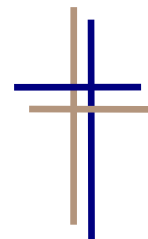




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# Lord

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STANDING THERE STARING AT THE SKY?  
THIS JESUS WHO HAS BEEN  
TAKEN UP FROM YOU INTO HEAVEN  
WILL RETURN IN THE SAME WAY AS YOU  
HAVE SEEN HIM GOING INTO HEAVEN.

Acts 1:11



May 24  
2020

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9:00 AM - 7:00 PM

Friday | *Viernes*

9:00 AM-5:00 PM

Saturday | *Sabado*

9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Sunday | *Domingo*

Closed | *Cerrada*

Mass Schedule | *Horarios de Misa*

Monday - Friday | *Lunes a Viernes*

6:30am, 8:00am

Saturday | *Sabado*

8:30am & 5:00pm (Vigil)

Sunday | *Domingo*

7:30am & 9:00am & 10:30am

12:00pm (***Español***)

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The Church encourages us to make an act of "spiritual communion," where we unite ourselves to God through prayer. It is a beautiful way to express to God our desire to be united with him when we are unable to complete that union in the reception of Holy Communion. The following prayer can be said while we view mass through online/television formats:

**An Act of Spiritual Communion**

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

*La Iglesia nos anima a realizar un acto de "comuni3n espiritual", donde nos unimos a Dios a trav3s de la oraci3n. Es una hermosa manera de expresarle a Dios nuestro deseo de unirnos a 3l cuando no podemos completar esa uni3n en la recepci3n de la Sagrada Comuni3n. La siguiente oraci3n se puede decir mientras vemos la misa a trav3s de los formatos en l3nea / televisi3n:*

**Un Acto de Comuni3n Espiritual**

Creo, Jes3s m3o, que est3s real y verdaderamente en el cielo y en el Sant3simo Sacramento del Altar. Os amo sobre todas las cosas y deseo vivamente recibirte dentro de mi alma, pero no pudiendo hacerlo ahora sacramentalmente, venid al menos espiritualmente a mi coraz3n. Y como si ya os hubiese recibido, os abrazo y me uno del todo a Ti. Se3or, no permitas que jam3s me aparte de Ti. Am3n.



# ASCENSION OF THE *Lord*

MAY 24, 2020

Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations,  
baptizing them in the name of the Father,  
and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Matthew 28:19

## MAKE DISCIPLES OF ALL NATIONS

Today we celebrate the ascension of Jesus into heaven, his departure after the Crucifixion, the Resurrection, and all the appearances to the disciples. Acts and Ephesians look back at the time just before Jesus leaves and then at its immediate aftermath, still trying to understand what has happened and what is expected of those who were left behind. The readings remind us that the disciples are still not certain what all this means to them. But one thing is certain: Jesus is gone and they are struggling with what to do next. Matthew tells us that even as they believed in Jesus, they doubted. Jesus responds to their doubt with a call to work. He tells them to “make disciples of all nations.”

### UP, UP AND AWAY

The reading from Acts gives us a pretty complete description of the Ascension. Jesus was lifted up and taken from their sight but not before the disciples ask lots of questions about what will happen. The disciples are still thinking that the kingdom of Israel will be restored. Jesus answers them with a promise of power from the Holy Spirit and a commission that they be witnesses not just to Israel but to the ends of the earth. But the disciples are still thinking small. Jesus knows that the meaning of his death and resurrection is not small. Ephesians offers a glimpse of the great gifts of Jesus’ life, death, and resurrection. The disciples cannot even imagine what this means for them as they stand staring into the sky. Jesus tells them one more time that their work is to tell everyone about his life and work, to baptize them, and to teach them his commandments.

### NEVER CAN SAY GOOD-BYE

The disciples still thought this was just about their life and their world. They are reminded by Jesus that what they have lived through with him, his life, death, and resurrection, is greater and more far-reaching than they can yet imagine. This is not just about the kingdom of Israel. This is about all nations. This is not just about witnessing in Jerusalem, Judea, and Samaria. This work will take them to the ends of the earth. It is an enormous undertaking that we and the disciples have been given. It seemed impossible to the disciples then and it seems impossible to us now. But it is not. It is possible because we are not alone in this work. Jesus is with us not for a day or a week or even our lifetime. Jesus is with us always, until the end of the age.

## TODAY’S READINGS

Acts 1:1–11  
Psalm 47:2–3, 6–9  
Ephesians 1:17–23  
Matthew 28:16–20

### Flocknote

Please check our website:

**www.stcolette.org for the latest worship updates during this COVID-19 Pandemic.**

**Follow our Facebook page:  
St. Colette Catholic Church.**

We also encourage you to text the letters **STCRM** to the number **84576**.

