

# Saint Ita-Saint Thomas of Canterbury Catholic Church

March 10, 2019 • FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT



## ***Saint Ita***

55 North Broadway  
Chicago, IL 60640  
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### ***Mass Schedule***

#### ***Weekday Mass***

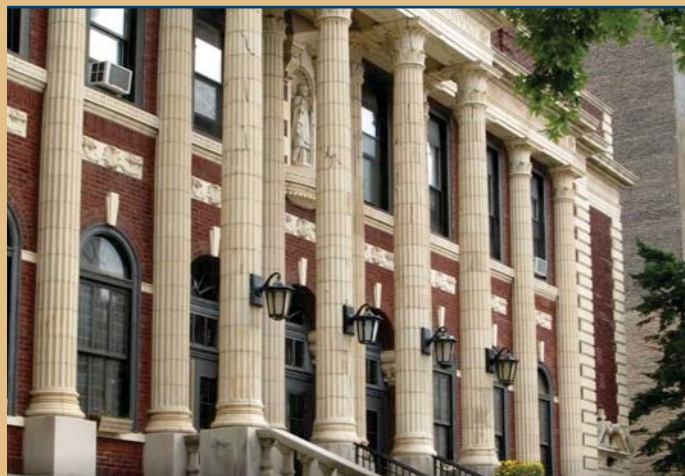
Monday-Saturday: 8:00 am  
Monday-Thursday: 5:30 pm

#### ***Sunday Mass***

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm  
Sunday: 8:30 am, 10:30 am  
12:30 pm (Spanish), 5:30 pm

#### ***Daily Confessions***

Monday-Saturday: 8:30 am  
Saturday-Sunday: 4:30 pm



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### ***Mass Schedule***

#### ***Weekday Mass***

Monday –Saturday at 8:00 am

#### ***Sunday Mass***

8:00 am Vietnamese/Laotian/English  
10:00 am English  
12:00 pm Spanish  
3:00 pm Eritrean (1st Sunday of the month)

#### ***Daily Confessions***

Monday -Saturday following the 8:00 am mass

## ***Upcoming Events***

**Saturday, March 9:** Movie Night Series • The Family Man (2000) • 7 pm in Jubilee Hall (SI)

**Sunday, March 10:** RICA • 10 am in the Rectory (SI)

**Tuesday, March 12:** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament : After the 8 am Mass concluding with Vespers and Benediction at 7 pm (STC) • Soup Kitchen Dinners: 5:30 pm to 6:30pm (STC) RICA • 7 pm in the Rectory (SI)

**Wednesday, March 13:** Young Adults Meeting • 7 pm in the Rectory (SI)

**Friday, March 15:** Lenten Devotions • 6 pm in the Church and in Jubilee Hall (SI)

**Saturday, March 16:** Ministers of Hospitality Formation • 9 am to 2 pm • STC

**Meet the Authors: “Reconnecting to Joy”** By Clemantine Wamariya • 7 pm in Jubilee Hall (SI)

## ***ST ITA-SAINT THOMAS OF CANTERBURY CATHOLIC CHURCH***

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### ***Conventual Franciscan Friars***

Fr. Robert Cook, OFM Conv., **Pastor**  
Fr. Simon Minyati, OFM Conv., **Associate Pastor**  
Fr. Arturo Felix, OFM Conv., **Associate Pastor**  
Bro. Ayub Mwenda, **OFM Conv., Pastoral Associate**  
Bro. Joe Schenk, OFM Conv., **STC Director of Outreach**  
Bro. Don Thielson, OFM Conv. **STC Soup Kitchen**  
Fr. Robert Melnick, OFM Conv., **In Residence**

### **Saint Thomas of Canterbury School • Ms. Christine Boyd, Principal**

5525 N Magnolia Ave. • Tel: (773)271-8655  
[www.stmarystthomas.org](http://www.stmarystthomas.org)

### ***Parish Staff***

**Deacon/Pastoral Associate** Rev. Mr. Jaime Ríos  
**Deacon** Rev. Mr. Tony Rodríguez  
**Deacon** Rev. Mr. Ronald B. Stricker  
**Pastoral Associate** Sister Mary Jeanne Hayes, SND de N  
**Director of Religious Education** Mr. Cándido Reyna  
**Director of Music** Mr. Dan Lagacy  
**Business Manager** (St. Ita) Mrs. Dorothy W. Julian  
**Business Manager** (Saint Thomas of Canterbury) Ms. Christine Pao  
**Temporary Director of the Soup Kitchen** Mr. Jim Eder  
**Food Pantry/Clothing Room Manager** Ms. Nancy Martínez

