



Madison, Wisconsin

December 26, 2021

26 de diciembre de 2021

WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF

**GOOD
SHEPHERD**

BIENVENIDOS A LA PARROQUIA DE

**EL BUEN
PASTOR**

THE HOLY FAMILY



He went down with them and came to Nazareth, and was obedient to them; and his mother kept all these things in her heart. And Jesus advanced in wisdom and age and favor before God and man. - Lk 2:51-52

Welcome to the Parish of Good Shepherd

St. James Site: 1128 St. James Ct. • Madison, WI 53715 • 608-268-9930 • Fax 608-268-9929

St. Joseph Site: 1905 W. Beltline Hwy. • Madison, WI 53713 • 608-268-9930

Mass Schedule

Weekend

Saturday 5:15 pm, December - May.....St. James

Saturday 5:15 pm, June - November.....St. Joseph

Sunday 8:30 amSt. James

Sunday 10:45 amSt. Joseph

Sunday 1:30 & 7:00 pm, Misa en españolSt. Joseph

Weekday

Tuesday 8:00 am.....St. Joseph

Wednesday 8:30 amSt. James

Thursday 8:00 am.....St. Joseph

Friday 8:30 amSt. James

Holy Day of Obligation

Vigil 5:15 pm.....St. Joseph

Holy Day 8:30 am and 5:15 pm.....St. James

Good Shepherd Lay Leadership

Parish Council: Dana Maas,

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Sacrament of Reconciliation - Saturdays

9:15 am (Jan, March, May, July, Sept, Nov) at St. Joseph

9:15 am (Feb, April, June, Aug, Oct, Dec) at St. James

Saturdays: 4:30 - 5:00 pm., St. James (Dec.-May)
St. Joseph (June-Nov.)

Sundays: 7:45 am - 8:15 am, St. James

Sacrament of Matrimony

Please contact the Pastor at least 6 months in advance.

Sacrament of Baptism

Infant Baptisms will be scheduled individually. First-time parents will need to attend a Baptism Preparation Class. Please contact Gary Wiley at 268-9930 to schedule a baptism or register for the Baptismal Preparation class.

Anointing of the Sick

Celebrated individually by appointment.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults - RCIA

Adults wishing to receive the sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist or Confirmation in the Catholic Church. Call Gary Wiley at 268-9930 for more information.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Following Mass on Tuesday at St. Joseph until 9:30 am. Also, each Thursday at 7 pm at St. Joseph. At St. James, 7:15 - 8:15 am on Wednesdays and Fridays.

Vigil Light Candles

Vigil Light Candles at both church sites are \$5.00 each to help defray the cost to the parish.

Parish Office Hours

Monday - Thursday 9 am - 3:30 pm

Friday 9 am - 12:00 pm

Parish Staff

Staff schedules vary, please call ahead for office visits.

Pastor

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Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri 8:30 - 4:30 pm

Music Director

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Folk Choir Director

Merta Maaneb de Macedo...443-9488 or mertarn@gmail.com

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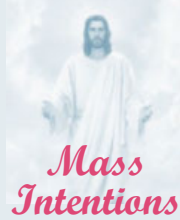
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Bulletin Deadline: Monday by 12 noon

Prayer Network

If you have a prayer concern, our Prayer Ministry team would love to support you in prayer. Visit our website www.thegoodshepherdmadison.org and click on the "Prayer Ministry" tab, or call Peg at 608-286-8871.



Monday, December 27		
7:00 pm	Misa en español	SJO
Tuesday, December 28		
8:00 am	Barbara Ann Skolaski	SJO
Wednesday, December 29		
8:30 am	Donald & Harriet Peters	SJA
Thursday, December 30		
8:00 am	Living & Deceased Members of the Bohan & Gundlach Families	SJO
Friday, December 31		
8:30 am	Reven "Jack" Marshall	SJA
Saturday, January 1		
10:00 am	Albert Ethen	SJO
5:15 pm	Joseph & Virginia Hillenbrand	SJA
Sunday, January 2		
8:30 am	For the Parish	SJA
10:45 am	Sr. Zita Simon	SJO
1:30 pm	Misa en español	SJO
7:00 pm	Misa en español	SJO

SJA-St. James • SJO-St. Joseph

St. Joseph Liturgical Roles
Sunday, January 2
Commentator
 10:45 am Janell Morehead
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion
 10:45 am Ann Tolentino
Lector
 10:45 am Carole Kinney
Servers
 10:45 am Zelie Klingele, Xavier Klingele
Ushers
 10:45 am Mike Brost,

