

The Magnificat

APR 2019

Events

Sunday, April 21

Sunday, March 31st Feast of the Annunciation pot luck Saturday, April 6th Winter Farmers Market Saturday, April 13th **BUNCO** for Huntington Sunday, April 14th Palm Sunday, 8am & 10am Thursday, April 18th Agape Feast/Maundy 7pm Friday. April 19th Good Friday, 12pm & 7pm Saturday, April 20th Holy Saturday with Rev. Dan, 9am

Easter (One Service) 10am Sunday, April 21st Easter egg Hunt following service

Sunday, May 12th **UTO** Ingathering

Easter Vigil, 8pm

Winter Farmers Market 2019 / Fun Event



I'm very excited to be holding our 2nd annual Winter Farmers Market with the Faith in Place organization again this year on Saturday April 6th! I few

of us took a field trip on February 10th to one of the Faith in Place Farmers Markets in Arlington Heights to check things out. They had some of the same vendors we had last year plus several new ones. We can look forward to meats, eggs, wild caught Alaskan fish, some produce, breads, honey, skin care products, baked goods, candles, and many more items. We will also have U.of I. Master Gardners who will be doing ongoing presentations and fun projects for kids during the event. So keep an eye out for more information as the date gets

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closer and please mark your calendars for April 6th and spread the word with friends, family, and neighbors.

As usual I am looking for some volunteers to help set up the day before and help out on the day of the event.

I look forward to seeing you there, Jan Harastany

UTO Offering / Mother's Day



We plan on doing our United Thank Offering ingathering on Mother's Day this year. For those not familiar with this Outreach ministry I'm including some information. UTO is a ministry of the Episcopal church and it is just the practice of giving daily thanks for our many blessings by

dropping spare change in a UTO box. The money is used to support grants for ministries at home and overseas as an outreach of the Episcopal church

We thought we would start early so we can all put a box in our car or kitchen and just drop loose change in and think of something we're grateful for throughout the day. This way by the time Mother's Day rolls around we'll all have collected some spare change that will be put together to do some good on a local and/or international level.

Any questions please contact Deb Modde or Jan Harastany and Thank You!

Bunco



Saturday, April 13th, 7:00pm

Support Huntington's Disease research and have a great evening at the same time! Bring your favorite beverage and a snack food to share.

Don't worry if you don't know how to play Bunco - instruction will be provided. Questions? See Andy Hucker.

Lent Program



What other church do you know that would have Wonderful Wednesdays and Fabulous Fridays and Super Sundays in Lent ... Wonderful ... Fabulous ... Super ... that is what we call 3 days every week during Lent because they are days that will help you to a Wonderfully Fabulous Super Lent.

Read More Program Road Map



Click Here - for the Presiding Bishop's presentation of the Episcopal branch of the Jesus Movement

Your brother in the Way of Jesus, The Most Reverend Michael B. Curry

2018's Annual Report



There are great articles in this past years report.

Click HERE if you haven't seen it yet



Sundays between the services

Adult Forum Series: The Way of Love



Youth Education
3rd Sunday of the Month
Sunday, Apr 28th
Full schedule and details on
the website!

STUDY GROUPS

Wednesday Book study group will resume after Easter. My Grandfather's Blessings

Thursday Bible Study meets on Thursdays at 7pm to study the appointed scriptures for the following week.

Prayer Time



Morning Prayer EVERY FRIDAY in March!

Call/text Deacon Linda Lutter with questions and/or suggestions, 847-340-3253 or email at lindalutter@hotmail.com.

Lent Madness



Click here for more information

Diocese of Chicago ECW Annual Meeting



Saturday, May 11 at St. Andrew's, Downers Grove

The 2019 ECW Annual Meeting will be May 11 at St. Andrew's, Downers Grove. The theme is "Reaching the World with God's Love" and will include officer elections, workshops and worship led by Bishop Lee. Visit the ECW website for details.

Under Construction



Beginning Monday, April 22, work will begin to install new lighting and an acoustical ceiling in the parish hall. We anticipate work will be completed no later than Friday, May 17. During this time period, use of the parish hall and adult forum room will not be available. Once again, thank you for your financial commitment in helping us realize

this important capital improvement. If you haven't made an additional pledge to support the parish hall ceiling, please fill out a commitment card located on the Narthex communication center. Any questions regarding the ceiling improvements should be directed to Pat Donegan.



