

Our Lady of the Ridge - St. Linus Parish

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 21, 2026



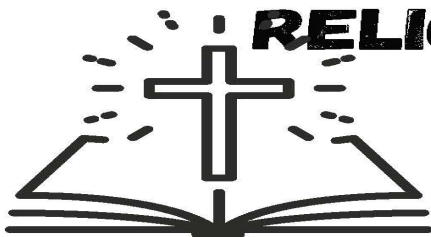
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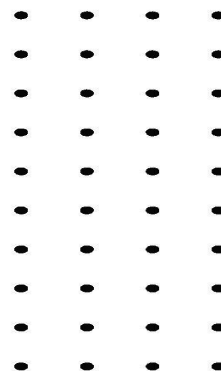
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Saturday Classes begin August 29th
8:30am - 10:30am

Our Lady of the Ridge campus
109th & Ridgeland Avenue



Registration now open for '26-27 session
for students entering first grade and older

**Monthly family/class
masses and weekday
events beginning in
September**

Additional
curriculum
for
sacramental/
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education
catch up
classes

PICK UP REGISTRATION
DOCUMENTS AT:

- THE ST LINUS RECTORY
- CHURCH VESTIBULE AT OUR LADY OF RIDGE OR ST LINUS
- ONLINE

[HTTPS://WWW.STLINUSOAKLAWN.ORG/RELIGIOUSEDUCATION/](https://www.stlinusoaklawn.org/religiouseducation/)



Neighborhood News...

OSF Summer Bereavement Support Group:
Chicago Ridge Public Library, 10400 Oxford
Avenue; Wednesdays, June 24-July 29, 1-
3pm; Register at 708-229-6913.

Joyful Again!: Widow/Widower 2-day Work-
shop/Retreat; June 27/28, St. Julie Billiard, 7399
W. 159th St., Tinley Park; No overnight; Call
708-354-7211 or email info@joyfulagain.org.

Vitas Healthcare: Looking for knitters, crochete-
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program. Call Nancy Zable at 708-781-4405 or
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Blood Pressure Screenings@OSF: Every
1st and 3rd Tuesday, 10am-noon, 55+ Clinic,
9858 S. Western Avenue; Every 1st and 3rd
Wednesday, 9am-11am, Mary Potter Pavilion,
2850 W. 95th Street. For more info check their
Facebook page.

Pray the Rosary: Monday thru Friday, 7pm.,
Our Lady at St. Germaine, 98th & Kolin; De-
votion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus; ALL ARE
WELCOME (Bring a lawn chair).



**Three Ways to Grow in Devotion
to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus**

2.
**First Friday
Devotion:**
Attend Mass
and receive the
Eucharist on the
first Friday of
every month.

1. Attend Mass
2. Receive Holy Communion
3. Spend time in prayer
4. Practice Acts of Reparation

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Mass Schedule for June 20—28, 2026

At STL: Saturday 4:00PM; Sunday 7:30AM, 10:30AM;
M - F 6:00AM Comm. Service, 7:30AM Mass

At OLOR: Sunday 9:00AM; Monday 8:30AM Mass;
Wednesday & Friday 8:30AM Communion Service

Saturday, June 20, 2026 Vigil Mass

4:00PM All Fathers Living and Deceased

Sunday, June 21, 2026 Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Father's Day)

7:30AM All Fathers Living and Deceased

9:00AM All Fathers Living and Deceased

10:30AM All Fathers Living and Deceased

Monday, June 22, 2026 St. Paulinus of Nola, Bishop, Ss. John Fisher, Bishop and Thomas More, Martyrs

7:30AM John F. & Dorothy M. Gallagher

8:30AM Ed Keane, Jr.

Tuesday, June 23, 2026 Weekday

7:30AM Frieda & Philip Carollo

Wednesday, June 24, 2026 The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

7:30AM Jackie Roppo, Robert Ryan

8:30AM Communion Service

Thursday, June 25, 2026 Weekday

7:30AM Paulino & Esperanza Navarro, Adam E. Grabowski

Friday, June 26, 2026 Weekday

7:30AM James T. McGreal, Catherine Garrabrant,
Christine Biernaciak, Spl. Int. of Port Volunteers

8:30AM Communion Service

Saturday, June 27, 2026 Vigil Mass

4:00PM JoAnn & Joe Putz, 66th Wed. Anny.,
Irvin "Bud" & Vera Donlon, John Doyle, Jr.,
Sheila Creghin

Sunday, June 28, 2026 Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30AM Michael R. Fioramanti, Karolina Soltys,
Spl. Int. Ugochukwu Family & Relatives,
Ed Sullivan

9:00AM Roseann Melody, LasCola Family,
William Doyle, Jr., Michael & Marion Maher

10:30AM Dennis Walsh Family, Noreen Tierney,
Maribeth Nagy, Roy & Helen Bozych

PLEASE NOTE: There will be **NO** Confessions on **Saturday, July 4th.**

The St. Vincent de Paul Society LOVE IN OUR WORK

Please call the **food pantry line** directly at **708-289-0406 to enroll**. You will need to provide ID and proof of residency in Our Lady of the Ridge - St. Linus parish boundaries. Pantry is the second Saturday every month. For **financial assistance** call **708-289-4180**.



This week know that you will be bringing hope to the poor by your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.
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We pray for members of our parish family who are homebound, or in hospitals, nursing homes, rehab centers and hospice. We also pray for their caregivers. This list will be frequently revised. We remember especially:

Catherine Hoffman, Leroy Almanza, Catherine Ralson,
Josephine Cordell, Jeff Fraher, Kathy Nordstrom



In the Holy Eucharist, our Lord gives His Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity to us. Can we not give Him one hour of adoration in return? Come visit the Lord.

Jesus, Light of the World Adoration Chapel
Monday - Friday 8AM - 4PM at St. Linus

Friday, 5PM - 7PM at Our Lady of the Ridge Church

LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

"What I say to you in the darkness, speak in the light." We all hear God's voice whispering in our hearts. Discipleship means speaking those words out loud. We all feel the Spirit sing into our souls. Discipleship means that we dance to the tune. ©LPi



Banns of Marriage

*I—Shanon Masino and
Joseph Huscher*

Through the waters of Baptism,
we welcome to the Body of Christ:



Sonia Lucia Casanova
Tomas Ramzi Abudayyeh
Elise Giries Haider Hattar
Addison Rae Beltz
Finn Michael Maroney
Nora Joan Maroney
Nicholas Michael Shrader

BORN INTO ETERNAL LIFE

Daniel Bodinet
Richard Ryan
Irwin Leavitt

Joann L. Rybinski
Wally Cyplik
Kevin James Joyce

Blessing for the Summer

Praise God!

Pour Your mercy upon this season, Lord! As the days fill with sun, fill our hearts with the fire of Your love. As we gather to share story and song, campfires and connection, be with us. Bless our work, our rest, and our play in Your goodness. Amen. ©LPi



- 21 | Father's Day
- 22 | Saints Thomas More and John Fisher
- 24 | Nativity of St. John the Baptist
- 28 | Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Mother McAuley High School Honor Roll

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|------------------|----------------------|
| Olivia Aceremo | Mallory Kelly |
| Olivia Alaniz | Elle Kennedy |
| Camila Alvarez | Adeline Kerfin |
| Jasmine Ballinas | Margaret Lavin |
| Karys Collins | Addison Leck |
| Naomi Cordova | Ava Little |
| Sophie Cordova | Sarah Mandel |
| Maeve Emmons | Gabriella Mendoza |
| Brooke Heilmann | Maria Pedroza |
| Anna Hynek | Kayla Sarmiento-Diaz |
| Monica Hynek | Savannah Simon |
| Theofania Imala | Marina Wantuck |

Parish Support

Due to the early bulletin transmission schedule, Offertory Collection information is not available.

Thank you for your continued financial support.



