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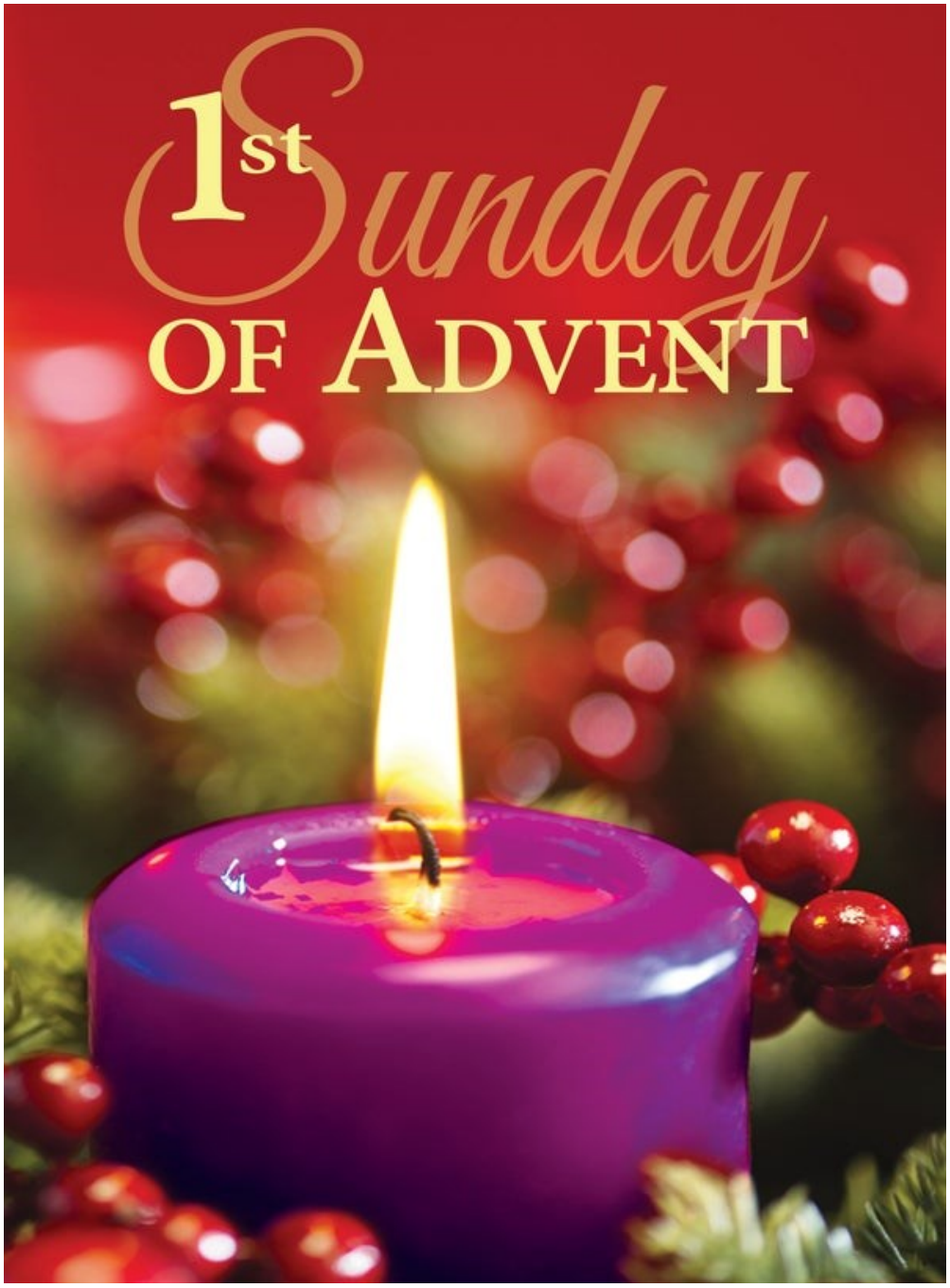
Holy Cross Polish Mission
Kościół Świętego Krzyża

