

**ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH – NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY – HIGH HILL**  
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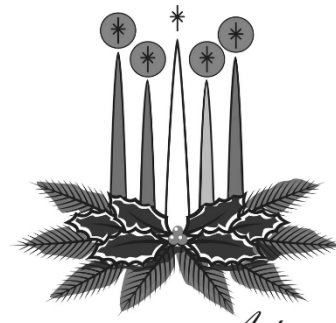
**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22, 2024 – FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

Mi 5:1-4a    Heb 10:5-10    Lk 1:39-45 (12)

Wednesday, December 25 <sup>th</sup>	12:00 AM	Max & Ruby Henrichs Family
Wednesday, December 25 <sup>th</sup>	10:15 AM	James Prihoda
Sunday, December 29 <sup>th</sup>	10:15 AM	Edward, Annie, Robert, Erna, Adela, & Walter Ripper
Wednesday, January 1 <sup>st</sup>	5:30 PM	Parish Family
Sunday, January 5 <sup>th</sup>	10:15 AM	Joe Fabian

**CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS**

We need your help this afternoon (Sunday, December 22) at 2:00 pm with decorating the Church for the Christmas season. Specific tasks include retrieving decorations from the rectory basement, assembling and trimming the trees, stringing up garland and lights, setting up the nativity set, and vacuuming up the mess afterward. The entire process usually takes about two hours. Please come out and bring a helper since it goes even quicker with more people!



4TH SUNDAY OF *Advent*

**PARISH CALENDARS**

Parish calendars for 2025 are available in the foyer of the Church after Mass. Please take one per family for your home.

**CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE**

**CHRISTMAS EVE – Tuesday, December 24<sup>th</sup>**

- \* 5:00 pm – St. Rose -Children’s Mass
- \* 5:30 pm – Ammansville
- \* 10:00 pm – St. Rose
- \* 12 midnight – High Hill

**CHRISTMAS DAY – Wednesday, December 25<sup>th</sup>**

- \* 8:00 am – St. Rose
- \* 8:30 am – Holman
- \* 10:00 am – St. Rose – *Spanish Mass*
- \* 10:15 am – High Hill

**GABRIEL PROJECT DONATIONS**

Encounter Youth Ministry will once again be collecting baby items benefiting Fayette County chapters of the Gabriel Project of the Crossroads who help moms in unplanned pregnancy situations. The items most needed include diapers (sizes 2 & 3), baby wipes, baby toys and socks. Donation boxes are located at Ammansville, High Hill and St. Rose Churches.

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

December 25	The Nativity of the Lord – Christmas
December 29	Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph
January 1	Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God
January 5	The Epiphany of the Lord
January 12	The Baptism of the Lord
January 22	Day of Prayer for the Protection of Unborn Children

**FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP**

Restoration Box	\$ 88.00
Restoration (Anonymous)	\$ 100.00
Restoration (Robert Anderson Donation)	\$ 1,000.00
Immaculate Conception Collection	\$ 25.00
Retired & Religious Support Collection	\$ 50.00
<u>Offeratory (12/15/24)</u>	<u>\$ 864.00</u>
Total Deposit	\$ 2,127.00

**LAY MINISTERS**

**WEDNESDAY – DECEMBER 25**

Rosary	<b>***Midnight Vigil Mass***</b>
Eucharistic Minister	Stacy Oeding
Lector	Carrie Schulz
Altar Servers	Mikayla Stang
Ushers	Forrest Lauer – Craig Schulz
Ushers	Eric Oeding – Willy Schmidt
Gifts	Craig & Carrie Schulz

**WEDNESDAY - DECEMBER 25**

<b>***10:15 AM Mass***</b>	
Kim Wellborn	
Pam Slaton	
Charlie Shank	
Emil Pauler – Alex Wellborn	
Tony Shank – Marshall Wellborn	
Tony & Susie Shank	

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**SUNDAY – DECEMBER 29**

Rosary	Loretta Pauler – Susie Shank
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Eucharistic Minister	Lyle Hanna
Lector	Stephanie Prihoda
Altar Servers	Mikayla Stang
Ushers	Willy Schmidt – Patrick Prihoda
Ushers	Lyle Hanna – Jack Shaw
Gifts	Jack & Sandra Shaw

**SUNDAY – JANUARY 5**

Joyce Dittrich – Mary Muras
Mary K. Lauher
Susie Shank
Forrest Lauher
Charlie Shank
Forrest Lauher – Tony Shank
Robert Hranicky – Craig Schulz
Carrie & Craig Schulz

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:** Renee Mazoch, Glen McLaren, Henry Miksch, Connor Machicek, Ken Dittrich, Francis Pio Pilkington, Leon Shank, Mary Shank, Larry Nuhn, Jessi Wilcox, Gordon Ross, Diana Heinrich, Doris Anders, Jan Ripper, Cheryl (Kobza) Powell, Nadine Krischke, Steve Hopkins, Barbara Nugent, Luke Friedel, Orly R. Elizondo, Wilbert Demel, Elroy Demel, Terri Hanna, Georgia Kalich, Bruce Treybig, Carrol Ray Demel, Francis Ripper, Julia Oeding, Lillian Hilscher, Leon Popp, Mary Demel, Marilyn Adamcik, Lad Trojacek, Joyce Dittrich, Mildred Hollas, Kathy Kutac, Al Martinez, Willy Schmidt, Edward Schwenke, Angie Schwenke, Johnnie Bargas, Beth Hollywood, Carolyn Prihoda, Derek Schwenke, Harlan Hilscher, Collins Lehrmann, Buddy Dittrich and Patrick Pilkington.