

ST. MARY OF SORROWS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Third Sunday of Advent

December 15, 2024

“Cry out with joy and gladness: for among you is the great and Holy One of Israel.” Is. 12:6

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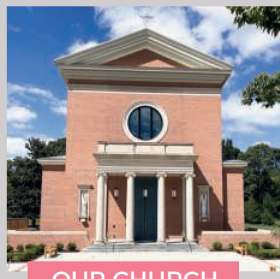
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OUR CHURCH

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PARISH CENTER

PRESCHOOL, OFFICES &
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5222 Sideburn Road Fairfax, VA 22032
Parish Center Office Hours
M-F 8:30am-5:00pm



HISTORIC CHURCH

CEMETERY & OLD HALL
5612 Ox Road
Fairfax Station, VA 22039

MASS, ADORATION, AND CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Weekend Mass

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 7:30 am, 9:30 am
11:30 am, 5:00 pm

Ghana Catholic Community 1:30 pm

Daily Mass

Monday-Friday 6:30 & 9:15 am
Saturday 9:15 am

Holy Day

Vigil Mass : check bulletin
Holy Day 6:30 & 9:15 am, 7:00 pm

Confessions

Saturday 3:30-4:30 pm
Monday 10:00 am
Wednesday 6:30 pm

Adoration

Monday-Thursday 10:00am-7:00 pm
Friday 10:00am-8:00 pm

Holy Hour

Friday 7:00-8:00 pm

Anointing/Visits to the sick

Duty priest 703-978-4141, press *
Anointing of the sick after the
11:30 am Mass on the last Sunday
of the month.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, December 15

7:30 am Mazie Lex†

9:30 am Stan and Cecylia Urynowicz ††

11:30 am Caryl Finnerty†, 5:00 pm For the People

Monday, December 16

6:30 am Eileen M. Buckley†

9:15 am Alison Miserendino (Birthday)

Tuesday, December 17

6:30 am MCPO Al Roddy and Crew of USS Stout

9:15 am Stanley Urynowicz †

Wednesday, December 18

6:30 am John Joseph Lee†, 9:15 am Stanley Urynowicz†

Thursday, December 19

6:30 am Jennifer Ok, 9:15 am Charles R. Cummings †

Friday, December 20

6:30 am Charlie and Cathy Gulac

9:15 am Mason Nottingham†

Saturday, December 21

9:15 am Elizabeth Mescher†, 5:00 pm Richard Kenehan†

Sunday, December 22

7:30 am For the People, 9:30 am James J. McGarry†

11:30 am Dorelle Rebeyro†, 5:00 pm Bob O'Brien†

READINGS

Sunday:	Zep 3:14-18a	Phil 4:4-7
	Lk 3:10-18	
Monday:	Nm 24:2-7, 15-17a	Mt 21:23-27
Tuesday:	Gn 49:2, 8-10.....	Mt 1:1-17
Wednesday:	Jer 23:5-8.....	Mt 1:18-25
Thursday:	Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a	Lk 1:5-25
Friday:	Is 7:10-14	Lk 1:26-38
Saturday:	Sgs 2:8-14	Lk 1:39-45
Sunday:	Mi 5:1-4a	Heb 10:5-10
	Lk 1:39-45	

DONATIONS

Donations for the Week of November 17

Sunday Collection	\$36,702.60
Capital Improvements	\$350.00
Samaritan Fund	\$1,864.26
Building Fund	\$3,221.00
Food Pantry	\$365.00
Retired Religious	\$1,286.00
Military Archdiocese	\$255.00
CCHD	\$1,677.50
Christmas	\$1,020.00
All Saints	\$1,535.00

Hymns for December 15

- 313** Rejoice the Lord is King
- 164** Comfort, Comfort, My People
- 166** Creator of the Stars of Night
- 265** O Come, Divine Messiah

PADRE'S CORNER

“Rejoice in the Lord always; again, I say, rejoice!” So are the words of St. Paul in his letter to the Philippians. It is because the Lord is close at hand.

This Third Sunday of Advent is often called Gaudete Sunday or Rejoice Sunday. The reason is because Jesus’ Birth is close at hand. Jesus’ presence always brings joy in the Gospels and in life. When the Blessed Virgin visits her cousin Elizabeth who is pregnant with St. John the Baptist, John leaps in his mother’s womb because he recognizes the few-day-old presence of the baby Jesus in Mary’s womb. The angels speak of ‘good news of a great joy’ to the shepherds. As one spiritual writer puts it, His mysteries are only joyful; we bring on the sorrowful mysteries in life.

