

GUARDIAN ANGEL CATHEDRAL



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



FEBRUARY 18, 2024
THE FIRST SUNDAY SUNDAY OF LENT

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday thru Friday - 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 - 10 AM to 2 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 #1117 in the hymnal.

OPENING HYMN: Forgive Our Sins #1062

LITURGY OF THE WORD

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (23)

R./ "Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those who keep
your covenant."

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: #288

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LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY HYMN: Mercy, O God #575

*Today's second collection will help the Cathedral reach its 2024 Catholic
Stewardship Appeal goal.*

SANCTUS: #290

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION: #293

AMEN: #294

AGNUS DEI: #295

COMMUNION HYMN: Called to the Supper #593

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

R./ "The Lord will hide you with his shoulders,
and under his wings you will find refuge."

RECESSIONAL HYMN: Led by the Spirit #576

SCRIPTURAL REFLECTION

Today's readings show us that Lent is a time for us to receive God's grace. We are not the ones who, through our penance, are meant to accomplish great things. Rather, it is God who acts; it is God who makes the sacrifice; it is God who accomplishes great things for us.

Each reading describes a different kind of conflict within which we might find ourselves: a world-wrenching upheaval, such as happens during social discord, war or natural disaster; the struggle between right and wrong, between fidelity and disobedience; the struggle with temptation. In the midst of the conflicts of life, God initiates a covenant with us. God saves the world from the chaos into which it was thrown, makes a covenant with all living things and with the earth, and sets a bow in the heavens as a perpetual reminder of the covenant. Christ dies for sinners, and offers them baptism that will save them from the chaos of their lives. The Spirit drives Jesus into the desert, there to be tested, but to emerge triumphant. His victory is not for him alone, but for all who will heed his words and follow his example.

The bow in the sky is a sign of the good news of the covenant; baptism is both the good news of salvation for us and our pledge of fidelity to God; Jesus' proclamation is that the reign of God is at hand. With the psalmist we praise God for inviting us into this covenant relationship.

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MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. February 17 **Sat. February 17**
 2:30 PM (Fr. Dresden) + Daniel Arthur Dorman

Sun. February 18 **Sun. February 18**
 7:30 AM (Fr. Herbst) + Fr. Francis Timoney
 9:00 AM (Fr. Stoeckig) People of the Parish
 11:00 AM (Fr. Stoeckig) + Felicidad Anasco

Mon. February 19 **Mon. February 19**
 12:10 PM (Fr. Stoeckig) Intention of Ralph Ramirez

Tues. February 20 **Tues. February 20**
 12:10 PM (Fr. Dresden) + Fr. William Duff

Wed. February 21 **Wed. February 21**
 8:00 AM (Fr. Dresden) Int. of Guinn & Ann Grunn

Thurs. February 22 **Thurs. February 22**
 12:10 PM (Fr. Cruz) + Milagros Goyeneche

Fri. February 23 **Fri. February 23**
 12:10 PM (Fr. Cruz) Int. of Guinn & Ann Grunn

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Budgeted Need = \$12,307.00

2/11 = \$13,217

2/4 = \$8,244

1/28 = \$10,543

1/21 = \$8,729

Last 4 Week Total = \$40,733.00

4 Week Average = \$10,183.25

2024 CSA Campaign

Goal = \$92,631

Pledges = \$0



SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend there will be a second collection immediately following the first collection. The proceeds from this second collection will help us work toward our annual 2024 Catholic Stewardship Appeal goal. 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!



PRESIDENTS' DAY HOURS

Mass at 12:10 PM

Doors open at 11:45 AM and close **immediately** after Mass.

No Confession on Presidents' Day.

Normal hours resume on Tuesday, February 20, 2024.

CATHEDRAL PRAYER LIST

Julie Andriaccio
 Minda Licuanan
 Art Mecuro
 Sanja Grubescic
 Frances McNally
 Mario Merced
 Delores Meosky

Fr. Tom Montelaro
 Enrique Perez
 Bishop Joseph Pepe
 Bonnie Rousch
 Chuck Vecchi
 Dianne Wilson
 David & Joyce Wenzel
 Diane

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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.