November 29, 2026

The First Sunday of Advent



Deeply Committed. Christ at Heart

St. Mary Nativity Catholic Church
706 N. Broadway Street
Joliet, IL 60435

Holy Cross Polish Mission
830 Elizabeth Street
Joliet, IL 60435

Welcome

Schedule of Masses

St. Mary Nativity Church

Saturday (Vigil)..... 4:00 PM
Sunday ..... 7:00 & 11:00 AM
.....12:30 & 5:30 PM

Tues., Wed., Thurs. ..... 8:30 AM

Holy Cross Church

Saturday (Vigil)..... 4:00 PM (English)
..... 5:30 PM (Polish)
Sunday ..... 9:00 AM (English)
..... 10:30 AM (Polish)

Monday & Friday ..... 7:30 AM (English)
Tuesday..... 8:30 AM (Polish)
Mon. Wed. Thurs. Fri.... 7:00 PM (Polish)

Holydays: Please see the Parish Bulletin

Confessions

Saturday.....3:15-3:45 PM ***SMN***
Thirty Minutes before Polish Masses ***HC***
Confessions also by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday..... Noon to 3:00 PM ***SMN***

Personal Prayer

St. Mary Nativity is open for prayer
Mon-Thurs ..... 8:00 am to 4:00 PM
Friday..... 8:00 am to 3:00 PM

St. Mary Nativity & Holy Cross Parish Office

706 N. Broadway Street
Joliet, IL 60435

(815) 726-4031

Parish Office Hours
Mon-Thurs ..... 8:00 am to 4:00 PM
Friday..... 8:00 am to 3:00 PM

St. Mary Nativity School

Pre-K through Grade 8
(815) 722-8518

Faith Formation Office

(815) 726-4073

www.stmarynativityholycross.com

Pastoral Staff

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Confessions: The Sacrament of Penance is celebrated at St. Mary Nativity on Saturday from 3:15-3:45 pm and one-half hour before all Polish Masses at Holy Cross. Confessions are also available by appointment.

Parish Registration: We welcome all new members. Please phone or visit the Parish Office to join St. Mary Nativity or St. Holy Cross.

Baptism: Expectant parents are asked to prepare for the celebration of baptism well in advance by participating in a baptismal preparation class before the birth of their child. Please call the Parish Office to register for this required class.

Marriage: Call the Parish Office at least six months in advance, before making other wedding plans.

Sick and Infirm: Call the Parish Office to have Holy Communion brought to shut-ins, or to celebrate the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick. Please notify the Rectory Office whenever a family member is seriously ill or hospitalized.

Catechumenate: Adults interested in joining the Catholic church should contact the Parish Office for information concerning the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (O.C.I.A.).

Funerals: Upon the death of a loved one, before publication in the newspaper, please contact the Parish Office directly to schedule the Funeral Mass.

Faith Formation: Religious Education meets at St. Mary Nativity during the school year on Sunday or Monday. Classes are offered for grades 1-8.

Polska Katolicka Szkoła im. Świętego Krzyża: Holy Cross Polish School meets at St. Mary Nativity during the school year on Friday evening. www.polskaszkolajoliet.com

Educational Endowment: Contact the Rectory to make a donation to the St. Mary Nativity Educational Endowment or to establish a memorial gift in memory of a loved one.

Sunday Contributions: Parishioners of St. Mary Nativity and Holy Cross may place their parish envelope in the Sunday Collection at Mass in either parish. Your contribution will be recorded at your parish. Online contributions are also accepted

Parish Website: For information concerning St Mary Nativity or Holy Cross Church, please visit our website at www.stmarymarynativityholycross.com.

Scan to Donate

Bulletin Deadline

Please submit bulletin articles **two weeks** in advance of the date of publication to smammosser@stmarynativity.org.

Sunday Mass Schedule

St. Mary Nativity and Holy Cross offer a combined schedule of nine (9) Saturday evening and Sunday Masses, the most among parishes in the City of Joliet. Earlier this fall, Fr. Clive asked me to look into the possibility of adjusting our parish Mass schedule. Our ushers began counting attendance at Mass in October. This will continue through the end of December.

After the first of the year, I will be discussing possible updates to our weekend Mass schedule with members of our Parish Council. I will keep you informed as I am better informed as to what these adjustments might be.

I expect that any schedule change will continue to provide a variety of convenient Mass times for members of our parishes.