We shall be joyful on Christmas Day if we have Jesus in our souls; if we have sought happiness through Him, with Him and in Him. For, if we follow so many messages in the world that tell us joy can be found apart from Jesus, in other words, in sin, we will only find sadness. We should be mindful of the rich young man who went away from Jesus sad because he could not give up his possessions.

Happiness of a Catholic is not dependent upon possessions, pleasures or power. It is dependent upon Jesus’ life in our souls that no entity, save ourselves, can ever remove! It remains amidst suffering and struggles in life. What must have been the Virgin Mary’s joy in these final days of her pregnancy!

How many people does Jesus want us to bring to Him? But, how many people are ever attracted to sad and gloomy people?! St. Teresa of Avila once humorously quipped, Lord, save me from sour-faced saints! Sadness attracts no one. It is rooted in selfishness, lack of mortification and shallowness in its love for God. Ultimately, sadness is uprooted by allowing Jesus to remove our selfishness – our sins – in the sacrament of Confession. Frequent use of this sacrament helps us grow in happiness.

We should bring joy to a world which is sad at heart because individuals more and more remove God from it. People need to be convinced that Jesus Christ has really been born in Bethlehem, and few things are more convincing than the habitual happiness of the Christian, even in the midst of pain and contradictions.

May Our Lord bless you through the Immaculate Heart of Mary!
God bless,
FRW



If you would like to make an offering to the parish, please scan the QR code.

Thank you!





*Simbang
Gabi*



Simbang Gabi is a devotional series of 9 Masses to prepare for the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and to honor His mother, the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Please join and support St. Mary's Filipino-American Ministry with their Simbang Gabi activities.

Thursday, December 19th

**Simbang Gabi Mass at 7:00 pm, St. Mary of Sorrows Church
Followed by refreshments outside church. All are welcome!**

Saturday and Sunday, December 14th & 15th

**Please support our fundraiser! Bake sale, bows, swags,
centerpieces available at the:**

Spaghetti Dinner in Farrell Hall after the 5 pm Mass

Pancake Breakfast after the 7:30 am and 9:30 am Masses



**For more information, please contact Pauline Pompei at 703-863-8835 or
pianoj29@gmail.com.**

PARISH LIFE

Knights of Columbus
CHRISTMAS TREE SALE
 has already started!

St. Mary's Historic Church
 parking lot - Rt.123 and
 Fairfax Station Road

Weekdays, 6:00 pm-9:00 pm
Saturday, 9:00 am-9:00 pm
Sunday, 11:00 am-7:00 pm



Christmas Ornament Fundraiser



Boy Scout Troop 697 is excited to be selling limited edition St. Mary of Sorrows Christmas ornaments for our annual fundraiser! Come support the Troop by adding this beautiful ornament featuring our historic church from 1860 right here in Fairfax to your tree.

ORNAMENT SALES

Parish Front Office
 Monday-Friday, 8:30am-5:00 pm

KofC Spaghetti Dinners & Pancake Breakfasts in December

Troop 697 wishes you and yours a Very Merry Christmas!

THIS WEEKEND

DINE IN TAKE HOME



SPAGHETTI DINNER

FARRELL HALL AFTER 5PM MASS DECEMBER 14TH
 HOMEMADE SPAGHETTI, MEATBALLS, SAUSAGES, BREAD, SALAD, DESSERT, COFFEE, TEA, BEER & WINE!



PANCAKE BREAKFAST

FARRELL HALL AFTER 7:30 & 9:30 AM MASS DECEMBER 15TH
 REGULAR AND BLUEBERRY PANCAKES, FRENCH TOAST, BACON, SAUSAGES, COFFEE, TEA, AND JUICE!

