

DEDICATED NOV. 21, 1875 • CELEBRATING 150 YEARS AS CHICAGO'S CATHEDRAL

September 13, 2026

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"So will my heavenly Father do to you,
unless each of you forgives your brother from your heart."



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

*livestreamed Mass

Reflections from Our Rector



Dear People of God,

It is easy to take much for granted in our everyday living. We may take health, family, relationships, faith, and neighborhood for granted. Yet, life is fragile. Relationships, health, and family are cherished gifts, and we need to assume nothing; instead, we should give

thanks to God and cherish our gifts one day at a time. I'll share a story given to me over the summer. It is truly a real...

Keeper

I grew up with practical parents who were frightened by the Great Depression in the 1930s. A Mother, who washed aluminum foil after she cooked in it, then reused it. She was the original recycle queen, before they had a name for it. A Father who was happier getting old shoes fixed than buying new ones.

Their marriage was good, their dreams focused. Their best friends lived barely a wave away. I can see them now, Dad in his trousers, t-shirt, and a hat, and Mom in a house dress, lawn mower in one hand, and dishtowel in the other. It was time for fixing things: a curtain rod, the kitchen radio, the screen door, the oven door, the hem on a dress. Things we keep.

It was a way of life, and sometimes it made me crazy. All that repairing, reheating, reusing. I wanted just once to be wasteful. Waste meant affluence. Throwing things away meant you knew there'd always be more.

But then my Mother died, and I was stuck with the pain of learning that sometimes there isn't any more. Sometimes, what we care about most gets used up and goes away never to return. So, while we have it, it's best we love it and care for it and fix it when it's broken and heal it when it's sick.

This is true for marriage and old cars and children with bad report cards and dogs and cats with bad hips and aging parents and grandparents. We keep them because they are worth it. After all, we are worth it. Some things we keep. Like a friend that moved away or a classmate we grew up with.

Some things make life important, like people we know who are special...And so, we keep them close!

Good family members and friends are like stars...You don't always see them, but you know they are always

there. Keep them close!

Satchel Paige, an outstanding Major League Baseball pitcher, once said: "Never let your head hang down. Never give up. Find another way. And don't pray when it rains if you don't pray when the sun shines."

Wonderful food for thought and always give God thanks and praise despite rainy days!

Though school has started, I have a small request...

Sit with your child. Talk to them — not about homework or grades, but about kindness.

Explain to them that no one should ever be made fun of for how they look, where they live, what they wear, or the things they love. Let them know that wearing the same pair of shoes every day is perfectly okay.

That a worn backpack carries just as many hopes and dreams as a brand-new one. That being different isn't something to be judged — it is something to be respected.

Teach them that school isn't a place for cruelty, comparisons, or cliques. It's a place to learn, to grow and to treat others with empathy.

Remind them that some classmates may go home to silence, not support...that their kindness could be the brightest part of someone else's day. Let them know: It starts with them. But more importantly, it starts with us — at home. Let's raise kids who lift each other up.

On the journey with you,
Fr. Greg

P.S. Go Bears!

A Note of Thanks from Fr. Greg

From the bottom of my heart, thank you so very much! I am deeply grateful for the overwhelming support of our entire Faith Community, visitors, and friends that are supporting the Cathedral Cornerstone Campaign. Every pledge and donation given has helped bring us to 95% of our \$12 million goal. Each gift, no matter the size, has been a true act of faith that is securing Holy Name Cathedral for generations. Please know how deeply grateful I am for you and be assured of my continued prayers for you and your families.

Upcoming Events

Sunday, September 13

Children's Formation Ministry	8:00 AM
15-minute Cathedral Tour	9:30 & 11:30 AM
OCIA Session	10:30 AM
Cathedral Filipino Network Meeting	2:00 PM
Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass	2:30 PM
Theology on Tap	6:15 PM

Monday, September 14

Knitting and Crocheting Group	1:30 PM
Daughters of Isabella Meeting	6:00 PM

Tuesday, September 15

Lifelong Formation	6:45 PM
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Wednesday, September 16

Eucharistic Adoration	12:30 PM
Young Adults Adoration	6:00 PM
Wednesday Evening Bible Study – Rectory	6:30 PM

Thursday, September 17

Thursday Morning Scripture Study Ministry	10:00 AM
The Chosen	7:00 PM

Saturday, September 19

Confessions on the Lower Level of Cathedral	8:00 AM
Padre Pio Anniversary Mass/Reception	10:00 AM