Fr. Chris Groh

Bible Study

Weekly Bible Study is held in the Nativity Room after the 8:30 am Mass on Tuesday morning.

The Sacrament of Penance

The Sacrament of Penance is celebrated at St. Mary Nativity on Saturday from 3:15-3:45 pm and one-half hour before all Polish Masses at Holy Cross. Confessions are also available by appointment.

Welcome to Our Parishes

We welcome you to St. Mary Nativity and Holy Cross and invite you to join us as a member of our parishes. Registration forms may be found in the back of the Church. If you have any questions about our parish ministries and activities, please phone the Parish Office at 815-726-4031.

St. Mary Nativity and Holy Cross St. Vincent de Paul Conference

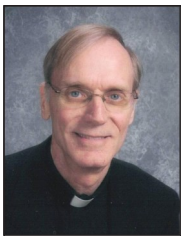
The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul (SVDP) St. Mary Nativity and Holy Cross Conference is part of an international lay organization that serves our local community. It is supported by members and parishioners through prayer, sharing of resources, and assistance with clothing and housing assistance to those who have fallen upon hard times.

The St. Mary Nativity and Holy Cross SVDP Conference is a Catholic lay organization, supported solely through donations. We are always looking to expand our membership to better reach those in need. Please consider joining us and experience the joy of being the hands and feet of Christ!

For more information phone 815-779-4878.

New Address, email or Phone Number?

If you have a new mailing address, email or phone number, please remember to call the Parish Office (815-726-4031) to let us know so we can update our parish records at St. Mary Nativity or Holy Cross.



From Fr. Chris Groh

Dear Friends,

"The General Norms for the Liturgical Year" remind us:

"The Season of Advent has a twofold character. It is a time of preparation for Christmas when the first coming of God's Son to men is recalled. It is also a season when minds are directed by this memorial to Christ's second coming at the end of time. Thus it is a season of joyful and spiritual preparation."

Preparation for the coming of Jesus is central to Christian life, and at the very heart of the Advent Season. During these four weeks, we remember God's promise fulfilled in the birth of His Son, Jesus, and we look forward with hope to his return in glory at the end of time.

Advent is a busy time for us all. It is easy to get caught-up in the trappings of the season, but we must set aside time to prepare spiritually by allowing God's grace to transform us.

In our Gospel today, Jesus reminds us, *"Be watchful! Be alert!"* During these weeks of Advent we watch and wait with great anticipation and expectation.

Please don't lose the religious focus of this season, There is so much to enjoy during these days. The Christ Child is a priceless gift from God. May we, too, be as generous in our sharing and in our giving to others.

God's blessings to all!

Fr. Chris Groh

Fr. Chris Groh
Administrator,
St. Mary Nativity and Holy Cross



2027 Boxed Offertory Envelopes and Parish Calendars are here!

Please pick-up your 2027 Offertory Envelopes in the Nativity Room after Mass. The boxed envelope set includes all Sundays, Holy Days and Second Collections. If you are unable to find your box of envelopes, please phone the Parish Office (815-726-4031).

St. Mary Nativity and Holy Cross Calendars for 2027 are available. Please be sure to take one home. (SMN Calendars are in the Nativity Room.) Thank you to Tezak's Home to Celebrate Life for providing our calendars again this year.

Updating Prayer List

We are updating our prayer list. If you wish to have a loved one included in the list, please phone the Parish Office at (815-726-4031).

Sunday Collection

Whether you attend St. Mary Nativity or Holy Cross for Mass, you may drop either parish envelope in the Sunday Collection. Your contribution will be recorded at your parish.

The Week Ahead

Monday, November 30
Tuesday, December 1
9:30am Bible Study - SMN Nativity Room
1:00pm Rosary - SMN Church
Wednesday, December 2
2:00pm Dismissal - SMN School - (Faculty Meeting)
Thursday, December 3
1:00pm Rosary in Spanish - SMN Church
3:00pm Game Club - SMN
7:00pm When You Pray Session 5 (Adult Study)- SMN Nativity Room
Friday, December 4
12:00pm Eucharistic Adoration - SMN Church
5:00pm Polish School - SMN School
7:00pm First Friday Mass - Polish - SMN Church
Saturday, December 5
7:00am Private Christmas Party - SMN Gym & Cafeteria
8:00pm Set up for Breakfast and Craft Show - SMN Cafeteria & Gym
Sunday, December 6 Food Pantry Collection - SMN
9:15am Religious Education Class - SMN

