



**Holy Family of Jesus,
Mary and Joseph**

December 30, 2018

Masses for the Week

Saturday	James Sweeney	5:00pm
Sunday	People of the Paish	8:00am
Sunday	Joseph LaFera	10:00am
Monday	<i>Vigil Solemnity of Mary</i>	5:00pm
	Elizabeth Cercone	
Tuesday	<i>Solemnity of Mary</i>	10:00am
Wednesday	<i>Sts. Basil the Great & Gregory</i>	5:15pm
	Joseph LaFera	
Thursday	Fr. Donald Schaaf	8:00am
Friday	<i>St. Elizabeth Seton</i>	5:30pm
	Respect Life	10:00am
	David Borden	5:30pm
Saturday	World Peace	8:00am
	Ken Gottstine	5:00pm

Please Pray for Our Sick

Fanny Bonventre, Lorraine DeFelicis, Billye Doria, Sr. Maureen Jerkowski, Fred Kimlin, Maureen Krom, Lynne Lazzaro, Mary McNamara, Frank Merrill, Tony Peralta, Joe & Virginia Petras, Betty Schilt, Bill Schulte, Alice Theiss, Thomas Vavrinc, Irene Waddell, Luisa Walsh, Amelia Zak

We also want to remember parishioners who are currently in Nursing Facilities. They are: Elizabeth LaFera and Rose Sferrazza

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<u>Holiday Mass Schedule</u>	
Monday, New Year's Eve	5:00pm
Tuesday, New Year's Day	10am

Christmas Thank You



There are many people to thank for our Christmas celebration. First of all, the ladies of the Rosary Altar Society who decorated the church and the sanctuary so that it once again had the lovely and solemn look that we are accustomed to. Thanks also to all those who donated money for Poinsettias in memory of their loved ones. Thanks to our music ministry— Trish, Patty, our choir, and the volunteers. Also, thanks to our lectors and ministers of Holy Communion as well as our

ushers, and our altar servers. We are grateful to everyone for the generosity of their time and talents. Special thanks also for the extra Christmas collection donations!

Second Collection

A combined collection will be taken up next weekend the 7th & 8th. One segment for the **Catholic Communications Campaign** and the second for **The Catholic University of America**. The Catholic Communications Campaign is the official Catholic presence in the media: In partnership with the diocesan communications offices, it has been our voice educating, entertaining, inspiring and informing the faithful about Gospel values. The second is for the Catholic University of America, unique among Catholic institutions of higher education in the United States. Please be generous in your contributions.



Christmas Baskets

Many thanks to all our parishioners who were so generous to this year's Christmas basket & toy drive. Through your generosity, we were able to distribute baskets of food for 26 families and gifts for the children. Thanks also to the Bloomington Fire Department for supplying many of the toys, and the Boy Scouts of Troop 17 for their meatloaves for the baskets. We finally thank the parishioners who tirelessly gave of their time shopping and assembling the baskets.

First Friday Adoration

This Friday we will have adoration of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament from 10:30am (after the 10am Mass) until 5:00pm. It will take place in the sacristy chapel. We invite all of our parishioners to stop in the sacristy chapel during the day and spend some time.

First Saturday Mass

Every first Saturday of the month we have an 8am Mass followed by recitation of the rosary with the usual 5pm evening Mass

Religious Ed News

Religious Ed classes will resume on Jan 2nd

Christmas Calendar

Looking ahead into the Christmas season, these are the next few week's celebrations: this coming Monday, December 31st will be the *Feast of the Holy Family*; January 1st will be the *Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God*, the following Monday, January 7th, will be the *Feast of the Epiphany*; and the

following Tuesday, January 8th will be the *Feast of the Baptism of the Lord*. That feast will mark the end of the Christmas season and Tuesday we return to Ordinary Time.

