# December 24, 2023

# Fourth Sunday of Advent



# **Queen of Angels**

#### 738 Sunshine Avenue Central City, PA 15926

Rectory Office ......(814) 754-5224 Monday ......10:00am to 2:00pm Friday ......8:00am to 12:00 pm

#### **Worship Sites**

Church (Sacred Heart) Chapel (St. John)
738 Sunshine Avenue 162 Wheeler Street

### **All Saints**

# 325 Quemahoning Street Boswell, PA 15531

Rectory Office ......(814) 629-5551 Monday ......8:30 to 12:00 pm Wednesday .....2:00 to 6:00 pm

#### **Worship Site**

325 Quemahoning Street

# **Holy Family**

321 Sugar Street Hooversville, PA 15936

Rectory Office .....(814) 701-6069

#### **Worship Site**

321 Sugar Street

Rev. Fr. Aron M. Maghsoudi amaghsoudi@dioceseaj.org Deacon Jay Pyle 814 445-2406 jpyle@dioceseaj.org



#### **Mass Intentions**

#### Monday, December 25 The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas)

12:00 am Peace on Earth......OLQA Chapel 10:30 am J J Mort (mother and family)......Holy Family

**No Evening Masses** 

#### Tuesday, December 26 Feast of Saint Stephen

8:30 am Rite of Communion

Outside Mass (8:05AM Rosary) ...... All Saints

#### Wednesday, December 27 Feast of Saint John

5:30pm Pro-Life Holy Hour, Rosary, and Exposition of the

Blessed Sacrament ...... All Saints

6:30 pm Rite of Communion Outside Mass ...... All Saints

#### Thursday, December 28 Feast of Holy Innocents

8:30 am Rite of Communion

Outside Mass (8:05AM Rosary) ...... All Saints

#### Friday, December 29 Memorial of Saint Thomas Becket

8:30 am Rite of Communion

Outside Mass (8:05AM Rosary)

12:00 pm Helen Kubas (Mr. & Mrs. Mike Foust) ..... Holy Family

#### Saturday, December 30 Weekday in the Octave of Christmas

4:00pm NO MASS...... Holy Family

#### Sunday, December 31 Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

8:00 am Suzette Nellis (Kim Palanes)......OLQA Church
10:30 am Parochial Intention (Mass Pro Populo) ......OLQA Chapel
10:30 am Terry Paxton (Jane Lintz)......All Saints

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12:00pm Steve, Jeff & Dorthy Corden

(Mark & Jeannie Corden) ...... Holy Family

# **Scripture Readings**

#### For the Week of December 24, 2023

Monday Vigil Mass: Is 62:1-5; Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29; Acts 13:16-17, 22-25;

Mt 1:1-25 or Mt 1:18-25

Mass During the night: Is 9:1-6; Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 11-12, 13; Ti 2:11-14; Lk 2:1-14

Mass at Dawn: Is 62: 11-12; Ps 97: 1, 6, 11-12; Ti 3: 4-7; Lk 2: 15-20

Mass during the Day: Is 52:7-10; Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6; Heb 1:1-6; Jn 1:1-18 or

Jn 1:1-5, 9-14

Tuesday Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 & 8ab, 16bc & 17; Mt 10:17-22

Wednesday 1 Jn 1:1-4; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12; Jn 20:1a & 2-8

Thursday 1 Jn 1:5—2:2; Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7cd-8; Mt 2:13-18
Friday 1 Jn 2:3-11; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 5b-6; Lk 2:22-35
Saturday 1 Jn 2:12-17; Ps 96:7-8a, 8b-9, 10; Lk 2:36-40

Sunday Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or Gn 15:1-6, 21:1-3; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 or Ps 105:1-2, 3-4,

5-6, 8-9; Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 or Heb 11:8, 11-12, 17-19; Lk 2:22-40

#### **Confessions** (Available Anytime Upon Request)

Saturday 3:00 pm Sunday 10:00 am

om Sacred Heart Church
am All Saints Church

### **Churches Open**

Monday-Friday Upon Request Monday-Friday 9:00 am—12:30 pm Sacred Heart Church All Saints in Boswell

#### **Please Pray**

Albert Alwine Matthew Bailey Caroline Baird Kathy Barczak **Abby Barnes** Trisha Barron Frank Bazyk Linda Beltz Tony Beltz Allen S. Berkey Dale Berkey Jr. Regina Bittner Debbie Black Beverly Blough & Kayla Blough **Brian Borosky** Fr. Eli Bremer Jan Bruce Tom Bulger Travis Burns Joseph Brutts Joseph Caldrone Sr. Leonard Cebula Gracie Chetraru Scott Chiesa Georgian Corden Connie Criscuolo Judy Croke Chloe Croyle Charles Cumberland Cindy Curaney