Marriage Encounter Weekend

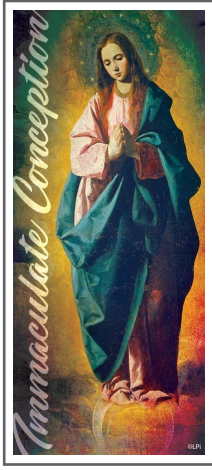
"Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of these least ones, you did for me." Mt. 25.
Your care and concern should start with your spouse. Learn to love to the fullest by participating in an upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience from December 4-6 in Lemont. For info: wwme.org or (888) 574-3653

Thursday Morning Coffee & Donuts

You are invited to join us for coffee and donuts at St. Mary Nativity on Thursday mornings following the 8:30 am Mass in the Nativity Room.

St. Mary Nativity/ Holy Cross Magnificat Table
Fellowship Meal

Please join us for a Holiday Meal on Sunday, December 13th from 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM in the Nativity Room.



Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception
Holy Day of Obligation

Monday, December 7th
4:00pm HC (English)
7:00pm HC (Polish)
7:00pm SMN

Tuesday, December 8th
8:30am & 4:00pm SMN
12:00(Noon)HC (English)
7:00pm HC (Polish)

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, November 28 —

4:00 PM	***SMN***	Jerry Lakota - Judy & Jerry Olson
4:00 PM	***HC***	Felix & Kitty Burzawa - Family
		Edward & Ann Buldak - Family
		Josephine & Joseph Costello - Family
7:00 PM	***HC***	(Polish) Helena i Jan Pańszczyk

SUNDAY, November 29 — The First Sunday of Advent

7:00 AM	***SMN***	Willard Perkins - Family
9:00 AM	***HC***	For the People of the Parishes
10:30 AM	***HC***	(Polish) O Boże błogosławieństwo i wszelkie łaski dla Anny z okazji urodzin
		Helena i Józef Piorun
		Jan Strama, Jan Strzęp i Józef Szewczyk
		Dusze czyśćcowe
11:00 AM	***SMN***	Delores Bebej - Andrea McIntosh & Family
12:30 PM	***SMN***	Carmen DeNardis - Family
		Norma Strahanoski - Maggie & Bill Whitgrove
5:30 PM	***SMN***	For the People of the Parishes

MONDAY, November 30 —

8:30 AM	***HC***	Kevin Hansen - Elizabeth A. Hansen
7:00 PM	***HC***	(Polish) Maria Hełdak

TUESDAY, December 1 —

8:30 AM	***SMN***	Julius Roark by Family
		Martin Lepacek Jr. (Anniversary) - Pat Lepacek
8:30 AM	***HC***	(Polish) Aleksander, Wiktoria, Stefania, Jan i Józef

WEDNESDAY, December 2 —

8:30 AM	***SMN***	For the Confirmation Class
7:00 PM	***HC***	(Polish) Marian Drogosz i + Mirosław Drogosz

THURSDAY, December 3 — St. Francis Xavier, Priest

8:30 AM	***SMN***	For the People of the Parishes
		John F. Lepacik Sr. (20th Anniv) - Family
7:00 pm	***HC***	(Polish) David Pettenuzzo

FRIDAY, December 4 —

8:30 AM	***HC***	Kevin Hansen - Mike & Beth Hansen
7:00 PM	***HC***	(Polish) O Boże błogosławieństwo dla Barbary Sielickiej z okazji imienin

SATURDAY, December 5 —

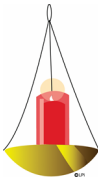
4:00 PM	***SMN***	Lucille Kararo - Family
		Ray Colclasure - Family
		Marlen Hernandez - Diana Galindo
		Carol Terdic - Steve & Jan Serdar
4:00 PM	***HC***	For the People of the Parishes
7:00 PM	***HC***	(Polish) O Boże błogosławieństwo dla Barbary Sielickiej z okazji imienin

