Christmas Liturgy Planning Meeting 2026

Christmas & New Year Liturgy Schedules

Saturday 19th December
6.30pm: Vigil Mass at Sacred Heart

Sunday 20th December – 4th Sunday of Advent
9.00am: Mass at St Joseph's
10.15am: Mass at Our Lady's
11.30am: Mass at Sacred Heart

Monday 21st December – Advent Feria
10.00am: Mass at St Pauls Polish Church (St Margaret Mary Community)
11am-12.30pm: All Parishes Altar Servers Practice + Buffet Lunch at St Joseph's

Tuesday 22nd December – Advent Feria
10.00am: Mass at Sacred Heart (Confessions at 9am)
11.30am: Mass at St Joseph's (Confessions at 11am)
1.30-2.30pm: Confessions at Our Lady's

Wednesday 23rd December – Advent Feria
A Day of Rest

Thursday 24th December - Christmas Eve
4.30pm: Christmas Eve Family Mass at St Joseph's (4pm Carols)
10.00pm: Christmas Night Mass at Our Lady's (9.30pm Carols)
12.00am: Christmas Midnight Mass at Sacred Heart (11.30pm Carols)

Friday 25th December - Christmas Day
9.00am: Mass at St Joseph's
10.15am: Mass at Our Lady's
11.30am: Mass at Sacred Heart

Saturday 26th December
6.30pm: Vigil Mass at Sacred Heart

Sunday 27th December – Feast of The Holy Family
9.00am: Mass at St Joseph's
10.15am: Mass at Our Lady's
11.30am: Mass at Sacred Heart

Monday 28th December – Feast of The Holy Innocents
No Mass

Liturgy Groups

- Stewards
- Musicians
- Readers
- Eucharistic Ministers
- Altar Servers
- Clergy
- Flowers

Christmas Eve Readings

4.30pm, 10pm & Midnight taken from 'At Mass during the Night'
Isaiah 9:2-7
Responsorial Psalm 96
Titus 2:11-14
Luke 2:1-14

Christmas Day Readings

9am, 10.15am & 11.30am taken from 'At the Mass at Dawn'
Isaiah 62:11-12
Responsorial Psalm 97
Titus 3:4-7
Luke 2:15-20

Tuesday 29th December – Feast of St Thomas à Becket

11.30am: Service of The Word & Holy Communion at St Joseph's

Wednesday 30th December – 6th Day with the Octave of Christmas

No Mass

Thursday 31st December - Mary, The Holy Mother of God (New Years Eve)

12.00am: Midnight Mass at Our Lady's (11am Holy Hour)

Friday 1st January - Mary, The Holy Mother of God (New Years Day)

11.00am: Mass at Sacred Heart

Saturday 2nd January

6.30pm: Vigil Mass at Sacred Heart

Sunday 3rd January – 2nd Sunday after Christmas

9.00am: Mass at St Joseph's

10.15am: Mass at Our Lady's

11.30am: Mass at Sacred Heart

Monday 4th January – Christmas Weekday before Epiphany

10.00am: Service of The Word & Holy Communion at St Pauls Polish Church (St Margaret Mary Community)

Tuesday 5th January – Christmas Weekday before Epiphany

11.30am: Service of The Word & Holy Communion at St Joseph's

Wednesday 6th January – Epiphany of The Lord

10.00am: Mass at St Joseph's

6.30pm: Mass at Our Lady's

Thursday 7th January – Thursday after The Epiphany

No Mass

Friday 8th January – Friday after The Epiphany

10.00am: Service of The Word & Holy Communion at Our Lady's (9am Holy Hour)

6.00pm: Service of The Word & Holy Communion at Sacred Heart (5.45pm Rosary)

Saturday 9th January onwards - returns to the regular schedule