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## Class of 2017

# ST. BARBARA PARISH

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## The Solemnity of Pentecost

**JUNE 4, 2017**

There appeared to them tongues as of fire,  
which parted and came to rest  
on each one of them.

— Acts 2:3



### Congratulations, Graduates!

The St. Barbara Parish community would like to congratulate the 8th grade class of 2017 who graduated today at the 9:30

a.m. Mass. We wish you good luck and may you enjoy your future years in high school.

We would also like to congratulate the Kindergarten class of 2017, who will graduate on Tuesday, June 6th, at 6:30 p.m. We hope you enjoy elementary school.

### School Mission Statement

**We are** .....a Catholic elementary school, a diverse community of students and staff, rooted in faith and nurtured through prayer, sacrament, and liturgy.

**We believe** .....in the uniqueness of each student, provide quality education and skills necessary to ensure success, encourage individual leadership, and promote a family spirit.

**We prepare** ..... our students for the future through global awareness, involvement in the local community, and service to St. Barbara parish.

**We aspire** ..... to have our students remain faith-filled followers of Jesus Christ.



Hard to believe that, next week, the rides will start arriving for our carnival. After planning for a year, I just love watching our empty parking lot turn into an amusement park. Make sure you purchase your Mega Passes by June 13<sup>th</sup> at the discounted price of \$50. After that, they will go up to \$60.

**Sorry No Exceptions!**

Please remember to turn in your grand raffle tickets and split the pot tickets. As I am writing this article, we are at about 45% of what we collected last year. I hope we can count on you to help reach our goal.

We are looking for volunteers; please sign up in the back of church, or contact Suzanne Brost at ([suzbrost@yahoo.com](mailto:suzbrost@yahoo.com)) so she can put your name in a slot.

Thank you to all our "Angel Donators" who purchased items and brought them to the rectory. If you took slips, please drop off your items in the back of church, or at the rectory. Perishable items please drop off at the Rectory after June 11th.

We are still accepting Well Wishers for Loved Ones. If you are interested, please drop a note in the collection basket no later than June 11<sup>th</sup> with monetary donations and your loved ones name, so we can make sure we have a sign for them.

We are asking everyone to take a lawn sign or flyers to advertise our carnival. Thank you.

Carnival Committee



## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK:

My Brothers and Sisters,

The fifty days between Easter Sunday and Pentecost Sunday are one great feast. It is one Magnificent Day of the Lord. In the Old Testament, this was a time of harvest and thanking God for all that he has given.

This day, Pentecost Sunday, is the fulfillment of the Paschal Mystery: the passion, resurrection and ascension of Jesus.

The descent of the Holy Spirit confirms that Christ rose from the dead and ascended to the Father. The Descent of the Holy Spirit brings the Easter season to an end. When Jesus came to the Apostles, he said "Peace be with you." And the Apostles were filled with great joy.

Basil the Great (329-379 AD), an early church father, explains the role of the Holy Spirit in our lives:

"The Spirit restores paradise to us and the way to heaven and adoption as children of God; he instills confidence that we may call God truly Father and grants us the grace of Christ to be children of the light and to enjoy eternal glory.

In a word, he bestows the fullness of blessings in this world and the next; for we may contemplate now in the mirror of faith the promised things we shall someday enjoy.

If this is the foretaste, what must the reality be?

If these are the first fruits, what must be the harvest?"

On Pentecost, the Lord offers you the gift and power of the Holy Spirit to help make your faith strong. The role of the Holy Spirit is to motivate us to do something good. All parishioners — but especially today's graduates — must keep their hearts and minds open to the Holy Spirit, who can show us what is most important in life. The Holy Spirit will assist you in your future in high school.

Congratulations to the class of 2017. We wish them much success in high school and pray that they continue to be a part of St. Barbara Parish.

Congratulations to the parents of these fine students; please continue your support and Christian example as they begin their high school life.

I would like to wish all of our students and teachers a happy, safe, and restful summer vacation!

See you at Sunday Mass.

Fr. Arthur



## Heartland Blood Centers

### ST. BARBARA BLOOD DRIVE

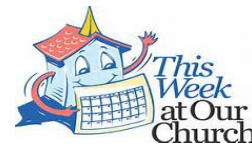
#### SUNDAY, JUNE 11th

#### 9:00 am—1:00 pm

St. Barbara's Parish Council will be sponsoring a **blood drive next Sunday, June 11th, from 9:00 am - 1:00 pm.** The blood drive will be held in the Senior Mobile. To schedule an appointment to donate blood, please call (312) 842-7979 or sign-up after Mass the weekend of June 3-4.

Appointments are preferred; walk-ins are welcome! Please remember to eat a good meal and drink plenty of fluids before donating. Also, bring a photo ID to the blood drive. Your donation can help save 3 lives!