This will allow you be register for *Flocknote*, a new safe and secure parish communication tool that will send you emails and/or text messages with the latest updates about St. Colette Parish.

Please participate so you, our parish Community, can be connected to the latest updates and resources. More information about this can be found on our website.



**Por favor, consulte nuestro sitio web: www.stcolette.org para las últimas actualizaciones de adoración durante este COVID-19 Pandemia. También puede seguir nuestra página de Facebook: St. Colette Catholic Church**

También le recomendamos que envíe un mensaje de texto con la frase **STCRM** al número **202-765-3441**.

Esto le permitirá registrarse en *Flocknote*, una nueva herramienta segura de comunicación parroquial que le enviará correos electrónicos y / o mensajes de texto con las últimas noticias sobre la Parroquia de Sta. Colette. Por favor participa para que tú, nuestra parroquia, se puede conectar a la últimas actualizaciones y recursos. Puede encontrar más información sobre esto en nuestro sitio web.



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**Subject: Reopening Plan for St. Colette Church amid COVID-19**

Hello St. Colette family,

I pray that you and your loved ones are healthy. As you may have seen, Cardinal Cupich recently shared our [multi-phased plan for reopening churches in the Archdiocese of Chicago](#). Specifically,

- Phase I allows for parishes to reopen for Baptism, Reconciliation, Weddings and Funerals with a limit of 10 attendees.
- Phase IA allows for parishes to reopen for private prayer and adoration with a limit of 10 attendees.
- Phase II allows for reopening for weekday and weekend Masses for larger groups depending on the guidelines from the state and the capacity of the church building.

**Our St. Colette Reopening Plan**

First and foremost, it is important for everyone to understand that our efforts will prioritize the safety and wellbeing of all while maintaining due respect and reverence for the sacraments and liturgical norms of our faith.

I will assemble a Parish Reopening Leadership Team with parishioner co-captains to lead our efforts. Together, we will attend required training from the Archdiocese to ensure that our parish reopening plan conforms to the guidelines developed by the Archdiocese in collaboration with civil and healthcare authorities. We will also receive a starter kit of protective and cleaning supplies, as well as guidance on purchasing/maintaining supplies ongoing.

**Volunteers Needed**

We will need volunteers to assist with various aspects of our parish reopening plan. Importantly, leadership team members and volunteers must not be part of a “vulnerable population” (that is, not over the age of 65; no underlying medical condition such as diabetes; lung disease; undergoing cancer treatment, etc.). I ask all of you who are younger than 65 and healthy with no underlying health conditions to consider assisting with one of three reopening teams:

- Set-up team. Sample duties include ensuring that all supplies needed for each sacramental celebration/gathering are ready for use, entrances and exits are marked and propped physically open prior to attendees’ arrival/departure, windows are opened, etc.
- Greeting team. Sample duties include assisting in managing the flow of congregants as they enter the church, making sure attendees use hand sanitizer upon entering, are wearing a mask, and are reminded not to enter if ill; directing people to appropriate seating/waiting areas, etc.
- Cleaning team. Sample duties include maintaining and cleaning essential and trafficked areas of the church before and after the church has been used. Masks and gloves will be provided, if you do not have your own, in addition to approved cleaning/disinfecting supplies.

The Reopening Leadership Team and I will make sure that all volunteers are properly trained. Please send us a message at [amahonge@archchicago.org](mailto:amahonge@archchicago.org) to indicate your willingness and

ability to volunteer. From those that step forward, we will also request that some act as volunteer captains to help lead each of the three teams.

### **Timing for Our Reopening**

As I mentioned, the Parish Reopening Leadership Team members and I will need to complete required training, which will take place the week of May 17. Once we complete the training, we will need to review and complete tasks assigned to all parishes as part of a reopening certification process to be approved by the Archdiocese. Therefore, the soonest that any parish in the Archdiocese will realistically open for sacramental celebrations, private prayer or Eucharistic Adoration is likely the weekend of May 23. However, our parish, like all others in the archdiocese, will move forward at a pace and timing appropriate for its own situation.

Following our training and certification approval, at St. Colette Parish, we will only open our church once the Reopening Leadership Team and I feel confident that we have the right volunteers in place to make it possible to reopen. Again, the need for parishioner assistance cannot be overstated.

The guidelines and measures required to reopen are designed to protect our wellbeing and that of the of our broader community. As Cardinal Cupich has noted, from the first pages of Scripture we learn that we indeed are “our brother’s keeper.” Our Lord Jesus Christ prayed, “that they all may be one” (Jn 17:21) and commanded us “love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another” (Jn 13:34). Our collective patience, willingness to help and the care we take to reopen is a demonstration of our unity and love for one another.

