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*Father, You revealed Your Son to the nations  
by the guidance of a star. Lead us to  
Your Glory in Heaven by the Light of Faith.*

# ***Christmas, Feast of the Holy family & Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God – December 24th, 31st, 2023 & Jan. 7, 2024***

## **MASS SCHEDULE**

### **Monday, Dec 25 – The Nativity of the Lord**

**10:00 a.m.:** CHRISTMAS DAY MASS (English)

**12:30 p.m.:** CHRISTMAS DAY MASS (Spanish)

*Is 52.7-10; Heb 1.1-6; Jn 1.1-18*

### **Tuesday, Dec 26 – St. Stephen**

**8:15 a.m.:** RIP Vittorio Cambone

*Acts 6.8-10, 7.54-59; Mt 10.17-22*

### **Wednesday, Dec 27 – St. John**

**8:15 a.m.:** In thanksgiving for Chris, Penny & family

*1 Jn 1.1-4; Jn 20.2-8*

### **Thursday, Dec 28 – The Holy Innocents**

**7:30 p.m.:** Intentions of Richard Matthews & family

*1 Jn 1.5-2.2; Mt 2.13-18*

### **Friday, Dec 29 – St. Thomas Becket**

**8:15 a.m.:** RIP Mabel & Cyril Falcao

**7:30 p.m.:**

*1 Jn 2.3-11; Lk 2.22-35*

### **Saturday, Dec 30**

**9:00 a.m.:** Intentions of Olena Galanti

**5:00 p.m.:** RIP William & Felicitas Gomesz.

Intentions of Dolores Bruce, Roberto Mauricio, Richard Daoust, Alan Gonsalves, Michael Gervais, Masagora, the Wiencis/Connelly families and those received through our web prayer network.

*1 Jn 2.12-17; Lk 2.36-40*

### **Sunday, Dec 31**

**9:00 a.m.:** English Mass

**11:00 a.m.:** English Mass

**12:30 p.m.:** Spanish Mass

**5:00 p.m.:** NEW YEAR'S EVE BILINGUAL MASS

*Sir 3.2-6, 12-14; Col 3.12-21; Lk 2.22-40*

### **Please pray this week for the following Priests, Religious**

**& Communities or Groups of our Diocese:** Mon. Dec

25: *Christmas Day (The Nativity of the Lord*, Tues. Dec

26: *Chancery Staff*, Wed. Dec 27: *Congregation of the*

*Sisters of St. Anne*, Thurs. Dec 28: *The Holy Innocents*,

Fri. Dec 29: *Rev. Edward Hinsperger*, Sat. Dec 30: *Rev.*

*Philip Cook*



*To all the volunteers who planned the entertaining Christmas Concert, and to all the talented singers & musicians who performed.*

*A todos los voluntarios que organizaron el entretenido Concierto de Navidad y a todos los cantantes y músicos que participaron.*

### **Monday, Jan. 1 – Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God**

**10:00 a.m.:** SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE MOTHER OF GOD (English)

**12:30 p.m.:** SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE MOTHER OF GOD (Spanish)

*Nm 6.22-27; Lk 2.16-21*

### **Tuesday, Jan. 2 – Sts. Basil & Gregory Nazianzen**

**8:15 a.m.:** RIP Richard Inglis

*1 Jn 2.22-28; Jn 1.19-28*

### **Wednesday, Jan. 3 – The Most Holy Name of Jesus**

**8:15 a.m.:** In thanksgiving for the birthday of Hannah

*1 Jn 2.29, 3.1-6; Jn 1.29-34*

### **Thursday, Jan. 4 – St. Elizabeth Seton**

**7:30 p.m.:** RIP Rod & Virginia Matthews

*1 Jn 3.7-10, Jn 1.35-42*

### **Friday, Jan. 5**

**8:15 a.m.:** RIP Shirley Hayten

**7:30 p.m.:**

*1 Jn 3.11-21; Jn 1.43-51*

### **Saturday, Jan. 6**

**9:00 a.m.:** Intentions of Chris, Penny & family

**5:00 p.m.:** RIP Dan Hudder. Intentions of Dolores Bruce, Roberto Mauricio, Richard Daoust, Kathi Jackson and those received through our web prayer network.

*1 Jn 5.5-13; Mk 1.4-5, 7-11++*

### **Sunday, Jan. 7**

**9:00 a.m.:** English Mass

**11:00 a.m.:** English Mass

**12:30 p.m.:** RIP Juan Fernando Sánchez, Luis Moscoso

*Is 60.1-6; Eph 3.2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2.1-12*

### **Please pray this week for the following Priests, Religious**

**& Communities or Groups of our Diocese:** Mon. Jan 1:

*The Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God*, Tues.

