

THE



GUIDE

JANUARY 25, 2026

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

A Mission with Joy and Hope *Una Misión con Alegría y Esperanza*



BY TOM HOULIHAN, PRINCIPAL QUEEN OF ANGELS SCHOOL

As we celebrate Catholic Schools Week 2026, we pause to reflect on the incredible gift and responsibility of Catholic education in today's changing world. Pope Leo recently reminded us that education must not only transmit knowledge but also cultivate meaning, responsibility, and faith. In an age of rapid technological change and cultural shifts, Catholic schools are called to be places where hearts and minds grow together. Catholic Schools are places where students learn to navigate the digital world with wisdom and integrity, and where they discover that true progress begins with the dignity of every person.

At Queen of Angels School, we embrace this mission with joy and hope. Our classrooms are more than spaces for academics; they are communities of prayer, dialogue, and service. We strive to form students who are not only competent but compassionate, who understand that faith is

El Papa León nos recordó recientemente que la educación no solo debe transmitir conocimiento, sino también cultivar sentido, responsabilidad y fe. En una era de rápidos cambios tecnológicos y cambios culturales, las escuelas católicas están llamadas a ser lugares donde los corazones y las mentes crecen juntos. Las escuelas católicas son lugares donde los estudiantes aprenden a desenvolverse en el mundo digital con sabiduría e integridad, y donde descubren que el verdadero progreso comienza con la dignidad de cada persona.

En la Escuela Reina de los Ángeles, abrazamos esta misión con alegría y esperanza. Nuestras aulas son más que espacios para académicos; son comunidades de oración, diálogo y servicio. Nos esforzamos por formar estudiantes que no solo sean competentes sino

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY THROUGH SATURDAY

8:30 AM Queen of Angels

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS

5:00 PM Queen of Angels

SUNDAY | DOMINGO

8:00 AM St. Matthias

9:00 AM Queen of Angels

11:00 AM Queen of Angels

12:30 PM Reina De los Ángeles en Español

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Iglesia Reina De los Ángeles

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SAINT MATTHIAS CHURCH

Iglesia San Matías

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not separate from life but its guiding light.

Pope Leo speaks of building bridges and opening new possibilities, and that is what we seek to do each day, connecting tradition with innovation, preparing our children to lead with courage and kindness in a world that needs both.

This week, we celebrate the many blessings that make Catholic education possible: our dedicated teachers who witness the Gospel through their vocation, our families who partner with us in this sacred work, our parish whose support sustains our mission, and our students whose energy and curiosity inspire us daily. We also honor the seeds of future vocations planted in our hallways and the contribution Catholic schools make to our nation by forming citizens committed to justice and peace.

Catholic education is never a solitary effort; it is, as Pope Leo beautifully says in his 2025 Apostolic letter "Drawing New Maps of Hope", a choral work. Together, we create an environment where faith and knowledge harmonize, where every child is encouraged to grow not only in intellect but in holiness. As we mark this special week, let us renew our commitment to this shared mission. Pray for our students, visit our school, and join us in celebrating the hope and promise that Catholic education brings to our parish and beyond. May God bless Queen of Angels School and all who support this vital ministry.



compasivos, que entiendan que la fe lo es no separado de la vida, sino de su luz guía.

El Papa León habla de tender puentes y abrir nuevas posibilidades, y eso es lo que buscamos hacer cada día, conectando tradición con innovación, preparando a nuestros hijos para liderar con coraje y amabilidad en un mundo que necesita ambas cosas.

Esta semana, celebramos las muchas bendiciones que hacen posible la educación católica: Nuestros maestros dedicados que testimonian el Evangelio a través de su vocación, nuestras familias que se asocian con nosotros en esta obra sagrada, nuestra parroquia cuyo apoyo sostiene nuestra misión, y nuestros estudiantes cuya energía y curiosidad nos inspiran diariamente. También honramos las semillas de futuras vocaciones plantadas en nuestros pasillos y la contribución que las escuelas católicas hacen a nuestra nación formando ciudadanos comprometidos con la justicia y la paz.

