

**SAINT ALBERT THE GREAT PARISH**  
8000 SOUTH LINDER AVENUE BURBANK ILLINOIS 60459

June 24, 2018



**THE NATIVITY  
OF  
ST. JOHN  
THE BAPTIST**



*“Behold, one is  
coming after me;  
I am not worthy  
to unfasten the  
sandals of his feet.”*

*Acts 13:25*



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## MASS INTENTIONS

### Sunday, June 24, 2018

- 6:15 am + Jan & Jozefa Konopka  
+ Stanislaw & Anna Michniak  
+ Stanislaw & Franciszek Rychtarczyk
- 7:30 am + Ercole & Innocenza Sturino  
+ Max & Alice Gajos
- 9:00 am + Frank Kulach, + Frances Smith, + Ted Boladz  
- All Souls in the Purgatory, + Marta Leader
- 10:30 am + Jan Ilnicki, + Zofia Stanek, + Jozef Pawlica  
+ Janusz Olszewski, + Hermina Kowalik  
- Barbara & Patrycja - Blessing for safe delivery of their babies  
- Emilia Molek 7th Birthday Blessing  
- Fr. Lukasz Pyka - Blessing
- 12:00 pm - Fr. Lukasz Pyka - Blessing  
+ Aniela & Jan Staszal, + Wojciech Zapotoczny  
+ Stanislaw Staszal, + Aniela & Stanislaw Kowalczyk  
+ Jan Tomczak
- 1:30 pm + Jan Kowalczyk, + Andrzej Kapusciarz  
- Anna Zawadzka 70th Birthday Blessing  
- All Members of Kolo Skrzypne - Blessing
- 5:00 pm + Antonina & Kazimierz Dlugopolski
- 6:30 pm + Javier Guzman, + Jesus Guzman  
+ Fernando Avila, + Sylviano Juarez Vasquez

### Monday, June 25, 2018

- 6:30 am + Fr. Robert Stepek 2nd Death Anniv.  
7:30 am -  
8:30 am -

### Tuesday, June 26, 2018

- 6:30 am -  
7:30 am -  
8:30 am + Daniel Ahern

### Wednesday, June 27, 2018

- 6:30 am -  
7:30 am + Stanislaw Bafia  
8:30 am + Pat M. Fisher

### Thursday, June 28, 2018

- 6:30 am -  
7:30 am -  
8:30 am + John Collins  
- Raul & Elizabeth Duque -  
18th Wedding Anniv. Blessing

### Friday, June 29, 2018

- 6:30 am -  
7:30 am -  
8:30 am + Patricia & Donald Leeny

### Saturday, June 30, 2018

- 7:30 am -  
8:30 am - Parish Rosary Group - Blessing  
5:00 pm + Sam Rizzo, + Robert Chilcutt  
- Chris & Kamila Kurzynski - Blessing  
6:30 pm - Philipino Mass

## JOHN THE BAPTIST

Since June 24 falls on a Sunday this year, the Church has the opportunity for a more intense celebration of the birth of John the Baptist, who is often described as the last of the Old Testament prophets and the bridge between Judaism and Christianity. More commonly, John is known as the "precursor" of our Lord Jesus Christ. All the Gospels report John's basic message: Repent, the kingdom is near at hand. One greater than I is coming.

Though he was a wandering preacher who dressed in camel skins and ate grasshoppers, John's legacy is one of true royalty. His origins are similar to those foretold by God through the prophet Isaiah: "You are my servant, he said to me, Israel through whom I show my glory" (Isaiah 49:3). John's humility—"I am not he"—was surpassed only by that of his Lord Jesus, the humble servant who followed.

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### Thank You for the Tabernacle Flowers

Zbigniew & Wieslawa Cyran

### WEDDING BANNES

- II - Rafal Fior & Anna Rusnak  
II - Jose Hernandez & Monica Sanchez  
I - David Stonis & Nicole Schaffer

