Holy Name of Mary is a Roman Catholic community of believers who are dedicated to know Christ and become Christ, each one, for the sake of all. As disciples, we are called to create an environment where God is worshiped and where we serve our neighbor. Our warmest welcome to all who celebrate the Eucharist with us! We thank God for your presence at Holy Name of Mary and we pray for you and your families.

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CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Holy Name of Mary

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday: 8:30 am, 10:45 am
Saturday: 5:00 pm
Mon – Fri: 12:00 noon

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturdays at 4:00 PM

BAPTISMS
Please call the Parish Office if you would like to schedule a Baptism

MARRIAGE
Couples should call the Parish Office at least six months prior to the wedding.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)
Please call the Parish Office for information.

If you have a loved one that is not computer savvy, please print out a bulletin for them. Spread the love.
Mass Intentions

Masses for this weekend January 23rd and 24th
5:00 PM Rosario Guerrero-Bell
8:30 AM Richard & Theresa Byrd
10:45 AM Kevin Dymes

MONDAY, January 25
Noon Tracy Windrum
     Dr. Steven Gunther

TUESDAY, January 26
Noon Marlene Pfeiffer

WEDNESDAY, January 27
Noon Richard Curran
     Rosaura Recinos

THURSDAY, January 28
Noon John Medeiros
     Ernesto Guevara

FRIDAY, January 29
Noon William King
     Bobby Moore

SATURDAY, January 30
5:00 PM Vincent Marchionni

SUNDAY, January 31
8:30 AM Gina Costanzon
10:45 AM Kevin Dymes

The Sanctuary Lamp burns this week
January 23rd to January 30th
for the intention of
Charles Corollo and Ralph Cerrato
Requested by Joe Costanzo

Our second collection this week is for Winter
Utilities which helps to offset the cost of heating
the church.

Masses for this week:
Saturday (Church): 5:00 pm (Fr. Nelson)
Sunday (Church): 8:30 am (Fr. Ron)
           10:45 am (Fr. Nelson)
Mon.-Fri. (Church): 12:00 noon (Fr. Nelson)

Adoration Service every Friday at 7 pm in church

There is no obligation to attend Mass at this time.
Please stay home if you are at risk or sick.

Live-stream: www.holynammeofmary.org
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* Please Note: Names on the sick list will be included for 4 weeks unless the family contacts the office to request the names be included for an additional 4 weeks.

FOR THE DECEASED: We pray for all those who died this week, especially Carolyn Speidel and all those who died from casualties of natural disasters, war and terrorism.

FOR OUR MILITARY:  Please remember in your prayers our active duty service men and women and those serving overseas.

### Our Parish Collections

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Please make checks out to Holy Name of Mary. The bank has advised they can no longer accept checks made out to HNM.

### Mass Attendance: January 17th

With the new seating layout we can now fit up to 125 people in the church. We will continue to monitor the Mass attendance closely and return to 4 weekend Masses if attendance continues to rise.

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THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**First Reading: Jonah 3:1-5, 10**

Jonah set out for Nineveh as God asked and told the people that their city would be destroyed in forty days. The people believed him and repented from their evil ways. God did not destroy their city, showing his mercy for those who see the evil of their ways and correct it.

**Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:29-31**

Paul advises the Corinthians that their world is changing, so they should not take their daily trials too seriously. We should remember that the problems of everyday living will not last forever, but the eternal life God promises us will.

**Gospel: Mark 1:14-20**

Jesus observes Simon and Andrew where they are fishing and tells them to come with him and become “fishers of men.” They abandon their nets without hesitation to follow him. Next he calls James and his brother John, who also leave what they are doing and follow him without question.

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From Fr. Nelson

January 24, 2021

We are told in Gen 12:1 The Lord said to Abram, “Go forth from the land of your kinsfolk and from your father’s home, to a land that I will show you.” We read that Abram did exactly what he was told to and journeyed into strange lands and moved among unknown people.

We have been journeying in the strange land of Covid following strange customs and ways of life. Since I have the good fortune of being close to my community I am seeing a lot of our people who are dealing with fear and anxiety. We all have ample reasons to be fearful and anxious and that is because we know that to some extent we are weak and vulnerable and we also are afraid of dying. Under these circumstances it does not have to be a massive mystery to see that many take refuge in anger, depression, alcohol, drug abuse and suicidal thoughts. These are “helps” to take the edge off the land we now find ourselves in.

