

St. Cletus Parish Canticle

Spreading the Good News of Jesus Christ
Through Worship, Education and Service

600 W. 55th St, La Grange, IL 60525



December 22, 2024 | Fourth Sunday of Advent



Drawing by St. Cletus 4th Grader, Maisie King

Mission and Vision Statement

“Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you.”

Mt 28:19-20

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9 a.m. - 5 p.m.



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St. Cletus Parish



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Parish Information

Weekday Masses

Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. Mass

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil, 5 p.m. (English)
Streamed live: <https://www.youtube.com/@stcletusparish/streams>
7:15 a.m. (English)
8:45 a.m. (English)
10:30 a.m. (English)
12:30 p.m. (Español)

Confessions

Saturdays, 8:30 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.

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Contact the parish office
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Contact the parish office.

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Please contact the parish office 6
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Comuníquese con Juanita Avila al
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Funerals

Contact the parish office.

Parish Canticle

For any request, please email
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Mass Intentions

Saturday December 21	Rev. Elmer Romero	5 p.m.	† Susan Taylor † John R. Madden † Winnie Weisgerber	Janet Boyer (Special Intention) † Marcia A. Petricig
Sunday December 22	Rev. Alexander Garcia	7:15 a.m.	† David Trzesniewski † Marco, Emilia Rattin & Bill De Pasquale † Maria & John Wisniewski	Health blessings for John Prusko, Sr. (Living) † John & Frances Kennedy † Patrick Mahoney
	Rev. Michael Novick	8:45 a.m.	† Dr Thomas OConnor † Tom Kammer † Monsignor Philip Reilly	† Gerald Dudek Michael Zimmerman Family (Special Intention)
	Rev. Alexander Garcia	10:30 a.m.	† Zofia Mika † Ken Herzog † Gail Saban	† Henry Scaccia Caroline Mhley † Frank Niwa
	Rev. Elmer Romero	12:30 p.m.	† Por las Benditas Almas del Purgatorio	Bertha Sifuentes (Cumpeños) En accion dfe gracias para la familia Soto Villagomez
Monday December 23	Rev. Elmer Romero	8 a.m.	† Delphine Marciszewski	† Andrew Xenakis
Tuesday December 24	Rev. Alexander Garcia	8 a.m., 3:00 p.m. 3:15 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m. 10:30 p.m.	† Camille & Lawrence Damico † Ed Stec Sr. † Santos, Efrena, & Reynold Aranas	† Donald Kotrba † Ralph Kriho & Daughter, Laura Kadlec Family (Special Intention)
Wednesday December 25	Rev. Michael Novick	7:15 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:30 p.m..	† Donald Hoglund † Joseph and Adeline Kulikowski † Maria Sizemore	† Ralph Kriho & daughter, Laura † BC & Rip Collins
Thursday December 26	Rev. Michael Novick	8 a.m.	St. Cletus Parishioners	
Friday December 27	Rev. Tom Conde	8 a.m.	† Louie Marasovic	† Derek Klein
Saturday December 28	Rev. John Lodge	5 p.m.	† Baby Williams † Benjamin Patrick Hyink † Julio Loarte	Janet Boyer (Special Intention) † Winnie Weisgerber
Sunday December 29	Rev. Michael Novick	7:15 a.m.	Living Members of St Cletus CWC (Living) † Robert Spyrison	† Julia Kopacz † Ted Kopacz
	Rev. Ron Kalas	8:45 a.m.	† Frank Wojcik † Monsignor Philip Reilly † Dolores Bochniarz	Health blessings for John Prusko, Sr. (Living) Michael Zimmerman Family (Special Intention)
	Rev. John Lodge	10:30 a.m.	† Joseph & Eleanor Brousil † Kriho and Lorence Families † Frank & Betty Niwa	† Anne Scheer Ritz † Mary Ann Cicero † Genevieve Malec
	Rev. Emmanuel Torres Fuentes	12:30 p.m.	† Por las Benditas Almas del Purgatorio	

