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First Sunday of Advent

*"Be watchful! Be alert!
You do not know when the
time will come . . .*

~ Mark 13:33



As we begin the season of Advent I'd like to draw your attention to the recognition that *This Is Home*, Jesus the Divine Word Church is our home. It is our spiritual home.

See Fr. John's Letter on page 2



WELCOME TO JESUS THE DIVINE WORD CHURCH!

We welcome those who are new to our faith community, those returning to the Catholic Church or those simply visiting with us this Sunday. We are blessed to have you with us and are glad you are here. If you would like to learn more about our parish or register as a parishioner, we invite you to contact our pastor, Fr. John Dakes at frjohn@jesusdivineword.org or any member of our parish staff at 410-414-8304. You may also go to our website www.jesusdivineword.org to download our registration form or stop by our Welcome Table in the church entry to pick up a Welcome Folder.

~ Father John

Dear Friends,

What is the meaning of home to you? Ten year old Bensen puts it this way:



It's a feeling of security.

Walls protect me from the storm.

My mom's embrace keeps me warm.

I have no fear of what hides outside.

All of my worries to my mom I confide.

Home is feeling loved every day.

It's the encouraging words I hear my dad say.

It's where I learned to express my love.

We gather at meals and thank our God above.

We open our doors with our neighbors with whom we share.

We host international students showing the world we care.

Homes are built but never taken away.

Because home is in your heart and it's there to stay.

Bensen is speaking of the home he shares with his family. Reading closely, though, couldn't his words also be a description for our spiritual home, our parish? I believe they could.

As we begin the season of Advent I'd like to draw your attention to the recognition that **This Is Home**, Jesus the Divine Word Church is our home. It is our spiritual home. In this house it is God who offers us security, protecting us from life's storms. Under this roof we can confide our fears and worries to God who is both mother and father. Gathered inside these walls we are embraced in the warmth of God's love; we listen to our Father's and to Christ our brother's words encouraging us to love one another as we have been loved; here we are nourished at a meal like no other, thanking God for the food of everlasting life. Here we gather to be with and to support one another while opening the doors of our hearts to those who are like us and those who are not, that all may remain knowing **This Is Home**.

As God's family we are encouraged to pray for one another. Starting today we will do that in two particular ways. First, the parish staff has composed a prayer simply entitled, **This Is Home**. It can be found on the inside cover of our hymnals. As a family we will pray this prayer together every Sunday at the conclusion of the Intercessions. Secondly, as has been our custom, we are going to ask every household to pray for another household throughout the coming year. Cards with the **This Is Home** prayer and the name of a parish household will be distributed after communion this weekend. Every household is asked to take one card and pray daily for the individual or family listed.

As we journey together through this new Church year, other opportunities will be presented to celebrate and strengthen our identity as God's family while highlighting the truth that **This Is Home**. May God bless our home and each of us who make up this family of faith.

Peace and blessings,

Father John

Rev. John T. Dakes,
Pastor

Rev. Michael Witczak,
Weekend Clergy

Deacon Ron Burns

Daily Mass Schedule
Tuesday-Friday 8:00 AM
Saturday 9:00 AM
First Fridays 7:00 PM

Weekend Mass Schedule
Saturday: 5:00 PM
(Vigil Mass)
Sunday: 8:00AM, 10:00AM,
and 12:00 Noon

Weekday Adoration
Monday-Friday
8:30AM- 9:30AM

Weeknight Holy Hour
Wednesday: 7:00PM - 8:00PM

First Friday

Adoration:
7:45 PM - 8:45 AM Saturday

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday & Thursday after
8:00 AM Mass

Wednesday:
7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Saturday: 4:00PM - 4:45PM



Masses for the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Friday, December 8th, 2017

Please take note of the following Mass times for this Patronal Feast Day of the United States of America and Holy Day of Obligation in which we celebrate Mary's conception in her mother's womb:

8:00 AM

12:00 Noon

7:00 PM *followed by*

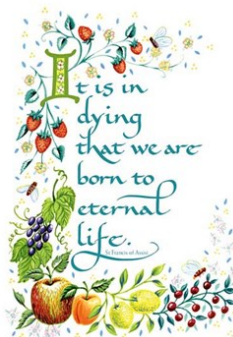
Hospitality and Fellowship in the Church Narthex

In our celebration we praise God for the hope and possibility that Mary embodies as we turn to our Blessed Mother to learn from the first and most important relationship Jesus Christ experienced among us.

