Faith Community of St. Sabina
Celebrating History and Making History

A GUN IS NOT THE ANSWER

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 3, 2023
Rev. Michael L. Pfleger, Senior Pastor
Rev. Thulani Magwaza, Pastor
www.saintsabina.org
SCRIPTURES (LITURGICAL YEAR A): TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FIRST READING: JEREMIAH 20:7-9
RESPONSE: PSALM 63:2-6, 8-9
SECOND READING: ROMANS 12:1-2
GOSPEL: MATTHEW 16:21-27

MASS INTENTIONS
SEPTEMBER 2, 2023 — SEPTEMBER 3, 2023

SATURDAY, SEPT 2ND 5PM  BENEFACTORS AND SUPPORTERS OF ST. SABINA
SUNDAY, SEPT 3RD 10AM  MARTIN DUMAS, JR. (32ND ANNIVERSARY)

TO SCHEDULE A MASS INTENTION, CONTACT BEVERLY MORRIS AT 773.483.4300, MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY. MASS INTENTIONS ARE SCHEDULED ON A FIRST-COME, FIRST-SERVED BASIS. PLEASE NOTE THERE IS A $10 STIPEND FOR EACH MASS INTENTION.

St. Sabina Prayer Corner

Tony Alexander  Barbara Fields  Leslie D. Mangum
Angelena Ardoin  Catherine Fincher  Reginald Morris
Karen Bingham  Theresa Franklin  Evelyn Nickolson
Warren Bingham  Deloise Steele Graham  Canary Payne
John Brooks  Cherry Hardie  Carmita Phillips
Earline Burnett  Maria Hamilton  Brian Powers
Sam Burton  Maseque Haskins  Irma Salomon
Gregory Callaway  Tashae Minier Hernandez  Proxy Saunders
Joyce Coleman  Mary Jackson  Doris Stade
Sr. Debbie Conley  Ted Johnson  Doris Steele
Louis Constanoplis  Patricia Johnson  Catherine Strong
Torri Dean  Lamont Jones  Michael Warne
Iyonna Dean  Roland Kemp  Diondai Whitfield
Alma Donald  Yvonne LaFargue  Keyona Wiltus
Donna Eckhardt  Lillian Mayweather  Estena Winfield
Jerome Feldon  Alte McFarland

If you wish to have your name or the name of someone you know on this prayer list or you are homebound and would like to receive communion, please call the Church Offices at 773.483.4300 or email Louis Woodland at louis9900@att.net.
FAITH COMMUNITY OF ST. SABINA
1210 W. St. Sabina Pl (78th Place), Chicago, IL  60620

WEEKEND WORSHIP SERVICES
Saturday 5:00 PM
Sunday at 10AM
FOR CDS/DVDS OF SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES:  HELEN DUMAS - 773-406-2432

ST. SABINA CABINET MEMBERS

REV. DR. MICHAEL L. PFLEGER  SENIOR PASTOR
Rev. Thulani Magwaza  PASTOR
Dr. Kimberly Lymore  Associate Minister
Leonard Richardson  Senior Deacon
Cory Williams  Assistant to the Pastor
Beverly Morris  Business Manager &
Tiffany Brown  Directory of New Membership
Jacinta Warnie  Minister of Education
Rashad Crawford  Minister of Youth
Herman Warr  Director, The ARK
Lisa Ramsey  Director of Buildings
Fitzgerald Craan  Director, Employment Resource Center
Michael Drayton  Director, Social Services
Yvonne Plummer  Minister of Music
Anthony Lovelace  Director, Beloved Community
Cheryl Houston  Office Manager
Moses Williams  Recording Secretary
Erica Nanton  Director, Sabina/Stein Learning Gardens
Luqman Muhammad  Community Organizer

PARISH COUNCIL OFFICERS
Chairperson  Tonia Carr
Vice Chairperson  April Dumas-Gray
Secretary  LaTanya Crews
Youth Council  Alexander & Kristopher Smith

Academy Administration  Academy Financial Secretary
Michelle Bouye

PHONES
Church Office  773-483-4300
The ARK  773-483-4333
St. Sabina Academy  773-483-5000
Social Services  773-846-3018
Elders Village  773-994-7850
17th Ward Office  773-783-3672
Employment Resource Center  773-783-3760
Community & Technology Center  773-783-6627
MLK Building/Strong Futures/Stein Gardens  773-729-4910

See How They Love One Another
SERVICES & SOCIAL MEDIA

SERVICE TIMES: SATURDAY - 5PM & SUNDAY - 10AM

We are 100% open. Those that are fully vaccinated can go without masks. Those that are not vaccinated should wear a mask for their own safety and those around them.

| Live Stream of 10am Service Every Sunday on the internet |
| Log on to: www.saintsabina.org |

Other Livestream Platforms:
Facebook       YouTube
ZOOM - Call in Only

CD/DVD
CDs/DVDs of Sunday Worship are available. Call the Church Office at 773.483.4300 and leave a message for Helen Dumas. Items will be available at the Church Office or ship via USPS.

