

# CHRISTMAS 2023 TELEVISION SCHEDULE

EASTERN	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	PACIFIC
MIDNIGHT	Daily Mass (Encore)	Sunday Mass (Encore)	Daily Mass (Encore)				Daily Mass (Encore)	9:00 PM
12:30 AM								9:30 PM
1:00 AM	Father Spitzer's Universe	EWTN Cinema	The Journey Home (Encore)	Mother Angelica Live Classics	EWTN Live (Encore)	The World Over Live (Encore)	EWTN News In Depth	10:00 PM
1:30 AM								
2:00 AM	EWTN Presents	EWTN News Nightly						11:00 PM
2:30 AM		EWTN Gallery						11:30 PM
3:00 AM	EWTN Live (Encore)	EWTN Religious Catalogue	Catholic Compass	Papal Audience	Life on the Rock	Defending Life	Battle Ready	MIDNIGHT
3:30 AM		My Lourdes Faith Journey			At Home with Jim and Joy			
4:00 AM	Sunday Best With Fr. Groeschel	The Heresies	Lamb's Supper	Reflections w/ Fr. Leo Clifford	Bob & Penny Lord	The Gospel of Life vs. The Culture of Death	Savoring Our Faith	1:00 AM
4:30 AM	Holy Rosary from Lourdes							1:30 AM
5:00 AM	Stones and Pearls	EWTN Bookmark	Philosopher's Bench	Dominican Sisters of Mary	Living Right with Dr. Ray	Fr. Cedric Pisegna, C.P.	From the Heart with Mother	2:00 AM
5:30 AM	Aid to the Church in Need	Catholic View for Women	Life is Worth Living	Walsingham Stories			Faith and Life	Catholics Come Home
6:00 AM	Angelus with Pope Francis	EWTN Original Productions						3:00 AM
6:30 AM	Icons	Great Books Every Catholic Should Know	Church and the Poor	Explore with the Miracle Hunter	Saints vs. Scoundrels	The Choices We Face	EWTN Religious Catalogue	3:30 AM
7:00 AM	Chaplet of St. Michael				Stations of the Cross		Chaplet of St. Michael	4:00 AM
7:30 AM	The Holy Land Rosary							4:30 AM
7:50 AM	Litany of the Most Blessed Sacrament	Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary	Litany of the Most Holy Name of Jesus	Litany of St. Joseph	The Litany of the Most Precious Blood of Jesus	The Litany of the Sacred Heart	Litany of the Divine Child	4:50 AM
8:00 AM	Sunday Mass (Live)	Daily Mass						5:00 AM
8:30 AM								5:30 AM
9:00 AM		Living Divine Mercy	The Doctors of the Church	They Might Be Saints	Liturgy of the Hours for Lay People	The Quest	My Lourdes Faith Journey	6:00 AM
9:30 AM	Fr. Cedric Pisegna, C.P.	Sunday Best with Fr. Groeschel	Living Right with Dr. Ray	Scripture and Tradition with Fr. Mitch Pacwa	EWTN Live (Encore)	The World Over Live (Encore)	Lukas Storyteller	6:30 AM
10:00 AM	EWTN Bookmark	EWTN Religious Catalogue					Roamin' Catholic	7:00 AM
10:30 AM	Pro-Life Weekly	Mother Angelica Live Classics			From the Heart with Mother Angelica	EWTN Catholic Classics	We Are Catholic	7:30 AM
11:00 AM	EWTN News In Depth			Catholic Sphere	At Home with Jim and Joy	At Home with Jim and Joy	8:00 AM	
11:30 AM		The Rise and Fall of Ancient Israel	Way to Follow Jesus - Gospel of Mark	Advent Reflections	Answering the Questions of Jesus	Matthew's Testimony of Jesus	Bob and Penny Lord Present	8:30 AM
12:00 PM	Sunday Mass (Encore)	Daily Mass (Encore)						9:00 AM
12:30 PM								9:30 AM
1:00 PM	Women of Grace				Women of Grace	EWTN Religious Catalogue	10:00 AM	
1:30 PM	In Concert	At Home with Jim and Joy	EWTN Pro-Life Weekly	At Home with Jim and Joy		How to Pray for your Sons & Daughters	Dominican Sisters of Mercy	10:30 AM
2:00 PM		Called to Communion with Dr. David Anders	Scripture and Tradition with Fr. Mitch Pacwa	Father Spitzer's Universe	The Journey Home (Encore)	Life on the Rock	EWTN Presents	11:00 AM
2:30 PM	G.K. Chesterton				Stations of the Cross			11:30 AM
3:00 PM	Chaplet of Divine Mercy							12:00 PM
3:15 PM	Live Adoration from EWTN Chapel							12:15 PM
3:30 PM	Holy Rosary from Lourdes	The Holy Rosary with Mother Angelica					Holy Rosary from Lourdes	12:30 PM
3:45 PM								12:45 PM
4:00 PM	Vaticano	Lucy and Friends	My Time with Jesus	ABCATHOLIC	Massterpiece Donut Shop	The Divine Mercy Chaplet for Kids	Called to Communion with Dr. David Anders	1:00 PM
4:30 PM	Savoring Our Faith	Massterpiece Donut Shop	Lukas Storyteller	Truth in the Heart	Cat Chat	Lucy and Friends		1:30 PM
5:00 PM	Sunday Vespers with Benediction	EWTN Bookmark	The Choices We Face	EWTN Religious Catalogue	The Quest	Doctors of the Church	Grab Your Catechism with Fr. Connor	2:00 PM
5:30 PM	Sunday Best with Fr. Groeschel	EWTN Gallery					Lamb's Supper	2:30 PM
6:00 PM	Great Books Every Catholic Should Know	EWTN News Nightly					Explore with the Miracle Hunter	3:00 PM
6:30 PM	Saints vs. Scoundrels	Life is Worth Living	I Forgive	Living Divine Mercy	Vaticano	Liturgy of the Hours for Lay People	The Gospel of Life vs The Culture of Death	3:30 PM
7:00 PM	Sunday Mass (Encore)	Daily Mass (Encore)						4:00 PM
7:30 PM								4:30 PM
8:00 PM		The Journey Home (Live)	Mother Angelica Live Classics	EWTN Live	The World Over (Live)	EWTN News In Depth	EWTN Cinema	5:00 PM
8:30 PM	Catholics Come Home							5:30 PM
9:00 PM	Life on the Rock	EWTN News Nightly						6:00 PM
9:30 PM	The Holy Rosary with Mother Angelica							6:30 PM
10:00 PM	Catholic Compass	The World Over (Encore)	Scripture and Tradition with Fr. Mitch Pacwa	Father Spitzer's Universe (Encore)	EWTN Pro-Life Weekly	Life on the Rock	Living Right with Dr. Ray	7:00 PM
10:30 PM					Catholic Sphere	Icons		7:30 PM
11:00 PM	Advent Reflections	Women of Grace				Women of Grace	Web of Faith 2.0	8:00 PM
11:30 PM	I Forgive	Real Life Catholic	Cross Training	Crossing the Goal	Battle Ready	Long Ride Home	EWTN Bookmark	8:30 PM

