



We, the parish of Saints Mary and Mathias Catholic Church,
WELCOME all to CELEBRATE, TEACH and LIVE the Mission of JESUS CHRIST

From the Pastor's Desk



Some 2000 years ago, a world filled with darkness, doubt, and fear was forever changed as Christ, the long expected Messiah, the Light of the World, took on our human flesh. His birth fulfilled the longings of many hearts and brought renewed hope to all the nations. Today, our world is filled with much darkness. Newspaper headlines continue to speak of war, violence, mass shootings, and crises within the Church. In our own lives, we experience the disappointment of being laid off from work, of broken relationships, and the life changes that come with deteriorating health. Whether this Christmas all is well or we are experiencing pain, grief, or stress in our lives, one thing stands true. There is good news of great joy. "For today in the city of David a savior has been born for you who is Messiah and Lord." (Luke 2:11).

The truth is, as Jesus was born in the messiness of Bethlehem's Stable, Christ desires to enter our messy lives. This Christmas, let us offer our best yes to God by making our heart a dwelling place fitting for the Lord. Let's begin to talk to Him, to spend time with Him in prayer. Let's clear time out of our busy schedules just to be with the Lord, the one who invites us into a personal relationship, into a friendship that will last far beyond this life, into eternity.

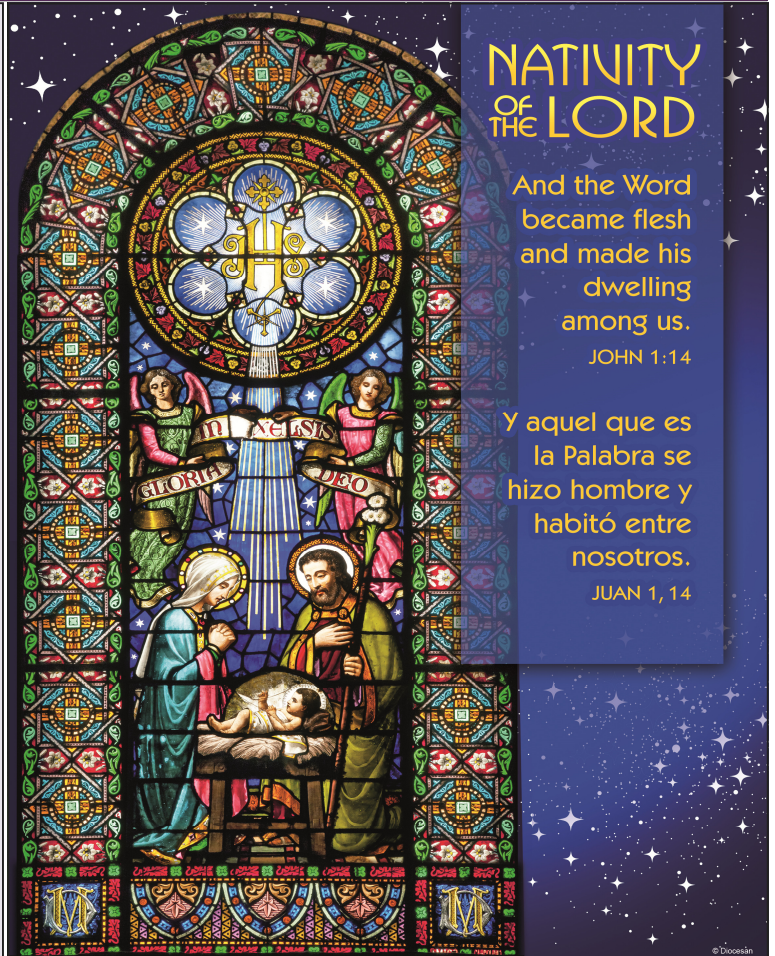
As we celebrate the great gift of the Incarnation, the Word made Flesh, in the birth of Christ our Savior; let us give to the Lord the gift of our very best yes to all that He desires of us this Christmas.

