

OCTOBER 8 2023 - 27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



BLESSED CARLO ACUTIS PARISH



TRANSFORMING SPIRITS, HEARTS & MINDS

PARAFIA BŁOGOSŁAWIONEGO CARLO ACUTIS

PARROQUIA DEL BEATO CARLO ACUTIS

Weekly Mass Schedule

Saturday Mass

5:00 p.m. - English (SH)

Sunday Mass

8:30 a.m. - Polish (SH)

9:45 a.m. - English (SJB)

11:00 a.m. - English (SH)

12:30 p.m. - Spanish (SH) Nov 1 - April 31
and then (SJB) May 1 - October 31

Daily Mass

8:00 a.m. Monday - Tuesday; Thursday - Saturday (SH)

8:30 a.m. Wednesday (SJB)



St. Hedwig (SH)
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Chicago, IL 60647
773-486-1660



St. John Berchmans (SJB)
2517 W. Logan Blvd.
Chicago, IL 60647
773-486-4300

Devotion Schedule

Anointing of the Sick

After the 8:00 a.m. Mass - First FRIDAY of the Month

Eucharistic Adoration

7:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. – Monday through Friday
(please call the Parish Office for an Appointment)

Holy Hour - (En Español)

7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. – Tuesday

Circulo de Oracion - (En Español)

Reflection, Prayer and Singing / *Reflexión, Oración y Canto*

7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. - Friday

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena

8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m. - Tuesday

Novena to St. Peregrine

Novena to the patron saint for persons suffering from cancer, AIDS or other chronic illnesses.

8:30 a.m.-9:00 a.m. - First Wednesday of the Month

Litany of the Sacred Heart

7:45 a.m.-8:00 a.m. - First Friday of the Month

Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:45 a.m.-9:00 a.m. - Saturday

DOLMA – Rosary and Our Lady of Manaog Novena

4:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. - First Saturday of the Month

Rosario y Consagración a Nuestra Virgen De Guadalupe

12:30 p.m. - Primer Domingo

Contact Us Today, All Are Welcome!

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Fr. Tom

Dear Parish Family,

In our parish, community life and volunteering form the backbone of our shared experiences. They remind us of the profound impact we can make when we come together, each person contributing their unique talents and energies.

When we engage in community life, we create spaces where friendships blossom and support systems thrive. It's about more than just shared events; it's about the laughter we share, the shoulders we offer for comfort, and the helping hands extended in times of need. Volunteering amplifies this sense of belonging. It's the act of dedicating our time and skills selflessly, enriching not only the lives of others but our own as well.

Through volunteering, we learn the power of empathy and the joy of giving. It bridges gaps and fosters understanding, reminding us that we are stronger together. Whether it's organizing events, lending a listening ear, or supporting local initiatives, every effort, no matter how small, contributes to the vibrant tapestry of our community.

In the heart of our parish, these acts of kindness and unity create a nurturing environment. They sow the seeds of compassion that grow into a sense of belonging for everyone. Each smile shared, every helping hand extended, and all the time devoted to our community adds layers to the strong foundation upon which our parish stands.

Let us cherish these moments of togetherness and continue nurturing the spirit of volunteering. In doing so, we not only strengthen the bonds within our community but also inspire others to join us in this wonderful journey of making a difference, one act of kindness at a time.

Peace,

Fr. Tom

Scan The QR Code and find all the Readings for the Week



BCAP SACRAMENTS

RECONCILIATION

4:15 p.m. Saturday - SH

7:30 a.m. Weekdays - SH

*also by appointment

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

8:00 a.m. First Friday - SH

Please call the Parish Office to receive this sacrament of healing if a family member is ill or preparing for surgery.

MARRIAGE

Congrats! Please contact the Parish Office six months prior to the wedding date. Please remember that at least one of the persons should be a registered, active parishioner for four months or more.

BAPTISM

We are excited to meet you. If you would like to baptize your child, Please contact the Parish Office at 773-486-1660 or go to the forms page on our website

MISSION STATEMENT

We are a multicultural, intergenerational Catholic parish community of people on the journey to learning about, celebrating, serving and proclaiming our faith in the Risen Jesus.

