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December 23, 2018 Fourth Sunday of Advent, Christmas Readings Are Located on the Last Page of the Bulletin

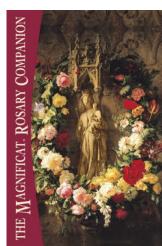


I'll Be Home for Christmas The Nativity of Our Lord is just around the corner, and by now many of you will have already left for holiday destinations apart from our beloved

parish family of families. Beth Lyons, who heads up our Stewardship Committee, said good-bye last Sunday. She was off to Colorado to be with her family but felt torn so much has Star of the Sea become a home to her. "Of course I love to be with my family for the holidays," she said wistfully, "but I will really miss being at my parish for the Christmas Masses!" Another parishioner who usually travels to Texas for the holidays will stay in San Francisco this year and is so excited to be able, at last, to celebrate Christmas in her parish. For those of you still in the City this Sunday and for Christmas Eve tomorrow, I look forward to worshipping the Divine Child with you on the Feast of His Nativity. For those who are traveling, my

thoughts and blessing go with you, and look for a safe return in January. My gift for those at Christmas Masses this year will be the lovely little Magnificat Rosary Com-

panion with



Weekend Masses Sat Vigil 4:30pm, Sun 8am, 9:30am, 11:30 am (Latin), 7:30pm

Eucharistic Adoration Mon. 8:00am till Saturday 4pm, Tuesday 7-8pm, Every 2nd Sunday 3:15-4:15pm Daily Masses Monday to Friday 7:30am (Latin) 12 Noon Saturday 8:30am

Social Events Coffee & Donuts After Sunday Masses Young Adults Tuesdays 7pm

meditations for each of the twenty mysteries of the Holy Rosary. **Star Girls Cookies** Marianna Lopez Quintanilla began the Star Girls' group last year, which provides young females with Gospelcentered fellowship and leadership formation. They cook and serve the homeless from time to time, provide high teas for our seniors, and many other activities. Two weeks ago they sold their homemade cookies at our school's Christmas Boutique, and later handed me \$187 in hard-



earned cash for our church painting fund. Thank you Star Girls and Mama Marianna! Christmas Card 2018 This year my Christmas card to all of you was a nativity icon painted (or "written") by our parish iconographer Pavel Tikhomorov. You may have noticed his first of eight paintings now in the adoration chapel, featuring Mother Teresa. John Paul II will be next. Pavel emigrated from Russia 25 years ago and now lives in Sacramento but makes regular trips to our parish for his work. He also painted the Perpetual Help and Star of the Sea icons in our church. Fr. Joseph Illo www.frilloblog.com

Holy Day Masses

with choir)

7:30am (Latin) 12 Noon,

5:30pm, 6:30pm (Latin

Devotions to Jesus

Sacred Heart First Friday

after Noon Mass, Divine

Mercy Saturday at 3pm

Our Mission Statement:
To evangelize God's people
beginning with the gift of
the Holy Eucharist.

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Director of Pre-school

Christmas & New Years
Office Hours: W-F
8:30am-4:00pm.
Closed 12:00-1:00pm

Closed December 24, 25 & 31, January 1

Confessions

15 Minutes before every Mass, Saturday 3:15-4:15 or by appointment

Devotions to Mary Perpetual Help Wednesday after Noon Mass. Fatima First Saturday after 8:30am Mass

PRAYER

EVENTS

The Sunday Scriptures

by Fr. Joseph Illo Fourth Sunday of Advent (2 Sam 7:1-16; Rom 16: 25-27; Luke 1:26-38) Today's Gospel is the second joyful mystery of the rosary, the Visitation (many of the Masses immediately before and after Christmas have one of the joyful mysteries for the gospel). Of course, the gospel for December 25 itself is the third joyful mystery, the Nativity. Today Our Lady hurries to bring the Presence of the Word Incarnate in her womb to her cousin Elizabeth. Let us hasten to bring Christ to those in need too!

