

SAINT CATHERINE OF SIENA-SAINT LUCY AND SAINT GILES PARISH



*Behold, the star that they had seen
at its rising preceded them,
until it came and stopped
over the place
where the child was.*

~ Matthew 2:9

JANUARY 8, 2023 • The Epiphany of the Lord

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA - ST. LUCY CHURCH
38 NORTH AUSTIN BOULEVARD, OAK PARK

DAILY MASSES THIS WEEK: Wednesday at 8:30 am

WEEKEND MASSES: Saturday at 5:00 pm (Confession prior to Mass, 4:00 to 4:30 pm); and Sunday at 9:00 am

ST. GILES CHURCH
1045 COLUMBIAN AVENUE, OAK PARK

DAILY MASSES THIS WEEK: Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6:30 am;

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 8:30 am; Saturday at 8:00 am (Confession following Mass, 8:30 to 9:00 am)

WEEKEND MASSES: Saturday at 4:30 pm and Sunday at 8:00 am and 10:30 am

Fr. Carl's Corner



The New Year has begun ... have you made a special resolution? Many of us resolve to eat better, exercise more, work less, read more, quit smoking or drinking. And for many of us these resolutions are broken as easily as they are made. Why not consider making a change for God this year? As we make this year's resolutions, consider one change that will bring you closer to God. Here are some ideas I read about that describe ways other Catholics have used to strengthen prayer, serve the poor, and evangelize our faith.

One woman spoke about how she felt her prayer life was growing stale. She signed up to be an adorer for the perpetual adoration chapel at her parish. Now on Mondays at a time of her choosing, she spends time before Jesus present in the Eucharist. She said she looks forward to her peaceful hour each week.

We do not have a 24-hour perpetual adoration chapel. However, every Thursday evening from 7:00 until 8:00 pm we do have the church open for an hour of prayer and adoration. Why not consider joining the group who meets each week for that hour of quiet prayer and adoration. Offer the time for a family member in need of the prayers, for world peace or for yourself just to know the strength and peace of Emmanuel, Jesus, God with us.

Another man spoke about how incredibly busy his law practice is, but how he takes an afternoon off every month to work at a local soup kitchen serving hot meals to the homeless and working poor. When he was asked why, he said, "Jesus said, when I was hungry, you gave me to eat." We just partnered with Housing Forward to have a temporary shelter for the homeless in the Rectory on the St. Catherine-St. Lucy campus. Might you consider how to get involved there or offer your services to Housing Forward in another volunteer capacity?

Another woman spoke about how her children are now grown, yet she teaches a religion class at her parish. She said, "What better way to spread our faith than to children? That's where I can do the most good." We have two Catholic schools where volunteer efforts are always welcomed and a large Religious Ed program where catechists are always needed and welcomed.

These are just some ideas to consider. You can certainly add your own creative ideas. Perhaps you might consider working on one quality to make you a better follower of Jesus. Or consider working on one of the Gifts of the Holy Spirit that helps bring peace to the heart and into the world, the Gift of UNDERSTANDING, which allows us to see with the heart and the mind. As we journey through the New Year, remember how working on any of these can help us grow in faith and bring us closer to God.

I am pleased to report that the temporary shelter in partnership with Housing Forward opened on schedule this past Wednesday, January 4. The organization of the shelter and its operation is being handled by Housing Forward and a manager was hired for the site. Volunteers are helping from our two newly combined parishes.

I want to give a shout out to a few folks who helped to get the work done so the shelter would meet the requirements needed to open on time. My heartfelt thanks to Matt Brophy, our Operations Director, Dan Doody, Jack Crow, Jim Janowski, Kenna MacKinnon, Larry Wardzala and Mike Stryczek, who handles the maintenance in the morning at the St. Catherine/St. Lucy campus. Thank you all!

This weekend at Mass, we celebrate The Epiphany, recalling the bright star that led the Magi to the newborn King where they offered their gifts. May we be that bright star for others, drawing our families, friends and neighbors to him so they may find the treasure we know in Jesus the Lord, God with us!

Have a safe week ahead. With you a Christian. For you a priest.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Fr. Carl".

Spiritual Life & Worship

We Pray For . . .

