Saint Alphonsus

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

SEPTEMBER 12, 2021: TWENTY FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



And he asked them,
"But who do you say that I am?"
Peter said to him in reply,
"You are the Christ." (Mk 8:29)

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Mass Schedule

Mon, Tue, Thur, Fri	8:30 AM
Wed	6:00 PM
Sunday	9 AM, 11 AM, and 5 PM

Alphonsus Academy & Center For the Arts

Friday	8:30 AM or as announced

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday	6:30—7:30 PM

Confessions

Saturday	11:00—11:30 AM

**Or call one of the priests for an appointment*

Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help

Tuesday	after the 8:30 AM Mass
Wednesday:	5:50 PM

Worship

This Week's Readings

Sunday: Is 50:5-9a/Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 [9]/Jas 2:14-18/Mk 8:27-35
Monday: 1 Tm 2:1-8/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17 [1Cor 11:26b]/Lk 7:1-10
Tuesday: Nm 21:4b-9/Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38 [cf. 7b]/Phil 2:6-11/Jn 3:13-17
Wednesday: 1 Tm 3:14-16/Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [2]/Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35
Thursday: 1 Tm 4:12-16/Ps 111:7-8, 9, 10 [2]/Lk 7:36-50
Friday: 1 Tm 6:2c-12/Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20/Lk 8:1-3
Saturday: 1 Tm 6:13-16/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 [2]/Lk 8:4-15
Next Sunday: Wis 2:12, 17-20/Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6-8 [6b]/Jas 3:16—4:3/Mk 9:30-37

Please Pray for the Sick

Dorothy Bonds
Joanna Ravelingeen
Jamie Wallett
Romie Richard
Sandra Wilson
Monica Alexis Rios
Margaret Nichols
Maria Eisler
Rita Gerich
Fidel Mercado Chavez
Leslie Putman
Carolina Goldie
Diane Mareci
William Ahearn
Emilia Hurtado
Bernard Zapp
Rachel Schopp
Mike Madigan
David Birks
Lorik Oppland
Celeste Soult
Carol Reckwerdt
Doug Tally
Jeff De La Cruz
Stacy Strickland
Tim Dooling
Spencer Lyles
Magdalena Gonzalez
Christopher Bibat
Michael Aldape
Victor Giustino

Giving Update

Weekly Budget Amount: $15,218

Offertory for 9/5/2021: $15,240

Please remember to help the poor. Donations to the poor box in the narthex are allocated to our St. Vincent DePaul Society.



WEDDING BANNS

Janine Merkel
and
Daniel Peters II

Welcome Our Recently Baptized

Michael Timothy Joyce
Emma Beth Blodgett Fernandez
Allie O'Connor Mejia
William Michael Dempsey
Henry Riedel
Nico Gabriel Cipolla
Leo O'Brien Bubinas
Joshua Joseph Bubinas
Tessa Mary Junge
Samuel Michael Durney

For more info about having your child baptized at St Alphonsus, contact Kaitlin Holyk at stalsweddings@gmail.com

Saint Vincent DePaul Society - St. Alphonsus Conference is looking to increase our membership. We help with the emergency needs of anyone looking for assistance within our community. If you are looking for ways to get involved please consider joining. The time commitment is kept to a monthly meeting to consider the needs of the society and to serve our walk-in clients. Our service is based on demand and the financial ability to assist. As such, we are only able to assist because of your generous donations through the poor box at the back of the church. We are 100% funded through these donations. Thank you for your continued support. Contact Luis Cantu at luiscan2@hotmail.com for info.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, September 12
9:00 AM +Edmund G. Gobat
11:00 AM +Mariano Susana Hermosa
5:00 PM +Martin Finan

Monday, September 13
8:30 AM +Jose Arroyo

Tuesday, September 14
8:30 AM The People of St. Alphonsus

Wednesday, September 15
6:00 PM +Helen Kam Kin Hui

Thursday, September 16
8:30 AM The People of St. Alphonsus

Friday, September 17
8:30 AM The People of St. Alphonsus

Sunday, September 19
9:00 AM +William Webb
11:00 AM Rich Strezo
12:30 PM The People of St. Alphonsus
5:00 PM +Robert Stark

Holy Water and Blessed Beer



Holy Water – If you're ever looking for Holy Water, the church is the place to get it. Perhaps you've seen the large vat next to the baptismal font. It's always available for persons if you bring a small bottle to fill.

