

# The Guide

## Queen of Apostles Parish

Worshipping at Queen of Angels & St. Matthias Churches

*Fourth Sunday in  
Ordinary Time*

*January 28, 2024*



CELEBRATE  
**CATHOLIC  
SCHOOLS**  
WEEK!



**Queen of Apostles  
Parish Staff and Ministries**

Website: [qofachicago.org](http://qofachicago.org)  
E-mail: [parish@qofachicago.org](mailto:parish@qofachicago.org)

**Queen of Angels Church**  
2330 W. Sunnyside Ave.  
St. Matthias Church  
2310 W. Ainslie Ave.

**Parish Center Office: 4412 N. Western Ave.**

Phone: 773-539-7510 Fax: 773-539-3408

Facebook@qofachicago & Youtube Queen of Apostles Chicago

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](http://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](http://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](http://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](mailto:parish@qofachicago.org)

*We Pray for the Deceased*

Angelo Molina

*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, Angela Callister and Maria Cervantes



**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](http://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.**

**THANK YOU AND TRANSITIONS**

Dear Disciples of Jesus,

On behalf of the whole Pastoral team, please accept my deepest gratitude for your Christmas generosity to our Queen of Apostles Parish! Whether you prayed at St. Matthias Church or Queen of Angels Church, it was an honor to be together and I am grateful for your transformative generosity this past Christmas Season.

Further, let me also thank you for your generosity to our new Apostles Catholic Education (ACE) Endowment. Through your generosity, over \$8000 was raised to begin this Endowment that will help our families with outstanding Catholic Education at St. Matthias School, Queen of Angels School and Queen of Apostles Religious Education. While just at its beginning stages, I look forward to this ACE Endowment serving our Parish educational mission for decades to come. Also, while short of the \$10,000 goal, I know that the Holy Spirit provides.

Speaking of Holy Spirit, I am sad to share that our Queen of Angels School Principal, Rana Brizgys, is following the promptings of the Holy Spirit and is discerning a new career path. While that is very sad for us, I wish her all the best as she takes her leave at the end of the School year. Serving our Queen of Angels School extraordinarily well through the pandemic and over the past four years, her stepping away is a huge loss for our Parish. I will miss her personally and professionally. A search team of our School Board will assist me in identifying an excellent candidate to fill Ms. Brizgys' big shoes! May God bless you in your next adventure!

Also taking his leave will be Bill Brennan, our Director of Operations for our Parish. Bill told me of his readiness to retire when I came on-board in July and I promptly asked for his help through this school year. I am very grateful for his service to our Parish, through the unification and pandemic, and I wish him all the best in retirement. Bill is generous to serve until a search team of our finance council helps me identify an excellent candidate. May God bless you in retirement good and faithful servant!

Finally, I am proud to announce that we will be searching for a new member of our Pastoral Team. We will be posting an opening for a Director of Evangelization and Youth and Young Adult ministry. We are gifted with hundreds of young adults, as well as teens, and I am thrilled to have someone come on board who can gather them, support their faith formation and discipleship.

Thank you for your partnership in the service of Jesus.

*Fr. Jason*

**GRACIAS Y TRANSICIONES**

Queridos discípulos de Jesús,

En nombre de todo el equipo pastoral, por favor acepten mi más profunda gratitud por su generosidad navideña a nuestra Parroquia Reina de los Apóstoles. Ya sea que hayan orado en la Iglesia de San Matías o en la Iglesia Reina de los Ángeles, fue un honor estar juntos y estoy agradecido por su generosidad transformadora en esta pasada temporada navideña.

Además, permítame también agradecerle su generosidad a nuestra nueva Dotación de la Educación Católica de los Apóstoles (ACE). A través de su generosidad, se recaudaron más de \$8,000 para comenzar esta Dotación que ayudará a nuestras familias con una educación católica sobresaliente en la Escuela San Matías, la Escuela Reina de los Ángeles y la Educación Religiosa Reina de los Apóstoles. Mientras que solo en sus etapas iniciales, espero con interés esta Dotación ACE sirviendo a nuestra misión educativa parroquial durante décadas por venir. Además, aunque está corto de la meta de \$10,000, sé que el Espíritu Santo provee.