RECTORY SUMMER HOURS

Mon. thru Thurs.: 9am-4pm

Friday: 9:00am-12 noon

Weekend: **CLOSED**

Summer hours began June 8th

GROWING WITH THE Gospel

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Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



12th Sunday in Ordinary Time • Matthew 10:26-33

CELEBRATING
FATHERS
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From Fr. Mark's Desk:

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time: *"Are not two sparrows sold for a small coin? Yet not one of them falls to the ground without your Father's knowledge...So, do not be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows."*

In the Gospel this weekend, Jesus is clearly speaking to the twelve apostles. We might imagine them as strong figures, ready to take on the challenges that will be ahead of them. But fear and doubt are seizing them all. They do not understand their role in God's plan. They do not understand their participation with God, no matter how great or small, has the potential of a great result.

The image of the sparrow is significant. The sparrow was a bird, sold cheaply to feed the poor. Thus, the image of sparrow in connection with the apostles is in relation to their poverty. Fear has seized them; thus, they do not understand their value.

God will be the food they need to survive and prosper. He treasures the sparrow and treasures them and will treasure us as well. God is our 'daily bread'.

Each of us has a role to play, like the apostles, in bringing about the kingdom. 'Fear no one' in living what God has called you to be. If God has counted every hair, he will not forget you. 'Give us this day our daily bread' is our daily prayer realizing God will sustain us and lead us to a new and more abundant life.

"Sing to the Lord, praise the Lord, for he has rescued the life of the poor from the power of the wicked!" Be not afraid!

Have a great week!

Happy Father's Day

Fr. Mark Walter

**Cardinal Blase Cupich
Archbishop of Chicago**

**Most Reverend Robert M. Fedek
Auxiliary Bishop of Chicago**

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Parish Offices: at St. Linus Rectory
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Summer Office Hours: Monday — Thursday: 9AM—4PM
Friday: 9AM—12 Noon
Weekend: CLOSED
Summer hours begin June 8, 2026

PARISH STAFF:

PASTOR: Rev. Mark Walter
CHAPLAIN: Rev. Wissam Mansour
Our Lady of the Holy Land Community
SCHOOL PRINCIPAL: Margaret Hayes
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EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

SUNDAY SCHEDULE: (at St. Linus): Saturday, 4:00 PM;
Sunday, 7:30 AM and 10:30 AM
(at Our Lady of the Ridge): Sunday, 9:00 AM
(Our Lady of the Holy Land at OLOR): Sunday, 12:00PM
MONDAY-FRIDAY: 6:00 AM Communion Service (STL)
MONDAY-FRIDAY: 7:30 AM Mass (STL)
MONDAY: 8:30 AM Mass (OLOR)
WED. & FRI.: 8:30 AM Communion Service (OLOR)
HOLY DAYS: See the bulletin for Mass schedule.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: (Confession)
Saturday 12:00 to 1:00 PM in Saint Linus Church or by appointment.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:
Monday-Friday, 8 AM to 4 PM in Jesus, Light of the World
Adoration Chapel at St. Linus (enter from parking lot)
Friday evening from 5-7 PM in Our Lady of the Ridge Church

MARIAN DEVOTIONS: The Rosary
Each weekday after the 7:30 AM Mass at STL.
Each M-W-F at 7:45 AM before services at OLOR.

BAPTISM: Sunday
Our Lady of the Ridge after 9:00 AM Mass;
St. Linus at 1:30 PM;
One-hour Baptismal preparation class required for first child only.

MARRIAGE:
Please contact Fr. Mark to arrange the date and time of your marriage celebration at least four months prior to the date.

SPRED: (SPecial RELigious Development)
Ministry to developmentally disabled children and adults.
Tuesday evening from 6:30-8:00 PM at OLOR in the FFC.

AA MEN'S DISCUSSION GROUP:
Saturday morning at 10:00 AM in the FFC at OLOR
NA GROUP:
Monday evening at 7:00 PM in the FFC at OLOR.

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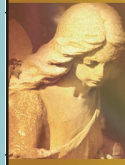
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