### ***St Thomas of Canterbury Outreach Ministries:***

**Soup Kitchen**—Tuesdays and Fridays at 5:30 pm  
**Food Pantry**— Tuesdays 9:30 am -12 noon  
**Clothing Room**—Thursdays 9:30 am—12 noon  
(Please call ahead)

*From the Friars**De los Frailes*

**Welcome to the new Parish Bulletin!** This new joint bulletin will continue to facilitate the creation of the Parish of Saint Ita-Saint Thomas of Canterbury on May 31, 2019—the Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary. We'd like to thank our two bulletin Editors María Pacheco (Ita) and Kitty Welter (STC) for their hard work in creating the new design and working out the logistics. It remains a work in progress as we continue to work out the kinks.

The bulletin's front page is a visual representation of our new reality—two church buildings in two locations under the banner of the new parish name. A parish is actually a geographic area. The boundaries of the new St. Ita-St. Thomas of Canterbury are Thorndale (North), Clark (West), Wilson (South), and Lake Michigan (East). In most cases, a parish has one church building-- our parish will have two.

The bulletin's two churches evoke Carl Bloch's painting "Visitation"—which we are using as a symbol of our unification. A print of Bloch's painting is now in both Churches, with the unification prayer translated in many of our new parish's languages: English, Spanish, Vietnamese, Polish, Lao, French, Tagalog and Burmese.

As we enter into this liminal period, it is natural to feel uncertainty about the future. Liminal periods are like being in a corridor between two doors. The door behind represents the place that we left. The door in front of us represents the place to where we are going.

Walking in the corridor between the doors can make us anxious. Still, the passage is made with the knowledge that the new door enters into a stronger, more vibrant parish, capable of even greater service of our Lord and His people.

**Saints Ita and Thomas of Canterbury, pray for us!**

**First Sunday of Lent  
March 10, 2019.**

"The Word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart"

**-Romans 10:8**

**¡Bienvenidos al nuevo Boletín Parroquial!** Este nuevo boletín conjunto continuará para facilitar la creación de la Parroquia Santa Ita-Santo Tomás de Canterbury el 31 de mayo, 2019—la Fiesta de la Visitación de la Santísima Virgen María. Nos gustaría agradecerles a nuestras dos Editoras de boletines María Pacheco (Ita) y Kitty Welter (STC) por su trabajo duro en la creación del nuevo diseño y trabajando la logística. Sigue siendo un trabajo en progreso mientras continuamos trabajando en los enlaces.

La portada del boletín es una representación visual de nuestra nueva realidad—dos edificios de iglesias en dos localizaciones bajo la bandera del nombre nuevo de la parroquia. Una parroquia es actualmente un área geográfica. Las fronteras de la nueva Santa Ita -Santo Tomás de Canterbury son Thorndale (Norte), Clark (Oeste), Wilson (Sur), y Lago Michigan (Este). En muchos casos, una parroquia tiene un edificio de la iglesia—nuestra parroquia tendrá dos.

Las dos iglesias del boletín evocan a Carl Bloch's pintando "Visitación"—que estamos utilizando como símbolo de nuestra unificación. Una impresión de la pintura de Bloch está ahora en ambas Iglesias, con la oración de unificación traducida en muchos de los nuevos idiomas de nuestra parroquia: inglés, español, vietnamita, polaco, lao, francés, tagalog y birmano.

Al entrar en este período liminal (período de transición), es natural sentir incertidumbre acerca del futuro. Los períodos liminales son como estar en un pasillo entre dos puertas. La puerta detrás representa el lugar que dejamos. La puerta en frente de nosotros representa el lugar al que vamos.

Caminar en el pasillo entre las puertas puede hacernos sentir ansiosos. Aún así, el pasaje se hace con el conocimiento de que la nueva puerta entra en una parroquia más fuerte y vibrante, capaz de un servicio más grande de nuestro Señor y Su pueblo.