Jan 2: *Most Rev. Douglas Crosby, O.M.I.*, Wed. Jan 3:

*Diocesan Priests*, Thurs. Jan 4: *Rev. Jason Kuntz*, Fri. Jan

5: *Rev. Gabriel Morais Catarino*, Sat. Jan 6: *Rev. David*

*Perrin*

**NOTE: The parish office will be closed from December 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023, to January 8<sup>th</sup>, 2024. Please do not leave any requests during that time.**

**In case of emergency, please leave a message on Fr. Jerzy's extension: 24.**

***Natividad del Señor - Fiesta De La Sagrada Familia - Solemnidad de María,  
Madre de Dios – 24 y 31 de diciembre, 2023 y 7 de enero, 2024***

**Monday, Jan. 8 – The Baptism of the Lord**

**8:15 a.m.:** RIP Josephine Micallef  
*Is 55.1-11/1 Jn 5.1-9; Mk 1.7-11*

**Tuesday, Jan. 9**

**8:15 a.m.:** RIP deceased members of the McDonagh family  
*1 Sm 1.9-20; Mk 1.21-28*

**Wednesday, Jan. 10**

**8:15 a.m.:** Intentions of Donat Leblanc  
*1 Sm 3.1-10, 19-20; Mk 1.29-39*

**Thursday, Jan. 11**

**7:30 p.m.:** Intentions of Margaret & Lou Van Landschoot  
*1 Sm 4.1c-11; Mk 1.40-45*

**Friday, Jan. 12 – St. Marguerite Bourgeoys**

**8:15 a.m.:** Intentions of Johann Hurst  
**7:30 p.m.:**

*1 Sm 8.4-7, 10-22a; Mk 2.1-12*

**Saturday, Jan. 13 – St. Hilary**

**9:00 a.m.:** Intentions of Fr. Anthony  
**5:00 p.m.:** RIP Joseph Radice. Intentions of Dolores Bruce, Roberto Mauricio, Richard Daoust, and those received through our web prayer network.  
*1 Sm 9.1-4, 17-19, 10.1a; Mk 2.13-17*

**Sunday, Jan. 14**

**9:00 a.m.:** English Mass

**11:00 a.m.:** English Mass

**12:30 p.m.:** RIP Juan Fernando Sánchez, Ricardo Morales, Sarita Ayala, Francisco Durán, Fernanda Queipo Ferrer.  
*1 Sm 3.3b-10, 19; 1 Cor 6.13c-15a, 17-20; Jn 1.35-42*

**Please pray this week for the following Priests, Religious & Communities or Groups of our Diocese:** Mon. Jan 8: Baptism of Our Lord, Tues. Jan 9: Rev. David Reilander, Wed. Jan 10: Sisters of St. John the Baptist, Thurs. Jan 11: Rev. Franjo Sprajc, Fri. Jan 12: Rev. Matthew Durham, Sat. Jan 13: Rev. Aurimas Paulius Rudinkas.

*A blessed Merry Christmas and peace filled New Year to all from the parish staff. May the peace of Christ fill your hearts and homes.*

**AVISOS EN ESPAÑOL**

**PEDIDO DE INTENCIÓN DE MISA** - Por favor utilice uno de los sobres pre-impresos de intención de misa para estas solicitudes (están en todas las puertas de la iglesia) o puede utilizar un sobre en blanco, en el frente escriba "intención de misa", también incluya el nombre, la intención, fecha solicitada (necesitamos un aviso de 2 semanas), su nombre y dirección de correo electrónico. Una vez que haya colocado la ofrenda en el sobre (\$10), séllelo y colóquelo en la caja nueva, que se ha fijado a la mesa en la parte posterior de la iglesia (detrás de la última banca).

**DE LA OFICINA PARROQUIAL:**

- Todavía estamos recibiendo sobres de donación sin nombre/dirección, no se puede emitir ningún recibo de impuestos para donaciones en blanco.
- Pronto se distribuirán las cajas/etiquetas de los sobres para ofrendas dominicales del 2024.
- Para aquellos que NO han recogido sus etiquetas/caja de sobres de 2023, la oficina eliminará sus nombres de la lista de usuarios de sobres y no imprimirá nuevas etiquetas para 2024.
- NOTA: Algunas etiquetas de 2023 todavía están disponibles para ser retiradas. ¡Recójalos lo antes posible!
- Si alguien no quiere sus etiquetas para 2024, envíe un correo electrónico a la oficina parroquial lo antes posible: [stmichaelchurch@bellnet.ca](mailto:stmichaelchurch@bellnet.ca).

*El personal de la parroquia les desea una Feliz Navidad y un Feliz Año lleno de paz. Que la paz de Cristo llene sus corazones y hogares.*

**FROM THE PARISH OFFICE:**

- We are still receiving donation envelopes with No Name/Address, no tax receipt can be issued for blank donations.
- Please use Mass Intention Envelopes to request and/or give an offering for a Mass intention, or through the parish website or email the office.

When using an intention envelope, please place it in the MASS INTENTION BOX at the back of the Church, right behind the last pew. If you place your Mass intention envelope in the collection basket, or any other boxes, the office may not receive it in time. The parish office needs 2 WEEKS notice for a weekend intention.



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