



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

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

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December 26, 2021



Due to early bulletin submissions for the rest of December; the Treasurer's Report for **11/12; 18/19; CHRISTmas; 25/26 & January 1/2** will be posted in the January 9th Bulletin!

Blessed CHRISTmas with a Happy, Safe & Healthy New Year to You and Your Loved Ones!!!!



Please Note that the church office will be **CLOSED** from *December 24th & REOPEN* on *January 4th, 2022*. Please leave a message if you'd like—the answering machine will be checked on a daily basis.



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**Scripture Readings for Next Weekend:
THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD ~ 1/2/2022**

1st Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6

2nd Reading: Ephesians 3:2-3, 5-6

Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12

Behold, the Magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, "Where is the Newborn King of the Jews? We saw His star at its rising and have come to do Him Homage".

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FOCUS: Lord, every nation on earth will adore you. Today's feast celebrates the revelation of the Messiah to those outside the Jewish covenant. The three Magi were among the first to recognize Jesus as King, and Tradition holds that their encounter transformed them from outsiders (Gentiles) to faithful believers who proclaimed this Good News. God desires salvation for the whole world, and we are commissioned by our baptism to bring others to encounter Christ, so that they, too, might be transformed. **LITURGY OF THE**

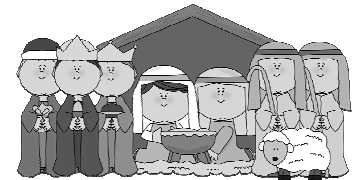
WORD: Isaiah prophesies a time when Jerusalem is radiant with God's glory and people from afar will come to bask in the light of the Lord. Paul writes that Gentiles are *coheirs* in the *promise in Christ Jesus*. In the Gospel, the Magi inquire about the newborn Jewish king. Feeling threatened, Herod asks about the child's whereabouts. The Magi follow the star and pay homage to the child in Bethlehem. (Catholic Faith-Prayers of the Faithful, 2022)

SCHOOL NEWS

Please pray for our catechetical program in the City of Steubenville/Wintersville

Our website for Info on our Religious Education in the City of Steubenville & Wintersville is available. Please check us out!!

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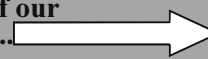
A Great **BIG THANK YOU** to everyone who participated in this years Christmas Pageant.

PSR will resume on January 5, 2022.....

See you next year!!!

CONNECT Youth Ministry ~ IS NOW ON CHRISTMAS BREAK AND WILL RESUME ON JANUARY 19, 2022!!! BLESSED CHRISTMAS!!!!

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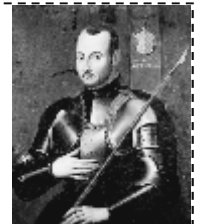
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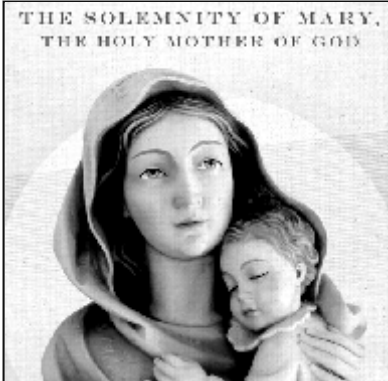
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Holy Family's ChristLife Program is preparing to start their *In-Person* session on January 13th, 2022!! Sign-up has begun & will close January 3rd, 2022. Registration Forms can be found in the back of either the Church or Malara Hall or you can register online at www.holyfamilysteubenville.com or www.INSTEUBENVILLE.COM.

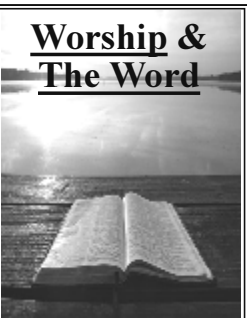


Hello everyone, please forgive me for not sitting up, but I'm so exhausted! Due to your generosity, this has been an extraordinarily busy season for baking those delicious nutrolls. I know, you're probably thinking, "Nut-Tasha, why are you so tired, since you don't do any of the baking?" "Well I'm glad you asked. Although I don't do any of the baking... being a spokes-squirrel for the most wonderful members of Holy Family's CWC does take a lot of energy... so much so, that I'll be taking the next few months off to hibernate in my tree. So until then, thank you again for all of your support & may you & your loved ones have a Blessed New Year!!!!



Please note that this **NEW YEAR'S DAY** is **NOT** a **HOLY DAY** of **OBLIGATION**, but there will be a **10AM Mass** on that day! **THE 4PM MASS ON JANUARY 1ST WILL BE FOR THE MASS FOR SUNDAY!!!!**

DATE (Wednesday): January 5th, 2022
TIME: 7:00-8:30p
LOCATION: Holy Family Church
 This is a night of *Adoration, Praise, Worship & Teaching from Scripture* along with time for personal prayer ministry. **INVITE** someone to come with you to hear The Good News and **expect to encounter Jesus!**
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On The Humorous Side ~ Or Maybe NOT
THE DAY AFTER CHRISTMAS

The Pastor was looking over the Crèche the day after Christmas, when suddenly he noticed that The Baby Jesus was missing.