**¡Santa Ita y Tomás de Canterbury, rueguen por nosotros!**

**Primer Domingo de Cuaresma  
10 de marzo del 2019.**

"Muy a tu alcance, en tu boca y en tu corazón se encuentra la salvación."

**-Romanos 10:8**

## LENTEN REGULATIONS



The season of Lent is a preparation for the celebration of Easter. It prepares the faithful who recall our baptismal commitment to follow Jesus.

By the three fold discipline of fasting, almsgiving and praying the church keeps Lent from Ash Wednesday until the evening of Holy Thursday. All of the faithful should undertake serious practice of these three disciplines.

During Lent, generosity to local, national and world programs of sharing of all things is a means of implementing the right of the poor to meet their needs.

**Abstinence** from meat is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years old or older on Ash Wednesday and on **all** the Fridays of Lent. **Fasting** is to be observed on Ash Wednesday by all Catholics who are 18 years of age but not yet 59. Those who are bound by this may take only one full meal. Two smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to one's needs, but eating **solid foods between meals is not permitted**. The special Paschal fast and abstinence are prescribed for Good Friday and encouraged for Holy Saturday.

## REGULACIONES CUARESMALES

La temporada de cuaresma es una preparación para la celebración de la Pascua. Prepara a los fieles para que recuerden su bautismo y para que hagan penitencia en preparación para la Pascua.

Por la triple disciplina de ayuno, caridad y oración la Iglesia mantiene la Cuaresma desde el Miércoles de Ceniza hasta la noche del Jueves Santo. Todos los fieles deben comprometerse a practicar seriamente estas tres disciplinas espirituales.

Durante la Cuaresma, la generosidad para los programas locales, nacionales y mundiales para compartir todas las cosas es un medio de implementar el derecho del pobre para cubrir sus necesidades.

Todo Católico de al menos 14 años de edad debe observar **abstinencia** de cualquier clase de carne el Miércoles de Ceniza y **todos** los Viernes de Cuaresma. Todo Católico entre 18 y 59 años debe ayunar el Miércoles de Ceniza. Los que estén en este grupo solo deben tener una comida completa. Se permiten dos comidas pequeñas para mantener las fuerzas de acuerdo a como sean sus necesidades, **pero no se permite comer entre horas**. Se prescribe ayuno pascual y abstinencia para el Viernes Santo y se recomienda para el Sábado Santo.



## St Thomas of Canterbury and St. Mary of the Lake STUDENT ART SHOW 2019

*Please join us as we appreciate student artwork created throughout the 2018/2019 school year.*

**Thursday, March 14th  
2:45 pm to 6:00 pm**

**Jubilee Hall (St. Ita)  
1220 W Catalpa, Chicago, IL 60640**

## PUERI CANTORES CHOIR FESTIVAL 2019

On Saturday February 23, seven of our children's choir members participated in a Pueri Cantores Choir Festival at Holy Name Cathedral. Pueri Cantores is an International nonprofit and is the official student choral organization in the Catholic Church. Over 250 children came to rehearse together, with guest conductor, Dr. Steven Seigart, Director of Music at the Church of Saint Joseph in Bronxville, NY, and sing for the evening Mass at the Cathedral. It was an extraordinary event and we are most proud of those who participated. **Congratulations!**

El sábado 23 de febrero, siete de los miembros de nuestro coro de niños participaron en un Festival de Coros Pueri Cantores en la Catedral de Holy Name. Pueri Cantores es una organización internacional sin fines de lucro y es la organización coral oficial de estudiantes en la Iglesia Católica. Mas de 250 niños vinieron a ensayar juntos, con la directora invitada, Dr. Steven Seigart, Director de Música de la Iglesia de San José in Bronxville, NY, y cantaban para la Misa vespertina en la Catedral. Fue un evento extraordinario y estamos muy orgullosos de los que participaron. **¡Felicitaciones!**



Pueri Cantores Choir Festival participants at Holy Name Cathedral.



