



# IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

308 Second Street • Irwin, PA 15642  
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A Parish of the Diocese of Greensburg



Parish Office Hours: 8:00 am to 3:30 pm

### Anointing of the Sick

The sacrament is available during Confession hour and after each Mass per request.

### Sacrament of Matrimony

Couples wishing to celebrate the Sacrament of Matrimony must contact a priest of the parish one year in advance of the wedding. Diocesan regulations require that couples begin to work with the parish at least one year prior to a wedding.

### Sacrament of Baptism

Families of our parish who wish to have their child baptized should call the parish office to register for Baptism Prep. Please call well in advance of birth of your child.

### Confessions – Anytime by appointment

Tuesdays: 5:15 pm – 6:15 pm; Saturdays: 9:00 am – 10:00 am

December 19, 2021

The Fourth Sunday of Advent



### MASS SCHEDULE

#### Saturday, December 18

8:00 am Andy Duris (John)  
4:30 pm Nicholas Colinear (Family)

#### Sunday, December 19

8:00 am Harry Waite (Claire)  
10:00 am Dan Gombos (Family)  
11:30 am Our Parish Family

#### Monday, December 20

7:45 am Judson Shiffler (Parents)

#### Tuesday, December 21

7:45 am Phyllis Niton (Margie)  
6:30 pm Nancy Sullivan

#### Wednesday, December 22

7:45 am Elaine Baker (Dan)

#### Thursday, December 23

7:45 am Haily Cox (Boccabella)

#### Friday, December 24

7:45 am George Curley (Family)  
4:00 pm Ed & Clare Behr (Family)  
6:00 pm John, Pat, Don Huemme (Family)

8:00 pm Michele Ruby (Bonnie & Al)

Midnight Our Parish Family

#### Saturday, December 25

9:30 am JoAnne Hensler (Jeff & Kim Mayer)  
4:30 pm No Vigil Mass

#### Sunday, December 26

8:00 am Our Parish Family  
10:00 am Candy Martin (Gladys)  
11:30 am Mary Lou Holder (Audrey)

AVE, MARIA | Hail, Mary  
gratia plena | full of grace  
Dominus tecum | the Lord is with thee



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## 6 DAYS LEFT THINGS TO THINK ABOUT AND TO DO....

### THINK ABOUT MARY

Think about Mary, in the last days of pregnancy. For most mothers-to-be, it is a time of deep anxiety as well as excitement. Physically there is tiredness, heaviness and discomfort and the awareness that life will be radically different, forever, once the baby is born.

For Mary there was more to cope with, too. How had the last nine months been for her? Had she feared rejection by Joseph? How had their relationship been affected by it all? Was she socially an outcast for being pregnant out of wedlock? That journey to Bethlehem, so close to the start of her labor, must have been agony for her. And then there was nowhere to stay at the end of it.

We have so sanitized the story of the Nativity that there's a tendency to think it all rather quaint. I rather think that Mary was no stranger to pain or to fear as she gave birth to her first baby, a long way from home, in a dirty stable. No one made any exception for her because she was special.

Or think about Joseph - what emotional turmoil had he gone through before God sent an angel to speak to him in a dream? How would you have felt if your fiancé became pregnant, and not by you? Were there times when he questioned his sanity in believing such an incredible tale?

### LISTENING TO YOUR CHRISTMAS CARDS

Every year families give and receive Christmas cards. Most of us tend to open them,



glance at the name of the sender, look carefully for a personal message, and then toss each card aside. Perhaps your family displays them, rather than just keeping them in a drawer or bowl in the family or living room. They might be used as a decoration - tacked up around the border of the living room or on the wall of a den or, perhaps, on a piece of string somewhere in the home.

We can do much more than that! We can listen to them. We can listen to what they say, what they mean. When someone cares enough to send a card, we should be eager to hear the message. A Christmas card should mean something special.

How can you "hear" what they have to say? It is easy. Some evening, perhaps before or after dinner, your family could use the message on a particular card for a prayer. Or each member of the family could choose a card from the Christmas post and read its contents to the family. You might talk about what was written, about the people who sent the card and of past memories you might have shared together. All this will bring the sender and the Christmas greetings into the center of your family.

