

Sunday Messenger



May 14
2017

FIFTH SUNDAY OF *Easter*

JESUS SAID,
"IN MY FATHER'S HOUSE THERE
ARE MANY DWELLING PLACES."

John 14:2



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Santa Lucia - Santa Maria Inconronata
Catholic Parish

3022 S. Wells St. • Chicago, IL 60616

Parish Administrator
Fr. Stipe Renić, OFM

Mass schedule

Saturday (Sunday Vigil)
4 p.m.

Sunday
10 a.m.

Weekdays (Tuesday & Friday)
8:15 a.m.

Sick calls — at any time

Baptisms — by appointment

Confessions — before Masses

Weddings — arrange 6 months in
advance

Parish Office hours

9 a.m. - 3 p.m. (Monday - Friday)
Evenings - by appointment only

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*Santa Lucia,
pray for us!*

Saturday, May 13

10 a.m.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

4 p.m.

- + Gina Nicastro family
- + Madeline Cappelto daughter & granddaughters
- + Virge Bagnola Michael & Camille
- + Marsha Kristich Michael & Camille
- + Isabella Marassa Michael & Camille
- + Barbara Bruno daughter
- + Palma Ursetta family
- ++ Joseph & Carmela DiPiazza family
- ++ Carmen & Angelina Amodeo family
- ++ Margaret Jackowiak, Mary Iozzi, Margaret Olivo, Rose Florez, Rose Ursetto, Lottie Jackowiak & Barbara Valdez (Mother's Day remembrance) Jackowiak family

Sunday, May 14

5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

10 a.m.

- + Josephine Pascente Altar & Rosary Society
- + Orlando Maffei family
- + Frankie Marasso Belli family
- + Minnie Condic Belli family
- + Ann Scalise Scalise family
- + Carmela DiPiazza family
- + Gina Nicastro family
- + Catherine Bingham Jackowiak family
- + Josephine Vitale daughter Karen
- + Dominick Infanto (birthday remembrance) wife & children
- + Alice Dorchek husband Len
- + Dominic Petrizzo WZG
- + Frank Sinatra (19 year anniversary remembrance) . WZG
- + John Basso WZG
- + Francesco Scalise (anniversary remembrance) wife & children
- + Mary Pascente Cerny family
- + Mary Ann Zeman Cerny family
- + Deloris Cerny family
- + Virginia Tassone family
- + Rose Capinegro Terry & family
- + Theresa Carvatta family
- + Philomena Christiano family
- + Tia Pati Balich family
- + Rose Russo Anette, Mike & Chris Notides
- ++ Ronald Jr. & Theresa Ropke Janet Ropke
- ++ Frank & Marion Carrano son Paul
- ++ Minnie, Kosh, Mick, Chap & Jim WZG
- For health of Irene Burich WZG
- For health of St. Lucy seniors WZG
- For intentions of Irene Burich family

Tuesday, May 16

8:15 a.m.

- + Frankie Marasso (birthday remem.) Marasso family

Friday, May 19

8:15 a.m.

- ++ Frank & Claire Dorchek Leonard Dorchek

Saturday, May 20

4 p.m.

- + Gina Nicastro family
- + Joseph Senese family
- + Bertha Pappalardo Butch & Marlene Salvato
- ++ Joseph & Carmela DiPiazza family

Sunday, May 21

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

10 a.m.

- + Fiorentina Scalise Scalise family
- + Josephine Vitale family
- + Victor Sperando Butch & Marlene Salvato
- + Alice Dorchek husband Len
- ++ Frank & Jennie Colosimo Tom, Mary Ann & Annie
- ++ Carl & Josephine Powell Tom, Mary Ann & Annie
- ++ Ronald Jr. & Theresa Ropke WZG

ALTAR SERVERS

4 p.m. – Jocelyn Aguilar, Nicholas Barragan, Kaitlyn DeFoe, Michaela Galvez, Mikel Garza

10 a.m. – Jose Diaz, Andrea & David Gallegos, Carlos Herrera, Andres Lopez, Ogbonna Ugwu-Uche

