



## *Church of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

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### ***MASS SCHEDULE***

***Saturday:*** 8:30 AM  
5:30 PM Sunday Vigil Mass

***Sunday:*** 8:00 AM  
10:00 AM  
11:45 AM (except in July & August)

***Weekdays:*** 7:30 AM, 12:05 PM

***Holy Days of Obligation:***  
7:30 AM, 12:05 PM, 7:30 PM

***Holy Hour*** Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be held every Wednesday from 9:00 a.m. concluding with Benediction at 4:00 p.m. Private confession is available

### ***PRIESTLY, RELIGIOUS LIFE AND LAY VOCATIONS***

***If God calling you to a life of service as a Priest, or Religious, please contact Fr. Ed Rama at the Vocation Office of our Diocese of Paterson: 973-777-2955 or speak to our Pastor.***

#### ***PLEASE NOTE***

***The Sanctuary is not a place for greeting and socializing. Please show your reverence and respect for Jesus in the Eucharist when in the Sanctuary.***

### ***SACRAMENTS***

***Baptism:*** Baptisms are celebrated on Sunday at 1:00 PM. Please call the Parish Office for dates and family orientation.

***Marriage:*** Diocesan Common Policy requires that the Parish be notified one year in advance of intention to marry. Pre-Cana is also required at St. Paul Inside the Walls.

***Confessions:*** Saturday 4:00 - 5:00 PM. Anytime by request. Please call the Parish Office for an appointment.

***Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick:*** will be administered upon request prior to a scheduled hospital admission or before any elective surgery. Please call the Parish Office at 973-694-5700. All calls are kept confidential.

Bilingual sacraments are available upon request.

***Holy Family Sunday  
December 29, 2019***

**Masses for the Week**

**Saturday, December 28-Vigil, Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph**

5:30 p.m. +Deacon Joe Crowley  
by Mary Ann & Stacy Scharf

**Sunday, December 29-Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph**

8:00 a.m. Mass for the people of the parish  
10:00 a.m. +James Murty loving NJ & CT families  
11:45 a.m. for the intentions of Chris Snederker  
by Sharon & Tom Bellusci

**Monday, December 30**

7:30 a.m. +Marion O'Hare by the Manuel family  
12:05 p.m. +deceased members of the Prime Timers  
by the Prime Timers

**Tuesday, December 31-St. Sylvester I, pope**

7:30 a.m. +Fr. Tom Rainforth by friends  
12:05 p.m. +Jay Frost by Maureen Passarella  
**Vigil, Mary, Mother of God**  
5:30 p.m. +Joan Schmitt by George & Rosemary Halas

**Wednesday, January 1-Mary, Mother of God**

10:00 a.m. +Bob Mistrick, birthday remembrance  
love, Trish & Greg Frost

**Thursday, January 2-Sts. Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen, bishops**

7:30 a.m. +John Mraz by family  
12:05 p.m. +Sylvester & Joan Lombardo by friends

**Friday, January 3-the Holy Name of Jesus**

7:30 a.m. +Doug Olek by friends  
12:05 p.m. +Catherine Mattiuzzi by family

**Saturday, January 4-St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, religious**

8:30 a.m. +Jay Frost by Mary Ann & Stacy Scharf  
**Vigil, Epiphany of the Lord**  
5:30 p.m. +Angela McCluskey  
by Mary Ann & Stacy Scharf

**Sunday, January 5-Epiphany of the Lord**

8:00 a.m. Mass for the people of the parish  
10:00 a.m. +Deacon Joe Crowley  
by Janice & Mike DeBenedetto  
11:45 a.m. +Raymond Vena, Sr.  
by Jim & Laura Lampariello

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Sun., Dec. 29: Sir 3:2-6,12-14; Col 3:12-21;  
Mt 2:13-15,19-23  
Mon., Dec. 30: 1 Jn 2:12-17; Lk 2:36-40  
Tues., Dec. 31: 1 Jn 2:18-21; Jn 1:1-18  
Wed., Jan. 1: Nm 6:22-27; Gal 4:4-7; Lk 2:16-21  
Thu., Jan. 2: 1 Jn 2:22-28; Jn 1:19-28  
Fri., Jan. 3: 1 Jn 2:29--3:6; Jn 1:29-34  
Sat., Jan. 4: 1 Jn 3:7-10; Jn 1:35-42  
Sun., Jan. 5: Is 60:1-6; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12



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Over all other virtues put on love, that is, the bond of perfection.

