

# Friday, November 30<sup>th</sup>



**Christ gave apostles, prophets, evangelists, pastors, and teachers in roles of service to build up the faithful for the body of Christ, till we become one in faith and in the knowledge of God's Son, and form that perfect man who is Christ come to full stature.**

## **Ephesians 4:11-13**

- 1. Are we, as a parish, one in faith?**
- 2. What can we do to reach this goal?**

# Saturday

## December 1<sup>st</sup>



**Lord, you love everyone and expect us to do the same.**

**Give us the faith to show our love to each member of our parish family.**

- 1. How do I show love?**
- 2. What will I do to show Christ's love to those parish members, I do not know?**

# Sunday

## December 2<sup>nd</sup>



**“Let us not grow tired of doing good for in due time we will reap our harvest if we don’t give up. So then, while we have the opportunity, let us do good to all, but especially to those in our parish family.**

**Galatians 6: 9-10**

- 1. How can I do good for my parish family?**

**Monday**

**December 3<sup>rd</sup>**



**Eucharistic Heart of Jesus,  
we pray that we all may be  
one in mind, heart, and will  
with You, the Father, and  
the Holy Spirit.**

**1. What does being one in mind,**

heart, and will mean to me?

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**Tuesday**

**December 4<sup>th</sup>**



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**“Sing joyfully to the Lord**

**all you lands;**

**Serve the Lord with gladness;**

**Come before him with joyful song.”**

**Psalm 100:2**

- 1. Is my heart singing to the Lord?**

2. In what ways can I share the Lord's gladness with others?

**Wednesday**

**December 5<sup>th</sup>**



**“I chose you from the world,  
to go and bear fruit that will  
last, says the Lord.”**

**John 15:16**

1. How does it feel that God chose me?

2. How can I share myself, proclaiming the goodness

of the Lord?

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**Thursday**

**December 6<sup>th</sup>**



**He said to the gardener, “For three years now I have come in search of fruit on this fig tree but I have found none. So cut it down. Why should it exhaust the soil?” He said to him in reply, ‘Sir, leave it for this year also and I shall cultivate the ground around it; It may bear fruit in the future, if not you can cut it down.....’**

**1. What am I doing to grow**

**Christ within me?**

**2. How, by my example, do I show Christ to others?**

## **Friday December 7<sup>th</sup>**

**“Rejoice in the Lord always.**

**Again I say rejoice:**

**Let everyone see how unselfish you are. The Lord is near. Dismiss all anxiety from your mind. Present your needs to God in every form of prayer and in petitions full of gratitude. Then God’s own peace, which is beyond all understanding will stand guard your heart and minds in Christ Jesus.”**



**Philippians 4:4-7**

**When we rejoice in the Lord we are renewed and revitalized as our unselfishness touches others and spreads JOY!**

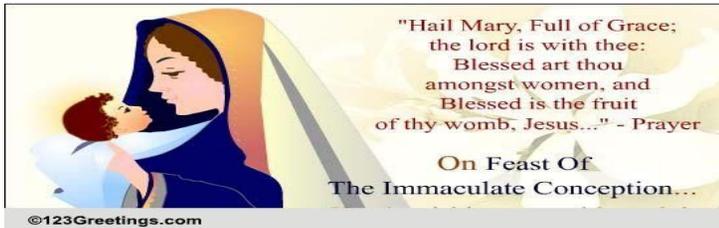
**1. What do I see in my faith, family and**

**future that can be transformed by  
living these words?**

**2. Will I trust in the Sacrament of  
Reconciliation to help overcome anxiety?**

**Saturday**

**December 8<sup>th</sup>**



**On this last day of our novena we  
celebrate the solemn feast of the  
Immaculate Conception. In Mary's  
own words let us reflect the glory  
and mercy of God.**

**My soul magnifies the Lord and my  
my spirit rejoices**

**in God my Savior**

**Because He has regarded the lowliness  
of his handmaid**

**For behold, henceforth, all generations  
shall call me blessed**

**Because He who is mighty has done  
great things for me,**

**and Holy is His name.**

- 1. What is my Magnificat to the Lord?  
What has He done and will do –  
for my faith, family and future?**