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# Christmas '23

## PROGRAMMING HIGHLIGHTS



### Live Events

#### SOLEMN MASS OF CHRISTMAS EVE IN ROME

Join EWTN for one of the most glorious liturgies of the year! Pope Francis celebrates the Solemnity of the Birth of Our Lord, live from St. Peter's Basilica in Rome. **December 24, 1:30 PM; December 25, 4:00 AM. (2 hrs.)**

#### CHORAL MEDITATIONS ON THE NATIVITY

The Nativity of Jesus is brought to life in this series of choral meditations, live from the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C. **December 24, 10:00 PM. (30 mins.)**



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#### MIDNIGHT MASS FROM THE HOLY LAND

Experience one of the most beautifully sanctifying services of the Christmas season as we celebrate Midnight Mass from the Holy Land, live from the Church of Saint Catherine of Alexandria. **December 25, 1:00 AM. (2 hrs. 45 mins.)**

#### URBI ET ORBI: MESSAGE AND BLESSING

Every year, the faithful wait with anticipation for the Holy Father's important message for Rome and the world. EWTN provides live coverage of Pope Francis' annual Urbi et Orbi address. **December 25, 6:00 AM, 3:00 PM, 11:30 PM; December 31, 5:00 PM. (30 mins.)**

#### SOLEMN MASS OF CHRISTMAS

From Our Lady of the Angels Chapel in Irondale, Alabama, join with the Franciscan Missionaries of the Eternal Word as they celebrate Our Savior's Birth with this Solemn Christmas Mass. **December 25, 8:00 AM, 6:30 PM; December 26, 12:00 AM. (90 mins.)**

