

MASS INTENTIONS



Saturday, November 30	St. Andrew
5:00pm Spec. Int. Jim & Delores Harrison 50 th Wedding Anniversary	
6:45pm at Prison	People of the Parish
Sunday, December 1	First Sunday of Advent
8:30am	+Catherine Vonderahe (Mason Family)
11:00am	+Jerri Nardone (Annetta & Bob Zeman)
Monday, December 2	Advent Weekday
8:00am	+Betty Blubaugh (Connie Leach)
Tuesday, December 3	St. Francis Xavier
8:00am	+Harry Smith (Tom & Mary Pat Tarp)
Wednesday, December 4	St. John Damascene
8:00am	+Erik Falasca (Mom)
Thursday, December 5	Advent Weekday
9:00am	+Sully Caradonna (Caradonna Family)
Friday, December 6	St. Nicholas
8:00am	+Tom Drought (Drought Family)
Saturday, December 7	St. Ambrose
5:00pm	+Pat Jeany (Joe & Patty Rossetti)
6:45pm at Prison	People of the Parish
Sunday, December 8	Second Sunday of Advent
8:30am	+Robert C. Leach & Anthony Southall (Connie Leach)
11:00am	+Armando Falasca (Angelo Ciotola)

**Gifts for God
NOVEMBER 23-24, 2019**

100 Envelopes; 811 Issued.....	\$3,243.00
21 Loose Checks	2,230.00
Loose Cash.....	504.00
TOTAL.....	\$5,977.00
Campaign for Human Development Collection	\$1,253.00

Thanks to all who support the work of God

2019 BAA Parish Goal: \$75,000
 Pledged: \$75,284
 Paid: \$55,696
 Pledge Balance: \$19,588
 No. Pledges: 161 (of 802 Households)
 Average Pledge: \$468
 % of Families Giving: 20%
 % of Families w/no Gift: 80%

FEASTS OF OUR LADY IN DECEMBER

Our Blessed Mother Mary, under the title: "The Immaculate Conception" is patroness of the United States of America. Therefore, that feast day is **ALWAYS** a Holy Day of Obligation in our country. Because the 8th falls on a Sunday this year, the Holy Day and the obligation to attend Mass on that feast is transferred to **Monday, December 9**. Masses will be celebrated here at **8:00am and 7:00pm**.

Eucharistic Adoration for December will be held on **Thursday, December 12**, the feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe: Empress of the Americas following **8:00am Mass**. Adoration will continue throughout the day until **6:00pm** when Adoration will end with Benediction followed by Mass.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Saturday, November 30	9:30am K of C Children's Christmas Party-PLC
Monday, December 2	7:00am First Monday Eucharistic Adoration-Church
Tuesday, December 3	9:00am Bible Study-PLC
Thursday, December 5	5:30pm OLV Serves Dinner @ YWCA Center
	7:00pm RCIA-PLC – Enter through Lower Level
	7:15pm Choir Rehearsal-VH
Sunday, December 8-SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND-RETIREMENT FUND/RELIGIOUS	
	9:30am Christmas Play-PLC
	11:00am CLOW
	6:00pm Parish Reconciliation Service-Church

MINISTRY SCHEDULES

5:00pm Saturday, December 7

Extraordinary Ministers: Kerstin Humphreys, Connie Leach, Regina Quinn, Harry Ritz, Andrea Tose
Lectors: Patti Olson, David Ryan
Servers: Mario Bondy, Gracie Helfrich, Ethan Mouser
Ushers: Mike Ciccone, Joe Tose, Gina Tose

8:30am Sunday, December 8

Extraordinary Ministers: Beljeania Berry, Ann Cahalan, Theresa Roman, Mary Jane Timmons
Lectors: Mike Drennen, Tom Tarp
Servers: Freddie & Josh Keil, Allison O'Brien
Ushers: Randy Harlor, Jeff Panuto, Mike Roman
Eucharistic Ministers Homebound: Marsha Dieker, Pat Feamster, Patty & Brent Jackson, Rita Lyons, Missy O'Malia

11:00am Sunday, December 8

Extraordinary Ministers: Pat Feamster, Krista Joseph, Ron Kibbe, Kathy McKinney, Heather Roush, Debbie Squillace
Lectors: David Russell, Joy Russell
Servers: Audrey Finrock, Charlie O'Connor, Kevin Welsh
Ushers: Nick Melaragno, Fred Lombardi
Collection Counters: Todd & Carolyn McDaniels, Marilyn Cordle

*Father Missimi has gathered another book of homilies, "Words to Live By: The Good News of Jesus Christ". It is his gift to you for your spiritual growth during the Advent Season. In the spirit of Christmas giving, he asks you to prayerfully consider making a donation to Misericordia Heart of Mercy in Chicago. His niece, Angela, makes her home there with 600 developmentally and physically challenged children and adults. **Father will share his gift with you on December 7 & 8 at all the Masses.***

Please remember all our known ill and elderly in your prayers.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



"YOUR MORAL COMPASS"

No Religious Ed class this weekend!

🌲🌲 Next Sunday, December 8th 🌲🌲

Pre-K through 5th grade will have their Christmas Play

Drop off children at 9:30 am to classrooms

Head upstairs for the pre-reception of donuts, bagels, and coffee for our guests.

The Christmas Play will begin at 10:00 am sharp!

CHOSEN Class- No Class today!

NEXT SUNDAY, December 8th

6-8th Grades - NO AM CLASS

Students will attend the Parish Reconciliation Service at 6:00 pm

See the email from Mrs. Joseph with details!

**We are collecting NEW socks and underwear (school-age sizes)
for the Bishop Griffin Center who helps about 600
families a month. Please place your donations in the basket located in the
Church vestibule or in the Religious Ed hallway through December 8th!
Contact Krista Joseph with any questions at 614-940-1394.**

Please contact Mrs. Krista Joseph at religioused@ourladyofvictory.cc with any questions or concerns.

Also, if you know of any children in the parish that need to receive their Sacraments and have missed their religious education, please contact Krista Joseph to discuss options.

We also have a special needs program for children or adults that need to receive their Sacraments.

Looking Ahead:

No Class on December 15, 22, and 29.

Classes Resume on January 5th!

ST. VINCENT De PAUL GIVING TREE
November 10-December 8, 2019



We are supporting the following charities this year:
Bundled with Love
Franklin County Children's Services
Run the Race

GIFT INSTRUCTIONS:

- Select the ornament for the gift you wish to purchase.
- **DO NOT WRAP THE GIFT.** Return the gift to the Church Vestibule with the ornament sticker attached to the gift. The ornament sticker identifies the organization that is to receive the gift.
- Please provide the gift receipt because toys don't always work.
- Please include batteries or other items that may be needed to use the gift.

**PLEASE RETURN THE GIFTS BY
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8.**

**Thank you for your generous contributions
to our parish and our community.**

*St. Vincent de Paul Society
of Our Lady of Victory Church*

Nursery for Ages 18 month to 5 years old Located in the Atrium Classroom in the basement of the Church During the 11:00 am mass. Drop off at 10:50am and pick up immediately following mass. Dates available: December 8, and 15. Closed for Christmas break, Christmas Eve and Christmas Day Masses

A **MASS SAFETY COORDINATOR** will soon be assigned at each Mass and will be a key contact for any issues and responsible for specific procedures. If you would like to assist the OLV Safety and Security Committee as a Mass Safety Coordinator, please contact Deacon Rob Joseph or the Parish Office for more information.

*AN ADVENT AFTERNOON
With OUR PARISH CHOIR
Sunday, December 15 at 3:00 p.m.*



**Music for Advent and Christmas
from many traditions and styles
performed with orchestra**

**Christmas Carols Sung by All Free Will Offering
Invite your friends and neighbors to our concert!**

**Reception to follow in the PLC to honor Carol Ann
Bradley's 11 years of dedicated service to
Our Lady of Victory Parish.**

FIRST MONDAY OF THE MONTH EUCHARISTIC ADORATION will be held on **Monday, December 2** at 7:00am in the Church. Arrive at 7:00am and stay through Mass or come for any portion.

WELCOME to **Leonardo Pasquale Russo** who was recently baptized at OLV and through the Sacrament of Baptism became a member of God's family.

**Pope Francis' Monthly Intentions 2019-20
DECEMBER – "The Future of the Very Young"**

TRINITY CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IS NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR THE 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR! Trinity Catholic School is dedicated to promoting and strengthening the Catholic faith within a challenging and supportive learning environment with small class sizes in grades K-8. Contact Kimber Moehrman to schedule a tour! (614-488-7650 or kmoehrma@cdeeducation.org) You may even be eligible for an EdChoice scholarship based on your home school and/or income!

YWCA HOMELESS FAMILY DINNER: Once again, Our Lady of Victory has the privilege to serve dinner to the homeless families at the YWCA Family Center on **Thursday, December 5**. Sign-up sheets will be posted in the church vestibule. Please see below for information that may be of help to you.

