

Dec. 29, 2024 – The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Approximately 15 minutes before the Saturday & Sunday Masses when possible.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

FEASTS & MEMORIALS

Monday, Dec. 30 7:45 AM SJ – Ginny Hull

Solemnity of Mary	4:00PM	ST. B	Paul Ballet	Alice Nale
New Year’s Eve	5:30PM	IC	Michele Knisel	
Dec. 31	7:00PM	MHT	Bob Casti	Mary Giallonardo
New Year’s Day Jan. 1	8:30AM	SJ	Ed, Shirley & Susan Beyer	

Thursday, Jan. 2 No Mass *St. Basil & St. Gregory*

3 to 8 PM SJ – Exposition & Adoration

Friday, Jan. 3 No Mass *Holy Name of Jesus*

Saturday, Jan. 4 4:00 PM MHT – Parishioners of Most Holy Trinity & St. Bartholomew

4:00 PM IC – Stephanie & Shawn Flynn *St. Elizabeth Ann Seton*

5:30 PM SB – George & Elsie Minor, requested by family

5:30 PM SJ – Don & Anna Mae Bopp

Sunday, Jan. 5 7:00 AM IC – Tom Schrift & For the Parish *Epiphany of the Lord*

8:30 AM SJ – Nancy & Guy Galosi & For the Parish

9:00 AM SB – Stephen J Kmetz-Bday, requested by daughter

10:30 AM MHT –Ned Burns

Sanctuary Candles	St. Bart	MHT	St. John	Immaculate C.
Dec. 29-Jan. 4	George & Elsie Minor	Rosmus/Nelen fam.	For World Peace	June & Ed Wess

Liturgical Minister Schedule

Jan. 4/5	Lector	EMHC	Altar Servers
IC - 4:00 PM	Cody McCoy	Doris Knisel	Connor & Aiden McCoy
MHT- 4:00 PM	G Mehall	G Mehall	
St. J - 5:30PM	Ruth Ferchalk	Ruth Ferchalk	
St. B - 5:30PM	M Branas	M Branas	
IC – 7:00AM	Linus Smith	Margie Gallardy	
St. J – 8:30 AM	Pat Kirby	Carissa Penatzer	
St. B 9:00 AM	D Templeton	D Templeton	
MHT – 10:30 AM	K Edmondson	K Edmondson	C Wechtenhiser
M/B Count- 12/30	R Gramling, J Resick	StB-Jan. Church cleaning	Casey & Jolene Myers

JANUARY 1: Solemnity of Mary-New Years Day is a holy day of obligation. See schedule for times and locations. Deacon Rick will preach at all 4 of the Masses on New Year’s Eve/Day. Ministers, please volunteer at the Mass you attend.

THE PARISH OFFICES will be closed this week on Tuesday & Wednesday. **Happy New Year!**

Offertory Collections

Dec 22	Regular	Flowers	Special	Xmas	Votives	Diocese	Cem	Build	Total
MHT	\$1532			\$2422.72		\$28	\$8		\$3990.72
St. B	\$3168	\$55	\$40	\$4187			\$55	\$30	\$7535
IC	\$3091			\$5093					\$8184
SJ	\$2734			\$4221					\$6955

DEC. PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR SICK: Cindy Marlowe, Frances Wess, Nancy Biese, a little one, Dave Schrift, Patty Hammond, Eddie Werfel, Harry Templeton, Mary & David Lambert, Nancy Kruic, Diane Dodson, Lowell Seabolt, Trinity and Rose, Marlene Rummel, Katelynn Reighard, Mike Rosmus, Linda Debias, Sandy Georg, Francis Girard, James Sobel, Seth Georg, Mary Giallonardo, George Fetsko, Elio Lucci, Leroy Smith, Jason Kirchner, Maria Felix, Jim Benshoff, Mary Ann Penatzer, Karen Y, Donna Moyer, shut-ins, special intentions. **Please send names for January, for the new Prayer Intention List for the New Year.**

MANY, MANY THANKS to the organists, lectors, cantors, Eucharistic Ministers, our church decorating communities, office staff, maintenance persons, those whom I may have forgotten, for all your hard work to make our Christmas Masses so special and beautiful. *Fr. Nale*

(B/M) SECOND COLLECTION) Next weekend is for our utilities. Please be as generous as possible.

ST JAMES & ANTHONY CEMETERY committee would like to thank all who have increased their donations to the cemetery fund. The next project will be to replace the crosses at both cemeteries.

MASS CANCELATION (for during the week): If Forest Hills School District cancels or delays school because of weather, morning Mass (Monday-Friday) and Adoration will be cancelled. The Mass intention will be rescheduled ASAP.

SANCTUARY CANDLES: Sanctuary Candles are lit in memory/honor of someone in all four Churches. The cost is \$5 a week and will be published in the bulletin. Dates are available for 2025. Call the offices to schedule.

IC & SJ WEBSITE: This week at www.stjic.org ...From the timeless wisdom of Venerable Fulton Sheen we learn the significance of God becoming man and the true meaning of Christmas.

2025 CHURCH CALENDARS are in the gathering space of all 4 Churches. Please take one to a family. Thanks again to the Charles O. Dimond Funeral Home, Inc., Joseph J. Golden, Supervisor, for providing us with the calendars.