Those who are hospitalized or homebound, including: Steven Acevedo, Patrick Ahearn, Coletta Ali, Jane Baker, Jori Baker, Phyllis Baker, Joe Bigliotti, Danita Bowie, Herbert Breidenbach, Phil Calabrese, Tiffany Church, Patrick Cibula, Ray Cimms, Patricia Crotty, Lucille Dalbis, Andrea Dickson, Donald Pettis Edmond, Wanda Farmer, Mike Fenske, Katherine Fisher, Tom and Carol Frank, Mary Ellen Frank, Jim Gallagher, Earl Gallermo, Michael Gallo, Grace Grzylo Goodmanson, Maggie Astacio Hedges, Deacon John Henricks, Bill Holmes, Phillip Jones, Donna Kanapes, Patrick King, Marie Koko, Paul Koko, Hardie Kressler, Kathleen Kroker, Kimberly Lester, Jim and Linda Lewis, Jake Lofgren, Gabriela Machado, Jim Madden, Virginia Madden, Lorry Madonia, Mary Mamolella, Patricia McDonald, Sr. Louise Noesen, Matt O'Connell, Amelia Patterson, Cary Phillips, Bob Quane, Dennis Rusin, Maureen Sansone, Mary and Paul Schleitwiler, Baby Harrison Schenone, Colleen Rowley Schramm, Carole Sheehan, Phyllis Skwerski, Sr. Carol Spiegel, Nina Stanley, Sarah Such, Phyllis Swanson, Joann Taylor, LaNedra Vaughn, Shirley Venerable, Meg Welch, Nancy Wesclitz, Catherine Williams.

(Names will be periodically removed from this listing in the bulletin and also from the list of recurring intercessions spoken at weekend Masses. Others have received a Prayer Shawl representing the prayers for healing by the Parish community. Please contact the parish office to include someone on this prayer list or to request inclusion in the weekend Mass intercessions, or to request a Prayer Shawl.)

And for those of our family members and parishioners who have died, especially Tom McHugh, Steve Cizmar, and Margaret Harmon, mother of Julia Bell Harmon and Don Harmon.

They opened their treasures
and offered him gifts
of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.

— Matthew 2:11b

African-American Heritage Celebration Mark Your Calendars, Save the Date!

The St. Catherine-St. Lucy and St. Giles celebration of African-American Heritage will be on **Sunday, February 5**. A special Mass will be offered at **10:00 am**, and will be followed by a **Potluck Brunch** at St. Catherine-St. Lucy Church!! Details coming soon!!

ST. GILES CHURCH MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, January 9

The Baptism of the Lord

6:30 — † The Deceased of the Parish

Tuesday, January 10

8:30 — † Frank Senese

† Mary Mahon

Wednesday, January 11

6:30 — † Betty Shaker

† Owen Petzelka

† The Cathy and Bill White Family

8:30 — † Geoff Woitel

† Chris Woitel

Thursday, January 12

8:30 — † Laurita Rottman

Friday, January 13

6:30 — Angela Cupello

Saturday, January 14

8:00 — † Tristan Matthew Faulman

*4:30 — † Marie Cancellieri

† Mary Mahon

Sunday, January 15

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 — † Sam Guzzardo

† Joseph and Helen Shaker

† John Sheran

10:30 — † Thomas Opiela

† Deceased of the Daley and Archibald Families

† Sean Varner

**This Mass will be live-streamed from the St. Giles website, stgilesparish.org.*

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA-ST. LUCY CHURCH MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Wednesday, January 11

8:30 — † Chuck Scott

by Rachel Faulman

Saturday, January 14

5:00 — † Tristan Matthew Faulman

by Rachel Faulman

Sunday, January 15

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

*9:00 — † Hugh Filmore

by Tom and Pat Nelson

† Andrew C. Shayo

by Selina Mushi

† Clement T. Shayo

by Selina Mushi

**This Mass will be live-streamed. Please email parish@stcatherinestlucy.org to receive the live-stream link.*

Praying the Rosary on Zoom Fridays at 7:00 pm

Join Deacon Kevin and Marci Morgan on Zoom
to pray the Rosary on Friday evenings
at 7:00 pm.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/>
Meeting ID: 865 8895 7490
Passcode: 634955



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Spiritual Life and Worship

The Epiphany Tradition

The Feast of the Epiphany is an inspiration for us to always be seeking God, incarnate in Jesus, who is truly Emmanuel - God-with-us! The custom of blessing homes on Epiphany, to begin the year anew, began in the Middle Ages. We make this sign on our main door with chalk: **20 +C +M +B 23**. Traditionally, the letters stand for the names of the magi and the crosses for the word "saint." The letters may also come from the phrase *Christus mansionem benedicat*, "May Christ bless the dwelling." At all Masses, there will be blessed chalk available to take and bless your own home with your family this Epiphany weekend.



