

Welcome to  
*Immaculate Conception Parish*

*A Catholic Community Inviting People to Follow Christ*

*January 21, 2024 - Third Sunday In Ordinary Time*

*Teach me your ways, O Lord.*



*"Your ways, O Lord, make known to me;  
teach me your paths, guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God my savior."  
- Psalm 25:4-5*

*Love God • Serve Others • Make Disciples*

Contact Us

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Parish Office Hours:

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

Parish Website:

🌐: [www.icchicago.org](http://www.icchicago.org)

School Website:

🌐: [www.iccowboys.net](http://www.iccowboys.net)

Social Media



Facebook:

View our Masses, connect with fellow parishioners, and access exclusive articles and content. Simply search “**Immaculate Conception Parish Chicago (Talcott)**” and request to join our online community.

Twitch:

Membership-free platform where all are welcome to view our Masses and access content.

Visit us at [www.twitch.tv/icchicago](http://www.twitch.tv/icchicago)



Mass and Sacrament Schedule

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 8<sup>th</sup>)**

*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:

2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of each month @ Noon  
*(except during Lent)*

Donate

Church & Special Collections:

Interested in supporting our parish, specific ministries and projects?

Please consider giving online at Give Central:  
[www.givecentral.org/location/349](http://www.givecentral.org/location/349)

Offertory envelopes can also be mailed in or dropped off at our Parish Office.

Scan the QR Code below:

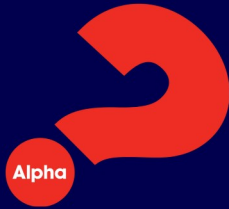


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Join Us For Our Winter Session Of Alpha @ IC

This Weekend @ IC: Family Mass

explore  
life  
faith  
meaning



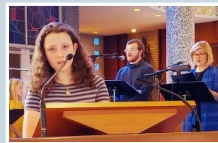
NEW  
SESSIONS  
START  
FEBRUARY  
3RD & 5TH!

Learn more at [icchicago.org/connect/alpha](http://icchicago.org/connect/alpha)



Family Mass

10:30 A.M.  
Sunday,  
January 21st



Please join us at our 10:30 A.M. Family Mass **this Sunday, January 21st** (with *Fr. Robert* presiding) as we celebrate our *IC Choristers & Athletics Program*. Our Choristers will join together with our Vocal Trio to lead our congregation in song. A hospitality reception hosted by our *IC Athletics Program* will follow the conclusion of our Mass in the Vestibule of our Church.

All are welcome and encouraged to join us!

*IC Art & Environment Team: Seeking Volunteers*

Dear IC Parishioners,

We are in need of energetic volunteers to assist with our Art and Environment team. We currently have an active group of approximately 6 people. Our team normally convenes during Advent (prior to Christmas) and during Holy Week (prior to Easter) to help us beautify and transform our Church to enhance our worship during these special liturgical seasons.

Attributes desired:

- A passion for creativity and problem-solving
- Teamwork skills to navigate the challenges of set-up & clean-up efficiently
- Ability to lift up to 25 pounds (as needed)
- Use of ladders to put up and take down decorations and lighting (as needed)

If this sounds like a good fit for you, please contact **Scott Will** at [swill@icchicago.org](mailto:swill@icchicago.org) or call our Parish Office at 773.775.3833. Thank you in advance for your consideration.  
Scott Will, *Director of Worship*

Immaculate Conception Parish

**VOLUNTEERS  
NEEDED**

Join Our  
Art &  
Environment  
Team



Interested? Please Contact:  
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ICPC School Fundraiser: Support IC

Celebrate Catholic Schools Week; Join Us For Our Open House

You're invited to a  
**Portillo's**  
FUNDRAISER

*Eat Portillo's and give back.*  
*Come join us!*  
*Keep 20% of the Proceeds*

Join us at Portillo's for a fundraiser to support:  
**Immaculate Conception School**

<p>When: <b>January 25, 2024</b> 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM</p>	<p>at the Portillo's located at: <b>7308 W. Lawrence Ave.</b> Harwood Heights, IL</p>
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20% of sales will benefit your organization. Order online or in app for pickup using code **PORTILLOS46** before checkout in the "Apply Offer" field, or show this flyer or a digital version to cashier when ordering at the restaurant. Valid on drive thru, pickup, curbside, and in restaurant orders.

