

The Cathedral Community

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Cathedral Office Hours
Monday—Thursday 9:00am — 3:00pm
Friday 9:00am — Noon
We are CLOSED Mon—Thurs from 12:10pm — 12:40pm

MASS TIMES

Weekend Masses

Saturday Sunday 4:00pm 7:00am, 9:15am & 11:15am

Daily Mass

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday at 12:10pm Tuesday at 7:30am

CELEBRATION OF PENANCE

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 11:30am — Noon Friday 11:30am — Noon and 4:45 — 5:30pm Saturday 2:30 — 3:30pm

December 22, 2024 Fourth Sunday Of Advent

Praised be Jesus Christ!

Hopefully by now you know that I think the best preparation for Christmas is a good confession – clear, concise, contrite, and complete.

Here are some last-minute confession opportunities here at the Cathedral before Christmas:

Sunday, December $22^{nd} - 5:30 \text{ pm to } 7:00 \text{pm}$ Monday, December $23^{rd} - 11:00 \text{am to } 12:00 \text{pm}; 7:30 - 8:30 \text{ pm}$ Tuesday, December $24^{th} - 12:00 \text{pm to } 2:00 \text{pm}$

The true spiritual health of a parish is closely connected to the length of its confessional lines!

If you have been putting off that needed confession for years, make 2024 the year that you can always look back on and say: "That was the year, that I finally returned to confession."

In the hearts of Jesus and Mary,

Fr. Peter Van Lieshout



Christmas Mass Schedule

Christmas Eve Masses: 4:00pm & Midnight

Christmas Day Masses: 7:00am, 9:15am

& 11:15am

The Cathedral office is **CLOSED** on December 24, 25 & 26

There is no 7:30am Mass scheduled on Tuesday, December 24.

New Year's Mass Schedule

New Year's Eve Mass: 4:00pm

New Year's Day — 7:30am, 12:10pm & 5:20pm

Confessions on New Year's Day—11:30—Noon

The Cathedral office is **CLOSED** on December 31 and on January 1, 2025



Blessing of Religious Items

Blessing of religious items will take place the weekend of December 28 & 29, a table will be located in the narthex.

Please do not place any item(s) on the table until after mass and when Fr. Van Lieshout is at the table for the blessing. Thank You!

Christmas Flowers

Many Thanks to all who made a donation towards the Christmas flowers in memory of, or in honor of, a loved one. We greatly appreciate your donation for the beautiful flowers that will be displayed at the Cathedral during this Christmas season.

PRAY FOR OUR SICK



Heather Beisheim, Robert DiFulio, Heidi Erb, Sr. Joan Hilbert RSM, Jon Herron, Megan E. Miller, Gregory McCarthy, Law Meh, Irene Morgan, Janice Moroz, Sue Spinosa, Dan Stella, Michael Scozzafava, Donald Stiner, The Weierheiser Family, Joseph Whipple,

Saturday, December 21, 2024

Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18a; Lk 1:39-45 2:30—3:30 pm Confession 3:00 pm Rosary

4:00 pm Dolly Hayden—Kathy Nicastro Davide Googan—Joanna Sanguedolce Intentions of Olya Gillaspy—Parents

Jose Claudio Carelli—Family

7:00 pm The "O" Antiphon Sung Evening Prayer

Sunday, December 22, 2024—Fourth Sunday Of Advent

Mi 5:1-4a/Heb10:5-10; Lk 1:39-45

7:00 am Gerald McCabe—Paul & Kelly Gotham

9:15 am David Coogan—Family

Nick & Ann DeMartino—Richard, Muriel

DeMartino & Family

Intentions of Raymond J. Seraphin Jr.—

David Gardner

11:15 am For the people of the Cathedral Community

5:30—7:00 pm Confession

7:00 pm The "O" Antiphon Sung Evening Prayer 8:00 pm Solemn Compline w/Fr. Van Lieshout

Monday, December 23, 2024

Mal 3:1-4, 23-24; Lk 1:57-66

11:00—Noon Confession

12:10 pm Carmen Meuse—Dcn. Mike & Angela

Kristan 7:30—8:30 pm Confession

7:00 pm The "O" Antiphon Sung Evening Prayer

Tuesday, December 24, 2024—Vigil Of Christmas

(The Cathedral Office is Closed)