#### SOLEMN MASS OF CHRISTMAS DAY

From the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C., EWTN celebrates the Birth of Our Lord Jesus Christ with this Solemn Mass of Christmas. **December 25, 12:00 PM. (90 mins.)**

#### VESPERS OF THANKSGIVING (VESPERS AND TE DEUM)

From St. Peter's Basilica in Rome, the Holy Father presides over First Vespers and Te Deum in thanksgiving for the past year. **December 31, 1:30 PM. (90 mins.)**

### Christmas Specials

#### BLESSED CHRISTMAS

Discover this joyous celebration of the Christmas season. Jesus brings us eternal life. Through Him we are transformed into new creations. **December 17, 9:30 AM; December 22, 6:30 PM. (30 mins.)**



#### SAVORING OUR FAITH Christmas

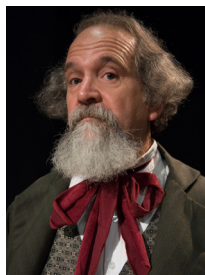
Christmas is a joyful time filled with spiritual messages and delicious family meals. Father Leo Patalinghug helps sate our appetites, while explaining the gift we're really hungry for this season. **December 17, 4:30 PM; December 23, 4:00 AM. (30 mins.) DVD**

*All times Eastern*



## KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS, A CATHOLICS COME HOME SPECIAL PRESENTATION

In this special episode of Catholics Come Home, go behind the scenes to witness the creative and complex efforts of a group of Catholics combatting the secular war on Christmas. **December 17, 8:30 PM; December 19, 11:30 AM. (30 mins.)**



### RECLAIMING THE CAROL

A heartwarming tale about a stage manager caught up in the commercialization of Christmas, who discovers the true meaning of the day

when visited by the spirit of Charles Dickens. **December 18, 3:30 AM; December 24, 8:30 PM. (60 mins.) DVD**

### CHRISTOPHER CLASSIC CHRISTMAS

Christophers' founder Father James Keller joins Snooky Lanson, June Valli, Mario Lanza, Rosalind Russell and Danny Thomas for a celebration of the Christmas season. **December 20, 2:30 AM; December 26, 2:30 AM; December 27, 11:30 PM. (30 mins.)**

### RESPIRE AT CHRISTMAS

During the height of World War II, at the urging of a widowed mother, American and German soldiers set aside their differences to celebrate Christmas. Based on a true story. **December 20, 11:30 PM; December 21, 6:30 AM. (30 mins.) DVD**



### AN EWTN HOLY LAND EXPERIENCE *Christmas*

Journey to the Holy Land this Christmas with Fr. Joseph and Fr. Mark to explore the cities and sites

associated with Jesus' birth, when "...the Word became flesh and dwelt among us..." John 1:14. **December 21, 11:30 PM; December 25, 9:00 PM. (30 mins.) DVD**

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## THE CHURCH AND THE POOR: CARIBBEAN CHRISTMAS

Join with the Missionaries of the Poor as they celebrate Jesus' birth with a Caribbean flavor in music and song.

**December 25, 9:30 AM; December 26, 11:30 PM; December 27, 6:00 AM; December 29, 10:30 AM. (30 mins.)**

### *Mother Angelica Christmas Programs*



### A CHRISTMAS MESSAGE

In this important teaching lesson, Mother Angelica reflects on the meaning of Christmas as she shares how God's Word became flesh in Baby Jesus, showing us the value of life.

**December 18, 10:30 AM. (60 mins.) DVD**

### WHAT WILL YOU GIVE CHRIST FOR CHRISTMAS

The wisdom of Mother Angelica lives on as she asks Catholics to remember not only Jesus, but His Mother Mary as well, when deciding what gifts to give this Christmas. **December 19, 10:30 AM. (60 mins.) DVD**

### MOTHER ANGELICA ON CHRISTMAS

In an ever-increasing secularized world, Mother Angelica encourages us to study the Nativity story to help remind us of Christmas' true meaning. **December 20, 10:30 AM. (60 mins.) DVD**

### A LITTLE CHILD SHALL LEAD THEM

Mother Angelica reflects on the Divino Niño, emphasizing how important children are in Scripture. **December 25, 10:30 AM. (60 mins.) DVD**

### WHAT IS YOUR SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS

Mother Angelica shares how the true spirit of Christmas is the joy that comes from understanding the meaning of the Incarnation. **December 26, 10:30 AM. (60 mins.)**

## *Christmas Music*



### IN CONCERT: IN DULCI JUBILO

British trumpeter Alison Balsom puts on a Christmas extravaganza filled with festive favorites from Nuremberg, Germany.

