



Welcome to the Parish of *Immaculate Conception*

A Catholic Community Inviting People to Follow Christ

March 22, 2020 - Fourth Sunday of Lent

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday thru Friday:
9:00 A.M. – 7:30 P.M.
Saturday: 9:00 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.
Sunday: 9:00 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.

SUNDAY MASSES

5:00 P.M. (Sat.), 7:30, 9:30,
11:15 A.M. & 6:00 P.M.

WEEKDAY MASSES

8:30 A.M. Monday through Friday
5:30 P.M. First Fridays

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday 3:30 P.M.– 4:30 P.M.

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4th SUNDAY OF LENT

When Jesus heard that they had thrown him out, he
found him and said, "Do you believe in the Son of Man?"
- Jn 9:35

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Love God, Serve Others, Make Disciples

Dear parishioners and friends,

I would like to take this opportunity to inform you that Cardinal Blase Cupich has asked me to become the Administrative Secretary to the Archbishop of Chicago. This is a full-time position. As a result of this appointment, I will be leaving Immaculate Conception Parish this summer and moving to Holy Name Cathedral, where I will be fulfilling my new role at the Quigley Pastoral Center.

I am very grateful to God and to you for the last three beautiful years spent here at IC which brought many blessings to my life. Your faith, love and dedication to the mission of Christ continues to inspire me in my priestly ministry. The Archbishop, with some of my input, will appoint a new pastor or administrator to our parish. Generally, this will become official in late March or early April.

A few years ago, we began a journey to revitalize our parish and to renew our personal commitment to the mission of Christ. With the grace of God and the love of many passionate parishioners we have already accomplished a lot. I truly believe and pray that the Holy Spirit will continue to guide our IC community in this endeavor. I ask you to pray for me as I embark on this new chapter in my life and in turn, I will continue to pray for all of you. I am not saying goodbye yet, there are still three more months of hard work to prepare our parish for the upcoming transition.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Fr. Robert Fedek



Parishioners and Guests of Immaculate Conception...

As a precautionary measure, due to concerns relating to public health, all liturgical services have been suspended in our Church until further notice (as mandated by Cardinal Cupich and the Archdiocese of Chicago.) This includes all daily and weekend Masses as well as Stations of the Cross (Friday evenings), Lenten Vespers (Tuesday evenings), and Reconciliation/Confessions (Saturday afternoons.)

In the meantime, in order to encourage our community to continue to seek refuge and comfort in God's love during these uncertain and challenging times, **our Church will be open on Sundays between the hours of 9:00 A.M. until Noon** to provide our parish community with an opportunity for private prayer in a sacred space. Regrettably, we are unable to offer additional opportunities for private prayer in our Church at this time due to insufficient staffing (as we are required to sanitize our Church on a daily basis prior to opening our doors to the public each day—per Archdiocesan guidelines.)

In lieu of gathering together for Mass at IC, we encourage our parishioners to honor the Lord's Day by viewing the weekly broadcast of Sunday Mass at 9:30 A.M. from Mercy Home on WGN [Channel 9] or at www.mercyhome.org/sunday-mass/. Additionally, Fr. Robert and Fr. Matt are both exploring alternative methods of connecting with our parish family in this time of "social distancing" (including offering livestreamed and recorded daily and weekend Mass as well as video reflections online.) Please continue to monitor our parish website (www.icparish.net) as well as our Facebook page for further developments as they become available.

Private Masses will continue to be celebrated by Fr. Robert & Fr. Matt on a daily basis to honor the intentions of the day. Each Mass will also be offered for the wellbeing of our community and our city as we continue to pray for all those affected by the current Coronavirus outbreak, both locally and globally, so that they may be healed by our compassionate and merciful Father and find comfort and peace in His love.

In order to maintain a connection with our parish community so that we may continue to respond to any questions, concerns or needs that may arise during this time,
our Parish Office will be open during the following times:

**Wednesday: 9:00 A.M. until 5:00 P.M.
Sunday: 9:00 A.M. until Noon**

While our Parish Office will be temporarily closed to the public for the remainder of the week, email and voicemail messages will continue to be monitored daily by a member of our Parish Staff, so please don't hesitate to contact us at 773.775.3833 or at frontdesk@icparish.info (should the need arise.)

