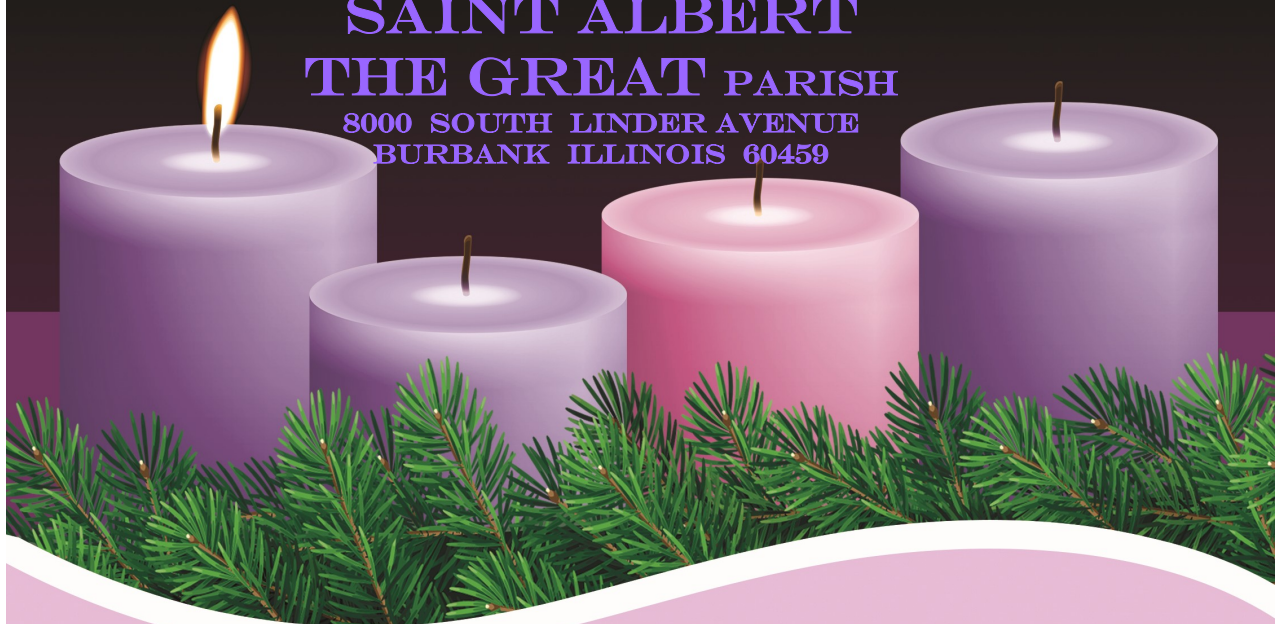


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THE GREAT PARISH
8000 SOUTH LINDER AVENUE
BURBANK ILLINOIS 60459



First Sunday of
Advent

December 2, 2018

Be vigilant at all times and pray that you have the strength
to escape the tribulations that are imminent
and to stand before the Son of Man.

Luke 21:36

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, December 2, 2018

6:15 am + Anna Kwak
7:30 am + Ercole & Innocenza Sturino
9:00 am + John Leitner
10:30 am + Stanislaw Brozny, + Wladyslaw Truty
+ Kazimierz Laz, + Zofia Stanek, + Hermina Kowalik
12:00 pm + Peter George Sopko, - All Souls in the Purgatory
1:30 pm + Andrzej Kapusciaz, + Stanley Kalicki
+ Janusz Swiatek, + Wladyslaw Tatar
5:00 pm -
6:30 pm - Rafael & Berta Gutierrez
30th Wedding Anniversary Blessing

Monday, December 3, 2018

6:30 am + Donna Wesselhoff, + John Gembara
7:30 am + Stanley Kalicki
8:30 am -

Tuesday, December 4, 2018

6:30 am -
7:30 am + Stanislaw Tylka, + Stanley Kalicki
8:30 am - Shaughnessy & Mearna Families

Wednesday, December 5, 2018

6:30 am -
7:30 am - Chris Kurzynski - Blessing for Health
+ Stanley Kalicki
8:30 am + Baby Catherine Adamow
5:30 pm - Roraty - Msza dla Dzieci

Thursday, December 6, 2018

6:30 am + Vern Shipman
7:30 am - Chris Kurzynski - Blessing for Health
8:30 am -

First Friday, December 7, 2018

6:30 am + Concetta Di Silvestro
7:30 am - Chris Kurzynski - Blessing for Health
+ Dan Naumowicz, + Stanley Kalicki
8:30 am + Patricia Miller, + John Klimek Jr.
6:00 pm - Polish Devotions

Saturday, December 8, 2018

Immaculate Conception of the B. V. M.

