


Dec 20/21			Forth Sunday of Advent	
Dec 20	Sat	5:00 PM	People of the Parish	
Dec 21	Sun	8:00 AM	Mark Chambers : Women's Prayer Group	
		11:00 AM	June Schaad : Carl & Sue Perry	
Dec 22	Mon	9:00 AM		
Dec 23	Tues	6:00 PM		
Dec 24	Wed	5:00 PM	Family Mass	Sue Scott : Phil Scott & Family
		10:00 PM	Solemn Mass	Peggy & Richard Sell : Sell Family
Dec 25	Thurs	11:00 AM	Christmas Day	
Dec 26	Fri		<i>No Daily mass</i>	
Dec 27	Sat	5:00 PM	June Schaad : Carl & Sue Perry	
Dec 28	Sun	8:00 AM	Mark Chambers : Women's Prayer Group	
		11:00 AM	People of the Parish	

Please Pray for our:


Sick: Benjamin Roseland (Iowa), Geraldine McIntire, Barbara Schaad, Mary Vu, Francis Hayes, Patty Kincaid, Mathilde Hall

- Shut-ins:** G. Heintz, M. Hussion, J. Simons, H. Williams
- Military:** Jason Jordan, Jay Bonnette, Kendra Rauch, Steven Sprigg
- Priests:** 12/22: V. Rev. Timothy Shannon; 12/23: Rev. Martin Holler; 12/24: Rev. Thomas Vennitti; 12/25: Our Holy Father; 12/26: Rev. Shawn Roberson; 12/27: Rev. Virgil Reischman; 12/28: Msgr. Patrick Gaughan




27/28 Dec	LECTOR	EME	SERVERS	USHERS	GREETERS
5 PM	M. Boggs	M. Penco (1) S. Penco (2) P. Modie (3)	S. Anstatt V. Deleruyelle	J Wesson G. Windland	J. Johnson J. Turiczek
8 AM	W. Fontaine	M. Segrest (1) B. Hennen (2) L. Pierce (3)	M. Maxon D. Segrest	B. Jordan P. Yakob	C. Waller K. Waller
11 AM	M. Yanok	D. Hughes (1) S. LeFebvre (2) J. Ambrozy (3) K. Hannah (4) R. McDonald (5)	S. Davis T. Strahler	J. Rauch R. Strahler	C. Hannah T. Rollins

Advent Wreath Prayer
"God of wisdom, bless us with Mary's "yes" as we welcome Emmanuel into our hearts and homes."



Then light all four candles

Severe Weather Reminder




If winter weather should result in severe road conditions we will cancel events and mass when warranted. When events are cancelled there will be a banner running across our parish website with that information. You can find this at stambroseohio.org

Starting December 24th **Parish Offices will be closed** until Monday, Jan 5th. In case of an emergency do not leave a message on an office answering machine because it might days before anyone gets it. By an *emergency* we mean a death or someone seriously ill and in need of anointing. For those **ONLY**, use the emergency number [#5] on our phone directory that is reached through 740-423-7422

Thank you to everyone who bought gifts or donated money to help with our **Giving Tree project**. A special thank you goes to parishioners who retagged and delivered the presents. With everyone's help we were able to help ten families (10 adults and 22 children) and ten residents at a local nursing home. Over two hundred gifts were donated. In addition, many monetary donations were received and will be used to help with utilities and other needs this winter. All of the people were very thankful for the assistance given to them. May God bless you for sharing with others.

Thank you to everyone who made donations to the **Bucks for Botswana** project. The donations from this project totaled \$1829.57. This amount was in addition to the \$860.57 raised at the Vendor Fair. St. Ambrose Parish has now sent a total of \$2690.14 to be used for the needs of the children, hospice patients and schools in Botswana. The Sisters greatly appreciate all that the people of St. Ambrose are doing to help them in their ministry.

