

QUEEN OF ALL SAINTS BASILICA

A Roman Catholic Church

MARCH 15, 2020

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT



*The community of Queen of All Saints is committed to Christ,
sharing God's gifts and building the Church together,
through word, worship and service.*

FROM FATHER SIMON



Since September of last year, five catechumens (those who have never been baptized) and five candidates (those who have been baptized and are being received into the Church) have been learning about the Catholic faith in preparation for the sacraments of initiation and reception into the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil. Last Sunday, they joined several others from parishes in Lake and Cook counties for the Rite of Election at Holy Name Cathedral. At this rite, upon the testimony of sponsors and catechists and the catechumens' affirmation of their intention to join the Church, the Church makes its "election" of these catechumens to receive the Sacraments of Initiation. They inscribe their names in the Book of the Elect as a pledge of fidelity. The Rite of Election marks the beginning of the final period of intensive preparation prior to receiving the sacraments of initiation.

Beginning this week, and for two more, the catechumens will undergo what is called *scrutinies*. Ordinarily, when someone is told they'll face a scrutiny before they can join an organization they'll probably say, "Thanks, but no thanks." Yet, boldly, our Church expects not one but three scrutinies of catechumens before their baptism at Easter.

In the early years of the Church's history, scrutinies were celebrated to mark the spiritual progress of the catechumens. The moral preparation of catechumens included prayers of exorcism, to drive out the spirit of evil which kept them from embracing Christ as their light. In the scrutinies the Church discerned if those exorcisms had achieved their effect. Catechumens entered the church, stood barefoot on goatskin, and renounced evil influences all night. Those unworthy of baptism had to wait another year for Easter to roll around again.

Today's scrutinies are less intense. They still include an exorcism, in which the priest prays that the spirit of evil may be replaced by the spirit of good. Their purpose is not so much to examine the candidates' mental readiness, but their spiritual readiness. Scrutinies offer the catechumens the support they need to worthily approach the waters of baptism.

For those who are already baptized, the scrutinies invite us to embrace the same spirit of self-searching and repentance. At Easter, we renew our baptismal promises as we see the catechumens being baptized. So, during Lent we renew our repentance as we see the catechumens scrutinized. The scrutinies remind us of the seriousness of our Christian life and inspire us to turn from evil and pursue good. They enliven our recommitment to Christ at Easter. I encourage you to include our catechumens and candidates in your prayers as they prepare to become part of the Body of Christ here at Queen of All Saints.

Blessings!!

Fr. Simon

Updates on Our Efforts Here at QAS to Limit the Spread of the Coronavirus

Our parish here at Queen of All Saints has responded to the COVID-19 global and national outbreak with sensible precautions. Our goal is simple – to limit the chances of transmission of the virus among all our parishioners, at church, at school and at our other activities. Our perspective is also simple – each of us has a responsibility to do the best we can for each other.

We will continue to closely monitor the situation, following the advice of public health experts, and will continuously adjust our response based on the latest available advice. In the meantime we would like to summarize what we have done so far.

How we look out for each other in the basilica. As we announced at Mass two weekends ago the new rules for our liturgies call for:

- Exchanging a friendly gesture during the sign of peace instead of shaking hands.
- Not offering the precious blood (wine) at Communion
- Offering the Body of Christ only in open hands. Of course, our ministers of Communion will continue their long-standing practice of using hand sanitizer immediately before Communion.
- Hand sanitizer will be available to parishioners and guests at all entrances.

How we enhance the sanitary conditions of our entire parish premises:

- The basilica will have enhanced disinfectant cleaning of all surface areas twice a week, including pews and any surfaces likely to be touched by hand.
- We have always used a professional cleaning service for daily cleaning of our school buildings. On February 17 and March 3 we began using this service to perform “deep cleaning” of the school.
- The Holy Water fonts in the church have been emptied. However, there is a container of Holy Water near the sacristy entrance for those who wish to fill small containers from home.

