



JESUS, BREAD OF LIFE PARISH PARROQUIA DE JESUS, PAN DE VIDA

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER
APRIL 14, 2024

ONE PARISH WITH TWO WORSHIP SITES



**Our Lady of Grace
Church**
2450 N Ridgeway Ave.



St. Sylvester Church
2157 N. Humboldt Blvd..
Chicago, IL 60647

WEEKEND LITURGIES

Saturday Confessions at 4:30 pm &
Mass 5:30pm (Bilingual) -OLG

SUNDAY MASSES

8:00am English—OLG
9:00am Español—SS
10:00am Español—OLG
11:00am English—SS
12pm Español—OLG
1:00pm Español—SS

WEEKLY MASSES

Monday: 7:00 pm Español—OLG
Tuesday 8:30am English—OLG
Wednesday 8:30am English—SS
Thursday 7:00 pm Español
Adoration after mass— OLG
Friday —7:00pm Español — OLG

OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS



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GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

When I was a kid, a friend at my home parish told me, “If you get to Mass by the Gospel reading, it counts!” As a lifelong late-arriver, it’s something I have told myself many times, especially in my earlier years as a Catholic. If the “it counts” is justifiable on a pathetically minimal scale of liturgical legalism, then the Gospel reading today shows how insanely wrong-headed it is, and how helpful it is to re-think the Mass in its light.

The famous “Road to Emmaus” story recounts, on that first Sunday of the Resurrection, the basic two-fold structure of the Mass: Word, followed by Eucharist. Jesus spends a significant period of time with two dismayed disciples, as he connects a wide swath of the Hebrew scriptures with his own suffering, death, and resurrection. They would later report that this Liturgy of the Word touched their hearts with an inexplicable fire. This Word-induced flame alone is what leads the two disciples to discover Jesus’ presence in the “breaking of the bread.”

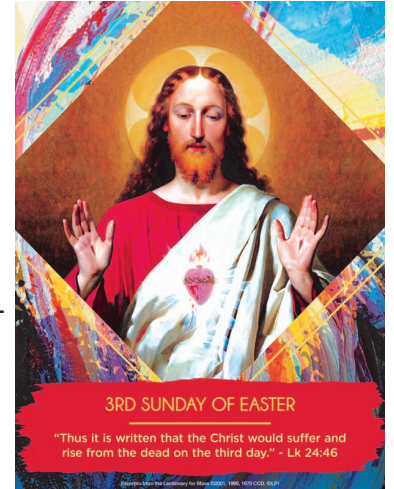
With this in mind, how can we possibly think that the Liturgy of the Word is unnecessary or incidental? The two disciples needed the Scriptures explained to them in order to experience Jesus alive in the eucharistic breaking of bread. Sure, we say, but they had the Risen Jesus. But that’s precisely the point: Jesus is risen and accompanies us in both parts of the Mass. Imagine how much our experience of Jesus in the Eucharist would deepen if we (preachers and listeners) took even more seriously that Jesus himself sets our hearts ablaze with his Word so that we know him in the Eucharist. That Word-induced fire counts, too!

— Father John Muir

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MEDITACIÓN EVANGÉLICO - ALENTAR ENTENDIMIENTO MÁS PROFUNDO DE LA ESCRITURA (Gospel Meditation)

Si algo necesita el mundo ahora es paz. La sociedad debe girar su corazón hacia Dios para encontrarla. Se debe de dejar el egoísmo de lado y ver que atacándonos unos a otros no se llega a nada. Los discípulos de Emaús, luego de encontrar a Jesús, fue que sintieron la paz en sus corazones y se dispusieron a contar la buena noticia a los demás. ¿No sentíamos arder nuestro corazón cuando nos hablaba en el camino y nos explicaba las Escrituras? (Lucas 24:32). Y en otro pasaje del Evangelio, Jesús, se presenta en medio de ellos y les dice: “La paz este con ustedes”. Señor, ayúdanos a encontrar esa paz que nos brindas, que nuestros malos sentimientos sean tranquilizados por tu paz prometida.



