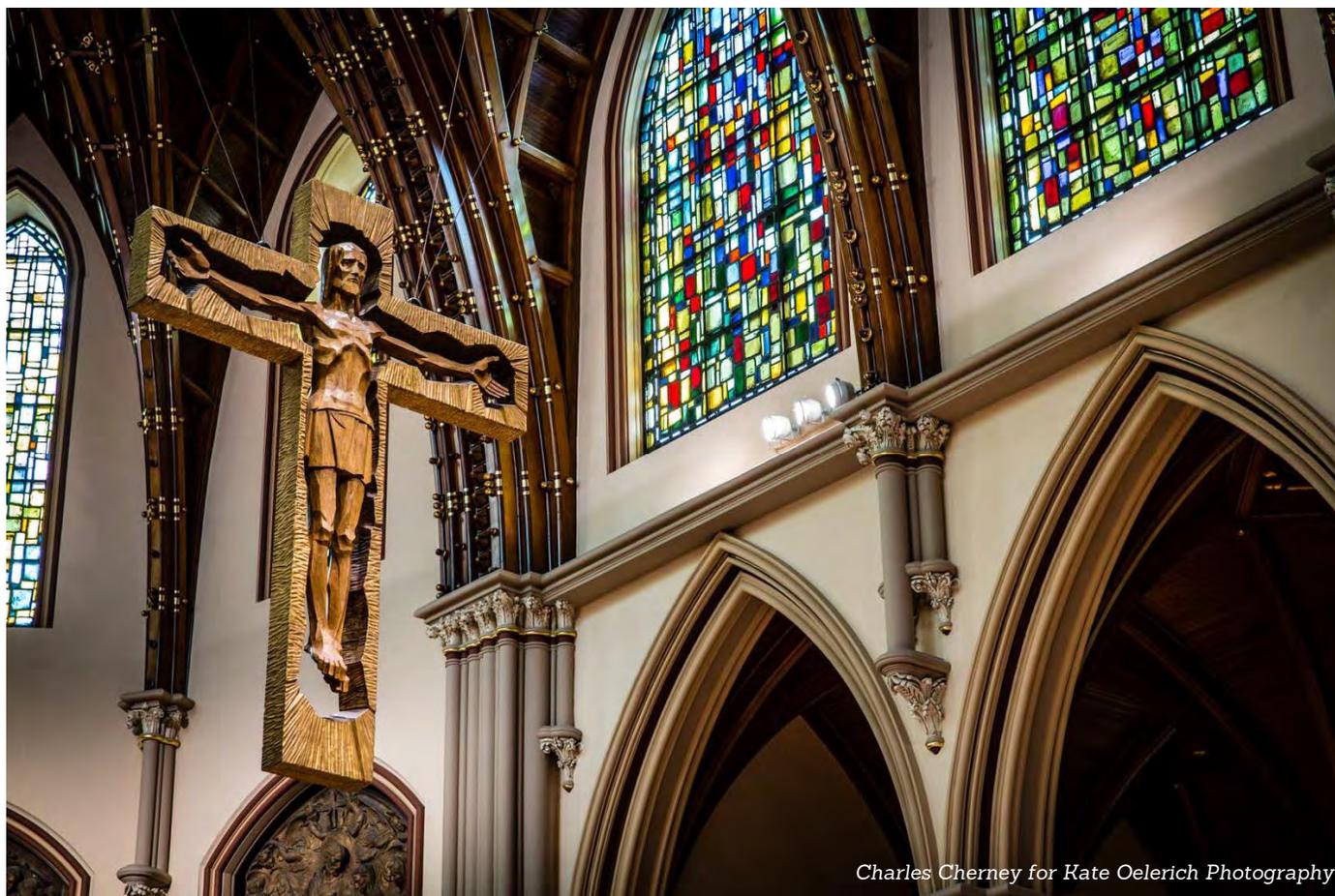


December 16 - Third Sunday of Advent



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Holy Name Cathedral

Mission Statement

As missionary disciples of Jesus Christ we celebrate, transform, and engage our diverse Cathedral parish through worship, life long formation and service to one another.

Mass Schedule

Daily Mass: 6:00, 7:00, 8:00 am, 12:10, 5:15 pm
Saturday: 8:00 am, 12:10 pm
Vigil Masses: 5:15 pm and 7:30 pm
Sunday: 7:00, 8:15, 9:30, 11:00 am; 12:30, 5:15 pm
Saturday Reconciliation: 3:00-5:00 pm; 6:15-7:15 pm

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Archdiocese of Chicago

Message from the Rector



Dear People of God,

Our Advent Season marches forward and for many people the pressure and stresses of life are beginning to build. Who says it has to be a “Season of Burden?” Can we see the “Blessings” within the Advent Season?

The following is a short excerpt from the “Little Blue Book” published out of the Diocese of Saginaw, Michigan. I was intrigued by the comment from the December 5, 2003 Booklet:

“Each time we read a passage about a miracle in scripture, we need to remind ourselves that Jesus performed miracles, not to prove something, but to teach something.

