

GUARDIAN ANGEL CATHEDRAL



The Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Las Vegas
Most Rev. George Leo Thomas, Ph.D., Archbishop
Rev. Robert Stoeckig, Rector



SEPTEMBER 24, 2023
THE TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday thru Friday at 9 AM
Saturday Vigil - 2:30 PM
Sunday - 7:30 AM, 9 AM, & 11 AM

CONFESSION

Monday thru Friday from 8 AM to 8:45 AM

PRIVATE PRAYER IN THE CATHEDRAL

Monday thru Friday from 8 AM to 12 PM
Saturday - 2 PM to 3:30 PM
Sunday - 7 AM to 12 PM

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WORSHIP AID

Today's readings can be found at #1266 in the hymnal.

OPENING HYMN: Canticle of the Turning #728

GLORIA: #399

LITURGY OF THE WORD

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 145:18a

R./ "The Lord is near to all who call upon him."

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

CREED: Nicene Creed on the inside front cover

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY HYMN: A House of Prayer #853

Today's second collection will help us with our ongoing building expenses.

SANCTUS: #290

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION: #291

AMEN: #294

AGNUS DEI: #481

COMMUNION HYMN: Abundant Life #683

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

R./ "You have commanded that your precepts be diligently kept."

RECESSIONAL HYMN: Lord of All Hopefulness #758

SCRIPTURAL REFLECTION

Our attention shifts slightly in these last Sundays of Ordinary Time. We turn from concentration on the character and responsibilities of discipleship to reflection on the import of the end of time. As we move toward the close of the liturgical year, we are invited to consider the final coming of Christ and the last judgment.

The thought of judgment is enough to strike fear in the hearts of many. We sometimes experience tension between the idea of divine justice, which requires that the good be adequately rewarded and the evil be appropriately punished, and that of the mercy of God, which we hope will be generously extended to us. As seen in the readings for this Sunday, the justice of God does not conform to the standards of human justice. It is incomprehensible, because its foundation is mercy. While we might find consolation in this view of divine judgment when it is directed toward us, our hearts do not always seem to be generous enough to rejoice in the mercy extended to others. It is almost as if we feel that we have been cheated in some way, if God is merciful to others. However, divine mercy can work in us to abolish our pettiness and indignation and replace it with generosity of heart. We are called to conduct ourselves with this kind of generosity, this kind of love, this kind of mercy.

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MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. September 23

2:30 PM (Fr. Stoeckig)

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+ Rosemarie Tan-Tiongco

Sun. September 24

7:30 AM (Fr. Stoeckig)

9:00 AM (Fr. Dresden)

11:00 AM (Fr. Dresden)

Sun. September 24

People of the Parish

+ Rita & Maynard Schumacher

+ Edwina L. Verar

Mon. September 25

9:00 AM (Fr. Stoeckig)

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+ Jason Stephens

Tues. September 26

9:00 AM (Fr. Stoeckig)

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+ Joan and Glen Griffith

Wed. September 27

9:00 AM (Fr. Herbst)

Wed. September 27

+ Ted Ferguson

Thurs. September 28

9:00 AM (Fr. Dresden)

Thurs. September 28

+ Louise W. Berezny

Fri. September 29

9:00 AM (Fr. Wevita)

Fri. September 29

+ Rosemary Werth

CATHEDRAL PRAYER LIST

Johnny Anderson
Felicia A. Bielucke
Anthony Gandara
Jocelyn Green
Mindá Licuanan
Mario Merced
Delores Meosky

Rev. Tom Montelaro
Penelope Paterson
Enrique Perez
Bishop Joseph Pepe
Bonnie Rousch
David Wenzel

To have a name added to the Prayer List, please call the Cathedral Office. Due to space concerns in our new bulletin, we can only keep names on the list for four weeks.

If you believe you have been a victim of sexual abuse by anyone representing the Catholic Church please call Ron Vallance at (702) 235-7723.

60TH ANNIVERSARY

Guardian Angel Cathedral will celebrate its 60th anniversary on Monday, October 2, 2023. Because of the October 2 conflict with the Pallium Mass (which has since been moved to October 16 due to the Papal Nuncio's elevation to Cardinal), we have prepared a special video presentation on YouTube. Please check our website and social media accounts for more information on when it goes live.



CATHOLIC STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

As of June 30, 2023, we are at 100% of our \$81,210.35 goal. All monies received from this point until December 31, 2023, are rebated back to the Cathedral. We thank you for your generosity and support!

LAST WEEK'S OFFERTORY

COLLECTION FIGURES AVAILABLE ONLINE

[HTTPS://GACLV.ORG/WEEKLY-COLLECTION/](https://gacLV.org/weekly-collection/)

9/17/23 - \$ 9,464.00

SECOND COLLECTION

There will be a second collection immediately following the first collection. This second collection will help us with our ongoing building expenses. Guardian Angel Cathedral is the oldest standing building on the iconic Las Vegas Strip. It is starting to show signs of its age that our regular offertory collection and budget simply cannot cover. A portion of this collection will also allow us to assist local charities that help the poor, needy, and vulnerable right here in Las Vegas. We thank you for your generosity.

ONLINE GIVING

Forgot your checkbook at home? Did the slot machine eat all of your cash? Please consider supporting the Catholic ministry of the Cathedral on the Las Vegas Strip by giving safely and securely online. Simply scan the QR code to give. Thank you!



HISTORY OF THE CATHEDRAL

Guardian Angel Cathedral is the oldest standing public structure along the iconic Las Vegas Strip. It is unique not only for its magnificent windows, mosaics, mural, and architectural design but also for its origin and history. The beginnings go back to 1958 when the Clerics of St. Viator began the celebration of a 4:30 AM Sunday Mass at various hotels on the Strip to accommodate hotel/casino workers and visitors. The present church became a reality in 1963 as the "Guardian Angel Shrine."

When the Diocese of Reno became the Diocese of Reno-Las Vegas in 1977, the Shrine was designated as the Co-Cathedral of the Catholic Church in Nevada. In 1995 the Diocese of Las Vegas was established with Guardian Angel Cathedral as the Cathedral of the Diocese of Las Vegas. In May 2023, it was elevated to the Metropolitan Cathedral for the new Ecclesiastical Province.

In 1988, Guardian Angel Cathedral received an Indult, a special permission, from Rome for the 2:30 PM Saturday Mass to be recognized as a vigil Mass. Since ninety percent of the participants in our Eucharistic celebrations are visitors from all over the world, this Mass is a great help in caring for those who wish to fulfill their Sunday obligation.

For more information on the history of Guardian Angel Cathedral, please visit our website.