St. John XXIII Parish / Parroquia de San Juan XXIII

Second Sunday of Advent / Segundo domingo de adviento
December 4, 2022 / 4 de diciembre, 2022

A United Parish / Una parroquia unida

St. Mary Church / Iglesia de Santa María
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Hours: Monday-Friday: 9:30 am – 5:00 pm
Saturday: 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

St. Nicholas Church / Iglesia de San Nicolás

Sunday Masses in English
Saturday (vigil): 4:30 pm (church)
Sunday: 10:15 am (church)

Misas Dominicales en Español
8:30 am (iglesia)
1:00 pm (iglesia)

Weekday Masses
Monday, Wednesday-Saturday: 8:00 am (chapel)
Tuesday: 8:15 am (church)
Friday: bilingual (chapel)
Saturday: 7:30 – 8:00 am (adoration before Mass)

Misas de la semana
Lunes, Miércoles-Sábado: 8:00 am (capilla)
Martes: 8:15am (iglesia)
Viernes: bilingüe (capilla)
Sábado: 7:30 – 8:00 am
(tiempo santo antes de la misa)

Reconciliation - Confessions
Saturday: 3:30 pm (church) or by appointment

Reconciliación - Confesiones
Sábado: 3:30 pm (iglesia) o por cita

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www.popejohn23.org

Upcoming Events / Eventos porvenir

Saturday, December 3

10:30 am	Spanish Baptism	Church
3:00 pm	AA Group	St. Germain Rm.
7:00 pm	Novena	Church

Sunday, December 4

8:30 am	Educación Religiosa	Iglesia / Escuela
10:15 am	Religious Education	Church / School
6:00 pm	Youth Group	UCYM Ctr.
7:00 pm	Novena	Church

Monday, December 5

7:00 pm	AA Group	Oldershaw Hall
7:00 pm	Liturgy Meeting	Rectory
7:00 pm	Novena	Church

Tuesday, December 6

7:00 pm	Novena	Church
7:00 pm	St. Vincent de Paul Meeting	Oldershaw Hall

Wednesday, December 7

9:30 am	The Stephen Ministry	Rectory
7:00 pm	Grupo Carismático	Chapel
7:00 pm	Men's Prayer Group	Music Rm.
7:00 pm	Quinceañera Ministry	Oldershaw Hall
7:00 pm	Novena	Church
7:00 pm	English Parish Choir	Church

Thursday, December 8

6:30 pm	SPRED	St. Germain Rm.
7:00 pm	Circulo de Oración	Chapel
7:00 pm	Novena	Church

Friday, December 9

6:00 pm	Youth Group	UCYM Ctr.
7:00 pm	Novena	Church

Saturday, December 10

7:00 pm	Couples Group	St. Frances Rm.
7:00 pm	Novena	Church

Sunday, December 11

8:30 am	Educación Religiosa	Iglesia / Escuela
10:15 am	Religious Education	Church / School
6:00 pm	Youth Group	UCYM Ctr.

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Pray for our sick/Oremos por nuestros enfermos

Communion for the sick, homebound/
Comunión para los enfermos y discapacitados

Anointing of the sick / Unción de los enfermos

Call/llame a Chris Murphy x242

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Pray for those who serve our country / Oremos por aquellos que sirven al país

Cyrus Bailey
David Beachman
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Molly Hampton
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Quinn Heydt
Agustin Juarez
Marie McGary
Abelardo Mendoza Jr.
Bobby Oldershaw
Seiko Okano
Antonio Riveraan
Claude Senecal
Sean Tuohy

Pray for our dead / Oremos por nuestros fallecidos

May the angels lead you into paradise.

Que los ángeles los lleven al paraíso.

