

September 21, 2025

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

If, therefore, you are not trustworthy with dishonest wealth, who will trust you with true wealth?



# 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 & 12noon (livestream)  
Wednesday evenings at 5:15 PM

### Saturday

8:00am (livestream) & 5:15 PM Vigil Mass

### Sunday

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

### Saturday Reconciliation

8:00am to 11:00am

# Reflections from Our Rector



## Dear People of God,

Fall officially begins this weekend! Summer is over, and the fall season marks the start of falling temperatures and gorgeous colors ahead. The change that is all around us reminds me of one of my favorite lines. "In life, change is inevitable, but growth is

optional." These are excellent "Food for Thought" ideas in these changing times. Enjoy!

Maybe God wanted us to meet the wrong people before meeting the right one. So that when we finally meet the right person, we will know how to be grateful for that gift.

The best kind of friend is the kind you can sit on a porch and swing with, never say a word, and then walk away feeling like it was the best conversation you've ever had.

It may be true that we don't know what we have got until we lose it, but it is also true that we don't know what we have been missing until it arrives.

Giving someone all your love is never an assurance that they will love you back. Don't expect love in return; wait for it to grow in their heart. But if it does not, be content it grew in yours.

It takes only a minute to get a crush on someone, an hour to like someone, and a day to love someone, but it takes a lifetime to forget someone.

Don't go for looks; they can deceive.

Don't go for wealth, even that fades away.

Go for someone who makes you smile because it takes only a smile to make a dark day seem bright. Find the one that makes your heart smile.

There are moments in life when you miss someone so much that you want to pick them from your dreams and hug them for real.

Dream what you want to dream; go where you want to go; be what you want to be, because you have only one life and one chance to do all the things you want to do.

May you have enough happiness to make you sweet, enough trials to make you strong, enough sorrow to keep you human, and enough hope to make you happy.

The happiest of people don't necessarily have the best of everything; they make the most of everything that comes their way.

Happiness lies for those who cry, those who hurt, those who have searched, and those who have tried, for only they can appreciate the importance of people who have touched their lives.

The brightest future will always be based on a forgotten past; you can't go on well in life until you let go of your past failures and heartaches.

When you were born, you were crying, and everyone around you was smiling. Live your life so that when you die, you are the one who is smiling and everyone around you is crying.

And a little humor to kick off the fall season...

The productivity expert finished his lecture detailing various means to increase work efficiency when a man from the audience asked if the guidance he discussed would be helpful in the home setting as well.

"Yes, but I wouldn't recommend it," he answered.

"So, I take it you've tried it, and it didn't work. Can you tell us what happened?"

"Well, every morning while my wife was preparing breakfast, I noticed that she was going to the fridge, to the stove, to the table, and the pantry, and each time holding just one item. So, I said, 'Honey, that takes so long, why don't you try carrying more than one item at a time?'"

"And did it work?"

"Well, technically yes. It used to take her 17 minutes to prepare my breakfast; now it takes me just 12."

Enjoy Fall,  
Fr. Greg

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Update (every Friday)**

**Young Adults >>>  
Newsletter (bi-weekly)**



## Upcoming Events



### Sunday, September 21

Knights of Columbus Baby Bottle Drive	ALL DAY
Chicago Shares (on Sale in Vestibule)	8:00 AM
15-minute Cathedral Tours	9:30 & 11:30 AM
Friends of Fr. Augustus Tolton Cafe Celebration	9:30 AM
OCIA Session	10:00 AM
Minister of Care Gathering	12:00 PM
Cathedral Tour – Full Tour	1:30 PM
Music Ministry Meet and Greet	2:00 PM
International Living Rosary & Reception	6:30 PM

### Monday, September 22

Knitting & Crocheting Ministry	1:30 PM
Knights of Columbus Meeting	7:00 PM

### Tuesday, September 23

Music Ministry Meet and Greet	5:00 PM
Men's & Women's Young Adult Bible Study	7:00 PM

