

# TOTSUKA CATHOLIC CHURCH NEWSLETTER

## JAPANESE MASS SCHEDULE FOR DECEMBER 2025

Please wear your district name tag inside the Church always.

Wearing face masks inside the Church depends on one's discretion.

<u>Saturday Mass (Anticipated)</u>	<u>4:00 PM</u>	December	6 <sup>th</sup>	13 <sup>th</sup>	20 <sup>th</sup>	27 <sup>th</sup>
<u>Sunday Mass</u>	<u>10:30 AM</u>	December	7 <sup>th</sup>	14 <sup>th</sup>	21 <sup>st</sup>	28 <sup>th</sup>

\*On **December 6<sup>th</sup> (Sat)** at **2:00 PM** there will be a **joint Christmas Mass** at Totsuka YMCA.

### Mass Schedules:

\* Weekday masses are held daily from Tuesday to Thursday at 9:30 AM **except on Fridays (10:00 AM)**.

\* The Saturday Mass (Anticipated) is at 4:00 PM and the Sunday Mass is at 10:30 AM.

\* Advent Season starts on November 30<sup>th</sup> (Sun) and ends on Christmas Eve December 24<sup>th</sup> (Wed).

\*The **First Friday Mass** is on December 5<sup>th</sup> (Fri) at 10:00 AM.

\* **Below are the dates and time of the masses for Christmas Eve, Christmas Day and New Year's Day.**

Christmas Eve Mass	December 24 <sup>th</sup> (Wed)	4:30 PM (Harajuku Church)	7:00 PM (Totsuka Church)
Christmas Day	December 25 <sup>th</sup> (Thu)	8:45 AM (Harajuku Church)	10:30 AM (Totsuka Church)
New Year's Day	January 1 <sup>st</sup> (Thu)	11:00 AM (Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God) (Totsuka Church)	

Please attend the masses on the church which are convenient for you on the above dates.

\* There will be an **English mass** on December 28<sup>th</sup> (Sun).

\* There will be **no Midnight Mass** on December 31<sup>st</sup> (Wed).

### Important announcements from the Church

\* **Prayer before the Mass:** For this month, we will pray the ADVENT PRAYER.

\* Meeting for elementary, junior high and senior high students will be on December 7<sup>th</sup> (Sun) at 9:00 AM.

\* Church's Monthly Recreation Gathering will be on December 7<sup>th</sup> (Sun) after the Sunday Mass.

\* Church Council Meeting is on December 13<sup>th</sup> (Sat) from 10:00 AM to 12 noon.

\* Sunday School will be on December 14<sup>th</sup> (Sun) at 9:00 AM.

\* There will be a get-together after the Anticipated Mass on December 20<sup>th</sup> (Sat) and the mass on December 21<sup>st</sup> (Sun).

\* **Agricultural Products from Fukushima** will be sold on December 28<sup>th</sup> (Sun) from 9:30 AM until 12 noon.

\* Cleaning of the Church will be on December 13<sup>th</sup> (Sat), 14<sup>th</sup> (Sun), 27<sup>th</sup> (Sat) and 28<sup>th</sup> (Sun).



**The Totsuka Catholic Church wishes all its Parishioners a Blessed Christmas!**