## St. Charles Borromeo Roman Catholic Church

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MASS TIMES Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm

Sunday

7:00 am | 11:00 am ENGLISH 9:00 am SPANISH

#### **DAILY MASS**

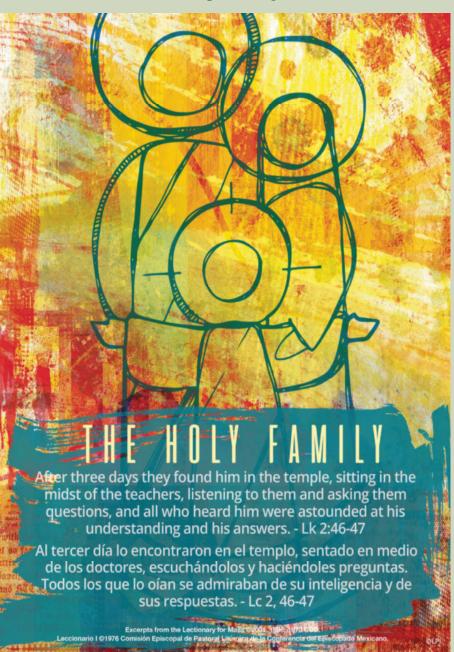
Monday - Saturday 8:00 am Daily Adoration 7:30 am

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Saturday

2:30 pm - 4:15 pm

## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Chapel located on the northwest side of the church \*access code required Contact parish office



December 26, 2021 The Holy Family 26 de Diciembre de 2021 La Sagrada Familia

Office Hours:

Monday-Thursday: 8:30a.m.-1:00p.m

623-979-3418

Be sure that you first preach by the way you live ~St. Charles Borromeo~

## WEEKLY PRAYER

#### 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

Next Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [cf. 11]/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/

Mt 2:1-12

#### **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

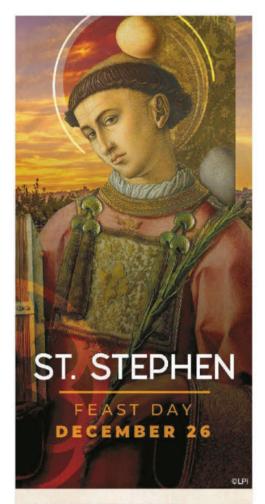
Next Sunday: The Epiphany of the Lord; Sts. Basil the Great and Gregory

Nazianzen, Bishops and Doctors of the Church

#### LIVE THE LITURGY

#### Inspiration for the week

It was the best of times and it was the worst of times. Our families can bring out the best and the worst in us. This is true of our families of origin, the current family of which we are a part, the family of our church, our society, and the like. In all of our family experiences, what stands out as our most challenging memory? Everything human can be found on the pages of family life. But there is also a Divine story to be discovered as well. When life gets difficult and perplexing, today's Feast of the Holy Family stands to remind us that it is not just by human effort that we tread treacherous waters. We have to remember and learn from the Divine effort too. We need this perspective if our love lessons are going to be learned completely and well. We are all works in progress and we all come from homes that are broken by imperfection. In whatever life brings us and in whatever family we find ourselves, may the promptings we feel toward faith and hope lead us to greater love.



#### SAINT OF THE WEEK

The Acts of the Apostles tells the story of St. Stephen, the first Christian martyr. A man filled with grace and power, he worked great wonders among the people. Some Jews debated with St. Stephen but could not match his wisdom and spirit. Eventually, a charge of blasphemy was brought up against him, and the local population demanded that he be tried and sentenced. He was seized and carried before the Sanhedrin.

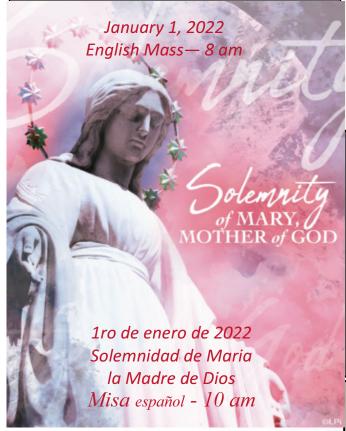
Despite the danger he faced, in front of the Sanhedrin and his accusers, St. Stephen gave a long speech about the history of Israel and the blessings that God had given upon His chosen people. He talked about how Israel had become disobedient despite God's abundant mercy. This enraged his accusers, and eventually the crowd dragged him out of the city and stoned him to death.

Even in his final moments, St. Stephen displayed great forgiveness and even asked God not to hold the sins of his attackers against them. Hundreds of years after his death, he is still a role model for us to follow.