St. James Liturgical Roles
Weekend of January 1 and 2
Commentator

5:15 pm Alex Tomovici
 8:30 am Rae Rocca
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
 5:15 pm Roxana Tomovici
 8:30 am Jim Schneider
Lector
 5:15 pm Megan Olive
 8:30 am Maureen Kind
Servers
 5:15 pm Fiona and Daphne Conner
 8:30 am Hailey and Zack Grosse
Ushers
 5:15 pm David Kastberg, Leonard Reed
 8:30 am Peter Rudd, David Schwoegler



SPECIAL: Mass for Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God (not a Holy Day of Obligation) Saturday, January 1 at St. Joseph

Commentator: Gary Wiley
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion: Cara Westmark
Lector: Dennis Ryan
Servers: Zelie and Xavier Klingele
Ushers: Mike Meton and Dick Sullivan

Scrip Sales 12/11-12:

Sales: \$ 5,925
 Earnings: \$ 269.65

Readings for the week of December 26, 2021

Sunday:	Sir 3:2-6, 12-14/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [cf.1]/ Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17/Lk 2:41-52 or 1 Sm 1:20-22, 24-28/Ps 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10 [cf. 5a]/1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24/Lk 2:41-52
Monday:	1 Jn 1:1-4/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12 [12]/ Jn 20:1a, 2-8
Tuesday:	1 Jn 1:5—2:2/Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8 [7]/ Mt 2:13-18
Wednesday:	1 Jn 2:3-11/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 5b-6 [11a]/Lk 2:22-35
Thursday:	1 Jn 2:12-17/Ps 96:7-8a, 8b-9, 10 [11a]/ Lk 2:36-40
Friday:	1 Jn 2:18-21/Ps 96:1-2, 11-12, 13 [11a]/ Jn 1:1-18
Saturday:	Nm 6:22-27/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 [2a]/ Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21

Observances for the week of December 26, 2021

Sunday:	The Holy Family
Monday:	St. John, Apostle and Evangelist
Tuesday:	The Holy Innocents, Martyrs
Wednesday:	St. Thomas Becket, Bishop and Martyr
Friday:	St. Sylvester I, Pope; New Year's Eve
Saturday:	New Year's Day; Mary, The Holy Mother of God; World Day of Peace

St. James Calendar

Sunday, December 26	7:45 - 8:15 am	Confessions	Church
Wednesday, December 29	7:15 am	Adoration	Church
Thursday, December 30	7:00 pm	Young Adult Group	Hall
Friday, December 31	7:15 am	Adoration	Church
Saturday, December 27	4:30-5:00 pm	Confessions	Church

St. Joseph Church

Monday, December 27	5:30 pm	Quad Groups	Hall, Classrooms
Tuesday, December 28	7:00 pm	Adoration	Church
	7:30 pm	Quad Groups	Hall
Wednesday, December 29	10:00 am	Crafty Quilters	Library
Friday, December 31	6:30 pm	AA Meeting	Library
	7:00 pm	Mass	Church
Saturday, January 1	7:00 pm	Mass	Church



2021 Christmas Letter from Father Dave

Christmas Greetings!

“Long lay the world, in sin and error pining, ‘til He appear’d
and the soul felt its worth. A thrill of hope, the weary world
rejoices, for yonder breaks a new and glorious morn.
Fall on your knees!” – *O Holy Night*

This time of year, I often ask children what their favorite Christmas songs are. Sadly, as time goes on, fewer and fewer answer with “Church songs.” Some can’t even tell me a single Christmas song that isn’t secular in nature. What is Christmas about? Santa Claus and gifts, it appears on the surface. This Advent we walked through the Gospel Proclamation, asking ‘What is the core of our Christian faith?’ We saw that we were created for friendship with God, but on account of sin, we lost that friendship. Through the generosity of God, He sent His Son to take on our human nature and die for us to free us from sin and death. Our response to these amazing truths are to live with faith and humility – reverently amazed at our dignity, repentant of our sins, and rejoicing in the undeserved grace that is offered to us in Jesus.

Christmas is about God’s response to our situation. As *O Holy Night* testifies, the world still “pines” (aches and longs) for a resolution to sin. When Jesus appears in our lives, we find hope and joy. We feel once again how amazing it is to be alive, to be human, to be made in God’s image and likeness and capable of a deep and intimate friendship with Him. What an awe-inspiring reality – that God loved us so much that He would lower Himself to become one of us! It makes us fall on our knees in worship and humble adoration!

