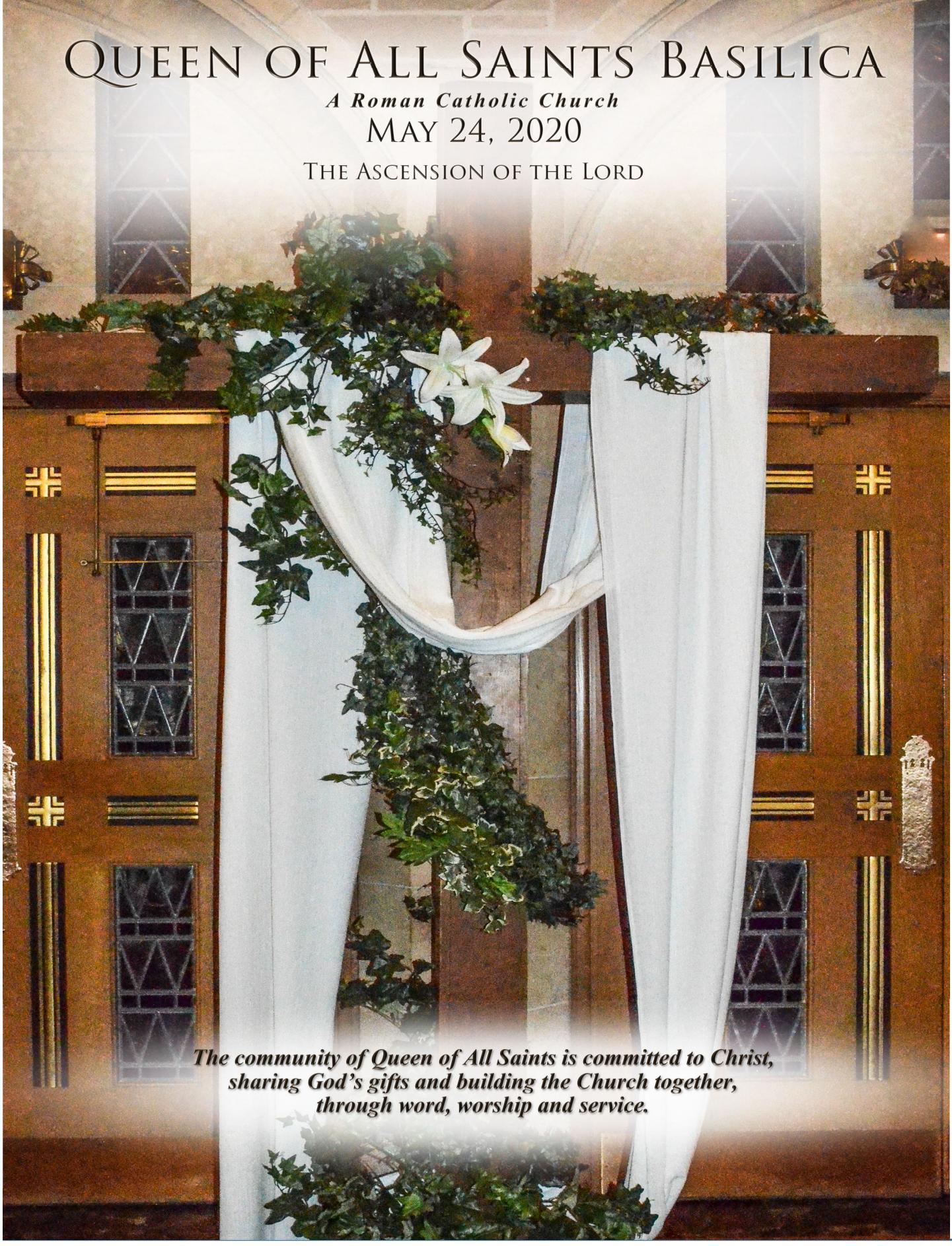


QUEEN OF ALL SAINTS BASILICA

A Roman Catholic Church

MAY 24, 2020

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD



The interior of the basilica is shown, featuring dark wood paneling with gold-colored vertical stripes and small crosses. A large white fabric canopy is draped over the altar area, adorned with green ivy and a single white lily. Light streams through several tall, narrow windows with triangular stained-glass panes.

