



Dear Parishioners,

Praised be Jesus Christ! A Happy New Church Year and Happy Advent! There are two parts to the Season of Advent both involving the Coming of Our Lord Jesus. The 1st Part, weeks 1 and 2, focus on our Lord's Second Coming. The 2nd Part, weeks 3 and 4, focus on His First Coming. ***The best way for us to ready ourselves for His Second Coming is to celebrate with faith His First Coming.*** Thus, the Season of Advent!

To ready yourself well, be aware of the following Advent Activities.

At Home:

- 1) Prayer: Make use of the Advent ***Word Among Us*** Books in the back of Church, Sign up for Bishop Barron or Matthew Kelly's Advent Reflection Emails.
- 2) Fasting: Consider abstaining or fasting a little bit in this Season. Such discipline is not just for Lent and it can bear great fruit.

At Church:

Attend Daily Mass or Eucharistic Adoration in this Holy Season. This is especially good this year in light of COVID. A visit to the Blessed Sacrament for Monday Adoration or Daily Mass allows for time in Church with smaller crowds!

Advent Confessions: Every Saturday 3:30 to 4:30 and area schedule below.

Advent First Friday Adoration: Dec. 4th: 7:30PM in Church School of Prayer

Parish Christmas Tree Lighting and Scenes of Christmas Evening: Dec. 13 4PM. Our Knights of Columbus will host our annual event. Join us at 4PM for the Scenes of Christmas and then the outdoor light up of the tree.

Peace,

Fr. Rogers

Area Advent Penance Services at 7PM

December 10: Sacred Heart, Oxford

December 14: St. Maximilian, W. Chester

December 15: St. Corneilius, Chadds Ford

December 16: St. Gabriel's, Avondale

December 17: St. Patrick, Kennett Square

December 22: St. Agnes, W. Chester



St. Patrick Parish Rosary

Sundays at 7:00PM

Join us online, by phone or in spirit. Please visit the parish website for more details and how to log in.

Sunday, November 29, 2020