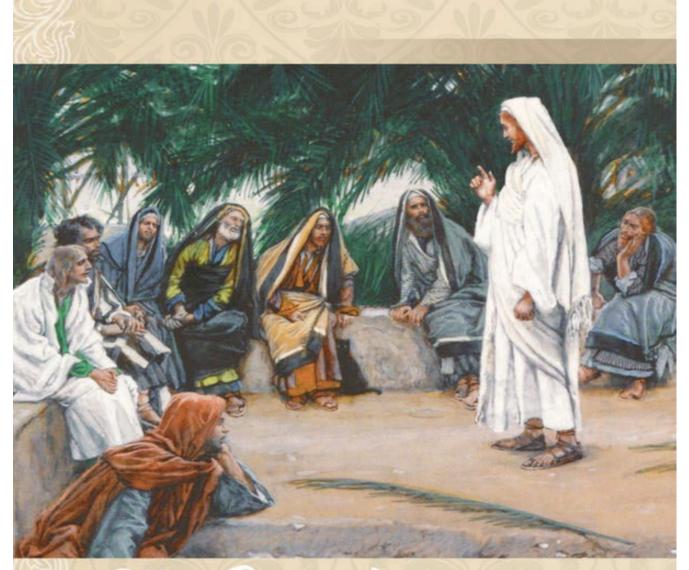


FEBRUARY 16, 2025



6th Sunday

"Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude and insult you, and denounce your name as evil on account of the Son of Man."- Lk 6:22

FROM FR. MIKE

This is the announcement weekend for the Annual Catholic entitled this year "Together we bring hope." The in-pew commitment weekend when we hear the Cardinal's homily will be next week. The ACA does a lot of good throughout the Archdiocese of Chicago including assisting in the formation of seminarians and priests, helping Catholic Relief Services, it offers financial assistance to disadvantaged Catholic school families, and gives support for parishes in challenged communities.

Historically, St. Elizabeth of the Trinity and its prior parishes have been generous in this pledge commitment, may that continue again this year. Once our parish goal is met, which is about \$40,000, we receive the money beyond the goal as a rebate for the needs of our campus which are many. Right now, we are getting bids on having more handrails to assist entering and movement around the sanctuary which will be a great help for senior clergy or other ministers. Thank you in advance for your generous support for the Annual Catholic Appeal.

- --- Last week's tribute to JoAnn Keto for her years of service with the Night Players theatre group and St. Joseph Table went very well. It was quite touching to hear the testimonials from young and old about how acting and the stage productions and JoAnn's guidance helped them feel more like part of the parish with a community around them. Special thanks to Ashley Guinn, Mike Parilla and all volunteers for making the event go off without breaking a leg.
- --- Some sad news, we are still finding, though not as regularly, consecrated Hosts on the floor in church. Please keep your eyes open if you see the Lord laying in the hymnal racks or on the floor and let one of the clergy or an usher know right away. While we do have a few people on the lookout the church is large and there are many hiding places. We do have cameras in the church, that is how we were able to locate and help one of the people who was pretending to receive Jesus but then dropping the host on the ground. Without shame we helped that person. Let us pray for faith and true love for the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.
- --- We have some strong readings this weekend, "Thus says the Lord: Cursed is the one who trusts in human beings, who seeks his strength in flesh, whose heart turns away from the Lord." Jesus also gives us the Lukan beatitudes that says we're happy/blessed when we're poor, hungry, weeping, and hated on His account. Jesus also warns that we'll be cursed/woe when we're rich, filled now, laughing, and spoken well of like the false prophets. A pretty heavy message for us, what to make of it?

One way is context. In the Old Testament, Moses gave similar blessings and curses to the people and Jesus is the new Moses. Except Moses said that if the people followed God's commandments, they would receive earthly blessings like children, health, crops, peace etc... All those blessings fade away though. Jesus's promise this week is that if we suffer now for His sake especially; "Rejoice and leap for joy on that day! Behold your reward will be great in heaven."

Earthly blessings can easily lead our hearts to turn away from the Lord and become complacent or see ourselves as self-sufficient. Poor, hungry, and grieving people are very aware of their need and dependence on the Lord for all things. When we're too comfortable and satisfied we sadly seldom put all our trust in the Lord. If the Lord has removed some of our earthly blessings it has been done out of His love and mercy to preserve our heavenly reward.