Hablando del Espíritu Santo, me entristece compartir que nuestra directora de la escuela Reina de los Ángeles, Rana Brizgys, está siguiendo los impulsos del Espíritu Santo y está discerniendo una nueva trayectoria profesional. Si bien eso es muy triste para nosotros, le deseo todo lo mejor cuando se despidan al final del año escolar. Sirviendo a nuestra Escuela Reina de Ángeles extraordinariamente bien a través de la pandemia y en los últimos cuatro años, su alejamiento es una gran pérdida para nuestra parroquia. La extrañaré personal y profesionalmente. ¡Un equipo de búsqueda de nuestra Junta Escolar me ayudará a identificar a un excelente candidato para llenar los zapatos grandes de la Sra. Brizgys! ¡Que Dios te bendiga en tu próxima aventura!

También se despedirá Bill Brennan, nuestro Director de Operaciones de nuestra Parroquia. Bill me habló de su disposición a jubilarse cuando me incorporé en julio y rápidamente le pedí ayuda durante este año escolar. Estoy muy agradecido por su servicio a nuestra Parroquia, a través de la unificación y la pandemia, y le deseo todo lo mejor en la jubilación. Bill es generoso de servir hasta que un equipo de búsqueda de nuestro consejo de finanzas me ayude a identificar a un excelente candidato. ¡Que Dios te bendiga en la jubilación, buen y fiel siervo!

Finalmente, estoy orgulloso de anunciar que vamos a estar buscando un nuevo miembro de nuestro Equipo Pastoral. Publicaremos una apertura para un Director de Evangelización y Ministerio de Jóvenes y Adultos Jóvenes. Somos dotados con cientos de adultos jóvenes, así como adolescentes, y estoy encantado de tener a alguien a bordo que pueda reunirlos, apoyar su formación de fe y discipulado.

Gracias por su colaboración en el servicio de Jesús.

*P. Jason*

**SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DEPAUL**

In the Gospel today we read that because Jesus spoke with authority his reputation spread throughout the surrounding region of Galilee. As his disciples, we can also speak with authority when we put our faith into actions by helping the poor and suffering.

**Have you considered answering the call to serve the poor by joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul? The next meeting will be on Thursday, February 15 at 7 pm in the Parish Center and on Zoom.**

**SOCIEDAD DE SAN VICENTE DE PAÚL**

En el Evangelio de hoy, leímos que como Jesús hablaba con autoridad, su fama se extendió por todos los alrededores de Galilea. Como Sus discípulos nosotros también hablamos con autoridad cuando ponemos nuestra fe en acción ayudando al pobre y los que sufren.

**¿Ha pensado de responder al llamado de servir a los pobres, uniéndote a La Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl de nuestra parroquia? La próxima reunión será el jueves 15 de febrero a las 7 pm en el Centro Parroquial y por Zoom.**

**SPECIAL COLLECTIONS:**

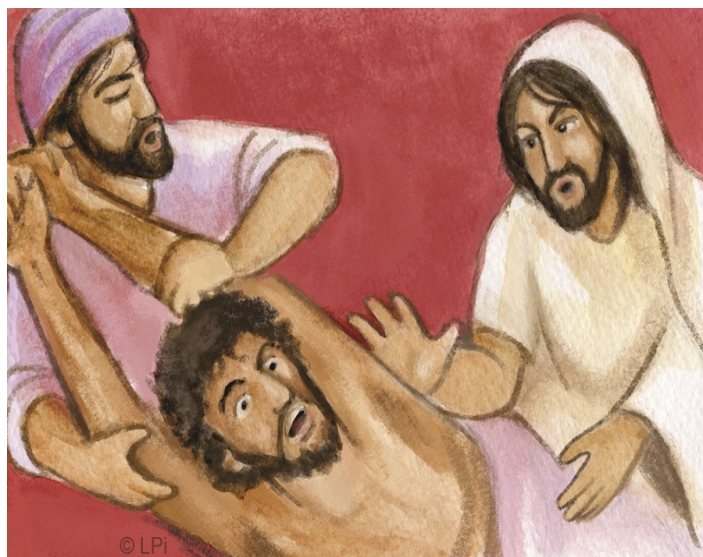
*Church in Latin America, 1/28/2024*

*Apostles Catholic Education Endowment, 2/4/2024*

*2024 Annual Catholic Appeal Commitment Weekend, 2/10-2/11/2024*

*The Church in Central and Eastern Europe, 2/14/2024*

*Maternity BVM at San Jose Sanchez del Rio, 2/18/2024*



**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](mailto: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](mailto: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!

