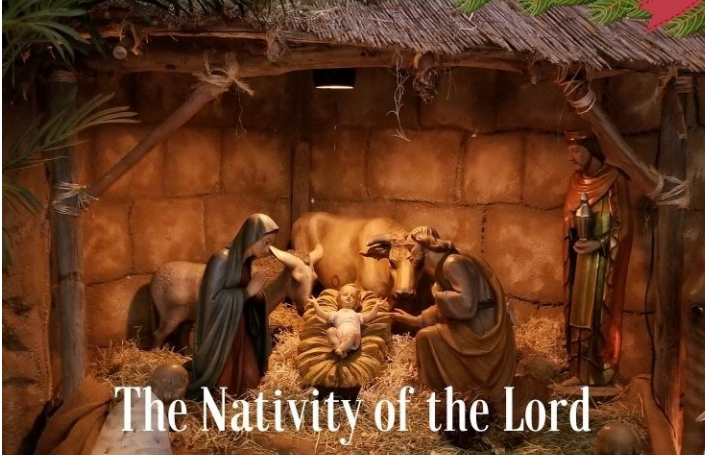
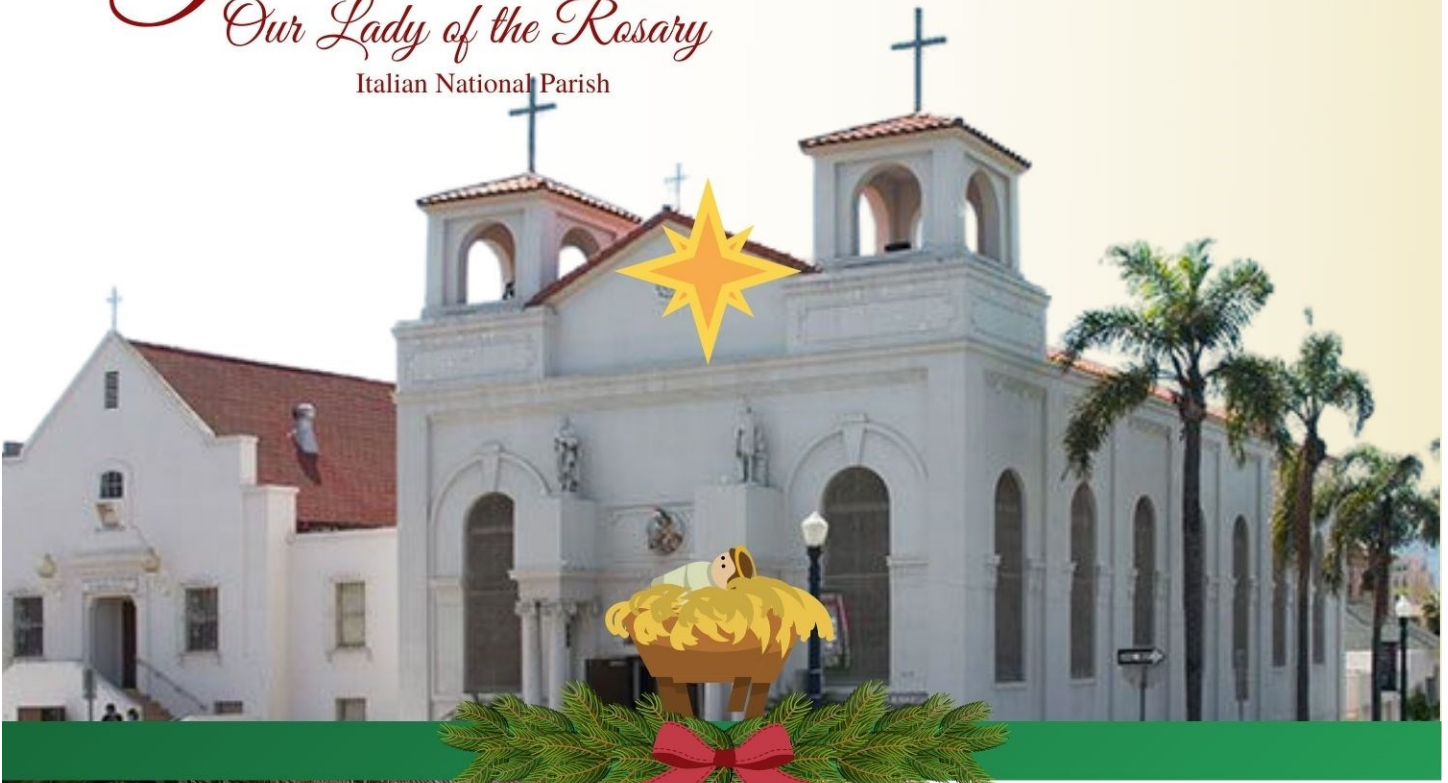


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The Nativity of the Lord

Prayer at the Manger:

With the Shepherds
Your Good News was
sung by angels to these lowly
ones in the night. Look on us in
our lowliness. Let us rejoice
in the glad tidings of Christ,
now and forever.
Amen.

