

**August 12th 2018**  
**19th Sunday in**  
**Ordinary Time**

1843 West 52nd Avenue  
Denver, CO 80221  
Phone: 303-433-8361

**Guardian Angels Prayer**

*Angel of God, my Guardian dear, to whom God's love commits me here; ever this day, be at my side, to light and guard, to rule and guide. Amen*

**Fax: 303-477-2066**

**OFFICE HOURS**

**Mon, Tue, Thu 8AM-3PM;**  
**Wed 8-11AM**

**Pastoral Staff:**

**Pastor:**

Rev. Daniel Zimmerschied

**Deacon:** Gary Miller

**Parish Secretary:** Pat Barriga

**School Principal:**

Mary Gold

**School Secretary:**

Diane Romero

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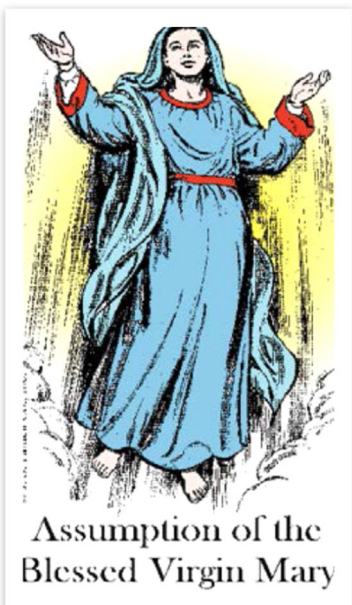
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# Guardian Angels Catholic Church

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**Masses:**

Saturday: 4:00 PM  
Sunday: 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM  
Weekdays: Monday - Thursday 7:30 AM Friday 7:30 AM = June-August;  
9:00 AM = September-May

Holy Days: See Bulletin for Schedule

**Shopping Certificates:**

Reloadable Certificates available at the Parish Office

**Confession Hours:**

Saturday: 3:00 – 3:30 PM and by Appointment  
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: 7:00 -- 7:30 AM

**Baptism:**

Preparation classes are scheduled the **last Saturday** of the month 9:00-11:00 AM. Parents and/or God parents are expected to be registered members of this parish and attend the Preparation Class. Please call the Parish Office at 303-433-8361.

**Marriages:**

Contact the parish office nine months prior to the marriage date. One of the parties must be a registered member of our parish for at least one year. Both must participate in the Marriage Preparation Program.

**Sacrament to the Sick:**

In case of serious illness or deaths in the family, contact the parish office immediately. Do not wait until death is imminent.

**R.C.I.A.** For the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, please contact Deacon Miller at 303-514-7950.

## Daily Mass Intentions - August 11th - Aug 19th

SAT 11 4:00 pm Brinkerhoff Family † (Maxine Kestel)  
SUN 12 8:30 am For the People of the Parish  
SUN 12 11:00 am Rose Larusso † (Louise DeBell)  
MON 13 7:30 am May Alberta Martinez †  
(Bob, Sylvia & Amber)  
TUE 14 7:30 am Barriga Rodriguez Family (Pat Barriga)  
TUE 14 6:00 pm Lucy Santistevan † (Ruth Santistevan)  
WED 15 7:30 am John Prunk † (Loyce & Marilyn Malleck)  
WED 15 6:00 pm For the People of the Parish  
THU 16 7:30 am Antonio Maria Sandoval †  
(Joe & Linda Sandoval)  
FRI 17 7:30 am Rose Larusso † (Ronald & Alice Nichol)  
SAT 18 4:00 pm Marcos Romero † (Virginia McClerkin)  
SUN 19 8:30 am For the People of the Parish  
SUN 19 11:00 am Catherine Olguin & Mathew Naranjo †  
(JoAnn Naranjo)

## The Story & You—19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

What happened to Elijah after the angel sustained him with food and drink in the desert? We know that he then walked forty days and nights and arrived at Horeb in the desert. If you're thinking this all sounds familiar, good for you. Elijah—the precursor of John the Baptist, for those who have ears to hear—is desperate to escape Queen Jezebel and King Ahab, and all their empty works, and all their empty promises. So where does he wander? Right smack to the very spot where God appeared to Moses and the Israelites four hundred years earlier.

Jesus had the same sense of sacred geography. Immediately after his baptism he went straight to the Judean desert to do battle with the Prince of Lies. Elijah's battle with the evil monarchy of his day might have been on his mind during his own forty days of struggle and Divine consolation.

So, where is your sacred place? Where is your point of rendezvous? Where is the place your car automatically goes to when you aren't paying attention? Pay attention. That's God, speaking to you in that deep center where astonishment and truth reside.

r maybe you've forgotten where to go to connect with God. That is SO easy to do, isn't it? The internet is so addicting.

Well, consider this: when he was struggling to face his inevitable death in Jerusalem, Jesus led Peter, James and John to another deserted place. And who showed up? Moses and Elijah. The great heroes of the past appeared to Jesus on that mountain. All three of them spent their lives rendezvousing with the Father in quiet places. They knew just where to find each other.

*Where is your sacred place of rendezvous with God?*

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**If you:** feel alone; are frustrated or angry with each other; argue, or have stopped talking to each other; and talking about it only make it worse? Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) helps couples through difficult times in their marriage. This program has helped 10's of 100's of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage. For confidential information about, or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on **September 7-9, 2018**, email us: [retrouvaille.co@gmail.com](mailto:retrouvaille.co@gmail.com), or visit

<b>Offertory for:</b>	<b>8/5/18</b>
<b>Offertory:</b>	<b>2,619.85</b>
<b>Maintenance:</b>	<b>590.00</b>
<b>Children's Collection</b>	<b>310.74</b>

Thank you for using your offertory envelopes, & thank you for **writing the amount of your donation in your envelope.**

**Guardian Angels School** is pleased to inform you that there are **NOT MANY OPENINGS LEFT!!!** Please contact the School Office ASAP at 303-480-9005; you may leave a message and we will call you back as soon as possible. Thank you! Have a blessed Summer!

Father Ron Cattany is looking for financial assistance to add a handicap access for the East Ramp Door at the Cathedral Basilica of the Immaculate Conception. "The cost of this ramp amounts to \$50,000," explained Father Ron, who as pastor and rector is overseeing the final phase of the Cathedral's two-year restoration project. Will you help? The Cathedral is a beautiful source of healing and comfort for many of our faithful who struggle with physical disabilities. To contribute to the Cathedral Basilica's fund, please contact Deacon Steve Stemper or Jean Finegan at The Catholic Foundation at 303-867-0613.

*St. John Vianney*  
*patron of parish priests, pray for us!*  
*Feast Day - August 4th*

I love You, O my God,  
and my only desire is to love You  
until the last breath of my life.  
I love You, O my infinitely lovable God,  
and I would rather die loving You,  
than live without loving You.  
I love You, Lord and the only grace I ask  
is to love You eternally...  
My God, if my tongue cannot say  
in every moment that I love You,  
I want my heart to repeat it to You  
as often as I draw breath.

In the Roman Catholic tradition, the pilgrimage, like any procession, is a symbol of life's journey distilled, and a sign of our journey toward a certain goal. The perils of the road, the support of companions, have the potential to transform and renew the pilgrims in ways that last a lifetime. The distinctions between rich and poor fall away, and everyone shares humble rustic food and stops for the night in hostels or under the stars. The experience of entering through the great doors into the vast cathedral filled with incense, light, & song is a foretaste of heaven, like swirling clouds of sweet-smelling incense around the vast nave.

**STRENGTHENED BY THE BREAD OF LIFE**

Today we resume the “Bread of Life” discourse from John’s Gospel that began two weeks ago. He makes reference to the Jews’ ancestors who ate manna in the desert. These days we would think primarily of Israel wandering in the desert, but faithful Jews would also have known the story of Elijah that we hear today. Strengthened by food and drink in the desert, the angel of the Lord sends him on his forty-day and forty-night journey (the biblical number for a preparation time). Like the food given to Elijah in the desert, Jesus tells his listeners that he is bread for the life of the world. It is very important that we not stop listening to Jesus after his promise of eternal life—a marvelous promise, but this “reward” is not the only reason we feast on the Bread of Life. We also come to the table to be made strong for the journey of mission, that the whole world might have life in the fullness of Christ. We are compelled, if we have eaten of the bread of life, to go forth in service to all.

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**TODAY’S READINGS**

**First Reading** — Elijah looked and there at his head was a hearth cake and a jug of water (1 Kings 19:4-8).  
**Psalm** — Taste and see the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 34).  
**Second Reading** — Be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love (Ephesians 4:30 — 5:2).  
**Gospel** — Jesus said, “I am the living bread; whoever eats this bread will live forever” (John 6:41-51).