May God grant you His peace during this difficult time and may He manifest His love and presence to you in abundant ways. If you have any questions, please contact me at [amahonge@archchicago.org](mailto:amahonge@archchicago.org) or (847) 394-8100 ext 105.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Rev. Augustine Mahonge



# LA ASCENSIÓN DEL Señor

24 DE MAYO DE 2020

## HAGAN DISCÍPULOS DE TODAS LAS NACIONES

Hoy celebramos la ascensión de Jesús al cielo, su partida después de la crucifixión, la resurrección y todas las apariciones a los discípulos. Los hechos y efesios miran hacia atrás en el momento justo antes de que Jesús se vaya y luego en sus secuelas inmediatas, todavía tratando de entender lo que ha sucedido y lo que se espera de aquellos que fueron dejados atrás. Las lecturas nos recuerdan que los discípulos todavía no están seguros de lo que todo esto significa para ellos. Pero una cosa es cierta: Jesús se ha ido y están luchando con qué hacer a continuación. Mateo nos dice que aun cuando creyeron en Jesús, dudaron. Jesús responde a sus dudas con un llamado al trabajo. Les dice que “hagan discípulos de todas las naciones”.

### ARRIBA, ARRIBA Y LEJOS

La lectura de los Hechos nos da una descripción bastante completa de la Ascensión. Jesús se elevó y desapareció de la vista, pero no sin antes que los discípulos hicieran un montón de preguntas de qué es lo que pasaría. Los discípulos todavía están pensando que el reino de Israel será restaurado. Jesús les responde con una promesa de poder del Espíritu Santo y una comisión que ellos serán testigos no solo para Israel sino hasta los confines del mundo. Pero los discípulos todavía están pensando en algo muy pequeño. Jesús sabe que el significado de su muerte y resurrección no es pequeño. Los discípulos no pueden ni imaginar lo que esto significa para ellos al estar ahí parados mirando el cielo. Jesús les dice que una vez más su trabajo es anunciar a cada persona acerca de su vida y obras, bautizarlas y enseñarles sus mandamientos.

### NUNCA PODER DECIR ADIOS

Los discípulos todavía pensaban que esto era acerca de su vida y su mundo. A ellos, Jesús les recuerda lo que ellos han vivido con él, su vida, muerte y resurrección es más grande y de gran alcance de lo que ellos se puedan imaginar. Esto no es solo acerca del reino de Israel. Esto es acerca de todas las naciones. Esto no es acerca de ser testigos en Jerusalén, Judea y Samaria. Este trabajo los llevará a los confines de la tierra. Es una misión enorme que se nos dio a nosotros y a los discípulos. Esto les parece imposible a los discípulos y también nos parece imposible a nosotros ahora. Pero no lo es. Es posible porque no estamos solos en esta misión. Jesús está con nosotros no un día o una semana o toda nuestra vida. Jesús está con nosotros siempre, hasta el fin del mundo.

### LECTURAS DE HOY

Hechos 1:1–11  
Salmo 47 (46):2–3, 6–9  
Efesios 1:17–23  
Mateo 28:16–20

Vayan, pues, y enseñen a todas las naciones,  
bautizándolas en el nombre del Padre  
y del Hijo y del Espíritu Santo.

Mateo 28:19



St. Colette Parish

## Join our Daily Liturgies.

Monday-English Family Mass 7:00PM  
Tuesday-Spanish Family Mass 7:00PM  
Wednesday-Holy Hour 7:00PM  
Thursday-English Family Mass 7:00PM  
Friday-Spanish Family Mass 7:00PM  
Sunday- English Mass 10:00AM

St. Colette Parish

## Únete a nuestro Liturgias diarias.

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Lunes-Misa familiar en inglés 7:00 PM  
Martes-Misa familiar en español 7:00 PM  
Miércoles-Hora Santa 7:00 PM  
Jueves-Misa familiar en inglés 7:00 PM  
Viernes-Misa familiar en español 7:00 PM  
Domingo- Misa en español 12:00 PM

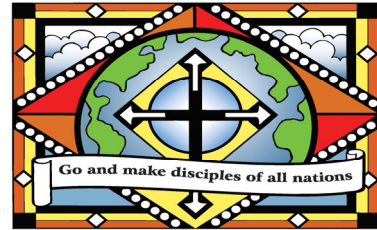
**PRAYER LIST**

Please remember the following people in our parish who are in need of your prayers. *Por favor oren por estas personas en nuestra parroquia*