Religious Ed News

There are no Religious Ed classes will resume on Wednesday, January 2nd

**46th ANNUAL MARCH FOR LIFE
Friday, January 18th 2019**

Pro-Lifers in Ulster County will once again participate in the annual March for Life in Washington, DC. Kingston Council Knights of Columbus, Ulster County Deanery Respect Life Committee, and the Ulster County Right to Life Committee will, as in the past, sponsor the bus. For bus trip reservations, please call Al Kafel at 338-1734. Please leave your name and phone number so he can get back to you. Reservations are on a first-come first-served basis. To confirm your seat, send your contribution to: Al Kafel, 31 Dirk Lane, Kingston, NY 12401. Suggested contribution for the trip will be the same as it has been for the last 19 years: \$25 Individual, \$20 Students, \$45 Two in Family, \$60 Three or more in Family. Anyone who cannot attend, but would like to help defray the cost, may send a donation to: Kingston Council Knights of Columbus, PO Box 1587, Kingston, NY 12402. We ask for your prayers for the safety of those traveling to Washington, and for the success of the MARCH.

Stamps for Missions

Please consider supporting the missions through the cancelled stamp program. Simply trim around the stamp leaving a ½” border and deposit your stamps in the basket in the rear of the church by the statue of St. Anthony

Bring the Children to Me

Let us bring the children to Mass. Do your best to get them there. If you have to run for a child, do so. God in his infinite mercy may give the light and grace to that child's soul because of all the trouble you took. Never lose sight of the mercy of God. Take the trouble to help the children to love the Mass, to know the meaning of the Mass, to join in the Mass through simple prayers and hymns. Be careful of the attitude you take while minding the children during Mass. Do not correct loudly. Keep your hands joined. Join in prayers and singing. The children will do exactly what you do. Precious Jesus, let our love for our children bring them closer to You.

St Teresa of Calcutta

John A. Coleman

John A. Coleman Catholic High School inspires the courage to lead and develops a commitment to serve.

The school is now accepting applications for the graduating Class of 2023. Please call for information at 338-2750.

Rosary Altar Society

Next weekend team one is scheduled.



Christmas Flower Memorials 2018

We wish to thank all who gave so generously to our Christmas Flower Memorial. Their gifts helped to make our church more beautiful this holy season. Please join our parish in remembering the following people in your prayers:

Louise Acker, Bailey Family, Harold Bailey, Paul Lena, Lynn May & Walter Bailey, John Becker, Ken & Helen Bordenstein, Kay Bulla, Elisa Burkard, Frank & Fran Cahill, Herb Cahill, Jim Campion, William & Marcella Cannon, Patricia Carl, Cawley Family, Pasquale & Mary Cioffi, John & Katharine Cordts, John Cordts III, Matilda & Florence Cordts, Francis & Nellie, James & Richard Coutant, Mary Craig, Hugh Crawford, Dalton Family, Davenport Family, , Delaney Family, Anna Devine, Ronald Diamond, Louise Deitz, Lovita DeWitt, Dmoch Family, Dolan Family, Duffy Family, Earley Family, Anita Fischer, Gerald FitzGerald, FitzGerald Family, Delia Foley, Peter & Alice Furey, Peter & Carrie Gennewein, John & Antoinette Goode, Loretta Goode, George Goodwin, Anne & Don Gessner, Estelle Hafner, George Hafner, Annie Hartman, Mr. & Mrs. Patrick Harrington Family, Alan Harrington, Evelyn Henry, Barbara Horn, Robert Hughes, Jasinski Family, Joseph Kassouf, Keane Family, James Kelly, Catherine Kessler, Knott Family, Koonz Family, John & Mary Lamb, John & Josephine Laurito, Paul J. & Josephine Lendvay, Mary Lendvay, John & Anastasia Lesco, Charles & Julia Lewis, Daniel & Gilda Lombardi, Mary & John Longendyke, Machovic Family, McCracken Family, Alfred & Anne Mortensen, Robert & Helen Norton, Milton & Mary Polinsky, Warren, Virginia & Jim Prandoni, Ann & Al Rippe, Eugene & Sally Roosa, Stanley & Louise Roosa, Mr. & Mrs. Jesse Satchwell, Patsy & Aida Scelia, Tom, June & Lisa Schatzel, Jamie Shaw, Harry & Gloria Shaw, Mary & Tom Skidd, Alice Sheldon, Mazie Smith, Frankie & Gerald Smosarski, Bea Tresaloni, Jerome Vanyo, Mary Ann Vanyo, Waddell Family, Donald Wallace, Bill Welsek, Chris Westover, Mr. & Mrs. Edward Wiejaczka, E. Larry & Dorothy Wills, Henry & Tessie Yonneti