ANNOUNCEMENTS

December 28, 2025

Here are our announcements for today:

- 1. God bless and thank you to those of you who prayed the Jubilee Holy Rosary of Hope. For those of you interested in doing another week, the prayers to Pope Leo may gain up to 3000 Rosaries from St. Callistus. Thank you!
- Our first 9 Simbang Gabi Masses leading to Christmas was no small task. I expressly thank those who diligently attended, and especially those who worked in the background for the Mass liturgy & other preparation, as well as for the food and refreshments the 1st and 9th evening.
- 3. Due to the New Year holiday, the Rectory office will be closed Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 31 and January 1, respectively.
- 4. If you didn't get a 2026 Calendar after Christmas Mass, you may pick one up today, if still available. Please only take 1 per household.
- Speaking of calendar, mark your calendars for the Thursday, January 1,
 9am and 7pm Masses for the Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God. It's a Holy Day of Obligation.
- 6. Air fresheners were installed in the walls of the church. Pls do not touch them or even try to invert them upside down. Each bottle of freshener costs \$7. If you don't like the scent/smell, you can possibly wear a mask or seat no closer to the freshener. Thank you.

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- 7. Also, next Saturday is 1st Saturday, January 3 so we'll have Anointing of the Sick/Healing Mass at 9am followed by Adoration through 12pm. The Fellowship Prayer Group will lead prayers from 11am thru 11:45am.
- 8. Please note that the Jubilee Prayer of Hope prayer recitation ends after Sunday, January 4, at St. Callistus.
- 9. On Saturday, Jan. 10, after the 5:30 pm Vigil Mass, St. Calllistus will celebrate the Feast of the Child Jesus, also known as Sto. Niño, in our Parish Hall. There will be a Sinulog dance presentation there after Mass.
- 10. Sunday, January 11 at 2:00 pm is our St. Calistus' turn to host a Deanery-led Tagalog Mass. All are welcome!
- 11. On Saturday, January 17 at **11am**, we will celebrate the Feast of Jesus of Nazarene Mass. This event is another rich tradition that began in the Philippines.
- 12. Merry Christmas & Happy New Year, everyone!
- 13. A big THANK YOU to Ignatius & Christina Young our Altar Floral Sponsors this weekend. We still welcome sponsors for other weekends. The forms are at the back of the pews or may be downloaded at saintcallistus.org home page.

Thank you to the Choir, Lectors, Eucharistic Minister, Mass Coordinator, <u>Altar Servers</u>, Ushers and Greeters and the Loft Team. And thank you all for your attendance.

Please stand for the St. Callistus Prayer.