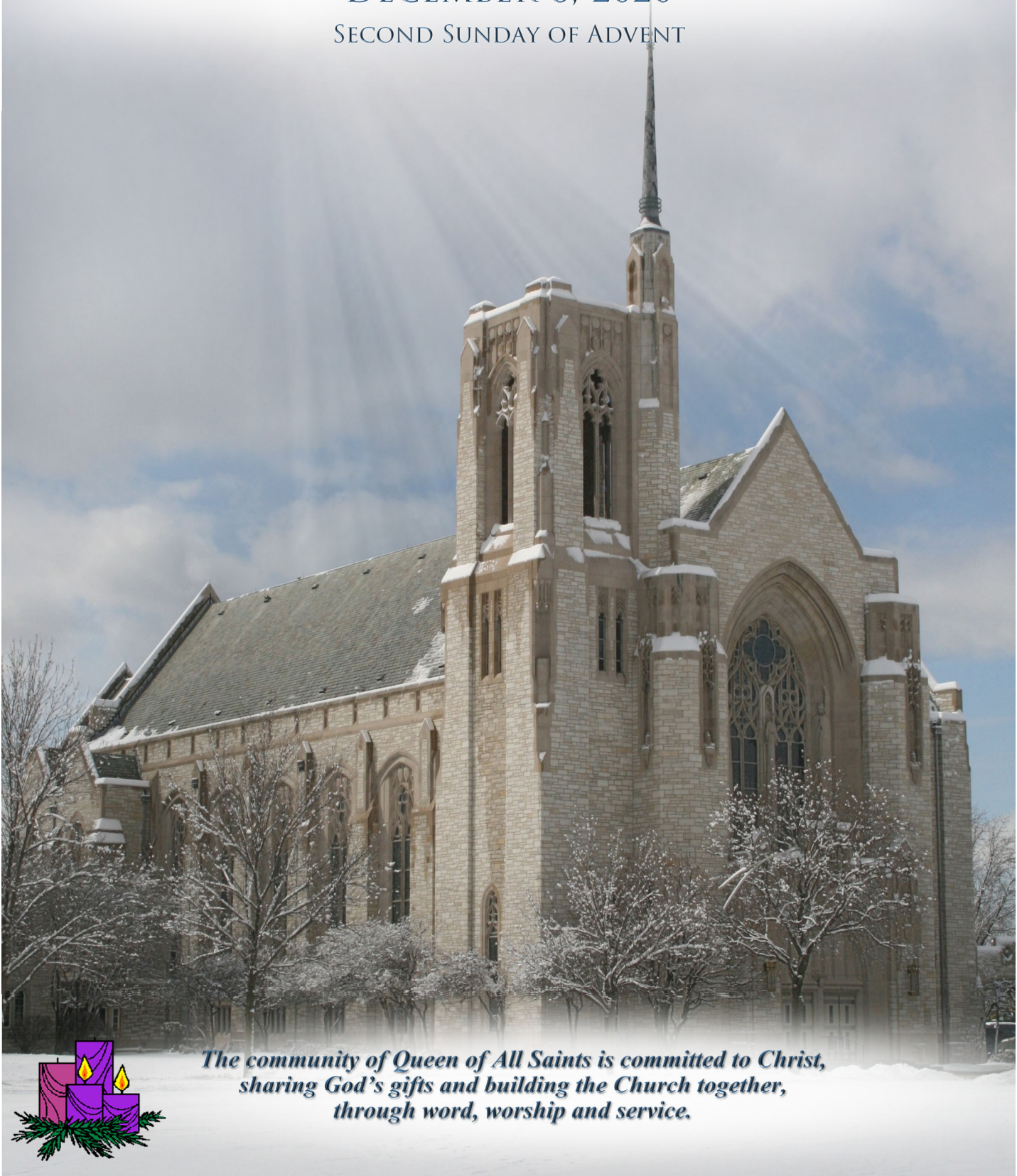


QUEEN OF ALL SAINTS BASILICA

A Roman Catholic Church

DECEMBER 6, 2020

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT



*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



Advent preparations and the anticipation of the joyous feast of Christmas is in full swing. With Cyber Monday extended to ‘cyber week’, shopping for deals and gifts are hitting a frenzy. The world is also moving at a hectic pace preparing for the distribution of the vaccine for COVID-19 and there is feverish anticipation and lobbying as to who should be the first to receive the vaccine.