### Wednesday, September 24

Wednesday Evening Bible Study – via Zoom	6:30 PM
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### Thursday, September 25

Thursday Morning Bible Study	10:00 AM
Dan Schutte Benefit Concert IVC	6:30 PM

### Saturday, September 27

Confessions on the Lower Level of Cathedral	8:00 AM
Young At Hearts Ministry	11:00 AM
Vigil Mass - Domestic Violence Awareness Mass	5:15 PM
CFN San Lorenzo Ruiz Mass & Reception	6:30 PM

### Sunday, September 28

15-minute Cathedral Tours	9:30 & 11:30 AM
OCIA Session	10:00 AM
Faith & Fitness – Sacred Heart of Jesus	1:30 PM
Christifideles Award Ceremony	2:30 PM
Sunday Mass / National Migration Week Mass	5:15 PM



## This Sunday, You're Invited To Our International Living Rosary & Reception

As part of our 175th Anniversary celebration, we want to invite you to our International Living Rosary this Sunday, Sept. 21. Ten languages, traditional dress and a candlelight procession will unify us in Mary's Prayer.

Our evening will begin with the 5:15pm Mass followed by the Living Rosary that will be prayed in multiple languages that showcase the various cultures in the Archdiocese of Chicago. The Rosary will begin at 6:30pm. Free Rosaries will be available.

Following the Rosary, there will be fellowship and a reception celebrating a variety of international cuisines. For more information, see page 4.

✠ Our closing event of the 175th year will be our annual **Ministry Fair on Sunday, Oct. 5**. We'll highlight the events of our celebratory year and showcase the various ministries at Holy Name Cathedral. We'll also highlight and celebrate the events of our 175th anniversary year as we wrap up our celebration. Join us for refreshments and to celebrate the work of our Faith Community.

## On the Cover

*In honor of our anniversary, each week we will spotlight photos from our past 175 years on the bulletin cover. They'll offer a peek into the past of our Faith Community.*

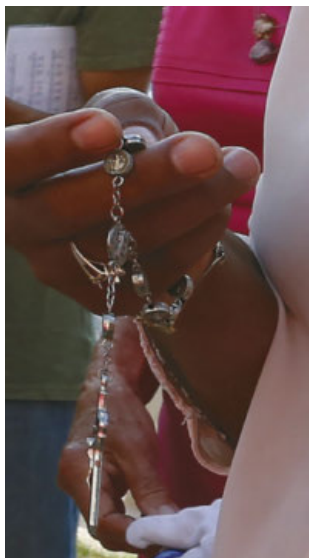
**Photo by Al Podgorski / Chicago Sun-Times archive.**

We remember Bishop Timothy J. Lyne, who died 12 years ago this month — Sept. 25, 2013 — at age 93. He lived at the Cathedral for 47 years and was Pastor/ Rector at Holy Name from 1967 until 1990.



## How to Pray the Rosary

The Rosary is a Scripture-based prayer. It begins with the Apostles' Creed, which summarizes the great mysteries of the Catholic faith. The Our Father, which introduces each mystery, is from the Gospels. The first part of the Hail Mary is the angel's words announcing Christ's birth and Elizabeth's greeting to Mary. The second part is a prayer for intercession, officially added by St. Pius V.



The four sets of Mysteries of the Rosary center on the events of Christ's life.

✠ **Joyful Mysteries:** The Annunciation, The Visitation, The Nativity, The Presentation in the Temple, The Finding in the Temple.

✠ **Sorrowful Mysteries:** The Agony in the Garden, The Scourging at the Pillar, The Crowning with Thorns, The Carrying of the Cross, The Crucifixion and Death.

✠ **Glorious Mysteries:** The Resurrection, The Ascension, The Descent of the Holy Spirit, The Assumption, The Coronation of Mary.

✠ **Luminous Mysteries:** The Baptism of Christ in the Jordan, The Wedding Feast at Cana, Jesus' Proclamation of the Coming of the Kingdom of God, The Transfiguration, The Institution of the Eucharist.

