

# Holy Rosary Cathedral

CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF REGINA  
3125 – 13<sup>th</sup> Avenue



*Most Rev. Donald Bolen, Archbishop of Regina*  
*Rev. Danilo Rafael, Rector*  
*Very Rev. Thomas Nguyen, J.V., Sacramental Ministry*  
*Rev. Mr. Barry Wood, Assisting Deacon*

## Third Sunday of Advent December 17, 2017

### **Mass Times:**

Sunday: 9 a.m., 11 a.m., 7 p.m.  
Tuesday to Friday: 8 a.m.  
Saturday: 9 a.m.

### **Confessions:**

Saturday at 8 a.m. or by appointment.

### **Parish Office:**

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**Mission Statement:** We, the Catholic Community of Holy Rosary Parish, under the patronage of Our Lady, are called to be a caring, outreaching church, proclaiming and celebrating our faith with all who seek a relationship with Christ.

### **NEW PARISHIONERS/CHANGE OF ADDRESS**

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Celebrants: **Rev. Danilo Rafael, Very Rev. Thomas Nguyen**

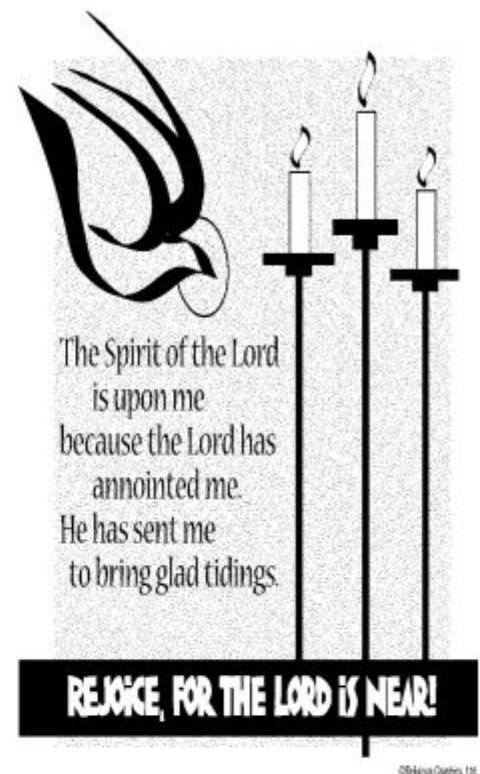
Readings: **Isaiah 61.1-2a, 10-11 Ps. Luke 1.47-48 1 Thessalonians 5.16-24 John 1.6-8, 19-28**

Director of Music: Tanya Bergen

Organ Scholars: Jonathan Craig Penner, Will Ireton

Cantors: 9 a.m. Joan Pratchler, 11 a.m. Gina Quon

<b>Processional Hymn</b>	CBW 302 Arise, Your Light Is Come! <i>(Candle lighting between v. 3 &amp; 4)</i>
<b>Kyrie</b>	CIS 5.2
<b>Responsorial Psalm</b>	Luke 1: My soul shall exult in my God.  <p>My soul shall exult in my God.</p>
<b>Gospel Acclaim.</b>	CBW 247 Alleluia
<b>Offertory</b>	9 a.m. Hymn: CBW 314 God of All People 11 a.m. Choir: People Look East (arr. M.F. Shaw)
<b>Eucharistic Acclamations</b>	CIS 5.5 – 5.10
<b>Communion Hymn</b>	CIS 6.31: Christ, Be Our Light
<b>Recessional Hymn</b>	CBW 303 Awake! Awake, and Greet the New Morn (v. 1 & 4)
<b>Organ Postlude</b>	Winchester New (arr. C. Tambling)



## SUNDAY MASSES: 9 AM, 11 AM, 7 PM

Mon. Dec.18 No 8 AM, Mass 6 PM Repose soul of Antonio Q. Valencia by Alma Juganas & family

