

1 Christmas: Holy Family



Saint Timothy's Church

An Ordinariate Catholic Community

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Currently meeting at St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church
509 West Magnolia Ave ~ Fort Worth, Texas 76104



Solemn Mass ~ December 30, 2012

*The Mass setting is Missa de Sancta Maria Magdalena and is taken from
THE BOOK OF DIVINE WORSHIP*

Organ Prelude . . . Tomi Godbee

Asperges (stand)

Opening Hymn #109

Collect for Purity

Summary of the Law

Introit

Kyrie eleison

The Collect of the Day

The Lesson: 1 John 3:1-2.12-24

Beloved: See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God. And so we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we shall be has not yet been revealed. We do know that when it is revealed we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is. Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have confidence in God and receive from him whatever we ask, because we keep his commandments and do what pleases him. And his commandment is this: we should believe in the name of his Son, Jesus Christ, and love one another just as he commanded us. Those who keep his commandments remain in him, and he in them, and the way we know that he remains in us is from the Spirit he gave us.

Response: Thanks be to God.

Gradual & Alleluia

Gradual Hymn #90

The Gospel: Luke 2:41-52

Each year Jesus' parents went to Jerusalem for the feast of Passover, and when he was twelve years old, they went up according to festival custom. After they had completed its days, as they were returning, the boy Jesus remained behind in Jerusalem, but his parents did not know it. Thinking that he was in the caravan, they journeyed for a day and looked for him among their relatives and acquaintances, but not finding him, they returned to Jerusalem to look for him. After three days they found him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions, and all who heard him were astounded at his understanding and his answers. When his parents saw him, they were astonished, and his mother said to him, "Son, why have you done this to us? Your father and I have been looking for you with great anxiety." And he said to them, "Why were you

looking for me? Did you not know that I must be in my Father's house?" But they did not understand what he said to them. He went down with them and came to Nazareth, and was obedient to them; and his mother kept all these things in her heart. And Jesus advanced in wisdom and age and favor, before God and man. *Response:* Praise be to the O Christ.

Homily (*sit*)

The Nicene Creed (*stand*)

The Prayers of the People – Form VI Book of Divine Worship

Penitential Rite B - Book of Divine Worship

(Old General Confession and Comfortable Words)

Announcements: (*sit*)

Offertory Hymn #100

Penitential Rite B

Comfortable Words

The Liturgy of the Holy Eucharist (*kneel*)

Preparation of the Altar and gifts

Priest: Pray, brethren, that our Sacrifice may be acceptable to God, the Almighty father.

People: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at thy hands, for the praise and glory of His name, for our good and for the good of all His holy Church.

Sanctus and Benedictus qui vent

The Eucharistic Prayer: Roman Canon of the Mass

After the Words of Institution the *priest says:* The Mystery of Faith.

The People say: We proclaim Your death O Lord and Profess your Resurrection until You come again.

The Lord's Prayer

The Peace

Agnus Dei

Communion of the People (Note Communion Guidelines)

Communion Hymn #101

Thanksgiving after Communion

Blessing and Dismissal

The Last Gospel (*stand*)

The Angelus

Closing Hymn #96

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Guidelines for receiving Communion For Catholics

Our celebration today is a fully valid Catholic Mass. All Roman Catholics at this mass are permitted to receive Holy Communion if properly disposed. In order to be properly disposed to receive Communion, participants should not be conscious of grave sin and normally should have fasted for one hour. A person who is conscious of grave sin is not to receive the Body and Blood of our Lord without prior sacramental confession, except for a grave reason where there is no opportunity for confession. In this case, the person is to be mindful of the obligation to make a perfect act of contrition, including the intention of confessing as soon as possible (*Canon 916*). A frequent reception of the sacrament of penance is encouraged for all.

Guidelines for our fellow Christians

We welcome our fellow Christians to this celebration of the Eucharist as our brothers and sisters. We pray that our common baptism and the action of the Holy Spirit in the Eucharist will draw us closer to one another and begin to dispel the sad divisions which separate us. We pray that these will lessen and finally disappear, in keeping with Christ's prayer for us "that they may all be one" (*John 17:21*). Because Catholics believe that the celebration of the Eucharist is a sign of the reality of the oneness of faith, life, and worship, members of those churches with whom we are not yet fully united are ordinarily not admitted to Holy Communion. You are invited to proceed to the altar for a blessing if you wish.

HAPPY NEW YEAR! As we close our year, we must close our STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN. How we at St. Timothy's move forward in 2013 is largely dependent on the response we receive from our Campaign. If you have not yet made a pledge for next year, please contact treasurer Carol Christian to do so. Our of area "Friends" of St. Timothy's are encouraged to contact Carol as well. Blessings and best wishes for a Happy New Year to all our Parishioners and friends! There will be a Mass on New Year's Day here at St. Mary's at noon (English) and at 5 (Latin)

ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

Thank You to all who worked so hard to make our first Christmas in the Catholic Church such a beautiful and meaningful celebration! Special thanks to organist Tomi Godbee, the violinists and the choir who made the music so special.



NEW PRIEST FOR THE ORDINARIATE: Our prayers and best wishes are extended to our old friend, Fr. John Cornelius, who will be ordained a priest in the Catholic Church on January 26th. It's been a long road Father John, and we're very proud of you!

Two other St. Timothy's friends have entered the Catholic Church this month. Please pray for Father Christopher Guptill who has assisted us several times over the past few years, and Father Thomas Kennedy, one time curate at St. Timothy's (under Fr. Acker) and old friend to many here. They and their families are making a tremendous step in faith to enter the Catholic Church and we offer our prayers and any assistance we can to them at this exciting but challenging time.

PRAYER LIST FOR THE WEEK

Of your charity, pray for the Spiritual and Material Needs of this Congregation, for Kevin, our Bishop, for Jeffrey, our Ordinary, for the Clergy, for Christopher, our Priest, and for those who are:

Serving in the Armed Forces: Nicholas, Kirk, Rob, Jamey, Marianne, Jerry Don, Rollie, Everett, Richard, Stephanie, Terry, Charles, Patrick, Kevin, Trey, Nathan, Angel, Jr., Robert, Eric, Duree

With Child: Christine, Lindsey, Andrea, Elizabeth

III:

[Sun] Kenneth, Lola, Betsy, Melissa, Braylin, Casey, Eileen, James, Larry, Chris, JoAnn, Dub, Wendell, Ella, Virginia, Cheryl, Ben, Jennifer, Becky, Rick, Dominic, Travis, Scott, Alec, Carolyn

[Wed] Brian, Shar, Marion, Quita, Karen, Patrick, Brayden, Billie and Jimmy, Geraldine, Carol, Marshelle, Reginald, Jimmie, Jessica, Jim, Rebecca, Dewey, Judy, Brandon, Roald

In adversity or need of guidance: Shar, Vicky, Ryan, Julia, Kouba family, Keith Kelly, Donna, Shawn, Randy, Charles

Parish Personals:

Ken Gill has returned home from the Hospital and is recovering this week.

Lola Hankins has been moved to to room 423 at Harris Hospital downtown

Please keep both families in prayer.

Your Parish Council:

Ken Gill ~ President Mark Stewart ~ Vice President

Judy Grimada ♦ Steve Beard, Sr. ♦ Mike Langston

Larry Snider ♦ Jim Owens ♦ Azilee Stephenson ♦ Charles Warnky

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