# THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF CARNEGIE, GREEN TREE, AND SCOTT

-2019-

# SACRAMENTS



BAPTISM: For arrangements call 412-857-5356



## ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Call the parish office for arrangements before surgery or if at home.

If hospitalized or in a skilled nursing facility, please ask the nursing staff to contact the Catholic priest on call for that facility.



## MARRIAGE:

Arrangements must be made with one of the priests at least six months before the proposed date of the wedding.



## PENANCE:

Confessions every Thursday from 11:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton.
Saturday from Noon to 1:00 p.m. at St. Margaret & 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at Ss. Simon & Jude. Also at SSJ on Tuesday from 6:00 to 6:30 p.m.

## CHRISTMAS MASS INTENTIONS

## **DECEMBER 24 | CHRISTMAS EVE**

4:00 p.m.
4:00 p.m.
5MOS
For the Intentions of the Celebrant
4:30 p.m.
5EAS
Wanda Jetkiewicz by Ann and Valerie
6:00 p.m.
5MOS
Carol Heidenreich by Sharon Smoller

11:00 p.m. SEAS Michael and Mary Mazur by Ron Mazur and Edmund Gaskill

## DECEMBER 25 | CHRISTMAS DAY

8:00 a.m. SSJ Living & Deceased of Howe & Audia Families by Jim & Cathy Howe

10:00 a.m. SMOS People of the Parishes

10:30 a.m. SEAS Frank Capezio by Wife Barbara and Children

11:00 a.m. SSJ Michael and Jason Palumbo by Virgil and Lorraine Palumbo



## MASS SCHEDULE

## Tuesday, December 31

**Anticipated Mass** 

4:00 p.m.

St. Margaret of Scotland

4:30 p.m.

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

5:00 p.m.

Ss. Simon and Jude

## Wednesday, January 1

8:30 a.m.

Ss. Simon and Jude

11:00 a.m.

St. Margaret of Scotland

## THE PARISH OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED

December 24-27, and December 31 and January 1

# REGULAR OFFICE HOURS

**CGS Catholic Parishes** 

### At St. Elizabeth Ann Seton:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

### At St. Margaret of Scotland:

Tuesday and Friday 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

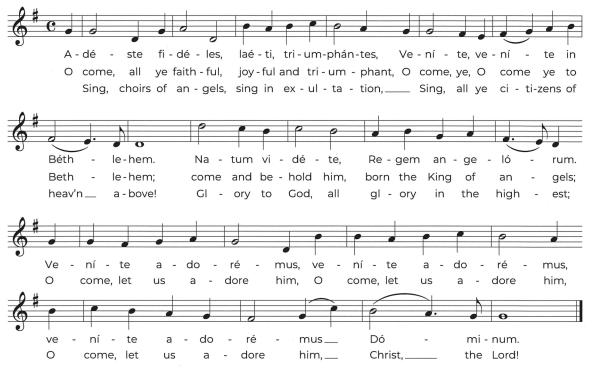
## At Ss. Simon and Jude

Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.



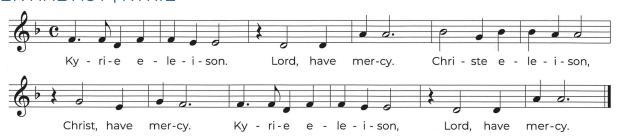
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# ENTRANCE HYMN | O COME, ALL YE FAITHFUL



Tune: ADESTE FIDELES, John F. Wade, c.1711-1786 Text: Adeste Fideles, John F. Wade, c. 1711-1786, trans. F. Oakeley, 1802-1880, alt.

## PENITENTIAL ACT | KYRIE



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# **GLORIA**



- 1. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.
- 2. Lord Jesus Christ, only begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.
- 3. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

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# FIRST READING | ISAIAH 9:1-6

The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; upon those who dwelt in the land of gloom a light has shone.
You have brought them abundant joy and great rejoicing, as they rejoice before you as at the harvest, as people make merry when dividing spoils. For the yoke that burdened them, the pole on their shoulder, and the rod of their taskmaster you have smashed, as on the day of Midian. For every boot that tramped in battle, every cloak rolled in blood,

will be burned as fuel for flames.
For a child is born to us, a son is given us; upon his shoulder dominion rests.
They name him Wonder-Counselor, God-Hero, Father-Forever, Prince of Peace.
His dominion is vast and forever peaceful, from David's throne, and over his kingdom, which he confirms and sustains by judgment and justice, both now and forever.
The zeal of the LORD of hosts will do this!

