



December 26, 2021
The Feast of the Holy Family
of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

This Week's Mass Intentions

Saturday, December 25 HOLY DAY

CHRISTMAS DAY – THE NATIVITY OF OUR LORD

8:00am All Souls Remembrance

11:00am All Souls Remembrance

4:30pm No Mass

Sunday, December 26

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY, & JOSEPH

8:00am James Niemczal – Family

9:30am Anna & Frank Dusel – Family

11:00am Edward Niemczyk, Jr. - Wife & Family

Monday, December 27 St. John, apostle & evangelist

8:00am Fr. Van Boven — Friend

Tuesday, December 28 The Holy Innocents, martyrs

8:00am Jack & Monica Tuck & Family – Larry &

Cheryl Jerome

Wednesday, December 29 St. Thomas Becket,

bishop & martyr

8:00am Walter, Ruth, & William Guiger – Family

Thursday, December 30

8:00am Deceased Members of the Litwin &
O'Donnell Families – Family

Friday, December 31 St. Sylvester I, pope

8:00am All Who Have Lost Faith

4:30pm Parishioners of St. Vincent's – Fr. Karl Loeb

Saturday, January 1 Octave Day of the Lord

9:30am All Souls Remembrance

Vigil – THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

4:30pm Deceased members of Sawicki Family –
Mary Ellen Sawicki

Sunday, January 2 THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

8:00am Joseph Hesse & Family – Larry & Cheryl Jerome

9:30am Richard O'Donnell – Sylvia Zach

11:00am Marie Kasprzak – Tony & Cathy Vona

NEW TO OUR PARISH?

Please contact the rectory to register as members of our parish family. We hope you will find a loving Christian community here. Letters of recommendation can be given to members who are in good standing & have been formally registered in the parish for three months. **YOUNG ADULTS** - if you are out on your own, time to register on your own with our parish office. Send us an email & we'll get you set up: svdparish@gmail.com. *Thanks!*



Your Offering for 12/12/2021 :

Sunday Offering: \$5,625.37

+ Online Offering: \$3,879.66

HOPE Offering: \$394

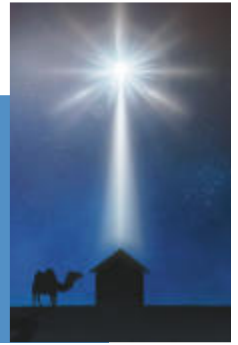
Christmas Flowers: \$408 / Immaculate Conception \$330

Religious Retirement Fund: \$1,153

Thank you for your continued stewardship to Your Parish!

This Week

And the Word became flesh
and made his dwelling among us,
and we saw his glory,
the glory as of the Father's only Son,
full of grace and truth.
- Jn 1:14



Friday, December 24

Christmas Eve Masses:

2 pm, 4:30 pm,

10 pm with Choir & Bells

Christmas Carol sing along 9:30 pm



Saturday, December 25

Merry Christmas!

Christmas Day Masses: 8 am & 11 am



Sunday, December 26

Monday, December 27

7:00 pm Society of St. Vincent de Paul Meeting - MPR

Tuesday, December 28

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Prayed after 8 am Mass

11:00 am Bible Study - Multipurpose Room

4:30-6:30 pm Eucharistic Adoration - Chapel

Wednesday, December 29

7:00 pm Men's Faith Sharing - Multipurpose Room

Thursday, December 30

*January 1st is not a Holy Day of Obligation
this year since it falls on a Saturday. We will still have
Masses, though, to honor our Blessed Mother.*

Friday, December 31 Happy New Year's Eve!

4:30pm Vigil Mass for Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

Saturday, January 1 Happy, Blessed New Year!

9:30am Mass for Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

3:15-4:15 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) - Church

Sunday, January 2



NEED A LAST MINUTE GIFT?

*What could be more meaningful, than a gift
that helps our faith grow?* Check out our parish
kiosk in the narthex for great Catholic resources! We
have an excellent selection to pick from to help you
& your loved ones grow in your Faith: CDs, books & booklets.
What a great idea for a meaningful Christmas gift!



Welcome Visitors! We are so glad you are here!

You are welcome to worship with us any time.

If you have any questions, please contact the
Parish Office. Merry Christmas to you!

Adoration every Tuesday 4:30-6:30 pm in our
Chapel. Now Livestreaming on our Facebook page
if you can't make it in person. Need more info?

Email: AdoreTheLord6441@gmail.com.



Christmas & New Year's Schedule 2021

St. Vincent's Catholic Church

Friday, December 24th Christmas Eve Masses

2 pm, 4:30 pm, 10 pm
10 pm is with Choir & Bells
(Christmas Carol sing along 9:30 pm)



Saturday, December 25th Christmas Day Masses

8 am & 11 am

No Sunday Vigil Mass at 4:30 pm

Sun., Dec. 26 Regular Mass Schedule: 8, 9:30 & 11 am

Fri., Dec. 31 at 4:30 pm

Vigil for Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God



Saturday, January 1, 2022

Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

9:30 am Mass (Not a Holy Day of Obligation)

Regular Sunday Vigil Mass at 4:30 pm

Sun., Jan. 2, 2022 Regular Mass Schedule: 8, 9:30 & 11 am



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS®

We have exciting news! We have enough interest here at St. Vincent's Church to have our own Knights of Columbus Council! We'll have a Degree Ceremony after the 11 am Mass on January 9th. Interested? Call the Parish Office & leave your name & contact info.