In curing these two blind men, Jesus is teaching us that we aren’t going to ‘see’ the deeper truths of human life and the world around us unless we too let Him open our eyes. He is very glad to do this . . . if we only let him.”

Are we opening our eyes and “seeing” the miracle of Advent giving way to Christmas? Or, like so many, has life become a “full court basketball press” as we hurriedly move into Christmas Day? The following story beautifully connects our lives and Advent’s real meaning and purpose.

One day, riding a bus, British author C.S. Lewis got the feeling that he was keeping the door shut on something in his life. Then and there, he was given a grace to open the door if he wished or to let it remain closed. He writes in his book, Surprised by Joy, “I knew that to open the door . . . meant the incalculable.” He then adds, “I chose to open it.” That choice started him on the road to Christianity and a whole new life.

Lewis’ story reminds us that Jesus knocks daily at the doorstep of our heart, inviting us to open it more fully to his grace.

Along similar lines, Advent is about waiting, listening and letting life surprise us. This wonderful story captures the movement of Advent so well!

An elderly gentleman had serious hearing problems for a number of years. He went to the doctor and the doctor was able to have him fitted for a set of hearing aids that allowed him to hear 100 percent. The elderly gentleman went back in a month to the doctor and the doctor said, “Your hearing is perfect. Your family must be really pleased that you can hear again.” To which the gentleman said, “Oh, I haven’t told my family yet. I just sit around and listen to the conversations. I’ve changed my will three times.”

Miracles—Opening our eyes—Seeing—Listening—Waiting—Surprise. What does Advent mean to you? Please slow down and don’t let the power and beauty of the Advent Season get lost in the whirl and flurry of activities. God is present in the quiet and busy moments of our lives!

Journeying with you,
Fr. Greg

P.S. Join us this Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. as we celebrate our Advent Communal Reconciliation Service in the Cathedral. Individual reconciliation will be offered after time for prayer, song and scripture. What a wonderful gift to give yourself. Together let us celebrate God’s love, mercy and forgiveness.

P.P.S. May the Chicago Bears beat the Green Bay Packers this weekend. GO BEARS!!!



We Remember and Celebrate

Upcoming Weddings at the Cathedral



- II. Xander Jacobson & Carina Rago
- II. Blake Winkler & Rachel Di Naso
- II. Kurtis Garza & Meghan Hartsell
- II. Eric Uebelhor & Gina Di Cello

Welcomed Into Our Family of Faith



- Raelyn Grace Bern
- Jane Mary Lomasney
- Lucille Rose Skay
- Payton Elise Wetlesen

Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them, O Lord

Ann Dice (Mother of Julie Cook)

Pope Francis is inviting Catholics throughout the world to pray the rosary every day to ask St. Michael the Archangel to protect the Church from the devil, who is always trying to separate us from God and from each other. The prayer to St. Michael was composed by Pope Leo XIII.



St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil; may God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl through the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen

Mass Intentions

Monday, December 17

- 6:00 a.m. Kavanaugh Family
- 7:00 a.m. Mary Ann Mc Kasy (+)
- 8:00 a.m. Luke Besser
- 12:10 p.m. Janet Magnonsen (+)
- 5:15 p.m. Bill Jonas

Tuesday, December 18

- 6:00 a.m. Salvadore Mendoza (+)
- 7:00 a.m. Linda A. Murray (+)
- 8:00 a.m. Clark Pleiss
- 12:10 p.m. Larry Tompkins
- 5:15 p.m. His Excellency Tikmehdash (+)

Wednesday, December 19

- 6:00 a.m. Patrick Hockings
- 7:00 a.m. Agostino (Gus) Atagna (+)
- 8:00 a.m. *Special Intention*
- 12:10 p.m. John R. Blair (+)
- 5:15 p.m. Illinois Club for Catholic Women

Thursday, December 20

- 6:00 a.m. S. Clifford Brown
- 7:00 a.m. Catherine Smith (+)
- 8:00 a.m. Marie Claire Schmitt (+)
- 12:10 p.m. Jerry Weiner
- 5:15 p.m. Maria & Stefan Laskowski (+)

Friday, December 21 - St. Peter Canisius

- 6:00 a.m. Cori Elizabeth Sikich (+)
- 7:00 a.m. Francesco Campione (+)
- 8:00 a.m. Jolie & Barbara
- 12:10 p.m. Weissensel Family
- 5:15 p.m. Frank Scire

Saturday, December 22

- 8:00 a.m. Anthony Ciszewski (+)
- 12:10 p.m. *Special Intention*

Do you want others to pray for you and your intentions?

There are over 70 Ministers of Praise in our parish who pray for the intentions of those who request prayers. Our Prayer Request line is 312-573-4493 and is available 24 hours a day. We will add our prayers to yours.



