

December 21, 2025 — Fourth Sunday of Advent

December 28, 2025 — The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

January 4, 2026 — The Epiphany of the Lord



ST. MARY STUDENT PARISH

CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN



Luke Sjoding
Age: 12

Parish Insight

LOVE INCARNATE

In the Spiritual Exercises of Saint Ignatius Loyola, the Meditation on the Incarnation is one that left an indelible mark in my soul since I prayed it as a Jesuit novice. In this meditation, Saint Ignatius asks us to use our imagination to consider how the three divine persons of the Holy Trinity gaze upon the world and its people, with “some in peace and others in war,” “some weeping and others laughing,” “some well, others ill,” “some being born and others dying.”

The Holy Trinity ponders how so many souls have fallen away from God and God’s love, and the decision is made to send the Second Person of the Trinity to “work the redemption of the human race.” God, being all-powerful, did not have to be born as a baby in a manger in order to redeem us. Rather, Saint John affirms that, “In this the love of God was made manifest among us, that God sent his only Son into the world, so that we might live through him.” (1 John 4:9)

God chose to redeem us, to restore us into a loving relationship with Him, by drawing near to us, by entering into our reality, by becoming one of us. God did this so that we might know in a profound and personal way how much He loves each of us, who are all God’s beloved children. This divine love not only was made personal, but became a person, for as the late Pope Francis explained, “Christmas is the feast of love incarnate and born for us in Jesus Christ.”

Saint John Eudes explained how Christ is, “reborn in our souls through the blessed sacraments of baptism and the eucharist.” As members of Christ’s body, we are each called to continue Christ’s mission here on earth by incarnating God’s love. How do we incarnate God’s love? Pope Leo declared in his encyclical *Dilexi Te* that, “Charity shown to those in need [is] not only seen as a moral virtue, but a concrete expression of faith in the incarnate Word.”

The Holy Father goes on to affirm that, “It is not enough to profess the doctrine of God’s Incarnation in general terms. To enter truly into this great mystery, we need to understand clearly that the Lord took on a flesh that hungers and thirsts, and experiences infirmity and imprisonment.” When we go forth to share the Good News of God’s mercy and salvation, especially with those who suffer and are in need, we incarnate God’s unconditional love.

May God bless you and all your loved ones with a joyful Christmas season and a hope-filled start to the New Year!

In Christ,

Fr. Kyle

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

St. Mary Student Parish is a welcoming, inclusive, caring, and diverse Catholic community, uniting residents and students.

We are Christ-centered with the Eucharist as the source of holiness in our vibrant liturgical life.

Inspired by Ignatian spirituality, we live a faith that does justice, reaching out to the marginalized.

As an apostolic parish, we are committed to ongoing formation of Christian witness, discipleship, and leadership.

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CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Monday December 15	DAILY MASS AT 5:10 PM, OFFICE CLOSSES AT 9 PM
Tuesday December 16	DAILY MASS AT 5:10 PM, OFFICE CLOSSES AT 6 PM
Wednesday December 17	DAILY MASS AT 5:10 PM, OFFICE CLOSSES AT 7 PM
Thursday December 18	MASS AT 5:10 PM, OFFICE CLOSSES AT 8 PM
Friday December 19	MASS AT 12:10 PM, OFFICE CLOSSES AT 1 PM
Saturday December 20	MASS AT 5 PM, OFFICE OPENS 4 TO 6 PM
Sunday December 21	NO 8 PM MASS & NO 7 PM CONFESSION OFFICE CLOSSES AT 6 PM
Monday December 22	MASS AT 5:10 PM, OFFICE OPENS 10 AM TO 6 PM
Tuesday December 23	MASS AT 5:10 PM, OFFICE OPENS 10 AM TO 6 PM
Wednesday December 24	CHRISTMAS PAGEANT AT 3:30 PM CHRISTMAS EVE MASSES AT 4:00 PM (FAMILY MASS), 6:00 PM, MIDNIGHT (11:30 PM LESSONS & CAROLS) OFFICE OPENS 2 PM TO 6 PM
Thursday December 25	MASS AT 10 AM, SPANISH MASS AT 12 PM. OFFICE IS CLOSED
Friday December 26	CHURCH AND OFFICE ARE CLOSED. NO MASSES OR CONFESSIONS.
Saturday December 27	MASS AT 5 PM, OFFICE CLOSED.
Sunday December 28	NO 8 PM MASS & NO 7 PM CONFESSION OFFICE CLOSSES AT 6 PM
Monday Dec.29, Tuesday Dec. 30 & Wednesday Dec.31	CHURCH AND OFFICE ARE CLOSED. NO MASSES OR CONFESSIONS.
Thursday January 1st	"SOLEMNITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, THE MOTHER OF GOD" (HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION THIS YEAR) MASS AT 10:00 AM, OFFICE IS CLOSED
Friday January 2	CHURCH AND OFFICE ARE CLOSED. NO MASSES OR CONFESSIONS.
Saturday January 3	MASS AT 5 PM, OFFICE OPENS 4 TO 6 PM
Sunday January 4	NO 8 PM MASS & NO 7 PM CONFESSION OFFICE CLOSSES AT 6 PM