The four Gospel portraits of Jesus take very different approaches to his origins. Mark has no record of Jesus' ancestry, except for his connection to John the Baptist. Matthew traces his genealogy back to Abraham; Luke even farther back, to Adam. The Gospel of John outdoes them all, tracing Jesus' origins back to the time before time, before the world was created! Jesus is the eternal Word of God. The Greek term for "Word" is logos, and it is a word with deep implications. The logos exists before creation, because all of creation came to be through the logos and, in turn, the logos will become the light of all it has created. This is what makes Christmas a season light and life. May our lives radiate this light, reflecting the life-giving Word-made-Flesh. Let our discipleship truly and fully make incarnate once again the Word-in-flesh whom we celebrate and adore: Jesus Christ, our Lord!



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Monday to Saturday

7:30 am (livestreamed) & 12:00 pm

Saturday Vigil

5:30 pm

Sunday

7:30 am*, 9:00 am, 10:30 am*,
12:00 pm (Italian)
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And suddenly there was a multitude of the heavenly host with the angel, praising God and saying:

“GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST.”

Luke 2:13-14

December 25, 2022 • Christmas

Mission Statement of Our Lady of the Rosary

We, the Parish of Our Lady of the Rosary, are a pilgrim church. Under the mantle of the Blessed Virgin Mary, we grow as a people of God following Jesus, celebrating the Eucharist, living apostolic service, continuing faith formation and Marian devotions. We strive to bring the joy of the gospel and imitate Jesus through compassion, mercy and love, especially for the poor and marginalized. We seek to be faithful stewards providing a heart and home for all.



CONFESSION

Wednesday, Friday
& Saturday

11:00 am to 11:30 am

Perpetual Help Devotion



Tuesday at 6:00 pm

First Monday
Padre Pio

6:00 pm Adoration & Rosary
7:00 pm Mass



First Saturday

Our Lady of Monacaog
Rosary at 11:00 am

Monthly Devotions & Activities

Third Monday

St. Peregrine & St. Anthony Zaccaria

6:00 pm Rosary
7:00 pm Healing Mass & Anointing

First Friday

Young Adult

6:00 pm confession & adoration
7:00 pm mass
Piazza Social to Follow

Our Lady's Gifts

Monday to Saturday
9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Sundays
8:30 am to 1:00 pm
Closed Tuesday

Our Lady's Gifts

Schedule for Christmas & New Years

Saturday, December 31
9:00 am to 1:00 pm

Gift Shop & Office will be closed

December 25, 26 & 27
(Sunday, Monday & Tuesday)
&
Sunday, January 1



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...and the Word was made flesh and dwelt among us.

St. John the Beloved

Gospel-writer and beloved disciple of Christ who remained with Christ to the foot of the cross

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December 27

Marriage Banns

January 7, 2023

Roberto Assenti &
Donna Grandi Nikander

Prayer at the Manger: With the Shepherds Your Good News was sung by angels to these lowly ones in the night. Look on us in our lowliness. Let us rejoice in the glad tidings of Christ, now and forever. Amen.

Rest In Peace

William Reese	Kevin Boner	Peter Buompensiero
Cosimo "Sonny" Busalacchi	Pete Lo Coco	Michael Kennedy
Norma Campillo	Paul Pensabene	Salvatore Sardina
Dorothy Delasalas	Lillian Alioto	Leonarda Filippone
Joey De Santi	Xavier Tan	Eugene Rossi
Sunny Zizzo	Bishop Robert Brom	Speridione Sardina
Paula Orlando	Mariano Sanfilippo	Anthony Pelligrino

*Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and
Let your Perpetual Light Shine upon them.*



