Welcome to

Immaculate Conception Parish

A Catholic Community Inviting People to Follow Christ

March 16, 2025 - Second Sunday Of Lent



"From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard: This is my beloved Son, hear him."
- Matthew 17:5

Love God • Serve Others • Make Disciples

he Lord is my light and my salvation.

Contact Us

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: 7211 W. Talcott Avenue Chicago, IL. 60631

: parishoffice@icchicago.org

Parish Office Hours:

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

Closed Sunday:

Parish Website:

■: www.icchicago.org

School Website:

■: www.iccowboys.net

Social Media



Facebook: **Immaculate Conception Parish** Chicago (Talcott)



Twitch: www.twitch.tv/icchicago



YouTube: www.youtube.com/@ICChicagoChurch



Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday Vigil @ 5:00 P.M. Sunday Mass @ 8:30 A.M. Sunday Mass @ 10:30 A.M.*

Weekday Mass Schedule:

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

Wednesdays @ 8:30 A.M. (School Mass*)

(*Livestreamed)

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)

Donate

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Join Us As We Honor St. Joseph @ IC..

Next Weekend @ IC: Family Mass



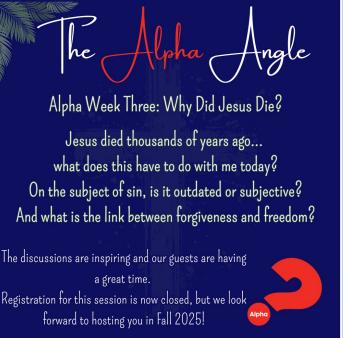
ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

OCIA: Rite Of Enrollment

This **Sunday, March 16**th we will celebrate the *Rite of Enrollment* for our Catechumens: *Matia Chemngoren, Nicole Brainen,* and *Tawny Pyszka* and our Candidates: *Meredith Card* and *Zachary Carmen,* currently in our *Order of Christian Initiation of Adults* (OCIA) Process at our **10:30 A.M. Mass.**

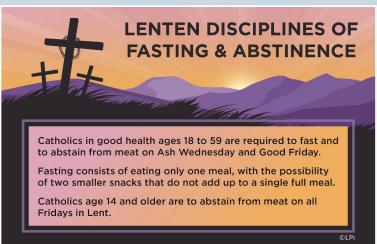
Please join us as we continue our journey toward full initiation of our Catechumens and Candidates into our Catholic faith and please continue to pray for *Matia, Nicole, Tawny, Meredith* and *Zach*.

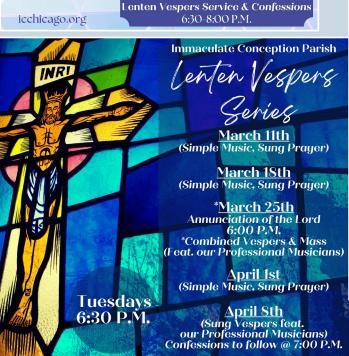




Journey With Us This Lenten Season @ IC: Opportunities For Prayer & Reconciliation...



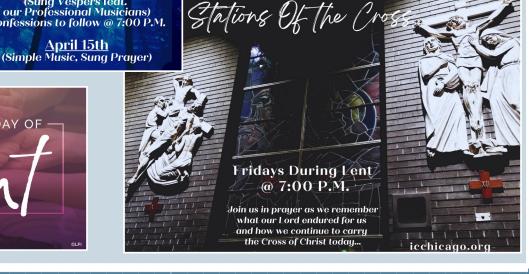






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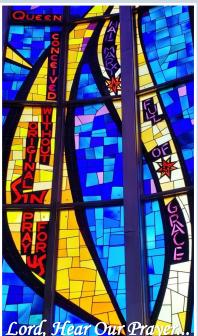
IC School Boosterthon

On Thursday, February 27th, Immaculate Conception School held our annual fundraiser, *Boot Scootin' Boogie*, which earned our school over \$66,000! This year's fundraiser is going towards school security. Students in 3-Year-Old Preschool through 8th Grade ran laps in our Parish Center as part of the event and we received donations from people living in 32 different states and 7 countries. Thank you to all our IC families for making our Boosterthon a huge success!





