

## MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF December 30, 2018

### SATURDAY (December 29)

5:00 Mary Deegan

### SUNDAY (December 30) The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

8:00 Francesco Russo, requested by Michelina & Rocco Docimo & Family

10:30 Joseph & Irene Kane Trefny & Frank & Helen Ritter, requested by JoAnne & Bob Ritter

### MONDAY (December 31)

NO MASS

### TUESDAY (January 1) Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God

9:00 a.m. Intention of all parishioners

### WEDNESDAY (Januar 2) St. Basil the Great; St. Gregory Nazianzen

NO MASS

### THURSDAY (January 3)

NO MASS

### FRIDAY (January 4) St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

NO MASS

### SATURDAY (January 5) St. John Neumann

9:00

5:00 Madeline Przybylek, requested by Fran & Don Desio

### SUNDAY (January 6) The Epiphany of the Lord

8:00 John Iscaro, requested by Fran & Don Desio

10:30 Deceased members of the Benjamin Family



## MINISTRY SCHEDULE

### SATURDAY, Jan. 5

5:00 P.M.

- (L) D. ONIFREY
- (E) H. DELAGO
- (E) M. FRATTAROLI
- (E) M. MORGAN
- (A) Z. FRATTAROLI
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### SUNDAY, Jan. 6

8:00 A.M.

- L. FRIEDBERG
- M. McHUGH
- A. PERRI
- F. WALTERS
- O. COSTELLO
- P. COSTELLO

### SUNDAY, Jan. 6

10:30 A.M.

- W. SUSHON
- G. LAUFENBERG
- K. LAUFENBERG
- J. PORTER
- G. LAUFENBERG
- P. LAUFENBERG

## ***RELIGIOUS EDUCATION INFORMATION***

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Religious Education classes will resume Sunday, January 13<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m.

- Confirmation candidates can use the Christmas break to complete some of their obligations. Please refer to your Confirmation Brochure.
- First Holy Communion Enrollment Mass is January 27, 2019 at 10:30 a.m.

***"A Happy and Healthy New Year from the Religious Education Office"***

## ***YOUR STILL HAVE TIME TO DONATE.....***

### **PLACE YOUR DONATIONS UNDER THE TREE.....NEW & UNWRAPPED**

Men's undershirts, t-shirts, boxers, socks, belts, travel size toiletries (toothpaste, soap, deodorant, shampoo, disposable razors, shaving cream, combs, etc.)

*All items will be delivered to the Soup Kitchen and Men's Shelter run by Missionaries of Charity Sisters Residents in NYC.*



Dear Parishioners,

As we begin our new calendar year, I would like to take this opportunity to pray for health and happiness for you and yours. Also, I would like to **thank** each one of you for using your time, talents and treasures to support this parish, and help build it up. I cannot do everything by myself; this is our parish, not my parish. As such, we should do everything for the good of it. I appreciate your assistance in whichever way or form that you offer it.

I would also like to **thank** the decorating committee who decorated the Church so beautifully for the Christmas season. I have had a lot of positive feedback. Let us continue throughout the year to use our time, talents and treasures for the good of our parish and also to help build up God's Kingdom here on earth.

Lastly, **thank you** to so many who gave me Christmas "goodies" in one form or another. My thanks are my prayers for you.

Christ's peace and everything good for the New Year.

Fr. Carlos

**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY, DECEMBER 31<sup>ST</sup> AND TUESDAY, JANUARY 1<sup>ST</sup>**  
**PLEASE NOTE: Mass on Tuesday, January 1<sup>st</sup> will be at 9:00 a.m.**

### THANK YOU!

A special "thank you" to the Nicholas F. Cagnetta Funeral Home and Crematory for their very generous donation of calendars for 2019. Their kindness is greatly appreciated.

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Jn 2:18-21; Ps 96:1-2, 11-13; Jn 1:1-18  
Tuesday: Nm 6:22-27; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Gal 4:4-7; Lk 2:16-21  
Wednesday: 1 Jn 2:22-28; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 1:19-28  
Thursday: 1 Jn 2:29 — 3:6; Ps 98:1, 3cd-6; Jn 1:29-34  
Friday: 1 Jn 3:7-10; Ps 98:1, 7-9; Jn 1:35-42  
Saturday: 1 Jn 3:11-21; Ps 100:1b-5; Jn 1:43-51  
Sunday: Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12

### DIVINE MERCY MOMENT.



St. Faustina: *During deep recollection, I saw the stable of Bethlehem filled with great radiance. The Blessed Virgin, all lost in the deepest of love, was wrapping Jesus in swaddling clothes, but St. Joseph was still asleep. Only after the Mother of God put Jesus in the manger did the light of God awaken Joseph, who also prayed. But after a while, I was left alone with the infant Jesus who stretched out His little hands to me, and I understood that I was to take Him in my arms. Jesus pressed His head against my heart and gave me to know, by His profound grace, how good He found it to be next to my heart (Diary, 1442).*

**ADULT BIBLE STUDY** is on Christmas break, and will resume on Wednesday, January 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. Any questions, please email Dave O at [linedrive@me.com](mailto:linedrive@me.com).

### YOUR OFFERINGS

Weekend of December 22 & 23  
Offertory Collection \$4,080.00  
Christmas Collection \$21,131.00  
"Thank you for your generosity"  
Expenses for the week of Dec. 23—\$1,339.78

### For your convenience:

Instructions for Online giving can be found at  
<https://www.stclementofstamford.com/uploads/1/0/6/1/106187663/onlinegivingmembers.pdf>  
And to login you can go to  
<https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/4495>

### HOSPITAL VISITS COMMUNION CALLS

Privacy laws prevent hospitals and nursing homes from informing us about patients in their care. We are no longer allowed to view patient rosters. If you or a member of your family are in need of a visit, please notify the parish office.

**Also, if you know a parishioner who is homebound and would like to receive Communion, please call the parish office and let us know.**

If you would like the **Sanctuary Lamp** to burn in memory of a loved one, either living or deceased, please call Fran at the parish office weekdays between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.

**HAPPY NEW YEAR!**