

Sunday Messenger



THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME • JANUARY 21, 2018

Jesus came to Galilee
proclaiming the gospel of God:
“This is the time of fulfillment.
The kingdom of God is at hand.
Repent, and

*believe
in the
gospel.”*

MARK 1:14-15



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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, January 20

4 p.m.

- + Camille Kristich Pat Burrows & Jerry Pirofalo
- + Anna Marie Arcieri Joe & Debbie Tito
- + Carol Ordzowialy Joanne Moravec
- + Richie Delly (2nd anniversary remembrance)
..... Tre & family
- + Josephine Vitale (1 year anniversary remembrance)
..... daughter Karen

**Sunday, January 21
3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

10 a.m.

- + Nancy Calace Ropke family
- + Edward Mallo Nancy Grabowski
- + Josephine Vitale family
- + Anna Marie Arcieri Senior Set
- + Mary DiVittorio (birthday remembrance)
..... Marie Panozzo & family
- ++ Leonard & Alice Dorchek family
- ++ of Volpentesta family family

Tuesday, January 23

8:15 a.m.

- + Patrick Knapp Joe & Debbie Tito
- + Catherine Bingham (1 year anniversary remembrance)
..... Dalcamo family
- For Fr. Nick Marro Dalcamo family & 8th grade

**Friday, January 26
Sts. Timothy & Titus**

8:15 a.m.

- + Marie Mannella daughter Mary
- ++ Frank & Clara Dorchek family

Saturday, January 27

4 p.m.

- + Camille Kristich Marie Panozzo
- + Anna Marie Arcieri Terri & Sam Babich
- + Patricia Petrizzo Len & Mary Fran Traficanto

**Sunday, January 28
4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

10 a.m.

- + Nancy Calace Ropke family
- + Josephine Vitale family
- + Anna Marie Arcieri Nancy Mancine
- + Mimi Kovacevich Carmen & Josie Bertucci
- + Anne (Sonja) Brodlo Arnie & Darlene Ramirez
- ++ Leonard & Alice Dorchek family
- ++ of Volpentesta family family

ALTAR SERVERS

- 4 p.m. – Ixta Delgado, Roger Galvez,
Michaela Galvez
- 10 a.m. – Cecilia Claudio, Lydia Claudio,
Juan DeLaMora, Andres Lopez,
Sonya Yang

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

- 4 p.m. – Maria Sheppard
- 10 a.m. – Eluisa Lynn

LECTORS

- 4 p.m. – Dana Stack
- 10 a.m. – Elena Mancari



**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,
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,
Carmen Llamas, Mary Balestri, Shane O'Connell,
Juanita Perez, Marie Floros, Carmen Pinto,
Kevin Bingham, Margaret Gavin, Richard Valentine,
Laura Opendaker

3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THE DEMANDS OF DISCIPLESHIP

Today we encounter readings that already have a Lenten feel about them. Nineveh undergoes a 40-day fast, the psalmist reminds us that God alone can show sinners the way, Paul shows us how fleeting the things and events of this world are, and Jesus cries out *Repent!* before he calls his new followers. *Come after me*, Jesus says, but if we are to truly live out the commands and demands of our discipleship through baptism, we must first know our need for conversion, our repentance, our need to believe in the gospel fully. Today's Gospel opens with the stark reminder of what befell John the Baptist for completely living out his vocation as the herald of Christ and the gospel: he was arrested, imprisoned, and martyred. Though few of us will experience consequences that extreme, we must all be ready to risk some sort of rejection as, heeding the call of Jesus, we live out the kingdom of God at hand, repent of our sins, and believe in the good news of salvation.

YOUNG ADULTS MINI RETREAT AT ST. JEROME

St. Jerome Young Adults are inviting young adults of Santa Lucia for a mini retreat on Sunday, January 28, at 12:15 p.m. in the St. Jerome Upper Small Hall: food, music, prayer and a guest speaker.

LEAD WITH YOUR HEART FUNDRAISER

Tickets are now on sale for Santa Lucia School Lead With Your Heart Fundraiser. The 5th annual fundraiser takes place at the Old Neighborhood Italian American Club (3031 S. Shields Ave.) on Saturday, February 10, with cocktails beginning at 6 p.m., and a delicious Italian dinner will be served at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$75 per adult. In addition to the open bar and delicious meal, there will be: auction items, raffle baskets, a money raffle, and paddle raises. Money raised goes towards sustaining Santa Lucia School.

This year is particularly special because we are honoring our beloved Mrs. Marge Piegari. She has been a most valued and loved teacher of Santa Lucia for over 38 years. She has announced that she will be retiring and the end of this school year. Help us in honoring our beloved Mrs. Piegari at Lead With Your Heart. Reserve your tickets by calling the school office (312-326-1839) or emailing esheedy@santaluciaschool.net.