"When they saw the star, they rejoiced with exceeding great joy." (Matthew 2:10)

As we celebrate Christ's entrance into the world, we reflect on what it brought us all: faith, hope, love, light, exceeding joy. We wish you all of these and more, today & every day. **Merry Christmas from all of us at Catholic Charities.**



Bishop Mike Fisher has written a Pastoral Letter to us called **Our Road to Renewal: Our Journey Toward Holiness**. It is available online: www.buffalodiocese.org/our-journey-toward-holiness/ or if you do not have internet access, we printed out a few copies. They'll be on the tables in the narthex.

*On the Cover: Adoration of the Shepherds (oil on canvas),
Murillo, Bartolome Esteban (1618-82)*

Merry Christmas!

May God Bless You, Your Family,
and All of Your Loved Ones.
And May the Joy of Christ's Birth
Permeate our Beings, so We
Share this Joy with All we Meet.

Your Pastor, Fr. Karl Loeb
Deacons Bill Broderick,
Larry Eschbach, Rick Mackiewicz &
Pete Walders, Our Weekend
Associate Rev. Richard DiGuilio
All of our Staff, Ministries & Trustees

AND THE WORD BECAME FLESH



ALTAR LINEN COMMITTEE for January:
Barbara Kaczmarek & June O'Donnell

FLOWER MINISTERS for the week of 1/1 are:
Mary Rudich & Sylvia Zach



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MASS SCHEDULE: Saturday: 4:30 pm

Sunday: 8:00, 9:30, & 11:00 am

Weekdays: 8:00 am / Holy Day Vigil: 7:00 pm,

Holy Days: 8:00 am & 12 pm

CLERGY: Pastor: Rev. Karl Loeb

Weekend Associate:

Rev. Richard DiGiulio

Deacon Bill Broderick

Deacon Larry Eschbach

Deacon Rick Mackiewicz

Deacon Pete Walders



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

(CONFESSION): Saturdays from 3:15-4:15 pm,
or anytime by appointment or request.

Faith Formation Center (716) 652-7242

Interim RE Director Julie Cappello stvincentccd@gmail.com

Parish Office Hours: M-Th. 8:30 am - 4 pm, F 8:30 am - 2 pm

Business Manager..... Daniel Mikolajczyk

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Liturgical Coordinator: Tammy Stanek 799-2519

Parish office Fax (716) 655-3048

For all the following,

please call the Rectory at 652-3972:

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ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Anytime.

Call our pastor as soon as possible.

HOLY EUCHARIST: If a parishioner is homebound and would like to receive Communion.

BAPTISMS Are celebrated on Sundays at Mass or at 1 pm.

Baptism of a child is so important an event, parents must attend instruction before the Baptism.

MARRIAGES: Arrangements must be made in person four months in advance at the Rectory. Call for an appointment.

RCIA: Interested in the Catholic faith or returning to Church after a time away? We'll help answer your questions & welcome you home!

PRAYER REQUESTS: To be placed on our Prayer Lines or the Prayers of Faithful at Mass.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS... Dear Holy Spirit, Please help those who hear your call only as a whisper, that they may know that it is You calling them to service. May You fill those you call with the grace and courage to respond to Your whisper. I will pray, encourage and support those whom You have chosen for priestly vocations and consecrated religious. Amen

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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RE Office Manager: Mary Bushway svdpredoffice@gmail.com

Coming up on the Religious Ed Calendar:

Sunday, January 9, 2022

9:30 am Family Liturgy Day for FFF A

10:30 am FFF A

10:45 am Edge

7:00 pm Confirmation Class

May the Holy Light of Christmas
bring Peace and Joy to your family.
Wishing you God's Blessings and Love.

From Religious Education

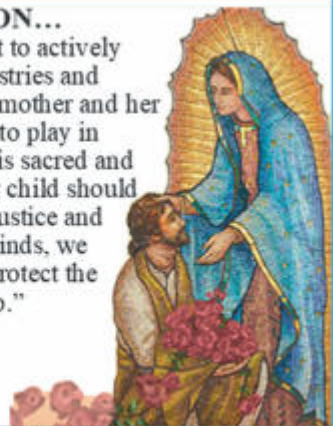


RESPECT LIFE REFLECTION...

"I encourage the pro-life movement to actively engage with and participate in ministries and organizations that support both the mother and her unborn baby... Everyone has a role to play in building a culture of life... All life is sacred and how society treats a mother and her child should reflect that truth... at a time when justice and human dignity are on everyone's minds, we should be promoting policies that protect the least among us starting in the womb."

Jeanne Mancini

President of the March for Life
to the National Catholic Register



Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Unborn, Pray for Us!

NEIGHBOR'S NEWS: Inclusive Christmas Mass on Mon., Dec. 27 at 7 pm at St. Bernadette, 5930

S. Abbott Rd., Orchard Park. Fr. Bob Owczarczak, celebrant, will offer the Sacrament of Reconciliation at 6 pm; Sr. Conchetta LoPresti, Coordinator of Deaf Ministry, will interpret the Mass in American Sign Language. The Mass will be live-streamed on St. Bernadette's Facebook page. The Mass offers a shorter, less crowded worship setting allowing for freedom of movement as needed. The lighting will be dimmer, the music soothing and low gluten hosts will be available. This event is sponsored by Open Doors Ministry which advocates for the inclusion of people with disabilities into the life of the parish. Questions, contact Sharon Urbaniak at 648-1720, ext. 3 or sharonu@saintbopny.org.

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