Third Sunday of Advent: December 11, 2022

Masses for the Week

Sunday, December 11, 9:00 AM

- + Josephine & Joseph Konyar, Sr. & Deceased Family Members
- + France, Al, Owen & Emma Lagerman
- + Lee Morgan (4th Anniversary)

Tuesday, December 13, 8:00 AM

+ Nancy C. (Kaminskie) Sites (Godmother of Linda Sitlinger)

Thursday, December 15, 8:00 AM

+ Veronica Hart

Sunday, December 18, 9:00 AM

- + Nancy Williams (40th Anniversary)
- + Deacon Charles Rebuck (17th Anniversary)

The Parish Office is open

Monday – Thursday from 10 AM to 5 PM.

Masks are encouraged when visiting

the Parish Office.

TITHING REPORT
Collection: \$1825.00
Maintenance Fund, \$340.00
Heating Donation: \$500.00
Memorial Fund, \$1000.00
Christmas Offering, \$25.00
Christmas Flower Offering, \$340.00
Debt Reduction, \$1840.00

Ministry Schedule Sunday, December 18, 9:00 AM

Lector: Bernie Morgan Extraordinary Minister: Dorothy Renn

Server: Ray Bednar

The Blessed Mother Candle burns in honor of Florence Clifford (Birthday) from daughters, Barb & Patti.

A Sanctuary Candle burns in loving memory of Dominic and Leona Vottero from Rita Troutman.



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9:00 AM Liturgy

The 2nd Collection today is the
Retirement Fund for the Religious Offering.

Your gift to today's Retirement Fund for
Religious collection helps to furnish
medications, nursing care and other
necessities for our aging religious.

9:45 - 10:45 AM Religious Education Classes in OLOH Parish Center

3:00 PM Advent Penance Service at St. Patrick

Advent Communal Penance Services

(Many priests will be available)
Sunday, December 11 - 1 PM Mother Cabrini
Sunday, December 11 - 3 PM St. Patrick
Monday, December 12 - 6 PM Holy Angels
Tuesday, December 13 - 6 PM Holy Rosary
Wednesday, December 14 - 6:30 PM
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Announcements

Tuesday, December 13 4 - 6 PM Food Pantry and Clothing Closet

Wednesday, December 14
6:00 PM Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, December 18 5:00 - 7:30 PM Confirmation Class

Calendar Winners

November 28 – Tim Barrett November 29 – Quintin Schaffner November 30 – Robert Adams



Our Lady of Hope Christmas Cookie Sale

Friday, December 16 3 to 6 PM Saturday, December 17 10 AM to 2 PM Call OLOH parish office to pre-order. (570-648-4432)

There will be an assortment of freshly baked cookies available on the day of the sale.

The Pancake Crew



Thank you to the volunteers who prepared the meal for our "Breakfast with Santa" and to all the families and individuals who enjoyed the delicious meal. It was great to see our Parish Hall once again filled with people enjoying themselves and celebrating together.

Deacon's Lorner

The Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be celebrated on Monday, December 12. Four hundred and ninety-one years ago, the Blessed Mother appeared to Juan Diego on Tepeyac Hill near Mexico City. She said to him, "I am the Ever-Virgin Holy Mary, Mother of the one True God, by whom we live, the Creator of all things, the Lord of heaven and earth. I desire that a temple be built here soon, so that I may show all my love, my compassion, my help, and my protection, because I am your merciful mother." Juan Diego went and convinced Bishop Zumarraga to build the church that is now named the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe. In this beautiful church is Diego's "tilma' which contains the image of the Blessed Mother. At first, the bishop hesitated and asked for a sign. Our Lady told Diego to go to the hill and pick the roses that would be in bloom on this winter day. He went and picked the flowers and returned to the bishop with them under his tilma. When he opened his mantle, the flowers fell to the ground and on his mantle remained an image of the Blessed Mother, the apparition at Tepeyac. Our Lady, the Mother of the Americas, desires more than a shrine to be built. She wants us to build spiritual temples to carry God's love in our hearts and in helping our sisters and brothers in need.

- There are Advent materials in the front vestibule of the Church
- Christmas Wafers are available in the front vestibule of the church. Donations would be appreciated.
- 2023 Parish Calendars are available in the front vestibule of the Church.
- Our Advent Tree of Warmth is back! Thank you for your donations of socks, underwear, hats & mittens for children & adults. We are also accepting blankets & throws.
 - Your Christmas Flower envelope may be placed in the collection basket any time during the month of December.

Holiday Mass Schedule

Christmas Eve – 6:00 PM Christmas Day – 9:00 AM New Year's Day – 9:00 AM