

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, December 18

7:30 AM Zoah Johnston (D)
 12:10 PM Efren & Sacha Salseda (D)
 Valiente, Cabrera. Abellanosa, Isreal & Zai Families (D)
 Matthew & Stephanie Kabulwa & Family (D)
 Henry Hyde Hodson (D)
 Chief Maxwell Francis Oteri (D)
 5:30 PM Tomas Yntig (D)

Tuesday, December 19

7:30 AM André Domerson (D)
 12:10 PM Roland Attong Jr. (D)
 Otto Foy & Family (D)
 Ryu John Andre Ninobla (I)
 Tommy & Dion Salseda (I)
 Berlande Domerson & Jacques Holly Dai (I)
 5:30 PM Karl Ulmer Horst (D)

Wednesday, December 20

7:30 AM Blossom Winter (I)
 12:10 PM David Jacob Mototolea (I)
 Ebi Oteri & Farah-Martine Dai (I)
 Jan Krok (D)
 Ernesto & Lydia Rodas (D)
 For the repose of the souls of those laid to rest in our Catholic Cemeteries
 5:30 PM Bernadette Tow-Ying & Lee Voon Ah-Chong (D)

Thursday, December 21

7:30 AM Tina Griffin (I)
 12:10 PM Ernst Junior Pierre & Family (I)
 Mathieu & Yvette Domerson (I)
 Rafael Ramirez (I)
 Dean Ellis (D)
 Benjamin E. Cruz & Rentato Cruz (D)
 5:30 PM Elizabeth & Dhano Dhamedrah (I)

Friday, December 22

7:30 AM Kevin Hehir (D)
 12:10 PM Domenico Costa (D)
 Clavelina D. Avelino (D)
 Francisco Sr. and Estela Romero (D)
 Anthony Pantaleo (D)
 Elena Mototolea (I)
 5:30 PM Salvatore Spina (D)

Saturday, December 23

7:30 AM Lee Voon Ah-Chong (D)
 12:10 PM Francisco Jr. & Adoracion Romero (D)
 Rosemary Hartley McDonald (D)
 Jimbo Perez (D)
 Romero Family & Friends (I)
 Hetty White & Family (I)

MEMORIAL LAMP TRANSEPTS DECEMBER

<u>Sacred Heart</u>	<u>Immaculate Heart</u>
Fr. Francis Portelli (I)	Lidya, Andi & Family (I)
Francisco Sr. & Estela Romero (D)	Fr. Francis Portelli & Family (I)
Francisco Jr. & Adoracion Romero (D)	Melquiades & Juana E. Garcia (D)

CHRISTMAS AT THE CATHEDRAL

Christmas is a busy time here at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica, and we will experience a higher volume of people than usual who will join us for our Christmas Eve and Christmas Day Masses. It is recommended that people come at least an hour before Mass in order to get seating, as there are no reservations and seating will be first come, first served. Also, please note that there is no parking available at the Cathedral, but there are public parking lots available nearby. Please plan your Christmas with us accordingly.

PARISH OFFICE HOLIDAY HOURS

The Parish office will be closed from **Saturday, December 23 to Tuesday, December 26** and will resume our regular schedule on **Wednesday, December 27**. We will also be closed from **Saturday, December 30 to Monday, January 1**, and our regular schedule will resume on **Tuesday, January 2**.

CATHEDRAL CHRISTMAS CARDS

Christmas Greeting Cards designed by parishioners, students and Cathedral staff are still available at the parish office during the week. Sales of the cards will support the Christmas Bag Drive and will be sold for **\$10.00** per set of 6, or 3 sets for **\$25.00**.

