



SAINT WENCESLAUS

PARISH

FATHER CHINNAPPAN PELAVENDRAN
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SATURDAY MASS 4PM
SUNDAY MASS 10AM

We Welcome New Parishioners!

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Pastor Chinnappan Pelavendran

www.sacredheart-stwenceslaus.org

Mass Schedule

St. Wenceslaus

Saturday 4 pm	<u>Sacred Heart</u>
Sunday 10 am	Sunday 8 am
Mon.-Fri. 8 am	Friday 9 am
First Friday 8 am	First Friday 9:30 am

Rosary

Saturday 3:40 pm	Sunday 7:40 am
Sunday 9:40 am	

Confessions

Saturday 3:00-3:45 pm Sunday 7:30 am
Tuesday-Friday by appointment

First Friday Adoration 8:30am, Benediction @ 4:00pm

Sacrament of Baptism: Contact Father Chinna for preparation classes for parents; also recommended for new Godparents.

Sacrament of Marriage: Contact Father Chinna not less than 6 months in advance of the wedding date.

Anointing of the Sick, Communion, Home

Visits: To schedule a Tuesday visit, or at other times, please call or text Father @ 608-304-6516

Upcoming Events:

Wed. Dec. 31st, 4pm Mass

Thurs. Jan. 1, 10am Mass, Holy Mary Mother of God

First Friday Jan. 2nd, Adoration 8:30am with Benediction at 4pm

Sat. Jan. 3rd, after 4pm Mass, Soup supper in hall

December 28, 2025

Feast of Holy Family, Jesus, Mary and Joseph



From the Pastor's Desk

As the beautiful light of Christmas continues to shine upon us, I find myself sitting in quiet prayer, reflecting on the wonderful family we have here at our parish. This time of year always reminds me that a church is not just a building made of stone, but a living community built with the love and faith of people like you.

I want to express my deepest thanks to all our volunteers and helpers. Whether you helped decorate the sanctuary, served in the liturgy, or worked quietly behind the scenes, please know that your efforts do not go unnoticed. You are so gentle and humble in the way you care for our church. Your dedication makes our parish a true home for everyone who enters.

I also want to thank you personally for the overwhelming love you have shown me. Your thoughtful gifts, Christmas cards, and warm words during this season—and throughout the entire year—have been a great source of strength for me. It is a blessing to serve as your Pastor, and I am deeply moved by your generosity.

As we reflect on the year that is passing, let us thank the Lord for every blessing He has given us. Even in difficult times, His grace has sustained us. As we stand on the doorstep of a New Year, I pray that God fills your homes with peace and your hearts with hope.

To encourage you as we move forward, I share these words from **Numbers 6:24-26:** "The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you; the Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace." May the coming year bring you and your families great joy and every good thing. Happy New Year to you all!

With prayers and blessings,

Mass Intentions

Saturday, Dec. 27 4 pm for the Health of George C. (B.M.)

Sunday, Dec. 28 **The Holy Family, 8am @ Sacred Heart** for Deceased of the parish
 10am @ St. Wenceslaus for Penny and the Health of Loyde B. (L&J)

Monday, Dec. 29 8 am for Phil W. (S.K.)

Tuesday, Dec. 30 8 am for the †Repose of the Soul of Simon Kramer

Wednesday, Dec. 31 **Vigil of Holy Mary Mother of God**, 4 pm for the Health of Carol W. (S.K.)

Thursday, Jan. 1 **Holy Mary Mother of God, 8 am @ Sacred Heart** for Intentions of the parish
 10 am @ St. Wenceslaus for Intentions of Father Chinna (R.W.)

Friday, Jan. 2 8 am for Irene H. (S.K.)
 9 am @ Sacred Heart for Intentions of the parish

Saturday, Jan. 3 4 pm Brothers & spouses of Bernard & Maxine Wall (G.H.)

