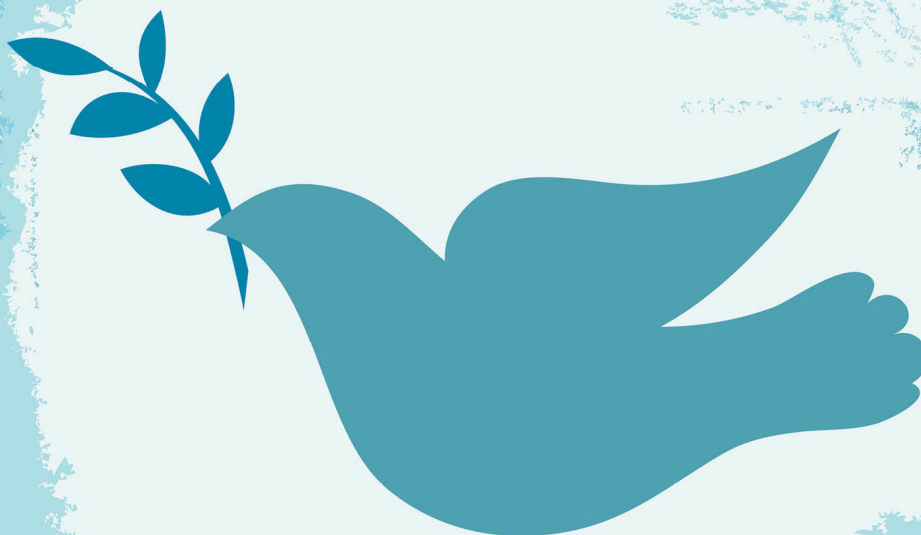


February 19, 2023 | SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



St. Colette Parish

Parroquia de Santa Colette



Do you not know that you are the temple of God,
and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?

~ 1 Corinthians 3:16



Mass Intentions February 19 - February 25
Intenciones de la Misa de Enero 19 a Febrero 25

Sunday, February 19, 2023

Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time

5:00 PM (Saturday vigil): Jim Shirmer , Laurie Wenzel Kowaleski, Dennis Szafran, Henry & Lorie Geisen, Wanda Gron & Jack Gron

8:00 AM: Joseph & Violet Berdecka, Sr. Jo Ann Berdecka, Maureen Sevandal Yanong, Monique Ridosh

10:00 AM: Helen Bremer, Leonard & Michael Schindler, Mary Olson, Czelawa & Stanislaw Baran Families

12:00 PM: The People of St. Colette Parish

Monday, February 20, 2023

8:00 AM: Jim Shirmer

Tuesday, February 21, 2023

St. Peter Damian

8:00 AM: Marie E. Healy, Mathew Chinnamma

Wednesday, February 22, 2023

Ash Wednesday

8:00 AM: Sally Warren, Bill Potzner

Thursday, February 23, 2023

St. Polycarp

8:00 AM: Mary Falzone, Don Cavi

Friday, February 24, 2023

8:00 AM: Alice Kniep, Sally Warren, Mary Falzone, Grace Booth

Saturday, February 25, 2023

8:00AM: Henry Geisen, Daniel Terzo, Sharon Terzo Kopitke, Stephen Terzo

Mass Intentions / Intenciones de la Misa

If you have any mass intentions, call our parish office at 847-394-8100 and a parish staff member will be happy to assist you.

Si tiene intenciones de la misa, llame a nuestra oficina parroquial al 847-394-8100 y un miembro del personal parroquial estara feliz de poder ayudarlo.

Readings of The Week

Monday: Gn 4:1-15, 25; Ps 50:1, 8, 16bc-17, 20-21; Mk 8:11-13

Tuesday: Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; Ps 29:1a, 2, 3ac-4, 3b, 9c-10; Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday: Gn 8:6-13, 20-22; Ps 116:12-15, 18-19; Mk 8:22-26

Thursday: Gn 9:1-13; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23; Mk 8:27-33

Friday: Gn 11:1-9; Ps 33:10-15; Mk 8:34 — 9:1

Saturday: Heb 11:1-7; Ps 145:2-5, 10-11; Mk 9:2-13

Sunday: Lv 19:1-2, 17-18; Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 3:16-23; Mt 5:38-48

Prayer List / Lista de Oracion

Please remember the following people in your prayers.
Por favor recuerden estas personas en sus oraciones.