Please note: All previously scheduled activities, meetings, events, practices etc. have either been canceled or postponed through Tuesday, March 31st. Additional scheduling changes may occur as the situation continues to develop.



Holy Week and Sacred Triduum Schedule

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord, April 5th

3:30 - 4:30 P.M. (Saturday Confessions)
5:00 P.M. (Saturday Mass of Anticipation)
7:30 A.M., 9:30 A.M., 11:15 A.M. and 6:00 P.M.
Masses

Monday of Holy Week, April 6th
8:30 A.M. - Mass (Confessions Afterwards)

Tuesday of Holy Week, April 7th
8:30 A.M. - Mass (Confessions Afterwards)

Wednesday of Holy Week, April 8th
8:30 A.M. - Mass

Holy Thursday, April 9th
8:30 A.M. - Morning Prayer
7:00 P.M. - Mass of the Lord's Supper
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 11:00 P.M.

Good Friday, April 10th
8:30 A.M. - Morning Prayer
3:00 P.M. - Stations of the Cross
7:00 P.M. - Passion of the Lord with Holy Communion

Holy Saturday, April 11th
8:30 A.M. - Morning Prayer
1:00 P.M. - Blessing of the Easter Food (Church)
7:00 P.M. - The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night

**Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord,
April 12th**
7:30 A.M., 9:30 A.M., and 11:15 A.M. Masses

*Please continue your support
of our parish...*



Even though public celebration of Mass has regrettably been suspended for the time being, we still require your financial assistance. As you know, our Sunday collection is by far the largest portion of financial support that our parish receives and is therefore critical to the vitality of our health and our sustainability as a parish. Simply put, we would not be able to maintain our parish and continue our mission without you. As such, we are truly grateful for the continued generosity of our faithful parishioners.

During this difficult time, we respectfully ask that you continue to support our parish (if you are able) as our bills continue and our staff members need to be compensated, regardless of whether or not our Church building is open. Your funds are critically needed to maintain our prayerful presence in our community during this unprecedented time.

Ways you can continue to support IC during the suspension of liturgical services:

Please kindly consider dropping off your weekly offering envelope at our Parish Office or sending it via mail to: 7211 W. Talcott Avenue, Chicago, IL. 60631. Donations are also accepted online through Give Central: www.givecentral.org/location/349.

If you have any questions regarding setting up your online donations through Give Central, please contact our Parish Office at 773.775.3833 and a member of our Parish Staff will be happy to assist you.

With a truly grateful and humble heart, I thank you for your faithful stewardship of our parish. Be assured of my constant prayers for you and your loved ones as we persevere together as a parish family through this challenging time in our lives. May our merciful and loving Father strengthen our faith during times of illness and uncertainty as we continue to trust in His goodness and divine providence.

Fr. Robert

Immaculate Conception Parish

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



Statement of the Archdiocese of Chicago on the Suspension of Public Celebration of Mass, the Temporary Closure of Archdiocese Schools, the Pastoral Center and Related Agencies

Based on current guidelines from local public health departments, which recommend the cancellation of public gatherings involving 50 or more people, Cardinal Cupich mandated the suspension until further notice of all liturgical services effective as of this past Saturday evening (March 14th) with the regularly scheduled weekend services. In addition, he has mandated the closing of schools operated by the archdiocese effective as of Monday, March 16th, and to close the Pastoral Center and related agency offices until further notice.

"This was not a decision I made lightly," said Cardinal Cupich. "The Eucharist is the source and summit of our life as Catholics. And our schools and agencies provide essential services to many thousands across Cook and Lake Counties. But, in consultation with leaders from across the archdiocese, for the sake of the safety of our students, parishioners, and all the women and men who serve the people of the archdiocese, it is clear that we must take the better part of caution in order to slow the spread of this pandemic."

In light of the Cardinal's decision to suspend the celebration of all public liturgies, it is understood that all Catholics within the Archdiocese of Chicago are dispensed from the obligation of attending Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation (per canons 85 & 87 in the code of canon law of 1983.) In the meantime, televised and online Masses provide opportunities for the faithful to remain connected in some way to the Sacrifice of the Mass during this difficult time.

