# Cathedral OF THE OPucarnation



# MASS SCHEDULE

### WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Friday 7:00 AM & 12:10 PM Monday - Thursday 5:30 PM UCat

# **WEEKEND MASSES**

Saturday 8:00 AM (First Saturday Only) 5:00 PM

Sunday 8:30 AM, 11:00 AM, 5:00 PM

# **CONFESSION**

Saturday 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

# **CONTACT US**

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# **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday – Thursday 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM Friday 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM Saturday - Sunday Closed

# **OUR CLERGY**

12TH BISHOP OF NASHVILLE Most Rev. J. Mark Spalding, J.C.L.

**PASTOR & RECTOR** 

Father Eric Fowlkes

**ASSOCIATE PASTOR** 

Father Anh Tuan Phan

**DEACONS** 

Joe Holzmer, Thales Finchum, Mark Faulkner







# **WELCOME!**

# We're glad you are here!

If you would like to join the parish or if you are not Catholic and would like to learn about the Faith or ask questions, please call the Parish Office at 615-327-2330. Or visit our website at www.cathedralnashville.org

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# This Week At Cathedral

December 3 - December 10

### **SATURDAY**

7:00 Cursillo Group in RM 303 & 304 **SUNDAY** 

Coffee & Donuts After Morning Masses

8:00 Rosary Before Mass Every Sunday

8:30 CLOW RE RM 104

4:00 CYA Book Club RM 202

6:00 Youth Group RM 304

**MONDAY** 

4:30 UCat Confession/Adoration

6:30 CYA Bible Study RM 305

7:00 Boy Scouts RM 304

**TUESDAY** 

10:30 Women's Prayer Group RM 301

4:30 **UCat Confession/Adoration** 

5:30 Legion of Mary RM 204

5:30 Cursillo RM 202 & 206

WEDNESDAY

4:30 UCat Confession/Adoration

**THURSDAY** 

4:30 UCat Confession/Adoration

7:00 RCIA RM 303 & 305

# MASS INTENTIONS

Mass Intentions may be obtained for loved ones, living or deceased, through the Parish Office with a suggested donation of \$10 per intention. Please email info@cathedralnashville.org.

SATURDAY, 12/3

† Kitty Higgins Brogden by Katherine & Pete DeLay 5:00 PM

SUNDAY, 12/4

† Mary & Adolf Lietz by Margaret Leslie 8:30 AM † Terry Hill by Patricia & Chris Casa Santa 11:00 AM

People of the Diocese 5:00 PM

MONDAY, 12/5

† Bemelo Negapatan by Polly Cajeras 7:00 AM

12:10 PM † Vincent Tran Tan Dot Jae & Julianna Maeng 5:30 PM

TUESDAY, 12/6

**RCIA Catechumens and Candidates** 7:00 AM

Deliverance/Healing -Residents & Family of St. Mary's 12:10 PM

Campus by Gale Wheaton

Isreal & Mariana Aparcana 5:30 PM

WEDNESDAY, 12/7

People of the Cathedral Parish 7:00 AM

† Geraldine Gallagher Crawford (29th Ann.) by Katherine & 12:10 PM

Pete DeLay

Celebrant Intention 5:30 PM

THURSDAY, 12/8

† Jean Mulhall by Rick & Jennifer Stevens 7:00 AM

People of the Diocese 12:10 PM

**University Catholic** 5:30 PM

FRIDAY, 12/9

† Brady Sheehan by Mary Jean Stevens 7:00 AM

Poor Souls in Purgatory by Margret Leslie 12:10 PM

SATURDAY, 12/10

† John & Mary Schwartz 80th Wedding Ann by the Kirschke-5:00 PM Schwartz Family

May the Souls of the Faithful Departed, through the Mercy of God, Rest in Peace. Amen

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### **Altar Servers Needed**

All rising 3rd graders who would like to be altar servers, please contact Deacon Joe and Pam Holzmer at holzmer5@att.net to schedule training.

# **Baptism Classes**

Baptism class is held the first Sunday of the month after the 8:30 Mass in St. Albert Hall, Room 303. No registration is required.

# **Cathedral Young Adults**

Join our drop-in, young adults group! Interested? Contact Claire Mathews (770-366-9228) or scan the QR code to join the Young Adults listserv.