Another way a family might use their Christmas cards is to play a game of "guess who sent me". This game will send the family to the pile of cards and can also encourage the children to look at the cards and appreciate the thoughtfulness of the sender. Each player is given ten Christmas cards. When he/she gets the cards, no one else should know who each card is from. It's a big secret and the object of the game is to guess who sent the card. Each player takes a turn and says something, some personal hint, some characteristic that might let the others guess who sent the card. The other players get three guesses. Whoever guesses correctly first gets the card. If no one guesses the sender, the owner keeps the card. The player who has the most cards is the winner. With younger children the parents could give the hints and help them guess correctly as a variation of the game.

## THE CHRIST CHILD'S GIFT OF PEACE

I have come to bring you peace.  
 Not the peace of the season, for it is too fleeting,  
 Not the peace of the carol, for it is nostalgic,  
 Not the peace of the greeting card, for it is too slick,  
 Not the peace of the crib, for it is too wistful.

Rather, I have come to bring you peace,  
 Peace of the ordinary, the daily, the homely,  
 Peace for the worker, the driver, the student,  
 Peace in the office, the kitchen, the farm.

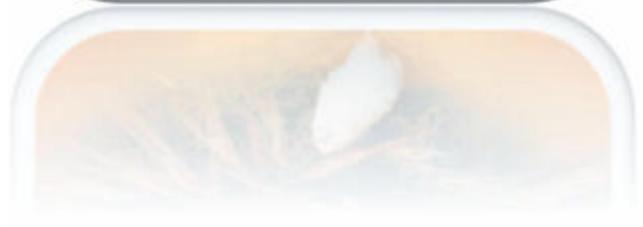
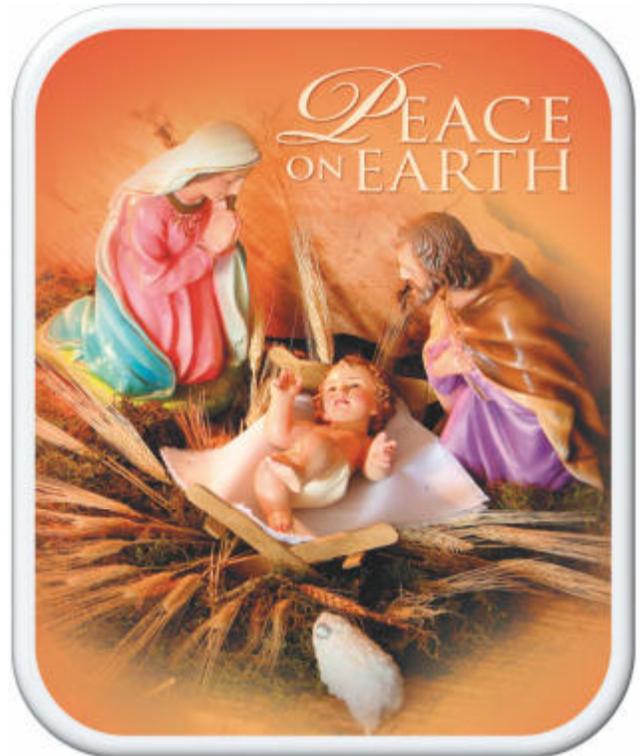
I have come to bring you peace,  
 The peace of accepting yourself as I fashioned you.

The peace of knowing yourself as I know you,  
 The peace of loving yourself as I love you,  
 The peace of being yourself as I am who I am.

I have come to bring you peace,  
 The peace that warms you at the completion of a task,  
 The peace that invades you at the close of the day,  
 The peace that sustains you at the beginning of the day,  
 The peace that reinforces you when you  
 are reconciled with one another.  
 The peace that touches you when your family is in order.

Without peace, my coming is unfulfilled.  
 Without peace, my birth is forgettable.  
 Without peace, Christmas is a contradiction.

I have come to bring you peace.



Wise  
 Men  
 Still  
 Seek Him

 A golden, multi-pointed star graphic with a bright white center, positioned to the right of the text "Wise Men Still".

**Sanctuary Candle:**

In Memory of John Churma by Audrey and Family

**Easter Flame Candle:**

In Memory of Frank A. Rinella by Michel Family

**Divine Mercy Candle:**

In Memory of my Grandfather John Churma by Laura

**St. Peregrine Candle:**

Special Intentions for Mike Borland by mom

**Altar Candles for the Month of December:**

In Memory of Langer & Raspotnik Families by Sandy

**ADVENT Candles In Memory of Joe, Jinny, Beverly and Mary Jo Ott**

**Fourth Sunday of Advent**

Micah 5:1-4a  
 Hebrews 10:5-10  
 Luke 1:39-45

**Feast of the Holy Family**

1 Samuel 1:20-22, 24-28  
 1 John 3:1-2, 21-24  
 Luke 2:41-52

**Prayers and Sympathy**

Please pray for the family of Ethel Klassen, William Kranitz, and Bruno Valenti. May they rest in peace.



