



A FAMILY OF
Faith

**December Parent Advisory Session
December 6, 2020 – St. Ann**

Agenda

Advent Devotionals with Katie Dyer and Brittany Bergeron

The Jesse Tree with Joanne Walter

The Incarnation

The Immaculate Conception

December Overview including St. Ann Live Nativity with Laura Mutchler



Road to Bethlehem with Katie Dyer

- [Formed.org](https://www.formed.org) – Like Netflix for Catholics!
 - St. Ann Parish Code: GBTE4P- Use our Parish Code to set up your own log-in and access for free. Our parish subscription is available to everyone at St. Ann thanks to the generosity of one of our Parish Families.
 - [Click here](#) to sign up for Road to Bethlehem links via email.
1. Search Brother Francis Advent videos on Formed for great content for your family. Here is a [link](#) to preview on YouTube.



Advent... What Are You Waiting For?



[Busted Halo: Advent in 2 Minutes](#)



Celebrate with the Advent Wreath by Brittany Bergeron



[Link to Advent Wreath Craft Ideas from Catholic Icing](#)



The Jesse Tree

with Joanne Walters

<https://www.catholicicing.com/how-to-draw-jesse-tree/>

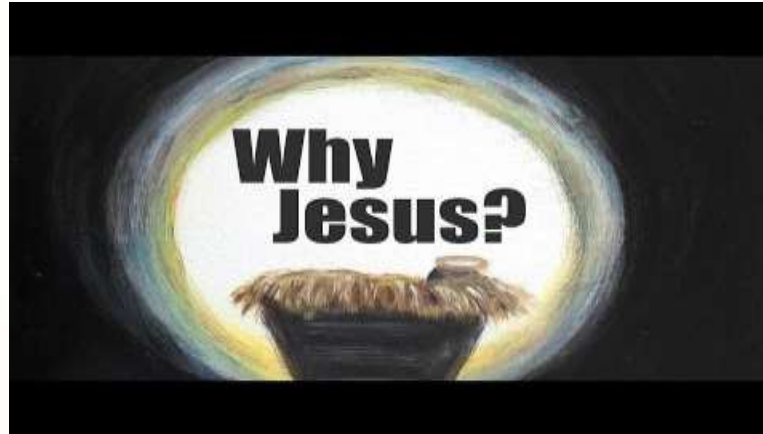
<https://www.faithward.org/jesse-tree/printable-jesse-tree-ornaments/>

<http://www.catholicinspired.com/2015/11/printable-jesse-tree-ornaments-free-and.html>



Jesus Christ and the Incarnation

[Why did Jesus Come?](#) Breaking the Habit Video



Jesus came to earth to be the
bridge between us and God.



[Christmas According to Kids Video](#)... Cuteness Overload!!!



Feast of the
Immaculate Conception
Evening Masses at St. Ann

Vigil Mass, Monday, December 7, 6:30 pm
Tuesday, December 8, 6:30 pm
This is a Holy Day of Obligation.



Mary was Immaculately Conceived –
Free from Original Sin.

Mary is the New Eve
and the New Ark of the Covenant.

[Brother Francis on Mary](#) on FORMED



Attend:
St. Ann Live Nativity
6529 Stage Road
Saturday December 12, 2020
6:00 PM -9:00 PM

***Enter Drive-Through from Charles
Bryan Road near Chapel***



Volunteer:

St. Ann Live Nativity

6529 Stage Road

Saturday December 12, 2020

5:30 PM -9:00 PM

Safe social distancing will be enforced.

[Sign Up Here](#) (copy and paste link if needed)



The Live Nativity at St. Ann Catholic Church needs *your* help! This drive thru event will be a wonderful way to spread the story of Christ's birth and celebrate as a family of faith! Our Living Nativity will have "scenes" depicting the Annunciation, the census decree by Caesar Augustus, the journey to Bethlehem and beyond. It will be set up in the front church parking lot facing Stage Rd.

NO lines to memorize, just a silent and moving depiction of the journey to the birth of our Lord.

Costumes *WILL* be provided (unless of course you want to bring your own).

All you have to do is show up with a happy heart!



We are encouraging families to volunteer for the Live Nativity together! Since households are already in the same COVID bubble, having a family in each separate scene will provide ideal distancing.

We will rotate actors in and out in 30-minute shifts so no one gets too cold and kids do not get too tired.

Participants will park in the back parking lot behind St. Ann Church and meet in the St. Ann Youth Gym at 5:30 PM. You will check in and assigned a role, shown to your costumes, and get dressed. Parents will be required to help their young children dress and set up.

Families should provide food and drinks for your own group. During rotation breaks, we will have Christmas movies playing and families can warm up and have socially distanced snack/dinner time in the Youth Gym.

We also need help setting up and cleaning up too!



Laura Mutchler is our
Live Nativity director.

Contact Laura if you would like more
information or would like to volunteer:

615-554-0825

stannlivingnativity2020@gmail.com



December Family of Faith

- December 6: Second Sunday of Advent, Purple
[Feast of St. Nicholas](#) (link to animated video by Ms. Kathy)
PASS (Parent Advisory Session Sunday)
- December 8: Feast of the Immaculate Conception
- December 12: Live Nativity at St. Ann
- December 13: Third Sunday of Advent, Rose
Family Reunion Group
- December 20: Fourth Sunday of Advent, Purple
- December 25: Feast of the Nativity* – Christmas (*See Next Slide for RSVP Link)
- December 26: Feast of St. Stephen



RESERVATIONS FOR CHRISTMAS MASSES

This Christmas, to allow for health and safety compliance during the pandemic, Masses at St. Ann are by reservation.

[Click here](#) for more information and to reserve spots for your family. Or call the Parish Office at 373-6011.