6:30 am - For All Parishioners (in English)
7:30 am + Stanley Kalicki
8:30 am + Madonna Shaughnessy, + Victoria Layman
- Chris Kurzynski - Blessing for Health
12:00 pm - For All Parishioners (in Polish)
5:00 pm + Stanley & Veronica Ojer, + Sam Rizzo
+ Anna & James Shaughnessy, + Michael Rizzo
+ Mary Beth Dickinson
- Maria Malloy - Blessing for Health
6:30 pm - For All Parishioners (in Spanish)

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Monday: St. Francis Xavier
Tuesday: St. John Damascene
Thursday: St. Nicholas
Friday: St. Ambrose; First Friday
Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day
Saturday: The Immaculate Conception of the
Blessed Virgin Mary



The Immaculate Conception of The Virgin Mary the Patronal Feast Day of the United States of America Mass Schedule for Saturday, December 8, 2018

**6:30 am, 8:30 am (in English)
7:30 am, 12:00 pm (in Polish)
6:30 pm (in Spanish)**

Please take advantage of our **Advent Confessions**

In English: Friday, Dec. 14th from 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

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



The Holy Name Society
is sponsoring its annual
**Pancake Breakfast with
Santa Claus on Sunday,
December 9, 2018.**

Join us for a delicious breakfast
of pancakes and sausage from

7:00 am to 11:30 am. Bring your camera; Santa Claus
will be there for the children.

Let Us Pray for the Sick



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 Pruett,
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, Shirley McVane, 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 Ciszek,
Diane & Robert Juris, Salvatore Bottari, Theresa Lonski, Alex
Silverman, Hedderman Family, Mary Ann Riccio, Dulce Robles,
Pineda Echaz, Halal Sabacan, Mary Gallacher.

For the Deceased: Adam Bartosik, Rudolph J.
Chromizky, Donald Rudman. *Eternal rest grant unto them,
o Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.
May they rest in peace.*



Thank You for the Tabernacle Flowers

MARIA RADWANSKI



From the Pastor's Desk

My Dearly Beloved Brothers and Sisters in Christ!

Today, we are celebrating the first Sunday of Advent and the beginning of the new liturgical year! I wish each one of you that the New Liturgical Year was filled with **Love, Kindness and Prayers!** For this to happen we must remember and try to realize the recipe for a happy Advent and the entire Liturgical Year:

Recipe for Advent and a Happy Liturgical New Year:

*Take twelve months;
Clean them thoroughly from bitterness, avarice, pedantry, and fear,
Cut each month into thirty or thirty-one equal parts,
So that this stock will last for a whole year.*

*Each part will be prepared separately
And arranged with one part of working and two parts of cheerfulness and good humour,
Then three big spoons heaped with optimism are added ,
As well as one small spoon of tolerance,
One grain of irony and a pinch of tactfulness.
Finally everything will be flavoured abundantly with lots of love.*

*It is recommended to adorn this dinner
with small bouquets of attentiveness
and serve it daily with serenity
and a cup of good revitalizing tea.*

by Katharina Elisabeth Goethe, (Mother of Johann Wolfgang von Goethe)

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



Sharing Tree 2018



Dear Parishioners, Our Sharing Trees are in the church vestibule. As in previous years we are collecting gifts for Visitation School in Chicago as well as our St. Vincent DePaul Society. There are also tags with envelopes available for monetary donations to our St. Vincent DePaul Society, any all amounts are greatly appreciated. These envelopes can be put into the Sunday collection baskets or brought in on the 16th. Please read and return on the day specified to enable time to sort and pack. 1. In your generosity please limit the number of tags to one per family so that more families can participate. 2. Please bring your wrapped gift on Sunday, Dec.16 and take it downstairs to the church basement. (due to storage we are collecting the gifts on this day only). **Thank you for your cooperation and generosity. The Sharing Tree Committee**

Our Weekly Offering

November 18, 2018	\$15,491.00	November 25, 2018	\$14,327.00
5:00PM _____	\$2,105.00	5:00PM _____	\$1,861.00
6:15AM _____	\$765.00	6:30 PM _____	\$347.00
7:30AM _____	\$1,215.00	6:15AM _____	\$727.00
9:00AM _____	\$2,345.00	7:30AM _____	\$1,431.00
10:30AM _____	\$3,042.00	9:00AM _____	\$1,927.00
12:00PM _____	\$1,518.00	10:30AM _____	\$2,163.00
1:30PM _____	\$1,511.00	12:00PM _____	\$1,722.00
5:00PM _____	\$1,018.00	1:30PM _____	\$1,754.00
6:30PM _____	\$732.00	5:00PM _____	\$1,156.00
Mail In _____	\$90.00	6:30PM _____	\$732.00
Special Donation _____	\$1,150.00	Mail In _____	\$320.00
Second Collection _____	\$4,808.00	Special Donation _____	\$187.00
		Second Collection _____	\$4,596.50



We thank all parishioners who participated in the **BABY BOTTLE DRIVE**. The drive totaled **\$9,959.59** that went to Woman's Care Center in LaGrange to support women who need help to avoid abortion. 162 babies have already been saved in the 2 months the center has been opened. **We thank all who were so generous! St. Albert's Pro Life**

CELEBRANT SCHEDULE

Saturday, December 8, 2018

5:00 pm - Fr. Joseph Mol

Sunday, December 9, 2018

6:15 am - Fr. Mariusz Nawalaniec

7:30 am - Fr. Mariusz Nawalaniec

9:00 am - Fr. Bernardo Lozano

10:30 am - Fr. Mariusz Nawalaniec

12:00 pm - Fr. Bernardo Lozano

1:30 pm - Fr. Mariusz Nawalaniec

5:00 pm - Fr. Mariusz Nawalaniec

6:30 pm - Fr. Bernardo Lozano

May God Bless All Who Support Our Parish!!!

