

Vocation Blurbs for Advent & Christmas Season, 2018-19 (Year C)

First Sunday of Advent - 12/2

Is there something on your mind this Advent? Have you ever thought God might be calling you to serve the Church out of love for all? Pray and think about it. For support with discerning, visit www.vocations-syracuse.org.

Second Sunday of Advent - 12/9

Today we hear the John the Baptist crying out, "Prepare the way of the Lord, and make straight his paths." What is the path that you might be traveling to proclaim Jesus as Lord? If you think you might have the possibility of a vocation contact (315)470-1468.

Third Sunday of Advent - 12/16

"Rejoice in the Lord always." Through prayer, our hearts and minds can be opened and we can truly rejoice with the Lord. Visit www.vocations-syracuse.org for information on discernment of a religious vocation.

Fourth Sunday of Advent - 12/23

"Behold I come to do your will." Twice that is mentioned in the second reading. How is God calling you to do his will? He may be inviting you to think about the priesthood, diaconate, brotherhood or sisterhood? If you think one of these might be for you contact (315)470-1468.

Feast of the Holy Family - 12/30

"After three days they found him in the temple." We all have at one time or another in our lives been separated from our parents, even the child Jesus was separated from His parents. They found him in His Father's house. What is God's will for you? If you think your child or someone you know has a vocation, tell them and pray for them. Look to Mary as Mother as the example on how to pray for someone's vocation or even yours.

Feast of Epiphany - 1/6

"They offered Him gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh." God has given us gifts many gifts. Some of the gifts that God has given us are; freedom, prayer, and love. Treat these gifts with great care. Follow that start and God will guide you just as He did with the Magi. Visit www.vocationssyracuse.org for information on discerning a vocation.

Feast of the Baptism of the Lord - 1/13

"Jesus also has been baptized and was praying." We too have been baptized in the same way Jesus was. The Holy Spirit works through the Sacraments use them to help deepen your relationship with Jesus. What are the two Sacraments of vocations? Answer, Marriage and Holy orders. Are you thinking about the Priesthood? Contact Fr. Joe O'Connor at (315)470-1468.