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THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

"The greatest awareness anyone can possess is the awareness of God's presence."

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Sunday Offering \$ 1290.50
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135 Arden Street
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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday: St. Joseph the Worker -- 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: St. Joseph the Worker -- 9:30 a.m.

St. Andrew Bobola -- 11:00a.m. - Polish
-- 5:00p.m. - English

WEEKDAY MASSES

See schedule of Announced Masses

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation

1/2 hour before & after mass on Thursday,
Friday & Saturday

Baptism

See Fr. Boguslaw before mass on weekends.
Instructions required.

Marriage

Contact Office not less than eight months
before desired date. Instruction required.

Children's Sacraments

Families must be registered parishioners for
children to receive. Contact office for forms.

Communion to Hospital, Sick & Shut-ins.

Contact Parish Office

Wake Service Minister

Sr. Norma Zorzi

THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME Sunday, January 24th, 2010

REFLECTION



Jesus continued his mission of proclaiming release and freedom for several years in Galilee and in neighboring pagan areas. Finally, in Jerusalem opposition to his message and to his rising popularity grew to the point that those in authority convicted him on baseless charges and insisted that he be crucified. Yet, at the beginning of his career, Jesus announced that he came to bring release, freedom, and liberty. Crucifixion

did not stop the mission Jesus began at that time and place. Associates who witnessed his resurrection from the dead carried the message of freedom that Jesus spoke throughout what we call the Middle East and even into Europe, but opposition continued. Of the twelve originally appointed by Jesus to continue announcing his message of liberty, only one escaped being killed for his work in spreading the gospel. Hundreds, if not thousands, continued to announce the good news of God's will to save humanity from the binding power of the sins of some who in every age want power over others. They followed the Apostles as martyrs to Christ's message of release. Yet, from the very beginning Christ insisted that his message was one of release and healing. "Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing."

From St. Jerome Croatian Catholic Parish Bulletin: Chicago, IL January 24, 2003

Office Hours:

Wednesday to Friday 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER PARISH

A Special Mass on the **FEAST OF THE CONVERSION OF ST. PAUL** will be held here on Monday, January 25th, 2010, at 7:30 pm. St. Paul: Conversion of St. Paul, Apostle, head of the cathedral and patron of the diocese. The **Conversion of Paul**, as depicted in the Christian Bible, refers to the event in the life of Saint Paul which led him to become a follower of Jesus.

Prior to his conversion to Christianity, Paul was a Pharisee who "violently persecuted" the followers of Jesus. Says Paul:

You have heard, no doubt, of my earlier life in Judaism. I was violently persecuting the church of God and was trying to destroy it. I advanced in Judaism beyond many among my people of the same age, for I was far more zealous for the traditions of my ancestors. —Paul's Letter to the Galatians 1:13-14 Paul's conversion experience is described to be miraculous revelatory in nature. Paul refers to himself as an "Apostle" of Jesus, it is clear that Paul was not one of "The Twelve" (1 Cor 9: 1-2). Rather, Paul's conversion occurred after Jesus's crucifixion, and the accounts of Paul's conversion experience describe it as miraculous, supernatural, or otherwise revelatory in nature.

HAITI: The heart-wrenching news from Haiti prompts our hearts to cry, to pray and to help in any way possible. **Please pray for the people of Haiti**, a predominantly Roman Catholic country, which lost tens of thousands of people, its Archbishop, as well as many priests, sisters, and seminarians in the earthquake.

LITURGICAL REMINDERS :

Please notify your co-ordinator of your availability for the next schedule by January 24th, 2010 (next schedule is for February. 17th (Ash Wednesday, to June 27th, 2010,

Co-ordinators please hand in your schedules by January 31st, 2010 also show any changes in phone numbers or additions/deletions of people.

SACRAMENT PREPARATION - is ongoing for the following sacraments

FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION
- Next meeting --- Saturday, January 31st, 2010.



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

2010 C.W. L. Membership are due in January. Payment can be made at the General Meetings, or put into the Sunday collection basket (please put your name, address and phone number on the envelope and note that it is of C.W.L. Membership).

Daily Readings

Jan. 25 - 1st reading: Acts 22: 3-16 or 9, 1-22	Gospel: Mk 16: 15-18
Jan. 26 - 1st reading: 2 Tm 1: 1-8 or Ti 1: 1-5	Gospel: Mk 3: 31-35
Jan. 27 - 1st reading: 2 Sm 7: 4-17	Gospel: Mk 4: 1-20
Jan.. 28 - 1st reading: 2 Sm 7: 18-19, 24-29	Gospel: Mk 4: 21-25
Jan. 29 - 1st reading: 2 Sm 11: 1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17	Gospel: Mk 4: 26-34
Jan. 30 - 1st reading: 2 Sm 12: 1-7a, 10-17	Gospel: Mk 4: 35-41
Jan. 31 - FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	1st reading: Jer 1: 4-5, 17-19
2nd reading: 1 Cor 12: 31----13: 13 or 13: 4-13	Gospel: Lk 4: 21-30

Announced Weekly Masses

Mon., Jan. 25 - CONVERSION OF ST. PAUL
****7:30 p.m.** - Intentions of the Souls in Purgatory
By A Parishioner

Tues., Jan. 26 - St. Timothy and St. Titus - NO MASS

Wed., Jan. 27
9:30 a.m. - Fiore Pucci-Vecchio
By Lucrezia Pucci -Vecchio & Family

Thurs., Jan. 28 - St. Thomas Aquinas
9:00 a.m. - Intentions of the Donors

Fri, Jan. 29
9:00 a.m. Intentions of the Sick and Dying
By the Parishioners

Sat. Jan. 30- 4:00 p.m.
- Thorma Miller By Alecta Roussell
and Her Sister Lorna Nalley
- Gino Calvano By Maria Calvano

Sun. Jan. 31 -9:30 a.m. -
FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
- Intentions of All Parishioners

Lay Ministers - Jan. 30th / Jan. 31st

Commentators

4:00 p.m. - Lillian Donato
9:30 a.m. - Lynne Thornton

Eucharist Ministers

4:00 p.m. - Ina Dear, Ed Briglio
9:30 a.m. - Stella Wozny, Morris Pozzebon, Marion Leach

Lectors

4:00 p.m. - Patti White
9:30 a.m. - Mike Barker, Lillian McDougall

Offertory

4:00 p.m. - Stella Clulow, Alecta Roussell
9:30 a.m. - Many Schell

Welcomers.

4:00 p.m. - Jerry Culina, Also Guzzo
9:30 a.m. - Carmen Chiarello, John Chouinard



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