

The Guide

Queen of Apostles Parish

Worshipping at Queen of Angels & St. Matthias Churches



2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

John was standing with two of his disciples, and as he watched Jesus walk by, he said, “Behold, the Lamb of God.” The two disciples heard what he said and followed Jesus. - Jn 1:35-36

2º DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

En aquel tiempo, estaba Juan el Bautista con dos de sus discípulos, y fijando los ojos en Jesús, que pasaba, dijo: “Este es el Cordero de Dios”. - Jn 1, 35-36

**Queen of Apostles
Parish Staff and Ministries**

Website: qofachicago.org
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2330 W. Sunnyside Ave.
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2310 W. Ainslie Ave.

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Current Office Hours:
9am-8pm, Monday-Thursday
9am-5pm, Friday
9:30am-1pm, Saturday

Rev. Jason Malave, Pastor

Rev. Michael Mehringer, Associate Pastor

Msgr. Jim Kaczorowski, Pastor Emeritus

Rev. Mr. Dennis Ramos, *Deacon*

Rev. Mr. Eric Sorensen, Deacon

Rev. Mr. Bienvenido Nieves, Retired Deacon

Mr. Bill Brennan, *Director of Operations*

Mr. Tom Madden, Ms. Asuncion Piedra, Ms. Rachel Hohner,

Ms Ana Soto and Ms. Sandra Monge, *Office Staff*

Mr. Stuart Thompson & Ms. Maria Valdes Vargas, *Music Directors*

Ms. Rachel Hohner, *Religious Education*

Mrs. Julie Hess, *SPRED Community Religious Worker*

Mr. Scott Michaels, Maintenance

PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (CCD)

For students in Grades K-8, not attending a Catholic School.
Preparation for First Communion, First Reconciliation and 8th
Grade & High School student Confirmation

SPRED Website: www.queenofangelsspread.org

Special Religious Development, small faith communities
welcoming children & adults with developmental disabilities

Queen of Angels School: 4520 N. Western Ave.

School Phone: 773-769-4211

School Fax: 773-769-4289

School Website: queenofangelschicago.org

Bridge (2.5-year-olds), Pre-school, Before- and After- School
Programs, Kindergarten through 8th Grade

Ms. Rana Brizgys, School Principal

Mr. Alec Beaird, *School Secretary*

Guild Hall Gymnasium: 4416 N. Western Ave.

St. Matthias School: 4910 N Claremont Ave

School Phone: 773-784-0999

School Website: stmatthiasschool.org

School Programs Preschool and K-8

Nicole Pacholski, School Principal

Bulletin Deadline: Tuesday, 10am-If you have an upcoming event or activity it
is suggested you advertise it in our bulletin at least two weeks prior to the event.
Send bulletin content to: parish@qofachicago.org

We Pray for the Deceased

Gregorio Romero Perdomo

We Pray for

Jim & Donna Baker, Fr. Ted Bojczuk, Paz Cardenas, Bernie Castillo Jr.,
Jim Koskan, John Nowinski, Nora L. Ramirez, Anthony Sikorski,
Pamela Suenkens, Rosemary Summers, Sr. Maryann Zrust, Marina &
Adela Luengas, John O'Malley, Lila Wolfram, Clare Poster, Debbie
Wagner, Irene Biancalana, Cara Tucker, Don Diliberto, Cameron Taft,
Rigoberto Conde, Paz Carmona, Jesús Oviedo, Urbano Manuel
Santillan, Martha Ruth Romero, Raul Perez, Debbie Somers, Mary
Shea, Erin Jimenez, Sulpicia Maleza Lim, Leticia Garcia, Rachel
Hohner, Karen Killeen, Nancy Brunner, Giovanni Nuñez, Tug
Gillingham, Salvador Romero, Mary Nathan, Maria de Jesus Magaña,
Juana Reyes, Ariana Tello, Gary Petty, Alina Gawlik, Maria Gaytan
Macrina Salinas, Noelle Siavichay, Amanda Jackman, Billy Kloska,
Bonnie Baboorian, Maria Son Lim, Teresa Witvoet and Angela Callister



