

ST. MARY MAGDALENE CATHOLIC PARISH PARROQUIA DE SANTA MARIA MAGDALENA



First Sunday of Lent

February 18, 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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Main Church Office at St. Benedict
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Pastor

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PARISH SCHOOL

St. Walter –St. Benedict School
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Blue Island Campus

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Blue Island Campus Phone 708-385-2016 ext 12

Chicago Campus

11741 S. Western, Chicago, IL 60643
Chicago School Campus Phone 773-445-8850 ext 31

RELIGIOUS FAITH FORMATION

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

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

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.



Dear Parishioners and Friends of
St. Mary Magdalene Parish,

The Long and Winding Road of Lent

Every day we use them; in every place we live, we find them: roads and streets. We travel from house to work; from work to store; from home to church and a myriad of other destinations. They are ubiquitous and we think little of them until there are potholes and construction.

The word “journey” is often associated with the season of Lent. It recalls the roots of our tradition in the journey of God’s people from slavery in Egypt to freedom in a promised land. Catechumens preparing for baptism and the Christian communities that accompany them use this season as an intense time of preparation. The catechumens are being called out of darkness and into God’s light; they pass through the waters of baptism as the people passed through the Red Sea and are led from slavery to freedom.

Our Lenten practices of prayer, fasting, and charitable works are the roads we take to move from darkness to the light. The simple actions of the season of Lent must conduct us to a place of greater freedom from sin, egotism, and selfishness. The road of Lent concludes with the passion, death, and resurrection of Jesus and these events truly have freed us from sin and death.

As we begin the season of lent it is important to know where we want to be at the end of the journey. True, conversion and change are ongoing, and we only arrive at the end when we pass from this world to the next. But the things we “give up”, the times for prayer we seek and the works of charity that we do lead us to the freedom we find as true disciple of the Lord.

In Christ,

Fr. Dennis

Estimados feligreses y amigos de la parroquia Santa María Magdalena,

El largo y tortuoso camino de la Cuaresma

Todos los días los usamos; en cada lugar donde vivimos, los encontramos: caminos y calles. Viajamos de casa al trabajo; del trabajo a la tienda; desde el hogar hasta la iglesia y una infinidad de otros destinos. Son omnipresentes y pensamos poco en ellos hasta que aparecen los baches y las obras.

La palabra “viaje” a menudo se asocia con el tiempo de Cuaresma. Recuerda las raíces de nuestra tradición en el viaje del pueblo de Dios desde la esclavitud en Egipto hasta la libertad en una tierra prometida. Los catecúmenos que se preparan para el bautismo y las comunidades cristianas que los acompañan utilizan este tiempo como un tiempo intenso de preparación. Los catecúmenos están siendo llamados a salir de las tinieblas y a entrar en la luz de Dios; pasan por las aguas del bautismo como el pueblo pasó por el Mar Rojo y son conducidos de la esclavitud a la libertad.

Nuestras prácticas Cuaresmales de oración, ayuno y obras caritativas son los caminos que tomamos para pasar de la oscuridad a la luz. Las acciones simples del tiempo de Cuaresma deben conducirnos a un lugar de mayor libertad del pecado y el egoísmo. El camino de la Cuaresma concluye con la pasión, muerte y resurrección de Jesús y estos eventos verdaderamente nos han liberado del pecado y de la muerte.

Al comenzar la temporada de Cuaresma es importante saber dónde queremos estar al final del viaje. Es cierto que la conversión y el cambio están en curso y sólo llegamos al final cuando pasamos de este mundo al otro. Pero las cosas que renunciamos, los tiempos de oración que buscamos y las obras de caridad que hacemos nos llevan a la libertad que encontramos como verdadero discípulo del Señor.

En Cristo,

P. Dennis



MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. February 17 Saturday after Ash Wednesday; The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

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

4:00 pm Mass at St Walter Church: † Porfirio Sierra,

† Thomas Joyce, † Maria R. Barrozo;

† Mary Ann Stojic Garcia (Garcia Family) &

† Hermelinda Zamora

Sun. February 18 First Sunday of Lent

9:30 am † Clarence E Givens, † Martin Quiroga, † Antonio Uy,

† John and Louise Braglia, † Mary Joann Luetkemeyer;

† Evelyn Garcia, Living & Deceased Reilly Family

12:00 pm Primer Domingo de Cuaresma

† Raymunda Avila (Circulo de Oracion);

† Ma Juanita Jimenez Herrera ; † Tony Martinez

Intencion Especial: Leticia Montoya Guerrero, Glen Guerrero,

Teresa Garcia

Monday, February 19 Presidents' Day

8:30 am † Gavina Lullo (Serbantez Family)

Tues. February 20

8:30 am † June Carlson (Annette Dattulo)

Wed. February 21 Mass @ St. Walter Church

St. Peter Damian

8:30 am † Eileen Sheahan (Annette Dattulo)

Thurs. February 22 The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle

8:30 am † Parish Family

Fri. February 23 Fast & Abstinence; St. Polycarp

8:30 am † Parish Family

Sat. February 24

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

4:00 pm Mass at St Walter Church: † John Russell (Pamela Deiters),

† Thomas Joyce, † Rosemary Mezydlo (Annette Dattulo);

Sp. Int. Birthday Fernando Marquez, Jr.

