

Sat: 5:00pm (SJE) | Sun: 8:00am/10:30am (QR) | 9:15am (SJE) Daily: 8:15am M/W/F (SJE) | Tu/Th/Sa (QR)
Reconciliation: Wed 7:00pm (SJE) | Sat 12:00pm (QR) –Check schedule for holy days of obligation/holidays.



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Be watchful! Be alert! —Mark 13:33



First Sunday of Advent | December 3, 2023

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We're kicking off the season of Advent with a burst of creativity and inspiration as our talented Queen of the Rosary School students showcase their artistic talents in the parish bulletin. Transforming the pages into a canvas of vibrant colors and heartfelt expressions, our students have poured their artistic spirit into a collection of unique works that beautifully capture the essence of this season of preparation. From beautiful Advent wreaths symbolizing hope, peace, joy and love to evocative interpretations of the Nativity scene, each piece invites us to embark on a visual journey that mirrors the anticipation and spiritual significance of the Advent season. Join us in appreciating the beauty our students have crafted, as their artistry serves as a poignant reminder of the hope and light that Advent brings to our hearts and homes as we prepare to welcome the infant Christ.



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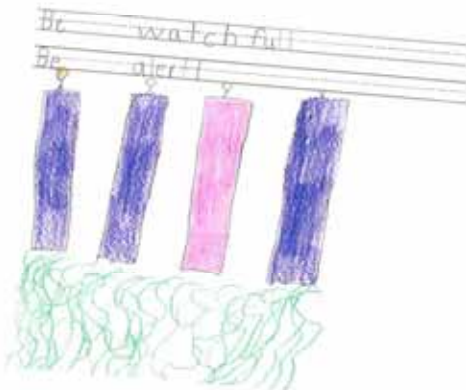
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Grades Pre-K to 4

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

December 9/10

Mass Time	Lector	Extraordinary Ministers
5:00pm	Donna McGuire	Bob Lester Nenita Lucero Linda Fink
8:00am	Ray Bauer	Judi Necek Patricia Childress Elizabeth Luong
9:15am	Ian Padua	Deacon Jerry Virginia Vogt Dan Storto
10:30am	Jim Styka	Carol Styka Charles Glomski Susan Tremko

If you have not already done so, please follow this link to sign up to help as a Lector or Extraordinary Minister during Advent and Christmas: signupgenius.com/go/OLBS2023#/

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday 8:15am (SJE)	December 4 Deceased members of the Mulholland family
Tuesday 8:15am (QR)	December 5 + Beth Labant, + Emil Corona, + John Deering, Sr., + Francisco Hernandez, + Peggy Worst, + Grace Wolowiec
Wednesday 8:15am (SJE)	December 6 All Souls
Thursday 8:15am (QR) 7:00pm (QR)	December 7 + Frank A. Senerchia, + Julia Sheila King Immaculate Conception Vigil Mass
Friday 8:15am (SJE) 12:15pm (QR)	December 8 Immaculate Conception + Anthony Marino
Saturday 8:15am (QR) 5:00pm (SJE)	December 9 + Concetta Caravette + Jerry Russell
Sunday 8:00am (QR) 9:15am (SJE) 10:30am (QR)	December 10 For the people of the parish + Maria & Antoni Biskup, Maria Makowska, Living and deceased members of Ryan & McGinty families, + Kris Artz, + Renee Prost, + Joyce Swearingen + Raymond Jakimczyk

