

February 25, 2024

Second Sunday of Lent

This is my beloved Son. Listen to him.



# Holy Name Cathedral

## Our Vision

A world in communion with Jesus Christ.

## Our Mission

Holy Name Cathedral, as a Catholic parish and the seat of the Archdiocese of Chicago, forms a community of disciples who inspire, nurture, and join people on their faith journey to encounter and grow in Jesus Christ.

## Mass Schedule

### Monday-Friday

7:00am, 8:00am (livestream) & 12noon  
Wednesday evenings at 5:15pm

### Saturday

9:00am (livestream) & 5:15pm Vigil Mass

### Sunday

7:00am, 8:30am, 10:30am (livestream),  
12:30pm, 5:15pm

### Saturday Reconciliation

9:00am to 12noon

# Reflections from Our Rector



Dear People of God,

The word “Lent” means spring or springtime. Our Lenten journey continues, and what a marvelous time it is to look deep within our hearts and allow the Lord Jesus to touch and change us. Change what? To touch our lives and do what? Our Lenten journey

is an opportunity to probe our hearts by seeking to reach outward in ways we never imagined. Keep reading...

## The Old Phone on the Wall

When I was a boy, my father had one of the first telephones in our neighborhood. I remember the polished, old case fastened to the wall. The shiny receiver hung on the side of the box. I was too little to reach the telephone but used to listen with fascination when my mother talked to it.

Then I discovered that somewhere inside the unique device lived an amazing person. Her name was “Information Please,” and there was nothing she did not know, supplying anyone’s number and even the correct time.

My experience with the genie-in-a-bottle came one day while my mother was visiting a neighbor. Amusing myself at the tool bench in the basement, I whacked my finger with a hammer. The pain was terrible, but no one was home to give sympathy. I walked around the house, sucking my throbbing finger, finally arriving at the stairway. The telephone! I dragged the footstool to the landing. Climbing up, I unhooked the receiver in the parlor and held it to my face.

“Information please,” I said into the mouthpiece just above my head, and with a click or two, a small, clear voice spoke into my ear. “Information.”

“I hurt my finger,” I explained what happened and wailed into the phone. The tears came readily enough now that I had an audience. “Isn’t your mother home?” came the question. “Nobody’s home but me.” I blubbered. “Are you bleeding?” the voice asked. “No, but it hurts.” “Can you open the icebox?” she asked. I said I could. “Then chip off a little bit of ice and hold it to your finger,” said the voice.

I called ‘Information please’ for everything: math, geography, even to get tips on feeding my pet chipmunk and to console me when my canary Petey died. She patiently listened as I told her the story and asked, “Why

should birds sing so beautifully and bring joy, only to end up as a heap of feathers on the bottom of a cage?”

She sensed my deep concern and quietly said: “Wayne, always remember that there are other worlds to sing in.” Somehow, I felt better. Another day, I was on the telephone, “Information Please.” “Information,” said the now familiar voice. “How do I spell fix?” I asked.

After moving to Boston, I often thought of my patient and kind friend from our small Pacific Northwest town. Her conversations filled me with a sense of security during moments of doubt. I appreciated now how patient and kind she was to have spent her time on a little boy.

A few years later, on a layover in Seattle on my way west to college, I spent some time on the phone with my sister who still lived there. Without thinking about what I was doing, I dialed my hometown operator and said, “Information please.”

Miraculously, I heard the voice I know so well. “Information.” I hadn’t planned this but heard myself saying, “Could you please tell me how to spell fix?” After a long pause, the soft-spoken answer said, “I guess your finger must have healed by now.” I laughed. “So it’s you,” I said. “Do you know how much you meant to me during that time?” “I wondered,” she said, “if you know how much your calls meant to me. I never had any children and looked forward to your calls.”

I told her how often I had thought of her over the years and asked if I could call her again when I came back to visit my sister. “Please do,” she said. “Just ask for Sally.” The next time I was back in Seattle, a different voice answered, “Information,” so I asked for Sally.