Mass Intentions & Readings

Sunday, December 25

The Nativity of the Lord

7:30 am Xavier Tan Joe & Angela Sanfilippo
9:00 am People of the Parish
10:30 John B. & Matilda Vattuone † Carolann Pollan
Cristal Spera † Terry Pender
12:00 pm Louis Castagnola † Nina Castagnola
Readings - Vigil: Is 62:1-5; Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27 29; Acts 13:16-17, 22-25; Mt 1:1-25 [18-25] Night: Is 9:1-6; Ps 96:1-3, 11-13; Ti 2:11-14; Lk 2:1-14 Dawn: Is 62:11-12; Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12; Ti 3:4-7; Lk 2:15-20 Day: Is 52:7-10; Ps 98:1-6; Heb 1:1-6; Jn 1:1-18 [1-5, 9-14]

Monday, December 26

St. Stephen; Kwanzaa begins

7:30 am Paula Orlando † Nino & Rosalie Lalicata
12:00 pm Harold Faucher † Steve Faucher
Barbara Faucher † Stever Faucher
Readings - Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 8ab, 16bc, 17; Mt 10:17-22

Tuesday, December 27

St. John

7:30 am Webber & Gaddi Family † Kathy & Bob Gaddi
12:00 pm Catherine Colton † Frankie & Zina Busalacchi
Charles Fares (Int) Veronica Chong
Readings - 1 Jn 1:1-4; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12; Jn 20:1a, 2-8

Wednesday, December 28

The Holy Innocents

7:30 am Tony & Rose Bernardino † Jack & Chandra Pecoraro
12:00 pm Peter Aprotto † Steve Faucher
Marion Aprotto † Stever Faucher
Readings - 1 Jn 1:5 — 2:2; Ps 124:2-5, 7b-8; Mt 2:13-18

Thursday, December 29

St. Thomas Becket; Fifth Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord

7:30 am Frocty Bolado † Evelyn Ascough
12:00 pm Kevin Boner † Barbara Rasmussen
Cristal Spera † Fincato Family
Readings - 1 Jn 2:3-11; Ps 96:1-3, 5b-6; Lk 2:36-40

Friday, December 30

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph

7:30 am Jack Giacomo Berti † Joelle Berti
12:00 pm Roger Welsh † Christina Welsh
Dorothy Delasalas † Maria Filippone
Readings - Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or Col 3:12-21 [12-17]; Ps 128:1-5; Mt 2:13-15, 19-23

Saturday, December 31

St. Sylvester I; New Year's Eve; Seventh Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord

7:30 am Perpetual Membership
12:00 pm Francis & Joy Tobias (Int) Melissa Alcazar
5:30 pm Alice Campos † Jack & Chandra Pecoraro
Readings - 1 Jn 2:18-21; Ps 96:1-2, 11-13; Jn 1:1-18

The Nativity of the Lord



The mind of Christ is to be learned in the family. Strength of character may be acquired at work, but beauty of character is learned at home.

—Henry Drummond

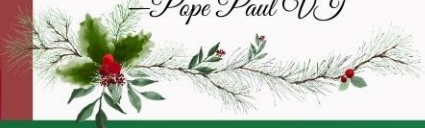


Let all the Angels of God worship Him.



We consider Christmas as the encounter, the great encounter, the historical encounter, the decisive encounter, between God and mankind. He who has faith knows this truly; let him rejoice.”

—Pope Paul VI



In Memory of Robert Stivers from Mike Stivers

In Memory of Deceased of O’Riordan, Sanfilippo, Navarra & Sherwood families from Deacon Stephen & Vickie O’Riordan

In Memory of Helen Racimo Tagudin from Emeterio Tagudi

In Memory of Dominic Deiro from Mark & Melanie Deiro

In Memory of Tony D’Acquisto from Grace D’Acquisto

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In Memory of Joseph Fortunato Ghio from Parents

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In Memory of Inez M Forsythe from Ben & Judith Goodwin

In Memory of Mariano Sanfilippo Anthony D’Acquisto Antoinette Guidi from Joe & Angela Sanfilippo

In Memory of Vito Sr Maddalena Altieri Henry Antonia Mento from Vito & Shirley Altieri

In Honor of Rosalia DeMaria from Lucy DeMaria Laudate

In Memory of Jose Sanchez Maria Carmen Padilla from Josefina Sanchez

In Memory of Dorothy Delasalas from Maria Filippone & Family

In Memory of Louis & Angela Rosa William & Katherine Labozzetta from The Rosa Family

In Memory of Joseph G Cutri from Tina Cutri



In Memory of Jim DeCaro from Angela DeCaro

In Memory of Dolores & David Rodriguez Chris & Anna Carlos from David & Virginia Rodriguez

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In Memory of Ricardo Limon Leonard Gehring Ann Gehring from Jessica Gehring

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In Memory of Thomas Althoff from Sheri Althoff

In Memory of Mario Taormina from Mary Parisi

In Memory of Rosa Luz De Luna from Ricardo Rodriguez

In Memory of Jean Thrush & Family Yvette S.