Amidst this preparation and anticipation, we hear the familiar ‘voice of the one crying out in the wilderness: Prepare the way of the Lord.’ Most often, new beginnings in the scriptures take place in the uncertainty and insecurity of the desert – the journey of God’s chosen people through the desert, Isaiah’s vision for the returning exiles as they prepare to return to their homeland and later, Jesus himself withdrawing into the desert to prepare for his ministry.

People make the trek from the known comfort of their villages out into the desert to listen to John. Perhaps they journey to the desert for reasons similar to our own new ventures – not to be confirmed in what they already know about themselves, but to lose, even if only for the moment, their daily comforts and securities, so as to encounter something fresh and new. They take a risk in journeying to listen to John. Probably these people were dissatisfied with some aspects of their daily lives – whether personal, social, political, spiritual – and one day, they allow that dissatisfaction to lead them to something or someone new. They wander into the desert, let go of their daily, insulating routines and complacencies, and open themselves to the outrageous, yet somehow resonant and thus compelling, propositions of this lone voice in the desert. Who knows how long they waited, in that desert of uncertainty? What we do know is that one day, the Baptist, finally, proposed the new beginning they had so yearningly desired – ‘Look, there is the one we have been waiting for. Follow him.’

All of us – no matter who we are – enter this season to some degree incomplete and restless. This is great news! Beginnings demand restless hearts, the embrace of, the facing up to what has not yet been brought to life in us. That’s a start. But remember, John the Baptist called all people to repentance, to ask forgiveness and turn away from sin. John called them—and calls us—to orient our lives toward God. We are challenged to make changes—sometimes radical ones—to our lifestyle to get our priorities in line with God’s. In the midst of our restless preparations and feverish anticipation, we have to pay attention to what the Advent figures, Mary and John the Baptist have to offer us.

Blessings!!

Fr. Simon

PARISH NEWS

Second Week of Advent

December 8, Tuesday - Feast of the Immaculate Conception, a holy day of obligation, Masses at 6:30am, 8:30am do not require reservations, 12 noon* and 7:30pm, reservations are required

December 12, Saturday - Confessions at 8:30am

Third Week of Advent

December 13, Sunday - Santa's "Drive-Thru" for Share Christmas 2pm to 4pm. Gifts collected at all of the weekend Masses under the porte cochere

December 13, Sunday - Elizabeth Ministry Worldwide Candle Lighting Memorial
at 6:45pm in the basilica

December 15, Tuesday - Holiday coffee after all morning Masses

December 19, Saturday - Confessions at 8:30am

December 19, Saturday - Simbang Gabi, traditional Filipino Advent liturgy, 7pm in the basilica



Fourth Week of Advent

December 21, Monday - Confessions from 4pm to 5pm

December 24, Thursday - 8:30am morning Mass (no 6:30am Mass)



Christmas

December 24, Thursday - Christmas Eve Masses at 2pm (family Mass), 4pm* (family Mass), 6pm and Midnight*

December 25, Friday - Christmas Day Masses at 7am, 9am*, 11am and 12:30pm, 'drive-thru' Holy Communion on Christmas Day from 8am to 8:30am for those who are vulnerable and those who are uncomfortable being with large crowds in a closed space. More details to come.

The Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God

December 31, Thursday - Mass at 5pm*

January 1, Friday - Masses at 7am, 9am* and 11am

**indicates the event is livestreamed*

PARISH NEWS

Worldwide Prayer Service & Candle Lighting to honor and remember children who have gone too soon



Sunday Evening December 13

6:45 p.m. Program Begins

7:00 p.m. Candle Lighting

The Compassionate Friends Worldwide Candle Lighting service will be hosted by the Elizabeth Ministry of Queen of All Saints parish.

At 7:00 p.m. local time, family and friends around the globe unite in lighting candles for one hour to honor the memories of any child of any age who has died. Everyone is welcome to participate in all or part of the service as you feel comfortable.

No reservation is necessary. All are welcome. Guests will be asked for their name and phone number for contact tracing purposes only. Masks are required at all times. The service will also be live-streamed on the parish website.

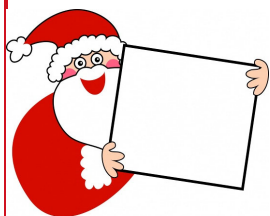
Please contact Kathy Haring at kmharing@gmail.com with questions or concerns.

