

September 25, 2022

TWENTY-SIXTH Sunday

in Ordinary Time

The Church of The Guardian Angels

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Weekly Liturgy Schedule

Weekends:

Saturdays: 4:30 p.m.

Sundays: 8:00 a.m. /
10:00 a.m. at GA

10:00 a.m. at St. Nick

Sunday: 12:30 p.m.
(Mass in Spanish)

Weekdays:

Tuesday: 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday: 8:00 a.m.

Thursday: 8:00 a.m.

Friday: 6:00 p.m. at St. Nick

Reconciliation:

Saturday: 8:00 -8:45 a.m.

Saturday: 3:15 -4:15 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration:

Thursday: 8:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Office Hours:

Monday: 8:30 a.m.—12:30
p.m.

Tuesday—Thursday:
8:30 a.m.—4:30 p.m.

Friday: 8:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

Horario de Misas

Días laborales:

Martes: 5:30 p.m.

Miércoles: 8:00 a.m.

Jueves : 8:00 a.m.

Viernes: 6:00 p.m. (St. Nick)

Fines de Semana:

Sábado : 4:30 p.m.

Domingo: 8:00 a.m. /
10:00 a.m.

Domingo: 12:30 p.m. (Misa en
español)

Reconciliación:

Sábados : 8:00-8:45 a.m.

Sábados : 3:15-4:15 p.m.

Adoración Eucarística:

Jueves: 8:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Grupo de Oración

Jueves: 7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m.

Lying at his door was a
poor man named Lazarus.

Luke 16:20

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<p>BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS</p> <p>If you have anything to submit for the bulletin for Guardian Angels or St. Nicholas, email bulletin@gachaska.org by 12:00 p.m. the Tuesday before. Any photographs must be in .jpg format.</p>	<p>GET THE BULLETIN EMAILED DIRECTLY TO YOU!</p> <p>Did you know that you can get this bulletin sent to your email inbox? You can! Text GACHASKA to 84576, add your email address, and join the "Bulletin" group.</p> <p>RECIBE EL BOLETÍN POR CORREO ELECTRÓNICO ¡DIRECTAMENTE A USTED!</p> <p>¿Sabías que puedes recibir este boletín en tu bandeja de entrada de correo electrónico? ¡Puedes! Envíe un mensaje de texto con GACHASKA al 84576, agregue su dirección de correo electrónico y únase al grupo "Boletín".</p> <p>ENVÍOS AL BOLETÍN</p> <p>Si tiene algo que enviar para el boletín de Guardian Angels o St. Nicholas, envíe un correo electrónico a bulletin@gachaska.org antes de las 12:00 p.m. el martes anterior. Cualquier fotografía debe estar en formato .jpg.</p>	

Mass Intentions: Mass intentions may be for the living and/or the departed, with a † designating in the bulletin a deceased person. There is a \$10 suggested donation per Mass intention. Permission from the sick person or his/her family must be granted before a name's inclusion in these prayers. To schedule a Mass intention, call the Parish Office.

Baptism: Our Baptism Belonging Class is required for all parents as a first step to Baptism of your child. Please call Father Tony Vanderloop, Pastor, at 952-679-9415 to sign up for a class. We encourage Godparents to attend. Baptisms are scheduled once per month after the 10:00 a.m. Sunday Mass. Special dates requested for Baptism will be considered and accommodated depending on circumstances.

Reconciliation: Saturdays at GA from 8:00 - 8:45 a.m. and 3:15 - 4:15 p.m. or by appt.

Matrimony: Marriage preparation is required. Please call Father Tony Vanderloop, Pastor, at 952-679-9415 at least 8 months in advance.

Anointing: If you wish to receive an anointing please call the Parish Office: (952) 227-4000.

Communion for the Homebound: When we come together to pray at our Eucharistic liturgy, we do not forget the members of our community who are unable to be with us because of ill health. We remember them in our prayers, and we wish to include them in our Holy Communion. Members of our community bring the Blessed Sacrament to them to comfort them and to unite us in the Eucharist. We are not always aware of those who have this need. Please call the Parish Office to let us know if you or a member of your family would like to have Holy Communion brought to them. That way we can schedule a time for our ministers to visit and bring the Sacrament.

Hospital, Nursing Home, Homebound Visits: Churches are no longer notified by hospitals or nursing homes when a parishioner is admitted unless the family has requested it. If you or a family member are homebound, hospitalized or in a nursing home and would like a visit from a member of the ministry staff, please call the Parish Office.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jb 1:6-22; Ps 17:1bcd-3, 6-7; Lk 9:46-50
 Tuesday: Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23; Ps 88:2-8; Lk 9:51-56
 Wednesday: Jb 9:1-12, 14-16; Ps 88:10bc-15; Lk 9:57-62
 Thursday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a; Ps 138:1-5; Jn 1:47-51
 Friday: Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5; Ps 139:1-3, 7-10, 13-14ab; Lk 10:13-16
 Saturday: Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Ps 119:66, 71, 75, 91, 125, 130; Lk 10:17-24
 Sunday: Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14; Lk 17:5-10

