

ST. JOSEPHINE BAKHITA PARISH

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PASTORAL TEAM

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| Rev. Mark Achilles Villanueva | Pastor |
| Rev. Michael Ho | Deacon |
| Rev. Gerry Steyn | Deacon |
| Sr. Necy Guan, Fdccc | Pastoral Assistant |
| Sr. Linda Carandang, Fdccc | Pastoral Assistant |
| Mrs. Fatima Chan | Secretary |



Peace on Earth

A Christmas Prayer

Lord, this is my prayer
 Not only on Christmas Day
 But until I see You face to face
 May I live my life this way:

Just like the baby Jesus
 I ever hope to be,
 Resting in Your loving arms
 Trusting in Your sovereignty.

And like the growing Christ child
 In wisdom daily learning,
 May I ever seek to know You
 With my mind and spirit yearning.

Like the Son so faithful
 Let me follow in Your light,
 Meek and bold, humble and strong
 Not afraid to face the night.

Nor cowardly to suffer
 And stand for truth alone,
 Knowing that Your kingdom
 Awaits my going home.

Not afraid to sacrifice
 Though great may be the cost,
 Mindful how You rescued me
 From broken-hearted loss.

Like my risen Savior
 The babe, the child, the Son,
 May my life forever speak
 Of who You are and all You've done.

So while this world rejoices
 And celebrates Your birth,
 I treasure You, the greatest gift
 Unequaled in Your worth.

I long to hear the same words
 That welcomed home Your Son,
 "Come, good and faithful servant,"
 Your Master says, "Well done."

And may heaven welcome others
 Who will join with me in praise
 Because I lived for Jesus Christ
 Not only Christmas Day



Mass Intention

Saturday (December 22)
 5:00 PM +Juanito Umali
 Sunday (December 23)
 7:30 AM For the Parish
 Community
 9:00 AM +John D'Silva
 11:00 AM Open
 12:30 PM +Lydia Salazar

Monday (December 24)
 5:00 PM For the Parish
 7:00 PM For the Parish
 9:00 PM For the Parish
 10:30 PM For the Parish

Tuesday (December 25)
 9:00 AM For the Parish
 11:00 AM For the Parish
 12:30 PM For the Parish

Wednesday (December 26)
 9:00 AM St. Stephen's Village,
 +Evelyn & Ruel Macalagim, +Eva
 Whigan

Thursday (December 27)
 7:30 AM +Ben D'Souza

Friday (December 28)
 7:00 PM Open

Saturday (December 29)
 9:00 AM For our Parish
 Benefactors and friends
 5:00 PM Open

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*From the Pastoral Team,
 Deacon Michael & Isabel Ho,
 Deacon Gerry & Betty Steyn,
 Sister Linda Carandang, Fdccc
 Sister Nedy Guan, Fdccc
 Fatima Chan
 Father Mark Villanueva,
 We wish all our parishioners
 many blessings on the birthday of
 our Lord and Savior, Jesus
 Christ and in the coming new
 year!*

*We wish to thank The Very Rev.
 Msgr. Terrence D'Souza for his
 assistance throughout the year
 and to all our Parish Volunteers.
 May the Good Lord return to
 you a thousandfold over for
 sharing your time and talent to
 serve our growing parish
 community!*

Our Christmas Mass Schedule

Christmas Eve (Vigil of the Nativity of our Lord)
December 24

5:00 PM St. Joan of Arc Secondary School

7:00 PM St. Joan of Arc Secondary School

9:00 PM St. Peter's Mission Church

10:30 PM St. Joan of Arc Secondary School

Christmas Day (The Nativity of our Lord)
December 25

9:00 AM St. Joan of Arc Secondary School

11:00 AM St. Joan of Arc Secondary School

12:30 PM St. Joan of Arc Secondary School

December 26 (Feast of St. Stephen)

9:00 AM St. Peter's Mission Church

December 27 (St. John the Apostle)

7:30 AM St. Joan of Arc Secondary School Chapel

December 28 (Holy Innocents)

7:00 PM St. Joan of Arc School Chapel

December 29

9:00 AM St. Peter's Mission Church

5:00 PM St. Joan of Arc Secondary School

December 30

7:30 AM St. Peter's Mission Church

9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 12:30 PM St. Joan of Arc Secondary School

New Year's Eve (Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God)

December 31

5:00 PM St. Joan of Arc Secondary School

7:00 PM St. Peter's Mission Church

New Year's Day

9:00 AM Joan of Arc School

11:00 AM St. Joan of Arc Secondary School

12:30 PM St. Joan of Arc Secondary School

January 2 (St. Basil & St. Gregory)

9:00 AM St. Peter's Church



Join the Legion of Mary
Presidium of our Lady, Queen of All Saints

meets every Saturday, 10 AM at St.

Peter's Mission Church

Contact: Raul Manzanares



Are you a female Catholic looking for an Organization that will unite all Catholic women in a bond of friendship and spiritual growth?

Join the

Daughters of Isabella

meets every First Saturday at St. Peter's Mission Church

Contact: Rita Venantius

Are you a male Catholic looking for a Men's Organization that will provide you with fraternal and spiritual benefit?

Join the

Knights of Columbus

St. Josephine Bakhita Council

contact JC Cadieux or Tony

Ciufo if you are interested



Are you interested in doing volunteer work for the Parish? Please contact Sister Linda or Anusha D'Silva to discern which ministry to be involved in. There is a great harvest, but there are very few laborers. Join us in serving the Lord!

We invite all the Young people of our Parish to participate in our Youth Ministry
Contact Sister Necy

Looking to fulfill your Volunteer Hours contact Fr. Mark to inquire



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