Hosted by the Queen of All Saints Parish Elizabeth Ministry.

LETTERS FROM SANTA

Attention All Children and Parents in the Parish

The Women's Auxiliary has contacted Santa to ask if there is a special way the children of Queen of All Saints can communicate with Santa during the global pandemic. We have good news! Santa has authorized a special mailbox to receive letters from our parish children (and children of all ages).



Since he cannot visit with each child in person this year, he is asking for children to write him a letter (maybe with the help of their parents or grandparents) and drop it in the special mailbox on the west wall of the rectory porch. His elves will be collecting the letters until Friday, December 18th. He will be sending a letter back to everyone who writes him with the hope of spreading a little extra Christmas cheer.

Not sure what to write? We can help! Santa would like to know your name, age, a few of your favorite accomplishments this year, the name(s) of your friend(s) or siblings, and a special gift you are hoping to receive. Santa will try to respond quickly with a message of Christmas cheer, and the recipe for magic reindeer food.

Parents, if you are able, we would appreciate a small donation of \$5 to go towards the stationery and postage from the North Pole. Additional funds raised will go towards the WAX annual contribution to the UPP.

**Santa's mailbox is located on the west wall of the rectory porch
at 6280 N Sauganash Ave. until December 18th**

SANTA'S DRIVE-THRU for Share Christmas



Be a part of our QAS Santa's Drive-Thru as Santa's elves dance their way to your car to collect donations.

Sunday, December 13th, 2 pm - 4 pm

Help bring joy and hope to families who might otherwise not be able to celebrate the holiday season!

Ways to Give:

- Order through - Catholic Charities Giving
- Bring a gift card - Target, Walmart, Amazon, Jewel...
- Bring an item - toy, book, clothing (child or adult), kitchen items, diapers...

Socially distant photos with Santa will be available.

Any questions please contact Laurie Vlasic @ 312.282.4975 or vlasicl@yahoo.com.

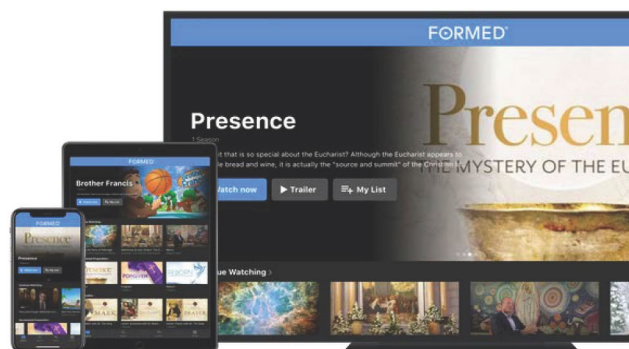
*If you prefer to bring your item to Mass on Sunday, Dec. 13th, our elves will be accepting donations under the Porte Cochere.



A Gift from Queen of All Saints Basilica to you!

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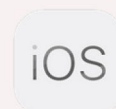
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Queen of all Saints Basilica

invites you to

the 32nd
Simbang
Gabi



Queen of All Saints Basilica

6280 N. Sauganash Ave., Chicago, IL 60646

Saturday, Dec 19, 2020
at 7:00 p.m.



Anticipated Mass No Reception
Mass will be livestreamed

This year's Simbang Gabi beneficiaries are
Typhoon Ulysses Relief Operation & Canossa Health and Social Center

Reservations are required and will open on December 2nd for parishioners. The reservation information will be shared to non-parishioners one week before the Simbang Gabi. We will strictly follow the guidelines from the Archdiocese and practice safety protocols when attending Mass—wearing face masks, social distancing and hand sanitizing. For reservation link updates please visit: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/FACAofQAS>.

Simbang Gabi is a nine-day novena of Marian Masses before Christmas to prepare for the birth of our Savior, Jesus Christ, and in honor of the Mother of God. The celebration of Simbang Gabi shares a rich Filipino tradition with our fellow QAS parishioners, friends from the community and other parishes.



For more information send inquiry to facaofgas@gmail.com or contact:
Maureen Isidoro 312.838.1110

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



GIVE TO CATHOLIC EDUCATION

Bring Light to Dark Times

Did you know that the **Invest in Kids Act** helps children from low-income households in Illinois access scholarships that cover up to 100 percent of a Catholic school's tuition? Thousands of students are gaining knowledge and building on their faith in Archdiocese of Chicago Catholic Schools thanks to this program. Your support during these challenging times would help educate the next generation in Catholic students while building on a brighter future for all.

