

Sunday Messenger



NOVEMBER 5, 2017 | THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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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Catholic Parish

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Fr. Stipe Renić, OFM

*Santa Lucia,
pray for us!*

Saturday, November 4

4 p.m.

- + Gina Nicastro family
- + Rocco LaMantia Arnie & Darlene Ramirez
- + Lottie Christiano Frank & Ursula & family
- + Nancy Calace Altar & Rosary Society
- + James Tavolino Butch & Marlene Salvato
- ++ Joseph & Carmela DiPiazza family

**Sunday, November 5
31TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

10 a.m.

- + Frankie Marasso Marasso family
- + Rose Ursetto (anniversary remembrance)
..... Jackowiak family
- + Josephine Vitale family
- + Geraldine Maratea Margaret Gavin
- + Gerald Haley daughter Margaret
- + Rosa Folino Ropke family
- + Rocco LaMantia Ropke family
- + Nancy Calace Jackie & Gary
- + Frank Maione ONIAC
- + Alice Dorchek husband Len
- + Lottie Christiano Pat Jackowiak
- + Emma Dombai Pat Jackowiak
- + Ann Kavalasuskas Jill Hillock & family
- + John Caruso Len & Mary Fran
- ++ Leonard & Margaret Jackowiak Margaret Gavin
- ++ Anthony & Palma Doria Tomasello family
- ++ of Parilla & Traficanto families Len & Mary Fran

Tuesday, November 7

8:15 a.m.

No Mass today

**Friday, November 10
St. Leo the Great, Pope**

8:15 a.m.

- + Joanne Pokrywczynski Rita Infanto
- ++ Frank & Claire Dorchek Leonard Dorchek

Saturday, November 11

4 p.m.

- + Gina Nicastro family
- + Lottie Christiano Frank & Ursula & family
- + Nancy Calace Juanita Natkowski
- + Ann Kavalasuskas Anna Marie Arcieri & family
- + Fran Granato Rich & Ro Wagner
- ++ Joseph & Carmela DiPiazza family

**Sunday, November 12
32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

10 a.m.

- + Josephine Pascente Altar & Rosary Society
- + Frankie Marasso Belli family
- + Josephine Vitale family
- + Marie Hilbert Jimmy & Tino Gio
- + Nancy Calace Pat Burrows
- + Frances Granato Karen Vitale
- + Rita Suriano Karen Vitale
- + Pierina Infelise sister Bridget Fratto
- + Alice Dorchek husband Len
- + Joanne Pokrywczynski Santa Lucia Senior Society
- + Dolores Cerny (birthday remembrance) family
- ++ Henry (Duke) & Angeline Crivilare Charlotte DeSanto

ALTAR SERVERS

- 4 p.m. – Ixta Delgado, Andres Lopez
- 10 a.m. – Cecilia Claudio, Lydia Claudio,
Juan DeLaMora

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

- 4 p.m. – John Senerchia
- 10 a.m. – Pat Jackowiak

LECTORS

- 4 p.m. – Lisa Christiano
- 10 a.m. – Catherine Moy



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

- Kati Kaup, Tony Giglio, Mary Mannella, 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, Mary Balestri,
Shane O'Connell, Juanita Perez, Marie Floros,
baby Ella Velasquez, Carmen Pinto, Kevin Bingham,
Margaret Gavin, John Senerchia

31TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**THE GREATEST AMONG US**

Whom do you admire? Is it the President of the United States or a movie star or a billionaire? These are people whom the world exalts as great. Like the Pharisees in today's Gospel, they have places of honor wherever they go. Would you like to follow in their footsteps? The scriptures for today offer different examples for us to follow. Jesus tells us that the greatest among us are the servants. These are the people we are to honor and imitate. We are called to be like St. Paul, who worked hard to serve the needs of his communities, and Jesus, who gave his life in service to the world.

LET US PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Camille E. Kristich (nee Bagnola), **81**. Wife of Michael; mother of Jo Ann (Raymond) Duncker, and Maria Catezone (Robert Esposito); daughter of +Anthony and +Virginia Bagnola; nanie of Brianna (Richard) Halagiera, Raymond (Rachel) Duncker, Joseph Duncker, and Anthony Catezone; great-grandmother of Richard; sister of Virginia Romanelli, and +James (Marni) Bagnola; aunt of many nieces and nephews. Former president and member of O.N.I.A.C. Woman's Alliance. She was buried on Saturday, November 4, at Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Hillside, IL. May she rest in peace.

CONGRATULATIONS

Last Sunday, October 30, at 10 a.m. Mass, we had the investiture of 3 new altar servers. Congratulations to them and to their families. Let us keep them in our prayers.

Grade 6 - Juan DeLaMora

Grade 4 - Roger Galvez, Danielle Miller

NO MASS ON NOVEMBER 7

Please note that there will be no Mass on Tuesday, November 7 at 8:15 a.m. because of the Pastoral Leadership Program for priests that will take place in Mundelein Seminary.