BORN TO ETERNAL LIFE

Our parish family extends condolences to Pat and Tammy Baker and their family on the death of Pat's mom, **Ruth Baker**, and to Deacon Ron and Karen Burns and their family on the death of Deacon Ron's dad, **Fred Burns**.

May the angels lead them to paradise; may the martyrs come and welcome them to the holy city, the new and eternal Jerusalem; and may the peace of Christ grant you His comfort and consolation.



Let us all prepare our hearts for next Sunday's Mass by reflecting on the readings in advance.

The readings for next Sunday, December 10 are:

Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11

Psalms 85

2 Peter 3:8-14

Mark 1:1-8

"And the Word was made flesh . . ."



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Bulletin Entry Deadlines Listed below are upcoming bulletin deadlines:

Bulletin Date	Due by Noon
December 10	Monday, December 4
December 17	Monday, December 11
December 24	Monday, December 18

Your cooperation with these deadlines is greatly appreciated!
bulletin@jesusdivineword.org

The month of December is dedicated to the Immaculate Conception.



Poor Box Designation

For the month of December, donations will go to purchasing food cards for the needy.

Thank you for your generosity.

COMMUNITY SUNDAY

The donations on the third Sunday of every month will go to the St. Vincent de Paul Society in conjunction with our parish's Community Sunday. Thank you for your continued generosity.



"As for me and my
house, we will serve
the LORD"

Joshua 24:15

**Serving the Lord
with Joy:**

December 9 & 10

Saturday 12/9 5 PM

EMHCs: Josh Buck, John
Hemmer, Pat & Ron
Nahas

Readers: Chrissy Lash, Kathy
Seminara

Servers: Canon & Tucker
Drummond

Sunday 12/10 8 AM

EMHCs: Wendy Henson, Jenny
LaBille

Readers: Laura Glasgow, Nathan
Jackson

Servers: Brian Holt, Shane &
Justin MacWilliams,
Travis Winston

Sunday 12/10 10 AM

EMHCs: Craig & Dawn Jones,
Raeann King, Mary Anne
Simard, Sharon
Stallings, Denise Waters

Readers: Laura Warltner, Merry
Ellen McGown

Servers: Kolbe, Nathan & Lily
Lagimoniere, Jul King

Sunday 12/10 12 Noon

EMHCs: Chris Fulginiti, Phyllis
Hernandez, Dot & Ed
Spicka

Readers: Priscilla Hammett, Angel
Rogers

Servers: Alivia Rogers, Caili &
Shannon Cunningham,
Lily Luskey



SCHEDULES & STEWARDSHIP

Mass Intentions for December 3 - 10

Sunday, December 3 - First Sunday of Advent

8:00 am - John Carpenter, Sr. (D)
10:00 am - Patricia Cavenas (D)
12:00 pm - Rev. Dan Leary (L)

Tuesday, December 5

8:00 am - Tammy Baker (L)

Wednesday, December 6 - St. Nicholas

8:00 am - Margaret Joy (D)

Thursday, December 7 - St. Ambrose

8:00 am - Richard G. Cocovich (D)

Friday, December 8 - The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 am - Jennifer Morenz (D)
12:00 pm - Christin Gaston (D)
7:00 pm - Nadine & Rick Smith (L)

Saturday, December 9 - St. Juan Diego

9:00 am - Debbie Kruse (L)
5:00 pm - Anne O'Leary (L)

Sunday, December 10 - Second Sunday of Advent

8:00 am - Parishioners
10:00 am - John & Elenor Harper (D)
12:00 pm - Linda Kruse (L)



SAVE THE DATES

December 8.....Feast of Immaculate Conception

December 9.....St. Nick Party 6 pm

December 13.....Grief Education Seminar 5:30 pm

December 15.....IGNITE 6:30 pm

Dec 31 - Jan 7.....Safe Nights

January 19.....March for Life

January 27.....Day Retreat for Women with Danielle Bean

*JDW
Upcoming
Events*

Hospitality Schedule

December 3: Bernie & Lucy Schuler, Treva Kirby

December 10: Pellegrino Family

December 17: Community Sunday

Special Second Collection

Next weekend,
December 9 & 10, there will be a
special second collection for the
Retirement Fund for Religious.