What is a tax credit scholarship?

Tax Credit Scholarships cover up to 100 percent of tuition and fees for the 2021/22 school year. Students from low-income households can qualify for tax credit scholarships if their family income is less than \$72,900. More than 9,000 students qualified for a scholarship last year and 6,300 were left waiting without one.

Cut tax liability

Individuals and corporations may receive a credit for their Illinois state taxes equal to 75 percent of donation.

Triple your impact

Donate to a school or all archdiocese schools between Dec. 1 and Feb. 28, 2021, and, thanks to a few generous donors, your donation will be matched and maximized threefold! Limitations apply.

HOW IT WORKS

We use \$10K in this example, but any amount is needed.

DONATE \$10,000

After following the step-by-step guide, a taxpayer can donate \$10,000 to Empower Illinois, the Scholarship Granting Organization working with the Archdiocese. Designate the archdiocese's Catholic schools or a specific group of schools as beneficiary.

TAX REWARD CAN EQUAL \$7,500

You are eligible to claim a \$7,500 tax credit on your state taxes -75 percent of your gift! This has the potential to eliminate your 2020 tax liability.

MATCHING ANGELS:

Your \$10,000 gift becomes \$30,000 in student scholarships

Each dollar you give between Dec. 1 and Feb. 28, 2021, will be matched 2 for 1 by a handful of generous donors, tripling the scholarship amount and making a bigger impact on students who need your help. Limitations apply.

NOTE: DESIGNATE QAS SCHOOL TO BENEFIT A PARISH FAMILY

Illuminate a pathway to success for our children

Back to school has taken on new meaning in 2020, as many families, their students and their teachers have struggled to bring certainty into a young person's life during a time fraught with uncertainty as a global pandemic has left so many people struggling.



Families hit hardest by the COVID-19 economy have struggled to continue their children's Catholic education and put food on the table. Your donation to the Invest in Kids Tax Credit Scholarship program enables those children to receive quality, faith-based education in a loving and supportive environment.

Catholic schools have long set the standard for faith, excellence in education and service to society. They have provided spiritual growth and instruction to students, in order for them to rise up from economic struggles and, in turn, contribute back to our community. Your donation is an investment that keeps our schools open and guarantees that our future generations will be afforded a quality Catholic education.

Invest in kids now: 3 easy steps

1 REGISTER

This [helpful guide from Empower Illinois](#) will walk you through the process of obtaining a donor account. You will need the primary taxpayer's SSN and one of the following: IL Driver's License #, IL State ID #, or Adjusted Gross Income from the prior year's return.

2 RESERVE

Reserve your tax credit with the Illinois Department of Revenue (IDOR). Refer to this list of [eligible schools](#) to determine where your school of choice is located and designate Empower Illinois as your Scholarship Granting Organization. You will receive your Contribution Authorization Certificate (CAC) via email. Once you have your CAC, you are ready to donate.

3 DONATE

Once you receive confirmation of your tax credit and your CAC from IDOR, you have up to 60 days to donate to Empower Illinois. For more help, refer to page 7 of this [step-by-step guide](#).

THANK YOU!

These three simple steps make a difference in a child's life and will have a long-lasting, positive impact on our community because you have invested in Catholic education. Do not delay. Mark your calendar! This opportunity will not last.

For more information please contact the TCS hotline at **312.534.2617** or **tcs@archchicago.org**, or visit **archchicago.org/tcs**.

PARISH NEWS

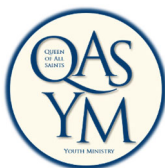
QUEEN OF ALL SAINTS ORNAMENT



Celebrate Queen of All Saints with a Queen of All Saints Basilica Ornament for \$10. Ornaments are available at the rectory. To purchase one or more please call the rectory at 773-736-6060.

YOUTH MINISTRY

All teens of the parish, 8th grade and up, are invited to join our Youth Ministry group. We meet virtually every Sunday at 1:30 pm.



Our next Youth Ministry Mass in the basilica will be next Sunday, December 13th at 4pm.

If interested in attending our meetings or our Masses please email qasym@qasparish.org. Hope to see you there!