*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



It is clear from the accounts in the New Testament that there were certain highpoints that captured the imagination of Jesus' disciples in a way that they would willingly have stood still, those occasions when they probably said 'Why can't it always be like this?'

At the Transfiguration, Peter was so in awe of what was happening that he suggested building tents for Jesus and their visitors. It was as if he just wanted to cling onto the experience and stay on the mountain. He soon realized that was not possible, just as we do with our experiences. Time moves on.

Having to "move on" is a challenge that we repeatedly need to face. Parting from loved ones always has something of the bereavement experience about it, and of course the ultimate bereavement comes with death itself. It is then that we may gather the memorabilia to try and keep the person alive in our minds. However, we know that the

key is not really in the photographs or the videos – treasured as they may be – but rather in the depths of our hearts. It is there that the love lives on.

There is something of a parallel today with what happened to the disciples after the death of Jesus. In spite of the rumors of his resurrection, they begin to withdraw in fear and talk about returning to their previous ways of life. However, Jesus gradually helps them put the picture together. His ascension provides the springboard for them to move on. Rather than witnessing the end of the ages, they met and were chastened by two men dressed in white, who asked rather humorously, "Why are you standing there looking at the sky?" God apparently had not yet finished with them. It confirms that there is work to be done – the same work that Jesus was doing when he was on earth. No matter how difficult and uncertain things become, the gospel now has to be written around the story of their lives and their faithfulness to Jesus. That is the challenge for us as well.

Reopening the Parish: This is another challenge ahead of us. As you have read from my email last weekend, Cardinal Cupich and the Archdiocese of Chicago have laid out a plan for parishes to reopen amid the COVID-19 crisis. This three-phased plan is as follows:

Phase I - allows for parishes to reopen for baptism, reconciliation, weddings and funerals with a limit of 10 attendees.

Phase IA - allows for parishes to reopen for private prayer and adoration with a limit of 10 attendees.

Phase II - allows for reopening for weekday and weekend Masses for larger groups depending on the guidelines from the state and the capacity of the church building.

Our Parish Reopening Plan

First and foremost, it is important for everyone to understand that our efforts will prioritize the safety and wellbeing of all while maintaining due respect and reverence for the sacraments and liturgical norms of our faith.

I have convened a parish reopening leadership team and we have met twice. We have also completed the mandatory training from the Archdiocese to ensure that our parish reopening plan conforms to the

FROM FATHER SIMON

guidelines developed by the Archdiocese in collaboration with civil and healthcare authorities. We will also receive a starter kit of protective and cleaning supplies, as well as guidance on purchasing and maintaining supplies ongoing.

Timing for Our Reopening

As I mentioned, the parish reopening leadership team members have completed the required training. The next step is to review and complete the tasks assigned to all parishes as part of a reopening certification process to be approved by the Archdiocese. We hope to submit our plans for certification by the time you read this. Therefore, the soonest that any parish in the Archdiocese will realistically open for Phase I is likely the weekend of May 23 – (*please see the parish website for the latest details*). However, our parish, like all others in the archdiocese, will move forward at a pace and timing appropriate to our own situation.

Volunteers Needed

We will need volunteers to assist with various aspects of our parish reopening plan. Importantly, volunteers must not be part of a “vulnerable population” (that is, not over the age of 65, no underlying medical condition such as diabetes or lung disease, undergoing cancer treatment, etc.). I ask all of you who are younger than 65 and healthy with no underlying health conditions to consider assisting with the reopening of our parish. We will need volunteers to:

- manage the flow of congregants as they enter and exit the church as well as the reception of Holy Communion
- make sure attendees use hand sanitizer upon entering the church and before receiving Communion
- see that all are wearing a mask, and are reminded not to enter if ill
- direct people to appropriate seating and waiting areas, etc.
- help with cleaning, if required.

The reopening leadership team and I will make sure that all volunteers are properly trained. Please send us a message to paul.scavone@qasparish.org to indicate your willingness and ability to volunteer. We will also ask a few from those who step forward to act as volunteer captains and help lead at each of the Masses.