A Note of Thanks

Fr. Hai and I wish to thank you for your generosity this Christmas. Thank you for your many gifts, goodies, prayers, and kind wishes. We are so blessed to serve such a loving, supportive parish family. We really do love you and wish the very best for you and your loved ones this Christmas and in the New Year.

With Much Love,
Fr. Troy and Fr. Hai

December 23rd - 25th, 2018



NATIVITY OF THE LORD

And the Word
became flesh
and made his
dwelling
among us.

JOHN 1:14

Y aquel que es
la Palabra se
hizo hombre y
habitó entre
nosotros.

JUAN 1, 14

December Liturgies & Events

Dec. 23rd Posada

6:00 PM - Gannon Hall

Dec. 24th - Posada

5:30 PM - Gannon Hall

Dec. 24th Christmas Eve Masses

4:00 PM - Ss. Mary & Mathias Church

4:30 PM - Ss. Mary & Mathias School Gym, 2407 Cedar St.

6:00 PM - Bilingual - Ss. Mary & Mathias Church

December 25th Christmas Day Masses

Midnight Mass - 12:00 AM - Ss. Mary & Mathias Church

10:00 AM - Ss. Mary & Mathias Church

December 31st - Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Mass

Holy Day of Obligation

5:00 PM - Ss. Mary & Mathias Church

Adoration following Mass until Midnight

January 1- Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Mass

Holy Day of Obligation

10:00 AM - Mass

Open Mass Intentions

January & February
Lots of Dates Open

This Week

G=Gannon, Ch=Church, C=Council/Committee,
AOP=All Our Parishioners

Monday, December 24th

Parish Office Closed

10:00 AM - Prayer Shawl Group - G
Noon - Rosary - Ch
4:00 PM - Mass - Christmas Eve - Ch. -
Jamie Little - (this Mass will be
transmitted to Gannon)
4:30 PM - Mass - Christmas Eve. - School
Gym, 2407 Cedar St. - Phillis Wagner
5:30 PM - Last Posada - G
6:00 PM - Mass - Christmas Eve. - Bilingual
- Ch - AOP

Tuesday, December 25th

Parish Office Closed

12:00 AM - Midnight Mass - AOP
10:00 AM - Christmas Morning - G - Herb
Noetzel

Wednesday, December 26th

No Daily Mass Today
Parish Office Closed

7:30 AM - Touched by Faith - G
2:00 PM - KC Blood Drive - G

Thursday, December 27th

Parish Office Closed

7:00 AM - Mass - Albert & Violet Offerman
7:30 AM - 5:00 PM - Adoration - Chapel

Friday, December 28th

Parish Office Closed

7:00 AM - Mass - Gary Richmond
7:30 AM - 5:00 PM - Adoration - Chapel
10:00 AM - Mass @ Bickford
7:00 PM - Hispanic Choir Practice - Convent

Saturday, December 29th

3:45 PM - Confession
5:00 PM - Mass - John Oberhaus

Sunday, December 30th

8:00 AM - Mass - Mary Ann
10:00 AM - Mass - AOP
12:30 PM - Mass - Por todos los miembros
Fallecidos de la Familia Victorino Garbay

2019 Calendars

Calendars from Wittich Riley Freers
Funeral Home are now available at
church entrances.



Can't Force the Feeling: How Letting Go of Expectations Helped Me Enjoy Christmas

BY SARAH GARONE

It hits me at odd times throughout the year, in small, fleeting sparks: that feeling of perfect warmth and wonder that embodies Christmastime. Perhaps it's a childhood memory triggered by a passing conversation or a Christmas carol crossing my mind in August. Whatever the source, I do all I can to savor the feeling, capture it, and save it up for later. Because I know, when Christmastime comes, I may or may not feel how I'm "supposed" to.