— *Colossians 3:14*

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 4 – 5:30 P.M.**

LECTOR: Mary Ann Scharf  
SERVER:  
EMHC: Carrie Fohlinger, Debbie Bedoe, Lorraine Buczek

GREETER: Bedoe Family

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 5 – 8:00 A.M.**

LECTOR: Chuck Donovan  
SERVER: Natalia Fronc, Phoebe Nguyen  
EMHC: Josephine Robertiello, Josefina Grundtner, Phyllis Romitelli

GREETER: Cathy Kennedy, Mike Basile

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 5 – 10:00 A.M.**

LECTOR: Maria DeGrazia  
SERVER: Gio & Gayle Sanagustin,  
EMHC: Nina Bello, Laura Stinziano, Mike DeBenedetto

GREETER: Brophy family

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 5 – 11:45 A.M.**

LECTOR: George Halas  
SERVER: Joseph Palethu  
EMHC: Frank & Joanne Tamaro  
GREETER: Frank DeGrazia

**WEEKLY OFFERING REPORT**

**Dec. 15, 2019**

Amt. of Collection.....\$5,397.00  
From 100 Envelopes.....\$3,482.00  
Online Giving.....\$1,305.00

*“Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the first fruits of your produce.” (Prov 3:9)*

**Remember Annunciation Parish in Your Will**

**The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph  
Dec. 28/29, 2019**

98 (97) Angels We Have Heard On High  
477 Love Goes On  
470 All Is Well With My Soul  
570 (562) Let Heaven Rejoice

**Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother Of God  
Dec.31, 2019/Jan. 1, 2020**

84 Joy To The World  
528 (526) Let There Be Peace On Earth  
587 (596) Christ, Be Our Light  
374 Go In Peace To Love And Serve The Lord

**From the Desk of Fr. Ricardo**

Today's readings should inspire us to live out our holiness in the homes we create for our own families. Each one of us faces problems and challenges, but the way we love is the way our children learn to love and trust in the holiness of all God's family. Paul's letter tells us to **put on ...compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience**. He reminds us to practice forgiveness and gratitude. Paul's letter restates and expands what we heard in the first reading from Sirach. The family is the place where we learn to become holy.

The story of Joseph's absolute commitment to his role as protector of the redeemer is based on his willingness to be open to God's plan for his family. In this case, we see a family in crisis. An unexpected pregnancy, poverty, displacement, a flight for their lives in a foreign place, relocation in an unfamiliar neighborhood. During these difficult moments, we see that in spite of challenges, this little family ... **over all these puts on love**. This family is the spiritual role model for all families, because the thing that they get right is love.

Annual Epiphany  
Concert & Carol Sing  
Sunday January 5, 2020  
2:00pm



Featuring:  
The Parish Choir  
Cantors and Musicians

Celebrate the Christmas Season in Song  
from Advent through Epiphany!

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**January 1 Liturgy Schedule**

**Solemnity of Mary**

Vigil, Tuesday, Dec. 31<sup>st</sup> .....5:30 p.m.  
Wednesday, Jan. 1<sup>st</sup> .....10:00 a.m.

**JANUARY 1 MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

**MARY, MOTHER OF GOD**

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31 – 5:30 P.M.**

LECTOR: Mary Ann Scharf  
SERVER: Josefina Bahoy, Natalie Fronc,  
Phoebe Nguyen  
EMHC: Lou & Pat Alaimo, Maureen Passarella  
GREETER: Bedoe family

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 1, 2020 – 10:00 A.M.**

LECTOR: Eva May  
SERVER: Bernadette, Miguel & Raphael Enriquez  
EMHC: Alice Sujkowski, Alex & Carmela Enriquez,  
GREETER: Maria Villar, Nancy Pierinelli

**Memorial Donatton**

*The Sanctuary Lamp was donated in loving memory  
of +Angelo Suctella by the VanNote family.*

**Please Pray for Our Sick**

*Dear Father of love and mercy, hear our prayers for  
the sick members of ou community and for all who are in  
need:* Dave Murphy, Evelyn Boissonneault,  
Bernadette Jaros, Dora Sannasardo, Hank Os-  
wald, Fr. Dan Kelly, Msgr. Mark Giordani,  
Gianna Matthews, Jim Piatti, Don Molino, Sil-  
vio Peroni, Jim Maloy and Carl Mottola.



**BLESSED MOTHER FLOWER MEMORIAL**

For those who wish to remember a loved one at a weekend Mass, may we suggest offering the flowers for the Blessed Mother altar, which will be there for the weekend and into the week following. The flowers will be ordered by the parish and mention of the intention will be placed in the bulletin. The cost of flowers for the altar of our Blessed Mother is \$35.00. You may also donate the Sanctuary Lamp for a specific weekend. The cost is \$10.00

If you would like to donate the flowers or the Sanctuary Lamp, please call the Parish Office 973-694-5700.