We are looking for new committee members to help collect prayers and design the materials for our monthly mailings to our Ministers of Praise. Want to help? Email Lori Doyle at ldoyle@holynamecathedral.org



Order of Worship

Sign of Peace & Communion from the Cup During Cold & Flu Season:

As we enter this cold and flu season, it is important to recognize that some people are especially susceptible to the viruses that can be spread by contact and that some immune systems are very sensitive. Please understand that some people may choose not to shake hands during the Sign of Peace, but might simply greet you with a smile. If you do decide to come to church for Mass, please remember that frequent and thorough hand washing, refraining from physical contact during the Sign of Peace, and refraining from receiving communion from the Chalice can help prevent the spread of germs.

PRELUDE

Ave Maris Stella

Nicolas de Grigny *Plein Jeu*

INTROIT

Rejoice in the Lord always

Antiphon

Re - joice in the Lord always;
again I say re - joice.

Phil 4: 4-5
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ENTRANCE HYMN

All other Masses

On Jordan's Bank

Worship Hymnal #392

WINCHESTER NEW

Sunday 9:30 am & 5:15 pm

Awake! Awake, and Greet the New Morn

REJOICE, REJOICE

PENITENTIAL RITE

Ambrosian Chant

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Cantor, then ALL:

Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.
Chri - ste e - le - i - son.
Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.

READINGS

Worship Hymnal #1009

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Sunday 9:30 am & 5:15 pm

Celtic Alleluia

Worship Hymnal #333

All other Masses

Mode IV

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

Sunday 9:30 am & 5:15 pm

Sí Tuvieras Fe (If You Had Faith)

Latin American Folk Song

Si tuvieras fé como un grano de mostaza,
eso lo dice el Señor,
Tu le dirías a esa montaña, “¿Muévete, muévete!”
Y esa montaña se moverá, se moverá, se moverá.

If you had faith small as a mustard seed within you,
So says the word of the Lord.
Then you can say to any mountain, “Get up and move.”
And then the mountain would get up and move.

Order of Worship

Sunday 11:00 am

Rejoice, O Daughter Zion

H. Ricardo Ramirez

Rejoice, O daughter Zion. Shout for joy, O daughter of Jerusalem! See, your king shall come to you; Rejoice O heartily, a just Savior is he, Meek and riding on an ass, on a colt, the foal of an ass. He shall banish the chariots from Ephraim, and the horse from Jerusalem. The warrior's bow shall be banished, he shall proclaim peace to the nations. His dominion shall be from sea to sea, and from the River to the ends of the earth. Rejoice, rejoice, O daughter of Zion. Rejoice, heartily!

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY, MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION, AMEN, LAMB OF GOD

Mass of the Angels and Saints

Worship Hymnal #361, 362, 363, 364, 383

COMMUNION HYMN

Sunday 11:00

This is the Record of John

RECESSIONAL HYMN

All other Masses

Creator of the Stars of Night

Worship Hymnal #405

CONDITOR ALME SIDERUM

Sunday 9:30 & 5:15 pm

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Say to those who are frightened: Be of great comfort, and do not be afraid; Behold our God shall soon come, and bring us salvation.

V. The desert and the parched land will rejoice;

They will bloom with abundant flowers, and rejoice with joyful song.

COMMUNION HYMN

All other Masses

Magnificat

Worship Hymnal #124

Jacques Berthier

Sunday 9:30 am & 5:15 pm

Prepare Ye the Way of the Lord

James E. Moore, Jr

Sunday 9:30 & 5:15 pm

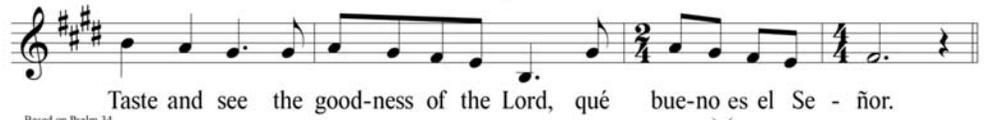
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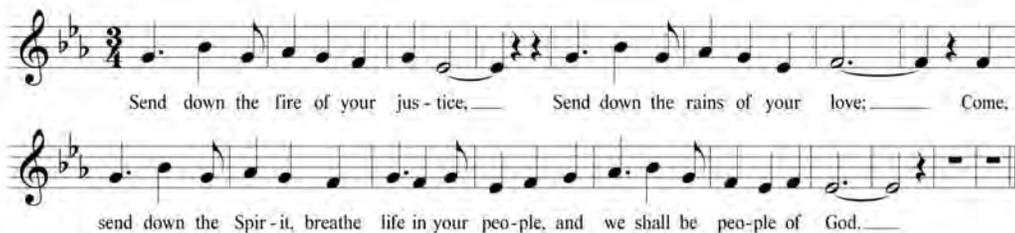
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Repuestas a las estrofas/Verse Responses



Based on Psalm 34
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POSTLUDE

**Dialogue dur les Grands
Jeux from Ave Maris Stella**

Nicolas de Grigny

Text: Mary Haugen, b. 1950
Tune: Mary Haugen, b. 1950
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ADVENT RECONCILIATION SERVICE

On **Tuesday, December 18 at 6:00 p.m.** we invite you to experience God's mercy through the Sacrament of Reconciliation. After a brief prayer service, all will be welcomed to come forward for individual confessions.