HEARTFELT Remember that God prefers the poverty of our hearts to the most sublime thoughts borrowed from others. —St. Peter Julian Eymard



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 FOR ONE HOUR STARTING ON NOVEMBER 29, 2018 10:30-11:30 AM

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



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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MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Applications for K-12 tax credit scholarships for the 2019-2020 school year will be available **mid-January 2019.**

STAY TUNED FOR MORE DETAILS!



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



12/24 -1/4 Christmas Eve and Break

Did you know?...

That our personalized learning program has begun to take shape everyday in every classroom. Students are working on chrome books, computers, and iPads. They are working independently, or in collaboration with others. Students in 4th through 8th use Edtech programs such as ThinkCERCA and Lexia.



Benjamin Vasquez who is currently a 4th grader said, "I listen to the instructions and then complete my assignments in Lexia. I enjoy working on my spelling."

Emily Keane is an 8th grader that plans to attend St. Laurence High School. Emily said, "I like to work on ThinkCerca because we can work with our classmates."



According to ThinkCerca, "interactive lessons help students work through complex texts and concepts while building upon high-level literacy skills. By practicing close reading and academic writing in school, students develop the communication skills to express their ideas effectively."

Join us...



FUNDRAISER EVENT

Raise Money for: St. Albert the Great School

When	Where	How
Tuesday, December 4, 2018 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Panda Express at 95th & Melvina 6152 W. 95th Street Oak Lawn, IL 60453	In-store or Online : Show paper or digital version of this flyer Online: Enter 259792 in the promo code box during online checkout.

20% of event sales will be donated to: St. Albert the Great School

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Join our Honors Assembly on 12/7/18 after mass.

Join us for our Christmas Concert 12/13/18 at 6:00 pm



Drodzy Bracia i Siostry!

Przeżywamy pierwszą Niedzielę Adwentu i jednocześnie rozpoczęliśmy już w Kościele Katolickim Nowy Rok Liturgiczny! Życzę każdemu z Was z osobna i Sobie też, aby ten Nowy Rok Liturgiczny był wypełniony **Miłością, Dobrocią i Modlitwą!** Aby tak się stało pamiętajmy i starajmy się realizować przepis na szczęśliwy Adwent i cały Nowy Rok Liturgiczny:

*„Bierzemy 12 miesięcy
i oczyszczamy je dokładnie z goryczy, chciwości, małostkowości i lęku.
Po czym rozkrajamy każdy miesiąc na 30 lub 31 części tak,
aby zapasu wystarczyło dokładnie na cały rok.*

Każdy dzień przyrządzamy osobno:

z jednego kawałka pracy i dwóch kawałków pogody i humoru.

Do tego dodajemy 3 duże łyżki optymizmu, łyżeczkę tolerancji, ziarenko ironii i odrobinę taktu.

Następnie całą masę polewamy dokładnie dużą ilością miłości i dobroci.

Gotową potrawę przyozdabiamy bukietem uprzejmości i podajemy codziennie z radością i z filiżanką modlitwy”.

(Katharina Elisabeth Goethe)

„Jezu, ufam Tobie”!

Fr. Mariusz



ŚWIECE NA STÓŁ WIGILIJNY

Zapraszamy do zakupu świec na stół wigilijny jako donacja na Dom Samotnej Matki w Chicago prowadzony przez Siostry Misjonarki Chrystusa Króla dla Polonii. Zakupując tę świecę, możesz uradować serca tych, którzy potrzebują pomocnej dłoni. Można ją będzie zakupić w cenie \$5.00 po każdej Mszy św. w każdą niedzielę Adwentu w holu Kościoła. Również będzie możliwość zakupu opłatków, stroików i dekoracji świątecznych. Zapraszamy.



RORATY DLA DZIECI

W każdą środę Adwentu zapraszamy w szczególności wszystkie dzieci na Mszę św, Roratnią o godz. 5:30 pm w naszym Kościele. Prosimy, by dzieci przygotowały lampiony, które symbolizują czas oczekiwania na przyście Pana Jezusa. Zapraszamy.

Spowiedź Adwentowa

Serdecznie zapraszamy na spowiedź przedświąteczną w naszej parafii.

(w j. angielskim)

PIĄTEK 12/14/28

7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

(w j. polskim i angielskim)

ŚRODA 12/19/2018

11:00 am - 1:00 pm

6:00 pm - 9:00 pm



Za jakąkolwiek pomoc w remoncie (adaptacji) pomieszczeń, w imieniu katechetów, dzieci i rodziców programu Edukacji Religijnej Osób Szczególnej Troski, Dziękuję. Po Mszach św. zebraliśmy \$3,116.00 Bóg zapłać. *Jan Szewczyk*

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 w wieku 13-tu lat i poniżej. 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:

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 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.