Like humility
generosity comes from
seeing that everything we have
and everything we accomplish
comes from God's grace and
God's love for us
Certainly it is from experiencing this
generosity of God
and the generosity of those in our life
that we learn gratitude and
to be generous to others

Desmond Tutu
Welcome to the Sheil Catholic Center at Northwestern University

If this is your first time worshiping with us, we welcome you and invite you to learn more about Sheil and the programs we have to offer, as well as, how to register and become involved in our faith community. Call us at 847-328-4648 or visit our website at sheilcatholiccenter.org.
Fr. Kevin Feeney, Director and Chaplain

UPCOMING EVENTS

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24**
5:30 p.m.  RCIA

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25**
5:00 p.m.  Mass
7:00 p.m.  Centering Prayer

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26**
5:00 p.m.  Mass
6:00 p.m.  CORE Seminar
6:00 p.m.  SSR Teacher Training

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27**
12:00 p.m.  Cheap Lunch
5:00 p.m.  Mass
5:30 p.m.  Eucharistic Adoration
       Resumes (5:30-8:00 p.m.)
7:00 p.m.  Six Weeks with the Word of God

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28**
8:30 a.m.  Centering Prayer
5:00 p.m.  Mass
8:00 p.m.  CaSA Kick-off Party

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29**
5:00 p.m.  Mass

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1**
Ministry Fair following all Masses
6:00 p.m.  The Great Spaghetti Dinner

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 2**
7:00 p.m.  Simpson Essay Presentation

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8**
10:45 a.m.  Sheil School of Religion pot luck & parents' meeting

PRESENTATION OF THE 2017 SIMPSON ESSAY
**MONDAY, OCTOBER 2**

All are invited to hear the 2017 Simpson Essay Prize winner Megan Angell ('19) present her essay, "Infinity, Mathematics, and God" on Monday, October 2 at 7:00 p.m. at the Sheil Catholic Center. A reception follows the presentation.
SIX WEEKS WITH THE
WORD OF GOD
YOUNG ADULT SCRIPTURE FAITH SHARING
AT SHEIL
Each session gives the opportunity for a personal encounter with Jesus in the Gospel of Matthew, open reflection on Scripture in the context of our lives, and a chance to grow in faith as disciples of Jesus Christ.

Wednesdays
September 27 - November 1
THE SHEIL SESSIONS WILL BE FACILITATED BY:
SHEIL GRADUATE STUDENT ANDREW STAWARZ
MEGAN CARROLL - A YOUNG ADULT FROM ST. CLEMENT,
SR. BELINDA MONAHAN, OSB
CINDY ULRICH - SHEIL ASSOCIATE
MARY DEELEY - PASTORAL ASSOCIATE
For young adults between the ages of 18-40

ACTIVITIES & MINISTRY FAIR
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1

The Sheil Activities & Ministry Fair is Sunday, October 1 following all Masses. Come see all that Sheil has to offer you. This is an opportunity to sign up for groups & ministries that allow you to share your time and talent. Become an active member of the Sheil community! You belong here.

GREAT SPAGHETTI DINNER
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1

Mark your calendars for the Annual Sheil Great Spaghetti Dinner. This meal has been a tradition since the 70's.

All are welcome! Bring your friends! $3 suggested donation. If you would like to help please contact Teresa Corcoran at t-corcoran@u.northwestern.edu.
CORE SEMINAR:
THE SACRAMENTAL LIFE 2017
Open to everyone

This CORE Seminar explores prayer and liturgy as gateways to God, and delves into the theology of the sacraments and types of prayer. The seminars are held weekly on Tuesdays beginning September 26 through November 8 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. (September 26, October 3, 17, 24, and November 7) Registration now open bit.ly/2w98fTk.

SHEIL ELECTIVE SEMINAR
JESUS IN THE GOSPELS
Open to everyone

For Christians, the Gospels hold a special place as the books which tell us most about what Jesus said and did in his 33 years of life. They also come at the subject from different perspectives. Each writer draws a picture of Jesus that emphasizes what the writer sees as important. For one it’s the connection between Jesus and Moses; for another, it’s the image of Jesus as the one who restores us; and still another latches on to Jesus as the Word (Logos) of God. This seminar will take a careful look at Jesus in each gospel, discuss what each one adds to our understanding, and what happens when we put them all together.