ADULT ENRICHMENT



ADVENT SERIES 2024 WITH DEACON NICK

PREPARING TO ENCOUNTER CHRIST THROUGH THE PARABLES

Mondays this December at St. Joseph's Hall

1. THE VIRGINS AND THE LAMPS
2. THE SERVANTS AND THE TALENTS
3. THE RICH MAN AND LAZARUS
 December 16th, 7:00 - 8:15 pm



4. MATTHEW 25
 December 23rd



The mission of the Cor initiative in Knights of Columbus Council 8600 is to improve and enhance the relationship the men of St. Mary of Sorrows have with Jesus. This will be achieved through activities that emphasize Prayer, Formation, and Fraternity. Prayer will help our men grow in relationship with God through the practice of habitual prayer as a group and individually. Formation will help our men better know the contents of the deposit of faith as contained in Sacred Scripture and Sacred Tradition. Fraternity will help our men develop authentic Christ centered friendships within St. Mary of Sorrows and will help each man strengthen their faith and their leadership role in their family. With prayer and fraternity, the knowledge of our faith will allow our Lord to help each of us become the saints He wants us to be.

WEDNESDAY MORNING MEN'S ST. IGNATIUS PRAYER GROUP

WEEKLY 1015 AM – 1130 AM

CONTACT DAVE SULLIVAN – DAVES408@AOL.COM

THAT MAN IS YOU

THURSDAY EVENING OR SATURDAY MORNING
WEEKLY

7 PM – 830 PM (THURSDAY)

715 AM – 830 AM (SATURDAY)

SMOS ST. JOSEPH HALL

CONTACT JOE OSBORNE - THATMANISYOU.SMOS@GMAIL.COM

SATURDAY MORNING MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

WEEKLY 730 AM – 9 AM

CONTACT DEACON DAVID MAURER –

DEACONDAVE@STMARYOFSORROWS.ORG

MEN'S MINISTRY –

2ND SATURDAY MORNING

730 AM – 900 AM

MONTHLY – BRING YOUR OWN BIBLE

OLD ST. MARY OF SORROWS HALL (OSMH)

CONTACT MIKE MELLOR - ALASKAMIKE@GMAIL.COM

PARISH HOLY HOUR

FRIDAYS 7 PM – 8 PM

ST. MARY OF SORROW CHURCH

CONTACT ANY DEACON AT @STMARYOFSORROWS.ORG

COR FORMATION ACTIVITY – MY FATHER'S FATHER – EPISODES 2, 3, 4, 5, AND 6

730 PM – 830 PM DEC 2, 16, AND JAN 6, 13, 20

SMOS PARISH CENTER

CONTACT MAL DEPONTE - MALDEPONTE@GMAIL.COM

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LITURGY & MUSIC

Christmas Music

Thirty minutes before each Mass on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day the St. Mary Music Ministry will be leading Christmas carols for all. Please join in singing to welcome the Christ child! .



LITURGY DATES TO NOTE

**REGULAR MASSES OFFERED ON
DECEMBER 24TH AT 6:30 AM AND 9:15 AM**

**CHRISTMAS EVE VIGIL MASSES ON
DECEMBER 24TH WILL BE AT 4:30 PM,
6:30 PM AND MIDNIGHT.**

**CHRISTMAS DAY MASSES ON
DECEMBER 25TH WILL BE CELEBRATED AT 5:30
AM (FOR RESPONDERS/HEALTH CARE PEOPLE)
7:30 AM, 9:30 AM AND 11:30 AM.
THERE WILL NOT BE A 5:00 PM MASS.**

**CHRISTMAS WEEK MASSES ON
DECEMBER 26TH AND 27TH WILL BE CELEBRATED AT
6:30 AM AND 9:15 AM.**

**REGULAR MASSES OFFERED ON
DECEMBER 30, DECEMBER 31, JANUARY 2 AND
JANUARY 3 AT 6:30 AM AND 9:15 AM.**

**SOLEMNITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, THE
MOTHER OF GOD VIGIL MASSES ON
DECEMBER 31ST WILL BE AT 5:00 PM AND MIDNIGHT.**

**SOLEMNITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, THE
MOTHER OF GOD MASSES ON
JANUARY 1ST WILL BE AT 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM AND
11:30 AM**

**NO ADORATION
DECEMBER 24 AND 25, 2024
JANUARY 1, 2025**

**NO CONFESSION
DECEMBER 25, 2024**

Please help us decorate the church for
Christmas liturgies

December 21 starting at 11:30 am
December 23 as needed

Help bring in the Christmas flowers,
unpack them and decorate the church.



Advent Penance Service

CELEBRATE GOD'S MERCY

December 16th at
4pm
and
December 17th at
7pm

The Lord's acts of mercy are not exhausted, His
compassion is not spent;
They are renewed each morning, great is your
faithfulness!

