

PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME!

Sunday, January 1 ♦

Blessed Virgin Mary, The Mother of God

9:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

11:00 a.m. Elsie Haninger (Warren & Carolyn Roberts)

– Nm 6:22-27; Gal 4:4-7; Lk 2:16-21

Monday, January 2 ♦ No Mass

Tuesday, January 3 ♦ Christmas Weekday

11:30 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

– 1 Jn 2:29–3:6; Jn 1:29-34

Wednesday, January 4 ♦ St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

11:30 a.m. James Manley (Kim & Mitch Manley)

– 1 Jn 3:7-10; Jn 1:35-42

Thursday, January 5 ♦ St. John Neumann

11:30 a.m. Spires Family (Joanie & Jerry Spires)

– 1 Jn 3:11-21; Jn 1:43-51

Friday, January 6 ♦ Christmas Weekday

11:30 a.m. James Klausman (Frances Klausman,
children and grandchildren)

– 1 Jn 5:5-13; Mk 1:7-11 or Lk 3:23-38 or 3:23, 31-34, 36, 38

12:00 p.m. Novena to Our Sorrowful Mother

7:30 p.m. All-Night Eucharistic Vigil
(Intention of Presider)

Saturday, January 7 ♦

Seventh Day in the Octave of Christmas

7:30 a.m. All-Night Eucharistic Vigil
Closes with Benediction

11:30 a.m. Increase of Vocations to Priesthood
& Religious Life

– 1 Jn 5:14-21; Jn 2:1-11

Sunday, January 8 ♦ The Epiphany of the Lord

9:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

11:00 a.m. Special Intention for Katherine Haninger
(Dr. Glenn Haninger)

– Is 60:1-6; Eph 3:2-3, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12

+ **Please remember in your prayers** our homebound parishioners, and those who are ill: Mary Bonner, Mary Cordesco, Marianne Garrison, Jestina Jones, Lauren Jones, Susan Luck, Ellen McMillen, Mary McNellis, Cathy Miller, Mary Montell, Charles Mooney, Bob Scholl, Marilyn Scott, Graham Sowers, Helen Violet, Elizabeth Wanamaker.

St. Lawrence Haven – January 15th

Attention, all our “Lil Larry” sandwich makers. The next opportunity to support St. Lawrence Haven is Sunday, January 15th, following the 9:00 a.m. Mass at the Cum Christo Center.

**Thank You and Blessings On
All Rectory Open House**

A heartfelt thank you to all who helped make our Christmas celebration so beautiful and memorable: Claire Miller, Bill Hueckel and all who assisted them in cleaning and decorating the church, all greeters, ushers, readers, extraordinary ministers, musicians, choir members, servers, and all who came to celebrate Christmas here at Holy Cross.

In addition all of us thank you sincerely for your many and varied expressions of holiday greetings and remembrances.

Please come to the Rectory and join us in celebrating each other at our Open House after both Masses today.

Finally, as this New Year of grace begins, we pray that you and your families will grow in faith, hope, and love each day. May God, who has begun this good work in you, bring it to fulfillment.

Prayerfully, Your Pastoral Staff

Training Session

We need to “build up” our roster of Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors, so if you are interested in serving in either of these roles, we have just the meeting for you! Mark your calendars for a training session on Tuesday, January 10, 2012, 6:00 p.m. and/or 7:00 p.m. More details will follow after the New Year. Please contact Sr. Anne at the Rectory Office at 614-224-3416.

Repair Fund Collection – January 8th

A second collection will be taken up next week for the repairs on the church and Rectory. We thank you in advance for your continuous support of this program.

Sincere Gratitude

What a beautiful tribute to your generosity in our ability to share our blessings with some needy brothers and sisters. We assisted 3 parish families – 5 J.O.I.N. families – several from our neighboring deanery parish and other needy friends and “at-the-door” emergencies. May you experience the joy and blessing of giving.

THANKS!

DECEMBER 25, 2011 OFFERINGS

Designated Collections

(Funds forwarded
directly to the Diocese)

Diocesan Charities=
\$1,040.54

Mass Attendance

9:00 a.m. = 494

10:00 a.m. = 102

Offertory\$7,573.42

Votives20.00

Novena975.01

Christmas2,867.00

Less 5% tax (571.77)

Net to Parish: \$10,863.66

THE WORD

What do you seek in a new year? What blessing do you ask of God, who has revealed the depth of divine love in the birth of Jesus? Consider the blessing the Lord ordered Moses to give to Aaron and his sons to speak to the people of Israel. God offered them a blessing that brings divine protection through God’s gracious presence, revealing a God who intends to look kindly upon and give peace to the chosen people.