MASS TO HONOR AND PRAY FOR VETERANS

We will have a family Mass on Friday, November 10 at 8:15 a.m. to honor and pray for veterans. We invite veterans of the US Army, Air Force, Marines, and Coast Guard to join us. We will honor those veterans that passed away and pray for blessing of those present. Refreshments will be served after Mass in school cafeteria by Santa Lucia School Student Council.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION DAY

On Tuesday, November 14, we will have our monthly exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 9 a.m. (after 8:15 a.m. School Mass) until 3 p.m. Jesus is inviting each of us to come and spend some time in prayer with him. During that time our relationship with him will grow and the desire to have him at the center of our lives will increase.

FRANCISCAN SPIRITUALITY SERIES

We continue with the 6-part Franciscan Spirituality Series. The second session titled *Choice made by St. Francis* will be on Wednesday, November 15, at 7 p.m. in the St. Jerome Small Hall. The presenter will be Fr. Lawrence Frankovich, OFM PhD - St. Augustine Croatian Church in West Allis, WI, and former professor of theology. All are welcome.

THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION

On Thursday, November 23, we celebrate Thanksgiving Day with Thanksgiving Mass at 9 a.m. We all have a lot to be thankful for, even with our problems of health, family, money, etc. we have many blessings to be grateful for.

LETTER FROM CARDINAL CUPICH

While the 2017 Appeal does not end until January 31, 2018, it has already been a great asset in advancing the mission of the Archdiocese of Chicago at both the Archdiocesan and parish levels. Your strong endorsement of and participation in conducting the Appeal has been directly responsible for this year's success. Thank you.

The first installment on your rebate is enclosed. This check represents all funds collected through September 30, 2017 in excess of your parish goal for the 2017 Annual Catholic Appeal.

Father Renic, on behalf of the many beneficiaries of the Annual Catholic Appeal, please extend my appreciation to the parishioners of Santa Lucia - Santa Maria Incoronata for their extraordinary support of this important annual campaign. As I thank God for many gifts, I offer you and the people of Santa Lucia - Santa Maria Incoronata my pledge of prayers and a remembrance at the Lord's Table.

Sincerely yours in Christ

Cardinal Blase J. Cupich

2017 Goal:	\$6,118.32
2017 Paid (through 9/30/17):	\$18,002.68
1st Installment (paid Oct 2017):	\$11,884.36
Final Installment:	To be paid in March 2018

SANTA LUCIA PARISH

CONGRATULATIONS

**TO OUR PARISHIONERS / SANTA LUCIA SCHOOL
ALUMNI DOING WELL**

De La Salle Institute

Honor Roll Jocelyn Vanessa Aguilar
 Christian Alzate
 Jenna Barba
 Jacalyn Marie Burrows
 Joseph Michael Burrows
 Christian Castracane
 Lilianna Cavanaugh
 Nicklas Dalio
 Victoria Gonzalez
 Simon Richard Hernandez
 Shaun Edward LeVine
 Austin Da Monaco-Genschaw
 Frankie Ramundo
 Daniela Nicole Scalise
 Mary Rose Sheppard
 Dylan Matthew Sopron
 Jason Sotelo

Congratulation on having such excellent students at your parish. This is a list of students who made the honor roll at De Las Salle Institute for the first quarter. We look forward to having more of your outstanding students attend De La Salle Institute in the future.

John F. Brogan, Director of Admissions
& Academic Dean of Social Science

ARE YOU A REGISTERED PARISHIONER?

If you attend Mass here regularly, we encourage you to register as a member of Santa Lucia. Registering makes the process easier when it is time for baptism, religious education, weddings or when asked to be a sponsor for baptism or confirmation.

RCIA - ADULT PREPARATION FOR SACRAMENTS

Are you curious about the Catholic Church? Have you been baptized Catholic but never formed in the faith? Have you never been baptized? Were you baptized in another Christian denomination but interested in the Catholic faith? If you, or someone you know, can answer "yes" to one of the above questions, RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) may be what you are looking for.

It is a program for adults who didn't receive all of the sacraments of initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist), and now would like to explore the possibility of fully entering the Catholic Church. For more info, get in touch with Fr. Stipe.

SUNDAY MESSENGER

RENEW MY CHURCH

WHY INSPIRE WITNESS?

Today's times call us to put our Catholic faith into action more than ever before.

The breakdown of the family, growing violence and lack of respect for human dignity, and the social ills of unemployment, racism, and poverty all point to a world in need of witnesses to the compassion and redemption of Christ.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Religious Education classes for grades 1 through 8 are held on Sunday mornings from 9 until 9:45 a.m. in our school. The purpose of our Religious Education program is faith formation. Faith formation is an ongoing development of the whole person into the image and likeness of Jesus Christ. To use the image of St. Paul "we put on Christ" so that Christ is the center of our lives. All Catholics are on the journey of faith formation. We begin this life-long journey in the waters of Baptism. The end of this journey is eternal life with Jesus in heaven.

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SAVE THE DATE

- Tuesday, **November 7**
No Mass
- Friday, **November 10**
Veteran's Day Mass
- Tuesday, **November 14**
Eucharistic Adoration Day
- Thursday, **November 23**
Thanksgiving Day Mass

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT

October 29

Envelopes (60)	\$1,059.50
Online giving (1)	\$25.00
Loose Donations	\$143.00
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>\$1,227.50</u>

(average gift \$17.77)
