



# ST. NICHOLAS OF BARI ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### MESSE DOMENICALI

9:00am : Italiano  
10:30am: Inglese  
12:00pm: Ge'ez Rite

### MESSE FERIAI

8:00am: da Martedì a Sabato  
7:30pm: Mercoledì & Venerdì:  
Messe memoriali (prenotare prima)

### BATTESIMI

Chiamate in Ufficio quanto prima

### CONFESSIONI

Tutti i giorni prima della Messa. Altri  
giorni su appuntamento

### MATRIMONI

Prenotarsi 1 anno prima

### RITI D'INIZIAZIONE

Chiamate in Ufficio

### SACRAMENTI PER GLI AMMALATI & ANZIANI

Chiamate in Ufficio qualunque  
giorno

### SUNDAY MASSES

9:00am : Italian  
10:30am: English (with Children's  
Liturgy)  
12:00pm: Ge'ez Rite

### WEEKDAY MASSES

8:00am: Tuesday to Saturday  
7:30pm: Wednesday & Friday Memorial  
mass (upon request)

### BAPTISM

By appointment and after instruction.  
Parents must be registered members of  
our parish community

### CONFESSIONS

Every day before Mass and after mass  
and upon request

### MARRIAGES

One year notice and marriage course  
mandatory

### CHRISTIAN INITIATION

Please call the Office

### SACRAMENTS FOR SICK & ELDERLY

Please call Rectory anytime

The Church is open for  
personal prayer and meditation  
from 7:30am to 12:00pm  
(Tuesday to Friday)

### Gruppo di preghiera di San Padre Pio

III Mercoledì del mese  
alle 6:45pm

### Adorazione / Adoration

1° Venerdì del Mese  
First Friday of the Month  
6:45pm

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The Parish Hall is available for rent – Please call the Office

# OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE – November 20th 2022

## CHILDREN'S LITURGY



**SUNDAY MORNINGS  
10:30 AM MASS**

The Children's Liturgy is now resuming. As you know, this is a great opportunity for our children, as it enriches their experience of the Mass while they listen to the Sunday Gospel at their own level. Any young adult wishing to

help out in this ministry, please call the office and leave your name and phone number. Fr. Bruno will be in touch with you and you'll be invited to attend some training workshops. **The Children preparing for the First Reconciliation-Communion are highly recommended to attend.**

## SUNDAY MISSALS 2022-2023

The Sunday Missals are available. Please contact Mary Lana before or after the 10:30 a.m. mass.

## RENT THE PARISH HALL

St. Nicholas of Bari Parish Hall is available for Rent for small parties. Please contact the Parish Office at (416) 654-8908 for more details.

## JOIN THE SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION'S CREW

Father Bruno is in need of Volunteers to help out with the First reconciliation-Communion preparation, the Confirmation program and the Children's liturgy starting in September. If you are interested, please contact the office.

## LET'S REMEMBER OUR LOVED ONES



Special Prayers for the FAITHFUL DEPARTED is offered during the month of November. If you wish to write the name of loved ones in the BOOK OF LIFE, placed before the Baptismal Font, please take some time to prayerfully do so. Kindly have all special offerings dropped in the offering slot at the back of the church. Thank you!

## First Communion session Session #2: God Sent Jesus to Save Us



Date: December 1, 2022 7-8PM  
Parents and children to attend

## Confirmation session Session #3: The Church



Group A: Tuesday December 13, 6-8PM  
Group B: Wednesday December 14, 6-8PM

## THIS WEEK'S READINGS

1st Reading: 2 Samuel 5:1-3  
2nd Reading: Colossians 1:12-20  
Gospel: Luke 23:35-43

## Feast of Christ the King



"Thy Kingdom come, thy Will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven." These familiar words from the Our Father can provide us with rich reflection on this great feast of Christ the King, for where there is a king, there is a kingdom as well.

As we pray the Our Father, we are asking that the Kingdom of God may continuously be built up here on earth. In addition to our practice of praying, we as good stewards can help build up the Kingdom through our deeds. The USCCB in their Pastoral Letter on Stewardship\* proclaims that through "worthy deeds in this life, people also make a limited but real human contribution to building up the kingdom." This should fill those striving to live a life of stewardship with great excitement and zeal, for by faithfully sharing our time and talents with the parish community, we are actively contributing to the building of the Kingdom.

Each time we share our time in visiting people in need, in using our musical talents in the choir or our leadership skills on a parish committee, we are spreading the Kingdom. How often do we really view our actions as service to the Kingdom and not just volunteerism? Let us ask ourselves how we can better share our gifts to build up our parish communities and the Kingdom of God.

## CELEBRATION IN HONOUR OF ST. NICHOLAS - Our Patron Saint

December 4, 2022



The Guardiaregia Community invites us to a Solemn Mass at **3:00 p.m.**, followed by reception in the church hall, the traditional distribution of "bread and beans".

## Ladies' Auxiliary Bazaar

The Ladies' Auxiliary will be hosting a fundraiser on Sunday November 20 & 27 from 8:00am to 2:00pm.

## OUR COLLECTIONS NOVEMBER 13, 2022

**\$ 1,129.90**

Thank you for your generosity!