	Time	Intention
Sat 12/22	8:30am	In Thanksgiving of Sonia Lee and Family
		+ Helen Frances Won Lum (anniversary)
	4:30pm	+ Crisanto King
Sun 12/23	8am	Int. of Sonia Lee and Family
	9:30am	Int. of Leland & Maggie Tom and Family
	11:30am	+ Shirley Hoster
	7:30pm	+ James & Muriel McLaughlin
Mon 12/24	7:30am	+ Marion and Tony Carozzi + Deceased members of Manzanilla Family
	10:30pm	People of the Parish
	Midnight	+ Mildred Paras
Tue 12/25	8:00am	+ Eugenio and Edgardo Garcia + Lucila Garcia
	9:30am	In Thanksgiving of Gerard Christian Ines (birthday)
		In Thanksgiving of Sonia Lee and Family + Victoria Viana (anniversary)
	11:30am	+ holy Souls in Purgatory + Alexandra Davella
Wed 12/26	7:30am	Int. for Joseph Eaton to marry Mary Fields in the Catholic Church
	12Noon	+ Alexandra Davella +Souls of the Unborn Children
Thu 12/27	7:30am	+ Joaquin Limtiaco
	12Noon	+ Imelda Mary Walsh Gallagher + Alexandra Davella
Fri 12//28	7:30am	In Thanksgiving of Ramel Macalalad & Family
	12Noon	+ Fernando Manzon (birthday) + Ramon Fernandez (40 days) + Alexandra Davella
Sat 12/29	8:30am	+ Manuel Advincula + Alexandra Davella
	4:30pm	Int. of Geraldine Doherty Int. of Maria and Mario Bruno

Adoration: Monday 8:30am through Saturday 4:30pm.

Vespers: Monday - Friday nights @ 5:45 to 6pm

Sunday December 23, Holy Rosary Sodality Pray the Rosary after the 8am Mass in the Church.

Tuesday December 25, Holy Hour: A priest reads the daily gospel, followed by 15 minutes of silence. We conclude our Holy Hour with benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Confessions are available throughout the hour.

Wednesday December 26, Devotions to Our Lady of Perpetual Help after the Noon Mass.

Thursday December 27, Pro-Life Group at 7pm prays outside Planned Parenthood at 1650 Valencia Street.

Thursday December 27, Fasting and Prayer for Priests and the Church Join our young adults group each Thursday for a Holy Hour for Priests at 6pm to offer both vocal and silent prayer and the Rosary as a unified community.

Saturday December 29, Legion of Mary 9:30am in the Parish office.

Saturday December 29, Divine Mercy Devotion at 3pm at the Church followed by Rosary/Novena.

Tuesday January 8, Bible Study at 3:30pm in the rectory. Contact Mary Ann Eiler (650) 660-4546

Saturday, January 19, Star Mothers' Group right after the 8:30 Mass, held in the Rectory.

January 19 Star Outreach is cooking for the homeless; please consider volunteering each 3rd Saturday.

To have your Star of the Sea event listed in the weekly bulletin, please email **bulletin@starparish.com**



Please pray for: Spencer Christensen, Billy Kennedy, Edna Herrera, Miles Sellai, Tom Schatz, Dave Van Sciver, Rosa Lee, Maria Fernanda Marcal, Sally Tu, Maggie Tom, Janice Illo, Louis N. Petropoulos, Chuck La Mere, Tom McDonough.

Call the office to have your loved ones listed here.



Get A Tax Break!

If you are 70 1/2 or older, you can transfer up to \$100,000 from your IRA to charity tax-free, which counts as your required minimum distribution but isn't added to your adjusted gross income. You cannot make a tax-free transfer from your 401(k) to charity, but you can roll over money from your 401(k) to an IRA and then transfer the RMD to charity. Contact your fund manager for details.

Star Book Club

All are welcome.! Meetings at 7 p.m. in the rectory. upcoming titles and dates:

Wednesday, 1/16/19, *The Everlasting Man* by G.K.Chesterton.

Wednesday, 2/20/19, *The Crisis of Western Education* by Christopher Dawson

Meetings at 7 p.m. in the rectory. All are welcome.

Star of the Sea Preschool Openings

Star of the Sea Preschool currently has part and full-time openings for children 2.5 to 5 years old, where children can choose activities they are drawn to, and we teach the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd.



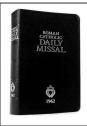
The Star of the Sea Preschool faculty and administrators work closely with the Elementary staff to ensure a smooth transition to Kindergarten at Star Elementary as well as with other public and private programs.

For more information, please contact Jacqueline Paras at jparas@staroftheseasf.com.



Big Thank You from Estrelle Chan

Thanks be to God, we had a very successful observance of two nights (12/19 & 12/20) of Simbang Gabi Advent Novena here in our parish. Thanks go out to Fr. Illo, celebrants, Frs. Taheny, Fewel and Chung; the altar servers; the readers, the many gifts offering, parishioners who provided labor, food contribution, monetary donations for the "Table of Plenty"; representatives from the Philippne Consulate; committee members from Deanery 3 (St. Dominc, Most Holy Redeemer, St. Ignatius, St. Monica/St. Thomas Apostle, St. Mary's Cathedral); the SF Archdiocese Filipino Ministry FMCB and many more. And most importantly, your presence was greatly appreciated



The Roman Catholic Daily Missals are back in stock and can be purchased at the office for \$50 (this same version retails for \$65.95). Typeset and not a photographic reproduction, this missal gives you clearly readable type. All liturgical texts and readings are in Latin & English.