“Are you a friend?” she said. “Yes, a very old friend. My name is Wayne,” I answered. “I’m sorry to have to tell you this,” she said. “Sally had been sick and died five weeks ago.” Before I could hang up, she said, “Wait a minute. Sally left a written message for you.” And she read the message to me, “Tell him there are other worlds to sing in. He’ll know what I mean.” I thanked her and hung up. I know what Sally meant.

Never underestimate the impression you may make on others. Whose life have you touched today? Remember — life is a journey ... not a guided tour!

On the Lenten road with you,  
Fr. Greg

## Upcoming Events



### Sunday, February 25

15-minute Cathedral tours	9:30 AM & 11:30 AM
Filling Your Spiritual Backpack	1:30 PM
Rite of Election	2:30 PM & 7:00 PM

### Monday, February 26

Communications Advisory Council	5:30 PM
Worship Advisory Council	7:00 PM

### Tuesday, February 27

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting	6:00 PM
Young Adult Women/Men Bible Study	7:00 PM

### Wednesday, February 28

Seasons of Hope Bereavement Group	6:30 PM
Wednesday Evening Bible Study	6:30 PM

### Thursday, February 29

Blessings in a Backpack	9:00 AM
Seasons of Hope Bereavement Group	10:00 AM
Thursday Morning Bible Study Group	10:15 AM
Adult Confirmation	6:30 PM

### Friday, March 1

Stations of the Cross	11:15 AM
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### Saturday, March 2

Confessions ( <b>only available 9am-11am</b> )	9:00 AM
Rector's Leadership Conference	9:00 AM
Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA)	9:00 AM
Young Adults Exodus 90	9:00 AM
Young Adults 40 Days Lenten Journey	9:30 AM
Young Adults Fiat 40	10:30 AM

## On the Cover

### The Transfiguration of Jesus, a Byzantine-style icon

Like last week, this gospel tells the account of one of the Rosary's Luminous Mysteries. The Transfiguration is a mysterious episode. It seems hard to describe — Jesus's clothes became white, but whiter than you're thinking, Mark seems to say. The whiteness is bright enough to dazzle; there seems to be some kind of light here. There is also darkness; a cloud comes and casts a shadow over the disciples on the mountain. Not much is clear about what it means. But one thing is clear: the voice from the cloud that says, "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him." Following Christ does not always make life easy or clarify our decisions, but when we rest in what the disciples heard on that mountain, we can be assured that is the right thing to do.



Our own encounters with God are rarely as remarkable. But God's voice, whether whispering or thundering, always speaks love. God is always trying to get through to us that we are wildly, unreservedly loved. God looks on us, and God loves us, and God is well pleased in us.

Source: Living Liturgy 2024

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(delivered to your inbox every Friday)



# Order of Worship

*The Precious Blood will be offered only at the 10:30am and 5:15pm Sunday Masses. We will have two stations at the front of the Cathedral near the altar. Please sit in the front two sections if you plan to receive from the cup.*

## Entrance Hymn

**What Wondrous Love Is This**

Worship Hymnal #641

## Penitential Rite

**Spoken**

## First Reading

**Worship Hymnal #1031**

Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18

## Responsorial Psalm

**Psalm 116:10 and 15, 16-17, 18-19**

*I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.*

## Second Reading

Romans 8:31b-34

## Gospel Acclamation

**Worship Hymnal #337**

## Gospel

Mark 9:2-10

## Offertory Hymn

**How Good, Lord, to Be Here!**

Worship Hymnal #881

## Holy, Holy

**People's Mass**

Worship Hymnal #368

## Memorial Acclamation

**People's Mass**

Worship Hymnal #369

## Amen

**Danish Amen**

Worship Hymnal #370

## Lamb of God

**Holy Cross Mass**

Worship Hymnal #381

## Communion Antiphon

**The vision which you have seen;  
do not speak of it until the Son of Man  
is risen from the dead.**

## Communion Hymn

**We Remember**

Worship Hymnal #938

## Communion Motet (10:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.)

**Prayer for Transfiguration**

John Weaver

## Recessional Hymn

**Lord, Who throughout These Forty Days**

Worship Hymnal #461

*To all our faithful parishioners  
who give of their time, talent  
and treasure – thank you  
for your generosity.*

*To all of our visitors today from all  
over the country and world, know  
that your monetary gift will go toward the support of  
the mission and ministries of Holy Name Cathedral.  
Thank you for your generosity.*



## Two Free Cathedral Tours After Masses This Sunday

Each week, our Cathedral Docents lead short, 15-minute express tours following the 8:30am and 10:30am Masses. Those who are interested in participating in these free tours are invited to sit in the front rows along the center aisle after Mass.