"OPLATKI" – CHRISTMAS WAFERS

Now available in the rectory. Please be generous in your donation for the Oplatki. All proceeds will go to our Liturgy Department.

ADVENT VESPERS

Join our Cathedral Choirs for this unique opportunity of prayer every Sunday in Advent at 4:00 p.m.

Each celebration of Vespers is preceded by an organ concert at 3:30 p.m.

EUCHARIST ADORATION

Due to the Christmas preparation and cleaning our Cathedral, Eucharist Adoration this week is cancelled. We apologize for any inconvenience.

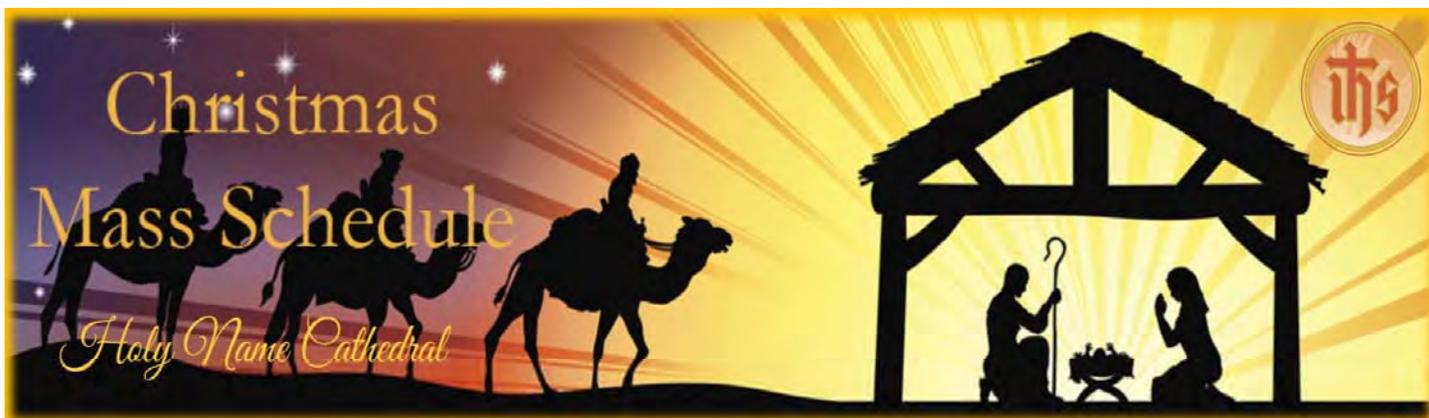
VOTIVE CANDLE LIGHTS

For ages, the Catholic faithful follow the custom of lighting candles at churches and shrines as a glorious form of prayer and remembrance. The light from the candle's flame is a powerful symbol of Christ, the Light of the World. We just installed new votive candle lights in the sanctuary by the Blessed Mother Altar. Consider lighting a candle for your loved one during this Advent season or for an intention.

SHOW YOUR HOLY NAME PRIDE

Just in time for the holidays, get your Holy Name T-shirts and postcards. The Docents are raising money to expand our educational ministry by offering a suggested donation of \$15 for T-shirts and \$1 for postcards. Postcards can be found in the rectory. If interested in T-shirts, please drop off a check in an envelope that is marked with your size and how many T-shirts you want. Make checks out to Holy Name Cathedral and direct the envelope to Michelle Peltier. If you have any questions please contact the rectory or email Michelle at mpeltier@holynamecathedral.org.

Next Sunday, docents will be available in the vestibule to take your order.



**Christmas
Mass Schedule**
Holy Name Cathedral

Vigil Masses, Monday, December 24 - 4:00PM & 6:00PM

Christmas Caroling - Monday, December 24 11:20PM

Midnight Mass with Cardinal Blase Cupich - by requested tickets

Masses of the Day, Tuesday, December 25

7:00AM, 8:15AM, 9:30AM, 11:00AM, 12:30PM, 5:15PM

Faith Formation

BOOST YOUR BELIEFS:

Ministry of Accompaniment: No One Should Wear These Shoes

People in our community are wearing shoes that hurt, that are too big, that others stare upon and sometimes laugh at the shoes as well as the persons wearing the shoes. Mothers and families are crying out for our faith communities to walk with them, to feel their pain and to look upon them not as “other” but as brother or sister. We are invited, in this year of 2019, to break down the walls that divide us and open our hearts to those who are walking alone, hurting and without hope.



Sister Donna Liette is a Sister of the Precious Blood. Her present ministry is at Precious Blood Ministry of Reconciliation (PBMR) where she accompanies Mothers/families through the trauma of violence and incarceration. She is a Restorative Justice Practitioner. She holds a MA from New York University.