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For an everlasting gift you can make to our parish, please contact Mariella Zevallos 415-751-0450.



Hymns and Prayers

Fourth Sunday of Advent

PROCESSIONAL HYMN:

Lo, He Comes with Clouds Descending - #617, v.1 & 4

Lo! He comes, with clouds descending, Once for our salvation slain; Thousand thousand saints attending Swell the triumph of his train. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Christ the Lord returns to reign.

Yea, amen! Let all adore thee, High on thine eternal throne; Savior, take the pow'r and glory; Claim the kingdom for thine own: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Thou shalt reign and thou alone.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Drop down dew from above, you heavens, and let the clouds rain down the Just One; let the earth be opened and bring forth a Savior.

124 KYRIE

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING: Micah 5: 1-4A

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps.80:4



SECOND READING: Hebrews 10: 5-10

ALLELUIA



GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

v. Behold, I am the handmade of the Lord. May it be done to me according to your word.

GOSPEL

Luke 1: 39-45

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY ANTIPHON

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you. Blessed are you among women and blessed is the fruit of your womb.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM (9:30) - Sung by Choir

Ave Maria - Rachmaninoff

Ave Maria, Blessed Mother of God. Hail thou, Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee.

Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb;

for thou hast brought forth the Savior, to redeem us all.



OFFERTORY HYMN:

A Message Came to a Maiden Young - #401, v.1 & 2

A message came to a maiden young;
The angel stood beside her,
In shining robes and with golden tongue,
He told what should betide her:
The maid was lost in wonder Her world was rent asunder Ah! how could she
Christ's mother be
By God's most high decree!

No greater news could a messenger bring;
For 'twas from that young mother
He came, who walked on the earth as a king,
And yet was all men's brother:
His truth has spread like leaven,
'twill marry earth to heaven,
Till all agree
in charity
to dwell from sea to sea.

SANCTUS 127

128 MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION A

AGNUS DEI 132

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Behold, a Virgin shall conceive and bear a son; and his name will be called Emmanuel.

COMMUNION ANTHEM (9:30) - Sung by Choir

The White Dove - Brahms

A dove as white as winter, From heaven came to earth, And greeted there a maiden, Of humble birth. She bowed her head And listened to his words. That she, above all others, Was favored by the Lord. Kyrie eleison. The heavenly gates will open, Thou shalt have a son; Emmanuel the most high, the King, the Chosen One. For know, a blessed mother shalt thou be. All coming generations Will laud and honor thee. Kyrie eleison.

Our hope and expectation
O Jesus appear.
Arise, thou sun, so longed for
Above this darkened sphere.
With hearts and hands uplifted,
Lord to see
the day of earth's redemption,
And ever be with thee.
Kyrie Eleison.

COMMUNION HYMN:

Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming - #618

Lo, how a Rose e'er blooming From tender stem hath sprung! Of Jesse's lineage coming As men of old have sung. It came, a flow'ret bright, Amid the cold of winter When half-spent was the night.

Isaiah 'twas foretold it,
The Rose I have in mind;
With Mary we behold it,
The Virgin Mother kind.
To show God's love aright,
She bore to men a Savior,
When half-spent was the night.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

○ Come, O Come, Emmanuel - #652, v.1 & 7

O come, O come, Emmanuel, and ransom captive Israel that mourns in lonely exile here until the Son of God appear.

Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to thee, O Israel. (**Refrain**)

O come, Desire of nations, bind In one the hearts of humankind; O bid our sad divisions cease, And be for us our King of Peace. (**Refrain**)

Latin Mass Hymns and Propers Fourth Sunday of Advent

Processional Hymn:

Lo, He Comes with Clouds Descending - #617, v.1 & 4 (see pg. ?)

INTROIT Isaias 45: 8

Roráte cæli désuper, et nubes pluant Drop down dew, ye heavens, from justum: aperiátur terra, et gérminet Salvatórem. (Ps. 18: 2) Cæli enárrant glóriam Dei: et opera mánuum ejus annúntiat firmaméntum. Glória Patri et Fílio et Spíritui Sancto, sicut erat in firmament declares the work of His princípio, et nunc, et semper, et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen. Roráte cæli désuper, et nubes pluant justum: aperiátur terra, et gérminet Salvatórem.

above, and let the clouds rain the Just: let the earth be opened and bud forth a Savior. (Ps. 18: 2) The heavens show forth the glory of God: and the hands. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Drop down dew, ye heavens, from above, and let the clouds rain the Just: let the earth be opened and bud forth

