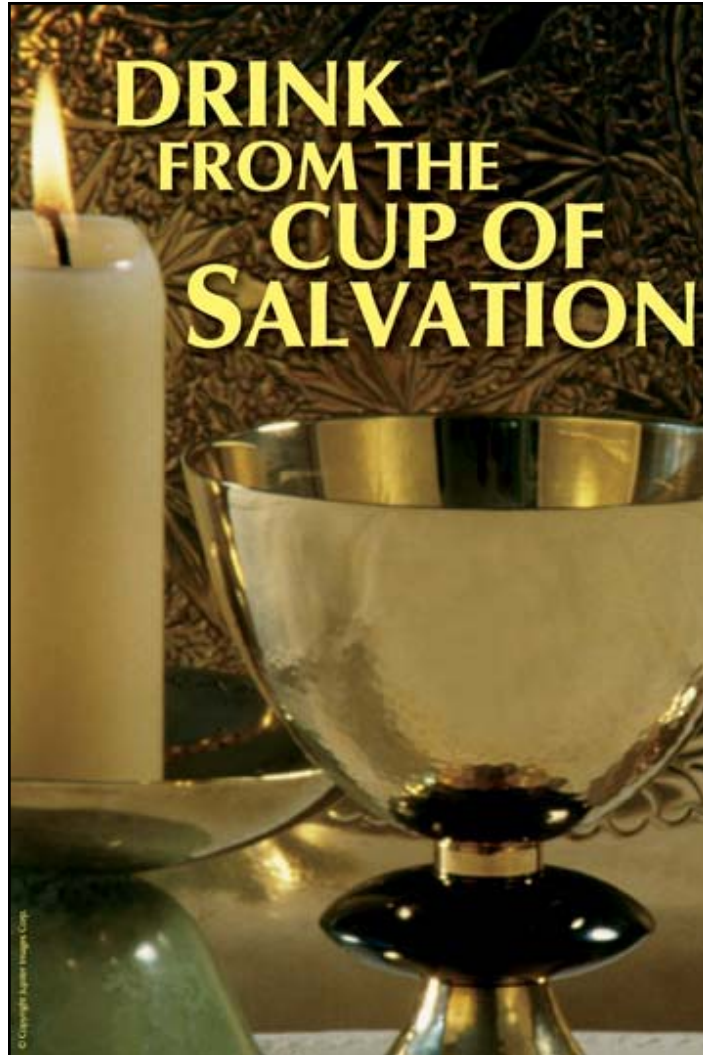


Our Lady of the Brook Parish
Northbrook, Illinois



June 14, 2009
The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

Our Lady of the Brook Mission Statement

Our Lady of the Brook Parish is called to be a Catholic Community where all are welcome.

Believing God to be the center of life, we commit to:

- † Remember the values handed on to us in the Sacred Scriptures and teachings of the Apostles
- † Celebrate Christ's presence among us in Word and Sacrament
- † Act to foster peace, justice and compassion for all.

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Mass Schedule

Saturday Anticipated Mass - 5:00 PM
Sunday Masses - 8 AM, 9:30 AM, and 11:15 AM
Daily Mass - Monday through Friday - 8:30 AM
Holy Day Masses - as Announced

Baptisms

Baptism - 1:00 PM on the second and fourth Sundays of the month.

Sacraments of Reconciliation & Anointing

The Sacrament of Penance is available on Saturdays at 11:00 AM until all confessions are heard or by appointment.

Anointing of the Sick and Communion to the Homebound is available upon request.

Weddings

Marriage - Arrangements must be made a minimum of 6 months in advance.

