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Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Saturday/Hispanic 7:00 p.m.

Sunday 8:00 & 10:00 a.m.

Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m.

Confession

A half hour prior to every Mass.

in Spanish-Friday & Saturday

Other times upon request.

First Friday

Adoration 9:00 am-7:00 p.m.

Benediction 7:00 p.m.

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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.



21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus then said to the Twelve, "Do you also want to leave?" Simon Peter answered him, "Master, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and are convinced that you are the Holy One of God." - Jn 6:67-69

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August 22, 2021

Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

Monday, August 23

8:30 a.m.

Tuesday, August 24

8:30 a.m. †Joseph Patterson (by Strange/Patterson Family)

Wednesday, August 25

8:30 a.m.

Thursday, August 26

8:30 a.m.

Friday, August 27

8:30 a.m. †Matthew Walter (by Nancy Walter)

Saturday, August 28

5:00 p.m. †Richard Wells

7:00 p.m. in Spanish †Maria Auxilio Gomez-Castro
22nd anniversary of death (by LaRena Ramirez)

Sunday, August 29

8:00 a.m. For parishioners of our parish

10:00 a.m. †Richard Wells (by Donna Letterer)

The unfilled dates above are those which have been reserved for Masses to be said for The Souls in Purgatory, Mothers or Fathers.



Ministry Schedule - August 28 & 29

Sacristan

Saturday, 5:00 pm:

Sunday, 8:00 am:

Sunday, 10:00 am: Steve Dillett

Altar Servers (2 needed at each Mass)

Saturday, 5:00 pm: Cindy Vincent

Sunday, 8:00 am:

Sunday, 10:00 am:

Lector/Commentator

Saturday, 5:00 pm: Jim Kush

Sunday, 8:00 am: Steve Younker

Sunday, 10:00 am: Ann Hughes

Greeters/Sanitizer (3 greeters needed at each Mass)

Saturday, 5 pm: Mary Johnson, Carl Dumoulin

Sunday, 8 am: Lori Younker, Pat Riedy

Sunday, 10 am: Kay Coates, Eleanor Manecke

Ushers/Sanitizer (4 ushers needed at each Mass)

Saturday, 5 pm: Carl Dumoulin, Mary Johnson

Sunday, 8 :00 am: Mike Ebert, Karl Gallagher,

Mike Riedy

Sunday, 10:00 am: Jim Durham, Cameron Davekos

Leon Brummel

Liturgical Linens: Aug. 22 & 29-Lorraine

Volunteers are needed in the open areas listed above.

Please consider getting involved in one of our parish ministries.

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Joshua confronts the tribes of Israel: Will you desert your covenant with Yahweh? With Peter, however, let us profess our faith in the Lord who gave himself up for us all.

This Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

"Therefore we also will serve the LORD, for he is our God." (Jos 24:18)

Psalm:

Taste and see the goodness of the Lord. (Ps 34)

Second Reading:

This is a great mystery, but I speak in reference to Christ and the church. (Eph 5:32)

Gospel:

Simon Peter answered him, "Master to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life." (Jn 6:68)

First Friday

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament



Friday, September 3rd

9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Benediction at 7:00 p.m.

We invite you to spend some time in the presence of our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. Since the church should not be vacant at anytime, we are looking for two people to be present at every hour. You will find the sign-up sheet at the main entrance of church.

Prayer Requests

Pray for the healing and comfort of Beau Norris, Kitty McBroom, Dana Stankevitz and Juliana Torres.



August 24

Feast of Saint Bartholomew, Apostle

August 27

Memorial of Saint
Monica

August 28

Memorial of Saint
Augustine,
Bishop and Doctor
of the Church



Rosary Leaders

If you are interested in leading the rosary prior to Mass, please let the parish office know so that we can post it in our bulletin.

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New Parishioners

The Mitchell & Samantha Klauer and
Javier & Teresa Gutierrez

Welcome to our St. Catherine of Genoa Parish Family!

Adult Altar Servers

St. Catherine's is experiencing a shortage of altar servers at all of our Masses. We are reaching out to the adults of our parish to ask them to prayerfully consider serving. By helping during the Mass, couples, parents, grandparents, would be showing an example to our youth of a way to fulfill our baptismal promise of stewardship.


Stitching Together

Do you know how to embroider, sew, knit, crochet, etc.? Our parish stitching group would like to invite anyone from our parish, who has a desire to share a craft or learn one, to come and join us on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of every month in the parish meeting room. Our parish ministry makes blankets for baptisms, shawls for the sick, and more. If you have questions contact Pat Riedy at 630-408-9550, patriedy612@gmail.com.

FORMED recommendation of the Week

The Early Christians Ep. 6:

Saint Augustine, A Light in the Darkness



We discover the adventurous life of one of the World's most powerful minds. His works would inspire philosophy and theology and became a pillar of western culture. This wayward youth from Carthage would be Saint Augustine. Long years of missteps and tireless search for truth led him from Manichaeism to Neo-Platonism and later to Christianity. In his last years the Vandal scourge could favour a new outbreak of paganism... He wrote then his brilliant work, "The City of God". His legacy was immense. He transmitted two cultures, the Greco-Roman and the Judeo-Christian. He marked out a new path for thought.

Also, available on Ebook & Audiobook:

Saint Augustine's confessions;
The Restless Flame (a novel)

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Religious Education

Carol Romano, DRE- 815-970-1928

2021/2022 Religious Ed. Registration

Classes begin on September 12th

We are always in need of Catechists and co-teachers. If you would like to share your faith with the children of our parish, consider becoming a catechist.