La educación católica nunca es un esfuerzo solitario; es, como bellamente dice el Papa León en su carta apostólica de 2025 "Dibujando nuevos mapas de esperanza", una obra coral. Juntos, creamos un ambiente donde la fe y el conocimiento se armonizan, donde cada niño es alentado a crecer no solo en intelecto sino en santidad. Al celebrar esta semana especial, renovemos nuestro compromiso con esta misión compartida. Oren por nuestros estudiantes, visiten nuestra escuela, y únanse a nosotros para celebrar la esperanza y promesa que la educación católica trae a nuestra parroquia y más allá. Que Dios bendiga a la Escuela Reina de los Ángeles y a todos los que apoyan este ministerio vital.



Our 2-year old Bridge Class and part and full-day Preschool classes provide families with flexible options that fit family schedules and provide a faith-based learning environment.



Small class sizes and a supportive environment help students build a strong learning foundation—our iReady scores outperform archdiocese benchmarks and place us in the top 15% of schools nationwide.



Rooted in Catholic teachings, service-learning experiences like the Loaves and Fishes project help our graduates enter high school prepared both academically and spiritually.

Curious about faith?



What Is Alpha?

Alpha is an opportunity to share a meal, enjoy conversation, and watch a short video that explores a faith topic in a welcoming and relaxed setting.

Spring Alpha at Queen of Apostles begins **Tuesday, February 24 at 6:00 PM in Holy Family Hall (beneath the church).**

Alpha is designed to be easy to attend — come as you are and try it out.

Scan the QR code in the bulletin for more information or to register.

Questions? Contact Moises at moi.mong2002@gmail.com



¿Qué es Alpha?

Alpha es una oportunidad para compartir una comida, disfrutar de una conversación y ver un breve video que explora un tema de fe en un ambiente acogedor y relajado.

El Alpha de Primavera en Reina de los Apóstoles comienza el **martes 24 de febrero a las 6:00 PM en el Salón de la Sagrada Familia (debajo de la iglesia).**

Alpha está diseñado para que sea fácil de asistir — ven tal como eres y pruébalo.

Escanea el código QR en el boletín para más información o para registrarte.

¿Preguntas? Comunícate con Moises en moi.mong2002@gmail.com

Calling all Alpha Alumni!

You're cordially invited **Wednesday, Feb 4th**
7:00 PM – Evening Prayer
7:30–8:30 PM – Fellowship

Many have longed for “more time” to connect with fellow Alpha participants— Feb 4th is your chance! We'll begin in Queen of Angels Church with prayer and continue downstairs in Holy Family Hall with hospitality.

Estás cordialmente invitado. **Miércoles, 4 de febrero 7:00 pm** – Oración de la tarde **7:30–8:30 pm** Confraternidad

Muchos anhelaban más tiempo para conectar con otros participantes de Alpha. ¡El 4 de febrero es tu oportunidad! Comenzaremos en la Iglesia Reina de los Ángeles con una oración y continuaremos en la planta baja, en el Salón Sagrada Familia, con hospitalidad.



Thank you to the Guatemalan community and the leaders of the Señor de las Esquipulas Celebration. Many gave generously to host 140 people for dinner after the beautiful Mass. Thank you to all organizers and thank you for the gift to the Parish of over \$800.

Gracias a la comunidad guatemalense y a los líderes de la Celebración Señor de las Esquipulas. Muchos donaron generosamente para recibir a 140 personas para cenar después de la hermosa misa. Gracias a todos los organizadores y gracias por el regalo a la parroquia de más de 800 dólares.



AS PART OF OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK CELEBRATION QUEEN OF ANGELS SCHOOL INVITES VETERANS

TO CELEBRATE MASS WITH OUR STUDENTS
FRIDAY, JANUARY 30 - 8:30 AM
ALL ARE WELCOME!



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Who Likes to Golf?

The Parish 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. 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 2026. This is a fun way to meet members of the QofA parish and enjoy some fellowship in a relaxed environment.

¿A quién le gusta jugar al golf?