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

4 p.m. – Pat Moran
10 a.m. – Catherine Moy

LECTORS

4 p.m. – Darlene Ramirez
10 a.m. – Dana/Jim Stack

LET US PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE ILL AS WELL AS FOR THEIR CARETAKERS

Kati Kaup, Joe DiChicchio, Tony Giglio, Mary Mannella, Lottie Christiano, Annie Maggio, Jeanine Briatta, Nicholas Tobar, Dolores Levielle, Carol Ordzowialy, Gail Wodarski, Jerry Pizzotti, Ida Ruffolo, Maria Senerchia, Irene Burich, Kate Drost, Gianina Alberto, Paride Infelise, Barb Stack, Katie Santello, Pat Hoffman, Lizzy Kaup, Breck Neiswender, Jose Lara, Ofelia Lara, Fr. Nick Marro, Pat Petrizzo, Carmen Llamas, Janice Gio, Anne Kavalauskas, Anne Rodig, Rose Russo, Mary Balestri, Nancy Calace, Shane O'Connell

Alleluia

5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

THE WAY

Today we sense the apostles' trepidation as they begin to realize that the Lord would soon be leaving them. In their fear, they ask, "Master, we do not know where you are going; how can we know the way?" (John 14:5). Jesus tells them that he is the way. The Easter season has been a time of growing in Easter faith so that we, too, may learn to know that Jesus is the way. We can take comfort in the Lord's promise that he is going to his Father's house to prepare a place for us, his chosen people who have been called out of darkness into God's wonderful light. As the paschal candle continues to burn during this holy season, let us remember that in baptism we were given the light of Christ. With Christ our light as the beacon lighting our way, let us march toward the glory of Pentecost.

LET US PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Rose Russo (nee Repole), **104**. Wife of +Raymond; mother of Raymond (+Anette, +Virginia) Russo, Phillip Russo, LaVerne (Anthony) Sorrentino, and Rosemarie (Salvatore) Inglima; daughter of ++Michelangelo and Maria Repole; grandmother of Andrea, Ray, +Chris, Joe, Bridgette, Michelle, Nicole, Peter, Frankie, and Sammy; great-grandmother of Heather, Raymond, Michael, Sean, Alex, Nathan, Ryan, Morgan, Hailey, Joey, Johnny, Michael, Gianna, John, and Frankie; great-great-grandmother of Vinny; sister of +Sara Loeb, Ang Pirofalo, and Margaret Guisto; aunt of many nieces and nephews. She was a member of Club Maria S.S. Incononata and the O.N.I.A.C. Woman's Alliance. She was buried on Saturday, May 13, at St. Mary Cemetery, Evergreen Park, IL.

May she rest in peace.

MAY - MONTH OF MARY

The month of May is *especially dedicated to Our Blessed Lady*. During this month Christians, both in church and in the privacy of the home, offer up to Mary from their hearts an especially fervent and loving homage of prayer and veneration. In this month, too, the benefits of God's mercy come down to us from her throne in greater abundance (Pope Bl. Paul VI). During month of May we pray rosary before Sunday Masses. Join us.

SECOND COLLECTION

This Sunday's Second Collection will help Catholic Charities in their mission of helping people in need. When you give to the second collection you ensure that one less mother has to worry about feeding her children. That one less person will make a bench their bed. Thank you for your generosity.

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

We pray for all of our mothers today, both living and those whom God has called. May our Blessed Mother watch over and bless them always.

BABY BOTTLE PROJECT

PLEASE RETURN YOUR BOTTLES

We participate in the Baby Bottle Project benefiting the Women's Center of Greater Chicago-land. This non-profit organization assists mothers and families experiencing crisis pregnancies by offering emotional, financial, material, and spiritual support through counseling, clothing, monetary provisions, prayer... Please, bring baby bottles you used to collect money you may have. Please note the Baby Bottles cost almost \$1 per bottle and are recycled afterwards so please return upon completion of the project.