The guidelines and measures required to reopen are designed to protect our wellbeing and that of our broader community. Our collective patience, willingness to help and the care we take to reopen is a demonstration of our unity and love for one another.

May God grant you his peace during this difficult time and may he manifest his love and presence to you in abundant ways. If you have any questions, please contact me at sbraganza@qasparish.org.

Blessings!!

Fr. Simon

PARISH NEWS

NEW TAX DEDUCTION

There is a new tax deduction for charitable contributions even if you take the standard deduction. The CARES Act (Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act) provides a new tax deduction for those who do not itemize. Starting in 2020, charitable donations can be deducted from taxable income up to \$300 per person, or \$600 for joint filers.

Please consider this as you plan your 2020 charitable gifts to Queen of All Saints.

THE MONTH OF MAY IS FOR MARY

The United States Catholic Bishops call upon all Catholics to re-consecrate the nation to the protection of Mary, the Mother of the Church. You can find the prayer by clicking: [PrayerofConsecration](#). When you gather for Mass in your homes this weekend and throughout the month of May, please intercede with our Heavenly Mother and patroness to deliver us from this present danger. Holy Father Pope Francis also encourages us to pray the Rosary during this month of May and pray one of the two prayers he offers us in his letter to the people of God. The prayer and letter can be found at: [PopeFrancis](#).



EMAIL ADDRESS REQUEST

If you would like to receive Fr. Simon's weekly newsletter by email, or need to update your email in our records, email us at qasoffice@qasparish.org.

PEW PICTURES

We asked our parishioners to "fill" the church. You can email your pictures to qasoffice@qasparish.org and "virtually join" Father Simon at Mass.



FIGHTING DOMESTIC VIOLENCE DURING THE COVID-19 CRISIS

If you know or suspect someone is a victim, please check on them! If they are in immediate need, help them call 911. Victims, as well as concerned family members, friends or neighbors can call the National DV Hotline at 1-800-799-7233. The Illinois Domestic Violence Hotline, 877-863-6338 can also be called, as well as any other reputable DV resource to help victims connect with support and services.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Registration for Religious Education 2020-2021 is now open!

The QASRE program begins at kindergarten and goes through eighth grade. Our program focuses on building a relationship with Christ as your children grow in their discipleship.



Students wanting to participate in the sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation must attend a minimum of two years of Religious Education as per the archdiocesan requirement. First Reconciliation and Communion preparation begins at 1st grade. Confirmation preparation begins at 7th grade.

Information and registration forms can be found at <http://qasparish.org/religious-education/school-of-religion.html>.

If you have any questions please reach out to the Office of Religious Education at qasreoffice@qasparish.org.

CARITAS MANILA

Social Services and Development Ministry



March 5, 2020

FILIPINO-COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION OF
QUEEN OF ALL SAINTS PARISH (CHICAGO)
c/o Ms. Maureen Isidoro, President

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

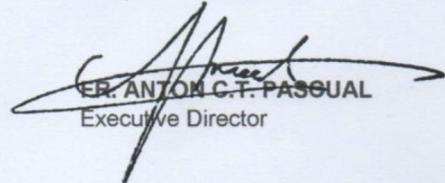
Greetings of Peace, Love, Abundance this 2020!

In this time of crisis, we are reminded to give more of ourselves to others just as Christ offered His life on the cross. We thank you for supporting our **Caritas Damayan Taal Volcano** in responding to our appeal to help our brothers and sisters who are affected of the recent eruption. We have received your donation of **USD Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty Three and 50/100 (\$9,983.50)** that will support our relief operation under official receipt number **190783**.

Damayan is an expression of sympathy and sharing in the burden of another. Thank you for letting our brothers and sisters feel that you are with them in this time of greatest need. May the Lord bless you abundantly for your generosity and compassion this 2020.

"This service that you perform is not only supplying the needs of the Lord's people but is also overflowing in many expressions of being thanks to God." 2 Corinthians 9:12!