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For online/app orders to qualify for the fundraiser, orders must be placed for pickup only, from the participating restaurant, on the fundraiser date and during the listed fundraiser hours. Gift card purchases, delivery orders, and orders placed on the third party websites are excluded from the fundraiser. Online ordering subject to availability. \$200 minimum fundraising sales required for the organization to receive donation. Cannot be combined with other offer codes.

**Immaculate Conception School**  
Providing excellence in Catholic education since 1910  
We welcome students in preschool through 8th grade.

**Catholic Schools**  
United in Faith and Community

**Open House**  
Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup> 11:30 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.  
[www.iccowboys.net](http://www.iccowboys.net)

Join us for Mass @ 10:30 A.M. followed by our School Open House as we celebrate the beginning of Catholic Schools Week @ IC!

Next Weekend @ IC: Health Screenings

IC Intercessory Prayer Team



Stroke Scan Plus will be hosting a Stroke, Vascular & Abdominal Ultrasound Screening at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church on Saturday, January 27, 2024.

**They will check the Carotid Arteries on both sides of the neck for fatty plaque build-up which accounts for 80% of all strokes. They check the Abdominal Aorta which is the main Artery off the Heart for Aneurysms, the Thyroid which controls the Metabolism for cyst, nodules and enlargements, the Liver, Gallbladder and both Kidney's for cyst, masses, fluid build-up and tumors.**

These screenings are NOT typically performed at annual physicals, nor will insurance companies pay for them unless you are symptomatic. Collectively, these screenings cost thousands in a hospital. Stroke Scan will be offering them to you for \$169 for all 7 combined. Health/Flex Savings Accounts are accepted. A representative will be visiting IC on the weekend of January 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> to answer questions and for pre-registration. Payment isn't due until the day of screening. **Prevention is the KEY to early detection.**



As always, our Intercessory Prayer Group is available by the quiet room after all our Weekend Masses. Please allow them to pray with you, or for you, if you have the need.



*Mrs. Tom's 3-Year-Old Preschool Class*

On Wednesday, January 10<sup>th</sup>, our preschool children attended our 8:30 A.M. School Mass with the rest of our student body. We sat with our 4<sup>th</sup> grade buddies from *Mrs. Deadwyler's* class, and did a great job of sitting quietly and listening to *Fr. Matt*. Our older students provided a wonderful example of what to do and how to behave while in Church. They showed the younger ones how to walk quietly and respectfully when entering for Mass, as well as how to genuflect before entering and when exiting the pew. We will be attending Mass once a month for the remainder of our school year.

Once our School Mass concluded, we enjoyed having our buddies join us in our classroom for a snack and some playtime. It was a lot of fun sharing our toys and showing the big kids what we do in preschool. - *Eileen Tom*



*Ms. Drougas' 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Class*

Our 6<sup>th</sup> grade students (*Canterbury House*) enjoyed their first 'buddy day' in Church with *Mrs. Vitellaro's* 4-year-old preschool class. *Canterbury House* did a great job helping out their buddies in Church and making snowmen with them afterwards! I am so proud of how helpful, polite, and kind they are to our Pre-K students!



*Please join our parish family in prayer ...*

*For those who are sick;*



Nick Abbamonte  
 Mina Acevedo  
 Tom Altman  
 Paul Amandes  
 Amelia Aquino  
 Arnold B.  
 Robert Behrman  
 Sonia M. B.  
 Roberta Berger  
 Arlene Lacey Beyna  
 Grace Cabiao  
 Vince Caeti  
 Mary Cali  
 Juanita Camacho  
 Donna Chaplin  
 Truman Collins  
 James Covello  
 Ronnie Cunningham  
 Joe Day  
 Paige Dicks  
 Maria DiMaria  
 Emily Divarco  
 Eric Dulce  
 Lilia Dulce  
 Elizabeth Felix  
 Patrick Fisher  
 Richard Flanagan