During this closure period for Catholic schools, students will be asked to complete academic work through electronic learning ("e-learning") or alternative learning. Knowing that many families and students of our Catholic schools depend on the daily services we provide, the Office of Catholic Schools and archdiocesan leadership are working to coordinate extended support to those families and students most in need during this time.

"In this time of legitimate concern for the safety of ourselves, our loved ones and those at the margins of society, we must hold fast to the knowledge that the impulses that come from God bring courage, consolation, generosity and solidarity," said Cardinal Cupich. "Instead of allowing this moment to trap us in fear, we must find unity in advancing all that is good in our common humanity. This means staying spiritually and emotionally close to one another, in our families, our friendships and our communities. It means helping where possible and safe. It means checking on the vulnerable. It means being responsible about hygiene. This is a time to be gentle with one another. For Christians, it is a time to reflect on how Jesus made those struggling with illness a priority. It is also a time to be surprised by the blessings that come from being part of the same family—the human family."

For additional information, please visit www.archchicago.org/coronavirus.

Lenten Regulations

(from February 26, 2020, Ash Wednesday, to the Paschal Triduum)

Abstinence from meat is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years old and older on Ash Wednesday and on all the Fridays of Lent. Fasting is to be observed on Ash Wednesday by all Catholics who are 18 years of age but not yet 59. Those who are bound by this may take only one full meal. Two smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to one's needs, but eating solid foods between meals is not permitted. The special Paschal fast, as well as abstinence, are prescribed for Good Friday and encouraged for Holy Saturday.

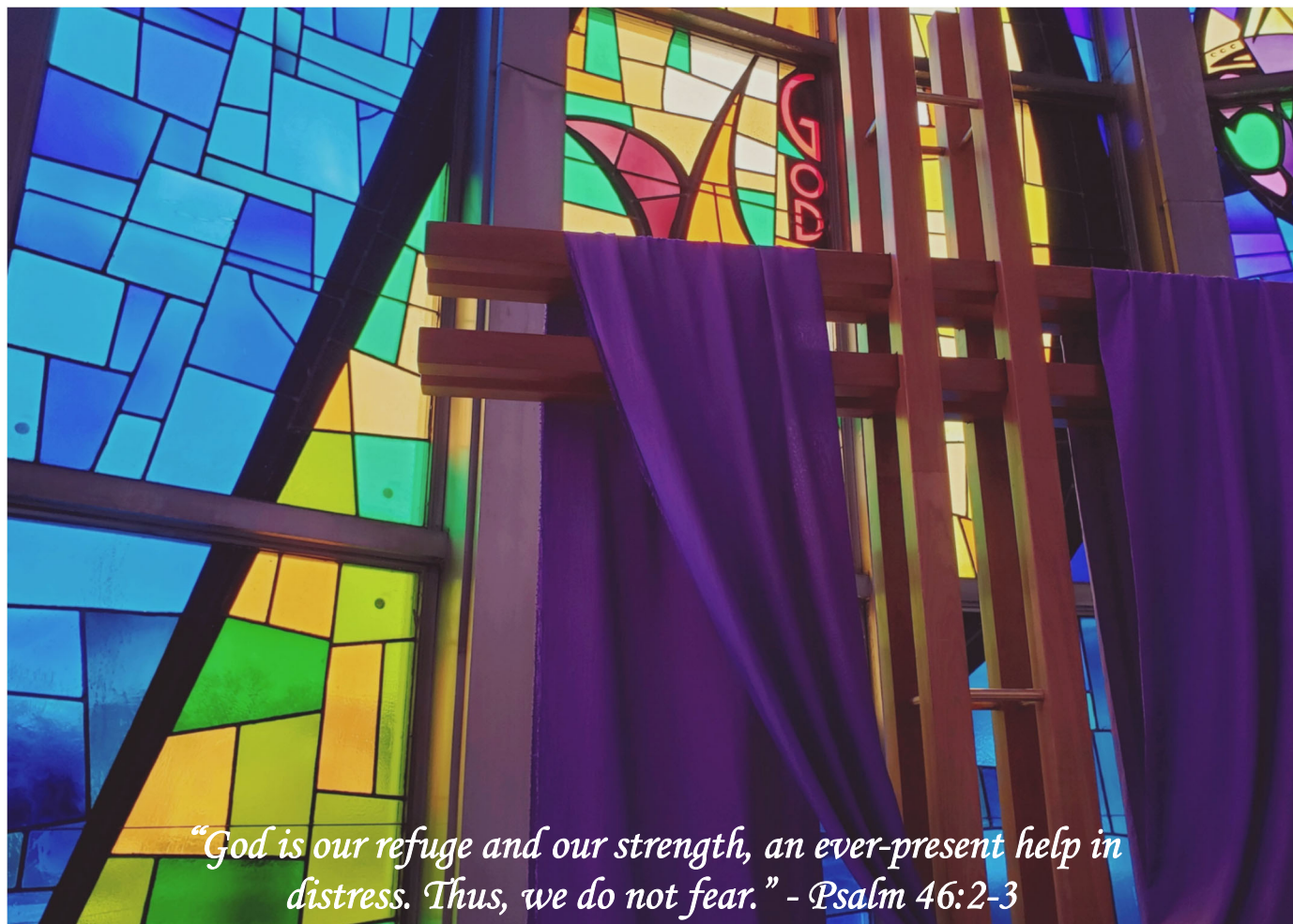
"Lent is ordered to preparing for the celebration of Easter. Since the Lenten liturgy prepares for the celebration of the Paschal Mystery, both catechumens, by the various stages of Christian Initiation, and the faithful, who recall their own Baptism and do penance." (Universal Norms on the Liturgical Year, #27)