Registration forms are available in the church vestibules and the parish office. If you are not already a registered parishioner please also complete the attached form.

We must have a copy of your child's baptismal certificate on file if they were not baptized at our parish. Check to be sure that all the information is correct.

Please note that First Communion and Confirmation are two-year programs. Do not delay registration!

The best teacher is a good example.

Parents should pray with their children daily and attend Mass every Sunday.

St. Catherine of Genoa Parish Calendar

Mon. 8/23	Bible Study in Spanish	7 pm	Parish Hall
Mon. 8/30:	Bible Study in Spanish	7 pm	Parish Hall
Wed. 8/25:	Legion of Mary	6 pm	Parish Hall
Wed. 9/1:	Legion of Mary	6 pm	Parish Hall

Mark Your Calendars!

St. Catherine of Genoa Events:

Pork Chop Dinner	Polish Pierogi Dinner
October 16th	November 13th
Taco Dinner	
December 4th	

Knights of Columbus Events:

Tootsie Roll Drive	September 10th & 11th
Italian Beef Dinner	September 11th
Golf Outing	September 26th
Italian Dinner	October 3rd

Weekly Contributions

Aug. 14 & 15: \$1,680 Envelopes: 100

Online Giving

Month of July: \$1,680

Conveniently donate to our church by using the app on the homepage of our parish website. Click "Give Online" and follow the simple steps to set up a variety of giving options.

Thank you for your consideration!

2021 Diocesan Appeal

Our Goal- \$25,787

Pledged- \$22,531



Coser juntos

¿Sabes bordar, coser, tejer, etc.? Nuestro grupo de costura parroquial invita a cualquier persona que desee compartir un oficio o aprender uno a venir y unirse a nosotros el primer y tercer martes de cada mes en la sala de reuniones parroquial.

Nuestro ministerio parroquial fabrica mantas para bautismos, chales para enfermos y más.

Si tiene preguntas, comuníquese con Pat Riedy al 630-408-9550, patriedy612@gmail.com.

¡Marque sus calendarios!

Eventos de Santa Catalina de Génoa:

Cena de chuleta de cerdo

16 de octubre

Cena Pierogi Polaca

13 de noviembre

Cena de tacos

4 de diciembre

Eventos de Caballeros de Colón:

Tootsie Roll Drive-10 y 11 de septiembre

Cena de carne italiana-11 de septiembre

Salida de golf-26 de septiembre

Cena italiana-3 de octubre

2021/2022 Ed. Religiosa Registro

Las clases comienzan el 12 de septiembre

Siempre necesitamos catequistas y co-maestros. Si desea compartir su fe con los niños de nuestra parroquia, considere convertirse en catequista.

Los formularios de registro están disponibles en los vestíbulos de la iglesia y en la oficina parroquial. Si aún no es un feligrés registrado, complete también el formulario adjunto.

Debemos tener una copia del certificado de bautismo de su hijo en el archivo si no fue bautizado en nuestra parroquia.

Asegúrese de que toda la información sea correcta.

Tenga en cuenta que la Primera Comunión y la Confirmación son programas de dos años. ¡No demore el registro!

La Legión de María

reanudará las reuniones en el salón parroquial los miércoles a las 6:00 p.m.

Estudio Bíblico

El Padre Palencia llevará a cabo un estudio bíblico semanal en nuestro salón parroquial los lunes a las 7:00 p.m.

Utilice la entrada del estacionamiento inferior.

Horario Del Ministerio De Misa 28 de Agosto:

Lectores: Lupita Ortega

Ministros: Francisco & Angela Garcia

Comentaristas: Julia Rodriguez

Monaguillos: Mariana Osorio, Kayla Sarabia,
Kailey Ruiz

Sacristan: Eliseo Camarena



Vigésimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Josué confronta a las tribus de Israel: ¿Abandonarás tu pacto con Yahvé? Con Pedro, sin embargo, profesamos nuestra fe en el Señor que se entregó a sí mismo por todos nosotros.

Lecturas de este domingo

Primera lectura:

"Así pues , también nosotros serviremos al SEÑOR, porque él es nuestro Dios". (Josué 24:18)

Salmo:

Gusten y vean qué bueno es el Señor. (Sal 34)

Segunda lectura:

Este es un gran misterio, y yo lo refiero a Cristo y a la iglesia. (Efesios 5:32)

Evangelio:

Simón Pedro le respondió: “Maestro, ¿a quién iremos? Tu tienes palabra de vida eterna.” (Jn 6,68)



24 de agosto

Fiesta de San Bartolomé, Apóstol



27 de agosto

Memorial de Santa Mónica

28 de agosto

Memoria de San Agustín, Obispo y Doctor de la Iglesia



Prima Viernes Adoration Al Santísimo Sacramento



Viernes 3 de septiembre

9:00 a.m .- 7:00 p.m.

Bendición a las 7:00 p.m.

Todos están invitados a visitarnos durante todo el día. Sin embargo, para tener la certeza de que habrá alguien presente en todo momento, pedimos que se inscriban dos personas por cada hora. Hay una hoja de registro en la entrada principal de la iglesia.

Peticiones de oración

Ore por la curación y el consuelo de Beau Norris, Kitty McBroom, Dana Stankevitz y Juliana Torres.

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