SUNDAY, December 6 — The Second Sunday of Advent

7:00 AM	***SMN***	Marie Rodawold - Family
9:00 AM	***HC***	Mikolaj Bindas (10 Yr. Passing) - Daughter
		Theresa Lang - Family
10:30 AM	***HC***	(Polish) O opiekę Matki Bożej dla Mikołaja z okazji urodzin i imienin
		O Bożą opiekę dla wnuka Angelo i Damiana
		O Boże błogosławieństwo dla Antoniego z okazji 18. urodzin
		Mikołaj Mroczek
11:00 AM	***SMN***	Deceased members of the Zdunich Family
		Cecilia Wolf - Marianne Wolf-Astrauskas
		Clara Surma - Jan & Joyce Nahorski
12:30 PM	***SMN***	All Souls in Purgatory
5:30 PM	***SMN***	For the People of the Parishes

SMN - St. Mary Nativity ***HC*** - Holy Cross





Flame of Faith

Josephine & Alfred Bloch

Each week two sanctuary candles burn before the Blessed Sacrament at St. Mary Nativity in memory of family members and friends. Please phone the Rectory Office to offer a memorial for a friend or loved one. A donation of $5.00 is requested to offset the cost of these candles.

Use your IRA to make a gift- and Save Taxes

Charitable IRA ROLLOVER

If you are over age 70½, tax laws allow you to make charitable gifts to St. Mary Nativity or Holy Cross through your traditional or Roth IRA. In order to qualify, gifts must be made by your IRA custodian directly to St. Mary Nativity or Holy Cross and may not exceed $100,000.00.

Though no charitable deduction is allowed, you can avoid the tax you would otherwise pay on required distributions.

Giving from your IRA, rather than from other assets, may be especially appropriate if you use the standard deduction rather than itemizing your deductions. It might also be a good choice if you don't need all of your required minimum distribution or you wouldn't be able to deduct all of your charitable contributions because of deduction limitations. *Donations must be completed by December 31 to receive a 2026 tax benefit.* For information, contact your IRA administrator, or the Parish Office (815-726-4031).



St. Mary Nativity Hospitality Sunday

Please join us for donuts and coffee in the Nativity Room after the morning Masses on the second Sunday of each month.

St. Mary Nativity Music Ministry



Calling all singers and instrumentalists. Choir members and musicians needed. If you are interested, phone Tony Brandolino, Director of Music at 815-531-9257.

Time - Talent - Treasure

Remember St. Mary Nativity and Holy Cross in your Estate Plans. Please call the parish Office, 815-726-4031 for further information.

St. Mary Nativity

Budgeted Weekly Collection	$9,215.00
Collection November 14/15	$8,765.15
Average Offering	$51.98
YTD Sunday Offertory	$173,463.00
YTD Budget Need	$184,300.00
Overage/ (Shortage) YTD	($10,835.00)

Holy Cross

Budgeted Weekly Collection	$2,843.00
Collection November 14/15	$2,227.00
Average Offering	$34.72
YTD Sunday Offertory	$50,784.00
YTD Budget Need	$56,860.00
Overage/ (Shortage) YTD	($6,076.00)

In the Name of Jesus, thank you!



Your Gift Makes a Difference!

The Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal helps our parish and the Diocese of Joliet to provide countless ministries, programs, and services to support our friends and neighbors in immeasurable ways **70% of gifts received over goal will be returned to our parishes for our use.**

	St. Mary Nativity	Holy Cross
2026 Target Goal	$39,800.00	$13,700.00
Total Pledges	$43,055.00	$17,769.00
Amount Paid	$41,335.00	$17,729.00
Balance Due	$ 1,720.00	$ 240.00
2026 Rebate	$ 1,074.00	$ 2,820.00

Final Totals - Thank You for Your Support!

Please Pray for Our Military



As a community, let us pray for these outstanding men and women in service to our country. Please phone the Parish Office (815-726-4031) so we may add the names of parishioners, as well as family members and friends in Military Service.

