

# ALL SOULS CATHOLIC PARISH

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SUNDAY, JANUARY 18, 2026



**BEHOLD**  
THE LAMB  
OF GOD.

— JOHN 1:29 —

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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## OUR VISION

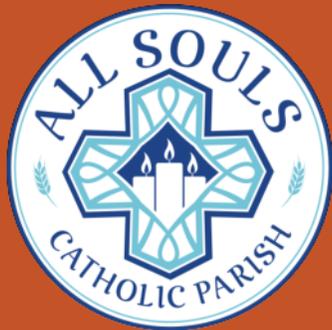
All Souls Catholic Parish aspires to be an inviting faith community where members and newcomers alike are engaged, inspired, and spiritually nourished among friends that become family.

## OUR MISSION

As a welcoming and united parish, the All Souls Family of Faith is committed to loving God, loving our neighbors, and inviting others to know and serve Jesus Christ and recognize Him in one another.

Do not neglect hospitality, for through it some have unknowingly entertained angels.

— Hebrews 13:2



January 18, 2026

# All Souls Catholic Parish

The Communities of St. Ann, St. James, & St. John  
Reverend Mark Kalema, Pastor

## St. Ann Church & Parish Office

3010 Ridge Road, Lansing  
708.895-6700/708-895-6877 (Fax)

### Office Hours

Monday - Thursday: 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
Saturday/Sunday: Closed

### Confessions

Saturdays at 3:00 p.m. or Any Weekday by Appointment

### Adoration

Monday & Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

## Mass Schedule

*Followed by Rosary on Weekdays*

### Communion Service

Monday: 7:30 a.m.

### Morning Mass

Tuesday - Friday: 7:30 a.m.

### Saturday Mass

4:00 p.m.

### Sunday Masses

8:30 & 10:30 a.m.

[www.allsoulscatholicparish.org](http://www.allsoulscatholicparish.org)

Parish email:	<a href="mailto:office@allsoulscatholicparish.org">office@allsoulscatholicparish.org</a>
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St. Vincent DePaul:	708-745-4760
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### Please call the office:

- for baptism (2nd & 4th Sundays), marriage, anointing of the sick, Quinceañeras, and RCIA/RCIY
- for Ministry of Care to the homebound or hospitalized
- for Mass intentions
- to request prayers for the sick
- to make a Confession appointment

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Click "Find Your Charity" and search for All Souls Catholic Parish, visit [givecentral.org/location/100](http://givecentral.org/location/100) or scan the handy QR code here.



In these difficult economic times, know that the St. Vincent de Paul Society of St. Ann is here to assist you in your time of need. All information is kept confidential. Please do not wait until matters become insurmountable. Please call 708-745-4760.

### New Members Welcome!

We would love to have you join us! Please fill out the information below, and place in the Offertory Collection or send to the Parish Office. You may also request a registration form at 708-895-6700 or register on our website at >About >Becoming a Parishioner

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Town/Zip

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

email \_\_\_\_\_

Once you register and have a number assigned, you will be able to receive envelopes and play the weekly 50/50.

## Mass Intentions

**Monday, January 19**

**Tuesday, January 20**  
(St. Fabian; St. Sebastian)

7:30 a.m. Mass

† People of the Parish

**Wednesday, January 21** (St. Agnes)

7:30 a.m. Mass

† People of the Parish

**Thursday, January 22**

7:30 a.m. Mass

† People of the Parish

**Friday, January 23**

(St. Vincent; St. Marianne Cope)

7:30 a.m. Mass

† People of the Parish

**Saturday, January 24**

(St. Francis de Sales)

4:00 p.m. Mass

† Raymond & Dorothy Kwoka  
(Judy Kwoka)

† Henry Losnedahl (Dave Erickson)

† Karen Erickson (Dave Erickson)

† Dorothy Stewart (Family)

**Sunday, January 25**

(Third Sunday in Ordinary Time)

8:30 a.m. Mass

† Diane Abbott (Abbott Family)

10:30 a.m. Mass

† Chester Potempa (Corinne Keleher)

