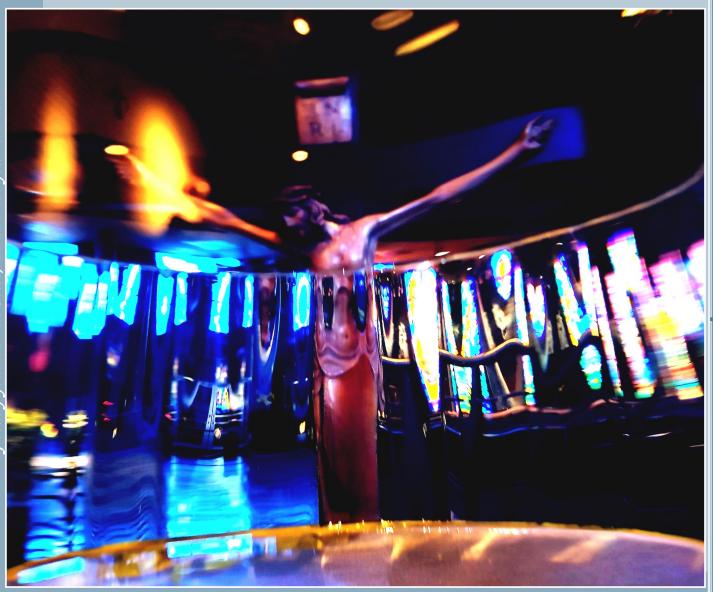
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March 23, 2025 - Third Sunday Of Lent



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- Romans 5:5

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

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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.*

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:

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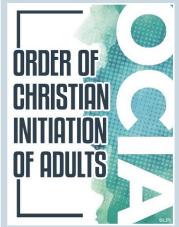
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OCIA: Rite Of Election & Call To Continuing Conversion

Congratulations to our
OCIA Catechumens and Candidates:
Matia, Meredith, Nicole, Tawny, and Zach as
they participated in the Rites of Election and
Call to Continuing Conversion at Holy Name
Cathedral this past Sunday afternoon,
March 16th. Please continue to pray for them as
they journey toward receiving or completing
the Sacraments of Initiation at our Easter Vigil.









The Solemnity Of The Annunciation Of The Lord

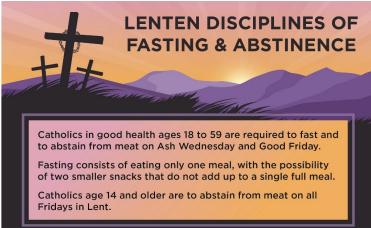
Save The Date: Healing Mass with Anointing Of The Sick



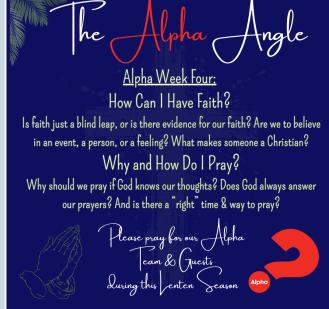


Journey With Us This Lenten Season @ IC: Opportunities For Prayer & Reconciliation...

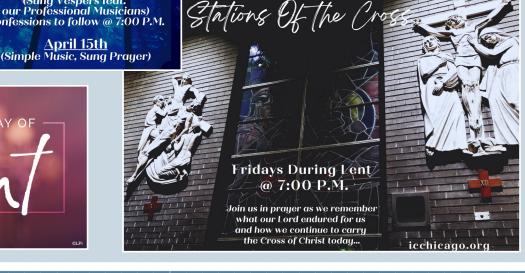












Mrs. Mahoney's First Grade Classroom

Mrs. Mahoney's First Grade class started the Lenten season by creating a project on the three focus points: *Prayer, Fasting,* and *Almsgiving*. Each child wrote down their promises to do and not do during Lent. Our students have also been learning a lot about animals in Science and created a poster showing a young animal with an adult animal. They compared facts about the two along with how the adult animal takes care of their young. Our children enjoy spending time with their buddy class, comprised of Seventh and Eighth Grade students in *Gaelic House*. The buddies were helping our first graders to go over their prayers.



This Weekend @ IC: Family Mass (Feat. Children's Liturgy Of The Word)



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For our faithful departed:

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"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

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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 23rd through Sunday, March 30th

Sunday, March 23rd - Third Sunday Of Lent

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

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

Monday, March 24th - Lenten Weekday

8:30 A.M. — †Janice Marlene Walker; †Paul, Gloria, & Steven Budziak; †Marty Hegarty; †Denise Lenkowski; and †Stanley, Emilie, & Judie Witek

Tuesday, March 25th-The Annunciation of the Lord

8:30 *A.M.* - [†]Robert Donnelly (on his 1st Anniversary); and Melissa Anna (Living)

6:00 P.M. — †Marty Hegarty (40 Day Anniversary); †Pat Furgat; and †Claudia Kech

Wednesday, March 26th - Lenten Weekday

8:30 A.M. – †Fr. Eric C. Meyer, C.P. (Birthday Remembrance); †Ilze Dongo (Birthday Remembrance); †Martin J. Hegarty; and †Michael Kennedy