O Lord, we beseech Thee, stir up Thy

power, and come, and with great

might succor us: that by the help of

our sins may be hastened by Thy

Thy grace that which is hindered by

merciful forgiveness. Who lives and

of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and

reigns with God the Father in the unity

COLLECT

Excíta, quésumus, Dómine, poténtiam tuam, et veni: et magna nobis virtúte succúrre; et per auxílium grátiæ tuæ, quod nostra peccáta præpédiunt, indulgéntia tuæ propitiationis accéleret: Qui vivis et regnas, cum Deo Patre in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

The Lord is nigh unto all them that call upon Him: to all that call upon Him in

GRADUAL Psalms 144: 18, 21

Prope est Dóminus ómnibus invocántibus eum: ómnibus qui ínvocant eum in veritáte. Laudem truth. My mouth shall speak the praise of the Lord: and let all flesh Dómini loquétur os meum: et benedicat omnis caro nomen sanctum bless His Holy Name.

OFFERTORY Luke 1: 28, 42

Ave María, grátia plena: Dóminus tecum: benedícta tu in muliéribus et benedíctus fructus ventris tui.

SECRET

Sacrifíciis præséntibus, quæsumus, Dómine, placátus inténde: ut et devotióni nostræ proficiant et salúti. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

Hail Mary, full of grace: the Lord is with thee: blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy

O Lord, we beseech Thee, look down favorably upon these present Sacrifices: that they may profit us both unto devotion and salvation. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and

COMMUNION Isaias 7: 14

vocábitur nomen ejus Emmánuel.

POSTCOMMUNION

Sumptis munéribus, quésumus, Dómine: ut cum frequentatione mystérii, crescat nostræ salútis efféctus. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitate Spiritus with Thee in the unity of the Holy Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sécula sæculórum.

Ecce virgo concípiet et páriet fílium: et Behold a Virgin shall conceive and bear a Son: and His name shall be called Emmanuel.

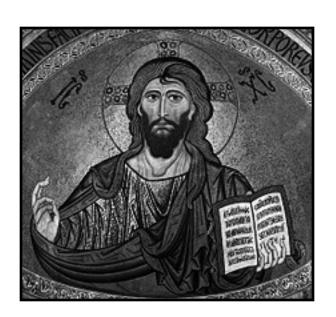
> Having received Thy gifts, we beseech Thee, O Lord: that as we frequent this Mystery, so the world of our salvation may advance. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns Spirit, God, forever and ever.

Recessional Chant: Alma Redemptóris Mater - #428

Alma Redemptóris Mater, quæ pérvia cæli Porta manes, et stella maris, succúrre cadénti, Súrgere qui curat pópulo: tu quæ genuísti, Natúra miránte, tuum sanctum Genitórem Virgo prius ac postérius, Gabriélis ab ore Sumens illud Ave, peccatórum miserére.

Recessional Hymn:

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel - #652, v.1 & 7 (see pg. ?)





Hymns and Prayers

Christmas Eve

PROCESSIONAL HYMN:

O Come, All Ye Faithful - #650

O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant; O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem. Come and behold him, born the King of angels;

Refrain:

O come, let us adore him, O come, let us adore him, O come, let us adore him, Christ, the Lord!

God of God, Light of Light, Lo! He abhors not the Virgin's womb: Very God, begotten, not created; [**Refrain**]

Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation; Sing, all ye citizens of heav'n above! Glory to God, glory in the highest; [**Refrain**]

Yea, Lord, we greet thee, born this happy morning, Jesus, to thee be all glory giv'n; Word of the Father, now in flesh appearing; [Refrain]

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Today you will know that the Lord will come, and he will save us, and in the morning you will see his glory.

124 KYRIE

125 GLORIA

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING: Isaiah 62: 1-5

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps.89:2a



SECOND READING: Acts 13: 16-17, 22-25

ALLELUIA



GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

v. Tomorrow the wickedness of the earth will be destroyed: the Savior of the world will reign over us.

GOSPEL

Matthew 1: 1-25

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY ANTIPHON

O princes, lift high your gates; grow higher, ancient doors, and the King of glory shall enter!

OFFERTORY ANTHEM - Sung by Choir

Lift Up Your Heads - #615

Lift up your heads, ye mighty gates; Behold, the King of glory waits! The King of kings is drawing near; The Savior of the world is here!

O blest the land, the city blest, Where Christ, the ruler, is confessed! O happy hearts and happy homes To whom this King in triumph comes!

Fling wide the portals of your heart; Make it a temple, set apart From earthly use for heaven's employ, Adorned with prayer and love and joy.

So come, my Sovereign; enter in! Let new and nobler life begin; Thy Holy Spirit guide us on, until the glorious crown be won.