SHARELIFE

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DECEMBER 17, 2023

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR SCHEDULE

CHRISTMAS EVE – SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24, 2023	
5:00 PM	MASS – CELEBRANT & HOMILIST: FR. FRANK PORTELLI <i>ST. MICHAEL'S CHOIR SCHOOL ELEMENTARY CHOIR</i>
7:15 PM	PRELUDE
8:00 PM	MASS – CELEBRANT & HOMILIST: FR. ADAM PANTALEO <i>ST. MICHAEL'S CHOIR SCHOOL SENIOR CHOIR</i>
11:15 PM	PRELUDE
12:00 MIDNIGHT	MIDNIGHT MASS CELEBRANT & HOMILIST: HIS GRACE ARCHBISHOP FRANCIS LEO <i>ST. MICHAEL'S CHOIR SCHOOL SENIOR CHOIR</i>

CHRISTMAS DAY – MONDAY, DECEMBER 25, 2023	
8:00 AM	MASS – CELEBRANT & HOMILIST: FR. COLE POWERS <i>CANTOR & ORGANIST</i>
9:15 AM	PRELUDE
10:00 AM	MASS – CELEBRANT & HOMILIST: FR. FRANK PORTELLI <i>CATHEDRAL VESPERS CHOIR</i>
12:00 NOON	MASS – CELEBRANT & HOMILIST: HIS GRACE ARCHBISHOP FRANCIS LEO <i>ST. MICHAEL'S CHOIR SCHOOL JUNIOR CHOIR</i>

FEAST OF ST. STEPHEN - TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 2023	
10:00 AM ONLY MASS THIS DAY	MASS CELEBRANT & HOMILIST: FR. ADAM PANTALEO

VIGIL OF SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31, 2023	
5:00 PM	MASS – CELEBRANT & HOMILIST: FR. COLE POWERS <i>CATHEDRAL VESPERS CHOIR</i>

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD MONDAY, JANUARY 1, 2024	
10:00 AM	MASS – CELEBRANT & HOMILIST: FR. ADAM PANTALEO <i>CANTOR & ORGANIST</i>
12:00 PM	MASS – CELEBRANT & HOMILIST: HIS GRACE ARCHBISHOP FRANCIS LEO <i>CANTOR & ORGANIST</i>

Please visit our website for full Christmas and New Year's schedule, including Confession times until December 23:
<https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/>.

CANTOR & ORGAN MASS MUSIC

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	Mass	Cantor	Organist
Sunday	8:00 AM	Felipe Morgado	Christopher Ku
	5:00 PM	Joey Jang	Paul Jenkins
	9:00 PM	Felipe Morgado	John Paul Farahat
Organ Preludes			
Sunday			
	5:00 PM	Conditor alme siderum - Jehan Titelouze	
	9:00 PM	Wachet auf, ruft uns die Stimme, BWV 645 - Johann Sebastian Bach	
Hymns & Acclamations			
Entrance	9ii	Hark! A herald voice is sounding	
Kyrie	505A	Mass for the Parishes	
Psalm:	604	My soul shall exult in my God.	
Gospel Accl:	809	Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.	
Offertory:	18	People, look East	
Sanctus:	508	Mass for the Parishes	
Mem. Accl:	509	Mass for the Parishes	
Amen:	512	Mass for the Parishes	
Agnus Dei:	513	Mass for the Parishes	
Communion		Dicite: Pusillanimes	
Antiphon:		<i>Say to the faint of heart: Be strong and do not fear. Behold, our God will come, and he will save us.</i>	
Communion:	7	Creator of the stars of night	
Recessional:	15	O come, divine Messiah!	
Organ Postludes			
Sunday			
	8:00 AM	Kommst du nun, Jesu, vom Himmel herunter auf Erden (BWV 650)- Johann Sebastian Bach	
	5:00 PM	Laissez paître vos bêtes - Jean-Jacques Beauvarlet-Charpentier	
	9:00 PM	Ave maris stella: IV - N. de Grigny	
At the Saturday 5:00 PM, Sunday 10:00 AM and 12:00 PM Masses with St. Michael's Choir School, please refer to the Music of the Mass bulletin insert.			

2024 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

Offertory envelopes for 2024 are now available for pickup after the Sunday Masses. Starting this year, we will be moving to permanent envelope numbers. The new numbers will be pre-assigned to you, and you can continue to use the same number year over year. If you are not currently registered and wish to use offertory envelopes, please pick up a box this weekend and complete the first few envelopes with your name, address, phone number, and email address.

If you regularly use the yellow visitor envelopes for your Sunday offering, we encourage you to start using a box set in order to accurately process your donations and for income tax receipts. If you are a current pre-authorized payment or a credit card donor and have not had an envelope number previously assigned, you are invited to pick up a box which includes the envelopes for special collections. Thank you for your continued financial support of our parish.