## Catholic Illuminations

# Make the Most Out of Your Lent — Attend the Parish Mission

By Fr. Andy Matijevic

**T**he three pillars of prayer, fasting and almsgiving signify Lent. Through prayer, we renew our relationship with God. We recognize more deeply how we need to depend more on God, his love, and his mercy. By fasting, we try to detach ourselves from worldly allurements and desires. We give things up during Lent to turn our attention back to God, who fulfills our desires. By almsgiving, we seek to help those who cannot help themselves, restore our common humanity, and strive to be agents of solidarity and accompaniment. Prayer, fasting, and almsgiving should redirect our hearts and our minds towards God, assisting us in this sacred time to change our ways, and above all, help us to remember that we are dust and we shall return to dust, also reminding us to repent, and believe in the Gospel.

To help with these pillars, the Cathedral provided rice bowls to help foster almsgiving and our upcoming parish mission helps with the pillar of prayer. A parish mission, usually offered in Advent or Lent but anytime throughout the year, is an opportunity for the faithful to gather away from Sunday Mass and renew their spiritual life. The Eucharist is the source and summit of our faith and gathering together every Sunday as a family of faith is our primary call as Church. But a parish mission sets aside time, as Jesus took time aside to pray, to focus



on our spiritual life. Attending Mass every Sunday is a commandment, a precept of the Church. Attending a parish mission is entirely voluntary.

Why would you consider attending our parish mission next Sunday, March 3 through Tuesday, March 5, starting at 6:30pm in the Cathedral? Our Mission speaker is Bishop Jerry Kicanas, a Chicago priest who became an auxiliary bishop of Chicago in 1995 under Cardinal Bernardin, served as Rector of Mundelein Seminary, and was appointed Bishop of Tucson, Arizona, in 2003, where he served until he retired in 2017. Bishop Kicanas is a former Vice President of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops and former chairman of the board of directors for Catholic Relief Services. He is vice chancellor of Catholic Extension, a Chicago-based organization that provides resources for mission dioceses across the United States.

The mission will focus on the overall theme of Renewing our Lives in Christ Jesus. Reflecting on the reality that we are all children of God, and as members of his family, we are called to be saints, and how that call to holiness impels us forward on mission. Mark your calendars now! Our parish mission is just around the corner, and you won't want to miss it.

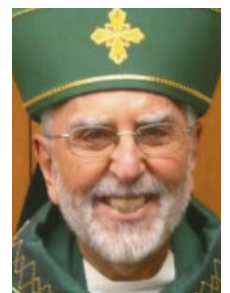
**Bishop Kicanas will preach at the 10:30 am Mass on Sunday, March 3**, sharing the goals of our mission. If you're looking for a way to shake up your routine, deepen your prayer life, or just try something new this Lent, then this is the event for you. Make sure you attend the mission — I'll be there, and I hope to see you there too!

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## Join Us at the Parish Lenten Mission 2024

**A 3-Night Event: Sunday, Monday, Tuesday on March 3, 4, and 5 at 6:30pm**

Join us for our three-night Parish Lenten Mission **starting each evening on March 3, 4, and 5 at 6:30pm**. The Mission will be led by Bishop Gerald Kicanas, Chicago priest, former Rector of Mundelein Seminary and retired Bishop of Tucson. The theme for Mission will be **RENEWING OUR LIVES IN CHRIST JESUS**. Lent is a special and sacred time to step away from all that preoccupies us, to gain insight on what matters in life and what makes a difference. We will reflect on the call we have received and how we live out that call. Each evening will have a unique talk led by Bishop Kicanas.