*Please give to
those
who have given a
lifetime.*

www.retiredreligious.org

Stewardship November 25 & 26

Offertory Collection	\$9,352.15
Roof Fund	\$2,306.00
Priest Retirement Fund	\$25.00
All Saints Day	\$20.00
Faith Formation	\$130.00
Youth Ministry	\$135.00
Votive Offerings	\$194.25
Turkey Donations	\$60.00
RFV Craft Fair	\$30
Total	\$12,318.65

LITURGY & PRAYER

Advent Wreath Lighting for December 9 & 10

Saturday	12/9	5 PM	Drummond Family
Sunday	12/10	8 AM	Thompson Family
Sunday	12/10	10 AM	Van Haute Family
Sunday	12/10	12 Noon	Hilton Family



Vocation Cross

With the start of Advent we begin praying with our parish's Vocation Cross.



Devotion to the Vocation Cross involves a designated parish household receiving the cross at the conclusion of Mass and taking the cross home for one week, praying for a few minutes every day for the gift of vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life from our parish.

Prayer for Vocations to the Priesthood and Consecrated Life

Almighty and merciful Father, you inspire and bring to fulfillment every good intention. Guide your people in the way of salvation and watch over those who shepherd your flock. Raise up from our parish of Jesus the Divine Word worthy ministers for your altar; ardent but gentle servants of the Gospel and generous souls who will renounce worldly power and profit to serve you and their brothers and sisters faithfully in a spirit of poverty and humility.

Inspire our young men and women to respond to your call so that your Church might always rejoice in plentiful servants for your harvest. We ask this through Jesus Christ, your Son and our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Please pray for Vocations this week with Pat and Ron Nahas.

If you signed up to participate in the program you will receive a phone call the week before you are scheduled to make sure you will be available for the Mass you indicated that you normally attend. Toward the end of the Mass you will be called up to the sanctuary to receive the cross. You will bring it home so that you can pray for vocations from our parish throughout the week. We ask that you return the cross to the parish office by 5 PM the following Friday.

Next Sunday, December 10, Rob and Barb Oursler will receive the Vocation Cross at the 8:00 AM Mass.

Christmas Ornament Sale



The Knights of Columbus Council #14775 will be selling Christmas ornaments

in the narthex after each Sunday Mass through December 17th.

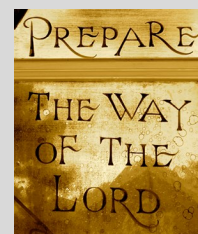


Lord God, I sense your power, your might,

and I stand in awe, painfully aware of how poor and weak I am before you. As I begin this Advent journey, teach me to turn to you in my fear and sorrow.

I don't want to keep making my heart hard against you, turning a deaf ear to your invitation.

Only you can help me to soften, to be like the clay in your gentle potter's hands. Amen.



SUNDAY AND DAILY MASS READINGS:

Interested in finding the texts for the Sunday and weekday Mass online?

Go to
www.usccb.org/bible/readings/



JDW and the Run for Vocations team raised the most of any team in the archdiocese. We raised \$8,415 to support our seminarians. Great job, Team JDW!

A total of \$37,290.74 was raised from all the ADW parishes that participated in the RFV.

These donations will greatly aid the formation of our current seminarians as well as provide opportunities for other young men to discern a vocation to the priesthood.



ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY

Members of the Society are reminded of their meeting this Thursday, December 7th at 7:00 PM in the parish library.

New members always welcome!



PARISH HAPPENINGS

Attention Bakers

JDW's Liturgy committee has asked our youth ministry to host a special hospitality reception after evening Mass on Friday, December 8th for the Feast of the Immaculate Conception. If you and your IGNITE or Upper Room youth would like to help with this event, you can choose from the following tasks:

- * Bake two dozen cookies for the reception in Doran Hall
- * Make non-alcoholic Hot Toddy Drink (one crock pot full)
- * Help with setting up Doran Hall on Thursday night, December 7th at 7 p.m.
- * Help to serve during the Reception
- * Help to clean Doran Hall after Reception (about 8:30 p.m.)



