

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

December 16, 2018 | Third Sunday of Advent

I AM BAPTIZING
YOU WITH WATER,



but one mightier than I is coming.
I am not worthy to loosen the thongs of his sandals.

- Luke 3:16

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, December 16, 2018

6:15 am -
7:30 am -
9:00 am + Walter Judge
10:30 am + Zofia Stanek 1 Death Anniv.
+ Jan Ptaszek 1 Death Anniv., + Jan Komperda
+ Kazimierz Nawalaniec, + Krzysztof Komperda
12:00 pm - All Souls in the Purgatory
+ Jozef Kania 13 Death Anniv.
+ Elizabeth Wilhelm 12 Death Anniv.
1:30 pm + Leon Siedlarczyk, + Janusz Swiatek
+ Karolina & Jozef Kubicz
+ Andrzej Kapusciaz, + Stanley Kalicki

5:00 pm -
6:30 pm + Jose Guadalupe Zavala

Monday, December 17, 2018

6:30 am + Lucy Dresden, + Janice Krzyskowski
7:30 am -
8:30 am -
12:00 pm - (Polish Mission) + Stanley Kalicki
7:00 pm - (Polish Mission) + Stanley Kalicki

Tuesday, December 18, 2018

6:30 am + Gale Case
7:30 am -
8:30 am + Ron Mroz
- Mr & Mrs Rodolfo Parel
54 Wedding Anniv. Blessing
12:00 pm - (Polish Mission) + Stanley Kalicki
7:00 pm - (Polish Mission) + Stanley Kalicki

Wednesday, December 19, 2018

6:30 am + Adeline & Luis Bal
7:30 am -
8:30 am -
12:00 pm - (Polish Mission) + Stanley Kalicki
5:30 pm - Roraty - Msza dla Dzieci
7:00 pm - (Polish Mission) + Stanley Kalicki

Thursday, December 20, 2018

6:30 am -
7:30 am + Stanley Kalicki
8:30 am + Robert Paulus
7:00 pm - Simbang Gabi Mass

Friday, December 21, 2018

6:30 am -
7:30 am + Stanley Kalicki, + Jan Mucha 1 Death Anniv.
8:30 am -

Saturday, December 22, 2018

7:30 am + Stanley Kalicki
8:30 am -
5:00 pm + Cecilia Gutkowski
+ Giovanna Rizo, + Carl & Josephine Adamow



WEDDING BANNS

II - Jan Wilkus & Malgorzata Miasik

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Christmas Holidays are approaching. If you are able to, please consider helping those in need that live in our parish area. Monetary almsgiving can be placed in the parish "Poor Box" located in the vestibule.

The Lord sees what we do to help others".

God Bless You !!!



Parish Confessions

In Polish & English and Spanish: Wednesday, Dec. 19th
from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm and from 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

REJOICE!

Today has traditionally been called "Gaudete Sunday." The Latin tag is derived from Paul's appeal in the second reading to "rejoice always in the Lord," and the Latin Mass text based on that reading. The irony and paradox of this Christian joy is underlined by the fact that Paul wrote those words in prison. But from there he could see the progress of God's work.

Is it obvious to us? We feel that this is not the time for joy when there is so much suffering and moral evil. It is interesting, then, that the first reading is from the prophet Zephaniah, who is almost exclusively concerned with gloomy visions of Judgment Day. Today the Church selects the only optimistic text in Zephaniah, in which the prophet has been touched by the spirit of joy.

This, we are assured on all sides, is "the season of joy." Let us recapture that feeling of joy in our lives and reflect it to those who are joyless. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



