

GUARDIAN ANGEL CATHEDRAL



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



JUNE 2, 2024

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

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 #1192 in the hymnal.

OPENING HYMN: Alleluia! Sing to Jesus #1030

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

LITURGY OF THE WORD

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 116:12-13, 15, 16bc, 17-18

R./ "I will take the cup of salvation, and call on the name of the Lord."

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

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

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY HYMN: Draw Near #1037

Today's second collection will help us reach our goal for the 2024 Catholic Stewardship Appeal.

SANCTUS: #290

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION: #292

AMEN: #294

AGNUS DEI: #481

COMMUNION HYMN: Bread of Life from Heaven #1035

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

R./ "He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood abides in me and I in him, says the Lord."

RECESSIONAL HYMN: I Am the Bread of Life #1029

SCRIPTURAL REFLECTION

The readings, which reflect some aspect of the feast, feature three prominent themes: the importance of blood in the ratification of the covenant; the atoning actions of Christ; the attitude of thanksgiving.

Most people today would probably be repelled by the ritual use of blood. Yet birth blood is not subject to the same revulsion, nor is blood transfusion frowned upon. Blood is recognized as a life force, and blood relationships are cherished. In a sense this ritual makes us blood sisters and brothers of God and of each other. It seals our fate and it entitles us to the family inheritance.

This feast celebrates the incomparable love of Christ. He offered himself for the expiation of our sins; he spread a banquet table for us at which we are able to eat the bread of companionship and share the blood of the new covenant.

How shall we make a return to the Lord for all the good that we have received? The only appropriate response to God's graciousness is thanksgiving (eucharistia). We have been chosen; we have been delivered; we have a witness in heaven; and now we have been given the bread of eternal life and the blood of salvation. What return can we give? A life of gratitude lived in the presence of God; a life of union with all those who eat the same bread and drink from the same cup; a life of faithful expectation, waiting for the coming of the reign of God in all its fullness.

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MASS INTENTIONS

Sat., June 1

2:30 PM (Fr. Stoeckig)

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+ Sarah Parsons

Sun., June 2

7:30 AM (Fr. Herbst)
9:00 AM (Fr. Stoeckig)
11:00 AM (Fr. Stoeckig)

Sun., June 2

+ Maryann Salle
People of the Parish
+ Erlinda and Miguelito Orozco

Mon., June 3

12:10 PM (Fr. Stoeckig)

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Int. of Ralph Ramirez

Tues., June 4

12:10 PM (Fr. Herbst)

Tues., June 4

Int. of Robert & Katie Edge Family

Wed., June 5

12:10 PM (Fr. Herbst)

Wed., June 5

+ Camille and Harry Rivellini

Thurs., June 6

12:10 PM (Fr. Dresden)

Thurs., June 6

+ Dolores Strzemp

Fri., June 7

12:10 PM (Fr. Dresden)

Fri., June 7

+ Roger Penales

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

Christopher Anasco
Julie Andriaccio
Michael Balaband
Dotty Cenzer
Patrice Freeman
Minda Licuanan
Mario Merced

Fr. Tom Montelaro
Angie Perez
Bishop Joseph Pepe
Ronald Testa
Chuck Vecchi
Teresita Velasco
David & Joyce Wenzel

To have a name added to the Prayer List, please call the Cathedral Office. We can only keep names on the list for four weeks and ask you to call to re-list.

FR. BOB'S RETIREMENT RECEPTION

Next weekend, we will have a Retirement Reception for Fr. Bob following the Saturday 2:30 PM Mass as well as the 9 AM and 11 AM Sunday morning Masses. We invite parishioners to join us in Anderson Hall (the building behind Guardian Angel Cathedral) as we wish Fr. Bob well on his retirement. Please join us!



FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

To make ends meet, the Cathedral needs to raise \$12,307 every week. We thank you for your generosity in helping us maintain our Catholic ministry along the Las Vegas Strip.

May 26 = \$11,096	2024 CSA Goal = \$92,631
May 19 = \$9,168	Cash Received = \$59,892
May 12 = \$8,461	Distance to Goal = \$32,739
May 5 = \$9,063	65% of Goal
4 Week Average = \$9,447	

SECOND COLLECTION

This week's second collection will help us reach our 2024 Catholic Stewardship Appeal goal, which funds the recruitment and education of priests right here in Las Vegas. It also provides pastoral outreach to the sick, poor, and vulnerable living right in our community. The campaign also funds religious education programs for both children and adults. Thanks to the generosity of parishioners and visitors, we are now just under \$30,000 away from our goal. Thank you for helping us to grow the Catholic faith and serve the needy right here in Las Vegas!

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.