St. Nicholas Parish — Parroquia San Nicolás

December 2, First Sunday of Advent
2 de diciembre, 2018, Primer Domingo de Adviento

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Sunday Masses/ Misas Dominicales
Saturday Vigil./Vigilia en sábado: 4:30 pm
Sunday: In English: 9:00 am (in Church, with ASL interpreter) and 11:00 am
Domingo: En Español: 9:00 am (en la Capilla) y 1:00 pm (en la iglesia)

Weekday Mass:
Monday - Friday: 7:45 am, bilingual on Tuesday and Friday
Saturday 8:00 am (in Chapel)
Holy Hour:
Saturday 7:00 - 8:00 am and First Friday of the Month at 7:00 pm in the chapel

Misa de la semana:
Lunes - viernes: 7:45 am en la Iglesia, bilingüe martes y viernes
Sábado: 8:00 am
Hora Santa
el sábado de 7:00 - 8:00 am y el viernes a las 7:00 pm en la capilla

Communion Service:
Monday - Friday: 6:15 am in Chapel

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Immaculate Conception Mass
Friday, December 7, 2018 at 7:00 pm in the Church
Saturday, December 8, 2018 at 8:00 am in the Chapel

Misa para la Inmaculada Concepción
Viernes, 7 de diciembre, 2018 a las 7:00 pm en la Iglesia
Sábado, 8 de diciembre, 2018 a las 8:00 am en la Capilla

All are Welcome
We are the Body of Christ at St. Nicholas.
Grounded in our diversity,
we gather for worship,
cherish the traditions of our Catholic faith, witness to the Gospel of Jesus, minister to others, and live as Christians in the world.

Todos son Bienvenidos
Somos el Cuerpo de Cristo en San Nicolás.
Fundados en nuestra diversidad,
nos reunimos para adoración,
apreciamos las tradiciones de nuestra fe católica, damos testimonio al Evangelio de Jesús,
servimos en ministerio a los demás,
y vivimos como cristianos en el mundo.

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Week At A Glance / Fechas Importantes

Sunday, December 2 - Holiday Festival
10:00 am Craft Fair & Greenery Sale — Cafeteria & O.H

Monday, December 3
6:30 pm RCIA — St. Germain Rm
7:00 pm Clases de Precana — Cafe/School
7:00 pm Guadalupe Novena — Church
7:30 pm Building Committee — Dining Rm
8:00 pm AA Meeting — Oldershaw Hall

Tuesday, December 4
9:30 am Clases de ingles — St. Germain Rm
7:00 pm Guadalupe Novena — Church
7:00 pm St. Vincent De Paul — Oldershaw Hall
7:00 pm SPRED — St. Germain Rm

Wednesday, December 5
9:00 am The Stephen Ministry — Dining Rm
4:30 pm Kids Choir — Church
7:00 pm Post Detention — Music Rm
7:00 pm Guadalupe Novena — Church
7:30 pm Parish Choir — Chapel
7:30 pm AA Meeting — St. Germain Rm

Thursday, December 6
6:30 pm Guadalupe Novena — Church
7:30 pm Evening Prayer - St. Nicholas — Church

Friday, December 7
7:00 am Rosary, followed by Mass at 7:45 am — Church
11:30 am Funeral — Church
6:00 pm Guadalupe Novena — Church
7:00 pm Inmaculate Conception Mass — Church
7:00 pm Zumba — Cafe/School

Saturday, December 8
9:00 pm Hispanic Religious Education — Cafe/School
12:00 pm Baptism — Church
5:00 pm AA Meeting — St. Germain Rm

Sunday, December 9
Second Collection - Religious Retirement
10:00 am Pastoral Care Annual Meeting — Oldershaw Hall
10:15 am SCORE — Cafe/School
10:30 am GLFF Support Ministry — Music Rm
10:30 am WPP Spanish Meeting — Dining Rm
2:00 pm Quinceañera Preparation — St. Germain Rm
3:00 pm Spanish Baptims — Church
5:00 pm Youth Group — Y&Y Adult Ctr
7:00 pm Guadalupe Novena — Church

Looking Ahead:

Guadalupe Novena, December 9-11
Las Mañanitas, December 12
Misa de Guadalupe, December 12
Simbang Gabi, December 22
Posadas, December 15-23

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St. Nicholas Church

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For bulletin on	Due before noon on...
December 16	December 7
December 23	December 10

Form the Pastor / Del Párroco

Dear St. Nicholas Family,

So many thoughts swirl in my brain like the snow flurries tossed about by the 40 mile per hour winds this week.