THIS WEEK'S PARISH CALENDAR

7:45am	Mon-Sat—Morning Prayer (Telephone or App)
8:00am	Mon-Sat—Divine Mercy Prayed Before Daily Mass
8:45am	Mon-Sat—Rosary Prayed Following Daily Mass
2-5pm	Tue-Fri—Teen Center Hours (SJE Ministry Center)
Monday 6:30pm 7:00pm	December 4 Youth Ministry (Alexian Village) Rosary Group/Our Lady of Guadalupe Novena (QR) Book Club (SJE)
Tuesday 7:00pm	December 5 Rosary Group/Our Lady of Guadalupe Novena (SJE)
Wednesday 9:00am 9:00am 3:00pm 7:00pm 7:30pm	December 6 Eucharistic Adoration (SJE) Wednesday Morning Bible Study (SJE Rooms 11/12) Divine Mercy Chaplet (SJE) Reconciliation (SJE) Rosary Group/Our Lady of Guadalupe Novena (SJE) Choir Rehearsal (QR) AA (SJE Ministry Center)
Thursday 6:30pm	December 7 Rosary Group/Our Lady of Guadalupe Novena (QR)
Friday 8:45am 7:30pm	December 8 Rosary Group/Our Lady of Guadalupe Novena (SJE) AA (SJE Ministry Center)
Saturday 8:15am 12:00pm 4:30pm 5:00pm	December 9 Parish Advent Retreat (QR) Reconciliation (QR) Eucharistic Adoration (QR/until Reconciliation ends) Rosary Group/Our Lady of Guadalupe Novena (SJE) Children's Liturgy of the Word (SJE) Angel Tree Gift Drop Off (SJE)
Sunday 8am-Noon 10:00am	December 10 Angel Tree Gift Drop Off (SJE) Rosary Group/Our Lady of Guadalupe Novena (QR)

PRAY FOR OUR SICK RELATIVES & FRIENDS

Mike Armstrong, LuAnn Bailey, Jan Becker, Timothy Bellis, Mary Berry, Dedo Brandt, Jake Bratten, Joseph Cimino, Santo Costa, Karyn Cousins, Tommy DeLorenzo, Theresa Dill, Petra Falk, Marilyn Foss, Rebecca Gallerizzo, Tamera Garrity, Frances Gascon, James Geocaris, Sue Grear, Tom Guy, Kapera family, Mark Kochera, Dolly Markech, Michelle Markech, Debbie Novoryta, Mike Ryan, Kenny Schlobohm, John Schneider, Anne Schmid, Melanie Szymanski, Mary Beth Tomaso, Dave Tisor, Karen Poncher, Joseph Valentino, Jackie Vrtis, Wermuth family, Marge Yackem, Baby Zoe

To continue to have sick relatives and friends included in the intentions list in our parish bulletin, please call the parish office (847) 979-0901.

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Sharon Czopek, Anthony Quick

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RUMMAGE SALE

Queen of the Rosary (Old Parish Ctr)
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Parish Sneak Peak Weekend
Saturday, Dec 2, 9am to Noon
Sunday, Dec 3, 9am to Noon

Open to Public & Parish
Friday, December 8th, 2-6pm
Saturday, Dec 9, 9am to 1pm
Sunday, Dec 10, 9am to Noon

To help with Sale: signupgenius.com/go/23RummageSaleQR#/

Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe
Tuesday, December 12th
St. Julian Eymard Church
Rosary & Novena: 6:30pm
Mass: 7pm
Reception follows Mass

