



ST. LEONARD  
CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

3318 Clarence Ave.  
Berwyn, IL 60402  
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**Weekend Masses**  
Saturday 4:00 pm, Sunday 8:00 am, 10:00 am English 1:30 pm & 7:00 pm en Español

**Weekday Masses**  
Monday-Friday 5:15 pm English & 7:00 pm Thursday/Jueves Spanish Mass/Misa en Español

**Confessions/Confesiones**  
Fridays/Viernes 6:00pm-8:00pm  
Saturdays/Sábados 8:30am-10:00am or by appointment / o por cita

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# Palm Sunday

OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

*Blessed  
is the  
king*

*who comes in the  
name of the Lord.*

LUKE 19:38





**Palm Sunday/El Domingo de Ramos**

April 10, 2022

English Masses: 8:00 am & 10:00 am  
Misas en Español: 1:30 pm & 7:00 pm



**Holy Week 101: An Evening of Reflection  
Semana Santa para Principiantes: Una Noche de Reflexión**

Monday, April 11th at 7:00 pm in Church

**Seven Last Words of Christ:  
A Guided Meditation led by members of the Iskali Community**

Tuesday, April 12th at 7:00 pm

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**Paschal Triduum/Triduo Pascual**

**Holy Thursday/Jueves Santo**

April 14, 2022

**8:00 am:** Morning Prayer  
*La Oración de la Mañana*

**7:00 pm:** Mass of the Lord's Supper followed by the Pilgrimage to the Seven Churches led by our scouts  
*Misa de la Ultima Cena peregrinación a las siete iglesias dirigida por nuestros scouts*

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**Good Friday/Viernes Santo**

April 15, 2022

**8:00am:** Morning Prayer  
*La Oración de la Mañana*

**3:00pm:** Celebration of the Lord's Passion and Veneration of the Cross (English)

**6:00 pm:** Celebración de la Pasión del Señor con la veneración de la Cruz (Español)

**8:00 pm:** Tenebrae Service of Darkness  
*Tenebrae Servicio de la Oscuridad*

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**Holy Saturday/Sábado de Gloria**

April 16, 2022

**8:00 am:** Morning Prayer  
*La Oración de la Mañana*

**12:00 pm:** Blessing of Easter Baskets  
*Bendición de las Canastas de Pascua*

**7:00 pm:** Easter Vigil Mass and Rites of Christian Initiation  
*Vigilia Pascual con los Ritos de la Iniciación Cristiana*

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**Easter Sunday/Domingo de Pascua**

April 17, 2022

**English Masses:** Sunday of the Resurrection of Our Lord, Masses as usual at 8:00 am & 10:00 am

**Misas en Español:** Resurrección del Señor, Misas como normal a las 1:30 pm & 7:00 pm





Serving Pancakes  
Since 1950

# SCOUTS BSA TROOP 32

**ANNUAL PANCAKE BREAKFAST**

**\$9.00**

Saturday April 9th  
5pm to 8pm  
Troop 32 Pancakes, Sausage & Potato Pancakes

Sunday April 10th  
7:30am to 1:30pm  
Troop 32 Pancakes, Sausage & Scrambled Eggs

**St. Leonard School**  
3322 Clarence Ave, Berwyn, IL



*Easter  
Candle  
Sale*

\$50  
(9inx3in)



\$25  
(7inx2in)

*Venta  
de  
Cirios*

As part of our beautiful tradition the Candles will be blessed during Easter Vigil Mass!  
*¡Como parte de nuestra hermosa tradición, las Velas serán bendecidas durante la Misa de Vigilia Pascual!*

LAST STEP FOR FIRST COMMUNION! / ¡ÚLTIMO PASO PARA LA PRIMERA COMUNIÓN!

## FIRST COMMUNION RETREAT RETIRO DE LA PRIMERA COMUNIÓN

Sunday, April 25, 2022  
10 am - 4 pm  
St. Leonard Church



We will begin the retreat with 10 am Mass, families are to meet in the Church.

*Comenzaremos el retiro con la misa de las 10 am, las familias se reunirán en la Iglesia*

This retreat is for: 2nd year FFF students in preparation to receive their 1st Communion & 2nd Grade class of St. Leonard School

*Este retiro es para: estudiantes de FFF de 2º año en preparación para recibir su 1ª Comunión y los estudiantes de 2º Grado de la escuela San Leonardo*



### St. Leonard Rectory Office

Rectory Office Hours  
Holy Week and Easter  
*Horarios de oficina de la Rectoría  
Par Semana Santa y Pascua*

Thursday, April 14 - Half Day  
(8am - 12pm)

Friday, April 15 - Closed/Cerrado

Saturday, April 16 - Closed/Cerrado

Sunday, April 17 - Closed/Cerrado

Monday, April 18 - Closed/Cerrado

**Happy Easter!  
¡Feliz Pascua!**



### Did you know that St. Pius X Parish sponsors a parish site for a SPRED program?

SPRED (**S**pecial **R**eligious **D**evelopment) is an agency of the Archdiocese. It is a unique program designed to guide persons living with developmental and intellectual disabilities to grow in faith and prepare for full participation in the sacramental life of the parish.