## JOIN OUR FAITH COMMUNITY LIVING ROSARY

SUNDAY, SEPT. 21 AT 6:30PM

Join our Faith Community in a special **Living Rosary** Celebration as a part of the Holy Name Cathedral's 175th Anniversary Year. Afterwards, there will be a reception featuring a variety of international cuisines. Tickets are free but registration is required.

Scan the QR code to register:



## Join Us for Our Annual HNC Ministry Fair

Sunday, Oct. 5, 9:30am to 2:00pm

We invite you to stop by before or after Mass on Sunday, Oct. 5, between 9:30am and 2:00pm to our annual Holy Name Cathedral Ministry Fair. There are opportunities for all parishioners to actively participate in the life of the parish community through our many busy ministries — whether in Worship, Service, Stewardship, Young Adults or Evangelization.

Also this year at the fair, we'll highlight and celebrate the events of our 175th anniversary year as we wrap up our celebration. Join us for refreshments and to celebrate the work of our Faith Community.



## Catholic Illuminations

# What Does it Take To Be a Saint? Look to Fr. Augustus Tolton

By Fr. Andy Matijevic

**O**n Sept. 7, Pope Leo celebrated his first canonization Mass as pope. He canonized St. Pier Giorgio Frassati and St. Carlo Acutis. The journey to this joyful day for the Church didn't happen overnight. There is a process for a person to be declared a saint that goes through the Dicastery for the Cause for the Canonization of Saints in Rome. This process thoroughly investigates the life of a person whose "cause" is open for sainthood by looking at their life, their actions, and their writings (if there are any).



Each person needs two miracles attributed to their intercession to be declared a saint in the Church. Typically, it takes several years for a person to be declared a saint, but in some cases, the process is relatively swift. The general rule is a five-year waiting period from the time of the death of a person before their cause is initiated. Acutis died in 2006, and Frassati in 1925, and both were declared saints together earlier this month. One of the fastest canonizations in modern times was St. John Paul II, who died in 2005 and was declared a saint by Pope Francis in 2014.

Closer to home here in Chicago, a cause for canonization of one of our own priests was formally opened by Cardinal Francis George in 2010, with the findings of the investigation sealed officially and sent to the Vatican for review in 2014. Venerable Augustus Tolton was the first African American Priest in the United States. He was born in 1854 in Missouri, into a family that was enslaved. After his family escaped slavery, they settled in Quincy, Illinois. Due to the color of his skin, he was sent to Rome for seminary because no American seminary would accept him as a student. He was ordained to the priesthood in 1886.

As a priest, Fr. Tolton ministered to Black Catholics throughout Illinois and soon gained recognition for them throughout the country, particularly in Chicago, through his ministry. He built St. Monica's Parish at 36th

and Dearborn as a Black "national parish" with help and funding from St. Katherine Drexel.

Fr. Tolton died at the age of 43 on July 9, 1897, 128 years ago, in Chicago after suffering from heat stroke and exhaustion. As a local Church, let us pray through his intercession so that he may help us on our own journey of holiness. As his cause for canonization progresses, may we look to his life of virtue, of perseverance, and of holiness, praying that in the near future, we as the Archdiocese of Chicago may rejoice that our priest is formally declared among the members of the saints in heaven.

Today, on Sept. 21, the Friends of Fr. Augustus Tolton, a ministry dedicated to promoting the cause of Augustus Tolton, will hold its Annual Tolton event, now known as the Tolton Cafe, in the Cafeteria from 9:30am to 2:00pm. Come join us as we reminisce about Tolton's time in Rome as a seminarian. We will enjoy tasty treats and continue to learn about his life, and pray with hope and joy for the day he is declared a "blessed" and then, raised to the altars of the Church, as a saint.

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## You're Invited to Holy Name's Annual Fr. Tolton Café Celebration!

