

December 22/23, 2018

<u>5:00PM</u>		<u>7:30AM</u>	
*S. ATTONG		*J. COREY	
C. SHAY	(T)	B. FEENEY	(T)
J. LANE	(C)	D. VANDERHOOF	(C)
<u>9:00AM</u>		<u>11:15AM</u>	
*D. GREGORY		*J. DELVECCHIO	
K. GREGORY	(T)	C. LANZISERA	(T)
A. DILLON	(C)	G. SZAREJKO	(C)

LECTORS

5:00PM	A. PISANI
7:30AM	T. DOUGHERTY
9:00AM	E. PICKARD
11:15PM	R. SZAREJKO

December 24, 2018

<u>4:00PM</u>		<u>8:00PM</u>	
*J. O'DONNELL		*M. WALSH	
M. SCOLA	(T)	J. LANE (T)	
C. SHAY	(C)	J. COREY	(C)

LECTORS

4:00PM R. ANGNER

December 25, 2018

<u>9:00AM</u>		<u>11:15AM</u>	
*B. DUNN		*C. LANZISERA	
J. MACKEY	(T)	G. SZAREJKO	(T)
A. DILLON	(C)	B. BOHAN	(C)

LECTORS

9:00AM E. SCHNEIDER

December 29/30, 2019

<u>5:00PM</u>		<u>7:30AM</u>	
*S. ATTONG		*B. DUNN	
C. SHAY	(T)	B. FEENEY	(T)
J. LANE	(C)	P. FIORITO	(C)
<u>9:00AM</u>		<u>11:15AM</u>	
*K. CULLENY		*B. BOHAN	
E. PICKARD	(T)	J. DELVECCHIO	(T)
J. SAVINO	(C)	S. TINAJ	(C)

LECTORS

5:00PM	R. ANGNER
7:30AM	B. CIRELLI
9:00AM	E. PICKARD
11:15PM	P. REEVES

GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING / WE ARE A TITHING PARISH

December 15/16, 2018	\$ 6,708.00
Diocesan Assessment	\$ 2,083.00

*Eavan Jenkins
&
Craig Vallaro*



**Fourth Sunday
of Advent**

MASS INTENTIONS
OF THE WEEK

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22, 2018

5:00PM TERRI DI MATTEO
(SECOLA FAMILY)

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 23, 2018

7:30 AM BOB KAYS
(NORMA KAYS)
9:00 AM PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
11:15 AM JOHN ANDICO
(ANGELA FREEMAN)

MONDAY, DECEMBER 24, 2018

Christmas Eve

9:00 AM TARANTO & TOMMASINO
FAMILIES
(SAL TARANTO)
4:00PM TERRANCE O'REILLY
(PAT FIORITO)
8:00PM THOMAS O'CONNOR
(O'CONNOR FAMILY)

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25, 2018

Christmas Day

9:00 AM VINCENT ANSELMO
(MARIE ELENA CAULFIED)
11:15AM LOUIS ALBANESE
(BARBARA ALBANESE)

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 2018

9:00 AM CHRISTMAS NOVENA

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 2018

9:00AM CHRISTMAS NOVENA

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 28, 2018

9:00AM CHRISTMAS NOVENA

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 29, 2018

9:00 AM REV. DESMOND O'CONNOR
5:00PM CHRISTMAS NOVENA

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 30, 2018

7:30 AM INTENTIONS OF FR. MURPHY
9:00 AM CHRISTMAS NOVENA
11:15 AM PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

First Reading: Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14

Sirach emphasizes the importance of honoring one's parents. He explains that spiritual riches will come to those who are kind to their mother and father.

Second Reading: Colossians 3:12-21

Paul advises us to treat each other with kindness and mercy and to forgive as God forgives us. His words remind families to always love and respect one another and let Christ's peace reign in their hearts and in their homes.