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Job 1:6-22; Sal 17 (16):1bcd-3, 6-7; Lc 9:46-50
 Martes: Job 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23; Sal 88 (87):2-8; Lc 9:51-56
 Miércoles: Job 9:1-12, 14-16; Sal 88 (87):10bc-15; Lc 9:57-62
 Jueves: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 o Ap 12:7-12a; Sal 138 (137):1-5; Jn 1:47-51
 Viernes: Job 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5; Sal 139 (138):1-3, 7-10, 13-14ab; Lc 10:13-16
 Sábado: Job 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Sal 119 (118):66, 71, 75, 91, 125, 130; Lc 10:17-24
 Domingo: Heb 1:2-3; 2:2-4; Sal 95 (94):1-2, 6-9; 2 Tim 1:6-8, 13-14; Lc 17:5-10

FINANCIAL CORNER

The sin of the rich man in today's parable was not that he was rich, but that he failed to share his wealth with the beggar at his gate. He knew Lazarus, perhaps walked by him every time he came in or out but did nothing to relieve his suffering. Is there a Lazarus in my life? What am I doing to help?

In the near future we will publish a full report on the 2021-2022 Fiscal Year and the budget for the 2022-2023 Fiscal Year.

St. Nicholas Pancake Breakfast:
 \$1,058 Net

Year-To-Date 7/1/22—09/19/22

	Guardian Angels	St. Nicholas
Budget	\$142,341	\$13,064
Sunday Collection	\$94,911	\$10,722
Electronic Giving	\$42,944	\$2,972
Total Contributions	\$135,855	\$13,694
Amount above or below	-\$6,486	+\$630
	5% below budget	5% above budget



THE RICH MAN'S SIN OF OMISSION

The story of the rich man and Lazarus is a shocking story. It is one that we should not be too quick to say is only a parable. In our world today, there are many "Lazaruses," hungry and full of pains – the pains of life, if not of body. In our country, they do not lie in front of the door because our doors are more subtle. Yet, they are just as much in front of our door with loneliness, spiritual need, and material need.

Notice in the story how the rich man committed no offense. Rather, his sin was one of omission. Often, sins of omission do not occur "with full knowledge" or even with "deliberate consent," but rather out of carelessness or self-centeredness, which blinds a person to his neighbor's need. The rich man, as he ate sumptuously, had grown accustomed to seeing Lazarus there, and his wealth and comfortable life had made him insensitive to the suffering of his fellow man.

Our Catechism says of sins of omission, "Mortal sin...also implies a consent sufficiently deliberate to be a personal choice. Feigned ignorance and hardness of heart do not diminish, but rather increase the voluntary character of a sin" (CCC 1859). Failure to perform works of mercy results from a hardening of the heart. And if our hearts are hardened against our neighbor, we have rebelled against God, regardless of how much we go to church and say our prayers. Yet, someone whose heart is not shut off from his neighbor's need is close to God, even if he considers himself to be an atheist and professes to be one. Jesus will be able to help this one reach his true goal of heaven, not hell, which he may not know of or believe in yet.

Father Tony

EL PECADO DE OMISIÓN DEL HOMBRE RICO

La historia del hombre rico y Lázaro es una historia impactante. Es uno que no debemos apresurarnos a decir que es solo una parábola. En nuestro mundo de hoy, hay muchos "Lázaros", hambrientos y llenos de dolores, los dolores de la vida, si no del cuerpo. En nuestro país, no se acuestan frente a la puerta porque nuestras puertas son más sutiles. Sin embargo, están tanto frente a nuestra puerta con soledad, necesidad espiritual y necesidad material. Note en la historia cómo el hombre rico no cometió ninguna ofensa. Más bien, su pecado fue uno de omisión. A menudo, los pecados de omisión no ocurren "con pleno conocimiento" o incluso con "consentimiento deliberado", sino más bien por descuido o egocentrismo, que ciega a una persona a la necesidad de su prójimo. El rico, mientras comía suntuosamente, se había acostumbrado a ver allí a Lázaro, y su riqueza y su vida acomodada lo habían vuelto insensible al sufrimiento de su prójimo. Nuestro Catecismo dice de los pecados de omisión: "El pecado mortal... implica también un consentimiento suficientemente deliberado para ser una elección personal. La ignorancia fingida y la dureza de corazón no disminuyen, sino que aumentan el carácter voluntario del pecado" (CIC 1859). El fracaso en realizar obras de misericordia resulta de un endurecimiento del corazón. Y si nuestro corazón está endurecido contra nuestro prójimo, nos hemos rebelado contra Dios, sin importar cuánto vayamos a la iglesia y oremos. Sin embargo, alguien cuyo corazón no está cerrado a la necesidad de su prójimo está cerca de Dios, incluso si se considera ateo y profesa serlo. Jesús podrá ayudar a este a alcanzar su verdadera meta del cielo, no del infierno, que quizás aún no conozca o en el que no crea.

Padre Tony

THANK YOU FOR YOUR FOOD DONATIONS

We thank you, the parishioners, for your recent donations to the Bountiful Basket Food Shelf. This time you donated 57 pounds of food to those in need in our community. May God bless your generosity.