May your heart find rest in Jesus this Christmas. May you rediscover your God-given worth. May you fall in love with our God. May you sing songs like *O Holy Night* with the conviction of faith and clear knowledge of the meaning of what we celebrate at Christmas.

Blessings to you and your families!
Fr. Dave

Parish Newsletter

Are you receiving the weekly parish newsletter? If not, email or give us a call at the Parish Office and let us know your email address. This is a great way to stay in touch with the parish!

Evangelization

On the second day of Christmas...

I wouldn’t be surprised that after reading the headline above, you have the tune of a certain Christmas song going through your mind. You’re welcome! Today goes by several names: the second day of Christmas, the first Sunday of Christmas, the day after Christmas, and the Solemnity of the Most Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph. It’s not often that we have two Solemnities back-to-back.

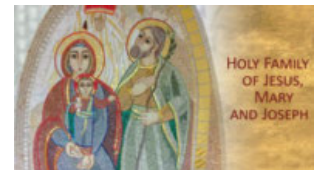
Christmas is truly a time for family. There are so many things we share in family: memories, gifts, food, traditions, and more. However, the richest aspect of Christmas that the family can share is our faith. Nothing unites us more than our common worship of Christ and our proclamation through words and deeds the Gospel of Christmas: that God became one of us, born of the Virgin Mary, and was incorporated into a family, the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph.

The gospel of the family

“To live the gospel of the family is not easy today. Those who want to defend life from the moment of conception are criticized or attacked. Yet in the Gospel we find the way to live a beautiful life on the personal and familial level, a way that is certainly challenging, but attractive and all-embracing. It is a way that still deserves to be trusted and undertaken after the example and through the intercession of the Holy Family of Nazareth itself. Every family has happy and sad, serene and difficult moments. This is life. To live the “gospel of the family” does not exempt us from experiencing difficulties and tensions, of encountering moments of pleasant fortitude and painful weakness. Families who are wounded and marked by weakness, failure, difficulty...can rise again if they learn how to draw from the font of the Gospel. There, they can rediscover new possibilities of starting over.” (Vatican News)

Prayer

Jesus, Mary and Joseph to you, the Holy Family of Nazareth, today, we turn our gaze with admiration and confidence. In you, we contemplate the beauty of communion in true love. To you, we recommend all our families, so they might be renewed in this wonder of grace.



Holy Family of Nazareth, attractive school of the holy Gospel: teach us to imitate your virtues with a wise spiritual discipline. Grant us a pure vision that knows how to recognize the work of Providence in the everyday happenings of life.

Holy Family of Nazareth, faithful guardian of the mystery of salvation: grant us a renewed esteem for silence, make our families cenacles of prayer and transform them into small domestic churches. Renew our desire for holiness, Sustain the noble fatigue of labor, of education, of listening, of reciprocal understanding and forgiveness.

Holy Family of Nazareth, reawaken in our society the awareness of the sacred and inviolable character of the family, a priceless and irreplaceable good. May every family be a welcoming abode of goodness and peace for children and the elderly, for those who are sick and alone, for those who are poor and in need. Jesus, Mary and Joseph, we pray to you with confidence, we entrust ourselves to you with joy. -- (Pope Francis, Prayer recited in front of the Icon of the Holy Family on the World Day of Families, 27 October 2013)

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Come & Behold Him!

We now are in the Christmas season. Rejoice and be glad! Many of us can enjoy a slower pace over the next week or two, giving us more time for relaxation and reflection. A perfect place to refresh ourselves and listen to God's deepest desires for us is in Eucharistic Adoration. What does God have in store for you in the New Year? For parish Adoration times, please see pg. 2 of the bulletin.



Source: The Skit Guys

Prayer for New Year

Remember us, O God;
from age to age be our comforter.
You have given us the wonder of time,
blessings in days and nights, seasons and years.
Bless your children at the turning of the year
and fill the months ahead with the bright hope
that is ours in the coming of Christ.
You are our God, living and reigning, forever
and ever.



Source: Taken from USCCB "Prayer for the New Year" <https://www.usccb.org/prayers/prayer-new-year>



We thank all the organizers and collaborators of the beautiful celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe, especially Jaime García and Angelica Ríos for their coordination leadership. May God pour out abundant blessings on them and on all the people who made this celebration possible to honor our Holy Mother, the Virgin of Guadalupe.