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Lynn Beckman	George Wenzel	Mark Pollard
Jade Cali	Aime Connor Green	Joan Kuhn
Jessica Cali	Regina Gorski	Roberto Campa
Jack & Lorraine Grady	Thomas Abinanti	Mary Olson
Daniel Krysh	Jake Hall	Bernadette Drake
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Elizabeth "Lizzy" Moreno	Donna & Tony Gurgiolo	Carol Capalbo
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Virginia Genschoreck	David Urban	Kathleen Kwandras
Heather Atencio	Alex Connor	Ted Loesch
Annemarie Pollard	Jim Rosean	Mary Lukachik
Curt Taras	John Brankin	Anabella Anderson
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Tamara Pawlak	Valerie Anselmo	Katie Houston
Lisa Zwilling	Dennis Maeller	Mary & Stanley Schubert
Marc Miller	Bob & Dee Lamb	Carmen Pasillas
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Julie Schindler	Mark Martell	Collins Foster
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**Readings of the Week / Lecturas de la Semana**

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33  
 Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a  
 Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-36ab; Jn 17:11b-19  
 Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; Jn 17:20-26  
 Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19  
 Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25  
 Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39  
 Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23



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# Jesus Ascended into Heaven



The Ascension is one of the great feasts of the Church. Jesus went up, Body and Soul, into Heaven to be with His Father where He is waiting for all of us. Can you imagine what it was like for the apostles to see their leader and best friend going up to Heaven? It would be pretty amazing, don't you think?



At the same time, doesn't it seem a bit sad that Jesus left? Well, He knew it was time for His disciples to start working on their own. It was kind of like having someone there to help you learn to ride a

bike and then they let you go so you can learn to bike on your own.

But Jesus didn't go away and leave us without any help. Nine days after He went into Heaven

He sent the Holy Spirit, who would help and guide His followers.



Answers to True or False:  
1 True 2 False 3 False 4 True  
5 True 6 False 7 True  
Answer to puzzle on front page: God mounts His throne to shouts of joy!

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## Saint Charles Lwanga And Companions June 3

IN THE 1880'S SOME PRIESTS FROM EUROPE CAME TO BRING THE FAITH TO THE PEOPLE OF UGANDA. CHARLES LWANGA LEARNED THE FAITH AND WAS BAPTIZED.

Jesus is the Son of God.

WHEN THE KING HAD SOME PROTESTANT MISSIONARIES KILLED THE CHIEF PAGE REPRIMANDED HIM, SO THE KING HAD HIM KILLED TOO.

It was unjust!  
Kill him!

CHARLES WAS MADE THE NEW CHIEF PAGE. HE SECRETLY TAUGHT THE FAITH TO THE OTHERS.

We will meet tonight - tell the others!

If he tells you to do a sin, find an excuse to leave.

HE ALSO PROTECTED THEM FROM THE SINFUL DESIGNS OF THE KING.

WHEN THE KING REALIZED WHAT WAS HAPPENING HE CONDEMNED THE CHRISTIANS TO DEATH.

If you believe in Jesus stand over there!

THEY WERE FORCED TO WALK 37 MILES, AND SOME WERE KILLED ON THE WAY.

AFTER BEING IMPRISONED FOR SEVEN DAYS, ON JUNE 3RD, 1886 THE CHRISTIAN PAGES WERE BURNED TO DEATH FOR REFUSING TO GIVE UP THEIR FAITH.

SAINT CHARLES AND HIS FELLOW PAGES DID NOT LET THE FEAR OF DEATH STOP THEM FROM FOLLOWING GOD AND DOING WHAT WAS RIGHT. IF EVER YOU ARE TEMPTED TO SIN OR TO MAKE AN EASY CHOICE THAT IS WRONG, PRAY TO SAINT CHARLES AND HIS FRIENDS FOR STRENGTH TO MAKE THE RIGHT DECISION.

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# The Kids' Bulletin

Feast of the Ascension  
May 21st or May 24th, 2020

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What does today's Psalm say about the Ascension? Use every other letter from the box of letters above to fill in the blanks below.

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## True or False about... The Ascension

How well do you know the story of the Ascension? See if you know which of these are true and which are false:

1. Jesus appeared to His disciples for forty days after He rose from the dead. True or false?
2. When Jesus was with His disciples after He rose from the dead, they could only see Him but they couldn't touch Him. True or false?
3. Jesus didn't tell His friends that He was going to leave them. True or false?
4. Jesus promised that He would send the Holy Spirit. True or false?
5. The disciples had gathered together and asked Jesus if He was going to restore the earthly kingdom. True or false?
6. Nobody saw Jesus rise into the sky and disappear into a cloud. True or false?



7. Two men appeared to the disciples and said, "Men of Galilee, why are you looking at the sky?" True or false?