**Eucharistic Adoration** is held every Tuesday beginning after morning Mass. If you need to leave and there is no one else in the church during Adoration, please call the church office at 724-863-9550 and someone will come over. Thank you

**Join us for the Divine Mercy Chaplet Monday through Friday at 3:00 PM.**

**No Divine Mercy Dec. 24th and Dec. 31st**

**Stewardship Corner:**

Our Time, Talent and Treasures are the gifts that we share:

Sunday Offertory

The Week of Dec. 5, 2021..... \$20,450.60

Diocese of Greensburg Online Giving 11/23-30/21..... \$900.00



**The Parish Office will be Closed** during the Christmas Holiday - Thursday December 23rd - Monday December 27th. The Office **Will be Open** on Tuesday December 28th through December 30th.

**REGIONAL CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE**

Immaculate Conception	
<i>Christmas Eve</i> <b>Friday, December 24th</b>	4:00 pm; 6:00 pm; 8:00 pm; and Midnight
<i>Christmas Day</i> <b>Saturday, December 25th</b>	9:30 am <i>No Vigil Mass</i>
<i>New Year's Eve</i> <b>Friday, December 31st</b>	<i>No Vigil Mass</i>
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St. Elizabeth Ann Seton	
<i>Christmas Eve</i> <b>Friday, December 24th</b>	4:00 pm and 8:00 pm
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St. Agnes	
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**PARISH NEWS**



**'Tis the Season!** We are looking for a few good men, women, and teens to help the Decorating Committee prepare our church for Christmas with climbing ladders, decorating trees, setting up nativities and poinsettias, hanging wreaths, etc. on Thursday, December 23, beginning at 6:30 p.m. Questions? Call Sandy, 724-863-5860. This is a good opportunity for those needing community service. Something for everyone!



**Knights of Columbus Donations for Vocations** - St Jude 9019 Knights of Columbus will be collecting for Vocations on January 1-2 after all masses. All monies collected for vocations are in support of the Bishops Project for Vocations, as well as Seminarians in the Greensburg Diocese. Last year we collected \$3,428 from the Parishes of Immaculate Conception, St Agnes, St Elizabeth Ann Seton and St Edwards. From that total last year we gave \$2,428 to the Bishops Endowment for Vocations, and we donated \$1,000 directly to a Designated Seminarian studying for the Priesthood in our Diocese. Thanks for supporting this worthy cause.



**SAVE THE DATE!!!**  
Immaculate Conception Parish  
9th Annual Night at the  
Races—Saturday, February  
5th, 2022 - More details will be  
coming soon!

If you are interested in volunteering for the Night of the Races or donating a gift basket for the raffles please contact Sharyn Gesmond at the Parish Office 724.863.9550. Thank you.



*Queen of Angels Corner*

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR QUEEN OF ANGELS FAMILY CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION!** Queen of Angels is excited to invite our school family to come together to celebrate the Christmas season by creating crafts, participating in service activities, enjoying Christmas carols and the nativity story performed by our students, and much more!



The staff at IC, we wish everyone a Blessed and Merry Christmas!

**Queen of Angels Athletics** is offering our Tiny Dribblers and Instructional Basketball program for PK4 thru 2nd grade Queen of Angel students. Children will work on basic basketball skills and reinforce those skills through competitive games. Children interested in playing must attend Queen of Angels School. Interested players for the instructional program should email the attached registration forms (on the back pages of this bulletin) to [astookey@queenofangelssch.org](mailto:astookey@queenofangelssch.org) or turn the forms into the school office. Also, we would invite any parent that would be interested in coaching to note that on the registration form. Coaches will need the proper clearances.