Sunday, September 20

Chicago Shares	8:00 AM
Children's Formation Ministry	8:00 AM
Friends of Fr. Augustus Tolton Cafe Celebration	8:30 AM
15-minute Cathedral Tour	9:30 & 11:30 AM
OCIA Session	10:30 AM
In-Depth Cathedral Tour - 1 hour	1:30 PM
Music Ministry Meet and Greet	2:00 PM
Faith & Fitness Event	4:00 PM



Pray with the Pope:

SEPTEMBER: For the care of water

Let us pray for a just and sustainable management of water, a vital resource, so that everyone may have equal access to it.

Leo P.P. XIV



Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network



➡ Scan to watch video
to pray with Pope Leo XIV
for this month's intention.



On the Cover

Photo by Chicago Sun-Times photo archive. It's September and school is back in session. We look back to 1965 as B.V.M. Sr. Mary Fabiana watches the arrival of Pope Paul to New York on television with members of her eighth grade class at Holy Name Cathedral School.



Campaign goal:
\$12 Million

Raised:
\$11,418,207
(95%)

Capital Campaign
Update: Sept. 13

Left to be raised:
\$581,793

Green Visitor Envelopes – Be Part of Something Lasting

We're glad you're here! If you're visiting today, you'll find **green visitor envelopes** on the tables as you exit the Cathedral. Every gift — large or small — will help preserve our Cathedral's beauty and mission for years to come. Envelopes can be dropped in the Collection baskets or any of the five wooden collection boxes in the Cathedral. We're grateful for your presence and generosity!



If you have not already done so, please consider a donation or five-year pledge to help preserve the Cathedral for another 150 years. Visit tinyurl.com/HNcornerstone or scan the QR code.

Gift Cards Needed for Families in Need

Cabrini Ministries is collecting Aldi gift cards and CTA bus passes (Ventra) to assist migrant families with children who are experiencing food insecurity and need help with transportation. Please bring cards to "Holy Name Cathedral Rectory Office, Attention: Sister Katie Mitchell."

Thank you for your generosity and compassion. Your kindness is making a meaningful difference in the lives of families as they work to build a new life with hope and dignity. May God bless you for your generosity!

Thank You Very Much to Our Faith Community: We Are 95% There!

To our beloved parishioners and visitors who have donated to the Cathedral Cornerstone

Campaign: Thank you from the bottom of my heart.



When we launched the Cathedral Cornerstone Campaign, we dreamed of securing this beautiful, sacred home in the heart of Chicago for the next 150 years and beyond. Because of you, that dream is now within reach.

I am deeply humbled and grateful to share that through your prayerful generosity, we have reached \$11,418,207 which is 95% of our \$12 million goal.

Thank you to every faithful donor and family who prayed, believed, pledged or gifted. Thank you for coming together as one Faith Community, one family in Christ, to strengthen the Cathedral we cherish so dearly.

- ✠ You gave because you were baptized, married or confirmed here.
- ✠ You gave because you found comfort in these pews.
- ✠ You gave because your children or grandchildren will one day baptize their children in this beautiful Cathedral.
- ✠ You gave because you also want your children or grandchildren to find comfort in our gorgeous Cathedral.

Your love has become living stones. Every stone repaired, every light restored, every ministry expanded will carry your name and your faith forward for generations who have not yet walked through our doors. From my heart to yours, thank you for helping build this legacy with us.

If you have not already given, please help us bring this campaign home: You can visit tinyurl.com/HNcornerstone, scan the QR code or use the green campaign envelopes placed on the tables as you exit the State Street doors. Feel free to give the envelope to one of the ushers or place in the wooden giving boxes found inside the cathedral.



Catholic Illuminations

Welcome This Sunday to Our Golden Anniversary Couples!

By Fr. Andy Matijevic

Throughout the year, Holy Name Cathedral hosts many special liturgies for the entire archdiocese, gathering the faithful to celebrate and honor various aspects of our faith journey. This weekend, the Cathedral will host the annual Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass for couples married in 1976, as they renew their wedding vows.