Thursday, March 27th - Lenten Weekday

8:30 A.M. — †Dr. Michael Chaput; †Joe Rispoli (Birthday Remembrance); and †Martin J. Hegarty

Friday, March 28th - Lenten Weekday

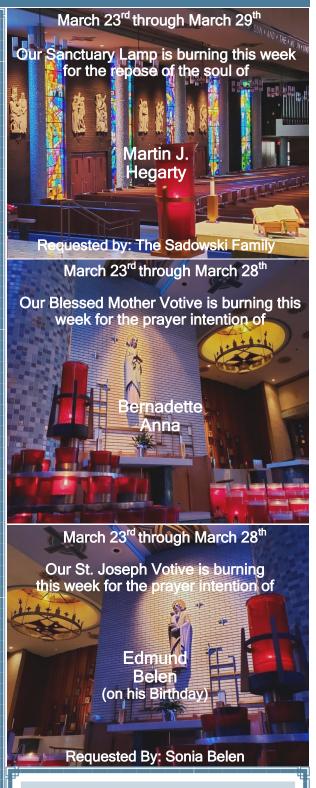
Saturday, March 29th - Lenten Weekday

5:00 P.M.—†Amy Witz (Birthday Remembrance); †Walter Herschbach; †Martin J. Hegarty; †Janet B. Deyro; †Tony & Carol Colamonico (Living); Sherry Anne (Living); and Tom, Pat & Robert Altman (Living)

Sunday, March 30th – Fourth Sunday of Lent (Laetare Sunday) 8:30 A.M.- †Genevieve Delana (Birthday Remembrance); †Amy Witz (Birthday Remembrance); †Michael & Josephine McGowan; †Michael

Kennedy; and †Leslie Giannese

10:30 A.M. — †Frank & Margherita Martino; †Agostino & Francesca Chiaramonte; †Rosemary Kwok; †Richard Dixon; †Lori Goodman; †Martin Hegarty; †Patrick & Eileen Casey; †Francis & Moira Cross; †Claudia Kech; †Pat Furgat; James & Cheryl Covello (Living); 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:

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IC Parish & School **Partner with 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 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:



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Next Weekend @ IC: Special Second Collection (Easter Flowers)



Next weekend, March 29th & 30th, we will have a special second collection to help defray the cost of our flowers for our Easter decorations this year. Donations will be gratefully accepted by our ushers as they pass the collection baskets during Offertory time. Thank you for your kind generosity and for assisting us in beautifying our Church for our Easter celebration this year!



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Luis & Soraida Gutierrez

Eric & Rosalinda Arias Montoya and their children Eric, Sebastian & Emmanuel

> 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 29th & Sunday, March 30th

	Saturday 5:00 P.M. Mass Fourth Sunday of Lent	Sunday 8:30 A.M. Mass Fourth Sunday of Lent	Sunday 10:30 A.M. Mass Fourth Sunday of Lent
Presiders	Fr. Michael Wyrzykowski	Fr. Michael Wyrzykowski	Fr. Michael Wyrzykowski
Lectors	S. Serb	J. Semmler	N. Kanoon
Cantors	E. Doyle	Vocal Quartet	Vocal Quartet
Extraordinary Ministers	D. Mroz; E. Niewinski; M. Niewinski; S. Serb	L. Delana; C. Mulligan; A. Schnitzlein; M. Zizzo	J. Beckman; L. Beckman; K. Sanchez; R. Siciliano
Altar Servers	N. Eaglin; E. Serb; E. Serb	J. Galeno; I. Magruder; N. Reichle	O. Accardo; T. Cox; U. Dignos



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What's Happening @ IC...

Monday, March 24th -

10:00 A.M.-Noon- Exploring Scripture Monday Mornings: The Book of Exodus; RA

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

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

Tuesday, March 25th - The Annunciation of the Lord

8:30 A.M. – Mass; CH

9:30-11:00 A.M. - School Lenten Reconciliation Service (Grades 3-5); CH

6:00 P.M. - Combined Vespers & Mass; CH

Wednesday, March 26th -

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

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

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

8:00-9:30 P.M. – IC Athletic Committee Mtg.; NWCR

Thursday, March 27th -

9:30-11:00 A.M. - School Lenten Reconciliation Service (Grades 6-8); CH

7:00-8:30 P.M. – Parish Finance Council Mtg.; RCR

Friday, March 28th -

1:30 P.M. - School Stations of the Cross (Grades 6, 7 & 8); CH

7:00 P.M. – Stations of the Cross; CH

Saturday, March 29th -

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

9:00-11:00 A.M. - 2nd Grade Experience Day; PH/Café/CH

Sunday, March 30th - Fourth Sunday Of Lent (Laetare Sunday)

Second Collection: Easter Flowers

9:00 A.M.-3:00 P.M. - Vitalant Parish Blood Drive; PH/Cafe

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

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Upcoming Bulletin Deadlines:

March 30th Bulletin submissions due:

Friday, March 21st

April 6th Bulletin submissions due:

Friday, March 28th

April 13th Bulletin submissions due:

Wednesday, April 2nd

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

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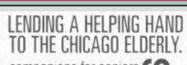












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