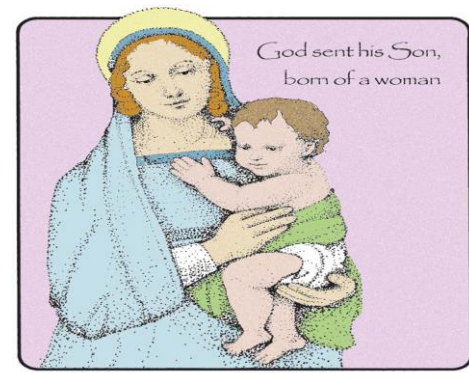




**DECEMBER 27, 2020  
THE HOLY FAMILY OF  
JESUS, MARY, AND JOSEPH**



**MASSES FOR THE WEEK**

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26**  
5:00 P.M. Father Michael Bartholomew's  
Intentions of his Big 40

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 27**  
8:00 A.M. Adriana Merolla  
9:30 A.M. Richard & Antonia Eimers  
11:00 A.M. Naudlee Valcin  
5:00 P.M. People of the Parish

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 28**  
8:00 A.M. Frank Muhlfeld

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29**  
8:00 A.M. Joan McEntee Hartan

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30**  
8:00 A.M. Nora Byrne

**THURSDAY DECEMBER 31**  
8:00 A.M. Walter Crowley  
7:00 P.M. Spanish Mass

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 1**  
8:00 A.M. Steven Brophy  
12:00 NOON William Dooley  
7:00 P.M. People of the Parish



**SATURDAY, JANUARY 2**  
5:00 P.M. Michael Broderick

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 3**  
8:00 A.M. People of the Parish  
9:30 A.M. Stanley Lupinetti  
11:00 A.M. Naudlee Valcin  
5:00 P.M. People of the Parish

**ROSARY AFTER THE 8 A.M. DAILY MASS**

**Pray for the Deceased:**

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

Prayers are requested for: Danielle Norwood, Jody Porco, Dorothea Villano, Marion Curry, Sebastian Ross, Evan Cotter, Kathleen O'Keefe, George Schmidt, Barbara Mietzner, Kurt Mietzner, Jamison Soluk, Charlie DiPirro, Shaun Matthews, Fritz Ross, Susan Chen, Kevin Mansfield, Linda Murphy, Maggie Ward, Stan Kuczynski, Daniel Dineen, Michael Klecan, Brayden Stowell, Jake Daniels, Patricia Klecan, William Krammer, Mary Kearns Lehman, Lynne Handville, Carole Borsett, Michele Cavuto, Grace Guerra, Cathy Burch, Marianne Giglio, Rosemary Ann Varade, John C. Mansfield, Leisa DeCarlo, Trish Schenck, Patricia Hayes, Francis X. O'Connor, Margaret Solan, Gwen DiMiceli, Geraldine Solan, Paul Chen, Irene Barrett, Louise Sangiorgio, John McAuley, Michael Fish, Bridget D'Souza, Michael Schmidt, Sue Dwyer, Hannah G, Karen Landau, Ciriaco D'Souza, Dr. Marcus Cockerill, Carmen Miranda, Claudette Tully King, Josephine Nobisso, Andrew Struckhoff, Morgan Leary

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 28 at 8 PM  
IN THE CHURCH**



And  
**FIRST FRIDAYS**  
Following the 8 AM Mass

**MEDITATION WITH DEACON JOE  
TUESDAYS, 2PM, PARISH CENTER  
MASKS REQUIRED**



**The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary,  
and Joseph**

**December 27, 2020**

My eyes have seen your salvation, which you prepared in the sight of all the peoples.

—Luke 2:30-31

**STEWARDSHIP**

*A Way of Life*

*The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph*

**REFLECTION**

*In today's Gospel, Mary and Joseph fulfill the laws according to Moses. As parents to a newborn, there were Mosaic laws that had to be completed by them.*

**LIVING STEWARDSHIP  
PILLAR of SERVICE**

*As baptized Christians, we are called to serve the Lord and our neighbor. As the year comes to a close, think and pray about how you can serve God and others in 2021..*

**HONOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY**

This section of the bulletin acknowledges those men and women serving in the armed forces of the United States of America. If you know someone serving our country, please call the rectory with the name and branch in which the person is serving. Help us acknowledge and be grateful to those protecting us all.