El Club Masculino Parroquial tiene una liga de golf de 9 hoyos en Robert Black GC que comienza en abril y se extiende hasta septiembre. El juego es cada dos martes por la tarde. Es una liga con hándicap, así que todos los niveles de golfistas son bienvenidos a jugar. Si está interesado o tiene preguntas o desea más detalles, por favor contacte con Steve Swanson en sdswanson@ameritech.net, quien es el Comisionado de la Liga para 2026. Es una forma divertida de conocer a los miembros de la parroquia de QofA y disfrutar de un poco de convivencia en un ambiente relajado



Support the Society of St. Vincent DePaul Pope Francis Center

Join us for a fun evening while supporting the work of the Pope Francis Center, serving Chicago individuals and families in poverty. <https://www.popefranciscenter-svdp.org/>
Friday, February 13 at Queen of Apostles Parish Center, 4412 N. Western Ave.
 \$40 per person. Materials for painting project and first beverage provided. Reservations required so that we can have your materials ready!

Doors open at 6:30p.m.
 Paint from 7:00-9:00p.m.
 Reservations at

pope-reserve.preview.emergentagent.com/



Apoyo al Centro del Papa Francisco de la Sociedad de San Vicente DePaul

Únase a nosotros para una noche divertida mientras apoya el trabajo del Centro del Papa Francisco, sirviendo a las personas y familias en la pobreza de Chicago. [popefranciscenter-svdp.org/](https://www.popefranciscenter-svdp.org/)
Viernes, 13 de febrero en el Centro Parroquial Reina de los Apóstoles, 4412 N. Western Ave.

\$40 por persona. Materiales para el proyecto de pintura y primera bebida proporcionada. Se requieren reservas para que podamos tener sus materiales listos! Las puertas de se abren a las 6:30 p.m. Pintura de 7:00 a 9:00 p.m.
 Reservas en pope-reserve.preview.emergentagent.com/

Senior Social Club

Club Social para Personas Mayores

Senior Club Movie on Jan. 28
 at 10:30am parish center conference room.

Happy Hour on Thursday, Jan 29, 5-6:30pm at Ricochet's 4644 N Lincoln Ave

Senior Monthly Meeting on Feb 12 at 1pm, Parish Center, Rooms 1 & 2

Película del Senior Club será el 28 de enero a las 10:30 a. m. en la sala de conferencias del centro parroquial.

Happy Hour el jueves, 29 de enero, 5-6:30pm en el 4644 N Lincoln Ave de Ricochet's

Reunión mensual para personas mayores el 12 de febrero a la 1 p.m., Centro Parroquial, Salas 1 y 2



Tickets are now on sale



Community Family Mass - All Are Welcome!



Sunday February 8th at 8am Mass at St Matthias Church

9am Mass at Queen of Angels Church with post Mass reception

Hosted by 4th Graders from Queen of Angels School
 St Matthias School and Religious Ed



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Catholic Schools Week 2026

Celebrating Catholic Education at Queen of Angels School and St Matthias School

QUEEN OF ANGELS CATHOLIC SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

SUNDAY, JANUARY 25 - 10 TO 11:30 AM

- ✓ National Blue Ribbon Exemplary Performing School
- ✓ Serving students age 2 thru 8th grade
- ✓ Small class sizes for personalized success
- ✓ Academic enrichment, athletics, and co-curricular programs
- ✓ Robust support services program
- ✓ Faith-filled, welcoming community



Celebrating Catholic Schools Week

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St. Matthias School



Open House - Sunday, January 25th - 9 to 11



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INTENTIONS & PRAYERS | INTENCIONES Y ORACIONES

Monday, January 26

8:30am Morning Mass
 Cely Obien (living) Birthday
 Jeffrey Thomas - healing & blessings
 † Deceased Members of Our Parish

Tuesday, January 27

8:30am Morning Mass
 Jeffrey Thomas - healing & blessings
 † Deceased Members of Our Parish

Wednesday, January 28

8:30am Morning Mass
 Jeffrey Thomas - healing & blessings
 † Deceased Members of Our Parish

Thursday, January 29

8:30am Morning Mass
 Jeffrey Thomas - healing & blessings
 † Frances De La Fuente- Birthday

Friday, January 30

8:30am Morning Mass
 Jeffrey Thomas - healing & blessings
 † Lucia B. Esquejo- Anniversary
 † Edilberto E. Cuares- Anniversary
 † Julio Kestler- Birthday