**ALL ARE WELCOME!
¡BIENVENIDOS!**

**Our Shared Worship takes place regularly at
Queen of Angels Church, 2330 W. Sunnyside Ave.**

SCHEDULE FOR MASSES | HORARIO DE MISAS

Masses

Weekend, 5 p.m. Saturdays in English

9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Sundays in English

Domingos a la 12:30 p.m. en español

Weekday, Monday-Friday, 8:30 am Mass in English

Saturday, 9am Mass in English

Streaming live transmission of 9am Sunday Mass in English and

12:30pm Sunday Mass in Spanish via

parish.queenofangelschicago.org

SACRAMENTS | SACRAMENTOS

Confessions/Confesiones, Saturdays, 9:30-10am

Eucharistic Adoration/Adoración del Santísimo,

Fridays, 9-10am

English Wedding, Funeral and Baptism Arrangements

Please phone the Parish Center: 773-539-7510

Para Arreglar una Boda, un Exequias o un Bautismo

Por favor llame al Centro Parroquial, 773-539-7510

**Please contact the parish office to ask for an Anointing of the Sick
Por favor, póngase en contacto con la oficina parroquial para pedir la
unción de los enfermos.**

**Clases de Preparación para bautismo en español son el tercer sábado
de cada mes (excepto en días de fiesta nacional)**

**Baptism Preparation Classes in English: First Tuesday of every
month (except national holidays)**

**Baptisms in English-Second Saturdays at 11:30 a.m. or 12:00 p.m. &
Third Sundays at 2 p.m.**

**Bautismos en Español - El primer sábado a las 11:30 a.m. o 12:00 p.m. y el
cuarto domingo a las 2 p.m.**

Dear Disciples of Jesus,

After the joy of Christmas, how wonderful to be in a quieter liturgical season, Ordinary Time.

I wanted to share that Deacon Eric Sorensen, after being with us formally as Deacon for only four months, has decided that because of his very quickly advancing Lou Gehrig's disease, he would no longer be able to serve in our Liturgical celebrations. This makes me very sad for sure! After many decades of service as a deacon, I am sure it is very hard for him to step back. I admire his courage. I also want to say thank you to each of you for walking with him over the past four months. He promises us his prayers and we can be sure of those. I ask that you offer Deacon Eric, his wife Rita and their kids, your prayers.

Profound thank you for your generosity to our Parish over the Christmas Season. So many of you, so generously, remembered our Queen of Apostles Parish in your financial gift giving. To you I want to say thank you from the bottom of my heart. If you have not been able to make a gift to your parish, there is certainly time to do that. The quickest way is through the Christmas offering opportunity in GiveCentral. Have you checked out GiveCentral? If you have not, feel free to google it, look up our Parish, choose the Queen of Apostles in Chicago, and you can set up your regular electronic giving right then and there. Profound gratitude for your generosity.

Four weeks from this Wednesday, February 14th, we will be celebrating Ash Wednesday! I know, I can't believe it either. Ash Wednesday is the same day as Valentine's Day! Funny! Just so you can plan ahead, we will be celebrating Mass at Queen of Angels Church at 7:00 AM, 8:30 AM, 2:00 PM Liturgy of the Word with Ashes, 6:30 PM, and 7:30 PM in Spanish. The Mass at St. Matthias Church will be at 8:15 AM. Our Lenten Season is coming quickly!

Finally, may each of us, like John the Baptist in today's Gospel, point to our friend Jesus and acclaim Jesus to be the Lamb of God, the savior, God's own Son that He sent into the world. With our children, with our spouse, with our friends, let us together point to our friend Jesus and never cease acknowledging who He is and how He has changed the world. Let us not take for granted the fact that everyone knows him. We are the ones who are called to point to Him in our lives and point to Him who offers us everlasting life.

In the service of Jesus,
Fr. Jason

Queridos discípulos de Jesús,

Después de la alegría de la Navidad, qué maravilloso ser en un tiempo litúrgico más tranquilo, el tiempo ordinario.