Lori Deaner Gloria Dedik Robert Dedik Sr. Josephine Donia Linda Eisentrout Karla Enzweiler Kristy Ewing Cindy Failor Barbara Farris Bill Farris Ashlee Fecko Ron Filicky Patty Foltz Victor Foltz Scott Freeman Gena Fritz

Thomas "Woody" Galish Jack Gaudlip Chris Geary **Amy Thomas Georg** Jesse Georgiana Ken Gibbons Karen Gibson Matt Gibson Tina Gilkey Michaelene Good Art Gowarty Nancy Gowarty Ann Grega Annette Grosshans Connie Gruca Patricia (Lepley) Hanes Brittney Hankinson Sharon Harper

Jamie Hillegas Kay Hintosh Melissa Holbrook Tom Hudak **Dwight Jacobs** Patty Jarosick Jennifer Jarvis **Amy Jones** Nancy June Pam Kacmarski Valerie Kaltenbaugh Deanna Kauffman Mary Jane Knapp Kay Knisley Bill Kearney John Ketchock Toni Kiss Dee Kristoff Karen Kudasik Freda Labuda Geno Lamonica June Leasure **Becky Lepley** Kathleen Lisbon Sophia Lohr Cindy Mayak Erma Mayak

Kevin McCann

Sheila Meyers

Barbara Miller

Ryan Miller

Neisha Macasaet

Maria Sabrina Mezyk

Stanley "Butch" Monko

Michael Moslak Sr. Donna Mulcahy Jenny Novak Lorraine Oakman Denne Osman Betsv Paolucci Areia Paruch Linda Pauley Carmen Perigo Carol Perigo Allyson Pile Fr. John Pribish Nancy Pyle Dennis Rankin Georgette Rankin Marc Rayman Pam Reckner Theresa Reckner Renny Reed Joyce Reitz **Shirley Roman Howard Rose** Jim Rummel Donna L. Russian Karen Ryan Ashlee Secko Andrea Sesack **Shirley Setar Hunter Slater Bailie Smeak** Ric Smith Eileen Sotosky Mary Ann Stavlo

Donna Stefancic Gloria Stern Jerry Stern Sue Stern **Ansley Stigers** Robert Stine Andrew Straka Barry Stuft Larry Sturtz Tim Swintosy Bernard Tallyen Janice Tasin Jeanette Taylor Dolores Tedjeske Patty Tedjeske Victoria Tedjeske Donald Tedjeske Ed Terry Cil Tomaszewski Mrs. Patricia Turillo Donna Updyke Jason Updyke Jake Vargo Joni Verneau Sophia Vincent Paul Vish Ana Volocko Lillian Waltos Dylan Wechtenhiser Rosanna Weil Aaron Whigham Kathy Wojnarowski Betty Ann Yatta Jeri Zarzycki

### **Statue Hosts**

#### **All Saints Church**

Donna Custer

Susan Custer

#### Pilgrim Madonna

Dec 24-31 Dec 31-Jan 7

Dec 31-Jan 7
Infant Jesus

Dec 24-31 Dec31-Jan 7

St. Anthony

Dec 24-31 Dec 31-Jan 7 M/M Christopher Maurer Mrs. Vickie Baraniak

Mrs. Gloria Dedick S., K., & D. Kowalczyk

M/M Florian Tomkowski M/M Jack Updyke

# CCD NEWS—All Saints & OLQA:

There will be NO CCD on December 24th or December 31st. Classes will resume on January 7th 2024 at 9:15am.

# **Candle Intentions**

#### **All Saints Church**

Divine Mercy candle burns in memory of John Kowalczyk (Family); The Sacred Heart candle burns in memory of John & Virgina Palm (Cecelia & Gary Lintz); The Blessed Mother candle burns in memory of Liz & Bill Walker (Cecelia & Gary Lintz); Infant Jesus candle burns in memory of Charlottle Palm (Cecelia & Gary Lintz); St. Stanislaus candle burns for the intention of ending cruelties & injustices to human life worldwide.

Ken Stebbin

#### Server Schedule

#### **All Saints Parish**

#### December 24

10:30 AM G. Marsh, R. Volocko, A. Volocko 10:00 PM G. Marsh,

G. Marsh, G. Marsh

December 31

10:30 AM Marsh, G.