By the threefold discipline of fasting, almsgiving and prayer, the church keeps Lent from Ash Wednesday until the evening of Holy Thursday. All of the faithful and the catechumens should undertake the serious practice of these three traditions. Failure to observe penitential days totally or a substantial number of such days must be considered serious.

"(On) weekdays of Lent, we strongly recommend participation in daily Mass and self-imposed observances of fasting. In light of grave human needs which weigh on the Christian conscience in all seasons, we urge particularly during Lent, generosity to local, national and world programs of sharing of all things needed to translate our duty to penance into a means of implementing the right of the poor to their part of our abundance."

(U.S. Bishops statement on penitential observances, 1966)





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Livestream Masses

During this difficult time, it is particularly important that the faithful have access to the grace and comfort of Holy Mass. While we observe restrictions on our in-person attendance at liturgies, I invite you to watch and participate in the celebration of Sunday, Saturday evening, and Daily Masses using the internet.

The Archdiocese of Chicago broadcasted Mass in English from Holy Name Cathedral this past weekend. This Mass can now be viewed on our YouTube channel at www.youtube.com/CatholicChicago.

Beginning this Saturday, March 21st, the archdiocese will broadcast weekend Masses from Holy Name Cathedral in English, Spanish and Polish. These Masses will be available on our YouTube channel beginning at 4:00 P.M. this Saturday, March 21st and will continue until in-person attendance at liturgies is reinstated.

Additionally, daily Mass will be celebrated and broadcast from St. James Chapel on weekdays beginning on Tuesday, March 17th. These Masses will also be available on our YouTube channel.

The recordings of all Masses will remain on our YouTube channel.

Our website, www.archchicago.org, provides resources to enrich your personal prayer life and deepen our solidarity with one another as we experience the disruptions caused by the COVID-19 pandemic. We will add to these and share them with you as they become available.

Let us continue to pray for all affected by the current pandemic and, together, seek Our Lady's intercession for our protection and the wellbeing of the most vulnerable among us.

Peace,
Bishop Ron Hicks

Immaculate Conception Parish



Immaculate Conception School 2nd Semester Honor Roll

Room 11

IC Scholar

Isabelle Cox
T.J. Forbes
Olivia Magruder
Victor Petrenko
Kara Yau

High Honors

Filip Chachaj
Mary Emerson
Patrick Haugh
William Krawczyk
John LaFramboise
Kaylin Liebich
Rocco McGee

Honors

Gia DiLeonardi
Luxa Helenowski
Sofia Maggio
Sophia Negron

Room 12

IC Scholar

Roxylana DiBartolo
Sullivan McGrath
Madison Moorehouse
Richard Riordan

High Honors

Vincent Cambria
Sienna Campuzano
Patrick Hulne
Claire Kristensen

Honors

Margaret Bain
Kailyn Bowers
London Diblich
Jack Koenig
Daniel McGreevy
Emily Miehlich
Natalia Nowicki
Kaden O'Brien
Aubrey Steurer
Mateo Urbieta
Katherine Wiesneth

