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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:00 pm
Saturday/Hispanic	7:00 pm
Sunday	8:00 & 10:00 am
Monday– Friday	8:30 am

CONFESSIONS

A half hour prior to every Mass.
In Spanish– Friday & Saturday
Other times upon request.

FIRST FRIDAY

Adoration	9:00 am-7:00 pm
Benediction	7:00 pm

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Parish Office Hours: Mon-Thu 9:00 am—3:00 pm

Rev. Darwin Flores' Office Hours: Fridays 9:30am-12pm

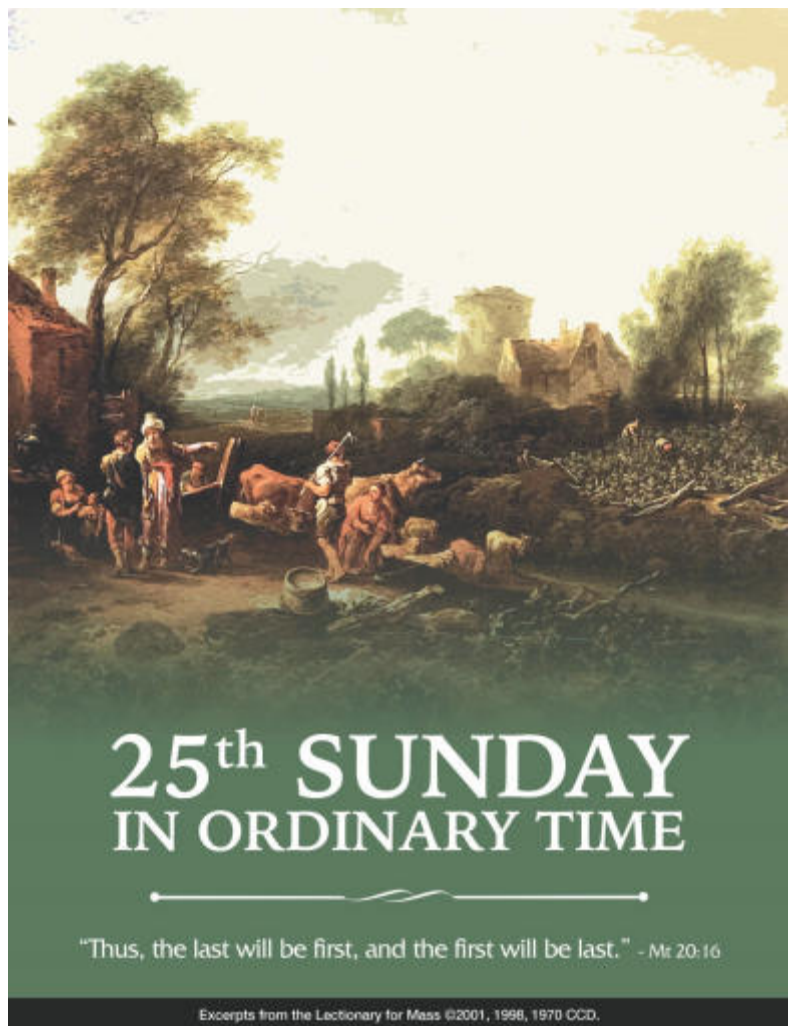
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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

St. Catherine of Genoa is one Roman Catholic family.
Our mission is to get to Heaven by living the Gospel.
We welcome you to join us on our journey.



September 20, 2020

Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, September 21

8:30 a.m. - Communion service

Tuesday, September 22

8:30 a.m. - Communion service

Wednesday, September 23

8:30 a.m. - Communion service

Thursday, September 24

8:30 a.m.- Communion service

Friday, September 25

8:30 a.m.- † Sam and Violet Deverell (Janet Deverell)

Saturday, September 26

5:00 p.m.- † Jim Mammoser (Family)

7:00 p.m. in Spanish- † Sergio Quiroz (parents)

Sunday, September 27

8:00 a.m.- † Paul and Evelyn O'Connor (family)

10:00 a.m.- For our parishioners



MINISTRY SCHEDULE SEPTEMBER 26-27

Lector/Commentator

5:00 p.m.- Jim Kush

8:00 a.m.- Nancy Burmeister

10:00 a.m.-Ann Hughes

Greeter

5:00 p.m.- Mary Johnson

8:00 a.m.- Helen Davis

10:00 a.m.- Kay Coates

Usher

5:00 p.m.- Carl Dumoulin

8:00 a.m.- Mike Riedy

10:00 a.m.- Tim Hughes

Sanitizer

5:00 p.m.- Rene Camarena

8:00 a.m.- Cathy Ogden

10:00 a.m.- Jim Durham

Liturgical Linens: Sept. 27- Lorraine Oct. 4 -Julie



First Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

October 2nd from 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.,
Benediction at 7:00 p.m. Anyone is invited
to visit throughout the day. However, to be
certain that there is someone present at all times, two
people are needed to sign up. There is a sign-up sheet at
the front entrance of the church.