**The 2026 Mass Book is open for your special intentions. Please call the office FMI or to schedule Mass intentions. The suggested donation is \$10.**

## Readings for the Week

Sunday: Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40:2 and 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34

Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-6

Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13/Mk 3:7-12

Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11/Mk 3:13-19

Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/Mk 3:20-21

Next Sunday: Is 8:23-9:3/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

## This Week's Activities

**Monday, January 19 MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR DAY**

Communion Service/Rosary	7:30am	Chapel
Adoration	8:00am - 6:00pm	Chapel
RE/FF Classes	4:00 - 5:30pm	Classrooms
Legion of Mary (Spanish)	6:00pm	Parish Office

**Tuesday, January 20**

Daily Mass Followed by Rosary	7:30am	Chapel
OCIA	6:00pm	Parish Office

**Wednesday, January 21**

Daily Mass Followed by Rosary	7:30am	Chapel
Sewing Club	9:30am	Parish Office
A.A. Meeting	8:00pm	Parish Hall

**Thursday, January 22**

Daily Mass Followed by Rosary	7:30am	Chapel
Divine Mercy Chaplet	8:00am	Chapel
Adoration	8:00am - 6:00pm	Chapel
TOPS Meeting	4:30pm	Parish Office
Legion of Mary Rosary (Spanish)	6:00pm	Chapel
Sharing the Scripture	7:00pm	Parish Office

**Friday, January 23**

Daily Mass Followed by Rosary	7:30am	Church
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**Saturday, January 24**

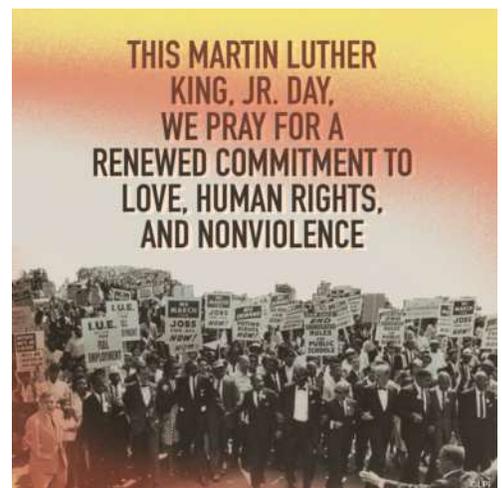
Pre-Cana	9:00am - 4:00pm	Parish Hall
Bereavement Group	11:00am	School Door C1
Confessions	3:00pm	Chapel
Mass	4:00pm	Church

**Sunday, January 25**

Masses (Baptisms @10:30)	8:30 & 10:30am	Church
RE/FF Classes	8:45 - 10:15am	Classrooms
Parish Council Meeting	11:30am	Parish Office

**For parish updates, please visit the website & click on the Calendar tab:  
[www.allsoulscatholicparish.org](http://www.allsoulscatholicparish.org)**

**The Parish Office Will Be Closed on Monday, January 19 in Observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day**





**SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:  
Jesus, the Chosen One of God**

The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time invites us to contemplate our identity and our mission. To reflect on who we are in God’s plan and what we are sent to do. Through the servant song of Isaiah, Paul’s greeting to the Corinthians, and John the Baptist’s powerful testimony in the Gospel, we are drawn into the mystery of a God who reveals Himself not through dominance, but through self-giving love. At the center of this weekend’s readings stands Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God, who reveals both the heart of the Father and the true vocation of every believer.

The first reading (Is 49:3, 5-6) presents one of the great Servant Songs. The servant declares that he has been formed by God from the womb and named for a purpose. His identity is not self-generated; it is received. God says to him, “You are my servant, Israel, through whom I show my glory.”

The Father has called each of us from the moment of our conception for a unique mission to further His kingdom on the earth. Each one of us can truly say the Father has “formed me as His servant from the womb.” This passage emphasizes two essential truths: God calls before we act, and God’s glory is revealed through faithful service

The servant initially feels that his labor has been in vain, a deeply human experience. Yet God reassures him that his mission is larger than he imagined. He is not only to restore Israel but to become a light to the nations. God’s saving work is never narrow or exclusive. From the beginning, it is universal. Even when our efforts seem fruitless, God is still working through us for a mission far greater than what we can see.

