ST. PETER ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

NATIVITY OF THE LORD

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The angel said to them, "Do not be afraid; for behold, I proclaim to you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. For today in the city of David a savior has been born for you who is Christ and Lord." - Lk 2:10-11

St. Peter's New Year Schedule

Tuesday, December 31st

New Year's Eve

Parish Office Closes at 12 pm

12:10 PM Mass 6 PM Anticipatory Mass

Wednesday, January 1st

New Year's Day

Solemnity of Mary Mother of God

(Holy Day of Obligation)

Parish Office Closed

9AM Mass 12:10 PM Mass 6 PM Mass



Saturday, January 4th

8:30 AM Rosary

9:00 AM Mass

Eucharistic Adoration

Meditation on the mysteries of the Rosary

Gregorian Chant Mass Sunday, January 5th 10am Mass

Sacred music according to the tradition of the Church

CELEBRATE LIFE MARCH

SATURDAY JANUARY 11TH



11:30 AM MASS AT THE CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

1:00 PM RALLY AT THE COLORADO STATE CAPITOL

2:00 PM MARCH FOR LIFE RESPECTLIFEDENVER.ORG

器NET RETREAT

Monday, January 20th.

St. Peter Church Hall 9AM - 4:30PM All 6th - 12th Graders are invited to this powerful FREE retreat!

(THIS IS MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY, NO SCHOOL)

Fr. Tomasz's Weekly Reflection

At Christmas, the Church experiences the joy of God who loved us so much that He became human in his Son. Therefore, decorated and illuminated Christmas trees, garlands of lights on the streets of cities and our homes seem to encourage us to join the cry: "Let us also go and greet the Lord."

In Bethlehem, the Savior of the world was born. This is the greatest grace and blessing for man, who can receive God's power directly from Baby Jesus. The Bethlehem crib is universal, in contrast to royal palaces. It emanates with love and simplicity, openness and beauty. There is a place for everyone. Everyone can freely come and bring all their pains, suffering and misery. The beauty of Christmas helps us accept the message that God has become one of us.

The eternal Word has become man in order to reveal to us the true face of the Father and bring us closer to Him. The Son of God became man to reveal the truth about man. Staring at the Son, through the eyes of faith, helps us to form within ourselves the true identity of a child of God. The closer we are to Jesus, the better and more beautiful we become in our humanity. He came to free us from the slavery of sin, lies and the fear of death. And this is the real theme of joy. Jesus is our hope and chance for a good change. He came to his own to show us that the sense of our existence on earth is to be a gift to others.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Randy Koski, Ruth, Sherlene Kontz, Jon Stoson, Deloris Potterfield, Austin Lind, Bob Rowe, Kelly Graybill, Bonnie Youngman, Frank Holland, Jason Martinez, Kathy Allen, Judy Houston, Ed Endres, Bryce Hares, Gimena Gunderson, Thea, Jackie Rowe, Kendall Scheiderer, Ashley, Sonny Subia, Staci Behne, +Sue Ashe, Asche family, Sue and Virgil Landretti, Deacon Bill, Luke Barden, Mallory Cranwell, Inez, Ann, N. J. King, Elliot Hitchock, Tony Quigley, Josephine Valdez, Joe Yates, Skip Motter, Rodney Kontz, Lisa Biem, Ivan Linnebur, Chad Dunfee, +Matt Griego, Carlos Pena, Sonny Unrein, Wilmena Stahla, Jean Hawkins, Carla Martinez, Henry Smith, Laronda Leigh, Karen Eicher, Sharon Aughe, Tamara Wilkinson, Betty Clark, Terry Walsh, Judy Stryker, Eleanor Sneddon, Debie Simonton, Josh Yeater, Ray Burns, Marcella Holguin, Corrina Cantrell, Mary Frances Villarreal, Patricia Marie Villarreal, Roman Castaneda, Zachary Quick, Karen Johns, Cynthia Hochmiller, Lydia Castillo, Aaron Greber, Jackie J. and family, Fred Sieber, Jean Koch, John Casynn, Chrissy Moore, Diane Brown, Majorie Whittington, Red and Velda James, Priscilla French, Victor Gonzalez, Barbara Morales, Lea Ciothe, Larue Lara, Mabel Tapia, Sadie Smelker, Nestia Nuanez, Rodriguez Gonzalez, John Muniz, Cheryl Rubino, Claudean Boatman, Kevin McKenzie, Kay Anderson, Virginia Rodriguez, Neva Spencer, Carol Murphy, Bob and Lorene Steele

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	OBSERVANCES	READINGS	MASS INTENTIONS	CHURCH EVENTS
Sunday December 22	4th Sunday of Advent	Isaiah 7:10-14 Psalm 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 Romans 1:1-7 Matthew 1:18-24	7:00AM +Jerry Hernandez 8:30 AM +Joe Dwyer 10:00AM Karen and Brandon Trotter 11:30AM +Dorothy Friedl 6:00 PM +Rogelio Tijerina Jr.	
Monday December 23	St. John of Kanty, Priest	Malachi 3:1-4, 23-24 Psalm 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14 Luke 1:57-66	12:10 PM +Anne L. Hromatka F	1:00-3:00 PM Food Pantry -School
Tuesday December 24	Christmas Eve	2 Samuel 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16 Psalm 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29 Luke 1:67-79	 4:00 PM Parish Hall +Frances Serano Rivas 4:00 PM Church +Jeny Shea 8:00 PM Bill and Ruthie Callahan 12:00 AM +Maria, +Oliver Sr, +Oliver Jr, +Michael Gallegos 	Parish Office Closed
Wednesday December 25	The Nativity of the Lord (Holy day of obligation)	Vigit: Isaiah 62:1-5 Psalm 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29 Acts: 13:16-17, 22-25 Matthew 1:1-25 or 1:18-25 Midnight: Isaiah 9:1-6 Psalm 96:1-2, 2-3, 11-12, 13 Titus 2:11-14 Luke 2:1-14 Dawn: Isaiah 62:11-12 Psalm 97:1, 6, 11-12 Titus 3:4-7 Luke 2:15-20 Day: Isaiah 52:7-10 Psalm 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6 Hebrews 1:1-6 John 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14	8:00 AM +Lois M. Roberts 10:00 AM Sarah and James Demaio	Parish Office Closed
Thursday December 26	St. Stephen, the First Martyr	Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59 Psalm Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 8ab, 16bc and 17 Matthew 10:17-22	9:00AM +Theodore Gutierrez 1	Parish Office Closed 1:00 PM -3:00 PM Food pantry -School
Friday December 27	St. John, Apostle & Evangelist	1 John 1:1-4 Psalm 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12 John 20:1a, 2-8	Dominic Echeverria and Ron Clemons Sr.	
Saturday December 28	The Holy Innocents, Martyrs	1 John 1:5-2:2 Psalm 124:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8 Matthew 2:13-18	9:00 AM Mary Blattner 4:00 PM People of St. Peter	2:30 PM Confessions
Sunday December 29	The Holy Family	Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14 Psalm 128:1-2, 3, 4-5	Colossians 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 Matthew 2:13-15, 19-23	.19-23