

“Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer.”

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT



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Saturday: 5:00 pm | Sunday: 8:00 am & 11:30 am

Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday: 11:30 am

Confession: Wednesday at 11:00 am or by appointment

**Baptisms and Marriages: Contact the parish office during
business hours,**

M-F, 9:00am 3:00pm or visit our website: www.ourladyoftahoe.org

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St. Andrew, also known as Andrew the Apostle, was a Christian Apostle and the older brother to St. Peter. According to the New Testament, Andrew was born in the village of Bethsaida on the Sea of Galilee during the early first century. Much like his younger brother, Simon Peter, Andrew was also a fisherman. Andrew's very name means strong and he was known for having good social skills. In the Gospel of Matthew, it is said Jesus was walking along the shore of the Sea of Galilee and saw Andrew and Simon Peter fishing. It is then he asked the two to become disciples and "fishers of men." Little else is said about Andrew in the Gospels, but it is believed Andrew was one of the closer disciples to Jesus. It was he who told Jesus about the boy with the loaves and fishes, according to John 6:8. When Philip wanted to speak to Jesus about Greeks seeking him, he spoke to Andrew first. Andrew was also present at the last supper. Per Christian tradition, Andrew went on to preach the Good News around the shores of the Black Sea and throughout what is now Greece and Turkey. Andrew was martyred by crucifixion in Patras. He was bound, rather than nailed, to a cross, as is described in the Acts of Andrew. He was crucified on a cross form known as "crux decussata," which is an X-shaped cross or a "saltire." Today this is commonly referred to as "St. Andrew's Cross." It is believed Andrew requested to be crucified this way, because he deemed himself "unworthy to be crucified on the same type of cross as Jesus." His saltire cross is featured on the flag of Scotland and is represented in much of his iconography. He is commonly portrayed as an old man with long white hair and a beard, often holding the Gospel book or a scroll. St. Andrew is the patron saint of fishermen and singers. He is also the patron saint to several countries and cities including Scotland, Romania, Russia, Ukraine, and Patras and his feast day is celebrated on November 30.

#iGiveCatholic Fundraiser is THIS Tuesday, November 30. If you've already donated, thank you so much! If you haven't, you can still mail your donation to OLT or place it in the offering plate, please write fundraiser. You can also visit <https://reno.igivecatholic.org/organizations/our-lady-of-tahoe-catholic-church> to donate online. Your support makes a meaningful difference.



#iGiveCatholic Prayer

O Lord, giver of life, we know that all we are and all we have are gifts from You. We live in a world that celebrates consumption. But You call us to be good stewards of all You have entrusted to us. May this #GivingTuesday prompt us to gratitude and generosity that brings nourishment to the hungry and hope to the hopeless. We pray that #iGiveCatholic may be a miracle of loaves and fishes where every gift shared lovingly from a grateful heart becomes bread for the multitudes and the ordinary becomes extraordinary. Amen.

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In Our Centuries Old Filipino Tradition of -

SIMBANG GABI

SIMBANG GABI NOVENA MASS SCHEDULE 2021					
DAY	DATE	TIME	VENUE	HOST ORG.	CELEBRANT
WED	15 Dec	6:00pm	*ICC	*FDCR	Most Rev Daniel H. Mueggengborg
THU	16 Dec	6:00pm	ICC	*OLOS	Fr. Chris Kanowitz
FRI	17 Dec	6:00pm	*STCLF	STCLF	Fr. Paul McCullom
SAT	18 Dec	6:00pm	ICC	STCLF	Fr. Arlon Vergara, OSA
SUN	19 Dec	6:15pm	ICC	ICC	Fr. Philip George
MON	20 Dec	6:00pm	ICC	ICC	Fr. Beda Martinez
TUE	21 Dec	6:00pm	ICC	*SAG	Fr. Honesto Agustin
WED	22 Dec	6:00pm	ICC	SAG	Fr. Loy Torrente
THU	23 Dec	6:00pm	ICC	FDCR	Fr. Joseph Infante

WATCH THE OPENING NIGHT OF SG2021 VIA LIVE STREAM THRU OUR WEBSITE

A SERIES OF NINE HOLY EVENING NOVENA MASSES TO CELEBRATE AND DELIGHT IN THE MESSAGE OF HOPE, JOY AND LOVE CHRISTMAS BRINGS.



AS WE OBSERVE THE TRADITION OF SIMBANG GABI 2021 LET OUR THEME THIS YEAR BE: "The Christian Catholics - Grateful and Gloriously Hopeful In The Advent of Christmas, Despite the Pandemic Crisis".

FOR MORE INFORMATION: KINDLY CONTACT ANY OF THE FDCR REPRESENTATIVES OR:
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Visit Us: <http://renodiocese.org/home/ourworks/ethnic-ministry/>
TO SPONSOR MASS PLEASE CONTACT:
MR. GEORGE MICHAEL ALVENDIA AT 775.258.8888 OR MRS. AIDA TUDDAO AT: 775.843.3945
ANOTHER BLESSED TRADITION OF THE FDCR & HOSTED THIS YEAR BY THE BLD & THE FILIPINO MINISTRY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass Intentions

Saturday	27	5:00	Intentions of OLT Parishioners	Pro Populo
Sunday	28	8:00	Forrest Peetz	Dave & Stephanie Scott
Sunday	28	11:30	Healing for Robert Vaczlavik Jr.	Gaspar Vaczlavik
Wednesday	1	11:30		
Thursday	2	11:30		
Friday	3	11:30		

Annual Diocesan Conference Nugget Casino Resort January 7 & 8, 2022



For more information visit www.reno-diocesan-conference.org

Registration Now Open! The Annual Diocesan Conference "Blessed and Grateful" is being held January 7 & 8, 2022 at the Nugget Casino Resort in Sparks. There are a variety of virtual as well as in-person sessions to choose from. Register now to avoid late fee. Any registrations received after Friday, December 10, 2021 will be assessed a \$10.00 late fee. Late fee applies to onsite registrations as well.



Again, this year we are giving each of our 140 Outreach children a \$20.00 gift card. It was very successful last year and much appreciated. If you wish to share in this GIVING and make Christmas a little more special, please take an envelope from the tree, place your donation (check or cash) in the envelope and put it in the Sunday collection basket or send a check to Outreach/Our Lady of Tahoe at PO Box 115 | Zephyr Cove NV 89448. December 5th will be the last Sunday to give or send in your donation. Thanking you in advance for your generosity.

Last weekend's collection was \$1,738.00 and the 2nd collection came to \$401.00. Thank you so MUCH for your faithful support!



St. Therese of Little Flower Church invites you to an All-Choir Advent Concert taking place on December 10, 6:30pm at Little Flower Church. Admission is free. Bring your family and friends. Relax & enjoy glorifying God through music!

ADVENT CHOIR

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875 E. Plumb Lane, Reno NV 89502

As disciples of Jesus Christ, and in the name of Mary, Our Lady of Tahoe Catholic community welcomes and embraces all those who come to us. With guidance of the Holy Spirit, through worship, the sacraments, and loving service, we provide for one another's spiritual and material needs. In being so nourished, we reach out in faith to serve the larger community.



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IRA QCD

If you are 70 1/2 or older, ask your professional advisor if giving directly from your IRA is a tax-wise way for you to give.

Please be sure we have your updated contact info and if you would like to receive our weekly e-bulletin and other parish news, kindly contact Susan at 775-588-2080 to be added to our email list. Thank you and God Bless!