### Let Us Pray for the Sick



Grace Jacklin, Linda Brennan, Edward Full, Rose Benanti, Grace Jacklin, Erin Mott, Delilah Lazato, Henry Kiwior, Stanley Dabrowski, Larry Sobkoviak, Patricia Miller, Ginger Ling, Jan Tylka, Anna Rozdrojewska, Simeon Alonso, Chad Mazeika, Trevor Fondyce, Frances Wilhelm, Caroline Fontana, Louise Opelar, Denise & Rich Jandura, Rich Bukowski, Brazeau Family, Lucille Carahar, Helena Domian, Helena Seremak, Bonnie Stuchly, Katarzyna Budz, Jozefa Gancarski, Tom Soukup, Duane Kelly, Alice Dulce & Family, Lupe Alvarez & Family, Bartel Amato, Leteri Pruett, Sr. Marlyn Gabelzki, Sr. Paulette Piete, Jim Patula, Dominic Canino, Bob Speck, Kevin Arp, Jerry Arp, Denise M. Jandura, Fr. Ted Bojczuk, Joseph Mendez, Don & Lois Pahl, Elaine Ziobro, Marilyn Buchalski, Mike & Debbie O'Hara, Ken & Marie Shipman, Frank Hernandez, Imelda Gomez, Shirley McVane, Carl Demma, Margaret Geinosky, Theresa Stanislawek, Joshua Szymanek, Karen Hock, Linda Mazgaj, Tom Grogan, Smykowski, Bernadine Hainswoth - Miller, Dorothy Rapacz, Flora Mortell, Rubio, Fr. Thomas Mescall, Nancy & Wayne Kinzie, Marie King Doyle, Bernice Cizek, Diane and Robert Juris, Salvatore Bottari, Theresa Lonski, Alex Silverman, Hedderman Family, Mary Ann Riccio, Dulce Robles, Pineda Echauz, Halal Sabacan.

**For the Deceased:** Gertrude Maslowski, Wiktoria Musial, Thomas J. Schultz, Thomas J. Lawson.



## From the Pastor's Desk

### My Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ!

In my weekly word to you today I will write very briefly. Why? Because from Monday (June 18) until Thursday (June 21) I was at the Priest's Convocation, which is organized every few years by the Archdiocese of Chicago for all pastors and priests, it's motto is "One in Christ". This was a wonderful time of prayer, meditation, and pastoral Conference. This event allowed me to slow down a bit the pace of my everyday life, which in our parish is extremely intense. I devoted these four days away from you to pray for the intentions of our parishioners and those who visit us and pray in our Church.

*St. Albert the Great – pray for us!*

*"Jesus, I Trust in You"!*

Fr. Mariusz

### CELEBRANT SCHEDULE

**Saturday, June 30, 2018**

5:00 pm - Fr. Joseph Mol

**Sunday, July 1, 2018**

6:15 am - Visitor

7:30 am - Fr. Leslaw Prebendowski

9:00 am - Fr. Leslaw Prebendowski

10:30 am - Visitor

12:00 pm - Fr. Mariusz Nawalaniec

1:30 pm - Visitor

5:00 pm - Visitor

6:30 pm - Fr. Bernardo Lozano

### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Monday: Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time

Wednesday: St. Cyril of Alexandria

Thursday: St. Irenaeus

Friday: Ss. Peter and Paul

Saturday: The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church; Blessed Virgin Mary

### TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

It's midsummer day! We have the advantage of celebrating one of the great hidden treasures of our liturgical calendar on a Sunday this year. There are only three "nativity" feasts on our calendar: for the Lord, the Blessed Mother (September 8), and today's birth of the Baptist. Today's date is anchored by the Annunciation (March 25), when Mary learns not only of her own child's advent, but of Elizabeth's child. We are exactly half a year away from Christmas Eve. There are strong traditions around this feast. Just as the winter solstice provides a rich vocabulary for Christmas, so does the abundance of light at midsummer inform this celebration. Just as at Christmas, a religious festival spills over into culture. As summer light reaches its peak, the sun-drenched zones of northern Europe see people staying up all night, lighting "St. John's fires" in the long summer twilight. Bonfires seem to be the unifying force in all these celebrations, kindled along the shores of the St. Lawrence in Quebec and Montreal, with harbor illuminations in France. You may be most interested in the custom in San Juan, Puerto Rico, the Baptist's own city. People there will leap into the sea between midnight and dawn to honor John. Why not find your way to a pool, a lake, or a sandy beach today and plunge in to recall your baptism? It's a tradition!

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### DECEIT

Reason deceives us; conscience, never.

—Jean Jacques Rousseau

### THE GREATEST NEED

The world's greatest need is not more Christians but more Christians who practice their Christianity.

—Anonymous

**St. Albert the Great "Sacred Heart of Jesus" Eucharistic Adoration Chapel is open Monday - Saturday**

**8:30 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.**

Parishioners are needed to commit ONE HOUR per week.