A Mass of Healing will be said this Tuesday, June 6th, at 6:00 p.m. in Church. This Mass is for the intention of all who need health blessings. Be sure to join us for this special Mass which takes place the first Tuesday of every month.



### Activities This Week

- Sun., June 4 - 8th Grade Graduation; 9:30 am
- Tues. June 6 - Morning Garden Mass (weather permitting); 8:30 am
  - St. Barbara Seniors Mtg.; 11:30 am
  - Kindergarten Graduation; 6:30 pm
- Wed., June 7 - School Is Out!!!
- Fri., June 9 - Holy Name Mtg.; 7:00 pm
- Sun., June 11 - Blood Drive; 9:00 am - 1:00 pm in the Senior Mobile
  - Chopin Society Concert in Church; 5:00 pm

## Father's Day Mass Remembrance

*Father - Grandfather - Godfather - Uncle - Brother*

Father's Day is coming. Remembrance envelopes are available in back of church. Please return them with the names of all fathers to be remembered. Your intentions will be remembered in special Masses offered up throughout the year. You are asked to include a donation that is suitable to your intentions. Envelopes can be brought to the rectory office or placed in the Sunday collection.



## St. Catherine of Alexandria Hosts Carnival

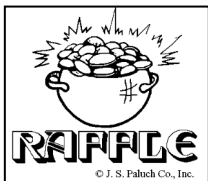
Fr. Dennis invites you to St. Catherine of Alexandria's 35th Annual Carnival from Wednesday, June 7th through Sunday, June 11th, located at 10641 S. Kedvale (107th St., just west of Pulaski). Rides, Games, Food, Beer Garden, and Entertainment each day. All day rides for \$25 per person.

## CHOPIN SOCIETY OF CHICAGO PRESENTS "KUPALA NIGHT"

A Celebration of Ukrainian, Lithuanian, Belarussian, and Polish Music

The Lincolnwood Chamber Orchestra will perform Sunday, June 11th, at 5:00 pm in our church. "Kupala Night", celebrating Slavic culture and the summer solstice, will also feature the St. Barbara Holy Name Society Choir and composer/pianist Jaroslaw Golembiowski. Philip Simmons conducts the LCO in a diverse program of classical and folk music including works by Lysenko, Ciurlionis, Moniuszko, and Ogiński.

Tickets are available at the rectory for \$15.00.



## GET THOSE RAFFLE TICKETS IN!!!

Have you sold your raffle tickets? Sold Raffle Books can be dropped into the collection basket or returned to the rectory. Extra raffle tickets are available in the rectory office. The Carnival Committee thanks you for supporting this important fundraiser for our parish.

**Support our Carnival Raffle!!!**

## HOLY NAME NEWS

The Men's Choir will have their next rehearsal for the Chopin Society Concert on Tuesday, June 6th at 7:00 pm. Our next meeting will be on Friday, June 9th.

## SAVE THE DATE



The 4th annual Car Show will be held on Saturday, August 19th. Free viewing is open to the public from 1:00 - 8:00 pm. The parking lot and registration opens at 12:00 pm. The show car entrance fee is \$20.00. If you need any additional information, please call Phil Whitehouse, (312) 316-3888.

## 2017 ANNUAL APPEAL

help make the future



Thursday  
May 25, 2017

Nancy  
\$500 Coverall

# School Happenings

(School Website: [www.stbarbaraschool.org](http://www.stbarbaraschool.org))

## Class of 2017 Awards Night

On May 24th, we held our annual Awards Night Dinner for the Class of 2017 and their families. We are proud of our graduates' many accomplishments and wish them continued success in the years to come!

A special congratulations to Eljay Raya, this year's Valedictorian and to Noel Gaytan, our Salutatorian! You make the entire St. Barbara family proud!



## 2017 School Annual Appeal

In the last several weeks, we have mailed or distributed 2017 Annual Appeal informational packets. If you did not receive a packet and would like to donate to St. Barbara School, please call us at 312-842-0042 or send us an email at [school@stbarbarachicago.org](mailto:school@stbarbarachicago.org). **Please provide your name and mailing information.**

Your generosity in the form of an Annual Appeal gift remains a vote of confidence in our efforts to provide the very best in Catholic education for the children of St. Barbara School.

Our vision is that St. Barbara will achieve long-term growth and sustainability, reaffirming its investment in facilities, faculty and, most importantly, students. By receiving financial support from all who share St. Barbara School's passion for forming the character of our students, God's greater community will be served.