In Opus Ministerii,



FR. ANTON C.T. PASQUAL
Executive Director

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Please pray for those serving in the Military

ARMY

Matthew Allen
Bruce Anderson
J.R. Andrin
James Ausmann
Erwin Balacy
Ian Buxton
Russell Corwin
Timothy F. Eddy, Jr.
Luke Dondlinger
Matthew Dondlinger
John Hannon
Zachary Kendzora
Hannah Kobil
Kurt Kolwalski
Roy Marchert
Kyle Charles Martin
Robert Martin
Nick McCann
Sean McDermott
Brian Sellergren
Michael White

MARINES

Barbara Feeley
Heather Klein
Brian Kukla
Joey Daniel Mandro
Brian McDermott
Edward McDonough
Laura Ramsey
Nathan Schoemer

NAVY

Noel Angelo Babao
Megan Smith Donnelly
Michael Donnelly
James Patrick Gaytan
Luis Francis Gaytan
Justin Halligan
John Lynch
Michael McGreevy, Jr. - RIP
Rory Keel
Austin Kendzora
Thomas Moore
Neil R. Murphy
Wilfred Quejada
John Schneider
Michael Shonder
Samuel Schultz
Trevor Skelly
Justin Will

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Marc Johansen
Marshall E. Lewis
John Monnelly
Colin J. Quinn
Gerald P. Szybist
Timothy Wallen

OTHER

James Hagerty - Coast Guard
Tim Kirschner - National Guard
Richard Mercader - National Guard
Bryan Mowrey - Coast Guard
Brian Rice - Coast Guard
John P. Riordan - USAID
Heidi Schmidt - Coast Guard

If you have a family member that is currently serving and would like their name included, please contact the rectory at 773-736-6060 or email us at qasoffice@qasparish.org.

Since this is Memorial Day weekend, let us honor and remember all men and women who have died while serving in the U.S. military.

ARCHDIOCESAN NEWS

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



A CALL TO PRAYER

Bringing a light in the midst of darkness



Are you feeling overwhelmed by the effects of the pandemic and in need of prayer? We are here to pray with you and ask God for your needs.

Who we are: Volunteers from parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Chicago who feel called to **accompany through prayer anyone who feels the need** for support during this time of uncertainty and isolation.

What we offer: A phone line staffed with people from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. every day, as well as 24-hour voice mail and e-mail connections. Our prayer partners are here to pray with you: opening our hearts to God, asking for His blessings and peace.

312.741.3388 praywithme@calledtoprayer.org



ARCHDIOCESE ONLINE GRIEF SUPPORT

In the absence of our usual in-person parish life, the Archdiocese of Chicago has formed online grief groups as a place to share stories and feelings with others who have experienced loss. Each online grief group consists of a small group of adults (18 years of age or older) who have lost a family member or a friend. Our online grief group facilitators are not counselors and do not give advice, but they will be present to listen and to guide the online grief group in prayer and discussion. As Jesus comforted Martha and Mary after the death of their brother, Lazarus, a grief group is a place of comfort in our tradition. If you have experienced loss and are interested in joining us, please sign up at <https://www.archchicago.org/coronavirus/online-grief-groups> or click here.

If you have any questions, please contact the QAS Bereavement Facilitator, Sheila Morrow at sheila.morrow17@gmail.com.

HELP FOR THOSE IN NEED

EMERGENCY SERVICES

National Alliance on Mental Illness Helpline:
800.950.6264

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline: 800.273.8255
GetHelp@catholiccharities.net

Catholic Charities Cook County: 312.655.7700
Catholic Charities Lake County: 847.782.4000
Catholic Charities Counseling Support Line:
312.948.6951

Greater Chicago Food Depository for Health Insurance, Medicaid, SNAP and food: 773-843-5416

CPS Grab & Go Meals are available Monday–Friday at Edgebrook School and Taft High School.

Lincolnwood Residents can call Social Worker
Elise Pullen at 847-745-4755.

FOOD ASSISTANCE

If you or someone you know is in need of food, here are some area resources:

St. Cornelius, Monday, Wednesday & Friday 1-2pm
5205 N. Lieb, Rectory Rear Entrance.