FIFTH GRADE FAMILY MASS

Fifth graders and their families are invited to join together and celebrate Mass on Saturday, December 12th at 5pm. Families can choose to attend Mass at home via livestream or in-person with a reservation for limited seating in the basilica. We look forward to sharing this Mass together.

We will be participating in the Celebration of Giving program with Catholic Charities. You can click the link [here](#) to participate. (This collection is separate from the Share Christmas drive).

Any questions, please contact Amy Serafin at amyserafin5@gmail.com.

DAISY GIRL SCOUTS

We are starting a new 1st Grade Daisy Troop here at QAS. If you are interested in registering your daughter or if you would like to share your talents and skills, more volunteers are needed. To register your 1st grader or to volunteer please contact the leaders - Kathy Mary Welch at 773-612-5368, kma-har6311@yahoo.com or Tammy Lunetto at 773-606-5262, tammylunetto@gmail.com. *Meetings will be held virtually until further notice.*

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

Has someone close to you recently died? Are you riding a rollercoaster of feelings as you grieve? It is said that "time heals," and that is true. However, it's what you do with your time that helps the healing process. It is also helpful to have fellow companions to bring you comfort and support during this difficult journey.



We invite you to come to our Bereavement Group meeting. Please note: **A mask is required and we will social distance. If you are unable to attend in person, accommodations can be made via zoom.**

When: Sundays, December 6 (today), and 13
Time: 1:30 - 3:30pm
Where: Holy Name Room (6277 N. Keene Ave.)

For more information or to register, please contact Sheila Morrow at 773-383-4405 or smorrow@qasparish.org

RESERVATIONS FOR MASS

We encourage everyone to make a reservation so that you are guaranteed a seat. Those without reservations may have to wait to be seated or may be turned away if we are at capacity. Please note, reserved pews will be held only until ten minutes after Mass begins. After that time those who are waiting will be seated.

RECTORY OFFICE CHANGE

The rectory will be open from 9am to 1pm, Monday through Friday. We strongly encourage you to communicate with us by telephone at 773-736-6060 or email qasoffice@qasparish.org for any business.

Outside of that time, we will regularly check phone messages and email, so please do not hesitate to leave a voicemail or email message.



If something needs to be picked up or dropped off, please call to make arrangements.



STEWARDSHIP

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STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS AS WE NEAR YEAR-END

We know that our Christmas collection is our largest special collection of the year, and is a very necessary part of our ability to support the many ministries, liturgies, and activities that touch us throughout the year, even in a year like 2020 when our normal parish life is interrupted. The dedication of the people of Queen of All Saints to maintain our faith community in time of extreme challenge has always been a hallmark of our parish.

Please keep this in mind as you decide on your gift to our parish this Christmas.

Direct Contributions From Your IRA

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

- You are now allowed to make direct transfers from an IRA to Queen of All Saints parish.
- This is an ideal situation even for those who do not itemize deductions since the withdrawal is not considered taxable income.
- Our parish will receive 100% of your transfer.
- You can transfer up to \$100,000 annually.

If You Own Stock

Transfers of appreciated securities allow a donor to make a gift without paying capital gains tax on their gains, thereby increasing both the amount of their gift and the amount of their charitable deduction.



Please consider what we can give back to our parish, in our time, talent and treasure, in response to the great gifts God has given us.

TODAY'S READINGS

"Prepare the way of the Lord..." - Mark 1:3

We are all called to live a holy life. We are all called to invite others to live holy lives. Living a stewardship lifestyle, being grateful and generous with our gifts, puts us on the path to holiness and is an example for others to be holy, too. We are responsible not only for our own lives, but for the lives of others as well.

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS NOVEMBER 19 TO NOVEMBER 25, 2020

Donation Type	Amount	Users
Envelopes	\$11,546.00	191
Loose Donations	\$942.00	n/a
Electronic Giving	\$8,637.00	199
Total	\$21,125.00	
Fiscal YTD Total	\$517,639.52	

thank you!

We know that everyone will be not able to attend Mass in person, including for reasons of being in a vulnerable population.