- Thanksgiving week offered us time to consider the gifts of our lives – faith, family, friends, freedom, and fun. In these times, we have to separate the weeds from the wheat of life around us, the good blessings are always there. I give thanks for all of you for being faithful to your family and life responsibilities in light of the person of Christ.
- Although the US Bishops' meeting a few weeks ago was disappointing for being asked by Pope Francis not to vote on ESSENTIAL CHANGES on the discipline of priests and bishops to protect children, an excellent letter was written that was buried in the news cycle. *Open Wide Our Hearts: The Call to Love, A Pastoral Letter Against Racism* recommits us as Catholics to "walk humbly with God" in order for us to see each and every person with equal dignity in the eyes of God. And, to raise our voice whenever we see that dignity destroyed. The 31 page letter beautifully outlines how education, prayer, acknowledging our sin (individual and corporate as Church) build up together through hard work real conversion of all our hearts. You may read the letter at www.USCCB.org for a good Advent reflection.
- The crisis at the US border pains me and all of us. Is this how we want to treat people to stop them from entering our country to make asylum claims? The Franciscan brother Luis that was with us this weekend who belongs to the parish in Tijuana and last count there are over 6,000 migrants waiting to cross. The city is overwhelmed. Thanks be to God they are assisted by so many local Mexican people plus by others in San Diego to provide basic services while the migrants live waiting to file their claims. What an Advent of patience they experience! We are called again to prayer and action.
- Cardinal Cupich has responded to the summary of our Listening Session comments most positively. He carried our suggestions with him to the Bishop's meeting and because he is named as one of the four bishops who will organize the world-wide meeting of bishops on clergy sexual abuse, we can be assured that our input will be in those agenda. Thank you again for your participation and faithfulness in this

Querida familia de San Nicolás,

Tantos pensamientos se arremolinan en mi cerebro como las ráfagas de nieve lanzadas por los vientos de 40 millas por hora esta semana.

- La semana de Acción de Gracias nos ofreció tiempo para considerar los regalos de nuestras vidas: fe, familia, amigos, libertad y diversión. En estos tiempos, tenemos que separar las malas hierbas del trigo de la vida que nos rodea, las buenas bendiciones siempre están ahí. Les agradezco a todos por ser fieles a sus responsabilidades familiares y de vida a la luz de la persona de Cristo.
- Aunque la reunión de los obispos de Estados Unidos hace unas semanas fue decepcionante porque el Papa Francisco les pidió que no votaran sobre los CAMBIOS ESENCIALES en la disciplina de los sacerdotes y obispos para proteger a los niños, se escribió una excelente carta que fue enterrada en el ciclo de noticias. *Open Wide Our Hearts: The Call to Love, A Pastoral Letter Against Racism* nos vuelve a comprometer como católicos a "caminar humildemente con Dios" para que podamos ver a cada persona con igual dignidad ante los ojos de Dios. Y, alzar nuestra voz cada vez que veamos esa dignidad destruida. La carta de 31 páginas describe de manera hermosa cómo la educación, la oración, el reconocimiento de nuestro pecado (individual y corporativo como Iglesia) se acumulan a través del trabajo duro, la conversión real de todos nuestros corazones. Puede leer la carta en www.USCCB.org para una buena reflexión de Adviento.
- La crisis en la frontera de los Estados Unidos nos duele a todos. ¿Es así como queremos tratar a las personas para evitar que entren en nuestro país para solicitar asilo? El hermano Franciscano Luis que estuvo con nosotros este fin de semana que pertenece a la parroquia de Tijuana y, donde según el último recuento, hay más de 6,000 inmigrantes que esperan cruzar. La ciudad está abrumada. Gracias a Dios, son asistidos por tantos mexicanos locales y por otros en San Diego para brindar servicios básicos mientras los migrantes viven para presentar su reclamo. ¡Qué advenimiento de paciencia experimentan! Somos llamados nuevamente a la oración y la acción.
- El cardenal Cupich ha respondido de manera más positiva al resumen de los comentarios de nuestra sesión de escucha. Él llevó nuestras sugerencias con él a la reunión del Obispo y, dado que se le menciona como uno de los cuatro obispos que organizarán la reunión mundial de obispos sobre el abuso sexual del clero, podemos estar seguros de que nuestro aporte estará en esa agenda. Gracias nuevamente por su participación y fidelidad en este momento

troubled moment in the church. Thanks to the Parish Pastoral Council for planning and summarizing (a herculean effort) the comments. Here is the letter of response to us:

November 9, 2018

Dear Father Tito,

With care and attention I read the letter from the parish community of St. Nicholas Parish dated November 9, 2018, presented to me by Cynthia Judge. As I reply to the concerns addressed in the letter, let me first take this opportunity to express my gratitude for the listening sessions that you hosted in your parish. Gathering as a community to intentionally seek healing during this time of anger, sorrow and frustration is an important step towards our resolve to live in the light of Christ.

Please assure the parishioners of St. Nicholas that as your bishop, I am personally committed to continue holding firm to the resolve of facing our failures and holding each other accountable. I want to assure you that I have, and will, strongly advocate that all bishops exercise transparency in disclosing the names of deacons, priests and bishops who have credible accusations against them, much as we have done here in Chicago.

It was reassuring to see that the action points presented in the letter of the parish community reflect much of what the USCCB has identified as critical to address the current crisis, and concrete steps towards its accomplishments are already in motion.

Please thank your people for speaking out and let them know that I fully support their aspirations for truth and justice.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Archbishop of Chicago

Advent blessings to you all,

Rev. Joseph P. Tito

problemático en la iglesia. Gracias al Consejo Pastoral Parroquial por planificar y resumir (un esfuerzo hercúleo) los comentarios. Aquí está la carta de respuesta a nosotros.

9 de noviembre de 2018

Querido Padre Tito,

Con cuidado y atención, leí la carta de la comunidad parroquial de St. Nicholas Parish del 9 de noviembre de 2018, que me presentó Cynthia Judge. Al responder a las inquietudes que se abordan en la carta, permítame aprovechar esta oportunidad para expresar mi gratitud por las sesiones de audición que organizó en su parroquia. Reunirse como una comunidad para buscar intencionalmente la curación durante este tiempo de enojo, tristeza y frustración es un paso importante hacia nuestra resolución de vivir en la luz de Cristo.

Por favor, asegúreles a los feligreses de San Nicolás que, como su obispo, estoy personalmente comprometido a continuar manteniéndonos firmes en la resolución de enfrentar nuestros fracasos y responsabilizarnos mutuamente. Quiero asegurarles que he defendido y defenderé firmemente que todos los obispos sean transparentes al revelar los nombres de los diáconos, sacerdotes y obispos que tienen acusaciones creíbles contra ellos, como hemos hecho aquí en Chicago.

Fue tranquilizador ver que los puntos de acción presentados en la carta de la comunidad parroquial reflejan gran parte de lo que la USCCB ha identificado como crítico para abordar la crisis actual, y ya se están dando pasos concretos hacia sus logros.

Agradezca a su gente por hablar y déjele saber que apoyo plenamente sus aspiraciones de verdad y justicia.

Sinceramente suyo en Cristo,

Archbishop of Chicago

Bendiciones de Adviento,

Rev. Joseph P. Tito

Parish Life / Vida Parroquial

Acompañe a la Parroquia de
San Nicolás celebrando a
Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe

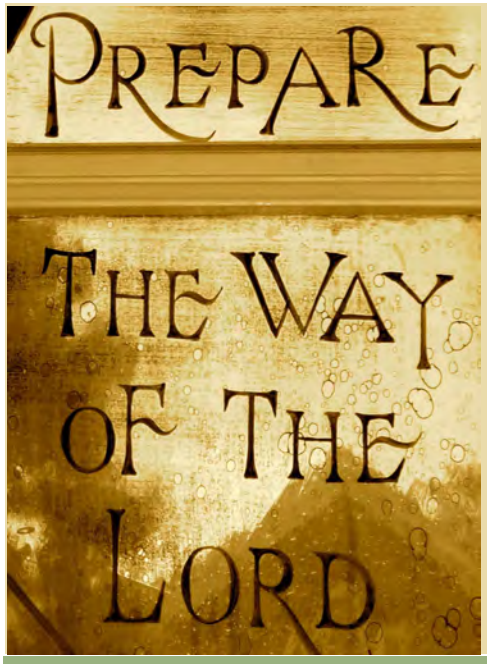
Novena en la iglesia
3-6, y 8-11 de diciembre, 7:00 pm
7 de diciembre, 6:00 pm
(seguida por Misa de la Inmaculada
Concepción a las 7:00 pm)