SANCTUS 127

128 MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION A

AGNUS DEI 132

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The glory of the Lord will be revealed, and all flesh will see the salvation of our God.

COMMUNION HYMN:

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing - #558

Hark! The herald angels sing,
"Glory to the newborn King.
Peace on earth and mercy mild,
God and sinners reconciled!"
Joyful, all ye nations, rise;
Join the triumph of the skies;
With th'angelic host proclaim,
"Christ is born in Bethlehem!"

Refrain:

Hark! The herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn King!"

Christ, by highest heav'n adored;
Christ, the everlasting Lord;
Late in time behold him come,
Offspring of the Virgin's womb.
Veiled in flesh the Godhead see;
Hail th'incarnate Deity;
Pleased as man with man to dwell;
Jesus, our Emmanuel! [Refrain]

Hail, the heav'n-born Prince of Peace!
Hail, the Sun of Righteousness!
Light and life to all he brings,
Ris'n with healing in his wings.
Mild he lays his glory by,
Born that we no more may die,
Born to raise the sons of earth,
Born to give them second birth! [Refrain]

RECESSIONAL HYMN

Joy to the World - #600

Joy to the world! The Lord is come: Let earth receive her King; Let ev'ry heart prepare him room, And heav'n and nature sing, And heav'n and heav'n and nature sing.

Joy to the world! The Savior reigns: Let men their songs employ, While fields and floods, rocks, hills, and plains, Repeat the sounding joy, Repeat the sounding joy, Repeat, repeat the sounding joy.

He rules the world with truth and grace, And makes the nations prove The glories of his righteousness, And wonders of his love, And wonders of his love, And wonders, wonders of his love.





Hymns and Prayers Christmas Day

Christmas Carol Sing-along (led by Choir)

(Please join together in singing the following Carols found in the blue *St. Michael Hymna*l)

Good Christian Men, Rejoice - #544 How Great Our Joy - #568 It Came upon the Midnight Clear - #586 Of the Father's Love Begotten - #691

I Wonder as I Wander - #576 Infant Holy, Infant Lowly - #584 O Little Town of Bethlehem - #668 Once in Royal David's City - #702 While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks - #833 Silent Night - #747

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ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Let us all rejoice in the Lord, for our Savior has been born in the world.

Today true peace has come down to us from heaven.

124 KYRIE

125 GLORIA

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING: Isaiah 9: 1-6

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Lk 2:11



SECOND READING: Titus 2: 11-14

ALLELUIA



GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

v. I proclaim to you good news of great joy: today a Savior is born for us, Christ the Lord.

GOSPEL

Luke 2: 1-14

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY ANTIPHON

Let the heavens rejoice, and the earth exult before the face of the Lord; for he is coming.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM - Sung by Choir

Long ago, prophets knew - arr. Archer Long ago, prophets knew Christ would come, born a Jew, come to make all things new; bear his people's burden, freely love and pardon.

Refrain:

Ring, bells, ring, ring, ring! sing, choirs, sing, sing, sing! When he comes, when he comes, who will make him welcome

God in time, God in man, this is God's timeless plan: he will come, as a man, born himself of woman, God divinely human. [Refrain] Mary, hail! Though afraid, she believed, she obeyed. In her womb, God is laid: till the time expected, nurtured and protected, [Refrain]

Journey ends! Where afar Bethlem shines, like a star, stable door stands ajar. Unborn Son of Mary, Saviour, do not tarry!

Refrain: Ring, bells, ring, ring, ring! sing, choirs, sing, sing, sing! Jesus comes! Jesus comes! We will make him welcome!

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

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Christ, by highest heav'n adored; Christ, the everlasting Lord; Late in time behold him come, Offspring of the Virgin's womb. Veiled in flesh the Godhead see; Hail th'incarnate Deity; Pleased as man with man to dwell; Jesus, our Emmanuel! [Refrain]

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SANCTUS 127

128 MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION A

AGNUS DEI 132

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The Word became flesh, and we have seen his glory.

COMMUNION ANTHEM (9:30) - Sung by Choir

Word Made Flesh - Fauré

Word made flesh, this bread bestowing, by his Word his flesh to be, though our senses fail to see. Wine, his sacred blood he makes; faith alone the true heart wakes; through this Sacrament may we now behold the mystery.

Glory let us give, and blessing
To the Father and the Son;
while eternal ages run.
Honor, thanks, and praise address;
ever, too, his love confess;
Holy Spirit, Father, Son;
ever Three and ever One,
while eternal ages run. Amen.

COMMUNION HYMN:

Savior of the Nations, Come - #741 Savior of the nations, come; Virgin's Son, make here thy home. Marvel now, both heav'n and earth, That the Lord chose such a birth.