2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16 Lk 1:67-79

Please note: There is no 7:30 am mass today

Noon—2:00 pm Confession

4:00 pm For the people of the Cathedral Community

Wednesday, December 25, 2024—The Nativity Of The Lord (Christmas) (The Cathedral Office is Closed)

Is 62:1-5,Acts 1316-17, 22-25, Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25

Midnight Mass For the people of the Cathedral Community 7:00 am For the people of the Cathedral Community 9:15 am For the people of the Cathedral Community 11:15 am For the people of the Cathedral Community

Thursday, December 26, 2024—Saint Stephen, The First Martyr (The Cathedral Office is Closed)

Acts 6:8-10, 7:54-59; Mt 10:17-22

11:30—Noon Confession

12:10 pm Intentions of Nancy Ferrari—Family

Friday, December 27, 2024—Saint John, Apostle and Evangelist

1 Jn 1:1-4; Jn 20:1a-2-8

11:30—Noon Confession

12:10 pm Ralph Gentile—Tony & Joyce

4:45—5:30 pm Confession

Saturday, December 28, 2024—The Holy Innocents, Martyrs

11:15 am

1 Jn 1:5—2:2; Mt 2:13-18 2:30—3:30 pm Confession 3:00 pm Rosary

4:00 pm Intentions of Julie Gilman—Robert

Zimmerman

Sunday, December 29, 2024—The Holy Family Of Jesus, Mary And Joseph

1 Sm 1:20-22, 24-28, 1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24; Lk 2:41-52

7:00 am Richard Whalen—Margaret

For the people of the Cathedral Community 9:15 am

Robert & Margaret Bauer—Amy Bauer Diocese of Rochester Mass of Jubilee 2025

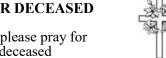
w/Bishop Matano

8:00 pm Solemn Compline w/Fr. Van Lieshout

Catholic Ministry Appeal Our Goal for The Cathedral is \$72,000

As of December 12/10/2024, we have 162 Donors who have contributed to the CMA and moving toward our goal. We have reached 91.37% of our goal. We thank those who have given generously and ask all who have not yet given, to prayerfully consider doing so. The CMA helps our Church and our parish in so many ways. Please consider all the ways that God has blessed you and your family and think how the Church has brought goodness into your lives. Join our appeal and give back what you can so that we remain strong and able to do God's great work! If we all do our part, our Community will be successful. Please make your pledge today!

PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED



In your charity, please pray for all of our deceased

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let your perpetual light shine upon them.

Parish Offertory December 7 & 8, 2024

Actual Goal Variance \$8,559 \$10,600 \$-\$2,041

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Next Liturgical Ministry Schedule

Hard copies of the next Liturgical ministry schedule for January 4 — March 30, 2025 are available and can be picked up on the table as you enter into the sacristy.

Stand Together For Life The Feast Of The Holy Innocents December 28, 2024



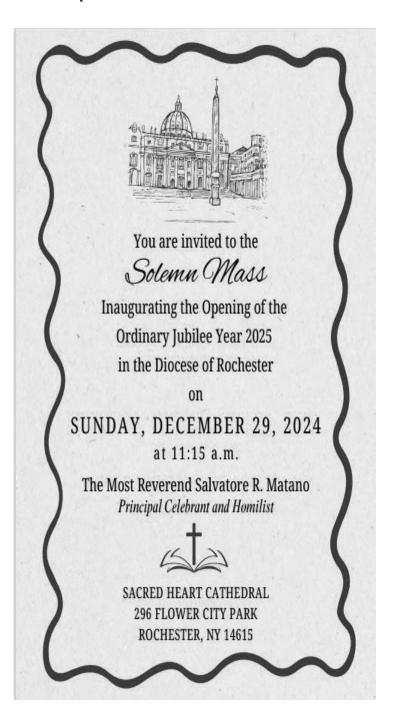
Peaceful Public Witness And Prayer To End Abortion

Address: 114 University Avenue, 14605

Rosary: 9:15 am

9:45 — 11:00 am —Featured Speaker

Pastor Jim Lagnese from Calvary Chapel Southside



This Weeks Sanctuary Candle

In Memory Of — Deceased family members of the Petrillo Family Requested by — Family

> In Memory Of — Sal Magliozzi Requested by — Capone Family

In Memory Of — Thomas Bell Requested by — Bell Family





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