

# Our Lady Queen Of the Americas Church

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**December 29, 2019**



## THE HOLY FAMILY

"Rise, take the child and his mother and go to the land of Israel, for those who sought the child's life are dead." - Mt 2:20

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### MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday Evening: 5:00 PM**

**Sunday Morning: 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM**

**Holy Days and Holidays: 8:00 AM; Vigil: 6:30 PM**

#### WEEKDAY Schedule: Monday—Friday

6:30 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

6:45 am Vigils

7:15 am Lauds (Morning Prayer)

7:35 am Holy Rosary

7:50 am Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

8:00 am Holy Mass

8:30 am Confession

**SAT, DEC 28**

**THE HOLY INNOCENTS**

5:00 PM

Ralph Carapellotti † (Bill & Paula Greco)

**SUN, DEC 29**

**THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH**

8:00 AM

Frederick Chelton †

10:30 AM

Robert & Greta Prenatt † (Gene & Pat Saeger)

**MON, DEC 30**

**6TH DAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD**

8:00 AM

Dory Perfett † (John & Kathleen Hattrup)

**TUE, DEC 31**

**7TH DAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD**

8:00 AM

Fred Cunningham † (OLQA Faith Formation)

6:30 PM

Anthony Arminio † (Mike & Patty Sechrist)

**WED, JAN 1**

**SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD**

8:00 AM

Robert Prenatt † (William & Patricia Wise)

**THU, JAN 2**

**SAINTS BASIL THE GREAT & GREGORY NAZIANZEN**

8:00 AM

Parishioners

**FRI, JAN 3**

**CHRISTMAS WEEKDAY**

8:00 AM

Marion Derby † (David & Betsy Beachy)

**SAT, JAN 4**

**SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON**

5:00 PM

Marlane Trautmann † (Robert Trautmann)

**SUN, JAN 5**

**EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

8:00 AM

Fred Cunningham † (OLQA Faith Formation)

10:30 AM

Tim Kaider † (Kaider Family)

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**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday-Thursday 9AM—3PM

**CLOSED FRIDAY**

**BULLETIN DEADLINE**

BY 3:00 PM, Monday

#### RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:30—4:30 PM, or by request



Please phone the Church Office if you have family members in the hospital, or who are seriously ill, or elderly, and are confined to their homes. It is important that all of our sick be anointed by a priest, on a regular basis. I am always available to anoint our sick

#### SACRAMENTS OF MARRIAGE & BAPTISM

Call Parish Office for information.

#### PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Call the Parish office (form on back of bulletin)

#### ADULT CHRISTIAN FORMATION

Individuals interested in learning about the Catholic Church and/or becoming Catholic, please contact the Parish office. Inquiries welcomed at any time.

#### SISTER PARISH

St. Anthony of Padua, Tekit, Yucatan, Mexico; St. Isidore, Ochil; Our Lady of the Assumption, Mama; St. John the Baptist, Sabacche



Please remember those who are sick and suffering, especially those who are in the hospital. We pray that they may be restored to health through the grace of God. We also pray for our elderly parishioners who are homebound and in nursing care facilities. May our prayers give them courage and strength.

Call 814-382-8765 with your prayer requests.

## The Week Ahead

Dec 29 thru Jan 4, 2019

MON, Dec 30	Office closed
TUES, Dec 31	Mass 6:30 PM Office closed
WEDS, Jan 1	Mass 8:00 AM Office closed
THURS, Jan 2	NO Communion Calls Office Closed



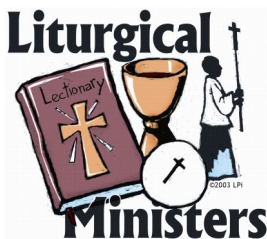
### Holiday Mass Schedule

New Year's Eve 6:30 PM  
New Year's Day 8:00 AM

Available  
at the both doors  
to the Church.

### The Little Blue Book Advent and Christmas Seasons 2019-2020

Six-minute reflections  
on the Sunday Gospels of Year A



I am sure most of you have noticed that you have been scheduled more often lately. We are in dire need of additional people in all ministries. Please consider becoming a liturgical minister in the new year. We especially need people at both the 8 AM and 10:30 AM Sunday masses.

Contact the office, [olqaoffice@zoominternet.net](mailto:olqaoffice@zoominternet.net); 814-382-7252

The office will be closed this holiday season beginning December 19th and I will return January 6th

Wishing you all the most blessed Christmas  
and a healthy and happy  
New Year



OFFERTORY, Dec 15 = \$2,952.00

Call the office if you are interested in  
on-line giving

### CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL

Diocesan Goal: \$42,508.00

Pledged to date: \$51,583.00

Amount Received to Date: \$41,438.00

2019 Campaign  
Mar 3, 2019 thru Jan 31, 2020



Mary Alice Monoa, #212, was the lucky winner of week #18 of our "300 Club" for \$100.