WEDNESDAY CONFESSION/ ADORATION

Wednesday, December 24th - No Confessions / No Adoration

Wednesday, December 31st - No Confessions / No Adoration

Wednesday, January 7th - Confessions from 5:45-6:30 PM / Adoration 5:45-9:00 PM

St Mary Student Parish



SIMBANG GABI

Sunday, Dec. 21st
5:00 PM

Join us for this Filipino Advent tradition to prepare our hearts for the birth of Christ

We will have a special 5 PM Mass followed by a potluck reception

St. Mary Student Parish

331 Thompson St
Ann Arbor



Santo Niño de Cebu
Celebration

Sunday, January 18
5:00 PM (Mass)
6:00 PM (Reception in Donnelly Hall)

Join the Filipino American community at Saint Mary for our Sinulog celebration starting with Mass at 5 PM followed by a potluck dinner.



JOIN TRIDUUM CHOIR
SIGN UP TODAY!

Are you interested in singing or playing an instrument for the Holy Thursday, Good Friday, or Easter Vigil services?

ALL STUDENTS AND RESIDENT PARISHIONERS ARE INVITED TO JOIN THIS LARGE ENSEMBLE SUPPORTING MUSIC ACROSS THE THREE DAYS


Rehearsals - Tuesdays 7 to 9 p.m.
Starting on January 13th



EXPERIENCE IS WELCOME
BUT NOT NECESSARY!

Scan the QR code to sign up by January 9th or contact Mike, Devon, and Ryan (triduumchoir@umich.edu) for more information.



 **HOPE CLINIC**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

HOPE CLINIC MEAL TEAM



Prepare and serve a meal with other SMSP parishioners
@ Hope Clinic, 518 Harriet Street, Ypsilanti, MI 48197
The 2nd Thursday of the month
(Anyone age 12 and up is welcome)

Sign up to volunteer using the QR Code or the link : t.ly/lrxOg



CONTACT JULIA NOVOTNY WITH QUESTIONS AT JNOVOTNY@SMSPNEWMAN.ORG

Faith doing Justice

Thank you to everyone who contributed to our parish's generosity and service this season!

This year's **Feast Day of Service** brought together 125 volunteers across 12 sites for a beautiful day of prayer, service, and community in honor of our patroness, Mary.

We are also deeply grateful for your support of our **December 6–7 parish-wide food drive** benefiting Food Gatherers. Thanks to your generosity, St. Mary collected 762 pounds of food to help nourish our local community.

Thank you as well for your enthusiastic participation in the **Advent Giving Tree**. Your donations help advance the work of organizations striving to build a more just, equitable, and hope-filled world. Our beneficiaries were overwhelmed by your kindness and support.

Thank you for embodying the spirit of giving and service in so many ways this season!

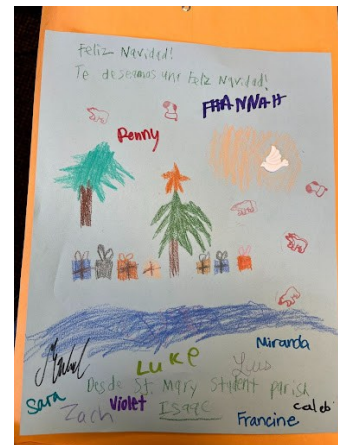
Left photo:

Julia delivering stockings—stuffed during the Feast Day of Service—to Yohannes Desta, Volunteer Coordinator at Alpha House.