Blessing for the Home

After the family has gathered, and all have made the sign of the cross, the leader says:

We ask God's blessing on this home in this year, 2023.

Someone writes 20 +C +M +B 23 at the top of the door.

Then, all present touch the door in blessing.

The leader then says:

Like the magi, may we always recognize Christ in one another.

May those who come into this home find welcome.

**May those who live here be at peace with one another
and love one another completely.**

We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

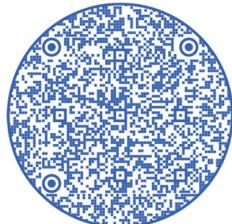
Sunday Evening 5:00 pm Mass to begin on January 22 at St. Edmund Church

We are excited to announce that we will be adding a new Sunday evening Mass to our weekend Mass schedule beginning in January. For several years throughout the Renew My Church process, we have been discussing the possibility of jointly sharing responsibility for a new Sunday evening Mass geared towards a more robust welcome of Young Adults in their twenties and thirties. While the focus will be on growing a Young Adult outreach in the greater Oak Park Catholic community, it should be noted that ALL ARE WELCOME to join in this weekly Eucharist. The beauty of every Mass on any given weekend is that indeed, "everyone" is there! However, it is possible for a particular Mass to extend an increased effort at welcoming a particular demographic of the Church.

We are also aware that many young families will welcome this time as Sunday morning sporting events can sometimes conflict with participating in a morning Mass on the Lord's Day.

Frs. Carl, Rex, and Robert, along with the Music Directors from our two unified parishes, have been meeting for several months with a core group of young adults to begin planning for this a weekly Mass that will hopefully become a meeting place, outreach and ministry site for young adults to share and celebrate their faith in our area. This Mass will be co-sponsored by the two Oak Park Catholic Parishes, Ascension and St. Edmund and St. Catherine-St. Lucy and St. Giles. Our parish priests will rotate as the presiders. Our Music Directors, David Anderson, Sue Kaszynski and Michael Silhavy, will be forming a new young adult ensemble of singers and instrumentalists and will share leadership and coordination of the overall music ministry for this Mass. Jane Anne Campbell will coordinate the young adult liturgical ministers who will be serving at this weekly Mass. It is our hope and goal for all Music and Liturgical Ministries (Lectors, Greeters, Servers, and Ministers of Communion) to be provided by our young adults.

Young adults interested in serving in any music or liturgical role can scan the QR code **above**, then enter your contact information and areas of interest. You may also contact any of our parish priests or any of the music directors at our different sites: David Anderson at d.anderson@ascensionoakpark.com, Michael Silhavy at michaelsilhavy@gmail.com, or Sue Kaszynski at skaszynski@stgilesparish.org. Those interested in serving for a ministry other than music should contact Jane Anne Campbell at ja.campbell@ascensionoakpark.com.



Parish Life

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

Help and encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member, or friend

GriefShare is a special weekly seminar and support group designed to help you rebuild your life after losing a loved one. Our group is led by caring people who have experienced grief and want to help you through the difficult days ahead.

We know it hurts, and we want to help.

Contact Us Today

**Wednesdays, 10:00 am to 12:00 pm
Beginning January 18, 2023**

**McDonough Hall on the St. Giles Campus
1101 Columbian Avenue, 2nd Floor,
Oak Park, IL 60302
Contact Geri Tapling, 708-223-4912
griefshare@stgilesparish.org**



Weekday Mass Lectors Needed

The 8:30 am weekday Mass at St. Giles Church is looking for parishioners who might be interested in becoming lectors. It would only involve two mornings a week on Tuesday and Thursday approximately once every two months. It is a special experience to share the Word of God and the Liturgy and helps us to grow in wisdom as it is the source of life and strength for us. If interested, please contact Phyllis Skwerski at 708-386-2739.