Michele Adamski
Edgar Roberto Santacruz
Erasmus Guillen
Helen Lipski
Richard Miguel
Susan Schuett
Nancy Duque
Angela Heimgartner
Curt Taras
Sara Pawlak
George Wenzel
Wanda Olsen
Dr. James Stipak
Shania Beale Ludington
Alfredo Santacruz
Mark Martell
Julie Christopher
DRenee NyGaard & Family
Maria Luisa
Familia Cura Alanis
Oswald Guillen
Stephen Terzo
Robert Megaro
Joshua Kincl

Anthony (Tony) Capalbo
Liz Caridad Camara
Concepcion Matta
Edith Aguilar
Irma C. Gonzalez Matta
Vanessa Hernandez
Jessie Duque Sofia Baculima
Jerry Siemienas
JaimeTrevino Santacruz
Brian Goeske
Valeria Vargas
Alejandrina Terrones
Maria Luisa Alanis Mata
Olivia Raquel Mata Pacheco
Alex Chmielewski
Helen Weres
Vivian Green
Dan Esta
Alanis Mata
Helen Bremer
Brian Hedrick
Sharon Terzo Kopitke
Matthew Horwath
Mike Braun

Ministry of Care

If you are sick or recovering from an operation, our Ministry of Care would like to bring communion to you. Please call the parish office at 847-394-8100 to make an appointment.



IT IS UP TO US TO CHOOSE...IT IS TIME FOR US TO CHOOSE.

"Even now, says the LORD, return to me with your whole heart, with fasting, and weeping, and mourning; Rend your hearts, not your garments, and return to the LORD, your God." (Joel 2:12-13)

Brothers and sisters, Lent begins this week with Ash Wednesday on February 22. This Holy Season will last for forty days. We are all invited to come to our holy spaces and receive ashes as a sign of beginning this season, to turn away from sin by returning to a life of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving for our love of God.

Our Lord Jesus spent forty days in the desert in fasting and prayer before beginning his public ministry. There in the desert He experienced hunger, thirst, and temptations. After these forty days without giving in to the evil one, He began his transformative and redeeming ministry. In the power of the Spirit (Luke 4:14), from that time Jesus began to preach (Matthew 4:17), His experience of prayer and fasting gave him the power to minister and begin the ministry of proclaiming the Good News, healing the sick, and setting captives free.

Each year we spend forty days in more intense prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. Such dedication calls for a closer time with God, with the Lord and with one another. We plan liturgy, use prayers and exercises that deepen our relationship with our God. Let us begin our Lenten season filled with boundless joy of celebrating another liturgical season. It is a season that will call us to earnestly consider our need for repentance, penance, and giving to those in need. As the great Saint Paul says, our life is a process of constant conversion. Jesus is the focus during this period and so the Lenten season allows us to focus more intently on our life in Christ. It is upon us to choose and decide. Let us decide on a rewarding moment of prayer. Let us decide for conversion through penance. Let us decide to give our love to others. Let us choose a Holy Lent.

One current opportunity for us as a parish is spending some time at the Blessed Sacrament of the Eucharist. You are invited to spend time contemplating and receiving grace from our Lord. You are welcome to sit in silence before the Lord every Tuesday from 4PM until 6PM and Thursday from 7PM until 9PM. Come let us adore Him. "...and your Father who sees what is hidden will repay you." (Matthew 6:4b)

DEPENDEN DE NOSOTROS ELEGIR...ES HORA DE QUE ELIJAMOS.

"Incluso ahora, dice el Señor, vuelve a mí con todo tu corazón, con ayuno, llanto y luto; Desgarrad vuestros corazones, no vuestras vestiduras, y volved al Señor, vuestro Dios." (Jl 2:12-13)

Hermanos y hermanas, la Cuaresma comienza esta semana con el Miércoles de Ceniza el 22 de febrero. Esta temporada santa durará cuarenta días. Todos estamos invitados a venir a nuestros espacios santos y recibir cenizas como una señal de comenzar esta temporada, para alejarnos del pecado regresando a una vida de oración, ayuno, y limosna por nuestro amor de Dios.

Nuestro Señor Jesús pasó cuarenta días en el desierto en ayuno y oración antes de comenzar su ministerio público. Allí, en el desierto, experimentó hambre, sed y tentaciones. Después de estos cuarenta días sin ceder ante el maligno, comenzó su ministerio transformador y redentor. En el poder del Espíritu (Lucas 4:14), desde ese momento Jesús comenzó a predicar (Mt 4:17), Su experiencia de oración y ayuno le dio el poder de ministrar y comenzar el ministerio de proclamar las Buenas Nuevas, sanar a los enfermos y liberar a los cautivos.