Miércoles, 12 de diciembre, 2018
Rosario: 5:00 am
Mañanitas: 5:30 am
Con chocolate en Oldershaw Hall
Misa Solemne en la iglesia: 7:00 pm

Join St. Nicholas Parish as
we celebrate
Our Lady of Guadalupe

Novena in the church
December 3-6 and 8-11 at 7:00 pm
December 7 at 6:00 pm
(Followed by Mass for Immaculate
Conception at 7:00 pm)

Wednesday, December 12, 2018
Rosary: 5:00 am
Mañanitas: 5:30 am
With hot chocolate in Oldershaw Hall
Mass in Church: 7:00 pm



In the spirit of collaboration, the Evanston parishes of Saint Athanasius, Saint Joan of Arc, Saint Mary and Saint Nicholas unite for Advent Reconciliation Liturgies. All are welcome.

Priests will offer a brief reflection followed by individual confessions. Bilingual priests available at both locations.

Saint Joan of Arc, 9248 N. Lawndale
Tuesday, December 4, 2018 at 7:00 pm

Saint Athanasius, 1615 Lincoln
Monday, December 17, 2018 at 7:00 pm

Advent Reconciliation

Como parte de la preparación para la temporada navideña, en México y otros países latinos celebramos tradicionalmente la **POSADA**, una recreación en donde personas piden posada vestidos de Santa María y San José.
En San Nicolás estaremos celebrando las Posadas del 15 al 22 de diciembre, 2018 a las 6:00 pm en la capilla, finalizando con una celebración el domingo, 23 de diciembre a las 4:00 pm en el Salón Oldershaw.

As part of the Christmas preparation, Mexico and many Latin American countries traditionally celebrate the **POSADA**, a reenactment where people dressed as Mary and Joseph ask for shelter. Here at Saint Nicholas we will be celebrating Posadas from the 15-22 of December, 2018 at 6:00 pm in the chapel, concluding with a celebration on Sunday, December 23 at 4:00 pm in Oldershaw Hall.

¡¡Todos son invitados¡¡ Si le gustaría ayudar con la organización de las Posadas, comuníquese con:
Pablo Sanchez 847.766.7051-pmss1976@hotmail.com
o Leonor Rojas 847.902.4015-leonor413@gmail.com

All are invited!! If you would like to help organize these Posadas, please contact:
Pablo Sanchez 847.766.7051-pmss1976@hotmail.com
or Leonor Rojas 847.902.4015-leonor413@gmail.com

Parish Life / Vida Parroquial

Simbang Gabi

Each year between December 16th to 24th, Catholic churches in the Philippines come alive with tolling of the bells at 4 o'clock in the morning to herald Simbang Gabi (or "Night Masses"), the traditional nine day novena of Masses before Christmas in order to prepare for the birth of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

As a continuation of this Christmas tradition in the United States, parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Chicago will be hosting nights of Simbang Gabi. Throughout the world where Simbang Gabi is celebrated, lively rhythms of Christmas carols and a wide array of Filipino delicacies are all part of the tradition.

St Nicholas will celebrate our Simbang Gabi on Saturday, December 22, 2018 at 4:30 pm Mass. A reception will follow Mass. For more information or to volunteer to help out that evening, please contact Ampy Basa at 847.869.6283.

Advent 2018

Giving to those in need —

1. **Take an ornament**(s) from the Tree.

2. **Bring donations** to the Tree no later than Sunday, December 16. **Do not wrap gift and attach the paper ornament** (or label items) to ensure they reach the right home.

3. **Financial donations & gift cards:** Do not leave money or gift cards under the tree, drop them in the offertory **collection basket** market "Giving Tree" on or before December 16th.

Sorting /Classification: Sunday, December 16th – after 1:00 Mass in Church.

Delivering Gifts: Sunday, December 16 or Monday, December 17th

To help sort or deliver, call: Ellen 847.475.6372, Margaret 847.982.1590 or Pamela 312.286.0586

Thank you for your generosity!