It's all around us, the pressure to *feel* a certain way during the holidays. The one-word designs found on mugs, sweaters, and Christmas cards can seem more like commands than celebrations: "Wonder." "Celebrate." "Rejoice." At church, when we hear the Gospel account of the Incarnation—God's incredible, universe-changing gift of His Son to mankind—there's a prescriptive element: *be moved* to awe and reverence. But what if it's the 67th time we've heard the Christmas story, so it just doesn't feel very fresh anymore, or grief over a lost loved one is weighing heavy on us these days, or we just want this season of excesses to be over? For any number of reasons, sometimes the "right" feelings don't come at the right time.

For a long time, I tried to force myself into the "correct" emotions of Christmas, and found I couldn't. Overcommitment, strained family relationships, and other circumstances beyond my control meant my Christmas did not look like I thought it should. Therefore, the feelings of joy and wonder I expected wouldn't come. It didn't help, either, that I stubbornly clung to the belief that I should feel the same about Christmas in adulthood as I did during childhood. When I was a kid, all it took to send me into yuletide ecstasy was the opening guitar strums of Amy Grant's "Tennessee Christmas" and the taking down of the first box of ornaments. Why wasn't that true anymore?

It wasn't until I learned to let go of expectations and embrace whatever was good about my Christmas season that I began to enjoy the holiday more.

I remember exactly where I was when the first inklings of this concept hit me. It was Christmas Eve. The kids had been tucked in awaiting the present frenzy of the next day, and my husband had just left the house to play music at midnight Mass. I sat alone in a comfortable leather chair in front a cozy fire. As is common for me when left alone with my own thoughts, I began musing self-pityingly on the broken relationships that prevent me from seeing extended family on Christmas Eve like I used to. Then, I turned to my other sad tactic of berating myself for not feeling awe, wonder, and perfect peace on this holiest of nights.

But as I looked into the crackling fire that night, it dawned on me: I may not feel awe, wonder, and perfect peace right this second, but I do feel ... *good*. Really good. No, I'm not with aunts, uncles, and cousins, but I am here in my home, wrapped in a warm fleece blanket. I just ate a delicious slice of cranberry-apple pie. I have a husband and three wonderful children to watch "The Muppet Christmas Carol" with.

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Faith Formation/Mazzuchelli Calendar



VANCO

December 25/January 1—NO RCIA CLASSES

December 26/January 2—NO RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

December 24 Family Christmas Eve Mass at 4:30pm at Saints Mary and Mathias School gym. We WELCOME Fr. Wally Helms as our celebrant.

December 25 MERRY CHRISTMAS to each of you!!

"It is Christmas every time you let God love others through you. Yes, it is Christmas every time you smile at your brother and sister and offer him/her your hand." (Mother Teresa)—May it be a day of Christmas each and every day of the Christmas season for you and your families! May the Christmas season be a time for celebrating the special gift that each of you are!! With Christmas love and Christmas gratitude—Sister Cheryl, Tommy, and Molly.

CHRISTIAN EXPERIENCE WEEKEND: St. Ann's and our Lady of the River. Women's Retreat: January 18-20. The purpose of the Christian Experience Weekend (CEW) is to strengthen and enrich your relationship with God. The weekend provides a special time and place away from the busy routine of daily living, where a true Christian community can develop in a variety of ways.

CEW is not a retreat consisting of silence and meditation. Rather, it is a shared Christian experience which grows out of the realization that the Christian life has to be experienced before it can be fully appreciated.

Two of our Saints Mary and Mathias Parishioners are part of this CEW Weekend: Amanda McKee and Erin McKee. For more info on the women's weekend, please contact: Brenda Kroeger (563-349-4725)-c.kroeger@att.net

Faith Active & Alive

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What's not to love about all of that? Besides, how could I expect to experience wonder in the same way now that I did as a child? True wonder involves elements of surprise and curiosity that adults simply don't possess in the same quantities as kids.

