

# ST. MARY MAGDALENE CATHOLIC PARISH PARROQUIA DE SANTA MARIA MAGDALENA



Third Sunday of Lent

March 3, 2024

## SUNDAY MASSES / MISAS DOMINICALES

Saturday Vigil: 4pm at St. Walter (English)  
Sunday: St. Benedict 9:30 AM (English),  
12:00 pm (Español)

## WEEKDAY MASSES/MISAS ENTRE SEMANA

**ROSARY** 8:00 am  
St. Benedict 8:30 am  
Monday/Lunes, Tuesday/Martes, Thursday/Jueves,  
Friday/Viernes  
St. Walter 8:30 am Wednesday/Miercoles

## RECONCILIATION/CONFESIONES

St. Benedict Saturday/Sábado: 8:30 am-9:30 am

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION/ ADORACION AL SANTISIMO

Tuesday/Martes 7:00 pm-8:00 pm St. Benedict

**CIRCULO DE ORACIÓN:** Miércoles 7:00 pm-9:00 pm

## PARISH OFFICE

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## PARISH SCHOOL

St. Walter - St. Benedict School

**Website** <https://www.stwstb.org>

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**Chicago School Campus Phone** 773-445-8850 ext 31

## RELIGIOUS FAITH FORMATION

Mr. Ernesto Vargas **Phone** 708-312-2104

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS / VIA CRUCIS

We will pray the Stations of the Cross during Lent after the 8:30 am Mass at St. Benedict

Stations of the Cross at St. Peter Claver will be prayed on Wednesdays at 12pm.

El Via Crucis en español sera los viernes durante la Cuaresma a las 7pm en San Benito.



## St. Mary Magdalene Parish

### Women's Club Meeting

The next St. Mary Magdalene Women Club Meeting will be held on Monday, March 4th in the Church Basement.

Group 2 will begin serving at 6:30pm and the discussion will provide an update on Fish Frys, Spring Luncheon, and planning for May Crowning.



## St. Mary Magdalene Parish's St. Benedict Fish Fry

**708-385-9266** 2339 York St., Blue Island

Hosted by the Women's Club

FEBRUARY 16  
FEBRUARY 23  
MARCH 1  
MARCH 8  
MARCH 15  
MARCH 22

### CASH ONLY

**ADULT DINNER: \$12**

2 fried fillets  
OR 1 foil of 2 baked fillets with fries, tartar sauce, coleslaw, beets, and rye bread  
Lemonade and coffee

Extra Fried Fillet (1): \$3.00  
Extra Baked Foil (2 fillets): \$6.00

CHILD'S MEAL \$5 FRIES ONLY \$3

Lunch 11 am - 1 pm

Dinner 4 pm - 7 pm\*

\*or until we run out!

Dine In & Carry Out

(Delivery available in selected area)

*We hope to see you there!*



Since 1970

Dear Parishioners and Friends of  
St. Mary Magdalene Parish,

### ***Can You Invite One Person to Complete their Sacraments?***

Last week the community was able to express its support for our two candidates preparing to receive Confirmation and Eucharist, **Maya Angelique Maldonado and Jed Anthony Pangan**. In the Evening we attended the Rite of Election ceremony with hundreds of other candidates at Holy Name Cathedral. What struck me is that many candidates enter the program because of the invitation by a friend, family member, or spouse. I am sure that most of us can name one individual who has not completed their sacraments of initiation: Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. The growth of the faith and the parish community depend on the invitations we offer to those seeking a closer relationship with Jesus. Let us not be afraid to suggest, invite, or encourage others to deepen their faith and share in the graces that God offers all.

### ***Mission Trip to Yucatan, Mexico***

Members of the **Maryknoll Missionary Community** will join us this weekend to promote a sponsored mission trip to the Yucatan peninsula from June 4-12, 2024. This immersion trip will offer you an opportunity to learn about the ancient Mayan culture by visiting archaeological sites and immersion in the experience of the local church through prayer, liturgy and faith sharing with other participants and local people.

Participants must provide their own transportation to and from Merida, possess a **current passport, and make a suggested donation (\$1200)** to help cover the cost. The parish will host a fundraiser if we have interested candidates. Please listen to the presentation by the missionaries and speak with them after the mass.