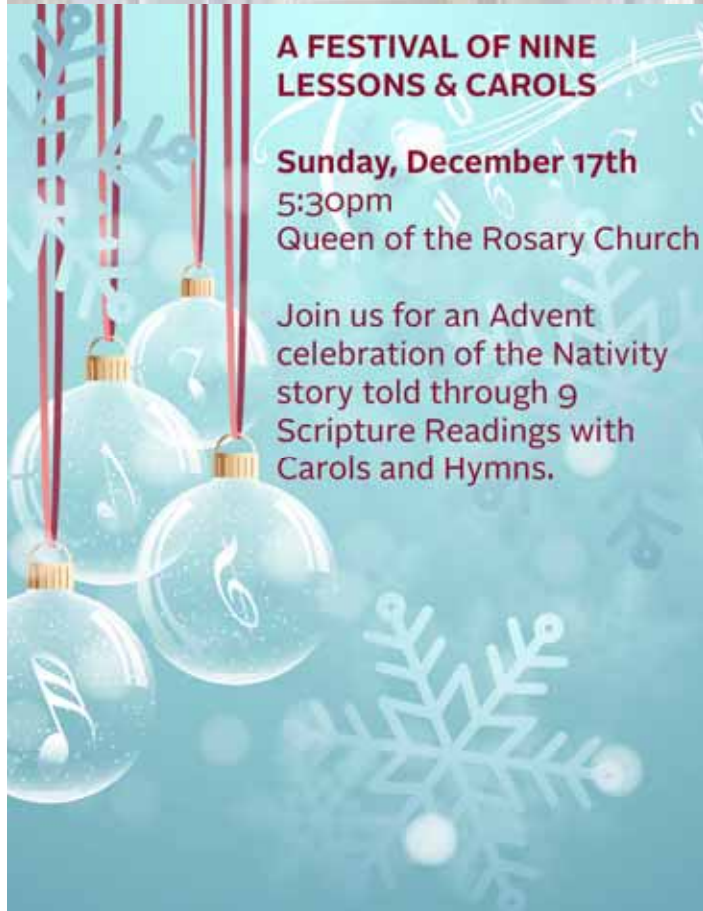


Rosary & Novena Prayer
Mon 12/4 7pm | QR
Tue 12/5 7pm | SJE
Wed 12/6 7pm | SJE
Thu 12/7 6:30pm | QR
Fri 12/8 8:45am | SJE
Sat 12/9 4:30pm | SJE
Sun 12/10 10:00am | QR
Mon 12/11 7:00pm | SJE

A FESTIVAL OF NINE LESSONS & CAROLS

Sunday, December 17th
5:30pm
Queen of the Rosary Church

Join us for an Advent celebration of the Nativity story told through 9 Scripture Readings with Carols and Hymns.





Simbang Gabi
Tuesday, December 19th
 St. Julian Eymard Church
 6:00pm

Meaning *Mass in the Night*, this Filipino Christmas tradition is a series of 9 Novena Masses in preparation for Christmas.
AOC Schedule: aci.archchicago.org/events/simbang-gabi



Fourth Sunday of Advent is 12/24/23
 and our Mass schedule will be as follows:

Saturday, December 23rd | 5pm SJE
 Sunday, December 24th | 9:30am QR



UPCOMING EVENTS

VIEW ALL PARISH EVENTS ON OUR WEBSITE CALENDAR
olbsegv.org/public-event-calendar/

Questions? Contact us at
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Our complete Christmas & Advent Schedule is available here:

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We wish you and yours a very Merry Christmas!



SCAN ME

Gospel In Focus: December 10, 2023

John the Baptist prepares the way for Jesus.
"Prepare the way of the Lord, make straight his paths." —Mark 1:3

Discussion Questions

John was clothed in camel hair, ate bugs and lived very differently from others. What is something about our family that makes it unique?

If Jesus were to come visit our home tomorrow, what would you do today to prepare it?

How is preparing our hearts similar to preparing our home? How can we prepare our hearts for Jesus this Advent?

52-Week Mass Discussion Guide for Families:
olbsegv.org/prayer-life/#MassGuide

Gospel In Focus: Immaculate Conception

Mary was protected from the stain of original sin so that she could be a perfect vessel for God to reveal Jesus to the World. "Hail, favored one! The Lord is with you." —Luke 1:28

Discussion Questions

God partnered with Mary in a powerful way. How can you partner with God to bring hope and joy to others in this season?

Mary asks the question "How can this be?" What is a question you would like to ask God?

How do you see the Lord working through you and your family this Advent season?

52-Week Mass Discussion Guide for Families:
olbsegv.org/prayer-life/#MassGuide

SAVE THE DATE
ADVENT RETREAT
Saturday, 12/9/23

8:15am - Noon
Queen of the Rosary Church
RSVP: [signupgenius.com/go/
23AdventRetreat#/](http://signupgenius.com/go/23AdventRetreat#/)



Sunday
Christus Victor Lutheran Church
December 10th
5:30-8:00pm

If you are able to help shop, cook, prep or serve at Christus Victor, please sign up here:
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Join Rosary Group
most Tuesday Evenings
at 7pm at SJE to pray
the Rosary.

