



T D B T S from Father Rey
SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT
10 December 2023



...to our Building & Grounds Committee for planning and organizing the re-carpeting and re-flooring of our chapel. Also, to Conklin Brothers, for making our chapel look even better, and conducive to prayer and moments for silent reflection. You are all awesome!

...to all of YOU (parishioners), for your generosity, and understanding. The re-carpeting and re-flooring of our chapel would not have been possible without your generous contribution and support. You are all awesome 😊! Please be assured of my prayers to you and your families.

...to the staffs and volunteers of the Christmas Tree Lighting - *Leslie, Ranilo, Youth Ministry, Girlie, Chad, Tim, Oscar, Roselle, Sonia, Tran, the building and grounds committee.* Thank you for making the event awesome and memorable. You rock!

- **ADVENT RECOLLECTION. The Birth of the Messiah: An Advent Meditation and Bible Study on Luke 1-2.** I invite you and your family on **December 13, Wednesday at 5:30 pm until 7:00 pm at the Sandersfeld Hall.** Rev. Sebastian Carnazzo, PhD, a local Byzantine rite Catholic priest, lecturer in Sacred Scripture and Biblical Languages at St. Patrick's Seminary in Menlo Park, and pastor of St. Elias Melkite Catholic Mission will lead the recollection. Sign-up sheet is available after each Mass this weekend, and weekday Masses. Signup sheets are available in the chapel and parish office. Don't forget to bring your Bible 😊.



- **ADORATION & CONFESSION.** As we prepare for the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ, we will have an opportunity for Confession. Our Advent Reconciliation is scheduled within the context of the Adoration, which provides us a quiet, sacred time before the Blessed Sacrament. It will be on December 14, Thursday from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm. During this time, Fathers Lieu,



Robain, myself and invited priests will be present for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. You and your family may come in any time at your convenience for either Adoration or Confessions or both and leave at any time.

- **ADVENT & CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE.** Please mark your calendars. As one community of faith, I invite you to our upcoming Advent & Christmas events and Masses.



Advent Schedules

Christmas Tree Lighting & Sweepstakes Raffle Draw
Saturday, December 2nd
6:45 pm Hospitality/Gathering Space

The Immaculate Conception of the Virgin Mary
(Holy Day of Obligation)
Thursday, December 7th Vigil Mass 7:00 pm
Friday, December 8th Masses
8:30; 10:30 am
5:00 pm (Vietnamese)
7:00 pm (Bilingual)

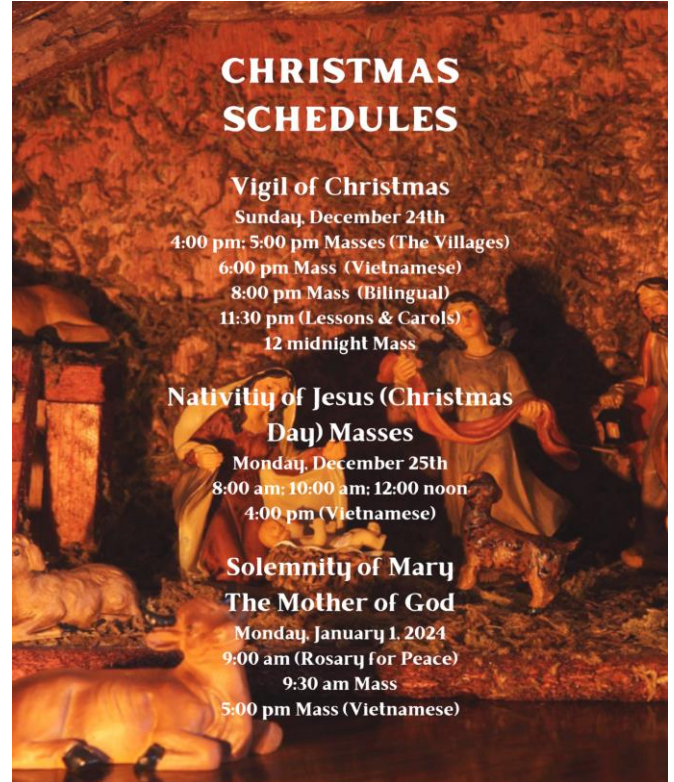
Our Lady of Guadalupe
Tuesday, December 12th, 7:00 pm

Simbang Gabi (Advent Novena-Masses)
December 15, 18 - 22, 7:00 pm
December 16th, & 23rd, 4:00 pm
December 17th, 6:00 pm

Advent Recollection
Wednesday, December 13th, 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm
Sandersfeld Hall

Advent Communal Reconciliation Service
Thursday, December 14th, 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Chapel

4th Sunday of Advent Masses
8:15 am (The Villages)
10:00 am, 12 noon (Chapel)



CHRISTMAS SCHEDULES

Vigil of Christmas
Sunday, December 24th
4:00 pm; 5:00 pm Masses (The Villages)
6:00 pm Mass (Vietnamese)
8:00 pm Mass (Bilingual)
11:30 pm (Lessons & Carols)
12 midnight Mass

Nativity of Jesus (Christmas Day) Masses
Monday, December 25th
8:00 am; 10:00 am; 12:00 noon
4:00 pm (Vietnamese)

Solemnity of Mary The Mother of God
Monday, January 1, 2024
9:00 am (Rosary for Peace)
9:30 am Mass
5:00 pm Mass (Vietnamese)

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT 16-17 December 2023

Anticipated Mass

4:00 pm	Fr. Robain (Simbang Gabi)
5:30 pm	Fr. Lieu (Vietnamese)

Sunday

8:00 am	Msgr. Mitchell
8:15 am	Fr. Robain (Villages)
10:00 am	Fr. Rey
12:00 pm	Fr. Robain assisted by Deacon Sunny
2:00 pm	Msgr. Gene (Spanish)
4:00 pm	Fr. Lieu (Vietnamese)
6:00 pm	Fr. Lieu assisted by Deacon Joe (Simbang Gabi)