

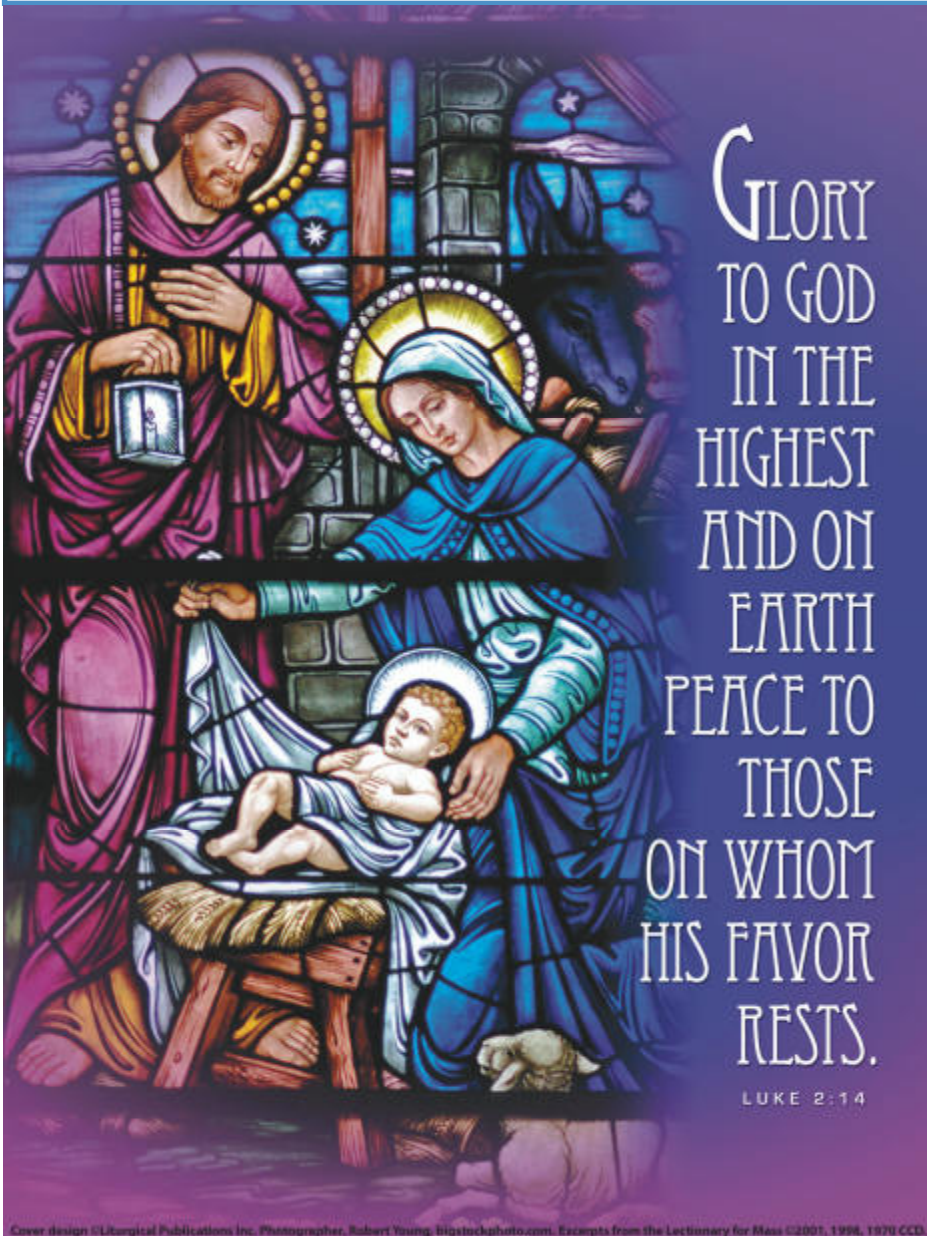


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December 24-26, 2021 / 24-26 de diciembre de 2021



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TO GOD
IN THE
HIGHEST
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EARTH
PEACE TO
THOSE
ON WHOM
HIS FAVOR
RESTS.

LUKE 2:14

This Week @ OLL...

Merry Christmas!

Happy Feast of the Holy
Family!

It is an exciting few days of rejoicing this weekend, and here at Our Lady of Lourdes we are thankful to be celebrating and worshipping with you!


We are especially thankful to those who donated to beautify our space in honor of loved ones. Check inside for a list of names. The clergy and staff of Our Lady of Lourdes wishes you and your family joy and peace! May you feel God's loving presence ever closer this Christmas season!