Anthony House

IC Scholar

Tommy Beyna
Frank Cambria
Natalie Hudgins
Kacey Spachner
Hailie Weaver

High Honors

James Carroll
Kayla Hulne
Rebecca Jalloway
Maeve Kristensen
Avery Hammersmith
Dominic McGee
Mahmoud Rammouni

Honors

Grace Escamilla
Abby Nosalik
Elizabeth Peters
Danny Sherry
Anthony Tyrrell

Canterbury House

IC Scholar

Mary Jane Cronin
Christopher Doud
William Gonzalez
Matthew Weisse

High Honors

Anthony Baldassano
Lillian d'Escoto
Evan Diblich
Olivia Mariner
Mariska Szabo

Honors

Nora Bain
Gwendolyn Campbell
Lillian Duffy
Karsen Jummati
Sean Kroeger
Karsyn Liebich
Declan McFadden
Jorge Melgar
Ryan Poniatowski
Anna Richardson
Damien Taylor
Lucia Thomas
Jaden Wierzba

Gabriel House

IC Scholar

Vince Curio
Charlie Devine
Ava Dziedzic
Alli Edwards
Ryan Losik
Ava Moran

High Honors

Gavin Fitzgerald
Alyssa Guettler
Sarah Horist
Lindsey Krawczyk
Katelyn Paeth
Nathan Reichle
Shannon Stack

Honors

Jimmy Breen
Emma Feller
Devin Glascott
Jillian Polena
Luke Sanders
Lidia Via
Carter Wielgus

Gaelic House

IC Scholar

Nora Emerson
Frank Rottman
Gael Urbieta
Cassidy Worthem

High Honors

Brendon Allen
Nina Bednar
Jake Edwards
Devin Nichol
Madison Ozanic

Honors

Michael Eaglin
Gabriella Ergish
Zoe Feller
Chloe Irwin
Joseph McFadden
Lia Mellado
Gracie Monaco
James Shevlin
Hana Subijano

Jude House

IC Scholar

Grace Baio
Ryan Gallagher
Theresa LaFramboise
Antonella Sessa
Michael Sosna

High Honors

Emily Breen
Kaileigh Cordero
Dante DeProspero
Sophia Medina
Robert Metzger
Lola Polerecky
Tiffany Richards
Riley Worthem

Honors

Kristen d'Escoto
Guillermo Guevara
Gianna Lohman
Grace Masterson
Luke Peve
Nico Santamaria
Kacper Sweder

Michael House

IC Scholar

Audrey Flechsig

High Honors

Virginia Duffy
Margaret Fennessy
Sinead McGreevy
Nayeli Perez
Caroline Santos
Emmett Tom
Elizabeth Via
Krista Wright

Honors

Lauren Argamaso
Joseph Blaul
Maeve Doherty
Kaylee Fennessy
Dillon Gallagher
Jacob Losik
James Schnier
Adriana Solis
Alex Wojtulewicz

William House

IC Scholar

Hannah Lally

High Honors

Katie Allen
Gavin Crawford
John Haugh
Maggie O'Brien
Kaitlyn Osborn
Adriana Petrenko
Tommy Stack
Grace Warner

Honors

Claire Boysen
Sophia Campuzano
Anthony Evangelisti
Anthony Kostecki
Elizabeth Miehlich
Max O'Brien
Jason O'Dell
Haylee Pugliani
Ava Santiago
Melanie Wojtulewicz

