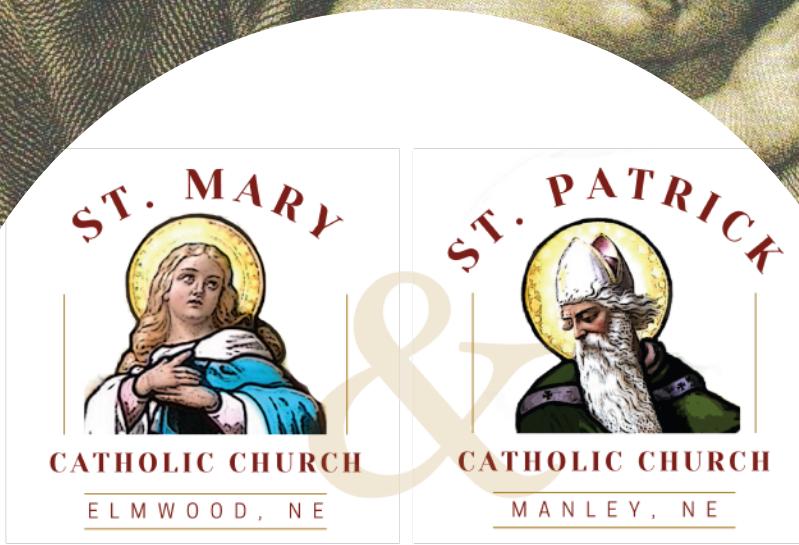


Sunday, December 28, 2025

# The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph



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**Sunday Mass:** 5:00PM Vigil at Manley, 9:00AM at Elmwood, 11:00AM at Manley\*

*\*Except the first Sunday of each month, 9:00AM at Manley, 11:00AM at Elmwood*

**Confessions:** Saturdays: 4:15-4:50PM, Sundays: 30 mins before each Mass as time allows

## THIS WEEK'S MASS SCHEDULE, INTENTIONS, & READINGS

Monday 12/29	No Mass	--	1 Jn 2:3-11/Lk 2:22-35
Tuesday 12/30	No Mass	--	1 Jn 2:12-17/Lk 2:36-40
<b>*Wednesday 12/31</b>	<b>5:30 PM (Elmwood)</b>	Howard Schutte	Nm 6:22-27/Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21
<b>*Thursday 1/1</b>	<b>9:00 AM (Manley)</b>	Special Intention	
	<b>5:30 PM (Manley)</b>	For the People	
Friday 1/2	8:00 AM (Manley)	Robert and Shirley Meyer	1 Jn 2:22-28/Jn 1:19-28
Saturday 1/3	5:00 PM (Manley)	Todd Konwinski & Marye Allison	1 Jn 2:29—3:6/Jn 1:29-34
Sunday 1/4	9:00 AM (Manley)	For the People	Is 60:1-6/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12
	11:00 AM (Elmwood)	Ruth and Richard Wassinger	

**\*HOLYDAY MASSES**

## Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

Holyday of Obligation  
Thurs., Jan. 1, 2026  
Vigil: 5:30pm (Elmwood)  
Jan 1st: 9:00am (Manley)  
5:30pm (Manley)



### ST. MARY'S POINSETTIAS

St Mary's parishioners are welcome to purchase a poinsettia for \$10. Please pay Diann Stille. Thank you!

### ST. MARY'S GIVING TREE DUE THIS WEEK

St. Mary's Altar Society invites you to choose an ornament from the giving tree to help support the St. Gianna Home and Immigrant Support Program through Catholic Social Services. Please return unwrapped items to the giving tree **by New Years Day**. May God bless you in your generosity!



**OUR PARISHES ARE GROWING!** We invite you to register as members! You can find forms in the back of church or at: [stpatrickmary.com](http://stpatrickmary.com).

**RECENT TITHING** St. Patrick & St. Mary parishes are sustained by the generosity of our parishioners. Thank you for your continued support!

*Check back in future bulletins for recent tithing information.*



Flocknote is our **MAIN** church to  
parishioner communication tool!  
Sign up at [stpatrickmary.com](http://stpatrickmary.com)



**VAST MEDIA LIBRARY OF AMAZING CATHOLIC CONTENT:** Our parishes have access to this robust Catholic media library at [formed.org](http://formed.org)! Choose St. Leo's Palmyra as the parish.

### Prayer for the New Year

*Heavenly Father, As we stand on the threshold of a new year, we come before You with hearts full of gratitude for the blessings of the past and hope for the future. We lift our voices in prayer, seeking Your divine presence and guidance in the days that lie ahead. Lord Jesus, we thank You for the gift of life and the countless blessings You have bestowed upon us. As we enter into this new year, we humbly ask for Your abundant grace to be upon us. Grant us the wisdom to make righteous choices, the strength to face challenges, and the courage to follow Your path. Heavenly Father, we pray for the precious gift of peace in our lives and in the world around us. May Your peace, which surpasses all understanding, guard our hearts and minds in Christ Jesus. Let Your calming presence be felt in our homes, communities, and nations. Bring reconciliation where there is discord, understanding where there is confusion, and unity where there is division. Lord, we also lift up our physical and mental well-being to You. In the name of Jesus, we ask for Your healing touch to rest upon those who are facing illnesses or challenges to their health. Strengthen their bodies, comfort their spirits, and grant them the assurance of Your love and care. May the year ahead be marked by a renewed sense of vitality and health. We entrust our plans, dreams, and aspirations for the coming year into Your hands, O Lord. May everything we do be guided by Your will and directed towards Your glory. Help us to be a source of love, compassion, and encouragement to those around us. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.*

**DINNER WITH THE SAINTS**  
WITH  
French Chef Lawrence de Villiers

*Save The Date*

SUNDAY, FEB 22, 2025  
5:30PM SOCIAL HOUR | 6:30 THREE-COURSE DINNER  
ST. MARY'S, ELMWOOD

DETAILS TO COME.  
ALL ST. MARY'S ADULTS ARE WARMLY INVITED

### EPIPHANY CELEBRATED NEXT SUNDAY, JANUARY 4

In the Catholic liturgical calendar, Epiphany is a feast celebrating the revelation of Jesus Christ to the world. It marks Jesus being made known as Savior not only to Israel but to all nations, especially through the visit of the Magi, who represent the Gentiles. Celebrated on January 6 or the nearest Sunday, Epiphany shows Jesus as King, God, and Savior for everyone.