Each participating parish in the surrounding neighborhood focuses on an age group in the following categories:

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|---------------------------|---|
| Children ages 6-10        | St. Pius X Parish, Stickney   |
| Teenagers ages 11-16      | St. Paul VI Parish (previously St. Mary Parish, Riverside)            |
| Young People ages 17-21   | St. Paul VI Parish (previously St. Hugh Parish, Lyons)                |
| Adults 22 years and older | St. Paul VI Parish (previously Mater Christi Parish, North Riverside) |

Interested families and volunteers are asked to contact Patricia Garcia for more information regarding the SPRED program, by phone at (773) 552-0924 or by email at [patriciagarcia10@msn.com](mailto:patriciagarcia10@msn.com).

The Catechists of St. Pius X SPRED wish to express their gratitude to all parishioners for their continued support of this wonderful religious development program!

(left to right)  
Patricia Garcia, Connie Christensen,  
Yesenia Jimenez, Edith Jimenez,  
Maria Khalifeh, and Roger Garcia



### CRS Rice Bowl - PALM SUNDAY SHARING GOD'S LOVE



For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. –John 3:16.

As we enter Holy Week, we remember how our Lord suffered and died so that each and every one of us might be saved from sin and have eternal life.

Reflect on God's infinite love for you. How have you responded to that love this Lent, and how can you share it with others?

View the video and read the story for Holy Week 5 [www.crsricebowl.org](http://www.crsricebowl.org).

### CRS Plato de Arroz - DOMINGO DE RAMOS COMPARTIENDO EL AMOR DE DIOS



Porque Dios amó tanto al mundo, que entregó a su Hijo único para que todo el que cree en él no muera, sino que tenga Vida eterna. –Juan 3,16

Al iniciar la Semana Santa, recordamos cómo nuestro Señor sufrió y dio su vida para que todos y cada uno de nosotros pudiéramos ser salvados del pecado y tener vida eterna.

Reflexiona sobre el amor infinito de Dios por ti. ¿Cómo has respondido a ese amor esta Cuaresma y cómo puedes compartirlo con los demás?

Vea el video y lea la historia para el domingo de Ramos en [www.crsplatodearroz.org](http://www.crsplatodearroz.org).



Core Uganda is a non-profit organization that funds The Samaritan Nursery and Primary School in Soroti, Uganda. The school was founded by Father Alex Ojacor and his friends in 2006 to support the livelihood of vulnerable children in Uganda by providing basic education, skills, and support. Core Uganda and The Samaritan School have received ongoing support from the community of St. Leonard in Berwyn, IL and the friends of Fr. Alex. Currently, the school has 105 children and a full-time staff of four teachers, a matron, cook, and security guard.

In April 2020, Bill (Billy) O'Connell, a lifelong Berwyn resident and graduate of St. Leonard School, expressed his desire to Fr. Alex to volunteer in Uganda. With the most imminent need of a new middle school and additional dorms for the growing student population, Billy's main focus in Uganda was to lead in the construction of an 8-classroom block that would ultimately accommodate 320 children. Billy purchased a one-way ticket to Uganda for September 21, 2021. He excitedly planned for this mission trip for months by speaking to the school staff daily and making new friends in Soroti. The school staff and children were prepared to welcome him with joy. Sadly, Bill was involved in a scooter accident days before his trip and succumbed to his injuries on September 24, 2021.

Even though Billy never made it to Uganda, his dream and memory will live on with the construction of the 8-block classroom middle school to be named in his memory as the "Bill O'Connell Memorial Block."

The architectural drawings have been completed along with the budget. The estimated cost for the Bill O'Connell Memorial Block middle school will cost \$60,000. The team both here and on the ground are working to have the middle school completed in less than 2 years. The O'Connell Family thoughtfully offered donations to Core Uganda, in lieu of flowers at Bill's funeral services. The generosity was overwhelming with donations that totaled over \$10,000. With these donations, the concrete blocks for the school's foundation have already been made.

The Samaritan School Since has a 12-month school year reassuring their families that their student is safe, nourished and receiving an education that will allow them to grow and occupy prominent places in the society to serve and help others.

Two ways to donate to the "Bill O'Connell Memorial Block" middle school:

Online at GoFundMe: [www.gofundme.com/bill-oconnell-memorial-block](http://www.gofundme.com/bill-oconnell-memorial-block)

**Check made out to:**  
**Core Uganda**  
**c/o Fr. Alex Ojacor**  
**St. Leonard Church**  
**3318 S. Clarence Avenue**  
**Berwyn, IL 60402**

\*100% of your donation will go to the construction of the "Bill O'Connell Memorial Block."