# Mass Intentions for the Week

## Saturday, June 3 - Vigil of Pentecost Sunday

5:00 p.m. + Evelyn Pyznarski (Ray Smolinski)  
 + Joseph Piorecki (Ted Piorecki)  
 + Esmael "Smith" Santos (Family)  
 Divine Mercy for All (Parishioner)

## Sunday, June 4 - Pentecost Sunday

6:00 a.m. Health Blessings: Koen Guest (Guest Family)  
 + Angelo & Mary Provenzano (Bill & Barbara Webb)  
 + Birth. Rem.: Evelyn Jirik (Jim & Christine Bertucci)

+ Donald Rolek (Ray Smolinski)

9:30 a.m. 8th Grade Graduation  
 + 100th Birth. Rem.: Walter Kostecka, Sr. (Family)

+ Elmer & Rita Mestrovic (Lakomiak Family)

+ Nancy Murrihy (Lakomiak Family)

11:30 a.m. All Parishioners, Living & Deceased  
 + Rita M. Lucas (Family)

## Monday, June 5 - St. Boniface

8:30 a.m. + Elizabeth McClaghry (St. Barbara School)

## Tuesday, June 6 - Weekday; St. Norbert

6:00 p.m. + Leon Dimitri (Ed & B. Glabicki)

## Wednesday, June 7 - Weekday

8:30 a.m. + Mary Domagala (Michael Domagala)

## Thursday, June 8 - Weekday

8:30 a.m. Health Blessings: Rosalie Spalla (Spalla Family)

## Friday, June 9 - Weekday; St. Ephrem

8:30 a.m. + Mary Wyzynski (Charlene Reimer)

## Saturday, June 10 - Weekday

8:30 a.m. All Parishioners, Living & Deceased

## Saturday, June 10 - Vigil of The Most Holy Trinity

5:00 p.m. All Parishioners, Living & Deceased  
 + 50th Ann.: Brian Kaput (Family)  
 + Matthew Rekar (Wife)  
 + Sophie Rzasz (Rzasz Family)  
 + Catherine Piorecki (Ted Piorecki)  
 + Ricky Lara (Marta Herrera)  
 Divine Mercy for All (C. Kisielente Family)

## Sunday, June 11 - The Most Holy Trinity

6:00 a.m. + Joy Noworyta (Aunt Cecil Krok)  
 Health Blessings: Koen Guest (Guest Family)

9:30 a.m. + Mary Diaz DeLeon (Family)  
 + Ann.: John Malone, Estelle Beba (Family)

Health Blessings: Rick Jakush (Ed & B. Glabicki)

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## Weekly Collection - May 27 - 28

Sunday Envelopes (98)	\$1,733.00
Sunday Loose	\$ 507.60
Children's Envelopes (5)	\$32.00
Debt Reduction (48)	\$562.00

**Total Collection \$2,834.60**

	YTD	Weekly
Actual	\$156,476.98	\$2,834.60
Goal	\$314,400.00	\$6,400.00
% of Goal	50%	44%

Votives & Vigil Lights: \$210.05

April Give Central: 1st \$2,410.00  
 2nd \$255.00

## Liturgical Ministers

### SATURDAY, JUNE 10TH

#### 5:00 p.m.

Altar Servers: L. Kwiatkowski, J. Kwiatkowski,  
 D. Kwiatkowski, J. P. Kwiatkowski

Eucharistic Ministers: A. Skokal, R. Carden

Lectors: C. Hailer, D. Hailer

Greeters: M. Rolon

### SUNDAY, JUNE 11TH

#### 6:00 a.m.

Altar Server: G. Vanderford

Eucharistic Ministers: S. Guest, J. Balasa

Lector: J. Bertucci

Greeter: B. Webb

#### 9:30 a.m.

Altar Servers: P. Young, M. Arteaga,

M. Gonzalez, A. Gonzalez

Eucharistic Ministers: F. Cabrera, J. Lukwinski

Lectors: Sr. K. McNulty, M. Worth

Greeter: L. Echevarria

#### 11:30 a.m.

Altar Servers: J. Groark, A. Alonzo,  
 J. Murrihy, G. Parcon

Eucharistic Ministers: H. Alonzo, A. Alonzo

Lectors: P. Saletta, H. Alonzo

Greeter: P. Saletta

### Sunday, June 11 - The Most Holy Trinity

11:30 a.m. Health Blessings: Rose Kisielowski (Virginia Pienta)

Health Blessings: Gary Solverson (Ed & B. Glabicki)

Special Intention: Diane Ramos (V. Pienta)  
 + Minnie Blameuser (Sister, Rose Furmanek)

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 Ms. Judy Lukwinski  
 Mrs. Carol Spalla

**Religious Education:** Mrs. Roberta Carden

**Baptisms:** Parents must be registered practicing parishioners and attend a baptismal preparation session before a baptism will be scheduled. Call the rectory office for further information.