#### Please pray for our sick loved ones. Oremos por nuestros seres queridos enfermos.

Diane Brennan, Frank Andrade, Edie Dew,
Laura Ney, Mary Behan, Yvonne Ogburn, Rick
Gonzales, Donna Pearsall, Loretta Cabanilla,
Pablo Milan, Bob Hallows, Rose Grimm, Barbara
Wright, Jesus Lopez Rodriguez, Julian Lozano,
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Diaz, Gloria Black, Stephen Kirkaldy, Dave
Martin, Jeanie Dougherty, Lourdes Alarcon
Ralph Reid, Samuel Jonguitud, Michael Thomas
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#### **Social Outreach Pantry**

6 pm Tuesday, December 28 Thursday, December 30



Monday, December 27 8 am - Dolores Lebario (+)

Tuesday, December 28 8 am - Stephen Kraychy (+)

Wednesday, December 29 8 am - Ronald T. Nagano (+)

Thursday, December 30 8 am - Demetrio Canlas (+)

Friday, Decembember 31 8 am - Socorro Camacho (+)

Saturday, January 1 11 am - Petra Dominguez (+)

Sunday, January 2 7 am - Pro Populo 9 am - Enacrnacion Sanchez Caballero (+) 11 am - Magdalena Rizo (+)

The Family of God (song lyrics)

I believe in the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

I believe in the Virgin Mary and St. Joseph her spouse.

There's one God, one faith, one baptism, one death and resurrection.

The whole family in heaven. The family of God

All who believe are family. The just shall live by faith.

For we walk by faith and not by sight, we have peace with God through Christ.

Faith comes by hearing and hearing by the Word of God. For by grace are we saved through faith we are the children of God.

Hymn Numbers 4th Sunday of Advent -12-26-21

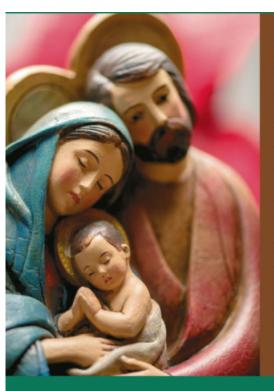
G ... Faithful Family - Not in hymnal

Ps – Psalm 128: Blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in His ways.

O ... The Family of God

C ... What Child is This #313

S ... Go Tell it on the Mountains #301



"Holy Family of Nazareth, make us once more mindful of the sacredness and inviolability of the family and its beauty in God's plan."

—Amoris Laetitia, 325

## **Prayer for Family Commitment**

Dear God our Father, you have called all Christian families to be a sign of your love to the world. Help us to be generous with the gifts of life and love that you have showered on our family. May we share them so that our homes become true signs of unitive and fruitful love.

Let us never forget to thank you each day for all that sustains us and to look to Christ, who comes to us in the events of family life, in the sacraments of the Church, and in service to the poor. In all of this, our family becomes a living expression of your Church, a hallowed home of life and love. By the power of the Holy Spirit, may all of us—spouses, parents, and children—share, as members of his Body, in Jesus' mission to build a civilization of love. Father, we ask this in Jesus' name in union with the Holy Spirit. Amen.

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### Oración por el Compromiso Familiar

Querido padre Nuestro, has llamado a todas las familias cristianas a ser signo de tu amor por el mundo.

Ayúdanos a ser generosos con los regalos de vida y amor que has derramado sobre nuestra familia. Que los compartamos para que nuestros hogares sean verdaderos testigos de amor unitivo y fecundo. No olvidemos nunca darte las gracias cada día por todo los que nos das y mirar a Cristo quien viene a nosotros en los eventos de nuestra vida familiar, en los sacramentos de la Iglesia, y en el servicio a los pobres. En todo esto, nuestra familia se convierte en expresión viva de tu Iglesia, hogar sagrado de vida y amor. Por el poder del Espíritu Santo, que todos nosotros – esposos, padres, hijos – participemos como miembros de su Cuerpo, en la misión de Jesús de construir una civilización de amor. Padre, te lo pedimos en al nombre de Jesús en unión con el Espíritu Santo. Amen.

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## A note from Father James

Once there was this family with a mother, father, many children and a grandfather. The grandfather, suffering from Parkinson's illness, would drop food on the dining table, and smear it all over his face when he ate. His son and daughter in - law considered it disgusting. Hence, one day he bought a table and set it off to the side of the dining hall so the grandfather could eat, make a mess and not disturb the rest of the family. One-day the grandfather's son came home and found one of his sons playing with a wood and hammer. "What are you making?" he asked his son. "A table," the son replies. "Why?" the father asks. "It's for you, Dad, when you get old like grandpa, I am going to give you this table." Ever since that day, the grandpa was given a prominent seat at the dining table and all the help he needed in eating by his son and daughter-in-law.

The parents of Mary raised her such a way that she became favored one in the eyes of God. Whatever she learned from her parents she shared with Jesus, her son. We do not know whether the parents of Mary were alive while Jesus was growing up but one thing is sure that He has learned from Mary whatever she learned from her parents and grandparents. Family is the basic unit of the society and family is the basic Christian community, the local church, where the faith proclaimed and lived.