As we finish selling the last few bags of Pfeffernuesse, we look back on another successful year: Our Pfeffernuesse project has undergone many changes in its 45 years. We blended machine-made and rolled cookies this year – **3,125** bags in 8 weeks! One thing that has not changed is the appreciation for the Holy Rollers! Special THANKS to the crew, Bonnie Moschkau, Edward Linville, Peg Adamowicz, Wanda Behling, JP Fedele, Ron Slane, Tom Brodd, Joe & Kathy Scott, Rick & Karen Grosse, Dick & Sue Geier, Mike & Dawn Theisen, Dave Kastberg, Carol Scott, Carole Curtin, Rae Carol Rocca, LuEllen & Mike Childers, Eileen Alt, Julie Winch, Mike Meton and Charles Craig. Paul Schwartz spent hours getting the grease off 90 pans.

Are you struggling in your marriage?

Retrouvaille is a weekend retreat offered to married couples to help re-establish communication and to gain new insights into themselves as individuals and as a couple. The retreat provides tools to help couples with communication, forgiveness, and trust. It teaches a dialogue process of meaningful communication. The next retreat offered in our area will be January 7-9, 2022. Cost is \$200. Partial scholarships are available from the Diocese of Madison. Registration ends January 3rd. For more information or to register, email: 2035@helpourmarriage.org or call 414-502-7685.


RETROUVAILLE
A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

PARISH OFFICE REMINDERS

Office Closed for New Year's Eve

The Parish Office will be closed on New Year's Eve. Please plan accordingly should you need to reach the office during those weeks. Thank you. We wish you a blessed Christmas season.

It's the FINAL COUNTDOWN!

Please help us out by having all your 2021 contributions in and postmarked by December 31, 2021. This helps to provide accurate year-end statements. Any offertory that comes in the mail postmarked after Dec. 31 will be counted as 2022 offertory. God Bless!

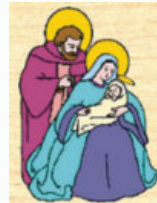
Attention liturgical ministers and servers:

We will create schedules for March-May soon. Please email Elaine Gundlach by January 1 with any unavailability during those months or special requests for Holy Week through Easter Sunday. Email: gundlea@charter.net Thank you!

Looking for a good show to watch over the holidays?

Parishioners get a free subscription to **FORMED** thanks to a generous donation. Visit signup.FORMED.org; enter Good Shepherd Parish in Madison; and enter your name and email address. Then grab some popcorn and pick a show to enjoy!

STAFF PICKS	 <p>The makers of <i>Brother Francis</i> bring you <i>The Christmas Pageant that Almost Wasn't</i> to help your children delight in the mystery of Christmas!</p>	 <p>This documentary allows Catholics around the world to unite and make a spiritual pilgrimage to the Holy Land to see the places associated with Christ's Birth.</p>
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Mass Passport Symbol Holy Family 12/26/21

The Sunday after Christmas is the Feast of the Holy Family, and it is not only a day when we celebrate Jesus, Mary and Joseph, but it is a day when we celebrate our own families as well. We can look to the Holy Family as a model for our own family life. Each member of the Holy family contributed to the family's holiness. St. Joseph was Jesus' earthly father and taught him to be a carpenter. St. Joseph worked hard to provide for Mary and Jesus and kept them safe. Mary cared deeply for her husband and Son. She taught Jesus some of his first life lessons, like how to walk or perhaps even some lessons about Jesus' heavenly Father. Jesus would have brought much joy to his parents as he grew in age and wisdom. **What gifts do you think you bring to your own family?**

Sagrada Familia de Jesús, María y José

26 de Diciembre 2021, Año C



Hoy es un día para celebrar a la familia - a la nuestra y a las familias de todo el mundo, de celebrar y gozar a los hijos, nietos y parientes cercanos y lejanos. Dios quiso nacer en una familia y por medio de ella, se nos ofrece una oportunidad para conocerle mejor y

amarle más. Recordemos que es en la familia donde se forjan los santos y santas de Dios. Y es también en ella donde están los vicios y malas acciones. ¡Cuidado padres de familia! Aprender de la familia de Nazaret es importante.