How we should take care of ourselves. Our personal health affects others. This is our advice to everyone, including parish and school employees as well as our parishioners as a whole:

- Wash your hands frequently throughout the day with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer.
- Avoid touching your mouth, nose and eyes with unwashed hands. This is a prime way for the virus to enter the body.
- Symptoms include fever, cough and shortness of breath. Seek medical advice if you develop symptoms and (a) have been in close contact with a person known to have COVID-19 or (b) if you live in or have recently been in an area with ongoing spread of COVID-19.
- Avoid close contact with people showing signs of illness.
- If you are sick you should stay home, cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, and clean or disinfect your frequently touched objects and surfaces.

We hope that a clear understanding of our response to this challenge will bring confidence and comfort knowing that your parish and school are acting responsibly and with the benefit of the latest in public health advice.

We also understand that these practices and rules may be an unwelcome and uncomfortable change, especially those that affect the habits we have learned to express our devotion at Mass. We pray that our necessary actions will help limit the health issues now facing our entire community, especially the older and more vulnerable among us, and that someday soon we will be able to return to a more normal life.

LENT 2020



Dear Parishioners,

The season of Lent is a time of renewal and reflection, when we are encouraged as followers of Christ to participate in prayer, fasting and service. The Lenten journey of each person is a personal expression of faith. All Queen of All Saints parishioners and students are invited to participate together and support each other this Lenten season in a special way to commemorate the 90th Anniversary of our parish.

What is “90 for 90”? Well, it’s what you make it. Can you add 90 seconds of prayer to your day? Could you read 90 Psalms? Can you donate 90 diapers to a charity? Is it possible to go 90 minutes without your phone? Ninety of something may sound like a lot, but what you do and how you do it is up to you. It’s not a contest, competition or checklist, but a way to challenge ourselves to look at what we say and do in preparation for the Resurrection of Christ this Easter.

The suggested items on our list are just a starting point; your Lenten journey is your own. There is room for every person, every family, every ministry to put their own personal touch on it. Many ministries will be hosting “90 for 90” events, and we hope you will join in if you can. A great way to start is to spend some time at our upcoming Parish Mission with Fr. Corey Brost on March 2, 3 & 4.

*Christ inspired us to offer others mercy and care and encouraged us to imitate his actions. To inspire and encourage our parishioners and students, we hope you will share your good works by going a little beyond discrete actions. Please consider writing down your “90 for 90” prayer or practice and placing it into the receptacle at the front of the Basilica. Additionally, we hope that you will consider sharing your personal Lenten journey on social media using the hashtag **#qas90for90**. We hope the stories of the generosity and faith of our community will inspire you on your own Lenten journey.*

*Blessings to you and your family,
The Queen of All Saints Parish Council*



#qas90for90

What does 90 mean to you?

PRAYER

- 90 minutes of added prayer per day or week
- 90 minutes of adoration (Monday evenings and Holy Thursday)
- pray for 90 people (even if it's one sentence!)
- journal 90 words of reflection on a prayer, scripture or other inspiration
- read 90 chapters of the Bible (89 chapters in the Gospels, only 2 per day!)
- read 90 Psalms
- make a list of 90 things you are grateful for
- make a list of 90 people you are grateful for
- pray 90 beads of the rosary (only 2 rosaries!)
- 90 seconds of conversation per day with God
- read 90 pages of a spiritual book
- listen to 90 minutes of worship music

FASTING

- 90 minutes of no electronics in the house
- 90 minutes of silence in the house
- limit electronics or media to 90 minutes per day or week
- fast from inactivity by adding 90 minutes of exercise per week
- spend 90 minutes outside with nature instead of indoors
- replace 90 minutes or miles of your commute with walking or biking
- donate or recycle 90 items you don't need anymore
- give up 90 of something (2 per day) to break a habit (cigarettes, drinks, snacks, etc.)
- skip \$90 of splurges
- listen to someone for 90 seconds without talking
- wait 90 seconds before saying or posting something unkind

