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Third Sunday of Advent
December 11, 2022
MONTH OF THE NATIVITY

Holy Mass Schedule:

Sunday: 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00 AM (High Mass)

Weekdays: Monday - Saturday 9:00 AM

First Friday: Additional Mass at 7:00 PM

Holy Days of Obligation: 9:00 AM & 7:00 PM

(Please confirm with current bulletin or website)

Confession:

30 minutes before each Mass and upon request.

Baptism: Please contact the Oratory in advance.

Marriage: Please contact the Rectory at least 6 months
in advance of the proposed marriage date.

Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament: 2nd Sunday
of the month following the 9:00 AM Mass

Perpetual Novena:

Monthly from the 17th to 25th. Infant of Prague

Please reference the weekly bulletins (also available on the website) for any temporary changes to the Mass schedule.

Very Rev. Msgr. R. Michael Schmitz, STD, JCL, Vicar General & Delegate for the U.S.
Rev. Canon Matthew Talarico, Provincial Superior
Rev. Canon Brian A. T. Bovee, Rector
Rev. Father Richard Munkelt, Priest in Residence
Abbé Francis Bennell, Clerical Oblate

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Sun Dec 11	THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT	7:30 AM ✨ Laura Rigano <i>by Salvatore V. LaFerrara</i>
		9:00 AM Leokadia Janik <i>by Barbara Mazur</i>
		11:00 AM Nicholas Chiriboga <i>by Ellie Orzco</i>
Mon Dec 12	Advent Feria <i>Mass of the Third Sunday of Advent</i>	9:00 AM ✨ Jack Keenan <i>by the Brower Family</i>
Tue Dec 13	St. Lucy	9:00 AM Rene A. Almonte-Personal Intension <i>by Amelia Almonte</i>
Wed Dec 14	Ember Wednesday	9:00 AM ✨ Frances DiMaggio <i>by Kevin & Marcia Reina</i>
Thu Dec 15	Advent Feria <i>Mass of the Third Sunday of Advent</i>	9:00 AM Marie Miraldi Hollmann <i>by Divna & Joseph Buechel</i>
Fri Dec 16	Ember Friday	9:00 AM Shannon Conaty <i>by Anonymous</i>
Sat Dec 17	Ember Saturday	9:00 AM ✨ Pablo Monzon <i>by Barbara Puleo</i>
Sun Dec 18	FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT	7:30 AM ✨ Kim Dixon <i>by Luke Dixon</i>
		9:00 AM Family Intention <i>by Lourdes Reyes</i>
		11:00 AM ✨ Marie Mautone <i>by Lisa Hart</i>

PRAYERS & INSTRUCTION

NOVENA TO THE INFANT KING

~ said every 17th to 25th of each month ~

O Divine Infant Jesus, I have recourse to Thee. Please, through Thy Blessed Mother, assist me in this necessity (mention intention here), because I firmly believe that Thy Divinity can help me. I hope with confidence to obtain thy holy grace. I love Thee with all my heart and with all the strength of my soul. I repent sincerely of my sins and I beg Thee, O Good Jesus, to grant me the strength to triumph over them. I resolve never more to offend Thee and I come to offer myself to Thee with the intention of enduring everything rather than to displease Thee. Henceforth, I desire to serve Thee with fidelity and, for the love of Thee, O Divine Infant, I will love my neighbor as myself. All powerful Infant, O Jesus, I implore Thee again, assist me in this need. Grant me the grace of possessing Thee eternally with Mary and Joseph and of adoring Thee with the angels in the heavenly court. Amen.



**THE MORE YOU HONOR ME,
THE MORE I WILL BLESS YOU.**

Destruction of Odin's Oak



AN interesting tradition, part history, part legend, claims that the Christmas tree dates back to the eighth century. This legend is based on a historical figure, St Boniface, and even a historical event, the destruction of Odin's oak. St Boniface (675-754) was the English Bishop Winfrid who went to Germany to preach the Christian faith as a missionary. After a period of successful preaching, he went to Rome to confer with Pope Gregory II (715-731). After a long absence, he returned to Geismar, Germany, for Christmas 723, and felt personally offended on discovering that the Germans had reverted to their former idolatry of pagan divinities and were preparing to celebrate the winter solstice by sacrificing a young man under Odin's sacred oak tree. Fired by holy anger, Bishop Boniface took up an axe and dared to cut down the oak. This courageous, historically documented act meant the triumph of Christianity in Germany over the pagan divinities.