Being rather concerned, the pastor called his staff to meet in the church and look for The missing Jesus. He had someone search through every inch of the manger; another frantically looking in the corners and behind the organ, up in the choir loft; while two others were lifting up and down all the kneelers and checking every pew.

After a long search without any success, the pastor brought his staff together and suggested that they go outside for some fresh air and to clear their heads.

Once they were all outside, as they were taking a nice deep breathe & feeling the warmth of the sunshine upon their faces; in the distance they began to hear a small rumbling sound coming from down the street. As they focused their attention towards the rumbling, they noticed a young boy pulling behind him a beautiful brand new red wagon. As he came closer to the group, much to their surprise, they saw Baby Jesus inside his wagon.

As the boy was coming closer to the church, the pastor and his staff walked down the pathway to meet him.

The Pastor recognizing that the Baby Jesus in the young boy's wagon is the same Jesus from the churches crèche, the pastor spoke to the boy very softly and said, "Hello there young man, where did you get that beautiful Baby Jesus?" The young boy replied very honestly, "I got him from your church." The pastor they asked, "Why did you take our Baby Jesus from the crèche?"

With a huge smile on the boy's face he said, "I prayed to The Lord Jesus & asked Him for a wagon for Christmas. I told Jesus that if He gave me a wagon, He would be The First One I would give a ride."



(May this story give Peace & Comfort to all of those who have had a Missing Jesus in their lives)



PRAYER FOR CHILDREN WHO HAVE LEFT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH:

Watchful Father, You gave me the responsibility to bring up my children in the Catholic Faith, which has the fullness of Your Son's teaching and the riches of His Seven Sacraments. I pray for my child(ren) and any person who has left the Church founded by Your Son, Jesus. May they return to the one true Church in which all are one in You. With Your Son's death, please unite my prayers, works, joys and sufferings in reparation for any of my sins which may have led anyone away from You and Your Son's Church. Through the merits of Your Son's sacrifice on the cross, may they be brought back to Jesus and His Bride, the Church. I ask this through Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You and The Holy Spirit, One God for ever & ever. Amen.

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Liturgy/Activities Schedule for This Week

<p>10AM Mass is the ONLY PLEASE NOTE</p>  <p>Mass on Christmas 4PM Mass is for Sunday</p>	<p>THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD (CHRISTMAS DAY) 10:00a—Christmas Mass/ In memory of John Cawford req. by his wife, Marilyn NO CONFESSIONS!!!!!! 4:00p—Mass/ In memory of Patsy Cifrancis req. by Mary Layman</p>
	<p>HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH 9:00a—Mass/ In memory of Nicholas & Kathryn Kaschak req. by a Friend 11:00a—Mass/ For the people of the Parish req. by Msgr. Jerry (Choir)</p>
<p>Monday 12/27</p> <p>OFFICE CLOSED</p>	<p>SAINT JOHN, APOSTLE, EVANGELIST 8:00a—Mass/ In memory of Marie Gloria Mackey (Birthday) req. by her daughter</p>
	<p>THE HOLY INNOCENTS, MARTYRS 8:00a—Mass/ In memory of Peter Sylvester (Birthday) req. by his daughter, Rita Sylvester OFFICE CLOSED NO RCIA (Resumes January 11th, 2022) NO Traditional Choir Practice</p>
<p>Wednesday 12/29</p> <p>OFFICE CLOSED</p>	<p>FIFTH DAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD 8:00a—Mass/ In memory of Floyd & Angeline Eckman req. by their niece, Carol Naptes</p>
<p>Thursday 12/30</p> <p>OFFICE CLOSED</p>	<p>SIXTH DAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD 8:00a—Mass/ In memory of Carl Rose req. by The DeFord Family</p>
<p>Friday 12/31</p> <p>OFFICE CLOSED</p>	<p>SEVENTH DAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD St. Sylvester I, Pope 8:00a—Mass/ In memory of Jane Bissell req. by Joe & Liz Loizzo</p>
	<p>6:00p—VIGIL MASS/ In memory of Carmella Baldwin req. by Rita Controguerra (Cantor)</p>
<p>PLEASE NOTE</p>  <p>10AM Mass is the ONLY Mass on New Year's Day 4PM Mass is for Sunday</p>	<p>SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD, The Octave Day of the Nativity of The Lord 10:00a—New Year's Day Mass/ For the intentions of Charles & Anne Barrett NO CONFESSIONS!!!!!! 4:00p—Mass/ In memory of Nicholas Smarrella req. by his cousin, Theresa Metcalf (Cantor)</p>
<p>Sunday 1/2</p> 	<p>THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD 9:00a—Mass/ For the people of the Parish req. by Msgr. Jerry 11:00a—Mass/ In memory of Joseph Vincent Clause, Sr. req. by Edward & Louise Lloyd, Jr. (Choir)</p>

A New Year's Prayer

Lord, You make all things new, You bring hope alive in our hearts, and cause our Spirits to be born again. Thank You for this New Year, for all the potential it holds. Come and kindle in us a mighty flame, so that in our time, many will see the wonders of God and live forever to praise Your Glorious Name. Amen.

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