



December 22, 2019

4th Sunday in Advent

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, December 21 ~ Vigil/4th Sunday in Advent
 5:30 PM Richard Cinque
Sunday, December 22 ~ 4th Sunday in Advent
 9:30 AM Roland Warth
Monday, December 23
 9:00 AM
Tuesday, December 24 ~ Christmas Eve
 5:30 PM Ernest Arsenaull
 10:00 PM All OLA Parishioners
Wednesday, December 25 ~ Christmas Day
 9:30 AM Richard Cinque
Friday, December 27 — NO 9 AM MASS
Saturday, December 28 ~ Vigil/The Holy Family
 Christine Mammoliti
Sunday, December 29 ~ The Holy Family
 9:30 AM Stiano Family/Living & Deceased,

GREETERS

Saturday, December 28 ~ Vigil/The Holy Family
 5:30 PM Rob & Lisa DeBeauvernet
Sunday, December 29 ~ The Holy Family
 9:30 AM Megan & Delaney Booth

ALTAR SERVERS

Tuesday, December 24 ~ Christmas Eve
 5:30 PM Colby Zupetz, Trevor Zupetz
 10:00 PM
Wednesday, December 25 ~ Christmas Day
 9:30 AM Paris Cook
Saturday, December 28 ~ Vigil/The Holy Family
 5:30 PM Robert DeBeauvernet
Sunday, December 29 ~ The Holy Family
 9:30 AM Paris Cook, Penelope Cook

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Tuesday, December 24 ~ Christmas Eve
 5:30 PM Youth
 10:00 PM Joe Herschel
Wednesday, December 25 ~ Christmas Day
 9:30 AM John Drumm
Saturday, December 28 ~ Vigil/The Holy Family
 5:30 PM Eileen Ernst
Sunday, December 29 ~ The Holy Family
 9:30 AM Alice Cross

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Tuesday, December 24 ~ Christmas Eve
 5:30 PM Kathy Fayol, Jen Zupetz, *Sherri Rufer
 10:00 PM Ann Clouse, Sue Schmaus, *Marie Barnett
Wednesday, December 25 ~ Christmas Day
 9:30 AM Rosemary Osborn, Mary Donnelly,
 *Eileen Ernst
Saturday, December 28 ~ Vigil/The Holy Family
 5:30 PM Joe Herschel, Kathy Fayol, *Brendan Kennedy
Sunday, December 29 ~ The Holy Family
 9:30 AM Lisa Dyer, Barb Ceriale, *Mary Donnelly

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO SERVE

Lt. JG Alexandria Baker-Bonitz (*Navy*)
 Lt. JG Dylan Bonitz (*Navy*) Chase Bowen (*Navy*)
 Sarah Bowen (*Navy*) Juan Gonzalez (*Navy*)
 Kaila McGowan (*Marines*) David Nguyen (*Marines*)
 Joseph Ruize (*Navy*) Carissa Tironi (*Army*)
 Warrant Officer 3 Elliott Weidel (*Marines*)

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Hank Bodendorf, Margaret Ellen Burke, S.C.,
 Eileen Carson, Barbara Ceriale, Charles Clark,
 Bob Cross, Brian Cross, Kevin Crowley, Nicole Dawson,
 Lucy D'Amato, Anna Gallo, Joe Gallo, Michael Gallo, Carla Glass,
 Kathleen Harris, Maggie Horne,
 Johanna Luciano, Diana Mulhair, Janet Murphy,
 Agnes Poole, Corey Rometo, Frank Rometo,
 Helen Ryan, Sadie, Bert Salerno, Frances Salewski,
 Pam Sibley, Chris Strobl, Katylynn Auer Weidel

PRAY FOR THOSE IN NURSING HOMES

Rosella McKane, Regina Parthesius,
 Virginia Steinbeck, Robert Wise

LOOKING AHEAD

FOOD PANTRY – 9:00 AM by appointment
(Every Saturday Unless Announced)

Tuesday, December 24 ~ Christmas Eve
 Children's Mass & Pageant ~ 5:30 PM
 Christmas Mass ~ 10:00 PM

Wednesday, December 25 ~ Christmas
 Christmas Mass ~ 9:30 AM

Friday, December 27 ~ NO 9:00 AM Mass

Saturday, December 28 ~ NO Food Pantry

Tuesday, December 31 ~ NO Religious Education

Wednesday, January 1
 Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
 Mass at 9:30 AM

Friday, January 3
 First Friday Holy Hour with Exposition ~ 7:00 PM



Today's Scripture

Isaiah 7:10-14

Romans 1:1-7

Matthew 1:18-24

Jesus is the fulfillment of the promises made by Yahweh to the Jewish people

Jesus was established Son of God in power through the resurrection. This does not mean he became the Son of God at that moment, but only that what was always true through eternity was then publicly manifested in the resurrection. His name was given in a revelation (a form of the name Joshua), and it reflects his destiny: to be the savior of his people.

Mass Attendance/Receipts

In Attendance: 175

Weekend's Collection: \$3,778.35

The Year of Vocations

"We have an obligation to radiate Christ all about us." ~ Ven. Mary Angelina Teresa McCrory. Christ makes himself known in human history. As those that bear the name of Christ we to must continue to make him known to all we encounter through our lives.

Is God calling you to grow in holiness as a Carmelite Friar? Contact the Vocation Office at 845-344-2225 or email: vocations@carmelites.com.



WEATHER ALERTS

If Pine Bush Schools are on a delay due to poor weather on Monday, Wednesday or Friday, there is no Daily Mass. If they are closed or after-school programs are canceled, all Church-related activities are canceled. Notification is posted on the website home page: ourladyoftheassumptionchurch.org



God Become Human

For centuries, Christians around the world have used the four weeks leading up to Christmas to prepare themselves for the celebration of Jesus' birth. It's a time when we observe his first coming while we also look forward to his second coming. Each of the four weeks leading up to Advent is focused on hope, peace, joy, and love respectively.

As It Is Written

The Old Testament looked expectantly for The Advent of God's forever king, the anointed one who would bring peace to his people. In anticipation, they declared, "For unto us a Child is born, Unto us a Son is given; And the government will be upon His shoulder. And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace." When the long-awaited Messiah finally came, angels announced his birth by declaring, "I bring you good tidings of great joy which will be to all people. For there is born to you this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord."

Advent of God's Forever King

Throughout the Bible, God promised The Advent or coming of his son, Jesus. This is one of the most important events in all of human history — the almighty, eternal, creator of the universe becoming human, living among us, and suffering on our behalf in order to give us life. The Old Testament looked expectantly for The Advent of God's forever king, the anointed one who would bring peace to his people. These promises have been fulfilled.

"Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among men with whom he is pleased!" Luke 20:14



May His Soul Rest in Peace

Richard Cinque

Husband of Barbara Cinque & Beloved OLA Parishioner

We pray for the soul of Richard, and for God's peace for his family and friends.

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