Immaculate Conception Parish

PRAYER LIST FOR THE SICK

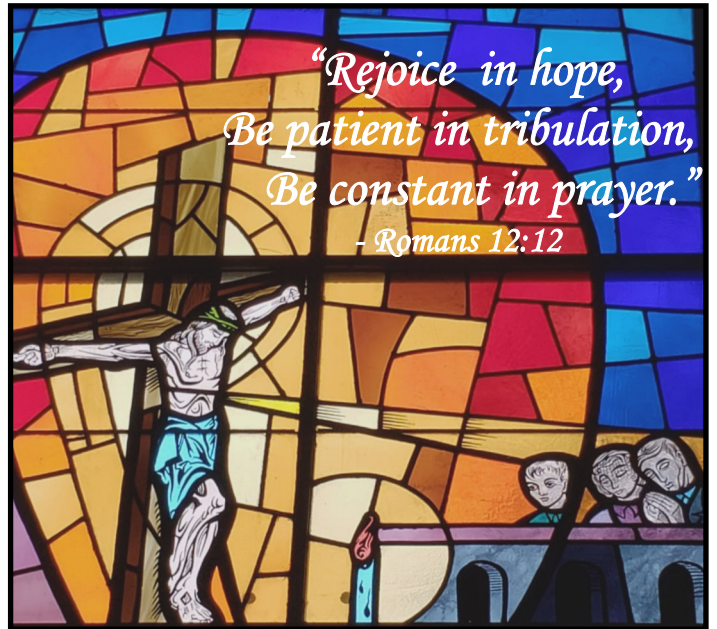
Mary Alvarez	Richard Losik
Concetta Bartucci	Benny Martinez
Melissa Bednarz	Edwin Martinez
Celerina Behrman	Frank Martinez
Robert Behrman	Jan Merino
Sonia M. B.	Veronica Murillo
Vince Caeti	Timothy Murray
Jackie Campbell	Mary O'Donnell
Rita Castillo	Paul Odrobina
James Covello	Jackie O'Koniewski
Sherry Crocifisso	Mary (Kores) Potwora
Ronnie Cunningham	Bill Remblake
Brooke Foreman	Sebastian L. Rivera
Lila Gehner	David Rodriguez
Ofelia Hernandez	Elaine Schatz
Nancy Kinzie	Edward Stanczyk
Craig Kloss	Steven P. Trifilio
Lillian Kohut	John Varallo
Arlene Lacey-Beyna	

Pope Tweet of the Week

"Let us allow ourselves to be loved by God, so that we can give love in return. Let us allow ourselves to stand up and walk towards Easter."



*"Rejoice in hope,
Be patient in tribulation,
Be constant in prayer."
- Romans 12:12*



If you wish to have your name included in our prayer list or removed, please contact our Parish Office at 773.775.3833.

To receive Communion at home, please contact our Parish Office or email Deacon Ron at: jmjdeacon@aol.com and leave your name, address, and telephone number.

Scenes From Our Lenten Vespers Series...



Immaculate Conception Parish

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT IC

For more information on upcoming events, please visit our parish website at www.icparish.net.

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The **Knights of Columbus** will hold their next **business meeting on Wednesday, April 1st at 7:00 P.M.** at the St. John Brebeuf Parish Ministry Center (8305 N. Harlem Ave., Niles, IL). For additional information, please contact Chet Moylan at 630.544.9398.

Prayer of Pope Francis to Mary for Help and Protection during the Coronavirus Pandemic

O Mary,
you always shine on our path as a sign
of salvation and of hope.
We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick,
who at the cross took part in Jesus' pain,
keeping your faith firm.
You, Salvation of Your People,
know what we need,
and we are sure you will provide so that,
as in Cana of Galilee,
we may return to joy and to feasting
after this time of trial.
Help us, Mother of Divine Love,
to conform to the will of the Father
and to do as we are told by Jesus,
who has taken upon himself our sufferings
and carried our sorrows to lead us,
through the cross,
to the joy of the resurrection. Amen.
Under your protection, we seek refuge,
Holy Mother of God.
Do not disdain the entreaties of we who are in trial,
but deliver us from every danger,
O glorious and Blessed Virgin. Amen.

*The Mass is a beautiful
celebration of Christ's love for us.
What better way to honor someone than to
have a Mass offered in their name.*

Readings for the week of March 22nd

Sunday: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

Monday: Is 65:17-21/Ps 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b [2a]/Jn 4:43-54

Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12/Ps 46: 2-3, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11 [8a and 9a]/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38

Thursday: Ex 32:7-14/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23 [4a]/Jn 5:31-47

Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22/Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23 [19a]/Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday: Jer 11:18-20/Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12 [2a]/Jn 7:40-53

Next Sunday: Ez 37:12-14/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 [7]/Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45

BAPTISMS: Arrangements must be made in advance. A preparatory session is required for parents. The sessions are every other month on the 2nd Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. in the Rectory Assembly.

