

Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus

Prelude
 Entrance Hymn: #426
 O Come All Ye Faithful
 Penitential Act
 Gloria: Community Mass
 Collect

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Reading I
 Responsorial Psalm
 Psalm 128: Blest Are Those
 Reading II
 Gospel Acclamation: Festival Alleluia
 Homily
 Nicene Creed (*inside front cover*) #209
 Universal Prayer

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts: #427
 Good Christian Friends, Rejoice
 Eucharistic Acclamations: Community Mass #353, 356, 355
 The Lord's Prayer
 Lamb of God: Community Mass #384
 Communion: #439
 Come, Sing a Home and Family
 Anthem (4pm Sunday): The Magi's Dream by James Whitbourne
 Announcements
 Blessing and Dismissal
 Closing Hymn: #424
 Joy To the World
 Postlude

Stewardship Thoughts: "...as the Lord has forgiven you, so you must forgive." – *Colossians 3:13*

Forgiving is one of the hardest things for people to do. We can't give what we don't have. We need to receive God's mercy and forgiveness first before we can give it to others. Go to the sacrament of Reconciliation and receive God's mercy and forgiveness. Then, share the gift of forgiveness with someone – a family member, a friend or a co-worker. Pick up the phone or text someone right now.

Holy Hour: Saint Edward Church will hold Holy Hour on Thursday, **January 4, 2024** from 5:00 – 6:00 pm. Holy Hour includes adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, rosary, and benediction. You are welcome to come in for the full hour, or just spend whatever time you can in reflection and prayer in front of the Blessed Sacrament.

Parish Office: The Cathedral Parish Office will be closed, Friday, **December 22, 2022** and will re-open on Tuesday, **January 2, 2024** for the holidays.

2023 Contributions: Contribution listings will be closed on January 1, 2024. Any contributions dated after December 31, 2023 will be listed on your 2024 financial statement. Please call the rectory at 330-744-5233 to request a copy of your contribution statement.

Living Bread Radio: Fr. Nicholas Mancini will be praying the novena for the intercession of Saint John Neumann, until **January 5, 2024** on Living Bread Radio. Tune in to pray along with us on AM 1060 (NE Ohio), 94.5 FM (Canton) and 89.5 FM (Youngstown), streaming on www.livingbreadradio.com/, on Alexa, or with our app. Blessed New Year too!

Diocesan Communications Collection: You may ask yourself, "Why should I give to the Communications Collection?" And the answer is simple: Because the Communications Department exists to serve you. Their various programs—Wineskins and The Catholic Echo podcast, televised Masses, the Catholic Echo magazine and website, diocesan social media and even many of the announcements you see in this bulletin—are geared toward inspiring, informing and engaging you. To support these initiatives (or future ones), please give to the Communications Collection on **January 6 & 7, 2024**. For more information or to give to, go to www.doy.org/Communications_Collection/. An envelope is in your packet.

Food Pantry Collection: Saint Columba will be collecting nonperishable food items to support the needs of our parish community and Saint Edward Church the weekend of **January 6th and 7th**. Donation bins will be located at the rear and front entrances of the church. Suggested items are mac and cheese • canned soup/meat/vegetables/fruit • pasta • sauce • small container of peanut butter & jelly • crackers and granola bars. Thank you for your continued support!

Saturday, December 30*Daily Readings: 1 Jn 2:12-17**Lk 2:36-40*2:00 PM **Wedding:** Marcus Counce & Brianna Jukes**Vigil: The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph**

4:00 PM +Belszek, Veck & LaCivita Families

Sunday, December 31**The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph***Readings: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14**Col 3:12-21**Lk 2:22-40*

10:30 AM Living & Dec. Parishioners Saint Columba

4:00 PM Friends of the Cathedral

Monday, January 1**The Octave Day of the Nativity of the Lord****Solemnity of Mary the Holy Mother of God***Readings: Nm 6:22-27**Gal 4:4-7**Lk 2:16-21*

12:10 PM Living & Dec. Parishioners of Saint Columba

Tuesday, January 2**Saints Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen,****Bishops and Doctors***Readings: 1 Jn 2:22-28**Jn 1:19-28*

12:10 PM +Michael J. Repetski

Wednesday, January 3**Christmas Weekday The Most Holy Name of Jesus***Readings: 1 Jn 2:29-36**Jn 1:29-34*

12:10 PM +Elizabeth Vold

Thursday, January 4**Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious***Readings: 1 Jn 3:7-10**Jn 1:35-42*

12:10 PM +Ray Terlecki

Friday, January 5**Saint John Neumann, Bishop***Readings: 1 Jn 3:11-21**Jn 1:43-51*

12:10 PM +Mary Shay-Kocsis

Saturday, January 6*Daily Readings: 1 Jn 5:5-13**Mk 1:7-11***Vigil: The Epiphany of the Lord**

4:00 PM +Bill, Sue & Kenny Gause

Sunday, January 7**The Epiphany of the Lord***Readings: Is 60:1-6**Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6**Mt 2:1-12*