- Corpsman Eric Rousell, Navy
- SFC Chas Dodt, Army
- Sergeant Michael Christiano, Marines
- Lance Corporal Nicholas Sanna, Marines
- Spec. Noah Tumbarello, Army
- Sergeant Anthony Betancourt, Marines
- Lt.Cmdr. Margaret Brown, Coast Guard
- Sergeant Christopher Mascia, Army
- Doctor Kathleen O'Mara Siwec, Navy
- Pilot Patrick O'Mara, Army
- Chaplain Steve Pratel, Army
- Sgt. Matthew Smith, Army
- Sgt. Ronan Seltenreich, 82<sup>nd</sup> Airborne
- Seaman Jaime Brambley
- Lt. Luke Bronin, Navy
- Lt. Sheila Sweeney, Navy
- Cooper James Daly, A.S. Coast Guard
- Spc. Louis DiPasquale, Army
- Tsgt. Michael Algozzino, Air Force
- Lt. Charles J. Crawley, Navy
- Lt. Joe Brown, Navy
- Ensign Christopher McBride, Navy
- Cpt. Jameson Hustek, Marines
- Sgt. William Boerstler, Army
- Master Sgt. Eugene Cates
- Cpt. Michael Van Orden, Army
- Thomas Bonner, Marines
- W/O Christopher LeToile, Army
- Major William Robesch
- SO5 Harrison Cady, Navy

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**PRAYER REQUESTS**

There is a great power in prayer. It is our lifeline to God. Through it we communicate with God, and people are strengthened, helped, and made whole'

Do you know of some concern, or of some person with a special need for whom we ought to pray? If so print out this form and place it in the offering basket or return it to the parish office.

PLEASE PRINT

Please pray for

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Because of

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

- ( ) Please list in next bulletin
- ( ) Please place on prayer chain

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

- ( ) I would like to be on a prayer chain, to be called upon to pray privately.

My phone number is \_\_\_\_\_

**Mass and Masks**

Masks are **required** for Mass attendance. Masks should cover the nose and mouth and remain on for the entire Mass.



**HELP US**

We could use your help keeping our Prayers for the Sick and Military list up to date. If you know of any changes, please let us know. Thank you.

**STEWARDSHIP REPORT**

**DECEMBER 19 - 20     \$ 4,240.**  
**We Are Grateful For Every Donation**

**TIME**

Do not squander time, for that is the stuff life is made of.

—Benjamin Franklin

**BANNS of MARRIAGE**  
3rd



**Judy Estrada**  
And  
**Brandon Valle**

**The Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God**  
**Friday, January 1 (Holy Day of Obligation)**

**Thursday, December 31**

**7:00 P.M. in Spanish/ en Espanol**

**Friday, January 1**

**8:00 A.M., 12:00 Noon, 7:00 P.M.**

**TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

There's no more unusual setting to celebrate today's Feast of the Holy Family than Barcelona, Spain and the towering unfinished sandcastle known officially as the Temple Expiatori de la Sagrada Familia. In 1882, the plan was hatched to build a vast place of worship in reparation for the revolutionary and liberal leanings of the city. The modern artist Antoni Gaudi dedicated his life to the project, living in the building, attending Mass daily, and giving up his personal wealth. When people pressed him to pick up the pace, he responded, "My client is not in a hurry." (Gaudi's cause for beatification is moving along, and he could be the first professional artist and architect to be beatified.) The Spanish Civil War, a disaster for the Catholic Church in which thousands of priests, brothers, and nuns were murdered, halted work in 1935. In the 1950s work began anew, speeded up by computers in the 1980s. Still, the final stage of construction is not due to end until 2026. If the original methods had stayed in place, it would take several hundred more years to complete the plan. So far there are eight towers, with four to go. The highest steeple is three feet shorter than the nearest hill, since the architect didn't want his work to surpass God's artistry. The three faces of the basilica each have three doors, with the faces named Passion, Nativity, and Grace. The interior is crammed with geometric figures that almost seem to spin, crazy-quilt windows, spiral staircases, and jumbles of statues and figures. Although inspired by ancient Gothic cathedrals, the style is called Expressionist, and very little is left unexpressed by the masonry. If you can't afford a visit, Sagrada Familia maintains a web site, and virtual visits are free.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



