WELCOME NEWCOMERS!

If this is the first time you have attended the Traditional Latin Mass, you may have noticed that our parishioners do not dress casually in the church. Since the changes in the Church, few parishes have any kind of dress code. Here, however, we still believe that modesty and appropriate attire are necessary, especially in Church out of reverence for the Blessed Sacrament. Please observe these minimum standards of dress for attendance at Church services:

- Women and girls must cover their heads. Chapel veils or mantillas are available for loan in the vestibule. They should also wear dresses or skirts that cover the knee completely when standing or sitting; slacks, shorts, sleeveless, tight or low cut clothing
- Men and boys should wear a suit coat and tie
- Jeans and other casual attire are inappropriate for attendance at Church services.
- Also, unless you have been attending the Latin Mass exclusively, you should refrain from receiving Holy Communion until you have had an opportunity to meet with Father.

We are always happy to see new faces at Mary Immaculate Queen Church and we look forward to seeing you again.

Bethlehem (selection from pp. 101-103)

by Father Faber

Earth seldom witnessed such a scene as Mary, and Joseph, and the Eternal Word, in the streets of Bethlehem at nightfall. The cold, early evening of winter was closing in. Mary and Joseph had striven in vain to get a lodging... Within Mary's Bosom was the Incarnate God Himself, the Eternal Word, the Maker and Sovereign of all in Bethlehem, the actual Judge of every passing soul that hour. But there was no room for them.

The village was occupied with other things, more important according to the world's estimate of what is important... Everyone was busy. This obscure group from Nazareth—that carpenter from Galilee, that youthful Mother, that hidden Word-there was no room for them. They did not even press for it with enough of complimentary importunity. It is not often that modesty is persuasive. A submissive demeanor is not an eloquent thing to the generality of men. If God does not make a noise in His own world, He is ignored. Here in Bethlehem is the true Caesar come, the Monarch of all the Roman Caesars, and there is no room for Him, no recognition of Him...

To all but its Creator the world makes no difficulty of at least a twofold hospitality—to be born and to die, to come into the world and to go out of it. Yet how did it treat Him in both these respects? He was driven among the animals and beasts of burden to be born... He was to be born outside the walls of Bethlehem, as He died outside the walls of Jerusalem... So far as men were concerned, it was as much as He could do to get born, and obtain a visible foothold on the earth. So He was not allowed to die a natural death... And all the while He was God!

MIO PARISH CALENDAR

Dec. 23	Decoration of the church
24	Vigil of Christmas; fast &
	abstinence.
27	Blessing of wine and/or
	fruit juice after each Mass
31	Holy Hour of adoration,
	thanksgiving, reparation &
	petition
Jan. 1	Feast of the Circumcision
	of Our Lord; holyday of
	obligation
2	Moon/Vincent wedding
5	Blessing of Epiphany
	water
6	Feast of the Epiphany of
	Our Lord
10	Holy Family Sunday;
	Parish Potluck for
	Christmas season

Raccolta Prayers

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O God, Thou art allpowerful, make me a saint. An indulgence of 500 days.

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O Virgin Mary, Mother of Jesus, make us saints. An indulgence of 300 days.

SACRAMENTS & DEVOTIONS SUNDAY LITURGY SCHEDULE

† 1st Sunday of month: High Mass - 9:00 a.m. • 2nd Sunday of month: Low Mass - 9:00 a.m. • 3rd Sunday of month: High Mass -9:00 a.m. Blessing of articles and of expectant mothers • 4th Sunday of month: Low Mass, Benediction

• 5th Sunday of month: Low Mass

CONFESSIONS

- **†** Saturday MIQ 7:30-7:50 am & SJS 4:00-4:30 pm
- ♦ Sunday 30 minutes before each Mass 2nd & 4th Sunday after 9:00 am Mass

SUNDAY DEVOTIONS and BENEDICTION

- 6:30 am & 8:30 am The Rosary and Devotions
- Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament 4th Sunday

THE ROSARY & OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS

† Tuesday at 5:00 p.m. @ SJS

FIRST FRIDAY

11:00 a.m. Mass and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

FIRST SATURDAY

7:00 a.m. First Saturday Rosary, Meditations, Benediction and Reposition followed by Mass

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