SERVICE

- write 90 postcards for a cause or campaign
- purchase \$90 in supplies for a food pantry
newhopefoodpantry.com
chicagosfoodbank.org
- donate \$90 to a charity of your choice
- donate 90 of something to the men of Viator House of Hospitality (Fr. Corey Brost)
viatorhouseofhospitality.com
- make 90 of something (greeting cards, cookies, scarves, etc.) to donate
- purchase 90 of something (diapers, socks, toothbrushes, etc.) to donate
- purchase 90 meals at fmsc.org or mealsonwheelschicago.org
- serve 90 meals at a soup kitchen
- spend 90 minutes with someone in need
- spend 90 hours of your time in service
- write 90 words to someone to say "Thank you" or "I'm sorry" or "I appreciate you"
- donate 90 coins of your spare change to a CRS rice bowl / crsricebowl.org
- purchase \$90 of goods at a fair trade market
fgreenheartshop.org
tenthousandvillages.com
- temporarily increase your weekly donation by 90% for Lent or Easter Sunday
- give out 90 compliments
- write 90 words or letters to those in prison
- donate \$90 to help immigrants with legal fees
immigrantjustice.org
- donate 90 air miles to reunite refugee families
miles4migrants.org
- donate 90 chickens (or other animals) or trees or seeds to communities in need overseas
heifer.org

LENT 2020

Lenten Regulations

Each year the holy season of Lent provides us with a special time of grace and spiritual renewal so that we may become better instruments in sharing the Gospel message. All members of the Christian faithful in their own way are bound to do penance in virtue of divine law.

The faithful are encouraged during Lent to attend daily Mass, receive Holy Communion, participate in penance services, and receive sacramental absolution. We are also encouraged to take part in public and private exercises of piety, give generously to works of religion and charity, perform acts of kindness toward the sick, aged, and the poor, to practice voluntary self-denial, especially regarding food, drink and worldly amusements, and to pray more fervently, particularly for the intentions of the Holy Father.

Prayer

Daily Mass

Monday-Friday:
6:30am and 8:30am
Saturday: 8am

Lenten Holy Hour

Every Monday at 7pm,
with Exposition of the
Blessed Sacrament

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Every Monday between
7 & 8pm and Saturday
mornings beginning at
8:30am, until all are
heard

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday during Lent
at 4pm and on Good
Friday at 3pm

Almsgiving

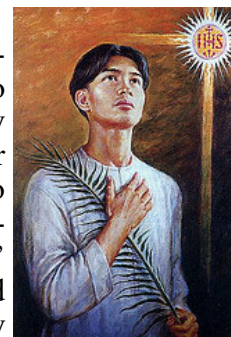
Serve the Body of Christ through outreach of our various ministries

- Elizabeth Ministry
- Third Sunday of the Month collection for the poor

*Please see suggestions from the
Parish Pastoral Council plan '90 for '90'
on pages 4 and 5*

San Pedro Calungsod Novena

All are invited to participate in the Filipino-American Community Association's annual Lenten Novena to St. Pedro Calungsod. St. Calungsod was a young Roman Catholic Filipino migrant, sacristan and missionary catechist who, along with the Spanish Jesuit missionary Diego Luis de San Vitores, suffered religious persecution and martyrdom in Guam for their missionary work in 1672. While in Guam, Calungsod preached Christianity to the Chamorro people through catechism, while baptizing infants, children and adults at the risk and expense of being persecuted and eventually murdered. Through Calungsod and San Vitores' missionary efforts, many native Chamorros converted to Roman Catholicism. Calungsod was formally beatified on March 5, 2000 by St. John Paul II and was officially canonized by Pope Benedict XVI on October 21, 2012.