Not by human flesh and blood, By the Spirit of our God Was the Word of God made flesh, Mary's offspring, pure and fresh. Thou, the Father's only Son, Hast o'er sin the vict'ry won. Boundless shall thy kingdom be; When shall we its glories see?

Brightly doth thy manger shine; Glorious is its light divine. Let not sin o'ercloud this light; Ever be our faith thus bright.

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Latin Mass Hymns and Propers Mass at Midnight

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INTROIT Psalms 2: 7

Dóminus dixit ad me: Fílius meus es tu, ego hódie génui te. (Ps 2: 1) Quare fremuérunt gentes: et pópuli meditáti sunt inánia? Glória Patri et Fílio et Spíritui Sancto, sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper, et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen. Dóminus dixit ad me: Fílius meus es tu, ego hódie génui te.

COLLECT

veri lúminis fecísti illustratióne claréscere: da, quæsumus; ut, cujus lucis mystéria in terra cognóvimus, ejus quoque gáudiis in cælo perfruámur: Qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sécula seculórum.

GRADUAL Psalms 109: 3; 109: 1

splendóribus sanctórum, ex útero ante of Thy strength: in the brightness of lucíferum génui te. Dixit Dóminus Dómino meo: Sede a dextris meis: donec ponam inimícos tuos, scabéllum pedum tuórum.

The Lord hath said to me: Thou art My Son, this day have I begotten Thee. (Ps 2: 1) Why have the Gentiles raged, and the people devised vain things? Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever Refrain: shall be, world without end. Amen. The Lord hath said to me: Thou art My Son, this day have I begotten Thee.

Deus, qui hanc sacratíssimam noctem O God, who hast made this most holy night to shine forth with the brightness of the true light, grant, we beseech Thee, that we who have known the mystery of His light on earth, may attain the enjoyment of His happiness in heaven. Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

Tecum princípium in die virtútis tuæ: in With Thee is the principality in the day the saints, from the womb before the day star I begot Thee. The Lord said to my Lord: Sit Thou at My right hand, until I make Thy enemies Thy footstool.

OFFERTORY Psalms 95: 11, 13

Læténtur cæli et exsúltet terra ante fáciem Dómini: quóniam venit.

SECRET

Accépta tibi sit, Dómine, quéssumus, hodiérnæ festivitátis oblátio: ut, tua gratia largiénte, per hæc sacrosáncta Thee, O Lord: that of Thy bountiful commércia, in illíus inveniámur forma, grace we may, through this sacred in quo tecum est nostra substántia: Qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

Let the heavens rejoice, and let the earth be glad before the face of the Lord: because He cometh.

May the oblation of this day's festival be pleasing to Thee, we beseech intercourse, be found conformed to Him, in whom our substance is united to Thee. Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

COMMUNION Psalms 109: 3

In splendóribus sanctórum, ex útero ante lucíferum génui te.

POSTCOMMUNION

Da nobis, quésumus, Dómine Deus noster: ut, qui Nativitátem Dómini nostri Jesu Christi mystériis nos frequentáre gaudémus; dignis conversatiónibus ad ejus mereámur perveníre consórtium: Qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

In the brightness of the saints, from the womb before the day star I begot Thee.

Grant, we beseech Thee, O Lord our God, that we who rejoice in celebrating these mysteries of the Nativity of our Lord Jesus Christ, may by a fitting association be made worthy to attain to fellowship with Him. Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

Recessional Chant: Alma Redemptóris Mater - #428

Alma Redemptóris Mater, quæ pérvia cæli Porta manes, et stella maris, succúrre cadénti, Súrgere qui curat pópulo: tu quæ genuísti, Natúra miránte, tuum sanctum Genitórem Virgo prius ac postérius, Gabriélis ab ore Sumens illud Ave, peccatórum miserére.

Recessional Hymn:

O Come, All Ye Faithful - #650

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O come, let us adore him, O come, let us adore him, O come, let us adore him, Christ, the Lord!

God of God, Light of Light, Lo! He abhors not the Virgin's womb: Very God, begotten, not created; [Refrain]

Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation; Sing, all ye citizens of heav'n above! Glory to God, glory in the highest; [Refrain]

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Nativity of the Lord

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ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

A child is born for us, and a son is given to us; his scepter of power rests upon his shoulder, and his name will be called Messenger of great counsel.

124 KYRIE

125 GLORIA

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING: Isaiah 52: 7-10



SECOND READING: Hebrews 1: 1-6

ALLELUIA



GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

v. A holy day has dawned upon us. Come, you nations, and adore the Lord. For today a great light has come upon the earth.