Please remember our sick in your prayers:

Richard Madsen | Asis Gonzalez | Frank Orrico | Joanne Kasang | Jorea Touranjzau | Debbie Coté | Vincent Austrevich | Bonnie Kakareka | Mary Ann Vokurka

Please remember our dead in your prayers:

† Dolores Bochniarz , Mother of Frances Jacobs
† Zianna Pompei, Mother of Barbara Boland
† Monsignor Philip Reilly, Uncle of Philip Moore

A Note from the Pastor's Desk

"Lord, make us turn to you; let us see your face and we shall be saved."

Psalm 80:2

Dear Friends,

On the Fourth Sunday of Advent, the precious Living Word of God invites us to prayerfully reflect on the importance of being bearers of good news. Yes, you and I are meant to be sources of good news. We were born for God and to lead others to him. We were given the gift of life to foster the closeness, mercy, and love of God in our children, grandchildren, and the people we love. How is this happening for you? Do you find yourself as a source of harmony and comfort? Are you a positive influence at home, and at work and in the parish community?

Our Blessed Mother, Virgin Mary, is an excellent source and bearer of good news. She offers us a path to consider and to follow. Ponder the joy, comfort, and love of God she brought to Elizabeth. She filled the hearts of Elizabeth and baby John with joy and the power of the Holy Spirit. Isn't this amazing? How did she do it? With humility and faith. She simply trusted God with her life and the rest is history.

On December 3rd and 4th, we hosted our Advent Evening of Prayer and Reflection. We were blessed to have Friar Mario L. Serrano, OFM Conv., as our guest speaker. His theme was: "St. Francis and the Gift of the Incarnation." He offered us a rich understanding of the life and spiritual theology of St. Francis regarding the Incarnation. In both of his talks, Fr. Mario presented us a concrete experience where he noticed God being born and present especially in unthinkable places, such as a morgue (Covid 19), shelters for children, and at a location where a mass shooting took place. I knew God being born and present at both of his talks. I

consider Fr. Mario as a genuine bearer of good news and source of harmony, comfort, and peace.

On Sunday, December 8th, 2024, after the 10:30 AM Mass, I was approached by a faithful member of our parish community. She said, "Father, I have been a member of this parish for over 50 years. I am encouraged by the warmth and joy that is expressed and shared in our church. I am also inspired by so many good events happening at our parish since your arrival. Thank you." My heart was filled with gratitude as I received such a good and positive feedback. She chose to be a bearer of good news. She intentionally made the decision to follow the path of our Blessed Mother. I pray for the grace to follow her path.

Christmas is just two days away. On behalf of our entire parish/school staff, I would like to wish you a joyful and blessed Christmas. Our Christmas Eve/Day Mass schedule can be found in page 17 of our bulletin. I hope you can join us.

With the help of God, may we intentionally choose to be bearers of good news and gladden the hearts of our loved ones.

Fr. Elmer Romero



A Note from the Associate pastor's Desk

The Fourth Sunday of Advent has us listen to the story of the Visitation of Mary with her relative Elizabeth. At the time, Elizabeth is at least 6 months pregnant with John. Mary has just said yes to the responsibility to become the Mother of God's Son -- she offered her body in sacrifice to the Lord. I find it interesting that the author of the Letter to the Hebrews touches on "Behold, I come to do your will," paraphrasing Psalm 40:9. In the scene just before the Visitation was the Annunciation of Gabriel the Archangel, announcing God's invitation to Mary, and she responds with "I am the handmaid of the Lord. Let it be done to me according to your word." It's not exact in the wording, but the idea in Psalm 40 is certainly present. It's no wonder Jesus used a very similar response when he was in the Garden of Gethsemane -- possibly even praying the Our Father.