Marsh, G. Marsh

#### Server Schedule

#### **Our Lady Queen of Angels**

#### December 24

8:00AM C. Pakstis & C. Mulcahy

10:30 AM C. Galish

December 24—Christmas Eve

4:00PM L. Mincek, C. Mulcahy

A. & C. Pakstis

December 25—Christmas Day (Midnight)

12:00AM A. Klahre, C. Galish,

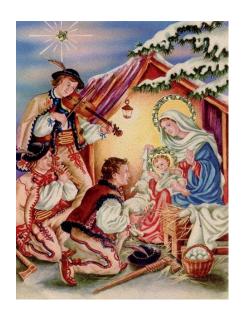
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December 31

8:00AM C. Pakstis & C. Mulcahy

10:30 AM C. Galish

# Echoes of a Polish Christmas



All Saints Parish will host their annual singing of Polish Christmas Carols (known as Kolędy or Pastoralki) on Sunday, January 7<sup>th</sup>, at 2:00 PM at the church (325 Quemahoning Street, Boswell).

The hymns will be sung by the parish Polish choir. Following the singing of hymns by the parish's Polish choir, there will be benediction of the Blessed Sacrament and refreshments.

Kolędy help to capture some of the finest sentiments, values, and emotions of the Polish religious, national, and artistic heritage. Polish Christmas customs are very rich; whether you are Polish or not, please come and experience the time-honored hymns celebrating the birth of Christ.

For more information please call the parish office at 814-629-5551.



### **OLQA Sanctuary Candle Intentions**

The Sanctuary Candles at the Saint John site burns in memory of Josephine Fetsko (Family)

The Sanctuary Candles at the Sacred Heart site burns in memory of Genevieve Berezonsky (Nina & Daniel Gowaty)

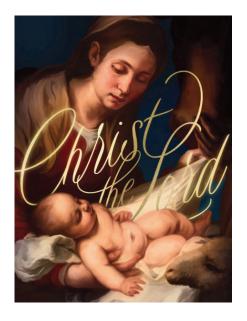
#### All Saints Announcements

- •The 2024 calendars can be picked up in the vestibule compliments of Hoffman Funeral Home.
- •The Christmas wafers are available in the All Saints vestibule for a donation of \$2.00.
- •The Knights of Columbus of the Laurel Highlands will be having a Knight at the Races on Saturday January 20, 2024 Tickets are \$25 per person which includes 1 horse and 1 meal or \$40 per couple which include 1 horse and 2 meals. Tickets will be available soon.

#### **Folk Customs Class**

**OLQA Activities Center—January** 22, 2024

Queen of Angels will host a lecture by Joseph Bielecki who will offer a presentation on Slovak culture. The talk will be held in the parish activity center (738 Sunshine Ave.) from 6:30 PM until 8:30 PM. His presentation will focus on three topics - regional differences in Slovakia, why Slovaks came to Western Pennsylvania, and cherished Slovak Easter customs. To register please call the Queen of Angels Parish office, 814-754-5224.



#### SPORTSMEN RAFFLE \$35

#### February 4th

SPORTSMEN RAFFLE—Tickets for the Sportsmen Raffle (to be held on February 4, 2024) will go on sale on December 11, 2023. To reserve your tickets call the Rectory (814-754-5224) with your name, address, phone number and the number of tickets you need or mail/drop off the order form you recieve in the mail. Please leave all requested information in a message, if we are not able to answer the phone. Pick up of tickets can be arranged when you call the rectory for purchase \$35

#### **Local Bus Trip**

All Saints Parish will host a bus trip on Saturday December 30, 2023, to visit historic churches in our region. There will be pick up locations at Central City and Boswell. The bus pilgrimage will visit the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament and Our Lady of Mr. Carmel in Altoona, Queen of Peace in Patton, and the historic St. Joseph Mission Chruch near Carrolltown. At each stop, Professor Nicholas Will will play two great organ pieces and Father Aron will offer a tour. The price includes a meal of roast beef, mashed potatoes, stuffing, coleslaw, vegetable, Italian wedding soup and homemade creampuffs. The price is \$65.00 per person. Please call All Saints Parish office to register (814)629-5551.



## **Calendar of Events**

January 9

6:00 pm

January 14

8:00 am

Meeting to Follow

January 15

6:00 pm

January 22

6:00 pm

Saint Vincent de Paul Meeting

Holy Name Corporate Comm

Society of Angels Meeting

**Knights of Columbus Meeting** 

**Activities Center** 

Sacred Heart **Activities Center** 

**Activities Center** 

St. John





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