In Christ,  
Fr. Dennis

Estimados feligreses y amigos de la  
Parroquia Santa María Magdalena,

### ***¿Puedes invitar a una persona a completar sus sacramentos?***

La semana pasada la comunidad pudo expresar su apoyo a nuestros dos candidatos que se preparan para recibir la Confirmación y la Eucaristía, **Maya Angelique Maldonado y Jed Anthony Pangan**. Por la tarde asistimos a la ceremonia del Rito de Elección con cientos de otros candidatos en la Catedral del Santo Nombre. Lo que me llamó la atención es que muchos candidatos ingresan al programa por invitación de un amigo, familiar o cónyuge. Estoy seguro de que la mayoría de nosotros podemos nombrar a una persona que no ha completado sus sacramentos de iniciación: Bautismo, Confirmación y Eucaristía. El crecimiento de la fe y de la comunidad parroquial depende de las invitaciones que ofrecemos a quienes buscan una relación más cercana con Jesús. No tengamos miedo de sugerir, invitar o animar a otros a profundizar su fe y compartir las gracias que Dios ofrece a todos.

### ***Viaje misionero a Yucatán, México***

Miembros de la **Comunidad Misionera Maryknoll** se unirán a nosotros este fin de semana para promover un viaje misionero patrocinado a la península de Yucatán del 4 al 12 de junio de 2024. Este viaje de inmersión te ofrecerá la oportunidad de aprender sobre la antigua cultura maya visitando sitios arqueológicos y realizando actividades de inmersión en la experiencia de la iglesia local a través de la oración, la liturgia y el intercambio de fe con otros participantes y la población local. Los participantes **deben proporcionar su propio transporte hacia y desde Mérida**, poseer un pasaporte vigente y hacer una donación sugerida (\$1200) para ayudar a cubrir el costo. La parroquia organizará una recaudación de fondos si tenemos candidatos interesados. Escuche la presentación de los misioneros y hable con ellos después de la misa.

En Cristo,  
Padre Dennis

### **Third Sunday of Lent RAISING CHICKENS TO SUPPORT HER FAMILY**



Nowadays, in Morazán, El Salvador, it is very difficult to know when the rainy or dry seasons will be. The unpredictable weather puts the livelihood of Sandra's family in jeopardy. Despite the challenges, Sandra and her husband, Santos, remain dedicated to ensuring their children grow healthy and succeed in school. Learn how their strong family dynamic enabled Sandra to participate in a Catholic Relief Services' project on raising chickens and how her determination has helped her family and community.

Visit [crsricebowl.org](http://crsricebowl.org) to read this week's Story of Hope.

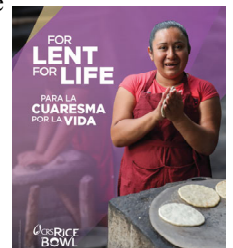


### **TERCER SEMANA DE CUARESMA CRIANDO POLLOS PARA APOYAR A SU FAMILIA**



Actualmente, en Morazán, El Salvador, es muy difícil saber cuándo será la temporada seca o la de lluvias. El clima precario puso en peligro el sustento de la familia de Sandra. A pesar de los desafíos, ella y su esposo, Santos, se esfuerzan para que sus hijos crezcan sanos y les vaya bien en la escuela. Esta determinación ha ayudado a su familia y comunidad. Conoce cómo estos cimientos familiares hicieron posible que Sandra participara en un proyecto de Catholic Relief Services sobre la crianza de pollos.

Visita [crsplatodearroz.org](http://crsplatodearroz.org) para leer la Historia de Esperanza de esta semana.



## MASS INTENTIONS

**Sat. March 2**

8:30 am-9:30 am Confessions at St. Benedict Church

4:00 pm Mass at St Walter Church: † Paul Floress (Barbara Koss);  
† Dolores A. Keating (Maria Barroza); † Kevin F. Morley, Sr. (Fr. Dennis)

**Sun. March 3 Third Sunday of Lent**

9:30 am Living and Deceased Rangel Family;

† Josefina Sanchez; † Esther F. Sinise

† Ricardo David Moreno; † Nate Martinez

12:00 pm **Tercer Domingo de Cuaresma**

† Braulio Esparza, Intencion Especial Cumpleaños: Ildegardo Esparza

**Monday, March 4 St. Casimir**

8:30 am Sp. Int. Maureen Reilly & Sp. Int. Rafaela Gutierrez (Anthony Spalla)

