

# MADONNA DEL CASTELLO

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## BULLETIN DEADLINE

Monday at Noon

## RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

9:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday

## MASS SCHEDULE

Daily ..... 7:30 a.m.

Saturday (vigil mass) ..... 4:00 p.m.

Sunday ..... 10:30 a.m.

*Consult the bulletin for Holy Day and Holiday Mass schedul*

## ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Sunday's after the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

## RECONCILIATION

Saturdays at 10:30 a.m. and by appointment.

## BAPTISMS

Call the office for an appointment.

## MARRIAGE

Contact the Pastor at least six months in advance.

# MassSchedule

- Monday, January 2** 7:30 A.M.  
Mary Jane Daw (Agnes Martinich)
- Tuesday, January 3** 7:30 A.M.  
Deceased Iovino & Brunetti Families (David Iovino)
- Tuesday, January 3** 7:00 P.M.  
Holy Hour
- Wednesday, January 4** 7:30 A.M.  
Janet Nelligan (Barb, Patrice & Jim Tabor)
- Thursday, January 5** 7:30 A.M.  
Pete Iannucci (M/M Dominic Petrarca)
- Friday, January 6** 7:30 A.M.  
Patrick Aducci (Mary & Dave Wallowicz)
- Friday, January 6** 7:00 P.M.  
Holy Hour
- Saturday, January 7** 7:30 A.M.  
Intention of the Celebrant
- Saturday, January 7** 4:00 P.M.  
For Our Parishioners
- Sunday, January 8** 10:30 A.M.  
Joseph Murello (Jim & Mary Ann Macek)



- Saturday, January 7** 4:00 P.M.  
Lois Ballog & Mason Gibson
- Sunday, January 8** 10:30 A.M.  
Dominic Capezzuto & Andrew Klabnik



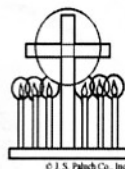
- Saturday, January 7** 4:00 P.M.  
Dave Fiumara, Al Haski, Guy Mazzella, Wayne Sarsfield
- Sunday, January 8** 10:30 A.M.  
Marian Iovino, Andy Migliorato, Jim Tomko, Ellie Yearsley



- Saturday, January 7** 4:00 P.M.  
Olive Magnotta
- Sunday, January 8** 10:30 A.M.  
Michaela Buzzard



The Tabernacle Lamp is for  
**FR. JOHN LYNAM**  
From The Yearsley Family.



The Alter Candles are in memory  
of  
M/M WILLIAM BURKHARDT  
From Karen & Vince Balistreri.

Anyone who would like to have any or all of the gifts celebrated in memory of or tribute to a loved one(s), should complete the form below, place information and money in a plain envelope and deposit sealed envelope in the collection basket, mail it to the rectory or deposit in the front door mail slot.

### Memorial or Living Tribute Request

- I would like to offer:
- Altar Flowers (\$50) \_\_\_\_\_
  - Altar Bread (\$25) \_\_\_\_\_
  - Altar Wine (\$25) \_\_\_\_\_
  - Altar Candles (\$10) \_\_\_\_\_
  - Tabernacle Lamp (\$10) \_\_\_\_\_
  - Complete Offering (\$120) \_\_\_\_\_

In Memory of \_\_\_\_\_

In Tribute to \_\_\_\_\_

From \_\_\_\_\_

**+ REST IN PEACE +**

ANTONETTE DEL PRETE.

### SPREADING GOD'S LOVE/BECOMING CATHOLIC

We are all called to spread God's love to others. As god appears to you in prayer & in the Scriptures, what is your wish? Perhaps it is that a loved one would share your faith. Prayerfully ask God to help you reach out to another & invite him/her to inquire about becoming Catholic through RCIA. There are brochures in the literature racks of the church that explains the process. For more information, contact Ron Demblowski at 412-241-1372 or wordofgodpa@gmail.com or Paul Osterman at 412-400-6003, 412-661-1239 or ostermanpj@upmc.edu

### CHRISTMAS QUILT

Doreen Kean won the Christmas quilt raffled to help our St. Vincent de Paul Society. Congratulations



From  
the  
Pastor

### THANK YOU

Thank you to the anonymous donor who purchased the "Rediscover Catholicism" books for the parish. This book is a spiritual guide to living with passion & purpose. We pray that it will be a blessing for all. The books are available at the exits of church.

### THE SILVER RING THING

The Silver Ring Thing is a high-tech, high energy performance that educates grades 8-12 about the benefits of remaining abstinent until marriage. With dramas, videos, special effects and speakers, teenagers will be motivated in a unique and personal way to choose to commit to both God and their future spouse to remain abstinent until marriage. Parents are encouraged to attend and are responsible for transportation on Friday, January 13 from 6:30-9:30 p.m. at Seton-LaSalle High School, 1000 McNeilly Rd., Dormont. For more information, call Ron Demblowski at 412-241-1372 or wordof-godpa@gmail.com.

### CATHOLIC ALUMNI CLUB OF PITTSBURGH

Over 21 & single? Looking for a new way to meet people, make friends and share good times with others? Check out the Catholic Alumni Club. The group offers a variety of different activities including parties, picnics, hiking, sports leagues, dinners, trips, community service and many other great events. For more information, visit our website [www.cacpittsburgh.org](http://www.cacpittsburgh.org) or call 412-341-4070.

### DR. KING MASS & PROGRAM

All are invited to the Annual Dr. King Mass, Sunday, January 15 at 12:00 p.m. at St. Paul cathedral with Auxiliary Bishop William Waltersheid. A light reception, program and recognition of Dr. King student essay winners will follow the Mass. Sponsored by St. Paul Cathedral Race & Reconciliation Dialogue Group.

### PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

Fr. Tony Gargotta will be organizing a pilgrimage to the Holy Land May 14-May 21. There will be an informative meeting on January 4 at 7 p.m. in St. Bernadette Church Hall, Monroeville. As of now, the approximate cost is \$2,700, which includes 2 meals a day, accommodations and transportation. It does not include taxes, insurance or tips. If interested, call Fr. Tony Gargotta at 412-373-0050 or email at [frtonyg@gmail.com](mailto:frtonyg@gmail.com).

### ANNUAL BLOOD DRIVE

The 9th Annual Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Blood Drive will be Monday, January 16 from 1-6 p.m. at St. Benedict the Moor Church. Support this effort to save lives. Call to pre-register & for more information: Diocesan Office for Black Catholic Ministries, 412-456-3170 or the Central Blood Bank, 412-209-7245.

**Reminder: The office will be closed Monday, January 2.**

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