Fraternitas Sacerdotalis Sancti Petri

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:

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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. For gift cards please place them in the envelope and then in the collection basket. Advent is short so please act quickly! Thank you and God bless!

CONFESSION SCHEDULE Confessions are heard FRI/SAT/SUN: 1/2 hour before each Mass

Mass Intentions for the Week

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Dec 12 Sun	Third Sunday of Advent (Gaudete)
8:ooAM	Pro Populo
10:30AM	Vernon Moore +
Dec 13 Mon	St. Lucy, Virgin & Martyr
7:00PM	Patricia Madsen +
Dec 14 Tue	Feria of Advent
12:00PM	John Francis +
Dec 15 Wed	
12:00PM	Jesse Stefanics +
Dec 16 Thu	St. Eusebius, Bishop & Martyr
12:00PM	Thanksgiving to the Infant Jesus
Dec 17 Fri	Ember Friday
7:00PM	Dustin Conner
Dec 18 Sat	Ember Saturday
9:00AM	Urban Michel +
Dec 19 Sun	Fourth Sunday of Advent
8:ooAM	Pro Populo
10:30AM	Gilbert and Del Jenkins

Latin Mass Schedule 2021

Sundays: (Low Mass) 8:00AM (High Mass) 10:30 AM

Monday 7PM

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 12 NOON

Friday 7PM

Saturday 9AM

Third Sunday of Advent/ Gaudete Sunday!



As you can tell by the altar flowers, rose vestments and the rose candle burning in the Advent Wreath, today is Gaudete Sunday. "Gaudete" is the Latin imperative form of the verb "to rejoice". "Rejoice in the Lord always again I say rejoice". Quite astonishing are these words from today's epistle when we realize that

St. Paul wrote them from a prison cell in Rome!

The joy St. Paul urges the Philippians-and us today—to practice is the spiritual joy which comes from the knowledge that as Catholics we are incorporated into the Mystical Body of Christ whose present gifts of grace and promise of future glory are sufficient at all times to secure a ready and joyful acceptance of God's will in adversity as well as prosperity. St. Paul rejoices in prison because his chains have turned out to be the means of spreading the Gospel to others and therefore a means to his own salvation as well. We rejoice today because the preparation time called Advent will soon be over! The Christ Child is coming! Are you ready??



FRIDAY DEC 24th MASS AT NOON
CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE SATURDAY DEC 25th

MIDNIGHT MASS begins at 12AM

Saturday—8AM Low Mass

10:30 AM High Mass

(Carols Begin 1/2 hour before High Masses) Sunday Masses Dec 26th—8AM & 10:30



<u>Dec 12th Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe</u> Patroness of the Unborn!



Our Lady of Guadalupe appeared in Mexico as the pregnant Mother of God to Blessed Juan Diego, an Aztec Indian, on December 9, 10, and 12, 1531. She left a Miraculous Image of her appearance on his cactus fiber cloak, or tilma, which still exists today for all to see in the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Mexico City.

Our Lady came to offer faith, hope and consolation to the oppressed natives of Mexico and to reconcile then with their Spanish rulers by asking a church be built. She put an end to the bloody human sacrifice of the Aztecs and converted ten million natives in the next 10 years!

Let us ask Our Lady of Guadalupe to intercede for the unborn of the United States who are sacrificed by their own mothers to the great goddess of "choice"

When we fall into despair and seem to have lost all hope let us recall the words she said to Little Juan Diego -AND TO US - on Tepeyac Hill

"Listen and let it penetrate your heart my dear little Child. Do not be troubled or weighed down with grief. Do not fear any illness or vexation, anxiety or pain. Am I not here who am your Mother? Are you not under my shadow and protection? Am I not your fountain of life? Are you not in the folds of my mantle? In the crossing of my arms? Is there anything else you need?

AN ATTITUDE OF GRATITUDE

Thanks to all the ladies who prepared the St.
Nickolas party last week! Thanks to all who helped
clean up afterwards and especially thanks to St. Nick
for making the day a memorable one!

DRTL ADVENT GIVING TREE

Please consider taking 2-3 "ornament tags" from the Giving Trees located at the church entrances. Please place your donated items in the plastic bins located at the main entrance, or on the stage in the basement' to help mothers & their babies have a little brighter Christmas this year. Baby Formula is always in short supply please consider a container of formula (Gerber/Similac), as well. May God bless and reward you for your generosity!

Raise Funds For Holy Family By Shopping!

Thanks so much to all who have made Holy Family their Community Partner with Kroger, Amazon Smile and Dorothy Lane Market (Good Neighbor Program)! If you normally shop at any of these places these stores will give a percentage of your total to Holy Family if you designate us as your preferred charity. It costs you no more but it sure pays off for our parish! Please sign up for these programs. If you need more info contact the parish office. Thanks again and God bless you!!

RELIGIOUS RETIREMENT COLLECTION

TODAY there will be a <u>second collection</u> 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!

REMEMBER!

KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS BUT KEEP CHRISTMAS OUT OF ADVENT!

(Advent is a time to PREPARE for Christ's coming!)

<u>Dodd vs Jackson Supreme Court Case Please continue to pray that Roe V wade would be overturned! Although the case is now being heard the results will not be known until next year. PRAYPRAY PRAY!!</u>

