

December 22, 2019
The Fourth Sunday of Advent

St. Francis, Francesville; St. Joseph, Pulaski; St. Peter, Winamac

Part of the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana

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LITURGY SCHEDULE

Monday, December 23 at St. Peter

8:00 A.M. +Wilbur Martindale by Delores
Girton Family

^Tuesday, December 24 at St. Peter^

4:00 P.M. +James M. Nicolas Family by Larry
& Mary Johnson

^Tuesday, December 24 at St. Joseph^

6:00 P.M. +Our Cluster Family

Wednesday December 25 at St. Francis

8:00 A.M. +Fr. Melvin Bennett by Barbara Mau

^Wednesday, December 25 at St. Peter^

10:00 A.M. +Malvis Grisel by Bill & Linda Webb

Thursday, December 26

NO MASS

Friday, December 27 at St. Peter

8:00 A.M. +Geraldine Rose by the Ladies of
Charity

Saturday,, December 28

^4:00 P.M. at St. Peter^

+Joe Pesaresi by Steve & Judy Wilson

^6:00 P.M. at St. Joseph^

+Harry & Lucile Roth by Peach Roth

Sunday, December 29

8:00 A.M. at St. Francis

+Our Cluster Family

^10:00 A.M. at St. Peter^

+Matilda Reid by Bill & Linda Webb

^INCENSE WILL BE USED^

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Saturday December 28 at 4:00 P.M.

(St. Peter)

Readers: Rex Allman

Ministers: Jane Rausch, Viv Reinhold & Judy
Wilson

Servers: Bonnie Budd & Kendra Morris

Ushers: VOLUNTEERS

Saturday, December 28 at 6:00 P.M.

(St. Joseph)

Reader: Paul Gilsinger

Ministers: Peach Roth, Lisa Brady & Diane
Kolish

Servers: Brody Roth & Bunnie Daugherty

Ushers: Tom Reutebuch, Tim Weaver, Kevin
Whiteman & Curt Daugherty

Sunday, December 29 at 8:00 A.M.

(St. Francis)

Reader: Pat Ames

Ministers: Joanne Stevens & Janet Ricks

Servers: Dillar Ames

Sunday, December 29 at 10:00A.M.

(St. Peter)

Readers: Linda Webb

Ministers: Donna Nicholson, Tina Pesarsi &
Loree Fisher

Servers: Cale & Curtis Pesaresi

Ushers: Saturnino Cardneas Family

Oh, by the way,

We're still waiting! Abbreviated again this year, we jump from the 4th Sunday of Advent, 22 December, to celebrating the Nativity of the Lord in three (3) days! There isn't time to enjoy that full 4th week of Advent...not to mention the pressure this places on the Art & Environment people! Our liturgy schedule for the Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord in our Cluster looks like this:



Eucharistic celebrations for the Nativity of the Lord

Sunday, 24 December

4:00 p.m. @ St. Peter (Vigil+^)

6:00 p.m. @ St. Joseph (Vigil+^)

Monday, 25 December

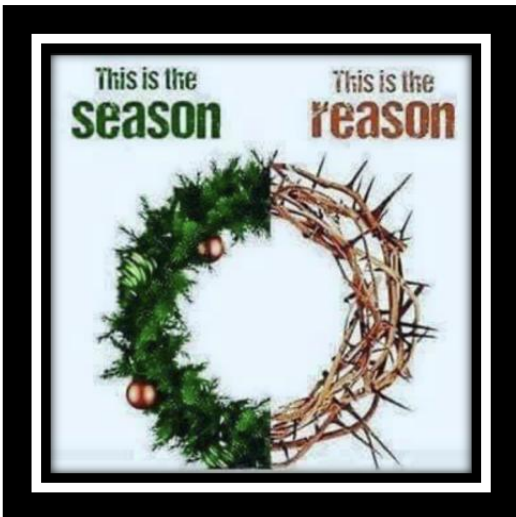
8:00 a.m. @ St. Francis (Dawn+^)

10:00 a.m. @ St. Peter (Day+^)

^Incense will be used during these liturgies.

+Liturgical Note: The Church stipulates four (4) distinct liturgies for the Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord ...depending on the chronological time of the day. Ever notice these in the song books?

This graphic is a great example of why we celebrate Christmas! Keep this image in your thoughts!