The wonder of the season continuously calls us to be people of hope. One way that I experience it is through the gift of music. Today (December 22nd) is the concert being given by our very own chancel choir at 4pm. Last Sunday was the Jazz Nativity performance as a part of the Ed Ward Fine Arts Series. Incredible! And now with only days left until the Savior returns, we need to be grounded in the goodness of God and help others to see it in the world around us. The Food Pantry and the giving

tree works are completed, but the season of giving will always give us the opportunities to help the less fortunate. There will always be someone in the world who needs someone to care about them and offer them the same hope that WE have in Jesus' Cross and Resurrection.

Last Monday (Dec 16th) was the end of the seven-week formation series called When You Pray. I want to give a shout out to Monica Herron who led our sessions. She didn't need to do a lot of talking because it was centered around a video presentation by the author. Most of what we did was to have good conversations sparked by the reflections in our books and by the video. I asked the group at the previous class (Dec 9), what they thought and everyone agreed it was an important series. The hope is that there will be future Bible studies more people might be interested in the future.

Christmas schedule is as follows: December 24 @ 3pm in the church, 3:15pm in the Parish Center Gymnasium, and, 5pm, 7:30pm and 10:30pm. Then the Christmas morning Mass is at 7:15 and 10am and 12:30pm. Make your plans to be with us at some point.

Fr. Mike



Parish Life

Date	Time	Events	Location
Monday, December 23	7:00 p.m.	Novena (Posada)	Morrissey Hall
Tuesday, December 24	All Day	Parish & School Office Closed	
	3:00 p.m.	Christmas Eve Mass	Church
	3:15 p.m.	Christmas Eve Mass	PC– Gym
	5:00 p.m.	Christmas Eve Mass	Church
	7:30 p.m.	Christmas Eve Mass (Spanish)	Church
	10:30 p.m.	Christmas Eve Mass	Church
Wednesday, December 25	All Day	Parish & School Office Closed	
	7:15 a.m.	Christmas Day Mass	Church
	10:00 a.m.	Christmas Eve Mass	Church
	12:30 p.m.	Christmas Eve Mass (Spanish)	Church
Saturday, December 28	4:00 p.m.	Music Ministry Christmas Party	Gallagher Room
Sunday, December 29	2:00 p.m.	St. Cletus Boys & Girls Basketball	PC– Gym

Readings of the week

Sunday: Mi 5:1-4a/Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19 (4)/Heb 10:5-10/Lk 1:39-45

Monday: Mal 3:1-4, 23-24/Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14/Lk 1:57-66

Tuesday: Morning: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29/Lk 1:67-79

Wednesday: Vigil: Is 62:1-5/Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29 (2a)/Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/
Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25 Day: Is 52:7-10/Heb 1:1-6/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6 (3c)/Jn 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14

Thursday: Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 8ab, 16bc and 17/Mt 10:17-22

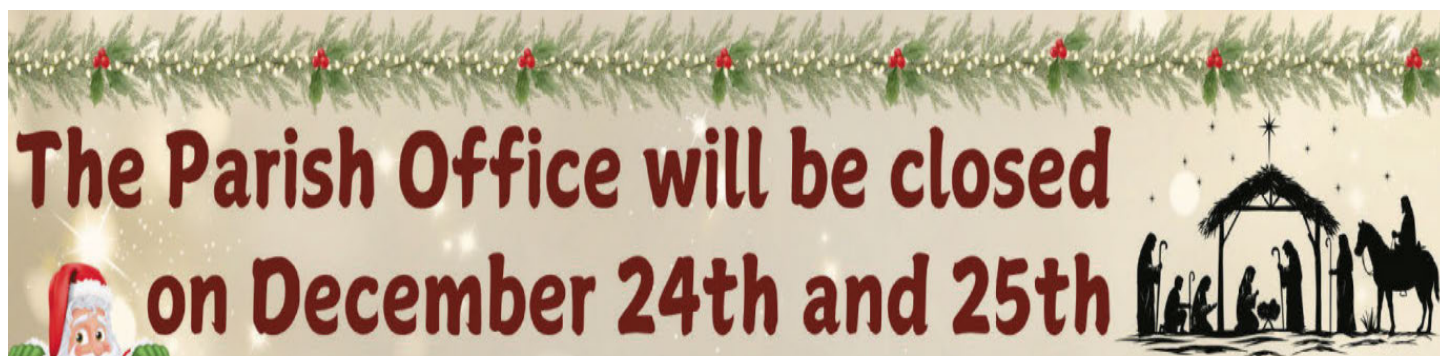
Friday: 1 Jn 1:1-4/Ps 97: 1-2, 5-6, 11-12/Jn 20:1a, 2-8