Cada día del año es una oportunidad para continuar la búsqueda de Dios, de Jesús, en nuestro hogar. Podemos vislumbrar, en la Liturgia de hoy, a tres figuras importantes del hogar de Nazaret: una mujer con su pequeño y su esposo, listos para hacer la voluntad de Dios, para orar y platicar en familia. El papa Francisco nos dice que: "Realmente, hoy es un día hermoso... hoy celebramos la fiesta de la Sagrada Familia de Nazaret. El término sagrada coloca a esta familia en el ámbito de la santidad, que es un don de Dios, pero, al mismo tiempo, es una adhesión libre y responsable al plan de Dios" (12-29-2019). Sé, y busco cuál es el plan de Dios para mi hogar o ¿ni siquiera me importa ese diálogo entre esposa, esposo e hijos? El tiempo de confinamiento debió ser una oportunidad para crecer en gracia y sabiduría en la familia. ¿Lo ve usted así? Padres de familia, la mejor herencia para sus hijos y nietos es fomentar la fe, la educación, el amor y la unidad en el hogar.

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Las conmemoraciones de la semana del 26 diciembre de 2021

Domingo:	La Sagrada Familia
Lunes:	San Juan, apóstol y evangelista
Martes:	Día de los Santos Inocentes, mártires
Miércoles:	San Tomás Becket, obispo y mártir
Jueves:	
Viernes:	San Silvestre I, papa; Víspera de Año Nuevo
Sábado:	Día de Año Nuevo; María, la Santa Madre de Dios; Día mundial de la paz
Domingo sig.:	Día de la Epifanía del Señor; San Basilio el Magno y San Gregorio Nacianceno, obispos y doctores de la Iglesia

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Pláticas Bautismales papás y padrinos:

La próxima sesión de pláticas bautismales será el 15 de Enero de 9:30 am a 12: 30pm. Llame al 268-9932 para registrarse.

Llame a la oficina para mas información sobre los requisitos para bautismo.

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Sacramentos**Confesiones:** Jueves y Domingos a las 6pm o por cita.**Bautismo:** Llame para requisitos y fechas de bautismos comunitarios.**Matrimonio:** Llame con suficiente anticipación a la fecha que planea.**Primera Comuni3n-Confirmaci3n:** Inscripciones durante el mes de Agosto.**Unci3n a los enfermos:** Llame al Padre Manuel Sacramentales**Quince Años, Presentaciones y Bendiciones:** Llame al Padre Manuel con anticipaci3n.**Horario de Misas****Lunes, Mi3rcoles, Viernes y Domingos:** 7 pm en espa3ol. Domingos tambi3n a la 1:30 pm.**Martes:** Grupo de Oraci3n 7pm**Horario de Oficina en San Jos3**

Lunes a Viernes de 8:30 am a 4:30 pm.

Horario de Oficina-Padre David

Mi3rcoles de 3:00 am a 5:30 pm.

Lecturas de la Semana**Del 27 de Diciembre, 2021 al 2 de Enero, 2022****Lun:** 1 Jn 1, 1-4/Sal 96, 1-2. 5-6. 11-12

[12]/Jn 20, 1. 2-8

Mar: 1 Jn 1, 5—2, 2/Sal 123, 2-3. 4-5. 7-8

[7]/Mt 2, 13-18

Mi3r: 1 Jn 2, 3-11/Sal 95, 1-2. 2-3. 5-6 [11]/

Lc 2, 22-35

Juev: 1 Jn 2, 12-17/Sal 95, 7-8. 8-9. 10

[11]/Lc 2, 36-40

Vier: 1 Jn 2, 18-21/Sal 95, 1-2. 11-12. 13

[11]/Jn 1, 1-18

Sab: Nm 6, 22-27/Sal 66, 2-3. 5. 6. 8 [2]/

Gal 4, 4-7/Lc 2, 16-21

Dom: Is 60, 1-6/Sal 71, 1-2. 7-8. 10-11.

12-13 [cfr. 11]/Ef 3, 2-3. 5-6/

Mt 2, 1-12

Intenciones de la misa:

Comuníquese a la oficina parroquial con anticipaci3n al 608-268-9932 para verificar las fechas disponibles y reservar su petici3n. Los estipendios siguen siendo solo \$10 por Misa.