Billy will always be remembered as a hero to The Samaritan Nursery and Primary School and will forever have a special place in their hearts. Even in death, Billy continues to make an impact to those who are most in need.

Please follow us for updates on Go Fund Me and Facebook under Core Uganda. God is Good!

Calling students between Junior High and High School...are you interested in learning about faith and make new friends? Come and join our Youth Ministry Group. They meet on Mondays at 7:00 pm here at our Parish Rectory.

*St. Leonard's  
Youth Ministry*



Llamando a los estudiantes entre Jr. High y la secundaria... ¿Está interesado en aprender acerca de la fe y hacer nuevos amigos? Venga y únase a nuestro Grupo Juvenil. Se reúnen los lunes a las 7:00 pm aquí en nuestra Rectoría Parroquial.

### *Band of Brothers*

The Band of Brothers is a group for men, they meet every Tuesday at Church at 7pm

Please come and check it out if you are interested or if you may have questions.

*La Banda de Hermanos es un grupo para hombres, se reúnen todos los martes en la Iglesia a las 7 pm*

*Por favor, venga y compruébelo si está interesado o si puede tener preguntas.*

### *Holy Name Society*

The Holy Name Society meets once a month, 2nd Monday of the month, at the School Hall at 7pm.

The Holy Name continues to support the scouting programs and sports programs for the Parish.

If you are interested in becoming a member, interested in attending a meeting or even providing a donation to help support the men's club please contact Joe Munoz, President of the Holy Name Society at [jumunoz@live.com](mailto:jumunoz@live.com).

Iskali is a young adult community who gathers to share the joy of the Gospel. They meet on Tuesdays at 7pm. If you are interested in or want more information please contact:

Ninoy Cabarle at  
[ncabarle3083@gmail.com](mailto:ncabarle3083@gmail.com)



Iskali es una comunidad de jóvenes adultos que se reúnen a compartir la alegría del evangelio. Se reúnen los martes a las 7pm. Si esta interesado o desea obtener mas información, comuníquese con:

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### *Holy Week 101 Reflection Semana para Principiantes Reflexión*

Monday, April 11th, 7:00pm at St. Leonard Church.

*Sábado, 11 de abril, 7:00pm en la Escuela de San Leonardo.*



## **Financials will be posted next week**

### *Scouts (BSA, Cub and Girl)*

Scouts BSA, Cub Scouts & Girl Scouts are a year round program. If you are interested in your child becoming a scout, please contact:

#### BSA Scouts

Tom Pondel (Boy Program 11-18 years old)  
[smtroop32@gmail.com](mailto:smtroop32@gmail.com)

Kathy Hrubecky (Girl Program 11-18 years old)  
[smtroop32@gmail.com](mailto:smtroop32@gmail.com)

#### Cub Scouts

Tim Pachla Boys (5-10 years old)  
773-208-7988

#### Girl Scouts

Kris Evans (Girls 5-10 years old)  
Call rectory office 708-484-0015



**Mass Intentions**  
*Intenciones de la Misa*

**Sunday, April 10**

- 8:00 am** Ethel & Clare Paternoster  
Richard Bartosz +  
Dolores Santillan +
- 10:00 am** Maria Christina Ramos Pasaye +  
Refugia Jessie Ramos  
Ramos & Pasaye Families
- 1:30 pm** Acción de Gracias por la Familia Navarro  
Pedro Herrera + and Maria Rincon +

**Monday, April 11**

- 5:15 pm** Thomas Butvilas +  
Dorothy Pollack +  
Caro Eki + & Bridget Eki +

**Tuesday, April 12**

- 5:15 pm** The Need & Intentions of the Iskali  
Community

**Wednesday, April 13**

- 5:15 pm** Erica Nahorniak & River  
Sarah Lloyd, Birthday Blessing  
Jesus Santillan +  
Jan Zakrzewsju +

**Sunday, April 17**

- 8:00 am** Richard Bartosz +  
Diane Bereckis +  
Robert Gentilini Sr. +
- 10:00 am** Yolanda Vilchis +  
Maria Christina Ramos Pasaye +  
Francisco Torres +
- 1:30 pm** Presentación 3 años, Noe Martinez
- 7:00 pm** Maria Alvarado

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**Rectory: 708-484-0015**

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Bela Jaimes

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Javier Martinez

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*Spring Cleaning*

Saturday, April 16, 2022  
After Morning Prayer

If you can spare a couple of  
hours, please come join us  
on our Spring Cleaning Day!

*Si puede dedicar un par de  
horas, ¡Acompañe nos en  
nuestro Día de Limpieza de  
Primavera!*