Lt. Alex Aguilera, USMC
Cpt. Marcos Aguilera, USMC
2nd Lt. Kevin A'Hearn
SRA Michael Wilson Arellano
Jeremy M. Close, ARMY
Cpt. Anthony Gutierrez, USMC
Sgt. Christina Hanks, USMC
Tommy Hanks, USMC
Petty Officer 1st Class
Tyler Hintzsche, NAVY
Jacob Gregurich, USMC
Sgt. FC Jay R. Martin
Amn. Jack Maurer, AIR FORCE
Amn. Josh Maurer, AIR FORCE
Pfc. Michael McCallister, ARMY
Joe Miller, USMC
Brent Moot
Pfc. Paul Roder, USMC
1st Sgt. Christina Romero, USM
Jonathon Schroll, USMC
Kathleen Sullivan, NAVY
Fr. Clive Otieno, USAF CHAPLAIN
David Walters, ARMY
CPL. Christopher Wesle

Please Remember in Prayer

Ann, Bill, Mary Bellos, Vietta Bews, Sheri Bokholdt, Christopher Borsom, Stephanie Cavanagh, Tyler Centorbi, Yolanda Costa, Dianne Cerpen-Verlare, Bob DeLach, Anthony Deredita, John Drnek, Gerald Drobick, Linda Eck, Dosseh Houseaj Elise, Kelly G., Anthony Gregory, Anthony Harmes, Alba Hensley, Sarah Hoebing, Janet, Janet Horvath, Jacqueling H., Violet Hyndman, Harriet Kazlauskas, James Kozar, Dan Kramerich, Bernadette Lajcin, Marilyn Lajcin, Don Legerski, Darlene Likar, Ann Marie Linko, Phil May, Alex McKeel, Charlene Molnar, Robert Nasenbenny, Raymond John Nickel, Paul Norris, Gliceria Nunez, Parnell, James Partak, Patricia Phinney, Phyllis Popek, Ronald Pruss, Armando Rodriguez, Father Pete Rossa, Lesa Ruth, Kimberly Schlegel, Steve Senisais, Terri Shepherd, Ashly Smith, Scott & Adam, Elizabeth Mary Sobolak, Mary Suarez, Thomure Family, Joseph Trubich, Jim Thompson, Margaret Thompson, Sister Elaine Teders, Tommy Turner, Susan Ward

Need prayers or know someone who does, call Pat Weiskop (815-723-7141)

Religious Formation

Wee glad to support your family in its faith journey. The St. Mary Nativity Religious Education Office works to help your child build a personal, grace-filled relationship with Jesus. Religious Formation partners with families to pass on the Catholic Faith through a structured program tailored to each child's developmental stage, from kindergarten through eighth grade. For more information, contact Christine Goba at 815-726-4073 or faith formation@stmarynativity.org.

Sacramental Preparation

The Diocese of Joliet requires that children complete a minimum of two consecutive years of religious formation in preparation for the reception of sacraments.

Adult Confirmation Classes

It is never too-late to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation! If you have not celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation, you are invited to participate in out Adult Confirmation Program. The Catholic Church welcomes you and looks forward to you becoming a full part of our family of faith. For more information, phone Christine Goba at 815-726-4073 or by email at faithformation@stmarynativity.org.

Interested in the Catholic Church?



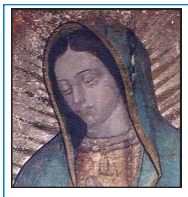
Coming to know Jesus Christ within the Catholic Church is the journey of a lifetime for all of us. However, if you are not a Catholic either because you were never baptized or because you were baptized in another Christian tradition, you can begin that journey through the process which we call The Order Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA). This process is also open to Catholics who haven't received the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist and it is the place for unbaptized school age children.

If you think that the RCIA journey is for you and you want to know more, please call Christine Goba at 815-726-4073 or faithformation@stmarynativity.org.



Catholic Kids Column
The First Sunday of Advent

In today's reading, we are reminded that we are children of God and that He is our creator. Jesus tells us to be watchful for signs of His presence in our midst. He wants us to look for the signs that He is with us. What are these signs? Living like Jesus means that we forgive people, we care for them, and we show them respect. When we see those signs, we will know that Jesus is with us in our world. Look for Him. Watch for those signs. From LTP Sourcebook



23.5 Degrees of Consolation: A Guadalupe Investigation

On Wednesday, December 9 you are invited to join our Confirmation and 7th grade students and their parents at 7:00pm for a special presentation given by Deacon Tony Clishem, of the Office of Catechetical Formation of the Diocese of Joliet. Deacon Clishem will discuss the science behind the image of Our Lady of Guadalupe. All are welcome to join at St. Mary Nativity Church (Nativity Room) for this informative talk.



