

SAINT ALBERT THE GREAT PARISH  
8000 LINDER AVENUE BURBANK ILLINOIS 60459

THE HOLY FAMILY OF  
JESUS, MARY, AND JOSEPH  
DECEMBER 26, 2021



*Jesus said to his parents,  
“Why were you looking for me?  
Did you not know that I  
must be in my Father’s house?”*

*Luke 2:49*

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Sunday, December 26, 2021 St. Stephen the Martyr

6:15 am + Janina Zajac  
 7:30 am + Max & Alice Gajos  
 + Larry & Patricia Fischer  
 9:00 am + Max & Alice Gajos  
 - Ciesielczyk Family - Blessing  
 10:30 am + Andrzej Nawalaniec, + Jan Stopka, + Janusz Olszewski  
 + Jozefa Gancarska, + Kasia Kieta, + Eugeniusz Lichosyt  
 12:00 pm + Manuel Hernandez 1st Death Anniversary  
 + Kathleen Ellis Grogan  
 1:30 pm + Jan & Helena Budz, + Teresa Budz  
 + Katarzyna & Andrzej Podkowa  
 + Jozef & Aleksandra Leja  
 5:00 pm - All Parishioners - Blessing  
 6:30 pm + J. Amparo Nieto Cruz 1st Death Anniversary

### Monday, December 27, 2021

6:30 am + Larry & Patricia Fischer, + Frank Kurzawa Sr.  
 7:30 am + Stanislaw Bafia, + Ks. Andrzej Maryniarczyk  
 + Janina Zajac, + Jan Styrzula  
 8:30 am + Mildred Hardy

### Tuesday, December 28, 2021

6:30 am - Rose - Birthday Blessing, + Larry & Patricia Fischer  
 7:30 am + Stanley Kalicki, + Janina Zajac  
 8:30 am + Jeffrey Godlewski, + Rafael Ledesma  
 - Gregory Oleksy - Birthday Blessing

### Wednesday, December 29, 2021

6:30 am + Larry & Patricia Fischer, + Bernice Kurzawa  
 7:30 am + Zofia Kowalczyk  
 8:30 am + Manuel Garcia Birthday Remembrance  
 - Antoine Mercado - Birthday Blessing  
 - Jasmin Alvarado - Gift of Faith & Conversion  
 6:00 pm + Janina Zajac

### Thursday, December 30, 2021

6:30 am + Larry & Patricia Fischer  
 7:30 am + Janina Zajac  
 8:30 am + Laurie Slimak, + Ercole & Innocenza Sturino

### Friday, December 31, 2021 New Year's Eve

6:30 am + Larry Fischer  
 7:30 am + Janina Zajac  
 8:30 am + Patricia Fischer  
 5:00 pm + Lorette Hollcraft  
 7:00 pm - All Parishioners - Blessing

### Saturday, January 1, 2022 New Year's Day

6:15 am - All Parishioners - Blessing  
 7:30 am + George Gustafson, + Ercole & Innocenza Sturino  
 + Larry & Patricia Fischer  
 9:00 am + Joanne Zabransky, + Lorette Hollcraft  
 - Children of Cynthia Mercado - Blessing  
 10:30 am - Galica & Plewa Family Blessing for the New Year  
 12:00 pm + Ronald J. Novak, + Larry & Patricia Fischer  
 1:30 pm - All Parishioners - Blessing  
 3:00 pm - All Parishioners - Blessing  
 5:00 pm + Franciszka Stopka, + Ronald J. Novak

### Sunday, January 2, 2022

6:15 am - Galica & Plewa Family - Blessing  
 7:30 am - All Parishioners - Blessing  
 9:00 am + Jozef Molek  
 10:30 am + Stanislaw Laz, + Kazimierz Laz, + Kasia Kieta  
 + Franciszek Kopec 5th Death Anniversary  
 + Ks. Infulat Wladyslaw Bochnak & Family Members  
 + Jozef Maciasz 5th Death Anniversary  
 + Stanislaw Brozny, + Wladyslaw Truty  
 + Marianna Wlodarczyk 5th Death Anniversary  
 12:00 pm + Larry & Patricia Fisher, + Kathleen Ellis Grogan  
 1:30 pm + Stanislaw Janik  
 5:00 pm - All Parishioners - Blessing  
 6:30 pm - All Parishioners - Blessing

*Many God's blessings in the New Year 2022 For  
 all Parishioners and Guests  
 of St. Albert the Great*



from Fr. Mariusz Nawalaniec, Pastor,  
 Assoc. Pastors; Fr. Sergiusz Angur,  
 Fr. Bernardo Lozano Hernandez, Fr. Joseph Mol,  
 Deacons: Irvin Bryce, Raymundo Diaz De Leon,  
 Raul Duque, Missionary Sisters of Christ the King:  
 Sr. Wioletta Koltun, Sr. Weronika Ilnicka, Sr. Beata Koltun  
 and the Parish Staff.