**Bishop Gerald Kicanas**

## The Stump of Jesse

# The Power of a Simple Invitation Can Make a Huge Impact

By Fr. Ton Nguyen

**A**midst an energetic crowd, my introverted self navigated anxiously through unfamiliar faces until a delightful encounter with Susana changed the course of the morning. An unexpected connection, she joyfully shared news of how she learned about the young adult retreat at HNC. Susana then extended her invitation, gathering three more friends for this journey. Does this sound familiar to you? A simple invitation makes a considerable impact.

The story reminded me of the biblical disciples who, inspired by Jesus' simple call to "Come and see," felt compelled to share their newfound purpose, setting off a transformative chain reaction.

This parallel journey extended to the Gospel reading recounting Christ's Transfiguration, where the disciples'



ascent to the "high mountain" mirrored the anticipation of Christ's impending Passion, akin to the ascent to Calvary. Witnessing the transfiguration, the disciples exclaimed, "It is good that we are here! Let us make three tents."

However, God the Father surprised them out, proclaiming, "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him." This familiar story emphasizes the nature of faith — ascents followed by descents; highs punctuated by life's crosses. I saw those four young adults at the end of the retreat, filled with joy and peace. It dawned on me that without Susana's inviting spirit and the openness of the other three, this positive encounter might never have unfolded. The power of a simple invitation echoes through time — a ripple effect sparked by one person's willingness to share a transformative experience. As a Lenten Retreat opportunity, the upcoming Parish Mission and Night of Mercy (see below) serve as an invitation to embrace the joy awaiting those who dare to ascend with an open heart. The invitation to you to join is out! I love being a priest. JMJ.

## LENT AT YOUR CATHEDRAL

*Holy Name Cathedral*

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### WEEKDAY MASS

Monday – Friday: 7:00 A.M., 8:00 A.M. (📺), 12:00 P.M.  
& Wednesday's at 5:15 P.M.

### WEEKEND MASS

Saturday Vigil: 5:15 P.M.  
Sunday: 7:00 A.M., 8:30 A.M., 10:30 A.M. (📺), 12:30 P.M., 5:15 P.M.  
Saturday: 9:00 A.M.

### CONFESSIONS

Saturdays: 9:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.  
In the lower level of the Cathedral

### WEDNESDAYS DURING LENT

February 21, 28, March 6, 13, 20, 27  
12:30 P.M. – 5:00 P.M. – Eucharistic Adoration  
5:15 P.M. – Mass

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Friday, February 16, 23, March 1, 8, 15, 22  
11:15 A.M. (📺)

### LENTEN MISSION WITH BISHOP GERALD KICANAS

Sunday – Tuesday, March 3 – 5 at 6:30 P.M.

### LENTEN COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICE

Wednesday, March 13th – 6:00 P.M.

### TUESDAY, MARCH 19 – SOLEMNITY OF ST. JOSEPH

7:00 A.M., 8:00 A.M. (with music) (📺), 12:00 P.M. – Mass

### VICARIATE NIGHT OF MERCY

Wednesday March 20th – 6:00 P.M.

### FISH FRY AND TRIVIA NIGHT

Friday, March 22nd – 5:30 P.M.

For more information about our liturgies and ministries, please visit our website at [holynamecathedral.org](http://holynamecathedral.org)  
📺 - The following liturgy will be livestreamed on our YouTube & Facebook accounts - Holy Name Cathedral.





## ¡Thank You to Our Hermanas!

We celebrated the 100th anniversary of the founding of the Order of the Oblate Sisters of Jesus the Priest at the 12:30pm Mass on Sunday, Feb. 11.

The Oblates live at the Rectory and serve the Holy Name Cathedral Community. More than 15 priests and two bishops concelebrated the Mass to honor their hard work and faithfulness.