ANNUAL WHITE MASS FOR HEALTHCARE WORKERS

Saturday, October 15th, 5:15 p.m., Cathedral of Saint Paul

Healthcare workers, along with their spouses and families, are invited to this special Mass in honor of our patron Saint Luke. Reception immediately following in Hayden Hall (lower level of Cathedral)

Sponsored by the Saint Paul and Minneapolis Guild of the Catholic Medical Association and Curio: An Apostolate of Catholic Healthcare Professionals in cooperation with the Archdiocesan Office for Marriage, Family, and Life.

Questions? Please contact Sonya Flomo at (651)291-4488 or email flomos@archspm.org

EVERYDAY SACRAMENT: CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENTS AT HOME

Tuesday, October 4th, 7-8 p.m., Church of the Risen Savior, Burnsville

Join us for a fresh perspective on the seven sacraments from the lived experience of family life. How can the sacraments we celebrate at church be deepened at home, through the everyday joys and challenges of family life? Where is God waiting to meet us in ordinary moments? Author and speaker Laura Kelly Fanucci will lead us in an evening of reflection and conversation on how we can deepen our faith as parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles, and caregivers. Free will offering accepted. Learn more at risensavior.org

G.A. ANNUAL APPLE CRISP WEEKEND

October 7th-9th, GA School Gym



We are in need of donated apples and workers to peel apples and bake. Join the fun Friday, October 7th at 3 p.m. in the school kitchen or Saturday, October 8th at 8 a.m.

Early Bird sale starts at 11 a.m. in the gym.

This event is eligible for a matching grant from Catholic United Financial of up to \$1000.

To donate apples, call Tina at (952) 448-7569.

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NOVENAS AT THE ST. NICHOLAS PRAYER GARDEN



Three Novenas were celebrated on August 30th thru September 8th at the St. Nicholas Prayer Garden in Carver.

Our Lady of Good Health– East India
Our Lady of the Stairs– Tarimario Mexico
Our Lady of Cisni– Ecuador

Many thanks to the families who graciously hosted the 9 day Novena with the rosary, Novena prayers, music, and fabulous ethnic dinners served each night. Please put it on your calendar for next year; you and your family will be truly blessed.

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

Calling all current Mass Servers and those interested in becoming a Mass Server!

Any GA parishioner in 4th grade or older may serve. We will be having Server practices during the month of September. Current Servers will need to attend 1 or more practices. New Servers will need to attend 3 practices. The practices will be in the Church on the following dates from 5-6 p.m.

Sunday, Sept. 25th

Wednesday, Sept. 28th

EQUIPPED FOR LIFE: A FRESH APPROACH TO CONVERSATIONS ABOUT ABORTION

Saturday, October 1st; Lumen Christi Catholic Church

The Equal Rights Institute (ERI) believes that you can have productive dialogues about abortion, through a combination of conversational strategies and quality arguments. Join us, the Archdiocesan Office of Marriage, Family, and Life and Minnesota Catholic Conference, as we welcome Emily Albrecht from ERI to help equip the pro-life movement here in our Archdiocese with this day of training on October 1st, 2022 at the Lumen Christi Catholic Church. Register today at www.MNCatholic.org/EquippedForLife

POST ROE—WHAT NOW?

September 29th from 5-9 p.m.,

Learn how the reversal of Roe v. Wade will impact the pro-life cause in Minnesota. Join us as five top pro-life leaders share the latest information and opportunities for you to get involved and act on your pro-life beliefs.

Social Hour: 5:00—6:50 p.m.

Program: 7:00—9:00 p.m.

Location: St. Agnes School, 530 Lafond Ave, St. Paul

Hors d'oeuvres and drinks will be provided.

Attendance is free for the general public. RSVP at sjbusinessguild.com

This event is sponsored by the **St. Joseph Business Guild.**

SOUTHWEST OPTIONS FOR WOMEN GALA

The Magic and Miracles Gala benefiting Southwest Options for Women will be held on October 18th at 5:30 p.m. at the Golden Valley Country Club. Guest Speaker Scott Hagan will be speaking about Abortion Pill Reversal.

The schedule is as follows:

Social Hour 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Silent Auction 5:30-8 p.m.

Program and Dinner 6:30-9 p.m.

SPOTLIGHT ON MINISTRY: YOUTH CHOIR

What is the Youth Choir?

The Guardian Angels Youth Choir sings at one 4:30 p.m. Mass a month with occasional Holidays and Holy Days sprinkled in.

Who can be in the Youth Choir?

Anyone entering Grades 4-12

When are rehearsals?

5 p.m. on Wednesdays (lets out in time for Faith Formation) and 3 p.m. on Saturdays. Both only on the weeks that they will be singing.

To sign up...

... at GA, contact Brittany Kaufmann at bkaufmann@gachaska.org or call the Parish Office at (952) 227-4000

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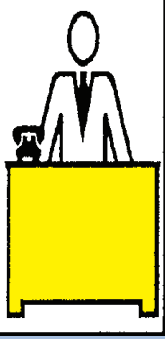
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