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Monday - Friday | Lunes a Viernes

9:00 am – 5:00 pm
Lunch/ Almuerzo 12pm-1pm

Saturday & Sunday - Closed
Sábado & Domingo - Cerrado

1ST SUNDAY OF LENT | 1^{ER} DOMINGO DE CUARESMA



MARCH
9
DE MARZO
2025

The devil said to him, “All this will be yours, if you worship me.”
” Jesus said to him in reply, “It is written: You shall worship the Lord
your God and him alone shall you serve.” *Luke 4,6. 7-8*

El diablo le dijo: “Todo esto será tuyo si te arrodillas y me adoras”.
Jesús le respondió: “Esta escrito: Adoraras al Señor, tu Dios y a el solo
servirás”. –*Lucas 4,6. 7-8*

MASS TIMES & SITE | HORARIOS DE MISA Y TEMPLO

Our Lady of Knock (Site)

Templo de Nuestra Señora de Knock
501 163rd St., Calumet City, IL

Saturday Vigil Mass:

4:00 pm (English)

Sunday / Domingo

9:00 am (English) | 11:30 am (Español)

St. Andrew (Site) - Templo de San Andrés

768 Lincoln Ave., Calumet City, IL.

Sunday / Domingo

8:00 am (Español) | 10:00 am (English)

Weekday Mass / Misa de Semana

8:00 a.m. (English) @ St. Andrew site

9:00 a.m. (Español solo los Sábados)

CONFESSIONS | CONFESIONES

Our Lady of Knock Site / Nuestra Señora de Knock

Saturday -Sábado | 5:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Eucharistic Adoration: 1st & 2nd Thursdays of the month @ Our Lady of Knock @6pm | 3rd & 4th Thursdays of the month @ St. Andrew site @ 6pm.

Hora Santa: 1° & 2° Jueves de cada mes en el templo de Ntra. Sra Knock a las 6pm | 3° & 4° Jueves del mes en el templo de San Andrés a las 6pm.

In a few days, nature will show its splendor through the beginning of spring. The trees will sprout leaves and flowers. The color of life, green, will reappear. And this will remind us of the wonders that God performs to delight us with colors and aromas in our surroundings.

This reminds me of the time of Lent that we started last Ash Wednesday. The time of Lent commemorates the forty years that the people of Israel spent in the desert while they were on their way to the promised land, with all that this implied of fatigue, struggle, hunger, thirst and tiredness... but in the end the chosen people enjoyed that wonderful land, which dripped with honey and succulent fruits. Lent has always been a favorable time to convert and return to God the Father full of mercy, if we had distanced ourselves from Him, like that prodigal son who left his father's house and offended him with an unworthy and unrestrained life.

The means that God puts at our disposal to make our lives blossom again are a great hope, so that beautiful colors and aromas emerge from within us to make this world a more human, more dignified place, where human beings can live better and have a better relationship with God. Let us look closely at Christ during this Lent. Before beginning his saving mission, Jesus retreated to the desert for forty days and forty nights. There he lived his own Lent, praying to his Father, fasting... and then he went out into our world spreading his love, his compassion, his tenderness, his forgiveness. Blessings to all.


Fr. Francisco Luna

En unos pocos días, la naturaleza mostrara su esplendor por medio del inicio de la primavera. Los arboles rebrotaran en hojas y flores. El color de la vida, el verde, reaparecerá. Y esto nos va a recordar las maravillas que Dios realiza para deleitarnos con colores y aromas en nuestro entorno.

Esto me recuerda el tiempo de la Cuaresma que hemos iniciado ya el pasado miércoles de ceniza. El tiempo de la Cuaresma rememora los cuarenta años que el pueblo de Israel pasó en el desierto mientras se encaminaba hacia la tierra prometida, con todo lo que implicó de fatiga, lucha, hambre, sed y cansancio...pero al fin el pueblo elegido gozó de esa tierra maravillosa, que destilaba miel y frutos suculentos. La Cuaresma ha sido siempre un tiempo favorable para convertirnos y volver a Dios Padre lleno de misericordia, si es que nos hubiéramos alejado de Él, como aquel hijo pródigo que se fue de la casa del padre y le ofendió con una vida indigna y desenfrenada.