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A note from the pastor



Una nota del párroco

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

Around us, we've seen Christmas decorations up for weeks, even as the Church itself displayed the stark purple of Advent. Now the world is getting ready to dismantle its inflatable Santa Clauses and electric reindeer and move on, while as Christians we're just getting started. When I was growing up, my grandmother, who lived with us, would strategically position boxes around the house on the evening of Christmas Day, so that the following morning we could rush to take down all the decorations, and by lunchtime on December 26, it could look like Christmas never happened. The rest of my family fought to keep our decorations up for a least a few more days, but fighting never seemed to promote the Christmas spirit, so we gave in. But here in church, we'll remain decorated for weeks as we continue to honor the coming of our Lord among us. And I hope that in your homes, in your own domestic churches, you'll keep up at least a few visual reminders that the Christmas season continues, this year, until January 9, the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord. The significance of the incarnation of Jesus Christ isn't something we want to pack up and put away too soon. God bless you!



Hermanos y hermanas in Cristo,

A nuestro alrededor, hemos visto adornos navideños durante semanas, incluso cuando la Iglesia misma mostraba el morado intenso del Adviento. Ahora el mundo se está preparando para desmantelar sus Santa Claus inflables y sus renos eléctricos y seguir adelante, mientras que como cristianos recién estamos comenzando. Cuando era niño, mi abuela, que vivía con nosotros, colocaba estratégicamente cajas alrededor de la casa la noche del día de Navidad, para que a la mañana siguiente pudiéramos apresurarnos a quitar todas las decoraciones, y para la hora del almuerzo el 26 de diciembre, podría parecer que la Navidad nunca sucedió. El resto de mi familia luchó para mantener nuestras decoraciones puestas por lo menos unos días más, pero las discusiones nunca parecieron promover el espíritu navideño, así que cedimos. Pero aquí en la iglesia, permaneceremos decorados durante semanas mientras continuamos honrando la venida de nuestro Señor entre nosotros. Y espero que en sus hogares, en sus propias iglesias domésticas, mantengan al menos algunos recordatorios visuales de que la temporada navideña continúa, este año, hasta el 9 de enero, la Fiesta del Bautismo del Señor. El significado de la encarnación de Jesucristo no es algo que queramos empacar y guardar demasiado pronto.

¡Dios los bendiga!



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Where will you be when the new year begins? You're invited to start the year in quiet prayer here at Our Lady of Lourdes! From 8pm on December 31 to 10am on January 1, we'll have all-night Eucharistic Adoration. Take some time in quiet reflection in the presence of Jesus Christ, reflecting on lessons learned in the past year, and asking for special blessings in the new year. Sign-up via Signup Genius on our website or Flocknote.



¿Dónde estarás cuando comience el nuevo año? ¡Estás invitado a comenzar el año en oración silenciosa aquí en Nuestra Señora de Lourdes! Desde las 8pm del 31 de diciembre hasta las 10am del 1 de enero, tendremos Adoración Eucarística durante toda la noche. Tómese un tiempo para reflexionar tranquilamente en la presencia de Jesucristo, reflexionando sobre las lecciones aprendidas el año pasado y pidiendo bendiciones especiales en el nuevo año. No es necesario registrarse para una hora en particular, pero es útil para poder planificar. Regístrese a través del sitio web de la parroquia o la página de Facebook.

Mary, Mother of God (Vigil): December 31

4pm Mass (ENG), 7pm Mass (SP)

****8pm-10am, Overnight Eucharistic Adoration**

Mary, Mother of God: January 1

9am Rosary (Bilingual), 10am Mass (Bilingual)

****There will be no 5pm Mass or Confessions on Saturday,
January 1**

María, Madre de Dios (Vigilia): 31 de diciembre

4pm Misa (Inglés), 7pm Misa (Español)

**** De 8pm a 10am, Adoración Eucarística**

María, Madre de Dios: 1 de enero

9am Rosario (Bilingüe), 10am Misa (Bilingüe)

**** No habrá Misa a las 5:00pm el sábado 1 de enero.**



The parish office will be closed until January 3rd. We look forward to serving you when we re-open in the new year! Our Staff wishes you a Merry Christmas!

Laura's Closet remains closed and is unable to accept donations at this time. We are happy to receive your donations beginning January 2nd, 2022 so we can serve our community in the New Year. God bless your giving spirit!