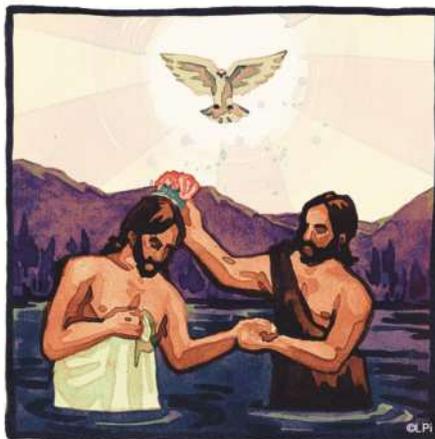
In the second reading (1Cor1:1-3), Paul opens his First Letter to the Corinthians not with correction, but with identity. He addresses them as “those sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be holy.” Holiness here is not moral perfection achieved by effort alone. It is a state of belonging to God. Being set apart because one belongs to Christ. In this second reading, Paul highlights several key realities.

- Holiness is a calling, not a personal achievement.
- The Church is a community united in Christ, not a collection of isolated individuals.
- Grace and peace come from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Paul’s greeting sets the tone for the entire letter. Before Paul addresses the Corinthians’ divisions and struggles, he reminds them who they are. Identity precedes behavior.

Only when we know that we are already loved and called by God can true transformation begin.

The Gospel (Jn 1:29-34) brings us to the heart of today’s message. John the Baptist sees Jesus coming toward him and declares, “Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world.” What a powerful description of our Lord and the place He should rightfully have in each of our lives. He is truly our Savior, the only one who can free us from our sinfulness. We are utterly and completely dependent on His power, love and mercy. Therefore, He truly does “rank ahead” of us; He deserves to be first, above all other priorities and plans in our lives. Again, let us examine our daily lives, and encourage our children to do the same.



Does the way I spend my time reflect that God comes first? Do prayer and weekly Mass, regular confession and time with my family “rank ahead” of everything else on my calendar? Do I use my talents, skills and energy to serve my family, parish and community in thanksgiving and recognition that God’s kingdom ranks ahead of any other goals or ambitions? Do I spend my money and use my material possessions to glorify God? This is not a poetic language alone; it is a profound theological proclamation.

The title Lamb of God carries rich meaning.

- It recalls the Passover lamb whose blood brought freedom.
- It points to sacrifice, innocence, and self-giving love.
- It reveals a Messiah who saves not by force, but by surrender.

John makes it clear that his role is not to draw attention to himself. His entire mission is to point away from himself and toward Christ. Even though he baptizes Jesus, John acknowledges that he did not fully know Him until the Spirit revealed Jesus’ identity.

When the Spirit descends and remains upon Jesus, it confirms that He is the Son of God. This moment reveals Jesus not only as Savior, but as the One who baptizes with the Holy Spirit—bringing new life, forgiveness, and divine presence into the world. Taken together, these readings form a single movement.

- God calls and forms His servants.
- God sanctifies a people in Christ.
- God reveals His Son as the Lamb who saves the world.

Like the servant in Isaiah, like the Corinthians, and like John the Baptist, we are given both identity and mission. We are called to belong to



# WEEKLY MONEY MATTERS

1-4-2026

ONLINE/GIVE CENTRAL:	\$	1,517.00
DROP OFF/MAIL IN:	\$	6,190.66
	\$	7,707.66
50-50 CLUB:	\$	545.00
BUILDING FUND:	\$	1,113.00
SOLEMNITY OF MARY:	\$	3,116.00



*Thank you for your continued support!  
Figures include all collection basket, mailed-in,  
dropped-off, and online contributions.*

## ALL SOULS SPLIT \$ ~ 50/50 CLUB ~ \$

**Our January 4 winning number was #0165.  
#0165 WOULD HAVE WON \$782.50.  
DON'T MISS OUT ON YOUR CHANCE TO WIN!**

To be eligible, both your 50-50 (\$5.00) and weekly collection envelopes (no limit, but at least \$5) with separate payments **must be in the parish office by 9:00 a.m. Monday.**