24/25 Dec	LECTOR	EME	SERVERS	USHERS	GREETERS
5 PM	C. Kubala	- -S. Anstatt (2) -L. Pierce (3) -			
10:00 PM	R. Rauch	-Y Powderly (5) - -	L. Finnie		K. Waller
11 AM		-B. Hennen(2) - -			

Date	Coming Events For the Parish	
24 Dec	Christmas Eve: Family Mass at 5:00 PM Solemn Mass at 10:00 PM	
25 Dec	Christmas Day: Mass at 11:00 AM	
24- 26 Dec	<i>Parish Offices are closed No 9:00 AM mass on the 26th</i>	
31 Dec	Solemnity of Mary HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION	Mass at 5:00 PM
01 Jan		Mass at 11:00 AM
29 Dec — 02 Jan	<i>Parish Offices are closed all this week. There will be mass during the week only for the Holy Day.</i>	
06 Jan	RCIA	
07 Jan	CWC Pro-Life Baby Shower 6:30 PM Bring an unwrapped baby gift Everyone welcome to attend.	
08 Jan	K of C meeting 7:00 PM	

People to Contact:

- **Parish Council *** Bob Rauch 525-7736
 - Facilities Bryan Hayes 525-7055
 - Religious Education Cheryl Hayes 525-3549
 - Youth Ministry Robin & John Ambrozy 423-5783
 - Retreat House Sr. Joan Marie 667-0100
 - Music Ministry Chris Purcell 667-3733
 - Julie Richards 304-916-0200
 - CWC Marsha Hutson 304-991-3636
 - K of C John Rauch 989-2327
 - Men's Club Kenley Schwendeman 749-0150
 - Prayer Line 423-7364 / 423-9784 / 315-5384 / 989-2928
 - Parish Partners Pat - 423-9784 Sue - 423-5260
- * **Council Members:** M Boggs; S. Deem; B. Hayes; C. Klingenberg; S. LeFebvre; S. Rauch; B. Rauch; C. Wilsbacher

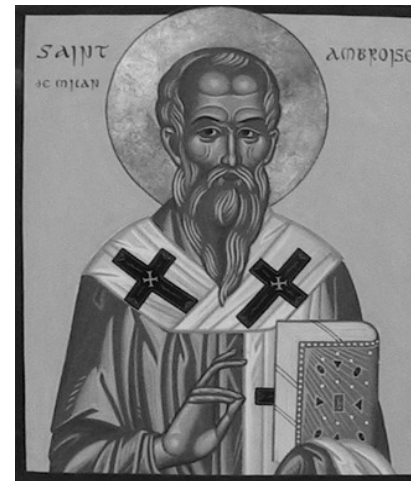


(See Luke 21-16)
**STAR LIGHT, STAR BRIGHT, FIRST
 OUTRAGEOUSLY BRIGHT, BLINDING,
 SUPERNATURALLY GIGANTIC STAR | SEE
 TONIGHT ...**

Your contributions for:
 Dec 13/14 \$ 2,877.05

St Ambrose Church

5080 School House Road, Little Hocking OH 45742



Mass: Saturday: 5:00 pm
 Sunday: 8:00 am
 11:00 am
 Mon/Wed/Fri: 9:00 am
 Tues & Wed: 6:00 pm
 Holy Days as announced in bulletin
Reconciliation:
 Saturdays 4:10 - 4:40 pm
 1st Sunday of month 7:10 - 7:40 am
 10:10 - 10:40 am



Pastor: Fr Bob Gallagher
Parish Offices: 740-423-7422
 For routine parish business or to inquire
 about renting Ambrose Hall, call week-
 days from 10:00 am - 1:00 pm, **except**
Thurs. when Parish offices are closed.
FAX: 740-423-4776
Web site: www.stambroseohio.org

Sacred Heart Retreat House:
 Contact Sr. Joan Marie 740-667-0100

Religious Education:

- Pre-K through 6th: Sundays 9:15-10:45
- Teens and Adults: as scheduled in bulletin
- RCIA: Tuesday at 7:00 pm
 Contact Cheryl Hayes 740-525-3549

Parish Council: usually 2nd Monday, 7:00
 Contact Bob Rauch (740) 525-7736

Marriage: See pastor 6 months prior
 for counseling
Baptism: Parents must attend class
 before scheduling
Funerals: Contact and clear with
 Parish Office before publishing info
Women's Prayer: [contact 423-7364]
Knights of Columbus: 1st Thursday
 of each month