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

# RESPONSORIAL PSALM 96: 1-3, 11-13



- Sing to our God a joyful song! Everyone bless God's name. Tell of God's wondrous deeds; sing to all the world.
- Heaven be glad and earth rejoice, let every ocean roar! Every forest, every tree joins the song of joy!
- 3. Cry out with joy for God has come, come to rule the earth. God will rule the world with love, righteousness and truth.

Text: Based on Luke 2:11, Psalm 96:1–3, 11–12, 13. Text and music © 1991, Jaime Cortez.

# SECOND READING | TITUS 2:11-14

#### 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,

who gave himself for us to deliver us from all lawlessness and to cleanse for himself a people as his own, eager to do what is good.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

# GOSPEL ACCLAMATION | LUKE 2:10-11



I proclaim to you good news of great joy, today a Savior is born for us, Christ the Lord!

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# GOSPEL | LUKE 2:1-14

In those days a decree went out from Caesar Augustus that the whole world should be enrolled.

This was the first enrollment,

when Quirinius was governor of Syria.

So all went to be enrolled, each to his own town.

And Joseph too went up from Galilee

from the town of Nazareth

to Judea, to the city of David that is called Bethlehem,

because he was of the house and family of David,

to be enrolled with Mary, his betrothed, who was with child.

While they were there, the time came for her to have her child, and she gave birth to her firstborn son.

She wrapped him in swaddling clothes

and laid him in a manger,

because there was no room for them in the inn.

Now there were shepherds in that region living in the fields and keeping the night watch over their flock.

The angel of the Lord appeared to them and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were struck with great fear.

The angel said to them,

"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 and Lord.

And this will be a sign for you:

you will find an infant wrapped in swaddling clothes and lying in a manger."

And suddenly there was a multitude of the heavenly host with the angel, praising God and saying:

"Glory to God in the highest

and on earth peace to those on whom his favor rests."

The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

# PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,

all genuflect on one knee at the following bolder words

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.

He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and alorified. who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic, and

apostolic Church.

I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

# JNIVERSAL PRAYER



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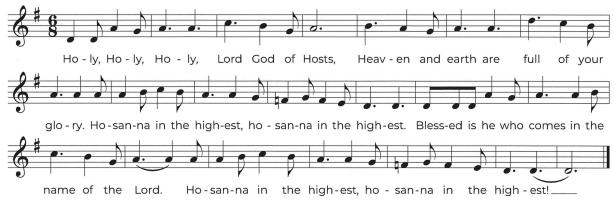
# OFFERTORY HYMN | HARK! THE HERALD ANGELS SING



Tune: MENDELSSOHN, Felix Mendelssohn, 1809-1847

Text: Charles Wesley, 1707-1788, alt.

## SANCTUS / HOLY



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# MYSTERY OF FAITH



# THE ORDER OF MASS



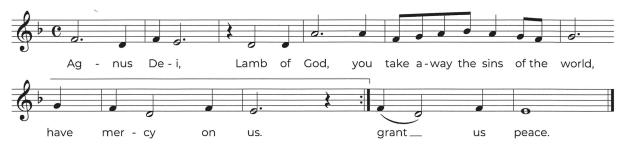
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## **GREAT AMEN**



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## AGNUS DEI / LAMB OF GOD



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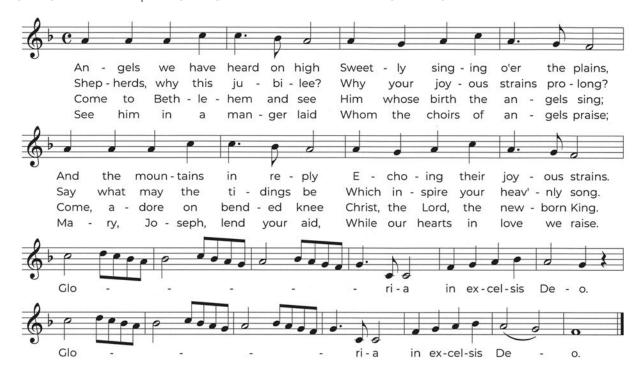
# COMMUNION HYMN | SILENT NIGHT



