St. Joseph's Parish Scotia, New York

Music Selections:	Dec. 29, 2019	PSALM 128: THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH, YEAR A
ENTRANCE HYMN	317	A # #
PREPARATION HYMN	644	
COMMUNION HYMN	337	R. Bless-ed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways.
RECESSIONAL HYMN	313	R. Bless-ed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways.

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*It is the tradition of the church not to exit before the final hymn has been sung.

9:00 AM – Children's Sending: May your holy word take root in them (us). May your holy word bear fruit in them (us). Plant your word within them (us), so that they (we) may grow.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 28th THROUGH JANUARY 5th, 2019

If you are having a Mass offered, please contact an usher before Mass and let them know you would like to bring up the gifts

12-28	4:00 PM	Dominic DeMaria – The Family			
		Matthew B. Dippo - Aunt Debbie			
		Anne Marie Zeller – The Family			
12-29	9:00 AM	Mary & Joseph Gatta - The Family			
		Edward A. Luberda - The Luberda			
		Family			
		Allan Johnson - Remo & Isabella			
		Schiavone			
		Joseph R. Varno - The Parishioners			
		& Staff of St. Joseph's			
		Hilda Winbauer - Cathy & Jerry			
12-30	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception			
12-31	6:00 PM	Mass at Immaculate Conception			
1-01	9:00 AM	Solemnity of Mary-For All			
		Parishioners			
1-02	7:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception			
1-03	7:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception			
1-04	4:00 PM	Fr. Tom Boyle - John & Shirl Crane			
		Phillip DeMaria - Daughter			
		Mary Connelly - Dan			
1-05	9:00 AM	John & Josephine Kutzkowski - The			
		Gawlas Family			
		Al Johnson - Joe & Sue Masi			

	Scripture Readings for the \	Week
Mon. 12/30	1 Jn 2:12-17	Lk 2:36-40
Tues. 12/31	1 Jn 2:18-21	Jn 1:1-18
Wed. 1/1	Nm 6:22-27 Gal 4:4-7	Lk 2:16-21
Thur. 1/2	1 Jn 2:22-28	Jn 1:19-28
Fri. 1/3	1 Jn 2:29-3:6	Jn 1:29-34
Sat. 1/4	1 Jn 3:7-10	Jn 1:35-42
Sun. 1/5	Is 60:1-6 Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6	Mt 2:1-12

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LITURGICAL MINISTERS – JAN. 4 TH AND JAN. 5 TH , 2019				
	4:00 PM	9:00 AM		
LECTOR	D. Lippiello	R. Higgins		
CUP 1	L. Neals	H. Burke		
CUP 2	S. Ernst	K. Sroczynski		
BREAD 1	Celebrant	Celebrant		
BREAD 2	K. Brooks	A. Schnore		
BREAD 3	Deacon	Deacon		
BREAD 4	C. Kukan	D. Stec		
CUP 3	B. Corlew	D. Schoch		
CUP 4	T. Neals	A. Stolle		
SERVER	TBD	K. Ostrander		
SERVER		W. Schnore		
GREETER	M. Cybulski	T. Grasso & M. Zuppa		

FINANCIAL STATISTICS 12/16-12/22/19						
OFFERTORY	\$2,668.11	ENVELOPE USERS	99			
CHRISTMAS	805.00	ATTENDANCE	301			
IMMAC. CONCEPTION	10.00					
DEBT REDUCTION	15.00					
CHRISTMAS MEMORIALS	55.00					
STOLE FEE	100.00					
DONATIONS	820.00					
TOTAL INCOME	\$4,473.11	TOTAL EXPENSES	\$6,634.79			

*Some larger expenses include: Pension \$1,465/P/R & Taxes \$1,426/YM Exp. \$1,129/Flowers \$619

Just a friendly reminder from the Finance Office as we head toward the end of the year. All 2019 contributions <u>must</u> be received or postmarked by December 31, 2019 (regardless of check date). The Parish Office will close on **Tuesday**, **December 31**st at **3 pm** ~ please plan accordingly.



Remember in your prayers those members of our parish who are sick or suffering in any way, as well as those in hospitals and nursing homes and all of our shut-ins. We

also pray for family, friends and those who have died recently. We also pray for men and women in our armed forces who are serving our country.

Solemnity of Mary - Wednesday, January 1, 2019

St. Joseph's - 9:00 AM Immaculate Conception- 9:00 AM* Our Lady of Grace - 10:30 AM

*Note: Immaculate Conception will have a Vigil Mass on 12/31 at 6:00 PM ~~~~~~

Please check the bulletin board in HFH for signup sheets for the Solemnity of Mary liturgy, January

1 at 9 AM. We are still in need of ministers!



We are in need of Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors for both Weekend Masses. Please consider joining one of these very vital You won't regret it. ministries.

Schedules can be as flexible as you need them to Please call the parish office with questions or to sign-up.

Attention Greeters and Altar Servers!

New schedules for the first quarter of 2020 have been printed and are available on the table beneath the bulletin board in Holy Family Hall. **Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors** schedules will be available at a later date.



Our next order for Hannaford Gift Cards is scheduled for Tuesday, December 31st. All orders must be at the Parish Office by Monday,

December 30th at 10 am. Questions? Please contact Deb Griffith at the office (518-346-2316).

As cold & flu season seem to be upon us, please consider taking extra precautions during mass. While we do not want to prevent

anyone from receiving the precious blood, please consider others when deciding whether to receive from the cup if you are not feeling well. Hand sanitizers are also available for everyone's use as needed.



Please be aware of special office hours for the Parish Office next week. We will be closing at 3 pm on

Tuesday, December 31st for the New Year's holiday and will be back on Monday, January 6th. We wish everyone a safe and Happy New Year!



Please join us next Sunday after the 9 AM mass for coffee and pastries. Come get to know some of your fellow parishioners!

Additional Christmas Memorials

Dean Sweeney John Wilson



The 2020 boxed set of offertory envelopes finally arrived will be available for pick up next weekend (Jan. 4th & 5th) in Holy Family Hall.

Please be sure to pick up your envelopes as soon as possible.

Thank you to everyone who helped in any way in the last week as we prepared for Christmas. Your help with decorating the church.

delivering flowers to the homebound and nursing preparing the Christmas program, homes. ministering at Christmas liturgies, etc. was all **GREATLY** appreciated.



There will be no Children's Liturgy this weekend due to the Christmas/New Year's holiday vacation. We will resume in the New Year!

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