**Thursday, January 17
6:30 p.m., Clubroom**

Register online

<https://tinyurl.com/boost11719>

MARCH FOR LIFE



Mark your calendars for the March for Life, January 13, 2019. The Sustain Life Initiative will collaborate with the Archdiocese to promote the dignity of all life.

NEW RCIA COHORT GATHERING

We are currently gathering persons for a February cohort for those who are discerning to become a Catholic. If you are curious, set up a time with us to ask questions. If you know someone who is curious about the Catholic Faith, encourage him or her to set a time for a discussion. Sometimes, a person needs some help to make that first move. You may even serve as sponsor of a candidate. Contact Fr. Don Cambe or Dr. Ken Ortega.



dcambe@holynamecathedral.org

kortega@holynamecathedral.org

ADULT CONFIRMATION



There are many reasons that adults (18 years +) may not have received the sacrament of Confirmation. The eight session process begins in late February. Please note that if you are seeking Confirmation and Eucharist, the RCIA ministry is the appropriate preparation. Contact Dr. Ken Ortega, to register kortega@holynamecathedral.org

CHILDREN FAITH FORMATION CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Join our children in their grade level spiritual presentations for Christmas, Sunday, December 16, 9:15 a.m., in the auditorium. Enter through the side doors, via the courtyard.



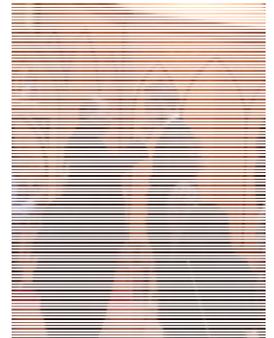
RCIA in Action



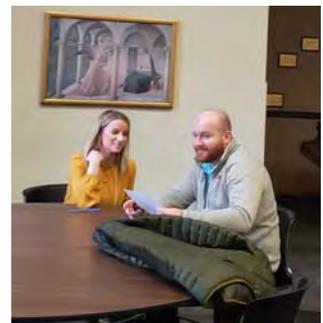
The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) allows adults to discern how the Catholic Faith may serve as the foundation for their relationship with God. The first period of the process is known as Inquiry or Precatechumenate. Adults are invited to raise questions, seek clarification on certain aspects of the Catholic Church, and pray if this is a path for themselves.



On December 2, 2018, Cardinal Cupich invited the inquirers to publicly proclaim their intent to enter the next stage during the Rite of Acceptance. Now referred to catechumens (unbaptized) and candidates (baptized in another Christian tradition or Catholic seeking Eucharist and Confirmation), these adults participated in their first spiritual retreat, an opportunity to reflect, discuss, and pray about the call to be a follower of Christ.



On December 8, the catechumens, candidates, sponsors, and team gathered at Catholic Charities, LaSalle Street, to get away from the normal routine and spend a day with one another and with God. We recognized the precatechumenate team, introduced the catechumenate team, and offered prayers for both teams. Three adults who were ill the previous week, were able to make their own public proclamation at the Solemnity Mass of the Immaculate Conception, which concluded the day.



Human Concerns

Gifts for the person who has everything

Looking for something different as a Christmas gift? Consider a donation to our *Thursday-Friday Suppers* in the name of a family member who has everything or a friend who is hard to shop for or a co-worker. A letter of announcement is mailed to the honoree and a letter of acknowledgment to the donor.

Greater Chicago Food Depository Saturday, January 5

Join us the first Saturday of each month at the Greater Chicago Food Depository. Your 3.5 hour contribution makes a positive difference in the lives of local Chicago families.

Sign up at <https://tinyurl.HNCGCFD>

Dining Out



The following restaurants donated meals to the Thursday and Friday suppers served each week by Holy Name Cathedral parish to the local hungry. As you may be dining out, please consider supporting them for their generous support of our ministry. Be sure to mention that you are from Holy Name Cathedral and appreciate their donations.

Hackney's
735 S. Dearborn
312-461-1116

Tiparo's
1540 N. Clark St.
312-712-9900

Flaco's Tacos
46 E. Chicago Ave.
312-266-8226

Italian Village
71 W. Monroe
312-332-7005

The Chicago Chop House
60 W. Ontario
312-787-7100

Joe's Seafood & Steak
60 E. Grand Ave.
312-379-5637

Blessings in a Backpack

DOUBLE PACKING

We usually need volunteers to help pack 240 bags of non-perishable food each Thursday during the school year at the HNC rectory. This Thursday, December 20th, because of the holidays, we will be packing twice as many bags so the children will have food over the two holidays.

Sign up at <https://tinyurl.com/HCCblessings>

Does your company or business need a volunteer opportunity? Contact HNCBlessings@gmail.com or call 502-724-0678 for more information.



Holy Name Career Network

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For more information contact Joe Wade at jwade@holynamecareernetwork.org

Thursday and Friday Suppers



Every Thursday and Friday at 4:45 p.m.