Right photo:

Children made Christmas cards for International Samaritan scholars .



Small Ways to Care for Creation this Christmas

With Christmas around the corner, the Care for Creation Team has compiled a list of resources and ideas for how to care for creation and take a mindful approach this holiday season. You can find the guide here:

bit.ly/45gs4Xh



St. Mary Student Parish is hosting the Daytime Warming Center beginning Monday, **January 5, through Friday, January 30**. During that time, the shelter will be open from 8:00am - 4:00pm in Newman Hall. We strive to provide individuals who are unhoused with a safe and welcoming environment where they can find companionship and be treated with compassion, kindness, and respect. We provide food, coffee, a warm place of rest, and the opportunity for conversation. There are several different ways to get involved. Please see the sign up bit.ly/44Tzu2P

In addition, the shelter is always in need of food and clothing donations. Donations of coffee, non-perishable snacks, and warm shoes and clothing can be brought to the front office beginning the first weekend in January during Parish hours listed online. Thank you!



Meetings & Events

MEETINGS & EVENTS: DECEMBER 21 — JANUARY 11

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 21

- 10:00 AM **Children's Liturgy of the Word** — Loyola Room, Newman Lounge
- 12:45 PM **ESL (English as a Second Language)** — Loyola Room
- 1:00 PM **Spanish Reconciliation** — Confessional (Church)
- 1:10 PM **Bilingual Rosary** — Church
- 3:00 PM **Be Bold** — Rectory Dining Room, Rectory Lounge
- 4:00 PM **Reconciliation**— Confessional (Church)
- 6:00 PM **Simbang Gabi (Filipino) Reception**— Newman Hall

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24

- 3:30 PM **Christmas Pageant**—Church, Donnelly Hall, Newman Hall

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 26

- 8:15 AM **Rosary in Spanish** — Zoom

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28

- 10:00 AM **Children's Liturgy of the Word** — Loyola Room, Newman Lounge
- 12:45 PM **ESL (English as a Second Language)** — Loyola Room
- 1:00 PM **Spanish Reconciliation** — Confessional (Church)
- 1:10 PM **Bilingual Rosary** — Church
- 4:00 PM **Reconciliation**— Confessional (Church)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 4

- 10:00 AM **Children's Liturgy of the Word** — Loyola Room, Newman Lounge
- 12:45 PM **ESL (English as a Second Language)** — Loyola Room
- 1:00 PM **Spanish Reconciliation** — Confessional (Church)
- 1:10 PM **Bilingual Rosary** — Church
- 3:00 PM **Three Kings Celebration**— Newman Hall
- 4:00 PM **Reconciliation**— Confessional (Church)

MONDAY, JANUARY 5

- 5:45 PM **Rosary for Peace**— Church
- 6:30 PM **Grad/YP Spiritual Direction** — Donnelly Hall
- 7:00 PM **Born for Joy**— Whitman Room

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 7

- 5:45 PM **Reconciliation**— Monteith Room, Spiritual Direction Room
- 5:45 PM **Eucharistic Adoration/Peace and Worship**— Church
- 6:00 PM **Catechist Planning Session** — Donnelly Hall, Guest Room, Loyola Room, Whitman Room
- 7:00 PM **Cristeros**— Richard Room
- 7:00 PM **OCIA**— Rectory Dining Room, Rectory Lounge

THURSDAY, JANUARY 8

- 10:00 AM **Women of the Heart** — Donnelly Hall
- 3:30 PM **Hope Clinic Meal Team**— Off-Site
- 6:30 AM **Baptism class in English and Spanish** — Loyola Room, Whitman Room

FRIDAY, JANUARY 9

- 8:15 AM **Rosary in Spanish**— ZOOM
- 12:45 PM **Discernment Groups**— Rectory Dining Room, Small Meeting Room
- 5:00 PM **Crochet Club**— Loyola Room
- 7:00 PM **Undergrad Trivia Night** — Donnelly Hall