Saturday: 1 Jn 1:5—2:2/Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8/Mt 2:13-18

Next Sunday: 1 Sm 1:20-22, 24-28/Ps 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10 (see 5a)/1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24/Lk 2:41-52

Saints and Special Observances

Sunday: 4th Sunday of Advent
Monday: St. John of Kanty, Priest
Tuesday: Christmas Eve
Wednesday: The Nativity of the Lord
Thursday: St. Stephen, First Martyr
Friday: St. John, Apostle and Evangelist
Saturday: The Holy Innocents, martyrs
Next Sunday: The Holy Family



St. Cletus Parish/School Seasons of Blessings

As the year draws to a close, we reflect on a fruitful year of many blessings that have touched our community throughout the months. With each passing season, we have witnessed the grace of God at work in our lives — in moments of quiet reflection, in acts of kindness, and in the unity that binds us together. Blessings abound when we open our hearts to God's will. Let us continue to walk together, embracing each moment as a chance to witness His love in action.



73,234 Mass Attendees Since January 1st

5 Family Masses



Weekly Rosary in English and Spanish



5 Evenings of Prayer and Reflection



8 Solemn Exposition and Benedictions of the Blessed Sacrament



Winter

In our parish, winter is not a time to retreat into the shadows but a season to shine brightly as bearers of light, love, and joy. Together, we celebrate the warmth of God's presence, the gift of one another, and the many blessings that fill our hearts as we journey through this holy season.



**Solemn Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament
January 2nd**



**Blessing of Gushers
February 3rd & 4th**



**St. Cletus Super Bowl Party
February 11th**



**Ash Wednesday
February 14th**



**Bible Study
February**



**Stations of the Cross
February 16th**



**Evening of Prayer and Reflection
with Father Ken Simpson
February 21st**



**Confirmation
March 9th**



**Tribute To Ed Ward
March 10th**



**Fish Fry
March 15th**

Spring

As spring unfolded around our parish, we were reminded of the vibrant blessings that come with this season of renewal. In much the same way, spring in our parish is a time of spiritual renewal, where our hearts are stirred by the hope and joy of the Resurrection and the many blessings that surround us



**Holy Name Society
Pancake Breakfast
March 24th**



**Holy Thursday
March 28th**



**Good Friday
March 29th**



**Holy Saturday
March 30th**



**Easter Sunday
March 31st**



**Ribbon Cutting of Our
Food Pantry Van
April 2nd**



**Sunday of Divine Mercy
with Cardinal Cupich
April 7th**



**Family Mass and
Playground Blessing
April 28th**



**Mother's Day Mass
With Bishop Casey
May 12th**



**First Communion
May 4th**



**St. Fiacre Society
Spring Planting
May 18th**

Summer

As summer graced our parish with its new and warm energy, we were invited to slow down and rest in God's presence. Summer is a time to celebrate God's goodness and abundance of life. This season inspired us to be a light in the world, sharing His love through our actions, words, and kindness.



