

ADVENT & CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE 2025-2026

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION SCHEDULE

THE FEAST OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION: **Monday, Dec. 8**

Monday, Dec. 8, 8 am at St. Januarius; 11 am and 5:30 pm at St. Michael's

THE SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD: **Wednesday, Dec. 31 & Thursday, Jan. 1**

Vigil Mass Wednesday, Dec. 31 at 5:30 pm, St. Michael's

Thursday, Jan. 1, 8:30 am at St. Januarius and 10:30 am at St. Michael's

THE 8 SORROWS OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Saturday, Dec. 13TH St. Michael's 8 am – noon

Mass; Rosary; Adoration; Talks

TIMES OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION & THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

A time of Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will happen on **Wednesday, Dec. 10** after the noon Mass at St. Michael's from 12:30 – 2 pm. During this time the Sacrament of Reconciliation will also be available.

Eucharistic Adoration will also take place at St. Januarius on **Thursday, Dec. 11** from 8:30 – 9:30 am. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will also be available during this time.

Exposition & Reconciliation will be at St. Patrick's on **Saturday, Dec. 20** from 2:30-3:15 pm.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION TIMES DURING ADVENT

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION will also be available at St. Patrick's on **Saturdays, Dec. 6, 13 & 20** from 2:45 – 3:15 pm.

At St. Januarius on **Sundays, Dec. 7, 14 & 21** from 7:45 – 8:15 am in the chapel

At St. Michael's at the **usual Saturday time** of 5 - 5:20 pm

The Sacrament of Reconciliation with individual absolution will also be offered at St. Michael's on **Monday, Dec. 22** from 6-7 pm

JESSE TREE DURING ADVENT

The Tree of Jesse is a depiction in art of the ancestors of Jesus Christ, shown in a branching tree which rises from Jesse of Bethlehem, the father of King David. It is the original use of the family tree as a schematic representation of a genealogy.

A person/symbol will be placed on the Jesse Tree every day during Advent. There are several changes this year. If you have the symbols from the last two years and would like the changes, please contact Fr. Leo. The information will also be in the bulletin.

JOURNEY THROUGH ADVENT: SMALL GROUPS

There are several opportunities for parishioners to be a member of a small group to reflect on the Sunday readings of Advent or you may do it yourself.

Judy Willing will have a group at St. Patrick's on **Mondays at 3 pm on Dec. 1, 8 & 15**

Deacon Roger will do a ZOOM session on **Tuesdays at 6:30 pm**. Contact him at roger.loucks@dor.org.

Patty Larzelere will have a group on **Wednesdays at 4 pm at the Parish Center**. In person, phone-in and Zoom.

LITTLE BOOKS FOR ADVENT

They will be available the weekend before Thanksgiving. Please take one per family.

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

Wednesday, Dec. 24 Christmas Eve:

3 pm at St. Patrick's in Prattsburgh

4:30 pm at St. Januarius in Naples

6 pm at St. Michael's in Penn Yan (with choir and carols at 5:30 pm)

Thursday, Dec. 25 Christmas Day

9 am at St. Michael's in Penn Yan

The Parish Office will be closed starting Wednesday, Dec. 24 and will reopen Monday, Dec. 29.

Epiphany Sunday – **Jan. 6**

Baptism of Our Lord – **Jan. 11**