## FAMILY LIFE

Christmas celebrates the Incarnation, the "en-flesh-ment" of God as a human person. In Jesus, God is bodily present in the human story. Today we honor the Holy Family, helping us to see that God is active in daily family life. God is near at hand, amidst the tensions, joys, and uncertainties of family life. As our Gospel passage describes, even with family mission, the Holy Family persevered in their life together. Like many family conflicts, there was no immediate or clear resolution of the issues raised by Jesus and by Mary. God's intentions for the family, and for Jesus, were still unfolding. They continued to stay connected with each other and with God. Within the turbulence of family life, they trusted God to actively sustain and guide them into an uncertain future. We are invited to follow their example. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



**Thank You for the Tabernacle Flowers**  
 Jozef & Elzbieta Sochacki

## Let Us Pray for the Sick

Alvarez Lupe	Kandich John	Pawlak Elaine M.
Amato Frances	Kemp Belinda	Pawlak Michael A.
Arp K & J	Klus Gabrysia	Piete Sr. Paulette
Bella Vincent	Janecek Jr. Jerry	Pineda Family
Benanti Rose	Lawlor Donna	Porfirio John
Bojczuk, Fr. Ted	Leffers Will	Pruett Lefteri
Bottari Salvatore	Ling Ginger	Ricco Mary Ann
Brennan Linda	Lopez Emily	Robles Dulce
Bryce Joan	Lubawski Ken	Ruffolo Lou
Buchalski Marilyn	Lubawski Monique	Sabacan Family
Chiavetta James	Lonski Therese	Shehane Mary Jane
Dabrowski Stan & John	Mazgaj Linda	Silverman Alex
Dulce Alice	Mercurio Robert J.	Slavik Ed
Eaton Leon	Merino Jan	Strezo Bernadette
Formica Phyllis	Metz Robert	Strezo Sr., Richard
Grogan Tom	Molek Gabrysia	Szymanek Joshua
Hedderman Family	Mortell Flora	Villafan Mary
Herrmann Debra	Fr. Murawka Slawomir	Zahradnicek M.
Brazeau Family	Pahl Don	Ziobro Elaine
Jandura Denise & Rich	Onsagher M & C	

## Let Us Pray for the Deceased:

**Parishioners of St. Albert the Great, Maria Skupien,  
 Rosendo Calderone, Aleksander Stoklosa, Maria Walkosz,  
 Imelda Tapia, James Svec.**

*Eternal rest grant unto them, o Lord, and let the perpetual light  
 shine upon them. May they rest in peace.*

## From the Pastor's Desk

**Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ!**

Before us the final five days of the Old Year 2021. With a great hope we look to the future and the coming New Year 2022. May this New Year be a time of faith, hope, love, trust, joy and mercy. May it be better than the old one, may every new day be filled with God's Blessings, protection of Mary the Holy Mother of Jesus and our Patron Saint Albert the Great. May the Lord God keep you always and everywhere. **"Happy New Year 2022 and many God's Blessings"!!!**



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

### **The Holy Family OF JESUS, MARY, AND JOSEPH December 26, 2021**

A child's first words are usually a source of excitement and joy for family members. Today we hear the first words of Jesus in the Gospel according to Luke. And they are challenging ones. "Why were you looking for me? Did you not know that I must be in my Father's house?" The words astounded, astonished, and great anxiety are used to describe Jesus' extended visit to the Temple. How familiar those emotions are to most parents! Had Jesus' parents forgotten the angel Gabriel's words or the prophecy of Simeon? In Luke's Gospel this passage foreshadows Jesus' final journey to Jerusalem where he will experience his own Passover and again be "lost" for three days. The story of Hannah in the first reading confirms the need and nature of trusting in God's activity in our lives. It seems clear that faithful attention to a family's spiritual life is no guarantee that life will be free from hardship.

