



ST. PIUS X CATHOLIC CHURCH

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THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH DECEMBER 27, 2020

MONDAY:

- (Sunday) Mass at 9:00 a.m. for the high risk and elderly
- Rosary 3:00 P.M.
- NO HABRÁ CATECISMO.
- Grupo de Evangelización

TUESDAY:

- **RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE, 1:00-6:00 p.m.**
- Misa para personas mayores y feligreses de alto riesgo, 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY:

- **Mass at 9:00 a.m.**
- NO FAITH FORMATION PACKETS THIS WEEK
- NO HABRÁ CLASE DE CONFIRMACIÓN (virtual).

THURSDAY:

- Vigil Mass at 5:00 p.m. (English) for the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
- Vigilia Misa de la Solemnidad de Santa Maria Madre de Dios, 8:00 p.m.

FRIDAY:

- **Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God - Holy Day of Obligation.** Mass at 9:00 a.m.
- **Solemnidad de Santa Maria Madre de Dios.** Misa a las 11:00 a.m
- No First Friday Adoration/No habrá adoración del primer viernes.

SATURDAY:

- **Flame of Love HOLY HOUR, 9:00 a.m.**
- Misas de Vigilia: 5:00 p.m. y 7:00 p.m. en español.



Thank you to everyone for the Christmas gifts, cards and money. Your thoughtfulness was appreciated.

- Fr. Mario

Gracias a todos por los regalos de Navidad, tarjetas y dinero. Su consideración siempre es apreciada.

- P. Mario

BLOOD DRIVE: Our parish is hosting the blood drive and needs volunteers to help. Please contact Rita Keene, 797-5844, or Mary to volunteer. Also, there is always a need for blood, especially this time of year. Consider making an appointment to donate – you could be saving lives!

THANK YOU TO Patrick and Laura Escure, Warren and Kathy Horning, Chuck and Debbie Graaff, and the Lupe Medina family for sponsoring our 2021 calendars. Please pick one up today.



POINSETTIAS: Poinsettias for our Christmas decorations were donated in memory of the following:

Randy Weber
 Manuel and Mary Moss
 Juana Mendoza-R
 Eleuteria Olivares
 Maria Lilian Arias
 Ben Horning
 Alber and Anna Horning
 Fred and Mildred Dickman
 Janet Fortier
 Tony and Gertie Smith
 George and Doris Smith
 David and Marion Smith

Fred and Sue Smith
 Dolores and Hu Adams
 Betty and Perry Bryson
 Leonard Weasea
 Sharon Smith
 Phillip M. Ybarra
 Arnold C. Ybarra
 Dolores and Eldon Weber
 Lori Siefken
 John and Rosalene Graaff
 Tom Graaff
 Dana Graaff

George Nutter
 Merle Wilson
 George and Helen Omlin
 Ruth Flinn
 Zene and Jackie Flinn
 Her and Rose Mary Smith
 Larry and Eleanor Richardson
 Joe and Roberta Bulleri
 Agnes Escure
 Larry Omlin
 Francisco C. Martinez
 Rita Parra Mojica

THANK YOU to all those who helped in any way to decorate our church so beautifully for Christmas. Due to Covid restrictions, fewer people than usual took on the tasks of putting up the tree, decorating the church and setting up the nativity. Special thanks for Gerardo Guzman for his part in organizing the tree and nativity set up in the narthex, and Theresa Flinn for arranging flowers and the rest of the decorations. It all looked great!



CHRISTMAS COLLECTION: Envelopes are still in the pews and narthex if you haven't had a chance to donate yet.

Your offering will spread the love of Christ through the network of Catholic Charities. Catholic Charities serves those most in need throughout the lifecycle – from expectant mothers and families with young children to grandparents raising their grandchildren and the elderly struggling to live independently. Thank you for prayerfully considering a gift to your neighbors in need this holiday season. To learn more about Catholic Charities' services throughout Central Washington, visit www.catholiccharitiescw.org.

Su ofrenda en la Víspera de Navidad y en el Día de Navidad esparcirá el amor de Cristo a través de la red de servicios de Caridades Católicas. Caridades Católicas sirve a los más necesitados durante todo el ciclo de vida – desde las madres embarazadas y familias con niños pequeños hasta los abuelos que están criando a sus nietos y los ancianos que se esfuerzan por vivir con independencia. Gracias por considerar piadosamente una donación para su prójimo necesitado durante esta temporada navideña. Si desea saber más sobre los servicios de Caridades Católicas en todo Washington Central, visite www.catholiccharitiescw.org.

Did you know you can access the bulletin from our website? By doing so, you can click on the links that are highlighted and go directly to the websites referred to in the announcements.

