

Church of Our Lady Help of Christians



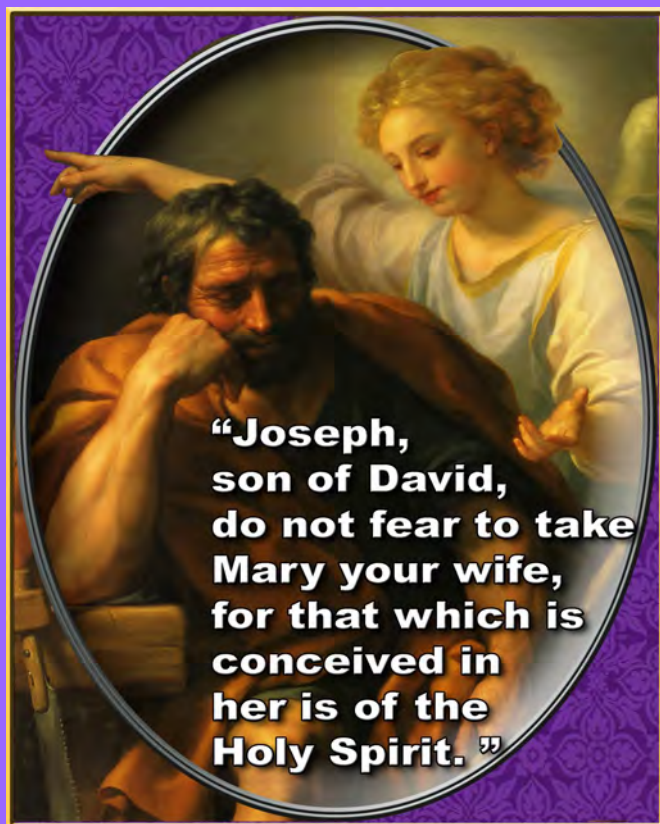
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FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT **DECEMBER 18, 2022**



**“Joseph,
son of David,
do not fear to take
Mary your wife,
for that which is
conceived in
her is of the
Holy Spirit.”**

RECTORY

Office hours: Mon-Fri. 8:00am - 3:00pm

Pastor: Fr. James H. Ferreira

Deacon: Deacon John Singler

Weekend Assistants: Fr. Frank Naccarato

Fr. Michael Reilly

Director of Music: Matthew Hosmer

Email: hosmer@olheparish.org

Secretaries: Maria Byrnes, Ninfa Chiarello

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs. 10:00am - 3:00pm

DRE: Mrs. Joan Baggs

Secretary: Patricia Dresch

MASS SCHEDULE

CHRISTMAS/NEW YEAR SCHEDULE SEE PG. 3

Regular Mass Schedule

Monday - Saturday: 9:00am

**Saturday: 4:30pm Sunday: 8:00am, 10:00am and
12:00pm**

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms: Scheduled on Saturday or Sundays at
1:00 pm. Please call the rectory to schedule.

Reconciliation : Confessions will be every Saturday
from 4:00pm-4:25pm (before the 4:30 Mass) and every
Monday-Saturday after the 9:00am Mass (approx.
9:20am) Please line up by the Confessional.

Communion to the Homebound: Please call the
rectory to make arrangements for those homebound or
hospitalized.

Marriage: Couples should call the rectory to arrange a
meeting with a priest or deacon at least six months in
advance of their wedding.

Anointing of the Sick: Call the rectory at any time.

RCIA: A series of classes presenting a deeper
exploration of the Catholic faith for adults which
prepares them to make a conscious choice to
receive the Sacrament of Baptism, First Holy
Communion and Confirmation. Please call the rectory.

Sick List: Please update us monthly.

Private Prayer: The church is open weekdays from
9:30am-4:00pm.

Sponsor Certificates: Registered parishioners must
fill out paperwork to be signed by the priest.