**Photos by Karen Callaway / Chicago Catholic**



## Installation of Tabernacle Complete

On Sunday, Feb. 11, Fr. Greg Sakowicz (left) uses incense to bless Holy Name Cathedral's new tabernacle, while Deacon Dennis Robak and the Oblate Sisters of Jesus the Priest look on. The Shrine of the Blessed Sacrament is the place where the real presence of Christ dwells in the Eucharist. We are grateful to an anonymous donor for this gift to our Faith Community.



# Evangelization

## Filling Your Spiritual Backpack

### Obi-Wan Catholic: Alec Guinness, Faith and Contradiction in Hollywood

**Sunday, Feb. 25, 1:30pm in Club Room**

Sir Alec Guinness is most beloved for his immortal portrayal of Jedi sage Obi-Wan Kenobi in the Star Wars franchise, films he disdained for their muddled and ambiguous spirituality.

What is not known is that Guinness was a devout Catholic convert who initially proclaimed his faith in overtly religious films like *The Wisdom of Father Brown* and *The Prisoner*. Learn how one of the greatest actors of the twentieth century lived his faith in his life and his art.



Artist and author Joe Malham will facilitate this conversation, Sunday, Feb. 25, after the 12:30 p.m. Mass. We will meet in the Club Room. No advance registration is needed.

## Icon Painting Workshop

**Three-day sessions: March 15-17**

Join us for a unique Lenten experience as iconographer Joe Malham facilitates a three consecutive day icon workshop. The event will be held in the Rectory. This is a silent retreat, a prayerful journey to reveal the face of Christ.

- **Friday, 7pm – 9pm**, beginning with Evening Prayer
- **Saturday, 10am – 4pm**, beginning with Morning Prayer (everyone is invited to attend the 5:15pm Mass)
- **Sunday, 10am – 4pm**, beginning with Morning Prayer

No previous artistic experience is required or needed. The

cost for each attendee is \$200, which covers materials, gold leaf, the icon board and instruction for the three days.

The attendee keeps the final icon. Scan the QR code to register.



## Save the Date

### Go See the ‘Cabrini’ Movie, Then Join Our Discussion

**Monday, March 11, 6:30pm in Club Room**

Remember to get your tickets for the **Mother Cabrini movie coming to theaters on Friday, March 8**. “Cabrini” is based on the true story of St. Frances Xavier Cabrini.

After witnessing disease and poverty in the slums of New York, Italian immigrant, St. Frances Cabrini and her sisters embark on a daring adventure to persuade the Catholic Church and a hostile mayor to provide housing and healthcare for hundreds of orphans and over 50,000 Italian immigrants.

Despite tremendous odds, Mother Cabrini established many schools, orphanages, and hospitals in the U.S.A. and beyond and lifted up the poor, the orphan, and the immigrant as she fought against misogyny, bigotry and the status quo. This inspiring movie shows the power of a woman’s voice.

We will be holding a group discussion on Monday, March 11 about the movie and the first U.S. citizen to be canonized a saint, St. Frances Xavier Cabrini. Mother Cabrini is the patron saint of immigrants. At Holy Name Cathedral, we have a bronze statue of her in our courtyard and a first-class relic from her in our reliquary.

Be sure to see “Cabrini” over opening weekend in advance of **our group discussion on Monday, March 11, from 6:30-8:00 pm in the Club Room**. This facilitated discussion will be led by a panel and the Cathedral staff. All are welcome!







## Lenten Almsgiving Spotlight

### Support Our Thursday/ Friday Suppers Ministry

Giving alms has always been an important aspect of Lent. Some people donate money to a charity, but the idea of almsgiving is more profound. The teachings of Jesus encourage us to help people in need, not just by donating money, but also by giving our time and talents.

We have a variety of opportunities to deepen your Lenten journey. We invite you to join one of our Thursday or Friday Suppers this Lent. Each week, the Holy Name Cathedral volunteer team prepares and serves hot meals to our neighbors facing homelessness and food insecurity. We would love to have you join one of our teams!