Lamentations 3:22-23

Please Pray for the Sick

Barbara Alberse, Patricia Allen, Joanne Ames, David Anderson, Diane Anderson, Joseph Anderson, Lisa Anderson, Rose Andrada, Andrea Baker, Ercole Barone, Vi Barone, Isabella Benavides, Connor Broussard, Stephen Brown, Jim & Caroline Carnazza, Courtney Cella, Jim Cella, Jesse Ces, Nancy Cobarrubias, James Copenhaver, Heide Cornwell, Matthew Cosgrove, Kevin Cropp, Renee Davis, Linda Depew, Mary Ellen Elmore, Diane Erlandson, Marion Essig, Alexander Favor, Joe Fleming, Jim Fostek, Francisco Fredrickson, Sandra Furbee, Megan Gallagher, Kelly Gifford, Jeannette Godlewski, Ingrid Goetz, Debra Grauert, Cathy Gulac, Alty Gutierrez, Jerry Hovan, Pat Hovan, Jim Jacobs, Cathy Jones, Lynn Jones, Nolan Kelly, Samuel Kittrell, Susan Leary, Dick Lee, Maria Leitao, Larry Liedtke, Carmen Lilley, Ginny MacLaulan, Bill MacMurdy, Dona MacMurdy, Makayla Mastal, Elaine McDermott, Pauline Merlo, Bob Moderacki, John Morris, Lilly Morris, Toni Morris, Brendan Murphy, Maureen Murray, Eric Neifert, Greg Neifert, Luis Perales Jr., Charles Perks, Ida Portland, Ed Reinsel, Edie Reinsel, Raymond Remeika, Joan Sachs, Kathleen Schaad, Mickie Shea, John Shivik, Esther Silva, Ann & Norbert Stingle, Mary Storch, Geoff Suiter, Mary Alma Sullivan, Rebecca Sullivan, Carol Theys, John & Cecilia Thieman, Elissa Vavrinec, Dennis Wagner, Cathy Withers, Joseph Witter, Joyce Zorowski and those in our book of prayers.



SIGN-UP AS AN USHER THIS CHRISTMAS!

To Volunteer:

<http://www.rotundasoftware.com/ministry/stmaryofsorrows>

Please indicate which Mass you are available for when you sign up and days when you cannot serve. For more information, e-mail Joe Osborne at saintmarysushers@cox.net, or 703-851-3612.



DECEMBER 21ST

SATURDAY

10:00 AM

IN THE

CHURCH

A monthly Holy Hour set aside specifically for families of **all ages** to come and adore Jesus and let your children be children.

Floral Memorial

Please send in your envelopes by **Friday, December 20th** to help defray the costs of the floral memorial.

YOUTH ADULT

SMOS Young Adult

(19 - 35 years old)

Group Chat

This is the easiest way to stay up to date with the latest events :)



YOUTH MINISTRY



December 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

Notes :

HS Youth Group
1,8,15

HS Small Groups
4,11,18

MS Youth Group
2,16

HOMESCHOOL



HOMESCHOOL GROUP

The Homeschool Group is for families to connect, share resources, enrich our children's learning experience and deepen our Catholic Faith together.

CHRISTMAS CAROL KARAOKE
December 19th, Thursday
3:00-5:00pm
Farrell Hall

Please bring snacks to share.

stmaryofsorrowshsg@gmail.com

PRESCHOOL



CHILDREN MINISTERING TO CHILDREN

Last day to drop off winter items in the Parish Center foyer for children, ages 2-14 years old.

PARISH OUTREACH

Diaper Drive
Next Weekend

The Knights of Columbus are collecting diapers, wipes, and formula after all Masses next weekend. Currently, the greatest need is for diaper sizes 5 & 6, although all sizes of diapers, wipes, and formula in any amount are appreciated. Please place donations in the crib in the Parish Center foyer. Your donations directly support babies and families in our community. God bless your generosity.

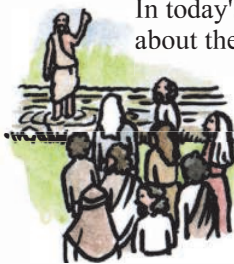
THE CAR MINISTRY

If you have a used car to donate, please consider The Car Ministry, a charitable agency that processes and repairs donated vehicles which are given at no cost to needy families and persons who can support a car and who have been referred by pastors and social workers. These vehicles transform people's lives because transportation allows them to obtain employment in places that were previously inaccessible, and makes them self sufficient because they now have a means to get work.