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WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2022

9:00am: Casar & Ponpon Family
Requested by Your Loving Grandchildren

4:30pm: Ann Kovach
Requested by Jaclyn Lurker

SUNDAY DECEMBER 18, 2022

8:00am: Eileen Aleksiewicz
Requested by Emily Grandinetti

10:00am: The People of our Parish
Requested by Joan Calabrisotto and Family

12:00pm: Fr. Miller
Requested by the Casella Family

MONDAY, DECEMBER 19, 2022

9:00am: Fortune Jordan
Requested by Mom and Dad

ARCHDIOCESAN RECONCILIATION - See Page 4. for Schedule

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 20, 2022

9:00am: Vincent and Frances Pizzuto
Requested by Your Loving Family

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21, 2022

9:00am: James L. Burke
Requested by Margaret Burke

CONFESSIONS - See Pg. 4 for Schedule

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 2022

9:00am: Mary & Vinny Pizzillo (Merry Christmas)
Requested by Your Loving Family

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23, 2022

9:00am: Natividad Ponpon (8th Anniversary)
Requested by Your Loving Children and Grandchildren

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24, 2022

4:30pm: The People of our Parish
Christmas Mass

12:00 MIDNIGHT: Christmas Novena

MEMORIAL OFFERINGS

Week of December 17, 2022



Bread and Wine
Ann Kovach
Req. by Jaclyn Lurker



Sanctuary Lamp
William J. Marsh
(7th Anniversary)
Req. by Mary Marsh & Family



Altar Candles
Anna Nancy Micelli
Req. by Mr. and Mrs. Ramesh Jhagroo



Advent Wreath
Pat Lavin
Req. by Marilyn and Family

SACRIFICIAL OFFERING

12/10/22 AND 12/11/22: \$6,960.

WHICH INCL. ON-LINE GIVING
THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

Crossroad Collection

Every 4th Sunday after all Masses
THIS WEEKEND ONLY

50/50 Club

\$5.00 Donation You
can't win it if you're not in it!

First Friday

Mass at 9:00 am
followed by Adoration/Benediction

Recitation of the Rosary

Daily after the 9am Mass

Rosary to Our Lady of Fatima

The 13th of every month 6:00 pm

St. Edward's Food Pantry

6581 Hylan Boulevard SI NY
1st Weekend of the Month

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S SCHEDULE

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE



Saturday, Christmas Eve, December 24, 2022

4:30 pm

Sunday, Christmas Day, December 25, 2022

12:00am Midnight

8:00am

10:00am

and 12:00 pm

NEW YEAR'S SCHEDULE



Saturday, New Year's Eve, December 31, 2022

4:30 pm

Sunday, New Year's Day, January 1, 2023

8:00 am

10:00 am

and 12:00 pm



*Let us pray for all the
deceased of our Parish especially,
**Tom Daragjati, Maria Mastroianni
and Janet M. Benitez***

*Our Lady Help of Christians
welcomes all
newly baptized to
your new Parish family.*



**PLEASE PRAY FOR
OUR SERVICE
MEN AND WOMEN**



ANDREW S. ASWARD SC	STEVEN DENOBLE AFGHANISTAN
PAUL ALBANESE ROMANIA	BRIAN P. FLEMING KUWAIT
DIANA ALBANESE WASH. STATE	MASON MORGANTE NC
DAVID BAGGS NY	CODY ROBINSON NC
THOMAS BROWN AFGHANISTAN	SHAWN ROBINSON, WA
CHRISTOPHER DEDDO, JAPAN	THOMAS TELLEFSEN, JR. ALASKA
MICHAEL DEDDO, III ALASKA	

Confessions



***Monday - Saturday after the
9:00am Mass***

**PLEASE PRAY
FOR THE
PEOPLE OF OUR
PARISH**
**PLEASE LET THE
RECTORY KNOW IF
YOU WOULD LIKE TO
REMOVE ANYONE
FROM THIS SICK LIST.
THANK YOU**

Alexander
Angelo Alberga
Robert Alongi
Anna Ambrosiole
Jake Aspinall
Aubrey
Gaetano Babbo
Roseann Brock
Joseph Burzo
Stephen Cacase
Theresa Cardinale
Salvatore Cortes
Carmela
Luca Carsen
Dennis Castelli
Mike Chadwick
Stacey Cohen
Sylvia Cohen
Sharonlee D.
Daniel
Danny
Elvira DeLuzio
Ellen Derowki
Andrew DiLorenzo
John Dilgen
Chris Dreizen
Barbara Doty
Marie Dunigan
Dennis Emperor
Nicolette Falzone
Skip Fiore
Ramona Fogelstrom