FOOD COLLECTION FOR THOSE IN NEED



This weekend, January 7/8, is the **FOOD FIRST** weekend at St. Catherine of Siena-St. Lucy Church. Please bring your donations of canned or shelf-stable food and paper products with you to this weekend's Masses. Donations are brought to the altar during the Offertory.

St. Giles Church weekly collection continues. Please bring your donations of canned or shelf-stable food and paper products to the St. Giles shrine in the gathering space at the church or to the covered bins located at the back door on the north side of the Parish Center.

Thank you for your generosity to these collections, and thank you to the stewards for their work in delivering these items to our local pantries.



Annette Henneberry Scholarship Spring Fundraiser Update

For over 20 years, the Annette Henneberry Scholarship Fund has provided a scholarship to a parish eighth grade young woman who plans to attend a Catholic high school. The funds are raised at an event held in the spring. For two years, we were not able to hold the event because of Covid. However, due to the generosity of our parishioners and local sponsors, we were able to raise enough money to fund the scholarship—which has been \$4,000 for several years.

We are in a transition stage as we look for new co-chairs for the event. In the meantime, Terry Clancy and The Barefoot Contessa Committee have agreed to raise funds at the event with **raffle baskets** and **sponsorships**. We are grateful we can raise funds and are hopeful our steadfast sponsors will remain supportive.

What does this mean for you? Please consider becoming involved in the Annette Henneberry Scholarship Fund Spring Fundraiser! You won't be disappointed and CCW welcomes all ideas. Reach out to Theresa Atchley at tatchley@sbcglobal.net or Kathy Ritten at kathyritten@att.net if you are interested.

This year, please plan on attending **The Barefoot Contessa event on Saturday, January 28, 2023** and bring CASH!!! Raffle baskets will be themed around Ina Garten—you will need cash to purchase tickets.

Lifelong Formation



Oak Park Catechist Enrichment Day

Presenter: Christine Ondrla*

Sunday, January 29, 2023

11:00 am Mass at St. Edmund Church
12:00 – 2:30 pm Lunch and Presentation
Murphy Hall, St. Edmund Church

We are excited to invite ALL Oak Park catechists, catechist aides, confirmation mentors, and any interested future catechists to celebrate the Eucharist at the 11:00 am Mass at St. Edmund Church. At 12:00 pm join us in Murphy Hall for lunch, fellowship, and spiritual enrichment with the locally beloved and nationally recognized catechetical leader, Christine Ondrla.

Please **RSVP** by Thursday, January 19, 2023. If the link is not working, please email: religious.ed@ascensionoakpark.com to RSVP. Thank you!

*Christine Ondrla has been involved in religious education for over forty-five years as a parent, catechist, director of religious education, national trainer and author. Christine Ondrla was the 2006 recipient of the Religious Education Excellence Award given by the NPCD in Atlanta, Georgia.



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Faith & Fellowship



Bearing Gifts...

Well, we didn't bring "gold, frankincense, and myrrh," but here are some of the gifts our Catechists gave to our Partners at last month's Christmas party: a "just right" hoodie; a smile brought to the face of a usually cranky Partner; Christmas tree centerpieces; a hilarious "12 Days of Christmas" sing-along; egg nog (non-alcoholic, of course); setting up and decorating our meeting room; a "Charlie Brown" Christmas tree; cheeses, crackers, and hummus dip; cupcakes, frosted pretzels, and Partner-decorated cookies; door-to-door transportation; showing up after a long day at work; hanging out in hominess, comfort, and joy. Epiphany all around – the love of God made manifest!

Spiritual Classics – Thomas Merton's Contemplation

New Seeds of Contemplation by Thomas Merton is the Spiritual Classics choice for our next discussion on **Tuesday, February 7, 2023 at 7:30 pm** over Zoom.

Thomas Merton was a Trappist monk at Gethsemani Abbey in Kentucky in the middle of the twentieth century and wrote many books about his spiritual path. New Seeds of Contemplation seeks to awaken the dormant inner depths of the spirit neglected by modern society, and to nurture a deeply contemplative and mystical dimension in our lives. This book continues in the meditative tradition of St. John of the Cross, *The Cloud of Unknowing*, and the medieval mystics.