Tune: STILLE NACHT, Franz X. Gruber, 1787-1863

Text: Stille Nacht, Heilige Nacht, Fr. Joseph Mohr, 1792-1848. English trans. by John F. Young, 1820-1885

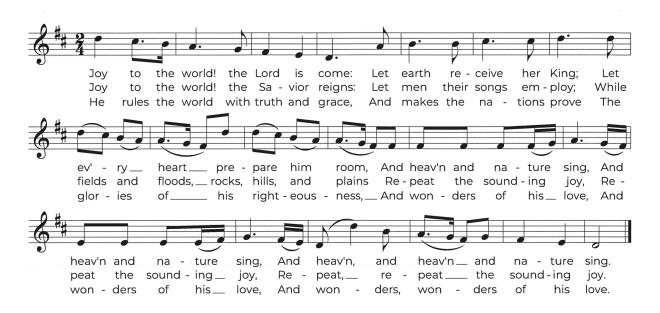
# COMMUNION HYMN LANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH



Tune: GLORIA, French Carol

Text: Les anges dans nos campagnes; French Carol, 18th C; trans. From Crown of Jesus Music, London, 1862

# RECESSIONAL HYMN IJOY TO THE WORLD



Tune: ANTIOCH, arr. From George F. Handel, 1685-1759 in T. Hawkes' Collection of Tunes, 1833 Text: Psalm 98: Isaac Watts, 1674-1748; trans. anonymous

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## ST. MARGARET OF SCOLAND SCHOOL NEWS

Congratulations to our Forensics Team on their Second Tournament on Saturday, December 14, 2019 at St. Elizabeth's. We had 15 first place finishes, 2 second and 1 third. Special thanks to Mrs. Kaiser and Ms. Brannigan for all their hard work preparing our Forensic Team for their tournaments. Excellent Job!

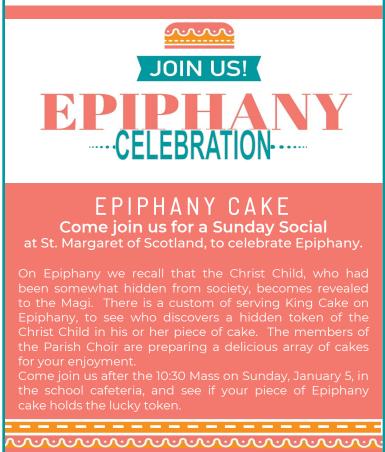
Catholic Schools Week will be celebrated Sunday, January 26 through Friday, January 31. Keep watching the bulletin for news of the many events that are planned, including a science fair!

## RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION

Through this R.C.I. process we continue to offer teachings of the Deposit of Faith: the traditions and scriptures of the Catholic Church. As you are involved in family and friend discussions over the upcoming Holy and Holidays, take the opportunity to invite those who are questioning the Catholic Faith.

Offer them the weekly sessions which are held on Tuesday evenings, 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton or Sunday mornings 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at St. Margaret of Scotland. Our faithful parish teams look forward to these many opportunities for discussion. Encourage them to call the RCIA office at 412-857-5356 or email:

dfitzsimmons@cgscatholic.org for the chance to become a vital part of one of these dialog groups!





## YOUTH GROUP HANGOUT!

Saturday, January 4th, 6-9:00 p.m. Grades 8-12.

Saints Simon and Jude Parish Life Center. Play games, meet new friends, and discuss our faith with youth minister Joe Farren!

## YOUTH RALLY & MARCH FOR LIFE!

Friday, January 24. Washington D.C. Come stand up for life with youth from around the country in out nation's capital! Open to Grades 8-12. If you are interested in going, contact youth minister Joe Farren at jfarren@cgscatholic.org.