**Front Row;** Children Choir (St. Ita) **Second Row:** Dr. Steven Seigart (Guest Conductor), Dan Lagacy (Music Director, St Ita), Josephine Layout (Assistant Music Director, St Ita)

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT on  
Tuesdays at Saint Thomas of Canterbury**



Beginning Tuesday (March 12), The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed after the 8 am Mass through the entire day and concluding with Benediction and Vespers at 7 pm. To volunteer for a weekly hour of adoration, please contact;

**Brother Ayub Mweda, OFM Conv**  
**brotherayub@saintita.org**                      773-561-5343  
**Cecilia Perez**  
**Ssvdp.cecilia@gmail.com**                      773-828-2104

**THE SAINT THOMAS OF CANTERBURY  
SOUP KITCHEN IS LOOKING FOR  
VOLUNTEERS**

**LA COCINA DE SOPA DE SANTO TOMÁS DE  
CANTERBURY ESTÁ BUSCANDO VOLUNTARIOS**



The St. Thomas of Canterbury Soup Kitchen **is always in need of volunteers!** You can volunteer at the soup kitchen on **Tuesdays and Fridays at 3:30 pm.** Dinners are served every Tuesday and Friday (5:30 pm to 6:30 pm). Parking is available.

La cocina de **Santo Tomás of Canterbury** siempre **necesita voluntarios!** Usted puede ayudar en la **Cocina de Sopa los martes y los jueves a las 3:30 pm.** Las cenas se sirven los martes y los viernes (5:30 pm –6:30 pm). Estacionamiento disponible.

Please contact /Por favor póngase en contacto con  
**Bro. Joe Schenk, OFM Conv., Director of Outreach/  
 Director del Ministerio de Asistencia Comunitaria.**  
 Telephone: 773-878-5507.  
 Email: [stcsoup@yahoo.com](mailto:stcsoup@yahoo.com)

**ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO  
MINISTERS FORMATION AT STC  
FORMACIÓN DE MINISTROS EN STC**

**Minister of Hospitality (In Spanish)**  
**March 16, 2019 • 9 am to 2 pm • Lunch included**  
**Ministro de Hospitalidad (En Español)**  
**16 de Marzo del 2019 • Almuerzo incluido**

**If you are interested please call the rectory/ Si está interesado por favor llame a la rectoría • at 773-561-5343**

**LENTEN EVENTS**



Stations of the Cross



Soup Supper



Taizé Prayer

During Lent on Friday we will have our Prayer/Soup Suppers. This will begin on Friday, March 8, and continue until Friday, April 12. The evening will begin with **Stations of the Cross at 6:00 pm followed by a simple soup supper at 6:45 pm and ending with Taizé prayer at 7:15 pm.**

Each week we need volunteers to prepare soup, lead the stations, to read and to sing/play for Taizé prayer. **There are sign-up sheets for this in the sacristy. Those wishing to take part musically or read for Taizé prayer should contact Dan Lagacy at the rectory (773)561-5343.**

**EVENTOS DE CUARESMA**

Cada Viernes durante la Cuaresma tendremos nuestras comidas Oración/Sopa. Estas comenzarán el Viernes, 15 de Marzo y continuarán hasta el Viernes, 12 de Abril. **La tarde comenzará con el Via Crucis a las 6:00 pm seguido de una cena simple de sopa a las 6:45 pm y terminará con la oración Taizé a las 7:15 pm.**

Necesitamos voluntarios cada semana para guiar las oraciones, preparar sopa, y cantar/tocar un instrumento. **Hay hojas en la sacristía para firmar para esto. Aquellos que quieran tomar parte leyendo o musicalmente por favor contacte a Dan Lagacy en la rectoría (773)561-5343.**

**RICE BOWL DONATIONS**



Each year during Lent we have the opportunity to collect donations for Operation Rice Bowl. Materials have been placed in the rear of church. We encourage you to take a Rice Bowl and put your donations into it during Lent. Just before or after Easter the money can be returned to the parish either by returning the Rice Bowl or putting the money collected into an envelope and returning the donation in that manner. Thank you for your donation.