Saturday, January 31

8:30am Morning Mass
 Jeffrey Thomas - healing & blessings
 † Deceased Members of Our Parish
 5:00pm Vigil Mass
 † Anthony Hoang

Sunday, February 1

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 8:00am Mass in English at St. Matthias
 † Deceased Members of Our Parish
 9:00am Mass in English
 † Deceased Members of Our Parish
 11:00am Mass in English
 † Arnulso Salinas Dheming
 † Roberta Velez
 12:30 Mass in Spanish
 † Herlinda Rodriguez- Anniversary
 † Celia Maria Cuzco
 Isaac Perez (living) Health and Healing

PLEASE PRAY | POR FAVOR REZA

Jim & Donna Baker	Brandon Vazquez	Colette Athans
Fr. Ted Bokczuk	Marge Kaepflinger	Romelia Navarrete
Pamela Suenkens	Phyllis Ramseth	Ramirez
Anthony Sikorski	Monica Hohner	Julian Camargo
Don Dilberto	Patricia Cornwell	Bob Donovan
Sulplicia Maleza Lim	Orlando Dura	Steve Ramos
Tug Gillingham	Dorothy Yassan	Dr. Laura Gerbec
Bonnie Baboorian	Maureen O'Donoghue	Joan Garber
Teresa Witvoet	Darlene Keane	Susan Becker
Maria Cervantes	Maria Thomas	Kitty Phelan
Janett Pawloski	Rodolfo Villareal	Juli Omahen
	Monica Ortega	Jeffrey Thomas

Please call the parish office to include your name or the name of a family member in our prayers. The name of the person will appear quarterly unless otherwise instructed.

Llame a la oficina parroquial para incluir su nombre o el nombre de un miembro de su familia en nuestras oraciones. El nombre de la persona aparecerá trimestralmente a menos que se indique lo contrario.



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ST. VINCENT DEPAUL
 OUTREACH MINISTRY
 MINISTERIO DE ASISTENCIA

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 QdeA Givecentral



January 25: Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

In this Sunday's Gospel, we find that Jesus "... went around all of Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom, and curing every disease and illness among the people."

This month, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to proclaim the good news of the kingdom to the poor, by feeding 20 hungry neighbors at the monthly Community Meal.

Enero 25: Tercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

En el Evangelio de este Domingo, encontramos que Jesús "... proclamó las buenas nuevas del reino y curó al pueblo de toda enfermedad".

En este mes,, a través de sus donaciones, la Sociedad de San Vicente de Paul fue capaz de proclamar las buenas nuevas del Reino a los pobres, alimentando a 20 vecinos necesitados en la comida comunitaria mensual.