Bernie & Peggy Uzelac, #077, and Carolyn Melby, #099, were winners of the Parish Feast Day drawing for \$250 each Congratulations to each of you!



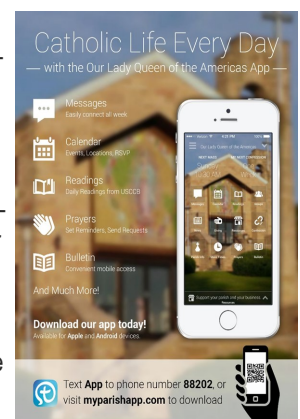
The new year begins, let us pray,  
It will be a year with a new peace,  
New happiness, & the abundance of friends,  
God bless you through out the new year



### Download Our New Parish App!

Our new Our Lady Queen of the Americas app is now available to download for iPhone and Android smart phones. Stay connected with our parish throughout the week with instant notifications, an easy-to-access event calendar, and the ability to quickly reply to or share messages via Facebook or Twitter. Also enjoy a bunch of additional features like prayers, daily readings, helpful reminders to silence your phone before Mass or Confession, and much more.

Help foster a stronger parish life at Our Lady Queen of the Americas and better engage the New Evangelization



### 31 Club—Please pray for vocations...

30th: R A Cooper

31st P Taylor

1st: P Taylor

2nd: J McAnalley

3rd: P Humes

4th: P Saeger

5th: B Smith

If you would like to join the 31 Club, call Terry Conlin @ 814-720-6041.





**PLEASE REMEMBER YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR FINDING  
YOUR OWN REPLACEMENT**

JANUARY		ALTAR SERVERS	LECTORS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	USHERS	GREETERS
SAT	5:00 PM	T Bazylak R Kiser H Morini	P Billingsley D Haylett	B Bazylak, Jr K Bazylak M B Jacobs C Waldron	G Humes B Slevin L Slevin Volunteer	L Slevin
SUN	8:00 AM	G Byler H McCoy	H Biemer A Sovisky	K Barton B Hilton P Hilton T Sovisky	R Barton G English S Miller D Vincent	R Barton
SUN	10:30 AM	Z Carlson C Dickey B Kullen J Kullen	B Schroll B Zello	K Jacobs P Jacobs P Kaider R Mumau	V Leap D Perfett D Schroll P Taylor	V Leap
OFFERING COUNTERS		Jan 5 M Staahl R Bullock-Reese	Jan 12 K Ittel J Elwell	Jan 19 J Smock J Elwell	Jan 26 L Helch J Smock	

**BIRTHDAYS**

Dec 30: James Kullen, Cynthia Perfett  
Dec 31: Kathleen Barton, Roy Kurt,  
McKenna Longoria, Linda Wasson  
Jan 1: Lisa Ferenchak  
Jan 3: Joel Agnew, Shannon Brancato

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**

Dec 31: Patrick & Mary Beth Newell (28)  
Jan 1: Victor & Bonnie Morini (54)  
Jan 4: Bill & Paula Greco (45)

*If you find an error in any of these listings, please call the office  
to update your records. Thank you*



For more information,  
or an appointment  
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**December**

SUN, Dec 29 **NO CLASS UNTIL JANUARY 5, 2020**

**January**

SUN, Jan, 5	9—10:20 AM Class
SUN, Jan 12	9—10:20 AM Class <b>10 AM—2 PM Confirmation Sponsor Day</b>
SUN, Jan 19	NO CLASS
FRI, Jan 24	<b>5—8 PM Middle School Retreat</b>
SUN, Jan 26	9—10:20AM Class Adoration



The 2020 calendars have once again been provided by Dickson Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc and are now available at the doors of the Church.

*Thank you, Rocco Tedesco*

Marriage preparation is a requirement in the Diocese of Erie and a blessing for marriage. **Engagement Encounter** offers engaged couples quality time to spend in discussion and reflection on their future lives together. The next Engagement Encounter is offered Jan. 24-26, 2020, at St. Mark Catholic Center, 429 E. Grandview Blvd., Erie. For more information, visit [www.eriecd.org/familylifeoffice/ee.html](http://www.eriecd.org/familylifeoffice/ee.html), or contact the Family Life Office at 814-824-1261 or [familylife@ErieRCD.org](mailto:familylife@ErieRCD.org).

**KNIGHTS KORNER**

Dec. 28/29 and  
Jan. 4/5 the

Knights of Columbus will be selling carnations in honor of March for Life that is held in Washington D.C on January 17, 2020. Proceeds going to this cause. Thank-you

Please think about helping those in dire circumstances by donating blood at St. Philip's Hall this **Monday the 30th from 2-7pm**. With your help, the Knights need just 23 donors to be able to help save 500 lives in 2019.



Please be sure  
to turn off the lights and lock doors  
when leaving the building.  
Security system detects these issues. *Thank you*



**Readings for the Week**

<<http://www.usccb.org/bible/books-of-the-bible>

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