## **November 20 Sunday/Domenica**

9:00am - Giuseppina De Francesco; Antonio Mottola, Nicola Rosa, Pasquale, Rosalinda Laverghetta, Vincenza de Gregorio, Pasquale de Gregorio, Luigi Montedorisio, Antonio Marino, Rocco, Pasquale, Antonietta e Carmela de Gregorio; Famiglia Maltese e Sciortino, e famiglia Buffone e Arcuri; Sodano Giuseppe e Montelone Girolama; Famiglia Seminerio; Don Gino, Alfonzo, Emilio, Gianni; Gemma, Maria, Orsola, Gianna, Begnina, Teresina, Pina, Merghi  
10:30am - Francesco Martino; Antonietta Pallotta;  
10:30am - Confirmation enrolment ceremony at Mass  
12:00pm - Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)

## **November 21 Monday/Lunedì**

- Nessuna messa oggi/No Mass today

## **November 22 Tuesday/Martedì**

8:00am – Repose of the soul of George Floyd, Maria de los Angeles Olivera de Villanueva, Terry Fox, Marina Carlota Moz, for all souls in Purgatory, for all Priest living and deceased, Conversion, peace, unity in the world, God's will and healing upon Georgina Maria Munguia  
11:00am - Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)

## **November 23 Wednesday/Mercoledì**

8:00am - Repose of the soul of Rev. Priest Pier Giorgio di Cicco, Maria de los Angeles de Villanueva, Irene Bone, End of abortion & Euthanasia, for the generosity of St. Nicholas's parishioners, for all souls in Purgatory, God's help upon Ania, God's will and healing upon Georgina Maria Munguia

## **November 24 Thursday/Giovedì**

8:00am - Filomena e Addolorata; Luciano Carini; Repose of the soul of Sarantos Katsoulis, Maria de Villanueva, Rev. Priest Juan Triviño, Repentance, confession for the families of Carlos, Mauricio, Karla, Austin, Ivette, Arturo, Moshen, Dinora, Healing of Irena, Ania Misko, Heide Park, Otto Martin Rivera, Mary Wahba, for all persecuted Christians in the world, Birthday blessings upon Eduardo Alvarez  
11:00am - Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)

## **November 25 Friday/Venerdì**

8:00am - Repose of the soul of Ana Luz Sanchez, Maria de Villanueva, Rosa Quintanilla Guevara, Repentance, confession for the families of Ania, Julian, Michael, Luana, Paul Michael, Alice, Martin Castillo, for the Priests of Holy Cross of Marylake, Birthday blessings upon Maria de los Angeles Villanueva, Ana Sofia De Anda, Gabriel Marquez

## **November 26 Saturday/Sabato**

8:00am - Repose of the soul of Vincenzo Giralico, Maria de Villanueva, Maria Franchi, for the unborn, orphan & unbaptized children, for all migrants, refugees, prisoners, dying, sick, lonely, unemployed, poor, Birthday blessings upon Kate Majoros

6:30pm - Spanish Group Mass

## **November 27 Sunday/Domenica**

9:00am - Assunta Paniccia & La Madonna; Per i defunti Antonietta e Felice Albanese; Nicola Imeneo, Vincenzo Speranza, Iolanda Lo Bianco e Silvana Ricchio; Luigi Botticella e defunti Botticella; Salvatore Sferrazza  
10:30am—Don Francesco, Suor Maria Benigna Bonofiglio e Emma Pecora  
10:30am - First communion - enrolment ceremony at Mass  
12:00 pm—Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)



## **Lettere**

Prima lettura: 2 Samuele 5:1-3  
Seconda lettura: Colossesi 1:12-20  
Vangelo: Luca 23:35-43

## **Festa di Cristo Re**

Gesù poteva scendere dalla croce e salvarsi; ma non l'ha fatto, perché altrimenti non ci avrebbe salvato. Ed ecco che raccoglie i frutti della sua passione: uno dei due ladroni crocifissi ai suoi fianchi confessa i propri peccati ed esorta l'altro a fare lo stesso, ma, soprattutto, professa la sua fede: Gesù è Re! Il Re crocifisso gli assicura in modo solenne: "Oggi sarai con me in paradiso". Adamo aveva chiuso a tutti le porte del paradiso, Gesù, vincitore del peccato, della morte e di Satana, apre le porte del paradiso anche ai più grandi peccatori, purché si convertano, sia pure nel momento della loro morte. Del resto, noi ben conosciamo molte conversioni simili.



## **SHEPHERD'S TRUST**

Grazie a tutti per la vostra generosità, grazie per la cura di coloro che si sono sempre presi cura di voi.

## **PRENOTIAMO LE SANTE MESSE PER 2023**

Il libro per la prenotazione delle Sante Messe per l'anno 2023 è ormai disponibile. Si può chiamare l'Ufficio oppure venire in persona per prenotare le messe.

## **CELEBRIAMO SAN NICOLA**

**Domenica, 4 Dicembre 2022**



**3:00pm: Messa Solenne con il comitato di Guardiaregia in Onore di S. Nicola.** Seguirà nella sala parrocchiale la distribuzione del pane e fagioli come tradizione. Tutti siete benvenuti!

## **COMMEMORAZIONE DI TUTTI I FEDELI DEFUNTI**

In ogni Messa del mese di Novembre, siete invitati a scrivere I nomi dei vostri defunti nel **LIBRO DELLA** (accanto al Fonte Battesimale). Le vostre intenzioni saranno messe sull'altare, ricordando I nostril cari nella preghiera eucaristica. Se desiderate, usate la busta che avete con le buste domenicali o prendetene una nell'atrio della chiesa. (Le offerte mettetelo nella cassetta delle offerte). Grazie!

## **BAZAAR: 20, 27 NOVEMBRE**

Il Gruppo delle Donne Ausiliari terrà il Bazaar nell'atrio della Chiesa dalle 8am alle 2pm. Ci sono tante belle cose che sono fatte da loro. Siete tutti invitati a fare una visitina. Tutto il ricavato sarà devoluto alle spese della Chiesa.



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