To participate in the Novena, please join us in the Mother's Chapel on the following dates and times:

Friday, March 27th at 6:00pm

Saturday, March 28th at 6:00pm

Sunday, March 29th at 1:30pm

Monday, March 30th at 6:00pm

Saturday, April 4th at 7:15am, followed by Mass in the basilica and reception

Tuesday, March 31st at 6:00pm

Wednesday, April 1st at 6:00pm

Thursday, April 2nd at 6:00pm

Friday, April 3rd at 6:00pm

For more information, please contact facaofqas@gmail.com or contact Myrna Babao at 773-454-9435 or Maureen Isidoro at 312-838-1110.

LENT 2020

JAZZ REFLECTIONS

A mellow evening of jazz reflections on sacred hymns and spirituals



*Featuring
The Stephen Lynerd Group
and the Basilica Choir
Director of Music, Dr. Ken Sotak*

FRIDAY, MARCH 27, 7:30 P.M.

Queen of All Saints Basilica
6280 N. Sauganash, Chicago | (773) 736-6060 | www.qasparish.org

no ticket, no charge - a freewill offering will be accepted

SCHOOL NEWS

Stegmaier Scholarship Fund for Seventh Graders

A scholarship fund has been established in memory of Eileen Burchby Lambert Stegmaier. Mrs. Stegmaier, known while at QAS School as Mrs. Lambert, was a devoted teacher for many years. It was her wish to assist individual needy students who are attending Queen of All Saints School.

The Eileen Burchby Lambert Stegmaier Scholarship will be open to all seventh grade students and will provide a full-tuition scholarship for eighth grade.

The criteria for awarding this scholarship will be based on financial need, Catholic values and academic excellence. A committee of school administrators and clergy will review the criteria and select the awardee. The recipient of the scholarship will be announced in spring 2020.

If you wish to nominate your seventh grade student attending QAS for this scholarship, please contact the school office for an application form. Applications must be submitted to the QAS school office on or before April 10, 2020.

SCHOOL NEWS



A 2018 Blue Ribbon School of Excellence

Showcase

March 18

9:00 a.m.

Queen of All Saints offers a premier education for students in PreK - 8th grade. We invite you to our informational coffee and tour. Learn about our academics, athletics, fine arts, STEM and more.

Inspiring Minds ~ Building Character ~ Living Our Faith

6230 N. Lemont Ave. 773.736.0567 www.qasschool.org

UPP 2020 LINCOLNWOOD POOL RAFFLE

ONE FAMILY SEASON PASS FOR FOUR!



**Please send form and payment to QAS School or to the QAS Rectory
in an envelope marked "UPP/Pool Raffle"**

NAME _____ ADDRESS _____

MOBILE _____ EMAIL _____

NUMBER OF TICKETS PURCHASED _____ (\$30 FOR ONE / \$50 FOR 2)

TOTAL: \$ _____

Please make checks payable to Queen of All Saints or charge your credit card

VISA MC DISCOVER CARD # _____

SIGNATURE _____ EXP. DATE _____

For more information, please email us at upp@qasparish.org

UPP 2020

New Decade...New Raffle!

FIRST EARLY BIRD WINNER: ANN INGLES!

UPP 2020 RAFFLE

\$30 per ticket!

Grand Prize = **\$5,000**

and TWO Prizes of **\$2,500** EACH

And if...

100% of
our Parish goal is met,
a 4th Prize of **\$2,500** added!

And if...

110% of
our Parish goal is met,
a 5th Prize of **\$2,500** added!

New!

PACK 10 Raffle

For every 10 tickets you purchase or sell
you will be entered into the **PACK 10** Raffle
for a single prize of **\$1,000**

More...

Early Birds!

Four Drawings remain
of **\$500** each

New!

Fun for our QAS School students!

Out of Uniform Pajama Day!

If 1,225 raffle tickets
are sold parish-wide by March 31st

Pool Party!

If 2,100 raffle tickets
are sold parish-wide by April 30th
(hosted by UPP!)