Brooke Foreman  
 Nicholas Frank  
 Patricia Furgat  
 Lila Gehner  
 Joan Geiger  
 Gloria Hernandez  
 Ofelia Hernandez  
 Katie Huber  
 Judy Hull  
 Mary Ann Hurtig  
 Kevin Jaburek  
 Vivian Jester  
 Margaret Joyce  
 Wayne Kinzie, Sr.  
 Donna Kirk  
 Craig Kloss  
 Ronald Kogol  
 Lillian Kohut  
 Katherine Kreuser  
 Anthony LaPash  
 Dawn LaVeau  
 Florencia Silva Lucas  
 Sean Lucas  
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 Benny Martinez  
 Edwin Martinez  
 Frank Martinez

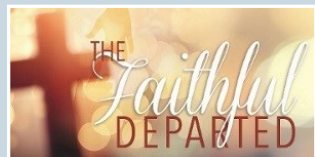
Elsa Mazzoni  
 Jeff McBride  
 Mary McGrath  
 Nikki Mendoza  
 Pat Miaso  
 Gerry Michalek, Jr.  
 Helen Michalek  
 Ledoina Monacelli  
 Marta Morales  
 Deacon Rick Moritz  
 Veronica Murillo  
 Mike Murphy  
 Timothy Murray  
 Brendan Nelson  
 Barb Neustadt  
 Phillip Nuccio  
 John O'Brien  
 Jackie O'Koniewski  
 David Olson  
 Camille Pavlis  
 Elaine Pellegrinetti  
 Ashton Peterson  
 Leo Pfest  
 Paul Posch  
 Mary Potwora  
 Baby Fiona Prades  
 Joe Rispoli

Pia Rizza  
 Sherry Rock  
 David Rodriguez  
 Cindy Rupp  
 Milagros C. San Juan  
 Carole Skorey  
 Edward Stanczyk  
 Jack Stewart  
 Bill Story  
 Julie Szvedo  
 Alma T.  
 Donna Tisdale  
 Beckie Tomala  
 Steven P. Trifilio  
 Mary Ellen Vanderman  
 Louis Ward  
 Miss Westhoff  
 Rita Zambon  
 Jerry Zschach  
 Nancy Zschach

*\*Newly Added*

*For our faithful departed:*

Patrick John Gamboney  
 Benjamin Haro  
 Maureen "Moe" Digan  
 Sr. Marilyn Grabarczyk, C.R.



*"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, 1<sup>st</sup> 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 Wiczorek, 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](http://vets.archchicago.org) that provides information that can be of assistance.



*Mass Intentions:  
Sunday, January 21<sup>st</sup>  
through  
Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup>*

**Sunday, January 21<sup>st</sup> - Third Sunday In Ordinary Time**

5:00 P.M. (Saturday) - †Dorel Morris; †Patrick Cahill; and †Mary Catherine "Katie" Kelly (on her 8<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)

8:30 A.M. - †Joseph Saccomonto

10:30 A.M. - †Jack & Minnie Simone; †Manuel Mendoza; †Deacon Zeferino Ochoa; †Francis & Moira Cross; Daniel Murphy (Living); Dave Krick (Living) (For Healing); and The People of the Parish

**Monday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> - Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children**

8:30 A.M. - †All Aborted Babies

**Tuesday, January 23<sup>rd</sup> - Saint Vincent, Deacon and Martyr; Saint Marianne Cope, Virgin**

8:30 A.M. - †Michael Ewert; and †James Cuny

**Wednesday, January 24<sup>th</sup> - Saint Francis de Sales, Bishop, Religious Founder and Doctor**

8:30 A.M. - †Agnes Ghidara (Birthday Remembrance); Special Prayer Intention of Sr. Christine Maria, C.R. (Living); and Boswell & Bridget Gonsalves (on their 38<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary) (Living)

