

**Please remember in your prayers those who are ill:** Jim Shroyer, Toni Sapp, Kevin Sohner, Jack Luther, Betty Regan, Nancy Birtcher, Sue Morrison Hoag, Marion Morrison, Pat Foley John Holocher, Richard Justus, Deacon Rick Martin, Marianne Martin, John Davis, Doris Fahrenbach, John Fahrenbach, Roger Wright, Nancy Finneran, Marilyn Greene, Christine Money, Barbara (Rhodes) Dillon, Ann Shroyer, Albert Scarpitti, Janice Holtschulte, Lew Lindner, Maggie Cosgrove, Patsy Davis, Kenny Quinn, Mildred & Marlene Parsley, Helen Moore, Nichola Storey, Don & Rita Schooley, William Foley, Kathy Maxwell, Thomas Knight, Tom & Sue Keeler, Elizabeth Guy, Alan Wiseman, Ken Miller, Joann Colopy, Pam Moine, Marge Foley, Nick Hayes, Marge Casey, Gene Catlett & Michelle Martin.

**Please remember in your prayers those who have died, especially:** Joseph Noll, brother of our parishioner Maureen Ranney. May God grant peace and comfort to his family!

**Please stop by the tables at the church doors for Advent Materials and 2019 calendars. There is an assortment for adults and children. It's a very busy time of year, so remember to take a minute and think about the true meaning of Christmas.**

**Thank You Maeder-Quint-Tiberi Funeral Services for again donating the beautiful church calendars!**

**Mmm Christmas cookies are baking and it is almost time for the Garden Club's annual sale!** Don't forget to drop off cookies to the church or school office this coming Friday, December 14th. If you would like to help sort cookies, please join us Saturday, December 15th, 9:00 a.m. in the Church Hall. We are anticipating generous cookie donations from our fellow parishioners and friends this year so our prices will remain the same as last year: 1 dozen – \$4.00, 2 dozen – \$8.00 and 3 dozen – \$12.00. **Help** is also needed selling the plates of cookies at the 4:00 Mass on Saturday, December 15th. If you can lend a hand, please call Karen Harrison at 614-878-0845. If no answer, leave a message with name and phone number. Thank you!

**Administrative Assistant Job Opening at Bishop Ready:** Bishop Ready High School is looking for an Administrative Assistant to work in the Guidance Department. This is a full-time position and requires knowledge of Microsoft Office and Google Suite as well as organizational and strong communication skills. Must be flexible and personable. Strict confidentiality required when dealing with students and parents. Send résumé to Celene A. Seamen, BRHS, 707 Salisbury Road, Columbus, OH 43204 or [cseamen@cducation.org](mailto:cseamen@cducation.org).

#### **St. Mary Magdalene School –**

8th Grade Fruit Basket Sale! **LAST CHANCE** to pick up your order forms at the Church Doors and return them by December 10.

Join us for SMM day at Minelli's, 1189 North Wilson Road, Sunday, December 9th from 3:00-9:00 p.m.

#### **Next Sunday's Readings**

Zephaniah 3:14-18a

Philippians 4:4-7

Luke 3:10-18

## **LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS**

### **Saturday, December 8 – THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

4:00 p.m. Carmelo Tavella – Rosa Tavella

### **Sunday, December 9 – Second Sunday of Advent**

9:00 a.m. Jane Mitchell – Patsy's Beach Friends

### **Monday, December 10 – Advent Weekday**

8:15 a.m. Eileen Allison – Terry & Peggy Moore

7:00 p.m. Joseph Bennett – Lawrence Bennett Family

### **Wednesday, December 12 – Our Lady of Guadalupe**

8:15 a.m. Mary Margaret Gerlach –  
Dee & Jim Slee Family

### **Friday, December 14 – St. John of the Cross, Priest and Doctor of the Church**

8:15 a.m. Sue Weilbacher – Mike and Diane Lynn

### **Saturday, December 15 – Vigil: Third Sunday of Advent**

4:00 p.m. Vickie Maurer – Gene Klimko

### **Sunday, December 16 – Third Sunday of Advent**

9:00 a.m. Joseph Bennett – Lawrence Bennett Family

## **Liturgical Ministers Schedules**

### **Servers for Weekday, December 10-12-14**

L. Wright, A. Sanchez

### **Saturday, December 15 – 4:00 p.m.**

Servers: J. Happ, J. Happ

Readers: J. Bricker, S. Corrova

Greeters: T. Swaneck, J. Bricker, G. Angelo

Eucharistic Ministers: \*G. Angelo, J. Happ, J. Happ

### **Sunday, December 16 – 9:00 a.m.**

Servers: C. Dent, C. Dent, C. Dent, C. Dent

Readers: P. Foley, N. Hamilton-Foughty

Greeters: R. Schirtzinger, D. Doane, D. Creighton,  
P. Stumpp

Eucharistic Ministers: \*P. Cahill, C. Dent, K. Harrison,  
C. Doane, D. Doane, J. Doane, A. Lumiere,  
B. Montgomery, J. Palazzo

### **Servers for Weekday, December 17-19-21**

S. Woodall, Cullen Dent

Counters (12/16): Foley, Moine, Miller, Kaiser

### **Liturgical Ministers:**

Please stop by the tables in the Gathering Space to sign up for the upcoming holiday Masses!