**THIS SUNDAY: Sept. 21, 9:30am – 2:00pm**

You are cordially invited to our annual Fr. Tolton Café Celebration on Sunday, Sept. 21, from 9:30am to 2pm in the Parish Center Cafeteria. Enjoy free food, learn about Fr. Augustus Tolton, play a fun trivia game with prizes!

We will share fascinating information about the life of Fr. Tolton especially when he was a seminarian in Italy where he said he was the happiest, eat tasty Italian treats, and win prizes in our Fr. Tolton Trivia game (at noon). Fr. Tolton is the first acknowledged Black priest in the United States of America and the first Black priest in the Archdiocese of Chicago. His cause for beatification is ongoing.

## Faithful Until Death: Remembering the Dedication of Venerable Cardinal Mindszenty, 50 Years On

**Monday**  
**Sept. 29, 2025**  
**5:00 PM**

**Holy Name  
Cathedral**

735 N. State Street  
Chicago, IL 60654

**Fr. Skerl Alphonse**

retired Hungarian priest,  
witness to the Cardinal's work

**Márk Érszegi**

Religious Advisor to the State  
Secretary for the Aid of Persecuted  
Christians at the Hungarian  
Ministry of Foreign Affairs and  
Trade

*This event is part of an English lecture series in the Midwest on the life and  
legacy of Hungarian Cardinal József Mindszenty.*

A cooperation between the Archdiocese of Chicago, St. Stephen King of Hungary Roman  
Catholic Church, the State Secretariat for the Aid of Persecuted Christians, the Consulate  
General of Hungary.

## Lift Your Voice! Join our Cathedral Music Ministry

**Auditions on Sept 21 or Sept. 23**

Come and praise the Lord in song with us! We are looking for new members to lift their voices in song to join our Cathedral Music Ministry! The new season will begin on Sept. 28, and we want you to be a part of our worship. There are several different choral options: The Cathedral Singers, who participate in 10:30 a.m. Masses; the Women's Schola and the Cathedral Filipino Singers, who participate in various 5:15 p.m. Masses on Saturday; the Young Adult Music Ministry, who participates in the 5:15 p.m. Mass on the first Sunday of each month.

We are holding two open meetings: one on **Sunday, Sept. 21 from 2:00-4:30pm.** and one on **Tuesday, Sept. 23 from 5:00-7:00pm.** Choose which date works for you and drop by the Music Office (small brick building in the Courtyard) to meet the Music staff, sing a little and be advised which ensemble will work best for your time and talents. Any questions? Please contact Liz Vasiljevic, Associate Director of Music, at [music@holynamecathedral.org](mailto:music@holynamecathedral.org).

## Faith & Fitness Ministry: 'Our Sacred Hearts'

**Sunday, Sept. 28 at 1:30pm in the Club Room**

Our Faith & Fitness ministry resumes in September with a session focused on the health of our hearts on Sunday, Sept. 28 at 1:30pm in the Club Room.

In honor of the installation of our new Sacred Heart of Jesus statue, Fr. Louis Cameli and Michele Sotak, CPT, will present "Our Sacred Hearts", a discussion on the importance of intentionally taking care of our hearts physically and spiritually, providing guidance to support holistic wellness of the heart. Registration is open — scan the QR code.



## Annual Pre-Marathon Mass

**Saturday, Oct. 11 at 5:15pm**

Running in the Marathon? Pre-Marathon Mass on Saturday, Oct. 11 at 5:15pm. As is our Cathedral tradition, all runners are invited to receive a special pre-race blessing at the Vigil Mass on Saturday, Oct. 11 at 5:15pm. As in the past, all marathon cheering squads and friends are encouraged to join in this special Mass.

## The Stump of Jesse

# What's in Your Cup? Discerning the Gift of Vocation

By Fr. Ton Nguyen

**W**hen Peter and John went up to the temple, a lame man begged them for alms. Peter's response still strikes us with power: "Silver and gold I have none; but what I have I give you. In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, rise and walk." (Acts 3:6). I hope, as you read these words, you can almost hear them echoing with the voice of St. Peter himself. What a bold moment of faith!