Our alternatives for giving will remain in place. We welcome those who can drop off their weekly envelope at the end of Mass or at the rectory, or mail their envelope to 6280 N. Sauganash Ave, Chicago, or through 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 GiveCentral logo in the middle of the page and follow the easy prompts.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, December 6 (Second Sunday of Advent)

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, December 7 (St. Ambrose)

School Endowment Fund benefactors, QAS Homebound, George Stegmaier, Alma and George Brown, Matilda Marie Biesinger, Verna Murphy, Salvy Monastero, Gerti Janss, Maria Kielian, Arturo Ramos, Michael McGreevy, Jr.

Readings: Is 35:1-10; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14; Lk 5:17-26

Tuesday, December 8 (The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary)

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

Readings: Gn 3:9-15, 20; Ps 98:1-4; Eph 1:3-6, 11-12; Lk 1:26-38

Wednesday, December 9 (St. Juan Diego)

Basilica Fund members, Deceased members of the QAS Widowed Group, Eileen Stegmaier, Ruth Stegmaier, Gaspar Erdelyi, Ria Erdelyi, Richard F. Scheuer, Fred Stummer, Maria Friedrich, Mary M. Madden, Estelle E. Sklodowski, Dr. Clifford H. Miller, Maria Kielian, Demetria Galliguez, Mamerto and Eduarda Galliguez

Readings: Is 40:25-31; Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10; Mt 11:28-30

Thursday, December 10

Beata Garcia, Sotto family, Virginia Luciano, James Bransfield, Mary Jeanne DuCharme, Maria Kielian, Crispulo and Higinia Galliguez

Readings: Is 41:13-20; Ps 145:1, 9, 10-13ab; Mt 11:11-15

Friday, December 11 (St. Damasus I)

Helen and Jerry Martin, Bonnie DePaula, Maria Kielian, Ernesto, Jaime and Rodolfo Galliguez

Readings: Is 48:17-19; Ps 1:1-4; Mt 11:16-19

Saturday, December 12 (Our Lady of Guadalupe)

Anthony DD. Rodriguez, Dr. Rigoberto Rodriguez, Julie Santoyo, Maria Kielian, Francis McGreevy

Readings: Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Jdt 13:18bcde, 19; Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47, or any readings from the Common of the Blessed Virgin Mary, nos. 707-712

Please Pray for All Recently Deceased

Grace Gabriel

BAPTIZED INTO THE FAITH

Bennett Patrick Graham

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Patrick & Samantha Stern Graham

Elizabeth Morley McKenzie

Daughter of
Jeremy & Kathleen Morley McKenzie

Reece Remi Hanson

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Son of
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Rectory Hours

Monday-Friday.....9:00am-1:00pm
Please call or email us before visiting the rectory.

Telephone Numbers

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Rectory fax number.....	773-736-6099
Email	qasoffice@qasparish.org

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil	5:00pm
Sunday.....	7:00, 9:00, 11:00am, 12:30pm

Daily Mass

Monday-Friday.....	6:30, 8:30am
Saturday.....	8:00am

Holy Day Masses

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

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 on Saturdays. Please call the rectory for the exact schedule. A baptismal preparation class for the parents is required. Please contact the rectory for further details. 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.

Find Us on Social Media

Facebook - Queen of All Saints Parish - Chicago
Instagram - @qasbasilica



OTHER NEWS

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading - The rugged land shall be made a plain; the rough country, a broad valley (Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11).

Second Reading - Conduct yourselves in holiness, hastening the coming of the day of God (2 Peter 3:8-14).

Psalm - Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation (Psalm 85).

Gospel - I have baptized you with water; he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit (Mark 1:1-8).

*Please join us online for Sunday Mass at qasparish.org.
Click on "Livestream Mass". We livestream Mass at 5pm and 9am.
Recorded Mass is available after 6pm on Saturday.*

CELEBRANT SCHEDULE

December 12 & 13

5pm - Fr. Jesudas Gudime

7am - Fr. Michael Cronin

9am - Fr. Simon Braganza

11am - Fr. Edward Grace

12:30pm - Fr. Robert Heidenreich



WEDDING BANNS

Giovanni Mosquera & Marjorie Gudani
Daniel Biasco & Megan Sorenson

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR MASS ATTENDEES

As required by the Illinois Department of Public Health and for contact tracing purposes, please notify the rectory if you test positive for COVID-19 within two weeks of attending a liturgical service in the basilica. Any and all personal information will be kept strictly confidential.

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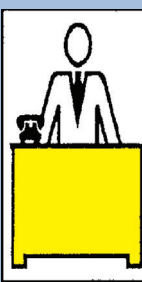
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