Quería compartir que el diácono Eric Sorensen, después de estar con nosotros formalmente como diácono durante solo cuatro meses, ha decidido que debido a su rápido avance de la enfermedad de Lou Gehrig, ya no podrá servir en nuestras celebraciones litúrgicas. ¡Esto me pone muy triste, sin duda! Después de muchas décadas de servicio como diácono, estoy seguro de que es muy difícil para él dar un paso atrás. Admiro su coraje. También quiero agradecer a cada uno de ustedes por caminar con él durante los últimos cuatro meses. Él nos promete sus oraciones y podemos estar seguros de ellas. Les pido que ofrezcan sus oraciones al diácono Eric, a su esposa Rita y a sus hijos.

Profundo agradecimiento por su generosidad a nuestra parroquia durante la temporada navideña. Muchos de ustedes, tan generosamente, recordaron a nuestra Parroquia Reina de los Apóstoles en sus donaciones financieras. A ustedes quiero darles las gracias desde el fondo de mi corazón. Si no ha podido hacer una donación a su parroquia, ciertamente hay tiempo para hacerlo. La forma más rápida es a través de la oportunidad de ofrecer Navidad en GiveCentral. ¿Has echado un vistazo a GiveCentral? Si no lo ha hecho, no dude en buscarlo en Google, busque nuestra parroquia, elija la Reina de los Apóstoles en Chicago y podrá configurar su donación electrónica regular en ese mismo momento. Profunda gratitud por su generosidad.

¡A cuatro semanas de este miércoles 14 de febrero, celebraremos el Miércoles de Ceniza! Sé que tampoco puedo creerlo. ¡El Miércoles de Ceniza es el mismo día que San Valentín! ¡Gracioso! Para que puedan planear con anticipación, celebraremos la Misa en la Iglesia Reina de los Ángeles a las 7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 2:00 p.m. Liturgia de la Palabra con Cenizas, 6:30 p.m., y 7:30 p.m. en español. La misa en la iglesia de San Matías será a las 8:15 a.m. ¡Nuestra temporada de Cuaresma viene rápidamente!

Finalmente, que cada uno de nosotros, como Juan el Bautista en el Evangelio de hoy, señale a nuestro amigo Jesús y aclame a Jesús como el Cordero de Dios, el salvador, el propio Hijo de Dios que Él envió al mundo. Con nuestros hijos, con nuestro cónyuge, con nuestros amigos, señalemos juntos a nuestro amigo Jesús y nunca dejemos de reconocer quién es Él y cómo ha cambiado el mundo. No demos por sentado el hecho de que todo el mundo lo conoce. Somos nosotros los que estamos llamados a señalarlo a Él en nuestras vidas y a señalar a Él que nos ofrece la vida eterna.

Al servicio de Jesús,
P. Jason

SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DEPAUL

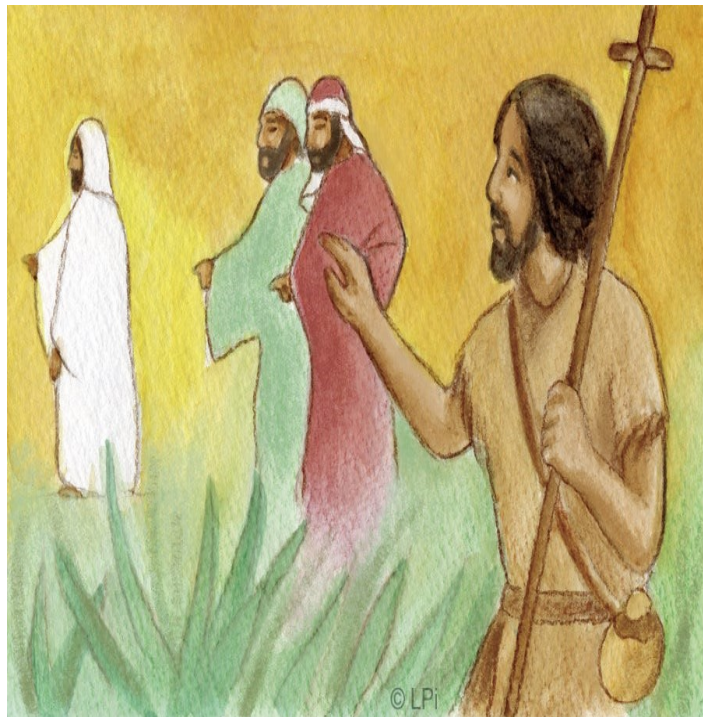
In the Gospel today, Jesus asks “What are you looking for?” Often, we are looking for happiness in very selfish ways, but we find that when we look for ways to make others happy, it is then that we truly become happy.