Peter knew that the greatest gift he could offer wasn't money, but Christ Himself — the One who heals, restores, and gives life in abundance. It reminds us of Jesus' words in Sunday's Gospel: "Whoever does not carry his own cross and come after me cannot be my disciple" (Lk 14:27). To follow Christ means placing Him first — above possessions, above comfort, even above our own will.

Think about it: the lame man could have received coins that day, but he would have remained disabled. Instead, he received Christ — and with Him, the power to stand, to walk, to live fully. That's what Christ does for us. If He is at the center, everything else finds its proper place. Without Him, even abundance leaves us empty; with Him, even sacrifice brings joy.

I see this lived out in people around us. Look at Sr. Guadalupe (right), whose radiant smile flows from her daily rhythm of prayer, Mass, and adoration before she goes out to serve. Or Duncan, a young adult discerning the



priesthood, who discovered God's call during Mass. He left behind his IT career to follow what would draw him closer to sainthood (Scan the QR code to listen to his vocation story.) Their lives remind us that when Christ is the priority, joy isn't forced — it overflows.



A parishioner once shared with me a reflection that brings this home: "You are holding a cup of coffee when someone bumps into you, and it spills everywhere. Why did you spill coffee? Because coffee was in your cup. If it had been tea, you would have spilled tea. The point is simple: whatever is inside your cup will spill out. Life will shake us — it always does. And when it does, what comes out of us? Joy, gratitude, peace, humility? Or anger, bitterness, harsh words, and resentment?" That's the question of discipleship: What's in my cup? If we are filled with Christ — His forgiveness, His gentleness, His love — then that is what will spill out, even when life rattles us.

So, let's take a pause this week. Where do we find our authentic joy? Is it rooted in Christ, or in things that pass away? If our cups feel empty or bitter, perhaps it's time to reorder our priorities, to return to Him who alone satisfies the hunger of our hearts.

Make Christ your center. Fill your life with His presence. And then, like Peter, you'll have something greater than silver or gold to offer the world: the living joy of Jesus Christ. I love being a priest. JMJ.

## Join our Young Adults' Frassati Small Group; Starts in Oct.

Inspired by St. Pier Giorgio Frassati, this fellowship of young adults seeks to live lives of holiness in today's world, following the example of Jesus Christ. Together, we create space to grow spiritually through intentional conversation, disciplined living, and authentic friendship. Join us on this 60-day journey commitment that begins Oct. 4 and finishes Dec. 3. Our format consists of groups of 8-10 young adults with weekly meetings at the Rectory. (Option 1) Saturdays at 9:30am-11:00am or (Option 2); 11:00am-12:30pm; or (Option 3). Wednesdays 6:00 PM-7:30 PM.

Then monthly gatherings with all groups on the second Wednesday of the Month with adoration, prayer, dinner and fellowship. To register, scan the QR code.





## Save The Date

### Promoting Brain Health with Alzheimer's Association

**Wednesday, Oct. 1 at 6:30pm in the Club Room**

Join us for an engaging and informative session on "Managing Alzheimer's Disease in Our Communities and How to Promote Brain Health," designed for anyone who is navigating Alzheimer's or dementia within their family or social circle — or for those simply interested in protecting their brain health. We will meet Wednesday, Oct. 1 at 6:30pm in the Club Room.

We'll explore the latest breakthroughs in Alzheimer's and dementia research, early detection, and risk reduction strategies, as well as impactful public health initiatives that are transforming communities across the state.

This event also marks the kickoff of a new parish-based initiative that will foster fellowship, education, and an ongoing support network within our community. Together, we'll build a space for connection, shared learning, and hope as we journey toward better brain health for all. Please register in advance by scanning the QR code.



