
a time for
Advent
HOLY FAMILY
CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

Holy Family Catholic Community invites you to celebrate Christmas 2026 with us.

Christmas Eve Vigil Masses | Thursday, Dec. 24

3:00 p.m. Family Mass in the Church

3:30 p.m. in the Social Center

5:30 p.m. in the Church

9:00 p.m. in the Church

Christmas Day Mass | Friday, Dec. 25

10:00 a.m. in the Church

Livestream and sign language interpreter provided at the 3:00 p.m. Family Mass.

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To learn more about Holy Family's Advent and Christmas offerings, visit www.holyfamilyparish.org.

Dear Holy Family,

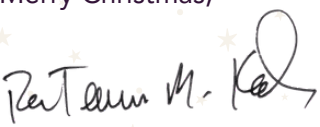
Jesus defines all **time**, and all **time** is measured by His coming. Advent reminds us of the promise of Christ that began long before Bethlehem. Through this most holy season, we are invited to look way back into the past, examine our present, and look to the future.

Advent is a **time** to reset and start a new liturgical year. Jesus is knocking on the door of our hearts. He's inviting a response. He wants communion. He meets us as we are, individually and as a community.

Don't feel worthy? Are any of us ever truly worthy? Jesus chose to enter our world in the messiest of places. Will you open the door and let Him in? He's ok with a mess.

This is the story of all **time**! God's rescue mission for all humanity. Come pray with us. There's always **time**.

Merry Christmas,



Fr. Terry Keehan &
the Holy Family Catholic Community Staff

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Holy Family Advent Events

Annual Christmas Tree Lighting
Sunday, November 29 | 4:30 p.m.
Matt Maher Concert
Friday, December 4 | 7:00 p.m.
See parish website for ticket sales.
Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception Masses
Monday, December 7 | 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, December 8 | 9:00 a.m.
HFCA Christmas Program, Grades K-5
Thursday, December 10 | 2:00 p.m. & 6:00 p.m.
Simbang Gabi Celebration
Saturday, December 19 | 5:00 p.m. Mass
Sign language interpreter provided.
A Sunday in Bethlehem with Live Nativity
Sunday, December 20 | 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Blue Christmas Prayer Service, for those who are grieving
Tuesday, December 22 | 7:00 p.m.
Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God Masses
Thursday, December 31 | 5:00 p.m.
Friday, January 1 | 10:00 a.m.

Seasonal Reconciliation Times
Individual Reconciliation, Monday, Nov. 30 & Dec. 7 | 5:30 – 7:00 p.m.
Individual Reconciliation, Monday, Dec. 14 & 21 | 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.
All Parish Reconciliation, Wednesday, Dec. 16 | 7:00 p.m.

Thank you for your generous Christmas Donation. The enclosed envelope may be dropped in the Narthex giving box. Scan the QR code for electronic giving options, including debit/credit card, Apple Pay, Google Wallet, Venmo and Paypal.

Christmas Flower Memorial Donations received by December 27 will be published in the January 10 bulletin.

Seasonal Notes

December 24 & December 31 | There will be no 9:00 a.m. Mass.
December 26 | The building will be closed except for 5:00 p.m. Mass.
January 1 | The building will be closed except for 10:00 a.m. Mass.