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**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday:** Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Mt 17:22-27  
**Tuesday:** Ez 2:8 — 3:4; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14  
**Wednesday:** Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14  
 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28  
 Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56  
**Thursday:** Ez 12:1-12; Ps 78:56-59, 61-62; Mt 18:21 — 19:1  
**Friday:** Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Mt 19:3-12  
**Saturday:** Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 19:13-15  
**Sunday:** Prv 9:1-6; Ps 34:2-7; Eph 5:15-20; Jn 6:51-58

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

**Sunday:** Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
**Monday:** Ss. Pontian and Hippolytus  
**Tuesday:** St. Maximilian Kolbe  
**Wednesday:** The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
**Thursday:** St. Stephen of Hungary  
**Saturday:** Blessed Virgin Mary

**ARCHDIOCESE OF DENVER — FALL EVENTS**

EQUIPP for Youth Ministers, August 9, JP II Center  
 Catechist Retreat, August 25, JP II Center  
 Millennial Church Conference, Sept. 19, JP II Ctr  
 Encounter Retreat, Sep –29, St. Vincent de Paul

**ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK OF 8/11/18-8/19/18**

**SATURDAY:** 3:00 PM - Confessions  
 4:00 PM Mass  
**SUNDAY:** 8:30 AM Mass  
 11:00 AM Mass  
**MONDAY:** 7:30 AM Mass  
**TUESDAY:** 7:30 AM Mass  
 6:00 PM Mass Vigil of the Assumption  
**WEDNESDAY:** 7:30 AM Mass Assumption of Mary  
 6:00 PM Mass Assumption of Mary  
**THURSDAY:** 7:30 AM Mass  
**FRIDAY:** 7:30 AM Mass  
**SATURDAY:** 3:00 PM Confessions  
 4:00 PM Mass  
**SUNDAY:** 8:30 AM Mass  
 11:00 AM Mass

**Let us pray for the sick:** Especially for Al Espinoza, Joseph Archuleta, Denise Romero, Yvonne Paiz, Esperanza Marquez, Rita Munoz, Mary Martinez, Pedro Olivas, Mary Gomez, Rosa Maria Santos, Mary Medina, Jeannette Southwick, Paul Andrade, Jim & Betty Jacobs, Robert Mondragon, Stephanie Casillas, Nora Federico, Michelle Bogossian, Greg & Debbie Acosta, Amber Acosta, Melinda Angel, Hope Martinez, Daniel Hernandez, Theresa Gussoni, Francisco Gallardo, Fred Martinez, Patrick Gonzales, Pat Carabetta, Rueben Zuniga, Lena Saccommano, Jacob Schilling, Elsie Montoya, Betty Faubion, Pablita Romero, Madeline Mottola, Gladys Merrill, Christine Tarin, Margot Breiner, Joe Zamora, Joe Gallegos, Esther Griego; Nancy Davolo, Mary Anne Apodaca, Max Martinez, Michael Hudson, Juanita Mendez, Manuel (Chico) Perez, **Lord hear our prayer!**

**Let us pray for the deceased:** David Acosta, Tony Spano, Sr. **Lord hear our prayer!**

**Please notify the Office as when there are changes**

LECTORS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	SERVERS	USHERS
Tue 8/14 6:00 PM Vigil of Assump Louise Veasman	Janet Wesenberg Robert Mondragon Louise Veasman	Emma Bowie Maddie Bowie	Any Ushers Attending
Wed 8/15 6:00 PM Assumption Louise Veasman	Marilyn Cameron Dennis Cameron Robert Mondragon	Emma Bowie Maddie Bowie	Any Ushers Attending
Sat 8/25 4:00 PM Joe Sandoval	Lou Mottola Virginia McClerk Louise Veasman	Valerie, Angelo & Veronica Quezada	Larry Covillo Loyce Malleck Joe Steffonich Patrick Fulton
Sun 8/26 8:30 AM Robert Mondragon	Marilyn Cameron Dennis Cameron	Allison & Mellisa Ryszkawski	D Rasmussen K Archuleta Luis Gallardo +Usher Attend
Sun 8/26 11:00 AM Robert Mondragon	Elizabeth & M Gonzales Jennie/Frank V	Moses and Brianna Gonzales	Nolan/Ricky Garcia Mitch Casados Jase Metz