Nancy Flynn
Joshua Gabay
Emilyrose Gagliardi
George
Gina
Kian Griffiths
Frank Gennuso
Debra Houshmonrad
Felipe Higgenson
Thomas Jacob
Jeremy
Kathy
Robert Kilsby
Nancy King
Gianna Kovacs
Rafael Laskowski
Maria LaSorsa
Ginnie Ledwon
Flora Lucchese
Ralph Lucchese
Joseph Liotine
Anthony Lodareo
Scuoto Maisco
Ed Malley
Matthew
Ken McCall
Joseph Mariconda
Peter Marsh
Patty McNichol
Vincent Merola
Franco Migliorini
Roberta Miro
Peter Monfasani
Joan Orena
Linda Palermo
SPC Sean Pesce
Raymond Perry, Jr.
Lynn Phimister
Robert
Robin Rodolfo
Frances Rotunno
Philip Russo
Edward Svennigsen

Jordan S.
Patricia Savino
Stephanie
Christopher Seiler
Judy Singler
Stacey Strongarone
Gladys Tanecredi
Tara
Justin Too
Carl Termine, Jr.
Aiden Truscilli
Annette VanTine
Wayne
Joseph Yasso

ARCHDIOCESAN RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE

Monday, December 19, 2022

**2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
and 6:00 pm - 7:00pm:**

**Fr. James Ferreira
AND**

**7:00 pm - 8:00 pm:
Fr. McCarthy**

ADDITIONAL CONFESSION

Wednesday, December 21, 2022

**6:00 pm - 8:00 pm:
Fr. Marius**



RESPECT LIFE NEWS

Thank you for all your support this year!

**PARISH, CHURCH NEWS AND
EVENTS**

Coffee Hour

We would love to start up Coffee Hour Again after the Holidays. Thank you to those who have volunteered already! We need MORE volunteers at the following times:

9:15-9:30 AM Volunteers to Set up: This includes setting up coffee, slicing bagels, setting out plates, napkins, drinks, butter and cream cheese.

10:40- 11:15 AM: Volunteers to serve the bagels, and replenish butter, cream cheese and drinks as needed.

11:15 - 11:45 AM: Volunteers to clean up , which includes breakdown of tables, sweeping gym floor, wash coffee pot, and put away all leftovers.

In order to continue coffee hour, which we know everyone enjoys, it is necessary to have more volunteers. The few volunteers we have are not able to make it every week. This is a decision that is up to you, our parish families.

Please contact Mrs. Joan Baggs at joan.baggs@olhccparish.org or 347-838-6726 if you would like to volunteer.

**If we can get a team of 10 volunteers to alternate in preparing, serving, and cleaning up for the hospitality, I am confident we can keep this lovely tradition in our parish going.*

****Hospitality is open to all who wish to come not just those who attend religious instructions.***

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

OFFICE HOURS

**MONDAY THROUGH WEDNESDAY
NOVEMBER THROUGH DECEMBER**

10:00 AM-3:00 PM

TEL. NO. 347-838-6726

Thank you to the students who participated in our Christmas Pageant last Sunday! It was a Blessing to be able to see this tradition once again! Everyone did a great job, and I thank the parents for allowing their children to participate. It brought the true Spirit of Christmas to our parish!

Class Schedule Week of December 18th

ALL CLASSES WILL BE 45 MINUTES

Sunday, December 18th:

11:00 AM to 11:45 AM

Monday, December 19th:

4:00 PM to 4:45 PM

Tuesday, December 20th:

4:00 PM to 4:45 PM

Wednesday, December 21st:

4:00 PM to 4:45 PM

God Bless you!

**Mrs. Joan M. Baggs
Director of Religious Education**

**Website: [http://
olhcreligiouseducation.weebly.com/](http://olhcreligiouseducation.weebly.com/)**



Who donated to the Toys for Tots and the Giving Tree. Love is the Greatest Gift of All ! It is truly present here in our Parish Family ! God Bless you!

THE LOVE CANDLE

Fourth Advent
LOVE

*We are commanded to Love the Lord
God with all our heart, with all our soul,
with all our strength, with all our mind
and our neighbor as ourselves.*