GOSPEL

John 1: 1-18

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY ANTIPHON

Yours are the heavens, and yours is the earth. You have founded the world and its fullness; justice and judgment are the foundation of your throne.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM - Sung by Choir

Let All Together Praise Our God - Herman-Bach, ed. Proulx

Let all together praise our God before his glorious throne; He opens heav'n again today to give us his own Son. Within an earth-born form He hides his all-creating light; to serve us all he humbly cloaks the splendor of his might. He is a servant, I a lord: How great a mystery! How strong the tender Christ-child's love! No truer friend than he.

OFFERTORY HYMN:

Once in Royal David's City - #702, v. 1-5, arr. Proulx

Once in royal David's city stood a lowly cattle shed, where a mother laid her baby in a manger for his bed: Mary was that mother mild, Jesus Christ, her little child. He came down to earth from heaven who is God and Lord of all; and his shelter was a stable and his cradle was a stall: with the poor and meek and lowly lived on earth our Savior holy.

For he is our childhood's pattern; day by day like us he grew; he was little, weak, and helpless; tears and smiles like us he knew: and he feels for all our sadness, and he shares in all our gladness.

And our eyes at last shall see him, through his own redeeming love, for that child, so dear and gentle, is our Lord in heaven above: and he leads his children on to the place where he has gone.

Not in that poor lowly stable with the oxen standing by we shall see him, but in heaven, set at God's right hand on high: there his children gather round bright like stars, with glory crowned.

SANCTUS 127

128 MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION A

AGNUS DEI 132

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.

COMMUNION ANTHEM (9:30) - Sung by Choir

Salvation is Created - Tchesnokov

Salvation is created: Salvation of the world is come; Alleluia.

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RECESSIONAL HYMN

Joy to the World - #600

Joy to the world! The Lord is come: Let earth receive her King; Let ev'ry heart prepare him room, And heav'n and nature sing, And heav'n and heav'n and nature sing.

Joy to the world! The Savior reigns: Let men their songs employ, While fields and floods, rocks, hills, and plains, Repeat the sounding joy, Repeat the sounding joy, Repeat, repeat the sounding joy.

He rules the world with truth and grace, And makes the nations prove The glories of his righteousness, And wonders of his love, And wonders of his love, And wonders, wonders of his love.

Latin Mass Hymns and Propers

Christmas Day

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INTROIT Isaiah 9: 6

Puer natus est nobis, et fílius datus est nobis: cujus impérium super húmerum ejus: et vocábitur nomen ejus, magni consílii Ángelus. (Ps. 97: Cantáte Dómino cánticum novum: quia mirabília fecit. Glória Patri et Fílio et Spíritui Sancto, sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper, et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen. Puer natus est nobis, et fílius datus est nobis: cujus impérium super húmerum ejus: et vocábitur nomen ejus, magni consílii Angelus.

COLLECT

Concéde, quésumus, omnípotens Deus: ut nos Unigéniti tui nova per carnem Natívitas líberet; quos sub peccáti jugo vetústa sérvitus tenet. Per eúndem Dóminum nostrum Jesum under the yoke of sin. Through the Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

A Child is born to us, and a Son is given to us: Whose government is upon His shoulder and His Name shall be called the Angel of Great Counsel. (Ps. 97: 1) Sing ye to the Lord a new canticle: for He hath done wonderful things. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. A Child is born to us, and a Son is given to us: Whose government is upon His shoulder and His Name shall be called the Angel of Great Counsel.

Grant, we beseech Thee, almighty God, that the new birth in the flesh of Thine only-begotten Son may set us free, whom the old bondage doth hold same Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation; Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

GRADUAL Psalms 97: 3-4, 2

Vidérunt omnes fines terræ salutáre Dei nostri: iubiláte Deo omnis terra. Notum fecit Dóminus salutáre suum: ante conspéctum géntium revelávit justítiam suam.

OFFERTORY Psalms 88: 12, 15

Tui sunt cæli, et tua est terra, orbem Thine are the heavens, and thine is terrárum, et plentitúdinem ejus tu fundásti: justítia et judícium præparátio sedis tuæ.

SECRET

Obláta, Dómine, múnera nova Unigéniti tui nativitáte sanctífica: nosque a peccatórum nostrórum máculis emúnda. Per eúndem Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sécula seculórum.

COMMUNION Psalms 97: 3

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POSTCOMMUNION

Præsta, quæsumus, omnípotens Deus: ut natus hódie Salvátor mundi, God, that as the Savior of the world, sicut divínæ nobis generatiónis est auctor; ita et immortalitátis sit ipse largitor. Qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sécula seculórum.

