

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 20**  
**FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

2 Samuel 7:1-5, 8-12, 14, 16  
Romans 16:25-27  
Luke 1:26-38

**NEXT SUNDAY SCRIPTURE**

Genesis 15:1-6, 21:1-3  
Hebrews 11:8, 11-12, 17-19  
Luke 2:22-40



**MONDAY, DECEMBER 21**  
**ST. PETER CANISIUS**

Scripture: Songs 2:8-14/ Luke 1:39-45  
5:30 PM For Lesley Turek  
By William Turek

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 22**  
**ST. MARGUERITE D'YOUVILLE**

Scripture: 1 Samuel 1:24-28/Luke 1:46-56  
5:30 PM For the Soul of Leslie Miller  
By William Turek

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23**  
**ST. JOHN OF KANTY**

Scripture: Malachi 3:1-4, 23-24/Luke 1:57-66  
5:30 PM For the Souls in Purgatory  
By Mark Gallher

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24**  
**VIGIL OF CHRISTMAS**

Scripture: Isaiah 62:1-5/Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/Matthew 1:1-25  
5:30 PM Vigil for Christmas  
12:00 AM Mass at Midnight

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 25**  
**SOLEMNITY; CHRISTMAS, THE BIRTH OF JESUS**

Scripture: Isaiah 52:7-10/Hebrews 1:1-6/John 1:1-18  
5:30 PM

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26**  
**ST. STEPHEN, FIRST MARTYR**

Scripture: Acts 6:8-10, 7:54-59/Matthew 10:17-22  
8:30 AM

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 27**  
**FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY**

5:30 PM Intention For the People of Holy Name Parish

**PARISH INFORMATION**

Address: 154 East Patterson Ave. Columbus, Ohio 43202  
Rectory: 262-0390  
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Website: [www.holynamercc.info](http://www.holynamercc.info)

Administrator Pro-Tem:  
Fr. Antonio Carvalho

Director of Music and Organist:  
Thomas Kolar

Mass Schedule:  
Sun. -5:30 PM  
M-F - 5:30 PM Sat - 8:30 AM  
Holy Days - 12:00 PM & 5:30 PM

Confessions: M - Fri. 4:30 - 5:30 PM  
Sat. 11:00 AM to 12 PM



**SPIRITUAL ACTIVITIES AT HOLY NAME**

**Monday - Friday** - Adoration with Exposition will begin after the 5:30 Mass Mondays and continue around the clock until 4:30 PM Fridays. (Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will move to the main church M - Fri. from 4:30 PM till Mass begins at 5:30.)

**Thursdays** - Cenacle of the Marian Movement following 5:30 PM Mass. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 6:00 PM followed by silent adoration and Rosary.

**Saturdays** - Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament with Rosary following 8:30 AM Mass,

**Sundays** - Rosary in Chapel of St. Therese: 5:00 PM

Baptisms: Please call the Rectory

Marriages: Please contact the Rectory 4 months beforehand.

Anointing of the Sick: Please call the Rectory.

Interested in becoming Catholic? Contact Carol Keene 614-657-9528

CRISIS PREGNANCY CARE: Call Pregnancy Decision Health Centers' 24-hour hotline: (614) 444-4411.

**PARROQUIA SANTA CRUZ**

For Spanish Masses (Misa en Espanol) see: Parroquia Santa Cruz - Sat 6:00 pm, Sun 8:00 am and 11:00 AM

Holy Days 7:00 PM

Confession: Before the Mass


Contact the office at 784-9732 for additional information.

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR DECEMBER 27**

5:30 PM

(EME)

(L) Lori McKenzie

 In Memoriam.  
Main Sanctuary Lamps:

**PSALMS**

*M: Exult, you just, in the Lord! Sing to him a new song.  
T: My heart exults in the Lord, my Savior.  
W. Lift up your heads and see; your redemption is near at hand.  
Th Forever I will sing the goodness of the Lord.  
F: All the ends of the earth have seen the saving power of God.  
Sat: Into your hands, O Lord, I commend my spirit*

**BEHOLD, I am the handmaid of the Lord.  
May it be done to me according to your word.**  
*(Luke 1:37)*

**PREPARE YOUR HEART FOR CHRISTMAS.** The sacrament of reconciliation can bring true peace into our hearts and souls – something we may not have found very often this past year. Confession at Holy Name this week is heard Sunday – Friday, one hour before scheduled Mass times. (Yes, confessions will be heard on Christmas Eve and Day.)

**CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE**

**Christmas Eve – Thursday, December 24**  
*Vigil Mass: 5:30 PM  
Midnight Mass 12:00 AM*

**Christmas Day – Friday, December 25: 5:30 PM**



**FOURTH SUNDAY ADVENT PRAYER:** *All who behold the Christ, be he upon the cross or in his manger, are blessed beyond comprehension. So, too, were you blessed, Holy Mary, for you would birth and nurture the infant Christ, welcoming the Lord into this world with love and adoration. May we all learn to adore the Lord as you did, and praise his glory forevermore. Amen.*

**THE MONTH OF DECEMBER** is devoted to the Immaculate Conception. Pope St. John Paul II on the Immaculate Conception: *“...we contemplate the humble girl of Nazareth who, by an extraordinary and ineffable privilege, was preserved from the contagion of original sin and from every fault, so that she could be a worthy dwelling-place for the Incarnate Word. In Mary, the New Eve, Mother of the New Adam, the Father’s original, wondrous plan of love was re-established in an even more wondrous way. Therefore the Church gratefully acclaim: “Through you, immaculate Virgin, the life we had lost was returned to us. You received a child from heaven, and brought forth to the world a Saviour”* (Liturgy of the Hours, Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday, Benedictus Antiphon).”



**The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light;  
upon those who dwelt in the land of gloom  
a light has shone.**  
*(Isaiah 9:1)*



**“Do not be afraid; for behold, I proclaim to you  
good news of great joy that will be for all the people.  
For today in the city of David a savior has been born for you  
who is Christ the Lord”** *(Luke 2:10)*



**CATHOLIC CHARITIES CHRISTMAS HELP,** a listing of items needed to help clients of our diocesan sponsored Catholic charities, can be found at [www.columbuscatholic.org/social-concerns-office](http://www.columbuscatholic.org/social-concerns-office).

**TIS THE SEASON** - Christmas is not just a day. An *octave* extends the celebration of a solemnity for eight days. During the *Octave of Christmas*, for example, all the readings and prayers during the celebration of Mass are related to the birth of Christ. The “octave day” (eighth day) of Christmas is January 1, the Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God—a holy day on which all Catholics are obliged to attend Mass. Roman Catholics mark the end of the liturgical Christmas season with the celebration of the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, which falls on the Sunday after the Feast of the Epiphany. Ordinary Time begins the day after the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord.

**Beloved, the grace of God has appeared, saving all and training us to reject godless ways and worldly desires and to live temperately, justly, and devoutly in this age, as we await**

*the blessed hope, the appearance of the glory of our great  
God and savior Jesus Christ...*