Contribute to:

Upp 2020



Auction Wish List

Donate an auction item for our silent auction or our live auction. Share your talents with our amazing parish. We are looking for:

- ◆ Airline tickets
- ◆ Sporting event tickets or memorabilia
- ◆ Vacation Homes/Time Shares
- ◆ Hotel Stays
- ◆ Dinners or lunches at restaurants in Chicagoland
- ◆ Concert or Theater Tickets
- ◆ Opera or Symphony Tickets
- ◆ Events, e.g. chef's table
- ◆ Experiences, e.g. piano & guitar lessons, guided tours
- ◆ Gift Cards

All donations may be dropped off at the rectory or contact us at upp@qasparish.org for a pick-up.

Share Your Favorite Wine

Donate a bottle of your favorite wine to the Wine Pull Raffle. All bottles must be valued at \$20 or more. Please drop off your bottle(s) at the rectory during normal business hours. If you have several bottles, contact us at upp@qasparish.org for a pick-up.

Host a Sign-Up Party

You and your co-hosts will decide the theme, date, location and number of people who may attend. Sign-up Parties are as much fun to host as they are to attend! Past party themes have included Mardi Gras, Moms and Margaritas, Kids' Roller Skating, Sauganash Pub Crawl, and Ladies Spa Party.

Do you enjoy hosting but aren't sure what type of party to have? Not sure who to host with? No problem! We are ready to help. Just shoot us an email at upp@qasparish.org.

PARISH NEWS



SPRED at QAS

The SPRED (SPecial RELigious Development) group at QAS is so blessed to have a beautiful new room to hold our meetings in throughout the year. SPRED is a ministry that welcomes children, teens and adults with cognitive and developmental disabilities to develop a mindfulness of God in their lives, an awareness of themselves as persons of dignity who are loved by God, and a sense of belonging to our parish community as well as the entire Catholic church.

Our 11-17 year old age group has been holding our 2.5 hour sessions on Mondays, since April 2001, and over the years, we have been in many different locations such as classrooms in the school building, the lower level of the Benedict Center, the Jubilee Room, and the Holy Name Room. Yes, we are all deeply appreciative that we had a room to hold our sessions in, however it is such an incredible feeling to be able to call the SPRED Room, located on the third floor of the newly remodeled Benedict Center, our home. We realize that we can call this new location our home because of the generosity of the parishioners of Queen of All Saints, and the support and belief from our Pastoral Staff.

The SPRED program at QAS consists of about 22 sessions, 11 sessions with only the adult catechists, and the other 11 sessions with the total community, meaning the catechists and our special friends. Each adult catechist joins with a special friend on a 1-to-1 basis during our total community sessions. We are truly a family and have shared many important occasions together and have witnessed the sacraments of Communion and Confirmation with some of our special friends.

Currently, we have six special friends – Mikolaj, Evan, Max, Kai, Michael, and Jacob. MaryBeth is our Leader Catechist, and our Helper Catechists are Sheila, Coleen, Jaikie, Sue, Aline, and Sandy. We are currently in need of an Activity Catechist that would set up the SPRED room for our total community sessions (training is offered through the SPRED office).

The SPRED family warmly invites everyone to our SPRED Mass April 26th at 9:30am. SPRED Masses create a sense of peace, harmony, respect, and a strong feeling of community. Please come to share our wonderful and sacred Mass. If you have any questions about SPRED, becoming an Activity Catechist, having your child join a SPRED community, or our SPRED Mass, please contact Sandy Dilla-Hammer, QAS Parish Chairperson, at dillapickle3@att.net or 773-426-8356. Children and adults with disabilities have the right to grow in faith. Our incredible SPRED ministry invites each of us to walk together with a friend on a journey of faith to discover God in the presence of one another.



