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December 28, 2025

Feast of the Holy Family
of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

So that what had been spoken through the prophets
might be fulfilled, *He shall be called a Nazorean.*



150th
Anniversary
AS THE Cathedral
of the Archdiocese of Chicago

Holy Name Cathedral

A CORNERSTONE TO 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*; Wednesday evenings at 5:15pm

Saturday: 8:00am* & 5:15pm Vigil Mass

Sunday: 7:00am, 8:30am, 10:30am*, 12:30pm, 5:15pm

Saturday Reconciliation:
8:00am to 11:00am

*livestream Mass

Reflections from Our Rector



Dear People of God,

I pray your Christmas was filled with Christ, joy, family, friends, laughter, stories, great food, and gift-giving.

Despite the hustle and bustle, our Christmas Season is both an opportunity to celebrate the birth of Jesus and become ever more aware of

God's presence in our lives. How? We succeed by realizing that in life all is a gift and that the key to happiness is making our life a gift to others through compassion, care, and forgiveness, always in the name of the Lord Jesus.

On this Feast of the Holy Family, I share with you the following story — a wonderful way to balance our lives (and families) as we together open the curtain on a New Year later this week.

Seven Wonders of the World

A group of geography students studied the Seven Wonders of the World. At the end of that section, the students were asked to list the Seven Wonders of the World. Though there was some disagreement, the following got the most votes.

1. Egypt's Great Pyramids
2. Taj Mahal
3. Grand Canyon
4. Panama Canal
5. Empire State Building
6. St. Peter's Basilica
7. China's Great Wall

While gathering the votes, the teacher noted that one student, a quiet girl, hadn't turned in her paper yet. So she asked the girl if she was having trouble with her list. The quiet girl replied, "Yes, a little. I couldn't quite make up my mind because there are so many." The teacher said, "Well, tell us what you have, and maybe we can help." The girl hesitated, then read, "I think the Seven Wonders of the World are --"

1. to touch
2. to taste
3. to see
4. to hear...she hesitated a little, and then she said...

5. to run

6. to laugh

7. and to love, pray, and forgive.

It is far too easy for us to look at the exploits of people and refer to them as "wonders" while we overlook things that are truly wonderful — wonderful gifts from God to be shared with our sisters and brothers.

And great food for thought as we together to bring 2025 to a close

There was a rich Silicon Valley billionaire who was disturbed one day to see a fisherman sitting lazily beside his small boat near the shore

"Why aren't you out there fishing?" he asked.

"Because I've caught enough fish for today," said the fisherman.

"Why don't you catch more fish than you need?" the rich man asked.

"What would I do with them?" he asked.

"You could earn more money," came the impatient reply, "and buy a better boat so you could go deeper and catch more fish.

You could purchase nylon nets, catch even more fish, and make more money. Soon you'd have fleet of boats and be rich like me."

The fisherman asked, "Then what would I do?"

"You could sit down and enjoy life," said the billionaire.

What do you think I'm doing now?" the fisherman replied.

A blessed, joyous, and healthy New Year to all,
Fr. Greg

P.S. With sad yet grateful hearts, we bid farewell to Fr. Joe Tito once again. We have been truly blessed by his willingness to come out of retirement and support our Cathedral Faith Community. As he takes on a new assignment as Parish Administrator at St. Jerome Parish in Rogers Park, we reflect on the immense gift he has been to our Cathedral family, staff, and sisters, and the priests of our house. His unwavering dedication and hard work have been matched only by the joy he brings to every person he encounters. Though we will miss him deeply, we are profoundly grateful for all he has given us.

Upcoming Events

Sunday, December 28

15-minute Cathedral tour	9:30 & 11:30 AM
OCIA Session	10:00 AM

Tuesday, December 30

Men's & Women's Young Adult Bible Study	7:00 PM
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Wednesday, December 31 — NEW YEAR'S EVE

RECTORY CLOSURES EARLY at 1:00pm	
Vigil Mass for Solemnity of Mary	5:15 PM

Thursday, January 1 — NEW YEAR'S DAY

RECTORY CLOSED ALL DAY
Mass Schedule: 10:00am, 12:00pm, 5:15pm

Saturday, January 3

Confessions on the Lower Level of Cathedral	8:00 AM
Young Adults Co-Ed Lenten 40	9:30 AM
Young Adults Exodus 90	9:30 AM
Young Adults Co-Ed Lenten 40	11:00 AM

Sunday, January 4

15-minute Cathedral Tour	9:30 & 11:30 AM
OCIA Session	10:00 AM
Full Cathedral Tour - 1 hour	1:30 PM
Young Adult Monthly Gathering	6:15 PM

Tours After 8:30, 10:30 Masses

Learn more about the 176-year history of Holy Name Cathedral through one of our weekly tours. It's perfect for parishioners or for visitors. Our Cathedral Docents are excited to share with you the art, architecture and history of the Cathedral.