Registration is required. To participate, just send an email to ltaffc@ascensionoakpark.com with the name of the book in the subject line. You'll receive a return email before the discussion with a link for the Zoom meeting.

For more information, links to obtain the book, and details for the upcoming discussions on spiritual classics, go to www.ascensionoakpark.com/apps/pages/athome. Reading the book is not required in order to join the discussions – feel free to just come and learn about Thomas Merton and his spirituality. All Oak Park parishes are welcome.



My Name is Pauli Murray

Film Screening: Monday, February 6, 2023, 7:00-8:30 pm

Discussion: Tuesday, February 7, 2023, 7:00-8:30 pm

Facilitators: Maudette Carr and Shelby Boblick

In-person, Handicapped Accessible
McDonough Hall on the St. Giles Campus
1101 Columbian Avenue, 2nd Floor, Oak Park

Did you know that Pauli Murray was one of the most instrumental voices of the civil rights movement? Or is this the first time you are hearing her name? Many U.S. historians now claim that you cannot teach U.S. history without teaching the contributions of Pauli Murray. A legal trailblazer with pioneering contributions as a poet, activist, lawyer, and priest, you will not want to miss watching the documentary film *My Name is Pauli Murray* and participating in our film discussion!

This documentary film will be shown in the small conference room in McDonough Hall at 7 pm on Monday, February 6! In the spirit of Black History Month, Shelby Boblick and Maudette Carr will facilitate a discussion of the film on Tuesday, February 7 at 7 pm in McDonough Hall. Come to either or both sessions!

Our conversation together will touch on many of the “firsts” that Pauli Murray experienced and embodied in the fields of education and law, and socially through discrimination of race, gender, and sex. Through participants’ collective wisdom and deep listening, we may perceive a deeper understanding of Pauli Murray’s life. The life of Pauli Murray may be a story about bringing a new creation into being; we are destined to love, and we are going to love something into being.

Join us!

Shelby Boblick has a background in spirituality and loves the outdoors. After 30+ years of corporate real estate law practice and being trained as a pastoral associate, Shelby chairs the Board of The Well, is a long-term parishioner of St. Catherine of Siena-St. Lucy Church, and facilitates a variety of spirituality conversations.

Maudette Carr is a social worker with 22+ years of experience in hospice and palliative care and is a presenter on end-of-life care. Having become a Sinsinawa Dominican Associate, Maudette has a second calling to follow in the Dominican charism. She is certified as a Circle Keeper in facilitating monthly anti-racism conversations. As long-time parishioner of St. Giles Church, Maudette serves the parish in many roles. Faith is important to Maudette.

Parish Life

Food For Thought The Weight of Hope

The ritual of review and resolution may produce regret or gratitude, as we look at the year that just past; whichever, no changes can be made. But we're challenged to affirm or change the trajectories of what's gone past that could likely shape what lies ahead. Also, unexpected events can be influenced. What we want, we must work for; What we don't, we must oppose.

Luke's briefing on the encounter of Simeon and the Holy Family is a glimpse of God's view of history. The prophet holds baby Jesus and sees the future. The promise of God to save his people won't be done by sweeping aside evil, breaking open history to the divine will, but by sending new life.
Simeon sees a light
no human hope alone can kindle.

Jesus grows to maturity in Galilee. After a short ministry of preaching and confronting the status quo, he will change the course of history and human destiny.
It's said the precise weight of human hope is the weight of a sleeping child.

Simeon does not spare Mary the heartbreak that will join her to the suffering of her son.

The promise made is unstoppable, meaning God's purpose will be fulfilled. We carry across the threshold of the new year the weight of the children of the world. The future we help create by our faith and courage is the world they will inherit, as blessing or burden.

Let it be resolved that this new year be a year of generous, glorious grace.

Tom Lynch. tgl7714@gmail.com. 1/8/23
Sources: NCR, P. Marrin, 12/28/22
Luke 2:22-35.

But wait! There's more!

Want to know ALL the latest parish news? Sign up for the weekly parish e-news through **flocknote!** Just scan the QR Code here to sign up, and the information you need will be right in your inbox!



