



ST. LEONARD
CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

3318 Clarence Ave.
Berwyn, IL 60402
708-484-0015

December 26, 2021

Weekend Masses
Saturday 4:00 pm, Sunday 8:00 am, 10:00 am English 1:30 pm & 7:00 pm en Español
Weekday Masses
Monday-Friday 5:15 pm English & 7:00 pm Thursday/Jueves Spanish Mass/Misa en Español
Confessions/Confesiones
Fridays/Viernes 6:00pm-8:00pm
Saturdays/Sábados 8:30am-10:00am or by appointment / o por cita

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The Holy Family

OF JESUS, MARY, AND JOSEPH

After three days Jesus' parents found him in the temple,
sitting in the midst of the teachers,
listening to them and asking them questions.

Luke 2:46

The Holy Family *La Sagrada Familia*
of Jesus, Mary and Joseph *de Jesús, María y José*

Sunday, December 26

8:00 am & 10:00 am - English Mass

1:30 pm & 7:00 pm - Misa en Español

HOLY FAMILY OF NAZARETH, make our family one with you. Help us to be instruments of peace. Grant that love, strengthened by grace, may prove mightier than all the weaknesses and trials through which our families sometimes pass. May we always have God at the center of our hearts and homes until we are all one family, happy and at peace in our true home with you.

Amen.

<https://msf-america.org/holy-family-prayers/prayers-devoted-to-the-holy-family/the-holy-family-prayer>



Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
Solemnidad de María, Madre de Dios

New Year's Eve / Fin de Año

Friday, December 31, 2021

5:15 pm - English Mass

7:00 pm - Bilingual Mass/Misa en

Bilingüe

New Year's Day / Año Nuevo

Saturday, January 1, 2022

10:00 am - English Mass

12:00 pm - Misa en Español

4:00 pm - English Mass

*You crown the year with Your bounty, and
Your paths overflow with plenty.*

Psalm 65:11

*Tú has coronado el año con tus
bienes, y tus huellas destilan grosura.*

De Salmo 65:11



General Reconciliation hours expanded for
this week only

*Horas de Reconciliación General ampliadas solo
para esta semana*

Confessions / Confesiones

Friday - Viernes

12/31/2021

12:00pm - 7:00pm

Preparation for First Reconciliation Retreat & First Reconciliation/ Retiro de Primera Reconciliación & Primera Reconciliación

This retreat is for First Communion Candidates who are in their 2nd year of Family Faith Formation or preparing for sacraments through St. Leonard School.

Para los candidatos de primera comunión únicamente, que estén en su segundo año de catecismo, o en el 2do año en la escuela.

First Reconciliation Retreat / Retiro de Primera Reconciliación:

Saturday, January 8 /Sábado, 8 de enero

9am - 1:30pm

School Hall / Salón de la escuela



First Reconciliation Services/ Servicios de Reconciliación:

Last Names A-M / Apellidos A-M

Friday, January 14 /Viernes, 14 de enero

6:00pm

Church/Iglesia

Last Names N-Z / Apellidos N-Z

Friday, January 21 /Viernes, 21 de enero

6:00pm

Church/Iglesia

Empower
2022-2023
Reservation Night
January 12 at
6:30pm

Big Shoulders
2022-2023
Reservation (AM)
January 13 at
8:00am



ST. LEONARD
CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

A Catholic Education Can Be Affordable

You have an opportunity to send your child to St. Leonard School through Invest in Kids Tax Credit Scholarships. These scholarships are for students from low and middle income households in grades K-12 for the 2022-2023 school year.

Scholarship opportunities are being distributed by two Scholarship Granting Organizations (Empower Illinois and Big Shoulders) and can cover up to 100% of tuition and fees for the 2022-23 St. Leonard School year.

Thanks to these programs, St. Leonard School has been fortunate enough to have 20 students enroll and learn in a faith-filled environment, gaining knowledge, and building on their faith in Archdiocese of Chicago Catholic Schools.