- **Volunteers serve 220+ hot meals** for sit-down guests (food is provided by local restaurants through either donations or purchased by Holy Name Cathedral), working from 4:30pm – 6:30pm on a Thursday or Friday
- **Bake:** Volunteers are needed to bake 220 cookies or small desserts we serve at our Thursday/Friday suppers.
- **Donations:** All food for the program is provided by HNC. We need help finding and reaching out to local restaurants to donate 220 meals for one of the Thursday or Fridays during the month.

- **Entertainment:** Can you play the piano or the guitar?

We would love to entertain the guests with music on Thursdays and Fridays from 5-6pm

This challenge is about growing in faith, being generous, and living the Gospel. If you're interested in participating in this vital ministry, scan the QR code.



## New Service Opportunity

### Join Us to Create Lenten Care Packages for Local Homeless

**Sunday, March 3, 5:00pm in FXW Cafeteria**

The 2024 Parish Lenten Mission will begin on Sunday, March 3. We invite you to make this special service project a part of your parish mission. We will be packing Lenten Care Packages on Sunday, March 3 that will be distributed to the local homeless population.

We will gather before the Parish Lenten Mission in the FXW cafeteria from 5:00pm-6:30pm. Please scan the QR code to sign up!



### Faith and Fitness Continues by Popular Demand!

**Sunday, March 3 at 4:00pm in Club Room**

Fitness Professional Michele Sotak and Spiritual Theologian Father Louis Cameli come together to facilitate conversations on the importance and connection between fitness and faith. They will educate upon how these elements intersect to make us become a better and more holy version of self, to serve others more effectively, and overcome challenges by developing mental fortitude in everyday life. Our topic on March 3 will be "Practical steps to incorporate faith-based fitness."

Please scan the QR code to register. Questions? Email Michele Sotak at [msotak@holynamecathedral.org](mailto:msotak@holynamecathedral.org).



## Honor A Loved One with a Mother Cabrini Commemorative Paver

**Next Order Deadline: April 15**

Holy Name Cathedral is home to the Mother Cabrini Statue and Garden honoring the life and legacy of St. Frances Xavier Cabrini. Mother Cabrini dedicated her life in service to others and is the Patron Saint of Immigrants and the first United States citizen to be canonized a saint.

The Mother Cabrini Garden offers pavers for engraving. Memorialize a loved one, honor someone special, or commemorate a significant event through the purchase of a paver. Paver forms can be downloaded at [tinyurl.com/CabriniPaver](https://tinyurl.com/CabriniPaver). If you would like to order an engraved paver, the next deadline for ordering is April 15. For more information, contact Mary Lederer at 312-573-4432 or [mlederer@holynamecathedral.org](mailto:mlederer@holynamecathedral.org)

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at the table

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Save The Date

Heart  
of Holy Name

**FRIDAY, APRIL 12**  
6:00PM

**CHICAGO CULTURAL CENTER**  
GAR Hall and Rotunda  
78 East Washington Street, Chicago

Celebrate with us at the second Annual Heart of Holy Name as we raise funds for the mission and ministries of Holy Name Cathedral and honor Father John Boivin with the 2024 Heart of Holy Name Award. An evening with old friends and new, a delightful feast with cocktails, music and dancing with Rich Daniels and the City Lights Orchestra, live auction and more.

We look forward to seeing you at our major fundraiser of the year. Watch for more details regarding sponsorships and tickets in our bulletin and at [holynamecathedral.org](https://holynamecathedral.org).

 Holy Name Cathedral



## A Little Humor from the Rector



**“I stood waving to my neighbor for ten minutes this morning before realizing she was cleaning her windows!”**

## Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Program

### Preparation on Three More Saturday Mornings

Holy Name Cathedral again is sponsoring the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program for clients with income below \$70,000. Free tax preparation is available only on the following Saturdays: March 2, March 23, and April 13 in the Parish Center from 9:30am to 4:00pm.

**Clients are assisted on a first-come, first-served basis provided they arrive by 12:30pm.** Please bring a government-issued photo ID and Social Security card for all individuals listed on the tax return — including dependents and all tax documents. Any questions can be sent to [hncvita@yahoo.com](mailto:hncvita@yahoo.com).