1:1 Empower Illinois Tax Credit Scholarship Matching Donation Program Begins Dec. 1, 2022

The Archdiocese of Chicago has once again secured matching donors for the Empower Illinois Scholarship Program. St. Giles will receive an additional \$1 for every dollar that you contribute between Dec. 1, 2022 and until funds run out (typically the first week of January). Here's how the program works:

REGISTER with the State of Illinois at mytax.illinois.gov, unless you already have an online account. It usually takes 10-14 days to receive a letter with the ID number required to set up an account, so click on the "Sign up Now!" button in the Login box to start the process as soon as possible.

RESERVE your tax credit for the current calendar year (2022 if you donate in Dec and 2023 if you donate in Jan.). Once your account is set up, log into your online account at mytax.illinois.gov (Empowerillinois.org will eventually take you to the same page.). Click on the link to your individual account under the "Accounts" tab. Then, under "I Want to" in the top right corner of the page, select "Contribute to Invest in Kids". Navigate through the form, selecting Cook County, Empower Illinois as the scholarship granting organization, and the amount you will be donating (to all schools). **You will have the opportunity to select St. Giles when you make your donation.** You will then receive your Contribution Authorization Certificate under your mytax.illinois.gov account correspondence tab almost immediately.

DONATE: Make your donation between Dec. 1, 2022 and Jan. 10, 2023 (So that we can get our 1:1 matching funds).

You will receive 75% of your donation that can be used as a tax credit on your Illinois tax bill. Last year, we were able to secure the full \$75,000 in matching funds due to our generous donors which helped 17 children in need! Scan the QR code for a **step by step guide** to make your donation.

Contact **Michele Bibbey**, Business Manager at St. Giles School or **Carolyn Burke**, parent advocate with any additional questions.



Parish Life

News from the Prayer Shawl Ministry

During the months of November and December, the Prayer Shawl Ministry distributed prayer shawls and lap blankets to parishioners and others needing prayers. In addition to meeting those needs we took lap blankets to the Hines Veterans Hospice where many patients have few or no visitors. In December we sent a crate of hats and scarves to A House on Austin, to the Columban Fathers in El Paso, TX and to ICDI (Interfaith Community for Detained Immigrants). Then when we thought we were out of hats and scarves a large donation of items arrived. Those plus additional items from the Prayer Shawl Ministers were sent to Holy Cross Hospital for patients needing warm items and another crate to ICDI's collection site. There are a few items left to be distributed. All this is because of generous donations of money, yarn, and beautifully made, warm items. Thank you.

To receive a shawl or lap blanket for a loved one or to have one sent, call the Parish Center office at 708-383-3430, or come by during business hours. All are lovingly made and intended to provide warmth and embrace the recipient through the prayers of a loving St. Catherine-St. Lucy and St. Giles Parish and the presence of a loving God.

*May you be enfolded in God's love,
Margie Rudnik, for the Prayer Shawl Ministry*



Intercultural Immigrant Ministry News

Thank you to the many volunteers who assisted in the move of the Romero Mora family over the New Year's weekend. The new apartment is more central to Oak Park, closer to schools, and all costs are being covered by the host family. Thank you to that family. Thank you also to the many people who provided generous Christmas gifts and gift cards. Language skills remain a challenge.

Over the Christmas weekend IIM was asked to supply warm items on an emergency basis for a family of four who had arrived with nothing. The items were delivered to them on Christmas morning. The single woman from El Salvador we had expected to host is being delayed due to a back injury. We will continue to be open to opportunities to host migrants. If you are interested in volunteering, **please email us:** immigrantministry@gmail.com or Margie Rudnik at margaretrudnik@gmail.com.

St. Catherine of Siena-St. Lucy and St. Giles Parish is partnering with Ascension/St. Edmund Parish to form **IIM (Intercultural Immigrant Ministry)**. Our goal is to host migrants.

To make donations, please write a check to St. Giles and note that it is for the St. Giles Refugee Fund. Donations are also being accepted through the St. Giles GiveCentral website. Thank you for your generous hearts!



ANNUAL NEIGHBORHOOD GATHERING

We will welcome the Interfaith Green Network and engage in facilitated conversations about their work.



Grace Episcopal Church - 924 Lake Street, Oak Park
February 2, 2023 at 6:30 pm

Please RSVP by January 30th to oprfcoc@gmail.com

Dinner will be served
Optional \$15 goodwill offering



Parish Life

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