#### **EMMANUEL: GOD IS WITH US**

Could Tolstoy have gotten it wrong when he wrote that all happy families are alike and that unhappy families are each

unhappy in their own way? It seems that the opposite is equally true. Because happy families foster the unique talents and interests of each member, each person shines according to their own lights. A happy family's faith, goals, and challenges will be uniquely their own. Unhappy families, on the other hand, might look very similar in their woundedness, their fears and confrontations, and their tendency to give negative interpretations to another's actions.

It is tempting to conclude that family life today is more problematic than ever. It might be reassuring to learn that the feast of the Holy Family was added to the Church's universal calendar because of Pope Leo XIII's concern for the state of family life—one hundred years ago! During this season of Christmas when families are everywhere, we welcome Emmanuel—the God who has pitched his tent among us.

Today's Readings: 1 Sam 1:20–22, 24–28; Ps 84:2–3, 5–6, 9–10; 1 Jn 3:1–2, 21–24; Lk 2:41–52

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#### **THOUGHTS FOR THE NEW YEAR**

"Celebrate endings - For they precede new beginnings." - J. L. Huie

"Write it on your heart that every day is the best day in the year." - R. Waldo Emerson

"Tomorrow is the first blank page of a 365-page book. Write a good one." - B. Paisley

"New year—a new chapter, new verse, or just the same old story? Ultimately we write it. The choice is ours." - A. Morritt

#### **THE NAME FOR GOD**

Mother is the name for God on the lips and in the hearts of little children.

—William Makepeace Thackeray

#### **Our Weekly Offering 12/12/2021**

**First Collection \_\_\_\_\_ \$16,864.00**

**Second Collection \_\_\_\_\_ \$4,238.00**

**God Bless All Who Supported  
Our Parish!!!**

#### **CELEBRANT SCHEDULE**

##### **Sunday, January 2, 2022**

6:15 am - Fr. Mariusz Nawalaniec

7:30 am - Fr. Bernardo Lozano

9:00 am - Fr. Joseph Mol

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



#### **New Year 2022 Mass Schedule**

##### **Friday, December 31, 2021**

##### **New Years Eve**

5:00 pm Mass in English

7:00 pm Mass in Polish

##### **Saturday, January 1, 2022**

##### **New Years Day**

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

3:00 pm Mass in Spanish

5:00 pm Mass in Polish

**The Adoration Chapel and the Parish Office will be closed on New Year's Eve Friday 12/31/21 and New Year's Day, Saturday, January 1st, 2022.**



Great things happen @ St. Albert the Great!



# THE GREAT EVENT

**February 26, 2022**

An event to honor our Hall of Fame inductee and to raise funds for our SATG Endowment.  
School parents, parishioners, and alumni are encouraged to attend with their friends and family (for ages 18 and up).  
Tickets to the event will be available in January.

**HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE:  
JEANNE MERLO  
(retired SATG teacher)**

Save the Date  
February 26, 2022  
Induction Mass 5:00 pm (for all ages)  
HOF Celebration 7:00 pm (for ages 18 and up)



RESERVATION OPENS  
**6:30 PM**

CLICK TO SUBMIT  
**7:00 PM**

For more information,  
visit [EmpowerIllinois.Org/Apply](http://EmpowerIllinois.Org/Apply)

2022-2023 TAX CREDIT SCHOLARSHIP  
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APPLICATION

01.13.22 at 8am  
[www.BIGSHOULDERSFUND.ORG](http://www.BIGSHOULDERSFUND.ORG)



**Szczęśliwego Nowego Roku 2022!!!**

**Moi Drodzy Parafianie i Goście !**

**Niech Nowo Narodzony Chrystus Wam Wszystkij Błogosławi  
a Nowy Rok 2022 zbliży Was jeszcze bardziej do Boga.**

Z pamięcią w modlitwie ks. proboszcz Mariusz Nawalaniec, ks. Sergiusz Angur,  
ks. Bernardo Lozano Hernandez, ks. Joseph Mol, diakoni: Irvin Bryce, Raymundo Diaz De Leon,  
Raúl Duque, Siostry Misjonarki Chrystusa Króla: S. Wioletta Koltun, S. Weronika Ilnicka,  
S. Beata Koltun oraz Pracownicy Parafii.