For all of these sacraments, please call the rectory office.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 13, 2009

5:00 PM † Dolores Mickiewicz request of Rosalie Rodiek

Sunday, June 14, 2009

8:00 AM † Elizabeth & Robert Homberger request of family
 † Theresa Skierski-Camarata request of family
 9:30 AM For All the Members of Our Lady of the Brook family
 11:15 AM † John Glyman request of Guild 1 Women's Club
 † Daniel Murphy request of Suzanne & Gerald Noonan

Monday, June 15, 2009

8:30 AM For All Those in the Armed Services

Tuesday, June 16, 2009

8:30 AM † Daniel Murphy request of Mary Kusswurm

Wednesday, June 17, 2009

8:30 AM † Joseph Schwall request of family

Thursday, June 18, 2009

8:30 AM † Grace Salerno request of Mary Kusswurm

Friday, June 19, 2009

8:30 AM † John & Natalie Petroskey request of Renee & Jim Mitchell

Saturday, June 20, 2009

5:00 PM † Jeanne & Joanne Johnson request of family

Sunday, June 21, 2009

8:00 AM † Rosalie Happ request of Nancy & Emmett Fleming
 9:30 AM † Susan Lewis request of Rosalie Rodiek
 † James & Mary Byrne request of Ruth & Jerry Byrne
 11:15 AM † Frank Reynolds request of Mary Duffy
 † JoAnn Kessenich request of Mary Duffy



For Those Who Have Requested Our Prayers

Donald Abernathy, Sidney Ament, Aaron Baqai, Serena Baqai, Paulette Baqai, Dr. Philip Bedessem, Paul Butzen, Irene Corcoran, Soledad de la Torre, Pamela French, Laura Gilbert, Mick Grant, J. Brooks Gundersen, Brady Irwin, Milton Johnson, Fr. Charlie Kouba, Sharon Lebsack, Harry Mussie, Kathy O'Regan, John Ormond, Karen Oswald, Dorino Politano, Lester Rakow, Katharina Rill, Dolores Romero, Fr. Fred Rudolph, SVD, Lucille Sommers, Angelo Suranno, Jade Swisher, Patricia Tingay, Enrique Vasquez, Victor P. Villasin, Michael S. Villasin, Colleen Vita

Pray Also For Those Who Have Been Born to Eternal Life



Lines of Communication

In case you haven't noticed OLB is hosting a Farmers' Market beginning Wednesday, June 24th and running every Wednesday through October 14th, from 7:00am 'til 1:00pm. When we started talking about a market we hoped that we would attract ten vendors, feared that we would get only five, and decided we would be happy with eight in this first year and that it would grow in subsequent years. As of this writing, we have twenty-five vendors under contract! OLB derives income from rental of the space but we do not get a percentage of the vendors' sales. The market will increase our visibility and make our presence known to those who might drive by every day without being aware of our church. By the way, humongous festivities are planned for the opening day beginning at 9:30 – a watermelon cutting (in lieu of a ribbon cutting) with local dignitaries in attendance; a stilt-walking juggler, a Moon Bounce for kiddies, and free popcorn and balloons. Participants include vendors of fresh produce, cut flowers, cheeses, honey, pastry, salsa, leather goods, and much more. Then, of course, there's the singing knife sharpener. Please talk the market up to your neighbors.



The Selling of the Beatitudes sounds just a wee bit sacrilegious. Marketing plaques imprinted with the Beatitudes to be placed on the barriers in front of the worship center has a much better ring to it. The first of the plaques has been claimed and the donor chose "Blessed are the Peacemakers" for their gift. Just a reminder, especially to anyone who might feel uncomfortable or unable to contribute to the Financial Stability Fund: a dedication plaque bearing a Beatitude is a substantial way of supporting OLB. The donation for the plaque is \$1500.