## ***MASS INTENTIONS***



### **Saturday, March 9 • Blessed Virgin Mary**

#### **Saint Ita:**

5:30 pm † Jacobe Ton That Luan • Millie Williams (Good Health) • Rosemarie Cataluna

### **Sunday, March 10 • First Sunday of Lent • Rite of Election • Rite of Calling the Candidates to Continuing Conversion • Rite of Sending • Daylight Saving Time begins.**

#### **Saint Ita:**

8:30 am † Moira Tobin Wickes • † Amovin Family (Thanksgiving)

10:30 am † Lisa Ickes • † Maureen Clancy • † Natividad Quiriz

12:30 pm † Vicenta Rentería • † Alejandro Lopez

5:30 pm † Millie Cwiak • † Janet P. Salerno • † Josette Behrend-Harris • † Blanche Sorokie

#### **Saint Thomas Of Canterbury:**

8:00 am

10:00 am † Arnold H Nelson

12:00 pm The Saint Thomas of Canterbury Parish Community.

### **Monday, March 11 • Julian Calendar Lent begins • Saint John Ogilvie**

#### **Saint Ita:**

8:00 am For those suffering from Addictions.

5:30 pm † Maureen Clancy

#### **Saint Thomas of Canterbury:**

8:00

### **Tuesday, March 12 • Blessed Angela Salawa**

#### **Saint Ita:**

8:00 am † Maureen Clancy

5:30 am † Amaury & Ann Tiglao • † Laureano & Adoracion Cataluna Family

#### **Saint Thomas of Canterbury:**

8:00 am

### **Wednesday, March 13 • Saint Leander of Seville**

#### **Saint Ita:**

8:00 am For Protection of the Environment.

5:30 pm † Maureen Clancy

#### **Saint Thomas of Canterbury:**

8:00 am

### **Thursday, March 14 • Saint Maximilian**

#### **Saint Ita:**

8:00 am † Paul Simatovich

5:30 pm † Rosario \$ Ruth Centeno

#### **Saint Thomas of Canterbury:**

8:00 am

### **Friday, March 15 • Saint Louise de Marillac • Abstinence**

#### **Saint Ita:**

8:00 am For unity in the Church .

#### **Saint Thomas of Canterbury:**

8:00 am All Souls

### **Saturday, March 16 • Saint Clement Mary**

#### **Saint Ita:**

8:00 am For the students and staff of St. Ita's CCD program

#### **Saint Thomas of Canterbury:**

8:00 am All Souls

## ***Sacraments/Sacramentos***

**Baptism:** We celebrate baptism on the 4th Saturday of the month. English Baptism at 10:30 am. Spanish Baptism at 11:30 AM. You must register your child for baptism and parents and godparents are asked to attend a preparation class. Please contact the rectory for further information.

**Bautismo:** Celebramos Bautismos el cuarto sábado del mes. En inglés a las 10:30 Aam. En español a las 11:30 am .Usted debe registrar a su niño/a para el bautismo. Los padres y los padrinos deben asistir a una clase de preparación. Por favor contacte la rectoría para más información.

**Matrimony:** Please come to the parish office on any Monday between 4:30 pm and 7:00 pm **at least six to nine months prior** to the desired date.

**Matrimonio:** Favor de pasar por la oficina parroquial cualquier lunes de las 4:30 pm a las 7 pm **por lo menos de seis a nueve meses antes** de la fecha deseada para la boda.

**Anointing of the Sick:** First Friday of the month after the 8 am Mass ( both churches ) or by appointment.

**Unción de los enfermos:** El primer Viernes del mes, después de la Misa de las 8:00 am (en ambas Iglesias) o llamen a la rectoría para hacer una cita.

## ***Devotions***

### ***Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:***

1. Monday to Thursday at 5:00 pm (with Vespers) (Saint Ita)
2. Saturday Benediction following 8:30 am (Saint Ita)
3. Tuesday All Day Adoration (9:00 am to 7 pm) concluding with Benediction (Saint Thomas of Canterbury)
4. Spanish Holy Hour (Hora Santa): Third Thursday (3er jueves), 7:00 pm (Saint Ita)
5. Taize Holy hour with Immigrants and Refugees: 4th Thursday 7:00 pm (Saint Ita)



### ***Daily Devotions:***

Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet after Mass (Saint Ita and Saint Thomas of Canterbury)

Holy Face Devotions: Monday after Mass (Saint Ita)

