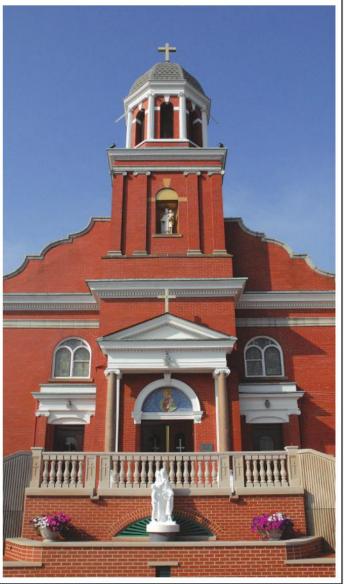






V. And the Word was made flesh. And dwelt among us.

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### OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL BASILICA YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO

### December 12, 2021

A Masses For The Week		WEEKEND ASSIGNMENTS—December 18/19 Ordinary-Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist 5:00 p.m. Gary DiTullio
Sat., Dec. 11:	St. Damasus I	9:00 a.m. Ramona DiShiavo
12:00 noon	Michael Bakos by Barbara Sarko	11:00 a.m. Deacon Mark Izzo, Tiffany Chimento
5:00 p.m.	Ashley Viray by Family	
Sun., Dec. 12:	Third Sunday of Advent	
9:00 a.m.	Bernadette Ezzo by Deacon Mark & Susan	LECTORS
	Izzo	5-00 mm Tam Aman
11:00 a.m.	Charles Starr by daughter Carol & John	5:00 p.m. Tom Amon 9:00 a.m. Darlene Sabo
Mon. Dec. 13:	St. Lucy	11:00 a.m. David Schrifferli
12:00 noon	John (A) & James Esposito (A) by Family	
Tues., Dec. 14:	St. John of the Cross	
12:00 noon	Jim and Marlene Carney (Living)	ALTAR SERVERS
Weds., Dec. 15:	by Mary Ann Ricciutii	5:00 p.m. Anthony Micco, Alex Micco
12:00 noon	Filomena Pellegrini by Cleto Pellegrini	9:00 a.m. Francisco Rivera-Ocasio, Santino Rivera-
Thurs., Dec. 16	Thomena Tenegrini by Cleto Tenegrini	Ocasio
12:0 noon	Brent Derdinek by Elizabeth Khumprakob	11:00 a.m. Luke Pipala, Zachary Pipala, John Paul Pipala
Fri., Dec. 17:	5 1	
12:00 noon	Eleanor & Vincent DeLuco by Family	
Sat., Dec. 18:		
12:00 noon	Jamie P. Smith Jr. (Living)	Friday The Day Christ died for us
<b>5</b> 00	by Grandmother, Barbara Sarko	
5:00 p.m.	Peter Julian by sister and brother-in-law,	Every Friday the Basilica will broadcast for the
Sun., Dec. 19:	Marie & Don Ronyak Fourth Sunday of Advent	homebound the following spiritual exercises on
9:00 a.m.	Michael Cast (WA) by Family	Face Book:
11:00 a.m.	Edward DeBartolo by Family	12 noon Daily Mass
		3:00 p.m The Hour of Divine Mercy with
		The Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Benediction
		The Chapter of Divine Mercy and Deneutenon
	<u> </u>	The Hour
	Parish Support	
December 5 (27)	1) envelopes \$10,121.00	for the whole
St. Anthony Shr	ine \$ 310.00	World !
		"At three o'clock, implore My mercy,
		especially for poor sinners; and, if only
		for a brief moment, immerse yourself
		in My Passion, particularly in My
		abandonment at the moment of



### Of the Most Blessed Sacrament. Basilica is open for in person worship during the above times. Welcome!

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agony. This is the hour of great mercy for the whole world. I will allow you

to enter into My mortal sorrow. In this hour, I will refuse nothing to

the soul that makes a request of Me in virtue of My Passion... " (Diary, 1320)

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### THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT



Earl Ducay, Martha Aliberti, Regina Altiero, Melinda Amon, Peter Angelides, Karen Banic, Dorothy Barbato, Tina Batcha, Fred Batcha, Sandy Battaglia, John Beene, Madelyn Brudis, Zayne Bryce, Michelle Colantuoni, Isabelle Corradi, Kim Brauer, Richard Brauer, Marko Calko, Dominic Calko, Janice Marinelli Campbell, Lori Capone, Michael (Cal) Calipare, Carl J. Carbon, Roseann Cencia, Joseph Cencia, Anthony, Cathy Chimento, Joseph Chimento, Stephanie Chimento, Christopher Centofanti, Damian Chordas, Joseph R. Cioffi, , Mary Rose Colucci, Alfred and Phyllis DeChurch, Johnny D., Ed Derek, John Didek, Anna DeLuco, Michelina DiVito, Greg Diorio, Grace Ducay, Roberta Elmo, Dolores Elston, Deacon Anthony Falasca, Gina Fecko, Jason, Monroe, Mara Frease, Sebastian Green, Margie, Joseph Haus, John, Reese, Lisa, Joshua, David, Carl Jr., Kaylee, JoAnn George, Emily Gerome, Rose Giampetro, Donald "Duke" Girardi, Dante Greco, Dominic Greco, Josie Greco, Jennifer Greco, Michael & Carol Gromada, Claudia Hernandez, Nicholas Hideg, Gail Hubbert, George lati, Loretta Julian, Mark Julian, Kerri, Glory & Family, Jeff Knorr, Jackie Golden, Gerard Kopnisky, Hillary, William & Melinda Kopnisky, Agnes Kowis, Rocco Kovacs, Cheryl Maniccia, Allan Maniccia, Bill Marcavish, Shirley Marchi, John Mascardine, Judi Mascardine, Jennifer McCon, Paul and Greg Medina, Jean Medina, Livia Marinelli, Ellen Monroe, Frank Napolitano, Beverlv Poidmore Pariza, Mary Pesa, Ronald Pesa, Phil Pillin, Brielle, Vincent, Paul III, Giovanna Pace, Isabel Pupino, Joseph Pizzola, Charles Richards, Joseph Richards, Chris Ritter, Gerald Rivello, Scott Rodgers, Marti Runyan, Mark Roberts, Richard Rouan, Ben Russo, Chuck Salina, Mark Stilson, Carmel Scocca, Ed Sproviero, Ellie Sullenberger, Chris Sultan, Greg VanSuch, Paula VanNest, Rita Varacali, Valerie Villani, Jodi Walters, Kathleen Wienand, Katherine Wolf, Todd Zamary, Skevos Zimbillas.

Mary, Help of the sick, pray for us! Please let us

### DAILY MORNING OFFERING PRAYER

Jesus, though the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I offer you my prayers, works, joys, and sufferings of this day in union with the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass throughout the world. I offer them for all the intentions of your Sacred Heart: the salvation of souls, reparation for sin, and the reunion of all Christians. I offer them for the intentions of our bishops and of all Apostles of Prayer, and in particular for those recommended by our Holy Father this month.

<u>**CATECHISTS.</u>** Let us pray for the catechists, summoned to announce the Word of God may they be its witnesses, with courage and creativity. and in the power of the Holy Spirit.</u>

#### St. Anthony Shrine and Novena \$50.00 GIFT In memory of parents, RED & VIRGINIA PALLANTE and son, ANTHONY by Mr. & Mrs. Michael Buury IN THANKSGIVING by Mr. & Mrs. Anthony J. Napoli \$30.00 GIFT In memory of BOBBY DIFABIO by Robert V. DiFabio \$25.00 GIFT In memory of JOHN J. KUZMAN, JR. by wife, Colomba \$20.00 GIFT In memory of AL BACA, ROSEANN BACA & ROSE MARIE FIORE by Michael Baca In loving memory of MARY ANN PELLEGRINI by Cleto Phyllis Chila ANÓNYMOUS \$15.00 GIFT Mr. and Mrs. Pat M. Trell \$10.00 GIFT In memory of ELIZABETH & JOSEPH CAVALLARO by son, RJ IN THANKSGIVING FOR GOD'S GIFTS by Miss Mary J. Kraiosky Mrs. Ann Desimone Mrs. Grace Ducay Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schulick Miss Dorothy Varie

#### **Families of Baby Loss**

Have you, or has someone you know, suffered the death of a baby at any stage of pregnancy or beyond? Some families suffer in silence. Help us to find these families. We would like to remember these precious babies and their families by giving them an angel ornament this Christmas Season, Ornaments can be picked up before of after Mass the weekend o December 18/19 of December 24/25/26. Call or text Sharon Cross with name and best Mass time for pickup or for ay additional information. Call or text to: 330-360-7261.

