

# GAUDETE SUNDAY – YEAR A

## MASS INTENTIONS

### **Saturday, December 13<sup>th</sup>**

5:00 pm For the Intention of Saverio & Enrica Alonzi  
On their 60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary  
Sybil Mary D'Mello By Sandra & Ligorio Gracias  
For the Intention of Luciano Conte on his 75<sup>th</sup> Birthday  
by Francesca Conte & Family

### **Sunday, December 14<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 am Luciano Frattia by Joe & Anna Paoella  
Deceased Members of the Racco &  
Mastronardi Families by Emilio & Maria Racco  
Antonio Charlitti & Frank Fior by Claudio & Louise Fior  
10:30 am Immacolata Doria by Mary Gargiulo  
Angela Pagnelli & Giovanna DeSimini  
by Bozzo & DeSimini Families  
Edna Tierra & Giuseppina Pincente  
by Robert & Mercedes Pincente  
Joe Pecchia by Pat Pecchia

### **Wednesday, December 17<sup>th</sup>**

7:00 pm Giovanni & Maria Grassi  
by Vito & Wilma DeSimini

### **Friday, December 19<sup>th</sup>**

7:00 pm Domenic & Agela Fazzari  
by Pat & Cosma Corbo  
For the Intention of Lou Conte  
by Bill & Sherin McCullough

### **Saturday, December 20<sup>th</sup>**

5:00 pm Rita Amatangelo  
by Bozzo & DeSimini Families  
Alfredo & Adele Sivitilli  
by Anthony & Bianca Della Penna  
Angelo Marsiglio  
by Mary Marsiglio Cunningham  
& Family  
Edna Tierra by Robert & Mercedes Pincente

### **Sunday, December 21<sup>st</sup>**

8:30 am Joe Pecchia by The Torrone Family  
Joe DiRocco by Michelle DiRocco  
10:30 am Mario & Filomena Corbo SR.  
by Pat & Cosma Corbo  
Corrine Giudici by Iacobelli & Morelli Families  
For the Intention of Lou Conte by Sandra Greco  
Floriano Cescolini & Pasquale Cianfarani  
by Justin Cescolini



## GAUDETE SUNDAY

### “Blessing of Baby Jesus”

Gaudete Sunday is celebrated today on the 3rd Sunday of Advent. Gaudete means “rejoice” and on this Feast Day we rejoice because we are almost at Christmas, the day where we celebrate the coming Jesus into the world. This weekend, after each mass, before the final blessing, you will be asked to hold up the baby Jesus you brought in your hand, and Father John will come by with the Holy Water to bless it.



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**Our Sincere Thanks to all!**

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14<sup>TH</sup>, 2025



## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

We welcome into the Church of Jesus Christ **ALORA GRACE PERRUZZA**, daughter of Derek & Michelle. May the Lord Jesus pour His blessing on Alora and her family. The Baptism will take place on Saturday, December 13<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 am.



## EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19<sup>th</sup>

Silent Adoration begins at 3:30 pm,  
Celebration of Mass at 7:00 pm.



## WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

The Sacred Heart Parish Faith Community congratulates **Saverio & Enrica Alonzi** on their **60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary**. May their love of God, and their families endure for many more years to come.



## THE CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAUGE AND THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS POT-LUCK SUPPER TUESDAY, DECEMBER 16<sup>TH</sup> 6:30 PM IN THE PARISH HALL

Members with their spouses and guests are invited to attend. Kindly bring non-perishable food for the **Restless Christmas Food Drive**.



## Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions

Join us in praying the Novena **every Wednesday** evening, beginning at 6:30 pm followed by Holy Mass at 7:00 pm.

## ADVENT CONFESSIONS

**Wednesday, December 17<sup>th</sup>**

(after Holy Mass)

**Friday, December 19<sup>th</sup>**

(after Holy Mass)

## 2025 Christmas Masses



### Christmas Eve - Wednesday, December 24

5:00 PM 11:00 PM  
Carols at 10:30 PM

No evening Mass or Our Lady of Perpetual Help devotion

### Christmas Day - Thursday, December 25

8:30 AM 10:30 AM 12:00 NOON

### New Years Eve - Wednesday, December 31

5:00 PM

No evening Mass or Our Lady of Perpetual Help devotion

### New Years Day - Thursday, January 1

8:30 AM 10:30 AM

### SAVE THE DATE:

The Knights of Columbus will be holding a **"ROAST BEEF DINNER"** on **Saturday, January 24<sup>th</sup>**, served after 5:00 pm Mass. More information will be given in the new year.