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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.



THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. - Mt 2:10-11

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January 2, 2022

The Epiphany of the Lord

Mass Intentions

Monday, January 3

8:30 a.m. † Carolyn Delesio (by Pat Brown)

Tuesday, January 4

8:30 a.m. † Wayne Walter (by Jim and Mary Kae O'Grady)

Wednesday, January 5

8:30 a.m.

Thursday, January 6

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

Friday, January 7

8:30 a.m.

Saturday, January 8

5:00 p.m. † Mary Cano (by Steve and Cindy Vincent)

7:00 p.m. Spanish † Juliana and Maria Castaneda
(by Leticia Dominguez)

Sunday, January 9

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

10:00 a.m. † Russell Deverell (by Susie Adkins)

The unscheduled dates above have been reserved for Mass intentions for mothers, fathers and the souls in purgatory.

The Epiphany of the Lord

All nations are invited to sing the Lord's praises for they have been called to hear the good news and worship the long awaited Messiah and King with the gift of their lives. -Ordo

This Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem! Your light has come, the glory of the Lord shines upon you. (Is 60:1)

Psalms:

Lord, every nation on earth will adore you. (Ps 72)

Second Reading:

It was not made known to people in other generations as it has now been revealed to his holy apostles and prophets by the Spirit: that the Gentiles are coheirs, members of the same body, and copartners in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel. (Eph 3:5-6)

Gospel:

"Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage." (Mt 2:2)



January 3

Memorial of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious

January 4

Memorial of St. John Neumann, Bishop

Keep in your prayers Beau Norris, Kitty McBroom, Dana Stankevitz, Elmer Hermann.

Ministry Schedule—January 8 & 9

Sacristan

5:00 pm:

8:00 am: Julie Mullins

10:00 am: Steve Dillett

Altar Servers (2 needed at each Mass)

5:00 pm:

8:00 am:

10:00 am: Leah Siegwarth

Lector/Commentator

5:00 pm: Leann Dunlap

8:00 am: Mike Riedy

10:00 am: Hannah Davekos

Greeters/Sanitizer (3 greeters needed at each Mass)

5:00 pm: Mary Johnson, Carl Dumoulin

8:00 am: Pat Riedy, Karen Sunderlage

10:00 am: Peggy Hansen, Kay Coates, Jim Durham

Ushers/Sanitizer (4 ushers needed at each Mass)

5:00 p.m.: Mary Johnson, Carl Dumoulin

8:00 am: Karl Gallagher, Todd Sunderlage

10:00 am: Leon Brummel, Jeff Siegwarth,
Todd Sunderlage

Liturgical Linens: Jan. 2- Lorraine Jan. 9- Donna

Volunteers are needed in the open areas above. We are also looking for help with liturgical linens.

Please call the office or contact Lorraine Baltrum if you are able to help in the this ministry.



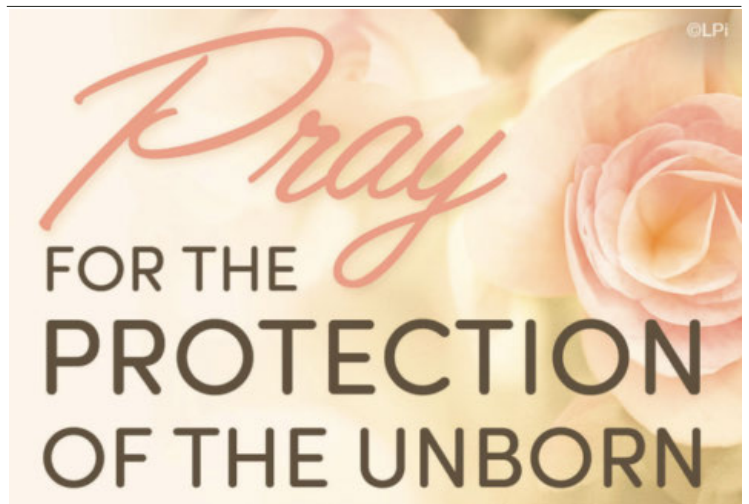
First Friday Adoration

Friday, January 7th

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

Benediction at 7:00 p.m.

Please check out hourly sign-up sheet at the church entrance. To be certain that the Blessed Sacrament is never left unattended, we are in need of two people to sign up to be present throughout the day.



St. Catherine of Genoa Roman Catholic Church

Annual Pro-Life Events

Every January, thousands of pilgrims march and pray together for an end to abortion.

National Prayer Vigil for Life

Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C. If you can't join in person, consider holding your own vigil, or participate remotely.

The Vigil Program will still be televised by EWTN and livestreamed on the basilica's webpage:

www.nationalshrine.org/mass

Novena for Life

Join Catholics across the country in prayer and action during the bishops' pro-life novena, 9 Days for Life: Tuesday, January 21 - Wednesday, January 29, 2020. www.respectlife.org/9-days-for-life

March in Chicago

January 7-9, 2022

Marchforlifechicago.org

second annual Rockford Walk for Life!

Walk for Life Rockford

Saturday, January 15th, 2022

11AM - 1PM

Rockford Federal Courthouse:

327 S. Church Street, Rockford, 61101

website: www.proliferockford.com/walk

Project Rachel Post Abortion Healing

For upcoming retreats contact

Colleen Harmon (309)264-1489

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For more information visit: hopeafterabortion.com

FORMED recommendation of the Week

Beloved: Finding Happiness in Marriage



In 12 stunning sessions, BELOVED uncovers the mystery and the meaning of the sacrament of marriage. What if marriage is more than you think it is? What if God has

woven into the very fabric of your humanity a purposeful need and desire that can only be fulfilled in your marriage? BELOVED invites all couples to experience firsthand the wonder, mystery, and joy behind that first "I do" ... whether you said it last year or many years ago.

