

# ASCENSION

A Newsletter from the Church of the Ascension

**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.

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.



The four schools of Ascension Catholic Academy are celebrating Catholic Schools Week from January 26 -31. Please pray for all scholars at Ascension, St. John Paul II, St. Peter Claver and St. Pascal Regional Catholic Schools.

### A listening and learning opportunity on January 26

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.

**Next recital performance is Feb. 9**

**El próximo recital es el 9 de febrero**



### **La clase de preparación bautismal**

La próxima clase de preparación bautismal se llevará a cabo el sábado 1 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.



**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) if you can help!**

### **Tutors are needed at Mary's Place**

Sharing & Caring Hands/Mary's Place in Minneapolis is a compassionate response to the needs of the poor. Volunteer tutors are needed for the After School Tutoring Program. The children living at Mary's Place desperately need academic encouragement and support. No teaching/tutoring experience is needed. Volunteers are given an orientation training before starting. Contact [kklement@sharingandcaringhands.org](mailto:kklement@sharingandcaringhands.org) or 612-596-3418 for more information.

### **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/)

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### **Support those affected by fires**

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



**RSVP for our Open House on Tuesday, Feb. 11 from 9 - 11 a.m.**