MARRIAGES: Those contemplating marriage need to contact a priest of the parish to begin the process of preparation at least six months in advance. No marriages during Advent and Lent.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: The deadline for all bulletin submissions is Friday at noon – 8 days prior to the Sunday it will appear. The email address is icparishbulletin@gmail.com.



Your Gifts to God and Parish

If you plan to move from the parish, please notify the Parish Office at least three months before you move. Also, if you will be away for more than 3 months, please call the Parish Office, so your envelopes can be stopped for that time period. If you use electronic giving and still receive envelopes, please contact the Parish Office so we can discontinue your receiving of envelopes.

*If you and your family would like to
bring up the offertory gifts during the
Mass, please speak to one of the
ushers before Mass begins.*



MASS **INTENTIONS**

Please note: Although public celebration of Mass has been suspended until further notice, Fr. Robert and Fr. Matt will continue to celebrate Mass privately for the wellbeing of our community and our city and to honor the intentions of the day.

Sunday, March 22 - Fourth Sunday of Lent

5:00 P.M. (Saturday) — †John J. Joyce; and †John Pastwa (on his 1st Anniversary)

7:30 A.M.— The People of the Parish

9:30 A.M.— †Alex Covello; †Francis & Moira Cross; †Charles Grayzeck; †Dolores Jarosz-Ortmann (on her 1st Anniversary);

†Clementine Longo; The Cozzo Family (Living—In Thanksgiving);

†Louis & Frances Allocco; and †Edward Janik

11:15 A.M.— †Albert Menezes

6:00 P.M.— †Pat & Marie McMahon

Monday, March 23— Saint Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop

8:30 A.M.— Lyle Nemzin (Living)

Tuesday, March 24 - Saint Oscar Romero, Bishop and Martyr

8:30 A.M.— †Jaime A. Gomez

Wednesday, March 25 - The Annunciation of the Lord

8:30 A.M.— Mary Power (Living)

Thursday, March 26 - Lenten Weekday

8:30 A.M.— †Connie Larys

Friday, March 27 - Lenten Weekday

8:30 A.M.— †Dr. Michael Chaput

Saturday, March 28 - Lenten Weekday

5:00 P.M.— †Walter Herschbach

Sunday, March 29 - Fifth Sunday of Lent

7:30 A.M.— †Merle Protacio

9:30 A.M.— †Henry Teel

11:15 A.M.— †Frank & Margherita Martino; †Agostino & Francesca Chiaramonte; and †Francis & Moira Cross

6:00 P.M.— Melissa Bednarz (Living)



March 22nd through March 28th

The sanctuary lamp is burning this week for the repose of the soul of

Mike O'Donnell



March 22nd through March 27th

The Blessed Mother Votive is burning this week for the repose of the soul of

Mirta Urizarri



March 22nd through March 27th

The St. Joseph Votive is burning this week for the repose of the soul of

Maureen Serb

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

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. Army - Thomas Treslo National Guard Specialist 4th Class

U.S. Navy - CMDR Michael Brasseur, Lt. Christopher Jenkins, PO Thomas T. Tudisco

U.S. Air Force - John Christopher Ocasio, Major Laurel Walsh, Captain Paul H. Kolk, LT. COL. Michael O'Koniewski; 2nd Lt. Colleen Bernal

U.S. Marine - Sean Gronset, PFC Sebastian L. Rivera, Jr., PFC Christopher Hughes, PFC Algene D. Porticos

Let us pray for these women and men and all who are serving in the military. Please contact the Parish Office when these service people return. If you are a veteran or know a veteran, the Archdiocese of Chicago has a website: vets.archchicago.org that provides information that can be of assistance.



Immaculate Conception School

During our Catholic Schools Week Retreat, our art teacher, Ms. A., had all the students fold origami butterflies from sheet music. The individual butterflies were then placed together in a collaborative art installation. Our CSW theme was: The Angels Among Us—"Not all Angels Reside in Heaven. Some flutter the Earth. Just like you." We are so fortunate to have such a creative art teacher!