WEEKLY	COLLECTION	SUMMARY
Weekend of:	January 20 & 21	January 13 & 14
Envelopes	54	33
Collected Amount:	\$1,949.00	\$1,338.00
Percent total	24%	17%
Loose Collection Amount:	\$1,533.75	\$1,348.23
Percent of total:	18%	17%
Give Central Collected amount:	\$4,838.50	\$5,125.50
Percent of total:	58%	66%
<b>Total Collection:</b>	<b>\$8,321.25</b>	<b>\$7,811.73</b>

To sign up for Online Giving:  
[parish.queenofangelschicago.org/how-to/donate](http://parish.queenofangelschicago.org/how-to/donate)



**SENIOR SOCIAL CLUB**773-372-9535 or, [queens.senior.club@gmail.com](mailto:queens.senior.club@gmail.com)**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 ANCIANOS**773-372-9535 o, [queens.senior.club-gmail.com](mailto:queens.senior.club-gmail.com)**“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.

**A NOTE OF THANKS**

THANK YOU, THANK YOU to the wonderful parishioners who answered the call to help take down Christmas trees, the creche, store all away and clean up. What a blessing you all were! Many hands made light work! A shout out as well to Christine and Joyce who spend hours each week keeping the sanctuary tidy, plants watered, candles ordered and tending to numerous tasks that we would notice only if they were left undone! We appreciate all of you.

*Arts & Environment.*

**ST. IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH**

St. Ignatius of Antioch (35-108) was a bishop of Antioch in the first century which, at the time, was the capital of Syria. One of the earliest bishops, he was a disciple of the apostle John and was a prolific writer and teacher of the early faith.

Throughout his ministry, he emphasized the importance of the real presence of Christ in the bread and wine, considering the Eucharist as the "medicine of immortality" and "the flesh of our Savior Jesus Christ." His writings, particularly his seven epistles, passionately affirmed the significance of partaking in the Eucharistic celebration as a means to unite with Christ and fellow believers. He urged the faithful to hold fast to the teachings of the apostles and the sacraments passed down through the generations. During the reign of Roman Emperor Trajan, St. Ignatius was arrested for his faith and condemned to be taken to Rome for execution. While in chains making the long journey with Roman soldiers from Syria to Rome, St. Ignatius was allowed to meet with many of the faithful and to write letters to neighboring Christian congregations. His seven epistles from this time and his conviction in the face of martyrdom served as an inspiration to many. His writings live on today as important teachings of the early Church, shedding a light into early Christian theology. St. Ignatius was martyred in Rome's Colosseum when he was thrown to the lions and devoured. He's remembered as the patron saint of Church unity, and the Eucharist. St. Ignatius of Antioch, pray for us!

**GOSPEL MEDITATION**

I love movies about exorcisms. Apparently, so do many others. The 2023 movie “Nefarious” features a possibly possessed inmate on death row. Critics were not impressed, but audiences scored it at 97% on the website Rotten Tomatoes. Most people have an appreciation for the demonic realm, even if cultural elites are generally embarrassed about it. As is standard in exorcism movies, the afflicted person (in this case, a man named Edward Brady) thinks and acts like *multiple* persons. He is someone besides himself. We know what that is like. We feel *fake* sometimes, not ourselves. The same dynamic is on dramatic display this week in the Gospel. Jesus the Exorcist approaches a possessed man who utters, **“What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth?”** Notice the plural, *us*. The basic effect of the demonic is division. The man's identity is fractured, divided, and thus many. Jesus powerfully expels the spirit by saying, **“Quiet! Come out of him!”** Jesus' word has the power to restore the man's singularity — *him* — and indeed it does.

