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HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Holy Family Catholic Church is a parish of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati entrusted to the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass & all the Sacraments are celebrated according to the Traditional Roman Rite of 1962. We are blessed to have a wonderful Schola/Choir who know Gregorian chant. If you wish to learn chant please contact:

> CHOIR DIRECTOR: Amanda Gulick : 174gulick@gmail.com

Sacrament of Penance

Sun. Sat. & Fri. : 30 minutes before Mass, First Sat During the Holy Hour which begins at 8AM Any time by appointment

Baptisms, Matrimony, Sick Call : contact the rectory

Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Dec 8 Sunday Robert Reynolds + 8:00 AM 10:30 AM Pro Populo Feria of Advent Dec 9 Monday **7:00PM** Father Charles Caserta + Feria of Advent Dec 10 Tuesday 7:15AM Betty Bent + St. Damasus I, Pope Dec 11 Wednesday 7:15AM Robert White + Our Lady of Guadalupe Dec 12 Thursday 7:15AM Vera Jackson + St. Lucy, Virgin & Martyr Dec 13 Friday **7:00PM** Gilbert and Del Jenkins Dec 14 Feria of Advent Saturday CANDLELIGHT RORATE MASS AT 7AM NO 9AM MASS THIS SATURDAY **7:00AM** Marlene Liekhaus + Third Sunday of Advent (Gaudete) Dec 15 Sun. 8:00AM Joe Fradl 10:30AM Pro Populo

Mass Intentions for the Week

<u>Mass Sc</u>	<u>h e d u l e</u>	
Sundays	(Low Mass)	8:00 AM
	(High Mass)	10:30 AM
Monday and Friday		7:00 PM
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday		7:15 AM
Saturday		9:00 AM

Holy Days and National Holidays—check bulletin

DEC 8 FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION



Today on this Second Sunday of Advent we celebrate the Feast of the Immaculate Conception.

This Holy Day commemorates the fact that the Blessed Virgin Mary, in view of becoming the Mother of God was HERSELF CON-CEEIVED WITHOUT ORIGI-

NAL SIN in the womb of St. Anne. This was infallibly declared by Pope Pius IX in his papal encyclical, Ineffabilis Deus, of December 8, 1854. It is therefore a dogma of the Catholic Church which we must and can believe fully confident of its veracity. In 1831, 23 years prior to this dogma, Our Lady appeared to St. Catherine Laboure at Rue de Bac in Paris and had her strike what is now known as the Miraculous Medal due to the numerous miracles attributed to this powerful sacramental. Recall the words inscribed on it "O Mary Conceived Without Sin Pray for Us who Have Recourse to Thee". Just four years after Pope Pius' encyclical Our Lady appeared to Bernadette Soubirous at Lourdes and identified herself saying "I am the Immaculate Conception". This was the exclamation point for this dogma. Our Lady under this title is the Patroness of the USA! Let us therefore honor her and beg her intercession for our country today on this her great feast!

OUR LADY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

PRAY FOR US!!

RELIGIOUS RETIREMENT COLLECTION

TODAY there will be a second collection for retired religious in the Archdiocese. These are the priest, sisters and brothers from religious orders who gave their life to God and his Church. Please be generous. God bless you!



Second Sunday of Advent

During this time of Advent let us not be overwhelmed by the social pressures of gift buying and card writing but rather let us put Christ first. After all it is the baby Jesus' birthday we are preparing for!. Use the means to obtain what we are hoping for by frequenting the sacraments especially of Holy Communion and Confession. Spend time in prayer and spiritual reading. Prepare for His coming! KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS BUT KEEP CHRISTMAS OUT OF ADVENT!

RORATE MASS THIS SATURDAY 7AM!

This very special Sung Mass is a votive mass in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is traditionally sung before dawn by candlelight as we prepare to welcome the Light of the World at Christmas. The Mass takes its name from the latin word which begins the introit *Rorate caeli de super et nubes pluant justum*. Drop down dew ye heavens from above and let the clouds rain down the just One (IS 45:8). <u>No 9AM Mass this Sat!</u>

FSSP 2020 LITURGICAL CALENDARS

Orders can be made by filling out the form and placing <u>payment and completed form</u> in the envelopes in the collection basket. Calendars are \$11 each which includes postage.

First Communion class sign up /begin next Sun!!

Classes will be held in the Nazareth Center basement classroom beginning at 12:30 on December 15th. For those who wish to have lunch in the parish hall you may bring a family lunch with you to the hall as the children go to class. Parents are welcome to attend the classes as well. Candidates should be 7 years old before the end of 2020. Sign up sheets are at the entrances of the church. Info will be e-mailed to you.

Adopted Families — Angel Tree

Envelopes with the items listed can be found attached to the Angel Tree at the main entrance. If you can help with a gift take the envelope, buy the item, attach the envelope to the OUTSIDE of the package (gift wrapped or not) and return to the basket which will be near the tree . Gift cards in their envelopes may be placed in the collection basket. Advent is short this year so please act quickly! Thank you and God bless!

<u>Amazon Smile! Kroger, Dorothy Lane Market</u> Holy Family has recently received checks of \$240.44 and \$94.44 from Kroger and Amazon smile respectively!

As the holidays approach we ask that if you shop at any of these places please take the time to name us as your charity. It cost you nothing more but it is a free donation to us! Thank you for supporting Holy Family !

THANK YOU!!

A huge thanks to all who came and cleaned the Church yesterday! This was spearheaded by the Knights of Columbus but many parishioners pitched in to make the job more of a joy than work! May God grant his Housecleaners the cleanest places in heaven!!Thank You!

Thanks Craig!

Also a big thanks to Craig for cutting the African Grass and thereby making the church and rectory a more beautiful place!



God bless you Craig!!

CONGRATULATIONS HECKMAN FAMILY!

We are happy to report that Michael and Krista Heckman have received an early Christmas present—a new baby boy fresh from God! He is scheduled to be baptized next Sunday. CONGRATULATIONS HECKMANS AND ALL OF US HERE AT HOLY FAMILY!

2019 DRTL Advent GIVING TREE

Dayton Right to Life is in dire need of items for their baby pantry. Please consider taking 2-3 "ornament tags" from the DRTL Giving Trees located at the church entrances and in the basement. Most of the items needed are small, simple and inexpensive. You may place your donated items in the plastic bins located at the main entrance (under the table) or on the stage in the basement. Please consider sharing what you can to help mothers & their babies have a little brighter Christmas this year. DRTL has indicated that they are in desperate need of COATS for boys and girls, sizes 12months to 5T as well as BABY FORMULA (GERBER GENTLE). May God bless and reward you for your generosity!

Holy Family Finances for Dec. 1st

Offertory / Donations	=	\$5,182.86
Weekly Budget	=	<u>\$4,153.00</u>
Difference	=	+ \$1,029.86

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSJTY!