



**Masses For The Week**

- Sat. Dec. 25 - The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas)**  
9:00 AM David Giffin  
(Don & Roberta Vasko)
- Sun. Dec. 26 - The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph**  
8:00 AM Debra Carpenter  
(Dan Robers)  
10:00 AM People of the Parish
- Mon. Dec. 27 - St. John**  
8:00 AM No Mass
- Tues. Dec. 28 - The Holy Innocents**  
8:00 AM TBA
- Weds. Dec. 29**  
10:00 AM No Mass
- Thur. Dec. 30**  
8:00 AM TBA
- Fri. Dec. 31 - Vigil of Solemnity of Mary**  
4:00 PM John Kuhn  
(Jim & Claudia)
- Sat. Jan. 1 - Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God**  
5:00 PM No Mass
- Sun. Jan. 2 - The Epiphany of the Lord**  
8:00 AM Michael & Susan Schulze  
10:00 AM People of the Parish



Your prayers are asked for the following people:

12-26-21	Lector	Ushers	Extraordinary Ministers	Rosary Leaders
5:00 PM	B. Hogon	R. Janey, B. Miller, J. Pompey, M. Cassidy	D. Vasko, R. Peterson	No Rosary Today
8:00 AM	C. Robers	C. Robers, E. Bachmann, K. Kerns, J. Shaben, S. Saving	D. Duclos, K. Kerns	No Rosary Today
10:00 AM	D. Robers	B. Avery, H. Sheets, R. Beiter, M. Poindexter, K. Geiger	C. Shelton, J. Lanning	No Rosary Today

01-02-21	Lector	Ushers	Extraordinary Ministers	Rosary Leaders
5:00 PM	No Mass			
8:00 AM	K. Kerns	C. Robers, E. Bachmann, K. Kerns, J. Shaben, S. Saving	Dcn. Robers, D. Sevcik	T. Peterson
10:00 AM	L. Lanning	B. Avery, H. Sheets, R. Beiter, M. Poindexter, K. Geiger	C. Shelton, D. Robers	Fr. Maroon, J. Maroon

**General List**

- Chad Allberry  
Ray Beaulieu  
Jamie Banik  
Bill Brown  
Ed Brown  
Betty Cagg  
Bob Cassady, Jr.  
Hannah Colliton  
Donna Sue Dougherty  
Martha England  
Mary Lee England  
Ron Fannon  
Dan Frazier  
Lily Gay  
Jim Helber  
Mary Helber  
Nathaniel Hensley  
Joseph Howdyshell  
David Inboden  
Marley Jones  
Chris Kilburn  
Margaret Krannitz  
Tina Lindsay  
Brad Lyman
- Judy Maniskas  
Ike Mellinger  
Lynda Mellinger  
Matthew Mellinger  
Jo Ann Murtha  
Penny Nihiser  
Sarah Oaks  
Rita Pompey  
Dorothy Rardain  
Becky Raybourne  
Barbara Rogers  
Ann Sauers  
Matt Schmeltzer  
Regina Schooley  
Alicia Slatzer  
Butch Sprinkle  
Freddie Sprinkle  
Shirley Switzer  
Dan Tharp  
Regina Tharp  
Fred Vaughan  
Rick Visintine  
Quentin Waid  
Nancy Willard

**Nursing Home/  
Shut-in List:**

- Linda Johnson  
Rosie Labrador  
Vicky McNamee  
Kay Peterson  
Jo Proctor  
Teresa Szymczak

To  
place/remove a  
name on the  
prayer list, call  
Church Office.

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**

- Mon.** 6:00 pm St. Vincent Food Pantry  
7:30 pm Knights Christmas Dinner
- Wed.** 6:30 pm Boy Scout/Cub Scout Meetings
- Thurs.** 6:00 pm St. Vincent Food Pantry
- Sat.** Rosary (after Mass)

**Church Cleaning  
January 1, 2021**

*Happy New Year!*

**The Church Office** will be closed on Monday, December 27, and on Friday, December 31, for the Christmas/New Year's holidays.

**Rosary:** Please note that there will be no Rosary recitation after the Masses this weekend. It will resume next weekend.