† Jim Griffin † Perrianne Nyberg

Readings for the Week

Monday: Is 35:1-10; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14; Lk 5:17-26
Tuesday: Is 40:1-11; Ps 96:1-3, 10ac, 11-13; Mt 18:12-14
Wednesday: Is 40:25-31; Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10; Mt 11:28-30
Thursday: Gn 3:9-15, 20; Ps 98:1-4; Eph 1:3-6, 11-12; Lk 1:26-38
Friday: Is 48:17-19; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Mt 11:16-19
Saturday: Sir 48:1-4, 9-11; Ps 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16, 18-19; Mt 17:9a, 10-13
Sunday: Is 35:1-6a, 10; Ps 146:6-10; Jas 5:7-10; Mt 11:2-11

Lecturas de la semana

Lunes: Is 35:1-10; Sal 85 (84):9ab, 10-14; Lc 5:17-26
Martes: Is 40:1-11; Sal 96 (95):1-3, 10ac, 11-13; Mt 18:12-14
Miércoles: Is 40:25-31; Sal 103 (102):1-4, 8, 10; Mt 11:28-30
Jueves: Gn 3:9-15, 20; Sal 98 (97):1-4; Ef 1:3-6, 11-12; Lc 1:26-38
Viernes: Is 48:17-19; Sal 1:1-4, 6; Mt 11:16-19
Sábado: Sir 48:1-4, 9-11; Sal 80 (79):2ac, 3b, 15-16, 18-19; Mt 17:9a, 10-13
Domingo: Is 35:1-6a, 10; Sal 146 (145):6-10; Sant 5:7-10; Mt 11:2-11

Mass Intentions/Intenciones de Misa

Saturday, December 3
8:00 am † Christine Ebens
4:30 pm † Gloria Woods

Sunday, December 4
8:30 am † Elena Almanza
† Trinidad Arreguin
10:15 am For the soul of † St. Juste Michael Pierre
1:00 pm † Roberto Salgado
† Leandra Villanueva
† Jaime Villanueva
Por el Aniversario de boda de Patricia Cabrera de Dueñas & Oscar Dueñas

Monday, December 5
8:00 am For the impact of climate change

Tuesday, December 6
8:15 am † Dorothy Clarke

Wednesday, December 7
8:00 am Marie M. Philippe

Thursday, December 8
8:00 am † Mary Oldershaw Lerps on her Birthday

Friday, December 9
8:00 am For refugees

Saturday, December 10
8:00 am For the St. John XXIII community
4:30 pm For the terminally ill

† *deceased/difunto*

"Throw open the windows of the Church and let the fresh air of the Spirit blow through."
St. John XXIII

Dear St. John XXIII Parishioners,

As we continue with the unification process for St. John XXIII, Fr. Jean-Philippe has announced a few more staff updates.

Our two legacy parishes have been blessed with wonderful music ministries, led by two incredibly talented and experienced musicians. **Ace Gangoso** and **Dianne Fox**, as Director and Co-Director, will continue in their roles to lead the gifted voices of our choirs for St. John XXIII. They will report directly to Fr. Jean-Philippe and will work closely with our director of liturgy (to be announced).

Ace came to St. Nicholas in 2017, bringing more than 18 years of experience as a trained musician, professional singer, pianist, and educator. His personal mission is to build upon the traditions of high-level music making and to craft worship experiences that are inclusive, authentic, and inspiring.

Dianne has been with St. Mary for more than 20 years, leading both music and liturgy. She is responsible for providing leadership, coordination, and communication to all volunteers to inspire meaningful worship. Her personal mission is to promote full, active, and conscious participation in all liturgical experiences for all who enter our church. Dianne is a professional vocalist, choir conductor, and during the past few years has led and trained on handbells.

Additionally, **Abelardo Mendoza** has been promoted to Director of Maintenance for both location sites of St. John XXIII. On Abelardo's team will be **Diego Perez**, full-time custodian, who will split his time between both campuses.

Thank you again for your prayers and support as Fr. Jean-Philippe builds the staff for our new parish. Our future parish growth is spirit-led, and we are grateful for God's guidance.

In Christ's love,

The Unification Communications Team

" Abran las ventanas de la Iglesia y dejen que el aire puro del Espíritu entre".
San Juan XXIII

Queridos feligreses de San Juan XXIII,

Mientras continuamos con el proceso de unificación de San Juan XXIII, el Padre Jean-Philippe ha anunciado algunas actualizaciones del personal.

Nuestras dos parroquias han sido bendecidas con maravillosos ministerios de música, dirigidos por dos músicos increíblemente talentosos y experimentados. **Ace Gangoso** y **Dianne Fox**, como director y codirectora, continuarán en sus funciones para dirigir las talentosas voces de nuestros coros para San Juan XXIII. Informarán directamente al padre Jean-Philippe y trabajarán estrechamente con nuestro director de liturgia (que se anunciará).