We have had dedicated the year 2021 as the family faith renewal year in our parish. We conducted faith-based activities; family renewal prayer, rosary novenas and family get together. The Knights of Columbus of our parish chose each month the family of the month and recognized them throughout the year. This Sunday on the feast of The Holy Family, we will be concluding the family faith renewal year with the blessing of the families during each masses. Let us continue to renew the faith of our families and pray for each other. May the Holy Family of Nazareth be the model of our families. As Mary and Joseph were united in Christ let us have Jesus at the center of our families and parish. Thus, let us grow in Christ and let Christ grow in us and our families.

I wish you all a Happy Feast of the Holy Family.

Farther James

## Una Nota del Padre James

Hubo una vez una familia con una madre, un padre, varios hijos, y un abuelo. El abuelo, que padecía de la enfermedad de Párkinson, dejaba caer comida sobre la mesa, y se la embarraba en la cara cuando comía. A su hijo y su nuera les parecía repugnante. Un día, compraron una mesa y la colocaron al lado del comedor para que el abuelo pudiera comer allí y hacer su desorden y no molestar al resto de la familia. Un día el hijo del abuelo regreso a casa y encontró a uno de sus hijos jugando con madera y martillo. "Que estas construyendo?" preguntó el papa., "Una mesa", contesto el hijo. "porque?" preguntó el padre. "es para cuando tu envejezcas como el abuelo". Desde ese día, se le dio al abuelo un asiento en la mesa del comedor y toda la ayuda necesaria para comer al lado de la familia.

Los padres de Maria la criaron de tal manera que ella fue favorecida ante los ojos de Dios. Lo que ella aprendió de sus padres, lo compartió con Jesús, su hijo. No sabemos si los padres de Maria Vivian al tiempo que Jesús estaba creciendo, pero una cosa si es segura, es que El aprendió de Maria lo que ella aprendió de sus padres y abuelos. La familia es la unidad básica de la sociedad y la familia es la unidad básica de la comunidad cristiana, la Iglesia local donde se proclama y vive la fe.

Hemos dedicado el año 2021 como el año de renovación de la familia en nuestra parroquia. Realizamos actividades basadas en la fe, oración de renovación familiar, rosarios, novenas, y reuniones familiares. Los Caballeros de Colon de nuestra parroquia escogieron una familia cada mes y las reconocieron durante el año. Este domingo, fiesta de la Sagrada Familia, concluiremos el año de renovación de fe familiar con una bendición de las familias durante cada una de las Misas. Continuemos renovando la fe de nuestras familias y oremos los unos por los otros. Que la Familia Santa de Nazaret sea el modelo de nuestras familias. Como Maria y Jesús estaban unidos en Cristo, tengamos a Jesús al centro de nuestras familias y parroquia. Por tanto, crezcamos en Cristo y dejemos que Cristo crezca en nosotros y nuestras familias.

Les deseo a todos un feliz fiesta de la Sagrada Familia.

**Padre James** 

## LITURGICAL LIFE



#### **EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP**

**Recognize God In Your Ordinary Moments** 

All in the Family

At first glance, we can often find the image of the Blessed Mother, St. Joseph and the Christ Child intimidating — who are we to aspire to that level of discipleship? How could we ever hope to conform ourselves to that mold? Sometimes, it can even be painful — perhaps we hail from a broken family or struggle with a broken relationship within our family, or perhaps we long to be a mother or a father ourselves and that state in life has eluded us.

But the image of the Holy Family is, in reality, a beautiful invitation to us all, no matter our vocation or our state in life, and the example of Mary, Joseph and Jesus is rich with the symbolism of stewardship.

You need not be a biological mother who has carried a child in her womb to be a mother in spirit. Who in your world needs you to love them with the heart of a mother?

The same goes for fatherhood. The Church and the world are crying out for the courageous witness of Christian men like St. Joseph. Who can you love with the steadfast, selfless protection of a father?

Who in your life needs you to love them with the faithful, unconditional love of a son? Who needs your gentle and constant love as a daughter?

We are the Body of Christ, friends. Those of us rejoicing in heaven, those of us suffering in purgatory, and those of us struggling here on earth. We are the great family. Let us love each other well.

- Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

#### PLEASE CONSIDER ONLINE GIVING

Our parish is grateful for your continued support. Thank you!





## WHY DO WE DO THAT? Catholic Life Explained:

#### Question:

I have been away from the Church for a few years and really want to get active again, not so much for me, but for my children. Is this a bad reason to come back to Church?

