BULLETIN | December 31, 2023



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Mass Schedule

WEEKEND MASSES

SATURDAY MASS 8:00 AM

Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 PM

SUNDAY MASS

7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM & 7:00 PM

WEEKDAY MASSES

MONDAY to FRIDAY 9:00 AM

BLESSED SACRAMENT ADORATION

Every 1st Friday After the 9AM mass

Every Saturday 3:00 - 5:00 PM

CONFESSION

4:00 PM SATURDAY

Location: Our Lady's Chapel

This Week @ QofA

SUNDAY | 12/31

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND

7:30 AM | Sunday Mass 9:00 AM | Sunday Mass 11:00 PM | Sunday Mass

MONDAY | 1/1

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

8:30 AM | Rosary @ the Chapel 7:00 PM | Community Rosary

on Zoom

TUESDAY | 1/2

8:30 AM | Rosary @ the Chapel 7:00 PM | Community Rosary

on Zoom

WEDNESDAY | 1/3

8:30 AM | Rosary @ the Chapel 7:00 PM | Community Rosary

on 700m

THURSDAY | 1/4

8:30 AM | Rosary @ the Chapel 7:00 PM | Community Rosary

• on Zoom

FRIDAY | 1/5

8:30 AM | Rosary @ the Chapel 7:00 PM | Community Rosary

on Zoom

SATURDAY | 1/6

4:00 PM | CONFESSION

• In Our Lady's Chapel

5:00 PM | Vigil Mass 7:00 PM | Community Rosary

• on Zoom

SUNDAY | 1/7

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD SOLEMNITY

Readings For the Week

SUNDAY | 12/31

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

- Sir 3:2-6, 12-14
- Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17
- Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22, 39-40

or, in Year B,

- Gn 15:1-6; 21:1-3
- Heb 11:8, 11-12, 17-19
- Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22, 39-40

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD The Octave Day of the Nativity of the Lord

[not a Holyday of Obligation this year]

- Nm 6:22-27
- Gal 4:4-7
- Lk 2:16-21

TUESDAY | 1/2

Saints Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen (Bishops and Doctors of the Church)

- 1 Jn 2:22-28
- Jn 1:19-28

WEDNESDAY | 1/3

Christmas Weekday (The Most Holy Name of Jesus)

- 1 Jn 2:29-3:6
- Jn 1:29-34

THURSDAY | 1/4

USA: Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton (Religious)

- 1 Jn 3:7-10Jn 1:35-42

FRIDAY | 1/5

USA: Saint John Neumann (Bishop)

- 1 Jn 3:11-21Jn 1:43-51

SATURDAY | 1/6

USA: Saint André Bessette (Religious)

- 1 Jn 5:5-13 Mk 1:7-11 or Lk 3:23-38 or 3:23, 31-34, 36, 38

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD SOLEMNITY

- ls 60:1-6 Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6 Mt 2:1-12



SATURDAY | DECEMBER 30

5:00 PM VIGIL

- Frank and Kathy Fanger (40th Anniversary)
- Missa Pro Populo

SUNDAY | DECEMBER 31

7:30 AM

No Intention

9:00 AM

- Erin Bautista and Ed Luu (Thanksgiving)
- Pius Onyenwe +

11:00 AM

- Baluta and Ramos Family (Thanksgiving)
- Salonga and Halili Family (Thanksgiving)

5:00 PM

- Missa Pro Populo
- Fr. Anthony Sortino, LC
- Fr. Brian Shininger, LC

7:00 PM

• Kathy, Roland and Erick Boucher +

11:00 PM

• No Intention

MONDAY | JANUARY 1

9:00 AM

- Joseph B. Sison (Birthday)
- Thanksgiving and Peace
 - for Minh Nguyen and Family
- Eulogia Dacua Sr +

TUESDAY | JANUARY 2

9:00 AM

- Molly Ryan +
- Joseph Phung Vu +
- Rev. Fr. Albert Xavier +

WEDNESDAY | JANUARY 3

9:00 AM

- Jose Ruiz +
- Laura Wulfhorst +
- Joseph Phung Vu +

THURSDAY | JANUARY 4

9:00 AM

• Joseph Phung Vu +

FRIDAY | JANUARY 5

9:00 AM

- Cecilia Ta +
- Anthony Loc Nguyen +
- Reppie Bautista +

SATURDAY | JANUARY 6

8:00 AM

- Barbara Louis (Birthday)
- Jules Kurtz (Birthday)

5:00 PM VIGIL

- Juanita Duncin +
- Joseph Phung Vu +

Weekly Collection

For the week ending December 24, 2024

OFFERTORY \$11,557.38

AVERAGE WEEKLY GOAL \$10,000.00

SECOND COLLECTION

\$2,875.00

Saint Vincent de Paul Giving Tree

\$190.00

• Sandwiches for the Homeless

\$30.00

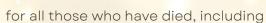
Thank you for your generosity in this season of giving.