### Join our Annual Pet Blessing

**Saturday, Oct. 4 at 9am in Courtyard**

Join us for Mass, and blessing and a lesson on Saturday, Oct. 4 at 9:00am for our annual celebration of St. Francis in the Courtyard.

All animals are welcome, and we encourage them to be on a leash, in a cage or in a bowl.

After Mass, all pets will be blessed, and are invited to stay for a free lesson provided by *Markthedogtrainer.com*, a professional dog trainer with 15 years experience and a who is involved at the Cathedral. Join us as we give thanks to God for our pets and celebrate their patron, St. Francis of Assisi.



## Save The Date

### Annual Parish Service Day

**Saturday, Oct. 11, Starting at Special 9am Mass**

This year, our Annual Day of Service will be held at Lawson House, 803 N. Dearborn, just a block from the Cathedral. The Lawson House is the new home for over 400 residents who previously faced homelessness. As they settle into their new homes, we will have a variety of projects to support their successful transition.

Consider joining in this rewarding day of helping to beautify the property and engage with residents. More details to come! Scan the QR code to register:



## Fall Service Opportunity!

### Volunteer and Donate to Our Annual Toiletries Drive

In preparation for the upcoming Day of Service to help the new residents at Lawson House, we are collecting donations to create by donating before and after all Masses during the weekend of Sept. 27 and 28. Here are two ways you can help!

#### 1. Make a Monetary Donation

The monetary donations will go towards much needed toiletries kits for the new residents at the Lawson House. In the upcoming weeks leading up to the drive, all financial donations are welcome. Please scan the QR code to contribute:



#### 2. Volunteer!

If you are interested in assisting with the Sept. 27/28 drive, we can use your help! You can donate your time by volunteering to help collect donations before and after Mass. Your participation is an invaluable part of the success of the drive. We are looking for volunteers to donate their time during our six Masses. You will need to arrive 15 minutes before Mass starts and stay 15 minutes after Mass ends. Please scan the QR code to sign up!

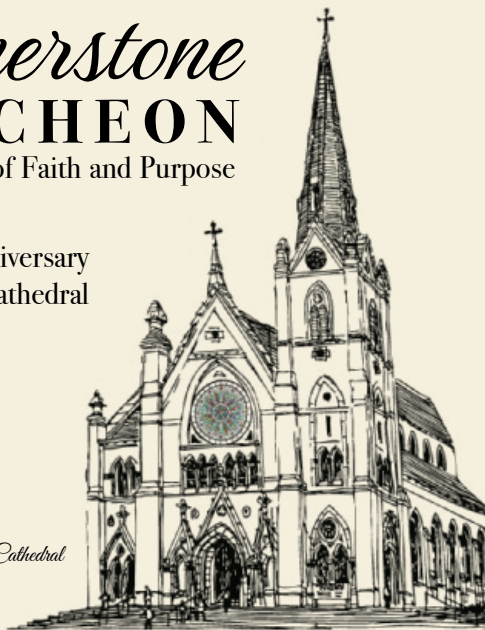




## Cornerstone LUNCHEON

A Gathering of Faith and Purpose

**150<sup>th</sup>** Anniversary  
AS THE Cathedral



Blase Cardinal Cupich,  
Pastor and Archbishop of Chicago  
Very Rev. Gregory Sakowicz, Rector  
requests the honor of your presence at the

### 150TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION OF HOLY NAME CATHEDRAL

as the Cathedral of the Archdiocese of Chicago

**Sunday, Nov. 23, 2025**

**12:30pm:** Holy Name Cathedral 150th Anniversary  
Celebration Mass at the Cathedral

**2:00pm:** Luncheon at the Ritz Carlton –  
Grand Ballroom, 160 East Pearson Street.  
Luncheon tickets are \$175 per person.



RSVP by scanning  
the QR code.  
Please register  
by Nov. 15

Questions? Contact Regina Zielinski  
at [rzielinski@holynamecathedral.org](mailto:rzielinski@holynamecathedral.org)

We hope to see you at this exciting beginning of the

**CATHEDRAL'S**  
**150<sup>th</sup>** Anniversary Year

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## SEMINARIAN EDUCATION FUND

The archdiocesan collection for the  
education and formation of our future priests.

