

TODAY
The First Sunday of Advent



Mass Intentions for the week

Saturday, Nov. 26th	4:30 pm	Linda Olvera (Ed & Kathy DiSabado)
Sunday, Nov. 27th	9:00 am	Thomas Croarkin (Mary Therese Croarkin)
	11:30 am	Eric Bohlman (The Bohlman Family)
	6:00 pm	For the People of the Parish
Monday, Nov. 28th	9:00 am	Fallen Members of 1-61 Cav. (Pete Janotka)
Tuesday, Nov. 29th	9:00 am	Joseph Blitz (Jan Walker)
Wednesday, Nov. 30th	9:00 am	Luis Quintero (Bond Family)
Thursday, Dec. 1st	No Mass	
Friday, Dec. 2nd	9:00 am	Joseph Frabott (Carole Heinzenberger)

For the Weekend Dec. 3rd and 4th

Saturday, Dec. 3rd	4:30 pm	Sanese Family (Margaret Weimer)
Sunday, Dec. 4th	9:00 am	James Feldhaus



Prayer Requests

Sophia Basil, Henry Drayer, Betty Evans, Mark Evans, Glenn Glassner, Maryann Hogan,, Logan Kinzel, Jean Montenaro, Daniel Patrick Murphy, Deacon Byron Phillips, Anna Reed, Teri Ruzicka, Denise Schumaker, Andrea Stanley and Mary Yingst

Parish Activities for the week

Saturday, November 26th		
8:00 am	Church	Cantors Warm Up
Sunday, November 27th		
8:00 am	Church	Vocal Rehearsal
10:30 am	Church	Vocal Rehearsal
2:00 pm	Church	Last Call Set Up
Monday, November 28th		
6:00 pm	School Cafeteria	AA Meeting
Tuesday, November 29th		
No Parish Activities Scheduled		
Wednesday, November 30th		
7:00 pm	St. Alberts Room	RCIA
7:00 pm	School Cafeteria	Home & School Mtg.
Thursday, December 1st		
3:30 pm	Church	String Ensemble
5:00 pm	Church	Youth Choir
6:00 pm	Church	Women's Choir
6:30 pm	Church	Men's Choir
Friday, December 2nd		
No Parish Activities Scheduled		
Saturday, December 3rd		
8:00 am	Church	Cantors Warm Up
Sunday, December 4th		
8:00 am	Church	Vocal Rehearsal
10:00 am	School Library	Adult Faith Formation
10:05 am	School Cafeteria	PSR Class
10:30 am	Church	Vocal Rehearsal
2:00 pm	Church	Last Call Set Up

PARISH SUPPORT

Weekly Offertory Breakdown—November 20th, 2016

Total Envelope Count – 102	
Total Envelope \$ Amount	\$ 4,018.82
Loose Checks – # 38	
Total Loose Checks \$ Amount	\$ 1,906.00
Total Loose Cash \$ Amount	\$ 1,444.00
Total Collection \$ Amount	\$ 7,368.82

EFT/Automatic Contributions \$12,581.73

Mass Attendance:

November 5 & 6	1,001
November 12 & 13	1,021
November 19 & 20	1,139



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,
We have now begun the Season of Advent. Even though we're running around trying to do many things, this Season calls us to a joyful anticipation and longing for the Christ Child to come into our midst. Please take some time for prayer and reflection. In looking ahead, our Christmas Mass schedule will be:

Saturday, December 24th 4:00 pm. This is the first Mass and will be the most crowded. Contemporary music from Last Call Mass will be playing at this Mass. Please get here early, as the pews will fill up fast.

Saturday, December 24th, 6:00 pm. This Mass will be our Children's Liturgy, with our Children's Choir providing the music. The Upper Arlington High School String Ensemble will accompany our Children's Choir.

Saturday, December 24th, 8:00 pm. This will be our Solemn Christmas Eve Vigil with our Adult Choir singing. Incense will be used at this Mass.

Sunday, December 25th, 9:00 am. This is our only Christmas Day Mass, for young and old. Please come and celebrate our Savior's Birth!

God's Peace,
Fr. David

Parish Activities



The Knights of Columbus thank everybody at St. Christopher for their support of our collection for veterans. We received 2,315 in donations for veterans.



Trinity Catholic Elementary School is taking Kindergarten registration: We are now taking Kindergarten registration for the 2016-2017 school year. We will have two Kindergarten classes with a maximum of 13 students in each class. We anticipate filling all our available slots for next year.

BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

Join us on Saturday, December 10th at 8:30 am in the School Cafeteria to have breakfast with Santa.



RCIA will meet in the St. Albert room at 7:00 pm on Wednesday, November 30th. RCIA topic for this week is: "The Holy Spirit," presented by Alyce Horwat. All are welcome to learn more about our Catholic Faith. Next weeks topic will be Mary & the Saints.

Adult Faith Formation

This week:

November 27, 2016 – Thanksgiving Break!

Looking ahead:

December 4, 2016 – Youth Empowerment Program - Angela Lariviere used her life experience to create the Youth Empowerment Program to give disconnected cross-systems youth a voice. YEP unites youth to social change by addressing the root causes of poverty.

For questions or suggestions, please contact committee member Marlene Yeldell at myeldell@columbus.rr.com.

Full program may be downloaded at the parish website under Faith Formation/Adults

St. Vincent De Paul

We are collecting food for our Christmas baskets. These are the items we need:



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| Coffee | Chunky Soups |
| Jam | Cereal |
| Peanut Butter | Beans |
| Mac & Cheese | Canned Pasta |
| Canned Fruit | |
| Canned Fish & Meats | |

Please leave groceries in the vestibule.