#### THANK YOU!

Thank you to all the ladies of the St. Monica Guild who donated canned goods to the St. Vincent DePaul Dinning Hall. It was so much appreciated. May God bless you all.

#### **REGISTRATION:**

Members of the parish should be formally registered. If you are not receiving Our Lady of Mt. Carmel envelopes, please call the rectory Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m.—2:00 p.m. For a change of address or telephone number, please call the rectory at 330-743-4144.

### OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL BASILICA YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO

### December 12, 2021



#### **Birthdays for the week of December 12-18**

Carie Meranto, Daniel Jarome, Angelina Folsom, Chris Foltz, Michele Kovach, Vincent Malkovits, Hallie Saculla, Thomas Struble, Jacalyn Kinnick, Blake Mezarkowski, Clara Pascale, Alexander Pezzuto, Guiliana Ricchiuti, Cathy Jo Santisi, Karen Banic, John Mascardine, Christopher Bellino, Harper Collins, Addyson Davis, Ian DeCapita, Joe Dundee, Alexander Palombo, Patricia Vagnarelli, Anthony Cardiero, Nick Carrabbia, Dawn Foltz, Dolores Latronica, Christa Saulino.



ST. ANTHONY LIGHT: December 12-18 In memory of ANTHONY J. ORLANDO (B) by Family **SACRED HEART LIGHT: December 12-18** In memory of MICHAEL CERCONE by Mom & Family **BLESSED SACRAMENT LIGHT: Dec. 12-18** In memory of MARY ANN NAPOLITANO (A) by Edie & Ron DiBaccco **SANCTUARY LIGHT: December 12-18** In memory of MICHAEL CERCONE by Mother, Sister & Family **GUARDIAN ANGEL LIGHT: December 12-18** In memory of MICHAEL SCOCCA by Janet & Michael Skaleris ST. THERESA OF THE LITTLE FLOWER: December 12-18 In memory of OLIVER MONACO & SON, BRIAN by Wife & Family **OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL LIGHT:** December 12-18 In memory of THE CARNEVALE & FALABELLA FAMILY by Family **INFANT JESUS LIGHT: December 12-18** In memory of BOB CECIL by Janet **ETERNAL FLAME: Sunday, December 12** In memory of ANTHONY PORCASE by Very Rev. Msgr. Michael J. Cariglio, Jr. **ETERNAL FLAME: Monday, Decembe 13** In memory of LINSSEY VILLANOEVA by Very Rv. Msgr. Michael J. Cariglio, Jr. HOLY CROSS LIGHTS: Saturday, December 18 In memory of DOMINIC (PAPA) BETTURA by Bettura Family INFANT JESUS LIGHT: November 28-Dec. 4 IN THANKSGIVING by Gordon & Donna Harthranft ( inadvertently left outof the Nov. 28th bulletin. Sorry for any convenience this may have caused.

#### CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE 2021

December 24 (Christmas Eve) -5:00 p.m. & 10:30 p.m.

December 25 (Christmas Day - 10:00 a.m. & 12 noon

December 31 (New Year's Eve - 5:00 p.m.

January 1, 2022 - New Year's Day - 12 noon



**OSTIA;** is again available this Christmas season in the rectory. There is no need to call ahead, just stop at the rectory between 9 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. to purchase at \$6.00 per box of fifty (50).

#### HOST:

- 1 cup lukewarm water
- 1 cu flour
- 1 tsp. + few drops of oil

Dash of salt

Beat mixture for 5 minutes. Let stand 5 hours, stirring every half hour. (This recipe is for use with an Ostia maker an if none is available, you may purchase the Ostia at the rectory). **FILLING:** 

1 Bag of Hershey Kisses or 1 large Hershey bar 1/2 - 3/4lb skinned almonds

1 pint of honey

### **OPTIONAL:**

Orange extract, grated orange rind or vanilla.

Melt chocolate in double boiler or microwave. Add honey at the same. When all is melted, add chopped almonds and flavoring. Remove from heat and fill host.



**IN YOUR CHARITY**, please pray for repose of soul, **THOMAS STRAUSS**, age 92, whose Mass of Christian burial was this past week.

## THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT



### **APOSTOLATE OF PERPETUAL ADORATION**

This past year has presented many obstacles to the beautiful Apostolate of Perpetual Adoration which has been in effect at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica for the past 27 years. As we enter our 28<sup>th</sup> year of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, we now have an abbreviated schedule for adoration. As we work to rebuild a full schedule of 24 hours a day 7 days a week, we need your help.

We wish to acknowledge all the steadfast, loving people who have dedicated hours praying and keeping company with Our Blessed Lord. As of April 11, 2021, Divine Mercy Sunday, we have resumed adoration.

We are inviting <u>each of you</u> to come spend one hour with Our Risen Lord truly present body, blood, soul and divinity. The King of the Universe is waiting for YOU! You may come at any time to adore our Lord, but the <u>following hours</u> **need to be filled**:

Sunday: 4-5p.m, Sunday: 5-6 p.m., Monday, 3-4 p.m., Monday, 7-8 p.m., Tuesday, 11 a.m. - 12 p.m., Wednesday, 2-3 p.m., Thursday, 11 a.m. - 12 p.m., Thursday, 3p.m.- 4 p.m., Thursday, 5 p.m.. - 6 p.m. Our present schedule is:

Sunday4pm-8pmMonday:1pm-8pmTuesday:8am-8pmWednesday:1pm-8pmThursday:8am-8pmFriday:1pm-4pm (Divine Mercy Devotion andBenediction at 3pm)To schedule a time call, Jean Talley 330-758-3335 or

Maria Panozzo @ 330-372-5141.

### **STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT:**

"Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God." Philippians 4:6

St. Paul reminds us that God is an abundant God -He is the ultimate giver of gifts. He promises to give us all that we need. Remember, that we are created in God's image and likeness. We, too, are made to be generous with all of our gifts as well. Placing our trust in God frees us from being a slave to possessions. It allows us to gratefully and generously share ourselves and our goods with others. "Rejoice in the Lord always, I shall say it again, rejoice!" As we come to this Third Sunday of Advent - Gaudete Sunday,, let us discover ways in which we can share the joy of our faith. As missionary disciples on a journey, we are called to joyfully proclaim our love of God. What better way to do that thn to come together with others of like faith and rejoice in our blessings from God. Consider joining a small faith sharing group here in the parish to rejoice always in the Lord..

"All our questioning in their hearts." Are you considering a vocation as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Contact Father Scott Kopp at 330-744-8451 or email: skopp@youngstowndiocese.org.

### **INTERCESSION:**

For men and women called by the Lord to be messengers of salvation as priests, deacons and in the consecrated life, that Christ's peace will guard their hearts and minds as they proclaim the good news of salvation, **We pray to the Lord. Lord hear our prayer.** 



**NEED A CHRISTMAS GIFT?** Why not give the gift of cooking with a Cook Book? The Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Traditions Cook Book for \$18.00. Call or stop in at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica and purchase one or two or more. Office hours are from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Rectory number: 330-743-4144.

Sponsor of the week:



### OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL BASILICA YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO



<u>3rd Sunday</u> <u>of Advent</u>

<u>Rejoice in the Lord</u> <u>always!</u>

Prayer: God of joy, may I be thrilled by the simple gifts you give because of your constant presence in **all** things in my joyful times, in my struggles and suffering. Practice Hygge (hoo-ga)

# Light of Faith & Family Religious Education

Blessed Advent & Christmas Season to All

Reminder, to continue working on your weekly lessons until we meet again January 23, 2022. As you finish the lessons you are welcome to return your worksheets either

by mailing them to the Religious Education office or dropping them in the LFF Box in the vestibule of the Basilica or bring January 23rd.



# **Baptisms**

Expecting or adopting a child? Now is the time to call and schedule their Baptism <u>The most asked question is</u>, <u>"Who can be a Godparent?"</u> \*Godparents need to be a fully Initiated member that is active and in good standing with the Catholic Church. Meaning he or she has been Baptized, Confirmed and received the Eucharist in the Catholic Church.

\*Must have 2 Godparents or 1 Godparent and 1 Christian Witness. A Christian Witness must be Baptized in a Christian Faith and active in their faith.

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OLMCReligiousEdOffice@gmail.com Tues., Wed. & Thurs 9:00am—1:30pm After Hours by Appointment Only.