**You may make your 50-50 donation at Give Central, along with your weekly and other contributions! If you donate by check, you need to write two separate checks.**

### A NEW CHANCE TO WIN EVERY WEEK!

Christ, and we are sent to make Him known—not by loud words alone, but by lives shaped by humility, faith, and love. Every time we participate in the Eucharist and hear the words “Behold the Lamb of God,” we are drawn back into this mystery. We recognize Jesus as the One who takes away sin, and we recommit ourselves to being witnesses of His light in the world.

The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time teaches us that God’s work often unfolds quietly but powerfully. He chooses servants, sanctifies communities, and reveals His Son not in spectacle, but in faithful witness and sacrificial love. As we continue this season, we are invited to deepen our awareness of who Christ is—and, in doing so, discover more clearly who we are called to be in Him. Amen.

*Fr. Mark Kalema, Pastor*

## ALL SOULS PARISH

**Holy Souls Bereavement Ministry  
Will Meet in the Former School Building**

**JANUARY 24**

**Every Second Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.  
Every Fourth Saturday at 11:00 a.m.**

Our Bereavement Ministry is a faith-based group that provides an opportunity for those who have lost a loved one to deal with their grief in an atmosphere of care. Let us join you on your grief journey to offer comfort, encouragement, and understanding. All are welcome and no registration is required.

Enter through door C1.  
Please call 708-895-6700 FMI.



## Today's Readings

**First Reading:** I will make you a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth. (Is 49:6)

**Psalm:** Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will. (Ps 40)  
**Second Reading:** Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. (1 Cor 1:3)

**Gospel:** John the Baptist saw Jesus coming toward him and said, “Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world.” (Jn 1:29)

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## Reflect & Respond to Scripture

### 1<sup>st</sup> Reading Question

Isaiah teaches that God chose Israel to reveal His glory and bring salvation to the world. Why do you think God uses people to do His will?

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading Question

Paul opens his letter to the Corinthians with a plea for unity and holiness of all believers. Where do you see your faith community unified and holy?

### Gospel Question

John the Baptist testifies to others that Jesus is the Son of God who will baptize with the Holy Spirit. With whom do you talk about Jesus?

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The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity is an international Christian ecumenical observance celebrated annually from January 18, the traditional Feast of the Chair of St. Peter, through January 25, the Feast of the Conversion of St. Paul. With roots going back over 100 years, the dedicated octave of prayers has been jointly commissioned and prepared since 1966, after the Second Vatican Council, by the Roman Catholic Church's Dicastery for Promoting Christian Unity and the World Council of Churches' Faith and Order Commission.

Each year Christian churches and communities from a different part of the world develop the theme and materials for the Week of Prayer. During this week-long celebration, Christians are invited to gather with their Christian neighbors to join in prayer for Christian unity.

The 2026 theme for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity is taken from Ephesians 4:4, *"There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling."* This theme taken from Ephesians 4:4 for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2026 comes from the Christians of Armenia: Oriental Orthodox, Catholic and Evangelical.

These words of St. Paul see the unity of the community of believers as a vocation, a calling by the Holy Spirit. This requires conversion of heart, which is not possible without openness to reconciliation. This unity is linked to one hope and practiced in communal support, by embracing diversity while maintaining communion.

This also means accepting the diversity of gifts exercised in ministry, the goal of which is building up unity for the whole. "And he gave some as apostles, others as prophets, others as evangelists, others as pastors and teachers, to equip the holy ones for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ" (4:11-12). This unity is guided by a mutual search for truth in a spirit of communal love. "Rather, living the truth in love, we should grow in every way into him who is the head, Christ, from whom the whole body, joined and held together by every supporting ligament, with the proper functioning of each part, brings about the body's growth and builds itself up in love." (4:15-16)

