

# GUARDIAN ANGEL CATHEDRAL



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



**DECEMBER 31, 2023**

**THE FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY, AND JOSEPH**

## MASS SCHEDULE

**\*\*Monday thru Friday at 12:10 PM\*\***  
Saturday Vigil - 2:30 PM  
Sunday - 7:30 AM, 9 AM, & 11 AM

## CONFESSION

**\*\*Monday thru Friday from 11:30 AM to 11:55 AM\*\***

## PRIVATE PRAYER IN THE CATHEDRAL

**\*\*Monday thru Friday from 10 AM to 2 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 #1106 in the hymnal.

**OPENING HYMN:** What Child Is This #552 (v. 1 & 2 only)

**GLORIA:** *Text on inside front cover of red hymnal*

### LITURGY OF THE WORD

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM:** Psalm 128:1-2, 3, 4-5

R./ "Blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways."

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

**CREED:** *Text on inside front cover of red hymnal*

### LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

**OFFERTORY HYMN:** Mary, First among Believers #1004

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

**SANCTUS:** #290

**MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION:** #293

**AMEN:** #294

**AGNUS DEI:** #295

**COMMUNION HYMN:** Wood of the Cradle #532

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON:**

R./ "Did you not know that I must be about my Father's business?"

**RECESSIONAL HYMN:** Angels We Have Heard on High #524

## WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE CHANGES THIS WEEK

*Effective*  
**MONDAY, JANUARY 1, 2024:**

Weekday Mass will be celebrated at 12:10 PM. There will no longer be a 9 AM Mass.  
This applies to the Masses celebrated on Monday through Friday only.  
There are no changes to our weekend schedule.

We will only celebrate our weekday Monday through Friday  
**Mass at 12:10 PM.**

## MASS INTENTIONS

<b>Sat. December 30</b> 2:30 PM (Fr. Dresden)	<b>Sat. December 30</b> People of the Parish
<b>Sun. December 31</b> 7:30 AM (Fr. Herbst) 9:00 AM (Fr. Stoeckig) 11:00 AM (Fr. Stoeckig)	<b>Sun. December 31</b> Int. of Alfred Clavano Vasquez + Edward U. Bevilacqua, Sr. People of the Archdiocese of Las Vegas
<b>Mon. January 1</b> 12:10 PM (Fr. Dresden)	<b>Mon. January 1</b> Int. Clavano Family
<b>Tues. January 2</b> 12:10 PM (Fr. Stoeckig)	<b>Tues. January 2</b> + Warren T. Zimmerman
<b>Wed. January 3</b> 12:10 PM (Fr. Dresden)	<b>Wed. January 3</b> + Fr. Bob Keifer
<b>Thurs. January 4</b> 12:10 PM (Fr. Dresden)	<b>Thurs. January 4</b> Int. of Fr. Bob Stoeckig
<b>Fri. January 5</b> 12:10 PM (Fr. Wevita)	<b>Fri. January 5</b> Int. of Guinn & Ann Grunn

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.

## CATHEDRAL PRAYER LIST

Julie Andriaccio  
Minda Licuanan  
Art Mecuro  
Jocelyn Green  
Sanja Grubestic  
Mario Merced  
Delores Meosky

Fr. Tom Montolero  
Enrique Perez  
Bishop Joseph Pepe  
Maryann Salle  
Bonnie Rousch  
Chuck Vecchi  
Dianne Wilson  
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.

## 60TH ANNIVERSARY

Guardian Angel Cathedral celebrated its 60th anniversary this past October. To commemorate the special occasion, Guardian Angel Cathedral produced a 45-minute video presentation featuring musical performances by choristers from across the entire Archdiocese of Las Vegas. The video also features historical information about our architect, Paul Revere Williams, as well as spiritual reflections. If you haven't already seen the video, please visit Guardian Angel Cathedral on YouTube.



## 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!

## OFFERTORY

Weekly Budgeted Need = \$12,307.00  
*Collection figures were not available at the time of publication*

## 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.