Thank You for the Tabernacle Flowers

MARZENA KOZYRA

Let Us Pray for the Sick



William Holy, Rich & Denise Jandura, Robert J. Mercurio, Janice Gasior, Maria Malloy, Mary Jane Shehane, Denise & Rich Jandura Grace Jacklin, Linda Brennan, Rose Benanti, Erin Mott, Delilah Lazato, Henry Kiwior, Stanley Dabrowski, Larry Sobkoviak, Ginger Ling, Jan Tylka, Anna Rozdrojewska, Simeon Alonso, Chad Mazeika, Trevor Fondyce, Frances Wilhelm, Caroline Fontana, Louise Opelar, 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, Lefteri Pruet, Sr. Marlyn Gabelzki, Sr. Paulette Piete, Jim Patula, Dominic Canino, Bob Speck, Kevin Arp, Jerry Arp, Fr. Ted Bojczuk, Joseph Mendez, Don & Lois Pahl, Elaine Ziobro, Marilyn Buchalski, Mike & Debbie O'Hara, Frank Hernandez, Imelda Gomez, 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, Bernice Ciszek, Diane & Robert Juris, Salvatore Bottari, Theresa Lonski, Alex Silverman, Hedderman Family, Mary Ann Riccio, Dulce Robles, Pineda Echauz, Halal Sabacan, Mary Gallacher.

For the Deceased: Katherine Ava Maria Gubala, Elodia Kolody, Katherine Gesiakowski, William Marr, Jewel Radtke. *Eternal rest grant unto them, o Lord, and let the perpetual light shine upon them.*



From the Pastor's Desk

My Dearly Beloved Brothers and Sisters in Christ!

Last Wednesday (December 12th) we celebrated in the United States and in our parish the liturgical **Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe**. Let us remember that Mary portrayed in this image is the patroness of both Americas! We are a very unique community, where almost all respect their linguistic, cultural and religious differences. This diversity is our great wealth! Therefore let us value this great gift! Our Lord Jesus comes to all people on earth and takes care of all! We, as His disciples, have it imitate Him! Through the intercession of **Our Lady of Guadalupe** let us all pray for: **"strong hope, God's peace, continuous joy and love for God and all the people in our parish"**. Let us pray for the God's virtue for all our beloved parishioners and for all visitors who come to pray in our church. Please, remember that each one of you is a unique and **"priceless pearl"** of this exceptional Parish! I am very proud of YOU!

"Jesus, I Trust in You"!
Fr. Mariusz

CHRISTMAS EVE MONDAY, DECEMBER 24TH

5:00 pm Mass in English
8:00 pm Mass in Polish
10:00 pm Mass in Polish
12:00 am Midnight Mass in English

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25TH

6:15 am Mass in Polish
7:30 am Mass in English
9:00 am Mass in English
10:30 am Mass in Polish
12:00 pm Mass in English
1:30 pm Mass in Polish
5:00 pm Mass in Polish
6:30 pm Mass in Spanish



ST. STEPHEN THE FIRST MARTYR WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 26TH

7:30 am Mass in Polish
8:30 am Mass in English
12:00 pm Mass in Polish
7:00 pm Mass in Polish

NEW YEAR'S EVE MONDAY, DECEMBER 31ST, 2018

5:00 pm Mass in English
7:00 pm Mass in Polish

NEW YEAR'S DAY TUESDAY, JANUARY 1ST, 2019

6:15 am Mass in Polish
7:30 am Mass in English
9:00 am Mass in English
10:30 am Mass in Polish
12:00 pm Mass in English
1:30 pm Mass in Polish
5:00 pm Mass in Polish
6:30 pm Mass in Spanish

Our Weekly Offering

December 9, 2018	\$16,892.00
5:00PM _____	\$3,013.00
6:15AM _____	\$862.00
7:30AM _____	\$2,040.00
9:00AM _____	\$2,114.00
10:30AM _____	\$2,716.00
12:00PM _____	\$1,395.00
1:30PM _____	\$1,915.00
5:00PM _____	\$1,094.00
6:30PM _____	\$878.00
Mail In _____	\$665.00
Special Donation _____	\$200.00
Second Collection _____	\$3,883.00
Immaculate Conception _____	\$3,761.00

May God Bless All Who Support
Our Parish!!!

CHRISTMAS CONCERT Kasia Szczech, our organist, is inviting you to join "A Magical Keys Christmas Concert" **Saturday December 29th, 2018 at 7:00 pm here at St. Albert's**. Tickets are sold after Masses by the main entrance doors, \$12 adults and \$6 children. Profit will be used to help those in need this Christmas Holiday!