Queen of All Saints – Scout Troop 626



Best Swedish Pancake Breakfast in the neighborhood

All the pancakes you can eat

Sunday, March 15, 2020 – 7:00 AM ~ 3:00 PM

Queen of All Saints school cafeteria

6230 N. Lemont Avenue

Free parking available in lot west of the basilica & school

Adults & Children over 12: \$8.00
Senior Citizens: \$6.00
Children 5 ~ 12 years: \$6.00
Children under 5: FREE

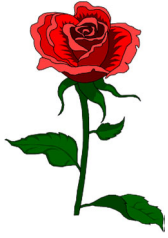
**Includes sausage, coffee, and
orange juice**



PARISH NEWS

Bereavement Support Group

The Bereavement Support Group continues with follow-up sessions on March 15 (today), 22, 29 and April 5 from 1:30 - 3:30pm in the Benedict Center - Fireplace Room, 2nd Floor, 6275 N. Ionia Avenue. For more information or to register, please call Sheila Morrow at 773-383-4405 or send an email to smorrow@qasparish.org.



Youth Ministry

Youth Ministry group will meet on March 15th and March 22nd. We will have Mass and Reconciliation on Sunday, March 29th at 4pm.

Mother Daughter Hippy Fest!

Get your groove on in the gymnasium on Saturday, March 21st from 6 to 9pm. All QAS/RE students from Pre-k, 3-year and up to 8th Grade are welcome. Cost is \$35 Mother/Daughter or \$45 Mother/Daughters. RSVP today, March 15th. See school website for more details.



Upcoming Family Masses

- Kindergarten Family Mass - March 22, 9:30am
- 7th Grade Family Mass - April 4, 5pm
- 5th Grade Family Mass - April 26, 9:30am

High School Graduate Mass



All 2020 high school graduates are invited to Mass on Sunday, June 14th at 11am. Lunch will follow in the Holy Name Room Patio. If you are interested in participating in the Mass, send an email to: qasreoffice@qasparish.org

Filipino-American Community Association Thank You!

Thank you Queen of All Saints parishioners! Because of you, \$10,000 has been donated to Caritas Manila to help the victims of the Taal Volcano earthquake. We are truly thankful and grateful to be a part of this community.



Thank You QAS Parish! You're Invited!

Since 2002, Queen of All Saints parishioners have strengthened Solidarity Bridge's Mission to increase access to safe, affordable surgery in Bolivia and Paraguay. In gratitude for your generosity, Cardinal Blase Cupich and Solidarity Bridge will recognize Fr. Simon and QAS Parish, along with five other Chicagoland parishes at their Fiesta gala on April 25th at the Hilton Orrington Hotel. We invite you to join this grand celebration! Tickets are now on sale at: www.solidaritybridge.org/fiesta.

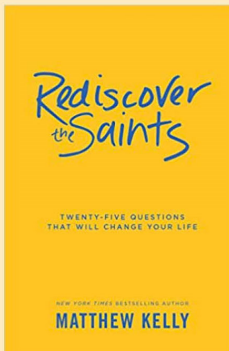
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You are still welcome to join us!

Lenten Book Club

with the ELIZABETH MINISTRY



ORDER ONLINE
Amazon.com
Barnesandnoble.com
Target.com

MONDAY EVENINGS at 7:00 p.m.
in the Fireplace Room of the Benedict Center

March 9, 16, 23 & 30





STEWARDSHIP

The community of Queen of All Saints is committed to Christ, sharing God's gifts and building the Church together, through word, worship and service.

Stewardship in Times of Uncertainty

It seems like this global health crisis from COVID-19 was sprung on us very quickly and without warning. Every day seems to bring more uncertainty **and we are called to do our best for ourselves and for each other, even in our gatherings for Mass and other liturgies here at Queen of All Saints.**

And it is during times like these that our church becomes even more important, as we seek to reach out and serve people in our communities.

Remember, we are made in the image of God, the ultimate giver of all that we are and all that we have. We look the most like God when we are generous. We reflect the face of Jesus when we compassionately and generously share what God has given us. Generous giving grows from our need to give as part of our spiritual journey, rather than the church's need to receive. In other words, **the question is, "What is God calling me to give?"** rather than "What does my church need from me?"

Some Thoughts at Tax Time

As we prepare our returns it's good to remind ourselves of all available tax strategies. Our primary reasons for giving certainly aren't tax-driven, but our chosen charities will benefit more if we do our homework.

