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MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Third Sunday of Advent

Sat., December 10th

4PM – (St. J)
 -For Edward Moonan by Betty & Family.

Sun., December 11th

8AM – (St. P)
 -For Fr. Richard J. Kapral by the Parish.
9:30AM – (St. J)
 -For Our Parishioners and Their Intentions.

Mon., December 12th

8:30AM – (St. J)
 -For Edward Kraeger Family by
 Ginger Scheve.

Tues., December 13th

8:30AM – (St. J) Adoration after Mass
 -For John J. Haile by Gail Haile.

Wed., December 14th

8:30AM – (St. P)
 -For Fr. Gerald J. Buckley by the Parish.

Thurs., December 15th

8:30AM – (St. J) No Scheduled Mass

Fri., December 16th

8:30AM – (St. J)
 -For Deceased Members of the Art & Julia
 Serth Families by Marylou & John Serth.

Fourth Sunday of Advent

Sat., December 17th

4PM – (St. J)
 -For Deceased Members of the Bourgeois &
 Owens Families by Jerry & Mary Bourgeois.

Sun., December 18th

8AM – (St. P)
 -For Our Parishioners and Their Intentions.
9:30AM – (St. J)
 -For Renee Croniser by the Family..

We remember in our prayers

Charles Mooney, Frances Miller,
 Jamie Uhl-Goosman, Jeffrey Batt, Lorraine King,
 Walt Belewich, Sr., Ann Lash, Jim White,
 John Bailey, Cretia Carpenter, Candace Schaffer,
 David Hoffman, Steven Stooks,
 Michael Stinebrickner, John Stark,
 Michelle Durney Croniser, Brian Albert,
 Wayne Millnitz, Robert Brinkerhoff,
 Lawrence Ritter, Jason Lesperance,
 Mary Olmstead. & Richard Davey.

CONFESSION TIMES
SATURDAY'S – 3:15PM – 3:45PM - SJ
SUNDAY'S – 7:30AM – 7:50AM - SP



Christ Our Hope
 Collections for December 4th, 2022
 Regular – \$2,836.00
**We are one: Please make your donation
 out to Christ Our Hope Parish.**
2nd Collections for December
 Dec. 11, 2022- Cathedraticum
 Dec. 18, 2022- Christmas Flowers
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 on their lives until you see the relief on their faces
 when they arrive to pick up a package of food.
 We would like to pass on to you their sincere
 THANK YOU this holiday season. Thank you's we
 received with smiles, hugs and even some tears. May
 you and your families have a Healthy and Happy
 Holiday!

“CHRISTMAS PARTY”

Religious Education, December 18th

**“ALL” classes will meet in the Gill Hall after the
 9:30AM Mass.**

*(Grades 7th - Confirmation students, The party his will
 take the place of your regularly scheduled class time this
 week.)*

**Older students will be assisting the K-6 students
 with Christmas Ornaments for the tree in the
 Church & Cards for Sunset Nursing Home,
 Classes will resume January 8th.**

**Parents or Teachers, if you can make a
 refreshment for the party it would be appreciated.**

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HOPE APPEAL 2022 PROGRESS!

**I want to take an opportunity to thank
 everyone at Christ Our Hope parish for
 helping us reach our Hope appeal goal. To
 date, with gifts and pledges we have raised
 \$19,032.00, our goal was 18,174.87. This is
 truly something we can rejoice over as a
 parish as well as witness the amount of
 people that will benefit from the Hope
 Appeal.**

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CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CLUB

Thank you to all of our members for their
 hard work this year!
 We will not be meeting again until April 2023
 We will be asking for donations in the
 Springtime, as our next sale will be in May
 2023. So please remember us when you do
 your Spring cleaning! We appreciate all of the
 support from the Parish and the community!

We wish you all a blessed and
 “MERRY CHRISTMAS”.

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Christmas Card Addresses:

Fr. Donald Karlen

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Fr. Sean P. O'Brien

**St Peter Roman Catholic Church
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**St. Daniel's Church
 3004 Court St. Syracuse, NY 13208**



**A Beautiful
 Advent
 Tradition:
 Bambinelli
 Sunday,
 Blessing the
 Christ Child**

Dear Parishioners,

On Monday December 19th we will offer
 confessions at Christ our Hope from 4PM-7PM
 at St. Josephs. During this time of Advent, we
 use it to prepare our hearts and our homes.
 Whether it has been a week or a number of
 years, it's a great time to come to confession to
 prepare your heart for the coming of the
 Messiah.

