



PARISH SCHEDULES



SATURDAY, November 27

VIGIL MASS OF THE LORD'S DAY

(HR) 4:30pm Pro Populo
 (HR) 5:45pm **Baptism:** Thomas Anthony Regent-Smith

SUNDAY, November 28

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

(SH) 8:45am †Joseph Lemke
 (SR) 10:45am †Steve Guttuso
 †Joseph Balistreri

MONDAY, November 29 NO MASS

TUESDAY, November 30

ST ANDREW, APOSTLE

(HR) 9:00am †Edward J. Suminski

WEDNESDAY, December 1 MASS OF LIFE

(SH) 5:30pm †Carol A. Galusha
 Mother of Perpetual Help following Mass

THURSDAY, December 2

(SR) 9:00am †Grace Maglio

FIRST FRIDAY, December 3

ST FRANCIS XAVIER, PRIEST

(SH) 9:00am †Antonino and Marie Alioto
 Anointing of the Sick following Mass

SATURDAY, December 4

ST JOHN OF DAMASCUS, PRIEST AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

(HR) 2:00pm **Wedding:** David Joseph Piselli and
 Melissa Janet Peters

VIGIL MASS OF THE LORD'S DAY

(HR) 4:30pm †Kathryn Dean
 (HR) 5:45pm **Baptism:** Finnegan Michael Rathburn

SUNDAY, December 5

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

(SH) 8:45am Pro Populo
 (SR) 10:45am †Santoro Family
 (SH) 1:00pm **Baptism:** Emersyn Grace Trzinko

KEY TO MASS LOCATIONS
 (HR)=Holy Rosary (SH)=St. Hedwig (SR)=St. Rita

Please Pray For The Sick

Please remember in prayer all those who are sick in mind, body or spirit, facing surgery, recovering from surgery, are homebound, or are in nursing homes, and all those who care for them. May God's blessings be with them all.

THIS WEEK

Monday, November 29

- 6:30pm **Christmas Choir Rehearsal**, HRH
- 6:30pm **Job Seekers Prayer Group**, HR

Tuesday, November 30

- 7:00pm **RCIA**, OSM Parish Center

Wednesday, December 1

- 7:00pm **World AIDS Day Interfaith Service**, HR/HRH (Reception to follow)

Thursday, December 2

- 7:00pm **Choir Rehearsal**, HR

Friday, December 3

- 9:00am **Mass and Anointing of the Sick**, SH
- 6:00pm **JustFaith Retreat**, POLR

Saturday, December 4

- 12 Noon **JustFaith Retreat**, POLR
- After 4:30pm **Hospitality**, HR

Sunday, December 5

- 8:45am **Rite of Welcome**, SH

KEY TO LOCATIONS

(SH) = St. Hedwig (SR) = St. Rita (SRH) = St. Rita Hall (HR) = Holy Rosary (HRH) = Holy Rosary Hall (HRCR) = Holy Rosary Conference Room (PODR) = Parish Office Dining Room (POLR) = Parish Office Living Room (SHHC) = St. Hedwig Hospitality Center (OSM) = Old Saint Mary

East Side Child & Youth Ministry

Cramer Bldg.—2480 N Cramer St.

Tues 30 Middle School and High School Programs
 6:30-8:00pm
 Wed 1 Kindergarten through Grade 5 classes
 6:15-7:30pm

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday: NO MASS
 Tuesday: 9:00am Holy Rosary Church
 Wednesday: 5:30pm St. Hedwig Church
 followed by Mother of Perpetual Help
 Thursday: 9:00am St. Rita Church
 Friday: 9:00am St. Hedwig Church
 followed by Anointing of the Sick

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:30pm Holy Rosary Church

MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Saturday: 4:30pm Holy Rosary Church
 Sunday: 8:45am St. Hedwig Church
 Sunday: 10:45am St. Rita Church

Please Note: If you or anyone you know has been sexually abused by church personnel and would like assistance, contact Amy Peterson, Victim Assistant Coordinator for the Archdiocese of Milwaukee (414) 758-2232. If you would like to report independent of the Archdiocese please contact The Healing Center at (414) 671-4325.



Catholic East Elementary Christmas Cookie Decorating—Dec. 3 - Open to Parish Families

Do you like frosting? Parishioners with children ages 5 and under are invited to attend the Catholic East Elementary School Christmas Cookie-Decorating Night on Friday, Dec. 3. It will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Please pre-register by Monday, Nov. 29, so organizers know what supplies are needed. Contact Julie Trafton, 414-962-0066 or atrafton@wi.rr.com, with your family name, number of children attending and number of adults attending. Please use the Cramer Street doors at Bradford Street that lead to the cafeteria.

Volleyball season stats: The Catholic East girls volleyball teams concluded their season this month. The 7th grade team, which also included 8th graders, captured 3rd place with a 9-15 record in the North Shore League. The 6th grade team came in 4th place with a 12-12 record. The 5th grade team, with 4th and 5th grade players, tied for 4th place with a 13-11 record. Go Eagles!

