:1-4	10/11: Galatians 3:22-29/Luke 11:27-28

St. Paul's Letter to the GALATIANS is one of the best Letters (Epistles) Paul wrote. There is a lot of good teaching in that Letter for US in OUR world TODAY!

Where can a person go to get honest, accurate information about political candidates and their real positions/votes? www.votesmart.org

Next Sun., 10/12, 4pm Mass with Fr. Mike Depcik. St. Julie Billiart. 10/19: Fr. Joe.

SOME NOTES FROM FR. JOE:

- 1) FREE CTA Bus and EL Train for DEAF people. If you are deaf or hard of hearing, you can apply for CIRCUIT BREAKER & RTA pass. You must apply by Oct. 24th! To get this FREE help, you must bring: proof of hearing loss (from doctor or clinic); proof of SS/SSI (SS check or Form SSA-1099); proof of rent in 2007 (cancelled check or rent agreement); landlord's name and address; proof of Medicare bill from 2007. Own a home? Bring property tax bill from 2007 or mobile home tax from 2007. Contact TERI HEDDING at 773-257-6289vp/tty, hedt@sinai.org
- 2) "Learn Health! Live Healthy!"- excellent health program info for deaf people:
<http://www.advocatehealth.com/deaf>
- 3) How often have YOUR hearing family members asked you to buy THEIR raffle tickets? Now, ask them to buy the Raffle tickets to support the Catholic Office of the Deaf on 11/8. We guarantee \$18,000 (ten prizes) to all winners.
- 4) Sat, 10/11, 7pm: DEAAC (Deaf European American Association/Chicago) Anniversary. Epicurean Restaurant (excellent food!), 4431 W. Roosevelt, Hillside. \$35/person. Demir Bekiri, 773-745-9788vp, dbekiri7daeap@yahoo.com
- 5) Deaf woman with one young daughter seeks roommate/share expenses in Chicago. Contact: 708-366-3617vp, Novowosow@hotmail.com. Ask for "Svetlana".
- 6) CRAFT FAIRS: get bargains/save for holiday shopping.
 - a) 10/11, 9am-2pm: St. Eugene Parish, Foster and Canfield, Chgo(10 minutes from here!)
 - b) 10/17-18,9am-4pm: St. Mary of Providence, 4200 N. Austin. Benefits disabled people.
 - c) 10/19, 8:30am-2:30pm. St. Symphorosa, 6148 S. mason, Chgo.
- 7) Sunday, October 12: Mass with Msgr. Nelson:
 - a) 9am, St. Thomas parish, 272 King Street, CRYSTAL LAKE.
 - b) 11:30am, St. Thomas More parish, 215 Thomas More Dr., ELGIN.
- 8) JOSIE LOWERY does a good job on our "Basket raffle" for November 8th. Can you help? Do you have a family member or friend who works at a restaurant or hotel or beauty shop? Can that person donate a GIFT CARD, DISCOUNT CARD, etc for our Raffle? This will help us a lot!
- 9) Fri, 10/17, 9:30am-4pm: Peace of Mind/Mental Wellness Fair, at The Howard Community Center, 7640 Jackson Blvd, Forest Park. Need Interpreter - Contact Carol at 708-209-1826tty.
- 10) Sat, 10/18,5:30-8pm: St. Julie Billiart Parish will have its "Taste of St. Julie" food party. Excellent foods from all over the world! The deaf community is invited to attend!
- 11) Every Wednesday, 2-4pm, there is a special workshop for people, out of work (deaf/disabled) who want to improve their job skills. Progress Center, 7521 W. Madison, Forest Park. Need interpreter? Call Carol at 708-209-1826tty.
- 12) Sat, 11/25, 9am-3pm: "SUICIDE: Dying Too Soon" spiritual workshop. Catholic Theological Union, 5416 S. Cornell, Chgo. Cost: \$35 (Subway lunch is separate at \$6.50.) 815-332-7084. Need a sign-language interpreter? Call: 773-484-0581.
- 13) Enjoy Bowling??? Sat, 10/25, 1-4pm...have a fun, unique bowling experience at the only "downtown Chicago bowling alley": 10pin Bowling Lounge (fun place!), 330 N. State St. This is the Fall fundraiser for Holy Trinity Deaf School. \$60 includes bowling all afternoon, shoes, food and beverages. Contact 312-243-8186v/tty.
- 14) DRIVERS; slow down, especially in the dark mornings for children going to school! Also, with rainy weather, keep your headlights and tail lights clean.
- 15) WOMEN; October is "Breast Cancer Awareness Month". Hospitals offer special mammogram and bone density scans during October. Most insurance plans cover these tests.