MOTHER'S DAY PRAYER SERVICE AT ST. JEROME

On Thursday, May 18, at 7 p.m. there will be a Mother's Day prayer service at St. Jerome church honoring mothers, living and deceased. Please, feel free to bring the names of your deceased mothers or family members as they will be remembered during that devotion. Let us bring them to Our Lady, our heavenly mother.

RENEW MY CHURCH - STUDY & DISCUSS

Renew My Church is a multi-year process with the purpose of strengthening parish vitality and better aligning its resources and mission. The whole Archdiocese of Chicago started with this process two years ago. Join us in studying and discussing the vision behind the whole process. We will continue with meetings on Fridays, May 19, at 6 p.m. in the Scalabrini Room. We are using a book *Forming Intentional Disciples: The Path to Knowing and Following Jesus* by Sherry Weddell.

SANTA LUCIA PARISH

SPECIAL RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

The SPRED Center, located above the church on 30th and Lowe Ave., is a faith development program that helps people with developmental and intellectual disabilities and learning problems, and their families to grow in faith and friendship within a small faith community. If interested, please, speak with Fr. Stipe or call 312-842-1039.

On Friday, May 19, at 7 p.m. there will be a small cake and coffee get together with Betty Sivek at St. Jerome Small Hall. Betty Sivek will answer any questions about SPRED. If you have a friend or family member who you think might benefit from this program or if you are thinking of giving your time as a volunteer, please, join us and see if this is for you. All are welcome.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated on Wednesday, May 24, at 6 p.m. at St. Jerome church. Candidates from Santa Lucia and St. Jerome will be confirmed by the Most. Rev. Andrew P. Wypych, auxiliary bishop of Chicago. Let us keep all those young candidates in our prayers as they continue their spiritual journey.

PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY

COUNTDOWN TO DEPARTURE: 154 DAYS

Join parishioners and friends of Santa Lucia on the journey of a lifetime. We are going to Italy to visit Rome, Naples, Sicily and Calabria from October 15 to 27, 2017. This pilgrimage experience will transform, refocus, and reenergize your life. We set out from our homes seeking a God who longs for communion with us through the Saints, through the places our Church holds sacred, and through our brothers and sisters with whom we make this journey. We want to reconnect with Italian heritage, language, and culture, too. Please, find more information at tektionministries.org.



St. Peter's Basilica - Vatican

SUNDAY MESSENGER

RENEW MY CHURCH

*I am the Lady of the Rosary.
I have come to warn the faithful
to amend their lives
and ask for pardon for their sins.*

— OUR LADY OF FATIMA (1917)

VOLUNTEER CATECHISTS WANTED

We are looking for Catechists, those willing to share faith with children, teens and adults, and to teach Religious Education (CCD) in school year 2017-2018. Assistance and training will be provided so you will be prepared to be an effective teacher. Please, talk to Luisa Lynn (Coordinator of Religious Education), or talk to Fr. Stipe.

SUNDAY ENGLISH MASS SCHEDULE

AT SANTA LUCIA AND ST. JEROME

Mass schedule at Santa Lucia is: Saturday at 4 p.m. and Sunday at 10 a.m. English Mass schedule at St. Jerome is: Saturday at 5:30 p.m. and Sunday at 7:30 and 9:30 a.m. If your schedule calls for Mass attendance at an alternate time, feel free to bring your envelope to any of these Masses, and we will ensure your offering gets sent to your home church.

ONLINE GIVING AVAILABLE

We have a flexible and secure system that allows you to support Santa Lucia online. Your contributions will safely be delivered to the parish and can be confirmed via e-mail or text. You can give a single donation or as frequently as you like. Envelopes will continue to be available.

SAVE THE DATE

- **Friday, May 19**
Renew My Church - study & discuss group
- **Wednesday, May 24**
Confirmation (at St. Jerome)

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT

May 7

Envelopes (68)	\$1,267.50
Late Easter (1)	\$ 60.00
Online giving (2)	\$ 130.00
Loose Donations	\$ 146.00
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>\$1,603.50</u>

(average gift \$20.52)