As you place your gift in the Society of St. Vincent de Paul poor box, know that you are a sign of God’s love to those who are suffering, and you give them reason to believe and to trust.

SOCIEDAD DE SAN VICENTE DE PAÚL

En el Evangelio de hoy, Jesús pregunta: “¿Que buscan?” Muy seguido buscamos la felicidad en una manera egoistica para satisfacernos a nosotros mismos, pero después nos damos cuenta de que, si buscamos maneras de dar felicidad a otros, es entonces cuando nosotros mismos recibimos esa felicidad.

Cuando pones tu regalo en La Caja Pobre de la Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl, reconoce que eres un signo del amor de Dios a aquellos que están sufriendo, y tú les das razón para creer y confiar en otros.



SPECIAL COLLECTIONS:

Maternity BVM Church at St. José Sánchez del Rio, 1/21/2024
Church in Latin America, 1/28/2024

2023 DONATION STATEMENTS

If you are preparing your 2023 Income Taxes and would like to receive a statement of tax-deductible gifts to Queen of Apostles Parish in 2023, please contact the parish office at 773-539-7510 or at parish@qofachicago.org. Statements may be mailed to your street address, picked up during office hours or you may receive an e-statement through your email account. Thank you for your support of our parish!

DECLARACIONES DE DONACIÓN 2023

Si está preparando sus impuestos sobre la renta de 2023 y desea recibir una declaración de donaciones deducibles de impuestos a la Parroquia Reina de los Apóstoles en 2023, comuníquese con la oficina parroquial al 773-539-7510 o al parish@qofachicago.org. Los estados de cuenta pueden enviarse por correo a su dirección, recogerse durante el horario de oficina o puede recibir un estado de cuenta electrónico a través de su cuenta de correo electrónico. ¡Gracias por su apoyo a nuestra parroquia!

CAPS MEETING

Beat 1911 Police CAPS meeting to be held Tuesday the 16th, 6:30 to 7:30 at the Sulzer Library.
 Beat 1911's boundaries are Lawrence on the North, Damen to the East, Irving on the South and the river on the West.

WEEKLY	COLLECTION	SUMMARY
Weekend of:	January 6 & 7	December 30-31
Envelopes	55	53
Collected Amount:	\$2,375.00	\$1,985.00
Percent total	29%	20%
Loose Collection Amount:	\$1,600.56	\$1,590.95
Percent of total:	20%	16%
Give Central Collected amount:	\$4,165.50	\$6,423.00
Percent of total:	51%	64%
Total Collection:	\$8,141.06	\$9,998.95

To sign up for Online Giving:
parish.queenofangelschicago.org/how-to/donate

SENIOR SOCIAL CLUB773-372-9535 or, queens.senior.club@gmail.com

Wednesday, January 17, 9:30am SENIOR BREAKFAST at Mi Fogata Restaurant, 4322 N. Western. Join fellow seniors for a breakfast outing at a local restaurant serving Mexican and American breakfast favorites.