PARISH DATA: Please update all family information that has changed this year: address, phone, email, children,...

(B/M) JANUARY MINISTERS: Schedules were emailed and are in the vestibule.

IC: ADDITIONAL CHRISTMAS FLOWER Donations: In memory of Barbara Dumm, offered by Pat Dumm.

In memory of Dave & Babs Wess, offered by Doug & Linda Wess & Family.

In memory of Lucy, Bob & Gordan Krug, offered by Janet Krug & Family.

In memory of the deceased Victor Schrift & Herman Boland Families, offered by Ronald & Gail Schrift.

In memory of Carl Wirfel, Frank & Agnes Henry & Family, Celestine & Margaret Wirfel & Family, & Bob Gallardy, offered

by Audrey Wirfel.

In memory of Carl Wirfel, M/M Nicholas Miljenovich, Sr., Bob Gallardy, M/M George Fritz, M/M James Kleitches, offered

by Denise and Nicholas Miljenovich & Family.

SJ: ADDITIONAL CHRISTMAS FLOWER Donations: In memory of Bernie Brown, offered by Nannette Parkinson.

In memory of Gary Edwards, Michelle Edwards, Wilma Turgeon & George Paliska, offered by Nannette Parkinson.

B: CHRISTMAS FLOWERS: Charles Ohning fam. & Jesse Klock-Sara Ohning; John & Helen Petrunak, Harold & Marion

Cronauer, Michael Meier Jr-M/M Paul Cronauer; and Susan Lucas.

SJ: Thanks to the St. John's Altar Rosary Society for their thoughtfulness to our parish shut ins. In having the Mass for

them, for the Christmas boxes filled with treats, and for the Christmas cards. Also, thanks to all the parishioners for the

beautiful cards that were given to them. Everyone's thoughtfulness was truly appreciated by all.

ST. MARY'S CEMETERY: The new section of the cemetery above the gravel road has been opened, and plots are

available for purchase. Work has begun on the Columbarium, and we expect it to be finished February 2025.

Columbarium niches are available for purchase. Each niche holds up to two cremation urns. A photo of a columbarium

similar to ours is featured on the bulletin board in SJ/IC Churches. Contact Janet at 814-242-3207 for more information.

ST. B LOTTERY CALENDARS: Please return all calendar money and stubs

IC: Our JEWELRY RAFFLE is Sat, Jan. 18, at New Germany Grove Hall. The tickets are available to buy or sell, please call

Becky 724-357-8384 or Janet Krug 814-254-9997 or Pam at the parish office 814-495-5241. Tickets will cost \$30 each

which includes admission, meal, dessert and drinks. Doors open at 5 PM and first drawing at 6 PM. Many Volunteers are

needed to make this event a success. If anyone can help, please call Dave or Pam.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: Third Annual Comedy Night, sponsored by SJ Church, will be Sat, March 1, 2025, at New

Germany Grove Hall. The original Host from the first comedy night with 2 new comedians, food & refreshments.

DONATIONS OF BASKETS are needed for the night of the Jewelry Raffle. Baskets can be dropped off at the rectory.

COMMUNITY BOOK Club Mon, Dec. 30 in Marian Hall at 3:30 PM, "The Storied Life of A.J. Fikry" by Gabrielle Zevin.

SQUARE DANCES in January will be held at New Germany Grove Hall on January 4 & 11. Dancing with the band Klassic

Kountry from 7 to 10 PM. Proceeds benefit Pro-Life. Mark your calendars!

BISHOP MCCORT HOCKEY 2025 LOTTO CALENDAR: \$25 each, 2 numbers per calendar-6 months of daily prizes from

\$25-\$100 (January 1 through June 30, 2025). Contact Hockey Player or email ADolgas287@gmail.com

POLISH CHRISTMAS CAROLS (KOLEDY): Sun, Jan. 5 at 2PM at All Saints Parish, Boswell. Polish choir, Benediction and

refreshments. Whether you are Polish or not, come and experience the time-honored Christmas hymns. 814-629-5551

CHRISTMAS CHORAL CONCERT Sun, Dec. 29 at 3 PM at St. Benedict, Carrolltown. Free will offering benefits organ fund.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT: Mon, Dec. 30 at 6PM. The Basilica of St. Michael the Archangel in Loretto

HEALING MASS on Tuesday, January 21 at 7 PM at St. Michael Church, Hollidaysburg. Main celebrant is Fr. David Dodd,

TOR. Sponsored by Holy Spirit Ministry. Praise & Worship music starts at 6:30 PM. Prayer ministry will follow Mass. If

you are suffering physically, or from an addiction, or hurting or struggling in any way, come and experience the healing

power of Jesus and be set free. All are welcome!

	Most Holy Trinity	St. Bartholomew	Immaculate Concep.	St. John
Finance	Larry Celmer 814-241-6325	Scott Crynock 814-736-8446	Mike Sossong 814-472-9395	Woody McCall 814-243-8423
Parish	vacant	George Fetsko 814-242-7931	Cody McCoy 814-999-4257	Frank Bopp 814-495-9464
DRE	Deb Gdula 814-487-6004	Diana Frantz 814-736-8436	Stephanie Partsch 814-487-6334	Stephanie Partsch 814-487-6334
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Hall Rental	Parish Office	Joe Fox 814-736-8652	Parish Office	Parish Office
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