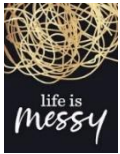
# THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

## IN OUR PARISH

**This Week's Mass Schedule:** Please note that it had not been decided at the time of the sending of this bulletin whether there will be weekday Masses on Tues. (Dec. 28) or Thurs. (Dec. 30). There will not be Mass on Weds. (Dec. 29). For the holy day of the Solemnity of Mary, we will have Mass on Fri. (Dec. 31), but will not have any Mass on Sat. (Jan. 1). (As a side note, whenever a solemnity falls on a Saturday or a Monday, the faithful are encouraged to attend Mass for the holy day, but are not obliged.)

**Thank You** to all of you who helped with Christmas preparations in any way (at the school or the church). Thank you also to those who sent cards or gifts and for any other kindness provided to our staff here at St. John. May your New Year be filled with peace and health!

**Angel Tree:** Thank you to all who donated a gift to Angel Tree. All of the gifts were distributed and appreciated. God bless you for your generosity! - Dcn. Don Robers



**Our Knights of Columbus Council** is providing free books to the parish. If you haven't already done so, please pick up a copy of "Life is Messy" by Matthew Kelly for your family as our Christmas gift to you. - Knights of Columbus, Council 2299

**The Knights of Columbus Council 2299** will be holding a post-Christmas dinner for all Knights members this Monday, Dec. 27, at 7:30 p.m. The council will be providing ham loaf and asks that all members bring a covered dish. Plan for a fun night of good food and socialization. Contact Tim Roberts for more information.



**Poinsettia Donations:** The list of those who donated money toward the Christmas poinsettias in memory of loved ones are near the bulletins for those who wish to have a copy.

**Those wishing** to make a year-end offering for the parish may do so by placing a marked envelope in the collection basket. These are deductible in accord with U.S. tax regulations.

**Tax Statements for 2021:** If you need a statement for tax purposes, please let the secretary at the church office know, as we are only printing statements for those who request a copy.



**The Catholic Foundation** recently awarded our 'We Are Friends' group a monetary grant of \$4,000.00 for continuing its ministry. We are grateful to The Catholic Foundation and to the many donors who made this grant possible. The Catholic Foundation is committed to touching the lives of the poor and hungry, the homeless, the imprisoned, and those wanting to live a life in Jesus Christ. If you are interested in donating toward this non-profit organization or would like more information about the work that they do, please call James Anzelmo at 614-443-8893



**Janice Paris** was baptized here on December 11, 2021. She was confirmed on December 12, 2021. We welcome her into the Church and into our parish.

## IN OUR DEANERY



**Surviving Divorce Program - St. Mary, Lancaster:** St. Mary of the Assumption Church in Lancaster is pleased to announce a new ministry that will bring hope and healing to men and women who have experienced the pain and loneliness of a broken marriage. The 12-week *Surviving Divorce* program by Ascension Press is based on the teachings of the Catholic Church and is for the newly-separated/divorced and for those still struggling with issues many years later. The program will be facilitated by Rebecca Hubert and Kristin Garrabrant. The cost of the program is \$20, which covers the cost of the *Surviving Divorce* Personal Guide. For an optimal program experience, there will be a minimum of 5 and maximum of 20 participants. The program will take place every Wednesday, January 19 – April 6, from 6:30-8:00 p.m. in the St. Mary Spirit Center. For inquiries and to register, e-mail Kristin Garrabrant at [kcgarrabrant@gmail.com](mailto:kcgarrabrant@gmail.com). Registration deadline: January 12th.

## IN OUR DIOCESE



**Catholic Man of the Year:** The Catholic Men's Luncheon Club is accepting nominations for the Diocese of Columbus 2022 Catholic Man of the Year. The award will be presented on Friday, February 4, 2022 at the Men's Luncheon held at St. Patrick Church in downtown Columbus. Nominations accepted through December 31<sup>st</sup>. For more info. and the nomination form, go to [catholicmensministry.com/catholic-man-of-the-year](http://catholicmensministry.com/catholic-man-of-the-year).

**Catholic Men's & Women's Conferences:** The Catholic Women's Conference will be held on Saturday, February 19 at the Ohio Expo Center. The Catholic Men's Conference will be held on Saturday, February 26, also at the Ohio Expo Center. More information on these events will be available in the Vestibule in future bulletins.



**Nativities Display at Maria Stein Shrine:** A collection of over 75 nativities from around the world is being displayed at Maria Stein Shrine, 2291 St. Johns Rd, Maria Stein, OH. This event runs through January 9th during normal shrine hours. Free and open to the public.



**SPONSOR OF THE WEEK:** Society of St. Vincent de Paul