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

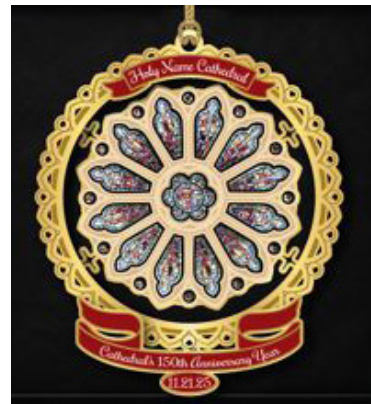


Get your HNC 150th Anniversary Ornament!

Celebrate Our History with This Keepsake

It's not too late!

We still have some inventory left of the beautiful Anniversary Ornaments. As part of Holy Name's 150th Anniversary Celebration as the Cathedral, we are proud to offer a special souvenir of



our celebration – a beautifully handcrafted keepsake ornament of the Cathedral's Rose Window. This ornament can be an addition to your tree or a great Christmas present.

To purchase, you must reserve the number of ornaments you would like on our easy-to-use reservation form. You can scan the QR code or go to tinyurl.com/150thOrnament. The suggested donation is \$25 per ornament. Credit cards and debit cards are accepted.

Please allow us 24 hours to pack and label your ornament(s) for pick up at the Rectory. They will then be available for pick up at the Rectory – Monday through Friday between 9:00am and 4:00pm as well as Sunday from 9:00am to 2:00pm.

As a reminder, you must reserve your ornaments before you come to the Rectory.



On the Cover

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

On the feast of the Holy Family, we spotlight our outdoor Nativity Scene at Holy Name Cathedral. Located along Superior Street, over the years, it has provided the background of numerous photos and selfies.



Cathedrals Advent Evening with Matt Maher and Sarah Kroger

An Unforgettable Night with Matt Maher and Sarah Kroger — more than 900 ticketed guests attended an unbelievable night of uplifting music and spiritual inspiration on Wednesday, Dec.

17. We welcomed many new guests to the beauty of the Cathedral and warmth of our Faith Community's fellowship. Thank you to the many volunteers and staff that made the night a success!



Catholic Illuminations

Celebrating Various Families and Goodbye to Fr. Joe Tito

By Fr. Andy Matijevic

The Church celebrates the Feast of the Holy Family each year on the first weekend after Christmas. It reminds us of the reality of the incarnation: that God stepped down from heaven into our humanity and was born into a family. And it reflects our reality as well, that we are all born into a family. And sometimes, for whatever reason, families drift apart, face various trials and struggles, and may even split. Holy Family weekend may bring up bad experiences for some who do not feel they belong to a family, as well as happy memories, looking back and presently experiencing the love of God shown to us through those in our lives who make up our family. It also shows us, as believers, that we are all part of God's family, and in that family, we are found worthy of love and belonging.

The word family can take on various understandings. A family can consist of a mother, a father, and one or more children. But a family is also a single parent raising children. A family is also children who have buried both parents. There is also the chosen family, where we pick people in our lives that we spend extra time with for holidays and special celebrations. In a religious context, there are the parish family and the family of faith, which come together for worship and the promotion of the Kingdom of God. In each of these families, we see, as in the Holy Family, that when we open ourselves to the will of God, great things can happen.



I have come to know and appreciate another family. As priests, we promise to live a celibate life, renouncing the possibility of marriage and raising a family. But in my four years as a priest so far, I have come to see the priesthood as a family. Knowing there are brothers in ministry with you who will have your back, support you, love you, and challenge you is a blessing. And let's not lie, some priests avoid each other like some family members avoid each other, and that's what makes this family so real. Specifically, here at Holy Name Cathedral, our Rectory is an exciting family.

Fr. Joe Tito, our wonderful and talented Associate Pastor, is leaving our parish family to go serve as the Parish Administrator of St. Jerome Parish in Rogers Park. Fr. Tito leaves us this weekend, as we reflect on the Holy Family. Fr. Tito and I arrived here together in 2021. I was a new priest, ordained for only two months, and he had been a priest for more than 20 years. I am grateful for his witness, his kindness, and his dedication to ministry. He has a heart for the poor and the marginalized, and that is seen in his ministry here at the Cathedral and will continue to be shared in Rogers Park.

