DECEMBER 25, 2022 | THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD





### 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

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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



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### 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

### MASS INTENTIONS

PARISH STAFF **BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR** Mr. Ray Elder PARISH BOOKKEEPER Mrs. Madalene Houchin PARISH OFFICE COORDINATOR Ms. Marcie Curtis DIRECTOR OF FAITH FORMATION Mrs. Melissa Doyle DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY Mr. Jackson Schoos DIRECTOR OF RCIA Mr. Kevin F. Raymond NURSERY COODINATOR Mrs. Kelly Doyle YOUTH GROUP COORDINATOR Mr. Jorge Amaro WEDDINGS & EVENTS COORDINATOR Mrs. Sally Rada FACILITIES COORDINATOR Norma Camarillo UNIVERSITY CATHOLIC CHAPLAIN Fr. Rhodes Bolster www.universitycatholic.org

> This Week At Cathedral December 24 - December 31

**SATURDAY** 

### **SUNDAY**

### MONDAY

6:30 CYA Bible Study RM 305

### TUESDAY

10:30 Women's	Prayer	Group	RM	301
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- Legion of Mary RM 204 5:30
- Cursillo RM 202 & 206 5:30
- 6:00 RITI in the Fleming Center

### **WEDNESDAY**

### THURSDAY

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, 12/24

4:00 PM 4:00 PM 7:00 PM 10:00 PM	† Robert Nosal by Ed & Sally Stack (Fleming Center) People of the Cathedral Parish (Church) † Angelo & Ruth Rottero by Eleanor Gregory People of the Diocese
8:30 AM 11:00 AM	SUNDAY, 12/25 † Sara Nelson by the Beasley/Earthman Family Roy Manning by the Manning Family
7:00 AM 12:10 PM	MONDAY, 12/26 Frank Mulhall † Margaret & Teresa Morin by Family
7:00 AM 12:10 PM	TUESDAY, 12/27 Helen Davis Alexander by Jane Manning † Deceased Members of the Clarke Family
7:00 AM 12:10 PM	WEDNESDAY, 12/28 Frank Mulhall † Jean Marie & Ed Jenkins by Family
	THURSDAY, 12/29

- 7:00 AM † Deceased Members of the Landstaut & Black Families by Peggy Chance
- 12:10 PM † John Gorham, Sr. (2nd Ann.) by the Gorham Family

### FRIDAY, 12/30

- 7:00 AM Frank & Dorothy Davis by Jane Manning 12:10 PM
  - † Jean Mulhall by Rick & Jennifer Stevens

### SATURDAY, 12/31

<sup>†</sup> Mary Cisterna Schwartz by the Kirschke-Schwartz Family 5:00 PM

### 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 loe 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!



December 24th & 25th, 2022

Christmas Eve

4PM CHILDREN'S LITURGY IN THE CATHEDRAL 4PM QUIET MASS IN THE FLEMING CENTER 7PM VIGIL MASS 10PM "MIDNIGHT" MASS WITH BISHOP SPALDING (MUSIC PRELUDE BEGINS 9:30PM)



### ADDITIONAL **CATHEDRAL** PARKING

Vanderbilt University allows us to use their parking garage on the weekends to help alleviate overflow in our own upper and lower parking lots. If you



enter the parking garage from the Fleming Center / Main Office side of the campus, you'll find an open gate to enter.

We usually have many additional visitors for the Christmas holiday season so we are happy to be able to have the extra parking space to accommodate larger crowds.

The Cathedral of the Incarnation would like to extend its gratitude to Vanderbilt University for allowing us to use their parking facility to assist us!

### **Our Christmas Poinsettias**

Donations by: Mr. & Mrs. Paul Alexander, Cynthia & Joseph Bednar, Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Bednar, Mr. & Mrs. Reggie Bigord, Ms. Emily Brown Mr. & Mrs. Mike Chilando, Mike & Sharon Chilando, Elizabeth Earthman, Mr. Andrew Fitzgerald, Mr. & Mrs. Rhett Harris, Mr. & Mrs. Christopher Herndon, Mr. & Mrs. James Hunt, Sr., Mr. & Mrs. Patrick Nolan, Mr. Michael O'Connor, Dr. Jeremy Pantin & Ms. Tessa Best, Ms. Jennifer Pereira, Mr. & Mrs. Allen Pesavento, Mr. & Mrs. Kevin Spitz, Mr. & Mrs. Ed Stack

Mr. & Mrs. Rick Adams - In Memory: Deceased members of the Adams & Black family

Ms. Carolyn Baker - In Memory: Mr. & Mrs. Carney Baker, Jane Baker White, Mr. & Mrs. JJ Bianconi, Lawrence Bianconi Mr. & Mrs. Kevin Bishop – In Memory of: Daniel Bowen Bishop Mr. & Mrs. Calton Blacker - In Memory: Stephen & Catherine Descisciolo, Arlo & Avril Blacker