Donando a los necesitados

1. **Llévese un adorno** del árbol en la iglesia o la capilla.

2. **Regrese las donaciones** al árbol el domingo, 16 de diciembre o antes. **No lo envuelva y adjunte el ornamento** para asegurarnos que llegue a la organización correcta.

3. **Donaciones financieras y tarjetas de regalo:** Por favor no deje dinero debajo del árbol, póngalo **en las canastas de ofertorio** marcadas "Giving Tree" en Misa el domingo, 16 de diciembre o antes.

Organizar/Separación: Domingo, 16 de diciembre después de Misa de 1:00 pm en la iglesia.

Entrega de regalos: Domingo, 16 de diciembre o lunes 17 de diciembre.

Para ayudar a separar o entregar regalos llame a: Ellen 847.475.6372, Margaret 847.982.1590 or Pamela 312.286.0586.

¡Gracias por su generosidad!

Your donations go to: / Sus donativos van a:

- Books & Breakfast
- Centro Romero
- Childcare Network of Evanston
- Connections for the Homeless
- Family Connections Program
- Family Promise
- Howard Area Community Center
- Interfaith Action of Evanston
- Interfaith Community for Detained Immigrants (ICDI)
- St. Nick's Post Detention Accompaniment Ministry
- Kolbe House Jail Ministry
- Marjorie Kovler Center
- Little Brothers, Friends of the Elderly
- Rohinga Cultural Center
- St. Vincent de Paul Society
- St. Nick's Soup Kitchen Ministry
- St. Nick's International Sharing Parishes
- Solidarity Bridge
- Vital Bridges Center of Heartland Alliance

December Mass Schedule

Reconciliación de Adviento - Bilingue
Martes, 4 de diciembre- 7:00 pm en St. Joan of Arc
Lunes, 17 de diciembre –7:00 pm en St. Athanasius

Las Posadas, 15-23 de diciembre
6:00 pm En español, con un poco de ingles

Sábado, 22 de diciembre y domingo, 23 de diciembre
8:00 pm Misa diaria
4:30 pm Misa de Simbang Gabi (inglés con un poco de Tagalog, seguida por una recepción)
Horario regular de Misas dominical

Noche Buena, lunes, 24 de diciembre*
3:00 pm Misa de Familia, para los más pequeños (inglés)
5:00 pm Misa de Familia, Coro de niños y jóvenes (En español, con un poco de ingles)
9:45 pm Preludio Musical y Villancicos
10:30 pm Misa de Noche, con la combinación de Coros de la Parroquia (inglés)

Día de Navidad, martes, 25 de diciembre*
10:00 am Misa de Navidad (inglés)

Sagrada Familia, sábado, 29 de diciembre y domingo, 30 de diciembre
8:00 am Misa diaria
4:30 pm Kwanzaa
Horario regular de Misas dominical

Víspera de Año Nuevo, lunes, 31 de diciembre*
4:30 pm Misa de Víspera de Año Nuevo (bilingüe)

* no hay Misa diaria de 7:45 am

Horario de Misas de Diciembre

Advent Reconciliation– Bilingual
Tuesday, December 4 - 7:00 pm at St. Joan of Arc
Monday, December 17 –7:00 pm at St. Athanasius

Las Posadas, December 15-23
6:00 pm Spanish, with some English

Saturday, December 22 and Sunday, December 23
8:00 am Daily Mass
4:30 pm Simbang Gabi Mass (English with some Tagalog, followed by reception)
Regular Sunday Mass Schedule

Christmas Eve, Monday, December 24*
3:00 pm Family Mass, for younger children (English) with Children /Youth Choir
5:00 pm Family Mass (Spanish, with some English)
9:45 pm Prelude Music and Carols
10:30 pm Night Mass, with combined Parish Choirs (English)

Christmas Day, Tuesday, December 25*
10:00 am Christmas Mass (English)

Holy Family, Saturday, December 29 and Sunday, December 30
8:00 am Daily Mass
4:30 pm Kwanzaa
Regular Sunday Mass Schedule

New Years Eve, Monday, December 31*
4:30 pm New Years Eve Mass (Bilingual)

* no 7:45 am daily Mass

Se solicitan niñas y niños que gusten participar en la última posada / nacimiento del Niño Dios en Belén, para la Misa de 5:00 pm el 24 de Diciembre, 2018.