God bless,

Fr. Mike



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Cardinal Cupich welcomes you into the Lumen Cordium Society. Your generous gift of \$1,500 or more to the Annual Catholic Appeal is one way to personally acknowledge the blessings you have enjoyed in your life and a way to spread that gratitude to others in need. In addition to the spiritual benefit of expressing your appreciation to the Lord, Society membership includes:

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- Receiving *Lumen* magazine twice a year
- Inclusion in the Prayer Intention Book of Society members
- Intentions remembered at monthly Mass in Saint James Chapel

Please note your Lumen Cordium Society pledge can be paid in installments, and, if you wish, can be made anonymously.

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2025 Annual Catholic Appeal

we bring hope





For our parishes, schools, ministries and communities throughout Cook and Lake counties.

The Archdiocese of Chicago proclaims the gospel of Jesus Christ and carries on his mission through our parishes, schools and ministries. The Annual Catholic Appeal supports low-income parishes and their schools, religious education classes and other outreach programs, Catholic Relief Services, and the development of our priests, among other worthy programs and initiatives.

Together we bring hope through the Annual Catholic Appeal as we care for our Church and each other. As parishes meet their ACA goal, proceeds are returned to the parish to carry out the healing mission in their own local community.

With Heartfelt Gratitude

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

As we pray these days, we carry many intentions in our hearts. Consider three especially important intentions. We ask the Lord to bless and keep our nation after the elections. As a Church, we also pray to continue on a path of synodality after the October gathering of the synod in Rome. Finally,

in the Archdiocese of Chicago, we ask for guidance and perseverance on the path of renewal and the revitalization of our parishes. A thread that links these prayers is a plea for the gift of hope as we move into the future.

Our 2025 Annual Catholic Appeal theme — *Together we bring hope* — and the Holy Year theme — *Pilgrims of hope* — are timely and opportune. Hope is a gift from God that enables us to take up our responsibility in our world, our Church, and our families. Hope is a gift that we share, a gift that we bring to others and do so together.

Please consider joining me to support this year's Appeal, so that we can bring hope to others. Your generous contribution — I can assure you — will be a source of blessing for many people and for you and your loved ones. Thank you.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Archbishop of Chicago

YOUR GIFT SUPPORTS IMPORTANT MINISTRIES

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annual scholarship
support to many Catholic
school families eligible
for financial aid. Your
support puts a faith-filled,
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and supportive education
within reach.



The Office of Lifelong Formation

This office supports catechetical leaders in parish ministries, including Catechist Formation, Sacrament Preparation for Adults seeking the sacraments of marriage or confirmation, Youth Ministry for those who guide adolescents in high school,

and Children and Family Ministry for those leading faith formation for elementary-aged children in religious education and sacrament preparation.

Office for Evangelization/ Parish Renewal

Guided by the Holy Spirit, we support parishes as they create and implement a culture of evangelization and missionary discipleship. By helping people with hands-on practical support, including coaching, tools and



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Office for Divine Worship

The Office for Divine Worship fulfills the vision of the *Constitution* on the Sacred Liturgy by developing and deepening liturgical life in archdiocesan parishes and institutions. The office supports, educates and forms liturgical ministers and other pastoral leaders, and it helps plan and facilitate all major archdiocesan liturgies. Among these are ordinations, the Rite of Election.

the Easter Vigil, the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults, the annual Chrism Mass and the Calling to Continuing Conversion, which gathers those seeking to become part of the Body of Christ and the Church.

And many others ...

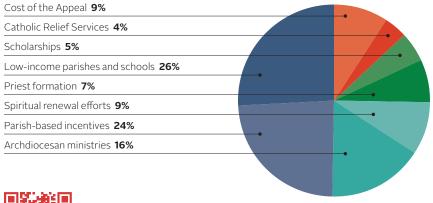
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2025 Annual Catholic Appeal

HOW YOUR GIFT WILL BE USED

These projections are based on anticipated needs and are subject to change. The list below is meant to summarize the far-reaching impact of the Appeal, and so is not a comprehensive list of all the archdiocese's ministries.

Low-income parishes and schools	26%	Support for parishes and schools serving financially challenged communities	
Parish-based incentives	24%	After a parish reaches goal, donated funds return to the parish for local use	
Archdiocesan ministries	16%	Outreach initiatives for young adults, families, children and others	
Spiritual renewal efforts	9%	Transforming parishes to share our faith in new and creative ways	
Priest formation	7%	Education and development for seminarians and priests in the Archdiocese of Chicago	
Scholarships	5%	Tuition assistance for disadvantaged Catholic school families	
Catholic Relief Services	4%	Support for those suffering from natural disasters around the world	
Cost of the Appeal	9%	Printing, postage, processing costs for the Appeal	





To make a gift to the 2025 Annual Catholic Appeal and for information on how Appeal funds are spent, visit **annualcatholicappeal.com** or scan QR code.

