

**MASS INTENTIONS
DECEMBER 26, 2015 – JANUARY 3, 2016**



**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26
VIGIL OF THE FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY OF
JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH**

5:30 PM +Karen Kraft
+Albert Antonucci
+Mary Katzianer
+Paul Shashaty
+Joseph Guartafierro

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 27
THE FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY OF
JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH**

7:30 +Claire Harraka
+Dawn Cardone
+Anthony DeFeo
9:30 For the Parishioners
11:30 +Frank A. Galletta
+Michael, Jamileh & Antoinette Attieh
+Catherine Beagin
+Carmine Buglione
5:30PM +Modesto Espejo

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 28
FEAST OF THE HOLY INNOCENTS, MARTYRS**

11:30 Franciscan Mass League

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29

11:30 +GeorgeE. Healy
+Anthony Tudda, Jr.
7 PM +Myrtle Evans
+James Egan
+Beatrice Brophy
+Fr. John Piccione, O.F.M.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30

11:30 +Frank "Ace" & Rose Molinaro
+Fr. Lawrence Burke, O.F.M.
+Peggy Quinn

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31

11:30 +Deceased Members of the John &
Angela Scalzitti Family
+Anna Tripodi
+Foster Irwin

**VIGIL OF THE SOLEMNITY OF MARY,
THE MOTHER OF GOD
(ENGLISH)**

5:30 PM + Vincent Bustard
+Myrtle Evans
+Gloria Nicola

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 1
SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE MOTHER OF GOD
Holy Day of Obligation**

Mass of the Day (English) 11:30 AM
+Ana Patricia Contreras (Spanish) 7 PM

SATURDAY, JANUARY 2

11:30 +Frances C. Burns
+Rose Quigley
+Jane Dowling

**VIGIL OF THE SOLEMNITY OF THE
EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

5:30 PM For the Parishioners

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 3
THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

7:30 +Kay & Charles Tedeschi
+Dawn Cardone
+Lucille Walsh
9:30 +Joseph Trawinski
+Dawn Cardone
11:30 +Guarino & Zampella Families
+Amico (Ronald)
5:30PM +Bolivar Gonzalez



FLOWER DONATIONS

If you are interested in making a donation of a floral arrangement for the Church in memory of a loved one, please call the Parish Office. We will discuss with you what would be a suitable occasion and then we will make the arrangements. We will also put a notice in the bulletin acknowledging your donation if you would like.



*EUCCHARISTIC GIFTS of
Bread & Wine are offered this
week in Memory of Los dones
Eucarísticos se ofrecerán
en memoria de
Claire Harraka*



*SANCTUARY LAMP will burn this
week in Memory of / La Vela del
Santuario permanecerá
encendida en memoria de
Claire Harraka*

✠ pray for the deceased ✠

The Parish Office will be closed at
12:30 on New Year's Eve,
Thursday, December 31st.

DECEASED FRANCISCAN FRIARS



**Pray For
The Sick**

**Oremos por los enfermos,
especialmente**

Teresa Apolei, Juan Arias, John Barcewski,
Robert Barone, Laurie Barone,
Ray Beesley, Michele Bender, Jean Berdan, Alicia Bether,
Sr. Anne Elizabeth Bolte, Donna Brauchle,
Tom Brown, Garret Buys, Phillipe Carino, Debbie Caruso,
Anthony Cinderella, Maria Colatarci,
Jean Colletti, Vincent Colucci, Donna Colucci,
Genevieve DeChellis, Susanna DeNude, Richard DiMauro,
Susie & Frank DeVito, Mario Di Pasquale, Steven Domalewski,
Cesarina Earl, Eileen Egan, Wendy Estrada, Carmen Farina,
Vincent William Gaffney, Giovanna Gatti, Joseph Gilmore,
Adele Ginnotti, Antonio Giudice, Salvatore Giudice,
Jeanette Gonzalez, Ray Gulbin, Steve Hermann,
Maryann Hughes, Jay Intili, Ray LaConte, Alke M. Laffey,
Irene Lester, Mary MacDonald, Brian Mackiewicz,
Mario Manganiello, Caden Many, Ed Marrone, Sandra Mas,
Andrew Maye, Patricia McGovern, Kenneth McGraw,
Rosemary McGraw, Mario Menjincello, Stan Michunovich,
Diane Murphy, Cindy Orchowski, Gemma Nacleria,
Eileen Primavera, Luisa Rendenna, Eliane Rocca, John Ruff,
Gloria Russo, Shirley G. Salavarría, Debbie Sherwood,
Jean Smith, Annette Streicher, Philip Treanor, Joan Trecartin,
John Trommelen, Patricia Tucher, Barbara Urgovitch,
Jayne Vandersten, Helen Young, Carmella Zappala,
Philip Zipoy and Anthony & Robert



Scripture Readings for This Week

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

Sunday Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or 1 Sm 1:20-22, 24-28; Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 or 1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24; Lk 2:41-52
Monday 1 Jn 1:5—2:2; Mt 2:13-18
Tuesday 1 Jn 2:3-11; Lk 2:22-35
Wednesday 1 Jn 2:12-17; Lk 2:36-40
Thursday 1 Jn 2:18-21; Jn 1:1-18
Friday Nm 6:22-27; Gal 4:4-7; Lk 2:16-21
Saturday 1 Jn 2:22-28; Jn 1:19-28

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS SEASON FINALE

The Chopin Singing Society Male Choir will sing at the 11:30 AM Mass, today, **Epiphany Sunday, January 3rd**. We welcome them to their 21st Annual Epiphany Sunday here at St. Bon's!



