Parish Mission Statement
As a branch of the one vine, as the family of our Lord Jesus, it is our mission to follow the way of the Lord, by extending welcome, embracing in healing love, and sharing the good news of the Gospel.

Mass Schedule
Weekday Masses: 8:00AM – Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday
Friday Mass: 8:45AM (During School Year)
            8:00AM (During the Summer)
Sunday Masses: 5:00PM Saturday
              7:00AM, 9:00AM, 11:00AM Sunday
Monday, February 3rd  
8:00AM  +Roger Boulanger

Tuesday, February 4th  
8:00AM  Special Intention For:  Tom Stemn

Wednesday, February 5th  
No 8AM Mass

Thursday, February 6th  
8:00AM  +Betty Jean Shriver

Friday, February 7th  
8:45AM  Reparation Of Sin Against The Sacred Heart Of Jesus

Saturday, February 8th  
No 8AM Mass

5:00PM  +Pat Jones-Tait  
+Dorothy Gilbert & Children  
+Janus Family  
+Steven Koper  
+Ann Gunter

Fifth Sunday In Ordinary Time, February 9th

7:00AM  For The People Of Our Lady Of Humility

9:00AM  +Ginny Merkel  
+Emily DuPree  
+Carmen Andico  
+Amanda Hachey  
Special Intention For: Baby Brayden & Family

11:00AM  +Harold Tews

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Liturgical Roles: Saturday, February 8th, & Sunday, February 9th

Saturday Confessions:  3:30-4:30PM  Fr. P. Stemn

Presider:
5:00PM  Fr. P. Stemn  Deacon Marcelino
7:00AM  Fr. P. Stemn  Deacon Mike
9:00AM  Fr. P. Stemn  Deacon Marcelino
11:00AM  Fr. A. Jelinek  Deacon Mike

Eucharist Ministers:
5:00PM  C) D. Wilczenski  D) R. Wilczenski
F. McGrath, J. McGrath, J. Tomkowiak, C. Splitt
7:00AM  C) J. Eames
K. Kelly, I. Pelletier, M. Bell
9:00AM  C) A. Norrish  D) P. Norrish
C. LaFayette, P. LaFayette, I. Oggunniyan, M. Franco, L. Mercure
11:00AM  C) V. Sanchez  D) J. Heiney
B. McGowan, P. McGowan, M. Marek, L. Bugos-Noble, R. Bukantis

Lectors:
5:00PM  (1) P. Duncan  (2) P. Geslani
7:00AM  (1) B. Dickson
9:00AM  (1) C. Nurczyk  (2) M. Bruno
11:00AM  (1) J. Jones  (2) P. Reid

Altar Servers:
5:00PM  G. Christianson, E. Reyes
7:00AM  R. McFarlin, M. DeNicola
9:00AM  C. Dermody, K. Dermody, Y. Rodriguez
11:00AM  M. Ostrolencki, A. Pankiewicz, A. Schejbal

LWC Prayer Leaders:  M. Franco
M.W. Med. Center:  V. Rosado

Readings For The Week Of February 02, 2020

Sunday:  Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10 [10b]/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32
Monday:  2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [8a]/Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday:  2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30–19:3/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [1a]/Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday:  2 Sm 24:2, 9-17/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7 [cf. 5c]/Mk 6:1-6
Thursday:  1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/1 Chr 29:10, 11ab, 11d-12a, 12bcd [12b]/Mk 6:7-13
Friday:  Sir 47:2-11/Ps 18:31, 47 and 50, 51 [cf. 47b]/Mk 6:14-29
Saturday:  1 Kgs 3:4-13/Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 [12b]/Mk 6:30-34
Next Sunday:  Is 58:7-10/Ps 112:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [4a]/1 Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16
This weekend we celebrate the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord which is observed each year on February 2nd. Mary and Joseph brought Jesus to the Jerusalem Temple to dedicate Him to the Lord. This day also celebrates the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary. According to Jewish observance, when giving birth, a mother was considered ritually “unclean” for seven days. She would remain in the home for another thirty-three days so that her blood would be purified. February 2nd is the fortieth day after Christmas, which is why today is also known as the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Finally, as Jesus is the Light of the World, candles may be blessed at Mass today, an old tradition dating back to the seventh century; hence, today is also referred to as Candlemas. Candles will be blessed at the beginning of all of our weekend Masses.