Cada año pasamos cuarenta días en oración, ayuno, y limosna más intensos. Tal dedicación exige un tiempo más cercano con Dios, con el Señor y unos con otros. Planeamos la liturgia, usamos oraciones y ejercicios que profundizan nuestra relación con nuestro Dios. Comencemos nuestro tiempo de Cuaresma llenos de alegría ilimitada de celebrar otro tiempo litúrgico. Es una temporada que nos llamará a considerar seriamente nuestra necesidad de arrepentimiento, penitencia y dar a los necesitados. Como dice el gran San Pablo, nuestra vida es un proceso de conversión constante. Jesús es el foco durante este período y, por lo tanto, la temporada de Cuaresma nos permite enfocarnos más intensamente en nuestra vida en Cristo. Depende de nosotros elegir y decidir. Decidamos un momento gratificante de oración. Decidamos por la conversión a través de la penitencia. Decidamos dar nuestro amor a los demás. Elijamos una Santa Cuaresma.

Una oportunidad actual para nosotros como parroquia es pasar algún tiempo en el Santísimo Sacramento de la Eucaristía. Estás invitado a pasar tiempo contemplando y recibiendo la gracia de nuestro Señor. Le invitamos a sentarse en silencio ante el Señor todos los martes de 4 p.m. a 6 p.m. y los jueves de 7 p.m. a 9 p.m. Vengan, adorémoslo. "... y su Padre que ve lo que está escondido os lo pagará." (Mateo 6:4b)

"Lent is a new beginning, a path leading to the certain goal of Easter, Christ's victory over death. This season urgently calls us to conversion. Christians are asked to return to God 'with all their hearts' (Joel 2:12), to refuse to settle for mediocrity and grow in friendship with the Lord." – Pope Francis

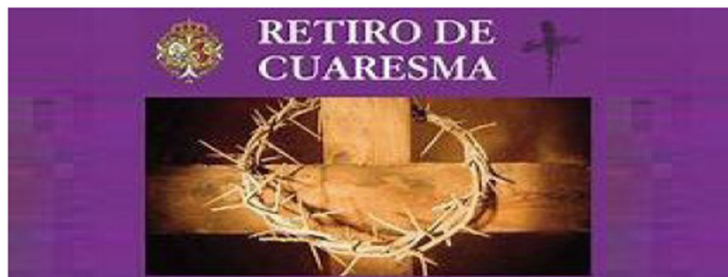


Ash Wednesday Services
8AM and 6PM: Masses in English
12PM: Word service in English
8PM: Mass in Spanish



Surge of the Heart, a Lenten Mission
March 15 & 16

*Who is God and Why That Matters;
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La Cuaresma es el camino cristiano de transformación para el encuentro con Dios. Nos da la oportunidad de abrir nuestro corazón a la Palabra para que nos purifique, nos fortalezca y nos transforme, con el poder del Espíritu Santo, a la imagen de Jesucristo. En este retiro podrá meditar, orar y explorar su experiencia personal para renovar su unión con Cristo muerto y resucitado, como lo celebra la Iglesia Católica.

Cuando: Sábado, 25 de febrero del

2023 Horario: 9:00 am a 1:00pm

Registraziones: a las 8:30 am—no habrá lonche

Lugar: Parroquia de San José Obrero

(en el Bonner Hall)

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Facilitador: Sr. Ricardo López

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Inscripciones:

<https://vic1chicago.org/events/guarde-la-fecha-retiro-de-cuaresma>



LIGHT THE NIGHT

Join us on Saturday,
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It's official! The **Disciple Maker Index (DMI) Survey** is a great way to reflect on your own spiritual growth while helping our parish plan for the future.

Complete the short, 10-15 minute **anonymous** survey at catholicleaders.org/chicagodmi or scan the code, or find a paper copy in the narthex or parish office after Mass.

Available from **Ash Wednesday, February 22 to March 31**. Don't miss this opportunity to be heard.



Your opinion matters at St. Colette Parish!

Does our parish help you grow spiritually? How good are we at connecting you to others in the parish? In what ways do you feel invited to share your talents at our parish? Your honest answers to these types of questions are what will make St. Colette a better faith community.

This Lent, St. Colette will invite all parishioners to share their input by participating in a 10-15 minute survey. Our friends at the Catholic Leadership Institute are helping with this online survey from Ash Wednesday, February 22 – March 31. All responses will be confidential and the parish will only receive information about the community as a whole. We will receive the results this spring/summer at which time we will share what we have learned with the entire parish.