You all know that Seti, the Dog, is a permanent resident of the rectory, and many of you inquire quite regularly about his well being. Seti, the Dog, and I, his humble servant, thank you for your inquiries. Seti, the Dog, fulfilled one of his fondest hopes last week. He caught a critter! Since his puppyhood Seti, the Dog, has stalked various forms of wildlife whilst upon his daily strolls to take care of his considerable business. He has stalked geese and ducks. He has stalked rabbits and squirrels. He has stalked sparrows and robins. He has stalked A320s, 727s, 747s, 777s, and traffic helicopters. He has never come close to emulating the hunting skill of his noble wolf ancestors – the closest he came was to a polecat -- until last week. Seti, the Dog, was enjoying the sun on the patio in the back of the rectory, his wanderlust checked by a stout chain. When his humble servant went to invite him back into rectory Seti, the Dog, had a chipmunk in his jaws. His humble servant was unable to save the unfortunate victim. Upon further consideration his humble servant deemed Seti, the Dog's actions intuitive and justified. Any chipmunk that would venture that close to such as noble beast as Seti, the Dog, deserved what he got. Culled the gene pool of the chipmunk population, I dare say.

Peace, now and always,

Fr. Tom



Brook Happenings

Sunday, June 14, 2009

Monday, June 15, 2009

No events scheduled

Tuesday, June 16, 2009

No events scheduled

Wednesday, June 17, 2009

Office Closed—off site staff meeting

Thursday, June 18, 2009

7:00 PM Finance Council

Friday, June 19, 2009

No Events Scheduled

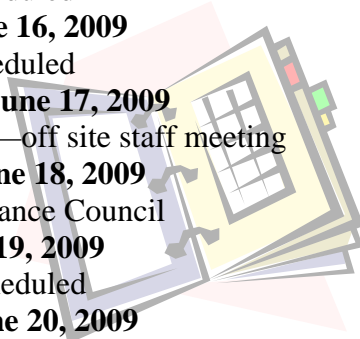
Saturday, June 20, 2009

11:00 AM Confessions

5:00 PM Mass

Sunday, June 21, 2009

No events scheduled



40th Anniversary Prayer

*Mary, Mother of God and
Our Lady of the Brook,*

Be with us as we celebrate
Forty years as a parish family

Help us to be faithful to our call
To be disciples of your Son, Jesus

As you gave birth to the God of life,
Inspire each of us to give birth
To God's love and presence
For everyone we meet.

Like you, may we be filled with the Holy Spirit
So that we too can say "Yes" to God's invitation
To be open, to be faith-filled, to love
one another as He loves us.

Heavenly Father,
Bless us all this year and
May we grow in unity, in peace, in
understanding. *Amen! Alleluia!*
(Susan Vaickauski)

It's Official! Farmers Market is Here

Our Lady of the Brook is hosting a weekly Farmers Market in the church parking lot this summer. The market will be from 7 am to 1 pm Wednesdays, June 24 through Oct. 14. **Please help us spread the word!** (A flyer is available on our website)

Upcoming Dates
Mark your Calendars Now!

June 20 Wine Tasting
June 24 Farmer's Market Kick off

www.olbparish.org

Don't forget that our bulletin is available online at our parish website. It's in color, and has all the information you might have missed! Deadline is noon on the Monday before the weekend.

Readings for the Week of June 14



Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10; Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9; Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-11; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday: 2 Cor 11:1-11; Mt 6:7-15
Friday: Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9; Is 12;
Eph 3:8-12, 14-19; Jn 19:31-37
Saturday: 2 Cor 12:1-10; Lk 2:41-51
Sunday: Jb 38:1, 8-11; Ps 107; 2 Cor 5:
14-17; Mk 4:35-41

Stewardship of Treasure

2009

Jun.7

Month to Date

Sunday Collection	\$10,832.00	
Credit/Debit Card	\$ 3,139.00	
	\$13,971.00	\$13,971.00
Goal:	<u>\$10,500.00</u>	<u>\$10,500.00</u>
Excess/(Deficit):	\$ 3,471.00	\$ 3,471.00

Financial Stabilization Fund (FSF)

To Date: \$62,707.00

Poor Box \$12.00

Have you switched to Electronic Giving yet?

Thank you for your continued support. Remember Our Lady of the Brook Parish in your will.