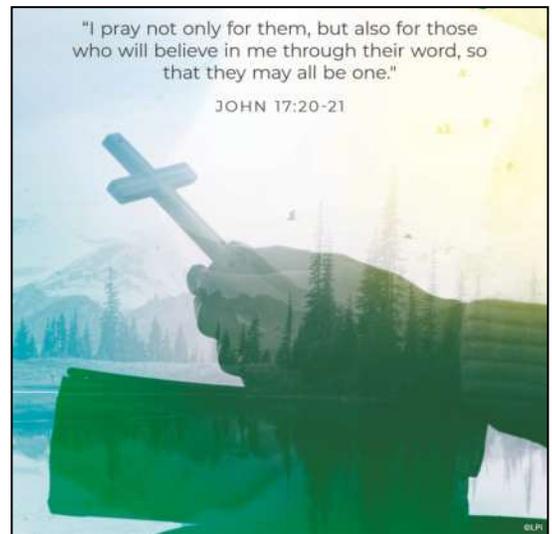
It is in Ephesians 4 that Paul emphasizes the seven "unities" of the Church: Spirit, hope; one Lord, faith, and baptism; and the one God (4:4-6).

Studying the text chosen by the Armenian Church, the International Commission, appointed by the Dicastery for Promoting Christian Unity and the World Council of Churches exegetes the text as a vocation to unity that is also a vocation to the life of conversion.

Unity is a key proclamation in the liturgical prayer of the Armenian Apostolic Church. Every Sunday, in the Liturgy, the faithful embrace one another and sing, "The Church has become one", a tangible manifestation of their collective faith and shared purpose. (*Introduction*, International Commission).

The Scriptural Theme for 2026 appropriately does not separate unity from service to the universal community of humanity and all creation. The rainbow sign of covenant with God becomes realized in the unity of the Church.

- From the Graymoor Ecumenical & Interreligious Institute ([www.geii.org](http://www.geii.org))



## Share YOUR Faith



Support the Church in Latin America  
[usccb.org/latin-america](http://usccb.org/latin-america)

Next week we will take up the Collection for the Church in Latin America. Many in Latin America and the Caribbean find that a rising secular culture, difficult rural terrain, and a shortage of ministers all present obstacles to practicing the faith. Your support for the collection provides lay leadership training, catechesis, priestly and religious formation, and other programs to share our Catholic faith with those who long to hear the Good News of Christ. To learn more about how your gifts make a difference, visit [usccb.org/latin-america](http://usccb.org/latin-america). iGiveCatholic also accepts funds for this collection if you prefer to donate online.



## COFFEE WITH THE MAYOR SATURDAY, JANUARY 24 9-11:00 a.m.

Mayor Brian Hardy invites residents and community members to attend the first “Coffee with the Mayor,” a new quarterly event designed to encourage open conversation and community connection. The inaugural gathering will be held from 9–11 a.m. on Saturday, January 24, at the Lansing Municipal Center, 3141 Ridge Rd.



“This is your chance to grab a free cup of coffee, ask questions, share suggestions, and chat informally with me and other Village officials,” said Mayor Hardy. “Whether you have a concern, a great idea, or just want to say hello, everyone is welcome.”

Police Chief Al Phillips will join Mayor Hardy for the event, providing residents an opportunity to engage directly with local leadership in a relaxed setting.

The event is free and open to the public. No registration is required.



### PLEASE NOTE!

The recycling dumpsters by Fr. Mark’s house are for PAPER ONLY! Please do not stuff them with cardboard castoffs as we have to empty them

of materials that do not belong, and no one enjoys dumpster diving. Thank you for your conscientious assistance with this matter.

The best way to keep up to date with us is to like “All Souls Catholic Parish” on Facebook. The page is updated regularly with news and helpful resources.



## Upcoming Events

Bereavement Group: January 24

Family Mass: February 1

Scout Sunday: February 8

Bereavement Group: February 11 & 28

Ash Wednesday: February 18



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### Special, Super Duper Early Holiday Edition Bulletin Deadline

Due to holiday office closures, our bulletin publisher has moved up deadlines for the post-MLK Day issue. **Therefore, the deadline to submit materials for January 25 has already passed.** We will resume regular 10-day in advance deadlines with the February 1 bulletin; materials will be due by January 22. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation!