- **FOR BAKERS:** *Please have your cookies, brownies and cupcakes delivered to Victory Hall by noon on December 5.* Please package your desserts to protect them during transport, and label them with YWCA. Please **DO NOT individually wrap the cookies.** Because of food allergies please do not bake with nuts or peanut butter.
- **FOR SERVERS:** YWCA Family Center; 900 Harvey Court, Columbus, OH Please arrive around 5:30pm. Drive to the rear of the building and enter through the Volunteer entrance. You'll need to ring the bell at the entrance for someone to let you in. Please register at the office as a volunteer, get a name tag and join us in the kitchen. For food safety reasons, the YWCA requires us to wear hair nets, so unless you think you look really cute in a hair net, you may want to bring your own hat to wear.

COMMUNITY NEWS

WOMEN'S DAY OF RECOLLECTION at Holy Family Church, 584 W. Broad St., Columbus; **Saturday, December 7, 2019**, 8AM - 4PM; Guest Speaker - Father Joseph Tuscan, OFM Capuchin National Director of the Confraternity of Christian Mothers; Continental Breakfast & Lunch included Free-will donations are appreciated; Questions and RSVP by December 1, 2019 to Rita Martinez (614) 562-6173 or ritamar202@yahoo.com

FATHER CHRISTOPHER YAKKEL TO ADDRESS CATHOLIC MEN'S LUNCHEON CLUB on **December 6, 2019**. This year Fr. Christopher Yakkel, who is Parochial Vicar for the Perry County Consortium of Catholic Parishes, will share his vocation story. The December luncheon is sponsored by **Michele Cleary of HER Realtors** on behalf of the **Bethesda Healing Ministry**. The *Bethesda Healing Ministry* - offers a safe, confidential community for women and men to walk through healing from the suffering and trauma incurred by an abortion in their past. For more information, please call Tim Welsh at 614.419.6985. *Michele Cleary - of HER Realtors*, will donate 10% of her earnings from the sale or purchase of your home to your favorite Catholic Parish or Catholic Ministry. Contact Michele at michele.cleary@herrealtors.com or 614-774-5139. Holy Mass (optional) begins at 11:45 am followed by lunch at 12:10 pm and Fr. Yakkel's talk. Free parking available in the Columbus State Grant Avenue parking lot (25-S) across the street from St. Patrick. No reservations are necessary. \$10 covers the lunch and meeting. There will be no luncheon club in January as we prepare for the **Catholic Man of the Year Luncheon** which will be on **Friday February 7, 2020**. For information on Catholic Men's Luncheon Club, visit www.catholicmensministry.com/cmlc or contact Craig Heppner, CMLC President craigkofc@gmail.com.

NOEL NOEL – A CHRISTMAS CONCERT - Seasonal selections by Courtney, Holst, Gjeilo and Handel featuring over 200 Singers and Musicians – **Friday, December 6, 2019**; 7:30pm; Church of the Resurrection 6300 E. Dublin Granville Rd. New Albany, OH 614-855-1400; Free Admission – Interpreting service for the Deaf will be provided; <https://cotrna.org>.

ECUMENICAL CHRISTMAS CONCERT AT SHRINE: The 48th Carey Ecumenical Christmas Concert is scheduled for **Sunday, December 8, 2019** at 4:30 p.m. at the Basilica and National Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation, 315 Clay Street in Carey. This year's choir is made up of 90 singers from 19 cities throughout northwest and central Ohio. Music for this year's concert includes traditional melodies along with newly composed contemporary works based on traditional hymn texts and scripture. The Epworth Brass from Marion, along with the piano and the majestic organ of the basilica, will join forces with the chorus to fill the church with the beautiful sounds of Christmas. A free-will offering will be collected during the concert to support the on-going ministry of the choir. The Shrine Cafeteria will be open for dinner immediately following the concert and the Shrine Gift Shop will also be open.

INVITING ALL WOMEN: Please mark your calendars now for the **Columbus Catholic Women's Conference** on **Saturday, February 15, 2020**, from 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. at the Ohio Expo Center. Take advantage of early bird pricing by registering at www.columbuscatholicwomen.com. Come ready to rest, refresh and renew with the Lord and thousands of women from around the diocese. You don't want to miss this uplifting, annual event for women!

NOMINATIONS NOW OPEN FOR THE 2020 CATHOLIC MAN OF THE YEAR: The Catholic Men's Luncheon Club is accepting nominations for the Diocese of Columbus 2020 Catholic Man of the Year. Bishop Robert Brennan will present this annual award on **Friday, February 7, 2020** at the Men's Luncheon. The Catholic Man of the Year is awarded to one layman who, through his daily actions, words, and prayers, exemplifies the "good and faithful servant." The recipient will have the opportunity to share his personal testimony during the ceremony. Nominations will be accepted through **December 31, 2019**. For details, nomination instructions and the required online nomination form, go to catholicmensministry.com/cmoy. Submit your nomination and let us know why your husband, father, son, uncle, brother or friend is the Catholic Man of the Year!