Reminders:

Bow during the Creed:

The Church document called the General Instruction of the Roman Missal (or "GIRM") outlines the basic structure of the Mass. In para. 137 we read:

"The Creed is sung or recited by the priest together with the people with everyone standing. At the words et incarnatus est (by the power of the Holy Spirit . . . became man) all make a profound bow; but on the



Solemnities of the Annunciation and of the [Nativity of the Lord, all genuflect.](#) We'll see how many get it!

The reason the GIRM calls us to bow at that point in the Creed is because it is at that point when we express our belief in the most fundamental mystery of Christianity: That in Jesus Christ, God actually became man, born of a woman by the power of the Holy Spirit. This is the Incarnation, the most sacred moment in all of human history. Therefore, we bow in honor of that event. (We'll see what happens!)

[The Sign of Peace:](#)

The Sign of Peace is NOT a liturgical "good morning" gesture. The Rite is offering the **Peace of Christ** to those immediately around us.

Making the sign of peace should be done without any undue noise or commotion. The celebrant, as the guardian of the Eucharist, does not leave the altar.

Under normal circumstances, the congregation is permitted shake hands, make a sign of peace or simply say, "peace be with you."



[Abuses to be avoided:](#)

- The introduction of a 'song for peace,' which is nonexistent in the Roman rite:
- The movement of the faithful from their places to exchange the sign of peace amongst themselves:
- The departure of the priest from the altar in order to give the sign of peace to some of the faithful:
- People using the sign of peace at Christmas, Easter, baptisms, weddings, ordinations and funerals to offer holiday greetings, congratulations or condolences.

The Business Office will close at 3:00 p.m., Monday, 23 December, reopening at 8:00 a.m., Friday, 27 December 2019.

The Business Office will be close at 3:00 p.m., Monday, 30 December, reopening at 8:00 a.m., Friday, 3 January 2020.

All financial contribution contributions for 2019 **MUST** be in the Cluster Business Office noon Monday, 30 December 2019, to be credited for 2019. Any contributions after noon will be posted for 2020!



Meanwhile, back at the ranch...fr. K

Quick one-liners for you:

- ❖ The Venture Crew is looking for new leaders to lead the organization in the future. Thank you to Dan Murphy and Denise & John Downing for all of their hard work and dedication to the Crew the last several years. Anyone that is interested, please contact Dan Murphy at 574.946.6291. Thank you!!!

❖ *The Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Mass Schedule*

^Tuesday, December 31st ^

St. Peter: 6:00 P.M.

^Wednesday, January 1st ^

St. Joseph: 9:00 A.M.

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- ❖ There will be an Improvement fund collection at St. Peter's next weekend, December 28 & 29. Envelopes may be found in the pews for your convenience. Thank you for your continued support.



St. Francis

December 15, 2019

General Offerings: \$220.00
Loose Collection: \$2.00
Imm. Conception: \$10.00

St. Joseph

December 14, 2019

General Offerings: \$13,300.00
Loose Collection: \$53.00
Christmas Flowers: \$20.00
Solemnity of Mary: \$5.00
Grotto Donation: \$10,000.00

St. Peter

December 14 & 15, 2019

General Offering: \$1,624.00
Loose Collection: \$1,699.00
Children's Offering: \$10.00
Votive Lights: \$27.00
Christmas Flowers: \$140.00
Imm. Conception: \$20.00
Christmas: \$140.00
Catholic Moment: \$20.00

Weekly Cluster Activities: **No Activities this week**

PRAYER REQUESTS: Please keep the following individuals in your prayers: Dick Alber, Randy Baker, Helen Barker, Matt Boos, Shelia Buczek, Helen Ford, Haley Fox, Delores Girton, Lucas Hoelscher (Faye & Hank's grandson), Diana Hopkins, Frances Hoover, Mary Ann Johnson, Carole Kuhn, Grace LaSell (Sam & Neva Wank's great niece), Sarah Leman (Mary Johnson's granddaughter), Ethel & Ralph Loehmer, Greg Loehmer, Kay (Chapman) Martinez, Adrian Miller, Rosalia Najera, Lucy Nuckols (Jane Rausch's great-niece), Patricia O'Donnell, Joan & Ray Paige (Pat O'Donnell's brother & sister-in-law), Jonathan Park (Jean Parks' son), Rankin Reinholt (Shelley Werner's brother), John Roberts, Jerry Scott, Judy Stevens (Joanne Steven's mother-in-law), Graham Volmer, Walt Wallace & Elizabeth Weldon



Please notify the Cluster Office at 574.946.4906, if a loved one is admitted to the hospital, rehab center, nursing home, or is homebound. fr. K CANNOT make calls to people that he is NOT AWARE OF. Thank you!