Please sign up by emailing youthministry@jesusdivineword.org with your name and your choice from the list above. Let's celebrate this very special night together with our parish family.



Seniors' Christmas Pot Luck Luncheon

Join the senior group for a Christmas Pot Luck on Thursday, December 7th, at Noon in Doran Hall. Everyone 55 and over is welcome. Visitors are always welcome, so bring a friend!

Please bring a main dish, side dish, or a dessert to share along with your Christmas spirit and have a jolly time at lunch. After dessert, we will have a Christmas carol singalong. We will end the luncheon with a gift exchange, so bring a small gift of ten dollars or so if you want to participate.

Be sure to mark your gift for male, female or either.

Please call Harry or Joan Lotis at 443-550-3367 to confirm your attendance and what you will be bringing.

Dear JDW Parishioners,

*On behalf of our St. Vincent de Paul Society - St. Katherine Drexel Conference and those we are privileged to serve, we sincerely **thank you** for your kindness which provides hope to many individuals and families served through the Society. The Friends of the Poor Walk/Run was very successful this year, this success is attributed to the generosity of our fellow parishioners and our community at large. We deeply appreciate your caring commitment to helping those who need it most in Calvert County. Your generous gift and support makes it possible to serve those in need. If you had sponsors, please thank them on our behalf.*

Gratefully,
Renee O'Neill
Chairperson



PARISH HAPPENINGS



Be an Angel

Once again our parish is participating in the Calvert County Angel Tree Program, which helps to bring a bit of a Merry Christmas to the county's neediest children.

All Gifts due
by Noon next
Sunday,
Dec. 10

When you have purchased the gifts requested, please place the **UNWRAPPED** gifts in a plastic trash bag with a twist tie. Please make sure the Angel tag is securely taped to the **OUTSIDE** of the bag.

All gifts need to be returned to the tree outside of Doran Hall
BY NOON NEXT SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10.

If you have any questions please call Patty O'Toole at 410-231-0482.
Thank you for your generous support!

Safe Nights at JDW: December 31st - January 7th

You Are Needed!

The **Sign-Up Genius** for Safe Nights is up and running!

Once on signupgenius.com, click on "Find a Signup" on the top upper right, and then go to "Search by Email" and enter **jdwsafenights@gmail.com** as the requested email.



**FOR I WAS HUNGRY
AND YOU FED ME;
I WAS THIRSTY
AND YOU GAVE ME DRINK.
I WAS A STRANGER
AND YOU WELCOMED ME;
NAKED AND YOU CLOTHED ME...
MATTHEW 25: 35-36**

If you have any questions, please contact
Terry DiGuiseppe by phone or text at
301-706-7018 or email
tldiguisepp@gmail.com

Grief Education Seminar Wednesday, December 13

Tessa Washington, a Bereavement Coordinator from Calvert Hospice, will be the guest speaker at our December Bereavement Group meeting. Tessa will be providing our community with information and tools on how to grieve in healthy ways, learning what is "normal" and what is "complicated" grief. We will be meeting in the Chapel at 5:30pm.

All are welcome!

For more info, please contact Gail Gordon 410-610-0421



WELCOME MINISTRY

A meeting of the newly created Welcome Ministry will occur this Tuesday, December 5th at 7:00 PM in the parish library.

New members are invited and encouraged to participate.



**DAY
RETREAT
FOR
WOMEN**



**Saturday,
January 27, 2018
at JDW**

Join us for a day designed by author Danielle Bean to help you discover the life-changing truth about Jesus' unique and personal love for women.

2018 CALENDARS AVAILABLE

Church Calendars for the Year 2018 are now available in the narthex of the church.



