



# THE UNIVERSITY PARISH OF CHRIST SUN OF JUSTICE

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December 15,  
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Third Sunday of Advent

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## MASS/LITURGY SCHEDULE

### DAILY MASS

M, T, W 5pm, and Thursday 9am  
No Daily Mass Dec. 16-Jan 17 (except for Jan 1)

### WEEKEND MASS

SATURDAY VIGIL 5 PM  
SUNDAY 10 AM ([livestream on YouTube](#))  
SUNDAY 5 PM  
No Sunday 5pm Masses Dec. 22 and 29

**CONFESSION** – The Sacrament of Reconciliation  
is available Saturdays at 4:15 PM.

## CHRISTMAS/NEW YEAR MASSES

- Tuesday Dec. 24 at 8pm
- Wednesday Dec. 25 at 10am ([livestream on YouTube](#))
- Wednesday Jan. 1 at 10am Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God (Holy Day of Obligation) ([livestream on YouTube](#))

## EVENTS OF INTEREST

**ALL LEVEL GENTLE YOGA CLASS** is Tuesday  
Dec. 17, 6-7pm at the C+CC.

### WOMENS MORNING OF ADVENT

**REFLECTION:** Saturday, Dec. 14, we will gather from 9-11:30 in the C+CC for a time of prayer in this season of hope. All women are invited, coffee and tea will be provided. Please RSVP to Barb Musial [musiab@sage.edu](mailto:musiab@sage.edu) or 518-366-6381 or Sr. Chris Partisano at [cpartisano@csjalbany.org](mailto:cpartisano@csjalbany.org)

## COLLECTIONS

Your continued generosity is appreciated!  
Here are ways to give...

- Mail your collection envelope and/or your check **made payable to Christ Sun of Justice** or place in the collection basket.
- Make an [online donation](#) (“Mass donation” in the comments section.)
- Donate through [PayPal here](#) or using the QR code below.

## MASS INTENTIONS

**December 14 5pm Mass:** Martha Walsh requested by Patricia Jackson

**December 15 10am Mass:** Dr. Brian Kennedy requested by Patricia Jackson

Consider having a Mass said in thanksgiving, for the intentions of another person (ex. birthday), or, most common, for the repose of the soul of someone who has died. Forms are available in the C+CC hallway, online [here](#), or QR code below.

## NOTES

**PRAYER REQUESTS** If you would like to add a friend, loved one, or yourself to the Prayer of the Faithful intentions for the sick, please complete the form [here](#), a hard copy form in the C+CC hallway, or QR code below.

**BULLETIN** Interested in receiving an electronic copy of the bulletin? Sign up [here](#) or QR code below.

**INCLEMENT WEATHER** Winter is approaching! Please call the C+CC phone (518-274-7793) and listen to the voicemail message for any changes in Mass times. Also, if you see on TV that OLV Masses are cancelled, CSJ will also be cancelled.

## A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE by Bud Ozar

Today's gospel tells us to SHARE! This Christmas resist the pressure to give token gifts. Instead, use those funds to give NECESSITIES to the poor. If our impoverished brothers and sisters are not on our gift list, we've missed the point of Christmas.

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Zep 3:14-18a, Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6., Phil 4:4-7, Lk 3:10-18

Monday: Nm 24:2-7, 15-17a, 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9, Mt 21:23-27

Tuesday: Gn 49:2, 8-10, 72:1-2, 3-4ab, 7-8, 17, Mt 1:1-17

Wednesday: Jer 23:5-8, Ps 72:1-2, 12-13, 18-19, Mt 1:18-25

Thursday: Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a, Ps 71:3-4a, 5-6ab, 16-17, Lk 1:5-25

Friday: Is 7:10-14, Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6, Lk 1:26-38

Saturday: Sg 2:8-14, Ps 33:2-3, 11-12, 20-21, Lk 1:39-45

Sunday: Mi 5:1-4a, Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19., Heb 10:5-10, Lk 1:39-45

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## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

*Romans 12:6 "In his grace, God has given us different gifts for doing certain things well. "*

**ESTEEM MENTOR** request: The ESTEEM program helps RPI seniors and grad students as they transition from college to their faith life beyond the college setting. This is a low-commitment yet high impact opportunity to mentor a student. Find out more on [this flyer](#) or by contacting Kathryn Dannemann: [dannek3@rpi.edu](mailto:dannek3@rpi.edu)

**MUSIC MINISTRY:** Singers and instrumentalists are invited to join the choir or serve as cantor at Masses. Choir rehearsals are held Mondays at 7PM in the C+CC. Please see Barb Musial after Mass, email [musiab@sage.edu](mailto:musiab@sage.edu), or call 518-366-6381 for more information.

**CHRISTMAS GIVING THROUGH THE PARISH:** Each year, during this season of giving, our parish community supports Unity House with gifts of grocery store gift cards. To donate to this collection, please place Price Chopper or Hannaford Gift Cards in an envelope, with your name, address and "Christmas Giving" on the outside of the envelope. Cards can be placed in the collection basket, dropped off or mailed to the C+CC. Gift cards submitted with no identifying information will be considered anonymous.

## QR CODE FOR BULLETIN LINKS