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In the Gospel today, Jesus gives us the blessings of serving the poor, hungry, and weeping people, for you will then rejoice and leap for joy. But Jesus also teaches us the decisiveness of choice: blessing or woe.

Choosing to help those who are suffering will fill your heart with the blessing of Jesus and indeed your reward will be great in heaven.

WE WILL HAVE THE IN-PEW COMPLETION OF PLEDGE ENVELOPES AT ALL MASSES NEXT WEEKEND FOR THE ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL.

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO



Together we bring hope

2025 Annual Catholic Appeal

The Annual Catholic Appeal theme for 2025 is *Together we bring hope*. It echoes the theme that Pope Francis has given to the Holy Year *Pilgrims of hope*. It also resonates with our efforts of renewal in the Archdiocese of Chicago. Contributions to the Appeal enable us to bring real hope into our world, especially to those in need. We come together as the Lord's Church, and we demonstrate our love of God and our neighbor through our support of the Appeal. We foster the Church's mission to teach, to serve, and to sanctify in the name of Jesus Christ. Our support is a blessing for many.

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PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Winter break is over and we will resume our Prayer Shawl Ministry on Monday, February 17. We will start at 6:30 p.m. to use daylight and hopefully get a good parking place. The gate we usually come in on Moody and the gate behind the school on Ardmore will both be open so we can park in the church parking lot and enter that way. We look forward to being together again. New members and beginners are most welcome. See you then.



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Ash Wednesday, March 5

Masses: 6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m. (with school), 6:00 p.m. & 7:30 p.m. (Spanish)

Liturgy of the Word Prayer Service (with ashes): 12:00 p.m. & 4:00 p.m.

The collection on Ash Wednesday will go to our St. Vincent de Paul Society & our Food Pantry

Stewardship Report

Sunday Giving (Fiscal Year July 2024 - June 2025)				
	January			
	2025	2024		
Monthly Total	\$44,166	\$47,476		
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Yearly Total / Fiscal YTD	\$328,560	\$333,333		
VTD EV '25 Budget	¢244.950			
YTD - FY '25 Budget	\$344,850			
Variance	-\$16,290			
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<u>Mass Attendance</u>				
Weekly Average	829	741		



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GOSPEL MEDITATION - February 16, 2025 - 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time (Luke 6:17, 20-26)

I craved four things as a teenager: success in sports, food, fun and the attention of popular people. However, I noticed that as I acquired them, I was more unsatisfied than before. So, I'd strive even more energetically, achieve more, and the sense of emptiness was greater still. These four things started to feel like burdens or even curses. Soon after, I encountered Christ in my high school youth group. Experiencing his love was totally different than anything those four things previously produced. It produced a lasting happiness.

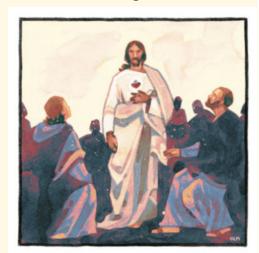
Jesus utters a kind of four-fold curse in this week's Gospel of Saint Luke's "woes": "Woe to you who are rich...who are filled now...who laugh now...who are well-spoken of" (cf. Luke 6:24-26). How marvelous that these correspond perfectly to the four things that obsessed my teenage soul: riches, food, laughter and good reputation. The "woes" the Lord speaks are warn-

ings: when those things are the purpose of your life, you'll be miserable. He is saying, "You'll be happy, or blessed, in the measure that these things do not determine the shape of our lives, and the kingdom of God does."

To some degree, we're all spiritual teenagers, addicted to one or more of those four "woes." How splendid that the Lord wants his to bless us — that is, to satisfy us, make us laugh with joy, and in the kingdom of God, offer us what will truly satisfy us. But first let's admit what is causing our "woes."

— Father John Muir





St. Elizabeth of the Trinity Parish Presents: Prom Night 2025 – A Community Event

Saturday, March 1, 2025 - 6:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. St. Elizabeth of the Trinity Auditorium 6040 West Ardmore Ave., Chicago



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Step-by-Step Walk Through the Mass Do This in Remembrance of Me, Part 78 The Dismissal by FR. LUKE SPANNAGEL



Having just received a blessing through the hands of the priest, we now come to our last instruction and response in the Mass: the **Dismissal**. For this part of the Mass, the *Roman Missal* gives four options that can be used by the deacon (if there is one) or by the priest himself:

- "Go forth, the Mass is ended."
- "Go and announce the Gospel of the Lord."
- "Go in peace, glorifying the Lord by your life."
- "Go in peace."

