

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

December 30, 2018

Home is Where the Family Is

The idea, dream, and reality of family is so strong and durable that we use it to describe all that is best about human gatherings. We speak of the family of nations, of our church and parish families. The greatest compliment we can pay a friend or gracious host is to say that we feel at home with them, we feel part of the family.



Families are the first crucibles in which love is tested and tempered. Jesus himself was one of three people who lived in the shadow of each other. This family, like our own, did not always “get it right,” but they always tried to. These three “amateurs” were on holiday, and one of them got lost. Two were worried sick and took great measures to find the third, a boy after all, who was seeking the meaning of his calling. He found his vocation—to do his Father’s work—but he also returned home with his parents. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

Parish Offerings

Plate Collection (Dec. 22/23): \$3,625.00
Christmas: \$4,827.00

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Solemnity of Mary

January 1, 2019

Solemnity of Mary,
Mother of God;
and World Day of
Prayer for Peace

One Mass only at 10:00 am

Women’s Club

The first meeting of the new year for the Women’s Club will take place on Tues., Jan. 8th. We’ll meet in the hall for a potluck salad-bar lunch at 11:30 am. At 12:15 pm, we will continue with the series “The World Greatest Churches”. Please join us for the lunch and video, or just the video and dessert. There is a sign-up sheet near the church entrance.

Newly Baptized

Welcome and congratulations to Itzael Zahair Hernandez, who recently received the holy waters of baptism at Santa Rosa.



Pray for the Sick...

Alice Blankenship, Karen Gallagher, Irene Hammond, Brad Goforth, Julie Victorino, Victoria Martinez, Harvey Smith, Mikayla Martinez, Carol Bader, Jerry Reynolds, George Keenan, Gale Keenan, Matt Van Scyoc. May they know Christ’s healing.

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

(Dec. 29-Jan. 4)

Sat., 5:00 pm- +Tony & Kathryn Williams
+Kathy Spencer
Int. Chuck & Carmelle Dowdle
Sun., 9:00 am- +Aurora Aguilar
+Salvador Mendoza
+Esther Kirby
Sun., 6:00 pm- +Eleazar Hernandez
Mon., 9:00 am- Communion Service
Tues., 10:00 am- +Justin Linn
Int. Veronica Swierk
Wed, 9:00 am- Poinsettia Donors
Thur., 9:00 am- Our Sick & Homebound
Fri., 9:00 am- +James Brooks

Scripture Study

Our weekly Scripture Study resumes on Wed., Jan. 9th, at 9:30 am in the hall. We read and discuss the scriptures for the upcoming weekend so that they become more meaningful. These sessions are open to everyone, even if you have never studied the Bible.



*“The world must be educated to love Peace, to build it up and defend it.”
(Pope Paul VI, 1968)*

We Thank Everyone...

for having made our Christmas celebrations so joyful and special. We are grateful for our Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Altar Servers, Ushers, Decorators and Musicians...and to everyone who participated in our liturgies. You helped to make the celebration of our Lord’s birth so special.

...and for the Poinsettias

Many of our visitors and guests commented how especially beautiful the Poinsettias looked this year. Thank you to everyone who donated for the purchase of these decorations. Your loved ones will be remembered at Mass throughout the Christmas season.

Saints and Special Observances

Monday: St. Sylvester I
Tuesday: Mary, Mother of God;
World Day of Prayer for
Peace; New Year’s Day
Wednesday: Ss. Basil the Great and
Gregory Nazianzen
Thursday: Most Holy Name of Jesus
Friday: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton
Saturday: St. John Neuman

Parish Council to Meet

The Council will meet next Sun., Jan. 6th, at 10:15 am in the hall. All parishioners are welcome to attend.