St. John's Lutheran, Wednesday at 5pm
4939 W. Montrose, in back by the playground on Lavergne.

New Hope Community Food Pantry, (with the Greater Chicago Food Depository) on Tuesday 9:30-11:30am, 7115 W. Hood, they do service the 60646 zip code.

Please remember to bring an ID with you.

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- Sponsorships are a generous way to directly support the mission of Queen of All Saints.
- These donations are tax deductible.
- Donations are accepted online, or you can fill out the form below and return it to the rectory.

GrateFUL!
MiNdFUL!
HopeFUL!

ARCHANGEL	\$15,000
ANGEL	\$10,000
FLEUR-DE-LIS	\$5,000
DIAMOND	\$2,500
PLATINUM	\$1,000
GOLD	\$500
SILVER	\$250
BRONZE	\$100

I would like to be a United Parish Program sponsor!

ARCHANGEL \$15,000 ANGEL \$10,000 FLEUR-DE-LIS \$5,000 DIAMOND \$2,500
 PLATINUM \$1,000 GOLD \$500 SILVER \$250 BRONZE \$100
 OTHER \$_____

NAME_____

ADDRESS_____

MOBILE_____

EMAIL_____

TOTAL SPONSORSHIP \$_____

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 upp@qasparish.org



Queen of All Saints UPP Raffle

Parish Goal – 3,500 Tickets Sold

Grand Prize of \$5,000

Two \$2,500 Prizes

**Additional cash prizes
when we meet our goal!**

**Donation
\$30/ticket
Pack of 10/\$300**

Early bird drawings are still happening! Each with a chance to win **\$500!**

Remaining Early Bird Raffle Dates are June 19 & July 10. Our newest winner is: *Mary Beth Parton! Michelle Gregor and Mary Rodriguez won our Spirited Gift Baskets!*

Over 1,500 raffle tickets (\$45,000+) have been sold to date, giving our school students an **Out of Uniform/Pajama Day** in the fall!

Raffle Ticket Grand Prize - \$5,000

2nd Prize - \$2,500

3rd Prize - \$2,500

4th prize - \$2,500, if 3,500 tickets are sold!

5th prize - \$2,500 if 3,850 tickets are sold!

MORE cash incentives! Buy/sell a **PACK 10** (10 tickets/\$300) and you are automatically enrolled in the **PACK 10** raffle to win **\$1,000** cash.

Purchase tickets now at www.events.org/upp2020. Questions, email upp@qasparish.org.

GrateFUL! MiNdFUL! HoPeFUL!

WE NEED YOU! WAYS TO GIVE ...

SIGNING UP ON GIVECENTRAL

- Go to qasparish.org and click on the GiveCentral icon on the left side of your screen
- On the GiveCentral site (shown here to the right), click on “Sunday Offering” or whatever category to which you wish to contribute
- It will take you to “Make A Contribution”
- Enter an amount, choose frequency, if this will be ongoing or custom
- Click Add to my “Gift Basket”
- You will see the message “successfully added”
- Click “Check Out” then continue
- Click either “Complete Profile” or “Give as Guest”
- You will be prompted to enter your name, address and payment option. Please fill in accordingly
- Check “I Accept The User Policy” box
- Click “Confirm Gift”
- You will then see a pop-up box confirming your gift



TEXT TO GIVE

- If you currently have an active GiveCentral account, you may use the cell phone registered to your account to give by text.
- The phone number to give by text is 773-661-4683.
- To make a Sunday donation send a text with the keyword “*sundayqas*” followed by an amount (e.g., **to make a \$100 donation to Sunday collections, text: sundayqas 100**). To make an Easter donation text “*easter*” followed by the amount. Leave a space between the keyword and the amount.
- If you do not have a GiveCentral account, you may still text the same way to the same number which will then return a link that will allow you to enter your contact and payment information for your donation.

At this time, donations may only be made to Sunday and Easter using Text to Give.

OTHER WAYS TO GIVE

If GiveCentral isn't for you, feel free to

- donate online through your bank account
- mail your donation to QAS, 6280 N. Sauganash Ave, Chicago, 60646
- take a walk and drop it off through the slot in the rectory front door!