## SCOUT SUNDAY

February 8, 2026, 10:30 a.m. Mass

Calling all parishioners, adults and youth who are members of the Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts, and Girl Scouts of America!

Please join us as we celebrate Scout Sunday! This special mass is for all pack and troop members, wherever you meet. ALL are welcome!

Additionally, we would like to recognize all parishioners who have achieved scouting’s highest awards of Eagle Scout and Gold Award. If you or someone you know has done so, please contact the Parish Office at 895-6700 with the scout’s name and the year the achievement was earned.



## SHARING THE SCRIPTURE

Thursdays, 7:00 p.m. in the Office



Share Sunday Scriptures in an atmosphere of prayer.

Join us weekly as we dedicate time to digging deeper into God’s Word. No registration is required. FMI, call 708-895-3668.

We are surveying the parish about Christmas Eve Masses! Please use the QR code or visit

**YOUR OPINION MATTERS**



[bit.ly/surveymidnightmass](https://bit.ly/surveymidnightmass) to take the survey. A paper version is also inserted in this Bulletin, which you may return to the office or any usher. Thank you!

## 4<sup>th</sup> GRADERS - HIGH SCHOOLERS: CAN YOU ANSWER THE CALL?

Becoming an Altar Server is an honor and an important part in the offering of the Mass. Altar Servers assist the priest in the celebration of the Eucharist, which is the cornerstone of our faith. If you are interested in becoming an Altar Server, please discuss it first with your parents or guardians, as you will be making a commitment, much like being on a team. You will be able to indicate your preferred Mass time and any dates that you are unavailable. If you are interested, please fill out the form below and return it to the Parish Office or in the collection basket at Church. **We will notify you when the next training will take place.**



If you have any questions, please contact Daniel Mauch at 708-895-6700.

I approve of my child, \_\_\_\_\_ becoming an altar server at All Souls/St. Ann Church.

Please contact me with further information at:

Home phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_

email \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_

## MOTHER TERESA CATHOLIC ACADEMY

# OPEN HOUSE

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**Wednesday,  
January 14th  
Tuesday,  
January 27  
12:15 to 6:15 pm**



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# OPEN HOUSE FOR PROSPECTIVE FAMILIES

**JOIN US FOR OPEN HOUSE!**

Join us for our Annual Open House on January 29 from 6-8 p.m. Upon entrance at our Main Office Door A, you will be warmly greeted by our staff and school community! Enjoy personalized tours and hear from our speakers as you learn how IJP nurtures academic, social, and emotional growth—rooted in Catholic values. We can't wait to welcome you!

RSVP NOW!  
**JAN. 29,  
2026**



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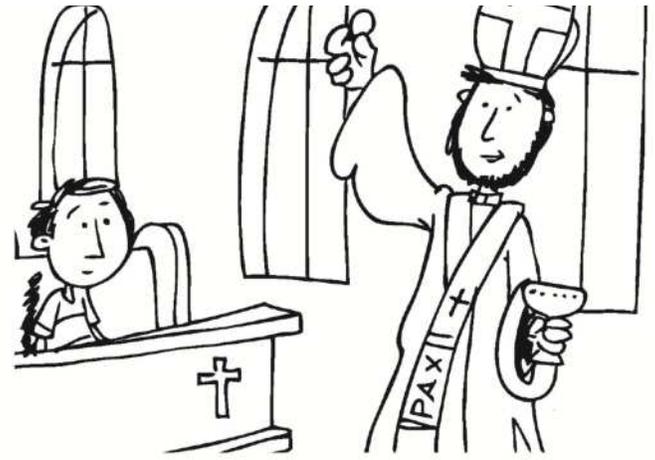
Register Now  
[ijpschool.org](http://ijpschool.org)





# COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



# GOSPEL

Imagine how excited John the Baptist must have felt after he baptized Jesus. He knew without a doubt that Jesus was God's Son. The very next day John told the crowds that Jesus would take away the sins of the world. God's people had eaten a Passover lamb every year to remember how God saved them from death in Egypt. Jesus was the Lamb of God. He frees you from your old sins and offers you new life with God.