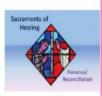
Mrs. Leanna Pipala x121: <u>Coordinator of Religious Education</u> Miss Carly Koewacich x122: <u>Youth Minister</u> Call the main office 330-743-4144 for Marriage Preparation



# Bambinelli Blessing

# **Reconciliation Preparation**

Continue to pray for our young people who are preparing to receive their first Reconciliation January 30, 2022. May they continue to grow in understanding



God's continuous love, mercy and forgiveness for each of us. Next Class January 29, 9am-11am. Meet in the Classrooms. Bring your books.

# RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation

Pray for those who are discerning to be fully Initiated into the Catholic Church. May they continue to grow in understanding and love of the Faith.

\*\* If interested or have questions? Call / email Therese 330-743-3508 ex 122 or OLMCTherese@gmail.com. We gather on Wednesdays @ 6:30pm in the St. John Paul II Center. (near the archway)

## Preparing to Receive First Reconciliation & First Communion

Prior to preparing for either sacrament your child should be 7yrs or older, Baptized and have attended 1 year and in their 2nd yr of a structured class or equivalent to (Religious Education or Catholic School) before registering for preparation classes. <u>Parent(s)</u>, know that you are involved and active with your child's preparation. \*\*\* If your child missed receiving Reconciliation and / or First Communion for one reason or another call Therese. It is never too late to receive a Sacrament.

# THE THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT



# 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent, Cycle C

Zephaniah 3:14-18a Isaiah 12:2-6 Philippians 4:4-7 Luke 3:10-18

Monday December 13 St. Lucy Numbers 24:2-7,15-17a Ps 25:4-9 Matthew 21:23-27

Tuesday December 14 St. John of the Cross Zep 3:1-2,9-13 Ps 34:2-3,6-7,17-19,23 Matthew 21:28-32

Wednesday December 15 Isaiah 45:6c-8,18,21c-25 Ps 85:9ab-14 Luke 7:18b-23

Thursday December 16 Isaiah 54:1-10 Ps 30:2,4-6,11-13 Luke 7:24-30

> Friday December 17 Genesis 49:2,8-10 Ps 72:1-4,7-8,17 Matthew 1:1-17

Saturday December 18 Jeremiah 23:5-8 Ps 72:1-2,12-13,18-19 Matthew 1:18-25 The Third Sunday of Advent focuses our attention on the spirit of joyfulness, because this is an essential mark of true faith. All the readings are full of joy and the thrill of happy expectation.

In the Gospel reading, John the Baptizer preaches good news to the people, and they are filled with joyful anticipation for whatever God is about to do.

Do you know that joy is a ministry? It's an important way to share the faith. We all have a calling to do this ministry wherever there is misery and hopelessness.

Let's look at how John fulfilled this ministry of joy. We might think he was anything but joyful in his robe of scratchy camels hair and his fiery sermons about repenting from sin. But look closer. His ministry prepared people's hearts to receive Jesus.

Having faith means trusting God which means resting in

hope which produces joy. When you or someone you know is lacking joy, it's because Jesus has not yet been invited fully into the situation that's been stealing the joy. It might be too early in the grieving process, which is healthy and normal, or it might a lack of faith, which needs nurturing.

The ability to experience the joy of faith comes from turning to the love of God and receiving his comfort in the midst of hardships. It also arises from getting to



know the joyful side of Jesus and the joyful

purposes behind all of his teachings.

Jesus preached going the extra mile, loving our enemies, and doing good to those who cause us hardships, none of which is fun. What we need to discover and then share with others is that holy living, although not always fun, is what unites us to the joyful love of Jesus and the joyful purposes of everything he preached.

Remember, even going to the cross produces joyful results.

The good news is: Jesus didn't just tell us how to be holy, he gave us the power to be holy: He gave us his Holy Spirit.

And when others see the Holy Spirit's activity in us, if they know that Jesus is the reason for our joy, they are evangelized by our faith!

### Reflect & Discuss:

- Think of a recent sin you've committed. How did it prevent you from experiencing joy?
- 2. The next time, how will you rely on the Holy Spirit to help you turn temptation into joy?
- Name some of the special joys you experience during Advent and Christmas; how do they help you grow stronger in holiness?
- 4. Describe a time when you helped someone else become joyful; how did Jesus reveal himself in that?

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