

SAINT ALBERT THE GREAT PARISH
8000 LINDER AVENUE BURBANK ILLINOIS 60459

January 16, 2022

Second
SUNDAY

IN ORDINARY TIME



[Jesus' mother said to the servers,]
“Do whatever he tells you.”

JOHN 2:5

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, January 16, 2022 Pro Life Sunday

6:15 am + Tadeusz Kolodziejcki
 7:30 am + Jeffrey Godlewski
 9:00 am + Stanislaw Tylka
 10:30 am + Kasia Kieta, + Zofia & Andrzej Krol
 12:00 pm - God's Blessing for Children in SPRED
 + Larry & Patricia Fisher, + Kathleen Ellis Grogan
 + James Donaldson
 1:30 pm + Janusz Sochacki
 5:00 pm + Jan & Helena Budz, + Teresa Budz
 6:30 pm + Eustolia Martinez 10th Death Anniversary
 + Teresa Guzman Ruiz

Monday, January 17, 2022

6:30 am + Larry Fischer
 7:30 am + Anna Przewlocka 1st month after death
 8:30 am + Louis V. Krakowski

Tuesday, January 18, 2022

6:30 am + Larry Fischer
 7:30 am + Andrzej Nawalaniec
 8:30 am + Patricia Fischer, - Joan Foley - Blessing

Wednesday, January 19, 2022

6:30 am + Marianna Zukowski
 7:30 am + Janusz Sochacki
 8:30 am + Mary M. O'Boyle
 6:00 pm - All Parishioners - Blessing

Thursday, January 20, 2022

6:30 am + Arthur Cox
 7:30 am + Witold Oplatek
 8:30 am + Irma Cantu 8th Death Anniversary

Friday, January 21, 2022

6:30 am - Strezo Family - Blessing
 7:30 am - Leszek Zbyryt - Blessing
 8:30 am - Ann & Colm Lynch & Family - Blessing

Saturday, January 22, 2022

7:30 am + Janusz Sochacki
 8:30 am + Edward Jankowski
 - German Alvarado - Blessing, Faith & Conversion
 5:00 pm - All Parishioners - Blessing
 6:30 pm + Felicja Marciniak

Sunday, January 23, 2022

6:15 am + Janina & Franciszek Zajac
 7:30 am + Ercole & Innocenza Sturino
 9:00 am + Stanley & Veronica Ojer, + Mary Talty
 + Stanislaw Armata, + Jack Lawler
 + Stanislaw Tylka
 10:30 am + Kasia Kieta, + Janusz Olszewski
 + Gabriela Solkani
 + Zofia & Andrzej Krol
 12:00 pm + Larry & Patricia Fischer
 + Kathleen Ellis Grogan
 + Jose Abel Martinez
 1:30 pm + Janusz Sochacki
 5:00 pm - All Parishioners - Blessing
 6:30 pm + Mario Fierro

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Monday: Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
 Tuesday: Week of Prayer for Christian Unity begins
 Wednesday: Julian Calendar Theophany (Epiphany)
 Thursday: St. Fabian; St. Sebastian
 Friday: St. Agnes
 Saturday: Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection
 of Unborn Children

A Message from St. Albert the Great Pro-Life Group

We are a small group of parishioners who promote the dignity and respect for life at all stages and pray for the end of abortion. Our ministry is one of education, prayer, and support for the Pro-Life cause. We welcome new members. Please join us on the second Tuesday of each month at 10:00 a.m. in the administration building. For more information call Guy Cesario, Coordinator, at 708-269-2187



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Pray with us:

Mary, Mother of the Church, graciously help us build a culture of life and a civilization of love, together with all people of good will, to the praise and glory of God, the Creator and lover of life. Amen.

YOUR BEST

Give to the world the best you have and the best will come back to you. —Anonymous

THE EXISTENCE OF GOD

No one who understands the reality that God is can think that God does not exist. —St. Anselm of Canterbury



Thank You for the Tabernacle Flowers

Henryk & Aniela Cieczczak
 Jan & Maria Harbut

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
Fr. Bojczuk, 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
Diedrich Michael	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
Hermann 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, Steve Zawacki, Witold Oplatek, Marianna Zukowski, Andrzej Duda, Yvonne Vacha.

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

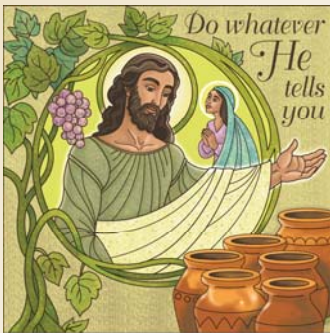
Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ!

Behind us first two weeks of the *New Year 2022*. This is a difficult time for many of us, mainly because of the still present pandemic. Please be careful and considerate toward all people around you. If you have any health problems, cold or a cough, please stay home until you get well. Unfortunately we live today in the atmosphere of fear and everyone prefers to keep distance. Please, take care of yourself, your loved ones, especially the elderly and the sick. I ask you to please help each other instead of being difficult, and please adhere to the recommendations of the Archdiocese of Chicago. Let us pray for the end of pandemic, for the sick as well as the medical personnel. Let us pray for a better tomorrow.

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

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Although our tradition carries a long memory of marriage as a sacrament, it may surprise you to learn that for nearly eleven centuries, there was no single wedding ceremony approved for use in the Church. While we have evidence of priests blessing marriages as early as the second century, in the early period church leaders relied on civil authorities to manage marriage for everyone in society. In most cases, society yielded its authority to sanction marriage to the male heads of households.



From ancient times, marriage had been a family affair, managed by the father of the family, who acted as priest and guardian of family tradition. Each head wanted to keep the family gods alive, and so he would arrange for brides for his sons, paying a "bride price" as compensation for the loss of a skilled household worker. As creepy as that sounds, it was a step up from the kidnapping practice of earlier years. Even after the kidnapping raids stopped, the customs remained. Every wedding contained the ritualized kidnapping of the bride, the husband abducting his bride from the festivities, carrying her over the threshold to prevent her father's gods from following her into her new religion. There, he fed her a piece of "sacred cake," initiating her into a new way of life. It's fascinating to see how customs endure, long after we have completely rejected the values and attitudes they originally expressed! —Rev. James Field, J. S. Paluch

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CELEBRANT SCHEDULE

Saturday, January 22, 2022

5:00 pm - Fr. Mariusz Nawalaniec

6:30 pm - Fr. Sergiusz Angur

Sunday, January 23, 2022

6:15 am - Fr. Sergiusz Angur

7:30 am - Fr. Mariusz Nawalaniec

9:00 am - Fr. Joseph Mol

10:30 am - Fr. Visitor

12:00 pm - Fr. Bernardo Lozano

1:30 pm - Fr. Visitor

5:00 pm - Fr. Sergiusz Angur

6:30 pm - Fr. Bernardo Lozano

Our Weekly Offering 1/9/2022

First Collection _____ \$14,158.00

Second Collection _____ \$4,175.00

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

REVELATION OF GOD'S PRESENCE

Today's first reading from Isaiah arises out of the ordeal of the people of Jerusalem and Judea as they anticipate the end of seventy years of exile in Babylon. Their sufferings and their oppression will end, and they are promised joy like that of a great wedding upon returning to their homeland. Although this passage is probably set in the early sixth century B.C., it is free of historical particulars. Accordingly, the Church has understood its imagery universally, as it proclaims God's promise of healing, hope, and happiness for all peoples, in this world and in the next. When read against this background, the story of Jesus' turning water into wine at the wedding at Cana becomes a revelation of God's presence in the person of Jesus, making these promises real for us in the here and now, in the transformation of our own lives. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

PRAYER OF THE WEEK Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Almighty ever-living God,
who govern all things,
both in heaven and on earth,
mercifully hear the pleading
of your people
and bestow your peace
on our times.
Through our Lord Jesus
Christ,
your Son, who lives and
reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

Reflection question:

What can I do to help to
bring about God's peace?

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Great things happen @ St. Albert the Great!



The Great Event

February 26, 2022

Honoring
2022 Hall of Fame Inductee
Jeanne Merlo

Hall of Fame Induction Mass:
5:00 PM
St. Albert the Great Church

Hall of Fame Celebration:
7:00 PM-11:00 PM
Bourbon Street

Admission Fee:
\$40 if in advance
\$45 at the door
Beer, wine, buffet, and desserts included.
Cocktails available for purchase.

Raffle Baskets!
50/50 Raffles!

And featuring...
The Great Raffle
Tickets \$5 each

- Prizes:
1. 65 Inch TV
 2. Smart Watch
 3. \$500 Cash
 4. Oculus
 5. \$300.00 SW Airlines

Purchase admission tickets online by scanning the QR code.
To pay with cash or check, complete the bottom portion of this form and return to the main office.

Name: _____

Number of attendees: _____ Phone: _____

Amount enclosed: _____ Cash/Check: _____

St. Albert the Great Alumni? Please indicate graduation year: _____

Admission tickets also available at the door for \$45



Z liurka Ks. Proboszcza

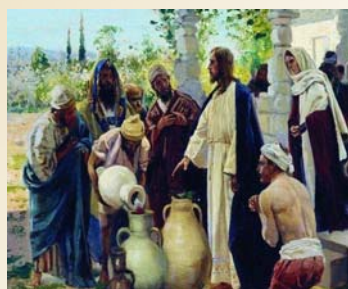
Moi Drodzy Parafianie i Goście !