BULLETIN DEADLINES

Articles for the January 10th bulletin should be in the Parish Office no later than Monday, January 4th.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Saturday, January 2nd

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
after the 11:30 AM Mass

12 – 1 PM

Rosary in English then Spanish
Bilingual Eucharistic Prayer Service
& Benediction - 2 PM

Is God Calling You to Be a Franciscan Friar?

Contact our Vocation Director, Br. Basil Valente, O.F.M. at bvalente@fnp.org, visit: BeAFranciscan.org or scan this symbol with your smartphone:





"Coffee &..."

will take place Epiphany Sunday, January 3rd in the Church Hall after all Sunday Masses.

Religious Formation Classes Begin

- December 27 - **No Classes – Christmas Break**
- January 3 - **No Classes**
- January 10 - 10:30 AM All Grades
- January 17 - **No Classes**
- January 24 - 10:30 AM All Grades
- January 31 - 10:30 AM All Grades

Have a blessed and joyous New Year!



OFFERING ENVELOPE BOOKLETS

are in the back of the church for you to pick up at your convenience. Please be sure that you take the correct envelopes. Also, if you don't find your envelopes please contact the Parish Office. Thank you!

VIGIL OF THE SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE MOTHER OF GOD

Thursday, December 31st – (English) 5:30 PM

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE MOTHER OF GOD

Friday, January 1st – Holy Day of Obligation
Mass of the Day (English) 11:30 AM
 (Spanish) 7 PM

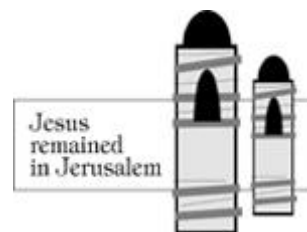
SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Vigil Mass, Saturday, January 2 (English) 5:30 PM

Masses of the Day, Sunday, January 3
 (English) 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 AM
 (Spanish) 5:30 PM

GRIEVING & BEREAVEMENT

If you are interested in meeting with others who have lost a loved one, please come to our meeting on **Monday, January 18th at 7 PM** in the Tailor Shoppe. All are welcome!



THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

From the Pastor's Desk....

Christ is born! Glorify Him!

Fr. Frank and I would like to THANK YOU for your many gifts to us during these Holy Days of Christmas. Your kindness and generosity are indeed overwhelming!

May this festive season enliven your homes with generous love. God's love is with us! Christ is born! Glorify Him!

*Fr. Stephen, O.F.M.
Fr. Frank, O.F.M.*

SOCIAL CONCERNS – GIVING TREE

I would like to thank all the generous people who took the tags off the Giving Tree and returned the presents for the less fortunate people. We sent out approximately 200 gifts. Also, thank you for the very generous monetary gifts totaling \$150.00.

A special thanks to the following people who helped pack the gifts; Jeanne Beagin, Joanne Giamonco, Gail Stackpole, Wilma Colella, Maureen Francella, Mary Ann Morgan, Frank & Louise Guzowski, Pam Brown, Yolanda Hilton and Agnes Hoffman.

Sincerely, Edna Sturno

“Gratitude can transform common days into thanksgivings, turn routine jobs into joy, and change ordinary opportunities into blessings.”
William Arthur Ward

HIPAA & YOUR SICK FAMILY MEMBER PLEASE INFORM US IF YOUR FAMILY MEMBER IS SICK &/OR HOSPITALIZED.

The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 [HIPAA] does many good things. At the same time, it creates a difficulty for us as a church. Information about your sick relative cannot be released to anyone. Therefore, priests, deacons, and Eucharistic ministers can no longer access names of St. Bon's parishioners in the hospital's Pastoral Care Department. The ONLY WAY for us to know that your loved one is in the hospital, rehab center, nursing home, hospice, or wherever, is through A PHONE CALL FROM YOU informing us of your family member's condition and whereabouts.

Recently I have been greatly saddened to find out at wakes and funerals that a parishioner had been in a nursing home for months and “nobody from the church came to visit our sick mother, father, brother, or sister.” But we could not respond because we didn't know!

Ministry to the Sick of our parish is a priority. Of course, we want to bring the Eucharist and celebrate the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Please don't hesitate to call the parish office [973.279.1016] to inform us of your relative's condition and location. We will gladly visit and try to bring some comfort and healing.

Sincerely, Fr. Stephen, O.F.M.

END OF YEAR UPDATES

Have you moved, changed your phone number, have an email address, wish to use or not use weekly envelopes? Please let the Parish Office know.