If you are 70½ or older and have an IRA, you may qualify for a special charitable giving opportunity directly from your IRA.

Individuals are now allowed to make direct transfers from an IRA to Queen of All Saints tax free – up to \$100,000 – and also credited against your required annual minimum distribution if you have not yet taken it.

The tax-free nature of this withdrawal may have a number of other favorable benefits affecting your tax return, depending on your particular situation. Please contact our parish business office at 773-736-6060 for further information.

Today's Readings

*"Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again."
- John 4:13*

Jesus reminds us that material things, even something as basic as water, can never satisfy us for long. When we build our lives around material possessions, we always want more. True Joy and Peace only come when we follow Jesus; when we become more "God-centered" and less "self-centered."

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS MARCH 1 TO MARCH 4, 2020

Donation Type	Amount	Users
Envelopes	\$17,562.68	463
Loose Donations	\$3,816.00	n/a
Electronic Giving	\$9,688.46	179
Total	\$31,087.14	
Fiscal YTD Total	\$1,001,728.31	

A New Option The Blue Envelope

We've announced our drive to replenish our endowments by five million dollars. The bi-monthly mailing of Offertory envelopes will now include blue envelopes which can be used to make direct contributions to our parish endowments, in addition to our usual Sunday giving.

Please visit the Queen of All Saints website
www.qasparish.org
for church bulletin and online giving information.

Queen of All Saints Church
Env. # 1234
Mr. & Mrs. John Smith
1234 Church Lane
Chicago, IL 60646

For direct deposit into the
Queen of All Saints
Parish Endowment Fund

Amount \$ _____

Electronic Offering
*To strengthen
our shared parish future.*

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, March 15 (Third Sunday of Lent)

All Sunday Masses will be offered for the people of Queen of All Saints and the benefactors of our endowments for the school and the parish

Monday, March 16

School Endowment Fund benefactors, QAS Homebound, George Stegmaier, Alma and George Brown, Bruce Schoenrock, Godofredo Taino, Luis Fernandez, Jr., Alfredo and Felisa Abeleda, Raynaldo Garcia, Arlene Tungol

Readings: 2 Kgs 5:1-15b; Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4; Lk 4:24-30

Tuesday, March 17 (St. Patrick)

Deceased members of the QAS Widowed Group, Eileen Stegmaier, David Stefani, William D. Hancock, Ed Morley, Mary Lynn Lally, James McIntyre, Simon Pahati, Luis Fernandez, Jr., Lucille Stegmaier Smith, Gilbert Thompson

Readings: Dn 3:25, 34-43; Ps 25:4-51b, 6, 7bc, 8-9; Mt 18:21-35

Wednesday, March 18 (St. Cyril of Jerusalem)

Basilica Fund members, Ruth Stegmaier, Gaspar Erdelyi, Ria Erdelyi, Richard F. Scheuer, Joan Crosbie Planek, Felise and Jose Benavidez, Jeannez Benavidez, Luis Fernandez, Jr.

Readings: Dt 4:1, 5-9; Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20; Mt 5:17-19

Thursday, March 19 (St. Joseph)

Cesar Garcia, Josephine Dudek, Helena Pett, Dr. Clifford H. Miller, Luis Fernandez, Jr., Joseph Such, Joseph Golojuch, Joseph Koletsos, Billy Van Sickle, Evelyn Ryza

Readings: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29; Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a

Friday, March 20

Helen and Jerry Martin, Ricardo Eugenio, Pilar Eugenio, Manuel Eugenio, Luis Fernandez, Jr., Roy Bellavia

Readings: Hos 14:2-10; Ps 81:6c-11ab, 14, 17; Mk 12:28-34

Saturday, March 21

Warren Valsa, Luz Pahati, Anthony DD. Rodriguez, Irene K. Targos, John J. McCaig, Luis Fernandez, Jr.