Sun. February 25 Second Sunday of Lent

9:30 am † Dennis J. Lyle & Virginia Lyle

† Elvira Flores (Alice de la Peña), † Robert Buttron;

† Charles E. White III,

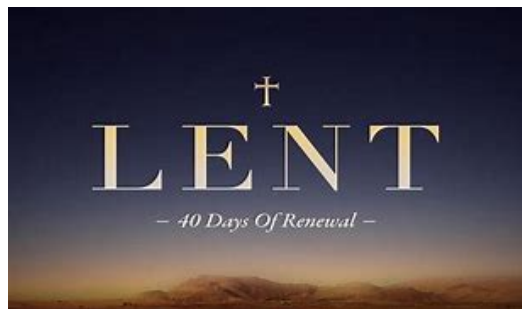
† Albaro Castillo & † Maria Guadalupe Sanches

10:00 am St. Peter Claver Mission

12:00 pm Segundo Domingo de Cuaresma

† Ponciano Perez (Maria Perez) & † Roque Lopez (A. Fonseca)

Intencion Especial: Leticia Montoya Guerrero



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

OREMOS POR LOS ENFERMOS



Rosa Isela Santiago, Mariela Chavez, Carol Juarez, Kate Brown, Linda Davis, Maria Consuelo Valencia, Nicole Richardson, Maria de Jesus Graciano, Marlene Talski, 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, Alexis Arteaga, 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- February 24, 2024

4 pm St. Walter

Presider: Fr. Jim

Deacon Roberto Reyes

Commentator: Milton Wright

Reader: Pat Fisher

Eucharistic Minister: Val Kehoe

Eucharistic Minister (if no deacon) Ken Young

SUNDAY- February 25, 2024

Second Sunday of Lent

9:30 am St. Benedict

Presider: Fr. Jim

No Deacon

Commentator: Marge Wiberg

Reader 1: Domingo Vargas

Reader 2: Michael Weise

Eucharistic Ministers: Deb Dowling, Marcia Stone,

Dennis Ziolkowski, Carol Juarez, Andy Benegas

12:00 pm St. Benedict Sacerdote: Padre Dennis

Diacono:



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



Girl Scout Troop 60445, will be selling cookies after the 9:30 am Mass next Sunday, February 25th.

The Rectory will be Closed on Monday, February 19, 2024 for Presidents Day.



La Oficina Parroquial estara Cerrada el lunes, 19 de febrero, 2024 por el Dia de los Presidentes.

This Week at a Glance

February 18— Sunday

NO Religious Education Classes Today

February 19- Monday

Rectory Closed Today /Oficina Parroquial Cerrada Hoy

7pm-9pm SB Rect Bsmt Circulo Meeting

February 20—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

February 21-Wednesday

8:30 am School Mass at St. Walter Church

6pm-9pm St Benedict Rectory SPRED

6:30pm St Walter Rectory "A Well Built Faith Class"

February 22- Thursday

8:30 am School Mass at St. Benedict Church

8am-12 SB Rect Bsmt Food Delivery

6:30 pm St Benedict Church Rosary (Knights of Columbus)

February 23- Friday

St Benedict Church Hall **Fish Fry**

9:15-11:15 am SB Rect Bsmt Food Pantry

6pm-8:30 pm SB School Gym Youth Group

6:30 pm-8:30 pm St Benedict Church Spanish Choir Practice

8pm Fr Brown Center @ SW Rectory **AA Meetings**

February 24- Saturday

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

Stations of the Cross at St. Peter Claver

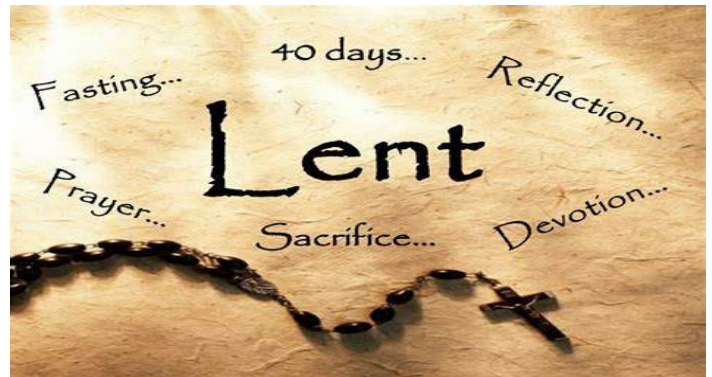
We will pray the Stations of the Cross at St. Peter Claver during Lent at 12:00 pm on Wednesdays, starting on **Wednesday, February 21st.** followed by a soup / bread lunch.

Next Mass Date at St. Peter Claver

February 25, 2024 at 10 am short program on Black History and a Luncheon will follow Mass for those who can stay.

St. Peter Claver

14139 Claire Blvd, Robbins, IL 60472



Stewardship Report

Type of Collection	Amount
Sunday Collection 2/11/24	\$ 7,266.70
Solemnity of Mary	\$ 10.00
Votive/Vigil Candles	\$ 52.00
Ash Wednesday	\$ 205.00
Building Fund	\$ 284.00
Food Pantry	\$ 68.22
School Tuition Assistance	\$ 105.00
St. Vincent de Paul Society	\$ 42.00
Initial Offering	\$ 115.00
Collection in Latin America	\$ 6.00
St Peter Claver 2/11/24	\$ 50.00

SAVE THE DATE

Lenten Praise & Worship Night
With Phil Caffee

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2024
7:00PM
ST. MARY MAGDALENE PARISH
(ST. WALTER CAMPUS)
11722 S. OAKLEY, CHICAGO