This weekend our OLH Teens will participate in the Souper Bowl of Caring: After all the Masses our Teens will be holding soup pots at the doors hoping that people will donate $1 (or more) to support our Food Pantry.

Regrettably, I have to mention that many hymnals have been found on the floor under pews after Masses. These hymnals on the floor were all in the same position under pews, so it does not appear to be a case of the hymnal accidentally falling on the floor. I took pictures of six hymnals on the floor under four pews after one of our Masses last weekend. Please be sure to place hymnals in the pew racks when finished using them.

You may have noticed that Parish Bulletins are available for those who would like one before Mass. My preference would be to not have them available until after Holy Communion. I decided to make them available again simply because the availability of the Parish Bulletin is not a matter of doctrine, faith, or morals. Please note that fifteen Parish Bulletins were found in pews (with many of those on the floor) after one of our Masses last weekend. If you take a Parish Bulletin into a pew, please be sure to take it with you at the end of Mass, so that we can have a more welcoming Church for those attending subsequent Masses.
A Note From The Pastor – cont’d...

But having silence before Mass is clearly related to what we believe. A few years ago Pope Francis spoke about the importance of silence before Mass; here’s an excerpt from an article by Catholic News Agency:

[Vatican City, November 15, 2017/03:49AM]: On Wednesday, Pope Francis called out the common habit of chatting with people around you before Mass, stressing that this is a time for silent prayer, when we prepare our hearts for an encounter with the Lord. “When we go to Mass, maybe we arrive five minutes before, and we start to chit-chat with those in front of us,” the Pope said on November 15th. However, “it is not a moment for chit-chat.” “It is a moment of silence for preparing ourselves for dialogue, a time for the heart to collect itself in order to prepare for the encounter with Jesus,” he said, adding that “silence is so important.”

The Parish Center is available before Mass for those who would like to converse; if some tables or chairs are needed, just call the Rectory at: (847) 872-8778, and we will make them available. Please observe silence beginning ten minutes before Mass as I have had some complaints.

A few reminders: Low-gluten hosts are available from the Priest or Deacon for those who would like to receive them. Simply ask the Priest/Deacon for a low-gluten host when approaching to receive Holy Communion.

The flu season continues; please realize that some may not want to shake or hold hands; simply accept a wave of the hand, or some other gesture.

Please be patient if you hear a digital device go off during Mass. It has been brought to my attention that there are important, life-saving medical devices that some must have on their person; in some cases, these medical devices cannot be put on vibrate.

As we celebrate the Presentation of the Lord, let us too place ourselves in God’s presence, and dedicate our lives to Him.

God Bless,

Fr. Paul
Our Lady Of Humility’s Food Pantry
Is in need of Corn Muffin Mix, Pancake Mix, Syrup, and Jell-O. Non-perishable food can be dropped off at the Rectory Monday–Friday, from 9AM–4:30PM, or brought to the northwest vestibule of the Church on Saturdays or Sundays before Mass. For the time being, please recycle all of your plastic and paper bags, we have an overabundance of them right now.
Thank you for the continued generosity!

Knights Of Columbus 2020 Raffle Winner
01/27/20 – Ed Roucka – Pick 3 #770
Congratulations!
Note: If you see your name printed in the bulletin as a Raffle Ticket Winner, and have not received your check, please contact Richard at: (847) 249-4813.

Soup Kitchen
Do something helpful this New Year. Thursday, February 27th, is Our Lady of Humility’s commitment to provide volunteers to help with the Soup Kitchen at Holy Family Services (the old St. Bartholomew Parish) located at: 914 8th Street, Waukegan.
It is always the fourth Thursday of every month. Food preparation begins at 3PM, dinner is served at 5:30PM, followed by clean-up. We are usually done by 7PM. Any time that you can give is greatly appreciated. We are in need of more assistance from our Parishioners on a regular basis. We usually have lots of volunteers for the holidays, but your help is needed every month!
If you have any questions, please call Pat at: (847) 662-4095.
Welcome to Our Lady of Humility Catholic Church

The Taste Of OLH Is Coming!
Saturday, February 22nd
What is the Taste Of OLH, you say?
Well it is a Potluck Dinner hosted by the Hospitality Events Committee after the Saturday 5PM Mass on February 22nd, in the Parish Center for the entire Parish and School Community.

