



DECEMBER 23, 2007
FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Is 7:10-14/Ps 24:1-6/Rom 1:1-7/
 Mt 1:18-24
 Monday: 2Sm 7:1-5, 8-12, 14, 16/Lk 1:67-79
 Tuesday:
 Vigil: Is 62:1-5/Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29/
 Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/Mt 1:1-25
 Midnight: Is 9:1-6/Ps 96:1-3, 11-13/
 Ti 2:11-14/Lk 2:1-14
 Dawn: Is 62:11-12/Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12/
 Ti 3:4-7/Lk 2:15-20
 Day: Is 52:7-10/Ps 98:1-6/
 Heb 1:1-6/Jn 1:1-18
 Wednesday: Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59/Mt 10:17-22
 Thursday: 1Jn 1:1-4/Jn 20:1-8
 Friday: 1Jn 1:5-2:2/Mt 2:13-18
 Saturday: 1Jn 2:3-11/Lk 2:22-35

Mass Intentions

Monday, December 24 Vigil of Christmas
 8:30 a.m. Jenna O'Neal (D)
Tuesday, December 25 Nativity of the Lord
Wednesday, December 26 Stephen, first martyr
 8:30 a.m. Olga Poueydebat (D)
Thursday, December 27
John, Apostle, evangelist
 8:30 a.m. Oscar E. Navarrete (D)
Friday, December 28 Holy Innocents, martyrs
 8:30 a.m. Peter and Alice Kerley (D)
Saturday, December 29
Fifth Day in Octave of Christmas
Vigil: Holy Family
 8:30 a.m. Asuncion Albina (D)
 5:00 p.m. Dan and Ann Halloran (D)

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS December 29 / 30

5:00 p.m.	8:00 a.m.
B. Barromeo	N. Estonina
L. Davis	H. Kapkin
M. Hanley	C. Ruiz
C. Hemenway	F. Ruiz
Nicholas Nguyen (Lector)	Hugh Dawson (Lector)

**MUSIC FOR THE
 FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

Prelude: Improvisation on "Magnificat"

Offertory: Ave Maria
 -Bouznigac

Communion: Lo, How a Rose
 -Praetorius

Postlude: Improvisation on "Ave Maria"

10:30 a.m.
 O. McCabe
 N. Concon
 N. Hart
 B. Smith
 Jack Bonanno (Lector)



TO REGISTER IN OUR PARISH, PLEASE FILL OUT THIS FORM AND RETURN IT TO THE RECTORY.

Mr/Mrs Mr Mrs Ms: _____ Phone _____
(Please circle one) Last Name First Name/s

Address _____

New Parishioner _____ Change of information _____ Moving, please remove _____ Mailing list only, no envelopes _____

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IN OUR PARISH

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Mary Greene*Justin Estabillo*Eileen Murphy
Inez Denegri*Stella Tognoli*Mary Chan*Gloria Wu
Steve Parker*Maureen Parker*Guido Devincenzi
Teresa Spremich*Elizabeth Canapary
Bruno Foronda*Mick McKeon*Anne Bagdonas
Mario Balistreri*Tess Sagum Borromeo

SUNDAY COLLECTION

The collection for December 16th was: \$4,900.00

The Christmas flower collection to date is:
\$1,996.00

The collection for P.G.&E. was: \$1,383.00

Thank you for your generosity

NOVEMBER INCOME / EXPENSES

Income: \$19,643.00

Expenses: \$33,284.16

CHRISTMAS COLLECTION

PLEASE BE GENEROUS WITH YOUR
CHRISTMAS OFFERINGS.

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO FOR
SAINT MONICA'S THROUGHOUT THE YEAR.

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE 2007



SUNDAY, DECEMBER 23RD

Masses: 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. (Cantonese)
10:30 a.m.

CHRISTMAS EVE

MONDAY, DECEMBER 24TH

5:00 p.m. Family Christmas Eve Mass
with children's choir and Nativity Play
11:30 p.m. Festive music of the season
with Saint Monica's choir

12:00 a.m. Solemn Midnight Mass

Mozart Mass in C

CHRISTMAS DAY

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25TH

Masses: 8:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. with choir
No evening Mass

No Cantonese Mass

NEW YEAR'S DAY

TUESDAY, JANUARY 1, 2008

Mass: 10:30 a.m.

FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY

SUNDAY, JANUARY 6, 2008

Masses: 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. (Cantonese)
10:30 a.m. Mass with Choir

Evening Prayer and Benediction at 4:00 p.m.



MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Dear Parishioners,

Each year, as we celebrate Jesus' birth in Bethlehem, we also invite Jesus to be born in our hearts. May His love be our love, His strength, our strength, His peace, our peace. Thank you for all your generous and loyal support for our beloved Parish. God bless you this Christmas and always!

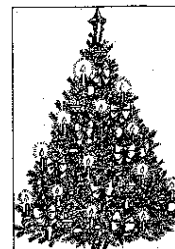
Rev. John L. Greene

**NEW YEAR'S DAY MASS
TUESDAY, JANUARY 1, 2008
WILL BE OFFERED AT 10:30 A.M.**

ST. MONICA'S FAMILY CHRISTMAS TREE

Today we will decorate our Parish Christmas Tree. Thanks to all of you who brought an ornament to Mass to represent you or your family.

*It will be our Parish "Family"
Christmas Tree!*



MANY THANKS

Thanks to all our parishioners who donated for Christmas Flowers, gave toys for the S.F.F.D. Toy Drive, and gave gifts to the poor from our Giving Tree. We are grateful to all of you for your generosity.

SPECIAL THANKS

Our thanks to Tony and Maria Gloria Rando for generously donating \$1,000.00 to help with the cost of repairing the stage in the Church Hall.

THANKS

A special thank you to our retiring
Parish Council Members
They have served two full terms:

Cathy Calvo
Oliver McCabe

Nancy Ferdon
Dana Perrigan