This line of thinking set me on a new path in my emotional approach to Christmas. There's really no law stating my (or your) Christmas *has* to be any particular way or involve any particular feelings. The Bethlehem story doesn't come with an asterisk at the bottom saying, "Please note: If you're not currently inspired with ultimate joy, you're doing it wrong." But in two separate places in the New Testament epistles, Paul instructs believers to "cling to what is good" (**Romans 12:9** and **1 Thessalonians 5:21**). This has become my new Christmas goal.

All of us can mindfully acknowledge pleasures and blessings large and small this time of year. Perhaps Christmas doesn't look quite like the famed "picture print of Currier and Ives." But a steamy mug of hot chocolate on a cold night, watching "It's A Wonderful Life," or not having to work for a few days? Those are good things I can cling to. Even if all I feel is thankful for those little things, thankful is good. Thankful can be enough.

I've given up trying to force any prescribed feelings at Christmas. I've even tried to let go of requiring certain traditions to happen. Instead, I commit to looking for whatever is good in the season, acknowledging it, and giving thanks for it. And wouldn't you know it? Christmas is much more enjoyable when I do.

Christmas Eve Choir!

Come all you singers and join us to prepare for the Christmas Eve Midnight Mass. We'll rehearse on Tuesday evening, December 18th from 6:30 PM- 7:30 PM and Sunday, December 23 from 4:30PM - 5:30 PM. All are welcome!

The 4:00 PM Mass on Christmas Eve

will be broadcast in Gannon to accommodate any overflow of attendees, families needing to attend to small children or anyone else who would find Gannon more convenient.

Upcoming Events

December 31st

New Year's Eve.

Parish Office Closed

5:00 PM - Mass for Solemnity of Mary,
Mother of God

6:00 PM - 12:00 AM - Adoration

January 1st

New Year's Day

Parish Office Closed

No 7 AM Daily Mass

10:00 AM - Mass for Solemnity of Mary,
Mother of God

January 2nd

2:00 PM - 8:30 PM - Parish Directory
Photos - G

January 3rd

2:00 PM - 8:30PM - Parish Directory
Photos - G

January 4th

10:00 AM - Mass @ Sunnybrook
2:00 PM - 8:30 PM - Parish Directory
Photos- G

January 5th

Fair Trade Weekend

7:45 AM - 1st Sat. Confessions
9:30 AM - 1st Saturday Mass
10:30 AM - 4:00 PM - Parish Directory
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January 6th

Fair Trade Weekend

January 9th

10:45 - Mass @ Premier Estates - (Note:
changed to Wednesdays)

January 14th

10:00 AM - Mass @Lutheran Homes
6:00 PM - Catholic Daughters Mtg. - G - Call
Ann Bahn 260-6398 if you need a ride.

End of Year Donations

To be included as a 2018 donation, all
checks must be dated no later than
Dec. 31, 2018 and received by the
Parish Office by **Jan. 6th, 2019.**

Annual Diocesan Appeal

ADA Goal = \$ 124,000

Total Pledge = \$108,000

(just over 87% of goal)

Readings for the Week

Monday	Morning Mass: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16; Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29; Lk 1:67-79 Vigil Mass: Is 62:1-5; Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29; Acts 13:16-17, 22-25; Mt 1:1-25 or Mt 1:18-25
Tuesday	Solemnity of The Nativity of the Lord - Christmas Night Mass: Is 9:1-6; Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 11-12, 13; Ti 2:11-14; Lk 2:1-14 Dawn Mass: Is 62:11-12; Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12; Ti 3:4-7; Lk 2:15-20 Day Mass: Is 52:7-10; Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6; Heb 1:1-6; Jn 1:1-18 or Jn 1:1-5, 9-14
Wednesday	Feast of Saint Stephen Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 8ab, 16bc and 17; Mt 10:17-22
Thursday	Feast of Saint John 1 Jn 1:1-4; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12; Jn 20:1a, and 2-8
Friday	Feast of The Holy Innocents, Martyrs 1 Jn 1:5—2:2; Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7cd-8; Mt 2:13-18
Saturday	Saint Thomas Becket 1 Jn 2:3-11; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 5b-6; Lk 2:22-35
Sunday	Feast of The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or 1 Sm 1:20-22, 24-28; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 or Ps 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10; Col 3:12-21 or Col 3:12-17 or 1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24; Lk 2:41-52