SUNDAY JANUARY 11

- 8:15 AM **FFF (8:15am Session)**— Newman Hall, +
- 10:00 AM **Children's Liturgy of the Word** — Loyola Room, Newman Lounge
- 11:15 AM **FFF (11:15am Session)**— Newman Hall, +
- 12:45 PM **ESL (English as a Second Language)** — Loyola Room
- 1:00 PM **Spanish Reconciliation** — Confessional (Church)
- 1:10 PM **Bilingual Rosary** — Church
- 3:15 PM **H/L Sacramental Prep Classes**— Donnelly Hall, +
- 3:15 PM **Teen Confirmation**— Newman Hall, +
- 4:00 PM **Reconciliation**— Confessional (Church)
- 7:00 PM **Reconciliation**— Confessional (Church)

MASS INTENTIONS: DECEMBER 21 — JANUARY 11

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20

- 5:00 PM Mass for People of the Parish

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 21

- 8:30 AM Mass for Jasen Freeman
- 10:00 AM Mass for + Janine Hutchinson
- 12:00 PM Mass for Frank Zabbo
- 2:00 PM Mass for
- 5:00 PM Mass for + Tomasz Matysiak

MONDAY, DECEMBER 22

- 5:10 PM Mass for

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23

- 5:10 PM Mass for

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24

- 4:00 PM Mass for + Ignatius SuKamto

6:00 PM Mass for

12:00 AM Mass for

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 25

- 10:00 AM Mass for People of the Parish

12:00 PM Mass for

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 26 - No Mass

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 27

- 5:00 PM Mass for

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28

- 8:30 AM Mass for People of the Parish
- 10:00 AM Mass for + Bill Galligan
- 12:00 PM Mass for

2:00 PM Mass for

5:00 PM Mass for

- + Claire Shulte

MONDAY, DEC. 29 TO WEDNESDAY DEC. 31- No Masses

THURSDAY, JANUARY 1

- 5:10 PM Mass for

FRIDAY, JANUARY 2 - No Mass

SATURDAY, JANUARY 3

- 5:00 PM Mass for

SUNDAY, JANUARY 4

- 8:30 AM Mass for People of the Parish
- 10:00 AM Mass for + Vivat Dejthamrong
- 12:00 PM Mass for + Marsha Daigle Williamson

2:00 PM Mass for

5:00 PM Mass for

MONDAY, JANUARY 5

- 5:10 PM Mass for

TUESDAY, JANUARY 6

- 5:10 PM Mass for

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 7

- 5:10 PM Mass for

THURSDAY, JANUARY 8

- 5:10 PM Mass for

FRIDAY, JANUARY 9

- 12:10 PM Mass for

SATURDAY, JANUARY 10

- 5:00 PM Mass for

SUNDAY, JANUARY 11

- 8:30 AM Mass for Cathy Osborn

- 10:00 AM Mass for People of the Parish

12:00 PM Mass for

2:00 PM Mass for

5:00 PM Mass for

8:00 PM Mass for

WINTER SCHEDULE

OFFICE HOURS

Sunday 8:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Monday 10:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Tuesday 10:00 AM—10:00 PM

Wednesday 10:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Thursday 10:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Friday 10:00 AM - 7:00 PM

Saturday 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

MASS TIMES

SATURDAY VIGIL

5:00 PM

SUNDAY MASSES

8:30 AM

10:00 AM

Watch live or anytime after the mass

www.michigancatholics.org/category/live-mass/

Noon

2:00 PM (Spanish)

Watch live or anytime after the mass

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5:00 PM

DAILY MASSES

Monday-Thursday 5:10 PM

Friday 12:10 PM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Sunday 1:00 PM—1:30 PM, 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM

and 7:00 PM— 7:30 PM

Wednesday 5:45 PM - 6:30 PM

or by appointment

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Wednesday 5:45 PM - 9:00 PM



How is God calling YOU to serve?