All this helps us to dismiss childish images of demons sporting red goat tails. Equally, it overcomes the cultured aloofness that dreams demons are mere metaphors for evil. We see instead that fallen angels are conscious and intelligent beings who orient their agency toward division. They bring about schism where there should be unity, e.g., in persons, families, communities, politics, and so on. Thankfully, Jesus commands demons to flee from all these places to restore wholeness and peace. What if we made room for his word where we need it?

— *Father John Muir*

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE MINISTRY**

*Husbands love your wives, avoid any bitterness towards them.*

*Colossians 3:19*

For anyone experiencing domestic violence in any form, be it physical, psychological, or sexual, there is help: you are not alone. Illinois Domestic Violence Hotline 877-863-6338  
Catholic Charities Counseling 312-655-7725

## POR FAVOR HAGA SU DONACIÓN A LA CAMPAÑA CATÓLICA ANUAL 2024 JUNTOS EN LA MESA

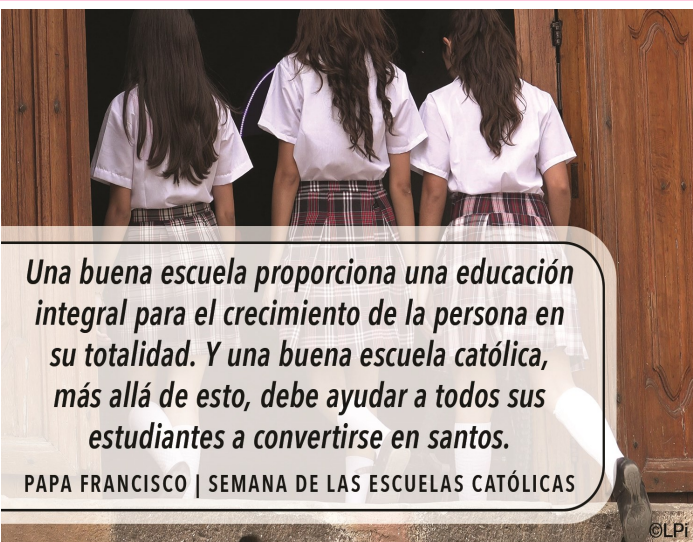
Muchas familias en nuestra mesa estarán recibiendo el envío por correo de la Campaña Católica Anual del cardenal Cupich. En nombre de aquellos que son servidos por los ministerios, parroquia y escuelas que reciben fondos de la Campaña, le agradecemos sus donaciones. Por favor regrese su respuesta tan pronto como sea posible. La Campaña Católica Anual ofrece una maravillosa oportunidad de responder al llamado de "Juntos en la mesa". Además de proveer a ministerios y servicios a lo largo de la arquidiócesis, la Campaña también financia servicios que son de gran ayuda aquí en nuestra parroquia. Mientras contemplamos los muchos dones de Dios para nosotros, también debemos reflexionar sobre nuestra gratitud. Su apoyo financiero a la obra de nuestra parroquia, nuestra arquidiócesis, y la Iglesia por todo el mundo es una manera de expresar esta gratitud. Por favor donen lo que puedan a la Campaña Católica Anual 2024.

## UNA NOTA DE AGRADECIMIENTO

GRACIAS, GRACIAS a los maravillosos feligreses que respondieron al llamado para ayudar a desmontar los árboles de Navidad, el pesebre, guardar todo y limpiar. ¡Qué bendición fueron todos ustedes! ¡Muchas manos hicieron el trabajo ligero! También agradecemos a Christine y Joyce, que pasan horas cada semana manteniendo el santuario ordenado, las plantas regadas, las velas ordenadas y atendiendo numerosas tareas que solo notaríamos si se dejaran sin hacer. Les agradecemos a todos.  
*Artes y Medio Ambiente.*

## ORACIÓN POR LOS JÓVENES

Querido Señor,  
Quédate con nuestros jóvenes esta semana y siempre: mantenlos bajo tu cuidado. Ayúdalos a formar amistades piadosas, a hablar la verdad y a conocerte de una manera personal que los desafíe, molde y guíe. Amén.