Von Aviritte from Joann

In Memory of Sam & Rose Sciuto

Joseph Divona from Antoinette Sciuto

In Memory of Emiddio "Mead" Massa from Mae Massa

In Honor of Donna Dotson from Susan Biglione

In Memory of Karla Lopez Sean Stutman Pia Zwibel

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from Felippa Cordileone


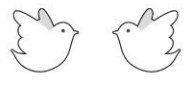







In Memory of Roger Lee Welsh

from Christina Welsh

When living the liturgical year, first comes the Advent season, then comes the Christmas season. For Catholics, Advent is a season for waiting and preparation. Christmas day starts the Christmas season, which isn't a day but actually continues. In fact, there are 12 whole days of Christmas, and they go all the way through the Epiphany! Sometimes the 12 days of Christmas are referred to as the 12 days of light, so candles and other light sources are often associated with these days. So here we go, how to celebrate the 12 days of Christmas with Catholic kids.

Have you heard of the symbols for the 12 days of Christmas that correlate with the popular song? It is said that starting in the 16th century in England Catholics were being persecuted and it was illegal to practice the faith. So the "12 days of Christmas" song was written as a secret code to help teach children their Catechism. I don't know if this is true or not, but I do think it's an awesome way to teach Catholic kids about the Catechism, so I am totally in! Here is a list of the Catholic symbols as they go with the 12 days of Christmas song.

- Catholicicing.com written by Lacy

<p>1st Day of Christmas Partridge in a pear tree</p>  <p>Jesus on the Cross</p>	<p>2nd Day of Christmas Two turtle doves</p>  <p>The old & new testaments</p>	<p>3rd Day of Christmas Three French hens</p>  <p>The 3 theological virtues from 1 Corinthians 13:13- Faith, Hope, and Love</p>
<p>4th Day of Christmas Four calling birds</p>  <p>the 4 Gospels: Matthew, Mark, Luke, John</p>	<p>5th Day of Christmas Five golden rings</p>  <p>The Pentateuch (or first five books of the old Testament) Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy</p>	<p>6th Day of Christmas Six geese a laying</p>  <p>The 6 days of creation (before God rested)</p>
<p>7th Day of Christmas Seven swans a swimming</p>  <p>7 gifts of the Holy Spirit (wisdom, understanding, counsel, fortitude, knowledge, piety and fear of the Lord)</p>	<p>8th Day of Christmas Eight maids a milking</p>  <p>8 beatitudes given to us by Jesus during his sermon on the mount.</p>	<p>9th Day of Christmas Nine ladies dancing</p>  <p>9 fruits of the spirit as listed in Galatians 5:22-23</p>
<p>10th Day of Christmas Ten lords a leaping</p>  <p>The 10 Commandments</p>	<p>11th Day of Christmas Eleven pipers piping</p>  <p>The 11 faithful apostles</p>	<p>12th Day of Christmas Twelve drummers drumming</p>  <p>The 12 points of faith from the Apostles' Creed</p>



A great and mighty wonder, a glorious mystery, a Virgin bears an Infant who veils His Deity. (R)

Proclaim the Saviour's birth, "To God on high be glory and peace to all the earth!" The Word becomes incarnate and yet remains on high, and Cherubim sing anthems to shepherds from the sky. R.

While thus they sing your monarch, those bright angelic bands, rejoice, O vales and mountains and oceans, clap your hands. R.

Since all, He comes to ransom, by all, be He adored, the Infant born in Bethl'em, the Saviour and the Lord. R.

All idols then shall perish and Satan's lying cease, and Christ shall raise His sceptre, decreeing endless peace.

A great and mighty wonder, a glorious mystery, a Virgin bears an Infant who veils His Deity.

