Proposed High School Update

I would like to thank everyone who attended the meeting Tuesday that took place at 12. To recap, Chicago Public Schools (CPS) presented their transition plan including the preliminary boundaries of the new National Teachers Academy (NTA) High School. It was wonderful to see engaged parents and students come out and advocate for their schools. Many 11th Ward parents also attended the meeting to advocate for a quality neighborhood high school. I encourage our NTA student to attend the meeting this Thursday, January 18th at 6:00 p.m. at the 9th District Police Station, 1230 S. Halsted St. to have an open dialogue about a secondary education option for 11th Ward residents.

Valentine Club Teen Council TODAY

Boys & Girls Clubs of Chicago Youth Employment Services Program will host an information session held in dialogue about a secondary education option for 11th graders this Thursday, January 18th at 6:00 p.m. at the 9th District Police Station, 1230 S. Halsted St. to have an open dialogue about a secondary education option for 11th Ward residents.

1st place (Top row): Samantha Falk, Maurya Babukow, Mia Babukow and Jennifer Falk, 2nd place (Bottom row): Lily Yocum, Katie Connolly, Vincent Conte and Tyler Moss.
6th Grade Age Division

1st place (Top row): Sabrina Wong, Alysson Ko, Olivia Ko, Rachel, Jane Sheldon and Place (Bottom Row): Natalie Swan, Vicki Manzi, Maurya Babukow and Anna Capornia.
7th Grade Age Division

Donovan Park Little Major League

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11th Ward Grammar School Volleyball Tournament

The 11th Ward sponsored its annual Girls Grammar School Volleyball Tournament for Junior Varsity, grades 3 and 6, and Varsity, grades 7 and 8, at Taylor-LaRidien Park located at 764 W. 42nd Street. Cook County Commissioner John F. Daley and 16 Ward Alderman Patrick J. Thompson are pleased to announce the winners from the varsity division: 1st Place—Mark Sheridan-8th Grade, 2nd Place—St. Gabriel, 3rd Place—Bridgeport Catholic Academy, 4th Place—Walsh School. MVP honors go to Olivia Hill from Mark Sheridan.

Alderman Thompson and I are grateful to the parents and coaches who assisted the children during the tournament. In addition, we thank the Chicago Park District for their efforts and cooperation, and our young players who continue to make us all proud and contribute to our church’s mission to make our neighborhood a better neighborhood.

January is National Blood Donor Month

With the frigid temperatures across the country, blood donations have been down. Please take time out this month and donate to help replenish the much needed supply.

95th Anniversary of Saint Jerome School Lion’s Roar

On Saturday, March 10, Saint Jerome School will celebrate its 95th Anniversary. The Lion’s Roar will be held at the Zhou-Ball Art Center, 1202 West 37th Street, from 6:30 – 11:30 pm. This fast-filled evening will include delicious food, great music, a silent auction and raffles with fabulous prizes. Tickets are $75.00 per person and are available at the school office -312-842-7666.

Three members of the Sisters Adorers of the Blood of Christ arrived in Chicago to open Saint Jerome School in 1922. Today, the spirit of those religious sisters continues in the hearts and endeavors of the lay faculty and staff. Just as it has been from the start, the main concern of Saint Jerome Catholic School is the overall wellbeing of each and every child placed in our care.

We are proud of the young people we have sent out into the world who carry their faith with them. We look forward to the years ahead, and to an even greater celebration of the school’s centennial.

St. Barbara BYOB Painting Party

St. Barbara’s Ladies Guild will be hosting a Saint Barbara Academy 4th Annual Lions Roar Benefit. We are proud of the young people we have sent out into the world who carry their faith with them. We look forward to the years ahead, and to an even greater celebration of the school’s centennial.

McKinley Park Development Council Meeting

McKinley Park Development Council extends an invitation to the January Meeting which will be held TONIGHT January 17th, from 7:30-8:30 pm.

The meeting will take place at the National Latino Education Institute, 112 West Pershing Rd.

Join the council for the first public meeting and help make McKinley Park an even better neighborhood.

