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Sunday, December 19th
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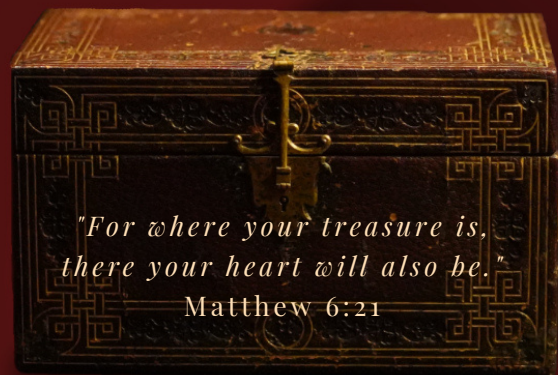
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What's happening at St. Catharine

A full calendar of events can be found online at stcatharine.com/calendar

The Melchizedek Project

Thursday, December 16th • 6:00pm

The Melchizedek project is a spiritual discernment group led by led by Fr. Morris, Fr. Bill Hahn, and Fr. Brian O'Connor that helps high school men consider a vocation to the Priesthood. It is based on the book "To Save A Thousand Souls" by Fr. Brett Brannen. All participants will enjoy a meal at each meeting and receive the book for free.

Please email or call Fr. Hahn, Director of Vocations whahn@columbuscatholic.org 614-221-5565 or Fr. Morris frmorris@stcatharine.com to RSVP or for more information.



When A Loved One Leaves the Faith: What Every Catholic Should Know

Saturday, December 18th • 9:00am

Join us in the Church after 8:30 am Mass on Saturday, December 18th for a talk by Mike Denz on what Catholics need to know, and what they should do, when one of their loved ones has left the Catholic Church. We will also hear personal stories from our brothers and sisters who have left the Faith and returned! No sign up, just show up.

Confession Times

Tuesday	6:30pm
Thursday	7:00pm (ADORE Night)
Saturday	9:00am

Adoration Chapel Hours

Monday - Friday	6:00am - 9:00pm
Saturday	6:00am - 4:00pm
Sunday	6:00am - 9:00pm

Offering (December 5th)

Offertory data not available at press time.

Mass Intentions

Sun 12/12	Deceased of Fichtelman Family (8:30am) Josephine Alexander (11:00am) People of the Parish (5:00pm)
Mon 12/13	Hermine P. Muellerleile (8:00am)
Tues 12/14	Josephine Alexander (7:00pm)
Weds 12/15	Bill Diehl Sr. (8:00am)
Thurs 12/16	Bill Diehl Jr. (8:00am)
Fri 12/17	William A. Manierre, Sr. (8:00am)
Sat 12/18	Tyler Anderson (8:30am)

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The Weeks Ahead

Week of December 12th Third Week of Advent

Sunday	December 12th
9:30am	Family of Faith
9:30am	St. Vincent de Paul
Monday	December 13th
	<i>Memorial of Saint Lucy, Virgin and Martyr</i>
6:30pm	Cub Scouts
7:00pm	Boy Scouts Eagle Scout Ceremony
Tuesday	December 14th
	<i>Saint John of the Cross, Priest and Doctor of the Church</i>
7:00pm	Holy Mass
7:30pm	Confessions
Wednesday	December 15th
7:00pm	Choir Practice
7:00pm	Young Catholic Professionals: Emily Jaminet
Thursday	December 16th
1pm-7pm	Red Cross Blood Drive
6:00pm	Melchizedek Project
7:00pm	ADORE Night
8:00pm	Women's Advent Book Study
Saturday	December 18th
7:00am	That Man Is You
9:00am	Confessions
9:00am	Breakfast with Santa
9:00am	When A Loved One Leaves the Faith

Week of December 19th Fourth Week of Advent

Sunday	December 19th
9:30am	Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
9:30am	St Vincent de Paul
7:00pm	Lessons and Carols
Monday	December 20th
6:30pm	Cub Scouts
Tuesday	December 21st
	<i>Commemoration of Saint Peter Canisius, Priest, Doctor</i>
7:00pm	Holy Mass
7:30pm	Confessions
Wednesday	December 22nd
7:00pm	Choir Practice
Thursday	December 23rd
	<i>Commemoration of Saint John of Kęty, Priest</i>
7:00pm	ADORE Night
Friday	December 24th
4:00pm	Christmas Eve Mass
6:30pm	Christmas Eve Mass
11:30pm	Christmas Carols
12:00am	Midnight Mass
Saturday	December 25th
11:00am	Christmas Day Mass

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ADVENT

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BAMBINELLI SUNDAY

A great tradition to start during the Advent season is preparing your Nativity Set with the exception of Baby Jesus. A Nativity set that is (temporarily) missing the Baby Jesus is a good reminder that it's not quite Christmas yet!

St. John Paul II started the tradition of "Bambinelli Sunday", where he encouraged children to bring their baby Jesus from their family's nativity set to St. Peter's square for a special papal blessing. The children then place their baby Jesus figurine under the Christmas tree until Christmas morning (when he then rejoins the Nativity set). St. Catharine Church will continue this tradition at each Mass on December 19th.

CHRISTMAS

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

CHRISTMAS EVE (FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24TH)

4:00PM

6:30PM

MIDNIGHT MASS

12:00am (Carols begin at 11:30pm)

CHRISTMAS DAY (SATURDAY, DECEMBER 25TH)

11:00AM

In order to accommodate as many of the faithful as possible, 4:00pm and 6:30pm Christmas Eve Mass will be simulcast in the Parish Center and live-streamed on our YouTube and Facebook pages.

THE FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 26TH

8:30AM

11:00AM

5:00PM

This Sunday feast day will be celebrated solely on Sunday this year.

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE MOTHER OF GOD

SATURDAY, JANUARY 1ST

8:30AM

The solemnity falls on a Saturday this year, and there is no obligation to attend Mass, but it remains a solemnity.