Abram is afraid, he is self-conscious and he is aware of the unknown dangers awaiting him yet he moves ahead suppressing his fears, knowing that the Lord is with him. When you are aware of your weaknesses, your problems, your limitations and how you might get hurt, and yet go ahead into the unknown and into the land of the stranger, you are calling on the reserves of courage in you, the strength of your character and the assurance of faith that sustains you and that my dear friends is one of the secrets to a real and fulfilled life.

We have heard Jesus tell us all, “Do not be afraid.” Those who are anxious and fearful need to log out in detail what actually they are anxious about, they need to face their anxiety by breaking it into tiny components and face them, they need to enumerate their fears and break them up into manageable parts, just as an athlete gradually builds up power over weakness and then enters into the competition, or just as a kid learns to handle the bicycle for the first time. Every fear conquered makes you braver and stronger and you see that life belongs to the brave and not to the fearful and the anxious. You face life not in depression, withdrawal and aggression but in approaching it as a challenge and with positive emotions. We need not be afraid of death because Christ has shown us that we are eternal being who really never die. By constantly moving into the strange and the unknown life becomes an adventure to be explored and that is why people move to unfamiliar places make friends with strangers and enter into challenging life situations and careers. When you are willing to do that on a habitual basis your self-esteem reaches to the skies and nothing is impossible to you. You step into the joys of a challenge and gain a lot of self-respect and self love and this makes you someone the world loves to learn from.

Yours in Christ,
Fr. Nelson Couto
For Ash Wednesday, February 17, Mass, with distribution of ashes, will be celebrated at Noon and 7 P.M. in the main Church. Ministers of Holy Communion attending—please stop in the sacristy first, as your help will likely be needed for the distribution of ashes and Holy Communion.

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Interested? Questions? Please let me know!

In Song,
Sara Della Posta
Music Director & Organist
Holy Name of Mary
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Once again, we are offering the opportunity to purchase Fair Trade products we have previously sold. These products would need to be purchased in boxes, not individually. Holy Name of Mary has been one of the biggest sellers of Fair Trade products over the last 16 years. This past December we sold over $1100 worth of products. Covid-19 continues to impact the small farmers from around the world who rely on the sales of these products to make a fair living for their families. We would like to continue to support these farmers.

If you are interested in ordering or have any questions, please call John or Mary Lally (271-5628) or email/call Ellen Camillieri (emc709@aol.com -271-5335). We encourage you to check our website for prices and products. Orders must be placed by Monday, February 1. Pick-up/delivery can be contactless.

Calendars for 2021 have been placed in the vestibule in back of the Church. Feel free to grab one after Mass or stop by the Parish Office during normal office hours.

Speaking of the vestibule...
Please do not leave any items whether it be clothing, food or flyers. The food pantry cannot take any outside food donations right now and there is no Midnight Run scheduled for the foreseeable future. Please feel free to contact us with any questions.

We’d like to stay in touch
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Please let us know if you’d like a contribution letter for tax purposes. We can now provide you statements for online donations through WeShare as well.
Dear Holy Name of Mary Parishioners,

Last January I had the privilege of joining many of you on the bus to The March For Life in DC to support and advocate for the protection of unborn babies and human life at all stages. The march is a beautiful walk through our nation’s capital, with many diverse groups from all over the country uniting for one cause. I am always amazed that the majority of marchers are youth with a passion for protecting babies and the elderly in our society. These peaceful crowds have gathered to share their voices for 46 consecutive years.

Unfortunately, due to Covid and unrest in Washington, The March For Life organizers are canceling the public march and are holding it virtually. There will be a small group of organizers presenting and marching that day. If you want to join this march virtually go to this web address: https://marchforlife.org/2021-virtual-events/

This event will take place January 29th at 11:00 a.m. You can also say special prayers that our leaders in DC respect and protect vulnerable human life from the moment of conception until natural death.

Thank you again to those who have generously donated to support Holy Name of Mary’s participation in the march. Hopefully we will be enjoying this peaceful event in person next January!

If you would like to join our group at Holy Name or learn more about The Respect For Life Society please feel free to email me directly.

Peace in Christ,

Jessica Dieckman (pyewacket6@yahoo.com)

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