All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God: sing joyfully to God, all the earth. The Lord hath made known His salvation: He hath revealed His justice in the sight of the

the earth, the world and the fullness thereof Thou hast founded: justice and judgment are the preparation of Thy

Sanctify, O Lord, the gifts offered to Thee, by the new birth of Thine Onlybegotten Son: and cleanse us from the stains of our sins. Through the same Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

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Grant, we beseech Thee, almighty born on this day, is the Author of our heavenly birth, so He may also be to us the Giver of immortality. Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

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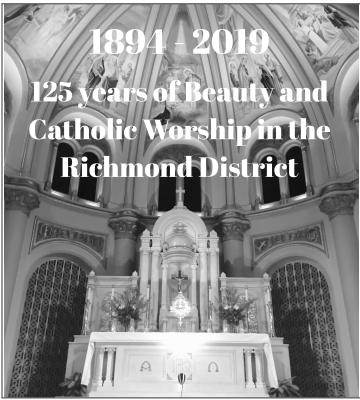
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OUR COMMUNITY



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Our Goal is to raise \$500,000

We have raised \$65,000+

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EDUCATION AND PROGRAMS

Baptisms & Marriages: To learn about our Baptism program, our "Witness to Love" program, or to begin preparing for your wedding, please call Fr. John Fewel at 415-751-0450.

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Sacred Music Program: To participate in our choir, please contact: Music director, Lynn Kraehling at lynn@starparish.com

Altar Servers: Please call Fr. John Fewel at (415) 751-0450, or email fr.johnfewel@starparish.com

Christmas and New Year's Liturgies

Christmas Eve (December 24)

4:30pm Children's Nativity Play (4:00pm) and Mass (Children's Choir)

10:00pm Christmas Caroling followed by 10:30pm Mass (full choir)

12:00am Midnight Mass (Sung High Mass in Latin, full choir)

Christmas Day (December 25)

8:00am Mass with Christmas Carols

9:30am Full Choir Mass

11:30am Full Choir Latin Mass

No 7:30pm Mass

New Year's Eve (December 31)

11:30pm - 12:30am Holy Hour with Benediction

Solemnity of the Mother of God (January 1)

Holy Day of Obligation

8:00am Mass

9:30am Full Choir Mass

11:30am Full Choir Latin Mass

No 7:30pm Mass

Confessions

15 minutes before every Mass



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STEWARDSHIP a way of life

Tea Pots and Tea Cups

We still need tea cups, saucers, and tea pots for our upcoming benefit "High Tea," to raise funds to paint our church. Thanks to all who have donated beautiful pieces already! Please bring your donation to the office. Save the date: Saturday, January 19, 2019 at 1:30pm in the Auditorium.



The Holy Name Society Ministry, led by Ron Konopaski, gathered last Sunday to end the year with a special Christmas luncheon for all the members, our priests, and friends from the parish. We are thankful for their commitment and service to our parish.

Become a Star Parishioner

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Parishioner Registration

Please place this in the offertory basket

- O New Parishioner
- O New Information

Name

Phone

Email

O FULL O ASSOCIATE



Stewards In Action

STAR OUTREACH

Last Saturday, our chef Carmel and her team, Angali, Mariana, Mariella, and Sam, prepared a marvelous Christmas meal. Jenny, one of the homeless, said that the "ham, potatoes, yams, and green beans" were "perfect." Thank you to our servers, Carmel, Gaby and her son, Sean, and Maria. Thank you to Maria's son, Joannes, and friend, Leonie, for making sure the homeless received their choice of winter hat and gloves. Your generosity, dear parishioners, allowed the homeless to choose from many different colors and styles. Some of you also donated scarves and socks. Thank you to our Sacristan, Ed, for making sure all of the homeless received a pair of socks!

We are very grateful for your caring and giving heart. May God bless you abundantly for "feeding the hungry" and "clothing" those who are in need.

STEWARD STATS



Time: 20 parishioners prayed the Divine Mercy devotion.



Talent: Last Saturday 7 volunteers decorated the church with Christmas wreaths, trees, and put our beautiful Nativity up!



Treasure: \$5,688 was given in the Sunday Offertory.

Mass Readings

December 23

4th Sunday of Advent

Red Missal: Page 35

Black Latin Missal: Page 168

December 24

Christmas Eve Vigil

4:30pm Red Missal Page 46 10:30pm Red Missal Page 49 12 Midnight Black Missal Page 179

December 25

Christmas Day

Red Missal Page 53 Black Missal Page 186





EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

"You must propagate veneration of the Most Blessed Sacrament with all your might, for the devotion to the Holy Eucharist is the queen of all devotions." Pope Benedict XVI

Adorers Needed:

Monday: 4pm

Tuesday: Full coverage

Wednesday: 1 am

Thursday: Full coverage **Friday**: Full coverage Saturday: Full coverage

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