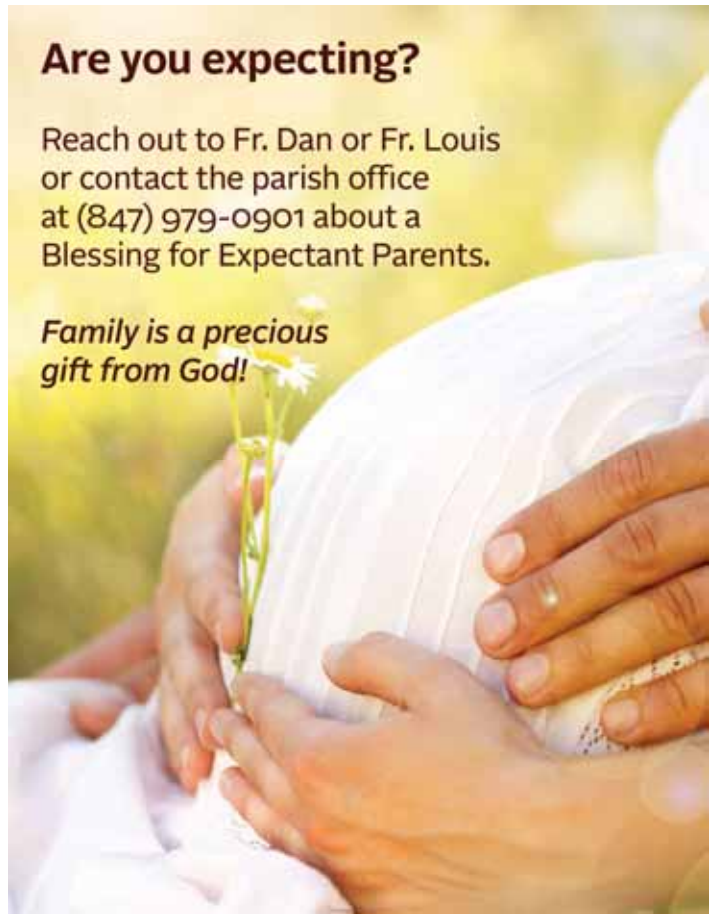
On the second Tuesday
of each month, Respect
Life joins Rosary to lead
a **Rosary for Life**.

Watch the bulletin and
website calendars for
complete schedule.

Are you expecting?

Reach out to Fr. Dan or Fr. Louis
or contact the parish office
at (847) 979-0901 about a
Blessing for Expectant Parents.

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OPPORTUNITIES FOR
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Come grow in faith, knowledge,
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3RD MONDAY OF EACH MONTH:
APOSTOLATE FOR FAMILY CONSECRATION

2ND/4TH TUESDAY OF THE MONTH:
TUESDAY MORNING GROUP

WEEKLY ON WEDNESDAY:
WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

THURSDAYS AS SCHEDULED
ADULT EDUCATION (THU NIGHT BIBLE STUDY)

DAILY VIA TELECONFERENCE:
MORNING PRAYER

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Seasons of Hope series, which
was just updated.



New Season
begins 1/8/23
from 10:30am to
Noon in the Ministry
Center at St. Julian Eymard
Church. All are invited!

BOOK CLUB

December 4

Miracles Do Happen by Briege McKenna
(chapter 5-9)

Future Dates

- January - Off
- February 5
- March 4
- April 1
- May 6
- June 3



Do you desire a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ? Are you looking to participate more fully in the life of the parish and connect with other young adult Catholics? Think about bringing a young adult ministry to Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament in the new year! Check out these resources from the Archdiocese of Chicago:

pvm.archchicago.org/covid-19-pastoral-resources/young-adult-online-resources



QUEEN OF THE ROSARY SCHOOL REPORT

Fall is a wonderful time to be in 4 Year Old Preschool! October brought us some time with our 5th grade buddies for an exciting Alphabet Hunt. The extra bit of warm weather made our recess time even more fun. The beautiful Autumn leaves inspired us to paint tree silhouettes. We are so blessed and grateful to be a part of such a wonderful school. Queen of the Rosary School is our happy place!



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PICTURES WITH Santa

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**Youth Ministry
Christmas Party
December 10th
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SCAN ME



Join the 2024 KAIROS Retreat!
Who: HS Juniors & Seniors
What: 4-day/3-night, student-led Retreat
When: January 12-15, 2024

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