We would like each Parish Family to bring a dish to pass, (either an entrée, side, or dessert) of one of their favorite family recipes. If the food you are bringing contains any well known allergy ingredients such as: eggs, nuts, or dairy products, please list it on an index card that we can set in front of your dish. If you happen to make something that is gluten free, it would be helpful to list that also.

Hopefully, these dishes will reflect some of our many diverse cultures, Italian, German, Hispanic, Philippine, etc. We ask that each dish be enough to feed approximately twelve people.

Immediately following the meal, we will be having a Trivia Game Night for all ages that we hope you will really enjoy!

Come enjoy an evening of fun and good food with your fellow parishioners!

Anyone interested in volunteering to help with this event, or students looking for service hours, please give the Rectory a call at: (847) 872-8778. Thank you!

OLH Teen Ministry
Again this year, the Teens will be participating in the Souper Bowl of Caring. This is a teen-led national movement that raises money for local food-related charities. It is held every year on Super Bowl Weekend (this weekend). Every year OLH Parishioners have donated over $1,000 which goes to our OLH Food Pantry. This event challenges every person in attendance at all of the Masses to donate one dollar (more is better) to the soup pots that will be held by Teens at the doors of the Church after all of our Masses. Let’s tackle hunger together!

The Souper Bowl of Caring: A Teen-Led National Movement That Raises Money for Local Food-Related Charities

Book Fair Thank You!
Our “Arctic Adventure” Book Fair has melted away, but we are very grateful to everyone who assisted in pulling it off!

Many Thanks to Rozanne Thomas, Cindy Bruno, Sister Kathleen Popit, Janice and John Radosевич, and Donna Splitt who were our clerks and set-up/pack-up volunteers!

OLH Students: Somer, Marianna, Natalia, Valerie, Izrael, Gio, Mia, Abby, Ben, and Janae cheerfully gave their time and talents to help move furniture, assist the younger students, and eat cookies! Thank You, Mrs. Annunzio, for keeping them on track!

A BIG Thank you to Ms. Leach and the 4th Grade Class for the awesome 3D snowflake decorations!

Thanks also go out to Marichel, Cooper and Jim Steffen, Fr. Paul, Margaret Richter, Chet LaFayette, Laura Jones, Ms. Dolan, all of the OLH Teachers and Aides, Mrs. Cochrane and Mrs. Hopkins, as well as John Peters and Rick Cochrane for their time and assistance.

A very Big Special Thank You to Amy Steffen for all of her hard work setting up, running, and cleaning up the Book Fair, and making the Book Fair happen!

Thank you to everyone who visited us and bought books. We appreciate your support! Our next Book Fair will be the BOGO on Picnic Day in June. See you then!

First Friday Holy Hour
This Friday, February 7th, 2020
At 1PM – Reparation To The Sacred Heart Of Jesus

Join us this Friday, February 7th, 2020, at 1PM in the Church for a Holy Hour. The Sacred Heart of Jesus said to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque: “Make reparation for the ingratitude of men. Spend an hour in prayer to appease divine justice, to implore Mercy for sinners, to honor Me, to console Me for My bitter suffering when abandoned by My Apostles, when they did not WATCH ONE HOUR WITH ME.”

THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS... began this devotion of the Holy Hour of Reparation when He entered the Garden of Gethsemane on Mount Olivet. He said to His Apostles: “My soul is sorrowful even unto death. Stay you here, and watch with Me.” Later He said to them: “Could you not watch one hour with Me? Watch and pray, that you enter not into temptation.” (Matthew 26:38, 40, 41).

Sponsored by The Legion Of Mary. The Legion Of Mary will be sponsoring a Holy Hour of Reparation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus every First Friday of every month at 1PM in the Church. COME PRAY WITH US, AND CONSOLE THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS.
A Look At Our Lady Of Humility School – Preschool 3 Year Old Program

Our Preschool 3 Year Old Class worked on some classic brain exercise activities...Puzzles!! They had a great time working together while having fun. Good job boys and girls!

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Eucharistic Adoration

“He gave up His life to suffer and die on the cross for us! He gives Himself to us in Holy Communion! He remains present with us in the Most Blessed Sacrament!”