If you are interested in this opportunity, please call Lauren DeLonjay, Marketing Coordinator at St. Leonard School to receive further instructions at (708-749-3666) or email at: ldelonjay@stleonardschool.org. You can also go to <https://schools.archchicago.org/tax-credit-scholarships> for more detailed information.

Usted tiene la oportunidad de inscribir a su hijo/a en la escuela de San Leonardo por parte de la Beca "Invest in Kids Tax Credit Scholarships". Esta beca es para familias con bajos y medianos ingresos que tengan hijos/as de la edad de Kinder - 12° grado para el año escolar de 2022-2023.

Dos organizaciones que otorgan becas ("Empower Illinois" y "Big Shoulders") están distribuyendo oportunidades de becas y pueden cubrir hasta el 100% de la colegiatura y honorarios para el año escolar 2022-2023 en San Leonardo.

Gracias a estos programas, la escuela de San Leonardo ha tenido la suerte de tener 20 estudiantes inscritos y aprendiendo en un ambiente lleno de fe, creciendo en sabiduría lo mismo que en su propia fe, en las Escuelas Católicas de la Arquidiócesis de Chicago.

Si usted desea aprovechar esta oportunidad, favor de llamar a Daisy Quevedo en la Rectoría de San Leonardo para recibir instrucciones adicionales al (708-484-0015) o por correo electrónico a: dquevedo@stleonard.org. También para obtener información más detallada puede ir a <https://schools.archchicago.org/tax-credit-scholarships>





ST. LEONARD CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

Make a Catholic Education at St. Leonard School Possible

By donating to a St. Leonard School Family a Catholic education can be affordable. Thanks to your generous donation, St. Leonard School will receive two dollars in matching funds between Dec 1, 2021 and Feb 28, 2022. The program will end when all matching funds have been depleted or on Feb 28, 2022, whichever comes first.

The Illinois "Invest in Kids" tax credit scholarship (TCS) Program awards scholarships to low income students who would like to attend St. Leonard School. The TCS is funded through generous donors, such as yourself. For a limited time, your donation can have a triple impact with the two-to-one matching gift program. You can also cut your tax liability - individuals may receive a credit for their Illinois state taxes equal to 75 percent of your donation.

DONATION PROCESS:

If you are a first-time donor, here is what you need to know about the first step of the donation process. If you have not activated an account with the Illinois Department of Revenue, you will need to request a LETTER ID.

PLEASE DESIGNATE THE DOLLAR AMOUNT TO ST. LEONARD SCHOOL.

Step 1

Log on to mytax.illinois.gov to REQUEST LETTER ID

- If you already have an account, enter your username and password to verify.
- If you do **not** have an account, scroll down to the "Individuals" box on the left.

Step 2

Click on "Request a Letter ID."

Step 3

Enter your Social Security Number and one of the following:

- IL-PIN
- Most recent adjusted gross income
- IL driver's license number
- IL state identification number

Click "Submit" and enter; confirm your email address; then click "OK" to submit and receive your confirmation. **You will receive your Letter ID in the mail** at the address on your last year's tax return within 7-10 business days. Call 312/534-2617 or email investinkids@archicago.org with questions.

THANK YOU!

These three simple steps (APPLY, DESIGNATE, AND EDUCATE) can make a difference in a child's life and will have a long-lasting, positive impact on our community because you have invested in Catholic Education!



Apply

Apply for a state tax credit with the Illinois Department of Revenue



Designate

Designate your donation to St. Leonard



Educate

Your donation makes it possible for students in need to receive their education at St. Leonard



Join the Immigration Ministry of the Office of Human Dignity and Solidarity as we pray, learn and discuss issues of migration in a respectful virtual environment. As missionary-disciples, we explore how we can respond to Christ’s call to give welcome. “I was a stranger and you welcomed me” (Matthew 25:35).