**Solemn Eucharistic
Procession
June 2nd**



**Evening of Prayer and
Reflection With Matt Lonzo
June 12th**



**Dr. Jose Luis
Perez Guadalupe
June 22nd**



**Independence Day Mass
July 4th**



**St. Cletus Family Picnic
July 20th**



**Evening of Prayer and
Reflection with Deacon
James Kennedy August 7th**



**Backpack Blessing
August 27th**



**Mass of the Holy Spirit
August 30th**

Fall

As the crisp air and warm colors of fall enveloped our parish, we were reminded of the many blessings that this season brings. The rich hues of changing leaves reflect the beauty of transformation, echoing the ongoing renewal of our hearts in Christ. Fall is a time for reflection, harvest, and gratitude.



← **Fall Fest
September 5th-8th** →



**Solemn Exposition and
Benediction of the
Blessed Sacrament
September 11th**



**Faith Formation
Open House
September 15th**



**Pet Blessing
October 4th**



**Mass With The Anointing of the Sick
October 12th**



**St. Fiacre Society Fall Planting
October 12th**



**CCW Potluck
October 19th**



**Rosary
October 23rd**



**Mass of the Faithful Departed
November 2nd**



**Veteran's Day Mass
November 11th**



**Thanksgiving Food Distribution
November 23rd**



**Thanksgiving Day Mass
November 28th**



**Giving Tree Collection
December 7th & 8th**



←
Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe
→



*O God of all that is good,
We bring to you our blessings of this year(2024) and give you thanks for all of them. We know that you are the source of every spiritual blessing in the heavens and on earth. And so, we ask you to consecrate your people of St. Cletus Catholic Church and School for the continued days, months, and years ahead. We pray for all who visit our campus in the coming year. May everyone who comes to us find the heart and mind of Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit, for ever and ever. Amen.*



School News

1st - 8th Grade Christmas Program

Our students did such a beautiful job at their Christmas program!! They beautifully depicted the birth of Jesus through words and song. A precious evening to remember!



Celebrating Our Lady

On December 12th we celebrated the solemn Mass in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe, the Patroness of the Americas. Our 6th grade students did an incredible job reenacting the apparitions of Our Lady.



Caroling At The Center For Independence

In preparation for Christmas a few of our 8th graders made their way to the Center for Independence to sing Christmas carols!!



Ministerio Hispano

Fecha	Hora	Evento	Lugar
Domingo, 22 de Diciembre	12:30 p.m.	Misa en Español	Iglesia
16-23 de diciembre	7 p.m.	Posadas	Escuela
Segundo sábado de cada mes	8 p.m. - 5 a.m.	Misa, Confesiones, Adoración Nocturna	Iglesia
Sábados	8:30 - 9:15 a.m.	Confesiones	Iglesia



De parte del Ministerio Hispano y el Comité Guadalupe de la Parroquia San Cleto, queremos agradecer a todos por su participación y apoyo en la Fiesta de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe. También queremos agradecer a todas las personas que hicieron posible esta maravillosa celebración y las donaciones que recibimos. Tuvimos una celebración muy bendecida por Nuestra Madre Santísima. Gracias a todos.



Felicitaciones a la ganadora del premio Monetario de la rifa Guadalupeña: Norma Hernandez
¡Felicitaciones y muchas gracias a todos por su apoyo a las festividades Guadalupeñas.



Social Concerns



St. Cletus Food Pantry

Thursdays
4-8 p.m.

Wish List:

- Tuna
- Coffee
- Cereal
- Diapers
- Baby Wipes
- Toilet Paper
- Paper Towels
- Shampoo
- Body wash
- Crackers, cookies, snacks

Follow us on

Facebook:

StCletusFoodPantry

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@St.CletusFoodPantry

Food Pantry Updates

What an incredible year it has been for St. Cletus Social Concerns.