Annunciation Service Project



Join us for our annual Annunciation Service Project with Habitat for Humanity "to build safe, affordable housing" for a family in Northern Illinois, "that comes from a desire to

put God's love into action".

Based on feedback from parishioners and recommendations from Habitat for Humanity, we have selected Friday and Saturday, May 17th and 18th for Annunciation's Service Project. See the sign-up sheet on the Communication Wall. Sign up to work from 8-4 for either one day or two. Volunteers age 16-17 must have a parent working with them for the entire day. The donation to Habitat is \$1200 for the two days, and based on 10 volunteers would be \$120 per person. If people want to work half a day, they can sign up to work at the Habitat Re-Store in Waukegan. If you can't be on site,



Book Club

Book Club West Mon, April 1st, 7pm - 9pm Where: Standford

Book Club East

When: **April 15th**, 6pm - 8pm Where: Potestas Pizza, 434 S Green Bay Rd, Waukegan, IL 60085, USA



Atoma - Latin for Indivisible,
Atomic, that which cannot be cut.
Atoma - "Annunciation" for
Youth Group!
Atoma - Mission - to provide a
safe and fun space for our
youth; to interact & socialize
with one another, to develop
friendships with peers who are
being raised with a common
set of values, and to
comfortably comment on their
faith & its role in their daily lives.

5th grade and up.

Come and play with us. Look to the Parish News for our next meeting or contact Beth/Bill Hagan if you have any questions.



Date: Wednesday, Apr 24th Time: 1:00pm-2:00pm

Location: see Parish News For reservations contact Jane Schaefer at 224-372-7940 or at cs.js@comcast.net but still want to participate, you can sign up to provide food or contribute to lunch or snacks for the volunteers. Please contact Megan Dailey or Cindy Pullinger with questions or go to https://www.habitat.org/us-il/waukegan/lake-county-illinois-inc-hfh

NOTES FROM THE NURSE

Dale Sander, RN

The Sailor's Psalm

As most of you know, one of my careers, was the Navy. The Sailor's Psalm reminds us that when life gets hard, all we need to do is turn to God for help and follow his plan for healthy living!



Here is Psalm 107 vs. 23-32 as translated by "The Living Bible":

"And then there are the sailors sailing the seven seas, plying the trade routes of the world. They too observe the power of God in action. He calls to the storm winds; the waves rise high. Their ships are tossed to the heavens and sink again to the depths; the sailors cringe in terror. They reel and stagger like drunkards and are at their wit's end. Then they cry to the Lord in their trouble, and he saves them. He calms the storm and stills the waves. What a blessing is that stillness as he brings them safely into harbor! Oh, that these men would praise the Lord for all his loving-kindness and for all his wonderful deeds!"

From Our Interim Rector

Rev. Dan Puchalla



Meet Me at the Fire ...

Read on

From Our Deacon

Rev. Linda Lutter



Quite an array of items placed in front of our altar ...

Read on

From Our Director of Music

Westley Hodges

Here we are again ...

Read on





Mens Group

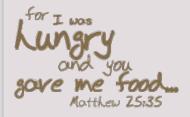




Second Saturday of the month from 9am-11am

Sat, MAY 11th, 9am - 11am

Feed My Starving Children



If you would like to be a part of this ministry of feeding the hungry please join us. Mark your Calendars ... Here are the Saturday dates,

9:00 am to 11:00 am
+Apr 27th
Last Saturday every
Month

God's Peace and Blessings! text/call @ 847-340-3253 Lindalutter@hotmail.com







+Apr 19thThird FRIDAY every Month

Hospitality



Read about what is going on ...

Outreach Central

SAVE THE DATES:

Read on to see what is going on ...

Miriam Berry, Outreach Communications

See you in Church (any day of the week)!



The mission of the program is to provide support, resources, and shelter to individuals and families experiencing a housing crisis. We will again offer our support as a parish to St. Mark Lutheran Church in Lindenhurst and we welcome you to join us! If you would like to learn more, see Mike Bill or Sue Whipple (site managers) or Deb Bill or Carol Anderson (food coordinators.)

Meet Our Vestry

Sr. Warden - Maggie Attyehl
Jr. Warden - Dave Fulton Jr.
Vestry - Liaison to ...
Andy Cambell - Men's Group
Beth Hagen Susan O'Morchoe Dan Whipple Andrea Lindblad - Capital Campaign
Jami Haines John Anderson - Finance
Gin Bosserman Deb Rakestraw -

Clerk - Charles O.Morchoe.