

ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Wednesdays at 7:45 PM Saturdays at 3:00 PM

Communal Confession with Individual Absolution

Friday, Dec. 14th at 7:00 PM

Masses at 5:00 PM Saturday; 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM Sunday

Dec. 1-2, Dec. 8-9, Dec. 15-16, Dec. 22-23

Immaculate Conception Friday, Dec. 7: Vigil Mass at St. Blasé at 7 PM
Saturday, Dec. 8 Mass at St. Martin at 9:30 AM

Christmas Eve Monday, Dec. 24: Vigil Masses at 5:00 PM and 10:00 PM
(No 9:30 AM Mass)

Christmas Day Tuesday, Dec. 25: Masses at 8:30 AM and 11:00 AM

Holy Family Sunday Dec. 29-30: Mass at 5:00 PM Saturday and
8:30 AM & 11:00 AM Sunday

New Year's Day Monday, Dec. 31: Vigil Mass at St. Blasé at 4 PM
Tuesday, Jan. 1, 2019 Mass at St. Martin at 9:30 AM only

Epiphany of the Lord Sunday Jan. 5-6, 2019: Mass at 5:00 PM Saturday;
8:30 AM & 11:00 AM Sunday

Dear Parishioners of St. Martin de Porres Parish,

It is my happy duty to greet you during the Advent and Christmas holidays and to invite you to our parish church services. Welcome home!

This has been a year of great sadness for our Church as we hear of more cases of sexual abuse by clergy and the cover-ups by Church officials. Such evil challenges our faith. Yet we have confidence that transparency, justice, forgiveness and healing will prevail.

As we carry on with faith in Jesus Christ, as we continue to stand together, and as we take refuge in the Sacraments, may the peace and joy of the season fill our hearts. We still will respond to the call to “Unleash the Gospel” through our faithful witness!

Enclosed is our schedule for the upcoming holy days in our Catholic tradition. We also have our schedule for Confessions (the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation). Please pray for us, pray with us and “come home” for Christmas!

God’s blessings to you and to your loved ones!

Fr. Nick Zukowski and the Staff of St. Martin de Porres Parish, Warren