Son una gran esperanza los medios que Dios pone a nuestra disposición para hacer que nuestra vida florezca de nuevo, que los bellos colores y aromas surjan desde nuestro interior para hacer de este mundo, un lugar mas humano, mas digno, donde el ser humano pueda convivir mejor y tener una mejor relación con Dios. Miremos mucho a Cristo en esta Cuaresma. Antes de comenzar su misión salvadora Jesús se retira al desierto cuarenta días y cuarenta noches. Allí vivió su propia Cuaresma, orando a su Padre, ayunando... y después, salió por nuestro mundo repartiendo su amor, su compasión, su ternura, su perdón. Bendiciones para todos.

Pbro. Francisco Luna



STATIONS OF
THE CROSS

4:00 P.M. ENGLISH @
OUR LADY OF KNOCK SITE

6:00 P.M. ENGLISH @
ST. ANDREW SITE

ESTACIONES
DE LA CRUZ

7:00 P.M. ESPAÑOL
EN EL TEMPLO DE
NUESTRA SEÑORA DE KNOCK

Sunny Friends Club

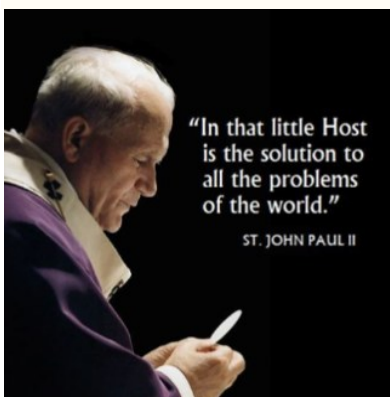
Jesus Shepherd of Souls Sunny Friends Club will meet on Wednesday, March 19th, 2025. Please mark your calendars. We will meet at 1:00 pm in the John Paul II room at St. Andrews site in the school building. Doors open at 12:30 pm.

We will be taking dues of \$8.00 for 2025-2026. We ask to please bring small bills or the exact amount. We will have a general meeting followed by at St Joseph table. We are asking if everyone could bring a dish to share.

Both men and women are invited for an enjoyable time with old friends and neighbors.

New members are welcome!!

Any questions, please call Janice @ 708.877.2816 or cell# 708.220.2803.



"In that little Host is the solution to all the problems of the world."
ST. JOHN PAUL II

"En esa pequeña Hostia está la solución a todos los problemas del mundo".
-San Juan Pablo II

This Lent...

Anchor your faith in Jesus



En esta Cuaresma

Ancla tu fe en Jesus

We thank everyone who came out, and bought tickets and ads for this year's Paczki Bal. The food was delicious, music was great, and reuniting with old friends and welcoming new ones.

We also give a big "thank you" to our volunteers who share their time and efforts to make these events a huge success. May God bless each one of you and we plan to see you at next year's Paczki Ball on Saturday, February 14th, 2026.

Agradecemos a todos los que vinieron y compraron boletos y anuncios para el Paczki Ball de este año. La comida estuvo deliciosa, la música excelente y pudimos reunirnos con viejos amigos.

También les damos las "gracias" a nuestros voluntarios que comparten su tiempo y esfuerzos para hacer este evento un gran éxito.

Que Dios los bendiga a cada uno de ustedes y planeamos verlos en el Paczki Ball del próximo año Sábado, 14 de Febrero de 2026.

thank you

Sesiones Matrimonial

Invitamos a todas aquellas parejas interesadas en mejorar su vida matrimonial.



Únete al grupo de matrimonios. Las reuniones son cada cuarto viernes del mes a las 7:00pm en el edificio de la Escuela en San Andrés.

Lent Questions

What is Lent?