Devolución de materiales de la biblioteca:

Durante la crisis de COVID no enviamos recordatorios sobre los materiales de la biblioteca que habían estado fuera durante un largo período de tiempo; sin embargo, es hora de hacer un poco de limpieza en la biblioteca y parte de eso es recuperar los materiales que ya terminaron en sus hogares. Por favor, eche un vistazo a su casa y si tiene algún material que pertenezca a la Biblioteca Fisher Memorial y que haya terminado de leer o ver, devuélvalo a la biblioteca. Enviaremos avisos después del primer día del año, pero primero nos gustaría pedir su ayuda para recuperar los materiales. Les damos las gracias por su cooperación. Por favor, no vuelva a colocar los libros en los estantes cuando los devuelva, deben registrarse. Hay un estante de devolución dentro de la puerta de la biblioteca, simplemente coloque sus artículos en el estante rodante. Gracias.

Return of Library Materials:

During the COVID crisis we did not send out reminders about library materials that had been out for a long period of time; however, it is time to do some house cleaning in the library and part of that is to get materials returned that you are finished with in your homes. Please take a look around your house and if you have any materials that belong to the Fisher Memorial Library that you have finished reading or viewing, please return them to the library. We will be sending out notices after the first of the year, but would like first to ask for your help in getting the materials back. We thank you for your cooperation. Please do not reshelv books when you bring them back, they need to be checked in. There is a return shelf inside the library door, just place your items on the rolling shelf. Thank you.



Mass Intentions

12/24/21: 4pm-Flo Malek-RIP

12/24/21: 7pm-Sharon Sledd-RIP

12/25/21: 10am-Ken Makoutz-RIP

12/26/21: 8:15am-Mario & Elia Arrighi-RIP

12/26/21: 10am-OLL Parishioners

*We keep these names and their loved ones in
our prayers this week.*

Sacrament Information

Baptism: For information, call the Christian Formation Office.

Reconciliation: Tues. & Thurs. 6-7pm, Sat. 3-4pm

Marriage: Couples must participate in a preparation program. Contact a clergy member at least 6 months in advance.

Anointing of the Sick: If you or a family member needs the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, please call the Office.

[After Hours ONLY in an EMERGENCY

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Holy Orders, Religious Life, and Lay Ministry: Men and women considering Ministry in the Church are encouraged to call the Parish Pastor or Deacon.

Prayer Requests

for our loved ones in the Military: Sgt. William C. Barker, Corporal Robert Beers, USAF Capt. Andrew J. Blazon, Capt. Benjamin Bonenfant, Lance Corporal David A. Carter, Sgt. B. J. Compton, SPC. Alan Crosby, Lt. Althea Flores, Msg. Pfc. Antonio A. Flores, Capt. Carlos Flores, Sgt. John M. Flores, Sgt. Lauro Flores, Lt. Roberto Fonseca, 2nd Lt. John Furr, Lt. Jonathan Garrett, Capt. Christopher-James Hart, Sgt. Paul Inoa, Sgt. MaryClaire Kocik Meisner, Capt. Morgan McDaniel, 1st Sgt. James Phipps, Lance Corporal Michael J. Riddick II, Specialist Jacob A. Capehart, SFC. Thomas T. Morton, SSgt. Howard C. Robertson, Tech Sgt. William Scruggs, III, USAF, US Coast Guard Chief Angel Semerling, BM1 Lewis Semerling US Coast Guard, PO Troy Sweeney, 2nd Lt. Claire Veillette, USAF Airman Nicholas Weggen, Sr A. Marcus Wilson, Maj. Karl Wojtkun

for all the sick and homebound: Malina Ambert, Janet Calhoun, Chuck Coley, Jon Eugenio, Marilyn Floro, Margaret Mary Geier, Jeanne Geiger, Charles Glauda, Carmen Harrelson, Chris Hartless, Betty Hott, Kyle Hungerford, Helen Koehler, Irene Lichwiarz, Paul Nitti, Petra Nordveck, David Wayne Plumket, Alice Reiter, Sylvia Roberson, Kaeden Ross, Dianne Rossell, Jen Russo, Elma Sackett, Mel & Grace Siple

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English Liturgies:

Saturday Vigil: 5pm

Sunday: 8:15am, 10am

Tuesday-Thursday: 8:30am

Wednesday: School Mass (Masks required when school is in session)

1st Saturday Devotions:

9am Rosary, 9:30am Reconciliation, 10am Mass

Reconciliation:

Tuesdays and Thursdays: 6-7pm

Saturday: 3-4pm

Adoration: Wednesdays, 6pm

Horario Misa en español:

Domingo: 1pm, 6pm

Martes: 7pm

Jueves: 7pm

Reconciliación:

Martes y Jueves: 6-7pm

Sabados: 3-4pm

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