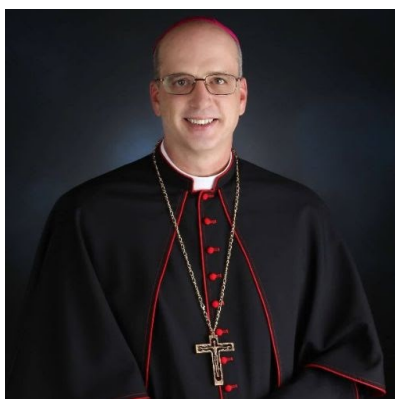


Carlo's Salon

Thursday's
after the 8 am Daily Mass.
Adoration Chapel - St. Hedwig

This discussion group has been meeting in the Adoration Chapel on Thursday after the 8:00 a.m. Mass. The first series of four weeks consisted of the Creation Stories in Genesis and the near universality of people's origin stories, or World Mythologies. The second series of four weeks consisted of the Synoptic Gospels viewed through the lens of Mark, and also the Gospel of John.

+ Bishop Kevin Birmingham



It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of our dear friend Bishop Kevin Birmingham. Then, Fr. Kevin was a weekend associate for many years at St. John Berchmans, serving both the

English and Spanish communities before being ordained an Auxiliary Bishop for the Archdiocese in 2020. The funeral arrangements are listed below. Eternal rest grant unto him O, Lord

**PLEASE
CONSIDER
DONATING
TODAY**



Calling all early risers and breakfast enthusiasts!

Greetings, my fellow runners and morning munchers! I've got a heavenly idea for you that doesn't involve just spiritual awakening – it's about getting those legs moving and awakening our senses too!

Introducing "*The Holy Rollers Running Club*"

Picture this: a glorious sunrise, the aroma of freshly brewed coffee wafting through the air, and a group of lively souls ready to hit the pavement – not with sermons, but with sneakers!

Join us for a jog through God's beautiful creation, followed by a well-deserved refreshments where we'll chat about life, share stories, and maybe even debate who makes the best pancakes in town (without starting a theological war, of course!).

Age is just a number – whether you're a seasoned marathoner or someone who runs only to catch the ice cream truck, we welcome you with open arms and running shoes!

Let's lace up, break bread, and build community in the most divine way possible. See you at the starting line – and the breakfast table!

We will meet in front of the Rectory at St. Hedwig, 2226 N. Hoyne, at 8:30 a.m. every SATURDAY Morning (starting THIS Saturday, October 7th) until Mid-November.

We will run/walk down Hoyne towards the 606, from there choose whatever distance you want to do. After the 606 we will make our way back to the Hedwig rectory where we will enjoy a nice light brunch together. See you soon!

~ Fr. Tom

MASS INTENTIONS & PRAYER REQUESTS ⁵

BLESSED CARLO ACUTIS PARISH MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, October 7: Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary

8:00 AM † Bishop Kevin M. Birmingham

5:00 PM † Harriet E. Nega
† Rosita Evangelista
† Vidal de Guzman
† Dr. Antonio Bautista & Family
† Bishop Kevin M. Birmingham

Sunday, October 8: Twenty-seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time

8:30 AM † Samuel Ornelas & Deceased Relatives
† Marek Batdyga
† Bishop Kevin M. Birmingham

9:45 AM † Sr. Diane Marie Collins
† Bishop Kevin M. Birmingham

11:00 AM † Moises & Josephine Paulin
† Sr. M. Regina Jaszewski, CSFN
† Carol Gburek
† Lorraine Gianfrancesco
† William Armendariz
† Antionette Krerowicz & All Her Living & Deceased Relatives & Friends
† Bishop Kevin M. Birmingham
† Sergio Nuñez Soberanis (En Memoria de Cumpleaños)
12:30 PM † Hilaria Cebrero Cruz (10 años de Fallecido)
† Obispo Kevin M. Birmingham
Jose Ramon Diaz
Julie Rivera (Bendicion de Cumpleaños)