## Invest in the Future of Our Church – Support the Seminarian Fund

### Second Collection This Weekend

The Seminarian Education Fund provides support for the training and education of men studying for priesthood in the Archdiocese of Chicago. The fund helps to cover the cost to educate each archdiocesan seminarian as they proceed through the various stages of formation before ordination as a priest for Chicago.

Please support the men seeking to answer God's call to a life of service as a priest for the Archdiocese of Chicago. Donate through their website: [archchicago.org/seminarianfund](http://archchicago.org/seminarianfund).



## All are Invited to Our Next Masses in Spanish

You are invited to our next Masses in Spanish at the Cathedral on Oct. 12 and Nov. 9 at 2:30 P.M. After Mass there will be a gathering with snacks in the FXW school cafeteria, as well as free clothing and other household items for families in need. We hope you can join us.

# Honoring Our Loved Ones

## Seasons of Hope Bereavement Ministry

**Starts Wednesday, Oct. 8**

Seasons of Hope Bereavement Ministry invites those grieving the loss of a loved one to join our six-week support group, held Wednesdays from Oct. 8 through Nov. 12, 6:00–8:00pm in the Rectory. Rooted in our Catholic tradition, the program offers God's consolation



through Scripture, prayer, reflection, and the sharing of faith within a supportive community. Come and find comfort, hope, and healing in Christ. Scan the QR code to register.

## 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 Matthew Wapinski & Amber Lanz  
Julian Espinoza & Natalie Espinoza  
Anthony Vivero & Chloe Cavida
- II Robert Rigali & Anne Antonsen
- III Joel Kish & Shannon Motyka  
John Peabody & Mary Simons  
Lucas Herbeck & Francesca Rogozinski

## Mass Intentions

*Colored dots represent the priest's vestment color*

**Week of September 22 to 27**

### ● Monday, September 22 (Weekday in Ordinary Time)

- 7 AM + Ililija Jovanovic
- 8 AM + Richard A. Webster
- 12 PM + Dr. Manuel Tantoco

### ○ Tuesday, September 23 (Saint Pius of Pietrelcina)

- 7 AM Kathryn Chalkey
- 8 AM + Frank Oelerich
- 12 PM + Jon Mark Stanford

### ● Wednesday, September 24 (Weekday in Ordinary Time)

- 7 AM + Karen Morrissey
- 8 AM + Daniel Rahill
- 12 PM + Brian Bongat, Mariano Bongat, & Simeon Santos  
+ Francisco Randin, + Virginia E. O'Connor  
+ Louis J Nicastro, + Joanne Giacalone Morris  
+ Celia O'Malley, + Deacon Joseph P. Casey  
Mary Byrne & Family
- 5.15 PM + Jacob & Elizabeth Zimmerman

### ● Thursday, September 25 (Weekday in Ordinary Time)

- 7 AM, 8 AM & 12PM: + Frank Oelerich

### ● Friday, September 26 (Weekday in Ordinary Time)

- 7 AM + Angelica Priego
- 8 AM + Paolo Guanco, Deacon Oswaldo Cunalata  
+ Rosita A. Cruz, + Justina Guanco  
+ Venus Castillo, + Deuijanti Djaja  
+ Pasquale Longo & Elizabeth Dixon  
Ca. Angelica Priego G., Peter Pham  
Hadi Sardjito
- 12 PM + Michael V. Smart Sr.

### ○ Saturday, September 27 (Saint Vincent De Paul)

- 9 AM + Josephine A. Randall

## A Little Humor from the Rector



**“Before you judge someone,  
walk a mile in their shoes.  
After that, who cares? They are a mile  
away and you’ve got their shoes!”**

## Young at Hearts Gathering with Fr. Pat Gorman

**Saturday, Sept. 27; 11:00am in the Club Room**

From Fr. Ton: Join us at our next Young at Hearts luncheon with Fr Pat Gorman on Saturday, Sept. 27 at 11:00am in the Club Room. He will speak on “A Church in the World: Vatican II and the Mission of Holiness.”