What: A free, warm meal

Where: Catholic Charities - 721 N. LaSalle Drive (LaSalle and Superior)

For Whom: 130 local hungry dine-in guests, plus 80 bag lunches to go = 210 people fed each night.

Cost: Free for the guests; almost \$1,000 for the parish.

Funded by: Donors like you. Make a donation to support this important ministry of the Cathedral by dropping off a check addressed to Holy Name Cathedral in an envelope marked Thursday-Friday Suppers.

Sponsored by our Cathedral Human Concerns Commission



Cathedral Information and Events

Friends of Fr. Augustus Tolton



Fr. Gus was the first African American priest in the United States and in Chicago. He died in 1897 at Mercy Hospital at the age of 43. As a Servant of God, he is now a candidate for both beatification and canonization. We are praying for the miracles required for his sainthood to be a reality.

Join us for our January meeting on Sunday the 19th at noon in the rectory. Joyce Duriga, editor of the Catholic New World, has recently written a book on the life of Fr. Gus entitled 'Augustus Tolton: The Church is the True Liberator (People of God.)' She will speak about his life and his holiness, especially his response to the prejudice he encountered. Books will be available for purchase.

Also, there is a special treat for our February meeting.

2018 Annual Catholic Appeal

The 2018 Annual Catholic Appeal is coming to a close. If you still have a pledge balance, please complete your pledge payments as soon as possible.

For those who make charitable contributions at the end of the year, please consider gifts to your Parish and to the Annual Catholic Appeal. Your financial support is greatly appreciated.

On behalf of Cardinal Cupich, our Rector, Fr. Greg Sakowicz, our Parish Appeal Leadership and Parish staff, thank you for supporting your neighbors in Cook and Lake Counties, as well as around the world. Every gift is important and appreciated.

If you have not made a gift as yet and you wish to be part of the 2018 Annual Catholic Appeal, it's not too late. Please contact the Annual Catholic Appeal at 312-534-7959 or www.annualcatholicappeal.com

Give the Gift of Education

Give the gift of education to low-income students at Archdiocesan schools while receiving 75 percent state tax credit through the Illinois tax credit scholarship program.

There is still time to apply for a 2018 tax credit and donate to a Scholarship Granting Organization. Visit www.archchicago.org/tcs for more information.

Cathedral Filipino Network

Simbang Gabi. December 17, 2018. Monday, 7 PM Mass. Main Presider: Very Rev. Greg Sakowicz.

Includes the Cathedral Filipino Singers (CFS).

Simbang Gabi is a cherished Filipino Christmas tradition. It is a novena of dawn Masses in the Philippines since the 16th century decree from Pope Sixtus V in preparation for the birth of Jesus Christ and the propagation of the Holy Catholic Faith.

Simbang Gabi, meaning "Mass in the Dark," takes place at dawn traditionally at 4 AM, to enable farm workers to attend before their fieldwork. The novena starts on December 16th ending with the midnight Mass on Christmas Eve. The Christmas lantern called "Parol," a five-pointed star, is one of the most iconic symbols of Filipino Christmas spirit. It represents the Star of Bethlehem that guided the Three Wise Men to the manger of Baby Jesus. Parols are hung outside the homes to light the way for churchgoers.



At Holy Name, we invite everyone to gather at the church by 6:30 PM. Please arrive early as we expect a huge attendance being the only downtown church with Simbang Gabi on December 17, 2018.

Feast of Santo Niño, January 12, 2019. Saturday, 11 AM Mass. Main Presider: Rev. Louis Cameli.

Includes the Cathedral Filipino Singers (CFS).

Gathering time at the church is 10:30 AM.

CFN celebrates the annual Feast of Santo Niño with the venerated statue of the Child Jesus of Prague. The devotion to the Child Jesus is ubiquitous and observed with reverence around the world. In the Philippines, Santo Niño de Cebu was a gift from Ferdinand Magellan in 1521 to the Queen Humamay, wife of Rajah (king) Humabon. This miraculous statue was later discovered blackened and covered with ashes after a coastal town was set on fire and razed by the Spaniards, who brought Christianity to the Philippines. The image of the Santo Niño is the oldest surviving Catholic relic in the Philippines, along with the Magellan cross. At Holy Name, the Feast of Santo Niño includes Illinois and Indiana devotees, who bring their Santo Niño statues for blessings during the Mass.



Cathedral Events

ACT II . . . for everyone 40 and over

ACT II is committed to the needs and interests of Holy Name parishioners age 40 and over. Our goal is to encourage participation and a sense of belonging within the Holy Name community by providing opportunities for **SOCIAL** gathering, **CULTURAL** & **EDUCATIONAL** pursuits, **SPIRITUAL** development and community **SERVICE**.

LUMA TOURS ENHANCE THE SEASON

Thanks to our intrepid LUMA docent, **Dave Schanding**, and event leaders **Ginny Smolky**, **Marsha Braunlich** and **Christine Erikson**, there were TWO GROUP TOURS held on December 4th of "100 Creches From Around the World," a visual testament of the artistic depictions of Christ's birth from many lands & cultures. Between the tours & the accompanying lunches, the word is out that a good time was had by all!

