

16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

GUARDIAN ANGEL CATHEDRAL

JULY 21, 2024



WELCOME!

On behalf of Archbishop George Leo Thomas, Ph.D., Archbishop of Las Vegas, and the staff and volunteers of the Cathedral, we welcome you to the historic Guardian Angel Cathedral!

We thank you for worshipping with us this weekend, especially those of you that have traveled from all over the nation and globe to Las Vegas. On your journey home, remember, life is a journey: You decide to be a pilgrim or a tourist. Upon entering this sacred place, you have become a pilgrim: *"The place on which you are standing is holy ground"* (Exodus 3:5). May the blessings of the journey remain with you always.

THE BEGINNINGS OF GUARDIAN ANGEL CATHEDRAL

Guardian Angel Cathedral is unique not only for its magnificent windows, mosaics, murals, and architectural design but also for its origin and history.

Its beginnings go back to 1958, when the Clerics of St. Viator began celebrating 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 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. Because 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. In May 2023, Pope Francis elevated the Diocese of Las Vegas to the Archdiocese of Las Vegas, naming Archbishop George Leo Thomas, Ph.D., its first archbishop.

To our local parishioners and volunteers, we sincerely thank you for your devoted and dedicated service to the people of God at Guardian Angel Cathedral.

CLERGY

Most Rev. George Leo Thomas, Ph.D.,
Archbishop of Las Vegas

Most Rev. Gregory W. Gordon, STL,
Auxiliary Bishop of Las Vegas & Rector

Rev. Mugagga Lule,
Parochial Vicar

SUNDAY MASS

Saturday Vigil: 2:30 PM
Sunday: 7:30 AM | 9 AM | 11 AM

DAILY MASS

Monday - Friday: 12:10 PM

RECONCILIATION

Monday - Friday: 11:30 to 11:55 AM

HOURS

Monday - Friday: 10 AM to 2 PM
Saturday: 2 PM - Close after 2:30 PM Mass
Sunday: 7 AM - Close after 11 AM Mass
Office: M-F; 8 AM to 4 PM (Lunch 12 - 1 PM)

WEBSITE

www.gaclv.org

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SANCTUARY MURAL

The “Final Beginning” Sanctuary Mural was created by Isabel & Edith Piczek. The artwork seen here is the kind of art which does not want to exist for its own sake. It wants to draw you into a passionately and deeply inner existence, step-by-step, from the dark original creation into the monumentally recreated world of Man's Supernature. The Destiny of Man is to unfold in from your eyes, an unfolding which ends in happiness - your happiness. The real artwork is not made from glass, paint, or tile. It is created within you - by you.

-A Personal Note from the Artists

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat., July 20 2:30 PM (Fr. Lule)	Sat., July 20 + Judy Bennot
Sun., July 21 7:30 AM (Fr. Herbst) 9:00 AM (Fr. Lule) 11:00 AM (Fr. Lule)	Sun., July 21 Int. of Victoria Ong Tan Int. of the Schumacher Family People of the Parish
Mon., July 22 12:10 PM (Fr. Lule)	Mon., July 22 + Augustina and Angel DeLeon
Tues., July 23 12:10 PM (Bishop Gordon)	Tues., July 23 + Archbishop Raymond Hunthausen
Wed., July 24 12:10 PM (Fr. Herbst)	Wed., July 24 + Michael Cenzer
Thurs., July 25 12:10 PM (Fr. Herbst)	Thurs., July 25 Int. of Ethan Clavano Vasquez
Fri., July 26 12:10 PM (Fr. Lule)	Fri., July 26 + Fr. Caesar Caviglia
Sat., July 27 2:30 PM (Bishop Gordon)	Sat., July 27 + Thomas J. Graham
Sun., July 28 7:30 AM (Fr. Herbst) 9:00 AM (Fr. Lule) 11:00 AM (Fr. Lule)	Sun., July 28 + John Eugene Beechler + Ann Zelen and Family People of the Parish



CATHEDRAL PRAYER LIST

Christopher Anasco
Julie Andriaccio
Michael Balaband
Fr. Gustavo Cruz
Dotty Cenzer
Patrice Freeman
Minda Licuanan
Mario Merced
Fr. Tom Montelaro
Angie Perez
Bishop Joseph Pepe
Ronald Testa
Chuck Vecchi
Teresita Velasco
Joyce Wenzel

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.

