

US CATHOLIC CHURCH

- Catholic marriages are down 55% since 1990
- Baptisms went from 986,000 to 694,000 (-30%)
- 1 in 5 children baptized do not receive 1st communion
- 2 in 5 children baptized are not confirmed
- 85% of children confirmed stop practicing their faith by age 21
- Millennials are less religious than preceding generations

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO

- **27% Decline in Mass attendance:** 150,000+ fewer people attend Mass each Sunday compared to 20 years ago.
- **Significant population shifts:** Areas of Chicago that were once predominantly Catholic with a parish for each ethnic group now have fewer people and fewer Catholics but often the same number of facilities as in the past.
- **Fewer priests to serve our communities:** More than 160 priests will reach retirement age in the next decade with fewer priests being ordained per year (5-6 in each of the past two years) to replace them.
- **An aging infrastructure:** Many parishes are **significantly under-investing** in building repairs, leading to challenges with building upkeep that take time and resources away from ministry.
- **Insufficient resources to invest in ministry:** Over 40% of parishes in the archdiocese do not have a full-time staff member dedicated to ministry except for the priest.

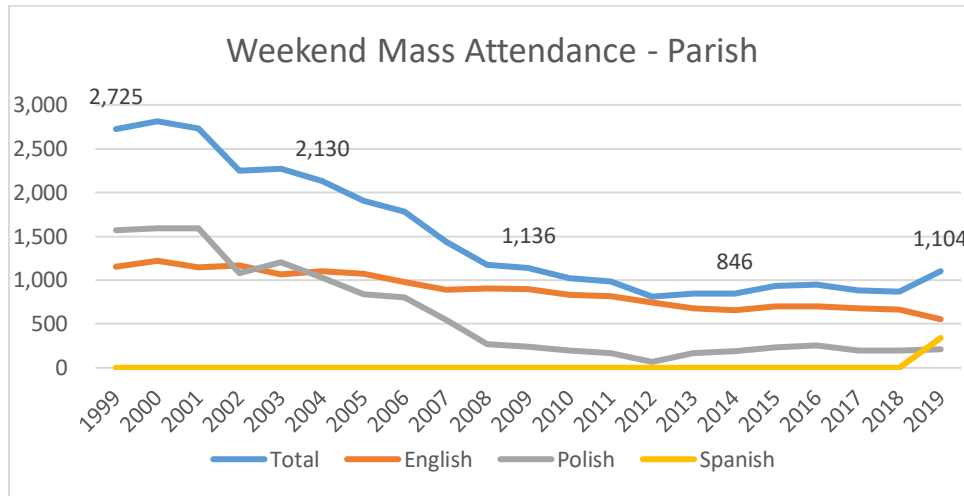
OUR PARISH GROUPING - St. Bruno Parish and School; St. Richard Parish and School

Local Area Demographic Notes

- St. Bruno and St. Richard share the same territory. St. Bruno was founded as a Polish national parish, and St. Richard is a territorial parish.
- The local area has been experiencing growth in total population, growing 7.8% between 2000 and 2010 and estimated to have grown 2.0% from 2010 to 2020.
- Persons identifying as Hispanic ethnicity represented 75% of the total population in 2010 and 78% in 2020.
- Languages spoken at home:

Language	Total Grouping Area
Speak only English	19%
Speak Spanish + Speak English well	55%
Speak Spanish + Speak English not well or not at all	13%
Speak Other European language (e.g., Polish) + Speak English well	5%
Speak Other European language (e.g., Polish) + Speak English not well or not at all	3%

ST. RICHARD PARISH



Parish Mass attendance:

- As reported in the annual October Count, weekend Mass attendance in 2019 was 59% lower than 1999, 3% lower than 2009, and 30% higher than 2014.
- The Spanish Mass was the largest contributor to the increase in 2019 vs. 2018.

Average attendance at each Mass (2019 compared to 1999):

October 2019	October 1999
Saturday, 4:30pm (English): 82	Saturday, 4:30pm (English): 288
Sunday, 6:45am (English): 30	Sunday, 7:00am (English): 139
Sunday, 8:00am (Polish): 210	Sunday, 8:30am (Polish): 590
Sunday, 9:30am (English): 252	Sunday, 10am (English): 403
Sunday, 11am (English): 192	Sunday, 11:30am (English): 323
Sunday, 12:30pm (Spanish): 339	Sunday, 1pm (Polish): 982

Sacraments and Funerals July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019

	Parish	Median in diocese (2018-19)	Highest 25% in diocese (2018-19)
Baptisms < 7 yrs. old	24	46	81
First Communion < 18 yrs.	38	46	82
Confirmations <18 yrs.	45	42	80
Weddings	5	8	15
Funerals	32	29	48

Financial information

- Reported financial results from the parish. Fiscal Year 2019 is July 1, 2018, to June 30, 2019 (not impacted by Covid). Fiscal Year 2020 is July 1, 2019, to June 30, 2020 (impacted by Covid).

Revenue item	FY2019 (pre Covid)	FY2020 (impacted by Covid)
Collections (Sunday, Holy Day, Christmas, Easter)	\$278,311	\$233,911
Total operating revenue (including collections, excluding rent)	\$321,653	\$287,545
Additional rental income	\$23,821	\$7,235

- Parish had \$569,560 on deposit with the archdiocesan bank as of December 31, 2020 and no debt.

School enrollment: 181 students in PreK through 8th grade in 2020-21. 223 students in 2019-20.