Holy Matrimony is one of the seven Sacraments of the Church. It is often paired with Holy Orders under the term “Sacrament of Service/Vocation.” Of the seven Sacraments, Marriage is the only one where an ordained clergyman is not the ordinary minister of the Sacrament. In the other six Sacraments: Baptism, Eucharist, Confirmation, Reconciliation, Anointing of the Sick, and Holy Orders, either a deacon, priest, or bishop is the ordinary minister. But in marriage, it is the bride and groom who are the ordinary ministers (Catechism of the Catholic Church 1623). The deacon, priest, or bishop celebrating the wedding is merely a witness for legal purposes (here in the United States, the clergyman serves as a witness for both secular and religious purposes).

According to the Catechism, the end purposes of marriage are unity, openness to children, and indissolubility (CCC 1664). Another purpose of marriage is the end of any vocation: holiness. As husband and wife, as ministers of the Sacrament who give of themselves totally and completely to the other, and their children, if children result from their married life, they are meant to help the other get to heaven while striving for heaven themselves.

It makes sense then that in marriage, the husband and wife they are the ministers because they are the ones who promise to be faithful to each other, in good times and in bad, in sickness and in health, to love and honor each other all the days of their life. It is not the priest making these promises, nor is it the community gathered

who raised these two individuals. It is the bride and groom who make the promise to give of themselves, totally and completely, to their spouse, potential future children, and the world through their married life together. Through this self-gift, the couple paves the way for holiness for each other and the world through this witness.

Marriage then becomes a visible expression of the love Christ has for the Church, as he hung upon the cross and shed his blood for her salvation. Married love is meant to be life-giving in whatever form possible. And no marriage is without bumps in the road, but by looking to Jesus, by emulating Jesus in married life, all can be conquered with love, because love is a choice; it is an action. Love is something we do because to love is what we were made for.

We join in congratulating the couples of the Archdiocese who celebrate 50 years of marriage this weekend as they gather for this Eucharistic celebration, the most perfect form of thanksgiving, here at the Cathedral. We also pray for those who have lost a spouse before this milestone, aware that those who have gone before us participate in the same heavenly liturgy. We give thanks to God for the Sacrament of Marriage, a tangible expression of Christ's love on the cross, shown through the married love of so many people throughout the world, and for the couples who have faithfully shared the love of Christ with their spouse, in good times and in bad.

Join Fr. Andy on Pilgrimage to Italy **next Oct. 2027**

10 Days in Italy: Oct. 28 to Nov. 6, 2027

Join Fr. Andy on his 2027 Pilgrimage to Italy. It will depart on Thursday, Oct. 28 and return on Saturday, Nov. 6.

Next year's pilgrimage will visit Bologna, Ravenna, San Gimignano, Rome, the Vatican, and more!

Scan the QR code to learn about the logistics, activities, payment deadlines, and other details about the trip.



Worship

Come to the Opening of Our Cathedral Concert Series

Tuesday, Sept. 22 at 7:00pm

Experience an unforgettable evening of music at the opening presentation of our 2026-27 Cathedral Concert Series on Tuesday, Sept. 22! We are thrilled to welcome Jan Bokszzanin, an acclaimed organist, professor and festival artistic director. He will perform a program with music from J.S. Bach, Pallesco, Surzyński and Sawa. During the 2026-27 season, this series features multiple concerts with world-class performers and mini-concerts featuring local artists who are connected to the Cathedral Music Ministry about five times, all at no charge. This inspiring concert promises to delight all who attend.

No advance registration is required.

Admission is free for all attendees; free will donations are welcome and can be made by scanning the QR code at left.



Lift Your Voice! Join our Cathedral Music Ministry

Auditions on Sept 20 or Sept. 22

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. 27, 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 participate in the 5:15 p.m. Mass on the first Sunday of each month. **We are holding two open meetings: one on Sunday, Sept. 20 from 2:00-4:00 p.m. and one on Tuesday, Sept. 22 from 4:00-6:00 p.m. (please note new times)** 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 you. Any questions? Please contact Liz Vasiljevic, Associate Director of Music, at music@holynamcathedral.org.



Mark Your Calendar! Annual Chicago Marathon Mass

Saturday, Oct. 10 at the 5:15pm Mass

Calling all Marathon 2026 Runners and Cheerleaders! As is our tradition, all Chicago Marathon runners, volunteers, and supporters are invited for a special blessing on the eve of the Marathon. Join us on Saturday, Oct. 10 for our 5:15pm Mass. We look forward to seeing you and praying with you!