Se necesitan los siguientes personajes:
Caseros, Angelitos y Pastorcitos
Hable con Elia Delgado después de la Misa de 9:00 am o Juanita Tamayo o Mireya Terrazas después de la Misa de 1:00 pm.

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ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO

Human Dignity and Solidarity—Immigration Ministry

XIII ANNUAL POSADA

SEEKING IMMIGRATION REFORM

Join us to walk and pray in solidarity with our immigrant sisters and brothers who—as the Holy Family sought a place to stay—are seeking legislative shelter, "Posada."

Friday, December 14, 2018

7 a.m. – 9 a.m.

101 West Congress Parkway

Route: From Correctional Center (71 West Van Buren Street), DePaul (1 East Jackson Boulevard), Federal Plaza, and St. Peter's (110 West Madison Street)

For more information: Raymundo Valdez at **rvaldez@archchicago.org** or 312.534.8503 or Brother Luis Rosado at **lrosado@archchicago.org** or 407.361.1096, or visit: **catholicsandimmigrants.org**

The **second collection for December 9, 2018** is for the Retirement Fund for Religious, which supports necessities, like medication and nursing care, and helps insure the next generation of religious can continue in ministry. Please give generously.

La **segunda colecta para el 9 de diciembre** es para el Fondo de Jubilación de Religiosos, que permite cubrir necesidades, como medicinas y cuidado de enfermería, y ayuda asegurar que la próxima generación de Religiosos puedan continuar su ministerio. Por favor sea generoso.

Community Life/Vida Comunitaria

For sale by Parishioner, Louis Raphael, two plots at **MEMORIAL PARK CEMETERY**. Call cell at 773.627.3990.

Online support groups for **men who have experienced sexual abuse** or assault: 1in6.org/supportgroups

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Interfaith Community for Detained Immigrants is looking to fill two positions in their staff: Assistant Director and Program Director. For more information visit icdichicago.org/about/work-and-intern-opportunities/

Loyola University, Department of Campus Ministry is looking for a **Wedding Administrative Assistant,** to administer the logistics of alumni marrying at the Madonna della Strada Chapel. Application accepted on-line at www.careers.luc.edu
For more information see www.luc.edu/campusministry

House cleaner is looking for work. References available. Contact Parishioner Isabel Torres at 773.749.7375.

Caregiver/companion needed for over night shift. Call Jinny Dolton-Kunkel at 847.328.6000.

WANTED: Full-Time home & health aide (40 hrs/week) to assist retired woman in her Rogers Park apartment, near the Morse El stop, with light housekeeping, grocery shopping, preparing light meal and help with bathing. Salary paid is $13/hour and up. Call Selena 773.761.7306.

"Art as a Path to Holiness" December 7, 9:30 am to noon, part of the Chicago Cenacle's First Friday Women's Series "The Call to Holiness in Today's World"; for women of all ages; $30, day includes conference, Mass and lunch at the Cenacle, 513 W. Fullerton Parkway. For information call 773.528.6300 or register at www.cenaclesisters.org/chicago/retreats-programs.

Evanston Catholic Woman's Club meeting will be held on December 12th at noon at Zhivago's Restaurant, 9925 Gross Point Road. The "Heartzingers", the coral group from Misericordia, will be the entertainment. Please bring new or Gently used hats, gloves and/or scarfs for St. Mary's warming Center. RSVP with Carol, 847.475.7178 by December 9th. All are welcome!

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO

Office of Human Dignity & Solidarity-Immigration Ministry

"Let us think of the tragedy of those migrants and refugees who are victims of rejection and exploitation".
-Pope Francis

Support of critical funding for migrants and refugees overseas. The final figures for this life-saving aid have yet to be determined, and Congress has until December 7th to pass a final bill. It will help migrants and refugees around the world meet their basic needs, and addresses factors, like violence, hunger, and lack of economic opportunity, that force people to migrate. Your voice makes a difference. Raise it today!

ACTION: Visit the USCCBs site www.confrontglobalpoverty.org for ways to contact your officials to oppose cuts to foreign aid.

