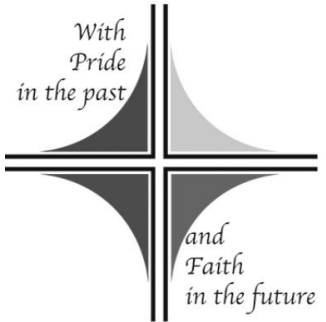


# THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Schedule of Masses, Services and Devotions

December 15 to December 23, 2018



Celebrating 75 Years

CATHOLIC DIOCESE  
OF YOUNGSTOWN

## Sanctuary Candles

St. Mary Church

*In Memory of:*

Stephen & Jane Palagyi

by David & Virginia Arp

\*\*\***THIS WEEK**\*\*\*

**Sunday, December 16**

9:15-10:45am Faith Formation,  
Parish Center

12pm Reconciliation, SFC

4-7pm Youth Ministry Christmas Party  
& Dinner, Youth Room

**Monday, December 17**

4:30pm SVdP, Parish Center

**Wednesday, December 19**

6:30pm Joint meeting of Finance and  
Pastoral Council, Parish Center

7-8pm SFC Church open for prayer;

Rosary recitation, 7:30pm

**Thursday, December 20**

6:30-8pm Choir Practice, SFC

**Scripture Readings Dec 23, 2018**

Micah 5:1-4a

Hebrews 10:5-10

Luke 1:39-45

**Liturgical Ministers** Sign-up sheet for  
**Christmas** and the **Solemnity of Mary**  
will be in the sacristy after Mass-please  
sign-up early! You may also call or email  
the parish office.

### Weekend Masses:

**Saturday** Dec 15

**STM** 4:30pm

**Sunday** Dec 16

**SFC** 11am

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### Weekday Masses:

**Monday** Dec 17

**SFC \*** 8am

**Tuesday** Dec 18

**SFC \*** 8am

**Wednesday** Dec 19

**SFC** 8am

**Thursday** Dec 20

**SFC** 8am

**Friday** Dec 21

No Mass Here

**Note: Mon/Tues Masses move to SFC for the winter**

Late Advent Weekday

*People of the Parish*

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*Dina Gestwicki 'Birthday Memorial'* by son, Bobby

Late Advent Weekday  
St. Peter Canisius, Priest & Doctor of the Church

8am- Mass at Mother of Sorrows

### Weekend Masses:

**Saturday** Dec 22

**STM** 4:30pm

**Sunday** Dec 23

**SFC** 11am

**VIGIL: FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

*Weekend Mass Intentions*

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

*Weekend Mass Intentions*

\***WINTER** weekday Mass Schedule: Beginning Mon, Dec 10, all weekday  
Masses will be at 8am at St. Frances Cabrini Church.

**Mass Intentions for December 15/16:** *Peggy Partee* by Mom; *Karen Deck Vendetti* by Family; *Regina Best 'Birthday Memorial'* by Carol Tinney; *Carl DeNunzio, Jr.* by DeNunzio Family; *Danny English* by John & Pat Gilpin; *Helen Nappi* by Holly & Dave Purpura; *Stephen G. Hill* by Barbara & Jack Bates; *Gary Joslin* by Mark & Michael Mirando; *Chester Arcaro* by Wife & Children.

**Mass Intentions for December 22/23:** *Lisa Iarocci* by Family; *Connie Nelson* by Albert, Jr. & Joy Wright; *Tony & Rita Pignotti* by JoAnn & E.G. Colon, Stacy & Nic; *Kathy Deck* by Chuck & Laraine McCrory; *Carl DeNunzio, Jr.* by DeNunzio Family; *Francis Petrini* by wife, Carole; *Grandson, Tyler Aiken* by Grandma, Jean; *Gary Joslin* by Tom Hupertz, Jr.; *Stephen Hill* by Bill & Linda Kehoe; *Tyler Aiken* by Carol, Barb, Leslie & Pat; *John & Amelia Snyder* by Agnes Fields & Millie Hall; *Benjamin & Katherine Golaszewski* by daughters, Agnes Fields & Millie Hall; *Jim Dennison* by Family; *Chester Arcaro 'Memorial Anniversary'* by Wife & Children.

**Vocations:** "Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God" It is in prayer that we ask for guidance and listen to the word that God gives us. During this Advent time of preparation, make your prayer such that you seek the way of God for your life. Could this way be in service to the Church? FMI call Fr. Christopher Luoni, Vocation Director at 330/744-8451, or email: cluoni@youngstowndiocese.org

### Liturgical Ministers: Dec 22/23 & 29/30

**STM 4:30pm: Readers:** J Zimmerman; M Tate **Distributors:** P GuglielmoB, C Cebasek C N IarocciC, **Altar Server** JD Lazorek

**SFC 11am: Readers:** K Cellini, G Cellini **Distributors:** R RoachB, J RoachB F HotovecC, T RogersC **Altar Servers:** J & J Burton