Tues. Dec.19 8 AM Mass

6 PM Mass: Repose soul of Antonio Q. Valencia by Alma Juganas & family

Wed. Dec.20 8 AM Mass: Special Intention of Shelley & Lew Mureau Taylor by Marian & Ed Brown

6 PM Mass: Repose soul of Antonio Q. Valencia by Alma Juganas & family

Thurs. Dec.21 8 AM Mass: Repose soul of Sharon Ogile-Israel by the Israel family

Fri. Dec.22 8 AM Mass: Repose soul of Sharon Ogile-Israel by the Israel family

Sat. Dec.23 7:45 AM Adoration; 8 AM Confessions

9 AM Mass: Repose soul of Sharon Ogile-Israel by the Israel family

6 PM Mass: Repose souls of Tony & Fred Valencis by Alma Juganas & family

Readers for December 17 Team 2  
9 AM Samira McCarthy, Margaret Molloy  
11AM Lynette Piper Haynes, Paul Adekogbe  
7 PM Deonilito De Guzman, Roberto Misterio

Readers for December 24 Team 2  
9AM Jack & Lorraine Stoeber  
11 AM Greg & Penny Wensel  
7 PM TBA Christmas Eve Mass

### **\$\$ Holy Rosary Financial Update \$\$**

Hello fellow parishioners,

Here is your weekly report on how far we've come towards our goal of reaching financial break-even by December 31st of this year.

Amount collected December 10: **\$7,265**

Remaining donations required for 2017 break-even: **\$67,655**

Weekly amount needed for next 5 Sundays: **\$13,530**

Your continued and generous support is most appreciated. Please remember the needs of Holy Rosary Cathedral Parish in your Estate Planning.

Your Finance Team:

Jim Hall, Paul Malone and John Dipple

**The 2018 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES** are ready to pick up from tables near the main entrance. Please pick your envelopes up today. Remember, **do not use** them until 2018. If you cannot find your envelopes, and would like a set, please call the Parish Office at 306-565-0909. Thanks for your continued financial support!

**2017 Archbishop's Appeal:** This year, our **Parish Goal** is **\$49,949** to date the Parish has raised **\$34,105** or **68.28%**.

### **Simbang Gabi (Rooster Mass)**

Holy Rosary Cathedral will be hosting this Filipino Christmas tradition on the nine (9) days before Christmas, **Dec. 15 - 23**. Masses will be at 6 PM except on Dec. 17 (Sunday), the Mass will be at 7 PM (regular Sunday Schedule). Archbishop Donald Bolen will be presiding at the Mass on Dec. 23, followed by potluck supper. Everyone is welcome!

**Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace:** With gratitude, **Thank You!** to all who signed the petition cards in November. Please accept the prayer card included in the bulletin, with my prayer for blessings for the women and girls in your families and as well as for our sisters around the world. Bernadette Kutarna

**MASSES AT THE CATHEDRAL**  
**4<sup>th</sup> Sunday OF ADVENT**  
**AND the CHRISTMAS SEASON**

**December 24**

**4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent:** Masses 9:00 AM 11:00 AM

**Christmas Eve**

Nativity of the Lord

Mass 7:00 PM  
 Music Prelude 11:00PM  
 Midnight Mass 12:00 AM  
**Most Rev. Don Bolen**  
 Archbishop of Regina, presider

**Christmas Day**

Nativity of the Lord

Mass 10:00AM 7:00 PM  
 Rev. Danilo Rafael

**Feast of the Holy Family**

December 31

Mass 9:00AM 11:00 AM 7:00 PM  
 Rev. Danilo Rafael

**January 1st**

Solemnity of Mary,  
 The Holy Mother of God

Masses 9:00 AM 11:00 AM 7:00 PM  
**Most Rev. Donald Bolen, 11 AM**  
 Archbishop of Regina, presider  
 Rev. Danilo Rafael, concelebrant

**Archbishop's Levée**

1:00-2:30PM  
 Everyone is welcome to the Hall!