Program Fee is \$40.00

# Around the Diocese

**Bethlehem Project plans Home for the Holidays, Tree of Hope Fundraisers** - The Bethlehem Project, a ministry of Blessed Sacrament Cathedral Parish, Greensburg, is planning its annual Home for the Holidays fundraiser, offering chances on four baskets: two "golf extravaganza" baskets, a "family fun" basket and a "basket of cheer." In addition, the program is accepting donations to light its annual Tree of Hope in front of the cathedral. The Bethlehem Project, marking its 23rd year, provides emergency shelter and rental assistance to area individuals and families in danger of homelessness, and also provides personal-use items to three local homeless shelters. The program has assisted more than 2,600 families and individuals. To learn more, visit [www.blessedsacramentcathedral.org/parish-life/Pages/BSC-Bethlehem-Project.aspx](http://www.blessedsacramentcathedral.org/parish-life/Pages/BSC-Bethlehem-Project.aspx). Donations can be mailed to Bethlehem Project, Blessed Sacrament Cathedral, 300 N. Main St., Greensburg, PA 15650.

**Yough Catholic Community Parishes Plan Advent, Christmas Musical Programs** - The four partner parishes of the Yough Catholic Community are planning musical programs for Advent and Christmas. Both also will be livestreamed. Choirs, cantors, musicians and lectors from St. Aloysius Parish, Dunbar, and Immaculate Conception, St. Rita and St. John the Evangelist parishes, Connellsville, will present an Advent program of reflections and song Monday, Dec. 13, at 7 p.m. and a Christmas program of Scripture and song Monday, Dec. 20, at 7 p.m., both at St. John the Evangelist Parish. Both are open to the public. The livestreams may be viewed by visiting the parish website, [youghcatholic.org](http://youghcatholic.org).

**Virtual Bible studies to start in January** - Two new virtual Bible studies will be offered over the Zoom platform beginning Jan. 4. "The Acts of the Apostles" will be held Tuesdays from 6:30-8 p.m. and "Samuel 1 and 2" will be held Fridays from 9:30-10:45 a.m. There is no cost, but registration and a workbook are required. The studies are offered through Journeys Online Spiritual Ministry. For more information or to register, contact Molli Vassar at 724-366-9552 or [molli.vassar@gmail.com](mailto:molli.vassar@gmail.com).



## NOLLAIG SHONA DIOBH! Merry Christmas to All From the AOH

Founded in Pennsylvania and New York City in 1826, the Ancient Order of Hibernians is America's oldest Irish Catholic fraternal organization.

It was formed to support Catholic clergy and the vast influx of Irish immigrants fleeing famine and oppression in the 19th century.

Today, the AOH continues to foster and preserve Irish culture, art, dance, music, and sports in 45 states, including right here in Western Pennsylvania.

This holiday season, in the spirit of our motto "Friendship, Unity and Christian Charity," we invite all Catholic men of Irish birth, descent or adoption to join us.

For membership information contact [AOH17BILL@gmail.com](mailto:AOH17BILL@gmail.com) or 412-829-2399



**Preparing a Place.** Lest we think that Advent and Christmas are only about emptying ourselves, the Catholic reformer St. Charles Borromeo (1538–1584), reminds us also of the limitless grace that is available to us during these seasons. The One who became flesh and came to us on Christmas Day is always ready to come into our hearts more and more deeply!

"My dear friends, . . . in the words of the Holy Spirit, now is 'the acceptable time, the day of salvation' (2 Corinthians 6:2), the season of peace and reconciliation. This is the time for which patriarchs and prophets longed with burning desire, the time that righteous Simeon rejoiced to see, the time that the Church has always solemnly celebrated. We ourselves should keep this season with an attitude of devotion, praising and thanking the eternal Father for the mercy he has shown us in this mystery. In the immensity of his love for his sinners, he sent his only Son to free us from the tyranny of the devil and to invite us to heaven—indeed, to lead us into its inner chamber, to show us truth itself, to train us in upright behavior, to share with us the seeds of virtue, to make us rich from the treasury of his grace, and to receive us as his children and heirs of eternal life.

"Reflecting on this mystery, the Church urges us to constantly renew our remembrance of this great love God has shown us. For the coming of Christ was not only for the benefit of those who lived in his day. The power of his coming remains to be shared with us, if we, by means of holy faith and the sacraments, are willing to receive the grace he earned for us and to shape our lives in obedience to him, according to his grace.

"Christ came once in the flesh. If we, for our part, remove the obstacles, he is prepared to come to us again at any hour or moment whatever, to live in our souls with the abundance of his graces."