And on Sunday, Oct. 11 at our evening mass at 5:15pm, we will hold our Annual Chicago Marathon Victory Lap Mass. All runners and supporters are welcome as we celebrate the day and bless all medals of the runners.



"Blessed are the Peacemakers" — Matthew 5:9

You're Invited to Christian Unity Prayer Service

Wed., Sept. 30 at Fourth Presbyterian Church

Christian communities throughout the Chicago area will come together to pray for peace — for our world, our nation, our city, our community our families and one another. All are welcome to attend the annual Christian Unity Prayer Service on Wednesday, Sept. 30 at 6:30pm. This year the event will be hosted by Fourth Presbyterian Church in the Buchanan Chapel (115. N. Delaware). The event is sponsored by Ecumenism Metro Chicago.

"Pray, hope, and don't worry." — St. Padre Pio

Celebrate St. Padre Pio at Our Annual Anniv. Mass

Saturday, Sept. 19 at 10:00am in the Cathedral

Come together as a Cathedral family for a joyful morning of prayer, gratitude, celebration, and community as we honor the life and powerful spiritual legacy of St. Padre Pio.

Hosted by the Padre Pio Prayer Group, this special Anniversary Mass is an invitation for everyone — whether you have a longtime devotion to Padre Pio or are just beginning to discover this beloved saint.

During the celebration, we will also recognize two individuals whose faith and service continue to bless our community:

✠ **Flame of Padre Pio Award:** Fr. John Boivin, Cathedral Resident Priest

✠ **Special Service Award:** Lori Doyle, Director of Marketing & Communications, Holy Name Cathedral

And the celebration continues after Mass!

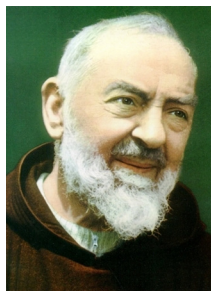
Join us in the Club Room for ice cream, coffee, cake, conversation, and fellowship. Bring a friend, meet members of the Padre Pio Prayer Group, and enjoy time together as a community. Come for Mass. Stay for fellowship. Leave with hope.

Everyone is welcome. We hope you'll join us!

About St. Padre Pio

Saint Pio was born on May 25, 1887, in Pietrelcina, southern Italy. He entered the novitiate of the Capuchin Friars at the age of 15. On Sept. 20, 1918, the five wounds of our Lord's passion appeared on his body, making him the first stigmatized priest in the history of the Catholic Church. His whole life was marked by long hours of prayer and continual austerity. His letters to his spiritual directors reveal the ineffable suffering, physical and spiritual, which accompanied him all through his life.

Source: St. Pio Foundation



Padre Pio

JOIN OUR FAITH COMMUNITY LIVING ROSARY

SATURDAY, OCT. 3 AT 5:15 PM MASS

Join our Faith Community in a special **International Rosary** Celebration. We will begin with the 5:15pm Mass, followed by the Living Rosary prayed in a variety of languages. There will be a reception after the Living Rosary featuring a variety of international cuisines.



Join Us for Our Annual HNC Ministry Fair

Sunday, Oct. 4, 9:30am–2:00pm in Courtyard

We invite you to stop by the Cathedral Courtyard before or after Mass on Sunday, Oct. 4, between 9:30am and 2:00pm for our annual Holy Name Cathedral Ministry Fair. There are opportunities for parishioners to actively participate in the life of the parish through our many ministries in Worship, Service, Stewardship, Young Adults or Faith Formation. Join us for refreshments and celebrate the work of our Faith Community. Opportunities for you to get involved at Holy Name Cathedral include: Bible Study, Blessings in a Backpack, Cabrini Ministry, Cathedral Filipino Network, Chicago Shares, Daughters of Isabella, Docents, Faith & Fitness Ministry, Friends of Fr. Augustus Tolton, Knights of Columbus, Knitting/Crocheting Ministry, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Lectors, Ushers, Docents, Ministers of Care, Padre Pio Prayer Group, St. Thérèse Garden Ministry, Thursday/Friday Suppers, Volunteer Income Tax Assistance, World Day of the Poor and Young at Heart Ministry.

A New Year of Faith Begins At Holy Name Cathedral!

With joyful hearts, we welcome a new season of faith, formation, and discipleship! This September, our Holy Name Cathedral family celebrates the beginning of our 2026–2027 Formation Year and warmly welcomes our OCIA participants, Children's Faith Formation children and families, catechists, formation teams, and volunteers.