January Photo Schedule

for
Parish Directory
Wed., Jan. 2nd -
Fri., Jan. 4th
2:00 PM - 8:30 PM

Sat., Jan. 5th
10:30 AM - 4:00
PM

Sign-Up online:

Code: ia 109

PW: stmm2018

or call the Parish
Office 263-1416

Mary Louise's Annual Christmas Dinner

Christmas Day, December 25th

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM - FREE

at Loaves & Fishes (basement of MCSA)

Volunteer times are in three shifts:

9:00 AM - 10:30 AM

10:30 AM - 12:30 AM

12:30 AM - 2:30 AM

To volunteer, please contact her elf, Jayne at 299-9767
or testrake@machlink.com or Mary Louise at 262-5089

to sign-up for a time.

Merry Christmas to all!

Thank you for your service!

Welcome!

to our new
Parishioners
Lupita & Cole
Schreurs

2019-2020 Preregistration

for **3-year old & 4-year old Parish Preschoolers** began
Monday, **December 17, 2018**. Students must be
3-years or 4-years by September 15th, 2019 and fully potty
trained to be eligible for the respective classes. Please call
the school office 563-263-3264 for further information on
how to enroll. 2019-2020 Preregistration for the general
public will begin Monday, **January 7, 2019.**

Youth Ministry Boon Supply Co. Fundraiser

Do you still have Christmas Shopping to do? Do you love supporting the youth
of our parish? Please visit www.boonsupply.com where 50% of your
purchases will come back to our youth ministry program. Click "find a
fundraiser" and type "Saints Mary and Mathias Youth Ministry NCYC 2019."
Boon Supply has a ton of items such as home goods, bags, jewelry holiday gifts
and more. Contact Tommy Fallon with any questions. Thank you for your
ongoing support of the Young Church.

Unas Palabras del Padre Troy



Hace unos 2000 años, un mundo lleno de oscuridad, duda y temor fue cambiado para siempre como Cristo, el largo y esperado Mesías, la luz del mundo, asumió nuestra carne humana. Su nacimiento cumplió los anhelos de muchos corazones y trajo esperanza renovada a todas las Naciones. Hoy, nuestro mundo está lleno de mucha oscuridad. Los titulares de los periódicos continúan hablando de la guerra, la violencia, los tiroteos masivos y las crisis dentro de la iglesia. En nuestra propia vida, experimentamos la decepción de ser despedidos del trabajo, de las relaciones rotas, y los cambios de vida que vienen con el deterioro de la salud. Si esta Navidad está bien o estamos experimentando dolor, aflicción o estrés en nuestras vidas, una cosa es verdadera. Hay buenas noticias de gran gozo. "Porque hoy en la ciudad de David un Salvador ha nacido para ti, que es el Mesías y el Señor." (Lucas 2:11).

La verdad es que, como Jesús nació en el desorden del establo de Belén, Cristo desea entrar en nuestras vidas desordenadas. Esta Navidad, vamos a ofrecer nuestro mejor sí a Dios haciendo nuestro corazón un lugar que mora y cabe para el Señor. Comencemos a hablar con él, a pasar tiempo con él en oración. Vamos a aclarar el tiempo de nuestros ocupados horarios para estar con el Señor, quien nos invita a una relación personal, en una amistad que durará mucho más allá de esta vida, en la eternidad.

Al celebrar el gran don de la encarnación, el verbo hecho carne, en el nacimiento de Cristo nuestro Salvador; Permítanos dar al Señor el don de nuestro mejor sí a todo lo que él desea de nosotros esta Navidad.