FRIENDS OF ST. SABINA EMAIL
To be placed on the Friends of St. Sabina email list, contact the church office at 773.483.4300

FOLLOW THE SENIOR PASTOR:
@Michael Pfleger
Father Michael Pfleger
The Faith Community of St. Sabina
Malachi 3:10 states “Bring your whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this, says the Lord Almighty, and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that you will not have room enough for it.”

**GIVING OPTIONS:**

- **On website:**
  - www.saintsabina.org or via this QR Code

- **Mail your tithes and offerings to the church,**
  - 1210 W. 78th Place, Chicago, IL 60620

- **Drop off your titles and offerings at the Church Offices**
  - Monday through Friday between the hours of 8am and 4pm.

- **Text-to-Give through Give Central.** Simply text “GIVE” to 773.295.2166. You will receive prompts to complete the transaction.
BARBARA’S MARKET
Is back at
7834 S. Racine Ave
Every Wednesday
1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Donations Encouraged!
Questions?
Contact: richard@sabinagardens.org.
Mental Health Services at St. Sabina Church

Starting on 1/20/2022

Every Monday and Thursday 9 AM - 4 PM

Individual Therapy (30, 45, or 55 minute sessions)
Family Therapy (55 minute session)

What is therapy? Therapy is a judgment-free space people and families use to improve their mental health. The goal is to provide hope, relief, and an overall improved level of mental health functioning.

What happens in therapy? In your first session, your doctor will start to work to understand what is causing you distress and determine what would be helpful for you. The doctors available can treat children, adolescents, and adults.

Common reasons people seek out individual therapy:

- loss of hope
- frequent feelings of sadness and/or loneliness
- feelings of constant guilt
- grief related to loss of a loved one
- family stress
- difficulty controlling anger
- racing thoughts
- difficulty with concentration, and focus
- fatigue or decrease in energy
- lack of impulse control
- relationship difficulties
- memory problems
- feeling overwhelmed
- frequent panic attacks
- and much more!

If you think you may benefit from therapy, you are probably right!

How will I pay for therapy? Free of charge to parishioners and anyone in the community.

On-site Schedule at St. Sabina Church: Every Thursday (starting 1/20/2022) - Dr. Selwocka, and Every Monday (starting 1/24/2022) - Dr. Knezevic

The team is available via telehealth during offsite hours.
Meet our entire team of skilled clinical psychologists at www.guadapsych.com.

Call for an appointment now! (847) 797-4699

We are thankful for the opportunity to work with the St. Sabina Church and the community.
We hope to meet you soon!
SAINT SABINA
FRIDAY NIGHT PEACE WALKS
AT 7PM
JOIN US EVERY FRIDAY AS WE MARCH THROUGH THE AUBURN GRESHAM COMMUNITY CALLING FOR PEACE AN END TO GUN VIOLENCE RESOURCES FOR OUR CHILDREN & COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ENDING THE TALE OF TWO CITIES
For more info call 773-483-4300
09.09.2023

79th STREET RENAISSANCE FESTIVAL

79TH AND RACINE

FEATURING KIERRA SHEARD-KELLY

10AM - 8PM

773-483-3696 • WWW.GAGDC.ORG
#79RENFEST • $5 SUGGESTED DONATION
CHICAGO BLACK CATHOLICS ALLIANCE PRESENTS

Looking Back: Where We Have Been as Black Catholics

OCTOBER 16TH
REVIVALIST
REV. ART ANDERSON, OFM
ST. ALPHONSUS & ST. PATRICK PARISH

WORD ON FIRE SPEAKER:
DR. MARK NIMO.

ST. SIMON OF CYRENE
(St. Martin de Porres site)
5112 W. Washington Blvd,
Chicago, IL 60644

WHERE WE ARE GOING AS BLACK CATHOLICS

OCTOBER 18TH
REVIVALIST
REV. MICHAEL PFELEGER
ST. SABINA

WORD ON FIRE SPEAKER:
DR. C. VANESSA WHITE

OUR LADY OF AFRICA
615 E. Oakwood Blvd,
Chicago, IL 60653

AUTHENTICALLY BLACK & TRULY CATHOLIC:
FAITH, PEACE, AND LOVE IN UNITY

OCTOBER 17TH
REVIVALIST
REV. CARL GALES, SVD
OUR LADY OF AFRICA

WORD ON FIRE SPEAKER:
DR. C. VANESSA WHITE

OUR LADY OF AFRICA
615 E. Oakwood Blvd,
Chicago, IL 60653

5PM-6PM | FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP | 6:30PM-9PM | REVIVAL SERVICE

there will be a love offering collection

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Chicago, IL 60620
SAINTS
St. Sabina Academy
Leaders, Scholars, Faith, Excellence
Provide your students with an education in the:
Arts, Technology, African American Influence,
Foreign Language and more!

"St. Sabina is part of my family, and I'm extremely grateful."

Our safe and caring community provides scholarships for
95% of families!

Enroll in our legacy today!

ST. SABINA ACADEMY
SAVE THE DATE
BRIGHTER FUTURES SCHOLARSHIP BENEFIT
NOVEMBER 11, 2023
Sabina Dance Troop is a praise/mime dance team that is dedicated to praising/worshiping God through the gift of dance. We would love for you to join us in our very first practice on SEPTEMBER 9TH, 2023 from 1pm until 4pm. Lunch will be provided to all attendees.