Welcome, OCIA 2026–2027!

This Sunday, Sept. 13, our OCIA participants begin a beautiful journey of faith. We are grateful God has brought each of you to Holy Name Cathedral!

May this year be filled with meaningful questions, new friendships, deeper encounters with Jesus Christ, and the joy of discovering what it means to belong to our Catholic community.

You are not walking this journey alone. Your Cathedral family is walking with you!

Welcome, Children & Families!

We joyfully welcome our Children's Faith Formation children, parents, families, and catechists!

And an especially BIG welcome to our Kindergarten children beginning their very first year of Faith Formation! May this be the beginning of a wonderful adventure of knowing Jesus, learning to pray, making friends, and discovering how deeply God loves you.

To our catechists, OCIA Team, formation leaders, and volunteers, thank you for saying YES to share your faith, time, gifts, and hearts!

HNC Family — This Journey Belongs To All Of Us!

When you see our children, families, and OCIA participants, welcome them. Learn their names. Encourage them. Pray for them. Walk with them.

Together, we are building a community where every person knows: You are welcome. You belong. You are part of our Cathedral family.

One Cathedral. One Faith. One Family in Christ. Welcome to the 2026–2027 Formation Year!

Young Adults Ministry

From Chapel To Cubicle: Carrying Faith to Real World

Theology on Tap for Young Adults
Sunday, Sept. 13; Following the 5:15pm Mass

How does your Catholic faith fit into your career, ambitions, workplace relationships, and everyday decisions?

Join us for an engaging and honest conversation about carrying faith from the chapel into the cubicle — and everywhere in between. Our presenter is Emma Koskovich is a consultant and a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, where she was active in the Newman Center. Register today by scanning the QR code at right. We will meet in the Parish Center Club Room. Join other young adults for faith, conversation, community and practical reflection.



Emma Koskovich



Young Adults Bible Study Beginning Soon

Starts Tuesday, Sept. 15 in the Rectory

The Bible is more than something we hear proclaimed at Mass — it is God's Word speaking into our lives today. Whether you have studied Scripture for years or are opening the Bible with new curiosity, there is a place for you. Young adults are invited to a weekly gathering centered on Scripture, prayer, real conversation, and community. Bring your questions about faith, relationships, work, purpose, decisions, and what it means to follow Jesus in everyday life. Never been to Bible study? Start with us. Already love Scripture? Come and go deeper. Your next step in faith may begin by simply opening the Bible.



<<< Sign up to get our Young Adults monthly newsletter
Sign up to join our GroupMe, our group text >>>



Cardinal Cupich: Why Synodality is Like Dancing

In a reflection for Vatican Media, Cardinal Blase Joseph Cupich draws on the traditional Croatian kolo dance as an image of the Church's synodal journey. He says the Church is called to move from individual performance to collective harmony by listening to the "divine melody" that guides its life and mission.

By Cardinal Blase J. Cupich

My first introduction to the art of dancing was not as a teenager attending a sock hop. It was on Wednesday evenings when my siblings and I along with cousins and other kids from the parish gathered at the church hall to learn Croatian folk dances. The style of dance was called kolo, a word that means circle, for dancers would link hands or hold each other at the waist to dance often in syncopated steps in a circular line or chain. We were told that in the "old country," the kolo was a means of socialization, the center of village social life and often the main venue for young women and men to get to know each other.

Admittedly, when I first heard the word synodality it was strange to my ears. In time I gained a better understanding as I explored various explanations. I continue to find helpful the 2018 document Synodality in the Life and Mission of the Church, published by the International Theological Commission. But one day it occurred to me that my experience of kolo dancing and its many elements had much to offer for understanding synodality. Like the dance, it too offers a means of socialization, but in the life of the church. For at its core, synodality, derived from the Greek *synodos*, means "walking together" or "traveling the same path." So, synodality invites the entire community to take responsibility for moving forward in unison, attentive to the Holy Spirit and to one another. Both dance and

synodality require a shift from individual performance to collective harmony, transforming a group of distinct individuals into a singular, moving body ... **scan the QR code to read article on Vatican News.**



Save the Date

Synodality in the Time of Pope Leo

Sunday, Sept. 27 at 2:00pm

Pope Francis brought synodality to the forefront; join us as we look at synodality in the time of Pope Leo. You're invited to make your voice heard at our Synodality event on Sunday, Sept. 27 at 2:00pm in the Parish Center Auditorium.

