

# GUARDIAN ANGEL CATHEDRAL



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



**NOVEMBER 5, 2023**  
**THE THIRTY-FIRST 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

## WEBSITE

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## WORSHIP AID

Today's readings can be found at #1284 in the hymnal.

**OPENING HYMN:** All People That on Earth Do Dwell #928

**GLORIA:** #399

### LITURGY OF THE WORD

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM:** Psalm 131: 1, 2, 3

R./ "In you, Lord, I have found my peace."

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

**CREED:** Nicene Creed on the inside front cover

### LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

**OFFERTORY HYMN:** The Servant Song #861

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

**SANCTUS:** #290

**MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION:** #291

**AMEN:** #294

**AGNUS DEI:** #481

**COMMUNION HYMN:** What You Have Done for Me #907

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON:**

R./ "Lord, you will show us the path of life."

**RECESSIONAL HYMN:** O God, Beyond All Praising #725

## SCRIPTURAL REFLECTION

Since Vatican II the responsibilities of leadership have been spread throughout the community. This has not happened simply because there are fewer priests and religious. It has occurred primarily because the Council itself insisted that by virtue of their baptism all Christians are called to discipleship, which includes active participation in the mission of the church. While those who are ordained continue in specialized forms of leadership, other people have stepped forward to assume their newly recognized responsibilities. Sometimes they have more influence in the church than do the ordained.

We derive the connection between pharisaical and hypocritical from Jesus' description of the Pharisees found in today's reading. His condemnation, along with the condemnation of the priests in the first reading, should be a warning to all who in any way exercise leadership. We must always be on our guard lest the trappings of leadership ensnare us and we fail in our responsibilities toward God and the community we serve.

There is a mode of leadership that reflects the very meaning of authority. This way of leadership authors life. It is characterized by the striking image of a nursing mother who both gives and sustains life. Those who exercise leadership in this way create a community where life is fostered, not stifled, where talents serve all of the members, and the talents of all of the members are invited to serve. Such a community not only nurtures its members, it is itself the author of life in the world.

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## MASS INTENTIONS

<b>Sat. November 4</b> 2:30 PM (Fr. Stoeckig)	<b>Sat. November 4</b> People of the Parish
<b>Sun. November 5</b> 7:30 AM (Fr. Stoeckig) 9:00 AM (Fr. Stoeckig) 11:00 AM (Fr. Stoeckig)	<b>Sun. November 5</b> Int. of Pia Ballesteros + Arlene Schumacher People of the Parish
<b>Mon. November 6</b> 9:00 AM (Fr. Stoeckig)	<b>Mon. November 6</b> Int. of Nita Napa
<b>Tues. November 7</b> 9:00 AM (Fr. Stoeckig)	<b>Tues. November 7</b> + Edwin Rogers
<b>Wed. November 8</b> 9:00 AM (Fr. Herbst)	<b>Wed. November 8</b> + John F. Allen
<b>Thurs. November 9</b> 9:00 AM (Fr. Dresden)	<b>Thurs. November 9</b> + Fadila and Habib Hermes
<b>Fri. November 10</b> 9:00 AM (Fr. Dresden)	<b>Fri. November 10</b> + Angel Koch, Jr.

## CATHEDRAL PRAYER LIST

Johnny Anderson	Fr. Tom Montolero
Julie Andriaccio	Enrique Perez
Minda Licuanan	Bishop Joseph Pepe
Sanja Grubestic	Bonnie Rousch
Mario Merced	Dianne Wilson
Delores Meosky	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 and ask you to call to re-list.*

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

## VETERANS DAY

In observance of Veterans Day, the Cathedral will close immediately after the 9 AM Mass on Friday, November 10.

## USCCB VETERANS DAY PRAYER

Lord God, Almighty Father, creator of mankind and author of peace, as we are ever mindful of the cost paid for the liberty we possess, we ask you to bless the members of our armed forces. Give them courage, hope and strength. May they ever experience your firm support, gentle love and compassionate healing. Be their power and protector, leading them from darkness to light. To you be all glory, honor and praise, now and forever. Amen.

## 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/)

10/29/23 = \$8,432.00

## 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.