JOY TO THE WORLD



JOIN ACT II & SUBSCRIBE TO OUR NEWSLETTER

There is no membership fee to join ACT II & no restrictions other than being 40 or older & wanting to participate. Send your email address to: act2mail@holynamecathedral.org. As an ACT II member you will also **receive our weekly email**, which has more Holy Name and local community news than can be included in this column.

Holy Name Cathedral Young Adults

welcome everyone in their 20's and 30's to share companionship in Christ.

Prayers With Mary and Thursday Social at Quartino Every Thursday at 6:00pm at the HNC Chapel

Deepen your relationship with Jesus and Mary, experience the joy and beauty of their love, and serve others through prayer! Join us afterwards for dinner and the book club meeting.

Our prayers include the Rosary, intercessory requests, and thankful praise. Everyone is welcome and no experience is necessary, only a desire to embrace God's and our Blessed Mother's love!

Prayers with Mary meets every Thursday at 6:00 PM in the HNC Chapel in the back of the Church. Ask security if you are lost.

Sunday Brunch and Christmas Caroling Sunday, December 16th at 12:00pm

Join the Young Adults as we share Christmas joy while singing with seniors at Little Sisters of the Poor, St. Mary's Home (2325 N Lakewood Ave, Chicago)! We will meet at Derby Chicago for brunch before Caroling (1224 W Webster Ave, Chicago) at 12pm.



December Book Club Meeting Thursday, December 20th at 6:45pm

Book: *Out of the Silent Planet* by C.S. Lewis

The HNC Young Adult Book Club will meet (more or less) every 4th Thursday of each month after Prayers with Mary. BYOB and pot-luck snacks to share. Enter the Rectory through the entrance on Wabash. Free parking in the HNC lot, which is accessible off Superior between Dearborn and State. All ages welcome.

January Book (1/24): *City of God* by St. Augustine

Second Friday New Years Supper at Catholic Charities

Friday, January 11th at 3:30pm

Join fellow young adults from HNC as we serve a Friday meal and sharing smiles with those in need in a special New Years themed event. We will meet at Catholic Charities at 721 N. LaSalle Street at 3:30 PM, but if you are not available until later, there will still be great opportunities to help. No experience is necessary, only an interest in brightening the day of our 130 guests.

January Roundtable with Will Stuever Sunday, January 13th at 6:30pm

Topic: Discussion with our Seminarian Will Stuever from Mundelein!

Join us at the Club Room (basement of the school building) after the 5:15 pm mass on Sunday, January 13. Will Stuever, one of our seminarians from Mundelein, will be joining us to discuss his vocation and path to priesthood. Will is from a small town outside of Wichita, Kansas and graduated from Wichita State University in 2015 with a degree in Criminal Justice. Come here his story and how faith has filled his life! Dinner will be served until 7:00 pm. The Roundtable Discussion will go from 7:00 pm to 8:15 pm.

For more information about any activities email youngadults@holynamecathedral.org or check out the HNC Young Adults Facebook page <http://facebook.com/hncya>.

EXPANDING OUR HORIZONS TOGETHER

This Week at the Cathedral

Sunday, December 16

EVENT	TIME	LOCATION
Chicago Shares	8:30 AM	Church Vestibule
RCIA	8:30 AM	Club Room
Children's Faith Formation Classes	9:15 AM	FXW Classrooms
Advent Vespers	3:30 PM	Cathedral

Monday, December 17

EVENT	TIME	LOCATION
ACT II/Bridge	12:30 PM	Rm 204
Rosary	5:45 PM	Cathedral
ACT II/Pinochle	6:00 PM	Rm 204
Young Adult Board Mtg.	6:30 PM	Rm 201
Simbang Gabi Mass and Reception	7:00 PM	Cathedral

Tuesday, December 18

EVENT	TIME	LOCATION
Rosary	5:45 PM	Chapel
Advent Reconciliation Service	6:00 PM	Cathedral

Wednesday, December 19

EVENT	TIME	LOCATION
Rosary	5:45 PM	Cathedral
Rainbows	6:00 PM	Rm 208
Bible Study	6:30 PM	Club Room

Thursday, December 20

EVENT	TIME	LOCATION
Blessings in a Backpack	10:30 AM	Rm 208/201
ACT II/Bible Study	10:30 AM	Rm 204
Holy Hour for Vocations	3:00 PM	Cathedral
Young Adult Prayers with Mary	6:30 PM	Chapel
Young Adult Book Club	7:00 PM	Rm 201