To any of these, the people respond: "Thanks be to God." Additionally, you may know that during the Easter Octave and the close of the Easter Season, we also add a double "Alleluia" to the end of these dismissal phrases.

A Sending Forth...

Do you notice anything consistent or repeated in these phrases of dismissal? They all begin with "Go"! Why do we say that? It definitely isn't because the priest is ready to get on with his day! The Diocese of Peoria teaches, "After the [Prayer after Communion] beseeches God to give us grace to put our faith into practice, the Concluding Rite is 'sending forth' on this mission as disciples of Christ" (A Study of the Mass, p. 20). We have just prayed together, giving glory to God in the perfect Sacrifice of Christ in worship of the Father; after having been nourished by the Word of God in Scripture and the True Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist, now we are ready to go forth out into the world. Each option of the dismissal is really an instruction: "Go forth"; "Go and announce the Gospel"; "Go in peace, glorifying the Lord"; "Go in peace." In a real way, each of these phrases practically tells us what to do next, now that our time together at a particular Mass has drawn to a close.

As Edward Sri relates, "In the ancient world, it was customary to close an assembly with a formal dismissal. The early Christians felt the need to incorporate a similar conclusion to their liturgical assembly. From the fourth century onward, the Latin words *Ite Missa est* were employed for this task... What is most significant about this dismissal is that the whole liturgy receives its name, 'the Mass,' from the word *Missa* ('dismissal'/'sending') in this closing line. This points to how the Mass ultimately should be seen as a sending forth. As the Catechism explains, the celebration of the Eucharist is called 'Holy Mass' (*Missa*) 'because the liturgy in which the mystery of salvation is accomplished concludes with the sending forth (*missio*) of the faithful, so that they may fulfill God's will in their lives'" (*A Biblical Walk Through the Mass*, pp. 147–8; *CCC*, 1332).

... to Go Out on Mission

Did anyone notice that quote from the Catechism including the word *missio* sounds very much like *mission*? I have heard several priests explain that the end of Mass is truly a sending forth of the Christian people on mission. If you think about all we have received at the Holy Mass, our hearts and minds will be very full of God's truth, goodness, and love. Of course, those are gifts that are meant to be shared! We live in a world that experiences the effects of sin and brokenness, a world that needs hope and light, a world that needs the fruits of the Mass!

As Edward Sri continues, "Jesus told the apostles, 'As the Father has sent me, even so I send you' (Jn 20:21). The Father sent the Son into the world, to die for our sins and give us a share in his divine life. As we have seen, the entire paschal mystery of Jesus' passion, death... resurrection [and Ascension] is made present to us in the Eucharistic liturgy so that we can be more deeply incorporated into Jesus' life and mission. The more deeply the Eucharist unites us to Jesus, the more we will radiate his life and his love in the world around us. The closing line of the liturgy, therefore, is not an aimless dismissal. It is a dismissal with a mission. It is a sending forth of God's people to bring the mysteries of Christ into the world" (A Biblical Walk Through the Mass, p. 148). The next time you are leaving Mass, I challenge you to think joyfully of all the fruits of that Mass and then ask yourself: How can I share these fruits with the people I meet?



Watch St. Elizabeth of the Trinity 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass live on You Tube - search for St. Elizabeth of the Trinity Parish channel.

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 15, 2025

5:00 PM — Electo Infante, deceased members of the Ognibene family

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 16, 2025

7:30 AM — Helen & Alexander Kolinski, Edward Dyjak (birthday), Anne, Estelle, Joseph & Walter Dyjak, Jo & Ed Sanborn

9:00 AM — Gloria Spychalski, Vilma Pangoinene, souls in Purgatory, Gemiliano Cabrera, Arelina Cabrera Bela Rosa

11:00 AM —Henryk Bujno, Gemiliano Cabrera, Arelina Cabrera Bela Rosa

12:00 PM - 12:45 PM — CONFESSION

1:00 PM — (Spanish) Cesar Hernandez Marin, Chillo Gamino

MONDAY FEBRUARY 17, 2025

8:30 AM — Sandra Lindberg, Hansei Archambault, Dorothy Holden (Birthday), Chillo Gamino