**Now it's even easier to use your phone  
to give to the church.**

Go to [www.abvm-wayne.org](http://www.abvm-wayne.org) and sign up for Online Giving. Simply click on "create an account". Then, enter the needed information, and submit. You will get an email with a verification link to finish setting up your account. If you do not see the email, check your spam folder. It's that simple to give anytime and from anywhere using a computer, smartphone or tablet.



**Family Faith Formation**

youthminister@abvm-wayne.org

**RELIGIOUS ED SCHEDULE**

**December 29**

Grades 1-6: No Class  
 Grades 7-8: No Class  
 Grades 9-10: No Class

**January 5**

Grades 1-6: 8:45-9:50 a.m. class, 10:00 a.m. Mass  
 Grades 7-8: No Class  
 Grade 9-10: No Class

**January 12**

Grades 1-6: 8:45-9:50 a.m. class, 10:00 a.m. Mass  
 Grades 7-8: 6:30-8:30 p.m.  
 Grades 9-10: No Class

**January 19**

Grades 1-6: No Class  
 Grades 7-8: No Class  
 Grades 9-10: No Class

If any person may have been abused by any priest, they should immediately contact their local County Prosecutor's Office and the Diocese's Victims Assistance Coordinator: Dr. Ken MnCiel at 973-879-1489. You may also be in touch with either the Diocesan response Offices: Rev. Msgr. James T. Mahoney, Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia, 973-777-8818, ext. 205 or Sister Joan Daniel Healy, S.C.C., Chancellor/Delegate for Religious, 973-777-8818, ext. 248.

The entire text of the Policy of the Diocese of Paterson in Response to Complaints of Sexual Abuse is available on the diocesan website: [www.patersondiocese.org](http://www.patersondiocese.org).

**PRIME TIMER TRIPS**

**Thursday, April 2, 2020: Pennsylvania Amish Lands featuring "Queen Esther" at Sight & Sound Theater.** Cost is \$140 per person due by Feb. 10, 2020 and includes performance of *Queen Esther*, lunch at Hershey Farm Restaurant, shopping as time allows, taxes, meal gratuities, and motor-coach transportation.

**Sunday to Sunday, April 26-May 3, 2020: 7-Night Southern Caribbean Cruise aboard the Royal Caribbean Freedom of the Seas.** Fly from Newark to San Juan, Puerto Rico. Destinations include Philipsburg, St. Maarten, Basseterre, St. Kits & Nevis, St. Johns, Antigua, Castries, St. Lucia, and Bridgetown, Barbados. Cost of \$1,763.00 per person includes inside cabin, all meals on board the ship, morning & afternoon snacks, services of a Cruise Director, Cabin Steward, Health & Fitness Center, nightly entertainment, Las Vegas-style casino, swimming pool & sporting activities, room service available (limited hours) and port taxes. \$250 deposit per person due with reservation. Final payment due Jan. 7, 2020.

For information, itineraries, or reservations please call Eva May at 973-696-5427.

**YOUTH MINISTRY**

**Elise Rossbach 973-930-4767**

**erossbach@optonline.net**

**Meetings:** The next Youth Ministry meeting will be held on Monday, January 6<sup>th</sup>. Please join us from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the Antioch Room. All high school teens are welcome to join us.

Antioch XVIII team meetings will be held on Sundays from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the Antioch room beginning January 5<sup>th</sup>.

**Service: Frozen Food for the Working Poor**  
 Volunteers are needed to help distribute aluminum pans, lids and recipes to our parishioners after each mass the weekend of Saturday, February 1<sup>st</sup> and Sunday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>. Please see Elise to sign up. Volunteers will receive Confirmation service hours.

**Frozen Food for the Working Poor – Drop Off**

Volunteers are needed to help collect prepared meals on Saturday, February 8<sup>th</sup>, from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Please see Elise to sign up. Volunteers will receive Confirmation service hours.

**Souper Bowl of Caring**

Join us after each mass the weekend of Saturday, February 1<sup>st</sup> and Sunday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> to help raise funds for our local food pantries. Volunteers will receive Confirmation service hours.

**Events: Movie Night**

Join us for a movie night on Monday, January 20<sup>th</sup> beginning at 7:00 p.m. Refreshments will be served. All high school teens are invited to attend.

**Antioch XVIII**

March 27, 28 and 29, 2020. Save the date!