Pray for Our Sick

Maria Parra, Kelly Philips, Brendan Flaherty, Katie Williams, Jessica Kenny, Cathy Craig, Christopher Slattery, Donald Moglia, Francine Cable, Michelina Giuliano, Maria Fernandez

Pray for Our Deceased

Raymond Bennell, Sue Aurora, Zoltan Leskowsky Sr., Amelia Udasco, Servando Fernandez, Lucille Mariano, Roy Brower, Eugenia Wieszczyk, Patricia Wickens, Mary S. De Silva

ANNOUNCEMENTS & INFORMATION



Welcome to St. Anthony of Padua Oratory!

We are happy to have you with us today. Please join us after the 9 and 11 AM Masses for coffee, a sweet, and some good company in the parish hall below.



December 2, 2022

Dear Canon Bovee,

The Little Sister of the Poor, on behalf of the Residents of St. Joseph's Home for the Elderly, most gratefully acknowledge your generous contribution of food items as well as copy paper and paper goods during the month of November. By your kindness and thoughtfulness, this wonderful donation helps not only to feed our Residents daily but also eases the cost of buying paper products.

With thankful hearts, the Little Sisters and our Residents will pray each day for you and your loved ones. May you be blessed during this beautiful season and have every happiness in the New Year.

Gratefully,

Sr. Cecilia, I.s.p.
Little Sisters of the Poor

2023 MASS INTENTIONS

The Mass books are now open to accept the Mass intentions for 2023. Due to the popularity of this pious tradition, a limit of 15 requests per family is necessary. To request a Mass, please use the white/red envelopes found on the back tables.

MEN'S ROSARIAN MEETING

Sunday, December 18th, after the 11AM Mass, will be the next meeting for the men's group of St. Anthony Rosarian Confraternity.

CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

Last opportunity to order Christmas poinsettias from the ST. ANTHONY ROSARIANS. Sign-up with payment is available in the vestibule. The flowers will be available for pick up in the hall next Sunday, December 18th.

CHRISTMAS DECORATING

We will be decorating the church for Christmas this coming Saturday (Dec. 17th) following the 9AM Mass. All are welcome and encouraged to come and join us for this event. Many hands make light work!

THANK YOU FROM THE HOLY NAME SOCIETY

The Holy Name Society would like to congratulate Jon Brinck-Lund for winning this year's Nativity Set raffle prize. We'd also like to thank all those who, by purchasing raffle tickets, magnets, and books, made this year's fundraiser a big success. Have a Merry Christmas!

ST. NICHOLAS' VISIT

A big thank you to Bob and Norma Carroll, who were most instrumental in facilitating last week's special guest visit, Old St. Nick, to the children of our CCD classes. Excellent job, well done, and thank you again.

HALL LIGHTING

Much gratitude is due to those who volunteered hours and materials to accomplish the necessary repairs to the hall lighting. You may have already noticed the significant brilliance now that all the lights are again operational. To be sure, our CCD classes would be most appreciative. Thank you again!

MARCH FOR LIFE TRIP

St. Anthony of Padua Oratory in West Orange welcomes you to attend the March for Life in Washington, D.C., on January 20, 2023.

Tickets are \$50 per passenger. Like last year, all registrations will be done online. Please visit the following Tiny URL or scan the QR code below with your phone camera for more information and to register.