Eileen Sheedy, Principal

LOOKING FOR BAKERS FOR LWYH FUNDRAISER

Dear Parishioners and Friends of Santa Lucia! Our 5th Annual Lead With Your Heart Fundraiser takes place on Saturday, February 10 at 6 p.m. We are asking for help. We are looking for some bakers to bake delicious desserts to serve at Lead With Your Heart. Will you help us? Please, fill out the sign-in sheet in the back of church, or call the school office at 312-326-1839 to let us know what you'll be baking for our event! Thank you for your continued dedication and support!

Eileen Sheedy, Principal

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR PARISHIONERS / SANTA LUCIA SCHOOL ALUMNI DOING WELL

De La Salle Institute

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|------------|---------------------------|
| Honor Roll | Jocelyn Vanessa Aguilar |
| | 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 |
| | Milen Miguel Rios |
| | Daniela Nicole Scalise |
| | Mary Rose Sheppard |
| | Dylan Matthew Sopron |
| | Jason Sotelo |

Congratulations on having such excellent students at your parish. 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 Sciences

ST. JOSEPH'S TABLE

We will celebrate St. Joseph's Table on Sunday, March 18. Holy Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. followed by blessing of St. Joseph's table and altar in the school hall. Pasta dinner will be served from 11 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. Free will donations are appreciated.



SANTA LUCIA PARISH

SANTA LUCIA PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Parish Council meeting was held on Wednesday, November 29, 2017 at 7 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

- Meeting started at 7:10 p.m. with a prayer.
- Minutes from October 25, 2017 meeting were read and approved.
- Tony Mastrangelo talked about many projects he has done for the Church and School. He is asking for even better coordination and communication between the Church and School.
- Renovations report:
 - Contract with Piper Roofing is signed. Work should be done within the next 7-10 days. Garage roof is on hold. Church windows to be done in the Spring/Summer. Arnie Ramirez will ask Fr. Lee from St. Therese Chinese church who they used for windows repairs.
- *Renew my Church* process:
 - On December 19 there will be meeting for Priests and Principals
 - On February 3, 2018 there will be first meeting for the grouping. Fr. Stipe is looking for names to be on the committee.
 - Meetings will be every other week. Goal is for every parish to figure out what are their strengths and weaknesses, and how we should work together for the strong and sustainable Catholic presence in Bridgeport.
- Fiscal Report:
 - Attendance and collection in general seems to be down comparing to last year, but attendance per each Mass is good.
- Meeting ended at 9:11 p.m. with a prayer.

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT

January 14

Envelopes (50)	\$847.50
Online giving (2)	\$30.00
Loose Donations	\$203.00
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>\$1,080.50</u>

(average gift \$16.87)

SUNDAY MESSENGER

RENEW MY CHURCH

- *Renew My Church* is a multi-year initiative to ensure the sustainable growth of our Church for the future. The objective of Renew My Church is to create vital, vibrant, life-giving, Catholic communities across the Archdiocese of Chicago and inspire disciples to accompany all members of our family of faith to seize this moment to make the mission of Christ our own – for our time.

- All 344 archdiocesan parishes are divided into 97 groupings, which will meet over the next few years. The pastor and 3 others from each parish will be part of the overall “grouping feedback and discernment team.” The principal and 2 people from the school will also be part of that team. **Santa Lucia - Santa Maria Inconornata Grouping Discernment Team:** Fr. Stipe Renić, Eileen Sheedy, Richard Catezone, Mary Eileen Dalcamo, Roseann Jackowiak, Arnie Ramirez, Griselda Silva. The team will meet with other Bridgeport Grouping teams for learning and discussion sessions. First meeting will be on Saturday, February 3. They will take what they’ve discussed back to the parish to share with the parishioners. The parishioners will be able to discuss and the team members will take that feedback back to the Grouping meetings. This will happen several times over about three months.

- During the process, the Grouping will discuss how various potential structures could serve our communities in Bridgeport, given the mission needs of the area and overall resource realities locally and across the archdiocese. Potential structures could include merging existing parishes into one parish with multiple churches, sharing a pastor or closing a site. Cardinal Cupich will make the final determination after evaluating all inputs.

- Please, pray for the success of *Renew My Church* process.

SAVE THE DATE

- **Sunday, January 28**
Young Adults mini-retreat with Fr. Ed
(at St. Jerome Upper Small Hall)

- **Saturday, February 3**
First meeting of *Renew My Church* Bridgeport Grouping teams
- **Saturday, February 10**
Lead with your Heart for Santa Lucia School
- **Tuesday, February 13**
Eucharistic Adoration Day