He gives! He gives! He gives! And He keeps on giving! Can we not give one hour a week to be with Him during Eucharistic Adoration? Eucharistic Adoration offers us many available hours to thank God for all His gifts and blessings.

Do something extra special this New Year, please consider coming to Eucharistic Adoration on Thursdays anytime between 1PM and 6PM. Come, spend some time with the Lord, and receive His blessings! He is waiting for you!

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Light Of The World Retreat
February 14th–17th, 2020
St. Patrick’s Church

INTERESTED? Registration Forms are available on the tables by the entrances of the Church, or go online for more details: https://www.stpatrickwadsworth.org/lotw/.

Please pray and consider attending this wonderful Retreat.
Welcome to Our Lady of Humility Catholic Church

If you are registering and you are interested in carpooling from OLH, please call the Parish Rectory at:
(847) 872-8778, and leave your name and phone number.

Reflection Leader - Fr. John Kartje, Seminary Rector

8:00 AM - Continental Breakfast
9:00 AM - Program begins
12:00 PM - Mass
Lunch immediately following

Mundelein Seminary Conference Center
1000 E. Maple Ave., Mundelein, IL 60060

There is no fee for the Morning of Reflection, breakfast & lunch included.
Sponsored by: Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women Vicariate 1
Questions Contact Mary McKenna: 312-218-4251 or nbmckenna1@gmail.com

Sign Up Genius: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0b4a4a5a62a64-morning

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“Respect is the Heart of Love”
Inviting all women to a spiritual
Pre-Lenten Morning of Reflection
Saturday, February 22, 2020

Name: Parish Name
Home Phone: Cell Phone:
Email Address: Attend Lunch: YES NO

Please mail RSVP Form to:
Mary McKenna
PO. Box 273
Barrington, IL 60011
312-218-4251

If you are registering and you are interested in carpooling from OLH, please call the Parish Rectory at: (847) 872-8778, and leave your name and phone number.

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The OLH 8th Grade Class of 2020 Presents a
FATHER
Daughter
DANCE

Girls from pre-school to 8th grade are cordially invited to a magical evening.
Bring your dad or that special man in your life.

Wednesday, February 12th
6:30pm-8:30pm

Our Lady of Humility School
10501 Wadsworth Rd Beach Park IL

This event is open to the public, non-OLH students welcome
Questions? Please contact OLH School Office 847-746-3722

Return bottom portion with payment to the OLH School Office Attn: Father Daughter Dance

Student Name(s) & Grade(s): __________________________________________
Adult Name (First/Last): __________________________________________
Attending:
$25 per couple \# _____  $5 each additional daughter \# _____
Total Enclosed: $______

Please make checks payable to OLH School
Prayer Shawl Ministry

The Prayer Shawl Ministry continues to reach out to those in need of God’s healing grace, to those who need to be consoled as they grieve the loss of a loved one, or to the lonely so they know they are not alone, or to those in despair so they can find hope. A group of dedicated volunteers come together each month socially to create Prayer Shawls. Each Prayer Shawl/Blanket begins in prayer as we ask for God’s blessing for the recipient. When completed, it receives a final blessing from our Pastor, or one of our Deacons before being passed on to someone in need. For February, we will meet this Wednesday, February 5th, from 1–3PM, and next Wednesday, February 12th, from 6:30-8:30PM. We meet in the Hayes Community Room. Please contact the Rectory at: (847) 872-8778 to let us know how we can help someone you know that is in need of a Prayer Shawl/Blanket.

A plastic bin is by the northwest door of Church for donations of yarn and/or batting for quilting. We accept acrylic or cotton yarn that is washable (4 ply). Monetary donations can be made and placed in the Sunday Collection Basket, or brought to the Rectory. You can make checks payable to “Our Lady of Humility” with “Prayer Shawl Ministry” written in the Memo Section. Donation of your time is priceless. We take experienced and unexperienced people who want to help make the Prayer Shawls/Blankets. Anyone can learn how. We meet twice a month (first Wednesday of the month from 1PM to 3PM, or the second Wednesday of the month from 6:30PM to 8:30PM) to work on the Prayer Shawls/Blankets, or you can work independently from home. Measurements for the Prayer Shawls are 20 x 60. You can use your pattern or ours.