<https://tinyurl.com/22ch775u>

REGISTRATION
DEADLINE:
DECEMBER 19, 2022



VOTIVE CANDLES

WEEK OF DECEMBER 11TH

PIETA:

OUR LADY:

■■■■ Souls in Purgatory—BM

ST. JOSEPH:

■■■ 27th Wedd. Anniver.—SJ

ST. THERESE:

■■■■ Bob & Norma Carroll

* ■ indicates number of intentions in the queue.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sat. Dec 17: Church Decorating

Sun. Dec 18: Last CCD class for 2022
Men's Rosarian Meeting

Sun. Dec 25: *Nativity of Our Lord*
Christmas Masses: 11pm, 7:30am, 9am, 11am

Sun. Jan 8: St. Anthony Nativity Play

Sun. Jan 15: First CCD class for 2023





THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT



'GAUDETE SUNDAY'

Introit. Philip. 4, 4-6. Rejoice in the Lord always; again I say, rejoice. Let your modesty be known to all men: for the Lord is nigh. Be nothing solicitous; but in everything by prayer let your requests be made known to God. Ps. 84, 2. Lord, Thou hast blest Thy land; Thou hast turned away the captivity of Jacob. V. Glory.

Pray. Incline Thine ear to our prayers, O Lord, we beseech Thee; and make bright the darkness of our minds by the grace of Thy visitation. Who livest.

Epistle. Philip. 4, 4-7. Brethren: Rejoice in the Lord always; again I say, rejoice. Let your modesty be known to all men: for the Lord is nigh. Be nothing solicitous; but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasseth all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Gradual. Ps. 79, 2, 3. Thou, O Lord, that sittest upon the cherubim, stir up Thy might, and come. V. Give ear, O Thou that rulest Israel: Thou that leadest Joseph like a sheep.

Alleluia, alleluia. V. Stir up Thy might, O Lord, and come: that Thou mayest save us. Alleluia.

Gospel. John 1, 19-28. At that time: the Jews sent from Jerusalem priests and Levites to John, to ask him, Who art thou? And he confessed, and did not deny; and he confessed I am not the Christ. And they asked him, What then? Art thou Elias? And he said, I

am not. Art thou the prophet? And he answered, No. They said therefore unto him, Who art thou, that we may give an answer to them that sent us? what sayest thou of thyself? He said, I am the voice of one crying in the wilderness, Make straight the way of the Lord, as said the prophet Isaias. And they that were sent were of the pharisees. And they asked him, and said to him, Why, then, dost thou baptize, if thou be not Christ, nor Elias, nor the prophet? John answered them, saying, I baptize with water; but there hath stood one in the midst of you, Whom you know not; the same is He that shall come after me, Who is preferred before me, the latchet of Whose shoe I am not worthy to loose. These things were done in Bethania beyond the Jordan, where John was baptizing.

Offertory. Ps. 84, 2. Lord, Thou hast blest Thy land: Thou hast turned away the captivity of Jacob: Thou hast forgiven the iniquity of Thy people.

Secret. May the sacrifice of our devotion, we beseech Thee, O Lord, be continually offered to Thee, both to carry out Thy designs in this holy Mystery and wonderfully to work in us Thy salvation. Through our Lord.

Communion. Is. 35, 4. Say, ye faint-hearted, take courage, and fear not, behold our God will come and will save us.

Postcommunion. We implore Thy clemency, O Lord, that cleansed from our sins, these divine aids may prepare us for the coming festival. Through our Lord.

How to Request a Mass Intention

Oratory members both new and old often ask how they should go about requesting an intention for a Mass. To help clarify the process and avoid misunderstandings, please note the following:

The most reliable way to request a Mass is to fill out an envelope, which can be found on the back tables, and drop it in the collection basket. You may also make requests in person or by phone or email. However, this can, at times, become overwhelming and is prone to error. One envelope suffices for multiple intentions, unless there is danger of confusion.

The name of the requestor will be published in the bulletin and used in the card as written.

This tells us the amount you wish to give for the stipend- Mass offering(s).

If a public Mass is not necessary, please mark this box.

INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST
St. Anthony of Padua Oratory
MASS INTENTION REQUEST

Name/Intention: _____ Please Print: _____
_____ Living _____ Deceased

Requested by: _____
\$ _____ Mass Offering \$ _____ Card (if desired)

Please mark the box if you do not require a Mass date. These Masses will be offered as a private Mass in the Oratory at the earliest available date. However, a date can not be confirmed in advance.

If a Mass intention greeting card is desired, please indicate as such here. A \$1 donation per card is requested.

Mass cards can be picked up in the sacristy the Sunday following your submitted request.