We'll begin with opening remarks from Fr. Louis J. Cameli, and learn what it means to really listen to: each other, our own hearts and our true instincts on Faith. He will be followed by Dr. Kristin Colberg, who serves on the Vatican's Anglican-Roman Catholic International Commission (ARCIC) and on the Theological Commission supporting the Synod on Synodality. Her current project explores the role of the papacy in a synodal church.

Practice sharing during breakout groups and really hearing what God is calling us as a church to explore. Refreshments will be provided.

Registration is required. For more information or to register, please scan the QR code at right.



Honoring Our Loved Ones



Seasons of Hope Bereavement Ministry

Six-week Support Group Starts Wed., Sept. 23

You do not have to walk the journey of grief alone. Seasons of Hope Bereavement Ministry invites those grieving the loss of a loved one to join our six-week support group, held Wednesdays from Sept. 23 through Oct. 28, 6:30–8:00pm 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. There is no cost to participate. Each participant will receive a journal to accompany them throughout this journey. Scan the QR code at left to register.



Wedding Banns



- I Daniel Doan & Anna Rivera
Jay Weber & Taylor Stucke
Daniel Spear & Elise Faris
- II Patrick Arbor & Natasha Kirchens
Paul DeLucia & Morgan Wilson
Ryan Gabbard & Vanessa Madrigal
Joseph Polk & Julia Velasquez
Patrick Maloney & Katie Crockford
Petronie Ryan Sumait & Elisha-Rio Apiado
- III Suman Venkataswamy & Christine Mangiaforte
Cameron Zayia & Anastasia Miller
Theodore Crimmins & Ryann McKinnell-Jaroslawsky
James Dy & Cheenie Ayala

Mass Intentions

Colored dots represent the priest's vestment color

Week of Sept. 14 to 19

○ Monday, Sept. 14 (The Exaltation of the Holy Cross)

- 7 AM + Helen A. Prokop
- 8 AM + Richard & Arlene Small
- 12 PM + John H. Lenich

○ Tuesday, Sept. 15 (Our Lady of Sorrows)

- 7 AM Sumita Khosta
- 8 AM + James "Jim" Finkler
- 12 PM Emery Mapes

● Wednesday, Sept. 16 (Saint Cornelius, Pope, and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs)

- 7AM + Rachel R. Hannah
- 8AM + Melinda Caronongan & Jessie Florez
- 12 PM + Evelyn Casey, + Richard & Arlene Small
+ Alfredo "Alfie" Buendia Eloy
+ Damian Marano, + Robert Mondragon
+ Mary Theresa Grivetti-Franco
+ Norma & Elsa Sabas, Gerardo Torrescano
Dr. Robert & Kathleen Roylance – 65th Wedding Anniv.
- 5:15PM + Robert Foys

● Thursday, Sept. 17 (Weekday in Ordinary Time)

- 7AM + Dr. Cyriac Pullapilly
- 8AM + George & Anne Scanlon
- 12 PM + John Jakala Jr.

● Friday, Sept. 18 (Weekday in Ordinary Time)

- 7 AM + Charlie Manley
- 8 AM + Charles Wiegand, + Richard & Arlene Small
+ Kathleen Reuschlein Peckham & James Reuschlein
+ Maria Constanza Barreto, + Maximo Arong
+ Richard Geerts, + Serena Chander
Costello Family, Andrea Taleon, Michael Neubauer
- 12 PM + Al Consiglio

● Saturday, Sept. 19 (St. Januarius, Bishop and Martyr; BVM)

- 8 AM + Rene Salandanan

Fellowship

A Little Humor from the Rector



“You know how they throw the ball into the crowd after they win the game? That’s not allowed in bowling. I know that now!”

Young at Heart Ministry: A Ministry for a Season of Life Filled with Purpose

Save the Date: Oct. 17 — The Way of St. Francis

A wonderful new season of Young at Heart is beginning at Holy Name Cathedral! Young at Heart is a ministry for adults who want to continue growing in faith, discovering God’s purpose for their lives, building meaningful friendships, and enjoying the gift of Christian community. Throughout the year, Young at Heart will bring adults (for 55 and older) together for inspiring Catholic formation, spiritual reflection, prayer, conversation, hospitality, friendship, and lunch.

