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Year C **December 15, 2024**



Turn From Sin The crowds asked John the Baptist, "What should we do?" Luke 3:10 Among those within the crowds who were asking Saint John the Baptist this question Advent were tax collectors, soldiers and ordinary people. John gave an answer to them all,

first telling them to turn away from the sins that they struggled with the most. Sin takes on many forms and often is closely associated with our daily duties in life. Some sins are sins of commission, meaning sins we commit by an intentional act. Some sins are those of omission, meaning a lack of certain virtues or a failure to do what we ought to do.

After addressing the particular sins that those in the crowds were struggling with, John then turns their attention to Christ. He states to them that "one mightier than I is coming" and that "He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire." In other words, John was giving the people a twofold command. First, work to overcome sin. And second, turn your eyes to Him Who is coming to you. Repenting from sin is not enough. Once we repent, we must then fill the void within our souls with the presence of Christ.

Reflect, today, upon this twofold exhortation from John and apply it to your Advent preparations. Cleanse your soul in a special way from all sin this Advent. Then prayerfully ponder and meditate upon the reality we are preparing to celebrate. As John says, allow the Christ Child to truly "baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire" through your deepening devotion and prayer this Advent.

My dear Jesus, please help me to see my sins as You see them. Help me to be attentive to every sinful action I commit and even those smaller sins of omission. As I ponder my sin, please draw me to Your mercy and grace so that I can then open the eyes of my soul more deeply to see You and to adore You more completely this Advent. Jesus, I trust in You.

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Masses for the week:

Monday—Friday: 7:30am

Wednesday: 7:30am OLPH Novena Mass

6:30pm OLPH Novena Mass

7:45am OLPH Novena Mass **Saturday:**

4pm: anticipated Mass

7am, 8:30am, 10am, 11:30am, **Sunday:**

1pm (Spanish); 6pm

First Friday: 7:30am; 6:30pm Friday: 7:30am; 6pm

Confessions: Saturday 3:00—3:45pm

or by appointment

Rosary & Vespers:

Monday—Saturday

7:00am: Rosary &

Morning Prayer

Every Wednesday

5pm: Adoration

& Vespers; Benediction

6pm: Rosary

6:30pm: OLPH Novena Mass

Every Sunday

5pm: Adoration and Vespers; Benediction

6pm: Mass

Every Wednesday & Friday

Adoration after the 7:30am Mass until 6pm.

First Friday

Adoration after the 7:30am Mass; Vespers at 5:40pm, Benediction, rosary; Mass at 6:30pm

Baptism Preparation Class

Every 1st Monday of the month in English at 6pm. Every 2nd Monday of the month in Spanish at 6pm. Baptisms are on Sundays at 3pm. Please call the parish office to register.

Marriage preparation: Contact parish office 6 months before your anticipated wedding date.

Communion to the homebound: every **Sunday.** Contact the parish office.

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December 16-24, 2024 5:30am
Street parking will be available with no citations.

DATE	CELEBRANT	HOST GROUP
Monday Dec. 16	Fr. Augusto Villote	Daughters of St Joseph / Jessie Espino & Family
Tuesday Dec. 17	Fr. Roy Remo	Lan & Josie Yumul
Wednesday Dec. 18	Fr. Luello Palacpac	Brunswick Seniors
Thursday Dec. 19	Bishop Cabrera	Claire's Pastries
Friday Dec. 20	Fr. Manuel Igrobay	Knights of Columbus
Saturday Dec 21	Fr. Ronnie Custorio	Cacanindin Family
Sunday Dec. 22	Fr. Augusto Villote	Spanish Community
Monday Dec. 23	Fr. Ian Quito	Legion of Mary /
Tuesday Dec. 24	Fr. Augusto Villote	Marian Choir / Good News Choir

December 25 Christmas Day Mass schedule: 7am, 8:30am, 10am, 11:30am, 1pm (Spanish) 6pm Mass is cancelled

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Let us pray for the people of Holy Land, Ukraine, Russia, Turkey, Sudan, Syria, Israel, Iran, Lebanon & Palestine

SUNDAY COLLECTION Dec 8, 2024

This week's 2nd collection: AAA

Next week's 2nd collection: Church maintenance

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eign to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul."



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Please pray for the repose of the souls of:
Mariano Viray
Martina Pada
Edilberto Tolentino

Welcome to Our Lady of Perpetual Church

Are you registered?

If you worship with us every Sunday and are not registered, please fill out the form below to become official members of our parish. Being registered puts you on our mailing list; you may also receive Sunday Offertory envelopes to facilitate in recording your contributions for your tax records. Also, referral letters and recommendation to other agencies or parish are only given to registered parishioners.

Help us serve you better—register now!

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