“Bulletin Building Blocks” - The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The origins of today’s solemnity lie in thirteenth-century Belgium. In those days, people seldom received Holy Communion, and never the chalice. A nun in a troubled convent, Juliana of Liège, devoted her life to stirring up love for the Eucharist, lobbying for a feast day to honor the Blessed Sacrament with Masses and processions.

Juliana may have been inspired by the Ascension Day processions in nearby Bruges. Crusaders brought a treasure home to Bruges from Constantinople in 1204: a reliquary said to contain a cloth from Joseph of Arimathea with which he had helped prepare the body of Jesus for burial. The stain on the cloth was said to be the holy blood itself, and so the people of Bruges built a great basilica to house the relic. Bruges became a great center of pilgrimage because of this treasure, and the procession of the Holy Blood is still one of the greatest festivals in Belgium today. The bishop carries the relic through the narrow streets, and the people wear medieval costumes and act out scenes from the Bible.

—Rev. James Field, © Copyright, J. S. Paluch Co.

Ministry Schedule: June 20 & 21, 2009

	SAT. 5 pm	Sun. 8:00 am	Sun. 9:30 am	Sun. 11:15 am
Lector	Charles Sansone	Louise Rzeszewski	Kathleen O'Regan	Roland Catenacci
	Mary Lou Colfer	Florianne Rzeszewski	Lousie Phillip	Valerie Catenacci
Ministers of Communion	Marnee Kenny Thomas Artz Michael Nees Kathy Carroll Bruno Cortis	Paul Miller Pam Rodiek Charles Mann Dcn P. Duderstadt Geri Miller	Elizabeth Hall Lettie Bratta Sandy Koziol Dcn. D. McAllister Ginny Hartzler	Kris Pienkowski Dawn McAnaney Dan Miller Aileen Miller Anna DiFilippo
Altar Servers			Kevin Byrne Karl Mayer Veronica Mayer	

Sacristan	Lynn Siau
Linen Sacristan	Louis Cortina

Get Your Tickets Now!



OLB Wine Tasting June 20 at Old Willow Wine Shoppe, 1500 Paddock Drive, Northbrook. In addition to wine, a light buffet and desserts will be served. A perfect opportunity to stock up on wine for summer parties, Ravinia, hostess gifts, and enjoy the company of old and new friends. Tickets available beginning May 30.

Scripture Word Search

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Religious Education & Youth Ministry

Religious Education Registration for 2009-2010 – Due This Week!

It is time to register for the 2009-2010 St. Norbert and Our Lady of the Brook Religious Education Program! Registration forms for Our Lady of the Brook families have been mailed, and are also available at the Our Lady of the Brook Religious Education Office. Please be sure to use the forms available from Our Lady of the Brook, and also to return forms (and payment) to the Brook's offices. And be sure to return registration forms this week as class times do fill up fast!

Due Dates: **May 15** for Junior High Summer Intensives (now past due!)
June 15 for Fall classes (this week!)

Children's Liturgy of the Word: June 28 will be the last Sunday for Children's Liturgy of the Word until the Fall. Children's Liturgy of the Word will resume again after Labor Day at the 9:30 Mass.

Religious Education & Youth Ministry

High School Youth Ministry Grapevines:

The Summer Grapevine, the newsletter of the St. Norbert and Our Lady of the Brook Youth Ministry, was mailed two weeks ago to all 8th Grade Graduates through Senior Graduates. If you did not receive a copy and would like one, please contact Justin Huyck and request him to put you on the mailing list.

Coming Up This Summer In Youth Ministry:

07/08/09	Habitat 2009 – Parent & Participant Meeting At St. Norbert Church – 7:00-8:00
07/23/09	Youth Ministry Movie Night St. Norbert Church Basement – 7:30-10:00
07/27-08/02	Habitat For Humanity – Benton Harbor, Michigan
08/03-08/09	Habitat For Humanity – Benton Harbor, Michigan
08/13/09	Summer Barbecue – Maggie's House – 5:30-10:00
08/20/09	Youth Ministry Movie Night St. Norbert Church Basement – 7:30-10:00

Questions? Please contact:

Justin Huyck, at Our Lady of the Brook (847-272-5131)

Maggie Bruce at St. Norbert's (847-687-7696) maggiebruce@sbcglobal.net

WE'RE LOOKING FOR A FEW GOOD PEOPLE...