**Tues. March 5**

8:30 am Living and Deceased Moreno Family Members

**Wed. March 6 Mass @ St. Walter Church**

8:30 am † Jesus Salazar

**Thurs. March 7 St. Perpetua, St. Felicity**

8:30 am † Carol Ann Bromley Mitsdarffer

**Fri. March 8 Fast & Abstinence; St. John of God**

8:30 am † Parish Family

**Sat. March 9 St. Frances of Rome**

8:30 am-9:30 am Confessions at St. Benedict Church

4:00 pm Mass at St Walter Church: † Maria R. Barrozo (Ziolkowski);

† Dolores A. Keating (Joann White)

**Sun. March 10 Fourth Sunday of Lent**

9:30 am † Evelyn Garcia (Ziolkowski Family); † Rosanne Reilly;

† Eileen and Eddie Ferry

12:00 pm **Cuarto Domingo de Cuaresma**

† Armando Esparza,

† Margarita Cruz Jordan, † Angel Aguilar Ochoa, † Patricia Aguilar,

† Ernesto Velez, † Gloria Portillo Contreras

## FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS DONACIONES PARA LA DESPENSA

EVERY 3RD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH  
CADA 3ER DOMINGO DEL MES

During this Lenten Season let's give to those who are in need by donating to our Food Pantry. The Food Pantry is in need of canned goods such as chili, soup, canned meals, dry cereal and personal hygiene products.

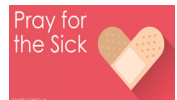
Durante esta temporada de Cuaresma ayudemos a aquellos que están en necesidad donando a nuestra despensa de alimentos. La despensa de alimentos necesita productos enlatados como sopa, comidas enlatadas, cereales secos y productos de higiene personal.



Donation  
Drop Off  
St Benedict Church

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

### OREMOS POR LOS ENFERMOS



Donna Jackson, Kelly Devore, Rosa Isela Santiago, Mariela Chavez, Kate Brown, Linda Davis, Maria Consuelo Valencia, Nicole Richardson, Maria de Jesus Graciano, Marlene Talaski, Mary Origel, Maureen Smith, Larry Campbell, Kristina Mahnke, Virginia Topolski, Iris Garcia, Sylvia Cisneros, Herman and Esperanza Salgado, Cristina Serrato, Jose Guadalupe Naranjo, Leonardo Hernandez, Lisa Castillo, Margaret Castillo, Maria Castillo, Pedro Dueñas.

Please call the Rectory to add someone to our list of the sick.  
*Por favor llame a la Rectoria para añadir alguien a nuestra*

## MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday- March 9, 2024**

4 pm St. Walter

Presider: Fr. Jim

No Deacon

Commentator: Henry Spight

Reader: Rosio Spight

Eucharistic Minister: Ken Young

Eucharistic Minister (if no deacon) Mary Dunneback

**SUNDAY- March 10, 2024**

**Fourth Sunday of Lent**

9:30 am St. Benedict

Presider: Fr. Dennis

Deacon Bill Hynes

Commentator: Domingo Vargas

Reader 1: Sr. Mary Kay

Reader 2: Marcia Stone

Eucharistic Ministers: Andy Benegas, Janice Harvey,

If No Deacon Deb Dowling

**12:00 pm St. Benedict**

Sacerdote: Padre Dennis

Diacono Roberto Reyes



El Circulo de Oración de  
Santa Maria Magdalena te invita a asistir  
todos los miércoles de 7:00-9:00p.m

Alabanzas \* Predica \* Oraciones

¡VEN, Jesús te espera!

Para más información favor de comunicarte con Aidé Vargas 708-925-8404



**ST. JOSEPH “TAVOLA”, TABLE**

Come join a long time tradition of honoring St. Joseph as the humble Foster Father of Jesus, God the Son.