Throughout the history of the Church, holy water has been used for blessing religious items, places, and used during various liturgies. It can also be sprinkled on people, and in homes parents can sprinkle it on their children as an invocation to protect the health of a home and a family.

The prayer a priest uses to bless holy water comes from *The Roman Ritual,* and the text inspires confidence in God's protective grace. The ritual for blessing Holy Water first begins with the blessing of salt, as the priest prays that "it may **become a source of health for the minds and bodies** of all who make use of it. May it rid whatever it touches or sprinkles of all uncleanness, and protect it from every assault of evil spirits. Through Christ our Lord."

Before the blessed salt is commingled with the water, the priest invokes the Lord's blessing: "May this, your creature (water), become an agent of divine grace in the service of your mysteries, to drive away evil spirits and **dispel sickness**, so that everything in the homes and other buildings of the faithful that is sprinkled with this water, may be rid of all uncleanness and freed from every harm. **Let no breath of infection and no disease-bearing air remain in these places**. May the wiles of the lurking enemy prove of no avail. Let whatever might menace the safety and peace of those who live here be put to flight **by the sprinkling of this water, so that the health obtained by calling upon your Holy Name, may be made secure against all attack**. Through Christ our Lord. Amen."

With the delta variant of the virus all around us, this prayer reminds us that because our Catholic faith is incarnational, God's blessings– and even through the sprinkling of holy water– can bring us protection spiritually and physically.

Parents and parishioners are welcome to fill small bottles with holy water, and sprinkle their children and their homes, including entryways, with the water, echoing the sentiment that their homes and families be protected from any breath of infection or disease-bearing air, and that by calling on the Lord's Holy Name, their health may be made secure – secure against any virus or variation thereof.

Blessed Beer – if ever you're looking for Blessed Beer, one of the only places you'll ever find it is at St. Alphonsus' Oktoberfest, happening in just two weeks, September 24, 25, and 26. (See page 5 for more info). As part of the festivities on Friday evening, there will be a ceremonial keg tapping at which I will bless the Oktoberfest beer. There is actually a legit prayer in the Catholic Church, and the text of the prayer asks God to make it a "salutary remedy" and that we find it to be "a help in body and in soul."

Lord, bless this creature, beer, which by Your kindness and power has been produced from kernels of grain, and let it be a salutary remedy for humanity. Grant that whoever drinks it with thanksgiving to Your Holy Name may find it a help in body and in soul. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

When the prayer refers to beer as a "creature," it more significantly implies and invokes our Creator God. Since He can also be called the Author of Life, God desires that the various elements in His creation, when used responsibly and in proper order, become agents of his grace, blessing, and fruitfulness. That's why the Church provides this prayer for us.

When the world sometimes seems to be crazy, we could all benefit from a reminder of the blessings we have to fill our hearts with thanksgiving, and to invoke God's protection on our families and our homes through the sprinkling of a little Holy Water.

May the Lord bless you and your family with health of body and soul.

Oktoberfest Variations

Because everyone wants our Fest to be safe, healthy and successful, and because there is Covid variant floating around, there are a few adjustments we've had to make to this year's Fest. We are sad to report that there will be no craft beer tasting downstairs in Festival Hall. While the room is large, the craft beer event attracts too large a crowd for an indoor venue, and a space that which doesn't have good ventilation. Even with the room blessed with Holy Water, the prudent thing is for us to focus on the outdoor events.

Another change we've had to make is the cancellation of Kinderfest for this year. Because children under 12 aren't able to be vaccinated, a children's event or play area would encourage large numbers of unvaccinated children to congregate in too close proximity. Given the circumstances, both the Fest committee and the school administration believe that a Kinderfest area would create too many unnecessary risks for our students and families.

We appreciate your understanding, and look forward to a return of both Craft Beer Tasting & the Kinderfest at next year's Oktoberfest

Faith Formation

Register Your Child(ren) for Religious Education! Catechists Needed!