*The selection from St. Charles Borromeo is taken from his letter On the Season of Advent, 2-3.*

[https://wau.org/resources/article/re\\_christmas\\_with\\_the\\_saints\\_1/](https://wau.org/resources/article/re_christmas_with_the_saints_1/)





# IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH

Irwin, Pennsylvania

Office of Liturgical Music Ministry

## THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

December 19, 2021 - Order of the Mass

ORGAN PRELUDE

Tocatta on "Veni Emmanuel"

Mark Radice

VOCATIONS PRAYER

Lord Jesus, raise up from our homes those called by the Father:  
courageous and humble men to the Priesthood, generous servants to the Permanent Diaconate,  
faithful people to Consecrated Life, and holy men and women to the Sacrament of Marriage.  
Holy Spirit, help us to live our universal vocation to holiness by listening to the Father's voice and  
responding with a sacrificial love. Holy Mary, Model of vocations, pray for us. Amen.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

The Angel Gabriel



1. The an - gel Ga - bri - el from heav - en came, His  
2. "For know a bless - ed Moth - er you shall be, All  
3. Then gen - tle Ma - ry meek - ly bowed her head; "To  
4. Of her, Em - man - u - el, the Christ, was born In



1. wings as drift - ed snow, his eyes as flame; "All  
2. gen - er - a - tions praise con - tin - ual - ly, Your  
3. me be as it pleas - es God!" she said. "My  
4. Beth - le - hem, all on a Christ - mas morn; And

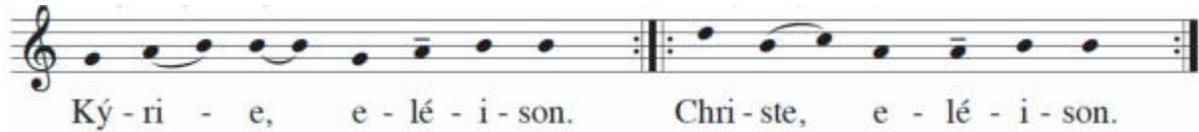


1. hail," said he, "O low - ly maid - en Ma - ry," }  
2. Son shall be Em - man - u - el, by seers fore - told." } "Most  
3. soul shall laud and mag - ni - fy his ho - ly name." }  
4. Chris - tian folk through - out the world will ev - er say:



1-4. high - ly fa - vored la - dy!" Glo - ri - a!

Text: 10 10 12 10; *Birgina gatzettabat zegoen*; Trad. Basque Carol; tr. by Sabine Baring-Gould, 1834-1924, alt.  
Music: Trad. Basque Carol Melody.



(Then repeat the first Kyrie.)

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

### FIRST READING

Micah 5:1-4a

Thus says the LORD: You, Bethlehem-Ephrathah too small to be among the clans of Judah, from you shall come forth for me one who is to be ruler in Israel; whose origin is from of old, from ancient times.

Therefore the Lord will give them up, until the time when she who is to give birth has borne, and the rest of his kindred shall return to the children of Israel.

He shall stand firm and shepherd his flock by the strength of the LORD, in the majestic name of the LORD, his God; and they shall remain, for now his greatness shall reach to the ends of the earth; he shall be peace.

The Word of the Lord.  
Thanks be to God.

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 80

Hughes/Gelineau

*Lord, make us turn to you;  
let us see your face and we shall be saved.*



### SECOND READING

Hebrews 10:5-10

Brothers and sisters: When Christ came into the world, he said: "Sacrifice and offering you did not desire, but a body you prepared for me; in holocausts and sin offerings you took no delight. Then I said, 'As is written of me in the scroll, behold, I come to do your will, O God.'" First he says, "Sacrifices and offerings, holocausts and sin offerings, you neither desired nor delighted in." These are offered according to the law. Then he says, "Behold, I come to do your will." He takes away the first to establish the second. By this "will," we have been consecrated through the offering of the body of Jesus Christ once for all.

The Word of the Lord.  
Thanks be to God.

### GOSPEL READING

Luke 1:39-45

Mary set out and traveled to the hill country in haste to a town of Judah, where she entered the house of Zechariah and greeted Elizabeth. When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the infant leaped in her womb, and Elizabeth, filled with the Holy Spirit, cried out in a loud voice and said, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb. And how does this happen to me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me? For at the moment the sound of your greeting reached my ears, the infant in my womb leaped for joy. Blessed are you who believed that what was spoken to you by the Lord would be fulfilled."

The Gospel of the Lord.  
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

## CREED

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and life of the world to come. Amen.

## PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

### THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

#### PREPARATION OF GIFTS

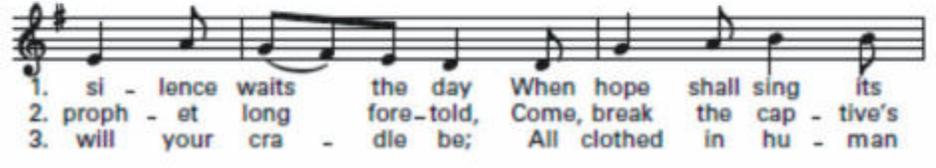
#### O Come, Divine Messiah

VENEZ, DIVIN MESSIE

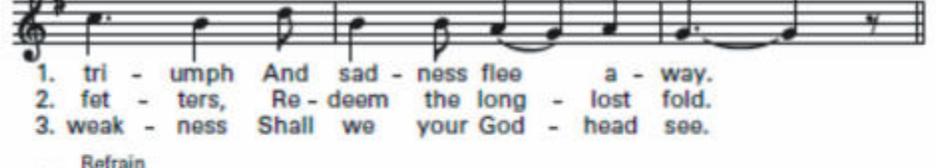
Verses



1. O come, di - vine Mes - si - ah; The world in  
2. O Christ, whom na - tions sigh for, Whom priest and  
3. You come in peace and meek - ness And low - ly

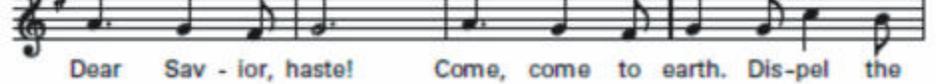


1. si - lence waits the day When hope shall sing its  
2. proph - et long fore - told, Come, break the cap - tive's  
3. will your cra - die be; All clothed in hu - man



1. tri - umph And sad - ness flee a - way.  
2. fet - ters, Re - deem the long - lost fold.  
3. weak - ness Shall we your God - head see.

Refrain



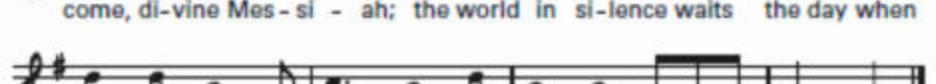
Dear Sav - ior, haste! Come, come to earth. Dis - pel the



night and show your face, and bid us hail the dawn of grace. O



come, di - vine Mes - si - ah; the world in si - lence waits the day when



hope shall sing its tri - umph and sad - ness flee a - way.

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.  
Heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na  
in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the  
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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Music: *New Plainsong III*, David Hurd, © 1981, 2018 GIA Publications, Inc.

Save us, Sav - ior of the world, for by your Cross and  
Res - ur - rec - tion you have set us free.

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A - men, a - men,  
a - men.

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AGNUS DEI

Chant, Mass XVIII

A-gnus De - i, qui tol - lis pec - cá - ta mun-di: mi-se-ré-re no - bis. *(repeat)*  
A - gnus De - i, qui tol - lis pec - cá - ta mun-di: do - na no - bis pa - cem.

Music: Vatican Edition XVIII; acc. by Richard Pronlx

COMMUNION HYMN

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

Re - jice! Re - jice! Em - man - u - el  
 Shall come to you, O Is - ra - el.

Text: *Veni, veni Emmanuel*; Latin 9th C.; tr. by John M. Neale, 1818-1866, alt.

Tune: VENI VENI EMMANUEL, LM with refrain; Mode I; adapt. by Thomas Helmore, 1811-1890; acc. by Richard Proulx, b.1937

RECESSIONAL HYMN

The King Shall Come When Morning Dawns

1. The King shall come when morn - ing dawns And  
 2. Not, as of old, a lit - tle child, To  
 3. The King shall come when morn - ing dawns And  
 4. And let the end - less bliss be - gin, By  
 5. The King shall come when morn - ing dawns And

light tri - um - phant breaks, When beau - ty gilds the  
 suf - fer and to die, But crowned with glo - ry  
 earth's dark night is past; O haste the ris - ing  
 wea - ry saints fore - told, When right shall tri - umph  
 light and beau - ty brings. Hail, Christ, the Lord! Your

east - ern hills And life to joy a - wakes.  
 like the sun That lights the morn - ing sky.  
 of that morn Whose day shall ev - er last.  
 o - ver wrong, And truth shall be ex - tolled.  
 peo - ple pray: Come quick - ly, King of kings.

Text: John Brownlie, 1857-1925, alt.