**CANNED FRUIT, RICE, SIZE 3 BABY DIAPERS**



**SAVE THE DATE:**  
**BLOOD DRIVE**  
**MONDAY, JANUARY 11, 2021**  
**OUR LADY'S HALL**

**JANUARY 1, 2021 -OFFICES CLOSED**

**The Little Ones**

Jim Burrows



And over all these put on love

Col 3:14



## **Walking with the Lord**

### *The Holy Family*

Christmas is so important we celebrate it for 8 days. On the Sunday within the Octave of Christmas, we celebrate the Holy Family. We see the love Mary, Joseph and Jesus has for each other and their love of God. We pray that they may be our model so that we grow in faith, hope and love with our own families. As we reflect on the Holy Family, we pray for our own families. On December 8<sup>th</sup>, Pope Francis dedicated coming year to the intercession of St. Joseph. He is the Patron Saint of the Universal Church. May his powerful intercession strengthen our families and our Church! May this Christmas season be filled with peace and joy for you and your family.

### *Happy New Year!*

New Year's Day is the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God. It is a great day to pray for our family and friends through the intercession of Mary as we begin another calendar year. I pray this is a year filled with peace, joy and love for you and your family. We will have Mass in the Church on Dec 31<sup>st</sup> at 7pm in Spanish and January 1<sup>st</sup> at 8am, 12noon and 7pm in English. For now, we continue our walk with the Lord.

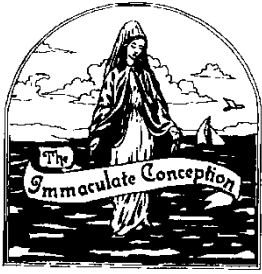
## **Caminando con el Señor**

### *La Sagrada Familia*

La Navidad es tan importante, por eso celebramos por 8 días. El domingo a dentro la octava de Navidad, celebramos la Sagrada Familia. Miramos el amor de María, José y Jesús que ellos tienen por ellos y su amor por Dios. Oremos que ellos son nuestro modelo para crecer en fe, amor y esperanza con nuestras familias. Como reflejamos sobre la Sagrada Familia, oremos por nuestra familia. En 8 de diciembre, Papa Francisco ha dedicado el año a San Jose. San Jose es el patron de la Iglesia Universal. ¡Que su poderosa intercesión fortalezca a nuestras familias y nuestra Iglesia! Espero que este tiempo de Navidad lleno de paz y júbilo por usted y su familia.

### *¡Prospero Año Nuevo!*

El día de año nuevo es la solemnidad de María, Madre de Dios. Es un buen día a orar por nuestra familia y amigos de bajo de la intercesión de María como empezamos un nuevo año en el calendario. Oro para que este año esté lleno de paz, alegría y amor para usted y su familia. Tendremos misa en la iglesia el 31 de diciembre a las 7pm en español y el 1 de enero a las 8am, mediodía, y 7pm en inglés. Por ahora continuamos nuestro camino con el Señor.



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**2020 Annual Report  
Of Parish Life**

December 2020

Dear Parishioners,

We continue to try to be good stewards of the resources we have and to enhance our ability to serve our parish community. All of this has taken place with your generosity, cooperation and prayer. In all of this we have a lot to be thankful for. This report is meant as a summary of all the good works and ministry we have done together as a parish. While majority of this year we have been impacted by the pandemic, we continue to adjust and move forward as a parish. I look forward to praying and working with you to continue to build up this great parish of Immaculate Conception.

Yours in Christ,

Rev. Michael J. Bartholomew

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Deacon Mark Herrmann  
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Linda O'Brien, Trustee

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Christine Lennon, Chairperson  
Dave Francescani  
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Scott O'Brien  
Michael Strebel

## *Spiritual Report*

The celebration of the sacraments is the most important work of a parish. Every parishioner is part of that work. In bringing the Grace of God to our children and those who are ill, we are caring for our brothers and sisters most in need of Him

The Year is From January 1 to December 31

	2018	2019		2018	2019
Baptisms	66	77	Marriages	29	9
First Penance	70	65	Anointing of the Sick	276	279
First Communion	70	65	Communion to the Sick	3629	3568
Confirmations	52	56	Funerals	45	44
Enrollment in Re. Ed.	483	467			

## *Charity Report*

In addition to providing food for more than 565 families over the course of the year, the parish took part in the Thanksgiving and Christmas outreach, providing holiday meals and gifts to every needy person we could. Led by Kristin Werner Kalisak, and joining with our entire community, we once again provided for them a holiday they could not have had without us.

