# HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

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#### FROM: <u>YOUCAT</u> <u>Youth Catechism of the Catholic Church</u> The Ten Commandments

The Sixth Commandment: You shall not commit adultery.

415. What is the Church's judgment on homosexuality? God created man as male and female and destined them for each other in a bodily way as well. The Church accepts without reservation those who experience homosexual feelings. They (persons who experience homosexual feelings) should not be unjustly discriminated against because of that. At the same time, the Church declares that all homosexual relations in any form are contrary to the order of creation. [2358-2359] 65

416. What are the essential elements of a Christian marriage?

- (1) Unity: Marriage is a covenant that by its very nature brings about bodily, intellectual, and spiritual union between a man and a woman;
- (2) Indissolubility: Marriage lasts "until death do us part";
- (3) Openness to offspring: Every marriage must be open to children;
- (4) Commitment to the spouse's welfare. [2360-2361, 2397-2398]

If one of the two spouses deliberately excludes one of the four points listed above at the time of their wedding, the Sacrament of Matrimony does not take place. 64, 400

### Wishing you all, the parishioners

### A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR FILLED WITH LOVE AND PEACE!

### Fr. Joseph Sultana, Deacon Patrick Chang and Staff

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#### MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday: December 26: 5:00 pm +Salvador Arcangel V +Fructouso & Adela Arroyo +Emelda & Fred Balasingham +Valerie & Jackie Rodrigues +Celia Rosary In Thanksgiving of Aceron-Vasquez Family In Thanksgiving of Cecilia Romilla In Thanksgiving of Velma & Patrick Gonsalves In Thanksgiving of Ranee & Anton Perera 55th Wedding Anniversary of Naomi and Ivor Patterson

### Sunday December 27:

- 9:00 am Deceased Members of Seeley and Schembri Families
- 10:30 am Intention of Levi Peter & Family
- 12:00 pm Pro Populo

#### Monday December 28:

9:00 am +Phenix Agustine Pan & Maria Bui

#### **Tuesday December 29:**

9:00 am +Leopoldo Vila

### Wednesday December 30:

7:30 pm Deceased Members of Aceron and Vasquez Family

#### **Thursday December 31:**

9:00 am Celebrant's Intention5:00 pm Celebrant's Intention

#### Friday January 1, 2016:

9:00 am	Celebrant's Intention
10:30 am	Celebrant's Intention
12:00 pm	Celebrant's Intention

#### Saturday January 2, 2016:

9:00 am Celebrant's Intention

NO ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT on Friday January 1, 2016

And the effect of righteousness will be peace [internal and external], and the result of righteousness will be quietness and confident trust forever. - Isaiah 32:17