

# Blessed Sacrament Congregation

December 31, 2017 † The Holy family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph



#### Mass Schedule

Saturday..... 4:30 PM  
Sunday..... 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 AM  
Daily..... 8:15 AM (Tue - Fri)

#### Sacrament of Penance

Saturday ..... 3:00-4:00 PM

#### Sacrament of Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated on the second and fourth Sundays of the month or by special appointment. Class required if first child.

Baptism Class is held the second Saturday of the month at 9:30 AM. Call 649-4720 to register or for more information.

#### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Adults who are interested in becoming Catholic are welcome to contact the Parish Office.

#### Parish Membership

Each family or single adult (18 or older) is invited to be registered in our parish community. Contact the Parish Office.

#### Sacrament of Marriage

By appointment. Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. Active parish membership required.

#### Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

First full weekend of the month following Mass.  
Please contact the parish office for extreme emergencies.

#### Devotions

*Mass for Healing* in Honor of St. Peregrine (cancer saint)—  
First Fridays at 12:10 PM  
Marian Devotion at 4:00 PM every Saturday.



MONDAY	Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God	Jan 1
9:00 AM †	Olga Gluszczyk	
TUESDAY	NO MASS	Jan 2
WEDNESDAY	The Most Holy Name of Jesus	Jan 3
8:15 AM	Special intention for Bonnie Francis	
THURSDAY	St. Elizabeth Ann Seton	Jan 4
8:15 AM †	Carrie & Paul Damske	
FRIDAY	St. John Neumann	Jan 5
	First Friday	
8:15 AM †	Ann Franzak	
12:10 PM	St. Peregrine Intentions	
SATURDAY	St. André Bessette	Jan 6
7:30 AM	Intentions of the Blessed Sacrament Mass League	
4:30 PM †	Edward Polczynski	
SUNDAY	The Epiphany of the Lord	Jan 7
7:30 AM	For our parishioners	
9:00 AM †	Don Wachowiak	
11:00 AM †	Deceased members of the Brown & Ganno families	

**THIS WEEK AT BLESSED SACRAMENT**

**MONDAY, JANUARY 1**  
Parish Office Closed

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3**  
6:00 PM - St. Agatha Handbell Choir - Church  
6:45 PM - Cantors - Church  
7:15 PM - St. Cecelia Choir - Church

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 6**  
2:00 PM - Catechism Class - Rectory Basement  
3:00 PM - Scripture Study - Rectory Basement

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 7**  
9:00 AM - Religious Education Classes - School

**MASS SETTINGS FOR JANUARY 6 & 7**

Gloria-Missalette p11	Memorial Accl-Missalette p154
Gospel Accl-Missalette p56	Great Amen-Gather 182
Holy, holy, holy-Missalette 152	Lamb of God-Gather 314

**Bold Face** indicates a change from previous week.  
On each hymnal board, the hymns in the right column are in the *Gather* hymnal. Hymns in the left column are in the *Missalette*.

**Parish Office Hours**

Monday through Friday 8:00 AM - 3:30 PM  
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**CONTRIBUTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF 12/24/17**

Due to the holiday schedule, the bulletin was submitted prior to the collection being taken. The totals will appear in a future bulletin.

**CONTRIBUTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF 12/17/17**

Envelope Contributions .....	\$6462.00
Offertory Collection.....	\$1037.95
Facility Maintenance Envelopes .....	\$2986.50
Facility Maintenance Offertory Collection.....	\$182.31
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$10,668.76</b>

Thank you for your contribution to Christ's mission at Blessed Sacrament Parish.

## Reminder - Anointing of the Sick January 6 & 7, 2018

Next weekend is the first full weekend of the month where the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be offered following each Mass. We encourage everyone to take advantage of this powerful sacrament. Our Lord invites all who are sick to come forth for healing and peace.

## Direct Debit Contributions

For several years now, the parish has offered a service whereby monetary contributions can be charged to checking or saving accounts via direct debit on a weekly, semimonthly or monthly basis. Several parishioners have taken advantage of this and are very pleased with the convenience it affords them. Perhaps you might like to use the service in meeting your cash budgeting needs. If you would like any information concerning this service, please call Tom at the Parish Office or come to the office during regular business hours.

## Parish Contributions

The books for 2017 closed on December 31, 2017. Any contributions received after December 31 will be credited to your 2018 account.

## Parish Calendars

Parish calendars will be available after Masses today. One per family please! Thank you to the Bruskiwitz family for donating these beautiful calendars to our parish.

## Word of the Week

**Corporal:** (CORE-pore-uhl, from the Latin *corpus*, meaning "body") a square of white linen cloth, now usually somewhat smaller than the breadth of the altar, upon which the chalice and paten, and also the ciborium (containing the smaller hosts for the Communion of the laity), are placed during the celebration of the Mass.

## In the Month of December

*Please welcome those newly baptized into the Catholic Faith:*  
Desmond Joseph Hallett

*Please pray for those who have gone before us:*  
† Lucille Piasecki  
† Elizabeth Hoffmann  
† Ronald Krajniak

*The following have been enrolled in the Blessed Sacrament Mass League and will share in the monthly Mass Intention for twelve months:*

Jennifer & Shelly Damski- enrolled by mother, Sharon  
† Jerome & Frances Belot enrolled by Richard & Kathleen Miller

## Seniors News

The next meeting of the Blessed Sacrament Seniors will take place in the Church Hall at 1:15 P. M. on Thursday, February 8, 2018. There is no meeting in January.

The officers and board members would like to extend a happy, holy, and healthy New Year to all of our members. See you next year!

## Mary Mother of God - Monday, January 1, 2018

No vigil Mass on December 31  
9:00 AM Mass

## Neighboring Mary Mother of God Masses

### Our Lady Queen of Peace

Sunday, December 31 - 4:30 PM  
Monday, January 1 - 9:30 AM - English  
11:30 AM - Spanish

### St. Gregory the Great

Monday, January 1 - 9:00 AM

### Our Lady of Lourdes

Sunday, December 31 - 6:00 PM  
Monday, January 1 - 12:00 Noon

The Mass Schedule at Holy Hill for  
New Year's (Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God)  
December 31 - New Year's Eve: Midnight  
January 1 - 6:00 AM & 11:00 AM



God of new beginnings and wonderful surprises,  
Thank You for the gift of a new year.

May it be a time of grace for me,  
a time to grow in faith and love,  
a time to renew my commitment  
to follow Your Son, Jesus.

May it be a year of blessing for me,  
a time to cherish my family and friends,  
a time to renew my efforts at work,  
a time to embrace my faith more fully.

Walk with me, please, in every day and  
every hour of this new year,  
that the light of Christ might shine through me,  
in spite of my weaknesses and failings.

Above all, may I remember this year that I am a pilgrim  
on the sacred path to You. Amen.

Happy New Year!