## **FAMILY EVENT**

### Celebration of Life

All children of the grouping, along with their parents, are invited to celebrate life with us on Sunday, January 19, from 6:30 8:30 p.m. p.m. to at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church. This pro-life Family Session is part of our Faith Formation curriculum. We will begin in the church with prayers, stories, and songs that are appropriate for all ages. Then we will head downstairs to St. Luke Hall for a carnival-like celebration. This event is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus and is FREE to all families. (Dismissal at our usual 7:45 is completely permissible, however, there is no school scheduled for January 20 ...as of now!)

## Parishioners: We need your help!

Our indoor carnival will need some prizes to go along with some of our games! If you are able to donate inexpensive prizes for children (of all ages), it would be greatly appreciated! Please mark your donation as "Carnival Prizes" and leave them in Holy Family Hall (the narthex) at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church. Or call Mary Kay Smith to make other arrangements: 412-857-3556 press 1 then ext. 422.





Have a Blessed Christmas!

"Let the peace of Christ control your hearts,

the peace into which you were also called in one body.

And be thankful."



From the clergy and staff of the Catholic Community in Carnegie, Green Tree, and Scott.

## O COME LET US ADORE HIM!

Many people like to give the Baby Jesus a spiritual gift for Christmas, Epiphany, or even his Baptism. Could a gift of worship, or a promise of adoration, be the right gift for you to offer? We, at CGS Parishes, are very blessed to have regular offerings of Eucharistic Adoration at all three sites at different times, Group Lectio Divina at two of our churches, Group Centering Prayer at SMOS, Group Liturgy of the Hours at SEAS, Divine Mercy Chaplet at SSJ, Rosary opportunities at all three locations, and, of course daily Mass available in at least one, usually two, of our locations each day. And of course, there's always the highly encouraged option of stopping in for a visit to the Blessed Sacrament anytime the churches are open. How about choosing to consciously connect with God more frequently this year as your promise-gift to Him?

# THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF CARNEGIE, GREEN TREE, AND SCOTT

412-857-5356

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## ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON

330 Third Ave. Carnegie, PA 15106 Fax: 412-276-0816 Hours: M-W & F 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

## **MASS TIMES**

Saturday (Sunday Anticipated): 4:30 p.m. Sunday: 10:00 a.m. & 11:30 a.m. M, W, Th, F: 12:00 noon

## ST. MARGARET OF SCOTLAND

310 Mansfield Ave. Pittsburgh, PA 15220 Fax: 412-276-0816 Hours: T& F 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

## **MASS TIMES**

Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., and 10:30 a.m. T & F: 9:00 a.m.

## SS. SIMON AND JUDE

1607 Greentree Rd. Pittsburgh, PA 15220 Fax: 412-563-8524 Hours: M. W. & Th 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

## **MASS TIMES**

Saturday (Sunday Anticipated): 4:00 p.m. Sunday: 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. M, W, Th: 8:30 a.m. T: 7:00 p.m.

## CLERGY TEAM

## Administrator

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# SACRAMENTS

## **Baptisms**

For arrangements please call Dee Fitzsimmons.

## **Anointing**

Please call one of the church offices for arrangements (*before* surgery, during illness, etc.).

## Marriage

Arrangements must be made with one of the priests at least six months before the proposed date of the wedding.

## Penance

- St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Thursdays: 11:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.
- St. Margaret of Scotland Saturdays: Noon - 1:00 p.m.
- Ss. Simon & Jude Tuesdays:
  6:00 - 6:30 p.m.
  Saturdays
  11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

# SCHOOLS

## St. Margaret of Scotland Elementary School

Principal: Robert Munz rmunz@stmargschool.com 915 Alice Street Pittsburgh, PA 15220

# Ss. Simon and Jude Pre-school

Director: Trish Costantino preschool@ssjpittsburgh.org 1625 Greentree Rd. Pittsburgh, PA 15220

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412-444-5424

## BULLETIN DEADLINE

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Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator: 412-456-3093

CHILDLINE: 1-800-932-0313

#### <u>Note</u>:

You must be a registered and active parishioner for at least **six months** before requesting sacramental sponsor forms. Please allow **three weeks** for completion.