**December 17, 6:00 PM; December 22, 2:30 AM. (60 mins.)**

### CHRISTMAS MATINS FROM BAVARIA

Experience the sights and sounds of the Nativity in this musical special featuring the singing Seminarians of Wigratzbad, Germany from the historic 12th-century St. Magnus Abbey. **December 17, 11:30 PM. (30 mins.)**

### IN CONCERT: CHRISTMAS IN VIENNA

In this annual traditional Christmas concert featuring the Vienna Symphonic Orchestra, a group of international vocalists, including the world-famous Vienna Boys' Choir, performs Christmas songs from around the world.

**December 18, 5:30 AM; December 23, 8:00 PM. (90 mins.)**



### CHRISTMAS IN HARVARD SQUARE: THE BOYS OF ST. PAUL'S CHOIR SCHOOL

The Boys of St. Paul's Choir School make their international recording debut in this Christmas performance featuring both traditional and contemporary sacred arrangements. **December 18, 11:30 AM; December 25, 6:00 PM. (30 mins.)**

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## AMAHL AND THE NIGHT VISITORS

The selfless act of Amahl, a poor crippled boy, is rewarded by a miracle from the Christ Child in this charming Christmas story performed by Detroit's Motor City Lyric Opera.

**December 21, 3:30 PM. (60 mins.)**



## THE EWTN FAMILY CHRISTMAS SPECIAL

Fr. Joseph and the EWTN Chapel Choir present a Christmas Concert as a gift to EWTN's viewers, from the beautiful Retreat Center Chapel on the grounds of the Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Hanceville, AL.

**December 24, 6:00 PM; December 26, 5:00 AM. (60 mins.) DVD**

## THE WORD IS BORN: CHRISTMAS WITH THE LOUISVILLE CHORUS

Join in this musical celebration of Christmas favorites as the Louisville Chorus performs in the historic St. Martin of Tours Church, one of the oldest antebellum structures in the city.

**December 25, 12:30 AM; December 26, 5:30 PM. (30 mins.)**

### Children's Specials

## THE FRIAR Christmas Special

Father John teaches his friends about preparing their hearts for Christ's coming.

**December 19, 4:45 PM; December 23, 9:45 AM. (30 mins.)**

## ADVENTURE CATECHISM What Is Advent? What Is the Christmas Season?

Children learn about the Advent season, and when Christmas really begins. This delightfully animated special shows why we celebrate Jesus, and why on Christmas we're just getting started.

**December 19, 4:30 PM; December 23, 9:30 AM. (15 mins.) DVD**

## LUKAS STORYTELLER Christmas Special – The True Meaning of Christmas

Children are so excited about Christmas gifts that they have forgotten the true meaning of the season. Lukas and Noah explain how the birth of God's Son must change our hearts. **December 20, 4:00 PM; December 23, 10:00 AM. (30 mins.) DVD**

## SAINTS AND HEROES Nicholas, the Boy Who Became Santa

The heartwarming story of a boy who discovers the love of Jesus and the joy of giving; when Nicholas grows up to become Santa Claus, his generosity changes the world. **December 22, 4:00 PM; December 26, 4:30 PM. (30 mins.) DVD**



## WE ARE CATHOLIC Christmas Special

In this family special, the town of Saint Claire prepares to celebrate Christmas by ordering a huge Christmas tree. But a helicopter delivering it gets diverted for a rescue mission.

**December 23, 10:30 AM; December 28, 4:00 PM. (30 mins.) DVD**



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### 48 HOURS OF CHRISTMAS!

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### PROGRAMMING BLOCKS

**Want to find even more shows that interest you? Take a look at EWTN's new Programming Blocks! Topics for Christmas include:**

**Sacred Scripture Programming**  
Monday - Friday at 11:30 AM

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Monday - Friday at 1:30 PM

**Men's Programming**  
Monday - Friday at 11:30 PM

**EWTN Kids**  
Monday - Friday at 4:00 - 5:00 PM  
Saturdays at 9:30 - 11:00 AM

**Apologetics Saturday**  
Saturdays at 4:00 - 6:00 PM

**Women of Grace**  
Monday - Friday at 1:00 PM

**At Home with Jim & Joy**  
Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays at 1:30 PM

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