

# ADVENT & CHRISTMAS SEASON SCHEDULE FOR 2017 For the Parishes of St. Joseph and Sacred Heart of Jesus

## Masses for the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Holyday of Obligation)

Thursday, December 7th ~ 6:30 p.m. Vigil Mass at St. Joseph
Friday, December 8th ~ 8:30 a.m. Mass (with children of both schools) at Sacred Heart
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#### Advent Penance Service & Rectory Open House

Wednesday, December 20, 2017 ~ 7:00 p.m.

St. Joseph Parish ~ Several Priests will be available for Confessions

Come to the Rectory afterwards!

#### CHRISTMAS EVE, MIDNIGHT, & CHRISTMAS DAY MASSES

#### Sacred Heart of Jesus

Saturday, December 23rd

No 4:30 p.m. Mass this evening

Sunday, December 24th

(Fourth Sunday of Advent)

Sunday December 24th, Christmas Eve

3:45 p.m. Children's Christmas Program

4:30 p.m. Christmas Eve Mass

10:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Mass

Monday, December 25th

10:30 a.m. Christmas Day Mass

#### St. Joseph

Saturday, December 23rd

8:30 a.m. Low Mass (Please note: this Mass <u>does not</u> count toward your Sunday

obligation)

8:30 a.m.

Sunday, December 24th (Fourth Sunday of Advent) 7:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Masses

Sunday, December 24th, Christmas Eve 7:00 p.m. Vigil Mass

Monday, December 25th, Christmas Day 8:30 a.m. Mass

Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph Sunday, December 31st ~ Regular Sunday Morning Masses at BOTH Parishes

## The Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God (not a Holyday of obligation this year.)

Monday, January 1, 2018

10:30 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart of Jesus

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

In addition to the Advent Penance Service and the regularly scheduled opportunities to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation, the following will also be available:

#### St. Juan Diego Deanery

Wednesday, December 6th

7:00 p.m. at Mansfield St. Mary's

Wednesday, December 13th

1:00 p.m. at Mansfield St. Mary's

Thursday, December 14th

6:00 p.m. at Willard St. Francis Xavier

Sunday, December 17th

3:00 p.m. at Most Pure Heart of Mary, Shelby

(Advent Parish Mission with Penance Svc. At 3 p.m.; Soup & Sandwich Supper at 5:00 p.m. & Scripture, Storytelling, Laughter & Praise with Fr. Jim Sichko. At 6:30 p.m.)

\*\*Wednesday, December 20th 7:00 p.m. at St. Joseph

(Rectory Open House afterwards with food and beverages)\*\*

### Elementary School Confessional Times

Sacred Heart ~ Wednesday, December 6th, 8:30 am (No Mass this morning)
St. Joseph ~ Friday, December 15th, 9:30 a.m. (Following the 8:30 a.m. Mass)

(Please note: There will not be a Holy Hour in December. The next Holy Hour will be Wednesday, January 3, 2018 at Sacred Heart Parish for Catholic Education)