MOVIE- Wednesday, January 24, in person and on Zoom, Conference Rooms 1 & 2

“The Cutting Edge” (1992)

Stuck-up figure skating whiz Kate Moseley (Moira Kelly) is denied a gold medal at the 1988 Olympics after a fall. As Kate drives off partner after partner, her coach, Anton (Roy Dotrice), must quickly find her a new one in order to be ready for the next Olympics. Enter arrogant former Olympic hockey player Doug Dorsey (D.B. Sweeney), who briefly encountered Kate years before. Reluctantly teaming up, Kate and Doug's icy rapport begins to thaw, resulting in a chemistry both in and out of the rink. Directed by Paul Michael Glaser, starring Moira Kelly, D.B. Sweeney, Roy Dotrice and Terry O'Quinn.

Thursday, January 25, 5:00 to 6:30pm. Happy Hour at Ricochet's, 4644 N Lincoln Ave.

MOVIE- Friday, February 2, in person and on Zoom, Conference Rooms 1 & 2,

“Night at the Museum” (2006)

Dreamer Larry Daley thinks he's destined for something big but his imaginative ideas never pay off and in desperate need of a job, he accepts to be a security guard at the Natural History Museum. During his watch, Larry makes a startling discovery. Thanks to the unleashing of an Egyptian curse, the museum's animals spring to life after the building closes. Larry must find a way to save the chaotic situation. Directed by Shawn Levy, starring Ben Stiller, Owen Wilson, Robin Williams and Rami Malek.

CLUB SOCIAL DE LOS ANCIANOS773-372-9535 o, queens.senior.club-gmail.com

Miércoles 17 de enero, 9:30am DESAYUNO en el restaurante Mi Fogata, 4322 N. Western. Únase a sus compañeros mayores para una excursión de desayuno en un restaurante local que sirve desayunos mexicanos y americanos favoritos.

PELÍCULA- Miércoles, 24 de enero, en persona y por Zoom, Salas de Conferencias 1 y 2

“PASIÓN POR EL TRIUNFO” (1992)

Es la historia de una patinadora (que por su carácter no encuentra un compañero que la lleve a ganar su sueño: ser la ganadora de patinaje artístico en las olimpiadas) y un jugador de hockey (que queda con una lesión que le impide volver a jugar) que deciden juntarse y ganar el oro en las olimpiadas, pero encuentran más que eso, desarrollando una relación odio-amor. Dirigida por Paul Michael Glaser, protagonizada por Moira Kelly, D.B. Sweeney, Roy Dotrice and Terry O'Quinn.

Jueves 25 de enero, de 5:00 a 6:30 p.m. Hora Feliz en Ricochet's, 4644 N Lincoln Ave.

PELÍCULA - Viernes 2 de febrero, en persona y en zoom, salas de conferencias 1 y 2,

“Noche en el Museo” (2006)

El soñador Larry Daley piensa que está destinado a algo grande, pero sus ideas imaginativas nunca dan sus frutos y, con una necesidad desesperada de trabajo, acepta ser guardia de seguridad en el Museo de Historia Natural. Durante su guardia, Larry hace un descubrimiento sorprendente. Gracias al desencadenamiento de una maldición egipcia, los animales del museo cobran vida después de que el edificio se cierra. Larry debe encontrar una manera de salvar la situación caótica. Dirigida por Shawn Levy, protagonizada por Ben Stiller, Owen Wilson, Robin Williams y Rami Malek.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES SENIOR SERVICES

Catholic Charities Senior Services helps seniors thrive, in their own homes, comfortably, safely and with dignity. Last year more than 82,000 seniors in Cook and Lake Counties received care coordination, benefits assistance, referrals, access to Senior Nutrition programs, and a wide range of healthy-aging opportunities offered at our ten Senior Drop-Centers. To learn more, visit catholiccharities.net or call 312-655-7700.

CARIDADES CATÓLICAS PARA PERSONAS MAYORES

Los Servicios para Personas Mayores de Caridades Católicas ayudan a las personas mayores a prosperar, en sus propios hogares, de manera cómoda, segura y con dignidad. El año pasado, más de 82,000 adultos mayores en los condados de Cook y Lake recibieron coordinación de atención, asistencia con beneficios, referencias, acceso a programas de nutrición para personas mayores y una amplia gama de oportunidades para el envejecimiento saludable que se ofrecen en nuestros diez Centros de Entrega para Personas Mayores. Para obtener más información, visite catholiccharities.net o llame al 312-655-7700.