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“Este cambio de paso, del yo a Dios, del sí al sí, ¿cómo ocurrió en los discípulos? Encontrándose con Jesús: los dos de Emaús primero le abren su corazón; luego le escuchan explicar las Escrituras; luego le invitan a su casa. Son tres pasos que también nosotros podemos dar en nuestras casas: primero, abrir el corazón a Jesús, confiándole las cargas, las dificultades, las desilusiones de la vida, confiándole los sí; y luego segundo paso, escuchar a Jesús, tomar el Evangelio en la mano, leyendo hoy mismo este pasaje, en el capítulo veinticuatro del Evangelio de Lucas; tercero rezar a Jesús, con las mismas palabras de aquellos discípulos: Señor, quédate con nosotros (Lucas 24:29). Señor, quédate conmigo. Señor, quédate con todos nosotros, porque te necesitamos para encontrar el camino. Y sin ti es de noche”. Papa Francisco 04-23-2020.

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We are looking for your feedback!

The Parish Pastoral Council would like to know what you think about the music at our masses. Please take a few minutes to complete this survey. We will use the results of this survey to guide our choices in our music ministry as we strive to become a more welcoming and inclusive community. Use the QR Code to complete the online survey before Monday, April 15.



¡Buscamos su opinión!

El Concilio Pastoral Parroquial quiere saber lo que piensa de la música en nuestras misas. Por favor, tómese unos minutos para completar esta encuesta. Utilizaremos los resultados de esta encuesta para guiar nuestras elecciones en nuestro ministerio de música mientras nos esforzamos por convertirnos en una comunidad más acogedora e inclusiva. Utilice el código QR para completar la encuesta en línea antes del lunes 15 de abril. <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/L599Y2T>

Jesus, Bread of Life Parish will begin to use Alpha as an evangelization tool. Alpha is a series of group conversations that explore the basics of the Christian faith in a friendly environment. Please pray for our Evangelization Team as they begin training to run Alpha at our parish that they would be filled with the Holy Spirit and have the gift of wisdom and the ability to make everyone feel welcomed.



La parroquia Jesús, Pan de Vida comenzará a utilizar Alpha como una herramienta de evangelización. Alpha es una serie de conversaciones en grupo que exploran los fundamentos de la fe cristiana en un ambiente amistoso. Por favor, oren por nuestro Equipo de Evangelización mientras comienzan a entrenarse para dirigir Alpha en nuestra parroquia, para que sean llenos del Espíritu Santo y tengan el don de la sabiduría y la habilidad de hacer que todos se sientan bienvenidos.

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO

AN EVENING CELEBRATING
CATHOLIC SCHOOL EXCELLENCE

SAINTS SCHOLARS

THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 2024
6 P.M.

St. Francis Xavier campus
of the Saints JFX School
808 Linden Avenue
Wilmette, IL 60091

Saints & Scholars: An Evening Celebrating Catholic School Excellence showcases our distinct Catholic identity and the excellent academic experience that prepares our students for success in high school, college and beyond.

Proceeds from the event will benefit Catholic schools including the Catholic Schools Scholarship Program. This program offers need-based financial assistance to families committed to Catholic school education, providing all students with the academic and spiritual development necessary to live faithful and successful lives serving others.

To register, scan or visit:
[giving.archchicago.org/
saintsandscholars](http://giving.archchicago.org/saintsandscholars)

ST SYLVESTER FOOD SALE

Next weekend, April 21
After all masses in the gym.
Thank you for supporting our parish events.