Monday, October 9: Weekday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM † Zofia Jusczyk
† Bertha Madura

Tuesday, October 10: Weekday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM † Felipe Caraballo
H&B Congregation of the Resurrection

Wednesday, October 11: Weekday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM Parishioners of Blessed Carlo Acutis Parish

Thursday, October 12: Weekday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM H&B Parish Benefactors & Families

Friday, October 13: Weekday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM Intentions to St. Peregrine

Saturday, October 14: Weekday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM † Zofia Jusczyk
5:00 PM † Harriet E. Nega

H&B Snider, Dembkowski Family

Sunday, October 15: Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00 AM † Samuel Ornelas & Deceased Relatives
† Sr. Diane Marie Collins
† Moises & Josephine Paulin
† William Armendariz
† Virgilio Bonifazi & Family
† Antionette Krerowicz & All Her Living & Deceased Relatives & Friends
Edward Diaz
Dr. Alfonso & Lou Divina Tiu
H&B Don Zaleski
In Thanksgiving - Marilyn Owen
In Thanksgiving for our Pastor, Priests, Deacons, Friends & Parishioners of our Parish

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Jazzmyne Aguilar
Apolonio Alarcon
Frances Alequin
Transito Alvarez
Tallulah Andresen
Robert Bauer
Manglio Bonilla
Daniel Brady
Terry Brady
Joan Brzeski
Junior Burgos
Alejandro Carmona
Sally Cox
Antonio de Vera
Cyndi DeLira
Nancy, Brian & Jimmy Denges
Carolyn S. Duckunue
Barbara Durbin
Rachel Mauricio Elizar
Teresa Ellison
Sarah Ellison
Margaret Flisiak
Ana Flores
Celeste Galeij
John Graff
Natividad Galeana
Charlene Herda
Sophie Hernan
Nancy Idaszak

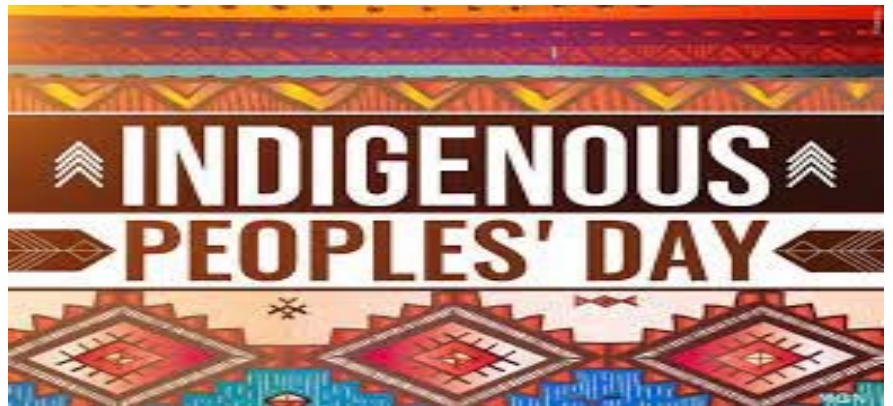
Eleanor Jura
Nick Jurado
Linda Klickmann
Monika Klonecka
Antionette Krerowicz
Dolores Kryszak
Doreen Maneely
Hailey Marose
Crystal Mohetano
Joseph Murphy
Karel O'Brien
Danny Olivero
Salomea Olszewska
Joseph Price
Linda Riske
Angela Rivera
Hertha Runowski
Eleanor Rylko
Reynaldo Sanchez
Jackie Schuman
Angie Schuman
Mary Anne Sedey
Berenice Sosnowski
Verena Tonnesen
Nichole Vilches
Joseph Wyse
Patricio A. Yanez Guerra
Gail, Jason & Family



Our Annual Halloween Fest will be held on **Tuesday, October 31st**. Halloween Fest is a longstanding tradition at SJB - it is a Halloween themed party in our gym with lots of games and prizes for the Students. PreK - 7th grade students may wear their costumes to school. 8th grade will be wearing black and running the jail.