Adult Formation Series

Do you wish to grow deeper in your relationship with God? Join us for one or more sessions in our Adult Formation Study the Nativity Room from 7:00 to 8:15 pm. Upcoming topics include:

December 3: Living the Flame of Love.
December 10: In the World, Not of the World- Radiating Christ

For more information, contact Christine Goba, Faith Formation Director at 815-726-4073 or faithformation@stmarynativity.org.

Tags will be available November 28/29

THE GIVING TREE

HERE'S HOW IT WORKS:
1. Remove tag from the Giving Tree, located in church.
2. Go shopping!
3. Place purchased items in a gift bag. Please DO NOT wrap with wrapping paper!
4. Attach the original tag to the gift.
5. Place your gift under the Giving Tree by the weekend of December 12th/13th.

Questions? Contact Laurie Knick
815-600-0819 laurie.knick@comcast.net

ST. MARY NATIVITY SCHOOL

SAVE the DATE

SANTA BREAKFAST

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6TH

7:00 AM – 12:00 PM

SCHOOL CAFETERIA

ST. Mary Nativity School presents

CHRISTMAS CRAFT SHOW

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2026

9:00 AM-3:00 PM

VENDOR SET UP 7:00 AM

Vendor Fees
$35 for one 8-foot table and two chairs
$15 for one additional 6-foot table

For more INFORMATION about becoming a vendor at SMN craft show please
Contact Maria:
alwaysalrightcreations@gmail.com
708-369-7484

PAYMENT OPTIONS

PAYMENTS CAN BE MADE AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE OR SENT BY MAIL.
PLEASE ENSURE CHECKS ARE MADE PAYABLE TO ST. MARY NATIVITY.

ALTERNATIVELY, YOU CAN PAY ONLINE USING THE FOLLOWING LINK:

HTTPS://SMNCRAFTSHOW.GIVESMART.COM

St. Mary Nativity Educational Endowment

A gift to the St. Mary Nativity Educational Endowment is an important way to provide for the ongoing support our parish school. Your contribution will be placed in a perpetual endowment which provides annual investment income that is designated for the benefit of the children of our school.

Contact the Parish Office (815-726-2032) to make a donation to the St. Mary Nativity Educational Endowment or to establish a memorial gift in memory of a loved one.

Celebrate the Start of the Holiday Season at Joliet's Downtown

Light Up the Holidays Parade

Friday, November 27, 2026
5:30pm

Give a cheer for St. Mary Nativity School

Calendar Raffle Tickets are now available in the Parish Office.

St. Mary Nativity Catholic School

150 DAYS OF WINNING

CALENDAR RAFFLE ~ January to May 2027

$12,000 in Total Payouts

All Tickets Can Win More Than Once

Every Weekday	$20
Every Saturday	$40
Every Sunday	$150
1st Day of the Month	$200
Last Day of the Month	$200

SPECIAL DAYS

Each Month win $150 on the 20th and 27th !

Jan. 1st	New Year's Day	$500	Mar. 21st	Palm Sunday	$200
Jan. 6th	Epiphany	$100	Mar. 25th	Holy Thursday	$150
Jan. 18th	MLK Jr. Day	$50	Mar. 27th	Holy Saturday	$250
Feb. 2nd	Groundhog Day	$50	Mar. 28th	Easter Sunday	$500
Feb. 10th	Ash Wednesday	$200	Apr. 1st	April Fool's Day	$500
Feb. 14th	Valentine's Day	$500	Apr. 22nd	Earth Day	$50
Feb. 15th	President's Day	$50	May 5th	Cinco de Mayo	$50
Mar. 16th	Day 75 - Halfway Home	$250	May 9th	Mother's Day	$300
Mar. 17th	St. Patrick's Day	$100	May 16th	Fr. Clive's Anniversary	$250
Mar. 19th	St. Joseph's Day	$100	May 28th	Last Day of School	$50
			May 31st	Memorial Day	$500

Tickets drawn daily*

*Weekends and holidays will be drawn the next business day.
There will be no drawing on 3/26/2027 Good Friday

$20 per Ticket

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