*I lift my eyes to you,
oh God, enthroned in heaven.
Have mercy on us, Lord,
have mercy.
~ Psalm 123*

Please pray for our sick:

Phil Ates, Carleton Berry, Jim Borell, Goyena Boucher, Alyssa Bramble, Dcn James Brown, Rob Brown, Sandy Buchanan, Dolores R. Burbage, Oscar Camacho, DJ Callender, Lill Caplins, Diane Chaney, Mark Chaplin, Shirley Clement, Regina Coakley, Lisa Coltrain, Allison Consoli, Jean Corcoran, Thomas Cullen, Zahira Davila, Jack DeGrange, Terri DeStefano, Tammie DiMichele, Linda Donaldson, Laveta Emory, Mary Ferrante, Anna Freeman, John Gatt, Reese Gawronski, Michelle Goodwin, Jeff Gott, Frank Grant, Charles Grimes, Barbara & Margaret Grofic, Doug Hansen, Brooke Heiston, Jeanne Hemmer, Hayden Hettel, Ann Hill, Denise Hilton, Norma Holmes, Connie Key, Stephen Killian, Micah Kirk, Casey Kwitkin, Ernie Lagimoniore Sr., Meagan Laughlin, William Lavin, Margaret Elizabeth Lee, Susan Lees, Melissa Lescinsky, Doris Lynch, Kim McGown, Michael McNamee, Sandy Manuel, Norma Melcher, Marita Moniger, Dcn John Montgomery, Bruce Mrowca, Pat Nahas, Michael Nestor, Mary Ellen Norris, Richard O'Dell, Kathy Pannebaker, Laura Peck, Michael Pellock, Rusty & Donna Perkins, Mark Pierce, Monica Haley-Pierson, Kathy Poole, Marilyn Quinn, Janet Reing, Milton & Kathleen Reuwer, Keely Reuwer, Fr. Jim Reynolds, Colin Ripple, Rafaela Rodriguez, Steve Rogers, Caroline Rutledge, Grace Rymer, Marie Samaha, Lucy Schuler, Jesse Schwenk, Theresa Sefcik, Joseph Seminara, Kay Siewertsen, Les & Mary Ann Silva, Thomas Sita, Laurie Smith, Mariann Stackpole, Shirley Talbot, Mary Tayman, Noah Thompson, Rebecca Triplet, Dcn Richard Walker, Katie Ward, Nathaniel Weiskircher, Sam Whedbee, Kay Whelan, Susie Wommack, Diane Wood, Wendy Zurenko.
Heal them, O Lord.

PARISH HAPPENINGS



**KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS®**

Jesus The Divine Word Council 14775

Presents

A Community Christmas Potluck Dinner

- Who:** Everyone is welcome!
- When:** Saturday, December 16, 2017 after the 5:00 p.m. Mass
- Where:** Doran Hall
- Why:** Spend a little time with fellow parishioners relaxing and socializing over good food and Christmas music
- Cost:** Bring a main dish, side, or dessert; otherwise, there is no cost. Drinks will be provided.

What's Been Happening in Youth Ministry?

From November 16-19th, some of our JDW youth went to National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC) in Indianapolis, IN. They attended NCYC with 25,000 other Catholic youth to celebrate the faith. Through Catholic Entertainers like Toby Mac and Matt Maher and Key Note Speakers to include Chris Stefanik, Steve Angrisano, and Jason Evert, the youth received many graces (not to mention a lot of fun) and were able to meet Catholic teens from across the US and Canada. A special thank you to all from JDW who have participated in our fundraisers to make trips like this possible!



This weekend, 46 youth are participated in our high school retreat, "The Incarnation: Celebrating Gifts" at West River Retreat Center. Through talks from their peers and some adults, our youth are celebrating the gifts that they have been given by God and how to use them as well as the greatest gift we all received through the Incarnation, when the Word Became Flesh.

PARISH HAPPENINGS



CHRISTMAS FLOWERS

There is a special envelope in your December offering packet for Christmas Flowers. Please help make our church beautiful this Christmas by your donation.

Loose envelopes are also available in the vestibule of the church.

DECORATING OUR CHURCH HOME

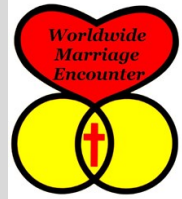
Volunteers needed to help with decorating for Christmas. We will be decorating the church after the noon Mass on *Sunday, December 17th.*

We are especially in need of helpers to bring up boxes from the basement, assemble the Christmas trees and Nativity, and hang the wreaths in the Narthex.