Today we celebrate the third Sunday of
 Advent. There is one word that adequately
 describes this Sunday in Advent and that is
 “Rejoice.” We rejoice in many things but at the
 heart of that rejoicing is our faith. We also
 rejoice because our advent journey is now
 halfway over. We are closer to Christmas and
 the birth of the Messiah. During this time of
 rejoicing what do we have to rejoice over? At
 times we can think we have very little to rejoice
 over, but often, after meditating and praying,
 we can see there is much to rejoice in.

We hear in the Gospel, Jesus's response to
 the disciple of John the Baptists. Jesus says;
 the blind will see, the lame will walk, lepers are
 cleansed, the deaf will hear, and the dead are
 raised. We know the result of these miracles
 throughout scripture, Jesus performs them, and
 people are often told to keep it to themselves,
 but normally they cannot and end up rejoicing
 and conversing with others about who did it
 and why. Each of us can relate to these miracles
 in Scripture in that we all have something to
 rejoice over in our lives, whether its family,
 health, or simply a good day.

Think for a moment this week, what do I
 have to rejoice in? How can I use this time of
 rejoicing to look and see all of the things God
 has given me to rejoice over?

God Bless,
 Fr Matt Rawson

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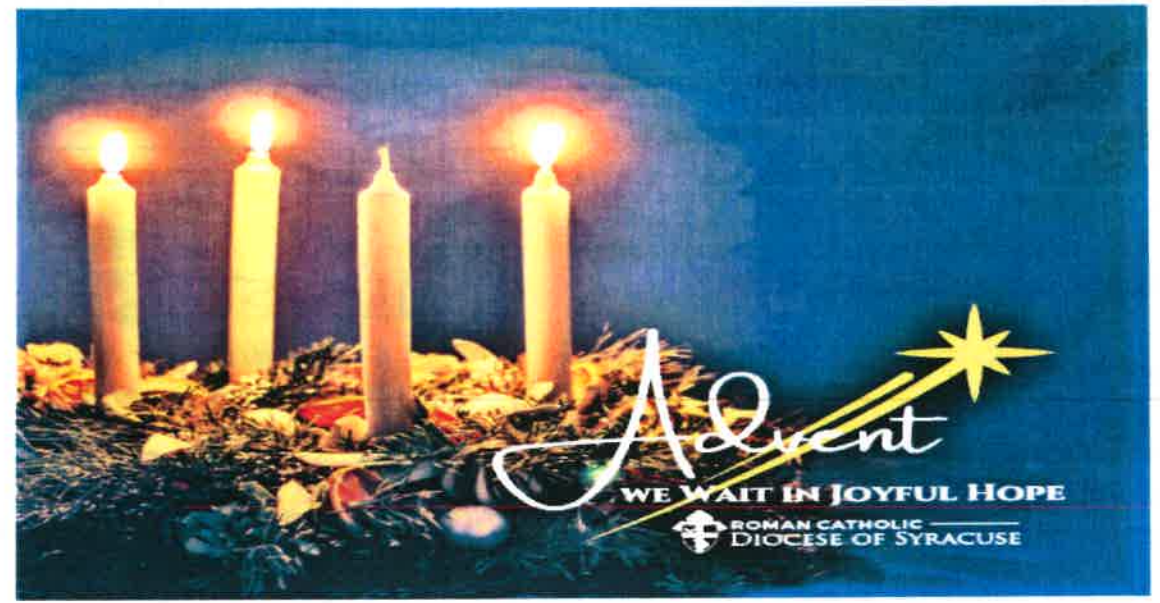
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Third Sunday of Advent
 Today's readings begin on pg. 864- Year A
December 11, 2022

Isaiah 35: 1-6a, 10
God himself will come to save us.
 Psalm 146: 6c-7,8-9a, 9b-10
Lord, come and save us.
 James 5: 7-10

Make your hearts firm, because the coming of the Lord is at hand.

Gospel Acclamation

*The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,
 because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor.*

Matthew 11: 2-11

Are you the one who is to come or should we look for another?

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