Saint Anthony Devotions: Tuesdays after Mass (Saint Ita)

Our Lady of Sorrows Devotions: Fridays after Mass (Saint Ita)

Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help: Wednesdays at 8:30 am (Saint Thomas of Canterbury)



## ***Please Pray For***

### ***Saint Ita:***

Antonio & Hilda Aznares • Ken Bondy • Betty Bonilla • Dean A. Brazrer • Cheryl A. Briscoe • Margarita Castrejón • Delia Castrejón • Henry Cornille • Ann Marie Cunningham • Al Dela Cruz • Mary Dickson • Don Edgren • Jennie M. Esteban • Kay Fitzgerald • Mary Rose Fitzgerald • Consuelo García • Jackie García • Pauline Hackley • Robert Higgins • Estelle Hough • Linda Hensley • Diane Jessee • Pat Jones • SN John F. Kryl Jr. • Denise T. Lawson • Cristobal Lopez • Milagros Lopez • Mark Lewis • Maria Martinez • Luis Mondragón • Gerry Mulherin • Kay McDonagh • Sir Peter Ngaonye • Emmanuel Olorade • Adeyemi Omidiran • Isaac Osobú • Clarence Parker • Patty Pater • Ed Patryn • Diana Peoples • Theresa Portis • Nancy Quintano • Pastor Roger Tineus Planter • Shane Picart • Amuzat Popoola • Zophia Rachwal • Eng.. Shabi Rasheed • Victor Rhyce • Ellie Sassana • The Shanle Family • Isa Sixto • William Sokolowski • Stephanie Stark • Zach Stark • Leyla Summers • Larry Treiber.

### ***Saint Thomas of Canterbury:***

Mario Avila • Naomi Brown • Casey & Tyler Callahan • Michael Comer • Guillermo & Gloria Cortez • Jesus Dacuma • Frank Delgado • Mary Lou D. • Ernesto Duarte • Ramon Frutos • Jene & Juanita García • Josh García • Silver Afonso Guzman • Arceli Karanuskas • Brenda Kay & Damily • Mary Rose & Ann Leonard • Alice Lopez • Fernie & Elean Payan • Rosie Payan • Isabel Perez • Kristy Rincu • Patricia Rollins • Auggie Sanchez.


## COLLECTION February 23, 24, 2019

| <i>Saint Ita</i>   |              |
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| <b>Saturday 5:30 pm</b>  | 867.50       |
| <b>Sunday 8:00 am</b>  | 581.25       |
| <b>Sunday 10:30 a.m.</b>   | 1,528.65     |
| <b>Sunday 12:30 p.m.</b>   | 940.47       |
| <b>Sunday 5:30 p.m.</b>  | 710.65       |
| <b>Received by mail:</b>   | 589.51       |
| <b>Total:</b>  | \$5,218.03   |
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| <b>Catholic Education:</b>   | \$ 1,283.05  |
| <b>Average weekly Expenses<br/>Through 12/31/2018</b>  | \$ 15,257.01 |
| <br>   |              |
| <p><i>"Total" does not include contributions made electronically through GiveCentral or extraordinary contributions which offset, but do not eliminate, the weekly operating loss.</i></p> |              |

| <i>Saint Thomas of Canterbury</i>  |             |              |                   |
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|  | <b>Week</b> | <b>Month</b> | <b>Fiscal YTD</b> |
| <b>2/24/2019</b>   | \$996       | \$4,924      | \$55,032          |
| <b>ACA Pledges</b>   | \$3,618     |              | \$4,133           |
| <b>ACA Payments</b>  | \$1,463     |              | \$1,728           |
| <b>YTD Budget</b>  | \$1,600     | \$6,400      | \$59,000          |
| <b>2/25/2018</b>   | \$1,117     | \$5,379      | \$57,311          |
| <p>Food Collection for our Food Pantry:<br/> <b>Sunday March 10th.</b> We need the following items: coffee, creamer, sugar, oil and mayonnaise</p> <p>Colecta para nuestra despensa de alimentos:<br/> <b>El domingo, 10 de Marzo.</b> Necesitamos lo siguiente: café, crema, azúcar, aceite y mayonesa.</p> |             |              |                   |