Ace llegó a San Nicolás en 2017, aportando más de 18 años de experiencia como músico formado, cantante profesional, pianista y educador. Su misión personal es construir sobre las tradiciones de hacer música de alto nivel y crear experiencias de adoración que son inclusivas, auténticas e inspiradoras.

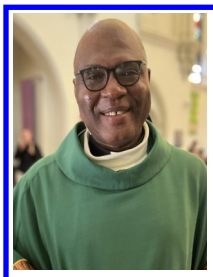
Dianne lleva más de 20 años en Santa María, dirigiendo tanto la música como la liturgia. Es responsable de proporcionar liderazgo, coordinación y comunicación a todos los voluntarios para inspirar una adoración significativa. Su misión personal es promover la participación plena, activa y consciente en todas las experiencias litúrgicas para todos los que entran en nuestra iglesia. Dianne es una vocalista profesional, directora de coro, y durante los últimos años ha dirigido y entrenado las campanas de mano.

Además, **Abelardo Mendoza** ha sido promovido a director de mantenimiento para las dos ubicaciones de San Juan XXIII. En el equipo de Abelardo estará **Diego Pérez**, conserje de tiempo completo, quien dividirá su tiempo entre ambos sitios.

Gracias de nuevo por sus oraciones y apoyo mientras el Padre Jean-Philippe construye el personal para nuestra nueva parroquia. Nuestro futuro crecimiento parroquial es dirigido por el espíritu, y estamos agradecidos por la guía de Dios.

En el amor de Cristo,

El equipo de comunicaciones de la Unificación



From the Pastors Desk

"Welcome on another" Saint Paul commands us, "as Christ welcomed you." Indeed, the Lord welcomes us here each Sunday as we gather to celebrate the Eucharist. But let us not forget the first, that we are also called to welcome one another. Moreover, as Paul welcomed Gentiles, and the Wolf became a guest of the Lamb, we are called to welcome those who are not like us: those coming from other cultures, speaking other languages, or expressing other viewpoints. Let us welcome all to this celebration." Pastoral Patterns: Winter 2022-2023, P9

Let us open our heart, homes, and mind to welcome Jesus as our guest. He comes to us as stranger, as a neighbor, as a coworker, as a parishioner, as a friend and above as a Prince of Peace.

Rev. Jean-Philippe Lokpo, MCCJ
Pastor.
St John XXIII Parish

Del escritorio del Párroco

" Reciban a otro", nos manda San Pablo, "como Cristo los recibió". Efectivamente, el Señor nos recibe aquí cada domingo cuando nos reunimos para celebrar la Eucaristía. Pero no olvidemos lo primero, que también estamos llamados a recibirnos unos a otros. Además, como Pablo recibió a los gentiles, y el Lobo se convirtió en huésped del Cordero, estamos llamados a recibir a los que no son como nosotros: a los que vienen de otras culturas, hablan otras lenguas o expresan otros puntos de vista. Recibamos a todos en esta celebración". Patrones Pastorales: Invierno 2022-2023, P9

Abramos nuestro corazón, nuestros hogares y nuestra mente para recibir a Jesús como nuestro invitado. Él viene a nosotros como forastero, como vecino, como compañero de trabajo, como feligrés, como amigo y sobre todo como Príncipe de la Paz.

Rev. Jean-Philippe Lokpo, MCCJ
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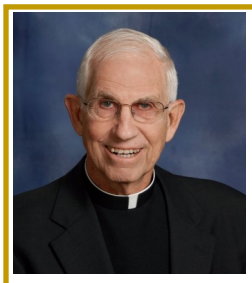

Every time I think of you I give thanks to my God. (Phil 1:3)

Dear St Nicholas Family,

With these words of St. Paul to the Philippians,
I give thanks to my God, and thanks to you, my dear family, for comforting and supporting me with your prayers, get-well cards and messages of concern while I was hospitalized and recovering from my recent heart procedure.

I count myself fortunate to have received a new aortic valve without having to undergo open heart surgery. An echocardiogram last week confirmed that the new valve is functioning very well.

Through these weeks I have felt held by your prayers, "like the weaned child on its mother's breast in silence and peace" in the words of Psalm 131. I have been riding on the wings of your prayers. For this I thank you from the bottom of my *renewed* heart.

With St Paul, "I give thanks to my God as I think of you." I pray that our lovely celebrations of Advent and Christmas fill your hearts with the hope and joy of Christ among us.