Come and join us for an Advent : **VEGGIE-TASTIC Wednesday:** Movies! ! Crafts! On Dec.20 @ 1 PM.  
 At the Archdiocesan Resource Centre, 445 Broad Str. N  
 Children **MUST** be accompanied by an adult.

**St. Josephine Bakhita Conference (SVVP)**

There are struggling families, in our parish, who are in need of your generosity this Christmas. Bring a smile to a child's face this year. Please put your donation for in an envelope "*Christmas*" and make cheques to the "*SSVP St. Josephine Bakhita Conference*", then place them in the collection basket TODAY or in the mailbox for the Church Office. Thank you to the Members of the SSVP who work tirelessly throughout the year to bring cheer to many people who need the support.

**A message of thanks from Sacred Heart School**

This year's Santa Store was truly amazing! It was beyond all of our expectations. We know that it would not be possible without the generous donations from you, the members of our church community. Our request for donations was met with an outpouring of love and support that was truly overwhelming. Our store was well stocked for all 430 students to shop for their families. From the bottom of our hearts here at Sacred Heart **THANK YOU!**

**Archbishop's Appeal**

Give the Gift of Hope this Christmas; Hope for the sick, Hope for our youth and Hope for those in prison. These are just a few of the ministries supported by the Archbishop's Appeal. If you have not already donated to the 2017 Archbishop's Appeal, it is not too late! You may donate online at our website - archregina.sk.ca, give at your parish, or call our office at 306.352.1651 ext. 210. We are so grateful to those who have already given. Thank YOU!

**A gentle Reminder:** If you have not done so already, please fill out the **Pledge Form** distributed by the Finance Committee. Your commitment to increase your weekly donations by the **suggested 25%** is much needed to keep our parish financially viable. **For parishioners who have a limited or fixed income, any donation is gratefully accepted (25%** is a suggested amount and not obligatory). To date **45 pledges** have been returned to the Parish. Thank you very much!

**Holy Rosary Prayer Chain**

If you are experiencing difficult times as near the Christmas Season, there is help in prayer. Call 306.525.5507

**HOLY ROSARY CATHEDRAL PARISH PROGRAMS**

- Children's Liturgy:** during 11 AM Mass
- Knights of Columbus:** Third Friday at 7 PM
- Pancake Breakfast:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in the Hall
- Coffee Sunday:** 1st Sunday after all Masses
- Pastoral Council:** January 9 @ 7 PM in Sacristy
- CWL:** First Saturday in O'Neill Room 10 AM
- RCIA:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday -12:10 in O'Neill or alternate dates
- Challenge Girls:** Hall at 6:30 PM each Friday
- SVDP:** Meeting 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday/bimonthly 6:30 PM in Sacristy
- 1<sup>st</sup> Reconciliation Class:** Completed
- Cathedral Choir:** 11 AM Mass each Sunday

**Stewardship Bulletin: 3rd Sunday of Advent**

"Rejoice always, pray constantly, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you" - 1 *Thessalonians 5:16-18*

This scripture reading sums up Stewardship. "Rejoice always" means place your trust in God; He will provide all that you need. "Pray constantly" means prayer should be a running conversation with God throughout the whole day, every day. "Give thanks in all circumstances" means even in bad situations, thank God. Suffering a little bit helps build empathy for others in similar situations.

**CWL** – Christmas Cards, 10/pkg for \$5 are available. Contact the CWL for purchase.

The Archdiocesan Resource Centre will be hosting a **Advent**

**VEGGIETASTICS**, a fun filled afternoon of movies and crafts for little ones. Come and join us Wednesday, December 20 at 1:00 PM. at 445 Broad Street North. Children **must** be accompanied by an adult. Pre-registration necessary. For more information or to pre-register, please call Sr. Rufina B. Dubao, SIHM at 352-1651