Ages 6 and up
Address: The Ark of St Sabina
7800 S Racine
Time: 1pm-4pm
Senior Pastor: Father Michael Pfleger

Dance instructor: Anthony McIntee
Looking for Spirit filled individual to assist as Sunday School Teachers
“Obey is better than Sacrifice,” 1 Samuel 15:22

We are looking for YOU, energetic, motivated and Spirit filled to bring young minds closer to God.

Criteria:
• Are You Good with children?
• Can You share the Word of God?
• Are You an Active Member of St. Sabina?
• Have You completed “Living Waters classes.”
• Team meeting every 1st Sunday of month at 9am
• You will teach Only one Sunday a month.

The Sunday School Ministry sessions will begin Sunday September 17, 2023, through May 26, 2024.

Team Leaders Karine Guignard & Kristina Robison will be glad to speak with you about joining our team. Please fill out the form and return to us. Thank-you

Name __________________________
Address __________________________
Phone __________________________

“Train up a child the way he shall go and when he is old, he will not depart from it.” Proverbs 22:6

Sunday School Ministry’s 2023-2024 Session will start September 17, 2023 and run through May 26, 2024.

Registration forms will be available on the St. Sabina Website (www.saintssabina.org).
Registration can also be completed online by scanning:

Or you can see one of our Ministry Team Leaders to obtain a printed copy.

Karine Guignard & Kristina Robison
Ministry Team Leaders
JOIN
THE BRAVE YOUTH LEADERS
FALL 2023 PEACEMAKER SESSIONS!
FOR HS TEENS, AGES 14-16

* BRING FRIENDS AND HAVE FUN!
* CREATE FUN YOUTH PEACE EVENTS/PROJECTS!
* ATTEND TRIPS & TRAVEL WITH PEERS!
* FREE FOOD & SNACKS AT SESSIONS
* GAIN SERVICE LEARNING HOURS,
  RECOMMENDATIONS & OTHER INCENTIVES!
~ FOR MORE INFO, CONTACT ~
LAMAR JOHNSON (773)234-7441

PAID AFTERSCHOOL APPRENTICESHIP
BEGINNS MONDAY SEPT. 25TH
SCAN CODE TO APPLY
OR VISIT AFTERSCHOOLMATTERS.ORG
SELECT
“PEACEMAKERS @THEARKOFSTSABINA”
PRAISE
In The Park
9.10.2023
@ 10am

Come out and enjoy worship and a great time with your
Saint Sabina Family as we host Praise in the Park at the Dan
Ryan Woods (Groves 15 & 16) on 83rd and Western. Come
enjoy worship, bouncy houses, and fun for all.

Bring your own grill, food, and seating
ST SABINA EMPLOYMENT RESOURCE CENTER

FALL CAREER & RESOURCE FAIR

WHEN
SEPTEMBER 21, 2023
10AM - 2PM

WHERE
McMahon Hall
LOWER LEVEL OF ST. SABINA CHURCH
1210 W 78th Place
Chicago, IL 60620

BE ON TIME
POSITIVE ATTITUDE
BRING 20 COPIES OF YOUR RESUME
EVENT REGISTRATION REQUIRED

DRESS FOR SUCCESS
NO CHILDREN PLEASE

SCAN TO REGISTER OR GO TO:
WWW.TINYURL.COM/ERCFL23

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ST. SABINA EMPLOYMENT RESOURCE CENTER
7825 S RACINE 773-703-3760

EMPLOYERS CONFIRMED:

Jewel Osco
United States Postal Service
White Castle
UPS
Northwestern Medicine
FedEx

PLUS:
30 ADDITIONAL EMPLOYERS
Background Friendly Opportunities
Hiring Managers Onsite

RESOURCES AVAILABLE:
CITY KEY ID
EDUCATION • GED COMPLETION
JOB TRAINING • JOB READINESS
TECHNOLOGY • FINANCIAL LITERACY

Sponsors:
Faith Community of St. Sabina • Illinois Dept. of Human Services • Chicago Cook Workforce Partnership • City of Chicago • BFE • United Way of Metropolitan Chicago • Fourth Presbyterian Church • Cook County Justice Advisory Council
Purpose Over Pain

Helping Families of Crime Victims

What We Do....

- Assistance in filing crime victims’ compensation
- Offer grief support & parent support days
- Address unsolved murder cases

Contact Us: (773) 729-4192  Website: https://purpose-over-pain.org

CRISIS HOTLINE

FOR FAMILIES AFFECTED BY SENSELESS VIOLENCE

Do you need to talk about “How you are feeling?”
Do you need “Support?”

24-Hour Weekend Hotline
872-3CRISIS
(872) 327-4747

PURPOSE OVER PAIN IS HERE TO HELP!

- You are not alone
- Our staff is here to listen, provide support, guidance and offer resources
- Assistance in filing for Crime Victims' Compensation
- Follow up by Purpose Over Pain weekday staff will be offered as needed
- Completely Confidential

We’re Here to Help YOU!