Celebrating the Holy Family this weekend, the Church invites us to reflect on the various members of our families, whether immediate, extended, or chosen, and to recognize the gifts each member possesses to increase the kingdom. Though Fr. Tito is leaving our Cathedral family, he remains a member of our family of faith, and we pray for him as he moves to another parish to share his gifts with others, reminding all of us that we belong to the human family.

**FINAL
MASSES OF
CHRISTMAS
SEASON**

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD

Holy Day of Obligation

Vigil Mass, Wed., Dec. 31 at 5:15p.m.
Mass for the Day — Thursday, Jan. 1 at
10:00 a.m.*, 12:00 p.m., and 5:15 p.m.

EPIPHANY SUNDAY

Vigil Mass — Sat. Jan. 3 at 5:15p.m.
Sunday Mass — Jan. 4
at 7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m.*,
12:30 p.m., 5:15 p.m.

**Indicates livestreamed liturgy*

The Stump of Jesse

Why Join the Young Adult Retreat on Saturday, Jan. 31?

By Fr. Ton Nguyen

Still wondering whether this retreat is for you? Hear directly from young adults who joined last year — and how the experience touched their lives.



“I received the retreat flyer from a Sunday Mass usher. Since I was new to the city and had never attended a retreat before, I wasn’t planning to go. But when a friend mentioned the same retreat, I decided to give it a try. I was surprised to find that nearly one-third of the 140 participants were also first-timers like me. The retreat gave me space to slow down, listen to meaningful talks, and share in small groups. By the end of the day, I felt more connected to God and learned practical ways to slow down and rediscover joy.” Angelina

“Having just gotten married, we quickly realized that marriage brings both joy and challenges. Sometimes impatience creeps in as we adjust to making decisions together. During marriage preparation, we loved our Pre-Cana retreat but didn’t realize retreats were also for ‘regular’ people — we thought they were only for priests or religious! When we saw this retreat in the parish bulletin, we decided to attend. One of the most impactful moments was the witness panel, where a couple shared how they paused, prayed, and remembered their vows before reacting to unexpected situations. Since then, we’ve been praying with our wedding vows almost every night.” Josephine & JP

“I had meaningful retreats in college with my fraternity group, but work made it difficult to commit to longer retreats. When I saw this one-day retreat on Instagram — especially the theme of ‘the ruthless elimination of hurry’ — I was immediately interested and invited two friends to join me. The time of Adoration was especially powerful. After the first talk, sitting quietly before the Blessed Sacrament helped me listen to what the Lord was placing on my heart.” Elliot



Save the Date

Young Adults Retreat: Back to First Love

Saturday, Jan. 31, 10:00am to 5:15pm

Young Adults are invited this January to our retreat, which invites young adults to return to that first love — that moment of encounter when we first recognized Jesus in our lives. Life gets busy, distractions pile up, and even faithful hearts grow distant.

As we begin a new year, it’s time to pause, rekindle the flame, and let His love clarify our identity and reignite our passion. From that place, we can set goals not just for achievement, but for mission.

During the Retreat our speakers will be: Fr Joshua Caswell, SJC and Fr. Pat McGrath, SJ. And our Young Adult panelists will be Sister Charbel Joseph, OP, Emily & DJ Zimmerman and Yamilette Ayala.

We hope to see you there! For more information, please scan the QR code.



Well, if you’re longing for time to slow down, reconnect with God, and be renewed in faith and community, this retreat is for you.



YA January Gathering

**Sunday, Jan. 4, after 5:15pm
Mass in Cafeteria**

Join other young adults (18-39) as we kick off the New Year with community, conversation, and fun in the FXW Cafeteria.

✠ Food & Refreshments – Enjoy bread, snack, wine, and cheese

✠ Games & Fun – Play corn hole (bean bags) and hang out in a relaxed environment.

The event is free but please register by scanning the QR code.



“Don’t be afraid; from now on you will fish for people.” — Luke 5:11

Young At Heart: Formation for Second Half of Life (55+)

**Saturday, Jan. 24,
11:00am to 12:30pm
in Club Room**

Our session focus: “My baptismal call continues today”

We begin by grounding our lives in the original call of discipleship. Following Jesus is not something we outgrow – it is a lifelong journey. Christ continues to invite us to walk with Him in this season of life.