For additional ways to advocate for immigrants and refugees visit: www.CatholicsAndImmigrants.org

"Pensemos en la tragedia de los migrantes y refugiados que son víctimas del rechazo y la explotación."
- Papa Francisco

Abogue para obtener fondos para migrantes y refugiados en el extranjero. Las cifras finales de esta ayuda aún no se han determinado, y el Congreso tiene hasta el 7 de diciembre para aprobar un proyecto de ley. Estos fondos ayudarán a los migrantes y refugiados de todo el mundo a satisfacer sus necesidades básicas y abordará factores, como la violencia, el hambre y la falta de oportunidades económicas, que obligan a las personas a migrar. Su voz hace la diferencia. ¡Levántela hoy!

ACCIÓN: Visite el sitio de la USSCB www.confrontglobalpoverty.org para contactar a sus representantes y pedirles que no recorten los fondos.

Conozca otras maneras de abogar por los inmigrantes y refugiados, visite: www.CatholicsandImmigrants.org

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Mass Intentions/Intenciones de Misa

Saturday, December 1
8:00 am (in Chapel)
4:30 pm † Bridget and † Bob Borchers

Sunday, December 2
9:00 am (En) † Gisel Cadet, † Tanuel Major
9:00 am (Sp) † Francisco Mandujano, † Trinidad Arreguin, † Elena Almanza
11:00 am
1:00 pm † Angela Garcia Castillo

Monday, December 3
7:45 am

Tuesday, December 4 (Bilingual)
7:45 am

Wednesday, December 5
7:45 am

Thursday, December 6
7:45 am Mary Keyhole Griffin

Friday, December 7 (Bilingual)
7:45 am † Virginia Feliciano, † Norman Czuchra

Saturday, December 8
8:00 am (in Chapel) † Deceased member of the Frick Family
4:30 pm † Bridget and †Bob Borchers

† deceased/difunto

Pray for those in service of our country:

Cyrus Bailey
David Beachman
Steve Blackshear
Richard Caballero
Alexander Ellis
Jean-Jaques Emilien
Brian Gangoso
Molly Hampton
Margarita Hernandez
Quinn Heydt
Marie McGary
Dennis Monagle
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Antonio Riveraan
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Sean Tuohy

May the angels lead you into paradise. May the martyrs come to welcome you and take you to the holy city, the new and eternal Jerusalem.

Que los ángeles los lleven al paraíso. Que los mártires les den la bienvenida y los lleven a la ciudad Santa, la nueva y eterna Jerusalén.

† Rod Dougherty
† Dr. Tamara O'Neal
† Officer Samuel Jimenez
† Juan Lopez
† Dayna Less

Anointing of the Sick: Call the Parish Office.
Unción de los enfermos: Llame a la Oficina Parroquial

Readings for the Week

Monday:	Is 2:1-5; Ps 122:1-9; Mt 8:5-11
Tuesday:	Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Lk 10:21-24
Wednesday:	Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-6; Mt 15:29-37
Thursday:	Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a; Mt 7:21, 24-27
Friday:	Is 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31
Saturday:	Gn 3:9-15, 20; Ps 98:1-4; Eph 1:3-6, 11-12; Lk 1:26-38
Sunday:	Bar 5:1-9; Ps 126:1-6; Phil 1:4-6, 8-11; Lk 3:1-6

Lecturas de la Semana

Lunes:	Is 2:1-5; Sal 122 (121):1-9; Mt 8:5-11
Martes:	Is 11:1-10; Sal 72 (71):1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Lc 10:21-24
Miércoles:	Is 25:6-10a; Sal 23 (22):1-6; Mt 15:29-37
Jueves:	Is 26:1-6; Sal 118 (117):1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a; Mt 7:21, 24-27
Viernes:	Is 29:17-24; Sal 27 (26):1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31
Sábado:	Gn 3:9-15, 20; Sal 98 (97):1-4; Ef 1:3-6, 11-12; Lc 1:26-38
Domingo:	Bar 5:1-9; Sal 126 (125):1-6; Fil 1:4-6, 8-11; Lc 3:1-6

Reconciliation: Saturday: 3:30-4:15 pm in Reconciliation Chapel in the Church or call the Parish Office.

Baptisms: 3rd Sunday of month at 3:00 pm Parents participate in Preparation Program. Call Mary Burke-Peterson 773.209.5114 mburkepete@gmail.com to arrange, leave a message. NO baptisms during Lent.