Friday, December 21

EVENT	TIME	LOCATION
No Scheduled Events		

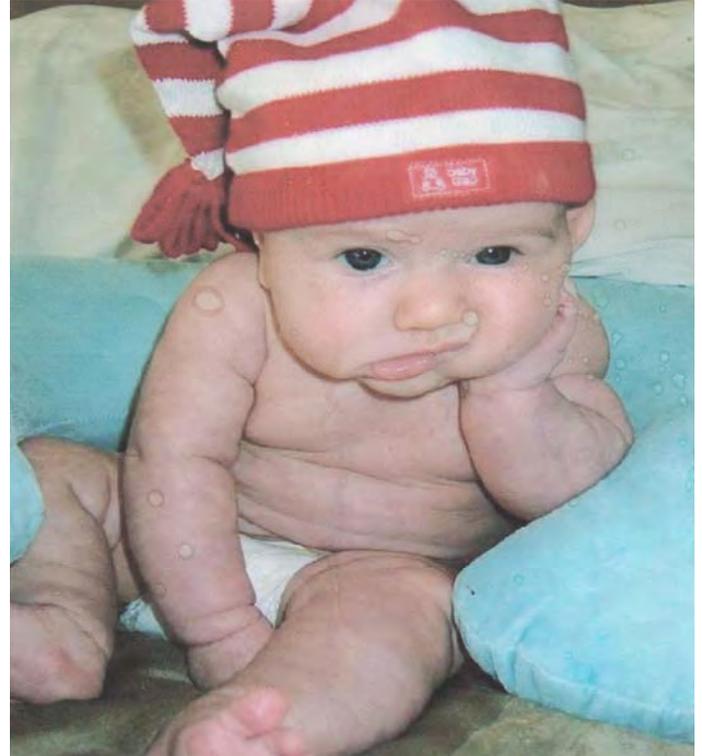
Saturday, December 22

EVENT	TIME	LOCATION
No Scheduled Events		

Sunday, December 23

EVENT	TIME	LOCATION
Advent Vespers	3:30 PM	Cathedral

Humor from the Rector



“I’m getting crushed in my Fantasy Football League again this year!”

Parish Stewardship Sunday Offertory

*FY19 Annual Collection Budget \$36,600 /week
(\$1,900,00 million annually)*

<i>Weekend Collection</i>	<i>\$31,893</i>
<i>Sustaining Donors Weekly Average (automatic electronic giving—thank you!)</i>	<i>\$7,200</i>
<i>Total Collection Weekend of Dec. 8 & 9</i>	<i>\$39,093</i>
<i>Surplus/(Deficit)</i>	<i>\$2,493</i>

Religious Retirement Fund *\$12,106*

Thank you to those who regularly and generously give of their treasure as well as those who give of their time and talent to support the work of our Cathedral.



Joy

Christmas is joy,
religious joy,
God's joy,
an inner joy
of light and peace.

Peace

~ Pope Francis



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Register as a Parishioner: If you regularly pray with us at the Cathedral, we want to welcome you as a member of our Faith Community. You can register on our website, or stop by the Cathedral Administrative Offices.

Keep Us Informed: Help us keep our database up-to-date by sending us any changes in address, email, phone number or name.

Private Prayer: The Cathedral is open throughout the day for private prayer and devotions.

Volunteer Opportunities: Find yourself looking for that perfect opportunity to volunteer at the Cathedral? Send an e-mail to hncvolunteercommunity@gmail.com and become a member of our volunteer community.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: Are you interested in becoming Catholic? Are you looking to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation? Contact Don Cambe at dcambe@holynamecathedral.org

Mass Intentions: Weekday Mass intentions are available for parishioners who would like their intentions to be remembered at Mass. Intentions are available for those who have died or through a Spiritual Bouquet for someone who is living. Stop by the Cathedral Administrative Offices to obtain a date and time.

Eucharistic Adoration: Join in adoration in the Cathedral on the first and third Friday of the every month. If there is a funeral or special occasion Adoration will take place in the chapel.

Rosary: The Rosary is prayed Monday through Wednesday after the 5:15 p.m. Mass. On the first Wednesday, our Rosary and Novena honor Our Mother of Perpetual Help.

Tours: Want to know more about the Cathedral of the Archdiocese of Chicago and this historic landmark in our city? Schedule a tour through our website with one of our Cathedral Docents.

Baptisms: Infant baptisms are celebrated on designated Sundays throughout the year at 2:00 p.m. Parents of infants are asked to participate in a one-time baptism preparation class before the baptism. Consult our website to register for the class and to schedule the baptism. Baptisms for children over the age of six are coordinated through our Children's Faith Formation program. You can contact Thomas Aspell, Director of Children's Faith Formation, via e-mail at taspell@holynamecathedral.org for more information. Baptisms for adults are a part of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. You can contact Fr. Don Cambe, via email at dcambe@holynamecathedral.org

Marriage: You must be a currently registered member of Holy Name Cathedral in order to be married at the Cathedral. Please allow at least six months prior to the wedding date you desire before making any other plans. Consult our website for more information on celebrating the sacrament of matrimony at the Cathedral

Ministry of Care: If you or your loved one is sick or homebound and unable to attend Mass with us, a trained Minister of Care can bring you Communion. Contact Lori Doyle, Coordinator of Pastoral Ministries, at ldoyle@holynamecathedral.org.

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