Please join our parish family in prayer ...



Mina Acevedo Tom Altman Paul Amandes Arnold B. Diane Ballog Deborah Barnum Annie Beckman Robert Behrman Sonia M. B. Roberta Berger Michael Berry Grace Cabiao Mary Cali Juanita Camacho Jackie Campbell Donna Chaplin Truman Collins James Covello Ronnie Cunningham Joe Day Paige Dicks Emily Divarco Barbara Donnelly Jack Donnelly Eric Dulce Lilia Dulce Alicia Enriquez Fr. Neil Fackler

For those who are sick:

Elizabeth Felix **James Ference** Patrick Fisher Richard Flanagan John Fleming Brooke Foreman Nicholas Frank Sai Garcia Ioan Geiger Carol Grams Gloria Hernandez Ofelia Hernandez Katie Huber **Judy Hull** Mary Ann Hurtig Kevin Jaburek Vivian Jester Tommy Kesling Gail Kinzie Donna Kirk Craig Kloss Ronald Kogol Lillian Kohut Katherine Kreuser Zachary Lacey Dawn LaVeau Bob Leck Dave Liebhart

Eileen Liebhart Florencia Silva Lucas Sean Lucas Nathan Maisel Aida Makrinski Luciana Maugeri Giorgio Marconi Traci Marconi Benny Martinez Edwin Martinez Frank Martinez Elsa Mazzoni Jeff McBride Mary McGrath Nikki Mendoza Pat Miaso Gerry Michalek, Jr. 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

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For our faithful departed:

Mary Ann Porcelli (Mother of Rosalia, John, Frances, Antoinette, Louis, Phyllis, & Vincent)
Deborah "Debbie" Maria Maisel (Mother of Brian & Kevin)

Eddy Nosalik Linda Mancini Denise Lenkowski (Wife of Robert) Amelia Aquino



"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, CDR Christopher Jenkins, PO Thomas T. Tudisco, LTJG 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; SSgt. Bryan H. O'Koniewski

U.S. Marines - PFC Sebastian L. Rivera, Jr., PFC Christopher Hughes, PFC Algene D. Porticos, LCpl Daniel Wieczorek, Cpl 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, March 16th through Sunday, March 23rd

Sunday, March 16th - Second Sunday Of Lent

5:00 P.M. (Saturday) — †Diane Sprincz (on her 4th Anniversary); †Carm Schillinger (on her 4th Anniversary); †Lillian Smuda; †Marty Hegarty; †Michael Kopko; †Antoni Zambrzycki (on his Anniversary); †Barbara Ruffetti; †Tony & Carol Colamonico (Living); and James Abraham (on his 7th Birthday) (Living)

8:30 A.M. — *Poor Souls In Purgatory

10:30 A.M. — †Fr. Bob Crossmyer, C.P. (on his 1st Anniversary); †Malachy & Ina Casey; †Marty Hegarty; †Filippo Sperandeo; †Claudia Kech: †Pat Furgat: †Francis & Moira Cross; and The Peor

[†]Claudia Kech; [†]Pat Furgat; [†]Francis & Moira Cross; and The People of the Parish

Monday, March 17th - Saint Patrick, Bishop

8:30 A.M. – [†]Terry Rutkowski; [†]Ronald Rutkowski; [†]Thomas Flanagan; [†]Marty Hegarty; and [†]Tracy Reppen

Tuesday, March 18th - Saint Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

8:30 A.M. - *Marty Hegarty

Wednesday, March 19th - Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 A.M. — [†]Nicholas P. Vittore (on his 1st Anniversary); [†]Theresa Tufano; [†]Danny Gillespie; [†]James J. Boyle; and [†]Mary Kelly 6:00 P.M. — [†]Joe Rispoli; [†]Rose Mattio; and [†]Marty Hegarty

Thursday, March 20th - Lenten Weekday

8:30 A.M. — [†]Vanessa Heckman (Birthday Remembrance); [†]Daniel Clavette (on his 2nd Anniversary); [†]John E. Pastwa; and [†]Marty Hegarty

Friday, March 21st - Lenten Weekday

Saturday, March 22nd - Lenten Weekday

5:00 P.M.—†Brian Masterson; †Jozef Papuga; †Marty Hegarty; †Giorgina Cozzo (on her 1st Anniversary); †Tony & Carol Colamonico (Living); and The Cozzo Family (Living)

Sunday, March 23rd - Third Sunday of Lent

8:30 A.M.- [†]Stefania & Walenty Poniecki; [†]Jose & Laura Aliseda; and [†]Ambrose Kelly

10:30 A.M. — †Alex & Edelia Covello; †Brian Robert Ruehl; †Joseph Ryder; †David Urban; †Eileen Pokornik; †Marty Hegarty; †Heidi Roldan Holt; †Ramona Baiocchi; †Patrick & Kathleen Byrne; †Pat Furgat; †Francis & Moira Cross; †Claudia Kech; and The People of the Parish





Our Mass is a beautiful celebration of Christ's love for us, so what better way to honor cherished friends & family members than to have a Mass offered in their name.



To request a Mass Intention for a living or deceased loved one, please contact our Parish Office @ 773.775.3833. Suggested Donation: \$10.00 (Mass Card included.) Lenten Service Opportunities @ IC:

IC Cares Day: Saturday, April 5th

the Hungry

IC's Lenten Food Drive

benefitting **New Hope Food Pantry and Catholic Charities**

March 22 thru April 13

Would you like to volunteer? Sign-up at:

https://bit.ly/3DKSrtQ

IC Parish & School **Partner with Uncle Pete's Ministry** To Help Feed Those in Need



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 March 28 & 29. Return one or more filled sacks on Saturday, April 5 between 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM to volunteers stationed outside the IC Cafeteria. Later that day, sacks will be distributed to those in need.



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

- 2 hard boiled eggs (with shells)
- Candy bar or cookies

Event Details: Return filled lunch sacks

April 5 8:30AM -10:30AM

Drop Off Point:

IC Blood Drive

At our last Blood Drive, 27 pints of blood were donated. Let's surpass that amount at our March 30th drive. The need is always great. This Lent, please give an hour of your time, a pint of your blood, and you will be saving lives. Call 877.258.4825 with any questions. Hope to see you on the last Sunday of March between 9:00 A.M. and 3:00 P.M. in Providence Hall, directly across the church parking lot.



BLOOD DRIVE



Immaculate Conception Parish Blood Drive

Sunday, Mar. 30 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. 7263 W. Talcott Ave. Chicago, IL **Providence Hall**

To schedule an appointment call vitalant at 877.258.4825 or visit Vitalant.org and use group code: ORDOCHO1.

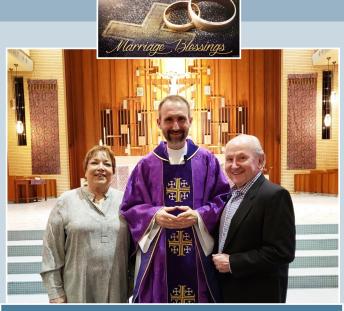
Appointments Recommended. Walk-ins Welcome. Eat well, hydrate, & bring ID.

SCAN HERE TO SCHEDULE





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Mr. & Mrs. Edward & Joanne Stanislawski (on their 45th Wedding Anniversary)



Izabella Covarrubias

Aidan & Stefanie Durcan and their daughter Madison

Cathy Jezior

Welcome to all visitors and guests! Interested in joining our IC family? Register @ icchicago.org

Save The Date: Wednesday, April 2nd @ 9:30 A.M.