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Search FORMED.org. Click "sign up". Click "I belong to parish or organization". Type in "St. Catherine of Genoa, Genoa, IL". Enter your email address. "sign up".

Religious Education

Happy New Year!

Classes resume this Sunday, January 2, 2022

St. Catherine of Genoa Parish Calendar

01/02:	Religious Ed.	9 am	Classrooms
01/03:	Spanish Bible Study	7 pm	Parish Hall
01/04:	Stitching Together	9 am	Meeting Room
01/05:	Legion of Mary	6 pm	Parish Hall
01/09:	Religious Ed.	9 am	Classrooms

Stewardship

St. Catherine of Genoa is experiencing a shortage of ministers to participate in the Mass. Currently, sacristans, altar servers, lectors, commentators, ushers and greeters are in most need. All of us should remember that it is a privilege to serve in the Mass. Thank you to everyone who has remained faithful to their ministry.

To all the children and adult members of our parish, please take the time to prayerfully discern which gifts God has blessed you with, and to fulfill use them in a ministry. Active stewardship is crucial to the vitality of our parish.

Have You Considered Donating Your IRA Assets to St. Catherine of Genoa Parish?

IRS rules mandate that retired individuals after they reach age 72 (70 ½ if you turned 70 ½ before January 1, 2020) to take Required Minimal Distribution (RMD) from their IRA each year, regardless of whether the income is needed. For 2021 and after, these annual withdrawals are subject to ordinary income taxes. By making a charitable contribution to St. Catherine of Genoa Parish, you can satisfy your RMD amount without reporting additional income. This provision may be especially attractive for retirees who do not need all the income from their IRA to meet current living expenses. By donating the money to our church you can enjoy the satisfaction of knowing that you are contributing to a worthy cause while effectively lowering your Tax bill.

Weekly Contributions

Dec. 18 & 19: \$4,534, 74 envelopes

Christmas: \$6,615 December 26: \$2,395, 57 envelopes

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Administración

Santa Catharine de Génoa está experimentando una escasez de ministros para participar en la Misa. Actualmente, los sacristanes, monaguillos, lectores, comentaristas, acomodadores y saludadores son los más necesitados. Todos debemos recordar que es un privilegio servir en la Misa y agradecer a todos los que se han mantenido fieles a su ministerio.

A todos los niños y miembros adultos de nuestra parroquia, por favor tomen el tiempo para discernir en oración con qué dones Dios los ha bendecido y cumplir su promesa bautismal compartiéndolos con nuestra familia parroquial.

La corresponsabilidad activa es crucial para la vitalidad de nuestra parroquia.

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Annual Pro-Life Events

Eventos anuales pro-vida Cada enero, miles de peregrinos marchan y rezan juntos por el fin del aborto.

Vigilia Nacional de Oración por la Vida

Basílica del Santuario Nacional de la Inmaculada Concepción en Washington, D.C. Si no puede unirse en persona, considere realizar su propia vigilia o participe de forma remota.

El programa Vigil seguirá siendo televisado por EWTN y transmitido en vivo en la página web de la basílica: www.nationalshrine.org/mass

Novena de por vida Únase a los católicos de todo el país en oración y acción durante la novena pro-vida de los obispos, 9 días por la vida: martes 21 de enero - miércoles 29 de enero de 2020.

www.respectlife.org/9-days-for-life

Marcha en Chicago 7-9 de enero de 2022

Marchforlifechicago.org ¡Segunda Caminata anual por la vida de Rockford!

Camina por la vida Rockford

Sábado, 15 de enero de 2022 11 a. M. - 1 p. M.

Tribunal Federal de Rockford: Calle 327 S. Church, Rockford, 61101

Acceda a FORMED a través del navegador de Internet de su computadora o descargue la aplicación en cualquier dispositivo:

Busque FORMED.org. Haga clic en "registrarse".

Haga clic en "Pertenezco a una parroquia u organización". Escriba "St. Catalina de Génoa, Génoa,



La Epifanía del Señor

Todas las naciones están invitadas a cantar las alabanzas del Señor porque han sido llamadas a escuchar las buenas nuevas y adorar al Mesías y Rey tan esperado con el regalo de sus vidas.

Lecturas de este domingo

Primera lectura: “Oré por este niño, y el SEÑOR concedió mi pedido. Ahora yo, a mi vez, se lo doy al SEÑOR; mientras viva, estará dedicado al SEÑOR”. (1 Sm 1: 27-28)

Salmo: Bienaventurados los que habitan en tu casa, oh Señor. (Sal 84)

Segunda lectura: Mira el amor que nos ha dado el Padre para que seamos llamados hijos de Dios.

Y así somos. (1 Jn 3: 1)

Evangelio: Después de tres días lo encontraron en el templo, sentado en medio de los maestros, escuchándolos y haciéndoles preguntas. (Lc 2, 46)



Lunes: Día del Santísimo

Nombre de Jesús

Martes: Santa Isabel, Ana Bayley, viuda de Seton, religiosa

Miércoles: San Juan Neumann, obispo

Jueves: San André Bessette, religioso

Viernes: San Raimundo de Peñafort, sacerdote

Prima Viernes Adoration Al Santisimo Sacramento



Viernes 7 de Enero

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.

Horario Del Ministerio De Misa 8 de Enero

Lectores: Verenise Ruiz; Ministros: Rosana Orozco, Guadalupe Beltran; Commentaristas: Noemi Gonzalez; Sacristan: Ignacio Salinas; Monaguillos: Mariana Osorio, Kayla Sarabia, Kailey Ruiz

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