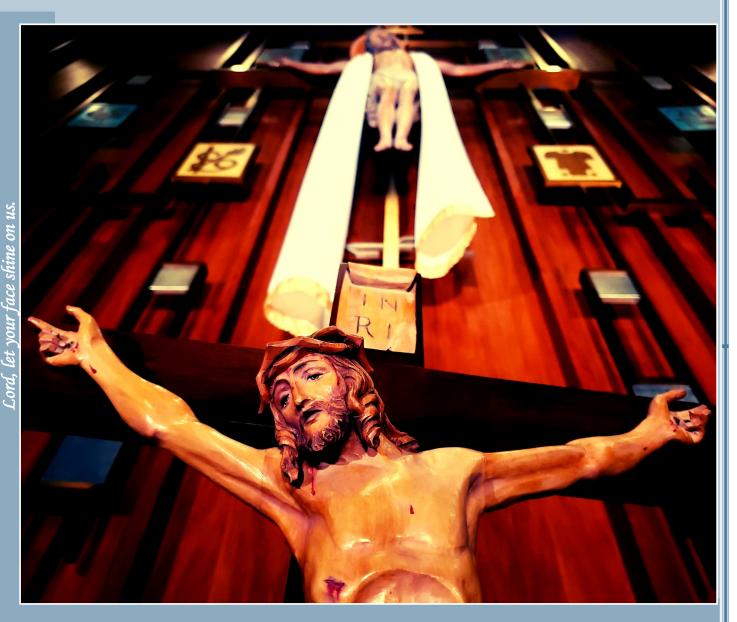
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April 14, 2024 - Third Sunday Of Easter



"The author of life you put to death, but God raised him from the dead; of this we are witnesses."

- Acts of the Apostles 3:15

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Contact Us

]: 773.775.3833

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: 7211 W. Talcott Avenue Chicago, IL. 60631

Monday-Friday: 9:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. Saturday: 9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. Sunday: Closed

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School Website: ■: www.iccowboys.net

⊠: parishoffice@icchicago.org

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Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday Vigil @ 5:00 P.M. Sunday Mass @ 8:30 A.M. Sunday Mass @ 10:30 A.M.* (*Our 10:30 A.M. Mass is also livestreamed)

Capacity limits have been lifted and reservations are no longer required. Masks are optional.

All are welcome!

Weekday Mass Schedule:

In-Person

Monday through Thursday @ 8:30 A.M. (Rosary Prayers & Chaplet of Mercy prayed after Weekday Masses)

(**Please note**: Friday daily Masses & First Friday Mass & Adoration temporarily suspended as of July 8th)

Online

Wednesdays @ 8:30 A.M. (School Mass) (Worship with us virtually on our Facebook Page or Twitch)

Confessions:

Sunday mornings from 9:30 A.M.-10:15 A.M. (offered every other Sunday)

(Special dates & times offered during Advent & Lent)

Baptisms:

2nd & 4th Sundays of each month @ Noon (except during Lent)

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Celebrating Family Mass @ IC With Our Altar Servers

On Sunday, March 10th, our Altar Servers hosted our 10:30 A.M. Family Mass, serving as lectors and bringing up the gifts during offertory time (in addition to their usual responsibilities assisting *Fr. Matt* during Mass.) In appreciation for their faithful service to our parish, *Fr. Matt* bestowed a special blessing on all servers present and treated each one to a baked good of their choice from our *St. Joseph Bake Sale* in the Vestibule of our Church after Mass concluded. (*Additional coverage from our St. Joseph Bake Sale is featured on page 8.*)



Please join us at our 10:30 A.M. Family Mass next **Sunday**, **April 21**st (with *Fr. Robert* presiding) as we celebrate our *IC Service Club Members*. A hospitality reception hosted by our *IC Service Club* will follow the conclusion of our Mass in the Vestibule of our Church.

All are welcome!

Curious About Alpha? A Peek Behind The Scenes

Vespers: Join Us In Prayer on Tuesdays @ 6:30 P.M.





Service Opportunity: IC Cares Day - April 20th

IC Parish & School Partner with Uncle Pete's Ministry

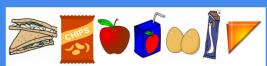


Uncle Pete's Ministry

To Help Feed Those In Need

WHO IS UNCLE PETE: Pete Zonsius, better known as 'Uncle Pete', was a long-time parishioner at St. John Brebeuf. He started a ministry to feed the less fortunate. He would load a van with bagged lunches and personally distribute them to those in need. When he passed away in 2012 at age 90, St. John Brebeuf parishioners continued his ministry, along with other parishes who have joined the efforts.

HOW DOES IT WORK: Lunch sacks and directions will be given out after masses on April 13 & 14. Return one or more filled sacks on Saturday, April 20 between 11:00AM and 1:00PM to volunteers stationed outside the IC cafeteria. Later that day, the sacks will be distributed to those in need.



If you would like to participate, fill the lunch sack with...