EL CRISTO NEGRO DE ESQUIPULAS

Allá donde late el Corazón de América Central, a 10 kilómetros de Honduras y a 22 de la República de El Salvador, en el oriente de Guatemala, se levanta un hermoso y antiguo volcán ya apagado, con un nombre sonoro y decidor de tiempos antiguos: El Quetzaltepeque, que es el cerro del Quetzal, pájaro emblemático del alma guatemalteca. Hace algo más de 400 años atrás, la población que hacía poco se había asentado a los pies de ese cerro, y que llevaba el mismo nombre quiso tener una imagen del crucificado para poder venerar con ella el misterio de salvación realizado por Nuestro Señor Jesucristo, y pidieron que se tallara, en tamaño casi natural, un Cristo Crucificado. Para poder pagar su costo, todo el pueblo realizó durante dos años un trabajo comunitario. Un terreno de la comunidad fue dedicado a la plantación de algodón y en él trabajaron todos. Con lo cosechado se pagó el costo al tallista de la capital. Y la comunidad tuvo su Cristo.

Andando el tiempo, ese gran crucifijo fue trasladado a la vecina ciudad de Esquipulas, donde quedaría custodiado en el Santuario que es el corazón latiente de la religiosidad centro americana. Lo que es Guadalupe, con su devoción a la Virgen Morena y a San Juan Diego lo es Esquipulas con su Cristo Negro. Lo del color se debe a la madera en que esta tallado, y quizás el tiempo acumulado en estos 400 años.

ORACIÓN DE DISCERNIMIENTO

Querido Señor,
¡Aquí estoy! Ayúdame a conocer el camino que quieres que camine, a hablar las palabras que quieres que diga, a amar y servir a aquellos que pones en mi camino. Amén.

CELEBRACIÓN DEL CRISTO NEGRO DE ESQUIPULAS

Hoy domingo, 14 de enero en la misa de las 12:30 p.m. celebraremos al Cristo Negro de Esquipulas. Únase a nosotros para esta celebración guatemalteca con música y comida en el Salón de la Sagrada Familia después de la Misa. Todos son bienvenidos.

ARTESANÍA DE MADERA DE OLIVO EL 20 & 21 DE ENERO

Representantes de la Comunidad Cristiana Católica de Jerusalén, de Tierra Santa, están aquí para vender sus artículos de madera elaborados a mano. Dicha comunidad depende principalmente de la artesanía religiosa talladas en madera y el turismo. Debido a los conflictos políticos y la falta de turismo muchos de los cristianos se ven obligados a abandonar la Tierra Santa. Con la venta de estos artículos religiosos usted ayudará que sobrevivan y mantengan su comunidad viva, que sea un reflejo de nuestra fe y amor al Señor. Considere comprar un regalo que será recordado y apreciado por usted o por alguien querido. Las figurillas y artículos religiosos hechos a mano en madera de olivo estarán disponibles para su compra después de todas las Misas el 20 y 21 de enero.

MISA DE NIÑOS PERDIDOS

El Comité de Respeto a la Vida está celebrando una Misa de Niños Perdidos el domingo, 21 de enero a las 9am.

Todos son bienvenidos. Esta misa es para cualquier persona que ha perdido un niño por una enfermedad, un accidente, una lesión, aborto, suicidio y abuso físico. Usted puede asistir en persona o verlo en línea a través del sitio web de la Reina de los Apóstoles y youtube.

VIVIR LA LITURGIA

“Venid y ved,” dijo Jesús a los discípulos que tenían curiosidad por saber de él. Hoy, él susurra esta invitación en lo más profundo de nuestro corazón. Ten valor: ve y mira lo que Cristo tiene para mostrarte.



SCRIPTURE HOUR!