Join our Women's and Men's Discernment Groups

FRIDAYS EACH MONTH AFTER THE 12:10 PM MASS

Jan. 9th, Feb. 6th, Mar. 20th, Apr. 17th

A simple, meatless lunch will be served

Contact for more info:

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Men's Discernment Group:

[Fr. Kyle.kshinseki@smspnewman.org](mailto:Fr.Kyle.kshinseki@smspnewman.org)



STAY CONNECTED TO YOUR ST. MARY FAMILY

If you're a UM Alumni, we'd love to reconnect with you! We are currently updating our UM Catholics alumni database and want to be sure we have your most accurate contact information. Please take a moment to share your details with us so we can keep you informed about parish events, alumni gatherings, and opportunities to stay engaged with our community. Thank you for helping us strengthen our alumni network! God bless and Go Blue! Please scan the QR Code below to provide your contact information, or contact Meg Fitzpatrick at mfitzpatrick@smspnewman.org.



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BULETIN COVER CONTEST

Thank you to all the kids who participated in the bulletin cover contest! Congratulations to Luke Sjoding, our winner—his artwork is featured on the cover! We're also excited to share Andrew's (on the right) and Ben's (below) drawings. Well done to all of you!



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These can be sent to our mailing address:

St. Mary Student Parish, 331 Thompson Street, Ann Arbor, MI 48104



LOOKING FOR SOMETHING???

If you have misplaced items while at church, we may have them waiting for you in the parish office! Please stop by the office to check the Lost & Found box.

Fiscal Year 2025/2026	
Year-to-Date Sunday Offering Report as of 12/07/2025	
Sunday Offerings Budget Goal	\$1,193,400
Year-to-Date (YTD) Goal	\$512,250
Amount Collected YTD	\$514,956
Above (Below) YTD Goal	\$2,706
Sunday Offering Report as of 12/07/2025	
DECEMBER Sunday Offerings Weekly Budget Goal	\$36,250
Sunday 12/07/2025 (Week 24)	\$31,067
Above (Below) Weekly Goal	(\$5,183)

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS

We apologize for not being able to provide a more current update on the Sunday Collections. The bulletin had to be submitted to print earlier than usual this month because of the Christmas schedule.