Outreach provided direct aid to persons in need of housing, transportation, electricity, fuel oil, propane, water and other needs, we distributed \$54,042.

We thank God for his great gifts to us that enable us to help others. May we in the coming year increase our efforts for those in need.

Annual Report

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

**August 31, 2020**

<b>Revenue</b>	<b><u>2020</u></b>	<b><u>2019</u></b>	<b><u>Variance</u></b>
Sunday, Holyday,all other regular collections	471,420	579,326	(107,906)
Fundraising (CM Appeal,Phantom Beach Party,etc.)	70,660	67,348	3,312
Parish Programs (Religious Education,etc.)	90,820	74,746	16,074
Auxiliary revenue(Perquisites,special donations,etc.)	114,453	104,832	9,621
Diocesan & Other Collections	21,519	37,216	(15,697)
Interest, dividends, realized & unrealized gains	151,624	33,335	118,289
Extraordinary Revenue	<u>50,493</u>	<u>25,250</u>	<u>25,243</u>
<b>Total Operating Revenue</b>	<b>970,989</b>	<b>922,053</b>	<b>48,936</b>
 <b>Expenses</b>			
<b>Salaries:</b>			
Clergy	15,840	15,736	104
Extra Priest	16,723	20,428	(3,705)
Office Personnel & Household	100,588	104,902	(4,314)
Plant Operation & Maintenance	54,811	53,046	1,765
Religious Education	38,240	37,500	740
Music	48,141	40,278	7,863
Fringe Benefits(health ins.,pensions,etc.)	78,156	76,209	1,947
Fundraising/development	1,828	6,670	(4,842)
Parish programs(Rel.Ed.,Ministries,etc)	91,233	117,300	(26,067)
Regional School(OLQA Center Moriches)	69,519	72,456	(2,937)
Printing and Office	46,567	45,988	579
Auxiliary Expenses(Missalettes,charity,etc.)	71,644	76,900	(5,256)
Rectory Expenses	18,760	21,467	(2,707)
Diocesan & Other Collections	21,519	37,216	(15,697)
Building & Maintenance(heat,elect.,repairs,.)	145,171	157,056	(11,885)
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>818,740</b>	<b>883,152</b>	<b>(64,412)</b>
 <b>Net Ordinary Revenue/Expenses</b>	 <b>152,249</b>	 <b>38,901</b>	 <b>113,348</b>
<b>Extraordinary Expenses</b>			
Estraordinary Repairs & Renovations(Refund)	<u>(1,579)</u>	<u>28,765</u>	<u>(30,344)</u>
<b>Total Extraordinary Expenses</b>	<b>(1,579)</b>	<b>28,765</b>	<b>(30,344)</b>
<b>TOTAL SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)</b>	<b><u>153,828</u></b>	<b><u>10,136</u></b>	<b><u>143,692</u></b>

*Catholic Ministries Appeal*

2019		2020	
Goal:	\$56,600.00	Goal:	\$61,400.00
Pledged:	\$58,085.00	Pledged:	\$31,124.00
Paid to date:	\$56,600.00	Paid to date:	\$31,484.00
Rebated to Parish:	\$11,320.00	Rebated to parish:	\$0

**Parish Stewardship**

Parish reserves are established for capital improvements and funding the parish operations during the winter months when our parish membership is a lot lower.

As of this report we encourage you to continue to be good stewards. We would like our parishioners to know that we are doing our best with the donations you have made and continue to provide. While your continued support is necessary, it is very encouraging.

*Parish Reserves as of August 31, 2020*

Savings/Money Market	\$76,115
Checking	\$120,127
Unitas Funds	\$207,158
Other Investments	\$1,062,450
Total Reserves	\$1,465,850



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