**Serving in Our Military**

With gratitude, we remember our veterans and we also pray for the safe return of our loved ones who now serve us faithfully both here and in foreign lands.

- Please keep in your prayers
- ~CPL Axsel Consten, Marine
- ~Chastity Consten, Air Force
- ~Staff Sgt. Ross Devine, Special Forces
- ~Matt Doss, US Army
- ~Sam Oswald, Air Force
- ~Lt. JG Matthew La Sala
- ~Sgt. Andrew V. Tucker, US Army
- ~Master Sgt Rick Van Eycke, Marines
- ~Staff Sgt. Christopher Whitehead, US Army

# January 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><i>All dates subject to change. Please call the Parish Office at 973-694-5700 before scheduling any events.</i></p>	<p>Society for the Poor "Faithfull" Food Drive Jan. 11/12 &amp; 18/19</p>		<p><b>1</b> <i>Mary, Mother of God</i> ~Mass 10:00 a.m. ~Office closed</p>	<p><b>2</b> ~Choir rehearsal 5:30 p.m. church</p>	<p><b>3</b></p>	<p><b>4</b> ~Confession 4-5 p.m.</p>
<p><b>5</b> <i>Epiphany of the Lord</i> ~Gr. 1-6 RE 8:45 a.m. ~Society for the Poor mtg. 11:00 a.m. classroom 6 ~Knights of Columbus mtg. 11:15 a.m. classroom 7 ~Epiphany concert 2:00 p.m. church ~Antioch Team mtg. 4:00-6:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>6</b> ~Bible Study: Psalms: the School of Prayer 7:00 p.m. community room ~Youth Ministry mtg. 7:00-8:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>7</b> ~Bible Study: Psalms: the School of Prayer 10:00 a.m. community room ~Staff mtg. 4:30 p.m. Parish Office</p>	<p><b>8</b> ~Holy Hour 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Chapel</p>	<p><b>9</b> ~Choir rehearsal 5:30 p.m. church</p>	<p><b>10</b> ~Appreciation Party 7:00-11:00 p.m. community room</p>	<p><b>11</b> ~Stray Day 9:15-11:30 a.m. ~Confession 4-5 p.m.</p>
<p><b>12</b> <i>Baptism of the Lord</i> ~Gr. 1-6 RE 8:45 a.m. ~Antioch Team mtg. 4:00-6:00 p.m. ~Gr. 7-8 Class 6:30-8:30 p.m.</p> <p>Diocesan Assessment</p>	<p><b>13</b> ~Bible Study: Psalms: the School of Prayer 7:00 p.m. community room</p>	<p><b>14</b> ~Bible Study: Psalms: the School of Prayer 10:00 a.m. community room</p>	<p><b>15</b> ~Holy Hour 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Chapel ~Women's Bible Study 9:45-11:45 a.m. community room</p>	<p><b>16</b> ~Choir rehearsal 5:30 p.m. church</p>	<p><b>17</b></p>	<p><b>18</b> ~Confession 4-5 p.m.</p>
<p><b>19</b> <i>2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> ~No Rel. Ed. classes ~Knights of Columbus mtg. 11:15 a.m. classroom 7 ~Antioch Team mtg. 4:00-6:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>20</b> <i>Martin Luther King</i> ~Office closed ~Bible Study: Psalms: the School of Prayer 7:00 p.m. community room ~Youth Ministry Movie Night 7:00-8:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>21</b> ~Bible Study: Psalms: the School of Prayer 10:00 a.m. community room</p>	<p><b>22</b> ~Holy Hour 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Chapel</p>	<p><b>23</b> ~Choir rehearsal 5:30 p.m. church</p>	<p><b>24</b></p>	<p><b>25</b> ~Confession 4-5 p.m.</p>
<p><b>26</b> <i>3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> ~Gr. 1-6 RE 8:45 a.m. ~Gr. 2 parent mtg. 9:00 a.m. ~K/C "Your Choice" breakfast ~Antioch Team mtg. 4:00-6:00 p.m. ~Gr. 7-10 Class 6:30-8:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>27</b> ~Bible Study: Psalms: the School of Prayer 7:00 p.m. community room</p>	<p><b>28</b> ~Bible Study: Psalms: the School of Prayer 10:00 a.m. community room ~Finance Com mtg. 7:00 p.m. Parish Office</p>	<p><b>29</b> ~Holy Hour 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Chapel ~Women's Bible Study 9:45-11:45 a.m. community room</p>	<p><b>30</b> ~Choir rehearsal 5:30 p.m. church</p>	<p><b>31</b> ~Prime Timers Mass/mtg. 12:05 p.m. Chapel/community room</p>	