### Our Weekly Offering

<b>June 17, 2018</b>	<b>\$14,418.00</b>
5:00PM	\$2,196.00
6:15AM	\$978.00
7:30AM	\$2,072.00
9:00AM	\$1,887.00
10:30AM	\$2,223.00
12:00PM	\$1,666.00
1:30PM	\$1,292.00
5:00PM	\$558.00
6:30PM	\$645.00
Mail In	\$901.00
<b>School Support</b>	<b>\$4,282.00</b>

**May God Bless All Who Support Our Parish!!!**

# St. Albert the Great School

**"We are one body"**

**Great things happen @ St. Albert the Great!**

Registration is now open for the 2018/2019 school year.

For more Information:

[www.stalbertthegreatschool.com/tuition](http://www.stalbertthegreatschool.com/tuition) Financial assistance and scholarships are available including the new **TAX CREDIT SCHOLARSHIP!** Apply now at [empowerillinois.org](http://empowerillinois.org)



**CATECHIST WANTED!**

## Is God Calling You to Be a Catechist?

Do you:

- Love God and want to know him better?
- Love children and enjoy working with them?
- Want to share God's love with others?
- Want to be good role model for children?
- Want to share your faith more and help others grow in faith?
- Want to help children develop a relationship with God?

### We are in need of volunteers to be a catechist.

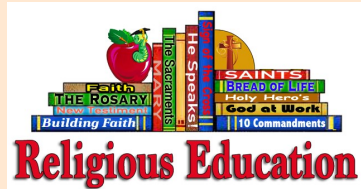
You are very important to our program! It has been a long tradition at St. Albert the Great that our parish family has offered their time and talents. It is through caring, sharing and praying that our community has grown in love and support of one another. The success of our religious education program depends on the dedicated individuals in our parish willing to share their time, talents and faith with the future church, our parish children. We encourage all our parishioners, as well as parents of children in our program to help out in some way. We are always in need of catechists, classroom aides, substitute teachers, and hall monitors as well as parking lot who oversee the arrival and dismissal of our students. VIRTUS training and fingerprinting are mandated by the Archdiocese of Chicago as well as teacher training.



## Save the Dates for our Parish "CARNIVAL" (on the parish grounds!)

- Thursday, August 23rd, 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm
- Friday, August 24th, 4:00 pm - 11:00 pm
- Saturday, August 25th, 4:00 pm - 11:00 pm
- Sunday, August 26th, 1:00 pm - 10:00 pm

**GREAT FOOD, ENTERTAINMENT, RAFFLE, RIDES FOR KIDS** More information will be provided as soon as is available.



## Religious Education

### St. Albert's C.C.D. is taking Registrations during the summer.

During the months of June, July and August we will be in the office on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4pm - 7pm. Other times by appointment only, please call 708-636-0406 and leave a message.

We offer Kindergarten through 8th grade Religious Education. If you need information on Sacrament preparation please contact the C.C.D. Office. Registration ends September 7, 2018. Registration Forms are available at the Parish Office.



If you would like to **VOLUNTEER** for our **PARISH CARNIVAL** please fill out this form and return to the parish office or drop it the collection basket on Sunday.

First & Last Name

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Phone Number

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Days/ Times Available

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## Z liurka Ks. Probanycza

### Moi Umiłowani Bracia i Siostry!

W moim co tygodniowym słowie do Was dziś będzie bardzo króciutko. Dlaczego? Ponieważ od poniedziałku (18 czerwca) do czwartku (21 czerwca) byłem poza parafią. Uczestniczyłem bowiem w specjalnej Konwokacji organizowanej co kilka lat dla wszystkich duszpasterzy Diecezji Chicago oraz innych zaproszonych księży. Był to wspaniały czas modlitwy, medytacji, konferencji pastoralnych i wypoczynku. Ten czas pozwolił mi nie co zwolnić tempo codziennego życia, które szczególnie w naszej parafii jest wyjątkowo intensywne. W tym bardzo pożytecznym czasie sporo czasu poświęciłem na modlitwę w intencji naszych parafian i tych, którzy modlą się w naszym kościele.