Esta semana en el sitio San José

Lunes	27 de Diciembre	
7pm	Misa	Iglesia
Martes,	28 de Diciembre	
7:00 pm	Grupo de Oración	Iglesia
Miércoles	29 de Diciembre	
No hay clases de Catecismo		
7:00 pm	Misa	Iglesia
Jueves	30 de Diciembre	
7:00 pm	Hora Santa	Iglesia
Viernes	31 de Diciembre	
8:30 am	Misa en Ingles	Iglesia
7:00 pm	Misa en Español	Iglesia
Sábado	1 de Enero	
10:00 am	Misa en Ingles	Iglesia
1:30 pm	Misa en Español	Iglesia
Domingo	2 de Enero	
10:45 am	Misa en Inglés	Iglesia
1:30 pm	Misa en Español	Iglesia
No hay clases de Confirmación		
7:00 pm	Misa en Español	Iglesia

Misas de Fin de Año y Año Nuevo

Víspera de Año Nuevo - 31 de Diciembre

7:00 pm en San José - Español

Solemnidad de María Madre de Dios - 1 de Enero (Misa de Obligación)

10:00 am en San José-Ingles

1:30 pm en San José - Español

Símbolos del Pasaporte de Misa

La Sagrada Familia

12/26/2021



El domingo después de Navidad es la Fiesta de la Sagrada Familia y no solo es un día en el que celebramos a María, José y Jesús, sino que también es un día en el que celebramos a nuestras propias familias. Podemos mirar a la Sagrada Familia como modelo para nuestra propia vida familiar. Cada miembro de la Sagrada Familia contribuyó a la santidad de la familia. San José fue el padre adoptivo de Jesús y le

enseñó a ser carpintero. San José trabajó duro para mantener a María y Jesús y los mantuvo a salvo. María se preocupaba profundamente por su esposo y su hijo. Ella le enseñó a Jesús algunas de sus primeras lecciones de vida, como cómo caminar o tal vez incluso algunas lecciones sobre el Padre celestial de Jesús. Jesús habría traído mucho gozo a sus padres a medida que crecía en edad y sabiduría.

¿Qué regalos crees que le traes a tu propia familia?

¡Muchas Gracias!

Agradecemos a todos los organizadores y colaboradores de la hermosa celebración de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe, especialmente a Jaime García y Angelica Ríos por su liderazgo en la coordinación.

Que Dios derrame abundantes bendiciones sobre ellos y sobre todas las personas que hicieron posible esta celebración para honrar a nuestra Madre Santa, la Virgen de Guadalupe.

Carta de Navidad 2021 del Padre David

¡Saludos Navideños!

"Mucho tiempo permaneció el mundo, en el pecado y el error, hasta que Él apareció y el alma sintió su valor. Un estremecimiento de esperanza, el mundo cansado se regocija, porque allá llega una nueva y gloriosa mañana. ¡Arrodíllate!"
- Oh Noche Santa

En esta época del año, a menudo les pregunto a los niños cuáles son sus canciones navideñas favoritas. Lamentablemente, a medida que pasa el tiempo, cada vez menos responden con "canciones de la Iglesia". Algunos ni siquiera pueden decirme una sola canción navideña que no sea de naturaleza secular. ¿De qué se trata la Navidad? Santa Claus y regalos, aparece en la superficie. En este Adviento, recorrimos la Proclamación del Evangelio y nos preguntamos: "¿Cuál es el núcleo de nuestra fe cristiana?" Vimos que fuimos creados para la amistad con Dios, pero a causa del pecado, perdimos esa amistad. A través de la generosidad de Dios, envió a Su Hijo a asumir nuestra naturaleza humana y morir por nosotros para liberarnos del pecado y la muerte. Nuestra respuesta a estas asombrosas verdades es vivir con fe y humildad, reverentemente asombrados por nuestra dignidad, arrepentidos de nuestros pecados y regocijándonos en la gracia inmerecida que se nos ofrece en Jesús.

La Navidad se trata de la respuesta de Dios a nuestra situación. Como testifica O Noche Santa, el mundo todavía "suspira" (sufre y anhela) una resolución para el pecado. Cuando Jesús aparece en nuestras vidas, encontramos esperanza y gozo. Sentimos una vez más lo maravilloso que es estar vivo, ser humano, ser hecho a imagen y semejanza de Dios y ser capaz de una profunda e íntima amistad con Él. ¡Qué realidad tan impresionante: que Dios nos amó tanto que se rebajaría a sí mismo para convertirse en uno de nosotros! ¡Nos hace caer de rodillas en adoración y adoración humilde!

Que tu corazón encuentre descanso en Jesús esta Navidad. Que redescubras el valor que te ha dado Dios. Que te enamores de nuestro Dios. Que cantes canciones como Oh Noche Santa con la convicción de la fe y el claro conocimiento del significado de lo que celebramos en Navidad.

¡Bendiciones para ustedes y sus familias!
Padre Dave

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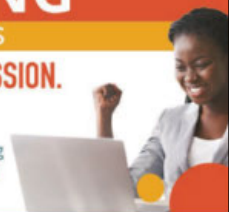
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