NEW PARISHONER

Pam Pecoraro

Welcome to our St. Catherine of Genoa Family!



PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for the healing of Beau Norris and
Jeff Walter, Kitty McBroom. For the parishioners
of St. Catherine of Genoa Church who are homebound
or in nursing homes. And for the intentions of those on
our parish prayer chain.

Contact the parish office if you or a loved one would like
to be included on this list. To join the parish prayer
chain, or submit a prayer request to them,
contact Lorraine Baltrum - 815-784-2677

WATCH ON FORMED

Mystery of the Kingdom; On the Gospel of Matthew

Mystery of the Kingdom is a Bible study on the Gospel
of Matthew that focuses on the "kingdom of God." Why
is the kingdom at the heart of Jesus's teaching? What
were Jesus's contemporaries expecting? What did Jesus
actually say about His kingdom? What is the relationship
between the "kingdom" and the Catholic Church we see
today?

TODAY'S READINGS & REFLECTIONS

First Reading

As high as the heavens are above the earth,
so high are my ways above your ways
and my thoughts above your thoughts. (Is 55:9)

Psalm

The Lord is near to all who call upon him. (Ps 145)

Second Reading:

Brothers and sisters:

Christ will be magnified in my body, whether by life or by
death. (Phil 1:20c)

Gospel

"Take what is yours and go.

What if I wish to give this last one the same as you?

Or am I not free to do as I wish with my own money?

Are you envious because I am generous?"

Thus, the last will be first, and the first will be last." (Mt
20:14-16a)

FEAST DAYS

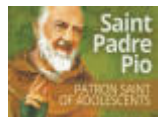
September 21

Feast of Saint Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist
Patron of financial professionals.



September 23: Memorial of Saint Pius of
Pietrelcina, Priest.

Patron of Adolescents.



September 26: Memorial of Saints Cosmas and
Damien, Martyrs

They were brothers, born in Arabia, skilled in
the science of medicine. Patron of druggists.



St. Catherine of Genoa Roman Catholic Church

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

There will be no Family Mass on October 4th.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION



**Sunday, October 4, 2020
at the 10:00 Mass.**

All first communicants must make their first reconciliation before they are able to receive first communion. Confession

times are one half hour prior to all Masses.

Once completed please text the Director of Religious Education, Carol Romano at 815-970-1928.

Seating for first communion is limited so please reserve your seats in advance by calling the parish office.

DIGITAL PARISH BULLETIN

This weekly bulletin may also be viewed on our Website. To subscribe to have a free digital copy emailed to you each week sign up at parishesonline.com.

SACRAMENTS

Baptism

Parents seeking baptism for their child must come to the parish office to register for a baptism prep. class and provide their child's birth certificate.

Deacon Bill Stankevitz holds a classes on the 3rd Sunday of each month following the 10:00 a.m. Mass.

Marriage

Couples should contact the office six months prior to their proposed wedding date.

Anointing of the Sick

“By the sacred anointing of the sick and the prayer of the priests the whole Church commends those who are ill to the suffering and glorified Lord, that he may raise them up and save them. And indeed she exhorts them to contribute to the good of the People of God by freely uniting themselves to the Passion and death of Christ.”

-Catechism of the Catholic Church

Contact the office if you or a loved one would like to receive the sacrament of anointing.

The Dekalb Deanery priest who has been designated for administering the Sacrament of the Sick to patients confirmed to have contracted the COVID-19 virus is Fr. Bernie Sehr– 815-621-0598

BUILDING FUND RAFFLE

Thank you to everyone who bought or sold tickets. Your support and generosity is greatly appreciated.

The winners are:

Kathy Hansen

Jim O’Grady

Susan Jursich (double winner!)

Congratulations!

ROOF REPAIR

As mentioned in Father’s recent letter, the flat portion of the roof over the administrative part of the building (over 10,000 square feet) will have to be replaced in two years. It includes the flat area over the entrances and kitchen. The cost of the repair is estimated to be \$132,000.

You have the opportunity to help us! In lieu of an official capital campaign we are offering an opportunity to purchase one of the fourteen stations. Five have been purchased already. Nine are available. A plaque will be placed on the station with the name of your family or organization. You may also use one as a memorial to a loved one. The cost for each station is \$9,600. Take some time and drive through our parking lot to see the work as it progresses.

Please talk to Father Francis for more details.