Our next Scripture Hour class is Thursday, January 18, 1:00 - 2:00 PM at the Parish Center, Conference Room 1. We will be discussing the Book of Mark. If you're interested in joining us let me know at ramosD60@outlook.com.
-Deacon Dennis Ramos

LOST CHILDREN'S MASS

The Respect Life Committee is having a Lost Children's Mass on Sunday, January 21, at 9 am. Everyone is welcome. This mass is for anyone who has lost a child by an illness, an accident, an injury, abortion, suicide & physical abuse. You can attend in person or watch it online through the Queen of Apostles website and youtube.

WHO LIKES TO GOLF?

The Men's Club has a 9-hole Golf League at Robert Black GC that begins in April and runs through September. Play is every other Tuesday evening starting at 5pm. It is a handicapped league, so all levels of golfers are welcome to play. If interested or if you have questions or would like more details, please contact Steve Swanson at sdswanson@ameritech.net who is League Commissioner for 2024. This is a fun way to meet members of the QofA parish and enjoy some fellowship in a relaxed environment.

OLIVE WOOD CRAFTS SALE JANUARY 20 & 21

We will host representatives of the Catholic Christian Community from Jerusalem and Bethlehem in the Holy Land who will be displaying handcrafted olive wood religious figurines and articles. Due to political conflict and COVID 19 results in the reduction of tourism, the Catholic Community has come to depend more on the sale of these articles abroad to survive. The woodcarvings are beautiful and reflect faith and love for the Lord. Please consider purchasing a gift that will be remembered and cherished for yourself or someone dear to you. The handcrafted olive wood figurines and articles will be available for purchase the weekend of January 20 & 21 after all the Masses.

Introducing Littlest Knights Playgroup

Starting Wednesday, January 17, Queen of Angels School will begin a new **Littlest Knights Playgroup** for children aged 0-3 yrs old and their parents/ caregiver. Our Littlest Knights will meet weekly on Wednesdays 8:15-9:30am and is open to families in our community. We will meet in the Lower Level of Queen of Angels School, 4520 N. Western Ave. Children 3 and under are welcome with their parent or caregiver. Pre-registration is required. Please go to <https://bit.ly/LittlestKnights> to register. If you have a little one, please join us!

THOSE WHO SEEK THE TRUTH

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

In my work as a freelance writer, I have a regular column in the archdiocesan paper writing profiles of ordinary people in the local church. Laity, religious, and clergy alike — I hound them all to give me an interview, and when I do, the answer is almost always this: "You don't want to talk to me. There's nothing special about me." I always try to convince them that there is something remarkable about everyone who is searching for the truth. It is easy to think we are not made for holiness because we are ordinary people with ordinary habits, ordinary abilities, and ordinary sins. It is easy (and very convenient) to designate holiness as something belonging to Better People. People like the saints. People like the Disciples. The Bible gives us next to no personal information about the disciples. There is no archdiocesan newspaper profile on Andrew and Simon that can give us insight into who they were before they became St. Andrew, Inaugural Disciple and Announcer of the Messiah, and St. Peter, First Pope and the Rock-Upon-Which-Christ-Built-His-Church.

Yet I find myself insatiably curious about it. What was their childhood like? What games did they play with each other as the sun set, before their mother called them into bed? What did they think of as they fell asleep at night? What secret jokes did they share to make each other laugh? What were they afraid of? What did they hope for? Who did they want to be?

Before they were towering figures of salvation history, Simon and Andrew were just two men searching for the truth. When they looked at Christ, there was something that made it click. Perhaps they themselves could not identify what it was, but their hearts whispered it nonetheless: *There it is. We finally found it.* Isn't that the best we can all hope for?

LIVE THE LITURGY

"Come and see," Jesus said to the disciples who were curious to know about him. Today, he whispers this invitation into the deepest place of our heart. Have courage — go, and see what Christ has to show you.