Location: Holy Family Chapel @ St. Paul of the Cross (320 S. Washington St., Park Ridge)

Disciples In Mission Event:

Learn To IDENTIFY & AVOID SCAMS

Are you receiving Tollway text messages about unpaid tolls? How about texts or emails from FEDEX that your package cannot be delivered, and you must call us? This is just a drop in the bucket!

<u>Disciples in Mission</u> invites you to join us for food, fun, and learning with Agnes Lizak from the Illinois Attorney General's office who will help you learn how to protect yourself from scams. The program will commence at 9:30 A.M., with snacks and social time starting immediately after the 8:30 A.M. Mass.



Gotcha!

Presented in conjunction with Oak St. Health.

Ministry Schedules: Saturday, March 22nd & Sunday, March 23rd

	Saturday 5:00 P.M. Mass Third Sunday of Lent	Sunday 8:30 A.M. Mass Third Sunday of Lent	Sunday 10:30 A.M. Mass Third Sunday of Lent
Presiders	Fr. Michael Wyrzykowski	Bishop Robert Fedek	Fr. Michael Wyrzykowski
Lectors	N. Schroeder	M. Niewinski	Youth Lector
Cantors	E. Doyle	Vocal Quartet	Vocal Quartet
Extraordinary Ministers	L. Beckman; L. Delana; K. Sampey; S. Witz	C. Mulligan; D. Sebastian; J. Semmler; M. Zizzo	J. Jummati; N. Kanoon; K. Sanchez; C. Willocks
Altar Servers	T. Cox; N. Reichle; M. McDonald	I. Magruder; A. McMahon; C. Villafane	S. Borowski; E. Carroll; S. Paxson



Our Parish Staff:

Fr. Matthew Heinrich, Pastor

Fr. Michael Wyrzykowski, Associate Pastor

Deacon Rick & Carol Moritz

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Scott Will, *Director of Worship*

Melissa Anna, Administrative Supervisor & Communications/

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Elizabeth Doyle, Assistant Director of Music

Marilyn Sadowski, Receptionist

Bernadette Anna, Parish Sacristan

Our School Staff:

Sue Canzoneri, Principal

Tina Fitzgerald, Assistant Principal

Julie Szwedo, *Religious Education Coordinator*

Lisa Kessler, School Accountant

Mary Haley, School Secretary

What's Happening @ IC...

Monday, March 17th - St. Patrick's Day

10:00 A.M.-Noon- Exploring Scripture Monday Mornings: *The Book of Exodus*; RA 7:00-8:30 P.M. – Winter Alpha Session; RA

Tuesday, March 18th -

6:30 P.M. – Lenten Vespers Service; CH

7:00-9:00 P.M. – Alpha Executive Team Mtg.; RA

7:00-8:30 P.M. - Lectio Divina; RCR

Wednesday, March 19th - St. Joseph's Day

2:10-3:30 P.M. – Choristers Rehearsal; CH

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

6:00-7:00 P.M. - St. Joseph Day Mass; CH

7:00-9:30 P.M. - St. Joseph Table Dinner* (*Reservations Required); RA

Thursday, March 20th -

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

Friday, March 21st -

7:00 P.M. - Stations of the Cross; CH

Saturday, March 22nd -

CH Vestibule: IC Lenten Food Drive Begins (Benefiting New Hope Food Pantry & Catholic Charities)

6:00-9:00 P.M. - IC Middle School Dance: Luau Party; PC

Sunday, March 23rd - Third Sunday Of Lent

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

10:30 A.M. – Family Mass (Hosted By: IC Religious Education Program Students) (feat. Children's Liturgy of the Word); CH (Hospitality Reception to follow afterward in Church Vestibule)

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

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Upcoming Bulletin Deadlines:

March 23rd Bulletin submissions due: Friday, March 14th

March 30th Bulletin submissions due: Friday, March 21st

Bulletin submissions are accepted via email at: parishbulletin@icchicago.org

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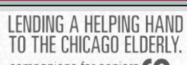












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