



HOLY ANGELS CHURCH



TOGETHER IN PRAYER AND WORSHIP



Holy Angels Parish walks with you in your journey of faith. We are a community of believers, coming together to pray and give glory to God through liturgy and sacraments. Our Catholic community welcomes you. We pray that each parishioner will be blessed and strengthened by the power of Jesus Christ our Saviour and live a life of abundance in fellowship, joy and love. May God bless you always!

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Saturday Vigil:
5:00 p.m. English

Sunday:
9:30 a.m. Italian
11:30 a.m. English

Weekday Masses:
8:00 a.m. English
(Mon/Wed/Thurs/Fri)
NO Mass on Tuesdays

CONFESSIONS/ CONFESSIONI:

4:00 – 4:45 p.m. Saturdays or by appointment

OFFICE HOURS/ ORARIO DI UFFICIO:

Monday
By Appointment Only

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Wednesday to Friday
9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

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December 4, 2022 | Second Sunday of Advent

Is 11:1-10 | Rom 15:4-9 | Mt 3:1-12

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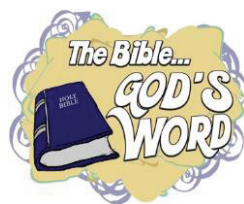
Harmony. It can seem so elusive in these times when our newsfeeds bombard us with reminders of what's wrong with our world: war, political conflicts, hunger, injustice, violence. We may also experience discord in our homes or within our hearts. Perhaps that is why the beautiful imagery in Isaiah's prophecy, where Isaiah envisions a world transformed by the coming of the Messiah, strikes a chord as we prepare for Christ's coming: We picture the wolf lying beside the lamb, and the calf with the lion. All will be right with the world. As we reflect on the areas in our lives that lack harmony, we are reminded to focus on Jesus and the Father, the source of all good. Through prayer and reflection on our Advent readings, we can "prepare the way of the Lord, make straight his paths."

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

I have a "smart" alarm clock. To shut it off, I just have to say, "Alexa, turn off my alarm." Easy, right? Well, too easy, it turns out, because lately I've slept right through the one-sided conversation. But it's hard to miss John's wake-up call: "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand!" Perhaps, though, we've become complacent; we've heard it so often that we skip right past it. That can happen during Advent, this season of preparation and, yes, repentance. I love our family traditions - candy every day, in the morning!; our well-worn Nativity set; lighting the Advent candles; Christmas concerts and gatherings. None of those are bad, of course, but in the blur of the season we must be challenged by John the Baptist's words to prepare not only our homes but our hearts for Christ's coming. During this season, we can examine our lives to separate the wheat from the chaff, focusing on those things that bring us closer to the Lord and one another. As St. Paul encourages the Romans, "Welcome one another, then, as Christ welcomed you, for the glory of God."

PRAY St. Paul's words above give us pretty clear instruction for how to live out our faith by welcoming others as Christ has welcomed us. Reflect on these words during daily Advent reflection this week: When have we welcomed others in our lives - and truly loved them? How can we do that for someone in the coming days?



Il Domenica di Avvento

La figura di Giovanni Battista ci sollecita alla conversione. Non facciamo cadere invano le sue parole, benché' esigenti. Il Signore

viene, il regno dei cieli è vicino, ma non ci sarà nulla per chi si sarà fermato ai buoni propositi. Dio non si ferma alle apparenze ma legge nei cuori.



Thank you for supporting your church. Collection for November 27th was \$2,955.00.

Grazie della generosità per la vostra Chiesa. L'offertorio della domenica 27 novembre era \$2,955.00.

Sanctuary Lamp Prayer for the week of December 4th is offered in memory of Attilio Zaccaria requested by his wife Giuseppina.



La lampada del SS. Sacramento della settimana di 4 dicembre è stata offerta in memoria di Attilio Zaccaria richiesta da sua moglie Giuseppina.

Holy Angels Building Repairs Fund: Second collection for November 27th was \$572.00.

La Seconda Raccolta per la Chiesa: Seconda raccolta della settimana 27 novembre era \$572.00.



December 14, 2022: will be our Day of Confessions at Holy Angels Church. We will be hearing confessions from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. and from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.



Dr. Simone: We will be collecting canned goods for the month of December.

Questo mese accogliamo i prodotti in scatola per la missione del Dr. Simone.

The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary
December 8, 2022: Prayer to the Immaculate Conception

O God, who by the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, did prepare a worthy dwelling place for Your Son, we beseech You that, as by the foreseen death of this, Your Son, You did preserve Her from all stain, so too You would permit us, purified through Her intercession, to come unto You.

Through the same Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God world without end. **Amen**

St. Anthony Committee: We invite all parishioners for coffee, panettone and Christmas cheer on December 11th following the 9:30 and 11:30 a.m. Masses. Santa Claus will also be visiting!

Advent Sale: There will be articles for sale each weekend in Advent after each Mass. Please take a look and support your church!



Advent Raffle: We received some generous donations for the Christmas Bazaar which were left over. Active Green & Ross donated \$400 towards Michelin Tires including installation

and Scott Funeral Home donated an Instant Pot Multi-Use Pressure Cooker. Tickets will be sold after each weekend Mass; 1 Ticket for \$2 or 3 tickets for \$5. Raffle will be held on December 19th.



Memorial Christmas Tree: This year, we will have a special Christmas Tree to remember our loved ones who have passed. If you would like to participate, you can purchase an angel ornament for \$25. The ornament will be personalized with your loved one's name and will be included in the Mass intention on December 24th at the

5:00 p.m. Mass. You can call the office to order one or we will be taking orders after each Mass.

Christmas Tree Toy Drive at Holy Angels 2022: Back by popular demand, this Advent Season, we will be collecting brand new toys for the less fortunate children. We are asking for donations of unwrapped toys appropriate for children ages 1-12. We will be accepting donations until December 18th.

Mass Intentions December 5th to December 11th

Monday December 5th	
8:00 am	For All Our Parishioners
Tuesday December 6th	
St. Nicholas	
8:00 am	No Mass
Wednesday December 7th	
St. Ambrose	
8:00 am	† Andrea Policelli by Leonardo and Domenica Di Franco
	† Antonio Amore by Ines Ranalli and Family
	† Michele & Giovanna Schiavone by Nicolina Marinaccio & Family
	† Anna Ciafaloni by Weekday Rosary Group
Thursday December 8th	
Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary	
8:00 am	In thanksgiving for the Immaculate Conception by Maria Di Principe
Friday December 9th	
St. Juan Diego	
8:00 am	† Giovina & Vincenzo Luciani by Visca Family
Saturday December 10th	
5:00 pm	† Giovanna & Matteo Farace by Maria Farace
Sunday December 11th	
3rd Sunday of Advent	
9:30 am	† Giuseppe A. Sabatino (2 years of passing) by Moglie e Figli
11:30 am	† Rodulfo, Luzvisminda & Cruze Saballa by Bernardita Ferrante



Please welcome our newest little parishioner...

Chase Jack Sulimierski

Contact the office for more information on the Baptismal Preparation process. We require 3 months advance notice.



Congratulations to our newly married couple...Elisa Simpson & Marco Bertagnolio

One year in advance notice. A Marriage Course is required. No date may be set before meeting with the Pastor.

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