

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

December 4 – December 12, 2021

Weekend Masses are at St. Frances Cabrini Church

Weekend:

Saturday	Dec 4	VIGIL: SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT
SFC	4:30pm	<i>Ann Gildone</i> by JoAnn & E.G. Colin
Sunday	Dec 5	SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT
SFC	11am	<i>Dianne Kapella</i> by Susan Guest

11am Mass will be Live-Streamed on Facebook & YouTube

Weekdays:

Monday	Dec 6	Advent Weekday / St. Nicholas, Bishop
SFC	8am	<i>D.J. Sullivan</i> by Teresa Pelow
Tuesday	Dec 7	St. Ambrose, Bishop & Doctor of the Church
SFC	8am	<i>Filomena Perrotta</i> by cousins, Pete & Elsa Iarocci & Family
Wednesday	Dec 8	THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
SFC	10am	<i>People of the Parish</i>
	6:30pm	<i>People of the Parish</i>
Thursday	Dec 9	Advent Weekday
SFC	8am	<i>Philip Cote</i> by Susan Kananen
Friday	Dec 10	Advent Weekday
NO MASS HERE		8am Mass at Mount Carmel - Our Lady of Peace

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Saturday	Dec 11	VIGIL: THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT
SFC	4:30pm	<i>Donald Palmer</i> by John & Jo Arcaro
Sunday	Dec 12	THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT
SFC	11am	<i>Dr. Doran</i> by Jim & Bernie Miltner

11am Mass will be Live-Streamed on Facebook & YouTube

Lector Workbooks for 2022 are available in the church sacristy. Readers may pick up a book after any Mass.

The Parish Center is open weekday mornings at 9:30am Mon-Thurs if you would like to walk in the hall.

Confessions: SFC Church *Saturday* 3:30pm, *Sunday* 10am

COME GIVE AN ADVENT GIFT TO MOTHER MARY: **Sunday, Dec. 12 is the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Protectress of the Unborn.** Join the Third Order Franciscans' Lady of the Americas' fraternity as they celebrate Our Lady's feast with prayer, song and fellowship, at 2 pm in St. Joseph Calasactius Church in Jefferson. The event is free, but donations for the local Mya Center for Women are greatly appreciated. Please RSVP to Franciscan

Margaret Sartor at 440/724-2612 or email her at dsartorplmg@windstream.net. You may also RSVP to Julie Pertz, at 440/998-5815.



Sanctuary Candles

In Memory of:

Filomena Perrotta
by cousins, Pete & Elsa Iarocci

THIS WEEK

PC – Parish Center; PO - Parish Office

Sun Dec 5

9:00-10:45am Family Day
Breakfast/Faith Formation, PC
11am Mass Rite of Entrance into the Catechumenate

Noon Bereavement Series:
Navigating the Holidays amidst sadness:

Break Through the Darkness

Tuesday Dec 7

6pm Men's Fellowship Group, PC

Wednesday Dec 8

Immaculate Conception

Office Closed

Masses 10am & 6:30pm

5pm Rosary, SFC Church

Sun Dec 12

9:15-10:45 Faith Formation

9:15-10:45 RCIA

9:30-10:45 Youth Ministry

The Immaculate Conception is Wednesday, December 8, a Holyday of Obligation. Masses will be at 10am and 6:30pm.

There will be no **Bible Study** December 8 or 22. It will resume on January 12, 2022.

Advent Reconciliation Confession Times

December 11 ~ 3:30 pm

December 12 ~ 10:00 am

December 18 ~ 3:30 pm

December 19 ~ 10:00 am

Tuesday Dec. 21 ~ 5 pm-7pm

Thursday, Dec. 23 ~ 11 am – 1 pm

Or call the parish office (599-8570) to schedule a time that is convenient for you.

Time, Talent & Treasure

Faithful Stewards: Supporting our Parish Mission

Stewardship: During the Christmas shopping season it is easy to get caught up in the frenzy of buying gifts. But, is that “gift” truly an expression of your love for the other person. Or, are you just fulfilling your “obligation” to give them something? To grow in friendship with someone, you need to spend time with them, learn what is of value to them. Maybe this year, buy less “stuff” and spend more time with those you love.