By St Germanus (c 640-c 733)

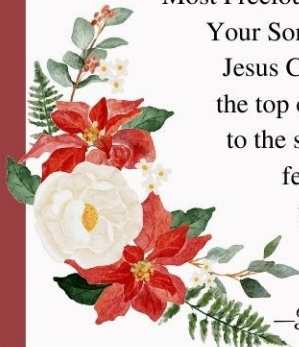




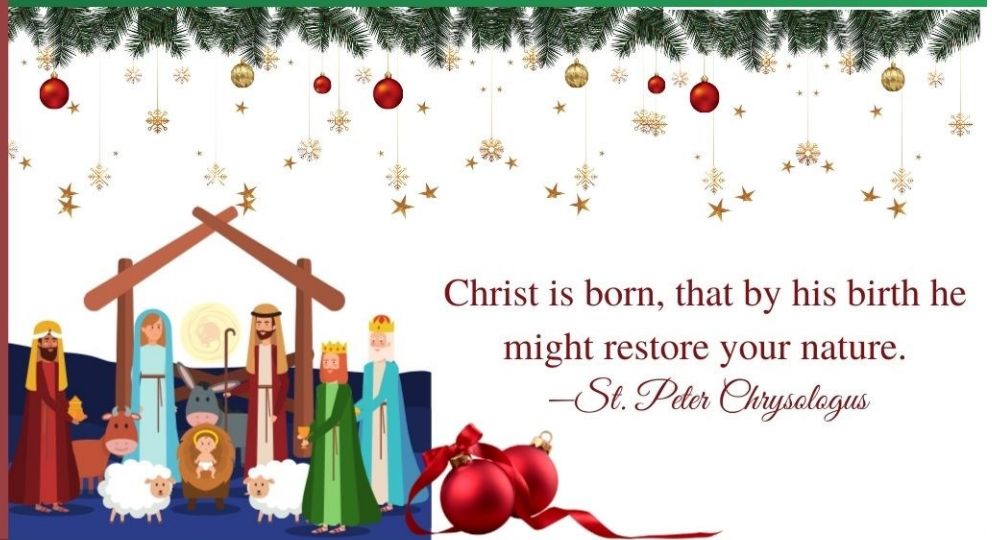
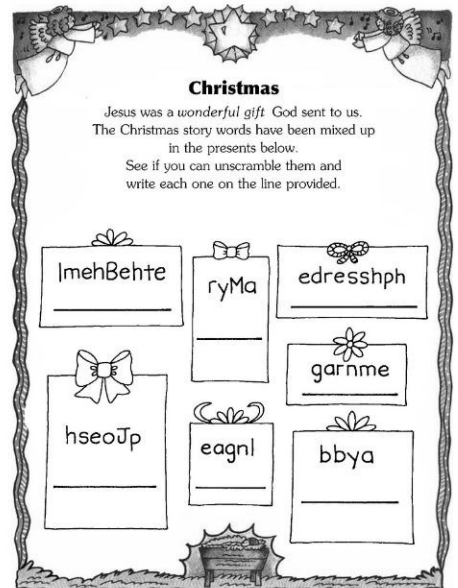
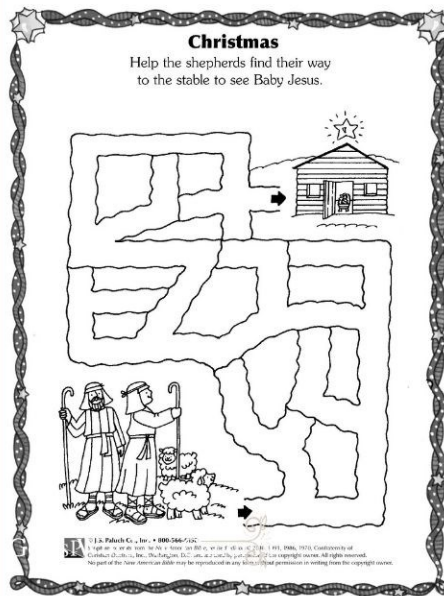
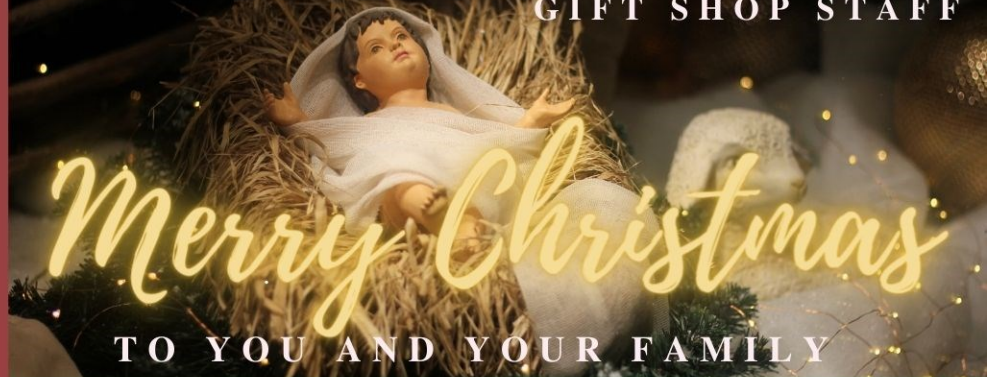
Prayers for the Sick