**Today's Second Collection will be for The Church in Central and Eastern Europe.  
Thank you for your generosity! / ¡Gracias por su generosidad!**

| <i>Readings for the Week/ Lecturas Semanales</i> |  |
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| Monday:<br>Lunes                                 | Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19:8-10, 15;<br>Mt 25:31-46   |
| Tuesday:<br>Martes                               | Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-7, 16-19;<br>Mt 6:7-15  |
| Wednesday:<br>Miercoles                          | Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19;<br>Lk 11:29-32                                      |
| Thursday:<br>Jueves                              | Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-3,<br>7c-8; Mt 7:7-12                                   |
| Friday:<br>Viernes                               | 1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4-6;<br>Mt 16:13-19  |
| Saturday:<br>Sabado                              | Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8;<br>Mt 5:43-48   |
| Sunday:<br>Domingo                               | Gn 15:5-12, 17-18; Ps 27:1, 7-9, 13-<br>14; Phil 3:17 — 4:1 [3:20 — 4:1];<br>Lk 9:28b-36 |




We pray for the eternal rest of  
**Mario Flores**  
**Marcelina Alvarez**

Please pray for them and their families.  
 May they rest in peace.

"Prayer is not asking. Prayer is putting oneself in the hands of God, at this disposition, and listening to his voice in the depths of our hearts."  
**-Mother Teresa of Calcutta**






**ST. ITA CATHOLIC CHURCH  
PRESENTS**

Author, Story teller and Human Rights Advocate

**Clemantine Wamariya**

'RECONNECTING TO JOY'



Saturday 16th  
March 7pm

Free Admission

Join Clemantine as she inspires others with her story of survival and perseverance despite the odds.

"The Girl Who Smiled Beads is Clemantine's story about war and what comes after. During the mass killing of 1994 in Rwanda, young Clemantine and her oldest sister fled and lived in refugee camps in seven African countries before receiving refugee status in the U.S. in 2000"

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**LENT SCHEDULE**

**Saint Ita**


**Friday Lenten Devotions**  
March 8, 15, 22, 29 and April 5\*, 12

6:00 pm Stations  
6:45 pm Soup Supper  
7:15 pm Taize Prayer

**\*April 5\***

6:00 pm Stations  
7:00 pm First Friday Mass

**The Penance Service**  
Monday, April 8, at 7:00 pm



**Saint Thomas of Canterbury**

**Tuesdays**

8 am mass followed by Exposition and All-day Adoration (please enter through the rectory after Mass)

3:30 pm Volunteer at Soup Kitchen  
7 pm Vespers and Benediction

**Fridays**

3:30 pm volunteer at Soup Kitchen  
7 pm Via Crucis



**SAINT ITA CATHOLIC CHURCH PRESENTS**

**MOVIE NIGHT SERIES:**

**"RELATIONSHIPS: FEELING THE VOID?"**

Join Father Arturo Felix on SATURDAYS during Lent for a movie night in which we will search for spiritual themes in popular movies

**MARCH 9, 2019**

**THE FAMILY MAN (2000)**

A fast-lane investment broker, offered the opportunity to see how the other half lives, wakes up to find that his sport car and girlfriend have become a mini-van and wife.

Rated: PG13 (viewer discretion is advised)

**MARCH 30, 2019**



**AMERICAN CONSERVATORY THEATRE'S "THE TAMING OF THE SHREW"**

William Shakespeare's bawdy comedy about two unmarried daughters of a wealthy Italian merchant.

Presenter: Bishop Mark Bartolic. Ordained priest in 1994 and a bishop in 2018. Bishop Bartolic pursued a career in acting before the seminary. Since last year, he has been the Episcopal Vicar for St Ita's Vicariate.

**APRIL 6, 2019**



**TONY AND JANINA'S AMERICAN WEDDING: A DEPORTATION LOVE STORY**

Ruth Leitman's award winning documentary on the struggle of a Chicago family divided by immigration laws.

Presenter: Attorney Royal Berg, nationally recognized immigration lawyer and attorney for Janina Waslewski in her deportation case.

**APRIL 13, 2019**

**HER (2013)**

In a near future, a lonely writer develops an unlikely relation with an operating system designed to meet his every need.

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