Please contact Vanessa Godinez at 773-419-6005.

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Saint Gabriel School News

Congratulations to the following students who are pictured with St. Gabriel Principal, Mr. Steve Adams: Kyle Strong, Patrick McManus, Gabby Pena, Edith Lopez, Natalie Clemens, Sam Fahl, and Alexis Kaiko-Martinez who received letters from our Mayor Rahm Emanuel regarding Clean Energy Education. Students are currently studying these topics in Science and St. Gabriel School recently completed an installment of solar energy panels to address clean energy for the future. The Second Presbyterian Church’s Resale Shop Reopens

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Cherub Award at Saint Gabriel Parish

Saint Gabriel Parish is sponsoring the 16th Annual St. Gabriel Cherub Award Ceremony and dinner honoring people who have given of their time and talent to the benefit of St. Gabriel. The event will be held on Saturday, January 27, 2018 at St. Gabriel School Hall, 4508 South Wallace St., from 6 to 11 pm.

If your child has played baseball for the Little League in recent years, then you have first hand knowledge of the dedication of this winner of the Cherub Award. John Kozlar has been instrumental in guiding the growth of the Little League in Canaville for several years. If you do not have a child playing baseball, but you have passed by the Little League Park in the last couple of years, you have witnessed the beautification of a block of real estate dedicated to the children of St Gabriel and Canaville. John Kozlar has been the driving force behind the creation of this beautiful baseball field. We are grateful for John’s dedication to the children of St Gabriel and Canaville.

If you have attended the wonderful Christmas Eve Mass with St. Gabriel’s Children enactment of the Nativity, you have seen the work of Carol O’Connell. Carol is also the creative force behind the beautiful liturgy on Palm Sunday where the Passion of Jesus is enacted. Carol has directed both pageants for several years now. She gives several hours of her time rehasing with the school children to enhance the Christmas and Palm Sunday liturgies. Carol also volunteers as a lector and Eucharistic Minister and has worked on several fund raising efforts as well. St. Gabriel Parish is blessed to have Carol as a parishioner and we are grateful to her dedication to the parish and the church.

If you have ever attended one of the monthly meet­ings of the Canaville Vet’s or if you have ever attend­ed one of the moving Veterans ceremonies that you have encountered Tommy Russe. If you have wit­nessed the moving story of the Canaville veteran, or you may have seen Tom in action. Tom has been dedicated to honoring and assisting veterans in need for many years. We are grateful for Tommy and the CV-A and CVRA members dedication to St. Gabriel.

If you have attended St. Gabriel Christmas or Easter Light­ery celebrations, or if you have attended one of the choir concerts in recent months, then you have heard Herb Schellhase’s voice. Herb has been a dedicated member of St. Gabriel choir for many years. Herb has also worked at many of the choir fund rais­ing events. Herb is a kind and generous man and we are grateful for Herb’s dedication to St. Gabriel.

Join your family, friends, neighbors and fellow parish­ioners in honoring these four Cherubs at this special event. The Award Ceremony and Delicious Buffet Dinner will cost only $25.00 per ticket. For more information or to reserve tickets please call 773-246-0959.
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Applications for Admission to Namaste Charter School

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**Healthy Start Clinic at New Life**

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In light of this truth about God and the work of Jesus for us, New Life Community Church invites you to take a proactive step toward health and growth at our Healthy Start Clinic on **Saturday, January 20th**, from 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. at 3039 S. Normal Ave. Health screenings will be available as you interact with our two main service providers — Walgreens and ATI Physical Therapy.

The Walgreens Pop-Up Flu Shot Clinic provides trained staff who will administer flu vaccinations to eligible persons at low cost. (Flu vaccination are for those over 10 years old. With ID and proof of insurance the flu vaccination co-pay is usually free or at a minimal cost, without proof of insurance, the flu vaccination is $15.) Walgreens staff will be on hand to smooth the process for each patient.

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**Saint Barbara Open House**

Saint Barbara Catholic Elementary School is hosting an Open House on **Sunday, January 28**, from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

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