Registration for our Religious Education program is now open for the 2021-2022 school year for grades 1st-8th on Tuesday nights at 6:15 PM. Registration is due September 20 and classes will begin on September 28. We are anticipating a hybrid in-person/virtual format. Please visit our Religious Education page on the parish website at www.stalphonsuschicago.org/religious-education for more information.

Each year, St. Alphonsus joyfully educates the children of our parish in their Catholic faith. If you would like to spend more time with children, strengthen the faith bonds in our families or enjoy serving in our parish—please consider volunteering as a catechist for our religious education program! We'd love to talk to you and no experience is necessary :) There are training opportunities and support as you get started and throughout your time of service. Contact our RE Coordinator Erica Cook, ecook@stalphonsuschicago.org for more information.

Are You Ready To Become Catholic?

Registration is open for The Rite of Catholic Initiation for Adults (R.C.I.A.) Classes will be every Wednesday from 6 PM– 7:30 PM and begin September 22. Each year we are blessed with several individuals who desire to enter and learn more about the Catholic faith. The RCIA program is the study of the Catholic Faith and the process of introduction into the faith community.

This class is offered for adults in three situations:
1. Un-baptized adults who desire to be baptized in the Catholic Church.
2. Baptized non-Catholic Christians who desire to be formally admitted into communion with the Catholic Church.
3. Baptized Catholics who have not yet been confirmed and desire to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Adult baptism (and if applicable, Confirmation and First Holy Communion) takes place at the Easter Vigil (Evening before Easter Sunday). It is one of the highest celebrations in the Catholic Church's liturgical year!

If you or someone you know is interested in taking the class, please contact our pastoral associate, Brooks Robinson at brobinson@stalphonsuschicago.com

"Healing: Body & Soul" Fall Women's Retreat
Saturday, September 18 in St. Alphonsus Festival Hall



Feminae Vero is a ministry that aspires to serve, educate, and evangelize girls and women by sharing the truth about their reproductive health and how it connects to our Catholic faith. Feminae Vero was formed - to educate on solutions-oriented, life-affirming healthcare options for women, and to advocate for access to such care for women of all religious, educational, and socioeconomic backgrounds.

Registration is now open for a day-long Women's Retreat on Sat. Sept 18, which includes lunch and Mass at 3 PM. You can learn more and register online at www.femvero.org/chicago-womens-retreat-sign-up

Tips for Parents & Guardians



Parents need to establish *clear expectations* with teens and check-in regularly to be sure those expectations are being met. As much as possible, try to have an adult at home when teens are there and always know where they are and who they are with.

Archdiocesan Office for the Protection of Children & Youth

(312) 534-5254 *protect.archchicago.org*



It's Time for Oktoberfest 2021!

September 24, 25, and 26th

Join us for all the Oktoberfest fun!

Admission $10.00 Friday and Saturday

Free Admission on Sunday!

And just like every year, there will be plenty of beer and homemade brats!

We'll have music from lots of German bands and 'fest favorites alike.

Get all the 'Fest details and volunteer at

www.stalsoktoberfest.org

And Here Are the Bands!

Friday

SOUTHPORT STAGE

Breakfast Club

Trippin Billies (Dave Matthews)

PARKING LOT STAGE

Hello Weekend

Polkaholics

Saturday

SOUTHPORT STAGE

Sushi Roll

The Hat Guys

Run Forrest Run

16 Candles (80's Biggest Hits)

PARKING LOT STAGE

School of Rock

Rosie and the Rivets

Sgt. Sauerkraut's Polka Band

Polkaholics

Sunday

THERE WILL BE A JUMBOTRON SCREEN ON SOUTHPORT AVE TO WATCH THE GAMES AT NOON!

Gospel Meditation

We need to get our bearings straight and properly lay life's cornerstone. Otherwise, the rest of our journey will be skewed, and our judgment clouded. We can recall Jesus' famous rebuke of Peter, "You are thinking not as God does, but as human beings do." Even he, as one of Jesus' closest friends struggles with understanding things and grasping the big picture. Pierre Teilhard de Chardin (1881-1955) a renowned and learned French Jesuit priest often has these words attributed to him: *"We are not human beings having a spiritual experience. We are spiritual beings having a human experience."* Whether they were actually from his lips, they certainly mimic his thought. These wise words orient us and capture the essence of who we really are.