Religious Education: Sunday Catechesis Opportunity for Religious Education– SCORE- for children k-Confirmation, Meets Sunday morning after 9:00 am Mass from September to May. Contact Sr. Christina.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA): Contact Sr. Christina

Weddings: Call parish office, arrangements should be made at the Parish Office four months prior to wedding date.

Addiction Recovery Resource is free and confidential, available to those struggling with addiction, or for family members and others who love them. Call: Margaret Mantle - 847.869.3599 or Kevin Axe - 847.492.9490.

Gay, Lesbian, Family & Friends Outreach. Contacts: Cristie Traina 847.337.8797; Family and Friends Support: Georgie Ellis, 773.338.4342.

Youth and Young Adult Ministry: www.nickchurch.org/youth

Pregnancy Support: Catholic Charities Maternity Services offers professional counseling services for pregnant teens, women, birth fathers, and their families who are experiencing an unplanned pregnancy. Call 800.227.3002.

Bulletin Articles - deadline submissions is 10 days before publication, if translation is needed submit **15** days prior. There is a 200 word limit. Send to bulletin@nickchurch.org.

Pulpit Announcements drop-off at the Parish Office or send to announcements@nickchurch.org due Friday at Noon.

Annulment Resources: contact Barb Soricelli at 847.864.1185, ext. 42.

Women's Support Group for Healing from Sexual Abuse and Incest: using a format adapted from Alanon's Twelve Steps we walk with those affected by abuse. To participate or for resources contact Sarah Hinojosa, 847.507.2790, sarahhinojosa@gmail.com or Barb Soricelli, 847.864.1185, x42. bsoricelli@nickchurch.org

Nursery Co-op - during 9:00 am Mass. Parents take turns caring for children 18 mon to 5 yrs. Contact Christine Haley-Topfer - 773.484.0750 or christinemhaley@gmail.com.

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Parish & Sacramental Information / Información sacramental y de la parroquia

Reconciliación : Sábado: 3:30– 4:15 pm en la capilla de Reconciliación en la iglesia o por cita llamando a la oficina parroquial.

Bautizos: Dos veces al mes, el primer sábado a las 11:00 am o el segundo domingo a las 3:00 pm. Padres y padrinos participan en formación prebautismal. Más información llame a Juanita Tamayo al 847.864.1185, ext. 29, dejar mensaje. NO hay bautizos durante Cuaresma.

Educación Religiosa: Catecismo para niños de K-Confirmación - los sábados de 9:15 a 11:00 am de septiembre a mayo. Llame a Juanita Tamayo al 847.864.1185, ext. 29

Rito de Iniciación Católica para Adultos (RICA): Llame a Juanita Tamayo al 847.864.1185, ext. 29

Matrimonios: Llame a la oficina parroquial por lo menos 4 meses antes de la fecha deseada.

Quinceañeras: fijar fecha con la oficina parroquial. Clases con Yolanda Salgado - 847.869.7173.

Presentación de 3 años: Se celebra los domingos. Registrarse 2 semanas antes en la oficina parroquial.

Ayuda para Recuperarse de la Adicción: La parroquia ofrece ayuda gratis y confidencial para todos los que están luchando con una adicción, o sus familiares o amigos. Llame al 773.489.6438

Ministerio de Jóvenes y Adulto Jóven: www.nickchurch.org/youth

Apoyo de embarazos: Servicios de maternidad de Caridades Católicas ofrecen conserjería profesional para jovencitas, mujeres, o papás, y familias que tienen un embarazo no planeado. Llame a 800.227.3002.

Artículos en el Boletín deben recibirse 10 días antes del domingo en que se quiere publicar, si requiere traducción envíelo 15 días antes. Limite de 200 palabras. Enviar a bulletin@nickchurch.org

Anuncios en el púlpito cierre es viernes al mediodía. Envíe los por e-mail announcements@nickchurch.org o déjelos en Oficina Parroquial.

Recursos de Anulación: Llame a Barbara Soricelli al 847.864.1185 ext. 42.

Grupo de Apoyo de Mujeres para sanarse del abuso sexual y de incesto Usando el formato adaptado de los doce pasos de Alanon caminamos con personas afectadas por abuso. Para participar u otros recursos llame a Sarah Hinojosa, 847.507.2790, o sarahhinojosa@gmail.com o a Barb Soricelli, 847.864.1185 x42 o bsoricelli@nickchurch.org.

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