



December 21, 2025
FOURTH SUNDAY
OF ADVENT



Catholic in Recovery
is coming to
Holy Redeemer
TUESDAYS
 @ 7:30 p.m.

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Next Sunday's
Readings

The Holy Family of Jesus,
Mary and Joseph
 Sir 3:2-6;12-14; Col 3:12-21;
 Mt 2:13-15, 19-23
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MASS INTENTIONS
 OF THE WEEK

Requested by

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20

Fr. L 8:30 AM Marjorie Bedingfield Clancy
 CONFESSIONS 4:15– 5:15PM

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Fr. W 5:30 PM Herb & Margaret Young Young

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 21, 2025

Fr. W 7:30 AM Susan Brady Kestel
Fr. L 9:30 AM For The People Pastor
Fr. F 11:30AM Fr. William Silk Silk

MONDAY, DECEMBER 22

Fr. W 6:45 AM Rev. David Brault Brault
Fr. L 9:00 AM Dolores & Dick Wylie Conger

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23

Fr. F 6:45AM Souls of Purgatory Delacruz
Fr. W 9:00 AM Souls of Purgatory Delacruz

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24

Fr. L 9:00 AM For the People Pastor
CONFESSIONS 10:00 AM
Fr. W 4:00 PM Mary Jane Fisher Reid
Fr. L 10:00 PM For the People Pastor

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 25

Fr. F 7:30 AM George Bridge Pham
Fr. W 9:30 AM Jack Lawless Lawless
Fr. L 11:30 AM Francis & Lenore Smith Wright

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 26

Fr. L 6:45 AM John McKenna McKenna
Fr. L 9:00 AM Jesus Christ Pham

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 27

Fr. F 8:30 AM Sergio Jose Aleman-Bado Skinner

CONFESSIONS 4:15-5:15 PM

**THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS,
 MARY AND JOSEPH**

Fr. L 5:30 PM Jean & Joe Holland Silk

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28, 2025

Fr. L 7:30 AM Amy Barrett Dimond
Fr. F 9:30 AM Fay Ryan Capron
Fr. W 11:30 AM For the People Pastor

Fr. L= Fr. LaHood; Fr. W = Fr. Winslow;
 Fr. F =Fr. Fields; M= Deacon Mitchell

Sunday Masses Saturday: 5:30 PM
 Sunday: 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 AM
 Weekday Masses Monday-Friday:
 6:45 AM & 9:00 AM
 Saturday: 8:30 AM

Holy Day of Obligation Masses 6:45 AM, 9:00 AM
 and 7:30 PM Unless stated otherwise in the bulletin

Confessions Saturday 4:15 – 5:15 PM

Baptisms are being scheduled; please contact the rectory office to begin the process.

Marriages: Consult one of the parish priests at least six months in advance, call 301-942-2333.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
 Monday – Friday 4:00PM—8:30 PM

Nursing Home or Homebound? Please contact the rectory for information regarding Parish services.

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PRAY FOR THE SICK

Vicki Allen; Brother John Argauer, M M; Bob Argauer; Meagan Bachmab; Monsignor Bazan; Maria Bustamante; Victor Bustamante; Coley Beggy; Ralph Coan Jr.; Bobi Coffino; Alice Clogg; Dorothy Connolly; Alexis Salazar Cortes; Audrey Caughey; Mary Davenport; Simone Diamond; Kelly Doig; Christian L. Don; Caroline Donovan; Doreen Dyer; Hiroko Susan Enright; Karen Elliott; Ralph Esposito; Richard F.; Al Fleming; John Giacomini; Joseph Gilbert; Richard Hager; Lilia Hayden; Ruth Higgins; Aliyah Hoffman; Kathy Holton; Ellen Joliet; Ann Joliet; Maureen Knowles; Elsa Lucia Jimenez; Ed Landman; Pierron Leef Jr.; Dymrna Magee; John Magee; Tom Maigret; Damian Maldonado; Dominick Marra; Seamus McKechnie; Kathy Metchick; Justin Michael; Stefan Monica; Mary Margaret Monks; Elizabeth Hager Paula Sullivan O'Brien; Montanaro; Dave Obal; Christopher Pautart; Fr. Daniel Firmin, brother of Sarah Osborn; Kathleen (Sisti) Oxley; Liz Pinone; Amelia Perez; Stacy Polyakova; Gerood Roberts; Mr. Rodgers; Joanne Richards; Cindy Rooney; Nelson Rupp; Barbara Scanlon; Victoria Litwin Smith; Christina Sommer; Peter Stathopoulos; Trish Tornillo; Ann Turner; Dale Umholtz; Robert Umholtz; Joseph Yao; Beatriz Elena Yepes; Tara Valariano; Stella Vass; Will Valentine; Ray Shane Weingard; Alan Willsey; Ray Whitehurst; Judy Whitehurst; Mike Zeigler