Una Nota de Agradecimiento

El Padre Hai y yo queremos agradecerles por su generosidad esta Navidad. Gracias por sus muchos regalos, galletas, oraciones y buenos deseos. Estamos tan bendecidos de servir a una familia parroquial tan amorosa y solidaria. Realmente los amamos y deseamos lo mejor para ti y tus seres queridos esta Navidad y en el año nuevo.

Con Mucho Amor,
Padre Troy y Padre Hai



ILUMINACION DE LA CORONA DE ADVIENTO Y OFRENDAS 4º DOMINGO DE ADVIENTO



Iluminación de la Corona: Juan Felipe Leza y Familia

Ofrendas: Terrance Watson y Familia

MINISTROS LITURGICOS

Monaguillos: Ruby Garcia, Jolet Aguirre, Anahi Cenicerros

Lectores: Aurora Olivas, Josefina Garcia

Hospitalidad: Honorio Najar, Carmen Najar, Andres y Aurora Olivas, Jose y Cristina Murillo

Vino Sagrado: N/A



POSADAS

Domingo 23 de Dic. - Familia Cenicerros
Lunes 24 de Dic. - Comunidad

Muchas Gracias a todas las familias o grupos que patrocinaron una de las Posadas. También muchas gracias a todas las personas que asistieron a una o a todas las Posadas. Gracias por su participación.



MISAS DE NAVIDAD

La Natividad Del Señor

Nochebuena

4:00pm - San Matias
4:30pm - Escuela Catolica
6:00pm Bilingual - San Matias

Misa de Media Noche

12:00 media noche - San Matias

Dia de Navidad

10:00am - San Matias

31 de Diciembre

5:00pm (Adoracion Eucaristica hasta la Medianoche) - San Matias

Santa María, Madre de Dios

1 de Enero 2019

10:00am - San Matias

SCRIP

Se estarán vendiendo tarjetas pre-pagadas para diferentes tiendas todos los domingos. Un buen regalo. Lo que se venda de las tarjetas son para beneficio de nuestra escuela católica.

MANTENIMIENTO

Este enero comenzaremos el trabajo de tener la electricidad en la iglesia de San Matias alambrada de nuevo. Con el fin de preservar la belleza de nuestra iglesia de San Mathias para las generaciones venideras, comenzaremos este proyecto el 7 de enero y esperamos tener el cableado terminado a principios de marzo y el comienzo de la Cuaresma.

Durante el proyecto de recableado, las Misas de fin de semana (Enero 13) tendrá lugar en el gimnasio de la escuela Santa Maria y Matias y las Misas de lunes a viernes se celebrará en Gannon Hall. El Santísimo Sacramento será reservado en el Centro de Bienvenida en Gannon Hall y adoración tendrá lugar en Gannon Hall.

Durante este período de tiempo, necesitamos muchos feligreses que ayuden y sirvan en los siguientes ministerios: establecer para la Misa, derribar, asistencia de estacionamiento, y mas ayudantes de Hospitalidad.

Si usted está interesado en servir para sólo un fin de semana o dos en uno de estos ministerios, por favor verme al final de la Misa por el piano en frente del altar de San José.

DIRECTORIO PARROQUIAL LISTA DE HORARIOS

Programe su sesión de retratos en línea.

Vaya a: ucdir.com Nombre de usuario: ia109

Contraseña: stmm2018

Estas fechas están disponibles en línea:

Miercoles 02 de Enero 2019, Jueves 03 de Enero 2019, Viernes 04 de Enero 2019 y Sabado 05 de Enero 2019

Si usted no se ha tomado su/sus retratos de familia, por favor tome la oportunidad de inscribirse. Nuestro objetivo es tener al menos 400 fotos en el directorio y estamos a sólo un cuarto del camino. Usted recibirá un retrato gratis de 8 x 10. También no está obligado a comprar ninguna foto adicional.