We will also require less strenuous help with decorating the church, the Narthex, and the lobby outside of Doran Hall.

The more help we have the faster the work will get done!

Please refer questions to Rob and Virginia Soboleski at: soboleski@verizon.net










“Yet, O LORD, you are our father; we are the clay and you the potter; we are all the work of your hands.”

As we begin the waiting of advent, let us strive to become the work of his hands by enjoying a Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WWME) weekend with our spouse.

The next weekends are April 20-22, 2018, November 2-4, 2018 in Gaithersburg, MD and August 3-5, 2018 in Hanover, MD.

Go to welovematrimony.org to sign-up or call 301-541-7007. It's not too early to sign-up!

THE WEEK AHEAD AT JDW

Sunday December 3 <i>Advent Begins</i>	Monday December 4	Tuesday December 5	Wednesday December 6 <i>St. Nicholas</i>	Thursday December 7 <i>St. Ambrose</i>	Friday December 8 <i>Immaculate Conception</i>	Saturday December 9 <i>St. Juan Diego</i>
8:00a Mass 8:30a RCIA 10:00a Mass and Children's Liturgy of the Word 12:00p Mass 	 FAITH FORMATION 6:15p - 7:45p Faith Formation Grades K-5	7:20a Rosary & Morning Prayer 8:00a Mass and confessions 3:30p Children's Choir 4:30p - 6:00p Faith Formation Grades K-5 6:00p Youth Choir 7:00p Adult Choir	7:20a Rosary & Morning Prayer 8:00a Mass 4:30p - 6:15p Faith Formation Grades 6-8 6:30p - 8:15p Faith Formation Grades 6-8 7:00p Adoration and confessions 	7:20a Rosary & Morning Prayer 8:00a Mass and confessions 12:00p Seniors' Luncheon 5:00p Christmas Pageant rehearsal 	7:20a Rosary & Morning Prayer 8:00a Mass 12:00 Noon Mass  7:00p Mass 	7:30a Men's Group in Doran Hall 9:00a Mass followed by Pro life rosary 4:00p Confessions 5:00p Vigil Mass 6:00p St. Nick Party 



**Please pray for
our Military:**

Brian Antonio, Meghan Barrett, Jordon Clark, Nathan Cortes-Peck, Julia Croft, Ryan Croft, Dakota Cross, Nicholas Dakes, Robert Owen Danford, Joshua Daniels, Rebecca & Kevin Danis, James Devine, Billy Donovan, Tracy Farr, Kathleen Finnegan, Thomas George, AJ Gerdes, Kevin Gordon, Ben Hammett, Brian Haynes, Tanner Haynes, Catherine Hetmansk, Justin Hickman, Lucas Hornick, Matt Johnson, Craig Jones, Jordon LaBonte, Taylor Luskey, Joshua Matthews, Mark Matthews, Tom Moroney, Alex & Erich Muehleisen, Benjamin, Jacob & Christian Naumann, Jeremy Norris, Joshua Shandy, Ian Sloan, Austin Spaulding, Jimmy & Shane Tittinger, Stephen Woollen **and for all servicemen & women protecting our freedom. Protect them, O Lord.**

If you know of any names that should be added or removed from our sick or military prayer list, please email bulletin@jesusdivineword.org Thank you for helping

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Jesus the Divine Word Catholic Church

The Pro-Life Committee Challenge!

Can you design our annual Jesus the Divine Word
"March for Life" pro-life t-shirt for 2018?

The theme for the March this year is
"Love SAVES Lives"

To enter and win a \$50 gift basket email your ideas to:
prolife@jesusdivineword.org



FRESH CHRISTMAS CENTERPIECES

AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE
DECEMBER 16 & 17

\$20

Proceeds will
benefit the
Missionaries of
Charity Sisters
in
Port Au Prince
Haiti

Decorate Your
Home

OR

The Home
of a
Friend!



Great
Gift Idea!!



St. Nicholas Party

***Saturday, December 9th
6:00pm Doran Hall***

Have your picture taken with St. Nick
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