**Thursday, January 25<sup>th</sup> - The Conversion of Saint Paul, Apostle**

8:30 A.M. - †Paddy Cunningham; †Margaret Pryma (on her Anniversary); †Kenneth Luedtke; †Ros Merino (on his 13<sup>th</sup> Anniversary); and †Irena Kierznowska (on her 5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)

**Friday, January 26<sup>th</sup> - Saint Timothy and Saint Titus, Bishops**

**Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup> - Saint Angela Merici, Virgin**

5:00 P.M. - †Dan Kosiba; and Michael Eichberger (Living)

**Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup> - Fourth Sunday In Ordinary Time (National Catholic Schools Week Begins)**

8:30 A.M. - †Henry & Marie Barwig

10:30 A.M. - †Joseph Svoboda; †Maria Martino; †Francis & Moira Cross; and The People of the Parish



January 21<sup>st</sup> through January 27<sup>th</sup>  
Our Sanctuary Lamp is burning this week for the repose of the souls of  
**All Aborted Babies**  
Requested By: Erma Kinzie

January 21<sup>st</sup> through January 26<sup>th</sup>  
Our Blessed Mother Votive is burning this week for the prayer intention of  
**Brooke Foreman**  
(Daughter of Jennifer (Zyks) & Jeremy Foreman)  
Requested By: Ray & Jan Ehrlich

January 21<sup>st</sup> through January 26<sup>th</sup>  
Our St. Joseph Votive is burning this week for the repose of the soul of  
**Ros Merino**  
(on his 13<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)  
Requested By: Erma Kinzie

**Pope Tweet of the Week...**

*"The Lord does not want superficial "followers". He wants people who question themselves and let themselves be challenged by His Word. So, to be Jesus' disciples, we must first of all seek Him and keep our hearts open and searching, never satiated or satisfied."*



IC HNMC Annual Super Bowl Party

Next Weekend: Second Collection



**New!!!!**  
Nacho  
Chili Bar

**Immaculate Conception Holy Name Men's Club 2024 Super Bowl Party**

**Where:** Immaculate Conception School at Father Eric Meyer Parish Center ~ 7271 W. Talcott Ave.

**When:** Sunday, February 11, 2024 ~ Doors open at 3pm

**Party Cost:** Admission is \$50 per person  
**Admission includes:** entry into door raffle prize, snacks, a full buffet-style dinner at half-time, desserts, and screens to watch the game.

**Drinks:** Alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks throughout the night **included with admission**

**This year's Grand Raffle Prizes are great:**

**\$10.00 for each Super Bowl Raffle ticket!**

- 1<sup>st</sup> prize ~ Dell Touch Laptop ~ 15.6 ~ 256GB ~ carbon black
- 2<sup>nd</sup> prize ~ Apple iPad ~ 10.2 screen ~ 256GB ~ space grey
- 3<sup>rd</sup> prize ~ LG 65" Smart LED 4k UHD TV
- 4<sup>th</sup> prize ~ \$250 Lottery Scratch-off tickets (5 - \$50)
- 5<sup>th</sup> prize ~ HP 14" Chromebook Laptop ~ modern grey
- 6<sup>th</sup> prize ~ Beats Noise Cancelling Earbuds ~ white



**The family/person with the most raffle tickets sold by February 2<sup>nd</sup>, will receive \$100!**

**Raffle Ticket Information!!!**

Raffle Tickets can be purchased or returned at the **Rectory, School or at the front door of the event.** Please pay by cash or check made out to the "IC Holy Name Men's Club". Tickets may be purchased online (look at fast direct or constant contact).

**Raffle Prizes will be pulled during the game!**

All proceeds benefit Immaculate Conception School and Parish.



**Volunteers Needed!!!**

To make this event a success, we need the following: **volunteers to sell raffle tickets, to help set-up Saturday before the event, work the front door on Sunday, clean up after the party and donations for door prizes.**

If you are able to help or have any questions, please contact: Tim Koncel @ 773.208.7676 or email at [tkoncel@gmail.com](mailto:tkoncel@gmail.com)



Next weekend, we will take up the Collection for the Church in Latin America. For many in Latin America and the Caribbean, a rising secular culture, difficult rural terrain, and a shortage of ministers all present obstacles to practicing the faith. Your support for the collection provides lay leadership training, catechesis, priestly and religious formation, and other programs to share our Catholic faith with those who long to hear the Good News of Christ. To learn more about how your gifts make a difference, visit [www.usccb.org/latin-america](http://www.usccb.org/latin-america).