Parish Sacrificial Giving

Sunday \$3,522 79 Envelopes 3 On-Line

Thank you for your continued generosity!

The 2021 Stewardship Campaign theme is ‘Faithful Stewards’: Supporting our Parish Mission.

This week you should have received information about our 2021 Stewardship Campaign in the mail. Please prayerfully read through the opportunities there are for you to share your time, talent and treasure with your Parish. Then respond in faith, hope and charity.

You may return your commitment form by mail, the collection basket or in the locked box on the door of the Parish Office.

Please respond by Dec 31/2021.

Vocations Are you called to be “A herald’s voice in the desert” preparing the way of the Lord in the hearts of His people? If you are considering a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life, call Father Scott Kopp at 330/744-8451 or email: skopp@youngstowndiocese.org

NEWS FROM FAITH FORMATION

Faith Formation, Family Days and Sacramental Meetings

The Advent Season is upon us. Advent is a time of hopeful waiting for the coming of Jesus. During the weeks of Advent, the Faith Formation classes will gather together for prayer around the Advent Wreath. The children will make Christmas items to be sent to the residents of The Villa in Conneaut. The first weekend in December is a Family Day. We will celebrate the second week of Advent and celebrate Saint Nicholas. His feast day is December 6.

December 5 ~ **Family Day** / Second Sunday of Advent

December 12 ~ Faith Formation

December 19 ~ Faith Formation

(December 26, January 2, January 9, January 16 ~

Christmas & New Year’s Break / No Faith Formation)

January 23 ~ Faith Formation /

Confirmation Parent and Student Meeting (Gr.8)

January 30 ~ Faith Formation

Saturday, February 5 ~ First Reconciliation for 2nd graders 10am

Our Featured Advertiser this week is:

H&R BLOCK TAX PREPARATION SERVICE

Thank you for your support of our weekly bulletin!

Christmas dreams will come true this year for forty-five children in the Conneaut area because of the generosity of the parishioners and friends of Corpus Christi Parish. This year, \$7,112 was donated to the H.A.L.O. Program which enabled us to adopt fifteen families and provide them with gift cards to Walmart, CVS, Dollar General and, food gift certificates to local grocery stores. The parents were elated to know that their children will be taken care of this Christmas. Thank you for your support to make all of this possible.

Catholic Charities of Ashtabula County is thankful for your donations of new or gently used bed linens. The response from Corpus Christi Parish was extremely generous. Many individuals and families will benefit from the blankets and linens.

Through the Sacrament of Baptism we welcome to the Christian community **Wyatt Austin Butler and Liliana Elaine Butler** children of Michael & Sheila.

Coats for Kids The Knights of Columbus/Jefferson is working with Catholic Charities/HALO to provide new coats to needy boys and girls in the Jefferson and Conneaut area. If you see a need, have their parents call Catholic Charities at 992-2121.

SEASON OF GIVING

Catholic Charities offers seasonal solutions to poverty. There are so many ways to get involved with Catholic Charities during this Season of Giving which began on Nov 1 and runs through Dec 31.

- PRAY** for those in need in our communities, Diocese and in our country.
 - VOLUNTEER** your time and talents to various projects and events.
 - SEND** a gift that gives back this Christmas through our Christmas Gifting Program. You make a donation; we send a customized greeting card to the recipient(s) of your choice.
 - READ** our semi-annual newsletter to see what’s happening at Catholic Charities.
 - FOLLOW** us on social media.
- <https://www.ccdoy.org/2021/10/18/season-of-giving-2/>

For **8th Grade Students** who need service hours for Confirmation OR anyone interested in volunteering their time, there will be a cleaning day at St. Frances Cabrini

Church **Saturday, December 11 at 10 am.** To sign up, contact Kristin Cellini at 440/381-5206 or call the parish office.