July 14 = \$8,988	2024 CSA Goal = \$92,631
July 7 = \$9,250	Cash Received = \$76,737
June 30 = \$9,546	Distance to Goal = \$15,894
June 23 = \$8,418	83% of Goal
4 Week Average = \$9,050.50	

ONLINE GIVING



Forgot your checkbook at home? Casino eat all of your cash? Please consider supporting the ministry of the Cathedral by giving safely and securely online. Just scan the QR code for more information.

SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend, there is a special second collection that aids the Archdiocese of Las Vegas in tuition payments for its seminarians and ongoing education for current priests. For more information, please see Archbishop's letter on the back of the bulletin.



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WORSHIP AID

Today's Readings can be found
at #1240 in the hymnal.

OPENING HYMN: As We Gather at Your Table #924

GLORIA: #399

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6 (107)

R./ "The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want."

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

OFFERTORY HYMN: I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say #821

SANCTUS: #290

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION: #292

AMEN: #294

AGNUS DEI: #481

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

R./ "Accept a sacrifice of justice, oblations and burnt offerings,
placed upon your altar, O Lord."

COMMUNION HYMN: Life-Giving Bread, Saving Cup #1038

COMMUNION HYMN: Unless a Grain of Wheat #894

RECESSIONAL HYMN: There's a Wideness in God's Mercy #755

ADULT FAITH FORMATION CLASSES

This fall, Guardian Angel Cathedral will begin offering Faith Formation classes for adults to grow in and deepen their faith.

We will have Becoming Catholic (OCIA), pre-Baptismal catechesis for parents and godparents, and a springtime Adult Confirmation programs.

More information on these classes will be posted here, on our website, and on our social media at the end of July. To join our interest list, please visit:

www.GACLV.org/FaithFormation.



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NEWS UPDATE

- Starting Sunday, September 1, 2024, we are expanding our Mass times! We will have two weekday Masses at 9 AM and 12:10 PM. We will have two Saturday anticipated Masses at 2:30 PM and 4:30 PM. We will have four Sunday Masses at 7:30 AM, 9 AM, 11 AM, and 1 PM.
- With our expanded Mass schedule, we are in need of liturgical volunteers. If you are able to help as a lector, usher, or Extraordinary Minister even just once a month, please let us know by visiting our website or speaking with a staff member following Mass. Thank you!
- Adult Faith Formation classes begin in September. If you are interested in Becoming Catholic (OCIA), need pre-Baptismal classes as a parent/godparent, or you're a cradle Catholic looking for ongoing formation, please visit our website to sign-up! These classes are for adults (18+) only.

A LETTER FROM THE ARCHBISHOP

My Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

The annual second collection for Seminary and Clergy Education and Development takes place on the weekend of July 20 and 21. This collection helps offset the high costs of tuition, housing, and the education of our Seminarians. It also supplements the ongoing education of our priests.

Our Seminarians are studying at Mount Angel Seminary in Oregon, St. Mary of the Lake Seminary in Mundelein, Illinois, and St. John's Seminary in Camarillo, California.

This past May, I had the distinct honor to ordain our two newest Priests, Father "AJ" Sales and Father Michael Williams. As our new Archdiocese continues to grow, we are thankful for all our Priests and Seminarians, and those discerning the call to Priesthood in the Archdiocese of Las Vegas.

This summer, the Seminarians are engaged in on-site learning at our Parishes, Chancery office, Catholic Charities, and local hospitals. Others are learning Spanish in Mexico. These experiences embody Pope Francis' call for a Church that listens, discerns, and serves all, most especially those who are vulnerable or poor.

We are blessed in the Archdiocese of Las Vegas to have so many Priests who give entirely of themselves in their ministry among our people. Their commitment to the parishioners, their fidelity to the Gospel, and devotion to the teachings of the Second Vatican Council make our Presbyterate second to none.

Your generous support of this collection conveys your appreciation for our Seminarians and Priests. I thank you for your generosity and prayerful support.

Assuring you of my prayers, I remain

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Archbishop George Leo Thomas, Ph.D.
Archbishop of Las Vegas

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