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December 28, 2014 Holy Family



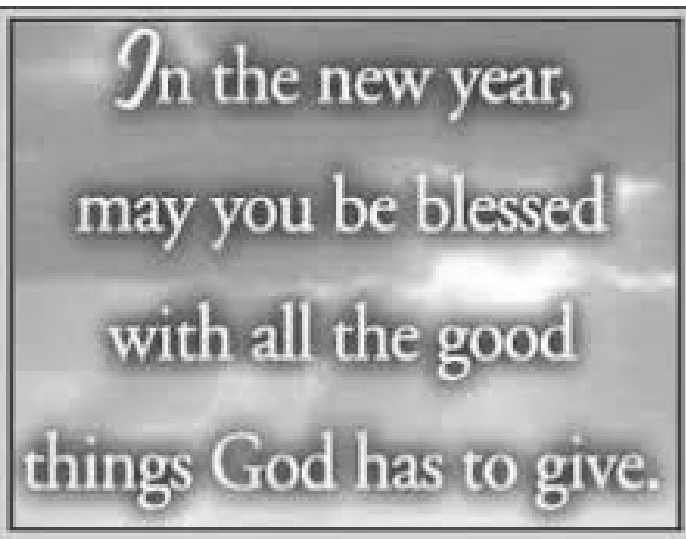
Mass Times for New Year's Eve and New Year's Day At Assumption Parish-McEwan Campus

*Mass on New Year's Eve—5:00pm (one mass only)
Mass on New Year's Day—10:00am (one mass only)*



WE ARE GOD'S HOLY FAMILY

The scriptures of Israel are filled with many stories of barren couples who were miraculously granted the gift of children by God. Surely the best known among these is the first reading from today, from which Luke took inspiration when he recounted the miraculous birth of John the Baptist to Zechariah and Elizabeth, and the more miraculous birth of Jesus to Mary and Joseph. In each instance, we are given examples or role models of those who trusted in God. More than examples of those who trust, they are models of self-surrender. They abandoned their own presuppositions and prejudices about the workings of the world and turned their lives over to belief in a God who can make life grow where none ought to; a God who can turn death around into a new and unimagined life; a God who can, today, take a tiny child of humble parents in an insignificant town and make him into a light for all the world. This is what we, as God's holy family, are called to do each day: to trust not in ourselves and the way we think things should be, but to open ourselves and surrender ourselves in faith to a God of endless promise.
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New Hours for Rosary Chapel Starting January 5th 2015 the chapel hours will change.

**Monday to Friday —7:30am to 8:00pm
Saturday — 7:30am to 9:00am**

Sunday — 3:00pm to 5:00pm

For Campus Ministry Mass at 4:00pm only

**Sundays are subject to change according to the academic schedule.
When mass is not being said the chapel will remain closed on Sundays.**

Masses will be as follows starting January 5th 2015

Monday-8:00am

Tuesday & Thursday-12:10pm

Wednesday-5:00pm

Friday-Morning prayers only—NO MASS

**IF YOU HAVE BOOKED A MASS ON FRIDAY FOR 8:00AM,
PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE TO CHANGE IT TO ANOTHER DAY.**

Rosary Chapel Christmas Hours

**December 24th to December 28th
Chapel closed**

**December 29th
Open 7:30am-8pm
Mass at 8am**

**December 30th
Open 7:30am-8pm
Mass at 12:10pm**

December 31st to January 4th—Closed

**The Rectory office will be closed
December 23, 2014
And will reopen
January 5, 2015**

TIME

Do not squander time, for that is the stuff life is made of.

—Benjamin Franklin





There are still some offertory envelopes that have not been picked up yet...please pick them up so you can start using them in the new year.

All parishioners who currently have envelopes have been assigned a new envelope number.

- THE ENVELOPES ARE IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER PLEASE LOOK FOR YOUR NAME, NOT YOUR OLD ENVELOPE NUMBER
- PLEASE ENSURE YOU TAKE THE ENVELOPES WITH YOUR NAME ON THEM
- PLEASE PUT YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS ON THE FIRST FEW YOU USE IN 2015
- AFTER DECEMBER 31, 2014 PLEASE RECYCLE ANY OLD ENVELOPES AND DO NOT USE IN 2015

Please note that the envelopes will remain in the name of Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic Parish....we have just moved to another location, so if you are already registered with us you do not need to register again.

THANK YOU!



From the Pastor's Desk

All persons and/or organizations who wish to use any of the facilities at either Assumption Church (Huron Church Campus) or Holy Name Church (McEwan Campus) must contact the Parish office to make a booking. This includes both one-time and continuing bookings.

Further, we are in the process of developing policies and procedures that will govern the use of all Assumption Parish facilities, including meeting spaces, kitchens and storage areas. Failure to abide by these, once they have been published, could result in revocation of all privileges related to the use of parish facilities.

For further information, please contact Fr. Don McLeod, csb, Administrator of Our Lady of the Assumption Parish.

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<https://www.facebook.com/assumptionparishwindsor>



SUNDAY COLLECTION

December 21, 2014

Regular Offertory

Misc.

Total Collection this week

Collection numbers for December 7,14 & 21, 2014 were not available due to Bulletin publication deadlines.

They will be published in the New Year

Mass  for the Intentions of the Week

8am-Mass	Monday December 29th † Fiore & Irene Quaglia, Daughter & Family by the Quaglia Family † Salvatore & Maria Iacono by the Family † Domenico A. Ruccolo by the Family
12:10-Mass	Tuesday December 30th † Dick Tighe by Assumption Gallery Choir For the Intentions of Fr. Bill Riegel by Theresa Praying for God's divine protection on my children by Sponsor-Rita Selo
10:00am 7:00pm	Moms and Tots (McEwan Campus-Hall) Cenacle of Our Lady of Guadalupe (Rosary Chapel)
5pm-Mass	Wednesday December 31st CHAPEL IS CLOSED-NO MASS
5pm-Mass	NEW YEARS EVE MASS-MCEWAN CAMPUS
12:10-Mass	Thursday January 1st 2015 CHAPEL IS CLOSED-NO MASS
10:00am	NEW YEARS DAY MASS-MCEWAN CAMPUS
	Friday January 2nd CHAPEL IS CLOSED
9:00am	SVDP Forgotten Harvest Produce (McEwan Campus)
Mass 5:00pm	Saturday January 3rd For the Parishioners
8:30am	SVDP Meeting/Home Visits (McEwan Campus)
Masses 9:00am 11:00am 7:30pm	Sunday January 4th For the Parishioners For the Parishioners For the Parishioners

CHILDREN OF ETERNITY

You are children of eternity. Your immortal crown awaits you, to reward your duty and love. You may indeed sow here in tears, but you may be sure there to reap in joy.

—St. Elizabeth Ann Seton



The Christmas Giving Tree provided help for over 20 families in our area. With the help of Corpus Christi, St. John Vianney, Good Shepherd, Mount Carmel and St. Paul's parishes, over 75 families within our parish boundaries received Christmas baskets.

Our thanks to St. Vincent de Paul, to our tireless shoppers, and to our generous donors. Thank you, as well, to the families who by their need allowed us to be of service.



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