**Leave Your Legacy Through A Bequest...**

As we begin the New Year, please consider one of the greatest acts of stewardship an individual can make by including a gift to our parish in your will or trust.

Please consult an attorney and financial advisor when drafting your will or trust. For sample bequest language, please contact **Vince Kennedy** at 773.775.3833 EXT. 106 or via email at [vkennedy@archchicago.org](mailto:vkennedy@archchicago.org).

IC Holy Name Men's Club Super Bowl Raffle Tickets will be available for purchase in our Church Vestibule on the weekends of February 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> as well as on February 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>.



IC MINISTRY NEWS

IC Minister Of Care Holy Communion Homebound Visits



On Sunday, January 14<sup>th</sup> at our 8:30 A.M. Mass, Jackie Campbell, Connie Gronck, Nancy Kanoon, Claudia Kech, Don Sebastian, Irene Suarez, Carmen Warfield, & Maureen Zizzo all received a special blessing and were mandated as a Minister of Care at Immaculate Conception Parish by Fr. Matt, as witnessed by our IC parish family. With

grateful hearts, we thank them for their dedicated service to our IC community (along with Nancy Kremer, Mario Orrico, Mary Parrilli, Joan Smuda, & Steven Trifilio, who also serve IC as Ministers of Care but were regrettably unable to join us this past Sunday due to prior commitments.)

My dear Brothers and Sisters:

The reception of Holy Communion at home, by any sick and homebound parishioner who is unable to attend church services, is a special blessing and a sign of support and concern shown by the Christian community of IC Parish. This home visit by an IC trained and mandated Minister of Care, represents Christ's presence and manifests faith and charity on behalf of the whole community toward those who cannot be present at Mass to receive the Eucharist.

Arrangements can be made according to the specific needs of the individual requesting the visit and can be scheduled on a weekly basis (or as needed.) This Ministry of Care home visit to distribute Holy Communion, is a service provided by IC and is available upon request made to our IC Parish Office.

If you would like to receive Holy Communion at home for yourself or for a relative or loved one who is unable to attend Mass at IC, please contact our IC Parish Office at 773.775.3833. You may also contact Deacon Ronald Gronck directly via email: [jmjdeacon@aol.com](mailto:jmjdeacon@aol.com)

Respectfully your brother in Christ,  
Deacon Ronald J. Gronck (IC Ministry of Care Coordinator)



(From Left:) Deacon Ron Gronck, Don Sebastian, Maureen Zizzo, Fr. Matt, Claudia Kech, Carmen Warfield, Jackie Campbell, Connie Gronck, Irene Suarez, & Nancy Kanoon

Ministry Schedules: Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup> & Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup>

	Saturday 5:00 P.M. Mass	Sunday 8:30 A.M. Mass	Sunday 10:30 A.M. Mass
Presiders	Fr. Robert Fedek	Fr. Robert Fedek	Fr. Bill Sheridan
Lectors	E. Kinzie	D. Sebastian	J. Campbell & Youth Lector
Cantors	E. Doyle	Vocal Trio	Vocal Trio
Extraordinary Ministers	S. Witz; R. Altman	M. Dosek; D. Zamirowski; C. Mulligan; D. Sebastian	R. Siciliano; K. Sanchez; K. Sampey; N. Kanoon
Altar Servers	T. Cox; G. Hoffman; P. Beckman	J. Galeno; K. Catomer; B. Yak	S. Eaglin; N. Eaglin; S. Borowski

**Our Parish Staff:****Fr. Matthew Heinrich, Pastor****Fr. Robert Fedek, Weekend Assistant****Deacon Rick & Carol Moritz****Deacon Ronald & Connie Gronek****Vincent Kennedy, Director of Operations****Scott Will, Director of Worship****Melissa Anna, Office Administration & Communications/  
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**What's Happening @ IC...****Monday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> -**