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS

September 12-13

86 envelopes, \$5,733

2020 DIOCESAN APPEAL

Our Goal - \$29,200.00

Pledged- \$11,210.00

Short- \$15,991.00

Thank you to everyone who has sent in their contribution envelopes and for your generous and reliable support during this difficult time. We will also accept contributions by mail, at the parish office or placed in our locked mailbox in front of the church.

We are now offering an online giving option! Use the WeShare app on our parish website. Click “Give Online” and follow the simple steps to set up a variety of giving options. Thank you for your consideration!



MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO

20 de septiembre de 2020

El marco de la perspectiva de Dios es siempre la salvación. La promesa de Dios se cumplirá siempre. Ya desde el Antiguo Testamento, el profeta Isaías lo proclama. “Pues sus proyectos no son los míos, y mis caminos no son los mismos de ustedes, dice Yahvé. Así como el cielo está muy alto por encima de la tierra, así también mis caminos se elevan por encima de sus caminos y mis proyectos son muy superiores a los de ustedes. (Isaías 55:8-9).

Por otro lado, el Evangelio muestra nuevamente la gran bondad de Dios con la parábola de los trabajadores de la viña. Una historia con un final sorprendente. El dueño de la viña paga el salario por igual al que entró temprano, al mediodía y al caer la tarde.

SORTEO DE FONDOS DE CONSTRUCCIÓN

Nos complace anunciar a nuestros cuatro ganadores:

Kathy Hansen

Jim O’Grady

Susan Jursich (doble ganador)

¡Felicidades!

Gracias a todos los que compraron o vendieron boletos. Se agradece mucho su apoyo y generosidad.

REPARACION DE TECHO

Como se mencionó en la carta reciente del Padre, la parte plana del techo sobre la parte administrativa del edificio (más de 10,000 pies cuadrados) tendrá que ser reemplazada en dos años. Incluye el área plana sobre las entradas y la cocina. El costo de la reparación se estima en 132.000 dólares.

¡Tienes la oportunidad de ayudarnos! En lugar de un Campaña oficial de capital estamos ofreciendo la oportunidad de adquirir una de las catorce estaciones. Ya se han comprado cinco. Nueve están disponibles. Se colocará una placa en la estación con el nombre de su familia o organización. También puede usar uno como un monumento a un ser querido. El costo de cada estación es de \$ 9,600. Tómese un tiempo y conduzca por nuestro estacionamiento para ver el trabajo a medida que avanza.

Hable con el padre Francis para obtener más detalles.

UNCIÓN DE LOS ENFERMOS

El sacerdote Dekalb Deanery que ha sido designado para administrar el Sacramento de los Enfermos a los pacientes confirmados de haber contraído el virus COVID-19 es el P. Bernie Sehr— 815-621-0598

25° Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA

No habrá misa familiar el 4 de octubre.



PRIMERA COMUNIÓN

Domingo 4 de Octubre de 2020
en la misa de las 10:00.

Todos los primeros comulgantes deben hacer su primera reconciliación antes de poder recibir su primera comunión. Los tiempos de confesión son media hora antes de todas las misas. Una vez completado, envíe un mensaje de texto al Director de Religiosos Educación, Carol Romano al 815-970-1928

Los asientos para la primera comunión son limitados, así que reserve sus asientos con anticipación llamando a la oficina parroquial.



PRIMER VIERNES ADORACIÓN DEL BENDITO SACRAMENTO

2 de octubre de 9:00 a.m. a 6:00 p.m.,

bendición a las 7:00 p.m. Cualquier persona es bienvenida durante estas horas, pero nos gustaría que dos personas se inscriban para asegurarse de que alguien esté presente en todo momento. La hoja de registro de papel estará en la entrada. El registro en línea también está disponible en nuestro sitio web.

REGISTRO PARROQUIAL

Si es nuevo en St. Catherine o ha estado asistiendo a misa, pero no ha completado un formulario de registro, por favor pase o llame a la oficina.

DONACIONES EN LÍNEA

¡Ahora ofrecemos una opción de donaciones en línea! Utilice la aplicación WeShare en el sitio web de nuestra parroquia. Haga clic en "Dar en línea" y siga los sencillos pasos para configurar una variedad de opciones de donación.



7:00PM HORARIO DEL MINISTERIO DE MISA September 26

Lector-M. Guadalupe Ortega

Greeter-Graciela Ontiveros

Usher-Teresa Parra

Sanitizer-Monica Parra

Se puede encontrar una copia de nuestro horario mensual del ministerio parroquial en la carpeta de registro en la entrada de la iglesia. Si desea que se le envíe una copia por correo electrónico, deje la oficina y se le incluirá en la lista de correo electrónico.

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