OFICINA PARROQUIAL

La Oficina estará CERRADA el Lunes 24 de Diciembre hasta el Miercoles 02 de Enero. En caso de una emergencia (enfermedad grave o muerte), Por favor hable al 263-2321

Que tengan una Feliz Navidad y Prospero Año Nuevo. Estos son los deseos del Personal de la Parroquia Santa Maria y Matias

GRACIAS

De parte del Comité de la Virgen, les damos las mas sinceras GRACIAS a todas las personas que cooperaron y asistieron a la CELEBRACION DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE. Muchas gracias a los Caballeros de Colon por su ayuda, al Estudio Biblico por el hermoso Altar a la Virgen, el grupo de danza y a las personas que prepararon la comida. Que Dios los Bendiga y que les siga dando un buen Corazon.

CALENDARIO DE EVENTOS

Domingo 23 de Diciembre - *Rosario antes de Misa @12pm, Misa @12:30pm, Posadas @6pm en Gannon Hall

Lunes 24 de Diciembre - * Confeciones @3:30pm, Misa @4:00pm at church, 4:30pm en el gimnasio de la escuela, Ultima Posada @5:30pm en Gannon Hall, Misa @6pm en la Iglesia, Oficina Cerrada

Martes 25 de Diciembre - * Feliz Navidad!! Misa @10am, Oficina Cerrada

Miercoles 26 de Diciembre - * Oficina Cerrada, No Misa, No Adoracion

Jueves 27 de Diciembre - * Misa @7am, Adoracion 7:30am a 5pm, Oficina Cerrada

Viernes 28 de Diciembre - * Misa @7am, Adoración 7:30am a 5pm, Oficina Cerrada

Sabado 29 de Diciembre - * Confeciones @3:45pm, Misa @5pm

NOTICIAS DE FORMACIÓN DE FECALENDARIO PARA DICIEMBRE/ENERO

18/25 de Dic. **NO CLASES DE RCIA**

01 de Enero **NO CLASES DE RCIA**

19/26 de Dic. **NO CLASES DE DOCTRINA**

19 de Dic. **Práctica de Música para la Misa de la Nochebuena a las 5:30pm en el cuarto de música en el Centro Mazzuchelli (Cantors y los que tocan instrumentos)**

24 de Dic. **Misa de Nochebuena a las 4:30pm en el gimnasio de la escuela Santa María y Matias. Damos la bienvenida al Padre Wally Helms como nuestro celebrante.**

25 de Dic. **FELIZ NAVIDAD!**
02 de Enero **NO CLASES DE DOCTRINA**

POR FAVOR NOTE: La Oficina de Educación Religiosa estará cerrada desde el 19 de diciembre 2017 hasta el 1 de enero de 2019.

FE VIVA Y ACTIVAORACIÓN DESPUÉS DE LA COMUNIÓN

Habiendo recibido esta prenda de redención eterna, te rogamos, Dios todopoderoso, que, cuanto más se acerca el día de la festividad que nos trae la salvación, con tanto mayor fervor nos apresuremos a celebrar degnamente el misterio del nacimiento de tu Hijo. Él, que vive y reina por los siglos de los siglos.



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 (Online Faith Formation Resource)
 Enter KQ3HRW parish code.
 Next page: set up your password.

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Mass Schedule

1st Saturday - 1er Sabado 9:00 pm
 Saturday 5:00 pm
 Sunday 8:00 am & 10:00 am
 Sunday en espanol 12:30 pm
 Monday 5:15 pm
 Tues -Fri 7:00 am

Misa día de la Semana

Lunes 5:15 pm
 Martes -Viernes 7:00 am

Reconciliation (Reconciliacion)
 Mon. (L) 4:30 pm - 5:00 pm
 Sat. (S) 3:45 pm - 4:45 pm
 1st Sat. (1° S) 7:45 am - 8:45 am