Fr. Bob Oldershaw

Cada vez que pienso en ti doy gracias a mi Dios. (Filipenses 1:3)

Querida familia de San Nicolás,

Con estas palabras de San Pablo a los Filipenses,
Doy gracias a mi Dios, y gracias a ustedes, mi querida familia, por haberme consolado y apoyado con sus oraciones, tarjetas de recuperación y mensajes de preocupación mientras estuve hospitalizado y recuperándome de mi reciente operación de corazón.

Me considero afortunado por haber recibido una nueva válvula aórtica sin tener que someterme a una operación a corazón abierto. Un ecocardiograma realizado la semana pasada confirmó que la nueva válvula funciona muy bien.

A lo largo de estas semanas me he sentido sostenido por sus oraciones, "como el niño destetado sobre el pecho de su madre en silencio y en paz", en palabras del Salmo 131. He cabalgado en las alas de sus oraciones. Por ello les agradezco desde el fondo de mi renovado corazón.

Con San Pablo, "doy gracias a mi Dios mientras pienso en ti".Rezo para que nuestras hermosas celebraciones de Adviento y Navidad llenen nuestros corazones de la esperanza y la alegría de Cristo entre nosotros.

P. Bob Oldershaw

Advent 2022

Giving to those in need *Donando a los necesitados*

1. Take an ornament(s) from the tree **starting Thanksgiving weekend.**
Llévese un ornamento *del árbol en la iglesia o la capilla.*

2. Bring items to the tree **no later than Sunday, December 18.**
Regrese las donaciones *al árbol hasta el domingo, Diciembre* 18.
Attach the paper ornament (or label items) to ensure they reach the right home. ***Ponga el ornamento que se llevó en lo que esta donando*** *para asegurarnos que llegue a la organización correcta.*
Do NOT giftwrap, please. ***No los envuelva de regalo.***

3. Do not leave money/gift cards under the tree. Drop them in the offertory collection basket by December 18. *Por favor* ***no deje dinero debajo del árbol****; se pueden poner en las canastas durante el ofertorio en misa hasta el domingo, 18 de diciembre.*

For details about those who will benefit from your donations, click here.

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

Novena en la iglesia
3 -7, y 9 -11 de diciembre, 7:00 pm
8 de diciembre, 6:00 pm
(seguida por Misa de la Inmaculada
Concepción a las 7:00 pm)
Mañanitas
Domingo, 12 de diciembre
5:00 am

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

Novena in the church
December 3 -7 and 9 -11 at 7:00 pm
December 8 at 6:00 pm
(Followed by Mass for the feast of
the Immaculate
Conception at 7:00 pm)
Mañanitas
Sunday, December 12, 6:00 am

Dear St. John XXIII Community,

Until future notice, please make checks payable to "St. Nicholas Church" or "St. Mary Church." The complicated RMC process involves legal banking issues that have not been addressed yet, and we do not want to have to return your checks.

Thank you for your understanding.

Estimada comunidad de San Juan XXIII,

Hasta nuevo aviso, por favor hagan los cheques a nombre de " La Iglesia de San Nicolás" o " La Iglesia de Santa María". El complicado proceso del RMI implica cuestiones bancarias legales que aún no han sido resueltas, y no queremos tener que devolver sus cheques.

Gracias por su comprensión

Mardi Gras

SAVE the DATE: Saturday, Feb. 18, 2023

Mark your calendars for the St. John XXIII Parish Mardi Gras Party! Live and in-person! Dinner and dancing! This parish fundraising event will be held at Misericordia/Heart of Mercy. Watch for more information!

Mardi Gras

APARTE LA FECHA: Sábado, 18 de febrero de 2023

¡Marquen sus calendarios para la Fiesta de Mardi Gras de la Parroquia San Juan XXIII! ¡En vivo y en directo! Cena y baile! Este evento de recaudación de fondos de la parroquia se llevará a cabo en Misericordia/Corazón de la Misericordia. Esté atento para más ¡información!