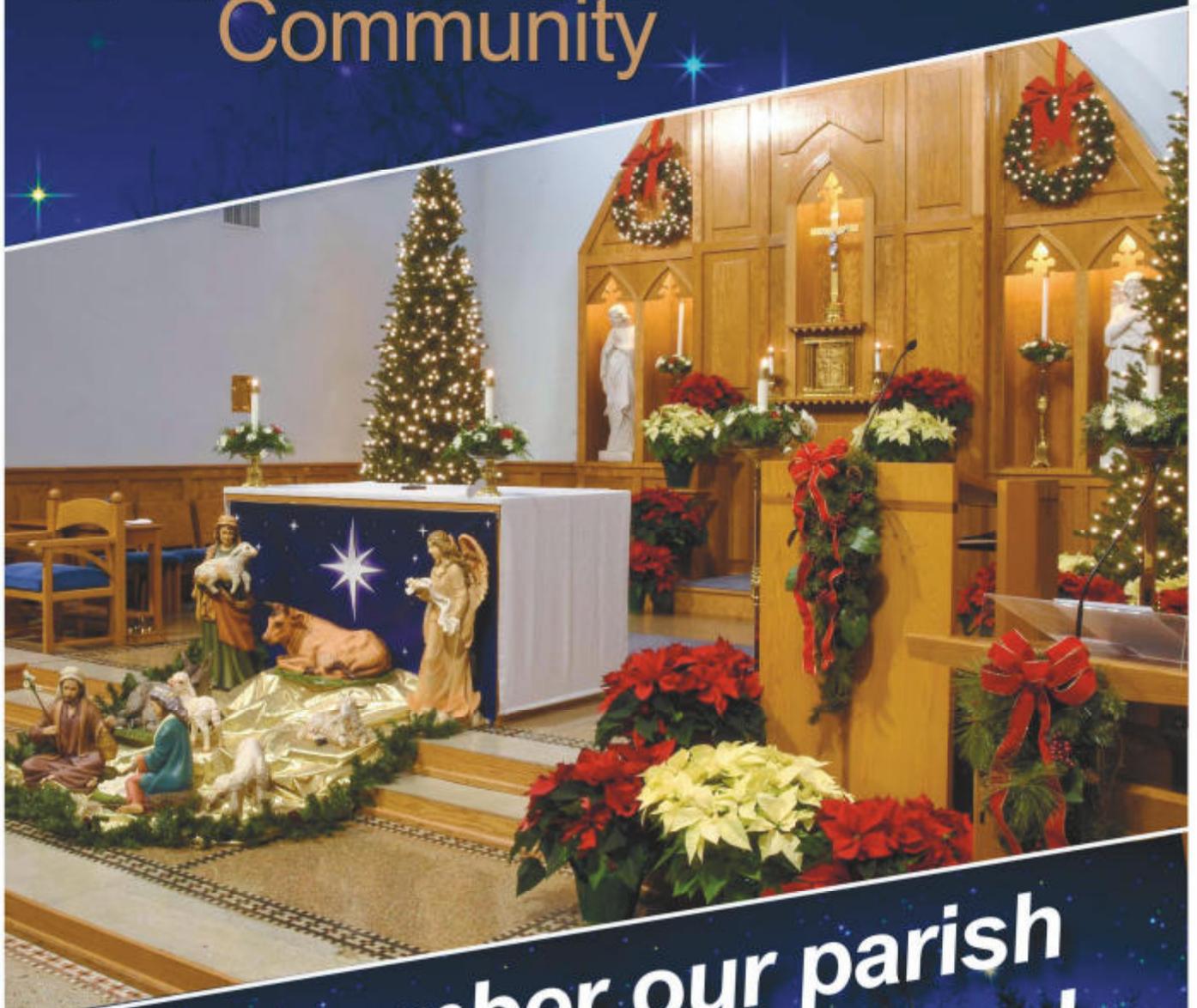
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POST-  
LUDE

Postlude on "Morning Song"  
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Community

If your circumstances allow, we humbly ask you to remember our parish at Christmas with an end-of-the-year gift or a commitment to increase your offertory in 2022.



**Remember our parish  
at Christmas!**



Queen of Angels Athletic Association

Basketball

REGISTRATION FORM

**STUDENT-ATHLETE INFORMATION**

Last Name:		First Name:		DOB:					
Shirt Size: (Circle One)		YS	YM	YL	AS	AM	AL	AXL	AXXL
Grade									
School/Parish									

(Parent): Are there any physical or other restrictive limitations which the team, league and Queen of Angels should be aware of which might restrict the athlete's participation in the program?