Our annual celebration of Christmas extends these same blessings into God’s plan that we become adopted into the family of God by our birth in Christ through baptism. We are given not only the freedom that comes from being made children of God, taken up into a relationship allowing us to call God *Abba* (Father), but also to consider ourselves as heirs and inheritors of our God’s kingdom when we pass from this life to eternal life.

The name Jesus means “God saves.” This is the message of this season: God became one of us to save us, to seek us out and bring us into communion with the God who is Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. We are invited to think of ourselves as part of the family of the Trinity. Mary is set before us every first day of the new year as the woman who ponders this wonderful mystery of God-become-human from the beginning. She gently extends to us an invitation to quiet reflection, prayer and praise.
from “Living the Word”

Special Parish Dates

Mark your calendars for the following important dates for the parish:

- 1) Sunday, February 19, 2012 –
 Burning of Ashes and Pancake Breakfast.
- 2) Wednesday, February 22, 2012 –
 Ash Wednesday Mass at 11:30 a.m.

† January 1, 2012 †		
Mary, the Mother of God		
Gathering Hymn	975	Sing of Mary
Gloria	Worship Aid	Mass of St. Benedict
Readings	Missalette p 47	
Psalms	411	The Earth Has Yielded Its Fruits
Gospel		
Acclamation	Worship Aid	Mass of St. Benedict
Preparation of Gifts	967	Stainless the Maiden
Eucharistic		
Acclamations	Worship Aid	Mass of St. Benedict
Communion Hymn	979	Virgin, Full of Grace
Closing Hymn	975 vs 3, 4	Sing of Mary

LOVED ONES REMEMBERED BY POINSETTIA DONATIONS

(as of December 25, 2011)



Joseph & Irene Adamusko
 Angelo-Noesner Family
 John Balogh
 Freda & Sonny Bellomy
 Richard Bolton
 Fran Brauner
 John J. Burdyn
 Joseph A. Burdyn
 Burdyn & Stefan Families
 Brother Michael W. Carlyle,
 B.G.S.
 Antoinette Cervi
 Jeffrey, Concepcion, Ingrid, &
 Farley Chiong
 Domenic Conte
 Julia Cosgrove
 Joseph Cosgrove
 Mary Judith Creedon
 Deceased Members & Friends
 of 1960s Holy Cross Choir
 Crum Family
 Cullinan Family
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 Joseph H. Davis
 Rodney Dillon
 Art & Vicki Duncan
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 Jeff Elliott
 Endres Family
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 Jack Fuerst
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 Michael E. Grady
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 Helene, Thomas,
 Jim & Patty Groom
 Betty Grosh
 Msgr. Joseph A. Hakel
 Elsie Haninger
 Margaret Haninger
 Haninger Family
 Emil & Johanna Heider
 Bonnie J. Henry
 Jane Higgins
 William Higgins
 Chris Igel
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 Terry James
 Kral Family
 Kustron Family
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 Bartley Families
 Jim Klausman

Lane Family
 Edna & Bill Leitch
 Gary Stephen Lyle
 Mary Maki
 James Manley
 Patricia Manley
 James & Patricia Manley
 Bessie McCoy
 McGee Family
 Deceased of Merdert, Scanlan,
 and Cataline Families
 Theresa Messmer
 Michel Family
 Dan & Mildred Morris
 Cris, Luke & Ryan Morbitzer
 Don & Sybilla Murnane
 Gina Murraya
 Mushrush Family
 Naumauvski Family
 Fred & Josephine Newton
 William O'Reilly
 Maxine Overfield
 Pesci Family
 Deceased Members
 of the Plank Family
 Dolores Probasco
 Michael G. Reid
 Roberts Family
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 Michael Sheline
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 The Sloan Family
 Herb R. Spiers
 Stluka Family
 Paul Stover, Sr.
 Paul Stover, Jr.
 Susie Stover
 Szymkowiak Family
 Urban & Pelleschi Family
 R. J. Urban
 Deceased Members of Visocan
 & Fabianski Families
 Michael P. Walsh
 Wilma & Jack Weilbacher
 John H. Welch
 Rita Peregrine White
 Wishau Family
 Tom & Rose Wolfe