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

**Wednesday, January 24<sup>th</sup> -**

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

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

4:00-5:00 P.M. - Religious Education Class (except Grade 2); SC

6:30-8:00 P.M. - ICPC Used Uniform Sale; Café

7:00-8:00 P.M. - 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Parent Sacramental Mtg.; Zoom

7:30-9:00 P.M. - IC Athletic Committee Mtg.; NWCR

**Thursday, January 25<sup>th</sup> -**

6:30-8:30 P.M. - Cub Scout Derby Weigh-In; PH

**Friday, January 26<sup>th</sup> -**

6:30-8:30 P.M. - IC Teen Club Mtg.; RA

8:00 P.M. - Men's Basketball; SG

**Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup> -**

9:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M. - Stroke Scan Plus Screening; RA

11:00 A.M.-2:00 P.M. - Cub Scout Pinewood Derby Race Day; PH/Café

*(Alpha Recruitment Weekend: Witness Talk @ 5:00 P.M. Mass/Alpha Team**Members In CH Vestibule After Mass)***Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup> - Catholic Schools Week Begins***(Alpha Recruitment Weekend Witness Talks @ 8:30 & 10:30 A.M. Masses/Alpha**Team Members In CH Vestibule After Mass)*

11:30 A.M.-1:00 P.M. - School Open House; SC

11:30 A.M.-1:00 P.M. - Evangelization Team Mtg.; RCR

**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](http://www.icchicago.org) to join our parish family.

**Bulletin Deadline:** The deadline for all bulletin submissions is Friday - 8 days prior to the Sunday it will appear.

Bulletin submissions are accepted via email at:  
**[parishbulletin@icchicago.org](mailto:parishbulletin@icchicago.org)**

*Why Do We Do That? Catholic Life Explained:*

**Does God Forgive Abortion?...**

**Question:**

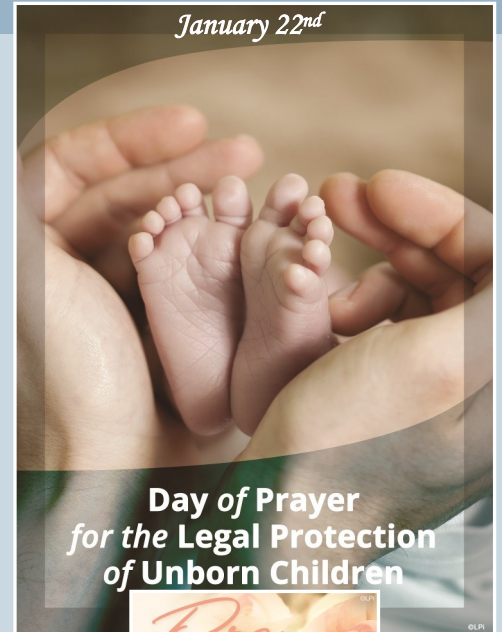
Can a person (the mother, father, or provider) ever be forgiven for an abortion?

**Answer:**

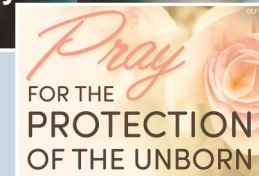
For people of faith, any conversation of human sinfulness should always lead us to reflect on God's loving mercy. Because God's mercy is greater than any sin, the Church is clear that even those involved in the sin of abortion can be reconciled with God and the Church. To help make this grace more available through the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Pope Francis extended the permission to absolve someone of the sin of abortion to all priests in 2016.

Even with the grace and blessings of the Sacrament of Reconciliation, the tragedy of abortion and the aftermath of abortion takes a toll on everyone involved. Ministries of outreach and support, such as Project Rachel, offer pastoral counseling, support groups, retreats, and other forms of care. As Christians, we are also called to help promote this healing and reconciliation in all its forms. To learn more, visit [www.hopeafterabortion.com](http://www.hopeafterabortion.com).

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**Day of Prayer  
for the Legal Protection  
of Unborn Children**



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