Yes No If yes, specify:

**FAMILY INFORMATION**

Parent/Guardian #1 Name:		Cell Number:		Email Address:		
Volunteer for:		Head Coach	Assistant Coach			
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Street Address:		
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**REGISTRATION FEE INFORMATION**

Registration fee paid: \$\_\_\_\_\_ cash/check#\_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT WAIVER AND CONSENT**

My daughter/son has my permission to participate in competitive sports in the Queen of Angels Catholic School. I do hereby release and forever discharge the above mentioned team, and/or school/athletic association or their successors from any/all actions or suits in law or equity which I hereafter have by reasons of injuries sustained by my child participating in sports or in transit to or from participation in sports. I also understand that it is my responsibility to determine my child's physical and mental readiness to participate in the Queen of Angels Athletic Program for this season. I further certify that my child has had a physical during the past 12 months, administered by a licensed physician, and under no circumstances does my child have a medical condition(s) that would prohibit him/her from participating in the sport of basketball.

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Sign Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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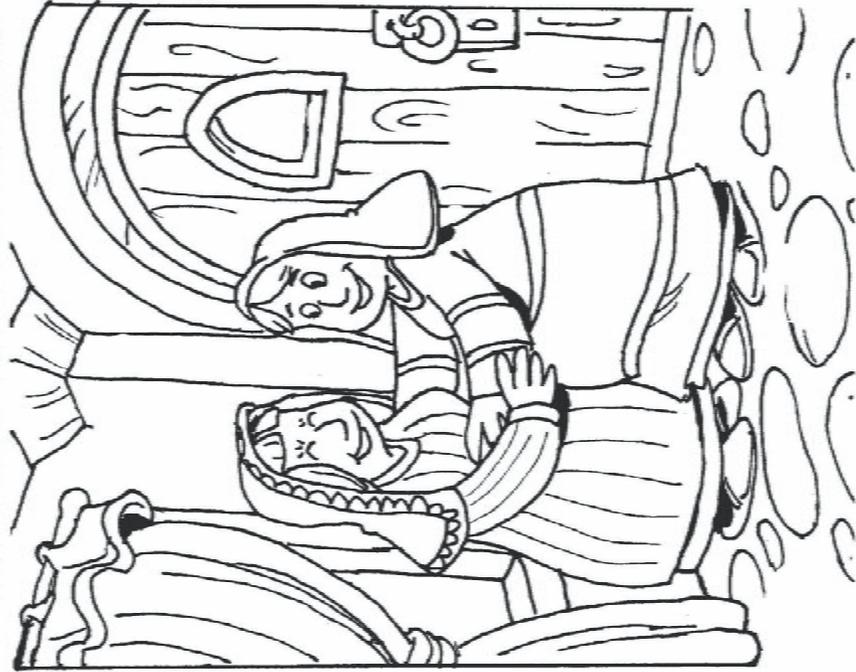
# GROWING <sup>+</sup> WITH THE Gospel

CYCLE C



## COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



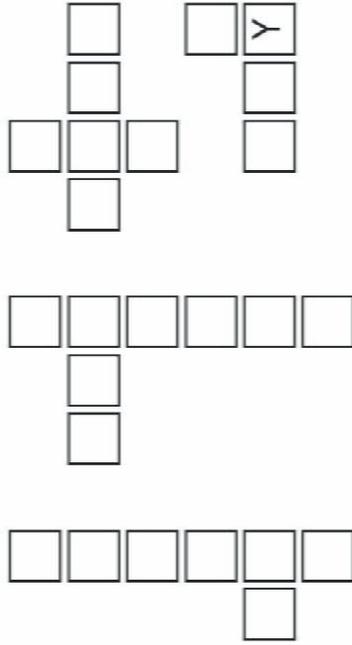
4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent • Luke 1:39-45



## PUZZLE

Fit the following words from today's Gospel into the empty squares below.

The infant in my womb leaped for joy.



## MISSION

You belong to a larger family than just the people in your home. See how many of your relatives you can name before you visit them at Christmas. When you do see them, wish them "Merry Christmas!"



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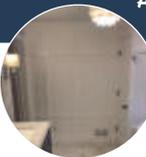
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