Linda Boggs - In Memory of deceased members of the Pfeifer, Boggs, and Mizikar families

Susan Brigance - In Memory: Jeff Brigance Mrs. Charles Brown - Charles W. Brown

Mr. & Mrs. Christopher Casa Santa - In Honor: Priests & Deacons -Cathedral, Alice Hill, Gary & John Lawrence

Mr. & Mrs. Christopher Casa Santa – In Memory: Charles & Marjory Hammond, Joe & Naomi Casa Santa

Ms. Maria Chuck - In Memory: Deceased Members of Bautista/Manzanof Family, Church/Cramer Family, Katherine Baler & Family

Mr. & Mrs. Ryan Clark – In memory: John & Betty Bibb, Warren & Marjorie Peterson, Charles & Evelyn Mabie



Don't forget! Our Cathedral Offices will be closed from Friday, December 23rd through Monday, January 2nd!



### Looking for a way to grow in holiness this New Year?

We weren't created to be comfortable and cozy and in control in this life – we were created to be on fire for Jesus Christ and to live a life of selfgiving for God and neighbor.

Knowing this to be true, here's an invitation to all the men of The Cathedral to consider the Exodus 90 program this coming 2023 new year. The program will begin on Jan 9, 2023 and end on Apr 9. Exodus 90 has been around for a few years after it was developed at Mount Saint Mary Seminary in Emmitsburg as a way to help seminarians to find the kind of freedom they needed to be able to pursue vocation to the priesthood, now it is offered to all Catholic men.

Essentially it is 90 days of prayer, fasting, and fraternity – and it's pretty heavy on the fasting or penance part. Zoom interest meetings will be held on Mon, Dec 19 at 7PM and Wed, Jan 4 at 7PM.

If you would like to register of either of those information sessions, email BarneyZeng@gmail.com. Also, here's a link with more information: www.Exodus90.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, January 19th 6-7pm Room 202 St. Albert Hall

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

Perhaps you might want to volunteer to be a sponsor and walk with someone through the process of RCIA?

There are any ways to volunteer!

Contact Kevin Raymond at: KFRaymond@cathedralnashville.org

### Start the New Year off by practicing Mindfulness Meditation and Self Care

Join us on Saturday January 7, 2023 for an Introduction to Mindfulness Day-Long Retreat 9am - 3pm at the Cathedral

Please bring lunch and a drink. Healthy snacks, water, and tea will be provided. You may also bring a meditation cushion and exercise mat. The cost is \$20 (\$15 for prior Introduction to Mindfulness participants). Please make your check out to the "Cathedral of the Incarnation."

> Respond to Melissa Doyle at: mdoyle@cathedralnashville.org

# \* ROOM

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. 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 615-327-2330 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

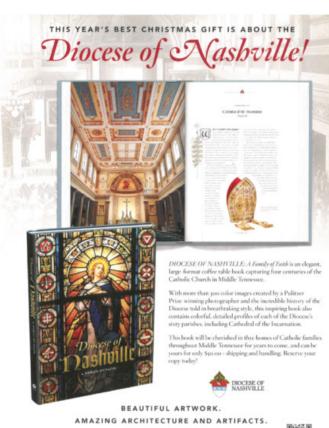
Thank you for supporting and helping this important ministry!



The Cathedral Nursery is going on hiatus after December 18 until further notice. Parents are invited to attend a meeting.

### Sunday, January 22 at 10am Room 304 / Saint Albert Hall

Parents are invited to attend so we can discern the level of interest in continuing to offer nursery service at the Cathedral on Sundays during 8:30am and 11am Mass.



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Inviting the Parish

Join the Mary & Martha Ministry for

A Morning Retreat with Fr. Eric



### Saturday, January 21st

### 8:30-11:00 am

St. Albert's Hall Room 305

Light breakfast available

RSVP: susan.brigance@vumc.org 615-406-5815





### CATHEDRAL ONGOING FAITH FORMATION

**Our Winter Study** January 15 - March 26, 2023 (Theme - Eucharistic Revival) https://watch.formed.org/lectio-eucharist-with-dr-brant-pitre

For Information or to Register, contact Melissa Doyle Purchase Study guides online/ in class Mdoyle@cathedralnashville.org Sundays 9:30am -10:45am 3rd floor St Albert Hall / Room 304

January 15 - session 1 January 22 - session 2 January 29 - session 3 February 5 - session 4

February 19- session 6 February 26 - session 7 March 5 - session 8 March 12 - session 9 February 12 - session 5 March 19 - session 10

March 26 - extra date for potential cancellations due to inclement winter weather



### негрнати 2022

#### SAINT JEAN BAPTISTE

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

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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 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 can take out.

can take out. 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' nonstan efforts to find supplies in

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

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

#### LA VALLÉE DE JACMEL . HAITI • 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! 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 peed of assistance and anyone else in need of assistance



### Some Pictures from our **Rectory Open House**









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