Thoughts

E Prayers

For all those who are sick, including Monica Suriaga,
Bonifacio Feliciano, Kathy Chan,
Michelle Mackenzie,
Lorraine DeCastro & Bong Sanchez;



Vincent Oddo, Franco Borlaza, Marty McKean, Maria De Jesus Cantú, Noberto Abalos Quilates, Fr. Benito "Ben" Manding, Bishop Patrick McGrath, Henry "Hank" Malatesta, Phyllis Couthinho, Joseph Phung Vu, Molly Ryan, Arlene Barraza & Rocca Guido,

that they may find eternal rest in the arms of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. **Social** with **Justice** Kathy Fanger



Prayer for Generosity

O gracious God,

You generously lavish our lives with riches of the spirit, create in my heart deep gratitude that I may share freely of my treasures. Remind me daily how abundant are the gifts you have given me, that I may give without counting the cost, and sacrifice myself, with no thought of reward other than the knowledge that I have done Your will.

In Jesus' name, Amen.

A Prayer For Helping the Poor

Dear Lord,

Help us to be your voice speaking love and acceptance to those pushed aside by hatred, mental illness, loneliness and despair.

Help us to be your feet walking beside our brothers and sisters in need. Help us to be your hands to clothe, feed and provide shelter.

You are the LIGHT that dispels all darkness. May we, your disciples, bring your light of LOVE, HOPE, PEACE and JUSTICE to all those who come into our path.

HOW MAY I RESPOND TODAY?



2024

On this 5th Sunday of the month, our Saint Vincent de Paul ministry has a special second collection.

The funds assist those within our parish and those who call us. They seek help with food and money toward paying rent, gas and bills. Every call is confidential.

Please pick up an envelope at our church entrances. Make checks payable to Queen of Apostles with SVdP in the memo line. Non-perishable food is always needed as well as your prayers.

Thank you for your kind charity.

Serra Club

Serra Club is an international organization, founded in 1935.

There are 1,100 Serra Club Chapters chartered in 46 countries around the world. The Santa Clara Chapter was formed in 1968.

The main objective of Serra Club, is to foster and support vocations to Priesthood, Religious and consecrated life and the Diaconate. Serra members follow in the footsteps of St. Junipero Serra, whose motto was

"Always forward, never back."

We pray for the increase and perseverance of vocations to the Priesthood and the Religious Life, support diocesan men's and women's discernment retreats, host receptions for the ordinations of new priests and deacons, support vocation programs for 8th-graders in our Catholic schools.

We are looking to increase our members.

For more information about the Serra Club, please contact:

Our President, Jack Oneto at 408379-8379 or Lavita at <u>lavita.ferns@yahoo.com</u>.

We invite you to join us at the next Serra Club meeting on **January 12, 2024, at 12:00 pm at Bill of Fare**, 1069 Saratoga Ave. San Jose, CA 95129.

You will also meet our guest speaker Fr. Eric Piczon, Vocation Director.

Please RSVP at email:



PARISH OFFICE CLOSED ON THESE DATES

The office will be closed from December 26-29, 2023. It will re-open on January 2nd.

We wish you and your loved ones a very Merry Christmas in Christ!

May the Lord God bless each parishioner and our Queen of Apostles church family. In Jesus' name, we pray.

HOW CAN YOU HELP SVDP AT Q OF A?

Year-round, you may bring in non-perishable food and canned goods for our food pantry. No donation is too small. Kindly place them into our SVdP box in the Moorpark vestibule of our church. Monetary donations are also welcome.

CALLING ALL YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT SINGERS & INSTRUMENTALISTS

QofA brought the 7pm Sunday Evening Mass back and we need YOU! Remember: those who sing **pray TWICE!** If you are interested in joining this music group, please contact: **Amy Cooprider (phlewtist@gmail.com)** or **Summer Faso (faso.summer@gmail.com)**



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can only be found in Jesus.