10:30 AM +Friends of the Cathedral

4:00 PM Living & Dec. Parishioners of Saint Columba

COMING PARISH EVENTS**Sunday, December 31**

10:30 AM Sunday Liturgy

No Coffee & Donuts this week

4:00 PM Sunday Liturgy – Adult Confirmation

Monday, January 1

10:30 AM Solemnity of Mary Liturgy

Tuesday, January 2

1:00 PM Sacrament of Reconciliation

Thursday, January 4

1:00 PM Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:15 PM Choirs Rehearsal

Saturday, January 6

9:15 AM Sacrament of Reconciliation

4:00 PM Sunday Liturgy Vigil

Sunday, January 7

10:30 AM Sunday Liturgy

Coffee & Donuts in Parish Hall following Mass

4:00 PM Sunday Liturgy

**REMEMBRANCE FLAMES****for the week of December 31:****Blessed Mother:** Special Intention – Dayna Hulme**Lady of Czestochowa:** Former Members of
Saint Stanislaus Parish**Sanctuary:****St. Joseph:** +John Kuras*Donation for a Remembrance Flame is ten dollars
per week.*

Warm Hearts for Warm Home: In conjunction with “Poverty Awareness Month,” Catholic Charities will again sponsor our annual “*Warm Hearts for Warm Homes*” campaign (*formerly Keep the Kids Warm*) on the weekend of **January 13 & 14, 2024**. This important effort raises funds to help families with children, working poor adults and older adults on fixed incomes with utility assistance during the long, cold winter months here in Ohio. Donate online at www.ccdoy.org or mail a check to Catholic Charities, 144 West Wood Street, Youngstown, Ohio 44503. Thank you for your generosity!

Mass for Life: Bishop David Bonnar will preside at a Mass for Life on Sunday, **January 14, 2024** at 4:00 p.m. at Saint Columba Cathedral. Bishop Bonner will offer a special Blessing of Children in the Womb to women who are with child, and their families. In addition, there will be a blessing of pilgrims attending the National March for Life in Washington, D.C. A reception will follow. All are welcome – no reservations needed. For more information call Dave Schmidt at 330-744-8451 ext. 272 or at dschmidt@youngstowndiodse.org. If you know someone who is expecting a child, invite her and her family to attend the Mass for Life.

The National March for Life: Ever since the unfortunate 1973 Roe v. Wade decision by the U.S. Supreme Court, those concerned about the right to life of unborn children have gathered annually in Washington D.C. to March for Life. The 2024 National March for Life will take place on Friday, **January 19, 2024** on the National Mall in Washington D.C. and will include a Pre-Rally Concert at 11:00 a.m., a Rally at Noon and the March for Life at 1:00 p.m. For more information go to www.marchforlife.org. If you are planning to attend this year, please contact Dave Schmidt at 330-744-8451 ext. 272 in the Office of Pro-Life, Marriage and Family Life or at dschmidt@youngstowndiocese.org.

Day of Prayer: The General Instruction of the Roman Missal (GIRM), no 373, designates **January 22, 2024** as a particular day of prayer and penance, called the “Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children”: “In all the Dioceses of the United States of America, January 24 (or January 23, when the 22nd falls on a Sunday) shall be observed as a particular day of prayer for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life and of penance for violations to the dignity of the human person committed through act of abortion.” Additional information and resources may be found at www.respectlife.org/january-22.



Call For Recipes: The Catholic Echo magazine would like to feature your favorite recipes in an upcoming print edition! All recipes are welcome, but the editor will likely choose to feature more common recipes, as Echo staff needs to find photos to accompany the entries. Send emails to cahtolicecho@youngstowndiocese.org for more information or to submit a recipe.

Land of Saints and Scholars: If Ireland is on your bucket list consider joining a tour with Fr. Patrick Manning, June 24th – July 5th, 2024. Contact Amy at Amy@thetravelconneccion.com.

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Cathedral Parish of St. Columba is twofold: to serve as the spiritual center of the Diocese of Youngstown by fostering the mission of the Bishop and to participate in the saving mission of Jesus Christ by caring for the spiritual and physical needs of people in Central Youngstown.

THE FRIENDS OF THE CATHEDRAL OF SAINT COLUMBA

The purpose of **The Friends of The Cathedral of Saint Columba** is to have a visual reminder of our beloved deceased not only on special days such as birthdays and anniversaries but also throughout the entire year. Once a month, a Mass is celebrated for the repose of the souls of **The Friends of The Cathedral of Saint Columba**. On the ninth of June, the Feast of Saint Columba, the intention of the parish Mass is for *The Friends of The Cathedral of Saint Columba*. Friends who are remembered are not necessarily parishioners of Saint Columba and membership to *The Friends of the Cathedral of Saint Columba* is annual, commencing anytime of the year. Contact the parish office for further information. *Donation for being a Friend is fifty dollars a year per name or family.*

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 † Gary & Peg Oles – Alice Reardon
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 † Tamburino Family – Mr. & Mrs. Michael Deskin
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 † Leo Tirado – Rosa Tirado
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