Many people consider spirituality an option. It is no wonder that they come to this conclusion when they predominantly define themselves using human terms and concepts. Immersed in this world view, they struggle finding any semblance of God because God does not work according to human expectations! This is especially true when suffering and death enter life's picture. If we are only human beings having a spiritual experience, then we wrongly expect our spirituality to serve us as we desire. The human expectation is that my spiritual life is something that is useful in avoiding pain, hardship, and death, not something that gives the courage to live through it!

So, when we protest and get upset with God because our journey is becoming difficult, painful, treacherous, disappointing, and even pointing us toward death, Jesus rebukes us as he did Peter and gently reminds us how to see. It is God who inspires and opens hearts to see truth and beauty. In God, the true meaning of things is understood, and we receive a depth of insight and understanding that is not found following purely human paths. It is not our task to understand God, as God is beyond human understanding. Ours is the joyful privilege of simply resting in God's presence simply because God is God and we are who we are. As spiritual beings having an exciting and adventurous human experience, it is in our DNA to do so. Through prayer we can let go and let be. This is how we lose our lives but then save them.

Live The Liturgy

Inspiration for the Week

Rest in the presence of God simply because God is God and you are you. This is all that is necessary. Out of this relationship will come inspiration, understanding, courage, constancy, truth, and virtues of all kind. We will find ourselves knowing the true meaning of things and developing a depth of insight that is not found following purely human venues. It is God who inspires and opens human hearts to see truth and beauty. In God, we understand all of our relationships with a richer appreciation and come to know who Jesus, who speaks of God's kingdom, really is. The trust that is fostered from resting with the Divine One allows us to see that God's ways are not our ways. There is something bigger going on in this picture of life. It is something mystical and magical that seeks to surprise us at every turn. It is not for us to cling to this world and its limitations. Our adventure is to dream bigger and brighter, realizing that it is even in suffering that the radiant light of the dawn will come. God's ways allow for our paths to be rocky, challenging, difficult, and even crippling at times. Purely human eyes cannot understand the 'why' of such experiences. The eyes and mind of God, however, reveal and detail a journey that ends in glorious resurrection joy. When we lose our axis and become too human in our thinking, Jesus rebukes us and gently reminds us how to see.

Helpful Household Hints by Harvey Levin

Pumpkins

In case you do not remember the hint from two years ago, here it is again. Do not waste that pumpkin by carving it. You can make the pumpkin into soup. Paint it, instead of carving it. Quantities vary according to the size of pumpkin. For a 12" pumpkin: Wash the pumpkin. Cut pumpkin in half and scrape out the seeds and the membrane. (If you want, separate the seeds for roasting.)
Bake the split pumpkin on a jelly roll pan at 350° for 45 min.
While it is cooking, sauté 8 diced stalks of celery & 2 large diced onions.
Let the pumpkin cool. Separate the meat from the skin and place the meat in a large pot & add the celery and onions and water to cover the pumpkin. Add 4 – 8 cloves of chopped garlic & 2 T salt. Bring to a boil and simmer 45 min. Let the soup cool and run through a food processor or immersion blender to give a smooth consistency.
Heat and add one pint of whipping cream (or less to your taste) and serve.

Young Adult Ministry (YAM)

Our Mission

As members of St. Alphonsus Young Adult Ministry, we walk alongside one another in faith. Our community is focused on:

- Meaningful worship, careful discernment, and prayerful reflection
- Curiosity and a thirst for the truth
- Service to one another, our church, and our city
- Lasting friendships and an invitation to fellowship and meaningful participation

YAM Kick-Off Party 2021!