*Una buena escuela proporciona una educación integral para el crecimiento de la persona en su totalidad. Y una buena escuela católica, más allá de esto, debe ayudar a todos sus estudiantes a convertirse en santos.*

PAPA FRANCISCO | SEMANA DE LAS ESCUELAS CATÓLICAS

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## INSTITUTO DE LIDERAZGO CRISTÓFORO-SUPERACIÓN PERSONAL

Si quiere adquirir confianza en si mismo, una mentalidad positiva, una personalidad atrayente, al igual que poder expresarse con facilidad, ser entusiasta y optimista entonces tenemos justamente lo que usted necesita. El Instituto de Liderazgo Cristóforo estará ofreciendo sus clases del invierno 2024, en la Iglesia Reina de los Apóstoles localizada en el Centro Parroquial 4412 N. Western Ave., Chicago, IL 60625. Las inscripciones y sesión informativa se llevaran acabo el sábado 3 de febrero, 2024 de 9am a 12pm. Durante este curso de 10 semanas usted eliminara sus temores y complejos, aprenderá a recordar nombres, y adquirirá dotes de líder todo esto en tan solo 3 horas por semana y tan solo \$150 incluyendo material y diploma. La primera sesión comienza el sábado, 10 de febrero de 9am a 12pm. Si desea mas información visite [instituteofchristopherleaders.org](http://instituteofchristopherleaders.org) o llame al 773-610-1444.

## MINISTERIO DE VIOLENCIA DOMÉSTICA

*Los esposos aman a sus esposas, evitan cualquier amargura hacia ellas Colosenses: 3:19*

Para cualquier persona que experimente violencia doméstica en cualquier forma, ya sea física, psicológica o sexual, hay ayuda: no estás solo.

Línea directa de violencia doméstica de Illinois 877-863-6338  
Consejería de Caridades Católicas 312-655-7725.

## SPRED: BIENVENIDA A PERSONAS CON NECESIDADES ESPECIALES

Este domingo las cuatro comunidades SPRED de la Parroquia Reina de los Apóstoles se reunirán para celebrar juntos el comienzo de otro nuevo año. Nos reuniremos en la Misa de las 11:00 a.m. hoy para celebrar nuestra amistad y nuestra bendición del amor de Dios por cada uno de nosotros. Nos unimos a la comunidad parroquial para celebrar nuestra unidad como Iglesia; como una comunidad de fe, bienvenida y amor. Nuestra comunidad SPRED trae mejoras especiales a la liturgia para resaltar la Palabra y los hermosos rituales sagrados de la Misa. Continuaremos nuestra celebración después de la Misa en el sótano de la iglesia con algunas golosinas muy agradables, café y jugo. Por favor, aproveche esta oportunidad para conocer personalmente a nuestros amigos, sus familias y los catequistas de SPRED. ¡Este es tu llamado a ser una comunidad acogedora! Para obtener más información sobre el ministerio SPRED, visite: [queenofangelsspred.org](http://queenofangelsspred.org) y haga una reserva para observar una de nuestras sesiones inspiradoras.

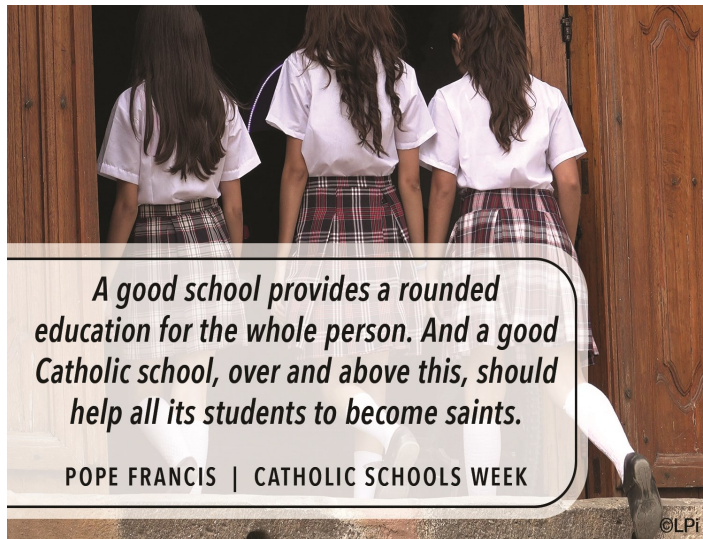
- Julia Hess 773-539-7510 or [jhess@archchicago.org](mailto:jhess@archchicago.org)

## VIVIR LA LITURGIA

Con una rápida orden, Jesús liberó a un hombre de la posesión de espíritus malignos. Él tiene ese mismo poder para desterrar la sombra del pecado de nuestras propias vidas. Invitémoslo a nuestro corazón, pidiéndole que limpie la oscuridad que allí encuentre.