For more information:
Pete Garry
703-978-1163



Painting the Way to Jesus



In today's Gospel reading we hear about the people being filled with expectation for the coming of the Messiah. Saint John the Baptist told the people how to prepare for his coming- by doing good and repenting of their sins.

At first the people thought that John the Baptist might be the Messiah. But Saint John was only a messenger. We can think of him as a sign-post pointing the way to Jesus. People came to see and hear him, and he



showed them the way to God.



How can you be like Saint John the Baptist and show other people the way to Jesus?

Answers to Crossword Puzzle:
Across: 1. peace 3. shall 5. thanksgiving 9. near 11. all
Down: 1. petition 2. again 4. have 13. sisters 15. Christ

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The Kids' Bulletin

Third Sunday of Advent
December 15, 2024

WITH WATER, BUT ONE
MIGHTER THAT I 21 COMING.

TO UNTIL THE THONG
OF HIS SANDALS.

HE WILL BAPTISE YOU WITH
THE HOLY SPIRIT AND WITH FIRE.



God sent Saint John the Baptist to prepare the people for the coming of Jesus. What did he say when some of the people thought that he might be the saviour? Look in the mirror to find out!

Saint Peter Canisius December 21

PETER CANISIUS WAS BORN IN HOLLAND IN 1521. HE STUDIED IN COLOGNE, GERMANY, AND RECEIVED HIS MASTER'S DEGREE WHEN HE WAS 19.

WHEN HE WENT TO A RETREAT LED BY BLESSED PETER FABER, HE DECIDED TO BECOME A JESUIT PRIEST.

I want to be one of these priests!

FR. PETER WAS A GREAT PREACHER, AND BROUGHT THE UNIVERSITIES BACK FROM PROTESTANTISM.

The Church's authority is from Christ.

Who made the world?

HE ALSO WORKED WITH THE POOR AND SICK, AND TAUGHT CHILDREN.

HE WAS SENT TO THE COUNCIL OF TRENT, A VERY IMPORTANT MEETING OF THE POPE AND BISHOPS.

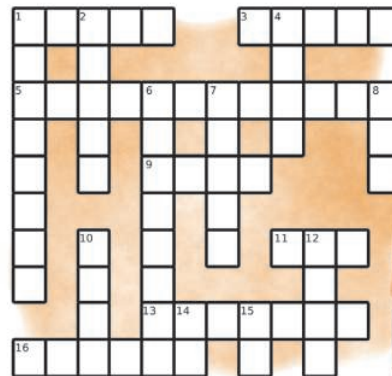
AFTERWARD HE HAD TO SMUGGLE THE DOCUMENTS FROM THE COUNCIL INTO PROTESTANT GERMANY.

SAINT PETER WAS COMMISSIONED TO WRITE A CATECHISM, A BOOK EXPLAINING THE FAITH FOR THE PEOPLE. HE DIED AT AGE 76.

SAINT PETER CANISIUS KNEW IT WAS IMPORTANT FOR EVERYONE TO UNDERSTAND THE CHURCH'S TEACHINGS. AFTER HE WROTE THE CATECHISM, HE WROTE ANOTHER- FOR CHILDREN. NO MATTER HOW OLD YOU ARE, YOU SHOULD TRY TO LEARN ALL YOU CAN ABOUT GOD. HOW CAN YOU DO THAT?

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Philippians 4 Cross-Word



Fill in the blanks with the words at the bottom and fit them into the puzzle. a=across d=down




Brothers and _____ (13a): Rejoice in the _____ (12d) always. I _____ (3a) say _____ (14d) _____ (2d): rejoice! Your _____ (6d) should be known _____ (15d) all. The Lord is _____ (9a). _____ (4d) no anxiety at _____ (11a), but in everything, by prayer and _____ (1d), with _____ (5a), make _____ (10d) requests known to _____ (8d). Then the _____ (1a) of God that surpasses all understanding will _____ (7d) your hearts and minds in _____ (16a) Jesus.

GOD SHALL TO LORD YOUR
CHRIST ALL KINDNESS SISTERS
THANKSGIVING PEACE IT PETITION
NEAR AGAIN GUARD HAVE



Please keep our hungry neighbors in your prayers this holiday season--and sign up to help at tinyurl.com/MTSandwiches. Make sandwiches at home to help feed the hungry in DC, drop off 1-3 PM next Sunday, December 22, at the back of Farrell Hall (Door 4). Contact Michelle Gilles mgilles866@gmail.com with questions.