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Stella Vass;

**Augustus (Gus) John Mitchell III, father of
Deacon Steve Mitchell**

Young Adult Spring Bible Study

The Silver Spring Catholic young adult fellowship is hosting a bible study on The Gospel of Matthew. The series runs **January 12 through April 27**, Mondays at 7pm in the Religious Education building at **Christ the King parish** (2301 Colston Dr).

Contact us if you have any questions.

SSCatholicFellowship@gmail.com; facebook.com/SilverSpringCatholic; Instagram @SilverSpringYA."

2026 Epiphany Party!

FOR SINGLE CATHOLICS – 26th Annual Epiphany Party at St. Raphael Church, 1513 Dunster Rd., Rockville, MD 20854; SATURDAY, JAN 17, 2026; starting at 7 pm. BLACK TIE OPTIONAL. Includes delicious Ledo's lasagne dinner, complementary wine and beer, DJ, and more. (Usual age range – 21-50s) Send \$23 check donation by Jan. 10 to SCS Epiphany Party, St. Raphael, 1590 Kimblewick Rd., Rockville, MD 20854, Or \$25 by credit card at <https://www.paypal.com/biz/fund?id=AJLD5F4VY43NE> by Jan. 12, or \$28 cash, card or check at the door. For more info. email Fr. T. Morrow at tgmmorrow1@gmail.com.

The Rectory office will be closed on December 24, 25 & 26 and December 31 & January 1

THE GABRIEL PROJECT NEEDS YOUR HELP! We need Angel Friends for the Gabriel Project Cluster to help provide support to pregnant moms in need and their families. Angel Friends deliver needed items, provided by the project, to struggling pregnant client mothers in Montgomery County. Many of these clients have been told: "No one will help you." The average time commitment is 20 minutes or less per week. Men are also needed to set up cribs or to pick up donations once or twice per month. Join our volunteer team members so that we can help more needy, struggling pregnant moms. Recently 4 husband-and-wife teams have volunteered. **Another current need is for Christmas gifts for the children.** We provide a gift for each child in the family. If you are able to help, please visit our Website for more information at www.gpmoco.org - you will need to scroll down the list to see the requested toys. For additional information, contact Deirdre Whitty, whitty7@comcast.net or Sandy Buffalano, sbuffalano@aol.com

Christmas Schedule

December 24 Christmas Eve
10:00 am Confessions

4:00 pm Children's Mass
10:00 pm Christmas Vigil Mass

December 25 Christmas Day
7:30, 9:30 and 11:30 am Masses

Wishing you and your families
a blessed Christmas!



Fr. LaHood, Fr. Winslow
& Fr. Fields

This year Bishop Evelio Menjivar-Ayala will celebrate the **Annual Wedding Anniversary Mass** to honor the Vocation of Marriage on **Saturday, February 14, 2026, 10:00 a.m.** at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. This Annual Mass is a celebration of the living vocation of all couples who provide a Catholic witness to the beauty of the Sacrament of Matrimony. Couples must register with the parish office by Friday, February 6, 2026 to attend the Mass and/or receive a certificate from Cardinal Robert McElroy in honor of their anniversary year. Please call the rectory at 301-942-2333.