# **GUARDIAN ANGEL CATHEDRAL**



The Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Las Vegas Most Rev. George Leo Thomas, Ph.D., Archbishop Rev. Robert Stoeckig, Rector



### MAY 5, 2024 SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

#### MASS SCHEDULE

Monday thru Friday - 12:10 PM Saturday Vigil - 2:30 PM Sunday - 7:30 AM, 9 AM, & 11 AM

#### CONFESSION

Monday thru Friday from 11:30 AM to 11:55 AM

#### PRIVATE PRAYER IN THE CATHEDRAL

Monday thru Friday - 10 AM to 2 PM Saturday - 2 PM to 3:30 PM Sunday - 7 AM to 12 PM

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### **WORSHIP AID**

Today's readings can be found at #1178 in the hymnal.

OPENING HYMN: I Come with Joy #934

**GLORIA:** Text on inside front cover of red hymnal

#### LITURGY OF THE WORD

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 98: 1, 2-3, 3-4 (2b)

**R./** "The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power."

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

**CREED:** Text on inside front cover of red hymnal

#### LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

**OFFERTORY HYMN:** I Will Be the Vine #897

Today's second collection will help us work on our ongoing building expenses.

SANCTUS: #290

**MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION:** #292

**AMEN:** #294

AGNUS DEI: #481

**COMMUNION HYMN:** No Greater Love #812

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON:** 

**R.**/ "I have chosen you from the world, alleluia."

RECESSIONAL HYMN: God Has Chosen Me #867

## SCRIPTURAL REFLECTION

The boundlessness of God's love is seen in the fact that God loved us even before we were deserving of God's love. In fact, it was God's love that made us able both to receive and to give love in return. Love is of God; love is God. Divine love is constant and trustworthy. How easily we can think this thought or speak these words, yet how difficult, even impossible, it is to comprehend what it means. We can only really recognize love in its many concrete manifestations. Love is patient, kind, and forbearing; it believes, it hopes, it endures. The love of God breaks down the barriers between Gentile and Jew, between slave and free, between the poor and the prosperous, between women and men, between the healthy and the ailing, between young and old.

Embraced by such love we are gradually transformed. We begin to recognize God's love in places we never suspected it would be found. We discover that what we once judged unclean may merely be an unfamiliar openness to God's truth. We discover that our own insistence on legitimate religious practice may really be spiritual elitism. Our eyes are opened to ways we have tried to confine God's love to the conventional boundaries we ourselves have set. As we are drawn into God's love, we eagerly embrace the commandments that help us to live righteous lives. To the extent that we love as universally as God does, we will know that we live in God and that God lives in us.

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### Mass Intentions

Sat. May 4

2:30 PM (Fr. Stoeckig)

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+ Leonard Saluzzo

Sun. May 5

7:30 AM (Fr. Stoeckig) 9:00 AM (Fr. Stoeckig) 11:00 AM (Fr. Stoeckig) Sun. May 5

People of the Parish + Florence Gruca + Carol Hunt

Mon. May 6

12:10 PM (Fr. Stoeckig)

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Int. of Stan & Donna Scott

Tues. May 7

12:10 PM (Fr. Dresden)

Tues. May 7

Int. of Ralph Ramirez

Wed. May 8

12:10 PM (Fr. Herbst)

Wed. May 8

+ Marguerite M. Ryan

Thurs. May 9

12:10 PM (Fr. Cruz)

Thurs. May 9

Int. of Guinn & Ann Grunn

Fri. May 10

12:10 PM (Fr. Cruz)

Fri. May 10

Mother's Day Remembrance

If you believe you have been a victim of sexual abuse by anyone representing the Catholic Church please call Cindy Hensel at (702) 235-7723.

### CATHEDRAL PRAYER LIST

Christopher Anasco Julie Andriaccio Michael Balaband Dotty Cenzer Patrice Freeman Minda Licuanan Mario Merced

Fr. Tom Montelaro Angie Perez Bishop Joseph Pepe Ronald Testa Chuck Vecchi Teresita Velasco David & Joyce Wenzel

To have a name added to the Prayer List, please call the Cathedral Office. Due to space concerns in our new bulletin, we can only keep names on the list for four weeks and ask you to call to re-list.

## Do You Follow Us on SOCIAL MEDIA?

We invite you to stay in touch with the Cathedral family from anywhere in the world. New content is posted regularly.



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FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

To make ends meet, the Cathedral needs to raise \$12,307 every week. We thank you for your generosity in helping us maintain our Catholic ministry along the Las Vegas Strip.

April 28=\$7,517 April 21=\$9,863 April 14=\$10,698 April 7=\$10,195 4Week Average = \$9,568.25 4Week Avg. Deficit = \$2,738.75

2024 CSA Goal = \$92,631 Cash Received = \$43,534.00 Distance to Goal = \$49,097

### SECOND COLLECTION

There will be a second collection immediately following the first collection. As the oldest publicly accessible building on the Las Vegas Strip, the Guardian Angel Cathedral is starting to show signs of its age that our regular collection simply does not cover. Today's second collection will help us with our ongoing building expenses to ensure continued Catholic ministry along the iconic Las Vegas Strip. A portion of this collection will also be shared with local charities that help the poor, needy, and vulnerable in our local community. We thank you for your generosity thank you for your generosity.

### ONLINE GIVING

Forgot your checkbook at home? Did the slot machine eat all of your cash? Please consider supporting the Catholic ministry of the Cathedral on the Las Vegas Strip by giving safely and securely online. Simply scan the QR code to give. Thank you!



### HISTORY OF THE CATHEDRAL

Guardian Angel Cathedral is the oldest standing public structure along the iconic Las Vegas Strip. It is unique not only for its magnificent windows, mosaics, mural, and architectural design but also for its origin and history. The beginnings go back to 1958 when the Clerics of St. Viator began the celebration of a 4:30 AM Sunday Mass at various hotels on the Strip to accommodate hotel/casino workers and visitors. The present church became a reality in 1963 as the "Guardian Angel Shrine."

When the Diocese of Reno became the Diocese of Reno-Las Vegas in 1977, the Shrine was designated as the Co-Cathedral of the Catholic Church in Nevada. In 1995 the Diocese of Las Vegas was established with Guardian Angel Cathedral as the Cathedral of the Diocese of Las Vegas. In May 2023, it was elevated to the Metropolitan Cathedral for the new Ecclesiastical Province.

In 1988, Guardian Angel Cathedral received an Indult, a special permission, from Rome for the 2:30 PM Saturday Mass to be recognized as a vigil Mass. Since ninety percent of the participants in our Eucharistic celebrations are visitors from all over the world, this Mass is a great help in caring for those who wish to fulfill their Sunday obligation.

For more information on the history of Guardian Angel Cathedral, please visit our website.