Za nami dwa pierwsze tygodnie **Nowego Roku 2022**. Jest to trudny czas dla wszystkich z racji trwającej pandemii. Bardzo was proszę, abyście uważali na siebie oraz bliźnich wokoło. Jeśli macie jakiegokolwiek problemy ze zdrowiem, kaszel lub katar bardzo proszę abyście pozostali w waszych domach aż powrócicie do pełni sił. Niestety żyjemy dziś w atmosferze strachu i każdy z podejrzeniem patrzy na drugiego. Dbajcie więc nie tylko o siebie, ale dbajcie o bliźnich, a szczególnie okazujcie troskę o ludzi starszych i schorowanych. Bardzo wszystkich proszę, abyśmy sobie wzajemnie pomagali, a nie przeszkadzali. Stosujmy się także do zaleceń Archidiecezji Chicago. Módlmy się o ustanie pandemii, módlmy się za chorych oraz za personel medyczny. Módlmy się o nadzieję na lepsze jutro.

„Jezu, ufam Tobie”!
Ks. Mariusz

Bóg nie umie dawać mało.

Pierwszy cud Pana Jezusa znamy doskonale. Ta Ewangelia czytana jest kilka razy w ciągu roku. Zachwyca nas niewykłą hojność z jaką Jezus troszczy się aby wesele nie skończyło się kompromitacją pary młodej, a w konsekwencji zupełną klapą. Zwracamy uwagę na niezwykle rolę Matki Bożej w całej tej scenie. Ale czy zwróciliśmy uwagę, że takich fragmentów o Jezusowej hojności w Ewangelii jest jeszcze kilka? Cud rozmnożenia chleba dla tysięcy wygłodniałych słuchaczy. Po posiłku zostaje wiele koszów ułomków. Po co ta rozrzutność? Cudowny połów ryb, że aż łódź nabierała wody. Śniadanie na brzegu jeziora po zmartwychwstaniu Jezusa i sieć ze 153 rybami. Dla ilu ludzi? Dla jedenastu uczniów. Bóg nie umie dawać mało, chce dawać dużo. Nie ma powodu by się krępować, ale bez zahamowania prosić o jeszcze, jeszcze i jeszcze. O co proszę najczęściej? O zdrowie? O zdany egzamin? O jedność i miłość w rodzinie? O boże błogosławieństwo. To ostatnie brzmi nieco zagadkowo, bo co zazwyczaj mam na myśli? Nie chce powiedzieć, że to złe intencje. Nie. Dobrze, że o to prosimy. Ale to wszystko wciąż tak mało. Świętość. Ona jest spełnieniem wszystkich ludzkich marzeń. O nią trzeba nam prosić, i o nią się starać. Powiedzmy sobie szczerze, rzadko myślimy o Niebie. A przecież to jest nasz cel!



Święty Antoni z Padwy (17 Styczeń) urodził się w Lizbonie w 1195 r. W rok potem Ferdynand był świadkiem pogrzebu pięciu franciszkanów zamordowanych przez mahometan w Maroko. Zapalony duchem męczeńskiej ofiary, postanowił udać się do Afryki, by w Maroko oddać swoje życie dla Chrystusa. Antoni przemierzał miasta i wioski, nawołując do poprawy życia i pokuty. Obdarzony



CHURCH DOORS CANOPY / ZADASZENIE

Our goal is (koszt).....\$70,000.00
Amount collected (zebrano).....\$60,050.00
Amount needed (suma potrzebna)\$ 9,950.00



112 rodzin złożyło ofiarę na ten projekt.
Serdeczne „Bóg Zapłać”! Zachęcamy pozostałe Rodziny naszej parafii do wsparcia tego dzieła!

wielu charyzmatami miał dar czytania w ludzkich sumieniach, prorocstwa. Antoni zrzekł się urzędu prowincjała i udał się do Padwy. Był wycieńczony, zachorował na wodną puchlinę. Opadając z sił, zatrzymał się w klasztoru w Arcella, gdzie w piątek, 13 czerwca 1231 roku, oddał Bogu ducha mając zaledwie 36 lat.

Pochowano go w Padwie w kościółku Matki Bożej. Rok później, 30 maja 1232 roku, papież Grzegorz IX zaliczył go w poczet świętych. Św. Antoni Padewski jest patronem zakonów: franciszkanów, antoninek oraz wielu bractw; Padwy, Lizbony, Padeborn, Splitu; dzieci, górników, małżeństw, narzeczonych, położnic, ubogich, podróżnych, ludzi i rzeczy zaginionych. Na miejscu grobu św. Antoniego – Il Sancto – wznosi się potężna bazylika, jedno z najbardziej popularnych sanktuariów w Europie. Święty Antoni przedstawiany jest w habicie franciszkańskim. Jego atrybutami są: księga, lilia, serce, ogień – symbol gorliwości, bochen chleba, osioł, ryba.

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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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 SPRED PROGRAM po polsku.....(708)728-9526

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

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 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