Sunday, Jan. 4 **The Epiphany of the Lord, 8 am @ Sacred Heart** for Deceased of the parish
 10 am @ St. Wenceslaus for †Deceased of Ronnfeldt & O'Brien family

Thank you to our Mass servers. We appreciate your time & service to our Lord. We invite all children to serve. God, grant healing and peace to the sick of our communities and those who have requested our prayers.

Liturgical Roles

Sat. December 27, 4pm **Lector:** Donnie **Ushers:** Loyde & Mike

Sun. December 28, 10am Lector: Greg Ushers: Curtis

Wed. Dec. 31st 4 pm **Volunteer Lector and Usher needed**

Thurs. Jan 1st, 10am Holy Mary Mother of God, **Lector:** Jane Usher: Lonnie

Sat. January 3, 2026 , 4pm Lector: Rita Ushers: Art & Ron

Sun. January 4, 10am Lector: Donnie Ushers: Dennis & Paul

Parish Support

St. Wenceslaus—Dec. 21 2025 Adult \$1113.00, Plate \$442.00, Votive \$50.00, Retired Religious \$20.00, Flowers \$30.52, Donation \$150.00

Sacred Heart—Dec. 21, 2025 Adult \$435.00, Youth \$11.00, Basket \$34.00, Religious Retirement \$117.00



Annual Appeal 2025-2026 Fueling Missions of Hope, Goal \$14,460.00

“As the Father has sent me, so I send you.” John 20:21

Thank you for your generous donations, \$8,205.00 has been received from 24 donors.

100% of the amount over our goal will be returned to the parish.



4th Soup and salad supper Saturday Jan. 3rd after 4 pm Mass. Come join us after Saturday 4pm mass for an array of soups, sandwiches and desserts. PCCW Ladies Group numbers 1 & 3 are in charge of this event.

Bingo will follow.



Lector and usher schedules for January – April 5, 2026 will be located in the back of the church.

Please pick up your envelopes from the back of the church. If you do not currently receive envelopes and would like to, please contact the office. Calendars are available and the new issue of Catholic Life. <https://catholiclife.diolc.org>

Also there are Christmas bulletins with pictures of the children's Nativity and altar servers with Father.

Year End Contributions for 2025 -To be included on your 2025 contribution statement, parish contributions need to be received by the last collection of the year, December 28th.

If you haven't done so already, consider getting your Diocesan Annual Appeal contribution in as a 2025 contribution.

Diocesan Annual Appeal portal for online giving: <https://diolc.org/donate-online/>



Christmas Flowers, To honor a loved one with flowers for the Christmas Mass season, place an envelope with your donation in the collection basket. Please clearly print their name on the envelope and we will publish the names in the bulletin. There are envelopes on a table in back of the church. Thank you.

Flower donations received in memory of: Mark Martin, Art & Ruth Martin, Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Jelinek, Mr. & Mrs. Lyle Lester, Mr. & Mrs. Edward Selch, Bridget Achenbach, Grandpa L., Leonard & Mike Check, Mullankey & Prew families; Ronald & Margaret Ritchie; Karen & Greg J. Fisher, Tom & Florence Fisher, Carolyn Fisher, Bernard & Norene Joy, Dave Joy, LeRoy Trautsch;



In Memory of our loved ones who have entered into eternal rest:

"Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

The Blessing of the Home on Epiphany:

The Solemnity of the Epiphany will fall on Saturday, January 4th in 2026.

Epiphany Blessing of the Home-Jan 4th "The first Epiphany was the visit of the Magi to adore the Christ Child.

Marking doorways with chalk is a witness of faith. Use the chalk to mark above the main door, and over all exterior doors.

(20+C+M+B+26)

- Numerals to consecrate the New Year 2026
- Initials to remind us of the Magi names-Caspar, Melchoir and Balthasar, and to represent the Latin motto: Christus Mansionem benedicat (May Christ bless this house.)
- Four crosses to represent the four seasons.

If you would like your home blessed for the Epiphany of the Lord call or text Father Chinna.

From the Office of Sacred Worship, Director: Christopher Carstens

Sacred Heart of Jesus and St. Wenceslaus combined website <http://www.sacredheart-stwenceslaus.org>



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Mass Times



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