Monday, 10/9
NO SCHOOL!
Indigenous Peoples Day



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PADRE TOM

Estimada Familia Parroquial,

En nuestra parroquia, la vida comunitaria y el voluntariado forman la columna vertebral de las experiencias que compartimos. Nos recuerdan el profundo impacto que podemos lograr cuando nos unimos, cada persona aporta sus talentos y energías únicos.

Cuando participamos en la vida comunitaria, creamos espacios donde florecen las amistades y prosperan los sistemas de apoyo. Se trata de algo más que eventos compartidos; se trata de la risa que compartimos, los hombros que ofrecemos para brindar consuelo y las manos amigables extendidas en momentos de necesidad. El voluntariado amplifica este sentido de pertenencia. Es el acto de dedicar nuestro tiempo y habilidades desinteresadamente, enriqueciendo no sólo la vida de los demás sino también la de nosotros mismos.

A través del voluntariado, aprendemos el poder de la empatía y la alegría de dar. Cierra brechas y fomenta la comprensión, recordándonos que juntos somos más fuertes. Ya sea organizando eventos, escuchando o apoyando iniciativas locales, cada esfuerzo, por pequeño que sea, contribuye al vibrante tapiz de nuestra comunidad.

En el corazón de nuestra parroquia, estos actos de bondad y unidad crean un ambiente enriquecedor. Siembra las semillas de la compasión que crecen hasta convertirse en un sentido de pertenencia para todos. Cada sonrisa compartida, cada mano amiga extendida y todo el tiempo dedicado a nuestra comunidad agrega capas a la base sólida sobre los cimientos de nuestra parroquia.

Valoremos estos momentos de unión y continuemos alimentando el espíritu de voluntariado. Al hacerlo, no sólo fortalecemos los vínculos dentro de nuestra comunidad, sino que también inspiramos a otros a unirse a nosotros en esta jornada maravillosa de hacer la diferencia, un acto de bondad a la vez.

Paz,

P. Tom

Ks. TOM

Kochana Rodzino Parafialna

W naszej parafii życie wspólnotowe i wolontariat stanowią podstawę naszych wspólnych doświadczeń. Przypominają nam o głębokim wpływie, jaki możemy wyrzeć, gdy spotykamy się razem, a każda osoba wnosi swoje unikalne talenty i energię.

Kiedy angażujemy się w życie wspólnotowe, tworzymy przestrzenie, w których kwitną przyjaźnie i rozwijają się systemy wsparcia. Chodzi o coś więcej niż tylko wspólne wydarzenia; chodzi o śmiech, którym się dzielimy, ramiona, które oferujemy dla pocieszenia i pomocne dłonie wyciągnięte w potrzebie. Wolontariat wzmacnia to poczucie przynależności. To akt bezinteresownego poświęcenia naszego czasu i umiejętności, wzbogacający nie tylko życie innych, ale także nasze własne.

Poprzez wolontariat uczymy się siły empatii i radości dawania. Niwelujemy różnice i sprzyjamy zrozumieniu, przypominając nam, że razem jesteśmy silniejsi. Niezależnie od tego, czy chodzi o organizowanie wydarzeń, słuchanie czy wspieranie lokalnych inicjatyw, każdy wysiłek, bez względu na to, jak mały, przyczynia się do tętniącej życiem wspólnoty.

W sercu naszej parafii te akty życzliwości i jedności tworzą pielęgnujące środowisko. Zasiewają ziarno współczucia, które wyrasta na poczucie przynależności dla każdego. Każdy wspólny uśmiech, każda wyciągnięta pomocna dłoń i cały czas poświęcony naszej wspólnocie dodaje warstwy do silnego fundamentu, na którym stoi nasza parafia.

Pielęgnujmy te chwile wspólnoty i kontynuujmy pielęgnowanie ducha wolontariatu. W ten sposób nie tylko wzmocnimy więzi w naszej wspólnocie parafialnej, ale także zainspirujemy innych do przyłączenia się do nas w tej wspaniałej podróży dokonywania zmian, jakim są akty dobroci.

Pokój

ks. Tomek