- 2 meat sandwiches (no condiments)
- Bag of chips
- Fruit (no bananas)
- Bottled water or juice box
- 2 hard boiled eggs (with shells)
- Candy bar or cookies
- Napkin

Event Details:
Return filled lunch sacks

April 20 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Drop off point: IC CAFETERIA

Scan to learn more about Uncle Pete's Ministry



Email Maggie Rahlfs @ byrnme10@gmail.com with questions

Next Weekend @ IC: IC School Band Fundraiser

Our IC School Band will be selling World's Finest Chocolate bars for \$1.00 after all Masses on Saturday, April 20th and Sunday, April 21st (while supplies last). The funds raised will help the band to fund band receptions, solo contest entries, and purchase year-end trophies! The bars come in caramel, milk chocolate with almonds, crisp, milk chocolate, dark chocolate, and wafer. We thank you in advance for your support!



Small Groups In Grades 4 Through 8

While all students in grades K-3 participate in Literacy Centers, students in grades 4-8 participate in small group assignments. These can include: Reading groups, Science activities, Math in small groups based on ability and Social Studies projects. Students also work in groups during STEM Lab and Music classes.

These smaller groups allow teachers to provide more one-to-one guidance and individualized feedback just like they receive in K-3. They also give teachers the ability to formatively assess each individual student.



























Please join our parish family in prayer ...



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For our faithful departed:

George A. Kaminski Patricia "Pat" Furgat Kathleen "Kay" Connolly



"Eternal rest grant unto them, Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them."



For those who serve our country:



U.S. Army - SSgt. John Francis Mikita, Sgt. Kevin Whalen, SSgt Martine Makita, Chris Dash, Pvt. Jason G. Cavanaugh, Major Christopher Walsh, Capt. Benjamin Monson, 1st Lt. Katherine D. Hartnett, SPC Michael J. Stone, Pvt. Charlie Cruz Pappas

U.S. Navy - CMDR Michael Brasseur, LCDR Christopher Jenkins, PO Thomas T. Tudisco, Ensign Marina J. Monacelli

U.S. Air Force - John Christopher Ocasio, Major Laurel Walsh, Major Paul H. Kolk, LT. COL. Michael O'Koniewski; Captain Colleen Bernal

U.S. Marines - PFC Sebastian L. Rivera, Jr., PFC Christopher Hughes, PFC Algene D. Porticos, LCpl Daniel Wieczorek, LCpl Luis A. Corea, LCPL Brian Mendoza

Please contact our Parish Office when these service people return home safely. If you are a veteran or know a veteran, the Archdiocese of Chicago has a website located at vets.archchicago.org that provides information that can be of assistance.



Mass Intentions: Sunday, April 14th through Sunday, April 21st

Sunday, April 14th - Third Sunday of Easter

5:00 P.M. (Saturday) — †Elizabeth Serafin; †Sr. Mary Pat Cummings (on her 3rd Anniversary); †James Nelson; †Joseph Imburgia; †Loretta Imburgia; and †Brian Patrick Masterson 8:30 A.M. — Kathy & Tom Pellegrini (Living)

10:30 A.M.—†The Deceased Members of The Furgat Family; †Giorgina Cozzo; †Francis & Moira Cross; Nicole Cimilluca (Living); and The People of the Parish

Monday, April 15th - Easter Weekday

8:30 *A.M.* – [†]Sophie Sikorski (on her 17th Anniversary); and Cele Malolepsy (Birthday)

Tuesday, April 16th - Easter Weekday

8:30 A.M. — †Fr. Philip McGlynn, OSM; †JoAnn Barder; and Claudine Merino (on her Birthday) (Living);

Wednesday, April 17th - Easter Weekday

8:30 A.M. — [†]Jadwiga (Sinicka) Rzepniewska (Birthday Remembrance); [†]Robert Donnelly; and Carol Moritz (on her Birthday) (Living)

Thursday, **April 18**th – *Easter Weekday* 8:30 A.M. – †Dr. James Schultz; and †Betty & Ann Griglak

Friday, April 19th - Easter Weekday

Saturday, April 20th - Easter Weekday

5:00 P.M.— †Dorel Morris; †Susie Dolezil-Masella; †Patrick Cahill; †Eddie Burke; †Connie Lynch; and †Michael B. Pandocchi

Sunday, April 21st – Fourth Sunday of Easter

(World Day of Prayer For Vocations)

8:30 A.M.- [†]Tom Kedzierski; and Mary Herward (on her Birthday) (Living)

10:30 A.M. — †Joseph & Arlene Rutterer; †Manuel Mendoza; †Brian Patrick Masterson; †Kathleen Connolly; †John Mulligan; †John & Mary Ann Beer; †Francis & Moira Cross; and The People of the Parish





Pope Tweet of the Week...

"The joy of the Gospel consists in this: that God loves us with tenderness and mercy. We are called to make this joyful message resound throughout the world, testifying to it with our lives.



May everyone discover the beauty of the love of God manifested in Jesus."