**VENTA DE COMIDA
EN SAN SILVESTRE**

El próximo fin de semana, 21 de Abril
Después de todas las misas en el gimnasio
Gracias por apoyar nuestros eventos parroquiales

**Pinwheels for Prevention: 13th Annual Prayer
Service for Child Abuse Prevention - April 25**

Join the Archdiocese of Chicago in its ongoing commitment to the ministry of protecting children at the Annual Prayer Service for Child Abuse Prevention. The service will take place on **Thursday, April 25 at 11 a.m. at the Archdiocese of Chicago's Healing Garden (1080 West Roosevelt Road, Chicago)**, and will be presided by Fr. Aaron Bohr, SJ, with Catholic Schools Superintendent Greg Richmond. Participants will be invited to plant a pinwheel (symbol of child abuse prevention efforts) during the service.

**ST SYLVESTER
FOOD PANTRY NEWS****FOOD
pantry**

We are in need of volunteers to help at our pantry located in St. Sylvester. Twice a month on Mondays to unload the truck of goods, we need strong man.

Wednesdays we need help to distribute food to people in need for half a day on both days. Please call the office to leave your name and phone number. We appreciated your support and response. For more information please call the office to give your name and phone number.

**NOTICIA DE LA DESPENSA DE COMIDA
EN SAN SILVESTRE**

Necesitamos voluntarios para ayudar en nuestra despensa de comida situada en San Silvestre dos veces al mes los lunes para descargar el camión de comida, necesitamos hombres fuertes. Los miércoles necesitamos ayuda para distribuir alimentos a las personas necesitadas de 9am hasta las 12pm los dos días. Por favor llame a la oficina parroquial para dejar su nombre y número de teléfono. Agradecemos de antemano su apoyo.

In Your Prayers / En sus Oraciones

Flor Lopez, Carmen Vázquez, Melissa Rendón,
Alejandro Rendon, Patrick Mukundi, Esther Wanjiru
Maria & Eliseo Rendon, Maria Salgado, José Escoto,
Rogelio Rodriguez, John Tannehill

Mass Intentions at Jesus, Bread of Life Parish**Saturday, April 13**

OLG 5:30p †Roman Rufino Jr.

Sunday, April 14

OLG 8:00a †Ramon Ramos

SS 9:00a †Armando Bulnes, †Miguel Sonera,
†Roman Rufino Jr., †Luisa Barralaga,
†Bacilio Rueda,

En acción de Gracia a la Divina Misericordia
Maria Salgado (salud), Jose Escoto (salud)

OLG 10:00a †German Arriola, †Maxima Cifuentes de Arriola,
†Herlinda Pacheco,

Agustín Arzate en acción de gracia a Jesus.

SS 11:00a †Maria del Carmen Morales Tirado,
John Tannehill (health)

OLG 12:00p †Ermila Cornejo, †Carmen Sosa, †Isaias Alejandro

SS 1:00p †Ramiro Fernandez, †Familia Martinez Soto



MINISTERIO DE MUSICA

Solo Por El Espíritu

El Circulo de Oración tendrá de invitados a María y Evaristo Rodríguez del ministerio "Solo Por el Espíritu"
Viernes, 19 de Abril a las 7pm
en Nuestra Señora de Gracia Los Esperamos!!



Les invitamos a el estudio bíblico en Español. Todos los martes a las 7pm en la oficina parroquial.

Todos son bienvenidos!

**Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento
Holy Hour Adoration**

Todos los Jueves a las 8pm en la
Iglesia Nuestra Señora de Gracia

Every Thursday at 8pm at Our Lady of Grace Church
2450 N. Ridgeway Ave.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT—GRACIAS POR SU APOYO**February Income and Expense Report**

Mass Collections \$21,867

Online Giving \$3,391

Other income \$17,132

Expenses \$48,804

Thank you for supporting Jesus, Bread of Life. Consider electronic giving online— it saves us both time and money. Use our QR code on the bulletin or entrance of the church to make one or recurring donation. If you do not receive envelopes or not registered please fill the forms at church entrance.



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Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri - 9:00 am –8p.m.
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Saturday and Sunday office is closed

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