- Launched our new website (www.stcletusfoodpantry.com)
- Started a home delivery program that currently serves 46 residents in Lyons Township!
- We have helped with over \$60,000 in financial requests so far this year. An increase of 84% from the previous year.
- Set a new record of 170 families served during a single food pantry distribution evening.
- Provided 402 Thanksgiving meals, another new record.
- Collected and distributed gifts for 1,136 individuals. 45 more families participated in Giving Tree this year than last year. Another record setting year.
- Hosted our first off-site volunteer appreciation party!
- Collaborated with the LaGrange Farmer's Market to collect donated produce and fresh foods every week during the season.
- Had our official Food Pantry Truck Ribbon Cutting with the Greater Chicago Food Depository, Cook County Board President Toni Preckwinkle, U.S. Senator Dick Durbin, La Grange Village President Mark Kuchler and other community leaders.

Week after week, we continue to see more people experience food insecurity and attending the pantry. We have set new records this year on Thursday nights.



If you have questions or would like to volunteer
Kendall Grant
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Social Concerns

Last weekend we distributed the Christmas gifts, food and grocery gift cards to our local recipients.

A HUGE thank you to our volunteers! We had over 100 different volunteers move, organize and distribute (literally) over a thousand gifts donated by generous St. Cletus families and community members! We even made home deliveries to over 100 families! Thank you for your continued generosity to those in our community.



Mission Ladies

The Mission Ladies recently gathered for their end-of-year luncheon. They celebrated another record-setting year of success! This year, they made **over 850 items by hand** to donate to St. Cletus Food Pantry, Edwards Hospital, Our Lady of the Angels, Hinsdale Hospital and the American Legion.



Dear Sisters and Brothers,

In this holy season of Christmas, words from the Book of Wisdom echo in our hearts: *For while all things were in quiet silence, and the night was in the midst of her course, Thy almighty Word leapt down from Heaven from Thy royal throne, as a fierce conqueror into the midst of the land of destruction.* (Wisdom 18:15).

We have many reasons to think of our world as “the land of destruction.” Today, so many people across the globe suffer the ravages of war and violence, the burden of illness, crushing poverty and displacement, and natural disasters that are often weather related.

Our faith affirms that the Eternal Word of the Father took our flesh, shared our human condition in all its troubled dimensions, and then as “a fierce conqueror” lifted us up into new life. This mystery at the center of our faith gives us renewed hope and encouragement as we make our pilgrim way in this wounded world. Indeed, across the coming Holy Year, we celebrate the hope that only the Lord in his goodness can give us. It is hope, Saint Paul tells us, that *will not disappoint us, because God’s love has been poured into our hearts, through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.* (Romans 5:5)

As you gather with family and friends in this holy season, I will pray for you and for a renewal of your hope. May the upcoming Holy Year with its theme *Pilgrims of hope* be an opportunity for all of us to learn how to be signs and instruments of hope for our struggling and burdened world.

As I celebrate the Eucharist in this holy season, I will ask the Lord to help you and your loved ones to cling to his word of promise that is the true source of our hope.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Archbishop of Chicago

Estimadas hermanas y hermanos:

En esta temporada santa de Navidad, las palabras del Libro de la Sabiduría resuenan en nuestros corazones: *Cuando un silencio apacible envolvía todas las cosas, y la noche había llegado a la mitad de su rápida carrera, tu Palabra omnipotente se lanzó desde el cielo, desde el trono real, como un guerrero implacable, en medio del país condenado al exterminio.* (Sabiduría 18:15).

Tenemos muchas razones para pensar en nuestro mundo como el “país condenado al exterminio”. Hoy en día, muchas personas a lo largo del mundo sufren los estragos de la guerra y la violencia, el peso de la enfermedad, la pobreza aplastante, el desplazamiento, y los desastres naturales que con frecuencia están relacionados con el clima.

