

## Pray for us Ruega por nosotros

Por los enfermos y los que están sufriendo de nuestra comunidad.

For the sick and suffering in our community: **Sue Hubbard, David Westendorp Gretchen Foht, Sharon Kimmons.**

Por nuestros amados difuntos, que descansen en los amorosos brazos de Jesús.

For our beloved dead, may they rest in the loving arms of Jesus: **Uranté Murphy**

# ASCENSION

A Newsletter from the Church of the Ascension

## Celebra la fiesta de San Pablo el sábado 25 de enero

Únase a nosotros para la misa a la 1 p.m. en la cafetería seguida de comida, música, grupos de baile incluyendo bailarines aztecas, ecuatorianos y mexicanos. La celebración durará hasta las 8 p.m.

## Celebrate the Feast of San Pablo Saturday, Jan. 25

Join us for Mass at 1 p.m. in the cafeteria followed by food, music, dance groups including Aztec dancers, Ecuadorean and Mexican. The celebration will go until 8 p.m.

### A listening and learning opportunity

Learn more about family preparedness and accompanying our Twin Cities' immigrant community. Come to a discussion: **Community conversation and preparedness.** 1-3 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 26, in the Lower level of the Church.

### Aprenden más acerca de como prepararse

*Aprenden más acerca de como prepararse coo inmigrante en los EEUU:*  
**Conversación y preparación comunitaria**

*1-3 p.m. dom, 26 de enero, salón debajo de la iglesia*

## CYC Information Night is Jan. 30 Información del Campamento Juvenil

Give your child the life-changing opportunity of a week at summer camp! Come and learn more at the Catholic Youth Camp (CYC) Information Night, 6-7 p.m. on Thursday, Jan. 30, in the lower level of the church.



CYC is located 150 miles north of the Twin Cities in MacGregor, MN. The camp has 17 acres on Big Sandy Lake, 12 cabins and 166 beds. It has been operating since 1947. The Visitation Monastery of Minneapolis has sponsored Ascension Week at the camp for many years. Questions? Contact Andrea Heinl, aheinl@acamn.org | 612.219.0489.

Ofrezca a su hijo la oportunidad de pasar una semana en un campamento de verano que le cambiará la vida. Venga y aprenda más en la Noche de Información del Campamento Juvenil Católico (CYC), 6-7 p.m. el jueves, 30 de enero, en el salón debajo de la iglesia.

CYC se encuentra a 150 millas al norte de las Ciudades Gemelas en MacGregor, MN. El Monasterio de la Visitación de Minneapolis ha patrocinado la Semana de la Ascensión en el campamento durante muchos años. ¿Tienes preguntas? Ponte en contacto con Andrea Heinl, aheinl@acamn.org | 612.219.0489.

## Second Collection for Religious Retirement Fund

Say thank you to our elderly religious by giving to the Retirement Fund for Religious this weekend. Your gift will directly help meet their needs. [retiredreligious.org](http://retiredreligious.org)



## Segunda colecta para el Fondo de Jubilación de los Religiosos

Agradescan a nuestros religiosos ancianos donando al Fondo para la Jubilación de Religiosos este fin de semana. Su regalo ayudará directamente a satisfacer las necesidades de ellos.



### La clase de preparación bautismal

La próxima clase de preparación bautismal se llevará a cabo el sábado 4 de febrero desde las 12 p.m. hasta las 2 p.m. en el nivel inferior de la iglesia. Esta clase será en español. Comuníquese con Raúl Salazar en [rsalazar@ascensionmpls.org](mailto:rsalazar@ascensionmpls.org) o llame a (612)424-6211 si desea inscribirse o tiene alguna pregunta/inquietud. Se solicita a los padres que planeen asistir a la próxima clase que traigan el certificado de nacimiento oficial de su hijo.

## Learn about the year ahead for Discerning Deacons

**Wednesday, Jan. 29,  
11 a.m.-2 p.m. OR Thursday,  
Jan. 30, 6-8 p.m.**

Join Discerning Deacons as they kick off 2025 and launch into action in the year ahead! Each launch call will include updates from the DD staff team on the state of the Church's discernment about women and the diaconate and an overview of how you can plug in with Discerning Deacons' work in the year ahead. You'll also have the opportunity to connect in prayer and fellowship with others from across DD's global network. Registration required; [discerningdeacons.org/events/](http://discerningdeacons.org/events/)



**The Parish Office will be closed  
Monday, Jan. 20, in observance  
of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.**

**We are starting to plan our  
parish spring Rummage Sale,  
and we need people willing to  
help sort items. Contact Judy at  
[judy@ACAmn.org](mailto:judy@ACAmn.org).**

## Support those affected by wildfires

Please pray for all those affected by the wildfires in southern California, as well as the firefighters and first responders serving this area. For those who wish to support relief efforts, Catholic Charities USA has set up a donation portal. Scan the code to make a gift.



## Teaching Mass retreat

Do you want to know, understand and experience the Mass?

Church of St. Bridget invites all to attend a retreat at 10 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 15, with Fr. Michael Joncas. Call 612.529.7779 for more information.