

Advent and Christmas

2019 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MUSIC MINISTRY CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Wednesday, Dec. 4 7PM Music Ministry Choirs and Bands Christmas Concert in the Church

ADVENT MESSAGE SERIES: *MAKE ROOM*

Let the Word of God "Make Room" in your heart for healing, hope and restoration.

Sat.-Sun., Dec. 1 – 23 Join us every weekend in December as we immerse ourselves in the ancient and timeless story of our faith and Make Room in our hearts to celebrate the Nativity of Our Lord.

SPECIAL MASS BLESSINGS & FEAST DAYS

Monday, Dec. 9 Masses at 7AM, 8:30AM & 7PM (*Spanish*) Feast of the Immaculate Conception (*not a Holy Day of Obligation*)
Tuesday, Dec. 10 7AM & 8:30AM Feast of Our Lady of Loreto (new feast recently added to the liturgical calendar)
Sat.-Sun., Dec. 14 – 15 At all Masses: Gaudete Sunday - Bambinelli blessing of your Baby Jesus
Sat.-Sun., Dec. 21 – 22 At all Masses: Blessing for expectant parents
Friday, Dec. 27 7PM Vigil Feast of the Holy Innocents Prayer Service in the Grotto

CHRISTMAS SERVICE PROJECTS

God can do great things through us! Take part in one of the events below and get in the Christmas spirit.

Sunday, Dec. 3 St. Nicholas Gifts for Kids - Buy gifts for parish children (*see bulletin*)
Sat.-Sun., Dec. 7 – 15 Be an Angel - Buy gifts for migrant workers' children and the homeless (*see bulletin*)
Sat.-Sun., Dec. 7 – 8 Sat: 9AM - 11AM, Sun: 2PM - 4PM Christmas **Light Up** visits to our senior parishioners

CHILDREN & FAMILY ADVENTURE

Saturday, Dec. 14 11AM - 1PM Jesse Tree ornaments, carols, story time, and holiday treats in the School Cafeteria

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY EVENTS

Thursday, Dec. 5 6:30PM Dinner and a movie in the Mother Teresa Room
Thursday, Dec. 12 7PM Advent bonfire behind the Annex
Thursday, Dec. 19 7PM Holy Hour followed by Happy Hour in the Parish Life Center

ST. MARY MAGDALEN SCHOOL EVENTS

Thursday, Dec. 12 7PM Nativity in the Parish Life Center
Tuesday, Dec. 17 7PM School Christmas Concert in the Parish Life Center

MARIAN OCTAVE "SHE IS ONE FOR ALL"

Thu.-Fri., Dec. 5 – 6 7AM & 8:30AM Prayers to Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception at the Daily Masses
Saturday, Dec. 7 8AM & 7PM (*Spanish*) Prayers to Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception at Mass
Saturday, Dec. 7 8:30AM - 12NOON Advent Retreat (*Spanish*) in the School Cafeteria
Monday, Dec. 9 Masses at 7AM, 8:30AM & 7PM (*Spanish*) Feast of the Immaculate Conception (*not a Holy Day of Obligation*)
(Following 7PM Mass Deacon Winnie Cruz will give a talk and octave prayers to Our Lady of Guadalupe begin)
December 10 – 12 7AM & 8:30AM (and Thur. 7PM Spanish Mass) Prayers to Our Lady of Guadalupe at the Masses
Wednesday, Dec. 11 7PM Vesper to Our Lady of Guadalupe with rosary and meditation (*Spanish*), in the School Cafeteria
Thursday, Dec. 12 4AM Our Lady of Guadalupe Mass (*Spanish*), in Church with mariachi band followed by breakfast

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EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION AND PRAYER

- Fri., Dec. 6 9AM - 7PM First Friday in the Divine Mercy Chapel
Tues. & Thur., Dec. 2 – 20 9AM - 7PM Tuesdays and Thursdays in the Divine Mercy Chapel

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

- Tuesday, Dec. 10 10AM & 7PM Communal Reconciliation Service with individual confession in the Church
Saturdays in Dec. 3PM - 4PM and after the 5PM Mass (Eng./Spa.) Individual confession in the Divine Mercy Chapel
Thursday, Dec. 19 11AM - 12PM and 6PM - 7PM Individual confession in the Divine Mercy Chapel
Friday, Dec. 20 11AM - 12PM and 6PM - 7PM Individual confession in the Divine Mercy Chapel

SPANISH AGUINALDO MASSES

- December 15 – 23 5:30AM Mass in the Church (in Spanish) followed by breakfast in the breezeway

CHRISTMAS EVE MASSES (HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION)

- Tuesday, Dec. 24 4PM Children's Mass with the Children's Choir in the Church
4PM Children's Mass with Contemporary Youth Music in the Parish Life Center
6PM Mass with the Contemporary Band in the Church
8PM Mass in Spanish with the Spanish Contemporary Coro in the Church
11:15PM Festival of Lessons & Carols in the Church
12AM Midnight Mass with Brass Quartet, Handbells and Traditional Choir Music in the Church*

CHRISTMAS DAY MASSES (HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION)

- Wednesday, Dec. 25 9AM Mass with Traditional Music in the Church
11AM Mass with Traditional Choir Music in the Church*

FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY MASSES

- Saturday, Dec. 28 Masses at 5PM (English) and 7PM (Spanish)
Sunday, Dec. 29 Masses at 8AM, 10AM*, 12NOON, 5:30PM

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD MASSES (HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION)

- Tuesday, Dec. 31 7PM Vigil Mass in Spanish
Wednesday, Jan. 1 Masses at 7AM, 8:30AM and 5PM

SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD MASSES

New Message Series Begins: The Secrets of Every Happy Family

- Saturday, Jan. 4 Masses at 5PM (English) and 7PM (Spanish)
Sunday, Jan. 5 Masses at 8AM, 10AM*, 12NOON, 5:30PM

*Interpreted for the deaf
All Services and Masses are in English unless noted.

Saint Mary Magdalen Parish

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Parish Office Hours:

December 17, 2019	8:30AM – 12:00PM
December 24, 2019	8:30AM – 12:00PM
December 25-28, 2019	Closed
December 31, 2019	8:30AM – 12:00PM
January 1, 2020	Closed