Seminar meets on Thursday: October 12, 19, 26, and November 2, from 6:45-8:00 p.m. Facilitated by Mary Deeley. This seminar is open to everyone. Free for Students. $5 for all others. Register at bit.ly/2wbQa33

CaSA Kick-Off Party
THURSDAY - SEPTEMBER 28
@ 8:00 p.m. A start to the year with food, games, and friends! We Are CaSA Catholic Students Association at Sheil Catholic Center Northwestern University
JOIN US ON OCTOBER 10 AND LEARN ABOUT CAREER OPPORTUNITIES IN SPORTS MANAGEMENT
RCIA 2017-2018 classes are underway and still accepting new members. Classes are held on Sundays at 5:30 p.m., facilitated by Sr. Belinda Monahan, OSB. If you are interested in the program, please contact Fr. Kevin at 847-328-4648 ext. 12.

RCIA is designed for adults who are not baptized in another faith or baptized in the Catholic Church, but with no further religious training or sacraments. RCIA offers a chance to learn more about the Catholic Church through scripture, teaching and discovering where God is present in your life. We will explore the Catholic tradition through scripture, sacraments, Church teaching, and social outreach in the context of the vibrant Catholic faith community of the Sheil Catholic Center at Northwestern University.

ARCHDIOCESAN FIREARMS POLICY

The Archdiocese of Chicago is committed to providing safe environments for the community. In the midst of a culture of violence, the Church is a staunch voice to call us to be a place of peace.

The Archdiocese has long had a best practice restricting the presence of firearms in our facilities. Most of our buildings display signage, consistent with the laws of the State of Illinois, indicating that these weapons are prohibited on the premises. Cardinal Cupich recently distributed a Policy aimed at updating and clarifying the Archdiocese’s position on the prohibition of firearms on all property it owns and controls.

The Archdiocese respects the Second Amendment to the United States Constitution and recognizes the right to lawfully possess a firearm for personal protection, hunting, or other sports. The Archdiocese has sought to balance the rights of all who visit our properties with the need to protect children, the elderly and other vulnerable populations. However, this Policy is rooted in the belief that our churches and community spaces are intended to be sacred sites where people come to gather, pray, and worship God. There are exceptions to this policy for law enforcement officers, and authorized security personnel.

For more information about this Policy, please visit archchicago.org.
Volunteers Needed for the Sheil Sunday Nursery

The Sheil Nursery offers parents the opportunity to worship in peace during the 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. Sunday Masses while leaving their small children in a safe, playful and comforting place.

The nursery is open to infants, toddlers and preschool children. It is supervised and staffed by Northwestern students and associate volunteers under the direction of Natalie Conrardy who began the nursery ministry 20 years ago.

We encourage parents to take advantage of this ministry and ask for student and associate volunteers to step forward to help.

If you would like to serve our community as a nursery volunteer please contact Natalie Conrardy at nlake@orthosns.com.

SSR Parent Pot Luck  
Sunday, October 8

Sheil School of Religion classes begin Sunday, October 8 at 10:45 a.m.

Parents whose children are enrolled in the program will have their kick-off meeting and pot-luck at that time.

This meeting is a wonderful way for parents to get to know one another and review the upcoming school year. Please contact Tim Higgins at t-higgins@u.northwestern.edu with questions.

Parking Tags Needed

Friends and neighbors, Sheil would appreciate your donations of any extra District A parking passes. As we all know Sheil's parking is limited. Thank you.

Readings for the Week

Sunday, September 24
Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Is 55:6-9; Phil 1:20c-24, 27a; Mt 20:1-16a

Monday, September 25
EzR 1:1-6; Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday, September 26
Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20; Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday, September 27
Memorial of Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest
EzR 9:5-9; Lk 9:1-6

Thursday, September 28
Hg 1:1-8; Lk 9:7-9

Friday, September 29
Feast of Saints Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael, archangels
Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12ab; Jn 1:47-51

Saturday, September 30
Memorial of Saint Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church
Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a; Lk 9:43b-45

Sunday, October 1
Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Ez 18:25-28; Phil 2:1-11 or Phil 2:1-5; Mt 21:28-32

Mass Intentions

Sunday, September 24
9:30 a.m.  Rosalinda Greeley
          Dominic Armocida
11:00 a.m. Mary Phenner

Sunday, October 1
9:30 a.m.  Very Rev. Msgr.
          Cornelius J. McGillicuddy
11:00 a.m. Dr. Dorothy White
The mission of the Sheil Catholic Center is to prepare disciples of all ages to lead lives of faith and reason, by together worshiping, learning, growing and serving the Northwestern community and beyond.