St. Mary's Parish Outreach Ministry Christmas Program 

St. Mary's has angel tags available in the church narthex this Advent for parishioners to take and support The Gabriel Project and The Holy Family Hospital of Bethlehem Hospital Foundation to assist mothers and babies in need. Thank you for your generosity!

AROUND THE DIOCESE

Prime Time Catholics

We are a social group, mostly aged 60 and over (35 to 59). Ask about our free associate-membership group. Meet us for: Ice & Lights Show--Tailgate Party at Cameron Run Park (Dec. 1); Square Dancing at Greenspring Village (Dec. 3, 17); Christmas Party (Dec. 7); Lunch (Dec. 12); Mass at Blessed Sacrament Church (Dec. 15); Walk at Frying Pan Park (Dec. 18); Christmas Concert at Constitution Hall (Dec. 22); Christmas Dinner (Dec. 25); Christ House meal (Dec. 28); New Year's Eve daytime celebration (Dec. 31); New Year's Day lunch (Jan. 1). For details, visit our website: bit.ly/ptsc. With questions or to RSVP, email Tom at ptscnva@gmail.com.

**Rejoice in the Lord always.
I shall say it again: rejoice!
Your kindness should be known to all.
The Lord is near. ~Philippians 4:4-5**

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

		<u>Parish Center:</u>	<u>Other Locations:</u>
		FH= Farrell Hall	CL= Choir Loft
		SJH= St. Joseph Hall	NC= New Church
		CR= Conference Room	OSMH= Historic Church Hall
		MR= Music Room	HC= Historic Church
Sun	15	KoC Pancake Breakfast	6:30 AM FH (b)
		OCA	8:00 AM HC/OSMH
		Knights Food	12:00 PM FH (b)
		Ghana Meeting	12:00 PM CR
		Ghana CC Meeting	12:15 PM SJH/CH/CR
		Ghana Natal Group	3:30 PM CR
Mon	16	Penance Service	4:00 PM NC
		Den Nick Advent Talk	7:00 PM SJH
		HC Hall Scouts T	7:30 PM OSMH
		COR Meeting	7:30 PM 8L
Tue	17	Cursillo Group	1:00 PM 8L
		KoC	6:00 PM OSMH
		Santa Maria Dolorosa.	7:00 PM CR
		LaLande Quad	7:00 PM 7L
		Young Adult	7:00 PM FH
		Penance Service	7:00 PM NC
Wed	18	Ignatian Adventure	10:00 AM CR
		AA Meeting	10:00 AM OSMH
		Logs of Fire Prayer Group	12:00 PM MR
		Food Pantry	2:00 PM SJH
		OCA Evening Vespers	4:30 PM HC
		Children's Choir	5:00 PM SJH
		Scout Meeting	6:00 PM OSMH
		OCIA	7:00 PM FH
		Church Choir Practice	7:00 PM NC
		Legion of Mary	7:15 PM CR
Thu	19	Stephen Ministries	10:00 AM 8L
		HSC Christ	2:30 PM SJH
		Quad Meeting (Mary)	2:30 PM 8L
		Food Pantry (Burke dist.)	4:00 PM FH(b)wall
		Quad (Carlota)	6:00 PM 5L
		BST	6:30 PM OSMH
		Scouts	6:30 PM FH
		NSS Practice	7:00 PM MR
		Simbang Gabi	7:00 PM NC
Fri	20	EnCourage	7:00 PM NC
Sat	21	TMIY	7:00 AM SJH
		Men's Bible Study	7:30 AM 8L
		Women's Bible Study Group	7:30 AM CR
		Organ practice	9:00 AM SJH
		Diocesan Group	10:00 AM HC/OSMH
		Family Adoration	10:00 AM NC
		Catechist Cert. Training	10:15 AM SJH
		Christmas Decoration	11:30 AM NC
		GCC Carols Night	5:15 PM SJH
		St. John Mission (OCA)	5:00 PM HC
		Ghana Choir Practice	6:00 PM MR
Sun	22	OCA	8:00 AM HC/OSMH
		OCIA Dismissal	9:30 AM CR
		Knights Food Collection	12:00 PM FH
		Ghana Meeting	12:00 PM CR

Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God. Then the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus. ~Philippians 4:6-7



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