CELEBRANT SCHEDULE Saturday, December 22, 2018 Sunday, December 23, 2018

5:00 pm - Fr. Joseph Mol
6:15 am - Fr. Mariusz Nawalaniec
7:30 am - Fr. Bernardo Lozano
9:00 am - Fr. Leslaw Prebendowski
10:30 am - Fr. Mariusz Nawalaniec
12:00 pm - Fr. Leslaw Prebendowski
1:30 pm - Fr. Mariusz Nawalaniec
5:00 pm - Fr. Mariusz Nawalaniec
6:30 pm - Fr. Bernardo Lozano

**ALL PARISHIONERS ARE
INVITED TO JOIN US FOR THE
SIMBANG GABI MASS
THURSDAY
DECEMBER 20, 2018 7:00 PM**



Reception will follow
in Rogers Hall.



Our Second Collection this weekend is for **Christmas Flowers**. Please, be generous and help to make our church look beautiful for Christmas.



St. Albert the Great School

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MOMS, POPS, AND TOTS

WELCOMING ALL MOMS, POPS, AND YOUR 2 YEAR OLD TOTS TO JOIN OUR FUN-FILLED GROUP! EACH THURSDAY FROM 10:30-11:30 AM

REGISTER AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE OR CALL (708)424-7757

Free Club
Arts and Crafts
Sing and Play

Come out and have some fun with your little one while meeting other great families!
**Adult must be present with child

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TUESDAY
JANUARY
15
2019
AT 7 P.M.

For more information contact St. Albert the Great School at 708-424-7757

12/24 -1/4 Christmas Eve and Break

Did you know?...

That Kindergarten has begun using new technology this year. The students use Lexia for Language Arts, Moby Max for math, science, Social studies, and reading. They just started using Razz Kids this month.

Mrs. Merlo whom has been teaching Kindergarten at St. Albert the Great for the past 35 years said, "the students are leveled and they can work at their own pace. It also helps them to gain independence."



Join us...

ST. ALBERT THE GREAT
VERITAS, MENS, SANCTITAS
1515 WEST STATE ROAD, BURNING, ILLINOIS 60411

Pictures with Santa

December 20, 2018
10:30 am - 12:00 pm

*Bring your camera for a photo with Santa

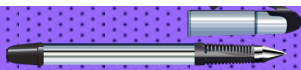
*Join our Moms, Pops, and Tots program for a fun Christmas activity

For more information please contact the school main office at (708) 424-7757

St. Albert the Great School Thanks the following for their generous donations to our School:

Pastor's Circle
Our Lady of Piat Circle
Friends of SATG

Helen Frye
Christine Cullum
Kenneth & Marie, WML Electric Services LLC, Mabenka Restaurant



Drodzy Bracia i Siostry!

W ostatnią środę (12-go grudnia) celebrowaliśmy w USA oraz w naszej parafii liturgiczne **Święto Matki Bożej z Guadalupe**. Pamiętajmy, że Maryja w tym wizerunku jest Patronką obu Ameryk! Jesteśmy wyjątkową wspólnotą parafialną, gdzie prawie wszyscy szanują swoją różnicę językową, kulturową i religijną. Ta różnorodność jest naszym wielkim bogactwem! Dlatego ceńmy sobie ten wielki dar! Pan Jezus przychodzi do wszystkich i troszczy się o wszystkich! My jako Jego uczniowie mamy Go w tym naśladować!

Za wstawiennictwem **Matki Bożej z Guadalupe** módlmy się o: „**mocną nadzieję, Boży pokój, ciągłą radość i gorącą miłość do Boga i ludzi w naszej parafii**”. Módlmy się o te Boże cnoty dla naszych umiłowanych parafian oraz wszystkich tych, którzy modlą się tak licznie w naszej świątyni. Pamiętajcie, że każdy z **WAS** jest „*bezenną perłą*” tej wyjątkowej Parafii! Jestem z **WAS** bardzo dumny!

Święta Maryjo, Matko Boża z Guadalupe – módl się za nami!