### Save the Date

## Enjoy Food & Fellowship at our Lenten Fish Fry and Trivia!

**Friday, March 22 in FXW Cafeteria  
Dinner at 6:30pm, Trivia begins at 7:15 p.m.**

Join us for an evening of fellowship and delicious food! Our Lenten event this year will have two parts: Fish Dinner and Group Trivia contest.

We welcome back our partner, Kasia's Deli, as our caterer. Kasia's received both the Best of Chicago, Local Business as well as Best Caterer Expertise in 2020.

The dinner will be \$25/person. This is a BYOB event so bring your favorite beverage! The dinner will offer:

- a wild-caught cod fillet,
- a few potato and cheese pierogies, and
- assorted kolaczki for dessert

If you wish to just attend the trivia portion of the evening, just buy a ticket for trivia for \$5. Plan to arrive around 7:15pm when we will re-open the doors. This Lenten event is sponsored by the Worship Pillar with onsite support from the Knights of Columbus.



**First Friday Club of Chicago**  
*Time is Running Out - Register Today!*

**Reverend Otis Moss III**  
Sr. Pastor of Trinity United Church of Christ

*Dancing in the Darkness:*  
**Spiritual Lessons for Thriving in Turbulent Times**

**Friday, March 1, 2024 | 12 Noon**  
Union League Club | 65 W Jackson Blvd, Chicago



## What is a Mass Intention?

Holy Name Cathedral offers you different possibilities when you request that Mass be celebrated for a particular intention. Requesting a Mass intention means that you are asking that the grace of Christ's sacrifice in his death and resurrection be applied for a particular purpose, for example, for a deceased person or a living person who is ill or in thanksgiving for a favor received.

At Holy Name Cathedral, we celebrate single-intention Masses as well as gathered-intention Masses (Wednesdays at 8:00am and Fridays at 12pm). To request a Mass Intention, please stop by our Rectory during business hours. Any questions, call the Rectory (312) 787-8040.



## Light a Prayer Candle

Lighting a candle for your family and friends or for a personal prayer is an important Catholic tradition. We know many of you may not be able to come into the Cathedral to light the candle yourself. It would be our honor to have one of our resident priests light a Cathedral



Candle on your behalf. They will pray to our Lord to intercede on behalf of your personal intention.

Scan the QR code to complete the request form.

## Wedding Banns

I Jacklyn Wille & Corbin Woods



## Mass Intentions

*Colored dots represent the priest's vestment color*

### Week of Feb. 25 to March 2

#### ● Monday, February 26 (Lenten Weekday)

7 AM + Gary Dahl

8 AM + Bob Becker

12 PM + John Makar Jr.

#### ● Tuesday, February 27 (Lenten Weekday/ Saint Gregory of Narek)

7 AM + Sherri Kelch

8 AM + Ana Zavala

12 PM + Dr. Sarmed Elias

#### ● Wednesday, February 28 (Lenten Weekday)

7 AM + Cyriac Pullapilly

8 AM + Irene Mamica, + Rebecca Stepusin

+ Frank Kloht, Richard "Dick" Dittmar

+ Brian Bongat, Mariano Bongat & Simeon Santos

+ Sofia Escasa, Patricia Banfor, + Alicia Balbuena

12 PM + Emmett McDermott

5.15 PM + Cathy & Bonnie Fiorito

#### ● Thursday, February 29 (Lenten Weekday)

7 AM + Jon Mark Stanford

8 AM + Joan Kasner

12 PM + Charles Hosford Jr.

#### ● Friday, March 1 (Lenten Weekday/World Day of Prayer)

7 AM + Patricia Diedrich

8 AM + Elena Thomas

12 PM + Joshua Kennedy, + Deacon Jesus Zepherino

+ Milagros Batol, + Jose Arno, Sean Maller,

Alba French

#### ● Saturday, March 2 (Lenten Weekday)

9 AM + Charles Schretzman

# Staff Directory

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## Archbishop of Chicago and Pastor

Cardinal Blase J. Cupich

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