**PLEASE MAKE YOUR GIFT TO THE 2024 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL TOGETHER AT THE TABLE**

Many families in our parish will be receiving the Annual Catholic Appeal mailing from Cardinal Cupich. On behalf of those served by the ministries, parishes, and schools that receive funding from the Appeal, we thank you for your gifts. Please return your response as soon as possible. The Annual Catholic Appeal offers a wonderful opportunity to answer the call "Together at the table." In addition to providing for ministries and services throughout the archdiocese, the Appeal also funds services that are of great help here in our parish. As we contemplate god's many gifts to us, we should also reflect on our gratitude. Your financial support for the work of our parish, our archdiocese, and the Church throughout the world is one way to express this gratitude. Please give what you can to the 2024 Annual Catholic Appeal.



**SPRED: WELCOMING PERSONS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS**

This Sunday the four SPRED communities of Queen of Apostles Parish will gather to celebrate the beginning of another new year together. We will gather at the 11:00 Mass today to celebrate our Friendship and our blessing of God's love for each of us. We join with the parish community to celebrate our oneness as Church; as a community of faith, welcome and love. Our SPRED community brings special enhancements to the liturgy to highlight the Word and the beautiful sacred rituals of the Mass. We will continue our celebration following Mass in the Lower Church with some very nice treats, coffee and juice. Please take this opportunity to personally meet our Friends, their families and the SPRED catechists. This is your call to be a welcoming community! For further information on the SPRED ministry visit: [queenofangelsspred.org](http://queenofangelsspred.org) and make a reservation to observe one of our inspiring sessions. - Julia Hess 773-539-7510 or [jhess@archchicago.org](mailto:jhess@archchicago.org)

**LIVE THE LITURGY**

With one swift command, Jesus freed a man from the possession of evil spirits. He has that same power to banish the shadow of sin from our own lives. Let's invite him into our hearts, asking him to cleanse the darkness he finds there.

**PRAYER FOR THE YOUTH**

Dear Lord,  
Be with our young people this week and always — keep them in Your care. Help them to form godly friendships, speak the truth, and know You in the personal way that will challenge, shape, and guide them. Amen.

**2024**

Queen of Angels CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
4520 North Western Avenue  
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**CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK**

- 28 JAN SALVATION SUNDAY**  
CELEBRATE OUR PARISH
- 29 JAN MOTIVATION MONDAY**  
CELEBRATE OUR FACULTY
- 30 JAN TAKE ACTION TUESDAY**  
CELEBRATE OUR COMMUNITY
- 31 JAN WARRIOR WEDNESDAY**  
CELEBRATE OUR STUDENTS
- 01 FEB THANKFUL THURSDAY**  
CELEBRATE OUR NATION
- 02 FEB FELLOWSHIP FRIDAY**  
CELEBRATE OUR VOCATIONS
- 03 FEB SACRIFICE SATURDAY**  
CELEBRATE OUR FAMILY

Queen of Angels CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
4520 North Western Avenue  
Chicago, Illinois 60625

## This Week at Queen of Apostles

### ALL MASSES TAKE PLACE AT QUEEN OF ANGELS CHURCH

(2330 W. Sunnyside Ave unless noted)

#### Monday, January 29

- Weekday Mass, 8:30am
- Chorister Rehearsal, Holy Family Hall, 3pm
- Reunión Carismática, Parish Center, Conference Room 2
- Confirmation Prep Class, Parish Center, Mission Hall, 6:45pm

#### Tuesday, January 30

- Weekday Mass, 8:30am
- Staff Meeting, Parish Center, Conference Room 1, 1pm
- Cherub Rehearsal, Holy Family Hall, 3pm
- Cub Scout Webelos, Holy Family Hall, 6:30pm
- SPRED Group I, Catechist Prep, Parish Center, SPRED Room, 7pm
- RCIA, Parish Center, Conference Room 1, 7pm
- AA, Parish Center, Mission Hall, 7:30pm