UPCOMING EVENTS | PRÓXIMOS EVENTOS

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
26 8:30am Daily Mass 12:00pm Spelling Bee HFH 4:30pm Coffee & Chat PC-SR 4:30pm Organ UC 6:30pm PC-1 6:30pm CS WebHFH 7:00pm Lideres HFH 7:00 Commons PC3 7:00 School Bd PC2 7:15pm Troop 894 HFH	27 8:30am Daily Mass 7:00pm SPRED Catechist Prep PC-SR 7:30pm Concert UC 7:30pm AA PC MH	28 8:30am Daily Mass 10:30am Senior Movie PC 1 & 2 5:00pm Lupus Spoons Zoom only 6:00 GS Cadette PC-MH 7:00pm SPRED TC PC-SR 7:00 pm Rehearsal St. Cecilia Singers HFH	29 8:30am Daily Mass 1:00pm Scripture Hour PC-1 6:00pm Pinewood Derby Setup HFH 6:00pm GS Brownie PC-1 6:00pm Jam the Gym PC-MH-Gym 7:00pm Círculo de Oración UC 7:00pm SPRED TC PC-SR	30 8:15am Mass SM 8:30am Daily Mass 9:00am Eucharistic Adoration 4:30pm Confirmation Retreat SM 5:00pm Pinewood Derby HFH 7:30 A.A Friday Meeting PC-MH	31 8:30am Daily Mass 9:00am Confessions 10:00am SPRED TC PC-SR 1:00pm Trivia Set UP PC- MH-GYM 6:00pm Trivia Night PC-MH, GYM	1 Mass at 8 am (StM) 9 am, 11 am and 12:30 pm (Esp) 10am Junta HFH 10:15am Religious Education 8:00pm Men's Club Basketball PC-MH
2 8:30am Daily Mass 1:00pm Grief Ministry Team PC-3 3:00pm Confirmation Interviews PC-2 6:00pm CS Bear Den - HFH 6:30pm OCIA PC-1 6:45pm Confirmation Prep PC-MH 7:00 Lideres HFH Conf.	3 8:30 Daily Mass 3:00pm Confirmation Interviews-PC-1 & 2 6:30pm 1 st Reconciliation UC 6:30pm Web PC-1 7:00pm SPRED Prep PC-SR 7:00pm English Baptism Prep Zoom 7:30pm AA PC-MH 7:30 Reception HFH	4 8:30am Daily Mass 3:00pm Confirmation Interviews PC-1 & 2 6:00pm GS Daisy PC-MH 6:30pm CS Wolf PC-1 7:00pm Alpha UC-HFH 7:00pm SPRED Prep PC-SR 7:00pm Estudio PC-MH 7:00pm Adult Choir Rehearsal HFH	5 8:30am Daily Mass 1:00pm Scripture Hour PC-1 3:30pm Confirmation Interviews St Matthias 6:00pm GS Juniors PGMH 7:00pm Círculo de Oración UC 7:00pm SPRED Prep PC-SR	6 8:15am Mass SM 8:30am Daily Mass 9:00am Eucharistic 10:30am Senior Movie PC 1 & 2 3:00 Confirmation Interviews PC-2 7:30 A.A Friday Meeting PC-MH	7 8:30am Daily Mass 9:00am Confessions 9:00am Little Knight Valentines Day Party PC-MH 10:00am Confirmation Interviews PC-2 10:00 SPRED Prep PC-SR 12:00pm-Bautismos UC 5:00pm Vigil Mass	8 Mass at 8 am (StM) 9 am, 11 am and 12:30 pm (Esp) 9:00am Reception StM 10:00am Reception & Playdate HFH 10:15am Religious Education 12:00pm Sandwich Making HFH 4:00pm Community Meal HFH 8:00pm Men's Club Basketball PC-MH

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 Nuestro socio para donaciones seguras

January 10 & 11, 2026
Envelopes \$ 2,650.00
Loose: \$1,871.27
Give Central: \$4,526.50
Weekly Total: \$9,047.77
Weekly Goal: \$10,000
% to Goal: 90%

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- Reciba el resumen de fin de año para el beneficio fiscal
- Comuníquese con la oficina parroquial si tiene preguntas

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

2026 Collection for the Church in Latin America.

This weekend we take up the Collection for the Church in Latin America! Many people in Latin America and the Caribbean lack access to church programs and ministries because of rising secular culture, rugged rural terrain, and a shortage of ministers. Your generosity enables our brothers and sisters in Latin America and the Caribbeanto share3 in the life of the Church and grow closer to Christ. Please be generous in the special collection! To learn more, please visit usccb.org/latin-america.

2026 Colecta para la Iglesia en América Latina

¡Este fin de semana realizaremos la Colecta para la Iglesia en América Latina! Muchas personas en América Latina y el Caribe carecen de acceso a programas y ministerios de la iglesia debido a una creciente cultura secular, a terrenos rurales difíciles y a una escasez de ministros. Su generosidad permite que nuestros hermanos y hermanas en América Latina y el Caribe participen en la vida de l Iglesia y se acerquen más a Cristo. ¡Por favor, sean generosos en esta colecta especial! Para informarse más, por favor, visiten usccb.or/latin-america.



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12:30 PM Reina De los Angeles
en Español *

*Mass also livestreamed at qofachicago.org
*La misa también se transmitirá en vivo en qofachicago.org

CONFESSION | CONFESIÓN
9-10am Saturday | sábado

ADORATION OF THE EUCHARIST
ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA
9-10am on Fridays | viernes

BAPTISM IN ENGLISH
2nd Saturday at 12pm
3rd Sunday at 2pm

BAUTISMO EN ESPAÑOL
1º Sábado a las 12pm
4º Domingo a las 2pm

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to arrange Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals
and Anointing of the Sick or visit
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