Our Scripture focus for the session will be: John 1:35-39 and Luke 5:1-11

Our presenter: Marta Stepniak, Holy Name Cathedral, Director of Lifelong Formation



Scan the QR code to register. We look forward to seeing you! The cost for this program is \$15 per person.

Formation /Service

Coming in January

Join us on Young Adults Small Group Lenten Journey

Start 2026 with a spiritual rebirth! Beginning Jan. 3, the Small Group Lenten Journey is a spiritual pilgrimage during the Lenten season, emphasizing prayer, sacrifice, and charity.

It encourages participants to break away from their daily routines, focus on their spiritual growth, and draw closer



to Christ. Joining a small group provides opportunities for meaningful discussions, spiritual practices, and building genuine friendships.

Lenten Journey (Fiat 90, Exodus 90, Pray40)

Exodus 90: Jan. 3 to March 28, 9:30 AM – 11:00 AM

Fiat 90: Jan. 3 to March 28, 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM

Co-Ed Lenten 40: Day Options: Feb 14 to March 28

Saturdays — 9:30 AM – 11:00 AM • 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM

Wednesdays — 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM

Scan the QR code to sign up. The registration fee is \$40, which covers materials and two dinners. If you have questions, contact youngadults@holynamecathedral.org.

Join Our Ministry of Care to Bring Communion to the Sick

We are happy to announce that we will be holding training for our Ministry of Care program that serves at several of our local healthcare facilities. This includes Northwestern Hospital (Galter, Feinberg, and Prentice) and Warren Barr Rehabilitation Center. All these facilities are a short walking distance from the Cathedral. We also have several in-home visit opportunities for those unable to come to church.

What is the Ministry of Care?

Ministry of Care to the sick is a pastoral ministry caring for those who are hospitalized, in nursing homes or confined to private homes. This ministry is provided by trained and certified lay men and women, ordained deacons, vowed religious sisters and brothers and priests within the Archdiocese of Chicago. Ministers are trained and formed to conduct pastoral visits with time to listen and pray about the concerns of the sick or shut-in person and to share Eucharist with them.

How does one become a Minister of Care?

As mandated by the Archdiocese of Chicago, each minister must complete a minimum of ten hours of training. Holy Name Cathedral is blessed to have a cadre of priests and deacons who collaborate with our staff team to design and deliver the training.



It is primarily an in-person training with opportunities to practice patient interactions. We only offer the training twice per year. This next training will start in February 2026.

How often do I serve as a Minister of Care?

The schedule for ministers is highly flexible. We serve seven days a week, 365 days a year. Some ministers serve on a weekly basis while others serve every other week or twice a month. You may visit your assigned patients anytime during patient visiting hours on your assigned day.

Any questions, please email Lori Doyle at ldoyle@holynamecathedral.org



Thank You for Our Christmas Flowers at Holy Name

As our Cathedral is beautifully decorated for the Christmas season, we want to take this opportunity to thank those who contributed to our Christmas flower fund in memory of a loved one or in honor of a living person. Here are the following names for whom our flowers honor. We honor them and cherish their lives and memory. Thank you for your generous heart!

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 My departed parents, relatives, and friends.

Honoring Our Loved Ones

Ministers of Care Available to Visit You with Communion

What is the Ministry of Care? It is a group of people who have been trained and commissioned to visit with, pray with, and bring communion to those in our parish who are sick and unable to attend mass; those who are homebound, in the hospital or in a nursing home.

We have several Ministers of Care available to bring Holy Communion to the homebound. Email us at mycathedral@holynamecathedral.org or call us at (312) 787-8040 and one of our Ministers of Care will be in touch.



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 Lucy Kendrick & Jacob Hill

In Memoriam

- Ann Miklusak
- Carol Miklusak
- Sr. Amada, OJS
- Dennis Johnson



Mass Intentions

Colored dots represent the priest's vestment color

Week of Dec. 29 to Jan. 3

○ Monday, December 29 (Fifth Day in the Octave of Christmas)

- 7 AM + Cyriac Pullapilly
- 8 AM + Florine Mendoza
- 12 PM + Kathy Bridges

○ Tuesday, December 30 (Sixth Day in the Octave of Christmas)

- 7 AM + Nicholas Rassas
- 8 AM + Michael S. Morse
- 12 PM Rizalina Claravall

○ Wednesday, December 31 (Seventh Day in the Octave of Christmas)

- 7 AM Ceferino C. Tomas
- 8 AM + Jessie Cambic
- 12 PM + Andrew R. Silva, + Robert Paul Kruse
Dave Ball, Eugene "Gene" Kutcher
Patricia "Pat" Connell, Donna Chalkey
Robert Busby
- 5:15PM + Robert Martin