**Święty Albercie Wielki – módl się za nami!**

**„Jezu, ufam Tobie”!**

**Fr. Mariusz**

## Karnawał 2018!



**Czwartek, 23 Sierpień, 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm**

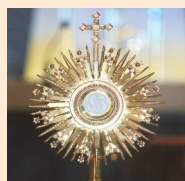
**Piątek, 24 Sierpień, 4:00 pm - 11:00 pm**

**Sobota, 25 Sierpień, 4:00 pm - 11:00 pm**

**Niedziela, 26 Sierpień, 1:00 pm - 10:00 pm**

**SMACZNE JEDZENIE, PIWO, MUZYKA,  
LOTERIA, KARUZELE DLA DZIECI!**

**Imię Jan jest pochodzenia hebrajskiego i oznacza tyle, co "Bóg jest łaskawy". Jan Chrzciciel urodził się jako syn kapłana Zachariasza i Elżbiety.** Poprzez swoją matkę, Elżbietę, Jan był krewnym Jezusa. Jan pędził żywot pustelnika, sam lub w towarzystwie innych. Jako herold Mesjasza Jan podkreślał z naciskiem, że nie wystarczy przynależność do potomstwa Abrahama, ale trzeba czynić owoce pokuty, trzeba wewnętrznego przeobrażenia. Na znak skruchy i gotowości zmiany życia udzielał chrztu pokuty. Zaczęto nawet go pytać, czy przypadkiem on sam nie jest zapowiadającym Mesjaszem. Jan stanowczo rozwiewał wątpliwości twierdząc, że "Ten, który idzie za mną, mocniejszy jest ode mnie: ja nie jestem godzien nosić Mu sandałów". Na prośbę Chrystusa, który przybył nad Jordan, Jan udzielił Mu chrztu. Potem niejeden raz widział Chrystusa nad Jordanem i świadczył o Nim wobec tłumu: "Oto Baranek Boży, który gładzi grzechy świata". Na skutek tego wyznania, przy Chrystusie Panu zjawili się dwaj pierwsi uczniowie - Jan i Andrzej, którzy dotąd byli uczniami św. Jana. Osobą Jana zainteresował się władca Galilei, Herod II Antypas (+ 40), syn Heroda I Wielkiego, który nakazał wymordować dzieci w Betlejem. Można się domyślać, że Herod wezwał Jana do swojego zamku, Macherontu. Gorzko jednak pożałował swojej ciekawości. Jan bowiem skorzystał z tej okazji, aby rzucić mu prosto w oczy: "Nie wolno ci mieć żony twego brata". Rozgniewany król, z poduszczenia żony brata Filipa, którą ku ogólnemu oburzeniu Herod wziął za własną, oddalając swoją żonę prawowitą, nakazał Jana aresztować. W dniu swoich urodzin wydał ucztę, w czasie której, pijany, pod przysięgą zobowiązał się dać córce Herodiady, Salome, wszystko, o cokolwiek zażąda. Ta po naradzeniu się z matką zażądała głowy Jana. Herod nakazał katowi wykonać wyrok śmierci na Janie i jego głowę przynieść na misie dla Salome. Jan miał wtedy trzydzieści kilka lat. Jezus wystawił Janowi świadectwo, jakiego żaden człowiek z Jego ust nie otrzymał: "Coście wyszli oglądać na pustyni? (...) Proroka zobaczyć? Tak, powiadam wam, nawet więcej niż proroka. On jest tym, o którym napisano: *Oto ja posyłam mego wysłańca przed Tobą, aby Ci przygotował drogę.* Zaprawdę powiadam wam: Między narodzonymi z niewiast nie powstał większy od Jana Chrzciciela". Jan Chrzciciel jako jedyny wśród świętych Pańskich cieszy się takim przywilejem, iż obchodzi się jako uroczystość dzień jego narodzin. U wszystkich innych świętych obchodzimy jako święto dzień ich śmierci - czyli dzień ich narodzin dla nieba. Ponadto w kalendarzu liturgicznym znajduje się także wspomnienie męczeńskiej śmierci św. Jana Chrzciciela, obchodzone 29 sierpnia. W Janie Chrzcicielu uderza jego świętość, życie pełne ascezy i pokuty i siła charakteru, bezkompromisowość. Był pierwszym świętym czczonym w całym Kościele.