**Communion Calls:** Please contact the Rectory when someone who is homebound or in the hospital wishes a visit to receive Holy Communion or the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. The Anointing of the Sick is for anyone seriously sick and not only for those near death.

**Ministry of Care:** Eucharistic Ministers are available to visit, pray with, and bring Holy Communion to those who are sick and unable to attend Mass. Notify the Parish Office when this service is needed.

**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults** is a program for anyone inquiring and seeking information about entering the Catholic faith.

**Weddings:** Weddings need to be scheduled at least six months in advance. Couples are reminded to secure the Church date before the reception hall.

**Moving/New Cell #:** Please contact the rectory with address change or telephone change.

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**MASS SCHEDULE**

**SUNDAY LITURGIES**

Saturday..... 5:00 p.m.

Sunday.....6:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

**WEEKDAY LITURGIES**

8:30 a.m.: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday; 6:00 p.m.: Tuesday

**HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION**

6:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 7:00 p.m. unless otherwise noted

**CONFESSION**

Saturday 3:45-4:30 p.m.

**FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS**

Mass at 8:30 a.m., followed by a short period of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Evening Mass at 6:00 p.m., followed by Exposition and Adoration, concluding with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 7:30 p.m.

**THE ROSARY**

Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m. before the 6:00 p.m. Mass, and on Sunday at 5:30 a.m. before the 6:00 a.m. Sunday Mass.

**OFFICE HOURS**

Monday-Friday: 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.; 1:30-4:00 p.m.  
 The office is closed on Saturday and Sunday.

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Please pray for those homebound, hospitalized and in need of continued prayers...

Rev. Anthony Adducci, Mary Aguirre, Walter Annerino, Kimberly Babe, Judith Beaudry, Christine Bertucci, Joseph 'Joey' Bertucci, Lonnie & Theresa Bertucci-Falls, Jennifer Bond, Irene Bonk, Fr. Michael Bowler, Jeff Bowman, Mary Camarda, Anthony Capone Sr., Adele Castro, Laverne Connolly, Tim Consola, Joe Cruz, Patti Cuchetto, Victoria David, Paul DeGrazia, Baby Derek, Jacqueline Dybas, Jerry Felske, Natalia Francone, Bill Frank, Sr. Mary Therese Freymann, Darlene Frost, Harold Frost, Rose Furmanek, Paul Gadomski, Ray Gadomski, Lily Ann Galloway, John Gasca, Cheryl Lynn Gilhooly, Bernadette & Ed Glabicki, Rita Grassano, Koen Guest, Jose P. Gutierrez, Jasmine Hansen, Eugene Harms, Kellar Harris, Lynette Heidemann, Marlene Hillock, Gwen Holub, Morris Humphrey, Baby Nyla Hunt, Michaeline Hunter, Ted Hunter, Suzanne Ivester, Chester Jendryczka, Dr. Joe, Geri Kaput, John Kaput, Dorothy Kawalerski, Rose Kisielowski, Stanley Kiwala, Janice Kutansky, Craig Labudda, Ken Labudda, Sunny Labudda, Kathy LaSorella, Steve Ligda, Kiera Litwin, Lenny Loretto, Richard Lyznicki, Ronald M., Nancy Mallory, John Mangan, Kayle Marth, Paul Martinez, Bill Marczuk, Zena Masi, Maria Mawgwi, Lil' Joe Michalak, Cindy Moore, Dr. Mike, Frank Muszynski, Cydney Muti, Stephanie Nicks, Casimira (Carrie) Nowak, Theresa Oleszkiewicz, Allison Pakula, Eva Castillion Parcon, Josie Petkus, Michael Petruck, Dolores Pienta, Mitchell Pienta, Virginia Pienta, Ted Piorecki, Ray Polakowski, Robert Potter, Theresa Powers, Josephine Richardson, Jose Rodriguez, Jose C. Rodriguez, Sandra Rios, Dolly Roti, Therese Ryndak, Dorothy Rzasza, Dave S., Diane S., Father Ron S., Tony S., Maria Saludo, Baby Scarlet, Kennedy Shepski, Laverne Scianna, Adeline Skokal, Raymond Smolinski, Gary Solverson, Sharon Solverson, Jeff Spaargaren, Jr., Rosalie Spalla, Diane Spata, Madeline Stachnik, Baby Stefanski, Lauren Stronczek, Rose Stronczek, Robert Synal, Baby Zachary Synal, Robert Szczytko, Emily Rose Thomas, Baby Matthew Topa, Norbert Trojanowski, Bill Ufferman, Dolores Ufferman, George Vanderford Sr., George Vanderford Jr., Juan Vargas, Ava Walczak, Barbara Webb, Bill Webb, Sylvia Wiertel, Madison Young, Eugene & John Zabek, John Ziembra, Irene Zima

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