Sunday, September 19 at 6:00 PM

- **Opportunities**
- **Free Food/Drinks**
- **Mingle**



Join other young adults after the 5 PM Mass on Sunday, Sept. 19 for our annual St. Alphonsus Young Adult Ministry Kick-Off Party! This is a great way to learn more about young adult groups, programs, and opportunities. It's a great chance to invite your friends and co-workers to Mass with guaranteed fun to follow! For more info, contact us at stalphonsusyam@gmail.com

Samuel Group— Discernment for Young Adults starting Sept 19

Do you ever wonder how to make a good decision according to God's will? Join us for a discernment group specifically geared toward young adults (ages 19–35). Here you will discuss all kinds of discernment—if you are called to consecrated life, married life or single life, to a certain career or city, and more. The goal of this group is to help you, and in some cases your significant other, know yourself, Jesus and your role within the Church. These discernment groups will take place monthly over the course of seven months at St. Alphonsus Parish. At each session, you will listen to talks, have time for small group sharing, and have the opportunity for Mass, Confession and Adoration. Participants will also have the opportunity to meet individually with a spiritual director while doing this course. Register at https://pvm.archchicago.org/samuel-group

Young Catholic Professionals

Executive Speaker Series Sept. 14



Join YCP Chicago and OSP Encounter on Tuesday, September 14th for an Executive Speaker Series event, featuring Jim O'Hara, Owner of Focus Martial Arts & Fitness, Head Coach of the AAU/USA Karate Team, and 1996 World Karate Organization World Champion in Kumite. Jim will share his unique perspective on our Catholic faith.

Young adults in their 20s and 30s from ALL industries are invited to this free event, where you will learn insights about the integration of faith and work and network with other young Catholic professionals from the Chicagoland area over complimentary beer, wine, and appetizers. Mass will be at 6:15 PM at Old St. Patrick's, 700 W. Adams, and after fellowship, the speaker discussion will take place at 625 W. Adams from 7:45– 9 PM. REGISTER HERE: bit.ly/ycpsept21

Stewardship—First Fruits

Participate in Electronic Giving

GiveCentral.org is a secure online system where parishioners can create individual giving profiles with payment options ranging from direct debit (ACH) to credit cards.

Benefits for you
- Increased options and accessibility
- Review your giving history in real time
- Keep your gifts secure

Benefits for St. Alphonsus
- Saves money on envelopes & postage
- Helps predict cash flow for budgeting
- Better collection of payment history

Go to www.stalphonsuschicago.org & click on the Donate tab at the top of the page.
Questions? Contact Mario Serrano at mserrano@stalphonsuschicago.com

Please prayerfully consider remembering our parish when you update your estate plans. These gifts help us to build a solid foundation for the Catholic formation of future generations.

Prepare or update your will or trust today by contacting an attorney. For sample bequest language, please *contact Krystina M. Campbell, Planned Giving Officer, Archdiocese of Chicago at (312) 534-5404 or kcampbell@archchicago.org*.

Stewardship Reflection

"Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me." (Mark 8:34)

Living a stewardship lifestyle means not only being responsible for my own life, but for the lives of others as well. We realize that our gifts are not intended for ourselves, rather they are meant to be shared with others. "Taking up my cross" means doing things when someone else needs me and not when it's convenient for me.

More News and Events

New Parish Director of Operations



Next week, St. Alphonsus welcomes Daniel Szymanski to our parish staff as our new Director of Operations. A graduate of Notre Dame and MBA at University of Chicago, he previously served at St. Luke in River Forest and St. Michael's in Old Town under the same capacity and brings vast experience working in the non-profit sector.

Volunteer at Lakeview Pantry

Join 5,000 other people to make a difference in your community! Lakeview Pantry is always looking for volunteers and have group and individual volunteer opportunities Monday-Friday between 9 AM & 5 PM at multiple locations! LVP's *"Fighting Hunger, Feeding Hope"* benefit is on Friday Oct 15. For more info, visit give.lakeviewpantry.org/fightinghunger

Return of Spanish Mass

After guidance from our Parish Council, St. Alphonsus will be reinstating the Mass worshipped in the Spanish language on Sundays. Please note the Spanish Mass will now be celebrated every Sunday **at 12:30 PM starting on September 19.**

Regreso de la Misa Española

Después de la orientación de nuestro Consejo Parroquial, San Alfonso restablecerá la Misa adorada en español los Domingos. Tenga en cuenta que la misa en español ahora se celebrará todos los Domingos **a las 12:30 PM a partir del 19 de Septiembre**.