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 18, 2025

8:30 AM — Peter Eck (2nd anniversary), Lorene Wilson, Chillo Gamino, Conrad Deane 11:00 - 6:00 PM - Adoration / Benediction at 6:00 PM 5:00 PM — Joseph & Katherine Misiuda

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 19, 2025

8:30 AM — Fr. Joseph Taylor, safe travels for Ray & Gilda Rivero, Chillo Gamino

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 20, 2025

8:30 AM — Richard Bekielewski Sr., Chillo Gamino 6:30 PM — Bilingual Confessions

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 21, 2025

8:30 AM — Sister Mary Josetta Prondzinski

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 22, 2025

8:30 AM — June Fredlund

5:00 PM — Diane Dudek, Don Love, Loraine Schmidt, Lena Ligety

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 23, 2025

7:30 AM — for our parishioners

9:00 AM — John C. Barrett, souls in Purgatory

11:00 AM — Reynold Salmi, Henryk Bujno, Viciente Ormachea, Julia Keeney

12:00 PM - 12:45 PM — CONFESSION

1:00 PM — (Spanish) Cesar Hernandez Marin, Diana Calderon

Presider Schedule - February 22 & 23

5:00 p.m. — Fr. McCarthy / piano 7:30 a.m. — Fr. Grisolano / organ

9:00 a.m. — Fr. Grisolano / piano / Parish Choir

11:00 a.m. — Fr. Sepulveda / organ 1:00 p.m. — (Spanish) Fr. Sepulveda





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Sunday: 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: The Seven Holy Founders of the
Servite Order; Presidents' Day

Tuesday: Wednesday: Thursday:

Friday: St. Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor

of the Church

Saturday: The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle Next Sunday: 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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THIS WEEK'S READINGS

Sunday: Jer 17:5-8/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4, 6, (40:5a)/1 Cor

15:12, 16-20/Lk 6:17, 20-26

Monday: Gn 4:1-15, 25/Ps 50:1 and 8, 16bc-17, 20-

21/Mk 8:11-13

Tuesday: Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10/Ps 29:1a and 2, 3ac-4,

3b and 9c-10/Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday: Gn 8:6-13, 20-22/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 18

-19/Mk 8:22-26

Thursday: Gn 9:1-13/Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29 and

22-23/Mk 8:27-33

Friday: Gn 11:1-9/Ps 33:10-11, 12-13, 14-15/Mk

8:34—9:1

Saturday: 1 Pt 5:1-4/Ps 23:1-3a, 4, 5, 6/Mt 16:13-19 Next Sunday: 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23/1 Cor 15:45

-49/Lk 6:27-38



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SERVICES

Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. & Sunday: 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. (English) and 1:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Daily Mass Schedule:

Monday through Saturday: 8:30 a.m., Tuesday: 6:30 p.m. and First Thursday: 7:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Rosary:

Prayed daily immediately following the 8:30 a.m. Mass Church is open daily for private prayer until 5:00 p.m. Confession:

Tuesday: 5:30 to 6:00 p.m., Thursday: 6:30 to 7:00 p.m. (bilingual) Saturday: 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. , Sunday: 12:00 to 12:45 p.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday: 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. (Benediction at 6:00 p.m.)

Last Thursday from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. (Benediction at 7:50 p.m.)

Rectory (Parish Office): Monday - Friday - 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Baptism:

Please contact Deacon Greg Bzdon to make arrangements: gbzdon@archchicago.org

Becoming a Catholic:

Would you like to learn more about what it means to be a Catholic? The Church calls this process *The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)*. It is a small group forum where interested people learn more about initiation and membership in the Catholic Church. Please call the parish office for more information.

Marriage:

Must be arranged six months prior to the ceremony. Please contact a priest to make arrangements.

Religious Education for Public Grade School Students: Contact Hugo Munoz for more information.

Parish Registration: New parishioners are asked to register at the Rectory. Forms are also available on our website under the Our Parish tab or in the rear of church.

Communion Visits: Ministers of Care bring Communion to the homebound. Contact Tony Lupinski through the parish office to make arrangements.

Food Pantry: Open Tuesdays - 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. in the lower level of the gym For more Info email us at: food-pantry@stelizabethtrinityschool.org

Bulletin Deadline: Noon on Fridays (9 days prior to bulletin date)

"It seems to me that I have found my heaven on earth, because my heaven is You, my God, and You are in my soul.
You in me, and I in You – may this be my motto."

St. Elizabeth of the Trinity