St. Mary Student Parish

PRAYER REQUESTS

Orlando Averion, Zenaida Averion, Ric Chapman, Therese Sheffield, Brianna Liker, Elpido Adrian, Marcelo Alvarez, Eddie Smith, Joan Lesneski, Daniel Leung, Francyn Chomic, Benjamin Besa, Brian Weard,, Laura Brown, Patrick Geary, Ron Lesneski, Christopher Brown, Scott Alexander, Wilmer Zhinin, Juan Ibarra-Gonzalez, Adam Lesneski, Joanna Vuylsteke, Julia Zhinin, Maria Ayauaca, Manuel Zhinin, Michael Patterson, Filiberto Zamorano, Nikolas Block, Rosemary Rodriguez, Cristina Magsino, Kate Hanson, Maria Delores Monicibas Aleman, Luis Mario Riano, Joseph Puttrich, Senir Rivas, Hilda Willis, Brent Horvath, Marianna Hann, John Burns, Pablo Angiano Flores, Christine Geoghegan, Cindy McPherson, Gloria Grisales, Aurora Kobalz, Amaris Bolanos Luna, John Lanzatta, Fred Metry, Tom Forner, Brian Cronin, Phil Simmons, Charlotte Jenkins, Matthew Casey, Clifton Chippewa, Nic Steadman, Bonnie Dean, Arthur O'Neil, Augusto Silvino Garduno Esquivel, Cynthia Lear, Barb Garren-Stratman, Guillermo Foncerrada, Dianna Nati, Pedro Osorio Soriano, Maria Enriqueta Ramirez Flores, Donna Osborne, Tina Jones, Bernie Lamey, Jo Lamey, Nancy Harknett, Salvador Cuevas, Fr. Walter Moll, Jr, Helen Lucille Ceasar, Keshia Banks, Martha Leticia Garcia Guerro, Steiner Supphellen, Norma Gonzalez, Marianne Roche, Teresita Shah, Mercy Philomena Mascarenhas, Jose Luis Hernandez, Kathleen Moore, Susan Meyer, Ricardo Berrocal, Ed Zyniewicz, Katie Veilleux, Aimee Manning, Ellie Lewandowski, Arthur and Esther Michalec, Courtney Seitz, Oscar Perales, Luis Campuzano, Charlie Onesian, Marti Rozmys, Joe Dewey, Mary Comber, Amaechi Udoji, Tom Wenthe, Marian Ryan, John Boyd, David Guevara, Senovia Guevara, Mary Guevara, Lindsey Lienert, Tom Lienert, Andrea Emilia Bernabey, Gregory Zaborny, Rob Hunter, Ray Strasse, Jeff Nigh, Marianne McGrath, Ivan Iliev, Genev, Stephanie Kulhanek and Family, John Hoogland, Robin Berry, Magdalena Eggleston, Nancy Vachon, Harris Holland, Joetta Bohn, Warren Bonham, Waleria Terlecki and family, Angela Sperry, Karen Peck, Emilio Rodriguez Sr, Jane Rae, Flora de Aparicio, Michael Savageau, Robert Roll, Elizabeth Vuylsteke, Kurt Holand, Peggy Garikes, Marvin Johnson, John McPartlin, Aidan McPartlin, John Burkhart., Elizabeth Stessel, Ashley Powell, Jane Yamasaki, Jim Gawne, Imelda Yap, Brian McEnery, Quinn Carney, Emilio Rodriguez Sr., Lawrence Cooke, Lorraine Leone, Rene Quintero, Maria Vargas Aguirre, Sherly Nava, Genevis Nava, Sarah Sorenson, Diane Huhn, Jennifer Ballew, Ben Brelje, Nicholas Kator, Brendan Jackson, Raghunath Ananthapur, Charlie Crone, Gail Cowen, Mike Palmer, Ann Rose Lawrence Joseph, Nancy Van Goethem, Liam St John, Yvonne Fuller, Paul Szymanski, Jay Scott, Wendy Tashian, Yvonne Mongue, Barbara Bean-Slagle, Juliette Harrison, Steve Robbins, Steve Burns, Angela Morowski, Dakota Joshua, Danny Berry, Hossain Koleyni, Noe Longoria, Hugh Dufek Holland, Bill Galligan, Bill Messer, Bonnie Irvin, Patricia Hughes, Betty Robbins, Tom DeAgostino, Seth Gottman, Greg Hyde, Larry Fitzpatrick, John Sahakian, Terry Rodriguez, Rob Ernst, Betty Franklin, Leslie Kelly, Felix Schultz, S. Guevara, Sophia Guevara, Noah Anderson, Taylor Dzierwa, Trish Heusel, Emma Grabarczyk, Sharon Hillis, the Quarle Family, Mary Gibson, Jessica Jones, Alicia Patterson, Michael Patterson, Christopher Brown, Shawn Brown, Scott Alexander, Joan Alexander, Teresa Raymond. Anna Nims, Michael Gehl, Anne Marie Bellen Sr. Barbara Cervenka, OP, Joseph Ranzini, Bernadette Raffin, Johan Rodriguez, Franklin Georges, Carrie Letke, Chadley Robards, Maryanne Galligan

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Sunday Readings

December 21— Fourth Sunday of Advent

Reading I 10: Is 7:10– 14

Psalm Ps 24:1-6

Reading II Rom 1:1-7

Gospel Mt 1:18-24

Jesus is Emmanuel, “God with us”, risen from the dead. He is the king of glory .

December 28– The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

Reading I 17: Sir 3:2–6, 12-14

Psalm Ps 128:1-5

Reading II Col 3:12-21

Gospel Mt 2:13-15, 19-23

Family life is rooted in the unconditional love of God as witnessed by the Holy Family .

January 4 –The Epiphany of the Lord

Reading I 212:1 Jn 3:22– 4:6

Psalm Ps 2:7b-8, 10-12a

Reading II

Gospel Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

We are called to reform our lives, to believe in Jesus Christ come in the flesh, and to pay him homage.

January 11 –The Baptism of the Lord

Reading I 21: Is 42:1–4, 6-7

Psalm Ps 29:1-4,3,9-10

Reading II Acts 10:34-38

Gospel Mt 3:13-17

Jesus is the beloved Son of the Father. He is the light of the nations and Lord of all creation . To him be all glory and praise!

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