Readings: Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18-21ab; Lk 18:9-14

Please Pray for Our Recently Deceased

John Makolondra
Marilyn Considine
Joseph DuBois
Elayne Barr

BAPTIZED IN FAITH

Leonardo Di Stefano, son of
Luciana Freitas Di Stefano

Nora Rose Gavin, daughter of
Matthew and Lindsey Lamoria Gavin



Aubrey Ana Guerra, daughter of
Roger and Jessica Silva Guerra

Nora Alana Gurdak, daughter of
Nathan and Kendra Golubic Gurdak

QUEEN OF ALL SAINTS BASILICA

Pastoral Staff

Pastor.....	Rev. Simon Braganza
Pastors Emeriti.....	Rev. Msgr. John Pollard Rev. Msgr. Wayne F. Prist
Associate Pastor.....	Rev. Walter Cheboi
Residents.....	Rev. Michael Cronin Rev. Edward D. Grace
Director of Faith Formation.....	Erika Tate
Coordinator of Religious Education.....	Jenna Patitucci
Director of Music.....	Dr. Kenneth Sotak
Director of Liturgy.....	Paul Scavone
Youth Minister.....	Morgan O'Leary

Rectory Hours

Monday-Friday.....8:30am-4:00pm

Telephone Numbers

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Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil.....	5:00pm
Sunday.....	6:45, 8:00, 9:30, 11:00am, 12:30pm

Daily Mass and Rosary

Monday-Friday.....	6:30, 8:30am
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Rosary.....	Daily after the 8:30am Mass

Devotions and Holy Day Masses

Holy Hour.....Monday, 7:00pm
Please consult the parish bulletin or website for the Holy Day Mass schedule

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday.....After the 8:00 am Mass until all are heard

To Register in the Parish

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The Sacrament of Baptism

Queen of All Saints rejoices in the incorporation of new members into the Body of Christ through the Sacrament of Baptism. If you are a registered parishioner, please come to the rectory during business hours to schedule your child's baptism. If it is not possible for you to come to the rectory, please call the rectory to make arrangements. The Sacrament of Baptism for infants is celebrated at 1:30pm two or three Sundays of the month, depending on the time of year. Please call the rectory for the exact schedule. A baptismal preparation class for the parents is required. They are held once a month on alternate Tuesday and Thursday evenings, and must be scheduled in advance. If an adult or a school age child seeks baptism, special arrangements should be made with one of the priests.

The Sacrament of Matrimony

Queen of All Saints helps couples prepare not only for their wedding day, but also for the lifelong commitment of living a Christian marriage. Parishioners of Queen of All Saints Basilica who are baptized and free to marry in the Catholic Church may celebrate their marriage in Queen of All Saints Basilica. Couples from Queen of All Saints seeking marriage in Queen of All Saints Basilica should contact one of the parish priests at least six months prior to their intended date of marriage. The couple must meet with one of the priests before the date for the marriage can be confirmed.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

The sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is not just a sacrament for those who are at the point of death. As soon as one of the faithful begins to be in danger of death from sickness or old age, the fitting time for him or her to receive this sacrament has certainly already arrived. Therefore, any member of the faithful who is seriously ill because of sickness or advanced age may properly receive this sacrament.

OTHER NEWS

Today's Readings

First Reading - When the people grumbled to Moses for water in the desert, the Lord heard and brought forth water from the rock for all to drink (Exodus 17:3-7).

Psalm - If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts (Psalm 95).

Second Reading - God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit (Romans 5:1-2, 5-8).

Gospel - Ask, and you will be given living water so that you will never thirst again (John 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42]).

CELEBRANT SCHEDULE

Next Sunday, March 22

5:00pm - Fr. Simon Braganza

6:45am - Fr. Walter Cheboi

8:00am - Fr. Walter Cheboi

9:30am - Fr. Edward Grace

11:00am - Fr. Michael Cronin

12:30pm - Fr. Robert Heidenreich



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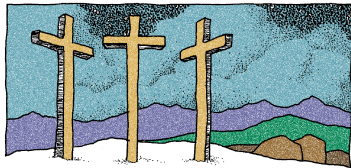
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