#### Answer:

If you are on your way to the supermarket, and you are forced to detour from your usual route because of road work, does the food you buy taste different? Is the meal less filling? Are the vegetables less tasty? Of course not. In our faith journey, there are many detours called sin. Some are greater than others, some are even a bit longer. But God's grace comes to us in ways we understand and recognize and need. Your children leading you back to the Church is not as important as the fact that you are back.

This is an opportunity for you to renew, strengthen, and deepen your faith. Regardless of how we get to Church, or what draws us closer to God, the fact is we are there. Do what you need to do to get right with God and the Church. Go to confession, begin good family religious practices, and be involved in the ministries your parish offers. Be more than a lukewarm parishioner. Be the kind of Catholic you want your children to be.

Oración de Renovación de la Fe en Familia Dios Padre Nuestro, te damos gracias por el regalo de tu Hijo Jesucristo, nuestro Salvador.

JESUS, Hijo de Dios y de María, bendice nuestra familia. Inspíranos amablemente a la unidad, la paz, y el amor mutuo que encontraste en tu propia familia de Nazaret. MARIA, Madre de Jesús y Madre Nuestra, alimenta a nuestra familia con tu fe y amor. Mantennos cerca de tu Hijo, Jesús, en todas nuestras penas y alegrías. JOSE, Padre adoptivo de Jesús, guardián y esposo de María, mantén a nuestra familia a salvo de cualquier daño. Ayúdanos en todo momento de desánimo o ansiedad. SAGRADA FAMILIA DE NAZARET, haz de nuestra familia, una contigo. Avúdanos a ser instrumentos de paz. Concede que el amor, fortalecido por la gracia, resulte más poderoso que todas las debilidades y pruebas por las que a veces pasan nuestras familias. Que tengamos siempre a Dios en el centro de nuestros corazones y hogares hasta que todos seamos una familia feliz y en paz en nuestro verdadero hogar contigo. Amen.

(1 Padre Nuestro, 1 Ave Maria y Gloria..)

San Carlos Borromeo, ruega por nuestras familias

#### Family Faith Renewal Prayer

God Our Father, we thank you for giving us your Son, Our Savior Jesus Christ.

JESUS, Son of God and Son of Mary, bless our family. Graciously inspire in us the unity, peace and mutual love that you found in your own family in the little town of Nazareth.

MARY, Mother of Jesus and Our Mother, nourish our family with your faith and your love. Keep us close to your Son, Jesus, in all our sorrows and joys.

JOSEPH, Foster-father to Jesus, guardian and spouse of Mary, keep our family safe from harm. Help us in all times of discouragement or anxiety.

HOLY FAMILY OF NAZARETH, make our family one with you. Help us to be instruments of peace. Grant that love, strengthened by grace, may prove mightier than all the weaknesses and trials through which families sometimes pass. May we always have God at the center of our hearts and homes until we are all one family, happy and at peace in our true home with you. Amen

(1 Our Father, 1 Hail Mary and Glory be..)

St. Charles Borromeo pray for us.

# THE IMPORTANCE OF BEING REGISTERED!

Being a registered, active and participating member of a Parish is very important especially when you need to baptize, register for religious education classes, sponsor a child for sacraments, get married, obtain letters (letters of good standing, immigration letters, sponsor letters, letters of transfer etc.)

For parents who have children enrolled in Catholic Schools, in order to receive the school reduced Catholic Tuition Rate, your family needs to meet the criteria set by the Parish for being a registered, ACTIVE and participating member.

The definition of a registered, active and participating member of this parish includes: being registered for the minimum of six months, attend Sunday Mass regularly as well as contributing with an envelope to our offertory along with (if possible) supporting the ministry life of our parish which is a HUGE plus.

If you aren't registered, come and join our parish family by obtaining a registration form from the parish office OR if you aren't sure if you are registered, call the front office to verify.

# <u>REGISTRADO!</u>

Ser un miembro registrado, activo y participante de una parroquia es muy importante especialmente cuando usted necesita bautizar, inscribir a los niños o adultos en clases de educación religiosa, ser padrino para los sacramentos, casarse, obtener cartas (cartas de buena reputación, cartas de inmigración, cartas de permiso, etc.)

Para los padres de familia que tienen niños inscritos en las Escuelas Católicas, para recibir un descuento en la colegiatura, su familia debe cumplir con los requisitos establecidos por la parroquia para ser considerado un miembro registrado, <u>ACTIVO</u> y participante.

La definición de ser un miembro registrado, activo y participante de esta parroquia incluye: estar registrado por lo mínimo de seis meses, asistir regularmente a misa los domingos y contribuir con un sobre a nuestra colecta junto con (si es posible) estar involucrado en uno o más ministerios de nuestra parroquia, que es una ventaja enorme.

Si usted no está registrado, venga y sea parte de nuestra familia de San Carlos Borromeo obteniendo una forma de registro de nuestra oficina. O si quiere saber si está registrado, llame a la oficina para verificar.

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