Volunteers are needed for The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Friday, December 7, 7:00 p.m.), Christmas, and the Solemnity of Mary.

Also, pick up your new ministry schedule which covers December 8/9, 2018 to April 13/14, 2019.

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH****Sunday, December 8**

K of C Leading Rosary before Mass  
7:00 p.m. RCIA in Campbell Hall

**Monday, December 10**

Eucharistic Holy Hour following 8:15 a.m. Mass

**Wednesday, December 12**

8:15 a.m. All-School Mass – Our Lady of Guadalupe  
7:00 p.m. Parish Council  
7:30 p.m. Adult Choir

**Thursday, December 13**

6:00-8:00 p.m. ESL Classes  
6:30 p.m. PREP

**Friday, December 14**

SMM School Dance sponsored by Student Council

Parish and School Expense (net of tuition and cost reimbursement)	<b>November 24 &amp; 25</b>	
Regular Sunday Collection		\$ 6,516.00
Number of Envelopes – 69		\$ 2,444.00
Online Giving		\$ 2,180.00
Children Sunday Collection		
Number of Envelopes – 4		\$ 2.00
Other Parish Income		\$ 480.00
2018 Christmas Bazaar & Quilt Raffle		\$ 4,907.00
Net		\$ 3,497.00
Net Month-to-date		\$ 741.00
Net Fiscal Year 2018-2019 to Date		-\$ 11,224.00

A collection for Retirement Fund for Religious will take place December 8th and 9th... Please give to those who have given a lifetime!

In this season of Advent, we are continuously preparing ourselves for the celebration of Christ's birth. Why not help our own parish prepare for the coming new year by signing up with Faith Direct? By supporting St. Mary Magdalene, both you and our parish can save some time and peace of mind this holiday season. Signing up is easy! Visit [www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net) and use our church code: OH624.

Already using Faith Direct? Log in to add your Christmas or End-of-Year contribution to your account.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!

**Giving Tree:** Gifts should be returned to the Gathering Space or Parish Office by December 16th. We suggest that you limit purchases at twenty-five to thirty dollars. All gifts should be gift wrapped with the ornaments attached for identification. May God Bless you today and all of your tomorrows!  
St. Vincent de Paul Conference.

**Help spread Holiday Cheer...** On December 15th and 16th the Liturgy Committee will have poinsettias and cards available for delivery to our parish shut-ins. Help is needed to deliver them!

**Nominations now open for the 2019 Catholic Man of the Year:** The Catholic Men's Luncheon Club is accepting nominations for the Diocese of Columbus 2019 Catholic Man of the Year. This annual award – to be presented on Friday, February 1, 2019 at the Men's Luncheon – recognizes one lay man who, through his daily actions, words, and prayers, exemplifies the "good and faithful servant." The recipient will have the opportunity to share his personal testimony during the ceremony. Nominations will be accepted through Friday, December 28, 2018. For details, nomination instructions and the required nomination form, go to <https://www.catholicmensministry.com/cmoy>. Email the completed nomination form and up to five supporting testimonials to [catholicmanoftheyear@gmail.com](mailto:catholicmanoftheyear@gmail.com). Submit a nomination and let us know why your husband, father, son, uncle, brother or friend is the Catholic Man of the Year!

**It is with great pleasure and excitement that Father Toner invite you** to join in on a tour to Germany, Austria and Prague with a once in a lifetime opportunity to attend the world famous Passion Play in 2020 (May 12-23, 2020) in Oberammergau, Germany! The villagers of Oberammergau first performed the play in 1634 in fulfillment of their promise to God for sparing them from the Black Plague, and it has been presented there every 10 years since then. The brochure with all information is available on the table in the Gathering Space. Please contact Father Toner at [patricktoner00@gmail.com](mailto:patricktoner00@gmail.com) for additional information or questions.

**For Your Holiday Planning...**Advent Penance Service

Sunday December 16, 3:00 p.m. St. Cecilia Church

Masses For Christmas: St. Mary Magdalene

Monday, December 24 – 4:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m.

Tuesday, December 25 – 10:00 a.m.

Masses For Christmas: St. Aloysius

Monday, December 24 – 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, December 25 – 10:00 a.m.

Masses For Christmas: St. Agnes

Monday, December 24 – 4:30 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.

Masses for the Solemnity of Mary: St. Mary Magdalene

Monday, December 31 – 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, January 1 – 10:00 a.m.

Masses for the Solemnity of Mary: St. Aloysius

Tuesday, January 1 – 10:00 a.m.

Masses for the Solemnity of Mary: St. Agnes

Monday, December 31 – 4:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.