Also, does your employer make matching donations? Check their policies to see if they can match your gift to Queen of All Saints.



*Finally, to all who already signed up for electronic giving,
mailed your donations in or dropped your donation at the rectory!
THANK YOU!*



STEWARSHIP

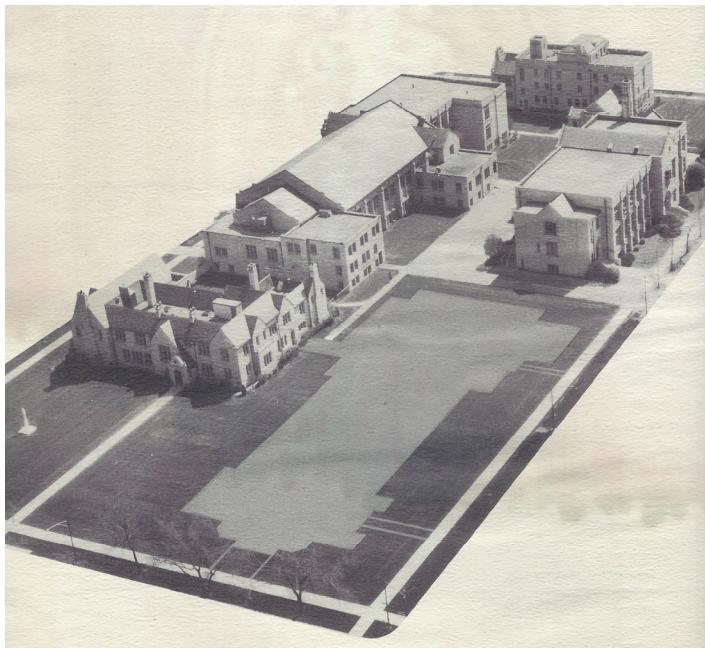
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Stewardship in Time of COVID-19

Here is what our parish campus looked like in 1955, when nearly all our buildings had been erected. Something very essential is missing.

Our good news now is the beginning of our plans to gradually reopen the basilica, following the careful guidance from the Archdiocese of Chicago and consistent with State of Illinois and City of Chicago rules on public safety.

Your financial support is even more important now, as we incur new expenses in the preparation and frequent cleaning of the basilica even for the very small gatherings contemplated in the early stages of our reopening.



We welcome those who can drop off their weekly envelope at the rectory or mail their weekly envelope to 6280 N. Sauganash Ave, Chicago, or arrange some form of electronic giving. The best way for electronic giving is to arrange regularly scheduled donations through our GiveCentral portal. Please go to our parish website at qasparish.org, click on the Give Central logo and follow the easy prompts.

Today's Readings

"I am praying for them..."

- John 17:9

Prayer is the foundation of our faith and the foundation of stewardship. Pray in good times and in bad. Prayer is always the first best option in any situation, not just the last resort. Pray for friends and family and for those that don't treat you very well. Pray to give praise, to thank, and to ask God for help. Pray to see what God wants you to do with the gifts he has given you.

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS MAY 7 TO MAY 13, 2020

Donation Type	Amount	Users
Envelopes	\$13,663.00	105
Loose Donations	0	n/a
Electronic Giving	\$ 9,384.00	210
Total	\$23,047.00	
Fiscal YTD Total	\$1,209,291.40	

A New Option - The Blue Envelope

We've announced our drive to replenish our endowments by \$5 million. 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.

For further convenience the blue envelope is also available as a GiveCentral electronic giving option.