**Tuesday, March 19, 2024**

**All Souls Catholic Church**  
 3010 Ridge Road, Lansing, IL, 60638  
**Celebrant – Rev. Mark Kalema**  
**Mass begins at 4:00 pm**

**This Week at a Glance**

**March 3— Sunday**

10:30am-11:45 am St Benedict Church Hall  
 Religious Education Parent Formation

**March 4- Monday**

4:15-5:15 pm Peterson Hall @ St Walter-Daisies Meeting  
 6:30pm St Benedict Church Hall Women’s Club Meeting  
 7pm-9pm St Benedict Rect Bsmt Circulo de Oracion Meeting

**March 5–Tuesday**

6pm SB Rect Bsmt Hall Pastoral Migratoria  
 6:30 pm SPCM Knights of Columbus  
 7pm-8pm St Benedict Church Holy Hour  
 7 pm-9pm Fr Brown Center –SW **OCIA**

**March 6-Wednesday**

**8:30 am School Mass at St. Walter Church**  
 9:30 am School Confessions-Chicago Campus

6pm-9pm St Benedict Rectory SPRED

6:30pm St Walter Rectory “A Well Built Faith Class”  
 7pm St Benedict Church Circulo de Oracion

**March 7- Thursday**

**8:30 am School Mass at St. Benedict Church**  
**8am-12 SB Rect Bsmt Food Delivery**  
 9:30am School Confessions- Blue Island Campus  
 3-4pm Peterson Hall@ St Walter-Brownies Meeting  
 6:30 pm St Benedict Church Rosary (Knights of Columbus )  
 7 pm-8:30 pm St Benedict Church Spanish Choir Practice  
 7pm St Benedict Rectory St Vincent de Paul Society Meeting

**March 8- Friday**

St Benedict Church Hall **Fish Fry**  
 9:15-11:15 am SB Rect Bsmt Food Pantry  
 5:45-6:15 pm St Benedict Church– Bilingual Stations of the Cross for Rel Ed Students  
 6pm-8:30 pm SB School Gym Youth Group  
 7 pm St Benedict Church Spanish Stations of the Cross (Via Crucis)  
 8pm Fr Brown Center @ SW Rectory **AA Meetings**

**March 9- Saturday**

8:30am-9:30am Confessions @ St Benedict Church

Confirmation Retreat at Marist High School



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**2024 Easter Schedule / Semana Santa y Pascua**

**Confessions / Confesiones**

Thursday /Jueves	March 14	St. Benedict, 7PM – 9PM
Friday/Viernes	March 15	St. Benedict, 7PM – 9PM
Saturday/Sábado	March 16	St. Benedict, 9AM – 12PM

**Palm Sunday / Domingo de Pascua**

Saturday	March 23	St. Walter,	4:00 PM (English)
Sunday	March 24	St. Benedict,	9:30 AM (English)
Sunday	March 24	St Peter Claver,	10:00 AM (English)

**Domingo 24 Marzo San Benito 12:00 PM & 2:00 PM**

**Holy Thursday, March 28 / Jueves Santo, Marzo 28**

St. Benedict , 7 PM (bilingual) / San Benito, 7 PM bilingüe

**Good Friday, March 29 / Viernes Santo, Marzo 29**

Living Way of the Cross by Youth Group/ Via Crucis Viviente,  
 St. Benedict Church 12 PM

Passion of the Lord & Adoration of the Cross  
 St. Benedict 4 PM (English)

**Pasión del Señor y Adoración de la Santa Cruz**

**San Benito 7 PM (Español)**

**Holy Saturday, March 30/ Sábado Santo, Marzo 30**

Blessing of Easter Baskets	St. Benedict	12 PM
Bendicion de Canastas Pascuales	San Benito	12 PM

**Easter Vigil, March 30 / Vigilia Pascual, Marzo 30**

St. Benedict (bilingual) 8 PM / San Benito (bilingüe) 8 PM

**Easter Sunday / Domingo de Pascua**

Sunday, March 31 St. Benedict (English) 9:30 AM  
 Domingo, 31 Marzo, San Benito (Español) 12:00 PM

**Stewardship Report**

<b>Type of Collection</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Sunday Collection 2/18/24	\$ 6, 736.91
Ash Wednesday	\$ 11.00
Votive/Vigil Candles	\$ 96.00
Initial Offering	\$ 30.00
Building Fund	\$ 442.00
Food Pantry	\$ 40.00
School Tuition Assistance	\$ 72.00
St Peter Claver Mission 1/25/24	\$ 1, 332.00