Highlighted by fasting, prayer, and almsgiving, Lent is the penitential period and liturgical season that leads into the celebration of the Easter Triduum.

When did Lent start?

The observance of Lent as a 40-day time period began after the Council of Nicea in 325 A.D. but periods of fasting before Easter date back even earlier.

Who celebrates Lent?

Lent has traditionally been associated with the Catholic Church, but some Protestants, Orthodox Christians, and others also observe some form of Lent.

What is the purpose of Lent? What does it represent?

Lent begins with a visible, outward sign of ashes but aims toward inner conversion, helping us repent, avoid distractions, and focus on living the Gospel.

What should I give up for Lent?

Focus on sacrificing something meaningful that will help you draw closer to God. Better yet, focus on what you can take on: What small acts can you take on to manifest the love that God calls us to share?

Why don't Catholics eat meat on Fridays during Lent?

Abstaining from meat on Fridays during Lent is a sacrifice and a small act of self-discipline that dates back to the early Church. Fish Frys are popular on Fridays during Lent.

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday feature additional rules for fasting and abstinence. This is in stark contrast to the abundant feasts of Easter.

What is the color of Lent?

Violet (purple) is the color of Lent. On Laetare Sunday, priests will wear rose (pink) as a small break from the solemn purple and a reminder that Easter is drawing near. During Palm Sunday and Good Friday, priests wear red vestments.

The color of Easter is white.

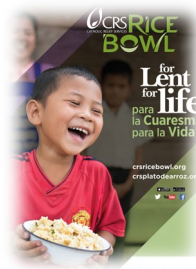
What prayers are said during Lent?

There are many ways to pray during Lent. In 2025, Hallow is once again offering the Pray40 Lent Challenge.

2nd Yr. Confirmation Parent Meeting Junta para Padres de 2º Año de Confirmación

There will be a **MANDATORY** parent meeting on March 19th at 6:00 p.m. in the St. Andrew Gym.

Habrà una junta **OBLIGATORIA** el 19 de Marzo a las 6:00 p.m. en el gimnasio.



Plato de Arroz es un programa anual de Cuaresma creado para que las parroquias, escuelas y familias se involucren en la solidaridad global, recaudando fondos para el trabajo internacional de CRS. CRS Plato de Arroz es mucho más que una simple herramienta para la limosna: es una forma de conectarse con la Iglesia

mundial. *Por favor llévese una cajita a casa y ayude con lo que pueda.*

CRS Rice Bowl is an annual Lenten program created for parishes, schools, and families to engage in global solidarity, raising funds for CRS' international work. CRS Rice Bowl is so much more than a simple tool for almsgiving — it is a way to connect with the worldwide Church. *Please take a box with you and help these families with what you can.*

Fortalece tu fe con la oración, el ayuno y la caridad, y viviendo en solidaridad con los pobres del mundo.

Strengthen your faith with prayer, fasting and charity, and by living in solidarity with the world's poor.

Fish Fry Fridays

Calumet Memorial American Legion Post 330
950 Legion Drive Calumet City, IL 60409 708-862-8685

Starting February 7th and Every Friday through Good Friday, April 18th, 2025

Dinners served from 4:00 pm – 7:00pm

Sit Down Service Or Order Ahead Pick Up Or Carry Out

Fish Fry Menu		Carry Out Service or Come in & Sit Down
Cod Dinner	\$ 13.00	<p style="color: white; font-weight: bold; font-size: 1.2em;">Call 708-862-8685 To Place Order</p> <p style="color: white; font-weight: bold; font-size: 1.2em;">Schedule your Pickup Come In Sit Down</p> <p style="color: white; font-weight: bold; font-size: 1.2em;">Best Deal in Town</p>
Shrimp Dinner	\$ 17.00	
Lake Perch Dinner	\$ 19.00	
Fisherman Platter	\$ 22.00	
Chicken Tenders	\$ 10.00	
<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; font-size: 0.8em;">All Dinners include: Entrée, Cole Slaw, French Fries, Roll & Butter</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 0.7em;">* Individual Entrees are 8 ounce portions before cooking</p>		

First Communion Parent Meeting Junta para Padres de 2º Año de Primera Comunion

There will be a **MANDATORY** parent meeting on March 12th at 6:00 p.m. in the St. Andrew Gym.

