



Newsletter December 2025 & January 2026
Mission Priest: Father Boguslaw

The Holy Father's Prayer Intentions:

December 2025

For Christians in Areas of Conflict -

“Let us pray that Christians living in areas of war or conflict, especially in the Middle East, might be seeds of peace, reconciliation and hope.”

January 2026

For prayer with the Word of God -

“Let us pray that praying with the Word of God be nourishment for our lives and a source of hope in our communities, helping us to build a more fraternal and missionary Church.”

Coffee Sunday

Sunday, 7th December – Coffee Sunday gathering in the cafeteria after the 11:15 Mass. Please join us for a fun get together to celebrate the spirit of the Christmas Season. We are expecting a special visitor for the children present.



Sunday, 25th January – New Year 2026, Coffee Sunday gathering after 11:15 Mass. All are welcome to join us!

Advent Confessions – Friday, 19th December

Confessions will be heard in the Crypt of St. Antons Church from 5:30pm to 7:00pm by Father Boguslaw and one other visiting priest.

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Music Rehearsals – Every Sunday morning 10:00-11:00am either in the Kegelbahn or in the Crypt of St.Anton. Please do come along if you wish to play an instrument or sing.

Preparation for the Christmas Eve Family Mass

We plan to have the "Nativity play" during the Christmas Eve Mass, at 7:00pm on the 24th December 2025. The Gospel story of Jesus' birth will be enacted by children from our Mission.

We would love to continue the tradition of the re-enactment, by the ESCM children, of the Nativity, to be presented at the Christmas Vigil Mass. A couple of rehearsals will be necessary and then a last run-through on Christmas Eve just before the Mass.



If interested please contact, the organizer **Ngozi Napolis**: napolis@bluewin.ch
Thank you!

Collections for the month of December 2025

6th to 14th Dec – For the works and needs of our Mission community.

20th + 21st Dec – For Fr Robert's Institute for Deaf and Dumb children, Lebanon.

24th to 28th Dec – For the Children's Hospital in Bethlehem.

Collections for the month of January 2026

1st to 4th Jan – For the works and needs of our Mission community.

10th to 18th Jan – For Fr Robert's Institute for Deaf and Dumb children, Lebanon.

24th + 25th Jan – For the works and needs of our Mission community.

31st Jan – For Caritas Zürich, collection towards "Caritas Week".

Collection totals for the month of September 2025

6th, 7th & 20th, 21st Sep – For the works and needs of ESCM – **CHF 3401.80**

13th, 14th & 27th, 28th Sep – For "iThembalethu outreach Project – **CHF 5981.1**



Mass Schedule

December 2025

06.Dec	Sat	6:00pm	Holy Mass - 2 nd Advent
07.Dec	Sun	11:15am	Holy Mass - 2 nd Advent
08.Dec	Mon	6:00pm	Holy Mass - Immaculate Conception (Crypt)
13.Dec	Sat	6:00pm	Holy Mass - 3 rd Advent
14.Dec	Sun	11:15am	Holy Mass - 3 rd Advent
19.Dec	Fri	5:30 - 7:00pm	Advent Confession (Crypt)
20.Dec	Sat	6:00pm	Holy Mass - 4 th Advent
21.Dec	Sun	11:15am	Holy Mass - 4 th Advent
24. Dec	Wed	7:00pm	Christmas Vigil Holy Mass - Solemnity
25. Dec	Thur	11:15am	Christmas Day Holy Mass - Solemnity
26. Dec	Fri	11:15am	Holy Mass - Feast of St. Stephen
27.Dec	Sat	6:00pm	Holy Mass - Feast of Holy Family
28.Dec	Sun	11:15am	Holy Mass - Feast of Holy Family

January 2026

1. Jan	Thur	11:15am	Holy Mass - Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
3. Jan	Sat	6:00pm	Holy Mass - Feast of Epiphany
4. Jan	Sun	11:15am	Holy Mass - Feast of Epiphany
10. Jan	Sat	6:00pm	Holy Mass - Feast of the Baptism of the Lord
11. Jan	Sun	11:15am	Holy Mass - Feast of the Baptism of the Lord
17.Jan	Sat	6:00pm	Holy Mass - 2 nd week OT
18.Jan	Sun	11:15am	Holy Mass - 2 nd week OT
24.Jan	Sat	6:00pm	Holy Mass - 3 rd week OT
25.Jan	Sun	11:15am	Holy Mass - 3 rd week OT
31.Jan	Sat	6:00pm	Holy Mass - 4 th week OT

**All services are celebrated in St. Anton's RC Church,
Minervastrasse, Zürich**

ESCM Secretary's office hours: Monday-Friday – 8:30-11:30 + 13:30-16:30
(Thursday afternoon closed)