## Stewardship Update

### Last Weekend

Sunday \$ 7,443

143 Envelopes

Immaculate Conception \$1,057

*Thank you for your continued generosity!*

Stewardship *"Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God."* (PHILIPPIANS 4:6) St. Paul reminds us that our God is an abundant God, the ultimate giver of gifts. He promises to give us all that we need. When we trust that God will take care of us, it is easier for us to share what we have been given.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

December 15	3:30pm	St. Mary Church
December 16	12:00pm	St. Frances Cabrini Church
December 22	3:30pm	St. Mary Church
December 23	12:00pm	St. Frances Cabrini Church

### Christmas Mass Schedule

December 24	4:30pm	St. Mary Church
	10pm	St. Frances Cabrini Church
December 25	11am	St. Frances Cabrini Church

### Solemnity of Mary Mass Schedule

December 31	6:30pm	St. Frances Cabrini Church
January 1	10am	St. Mary Church

**Mark your calendar!** There will be a training sessions for *Lectors on Sun, Jan 20 at 9:00-10:45am*; and *Eucharistic Ministers on Sun, Feb 17 at 9:00-10:45am*. Both training sessions will be at St. Frances Cabrini Church. All current ministers, as well as anyone who may be willing to become a liturgical minister should attend. If you are interested in becoming a lector and/or Eucharistic minister, you may call Nick Perkoski at the Parish Office or email him at [nperkoski@gmail.com](mailto:nperkoski@gmail.com)

**Reminder:** If you sometimes attend Mass at Our Lady of Peace in Ashtabula, St. Joseph in Jefferson or St. Andrews in Sheffield, you can still use your regular Sunday envelope for Corpus Christi Parish. Just drop your envelope in the basket and it will be forwarded to us. In turn, we forward envelopes from parishioners of the other Parishes who occasionally attend Mass here.

**News from St. John School.** Hall of Fame nominations are due by Dec 31. Candidates are selected on the basis of how an alumni or friend of the school has lived out the mission of Saint John through scholarship, faith, leadership and service. In addition to nominating an individual, nominations will also be accepted for families who have lived out the mission of the school. Forms to nominate an individual or a family can be found on the school website: [www.sjheralds.org](http://www.sjheralds.org). Click on the alumni tab. Forms can also be mailed. Please contact Christy Garrod Kovacs at 997-5531 x 223 to request a form.

Our 'Featured Advertiser' this week is:

**SAVE-A-LOT**

Thank you for your support of our weekly bulletin!

**Tickets are on sale for the January 2019 - 31 Day Lottery** based on the Ohio PM Daily Lottery number drawing. Tickets are \$5 each. You have a chance to win \$25 each day; \$50 on Mondays. They make great stocking stuffers! **Tickets will be on sale at the back of the church following the 11am Mass.** *Please call the Parish Office if you are willing to help sell tickets for this parish fund raiser.*

**There will be a Joint Meeting of Finance and Pastoral Council** at 6:30pm, Wed, Dec 19 in the Parish Center. Anyone is welcome to attend Parish meetings.

**Our E-Ministry** group is looking for volunteers to help with videotaping the Mass on Sundays as well as working with our Web Site. If you would be interested, please call the Parish Office.

**FORMED** which offers 24/7 access to the best Catholic content on any device. Go to [www.FORMED.org](http://www.FORMED.org). You will see the registration box for parishioners. Type in the parish code – **MX7XNH**. FMI, call the Parish Office. This service is Free for all Parishioners.

### **Two Masses for Life Scheduled this January 2019**

Each year in January we recall the infamous Supreme Court decision Roe v. Wade that effectively legalized abortion on demand throughout the United States. Our diocese hosts two Masses for Life as a prayerful reminder that we "must protect and nurture human life at every stage of its existence." Bishop Murry will preside at the Masses for Life on:  
-Sun, Jan 13, at Noon at St. Paul Parish, North Canton  
-Sun, Jan 20, at 4pm at St. Columba Cathedral, Youngstown  
The Mass for Life will include a 'Blessing of Children in the Womb.' Reception to follow. No reservations needed. All are welcome. FMI call 330/744-8451 ext. 272 or email [dschmidt@youngstowndiocese.org](mailto:dschmidt@youngstowndiocese.org).

**Defend the Unborn! Join the March for Life on January 18**  
Buses are being organized in various locations throughout the Diocese of Youngstown to take pilgrims to the annual March for Life in Washington, D.C. To find a bus near you contact the Office of Pro-Life, Marriage and Family Life at [dschmidt@youngstowndiocese.org](mailto:dschmidt@youngstowndiocese.org) or 330/744-8451, ext.272.

**Nine Days of Prayer, Penance and Pilgrimage** On Jan 22 our nation remembers the infamous 1973 Supreme Court decision Roe v. Wade and Doe v. Bolton. Since then more than 55 million children's lives have been lost to abortion, while the lives of their parents have been shattered. Each year the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops call for "**Nine Days of Prayer, Penance and Pilgrimage**" taking place this year from Jan 14 through Jan 22. FMI go to [www.9daysforlife.com](http://www.9daysforlife.com).