Parish & Sacramental Information / Información sacramental y parroquial

Baptisms: Third Sunday of every month at 3:00 pm, except during Lent. Contact Mary Burke-Peterson 773.209.5114, mburkepete@gmail.com

Funeral Masses
Call Chris Murphy 847.864.1185 x242

Religious Education, English (K – Confirmation)
Sunday mornings, September to April. Call Karie Ferrell 847.864.1185 x223

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)
Call Karie Ferrell 847.864.1185 x223

Weddings: Arrangements to be made four months prior to wedding date. Call the parish office 847.864.1185

Bautizos: Son el primer sábado del mes a las 11:00 am o el segundo domingo a las 3:00 pm. No hay bautizos durante la cuaresma. Llame a Juanita Tamayo al 847.864.1185 x229

Misas de funeral
Llame a Chris Murphy 847.864.1185 x242

Educación Religiosa, Español: Catecismo (K-Confirmación)
Los domingos de septiembre a abril. Llame a Karie Ferrell al847.864.1185 x223 o Juanita Tamayo al 847.864.1185 x229

Rito de Iniciación Católica para Adultos (RICA)
Llame a Karie Ferrell 847.864.1185 x223

Matrimonios: Llame a la oficina parroquial por lo menos 4 meses antes de la fecha deseada.847.864.1185

Ministry Information / Información de Ministerio

Addiction Awareness: A free and confidential resource for those struggling with addiction and for family and friends. Call Margaret Mantle 847.869.3599

Annulments
Call the parish office.

LGBTQ+ Family and Friends Outreach
Call Georgie Ellis 773.793.8683

Pastoral Ministries: Stephen Ministers, bereavement ministers and ministers of care for homebound and hospitalized parishioners. Call Chris Murphy 847.864.1185 x242

Pregnancy Support: Counseling for teens, women, men, and their families who are experiencing an unplanned pregnancy. Call Catholic Charities Maternity Services 847.782.4229

St. Vincent de Paul Society: Dedicated to helping those who have fallen on hard times by providing emergency financial assistance and food from the St. Vincent de Paul food pantry. All inquiries are confidential and are responded to as quickly as possible. Call 847.868.3796 or 847.864.1185 x245

Women's Support Group for Healing from Sexual Abuse and Incest: A ministry of accompaniment that uses an adapted Al-Anon approach. Contact Sarah Hinojosa 847.507.2790, sarahhinojosa@gmail.com

Youth and Young Adult Ministry: www.ucym.org

Recurso para Recuperarse de la Adicción: Gratis y confidencial para los que están luchando con una adicción, o sus familiares o amigos. Llame a 773.489.6438

Recursos de Anulación: Llame a la oficina parroquial.

Apoyo al embarazo: Servicios de asesoramiento para adolescentes, mujeres, hombres y sus familias que están experimentando un embarazo no planificado.
Llame a Catholic Charities Maternity Services 847.782.4229

Sociedad de San Vicente de Paul: Dedicada a ayudar a los que han caído en tiempos difíciles, proporcionando asistencia financiera de emergencia y alimentos de la despensa de San Vicente de Paul. Todas las consultas son confidenciales y se responden con la mayor rapidez posible. Llame al 847.868.3796 o 847.864.1185 x245

Grupo de apoyo a las mujeres para la sanación de abusos sexuales e incesto: Un ministerio de acompañamiento que utiliza un enfoque adaptado de Al-Anon
Contacte con Sarah Hinojosa 847.507.2790, sarahhinojosa@gmail.com

Ministerio de Jóvenes y Adultos Jóvenes: www.ucym.org

Presentación de 3 años: Se celebra los domingos. Registrarse 1 mes antes en la oficina parroquial.

Quinceañeras: Visite a www.ucym.org/quinces para más información o llame a Mireya Dominguez al 847-719-9071 x295.

Resources for Abused Adults and Children / Recursos para abusos de adultos y niños

DCFS Abuse Hotline / DCFS línea anónima de abuso: 800.252.2873

Archdiocese Victim Assistance / Asistencia para víctimas de la Arquidiócesis: 866.517.4528

Cook County Public Defender / Defensor publico de Cook County: 312.603.0600

Illinois Coalition for Immigrant & Refugee Rights / Coalición de Illinois para los Derechos de los Inmigrantes y Refugiados

Family Support Hotline / Línea de apoyo a las familias: 855.435.7693 (English, Spanish, Korean, Polish)

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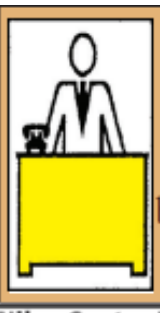

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