

December 31, 2022

As we mourn the death of Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, all are invited to a special Mass to be presided over by Cardinal Cupich on Monday, January 2 at Holy Name Cathedral at 8 a.m. Auxiliary bishops, priests of the archdiocese and the public are invited to attend. Please share this invitation with your people during Masses this weekend.

Additionally, Masses of Remembrance for Pope Benedict XVI will be presided over by our auxiliary bishops in each vicariate on January 4 and 5. The public is also welcome. Times and locations are as follows:

- Vicariate I: Thursday, Jan. 5 at 7 p.m. at St. Theresa Parish, 455 N. Benton St., Palatine.
- Vicariate II: Thursday, Jan. 5 at 7:30 p.m. at St. Joseph Church, 1747 Lake Ave., Wilmette.
- Vicariate III: Wednesday, Jan. 4 at 7 p.m. at St. Hyacinth's Basilica, 3636 W. Wolfram St., Chicago. Mass will be said in three languages: English, Spanish and Polish.
- Vicariate IV: Thursday, Jan. 5 at 6:30 p.m. at St. Cletus Church, 600 W. 55th St., La Grange. Mass will be in English and Spanish.
- Vicariate V: Thursday, Jan. 5 at 7 p.m. St. Albert the Great Church, 8000 S. Linder Ave., Burbank. Mass will be said in three languages: English, Spanish and Polish.
- Vicariate VI: Thursday, Jan. 5 at 7 p.m. at St. Thomas the Apostle Church, 5472 S. Kimbark Ave., Chicago.

Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God Rest In Peace. Amen.

Bishop Robert Casey
Vicar General