More detailed information is available in our trifold at the back entrances of the Church. If you have any questions, please call the Rectory at: (847) 872-8778, and they can direct your call in answering your questions.

Co-Ed Senior Luncheon

The next Co-Ed Senior Luncheon will be on Tuesday, February 11th, at 12 Noon. This month we will be having a Chili Cook-off, so volunteer to bring your best Pot of Chili or a Dessert for our Luncheon. If you can join us, please sign-up on the Sign-up Sheet on the table in the back of Church, and there will also be a Sign-up Sheet to let us know if you can bring a Pot of Chili or a Dessert. Please sign-up if you can attend, and if you can bring either a Pot of Chili or a Dessert, by next Sunday, February 9th.

We want to thank the people who brought soups and desserts for the January Luncheon. The soups were delicious! All Seniors are Welcome! We hope to see you there!

Spiritus Speaker Series At Carmel Catholic High School

Carmel Catholic High School invites you to attend the Spiritus Speaker Series. Join us to be inspired, to grow in faith, and to encounter Christ. All events are Free of Charge, open to the public, and held at Carmel Catholic High School.

Jen Kramer And The Year Of Love Project #yearoflove – Thursday, February 13th, 6:30PM

Jen Kramer, CCHS ’88, is an average everyday human with one caveat, she has a gigantic heart. As Jen looked at ways to best impact her year in 2018, she created the “Year of Love” as a way to share and express her love for all people (both those she knew and had yet to know) on her social media channels. What started as Jen’s ambitious New Year resolution, the Year of Love has evolved as a social experiment to be Christ-like in our world.

‘Open Line’, Questions Of The Faith With Mr. Mark Plaiss and CCHS Theology Faculty – Thursday, March 12th, 6:30PM

Students at Carmel Catholic High School enjoy the opportunity to ask any and all questions about the faith in a format called “Open Line.” They gather together during class time once per month, and the Theology Department Faculty Members share answers rooted in the authentic teaching of the Church. The resulting conversations are lively and thought-provoking. Deacon Mark Plaiss and other members of the Carmel Catholic Theology Faculty will host an “Open Line” style event for adults interested in asking questions and engaging in dialogue in a friendly, informative environment. All are welcome. Learn more and RSVP at carmelhs.org/spiritus/.
Sacrament of Reconciliation:
Saturdays: 3:30 to 4:30PM

Sacrament of Marriage:
An appointment, at least 6 months in advance (Diocesan Policy), is made with the Pastor prior to setting a date. Catholic persons will have to obtain new Certificates of Baptism.

Sacrament of Baptism:
Baptisms are scheduled the 1st Sunday of every month. Attendance is required at a Preparation Session. Please call the Parish Secretary for arrangements.

Sacrament of the Sick:
Please notify the Rectory if a member of your family is in the hospital or sick at home, and wishes to receive the Anointing of the Sick. Phone the Rectory for home communion calls.

Welcome New Parishioners:
We would like you to become a parishioner. Registration packets are available at each Church door.

The Rosary:
Prayed Daily at 7:30AM on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays (during the summer only) before Mass. On Fridays (during the school year) prayed at 8AM before Mass. Prayed on Sundays after the 7AM Mass.

Handicap Accessibility:
There is an access ramp on the west, and a lift on the east side of Church. Handicap parking is available.

Quinceaneras:
Call the Rectory 9 months prior to setting a date. It is required that you are Registered Participating Parishioners for at least one year prior to requesting a date for the Quinceanera celebration.

Eucharistic Adoration:
Thursdays 1-6PM.

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Deadline for all Bulletin submissions is 4PM on Wednesdays 11 days before you want the Article to appear. (For example: Wednesday, January 12th, for Sunday, January 23rd.)

Sunday Masses: 5PM Saturday, 7AM, 9AM, and 11AM Sunday
Weekday Masses: 8AM Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday
Friday: 8:45AM (During School Year) 8AM (During Summer)

All Are Welcome!

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Please Remember In Your Prayers
For The Deceased
+Romeo Delara
+Mildred Juncer (Mother of Nadine Kawa)
+Kate Kinser

If someone is in need of healing prayers, please call the Rectory at (847) 872-8778 Monday through Friday between the hours of 9AM and 3:30PM. Thank you!

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