**SERDECZNIE ZAPRASZAMY  
WSZYSTKICH NA CZUWANIE  
MODLITWNE W KOŚCIELE  
(W J. POLSKIM) W SOBOTE  
7-GO LIPCA, 2018 O GODZ.  
7:00 WIECZOREM**

**ORAZ NA MSZĘ ŚW.  
W KAPLICY 21-GO LIPCA, 2018  
O GODZINIE 7:00 RANO**

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**MASSES**  
**SATURDAY** 5:00 PM Sunday Obligation (English)  
**SUNDAY** 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 12:00 PM (English)  
 6:15 AM, 10:30 AM, 1:30 PM, 5:00 PM (Polish), 6:30 PM (Spanish)  
**WEEKDAY MASSES (Monday-Friday)**  
 6:30 AM, 8:30 AM (English), 7:30 AM (Polish)  
**SATURDAY MASS** 7:30 AM ( Polish) 8:30 AM (English)  
**SACRED HEART ADORATION CHAPEL**  
 Open Monday - Saturday from 8:30AM to 8:30 PM  
**FIRST FRIDAY** Bilingual Confessions  
 7:00-7:30 AM and 4:30-6:00 PM; 6:00 PM Mass (Polish)  
**HOLY DAYS** Please refer to schedules printed in the bulletin prior to the Holiday  
 Vigil Mass - 7:00 PM (evening before Holy Day)  
**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION** Saturday 4:00-4:45 PM  
**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM** 1st, 2nd, 3rd Sundays at 3:15 PM  
**Baptismal Preparation Class** Last Thursday of month at 7:00 PM  
 Parish registration and attendance at the Baptismal Preparation Class are required prior to Baptism  
**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE**  
 All wedding arrangements must be made with a parish priest at least 6 months prior to scheduled date  
 Times of marriages are as follows:  
 Saturday 12:00 PM and 2:00 PM, Sunday - no weddings

**PARISH STAFF:**

**REV. MARIUSZ NAWALANIEC**  
 PASTOR  
**REV. LESLAW PREBENDOWSKI** Sch.  
 ASSOCIATE PASTOR  
**REV. WOJCIECH OLEKSY**  
 ASSOCIATE PASTOR  
**REV. BERNARDO LOZANO HERNANDEZ**  
 ASSOCIATE PASTOR  
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 SUNDAY VISITING PRIEST

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**PARISH OFFICE**

708-423-0321  
**OPEN MONDAY - FRIDAY**  
 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM  
**CLOSED FOR LUNCH**  
 12:00 - 1:00 PM  
**SATURDAY**  
 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

*St. Albert the Great Parish Mission Statement. St. Albert the Great Parish is a Catholic community, a sacramental people of God. We embrace all age groups, interests and backgrounds, and are drawn around the table of the Lord, we pray together, laugh and cry together, and work together for the purpose of drawing strength to make gospel message and its values alive in our people, we are a community steeped in tradition with many ministries to offer. We welcome all to share in our education and spiritual life.*

**TREE OF LIFE** Tree of Life is located in the back of the church at our Lady of Czestochowa Shrine. You can establish a beautiful memorial to a loved one by inscribing a leaf with his or her name. The donation for a leaf is \$300.00. Donation for a larger memorial leaf is \$1,000.00. The money collected is used for the maintenance of the church property. For more information please call in the parish office.



**NEWS & EVENTS & NEWS & EVENTS & NEWS & EVENTS**

**Mondays**

St. Albert the Great **Seniors** (60 or over) meet 1st and 3rd Monday of each month from 11:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in Rogers Hall. Please come, meet your neighbors, make new friends, play Bingo.

**St. Albert the Great Holy Name Society** members meet 2nd Monday after 2nd Sunday of the Month in Rogers Hall at 7:30 p.m.

**Pro Life Group** meets every 1st Monday of each month in the Administration Building at 7:00 p.m. Please Join them!

**Tuesdays**

Play **Bingo** every Tuesday Night. Door open at 4:00 p.m. Books only \$11.00. Come Hungry! Full kitchen - Hot Dogs, hamburgers, Chicken, Nachos, Tamales, Soup, Soda, Coffee and more!

**Wednesdays**

**Bible Study** in the Administration Building St. Joseph Room 10:00 a.m.

**St. Vincent de Paul Society** meets second Wednesday of every month at 5:45 p.m. in the Administration Building St. Joseph Room.

**Thursdays**

1 hour **Adoration** of the Blessed Sacrament in the Adoration Chapel 7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

**Boy Scouts Troop 481** meet every Thursday at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Albert Room.

**Fridays**

**Cub Scouts Pack 3481** meets on Fridays at 6:00 p.m. in the St. Albert Room (off for summer)

**Saturdays**

St. Albert the Great **Prayer Group** meets every Saturday in the Administration Building St. Joseph Room at 1:30 p.m.