**2021/2022**  
**Góralско - Ciperska**  
**Zabawa Sylwestrowa**  
**u Świętego Alberta Wielkiego**  
**5555 State Rd., Burbank, Il.**

Zabawę będzie umilał  
**„FELICITA BAND”**

**PIATEK,**  
**31 GRUDNIA, 2021**  
**ROZPOCZĘCIE**  
**UROCZYSTĄ**  
**MSZĄ ŚWIĘTĄ**  
**O GODZ. 7:00 PM**  
**ZABAWA**  
**DO GODZ. 2:00 AM**

**W cenie biletu:**  
\*Wysmienite jadlo  
\*Góralско Chata  
z wędliną i sm alcem  
\*Owoce morza  
\*Świeże owoce  
\*Słodki stół  
\*Szampan, Cytrynowka  
Przepalanka, Malinówka

**Bar (płatny)**  
**obficie zaopatrzone**

**Bilety \$100.00**  
do nabycia  
od poniedziałku  
do soboty w biurze  
parafialnym  
708-423-0321  
lub w niedzielę  
po każdej Mszy Św.

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Ks. Mariusz, Sr. Weronika,  
Władzia, Beata, Maria, Kasia,  
Danusia, Irena, Józek,  
Staszek, Andrzej i Robert.

**ROZKŁAD MSZY ŚWIĘTYCH W J. POLSKIM - NOWY ROK 2022**  
**ZAKOŃCZENIE STAREGO ROKU 12/31/21 7:30 am, 7:00 pm**  
**NOWY ROK 1/1/2022 6:15 am, 10:30 am, 1:30 pm, 5:00 pm**

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*Please call for Baptism, 1st Communion, Confirmation  
 Marriage ceremony, parish registration,  
 convert instruction, prolonged illness at home.*  
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**MASSES:**

**SATURDAY 5:00 PM Sunday Obligation (English);  
 6:30 PM Sunday Obligation (Polish)**

**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 (English-September 1 to June 30)  
 (Monday-Saturday) 7:30 AM (Polish) 8:30 AM (English)**

**WEDNESDAYS 6:00 PM Novena to the Blessed Virgin Mary (Polish)**

**SACRED HEART ADORATION CHAPEL**  
 Open Monday - Friday 8:30AM to 8:30 PM  
 Fridays 3:00 PM - Divine Mercy Chaplet (Polish)  
 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.**

**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 in English - Last Thursday of each month at 7:00 PM.  
 In Polish - Last Monday of each month at 7:00 PM  
 In Spanish - Second Sunday of each month at 9:00 AM  
 Parish registration and attendance at the Baptism Preparation Class  
 are required prior to Baptism for the first born child.**

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE**  
*All marriage arrangements must be made with the parish priest at least  
 6 months prior to the scheduled date Marriage ceremonies; Saturday 12:00 PM and  
 2:00 PM (No Sundays).*

**PARISH STAFF:**

**REV. MARIUSZ NAWALANIEC**  
 PASTOR  
**REV. SERGIUSZ ANGUR Sch.**  
 ASSOCIATE PASTOR  
**REV. BERNARDO LOZANO HERNANDEZ**  
 ASSOCIATE PASTOR  
**REV. JOSEPH MOL**  
 SACRAMENTAL HELP

**PERMANENT DEACONS:**

**MR. IRVIN A. BRYCE, JR.**  
**MR. RAYMUNDO DIAZ DE LEON**  
**MR. RAUL C. DUQUE**

**MISSIONARY SISTERS  
 OF CHRIST THE KING:**

**SR. WIOLETTA KOLTUN - Superior**  
**SR. WERONIKA ILNICKA**  
**SR. BEATA KOLTUN**

**PARISH OFFICE**

708-423-0321  
 OPEN MONDAY - FRIDAY  
 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
 AND 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
 SATURDAY  
 9:00 AM - 12:00 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 will 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

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**Mondays**

St. Albert the Great **Seniors** (60 or over) meet 1st and 3rd Monday of each month from 11:00 am to 2:30 pm 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 pm

**Tuesdays**

Play **Bingo** every Tuesday Night. Door open at 4:45 pm Games start 6:45 pm Come Hungry! Full kitchen!

**Pro Life Group** meets every 2nd Tuesday of each month in the Administration Building at 10:00 am Please Join them!

**Wednesdays**

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

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

**Thursdays**

**Holy Hour Adoration** of the Blessed Sacrament in the Adoration Chapel 7:30 pm.to 8:30 pm

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

**Fridays**

**Cub Scouts Pack 3481** meets on Fridays at 6:00 pm 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 pm