St. Joseph Bake Sale Wrap-Up: March 9th & 10th

To our wonderful bakers @ Immaculate Conception...

Thank you! Thank you for donating your time and talent to make our Bake Sale a success. Because of your generosity, we were able to make a sizable donation to Catholic Charities to assist them in their continued efforts working with immigrants & refugees. God bless you! We also extend our thanks to our entire IC community for kindly supporting our St. Joseph Bake Sale at all of our Masses throughout the



This Weekend @ IC: Support IC Class Of 2024

IC 8th Grade Fundraiser



Sunday, April 14, 2024 9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. **IC** West Lot

Archdiocese Of Chicago Vocation News:

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QUIGLEY DAYS

April 20, 2024 11 a.m. – 5 p.m.



High school age men are invited to join Fr. Tim and the seminarians for adoration at St. Alphonsus in Lakeview, followed by lunch and a Cubs baseball game at Wrigley Field!

Scan code to register, or contact Katie Hazen for more information at khazen@archchicago.org.



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During Holy Week, Fr. Matt welcomed many of the seminarians he has helped to train (as a teacher @ Mundelein Seminary) for a special dinner gathering (along with a few of his classmates & fellow priests.)

PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!

World Day of Prayer for Vocations Sunday, April 21

We see in Jesus, the Good Shepherd, the heart of every calling. Everyone is called, and everyone has a vocation in the Church. Please pray for an increase in vocations in the

Mass and Adoration with Bishop Mark Bartosic Friday, May 10, 5:30-7 p.m. **Holy Name Cathedral**

All are invited to pray for vocations and all those who will be ordained.

If you have questions regarding your vocation, please contact Fr. $\operatorname{\mathsf{Tim}}$ Monahan at 847.531.0148 or tmonahan@archchicago.org.

Ministry Schedules: Saturday, April 20th & Sunday, April 21st

	Saturday 5:00 P.M. Mass Fourth Sunday of Easter	Sunday 8:30 A.M. Mass Fourth Sunday of Easter	Sunday 10:30 A.M. Family Mass Fourth Sunday of Easter
Presiders	Fr. Michael Madigan, SPS	Fr. Robert Fedek	Fr. Robert Fedek
Lectors	S. Serb	D. Sebastian	Youth Lectors
Cantors	E. Doyle	Vocal Quartet & Violin	Choristers & Vocal Quartet
Extraordinary Ministers	E. Kinzie; S. Witz	L. Delana; A. Schnitzlein; D. Sebastian; D. Zamirowski	C. Kech; K. Sampey; K. Sanchez; S. Serb
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What's Happening @ IC...

Monday, April 15th -

10:00 A.M. - Monday Morning Bible Study: "The Acts of the Apostles"; RA

7:00-8:30 P.M. - Winter Alpha Monday Evening Session; RA

7:00-8:30 P.M. - Overtones Rehearsal; CH

Tuesday, April 16th -

6:30 P.M. – Easter Season Vespers Service; CH

Wednesday, April 17th -

8:30 A.M. - School Mass; CH

2:00-3:15 P.M. - IC Teacher Development Session (with Fr. Matt); RA

2:00-3:30 P.M. - Choristers Rehearsal; CH

4:00-5:00 P.M. - Religious Education Program Class; SC

7:00-9:00 P.M. – Parish Pastoral Council Mtg.; RA

Thursday, April 18th -

7:00-9:00 P.M. - School Board Mtg.; RA

Friday, April 19th -

8:15 P.M. – Men's Basketball; PC

Saturday, April 20th -

8:30-10:00 A.M. – Winter Alpha Saturday Morning Session; RA

11:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M. – IC Cares Day: Uncle Pete's Ministry; Café

3:00-9:00 P.M. - Cub Scout Camp-In Event; PC

(IC School Band Fundraiser: World's Finest Chocolate Sale @ 5:00 P.M. Mass; CH Vestibule)

Sunday, April 21st - Fourth Sunday of Easter

(IC School Band Fundraiser: World's Finest Chocolate Sale @ 8:30 & 10:30 A.M. Masses; CH Vestibule)

9:30-10:15 A.M. - Confessions; CH

10:30 A.M. – Family Mass (Hosted By: *IC Service Club*); CH (Hospitality Reception to follow afterward in CH Vestibule)

Your Gifts to God and Parish...

If you plan to move from our parish, please notify our Parish Office at least three months prior to your change of address. Also, if you will be away from home for more than 3 months, please contact us so that your envelopes can be stopped during that time period.

If you have transitioned to electronic giving and still receive offertory envelopes, please contact our Parish Office so that we can discontinue your receiving of envelopes.

Parish Registration: Please contact our Parish Office at 773.775.3833 or visit our parish website at www.icchicago.org to join our parish family.

Upcoming Bulletin Deadlines:

April 21st Bulletin submissions due: Friday, **April 12**th April 28th Bulletin submissions due: Friday, **April 19**th

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