This Week at Queen of Apostles

ALL MASSES TAKE PLACE AT QUEEN OF ANGELS CHURCH

(2330 W. Sunnyside Ave unless noted)

Monday, January 15- Dr. Martin Luther King Holiday

All Facilities Closed

Tuesday, January 16

-Weekday Mass, 8:30am

-Cherub Rehearsal, Holy Family Hall, 3pm

-RCIA, Parish Center, Conference Room 1, 7pm

-AA, Parish Center, Mission Hall, 7:30pm

Wednesday, January 17

-Weekday Mass, 8:30am

-Senior Social Club Breakfast, Mi Fogata, 4322 N Western, 9:30am

-Forward Chicago Craft, Parish Center, Conference Room 2, 10:30am

-Spelling Bee for Queen of Angels School, Holy Family Hall, 12pm

-Chorister Rehearsal, Holy Family Hall, 2:15pm

-Girl Scout Cadettes Troop, Parish Center, Mission Hall, 6pm

-Lupus Spoons 2.0 Support, Zoom only

-Cub Scout Lion Den, Parish Center, Conference Room 1, 6:30pm

-Adult Choir Rehearsal, Holy Family Hall, 2:15pm

Thursday, January 18

-Weekday Mass, 8:30am

-First Reconciliation for Q of A School, Second Grade, Upper Church, 1pm

-Girl Scout Brownie Troop, Parish Center, Mission Hall, 6pm

-Cub Scout Wolf Den, Parish Center, Conference Room 1, 6pm

-Círculo de Oración, Holy Family Hall, 7pm

-St. Vincent DePaul Meeting, Parish Center, Conference Room 2, and on Zoom, 7pm

-Men's Club Basketball, Guild Hall Gym, Mission Hall, 9pm

Friday, January 19

-Weekday Mass, 8:30am

-Eucharistic Adoration in the church after Mass to 10am

-Middle School Winter Dance, Parish Center, Mission Hall, 6pm

Saturday, January 20

-Weekday Mass followed by Rosary, 9am

-Confessions, 9:30am

-Spanish Baptism Preparation, Zoom only, 10:30am

-Mass of Anticipation, with Commissioning of Eucharistic Ministers, 5pm

Sunday, January 21

-Mass for Lost Children with Commissioning of Eucharistic Ministers in English, streamed live, 9am

-K-7 Religious Education Classes, 10:15am

-Mass in English, 11am

-Practica del Coro, 11:30am

-Mass in Spanish with Commissioning of Eucharistic Ministers, 12:30pm

-English Baptisms, 2pm

-Men's Club Basketball, Parish Center Mission Hall & Gym, 8pm

Masses for the Week

MONDAY, January 15- Dr. Martin Luther King Day

1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mk 2:18-22

MORNING MASS

† Phyllis Trotier

TUESDAY, January 16

1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28

8:30 **MORNING MASS**

† Ann Malone

WEDNESDAY, January 17- St. Anthony, Abbot

1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-6

8:30 **MORNING MASS**

† Parish Remembrance Society

THURSDAY, January 18- January 18-25 is the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13/Mk 3:7-12

8:30 **MORNING MASS**

† Parish Remembrance Society

FRIDAY, January 19

1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11/Mk 3:13-19

8:30 **MORNING MASS**

† Parish Remembrance Society

SATURDAY, January 20- St. Fabian, Pope and Martyr; St. Sebastian, Martyr

2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/Mk 3:20-21

9:00 **MORNING MASS**

† Parish Remembrance Society

9:30 **CONFESSION**

5:00 **MASS OF ANTICIPATION**

† Pat Kubistal

† Rudy Gabor- Birthday

SUNDAY, January 21- 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jon 3:1-5, 10/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (4a)/1 Cor 7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20

9:00 **MASS FOR LOST CHILDREN AND COMMISSIONING OF EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS IN ENGLISH** *streamed live*

† Parish Remembrance Society

11:00 **MASS IN ENGLISH**

† Rudy Gabor- Birthday

12:30 **MASS IN SPANISH WITH COMMISSIONING OF EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

† Maria Soledad Romero

† Eliodoro Conde- 1 month Anniversary