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, May 24 (The Ascension of the Lord)

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, May 25 (St. Bede the Venerable, St. Gregory VII, St. Mary de'Pazzi)

School Endowment Fund benefactors, QAS Homebound, George Stegmaier, Alma and George Brown, Annette Azcueta, Edith Lundin, Frances Cannizzaro

Readings: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday, May 26 (St. Philip Neri)

Deceased members of the QAS Widowed Group, Eileen Stegmaier, Therese Terry

Readings: Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a

Wednesday, May 27 (St. Augustine of Canterbury)

Basilica Fund members, Ruth Stegmaier, Gaspar Erdelyi, Ria Erdelyi, Richard F. Scheuer, Anne Urban

Readings: Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-36ab; Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday, May 28

Agnes Planek, Anne Stone, Josephine Ferraro

Readings: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; Jn 17:20-26

Friday, May 29 (St. Paul VI)

Helen and Jerry Martin, Franz Laut, Marie Meyer

Readings: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19

Saturday, May 30

Joseph Hugh Lentino, Jack Alexander Lentino, Bob Payton, Anthony DD. Rodriguez, Kay and Bob Pecho,

Deceased members of the Caponigri, Minelli and Parrillo families, Theresa Savage

Readings: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25

Please Pray for All Recently Deceased

Micheline C. Tao

Maria Luz Pisuena Soriano

John Tedeski

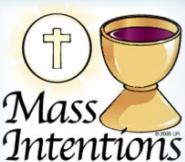
Michael Nigliazzo

Lisa Marie Urso

MASS INTENTIONS

Have you wanted to request a Mass intention? They are still listed in our bulletins. Email us your request at qasoffice@qasparish.org with the date and name and it will be added. Mass Intentions are taken for all

morning Masses which include Monday - Friday, 6:30 and 8:30am and Saturday, 8:00am. There is no set offering for a Mass intention. You may mail in your donation or drop it off in the rectory door slot.



Mass
Intentions

WEEKDAY MASS

During this difficult time, it is particularly important that the faithful have access to the grace and comfort of weekday Mass. Listed below is the link for weekday Mass from St. James Chapel.

[https://radiotv.archchicago.org/television/
broadcast-masses](https://radiotv.archchicago.org/television/broadcast-masses)



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

Rectory.....	773-736-6060
Parish FAX.....	773-736-6099
School/Preschool.....	773-736-0567
Religious Education Office.....	773-286-1939

Accounting Office

Business Manager.....	Gerald Farrell
Project Manager.....	Deb Bolash
Accounting Assistant.....	Kate Dombrowski

Rectory Office Staff

Parish Secretaries.....	De Anne Glomski Pam Hautzinger Mary Morley
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Buildings and Grounds

Ralph Meschewski, Bobby Brooks, Jonathon Hernandez,
Eric Martinez, Victor Miranda, Ken Skokowski

Queen of All Saints School

Pre K-3 through Grade 8	
Principal.....	Emily Carlson
Assistant Principal.....	Amy Moore
Administrative Assistant	Ida Segreti
School Secretary.....	Janet Santicola

Visit Our Website

Queen of All Saints Basilica.....	www.qasparish.org
Queen of All Saints School.....	www.qasschool.org
Facebook.....	<i>Queen of All Saints Basilica - Chicago</i>
Instagram.....	@qasbasilica

Contact Info

Address.....	6280 N. Sauganash Ave., Chicago, IL 60646
Rectory phone number.....	773-736-6060
Rectory fax number.....	773-736-6099

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
Saturday.....	8:00am
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
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To Register in the Parish

Please contact the Rectory Office.....773-736-6060

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 - Jesus tells the disciples that they will be witnesses to the ends of the earth (Acts 1:1-11).

Psalm - God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord (Psalm 47).

Second Reading - May the Father of glory give you a Spirit of wisdom and revelation (Ephesians 1:17-23).

Gospel - Jesus instructs the Eleven to baptize and teach people of all nations (Matthew 28:16-20).

*Please join us online for Sunday Mass at qasparish.org
Once there, click on "Queen of All Saints Mass"*

PRAYER RESOURCES

<https://www.ltp.org/resources-during-crisis>

<https://us.magnificat.net/free>

<https://dailycatholicgospel.com/sign-up-daily-gospel#open-popup>

Pray the Rosary with a Seminarian from Mundelein Seminary every Wednesday

<https://usml.edu/pray-the-holy-rosary/>

Liturgy of the Hours: <https://universalis.com/>

Find Us on Social Media



Facebook - Queen of All Saints Parish - Chicago



Instagram - @qasbasilica



The Ascension of the Lord

May 24, 2020

He was lifted up,
and a cloud took him from their sight.

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