#### Wednesday, January 31

- Weekday Mass, 8:30am
- Chorister Rehearsal, Holy Family Hall, 2:15pm
- Student Health Program, Parish Center, Mission Hall, 2:15pm
- Girl Scout Cadettes Troop, Parish Center, Mission Hall, 6pm
- SPRED Group II, Catechist Prep Parish Center, SPRED Room, 7pm
- Adult Choir Rehearsal, Holy Family Hall, 7pm

#### Thursday, February 1

- Weekday Mass, 8:30am
- Scripture Hour, Parish Center, Conference Room 1
- Girl Scout Brownie Troop, Parish Center, Mission Hall, 6pm
- Cub Scout Wolf Den, Parish Center, Conference Room 1, 6pm
- Círculo de Oración, Upper Church, 7pm
- SPRED Group III, Catechist Prep, Parish Center, SPRED Room, 7pm
- Men's Club Party, Parish Center, Mission Hall, 7pm
- Men's Club Basketball, Guild Hall Gym, Mission Hall, 9pm

#### Friday, February 2

- Weekday Mass, 8:30am
- Eucharistic Adoration in the church after Mass to 10am
- Senior Movie, Parish Center, Conference Rooms 1 & 2, 10:30am

#### Saturday, February 3

- Weekday Mass followed by Rosary, 9am
- Confessions, 9:30am
- Liderazgo Cristoforo, Parish Center, Evangelization Room 1, 9am
- Bautismos, 12pm
- Confraternity of Our Lady Of Penafrancia, Holy Family Hall, 1:30pm
- First Saturday Devotions, Upper Church, Adoration Chapel, 4pm
- Mass of Anticipation, 5pm
- Men's Club Social Event, Parish Center, Mission Hall, 5:30pm

#### Sunday, February 4

- Mass in English, streamed live, 9am
- K-7 Religious Education Classes, 10:15am
- Mass in English, 11am
- Practica del Coro, 11:30am
- Special Sacrament Classes, QA Teachers Lounge, 11:45am
- Mass in Spanish streamed live, 12:30pm
- Men's Club Basketball, Parish Center Mission Hall & Gym, 8pm

## Masses for the Week

#### MONDAY, January 29

2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mk 5:1-20

#### **MORNING MASS**

† Parish Remembrance Society

#### TUESDAY, January 30

2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30-19:3/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mk 5:21-43

8:30 **MORNING MASS**

† Parish Remembrance Society

#### WEDNESDAY, January 31- St. John Bosco, Priest

2 Sm 24:2, 9-17/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7/Mk 6:1-6

8:30 **MORNING MASS**

† Parish Remembrance Society

#### THURSDAY, February 1-

1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/1 Chr 29:10, 11ab, 11d-12a, 12bcd/Mk 6:7-13

8:30 **MORNING MASS**

† Parish Remembrance Society

#### FRIDAY, February 2- The Presentation of the Lord, World Day for Consecrated Life

Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

8:30 **ALL SCHOOL MASS FOR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK WITH QUEEN OF ANGELS SCHOOL**

† Parish Remembrance Society

#### SATURDAY, February 3- St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr; St.

*Ansgar, Bishop*

1 Kgs 3:4-13/Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14/Mk 6:30-34

9:00 **MORNING MASS**

† Parish Remembrance Society

9:30 **CONFESSION**

4:00 **FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS**

5:00 **MASS OF ANTICIPATION**

† Parish Remembrance Society

#### SUNDAY, February 4- 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-39

9:00 **MASS IN ENGLISH** streamed live

† Edilberto Cuares

11:00 **MASS IN ENGLISH**

† Caren Santiago

† Daisy Nario-del Rosario

† Alan Schoen- 2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary

12:30 **MASS IN SPANISH**

† Sociedad de Conmemoración

#### **INTENCIONES DE MISA**

Para solicitar una intención de misa especial en inglés o español, por favor visite la oficina parroquial o llame al 773-539-7510. La donación sugerida es de \$10.00 por misa.

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

To request a special Mass intention in English or Spanish, please visit the parish office or call 773-539-7510. The suggested donation is \$10.00 per mass.