Thank you for your support! Entertainment Book sales have earned a net profit of nearly \$1,500 for Catholic East. If you're thinking about Christmas gifts, Entertainment Books are still available at SS. Peter and Paul, Old St. Mary and Our Lady of Divine Providence parishes.

Market Day boost! Thank you to everyone who placed Market Day orders in November for Catholic East. Our profit was \$245 - the highest it's been in a long time! Participants donated 7 pies to the Hunger Task Force as well. This month Market Day is giving away a FREE Margherita pizza with a \$40 purchase, and a FREE 1lb. Italian style meatballs with an \$80 purchase. Consider your holiday entertaining needs and place your order before 11 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 8, on the web at www.marketday.com. Pick up will be at Three Holy Women's Holy Rosary Church Hall on Saturday, Dec. 11, from 8:15-9:15 a.m.

Catholic East, located at 2461 N. Murray Ave., is the parish school of the Riverbank Catholic Communities parishes: Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist, Old Saint Mary, Our Lady of Divine Providence, SS. Peter and Paul, and Three Holy Women.

Bulletin (Wk 01)/Insert Deadline to mbergemann@threeholyywomen.org by Tuesday at 10:30am
Announcement Deadline to mrobertson@threeholyywomen.org by Thursday at Noon

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**Holiday Plant Delivery — To the Homebound and Nursing Homes
“Love Came Down at Christmas”**

Come with me to Bethlehem town.
As prayers went up, God’s love came down.
Yes, Love Came Down at Christmas!

Sin darkened each heart; love seemed so far away,
But, God led his people to trust and to pray.
“Lord, hear us, we ask—help our faith to increase,
Forgive us our sins; send us hope, joy, and peace.”

He’d answer their prayer in Bethlehem town.
As prayers went up, God’s love came down.
Yes, Love Came Down at Christmas!

God answered their prayers in just the right place.
He sent his response in a sweet baby’s face.
His Son, the world’s Savior, come down to the earth
And, slept in a manger the night of his birth.

Jesus was born in Bethlehem town.
As prayers went up, God’s love came down.
Yes, love came down at Christmas!

Good News of great joy came from heaven that night
As angels told shepherds, who shook with great fright:
“Rejoice! For behold the world’s savior is here!
He lies in a manger. Come see! Do not fear!”

There shepherds went quickly to worship him there,
Then left to tell others—they just had to share!

It happened one night near Bethlehem town.
As prayers went up, God’s love came down.
Yes, Love Came Down at Christmas!

Then Wise men came later to worship their King.
They traveled quite far and had gifts to bring.
This baby so little gave Wise men gifts, too.
Gifts not just for Magi—for me and for you.

The star showed the way to Bethlehem town.
As prayers went up, God’s love came down.
Yes, Love Came Down at Christmas.

One day this dear Jesus would die for our sin.
He’d rise from the dead, give us deep peace within.
Forgiveness and hope came with Jesus in Love,
For every good gift is from our God above.

The Savior was born in Bethlehem town,
And even today God’s Love still comes down.
Yes, Love **Still** Comes Down at Christmas!

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It’s that time of year again when we are delivering Holiday Plants to the parishioners who are homebound or living in health facilities. If you are interested please join us on Saturday, December 11. We will deliver plants to and visit with our **100** parishioners who continue to be a vital part of our parish community. **MANY VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED!!** Volunteers will meet for instructions in the **ST. RITA HALL at 8:45 a.m.**

With the plants we are asking volunteers to also bring the Eucharist to the parishioners who are homebound and living in health facilities. If you have never done this before—do not fear!!! A short Formational Training and Prayer Service will be done before you depart for your visits. Pyx cases and prayer cards will also be provided for you. To volunteer and/or verify that a nursing home or homebound parishioners is on the delivery list, please call Terri Balash at 414-469-6173 or email me at tbalash@threeholyywomen.org.

**Love Came Down at Christmas!
Let us share that love with a vital part of our faith community!**

Riverwest Food Pantry staff and clients are grateful for your continuing support in helping feed the hungry! Please include some low sodium, low sugar, and low fat options, as well as whole grain carbohydrate sources, in your donations so that the Food Pantry can provide healthier food choices when requested. Thank you all for your continued generosity that helps feed so many in need!

FOOD ITEM OF THE WEEK

Rice-a-roni or Noodle-roni

In the Stillness – Evenings of Prayer

Join us this Advent season for weekly evenings of personal prayer by candle light at St. Hedwig Church. Whether you have two minutes or two hours, stop in for a few quiet moments with God, accompanied by a touch of soft instrumental music.

Schedule:

- December 7 6:30-8:30pm – piano music
- December 14 6:30pm – organ music
7:30pm – Taize Prayer
- December 21 6:30-8:30pm – piano music