## **Cathedral Youth Group**

Reminder to parents of high schoolers that High School Youth Group meets Sunday evenings 6:15 to 8:30 PM. All high school students are welcome to attend for food, faith, and fellowship. Contact Youth Group Coordinator Jorge Amaro at cyg@cathedralnashville.org.

# **Needed: Meals for Priests**

Our priests set aside one evening each week to dine together in the rectory. Show your appreciation for all they do by providing

dinner! Don't like to cook? Offer prayers for their protection and strength.

For more information or to sign up please call Shawn Curley at 615.497.1513 or email smcurley@comcast.net or scan the QR code!









Registered parishioners will receive a letter from Bishop Spalding about this campaign and how you can play an important part in our success. Please review the campaign material, pray about your response, and continue to spread the positive

message about this important effort! Our parish goal is \$2,123,970.

Continue to say the campaign prayer for Cathedral of the Incarnation's success and for your hard-working campaign volunteers who are giving of their time and hearts.

# Make plans to join us for our

# **RECTORY OPEN HOUSE**

Saturday, December 10th at 6pm Sunday, December 11th at 9:30am

Sunday, December 11th at 12pm

# **Our Christmas Poinsettias**

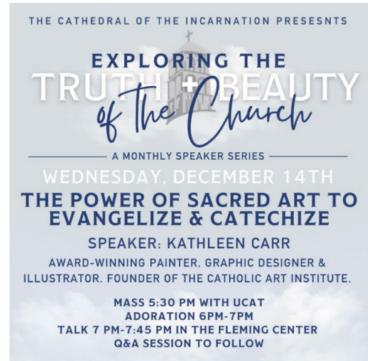
honor living loved ones or memorialize those who have gone before us. Please turn in you flower donation offering envelope or submit your request at

https://www.osvhub.com/cathedralnashville/giving/funds/flowers

It is appreciated for you to write your loved ones' names in the notes field, including "in memory of" or "in honor of."







The **Room in the Inn** has been updated for the Cathedral of the Incarnation! We host 20 men every Tuesday evening. We provide dinner, showers, a bed, breakfast and lunch. We need about 20 volunteers each week to make this a success. Please consider helping. We are in need of INNKEEPERS and DRIVERS. Please consider helping with these two very important roles. If you are interested, please contact the parish office at 615-3327-2330 or info@cathedralnashville.org.

Besides innkeepers and drivers, we need help with set up, providers of breakfast, lunch and dinner, and laundry assistance. To sign up, the link is here: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E054FA9A92B0-room

Or help by donating supplies! A gift list is available on the Amazon website where you can purchase items. These items will ship to the Cathedral of the Incarnation office. The list can be accessed here: https://www.amazon.com/registries/custom/21B0GFJ6L2DWW/guest-view

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# **Knights of Columbus Annual See's Candies Sale**

The Knights will be holding their 11th Annual See's Holiday Candies Sale again this year. Originally organized by Terry Hill in 2012, this fundraiser helps support the Knights' many community and service programs. Though our beloved Brother Knight Terry passed away this year, we look forward to continuing to honor his efforts and his legacy by keeping this tradition going.

He can send you a catalog. The Knights will also be selling candy between the Sunday masses in December. Selections at that time will be limited to milk, dark and mixed chocolates, as well as toffeeettes.

# The Cathedral Knights of Columbus, Council #544.

is looking for new members. If you are a practicing Catholic gentleman over 18 years old, we would be

interested in talking with you about joining our council.
Being a member of the Knights is a great way to become active in the parish, make lasting relationships, and do some good for our Cathedral



community. If you are interested in learning more contact Barney Zeng, Director of Membership, barneyzeng@sourcekeysolutions.com.

# Mary & Martha Women's Ministry

January 21st: Saturday Morning "Beat the Winter Blues" Retreat Guest Speaker: Father Eric Fowlkes

January 31st: Hosting Room In The Inn

February 19th: Mardi Gras Party Y'all

March: Sip & Paint (DTBD)