Given the many misconceptions about the documents of Vatican II, Fr. Pat Gorman will be presenting on this important topic. He was born in Park Ridge and partly raised in Columbus, Ohio, studied computer science at Notre Dame and Purdue before discerning his call to the priesthood. He was the associate pastor at St. Alphonsus, director of Chicago seminarians and the propaedeutic (spirituality) year, and now serves as Administrative Secretary to the Archbishop. Scan the QR code to register.



## Come Celebrate the Feast of San Lorenzo Ruiz

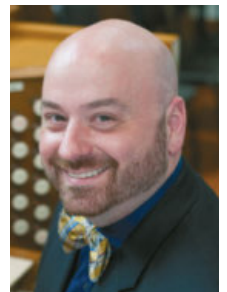
**Saturday, Sept. 27 at 6:30pm Mass**

The Cathedral Filipino Network and the Filipino Ministries of the Archdiocese of Chicago warmly invite you to join us in celebrating the Feast Day of San Lorenzo Ruiz, the first Filipino saint, on Saturday, Sept. 27. Mass will begin at 6:30pm, followed by a joyful reception in the cafeteria. Come and be part of this special evening of faith, fellowship, and Filipino heritage.

## Opening of 2025/26 Cathedral Concert Series

**Thursday, Oct. 9 at 7:00pm**

Join us for the opening concert of the Cathedral Concert Series' 2025-2026 season on Thursday, Oct. 9 at 7:00pm when we feature Dr. Thomas Fielding, Director of Music, Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist in Cleveland. A graduate of the Indiana University Jacobs School of Music, Dr. Fielding has taken first prize at the national Arthur Poister performance competitions and played recitals throughout England and the Netherlands, including two appearances at St. Paul's Cathedral in London.



**Dr. Thomas  
Fielding**



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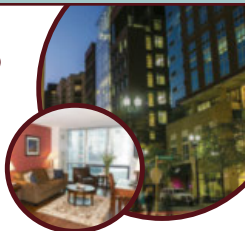
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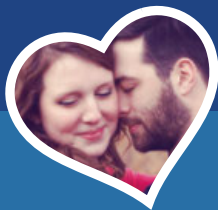
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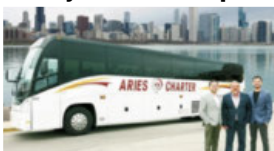
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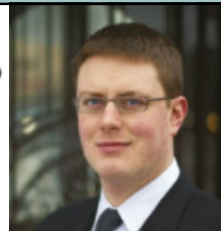
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**Prelude** (10:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.)

**Toccata Ottava di durezze e ligature**

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**Entrance Hymn**

**The Word of God** #752

**Penitential Rite**

**Spoken**

**Gloria**

**Mass of Creation** #323

**First Reading** #1183

Amos 8:4-7

**Responsorial Psalm**

Psalm 113:1-2, 4-6, 7-8

*Praise the Lord, praise the Lord  
who lifts up the poor.*

**Second Reading**

1 Timothy 2:1-8



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**Gospel Acclamation** #328

**Gospel**

Luke 16:1-13 OR 16:10-13

**Offertory Hymn**

**Psalm 34: The Cry of the Poor** #46

**Holy, Holy**

**Mass of Creation** #365

**Memorial Acclamation**

**Mass of Creation** #366

**Amen**

**Mass of Creation** #367

**Lamb of God**

**Mass of Creation**

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**Communion Antiphon**

**O that my ways may be guided  
toward the keeping of your statutes.**

**Communion Hymn**

**Pan de Vida** #925

**Recessional Hymn**

**Christ, Be Our Light!** #584

**Postlude** (10:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.)

**Canzona Quarta**

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