„*Jezu, ufam Tobie!*”
Fr. Mariusz

Spowiedź Adwentowa

Serdecznie zapraszamy na spowiedź przedświąteczną w naszej naszej parafii. (w j. polskim, angielskim i hiszpańskim) **ŚRODA 12/19/2018**
11:00 am - 1:00 pm i 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

ROZKŁAD MSZY ŚWIĘTYCH



**WIGILIA BOŻEGO NARODZENIA
PONIEDZIAŁEK, 24 GRUDZIEŃ 2018**

5:00 pm Msza w j. angielskim
8:00 pm Msza w j. polskim
10:00 pm Msza w j. polskim
12:00 am Msza w j. angielskim

**BOŻE NARODZENIE
WTOREK, 25 GRUDZIEŃ 2018**

6:15 am Msza w j. polskim
7:30 am Msza w j. angielskim
9:00 am Msza w j. angielskim
10:30 am Msza w j. polskim
12:00 pm Msza w j. angielskim
1:30 pm Msza w j. polskim
5:00 pm Msza w j. polskim
6:30 pm Msza w j. hiszpańskim

**SZCZEPANA MĘCZENNIKA
ŚRODA, 26 GRUDZIEŃ 2018**

7:30 am Msza w j. polskim
8:30 am Msza w j. angielskim
12:00 pm Msza w j. polskim
7:00 pm Msza w j. polskim

**POŻEGNANIE STAREGO ROKU
PONIEDZIAŁEK, 31 GRUDZIEŃ 2018**

5:00 pm Msza w j. angielskim
7:00 pm Msza w j. polskim

**NOWY ROK
PONIEDZIAŁEK, 1 STYCZEŃ 2019**

6:15 am Msza w j. polskim
7:30 am Msza w j. angielskim
9:00 am Msza w j. angielskim
10:30 am Msza w j. polskim
12:00 pm Msza w j. angielskim
1:30 pm Msza w j. polskim
5:00 pm Msza w j. polskim
6:30 pm Msza w j. hiszpańskim

KONCERT ŚWIĄTECZNY

Nasza organistka, Kasia Szczęch zaprasza na Koncert Świąteczny "**A Magical Keys Christmas Concert**" w sobotę **29-go grudnia o godz. 7:00 pm w parafii Św. Alberta**, który wyprodukowała wraz z jej siostrą Karoliną Szczęch. Zaangażowanych jest ponad 50 osób, orkiestra na żywo, oraz chór wraz z dziećmi które będą śpiewać radosne Świąteczne Kolędy. Koncert jest zorganizowany by wspomóc Dom Samotnej Matki w Chicago. Dochód z donacji i biletów będzie przekazany na ten szczytny cel. Bilety są do nabycia przy głównych drzwiach kościoła, \$12 dorośli oraz \$6 dzieci. Prosimy o przybycie na ten wielki koncert w sobotę 29-go grudnia i o wsparcie tych, którzy są w potrzebie w tym Świątecznym okresie!

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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)
WEEKDAYS (Monday-Friday)
 6:30 AM, 8:30 AM (English), 7:30 AM (Polish)
SATURDAY 7:30 AM (Polish) 8:30 AM (English)
SACRED HEART ADORATION CHAPEL
 Open Monday - Friday 8:30AM to 8:30 PM
 Open Saturday 8:30 AM to 6:00 PM
FIRST FRIDAY Bilingual Confessions
 7:00-7:30 AM, 4:30-6:00 PM; 6:00 PM Mass (Polish)
HOLY DAYS Please refer to schedule 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 (English) 1st, 2nd, 3rd Sunday 3:15 PM
 (Polish) All Sundays (Except for Special Holidays)
 (Spanish) 4th Sunday of each month
Baptism Preparation Class Last Thursday of each month at 7:00 PM
 Parish registration and attendance at the Baptism Preparation Class
 are required prior to Baptism
SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE
 All wedding arrangements must be made with
 the parish priest at least 6 months prior to the scheduled date
 Wedding ceremonies; Saturday 12:00 PM and 2:00 PM (No Sundays)

PARISH STAFF:

REV. MARIUSZ NAWALANIEC
 PASTOR
REV. LESLAW PREBENDOWSKI Sch.
 ASSOCIATE PASTOR
REV. BERNARDO LOZANO HERNANDEZ
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PERMANENT DEACONS:

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SR. WERONIKA ILNICKA
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SR. WIOLETTA KOLTUN

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.

PLANNED GIVING TO YOUR PARISH Remembering your parish in your is an excellent way to demonstrate love and appreciation for the people and things you care about most. When the parish receives gifts through wills, we know, respect and appreciate the thought and care that went into the decision to make us a beneficiary. If you would like to remember the St. Albert the Great Parish in your will, please contact the parish office. Our parish will remember you by engraving your name on a special appreciation plaque.

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.