# PUZZLE

Fit this Gospel message into the empty square

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time • John 1:29-34

I testify that this is the Son of God.



# PRAYER

Dear God, thank you for sending Jesus to take away my sins.



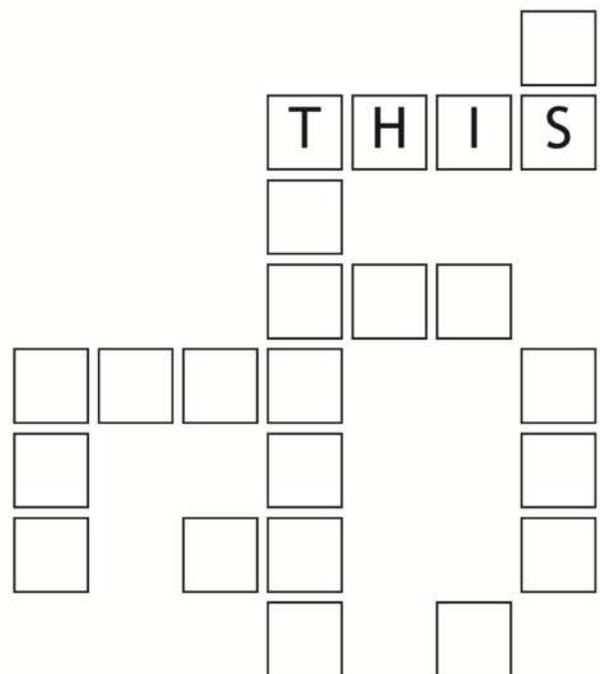
# DRAW

Draw a picture of a lamb.



# MISSION

Read the story about the very first Passover, when God saved the Hebrews from the Angel of Death (Exodus 12).



RESCHEDULED FROM JANUARY 10



Saturday,  
January 24  
7:00 p.m.  
\$10 Per  
Person

Fr. Lyons Hall  
Our Lady of Knock, Calumet City

Teams of up to six players compete in a trivia competition covering any and all kinds of questions. You are welcome to bring snacks, and we will have beverages for sale (pop, beer, wine, water, and hard seltzer). There will also be a 50/50 raffle and door prizes. If you haven't been to Trivia Night before, give it a try, we always have fun! Proceeds benefit Jesus Shepherd of Souls Parish.

FMI, call 708-862-1568  
or email [gjgrenchik@aol.com](mailto:gjgrenchik@aol.com)

**SOLEMN VESPERS**  
for  
**FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**



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CONDUCTED BY KEVIN ALLEN

**SATURDAY  
JANUARY 31  
5:15 p.m.**

Featured music:

- Bruckner:** Os justi meditabitur
- Lassus:** O Lux, beata Trinitas  
Magnificat Octi Toni
- Allen:** Alma Redemptoris Mater
- Sweelinck:** Venite adoremus



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## MARRIAGE PREPARATION FACILITATOR TRAINING

Join us for PreCana Marriage Preparation Facilitator Training/Refresher. All current PreCana facilitators and any married couples feeling called to marriage ministry and interested in facilitating PreCana sessions to inspire engaged couples in the vocation and mission of marriage are invited to this upcoming training.

**Saturday, February 7, 2026 | 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.**

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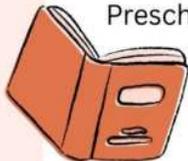


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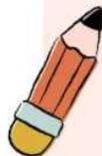


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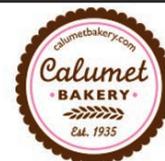
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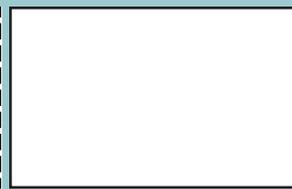
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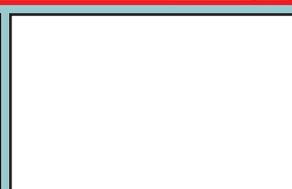
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