Gospel: Luke 2:41-52

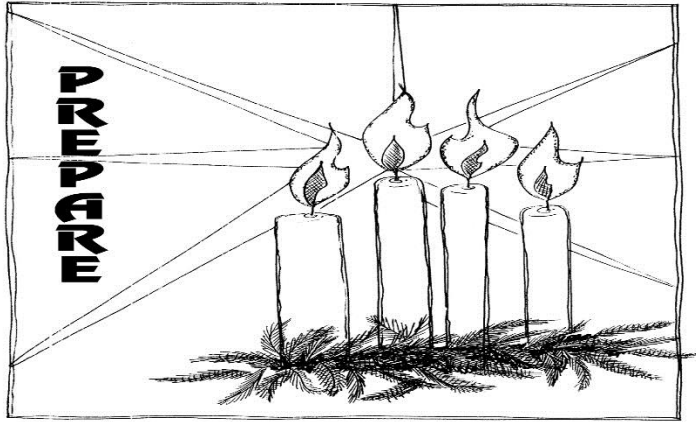
When Jesus was twelve years old, the Holy Family traveled to Jerusalem to celebrate the feast. Jesus did not return with the company. Instead, he stayed in Jerusalem, sitting among the teachers while amazing them with his understanding and questions. When found by his concerned parents, Jesus reminded them that he must be in the house of his Father. Returning together, Mary kept these things in her heart.

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Sunday, December 22/23, 2018

Fourth Sunday of Advent



“When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the baby stirred in her womb, and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit, and cried out in a loud voice: ‘Blessed are you among women and blessed is the fruit of your womb. But who am I that the mother of my Lord should come to me?’...‘Blessed is she who trusted that the Lord's words to her would be fulfilled.’”

Luke 1:39-45

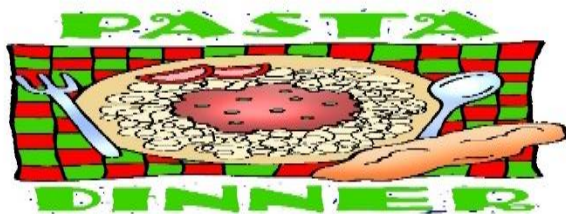
What a wonderful family reunion. Two expectant mothers meeting, greeting, celebrating imminent births. St. Luke points out the presence of the Holy Spirit, even

before the Pentecost event. The question posed by Elizabeth ‘who am I?’...can be changed for us today.

Who am I that my Lord and Savior should come to me? A loving Father saw our need, and in concern for us, sent, not the mother or our Savior, but the saving Lord Himself. How frequently we pray the words of Luke in the Hail Mary. As we complete our advent may the question of Elizabeth, and my question be answered.

As we approach the feast of the birth of Christ this week, may we live the visitation event, greeting others in the name of the Lord, recognizing His presence among us in our needy world. The two holy women rejoiced in Christ's presence, and so do we. Reflect for a few moments on the biblical basis of the Hail Mary.

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ANNUAL PASTA DINNER
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Doors open at 4pm; First Game at 7pm-
The Knights have the kitchen open for refreshments.



Pray the Rosary with us.
Wednesday Evening,
7:00pm



Please remember in your prayers those who are sick:

Wayne Dreitlein, Colleen Rutzler, Eileen Murphy, Gregory Fredericks, Catherine Dougherty, Michael and Reid LoSapio, Mary Franzese, Chuck Cogswell, Marissa Cashin, Audrey Riccioli, Miriam O'Neill, Martha Armenti, Kvetuse Dema, Barbara Keefe, Sheila & Joe Lally, Pauline Greene, Sofia Orr, Marge Dolby, Jake Grimes, Martene Errico, Matthew Adonis, Lucy Black, Elizabeth Flinn, Robert Quinn, Bernice Forkan, Larry Middleton, Pat Kirkbride, Michael O'Neill, E. Nicholas Lepore, Phyllis Brennan, Rev. Daniel A. Kelly, Elisa Testa, Bill Bohan, Barbara Roy, Carolyn Pepe, Ted Polinski, Dan Cross, Rob Gaspercic, Maggie Scola, Rev. Joseph Ferrito, Barbara Tuhy, Pamela & Douglas Franciose.

Please Note: We retain names on the Prayer List for six weeks. If you wish to have them continued after that period please call the office and let us know.

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

CONFESSIONS-DEC. 22ND, 4PM
DEC. 22ND, SATURDAY VIGIL MASS 5PM;
SUNDAY, DEC. 23RD 7:30AM, 9AM, 11:15AM

DEC. 24TH MONDAY VIGIL MASS 4PM & 8PM
DEC. 25TH, CHRISTMAS DAY MASSES -
9AM & 11:15AM

DEC. 31ST, MONDAY VIGIL MASS AT 7PM.
JAN. 1ST, TUESDAY MASS AT 9AM & 5PM.