Your feedback and input will help shape various ministries as we plan for the future and strive to be the best parish we can be!

Starting February 22, the survey is available online at <https://portal.catholicleaders.org/d/q49xqg> and paper copies will also be made available.

¡SU opinión importa en Parroquia de Santa Colette!

¿Nuestra parroquia lo ayuda a crecer espiritualmente? ¿Qué tan bien lo estamos conectando con otros en la parroquia? ¿De qué manera se siente invitado a compartir sus talentos en nuestra parroquia? Sus respuestas honestas a este tipo de preguntas harán a Santa Colette una mejor comunidad de fe.

Esta Cuaresma, Santa Colette invitará a todos los feligreses a compartir sus comentarios al participar en una encuesta de 10 a 15 minutos. Nuestros amigos en el Instituto de Liderazgo Católico (Catholic Leadership Institute) están ayudando con esta encuesta en línea desde el Miércoles de Ceniza, 22 de febrero al 31 de marzo. Todas las respuestas serán confidenciales y la parroquia solamente recibirá información sobre la comunidad en su conjunto. Recibiremos los resultados esta primavera/verano y en ese momento compartiremos lo que hemos aprendido con toda la parroquia.

¡Sus comentarios ayudarán a dar forma a varios ministerios mientras planificamos para el futuro y nos esforzamos por ser la mejor parroquia possible!

Vaya a <https://portal.catholicleaders.org/d/q49xqg>. Si prefiere una copia en papel, las tendremos disponibles a partir del 22 de febrero.



¡Es oficial! La **Encuesta Índice de Creadores de Discípulos (DMI)** es una excelente manera de reflexionar sobre tu propio crecimiento espiritual mientras ayudas a nuestra parroquia a planificar para el futuro.

Realiza la breve encuesta **anónima** de 10 a 15 minutos en catholicleaders.org/chicagodmi o escanea el código, también puedes encontrar una copia impresa en el nártex o en la oficina parroquial después de misa.

Disponible del **Miércoles de Ceniza, 22 de febrero al 31 de marzo**. No pierdas esta oportunidad de ser escuchado.



Our Lady of Fatima

You are invited to host the Virgin Lady of Fatima in your home. It is a wonderful opportunity to pray and learn more about her as a family. Include her in your family time and family prayers. You may host the Lady for up to a two-week period. No costs involved; only blessing abound. For more information, please contact Jess Arroya at 847-394-8508.



Food Pantry Donations—All February

Throughout the month of February, we are collecting nonperishable food to stock our food pantry and to distribute to those in need. Please place your donations in the church vestibule. If you are interested in helping with the food pantry, please call the rectory.

President's Day—February 20

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, February 20 for President's Day. The Senior Walking Club will still meet on Monday; the doors open at 9:30 am.

Young Adult Catholic Men's Group—February 25

This group meets on the 4th Saturday of each month. The group meets for 8am Mass, followed by spiritual discussion over bagels and coffee, ending with pick-up basketball. Please reach out to Liam Brady with questions: Ljbrady1120@gmail.com.

Ministers of Care—March 1

All Ministers of Care are encouraged to attend the Ministers of Care Meeting on Wednesday, March 1 in Halpin Hall at 7:00pm. Enter at Meditation Garden entrance.

St. Colette Senior WALKING CLUB



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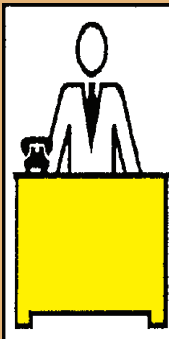
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MASS SCHEDULE / HORARIOS DE MISA

Daily Mass / Misa Diaria

Monday - Saturday / Lunes - Sabado: 8:00 AM

Weekend Masses / Misa de Fin de Semana

Saturday / Sabado: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM (English / Inglés)

Domingo: 12:00 Mediodia (Spanish / Español)

Confessions / Confesiones

Saturday / Sabado: 8:30 AM

Adoration

- Tuesdays 4-6 PM and Thursdays 7-9 PM;
- Wednesdays after 8 AM mass (with exposition);
- First Fridays after 8 AM mass (with exposition)

Adoracion

- Martes 4-6 PM y Jueves 7-9 PM;
- Miercoles despues de la misa de 8 AM (con exposición);
- Primer Viernes despues de la misa de 8 AM (con exposición)

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