**Next Meeting:** Thursday, December 15th 6-7pm Room 202 St. Albert Hall

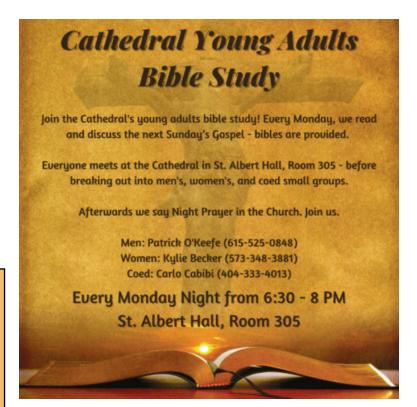
# Olive Wood Sale from the Holy Land

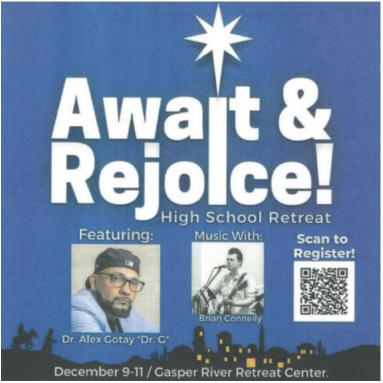
On the weekend of December 10th & 11th, Khader and Mary Abu Sada, a Catholic couple from the Holy Land, will be visiting our parish to market olive wood hand carved religious articles made by the Christian artisans in the Holy Land. With the hostilities worsening in the Holy Land and due to the lack of Christian pilgrims, the outlets for the olive wood hand carvings have been closed, leading unemployment to increase up to 75%, forcing many Christians to leave the Holy Land in order to find other ways to market their handiwork. But the absence of a living Christian community is very disastrous for the Holy sites, such as the Church of Nativity and the Church of the Holy Sepulcher.

This sale is to strengthen the Christian presence in the city of Bethlehem, the birthplace of Jesus, and the surrounding areas. All proceeds will go directly to the Christian families and the artisans who are working in this type of hand carvings.

They are going to display all kinds of olive wood religious art works such as Nativity scenes, Crucifixes, figures, rosaries, etc. which are unique and not usually found in religious stores. These crafts make wonderful presents for all occasions, especially for Christmas. Their price range is from \$5.00 to \$950. Checks and credit cards are welcome.

Please take the opportunity to check out these unique crafts and hopefully you will be able to assist our brothers and sisters in the Land of Jesus by purchasing some of these religious goods. Buying one piece will help prevent Christians from leaving the Holy Land.





Do you know someone interested in learning more and becoming a part of the Catholic Faith through RCIA?

Contact Kevin Raymond at: KFRaymond@cathedralnashville.org



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# OUR HAITI MISSION NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Haiti has been struggling for some time now with political unrest, inflation, & insecurity. This has caused an array of problems throughout the country, delaying the start of the school year, forcing businesses to close and leaving communities to deal with food and fuel shortages. Things are quickly going from bad to worse.



# YOU CAN DONATE NOW!

Help Father Simon feed the most vulnerable in our adopted Parish! If you feel called to do so, you can make a donation online by visiting our website or scanning the QR code below. You can also write a check to the Cathedral & put "Haiti-Humanitarian" in the memo line. Your donations will help us support our community while the country has been shut down. This will go to those that have been hit the hardest - people that have lost jobs, our college students stuck in Port au Prince, the elderly, the sick, the vulnerable and anyone else in need of assistance.





This situation has had a major impact on everyone living in Haiti. People are unable to get basic necessities, like food & water, which is causing a new set of complications. This is mainly due to the fact that transportation has been difficult because of gas shortages & roadblocks. It has caused many businesses to shutdown because they cannot get the supplies they need and that in turn has resulted in people losing their jobs or having disruptions in their income. Banks are also having trouble getting cash, so they are rarely open & even when they are, there are long lines & limits on how much money someone

These complications, among others, are the daily struggles the people in our community are facing. It is also having a major impact on our Business Program, forcing our businesses to close which affects both our employees & customers. We commend our business teams' nonstop efforts to find supplies in order to stay open & continue paying their employees. Our dental clinic has continued to operate as much as possible, but those opportunities are becoming greatly reduced. Even when the clinic is open, our staff is seeing fewer patients than normal due to people not wanting to get out as

can take out.

insecurity persists.

It also saddens us to know that the youth of Haiti are being robbed of receiving an education. The Ministry of Education has been forced to delay the start of school to protect student and teacher safety. But, we are ready to see students sitting at their desks, teachers writing on the chalkboard, food being served in the lunchroom & soccer being played on the fields at break. We, along with our community, are praying for some "normalcy" like this to come soon.

We have faith that God is doing incredible things in Haiti, despite the unrest & we are hopeful for positive change. We ask that you keep Haiti close to your heart in this difficult season.

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