○ Thursday, Jan. 1 (Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God)

No Mass Intentions Today

○ Friday, January 2 (Saints Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops & Doctors of the Church)

- 7 AM + Joan O' Keefe
- 8 AM + Marivie A. Landy, + Marsha Kelly
+ Emily Brown, + Richard T. Godfrey
Roger Loudon, Cerelina DeLeon
Gerardo Siguenza
Edward Michael & Alexander William Martinez
- 12 PM + Cristine Myers

○ Saturday, January 3 (Christmas Weekday)

- 8 AM Ceferino C. Tomas

Fellowship / Giving

A Little Humor from the Rector



“The longest drum solo was 10 hours and 26 minutes long and was performed by the child sitting behind me on a flight from L.A. to Tokyo!”

VITA Returns in February for Tax Assistance

Tax Prep Help Available for Four Saturdays

Holy Name Cathedral is pleased to announce the return of the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program this year. **Free tax preparation will be available on the following Saturdays: Feb. 7, Feb.**

21, March 21, and April 11, for clients with incomes below \$70,000. The site will be open from 9:30am to 3:30pm. Clients will be assisted on a first-come, first-served basis, as long as they check in by 12:30pm at the Parish Center entrance (Courtyard).

For assistance, please bring a government-issued photo ID, Social Security cards for everyone listed on your tax return — including dependents — and all relevant tax documents. This service is provided at no cost. For any questions, please email VITA@holynamecathedral.org.



Holy Name Cathedral Rector's Annual Appeal



Thank You for Your Support!

A heartfelt thank you to all those who donated to The Rector's Annual Appeal. We are delighted to share that **we raised over \$650,000** in donations!

Your generosity will enable us to continue our ministries and provide vital support to those struggling with hunger and homelessness in our community. Your kindness allows us to show God's love through quiet acts of mercy throughout the coming year.

Sunday Offertory Giving

Although Holy Name Cathedral receives funding from appeals and fundraisers, our major source of income is the Sunday Offertory Collection. If you are a parishioner who does not donate, we ask that you consider becoming an active contributor. To sign up for recurring Sunday giving or to increase your current giving, please go to tinyurl.com/HNCgiving or scan the QR code. We also have yellow envelopes which can be found in the back of the Cathedral. You can enclose your desired donation and leave with an usher, or take home and mail back. Thank you for your generosity.



Switch to eGiving Today!

The Cathedral's eGiving is done on our secure and easy-to-use platform called Pushpay. Online giving allows you to make your donation no matter where you are. Scan the QR code to make a one-time donation or set-up recurring giving or go to our secure site at tinyurl.com/HNCgiving Thank you for your support.



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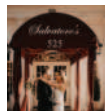


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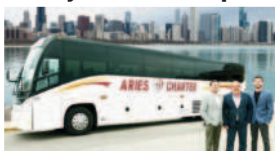
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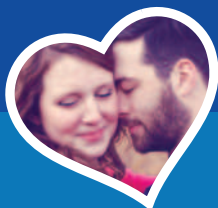
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Immaculate Virgin, assist me in my necessity.

Oh Star of the Sea, help me and show me here you are my
mother. Oh Holy Mary, Mother of God, queen of Heaven
and Earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my
heart to succor me into my necessity. (Make request).

There are none that can withstand your power. Oh Mary,
conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to
thee (three times).

Holy Mary, I place this cause in your hand (three times).

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

Noël Etranger

Louis-Claude Daquin

Entrance Hymn

Angels We Have Heard on High #417

Penitential Rite

Spoken

Gloria

Christmas Gloria

Richard Proulx

First Reading

#1017

Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 128:1-2, 3, 4-5

*O blessed are those who
fear the Lord and walk in his ways.*



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Second Reading

Colossians 3:12-21 OR 3:12-17

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Gospel Matthew 2:13-15, 19-23

Offertory Hymn

The First Noel #449

Holy, Holy

A Community Mass #353

Memorial Acclamation

A Community Mass #356

Amen

A Community Mass #355

Lamb of God #382

Communion Antiphon

**Taje the child and his mother,
and go into the land of Israel.**

Communion Hymn

What Child Is This #454

Silent Night #413

Communion Motet

Angel's Carol (10:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.)

John Rutter

Recessional Hymn

O Little Town of Bethlehem #435

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

Choral Prelude on Vom Himmel hoch BWV 700

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Through Christ, our Lord. Amen.