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 Bobbie Bamonte

Loving Father, touch me now with
 Your healing hands, for I believe
 that Your will is for me to be
 well in mind, body, soul and
 spirit. Cover me with the
 Most Precious Blood of
 Your Son, our Lord
 Jesus Christ, from
 the top of my head
 to the soles of my
 feet. Cast all
 that should
 not be
 in me.
 —Padre Pio



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Christ is born, that by his birth he
 might restore your nature.

—St. Peter Chrysologus

Christmas Time:

Jesus has shared completely in our human experience, has truly become one with us, fully human while remaining fully divine. *Lord, in this holy season of prayer and song and laughter, we praise you for the great wonders you have sent us: for shining star and angel's song, for infant's cry in lowly manger. We praise you for the Word made flesh in a little Child. We behold his glory, and are bathed in its radiance.*



HOLY FAMILIES

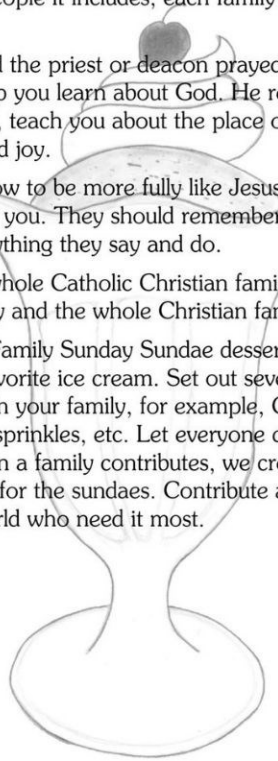
Learning to live like Jesus is hard. You need the help of many people. No matter what your family looks like or how many people it includes, each family member must be an example of love, care, joy, and holiness.

On the day you were baptized the priest or deacon prayed for all the people in your immediate family who would help you learn about God. He reminded them of their responsibility to take care of you, teach you about the place of Jesus and the Church in your life, and show you God's love and joy.

He prayed that you would grow to be more fully like Jesus. He prayed for your parents, and reminded them to thank God for you. They should remember that they would be your first and best teachers of the faith in everything they say and do.

Now you also belong to the whole Catholic Christian family around the world. Today is a great day to celebrate your family and the whole Christian family.

After dinner tonight make a Family Sunday Sundae dessert celebrating your family and the family of God. Start with your favorite ice cream. Set out several different toppings and label them with the names of people in your family, for example, Charlie's chocolate syrup, Gracie's granola, Mom's M&Ms, Steve's sprinkles, etc. Let everyone create their own dessert. It will be a reminder that when everyone in a family contributes, we create something wonderful! Add up the cost of all the ingredients for the sundaes. Contribute an equal amount or more to the Christian families around the world who need it most.



We celebrate the Holy _____ Family!

Write your family name



The Angelus Prayer

V. The Angel of the Lord
declared to Mary:

R. And she conceived the power
of the Holy Spirit.

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord
is with thee; blessed art thou
among women and blessed is the
fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy
Mary, Mother of God, pray for us
sinners, now and at the hour of
our death. Amen.

V. Behold the handmaid of the
Lord:

R. Be it done unto me according
to Thy word.

Hail Mary...

V. And the Word was made
Flesh: (Kneel

R. And dwelt among us.

Hail Mary...

V. Pray for us, O Holy Mother of
God,

R. that we may be made worthy of
the promises of Christ.

Let us pray:

Pour forth, we beseech Thee,
O Lord, Thy grace into our
hearts; that we, to whom the
incarnation of Christ, Thy Son,
was made known by the
message of an angel, may by
His Passion and Cross be
brought to the glory of His
Resurrection, through the
same Christ Our Lord.

Amen.

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