We invite you to save the date of Oct. 17 for “The Way of St. Francis” presented by Bob Larson. Discover how the simplicity, peace, humility, and joyful discipleship of St. Francis of Assisi can inspire our lives today. We’ll begin with hospitality and fellowship at 10:00am, then the presentation at 10:30am and end with lunch at fellowship at 12:00pm.

Faith & Fitness

Building Resilience — Body, Mind & Spirit

Sunday, Sept. 20 at 4:00pm in the Club Room

Our next Faith & Fitness session on Sunday, Sept. 20 at 4:00pm will focus on an important question: How can we build stronger, more resilient bodies while also strengthening our faith? We’ll explore resiliency and injury prevention, including practical ways to prepare our bodies for activity, improve mobility and stability, and reduce the risk of injury. We’ll take a closer look at how strength training can help us build stronger muscles, support our joints and bones, improve balance, and maintain functional strength for everyday life. We’ll also explore how spirituality can serve as a source of inner resilience strengthening our hearts and minds throughout our journey. Just as physical training prepares our bodies to withstand challenges, prayer, Scripture, faith, and a relationship with God prepare us spiritually to stand firm through adversity. Come join us as we learn how to train with purpose, move with wisdom and build resilience. Together, we’ll discover that caring for our physical health and nurturing our spiritual health are both important parts of living strong, healthy, and purposeful lives. To register, scan the QR code.



You’re Invited to our Annual Fr. Tolton Café Celebration!

Sunday, Sept. 20, 9:30am – 2:00pm

You are cordially invited to our annual Fr. Tolton Café Celebration on Sunday, Sept. 20, from 9:30am to 2:00pm in the Parish Center Cafeteria. Enjoy free food, learn about Venerable Augustus Tolton’s early life in Quincy, Illinois.



Compete in a fun trivia crossword puzzle (at noon). The Venerable Tolton is the first acknowledged Black priest in the United States and the first Black priest in the Archdiocese of Chicago. His path to sainthood is ongoing.

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me the way to reach my ideal, you who gives me the Divine
gift to forgive and forget all the wrong that is done to me
and you, who are in all instances of my life with me. I, in this
short dialogue, I want to thank you for everything, and affirm
once more that I never want to be separated from you, no
matter how great the material desires might be. I want to be
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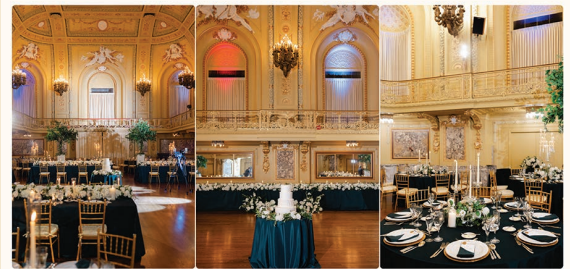
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mother. Oh Holy Mary, Mother of God, queen of Heaven
and Earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my
heart to succor me into my necessity. (Make request)
There are none that can withstand your power. Oh Mary,
conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to
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Holy Mary, I place this cause in your hand (three times).
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Prelude

Cantabile from Symphony No. 6, Op. 42

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Entrance Hymn

Where Charity and Love Prevail #700

Gloria

Mass of St. Ann (10:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.) Ed Bolduc

Congregational Mass (other Masses) #324

First Reading #1178

Sirach 27:30-28:7

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12

*The Lord is kind and merciful,
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Second Reading

Romans 14:7-9

Gospel Acclamation #333

Gospel

Matthew 18:21-35

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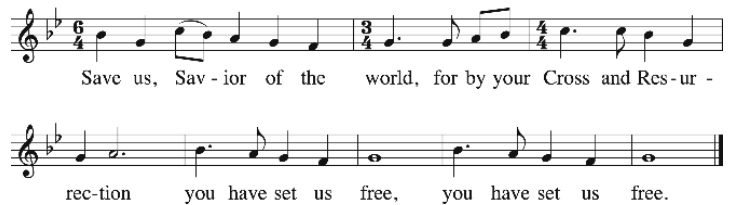
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Amen

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Lamb of God

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Communion Antiphon

**Bring up your sacrifices and
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Communion Hymn

I Receive the Living God #923

Recessional Hymn

The Master Came to Bring Good News #968

Postlude

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