Each session includes prayer, a documentary viewing and moderated group discussion.

For more information, contact Mary Lou Matheke at mmatheke@archchicago.org.

Oh Mercy | Thursday, January 6 | 7 p.m. CST

In 2019 the US imposed a regulation requiring immigrants crossing the border to stay in Mexico until the date of their hearing. This is formally called the Migrant Protection Protocols but is best known as the “Stay in Mexico Policy.” This film shows the severe hardship suffered by the people affected by this policy. Join us after the film for discussion and Q&A with filmmaker Robert Bilheimer.

Ameen: A Portrait of Work and Faith | Wednesday, January 12 | 7 p.m. CST

Share the simple sincerity of Ameen, a humble Muslim man who integrates his faith and work seamlessly. Join us after the film for discussion and Q&A with filmmaker Cristian Murphy.

Terror and Hope: The Science of Resilience | Thursday, January 20 | 7 p.m. CST

Lessons of baseball and war. The effects of and healing from toxic stress in immigrants from war zones.

Diary of an Outsider | Thursday, January 27 | 7 p.m. CST

A dramatization of the pulls of culture on an immigrant living in Chicago

Holiday Rectory Office Hours
Horarios de la Oficina de Rectoría para los Días Festivos

Wednesday, December 22nd
Half Day / Medio dia
 8:00am - 12:00 pm

Thursday, December 23rd
Open / Abierto
 8:00 am - 7:30pm

Friday, December 24 - Sunday, January 2nd
Closed

Thank you
St. Leonard Parish

Our Lady of Charity Parish
 and Renew My Church
 Cordially invite you to attend an
Evening Gala
 Appreciation Dinner Dance
 Saturday, January 29, 2022

- family style dinner •open bar •raffles and DJ

for more information or to buy tickets please contact
 Nilsa Aguilera at nnievesaguilera@archchicago.org or (708) 652-8824
 Alejandro Aguilera at (708) 652-8824

Iglesia Nuestra Señora de la Carida
 y Reneva Mi Iglesia
 Cordialmente le invitan a que nos acompañe a la
Noche de Gala
 Cena Baile de Reconocimiento
 Sábado 29 de enero del 2022

- cena estilo familiar •barra abierta •rifas y DJ

Para más información favor de comunicarse con
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The Mayfield Banquet
 6072 S Archer Ave. Chicago, IL.
 6PM - 12AM

Mass Intentions *Intenciones de la Misa*

Sunday, December 26, 2021

- 8:00 am** For the people of St. Leonard
10:00 am Joseph Paternoster
 Renato (Ron) Turano +
 Barbara Kennedy Walsh +
1:30 pm Noe Vargas +
7:00 pm Por la Gente de San Leonardo

Tuesday, December 28

- 5:15 pm** Sofia Lopez +, & Maria del Carmen Lopez +
 Herbert Atanus +

Wednesday, December 29

- 5:15 pm** For the People of St. Leonard

Thursday, December 30

- 5:15 pm** Kenneth Geiger +

Friday, December 31

- 5:15 pm** The needs and the Intentions of the Iskali Community

Saturday, January 1

- 10:00 am** Paulina Fortuna +

Sunday, January 2

- 8:00 am** For the people of St. Leonard
10:00 am Iglinski, Saenz, Guleiva, & Tomanio Families
 Renato (Ron) Turano +
1:30 pm Noe Vargas +

If you would like to support our parish ministries with a donation, you could donate by using the parish envelopes, Pushpay, or text 1-833-846-8272 with the keyword "STLEONARD" and the amount you want to contribute. Every little bit helps! God bless you!

Thank you for your support!

<https://pushpay.com/g/stleonardcatholicchurch>

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o el texto 1-833-846-8272 con la palabra clave STLEONARD y la cantidad que desea contribuir. ¡Cada pedacito ayuda! ¡Dios te bendiga!

Gracias por su asistencia.



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