Habrà una junta **OBLIGATORIA** el 12 de Marzo a las 6:00 p.m. en el gimnasio de San Andrés.

Mass Intentions - Intenciones de Misa

Monday • March (10)

8:00 am

Tuesday • March (11)

8:00 am

Wednesday • March (12)

8:00 am

Thursday • March (13)

8:00 am

Friday • March (14)

8:00 am +Rogelio Ruiz

Saturday • Sábado, March (15) de Marzo

8:00 am -Leticia Nanista (for her Baptism)

9:00 am

4:00 pm +Eddie & Rose Peterson

+Walter & Helen Brajewski

Sunday • Domingo, March (16) de Marzo

8:00am +Jose de Jesus Fragoso +Jose Fragoso

+Margarita Fragoso +Natividad Valdez +Natia Valadez

+Luz Maria Gonzalez +Mario Melero +Leonor Melero

+Roxana Lesus +Socorro Garcia +David Herrera Herrera

9:00 am +Esther Lyczak +Genevieve Haney

+Michael Schoettle +Jeane Haney

10:00 am +Patricia Jurek +Philip Dziubczynski

11:30 am +Samuel Mota +Juan Francisco Mota

+Quirina Mota +Luis García

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

MININTROS DE LITURGIA

March 15th & 16th, 2025 | 16 de Marzo de 2025

Mass Time Misa	Lector Lectores
4:00pm	Chris Sosnowski
8:00 am	Rosa Martínez Estudiante de Confirmación
9:00 am	Nancy Gómez
10:00 am	Rosario Orozco
11:30 am	Alejandra Martínez Estudiante de Confirmación

PRAY FOR THOSE IN NEED OF HEALING

OREMOS POR LOS ENFERMOS



Tea A.	Raymond Jurek	Cynthia Ramírez
Marbella Barboza	Adam Kalemba	Amelia Rodríguez
Rosalio Covarrubias	Stefan Kovalcik	Pablo Rodríguez
Sebastián Delfin	Justina MDallaleh	Amy Smith
Manuel Estrada	Margie Michel	Adrián Salazar
Francisco Flores	Obdulia Neváre	Patricia Tomolson
Bob Graham	Chester Novak	Eleanore Tschuloss
Eve Greevers	Christine Nowak	Theresa Wilk
Gabriel Jiménez	Matthew Piekos	Thomas Wilk

SUNDAY OFFERTORY OFERTORIO DEL DOMINGO

	February 23	March 2
Envelopes	\$ 5,764.00	\$ 6,009.00
Loose	\$ 1,929.00	\$ 2,071.00
Mail Envelopes	\$ 407.00	\$ 460.00
Online Giving	\$ 114.58	\$ 114.58
TOTAL	\$ 8,214.58	\$ 8,654.58
Building & Maintenance	\$ 158.00	\$ 891.00
Community Needs	\$ 422.00	\$ 65.00
Emergency Energy	\$ 160.00	\$ 250.00
TOTAL	\$ 740.00	\$1,206.00
Budget	\$8,000.00	\$8,000.00
Collection	\$8,214.58	\$8,654.58
Short / Over	\$ 214.58	\$ 654.58

Thank You for Your Support!
Gracias Por Su Apoyo!



+Nila L. Kaptur
+Janey Cartwright

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.



Every Sunday in the St. Andrew School Gym

Cada Domingo en el gimnasio de la escuela de San Andrés.

From - De: 2pm - 3pm

If you are available and willing to help in this social service, please contact the office at 708.862.4165 for more information.

Si desea ayudar en este servicio social comunitario por favor de llamar a la oficina al (708) 862-4165.