Magnificat VIRTUAL Saturday, January 9: Instructor: P. Jaime Chacón; Clase: Ecumenismo y

Aplogética I; Horario: 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

- Enlace de ZOOM: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89090870889> ID de reunión: 890 9087 0889
- One tapmobile: +12532158782,89090870889#US (Tacoma)

Si tiene preguntas comuníquese con Valeria Flores al (509) 965-7117 o vía correo electrónico valeria.flores@yakimadiocese.org

IF YOU ARE STILL HAVING TROUBLE SIGNING UP FOR MASS FOLLOW THESE STEPS:

- 1) Go either to St. Pius X Facebook page, or our website: stpiusquincy.com and
- 2) Click on the Sign Up Genius icon.
- 3) Click on which Mass you want to attend.
- 4) Mark the dates you are signing up for and at the bottom of the page click 'Submit and Sign Up'.
- 5) On the next page enter your information, number of people, etc. Answer the Covid screening questions and click 'Sign Up Now'.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION, December 20: \$2703.00 *We have switched to an envelope mailing service. If you are one that uses envelopes, you should have received them already.*

MINISTERS FOR NEXT SUNDAY: **Lectors:** Bev McDonald; **Eucharistic Ministers:** Pat and Laura Escure

HELP NEEDED: We need more volunteers to help clean the pews after the Masses so the same ones are not doing it every week. Please let Mary know if you can help with the 9:00 a.m. Mass, or Alejandra Garcia know if you can help with the Spanish Masses.

Reflection by Scott Hahn: Why did Jesus choose to become a baby born of a mother and father and to spend all but His last years living in an ordinary human family? In part, to reveal God's plan to make all people live as one "holy family" in His Church (see [2 Corinthians 6:16-18](#)).

In the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, God reveals our true home. We're to live as His children, "chosen ones, holy and beloved," as the First Reading puts it. The family advice we hear in today's readings—for mothers, fathers, and children—is all solid and practical. Happy homes are the fruit of our faithfulness to the Lord, we sing in today's Psalm. But the Liturgy is inviting us to see more, to see how, through our family obligations and relationships, our families become heralds of the family of God that He wants to create on earth.

Jesus shows us this in today's Gospel. His obedience to His earthly parents flows directly from His obedience to the will of His heavenly Father. Joseph and Mary aren't identified by name, but three times are called "his parents" and are referred to separately as his "mother" and "father." The emphasis is all on their familial ties to Jesus. But these ties are emphasized only so that Jesus, in the first words He speaks in Luke's Gospel, can point us beyond that earthly relationship to the Fatherhood of God. In what Jesus calls "My Father's house," every family finds its true meaning and purpose (see [Ephesians 3:15](#)). The Temple we read about in the Gospel today is God's house, His dwelling (see [Luke 19:46](#)). But it's also an image of the family of God, the Church (see [Ephesians 2:19-22](#); [Hebrews 3:3-6](#); [10:21](#)). In our families we're to build up this household, this family, this living temple of God. Until He reveals His new dwelling among us and says of every person: "I shall be his God and he will be My son" (see [Revelation 21:3, 7](#)).



*Jesus, Mary and Joseph,
in you we contemplate
the splendour of true love,
to you we turn with trust.*

*Holy Family of Nazareth,
grant that our families too
may be places of communion and prayer,
authentic schools of the Gospel
and small domestic Churches.*

*Holy Family of Nazareth,
may families never again
experience violence, rejection and division:
may all who have been hurt or scandalized
find ready comfort and healing.*

*Holy Family of Nazareth,
may the approaching Synod of Bishops
make us once more mindful
of the sacredness and inviolability of the family,
and its beauty in God's plan.*

*Jesus, Mary and Joseph,
graciously hear our prayer.*

-Pope Francis

Because of supporters like you, we have raised over \$205,000 of our \$275,000 goal to support the programs of the Central Washington Catholic Foundation and Diocese of Yakima!



On behalf of the Board of Directors, we wish your family a blessed, healthy, and safe holiday season. As you already know, the Foundation had to cancel our annual Celebration of Faith due to Covid-19 that raises money to support programs and operations. The event went virtual with the 40 Ways in 40 Days to Celebrate Our Faith Campaign. However, because we have not yet met our goal, the Foundation decided that in lieu of a traditional holiday appeal letter that funds our general operations, we will continue our efforts to raise funds to support our

current programs and if you have already given to consider making an additional gift to help us meet our goal. **We are excited to announce our Matching Partner, Burrows Tractor, who will be matching all gifts (up to \$25,000) collected in the month of December! You gift this month will now go twice as far to serve the students and families of our Diocese.** Making a gift is easy. Feel free to click the button below or mail a check to: CWCF, 5301 Tieton Drive, STE F, Yakima, WA 98908

Sacraments during the COVID-19 pandemic:

- † Baptism: Contact the parish office to arrange for baptism. Fr. Mario is doing up to 3 each Sunday after the Spanish Mass.
- † Sacrament of Reconciliation: None at this time, in accordance with the decree from the Bishop during the pandemic - "Priests serving in the Diocese of Yakima over the age of 60 should not celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation with individual parishioners."
- † Anointing of the Sick: Contact the parish office
- † Weddings and Quinceaneras: Make arrangements with Fr. Mario. All events must follow the pandemic guidelines. Capacity: 30