Coming to Saint Alphonsus Chicago

walking with purpose

SO MUCH MORE THAN A BIBLE STUDY

Tuesday, September 21st 2021

Parish Office
1429 W. Wellington Ave
Chicago, IL 60657

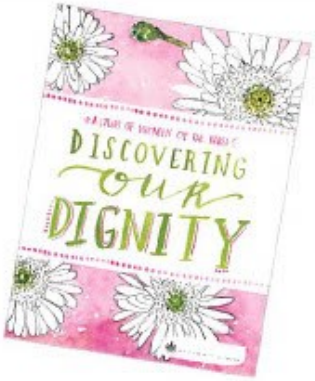
Are you looking for a way to refuel and be refreshed, make authentic connections with other women, and learn more about God? It's time to come back to community!

Our mission at Walking with Purpose is to help every Catholic woman and girl in America encounter Jesus Christ through our Bible studies.

Discovering Our Dignity

Women of the Old and New Testaments were as flawed and broken as we can be, yet the power of God worked in their lives. Learn from their experiences in *Discovering Our Dignity*, a 22-lesson Bible study.

Through their stories recorded in Scripture, women of the Bible reach out to touch our "present" in a tender, honest and loving way—woman to woman —with ancient wisdom, sage advice, and insights from sorrowful failures and emotional wounds.



Walking with Purpose will meet on **Tuesdays**
From **9:30am-11am or 6:30pm-8:30pm**
For more information, contact **suecombes@hotmail.com**

walkingwithpurpose.com

Contact

Sacramental Information

Contact our parish office (773) 525-0709 for information regarding celebrating sacraments including Baptisms (infant and adult), Reconciliation (confession), Eucharist (Communion), Confirmation, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick. For information regarding Funerals, please first contact the funeral director of your choice to begin making arrangements.

How to Offer a Mass Intention

Did you ever notice that every Mass said here at St. Alphonsus is offered for a special intention? The entire congregation prays for that intention during the petitions (Prayers of the Faithful) when we say, "For those who have died, and for the intention of this Mass: (named intention)"

You can make a Mass Intention request here. Masses are often offered for family, friends and relatives that have died. Praying for the dead is a Spiritual Work of Mercy. Offering a Mass for someone that has died is an especially comforting gesture to the family. Mass can also be offered to commemorate joyful occasions and to give thanks to God for blessings received.

The customary offering for a Mass here is $15. However, any amount that you would like to offer is completely acceptable. You can request Masses by visiting the Parish Office during office hours or calling the Parish Office at (773) 525-0709.

You can ***register in the parish*** by coming to the rectory office or going online at *www.stalphonsuschicago.org*. The advantage to registering is that we know who you are and can better plan our programs by knowing whom we serve.

Want *to find out what is happening in the young adult community?* Join the St. Al's Young Adult Listserv. We send out monthly emails to let people know about our upcoming events. To register for the listserv, contact *stalphonsusyam@gmail.com*

The ***Knights of Columbus*** are the world's largest Catholic fraternal service organization. For more information, visit *www.stalphonsusknights.com*

Our parish has received permission to once again host important sacraments. Please be patient as the pandemic created a scheduling backlog regarding Baptisms and Weddings. You can find more info at:

www.stalphonsuschicago.org/baptism

www.stalphonsuschicago.org/marriage

St. Alphonsus Social Media

Choose to participate in meaningful engagement! Having an attitude of engagement challenges us to love our digital neighbor as ourselves. You can find St. Alphonsus' Facebook and Twitter by going to the parish website and clicking the icons at the footer of the page.

Directory

Parish Office

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www.stalphonsuschicago.org

Parish Office Hours:

9:00 AM— 4:00 PM Mon, Wed, Fri
9:00 AM— 1:00 PM Tue, Thurs

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www.alphonsusacademy.org

School Office Hours:

8:00 AM– 3:00 PM

Staff

Parish Staff

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Erica Cook, Coordinator of Religious Education
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