Nuestra fe afirma que la Palabra Eterna del Padre tomó nuestra carne, compartió nuestra condición humana con todas sus problemáticas dimensiones, y luego como “un guerrero implacable” nos elevó a una vida nueva. Este misterio en el centro de nuestra fe nos da esperanza y aliento renovados mientras hacemos nuestro camino de peregrinación en este mundo herido. De hecho, a lo largo del próximo Año Santo, celebramos la esperanza que solo el Señor en su bondad puede darnos. La esperanza, nos dice San Pablo, *no quedará defraudada, porque el amor de Dios ha sido derramado en nuestros corazones por el Espíritu Santo, que nos ha sido dado.* (Romanos 5,5)

Al reunirse con su familia y amigos en esta temporada santa, oraré por ustedes y por una renovación de su esperanza. Que el próximo Año Santo con su tema *Peregrinos de la Esperanza* sea una oportunidad para que todos nosotros aprendamos cómo ser signos e instrumentos de esperanza para nuestro mundo agobiado y en dificultades.

Mientras celebro la Eucaristía en esta temporada santa, le pediré al Señor que los ayude a ustedes y a sus seres queridos a aferrarse a su palabra de promesa, que es la verdadera fuente de nuestra esperanza.

Sinceramente suyo en Cristo,
Arzobispo de Chicago



2024 Christmas

Mass Schedule

St. Cletus Parish

Please join us as we celebrate the birth of Jesus.

Navidad 2024

Horario de Misas

🕯️ Tuesday, December 24th 🕯️

3:00 PM	Church	English
3:15 PM	Parish Center	English
5:00 PM	Church	English
7:30 PM	Church	Spanish
10:30 PM	Church	English

We invite all to bring their baby Jesus to our Christmas eve Mass for a Special Blessings.

Los invitamos a todos a traer a su niño Jesús a nuestra Misa de Nochebuena para una Bendición Especial.

🕯️ Martes, 24 de diciembre 🕯️

3:00 PM	Iglesia	Ingles
3:15 PM	Parish Center	Ingles
5:00 PM	Iglesia	Ingles
7:30 PM	Iglesia	Español
10:30 PM	Iglesia	Ingles

🕯️ Wednesday December 25th 🕯️

7:15 AM	Church	English
10:00 AM	Church	English
12:30 PM	Church	Spanish

🕯️ Miercoles, 25 de diciembre 🕯️

7:15 AM	Iglesia	Ingles
10:00 AM	Iglesia	Ingles
12:30 PM	Iglesia	Español



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Archdiocesan Women's Committee (AWC)

Bringing the Voices of Women Forward

- Are you interested in helping bring the needs and concerns of women into the Archdiocesan dialogue?
- Would you like to join in conversation with women across the Archdiocese about topics of concern to the Cardinal, and share feedback directly with him?
- Would you like to share women's perspectives, experiences and wisdom with our seminarians, and hear from the future leadership of our church?

If you answered "yes" to any of these questions, we need you on the AWC! We're an adjunct committee of the Archdiocesan Pastoral Council (APC), comprised of a broad range of women from across the Archdiocese, who help bring women's voices forward.

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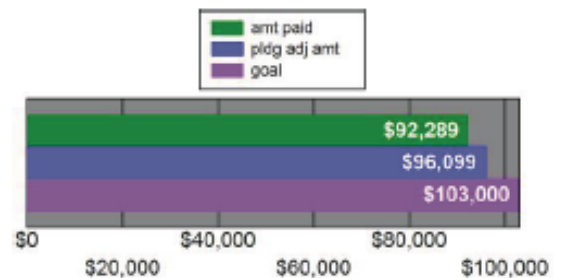
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2024 Goal	\$103,000.39
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Amount Paid	\$92,289.00
Balance Due	\$3,810.00



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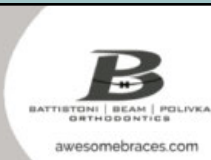
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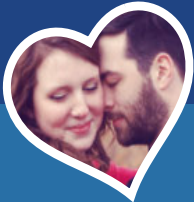
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