As many of you may have heard, I am not going to be in charge of the Giving Tree this year. I have been responsible for it for 15 years and frankly, I would like a break. Therefore, our parish is looking for someone to coordinate the program for us. I believe it is possible for several people to work together to make the Giving Tree a success. There are several smaller jobs that do not require a large time commitment from each person. The most important person that I am looking for is someone to oversee all of the smaller jobs.

Here is a list of the jobs that I see as essential to the success of the Giving Tree Program and an approximate time commitment for each one:

Setting up the trees in the Social Area in mid November -- 2 hours

Taking calls from parishioners who have lost their angels and need to know what gifts to buy. There is a specific way this is handled. The job involves making a few phone calls / emails for each lost angel – ½ to 1 hour for each missing angel.

Coordinate the sale of food certificates after the masses on the three weekends that the trees are up in the Social Area. (the last three weekends in November). You would have helpers for this job and wouldn't have to work at every mass -- 1/2 hr for each Mass

As the gifts come in to the Social Area, they must be moved to a safe place on Monday mornings.- 20 minutes per week.

On the first weekend in December, which is packing day, someone must make sure everything goes smoothly – this involves helping the ten coordinators that I already have in place, with any last minute problems that come up. -- 2 hours after the 11:15 Mass.

On packing day there are usually four or five gifts that are not returned. Someone has to buy gifts to replace these missing gifts. We always receive enough donations to cover the cost of these gifts, but someone has to do the shopping. 1-2 hours depending on how many gifts are missing.

On the second weekend in December someone has to go to St. Martin de Porres on Friday and Saturday to coordinate the distribution of the gifts. 3-4 hours each day.

The most important job of all is someone to oversee all of the other jobs and make sure that the work is being done. Over the years we have provided a wonderful Christmas for the families of our sister parish -- St. Martin de Porres. My biggest hope is that we can find a few people to make it all happen again this year and one person to bring all of the pieces together.

Some of you have already signed up on Commitment Weekend to help with the Giving Tree. Won't you consider one or more of these jobs as your commitment?

I have truly enjoyed bringing Christmas to the many people of St. Martin de Porres over the last 15 years and I hope we can continue this wonderful tradition. Please call me if you see yourself as part of this project.

Marnee Kenny 847-498-6957 marneek@sbcglobal.net

Farmers Market Grand Opening

Wednesday June 24

Market runs thru October 14, 7 am to 1 pm
Our Lady of the Brook Church parking lot:
3700 Dundee in Northbrook



- 9:30 AM Watermelon cutting w/ local dignitaries
- Stilt-walking Juggler to entertain the crowd
- Moon bounce for children, Northbrook Fire Truck
- Free Popcorn & Balloons

Farm fresh produce, organics, cut flowers, artisan cheeses, honey, pastry, salsa, coffee, soaps, leather goods, knife sharpening, and much more!

As our Grand Opening gets closer, wonderful things are being planned for June 24. We are gaining corporate sponsors to help offset costs, and are receiving a ton of community support.



Local businesses are asking to take part, and we have over 25 vendors for the market itself. You can help by coming to opening day, and telling your friends about the new Farmer's Market right here at OLB!

Sponsors thus far include: **Bill Stasek Chevrolet, Bubbles Party Rentals, Butterfield's Pancake House & Restaurant, Sunset Foods, Loew's, and Pioneer Press/Northbrook Star, Harris Bank Northbrook, Dunbrook Cleaners & Tailors, and Susan Volkman**

For Information: (847) 272-5686 or go to www.olbparish.org